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## HIGHLIGHTS And SIDELIGHTS From State Capitol

By Bill Boykin  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex. — A new year-round voter registration law went into effect for Texans on October 1. Predictions are that it will make significant changes in the political structure of the state. New rules governing the operation of political party conventions also will begin operating next year.

These major provisions in the new voter registration act are noted:

\* Voters can register at any time (except for a temporary cut-off 31 days before each election). Registration is good for three years and is automatically renewed by participation in an election during that period. The old registration period, one of the shortest in the nation, was October 1-January 31.

\* Eighteen-to-21-year-olds may register and are eligible to vote in local, state and federal elections under a new U. S. constitutional amendment.

\* Roving or resident registration deputies may sign up voters anywhere — apartments, union halls, club rooms, dormitories, industrial plants, office buildings, supermarkets or private residences. The law provides that "no voter registrar shall refuse to deputize a person." This is expected to increase sharply the use of deputies to round up voters.

Predictions range upward of five million total eligible voters in 1972, an increase of a million over 1970.

Voters must have resided in the state a year and in a county for six months to qualify for local election participation. Those who have lived in Texas more than 30 days but less than a year before the November 1972 general election can vote for presidential and vice presidential candidates under special residency registration with county clerks.

**BILLY CARTERS OF GEORGIA VISITS IN GORMAN AREA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter of Plains, Georgia were visitors in Gorman this past week, visiting with Mr. W. J. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitt.

Mr. Carter, along with his brother, Jimmy Carter, operates a peanut shelling plant in Plains and also grows a large acreage of peanuts for seed purposes. Mr. Jimmy Carter is the present Governor of Georgia and, of course, inactive in the peanut business at this time.

The Carters looked over the peanuts growing and those in the process of being harvested in both Eastland and Comanche Counties and also looked over the shelling plant of the Gorman Peanuts at Gorman. They planned to continue on to the West Coast for a vacation as the harvest of the peanut crop is complete in Georgia at this time.

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

## KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Ann Gilbert of Fort Worth visited Tuesday with her brother, Mr.

## County Farm Bureau Convention Held October 5

The Eastland County Farm Bureau held its annual convention Tuesday, October 5, 1971, in the First Christian Church Annex.

Officers, Directors and delegates to the State Convention were elected. Sam Kimmell of Cisco was elected as president for the coming year. Other officers elected were: first vice president, Winford Fry of Cisco; second vice president, Pete Hathcock of Ranger; and secretary-treasurer, Ray Norris of Eastland.

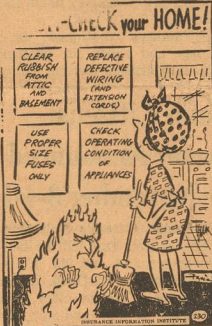
Directors elected to serve until 1973 are: Herman Schaefer, Cisco; James Fields, Gorman; K. F. Kirk, Ranger; Richard Burgess, Carbon; Winford Fry, Cisco; Jack Cozart, Cisco; Ray Norris, Eastland; Ted Botts, Ranger; Charles Little, Eastland; and J. R. Grimshaw, Desdemona.

Directors elected to serve until 1972 are: Henry Fry of Cisco; Pete Hathcock of Ranger; Sam Kimmell of Cisco; Jerry Anderson of Gorman; J. C. Clearman, Gorman; Don Shepard of Cisco; J. C. Coats of Cisco; Bill Claborn, Eastland; H. H. Harrelson, Cisco; and Dee Williamson of Eastland.

Delegates elected to attend the Texas Farm Bureau State Convention in Amarillo on November 14 to 17th were Sam Kimmell; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cozart; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fry; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burgess; Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Kirk. Alternate delegates are Winford Fry; Cyrus Justice and Pete Hatchcock.

The speaker for the convention was Miss Marilyn Thompson of Gorman. Miss Thompson spoke on her trip to the Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar held at the Baylor University in Waco in July. Marilyn spoke on Our American Heritage and the Capitalistic Private Enterprise System that has made ours the greatest of all nations.

—GP—



and Mrs. Willy Gilbert and Carey Michael.

D. R. Clark visited from Thursday to Tuesday in San Antonio with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sparger of Hobbs, N. M. has returned to their home following a two weeks visit with Mrs. Velma Bennett.

Mrs. Gorum Glasscock returned Sunday of last week from a two weeks visit in McAllen with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Butts. On her return trip Mrs. Glasscock was met in San Antonio Sunday by her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Townley of Gorman.

Weekend visitors with Mrs. Nettie Isbell and Frances were her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Payne and family of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. John Brownlee of De Leon.

Mrs. Myrtle Barclay of Lockhart is visiting this week with Ozella Pulley and will attend homecoming on Saturday.

Edward Rodgers of Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rodgers and family of Carleton and Linda Rodgers of Dallas spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. D. V. Rodgers, and attended the open house of the new Blackwell Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker were in Joplin, Missouri over the weekend for a visit with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Thrant of Battle Creek, Michigan, who were visiting their son in Joplin.

Don Moorman of Fort Worth spent the Columbus Day weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dona Moorman.

—GP—  
For Homecoming Mums, see a senior and get your order in for homecoming mums October 16.

## FOSTER FLORAL EMPLOYEES ATTEND DESIGN SCHOOL

The Big Country Florist Design School was held October 2-3 at the Windsor Hotel in Abilene.

Those attending from Foster Floral in Gorman were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster, Mrs. Tommy Carr, Mrs. W. D. Preston and Barbara Regian.

Foster is a director in the Floral Association and assisted with the design pieces.

He reports that many new materials and items were displayed with ideas for basic designs.

Theme of the school was fall and Christmas designs for home

and parties, also wedding and hospital and funeral work.

Many permanent arrangements were made up in dry flowers. Some 300 area florists attended the school which ended with an auction and drawing of door prizes.

Flowers that graced the registration and refreshment tables at the Open House of the New Blackwell Hospital Sunday were compliments of the Big Country Floral Association.

The arrangements were by Gene Foster, who created the magnificent arrangements of large bronze and Red Rover mums, pom pom mums and yellow spider mums surrounding three white tapers.



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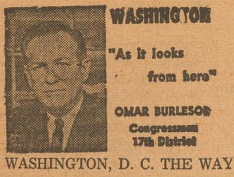
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WASHINGTON, D. C. THE WAY

OUT LEFT-WINGERS are having a field day in the aftermath of recent prison riots. They blame all of society for prison inmate uprisings and demand "reforms."

THE RECENT INCIDENTS at Attica, Soledad, San Quentin and others give the extreme liberal another issue. Conditions in many penal institutions afford them another opportunity for condemning our whole system of law enforcement.

much it has accomplished. Crime rose by 148 percent during the decade of the 60's, while crimes solved declined by 24 percent. The record indicates that in recent years the accused, even the habitual offender, has been provided greater immunities and protection than ever before.

THIS POINTS UP TWO prevailing attitudes. The more conservative attitude is to recognize that the world is not populated exclusively by beautiful people.

UNRESTRAINED BY LAW, the meanness in some people will find outlet in criminal conduct. It is one of the very first duties of government through law enforcement agencies to protect the public safety by restraining these instincts and punishing their exercise.

THE OTHER ATTITUDE voiced by and large by some of the more liberal persuasion is that the criminal is the unfortunate victim of society as a whole.

THEY SAY THAT THE GUNMAN is really not to blame for shooting the storekeeper; that if society had provided the highjackers with a decent environment — a home, a balanced diet and other advantages, he would not be involved in crime.

AS A MATTER OF FACT that Congress has appropriated billions of dollars in support of the proposition that better housing, better schools, improved medical care, all sorts of rehabilitation programs, will reduce crime, disease and provide opportunity. There is considerable question as to exactly how

THESE SAME PEOPLE decry the use of court approved wiretaps. Legislation for this authority was bitterly fought in the Congress before its approval. The latest available count shows that out of about 190 wiretaps granted by court order, more than 94 percent were productive. Of 592 arrests, 417 were indicted on evidence obtained by this method.

THE DENIAL OF THIS AUTHORITY is another "reform" which the "reformers" advocate. This, the American Civil Liberties Union contends, is an invasion of privacy. And so it is but if good and sufficient cause is presented to a court that laws are being violated, this right against search is forfeited.

THIS IS ONLY ONE of many attacks on efforts to stem the high crime rate in the Country. The new brand of prison inmate becomes a "political prisoner" according to the New Left and any discipline is "police brutality." No doubt some unnecessary conditions exist and some treatment is unfair. The point, however, is that the Atticas, Soledads and San Quentins are not reason enough to establish Country Clubs in an effort to satisfy the dissidents who seemingly want no doors, no bars and no walls for those who have proved predators on all of society.

### F. F. A. News

By Lonnie Bennett

The Gorman F. F. A. Chapter elected officers at a meeting last week to do the presiding at our meetings.

Officers elected were as follows: President - Billy Self Vice-President - Windell Treadway Secretary - Danny Snider Treasurer - Danny Ervin Sentinel - Steve Eaves Reporter - Lonnie Bennett.

The F. F. A. Sweetheart elected at the meeting was Sarah Kirk.

Members of the Executive Committee are Brad Campbell, Bill Baze, Steve Patterson, and Rodney Warren.

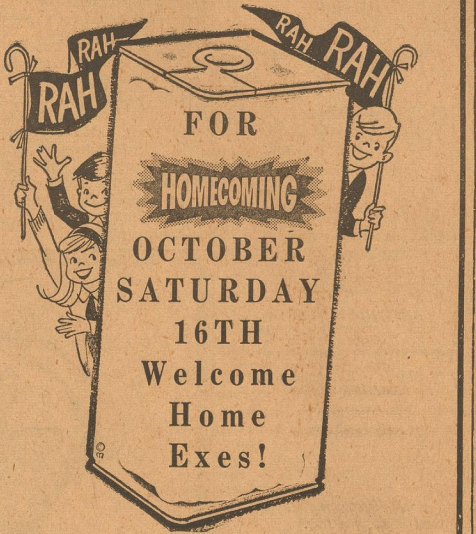
The Chapter has been real busy getting their animals in preparation for their projects this year.

### HOSPITAL REPORT

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

- Mrs. J. A. Barrett, Dublin
- Mrs. Lora Taylor, Gorman
- Mrs. J. D. Files, De Leon
- C. R. Ragland, De Leon
- Millie Porter, Gorman
- G. C. Acrea, Gorman
- Alice Snider, Gorman
- Viola Havins, Gorman
- J. W. Brown, Gorman

D. R. Clark, Gorman



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## DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

News is scarce here this week. Enjoying this cool weather, but don't need any more rain for a while.

Don't forget the country style musical Saturday night, October 16 at the Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Neldon Shipman visited in Austin this weekend with their son, Darwin, and wife, Donna. They are employed at White's Auto Stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collum and little daughter of Lubbock visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greenhaw, over the weekend.

Docy Williams is a patient in the De Leon Hospital. Some repair work is being done on the First Baptist Church, such as painting and some new windows.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry King and family of Crockett visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Tidwell, over the weekend.

Mrs. Evah Sparkman, Mrs. Lorene Koonce, Mrs. Hazel Koonce were in Fort Worth Saturday on a shopping spree.

Mrs. Ethel Riggs spent several days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wesley Hammonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane had the pleasure of entertaining their grandchildren this past week.

Jimmy Ellison of Gorman visited Mrs. Iva Buchan Sunday morning.

Quite a few attended the Open House of the New Gorman Hospital on Sunday. Congratulations to Gorman. Who said it couldn't be done?

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reed of Hasse visited their grandparents on Sunday. Also a brother of Billy Craig, Lewis Craig of Hasse, was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crawford of Snyder and Lake Hubbard, Mrs. Ruth Bell of Fort Worth visited their brother, Doyle Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson on Sunday and attended church at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lane are in Temple with a brother who is there for a check-up.

Hattie Tate, Sub-Reporter GP

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Mr. Joe Treadway will hold his regular Hearing Aid Clinic at the City Library at City Hall in De Leon on Monday, October 18th from 10:30 A. M. til 12 noon.

I am in the Stephenville office every Thursday, from 10:30 to 12:00. The Hamilton office every Friday from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. May we be of service to you.

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**SARAH ESPINOZA BITTEN BY SPIDER**

Sarah Espinoza was hospitalized Friday night in Brownwood Community Hospital from a spider bite she received at school late Friday afternoon.

An eighth grader and a member of the Gorman Anther Band, she attended the football game at Blanket and became violently ill at the end of the halftime activities. She was taken to the Brownwood hospital by Higginbotham Ambulance of Gorman. The lab test showed the bite was from a black widow spider.

Sarah was able to return to classes on Tuesday following a three day stay in the hospital.

Russell Fuller, band director, had other problems with band members Friday night. Timnia Sanders fainted in the football stadium from an injured ankle sustained just before halftime activities, and Beth White became ill on the bus as they were returning home from the game.

Mr. Fuller hopes to have everyone back in the band for the homecoming game Saturday night.

**CARD OF THANKS**

To all my friends and neighbors: many thanks for the gifts, flowers, food, visits and cards, and all kindnesses shown me during my recent stay in Eastland Memorial Hospital. Special thanks for your prayers.

V. L. Davis



**2ND. LT. ROGER C. CRAIG AWARDED SILVER WINGS**

CHANDLER, Arizona — Second Lieutenant Roger C. Craig, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Craig, De Leon, has been awarded his silver wings at Williams AFB, Arizona, upon graduation from U. S. Air Force pilot training.

Lieutenant Craig is being assigned to Grand Forks AFB, N.D., where he will fly the KC-135 Stratotanker aerial refueling aircraft with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

A 1965 graduate of De Leon High School, the lieutenant received his B.S. degree in 1969 from Texas A&M University where he was commissioned through the Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

His wife, Mary, is the daughter of Doctor and Mrs. D. T. Wier, 303 Moseley, De Leon.

**OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS**

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week:

The most inflammable wood is the chip on your shoulder.

Don't have too much news. Spent most of this past week in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmon Duke spent the weekend in Santo with the Odell Hale Family.

Mrs. Doris Bryan and Mrs. R. H. Watson were in Stephenville Saturday afternoon visiting Mrs. A. D. Bryan. Mrs. Bryan is doing some better at this writing.

Miss Effie Gilmore and Dee were visiting the Rawls on Sunday night.

Mrs. Irvin Dominey and Mrs. Waltr Dominey, both of Fort Worth, visited in our home Sunday afternoon. They also visited Mrs. Mary Timmons, Mrs. Walter Dominey's aunt.

Also visiting in our home were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson, Mrs. Murray, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey O'Neal. The O'Neals also visited the Loyd Glassons, and Mrs. Martha O'Neal, who is a patient in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson were in Eastland Sunday visiting the Kenneth Watson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson and Rachel spent the weekend in Monahans with the Wade Coan family.

**Senior Citizens Club News**

The Senior Citizens met at the Fire Hall at 1:30 p. m. October 12th. We played 42, 84 and dominoes. For refreshments we had Kool Aid, candy and cookies. A wonderful time playing and visiting.

The following were present: Alvin Lasater, Annie Henderson, Lover Boy Kirk, Denny (so sad, engagement broken) Moss, Paul Dietz Newton and Double Six Bennett, Luna Lane, C. C. and Ora (his Boss) Easter, Big Boy and Lonesome Henderson, Florence (won one game) Kent, Lover Ainsworth, Lorene Duggan, Granny Skiles, Queen Bee Herweck, and Honest (never) and Bossy Bennett.

Come be with us next Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. We need you so bad.

Several are still out due to sickness, laziness, contrary and some with their feelings hurt. So easy hurt, too. We try to report the true facts always (sometimes).

Honest (always right), Reporter —GP—

**MRS. MARY BUSCHING RECEIVES HONORS IN POETRY**

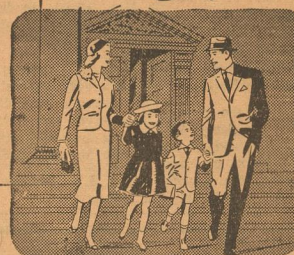
A biography of Mrs. Mary Busching will appear in three editions of Who's Who in Poetry and one of her poems will be published in the spring Anthology 1972 by the Mitre Press in England. Another poem will be published in Laurel Leaves Poetry Journal of the United Poets Laureate International, Quezon City, Minilla, Philippines.

Jason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kimmell, returned home on Tuesday following a weeks visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bennett. Jason will celebrate his third birthday Thursday.

Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rodgers were Mrs. Stella Goforth and Mrs. Irma Jordan of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Emmons of Breckenridge spent the weekend with her father, J. E. Walker.

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**REPORT OF CONDITION**

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September 30, 1971

**ASSETS**

Cash and Due from Banks	\$ 959,381.09
Loans and Discounts	1,921,862.17
U. S. Government Bonds	242,704.31
Municipal and Other Bonds	116,985.75
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	10,165.64
Other Assets	16,955.20
Federal Funds Sold	400,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,672,554.16</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits and Reserves	107,123.49
Deposits	3,378,714.66
Unearned Interest	6,716.01
Reserve For Contingencies	30,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,672,554.16</b>

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**PAR Bridge Notes For October Event**

One of the prettiest parties of the year was planned by the hostesses, Mrs. Nick Higginbotham and Mrs. John Fenimore for the October luncheon.

Thirty-six players were seated at one long table that was decorated with beautiful fall arrangements. The menu, highlighted with a chicken and rice casserole, also carried out the fall colors with its orange colored salad and pumpkin pie dessert.

High score prizes were awarded to Mrs. Oscar Hill and Mrs. A. D. Anderson of Comanche and the bingo prize went to Mrs. E. A. Kerby of Comanche.

Mrs. Cleone Willingham and Mrs. Billie Nyvall of Gustine will be hostesses for the November meeting.

Present from Comanche were: Mesdames Anderson, Hill, J. H. Arthur, Selma Berry, Pauline McCullough, Frankie Durham, Vener H. Owen, John Barton, Tom Dudley, Bess Satterfield, Dalton Perkins, Joe Tupin, Clara M. Slack, Gaston Boykin, Charles Marshall, Wanza Parks, E. A. Kerby, Emil A. Hansen, Elmo Montgomery, Charles Dudley, Higginbotham and Fenimore; De Leon: Mesdames Jeff Tate, W. H. Smith, S. E. Glover, Grady Mohon; from Dublin: Micki Watson and Neil Cleveland; from Gorman: Mesdames John Kimble, H. H. Pullig, Gene Baker, and Ethel Harrell; from Gustine: Cleone Willingham and Billie Nyvall; from Stephenville: Mrs. Bob Hicks; and from Zephyr: Mrs. Carl Keesee.

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### Foreign Food Cookery Program For Kokomo Club

The Kokomo Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. J. C. Rodgers on Monday, October 11 with Mrs. J. L. Morrow presiding and leading the opening exercises. Mrs. J. C. Clearman led the opening prayer.

Roll call was answered with "What I Like About My Neighbor."

Mrs. Morrow gave the council report stating that the Senior Citizens Bazaar will be held in the Rebekah Lodge Hall in Eastland on November 3rd thru 5th. Anyone sixty years of age or older may

exhibit and sell articles they have made. The HD Council will have a bake sale during the Bazaar. The HD Council will meet on November 3 at 10 a. m. and each one will bring a sack lunch.

Plans were made to go to the Lawndale Home For Senior Citizens at Gorman on Tuesday, Oct. 26th at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks led the recreation period with an exercise game.

Mrs. J. C. Rodgers, club leader, gave a very interesting program on "Foreign Food Cookery" and then served the delicious food to the six members and one visitor, Charlie Morgan of Friona.

Mrs. J. L. Morrow led the dismissal prayer.

### THE GORDON SPOT

By DeMarquis Gordon  
Eastland County Agric. Agent

Pecans seem to be hulling and falling earlier this year than usual. When you pick your pecans up and put them aside to dry, don't forget to select 40 of the heaviest pecans to enter in the County Pecan Show. The pecan show will be held in December in Eastland.

Looks like a real small pecan crop this year, but those pecans that are hulling now appear to be large and high in quality. Some growers report that all types of pecan insects caused more damage this year than in any previous year.

Dan Childress, Pecan Growers

Association president, said he counted six different kinds of insects eating on one small pecan tree last week. Many trees have been completely stripped of foliage. Some have asked if this will kill the trees. It probably won't kill the trees, but the longer the leaves remain on the tree the healthier it will be next spring. Trees aren't growing at this time of year, but food manufactured by the leaves is being stored in the root system to provide growth next spring. That's why it's important to keep the foliage in good condition until frost.

Now is the time for the fall application of fertilizer for your lawn. The two types of fertilizers most often applied in the fall are 16-20-0 and 10-20-10. The grass roots need the nutrients to keep them growing throughout the winter. Your grass will green up much faster in the spring and you will have a better turf if fertilizer is applied now.

Fall is also a very good time for producers to apply fertilizer — not only for fall-growing crops but also for crops to be planted next spring. Now is a good time to pull soil samples in order to have

them tested for determining fertilizer needs.

Fall fertilization is a sound, economical management practice. Fields on which fall-planted or fall-growing crops are located should be fertilized as necessary to get top production. And, since phosphate and potash do not leach, they can be applied in the fall for next spring's crops.

Fall application of phosphate and potash for spring-planted crops has several advantages. Weather conditions are usually better for getting spreaders on fields during fall, lessening the risk of compaction.

And, if you wait until spring to fertilize, adverse weather may cause delays. Perhaps the greatest value, though, is the time you'll save next spring. Fall fertilization gets one job out of the way which would otherwise have to be done in the spring when the main objective is to get seed in the ground.

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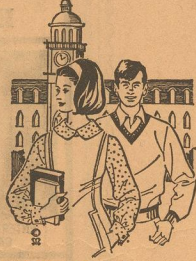
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