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## Gorman Girls To Play Blanket For Bi-District

The Gorman girls basketball team and the Blanket girls will meet in the Bi-District game on March 4th at Comanche. Gorman is the winner of District 32-B while the Blanket sextet won the District 31-B title.

Blanket has won 17 and lost 5 up to now and won the Early tournament. Their losses include two to De Leon and one each to Bangs and Goldthwaite. They are led by forward Linda Byrd with an average of over 20 points per game.

The Panherettes of Gorman have won 18 and lost 7 at the present time with 3 losses to De Leon and one each to Huckaby, Irving, Albany, and Pottsville. Gorman hopes for a Bi-District win and a trip to the Regional Tournament at Brownwood depend upon forwards Anye Kate Blair, Julia Beth Skaggs, Patsy Rawls, and Mary Robertson, with Sandra West, Emma Jane Skaggs, Kay Lynn Ramsey, and Karen Wright doing the guarding.

Game time for the game at Comanche is 7:30 p. m. and the admission will be 75c for adults and 25c for students.

## Band Boosters To Sponsor Appliance Demonstration

Once again Mr. Buddy Blair has asked the Band Boosters "Would you like to sponsor a demonstration for me?" And our quick reply was "yes, we appreciate the opportunity."

And this is the deal. For every person who will come to see a demonstration of Buddy's new Frigidaire washing machines and dryers and dish washers by Mrs. Frances Rooney, Texas Electric Home Economist, the Band Boosters get twenty-five cents. (And we sure do need the money). But there is absolutely no cost or obligation to you.

There will be free gifts for you too. The place is Buddy's Appliance Center in the Gorman Hotel. The time is 2:00 p. m. Thursday, February 27, 1958.

Please remember the date and come - - or we both lose.

The Band Boosters

## Mrs. M. McGlothlin Buried Sunday At Simpson Cemetery

Mrs. Minnie McGlothlin, 80, mother of Mrs. George Bennett, was buried Sunday at Simpson Cemetery. Funeral services were held at the Kokomo Baptist Church with Rev. Lee Fields and the Rev. W. L. Skaggs conducting the services. Mrs. McGlothlin had died Friday at Dallas.

Minnie Cora McGlothlin was born March 10, 1877, in Greenville. She was married in 1892 to James B. McGlothlin in Greenville. After her husband's death she had lived in the Kokomo Community for several years before moving to Dallas. She joined the church when a young girl, and was a member of the Kokomo Baptist Church at the time of her death.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. Roy Rowland of San Antonio, Mrs. Geo. F. Bennett of Rt. 1, Eastland, Mrs. Ernie Brooks of Dallas; three sons, Allen McGlothlin of Merced, Calif., and Willie and Lonnie McGlothlin, both of Dallas. All of these children were able to attend the funeral except Allen. She was also survived by 23 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Vernon Bennett of Crane, Elbert Bennett of Gorman, Earl Little of Cisco, John Little of Eastland, and Bobby and Roy Rowland of Corpus Christi.

## Gorman Places 3 Girls, 2 Boys On All-District

Gorman placed 3 girls and 2 boys on the All-District Basketball teams picked by the coaches of District 32-B at a meeting in Gorman on Monday afternoon. The Gorman girls, all of whom were unanimous choices, are Anye Kate Blair, Julia Beth Skaggs, and Sandra West. The two Gorman boys were Jerry Warren and Johnny Rodgers. Warren was one of the three unanimous choices on the boys team. This was the second

straight year for Rodgers to be an All-District selection.

Other unanimous choices on the girls team were Ann Mangum of Carbon and Wilma Edwards of Olden. The other two unanimous picks for the boys first team were both Olden boys, Eddie Munn and Jack Hilliard. Olden was the champion of the boys division with Gorman second, and Gorman was winner of the girls title with Desdemona second.

The complete list of All-District choices is as follows:

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Eddie Munn, Olden  
Jack Hilliard, Olden  
Jerry Warren, Gorman  
Royce Yancey, Desdemona  
Don Underwood, Carbon  
Johnny Rodgers, Gorman

**BOYS SECOND TEAM**  
Eldon Maynard, Carbon  
Lyndall Morrow, Carbon  
Delbert Smith, Gorman  
Eddie Gregg, Gorman  
Tommy Rainey, Desdemona

**GIRLS FIRST TEAM**  
Forwards:  
Annye Kate Blair, Gorman  
Julia Beth Skaggs, Gorman  
Ann Mangum, Carbon  
Wilma Edwards, Olden  
Guards:  
Sandra West, Gorman  
Jeanie Barker, Desdemona  
Lunell Allen, Desdemona  
Wanda May, Carbon

**GIRLS SECOND TEAM**  
Forwards:  
Maxine Stacy, Carbon  
Linda Carr, Desdemona  
(Miss) Lee, Strawn  
Guards:  
Emma Jane Skaggs, Gorman  
Mittie Rone, Carbon  
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## Gov. Designates March 3-7 Public School Week

Greetings:

Public Schools Week in Texas is a special time set aside each year in which to place increased emphasis on our public schools. Parent visitation is encouraged, and citizens of our communities are urged to take an active interest in the school systems and to cooperate with the respective school boards, superintendents,

principals and teachers in an effort to make Texas public schools the finest in the Nation.

Today, more than ever before, the importance of our schools is being realized by an awakened Nation. Education, both in scientific and liberal arts fields, has taken on a new perspective. However, with all the rush to train scientists and place satellites in outer space, it is important to remember that our public schools will furnish our leaders of tomorrow with the basic human, moral and spiritual foundations necessary for more advanced training and knowledge.

THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the week of March 3-7, 1958 as PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK in Texas, and urge each citizen to recognize the tremendous importance of our public schools.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 15th day of January, 1958.

(Seal) [s] Price Daniel  
Governor of Texas



**HULLS**  
by Kernel Gene, aPE

A SELL OUT!

Keith Gregory came by to tell us his nursery ad in last week's Progress sold all of the nursery stock he had on hand and that he had to rush another shipment in.

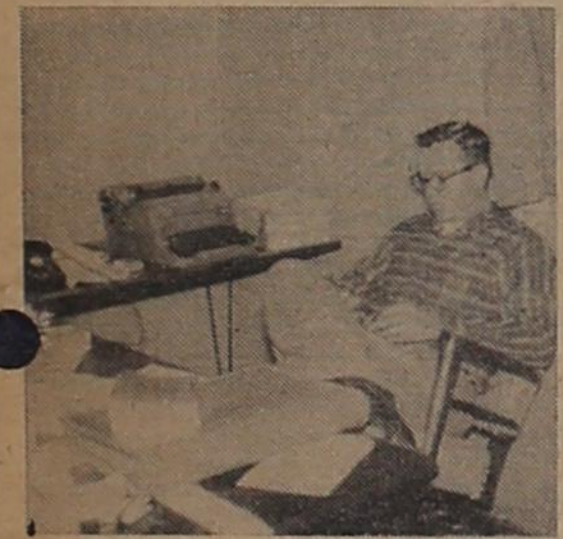
Thanks, Keith, and SPECIAL THANKS to you who were thoughtful enough to tell Keith you saw his ad in the Progress.

THIRTEEN — A magic number which makes me a teen-ager.

On February 15, 1945 I published my first newspaper, The Gorman Progress. So, I am hinting rather loudly for an honorary membership to the Teen-Age Club which is in the process of organization. This project should have the backing and cooperation of every individual and organization in this area. If given the opportunity our young people will operate this club and make a success of it.

There will be opposition to this club and my only suggestion to this opposition is go to some of the honky-tonks and night clubs that are attended by a few of the adults of our town. There you will see a few young people watching them and probably thinking, "They are respected citizens of Gorman. We have no other place for recreation, so if they come here it should be all right for us." A Teen-Age Club will eliminate ninety-nine percent of this. But this is enough of negative thinking. With your help and encouragement the Teen-Age Club can be a big asset to our community.

As I enter my thirteenth year I recall many young people who are now making a success in business, homes, etc. Outstanding among these, and one that I have had a difficult time interviewing, is the young man pictured below:



While visiting in Richland Springs recently, Joe Bennett and I called on Jimmy Mehaffey, president of the Peoples State Bank. His building is being renovated and furniture was stacked all over the place. However, Jimmy made us welcome. It was inspiring to hear Jimmy talk of Richland Springs, the friendly people, and the plans they were making for the future.

Later, I visited with Mr. Ned Stringfellow, editor of the local paper. He told me that Jimmy had called on him shortly after moving to Richland Springs and placed an ad in the paper which read, "SEE JIM" for insurance. The ad ran several weeks before Mr. Stringfellow finally told Jim that his competitor's name was also JIM. The ad copy was changed the following week but Mr. Stringfellow said that he understood Jimmy was having to work nights to keep up with his insurance business.

Jimmy is a graduate of Gorman High and worked in the First National Bank in Gorman for nine months. He attended Baylor University for a year and then transferred to A&I College at Kingsville where he received his degree. He did part time work in the Kingsville bank. Moving to Dallas he was employed by the Texas Bank and Trust Co. While in Dallas he studied law

## Seeks Workable Solution To Cotton Acreage Problems

Working with other Texas Congressional delegates, Senator Ralph Yarborough, is trying to find the best and most workable solution to the cotton acreage allotment problem, according to the following news release in which he states:

"Since the session opened I have received more than a hundred letters and telegrams from individuals, farmers and whole farm organizations on this subject. This is in addition to the many dozens who have contacted me about this matter during my fact-finding trips across the state.

at the SMU night school. Eventually he opened a casualty and fire insurance business of his own which he sold when he bought stock in the Richland Springs bank.

We are almost as proud of Jimmy's success as his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey.

### WHAT IS A HEATHEN?

Is he a heathen because he does not belong to your church?

Is he a heathen because he refuses to break bread with his fellowman of another faith?

Is he a heathen because he accepts another man's right to worship God in his own way and is willing to worship with him?

Is he a heathen because he fails to let another interfere for him when he feels that he can worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience?

Is he a heathen because he does not believe in de-churching a man?

Is he a heathen because of the music he does or does not sing in church?

There are hundreds of more questions that could be asked and every denomination and many within each denomination will give you a different answer to the above questions - each saying, "MINE is the correct answer!"

If a man thinks for himself he will soon learn that theory, theology and seminars will not get the job done.

## March On Polio Postponed To Friday

## De Leon Publisher Buys The Tickets

In answer to my challenge for a pancake eating contest at De Leon Friday evening I received the following note from A. J. Stricklin, Jr., publisher of the De Leon Free Press:

Dear Kernel:  
I concede defeat in advance and default. I'll have to serve. Enclosed is One Buck instead of the tickets in order that you may buy your tickets up there and give your school credit for the sale. If Gorman should win the stop watch by two tickets, any

Here's an example of the situation as written to me by a Shelby County farmer:

"I try to farm and have 61 acres. The United States Department of Agriculture and the county committee only gives me 3.3 acres of cotton, and they want to limit my peanuts to just one acre. The time has come for each tub to stand on its own bottom. . . It's disgusting the way things are going and something must be done. I'm fed up with it and about ready to rebel. . ."

This man's reported allotment of 4.3 acres for cotton and peanuts out of 61, is the most extreme we have had called to our attention. But his comment that "it is disgusting and I'm about ready to rebel" is little different from letters of many small property owners.

With quality cotton in short supply in the United States, it seems obvious that there should be substantial increases in cotton acreage allotments. While these adjustments are being made, I think special attention must be paid to improving the plight of the small family farm operator who has been hurt by the acreage allotment system.

There are a number of bills before the House and Senate, I'm working to increase the acreage of cotton allotments in Texas this year.

This cotton acreage question is extremely complex, and I would appreciate having the views of anyone who cares to make a recommendation about it."

T. A. Key of Brady was in Gorman recently. Mr. Key was asked if he had received any letters or comments on the "Open Letter" we published for him recently.

Mr. Key replied that no one in Gorman seemed particularly interested so he doubted that the Modern Gin would be opened again.

Anyone interested might write Mr. T. A. Key, Brady, Texas.

## LaDOYT MAUPINS HAVE NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. LaDoyt Maupin are the proud parents of a new son, Jefferey LaDoyt. He was born on Sunday, February 16th at the Blackwell Hospital and weighed 10 pounds and 4 ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maupin and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Durward Belyeu.

## "BUSTER" WALTONS HAVE NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. "Buster" Walton have a new son, Jimmy Dean. He was born February 16 at Blackwell Hospital and weighed 4 pounds and 11½ ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Platter.

## Carbon Jr. Class To Present Play

The Junior Class of Carbon High School will present "Two Dates For Tonight" on February 28th, 1958 at 8:00 p. m.

The three act play will be presented in the high school auditorium. Admission will be 25c for students and 50c for adults.

Come one, come all. Bring the whole family.

Tickets may be purchased from any of the Junior Class members.

## Mrs. Ollie Fein Hosts Desdemona Club

Mrs. Ollie Fein was hostess to the Desdemona Study Club for its February meeting.

Mrs. J. L. Bursleson called the meeting to order.

Roll call was answered by showing an old Valentine or a souvenir and by giving an old Southern custom. Among the things shown were autograph albums written with a flourish that was 80 years old, a book of Beautiful Women of the Time, published in 1845, booklets of poems of love which one member received from her husband during their days of courtship, a Valentine, and a beautiful cut glass pitcher.

Mrs. W. H. Davis gave a brief sketch of Amy Vanderbilt's life and the highlights of her book on etiquette.

Mrs. Fein and Mrs. Bursleson demonstrated table setting with the Valentine motif. A white drawn-work cloth was used. The table was centered with a white heart-shaped cake trimmed with red roses and lace. A bow of red ribbon with streamers forming an arrow lay underneath the cake plate. Crystal candelabra held white papers surrounded with japonicas. White dishes and plain silver and crystal were used.

A dainty refreshment plate consisting of heart-shaped sandwiches, pickles, olives, potato chips, cake, and punch was served. The punch was served from glasses made for the World Championship Golf Tournament held in Milwaukee. They were a gift from Mrs. Fein's daughter.

## CARD OF THANKS

To neighbors and friends who extended so much sympathy and kindness on the occasion of the death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Minnie McGlothlin, we offer our heartfelt thanks.

Children and Grandchildren of Mrs. McGlothlin

## Gorman-Huckaby Split Bsk'tball Wins

The Gorman girls defeated Huckaby Friday night at Gorman by a score of 53-35 but the Huckaby team reversed the decision Tuesday night at Huckaby 40-38.

In the game Friday night Anye Kate Blair led the scoring with 36 points followed by Patsy Rawls with 11 points. Outstanding guarding was done by Emma Jane Skaggs and Mary Robertson.

Tuesday night at Huckaby, Blair tallied 23 points for the night followed by Rawls with 8.

## SWPGA Officials Attending Peanut Grower Meetings

Mr. Ross Wilson, manager, and Mr. Bob Green, Assistant Manager, of the Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association have been attending meetings in Oklahoma and Texas with peanut growers.

Subjects under discussion are planting, growing and harvesting peanuts, and legislation affecting peanut growers.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Green also plan on visiting a number of warehousemen.

## Gorman Boxers To Compete In Stephenville Tourney Tonight

A team of boxers from Gorman will enter the Stephenville Jaycees Boxing Tournament tonight, Thursday. The meet will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at the High School Gym in Stephenville. It will be one of the best boxing meets in this part of the state.

## Announcements

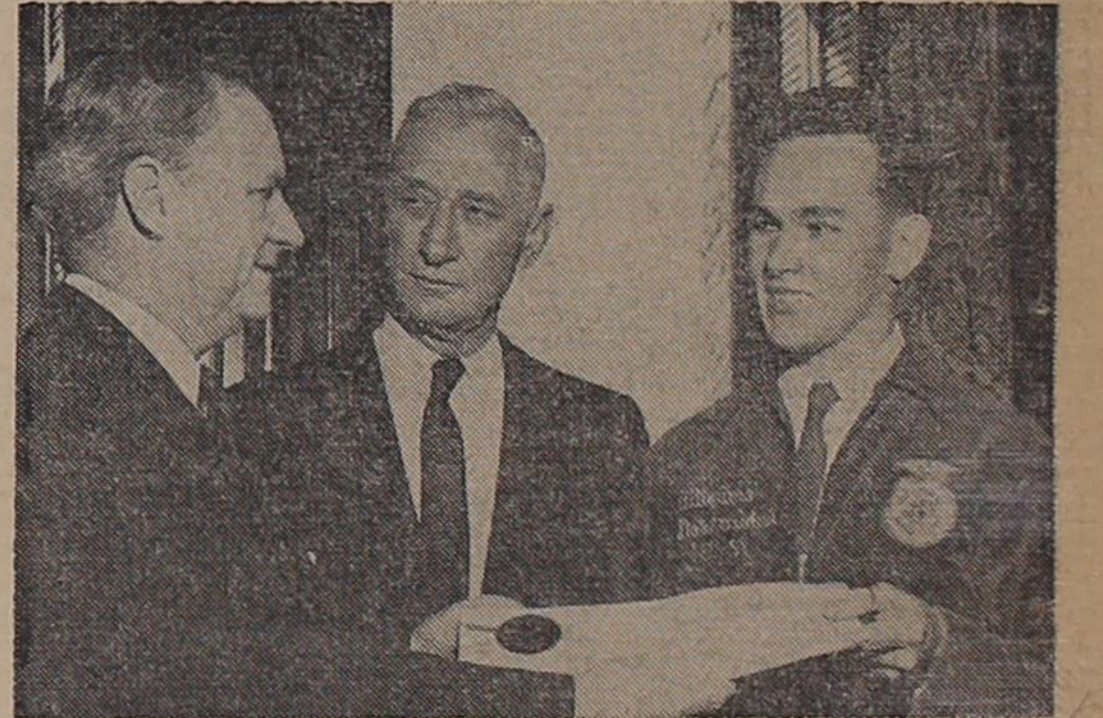
The First National Bank of Gorman will observe Washington's Birthday, February 22, as a legal holiday and will not transact any business on that date.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce (Jaycees) meets tonight, Thursday, at 6:30 in the Fire Hall.

There will be a singing held at the Bethel Baptist Church on Sunday, February 23rd, from 2 until 4 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Simpson Cemetery Committee met recently and are now asking those who are interested in the upkeep of the cemetery to please send in their contributions.

Mrs. Newt Crawley, Sec'y.



Governor Price Daniel has designated the week of February 22 through March 1 as National Future Farmers of America Week in Texas. Governor Daniel is shown presenting the proclamation to Billy Penn, State FFA President, and George Hurt, State Director of Agricultural Education. FFA Story Appears on Page 4

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Pee Wee Class - Larry Anderson, John Devoss, Doyle Welch, Jerry Nall, Jerry Wilson, Harold Rodgers, and Jackie Simpson.  
Bantamweight Class - Mike Devoss.

Featherweight Class - James Whitlock, Kenneth Welch, Jimmy Collins, James Blackshear, and Nathan Files.  
Lightweight Class - Corkey Brown, Glenn Scitern, and Eddie Browning.

Middleweight Class - Bobby Standridge and Jim Bob Thompson.  
Heavyweight Class - John Brinegar.

Novice Heavyweight Class - Freddie Cornwell.  
Tommy Welch will not get to box because of a hand injury.

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this means to thank the doctors and nurses for their untiring efforts to save my life when I was so nearly knocked out and I want to thank every one from the bottom of my heart who visited me and so many get well cards and to Bro. Turner and all who prayed for my speedy recovery at the First Baptist Church.

May God's richest blessings rest on everyone of you is my prayer.

Evvin F. Martin

# Desdemona News

By Ethel Keith

Several in this community have been ailing with flu and colds.

Mr. Howard Williams spent several days in the Gorman hospital suffering from near pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown spent the weekend of last week in Dallas visiting with a new grandson, Little Robert Fielding, new baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Herc Ficklen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Buckley visited in Abilene last part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Buckley. Mrs. Buckley is recovering from a recent operation in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Williams and children of Midland spent the weekend here with his father, Mr. C. H. Williams, and other relatives.

Word was received here early

## SIXTH GRADE NEWS

Bobby Rodgers - Richard Watson

We enjoyed our Valentine party last Friday. We want to thank all the mothers who helped.

Last week we made Valentines in art. We got a new reader last

Wednesday that Mr. Reed, who was in the John Sealy Hospital, had fallen and broke his hip.

Mrs. R. H. Abel spent part of the week in Gorman hospital with bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts and girls spent Sunday in Granbury visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mearns of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abel of Oil Center, N. M. spent the weekend here with relatives.

week. It is called High Road to Glory. In math we've been studying square measures. We are studying how to write conversation in English.

Next week we are going to elect new officers in English Club.

## CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this method of thanking you for your contributions and help in our loss by fire of our home and furnishings.

We say thank you from the bottom of our hearts for every gift both large and small and every act of kindness. Our prayers are that God will bless each of you and your homes. And if or when the time ever comes to you, you too might be as well cared for.

Thanks a million.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Steele  
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For Butane and Propane Systems, Tractor Changeovers, Phone collect 3571, De Leon, Thomas Butane Co., or A. C. Nelson, Phone 42-D, Carbon (collect) 3-8fnc

"Do It Yourself" Tools for rent Cutters, Dies, Sanders, Drills, Waxer - Saws - etc. Keys made while you wait. **Thompson Hardware**, Ph. 157...fn

**FOR SALE** or will rent for \$45 per month, 3 bedroom house, modern conveniences, on Roberts St. See Henry Collins. 9-19fn

**WANTED** — 60 to 100 acres of peanut land to rent. Will work feed land also. Write Roy C. Shugart, Rt. 1, Gorman or call No. 6, Progress.

**FOR SALE** — 6-room brick home, garage apartment, modern conveniences, 160 acres land, 114 in cultivation, good water, all-steel storm cellar, 500 gallon propane system. All weather road. **Wayne Pittman**. 12-19fnc

**INCOME TAX SERVICE** — Income and Social Security Tax. Returns prepared. Prompt service. Reasonable Rates. Phone 2575, Office, or 2505 Residence. Mrs. Frederick Harmon, Harmon Insurance Agency, De Leon. 11-16fn

**BUDDY'S APPLIANCE** - Frigidaire washers, dryers, refrigerators, air conditioners and heating, home freezers, ranges or any of Frigidaire appliances. I service and sell in Desdemona, De Leon and Gorman. In fact, my motto is "Service after sale". Phone 9, Gorman Hotel. 1-23fnc

**FOR SALE** — Used Maytag Gas Range. See W. C. Browning. Phone 136. 2-6fnc

**FOR SALE** — Our home on North Kent St. Two bedrooms. See Jessie Moore. Phone 126-J, Gorman. 2-6fnc

**ELECTRICAL WORK** — I am available to do all types of electrical work. **Hubert Craddock**, Phone 170W. 2-6fnc

**FOR SALE** — 80 acre sandy land farm, 3 miles Northeast of Gorman with house and barns, several bearing pecans and fruit trees. Known as J. N. Davis farm. See Laura Davis, Box 354, Gorman. 2-20p

**FOR SALE** — Used automatic washers, \$35 up. 30-day guarantee on all washers. **BUDDY'S APPLIANCE**, Gorman Hotel. 2-13fn

**RADIO & TV REPAIR** for all makes and models. Call No. 9, Gorman, or Gifford Radio & TV, L-3280, Stephenville. 2-13fnc

**FOR RENT, SALE or TRADE** for city property. 100 acre farm, well improved. Mrs. J. B. Griffith, Gorman Hotel. 2-20c

**WANTED** — Lady to do light housework for Mrs. W. F. Flatt. Route One, De Leon. 2-20p

**BABY CHICKS** Monday's and Tuesday's. **STARTED CHICKS** every day, reasonable prices. We receive eggs each Saturday for custom hatching. **STAR HATCHERY**, Baird, Texas. 2-20fnc

**Large Pecan Trees** - Fruitless Mulberry and other shade trees - Fruit trees and Roses. Select your trees and plants at **Womack's Nursery** on Hwy. 6 near Rucker. 2-20fnc

**WANT TO RENT** — 50 acres of land with small peanut allotment up to 15 acres. See Olan C. Dennis, Box 713, Gorman. 2-27p

**FOR SALE** — Four-room house. See **Charlie Atchison**. 2-20fn

**FOR SALE**: Premier Service Station equipment and stock. Gorman - Dublin Hwy. Lease on station 1c per gallon. **Houston Dawkins**, De Leon, Box 319. 3-6p

## ARTICLE 2745c

Election of School Trustees

In all elections for the office of county school trustee or trustee of any school district, however, created or designated, the applications of candidates for a place on the ballot shall be filed not less than thirty (30) days prior to the day of the election and the ballots shall be printed not less than twenty (20) days prior to the day of the election. In each election it shall be the duty of the officer or board charged with the preparation of the ballots to deliver to the county clerk, on or before the twentieth day preceding the day of election, a sufficient number of ballots to accommodate application for absentee ballots in such election; and it shall be the duty of the county clerk to conduct the absentee voting in the election in accordance with the general election laws relating to absentee voting. Paper ballots shall be used for absentee voting in all such elections, including elections in district where voting machines are used at regular polling places.

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## THE GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland Co., TEXAS, Feb. 20, 1958

### F. H. A. MEETING

Homemaking I held their regular monthly meeting at the Homemaking Cottage February 17th.

Carolyn Gilbert, president, presided at the meeting. The Opening Ritual was given by all the group. The program was planned by Dolores Foster, Vice-President. Kay Jarrett gave an interesting report on Sweden, as to its location and the occupation of its people. One-third of the people earn their living by farming. Education is free and school attendance is required by law.

Glenda Joiner gave a report on Switzerland, a little country high in Europe's Alps. It is famous as the world's model republic and as a land of beautiful scenery. Their favorite pastime is marksmanship. Only the ablest men are permitted to handle firearms. Merla Rae Miller told us about the people of our neighboring country, Mexico. As to their dress, silks and satins in bright and gala colors are worn by both

young and old. Their food consists mostly of chili and pinto beans with corn meal cooked in various ways. The Bull Ring is still their favorite sport.

Barbara Overstreet, Glenda Pennington, Lou Laminack, and Dolores Foster prepared and served refreshments consisting of refrigerator cookies and punch.

### SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

Laneta Rodgers - Kay Browning

The Seventh Grade class had a skating party Friday night. We had a lot of fun and hope to go back soon.

The Gorman Junior High girls lost Saturday by 4 points. It was a good game. Gorman Jr. High is to play at Carbon next weekend. We play Thursday night.

We are studying hard for the six weeks tests and will be glad when they are over.

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# WESTMORELAND'S MARKET



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**Sirloin Steak** Lb. 79c

**Club or Rib Steak** Lb. 69c

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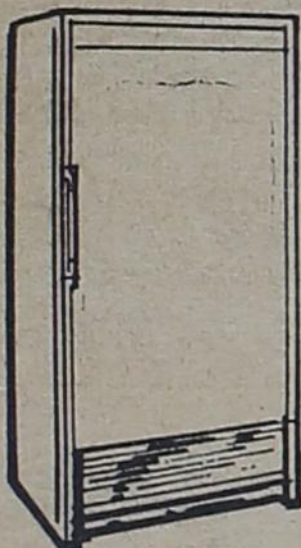
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This ad is worth difference on any competitive price posted in Gorman after publication of the Progress.

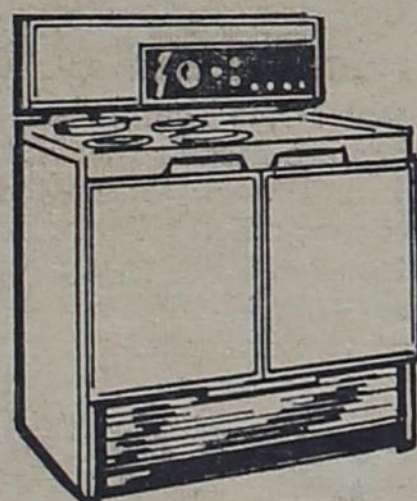
For instance, if we advertise an item for 49 cents in the Progress and you find the same competitive item for less on Friday or Saturday, bring this ad to Westmoreland's Market. It will be worth the difference.

# SPRING SPECIALS

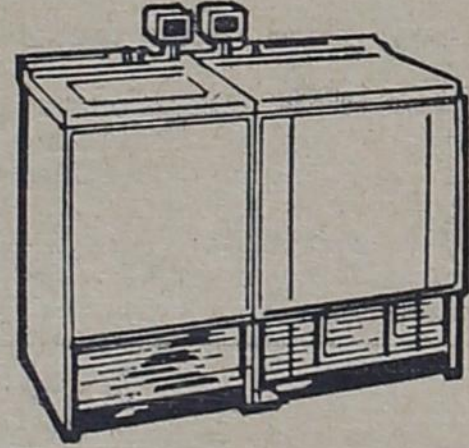
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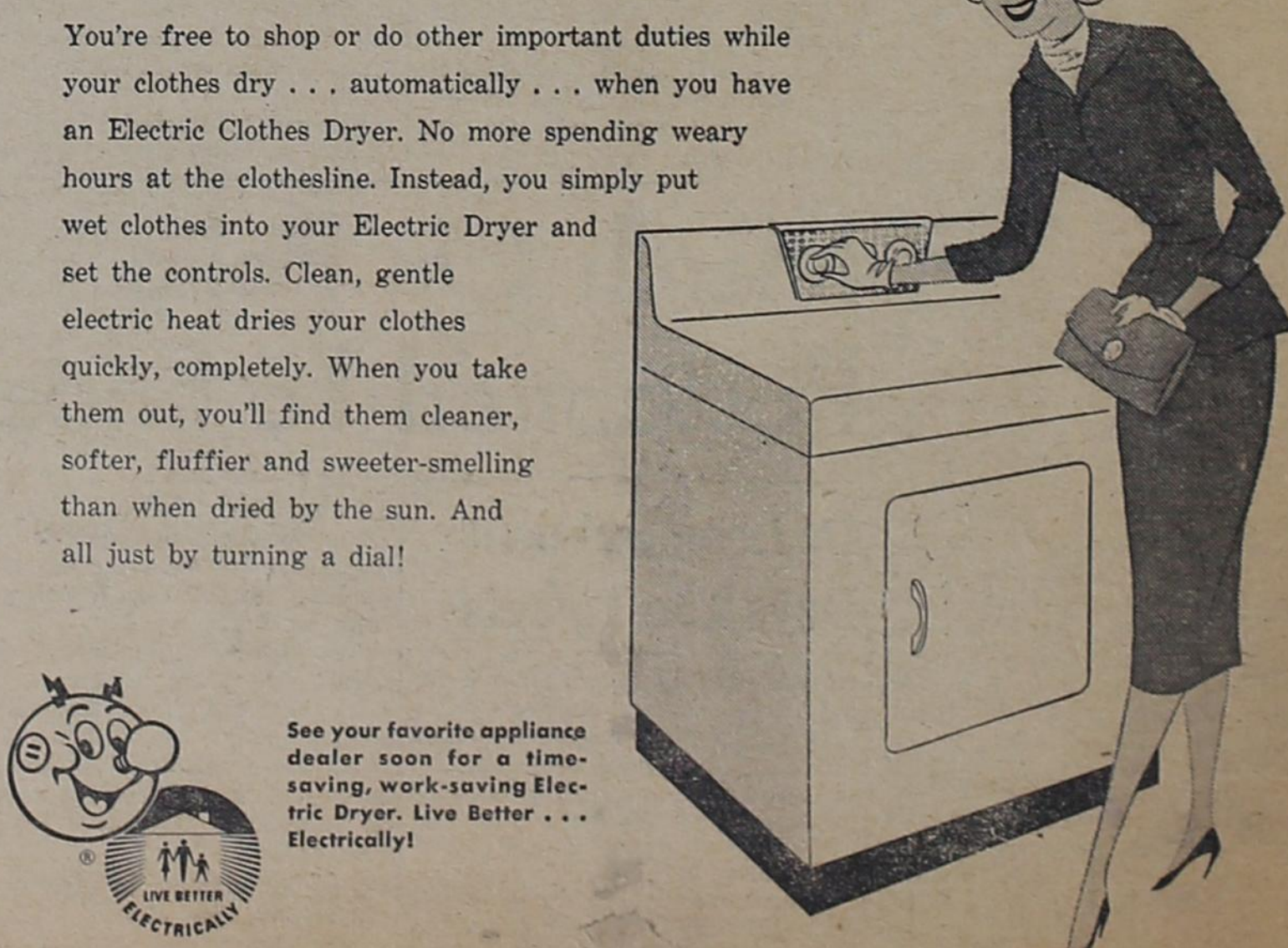
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# Sports

Jerry Clark

Texas Tech is going great guns in its first season of competition for the Southwest Conference basketball title.

Tech moved into a first place tie with Arkansas on Tuesday night by beating Texas, 93-66, at Lubbock. Arkansas was idle. Tech and Arkansas now are 7-3 in conference play, a full game ahead of SMU and Rice, who are 6-4 following SMU's 70-59 victory over Rice on Tuesday night. SMU hasn't lost a conference game at home in almost four years.

The basketball title race is almost as scrambled as a boxer's ears. Everybody except Baylor still was in the race for the title or a share of it, and it was about the wildest and most unpredictable campaign the conference ever saw.

Texas Tech was the big show of last week as the Red Raiders won two games, beating dangerous Baylor, 74-72, and then thumping Arkansas, 69-48, before a screaming 10,720 fans at Lubbock. And lowly Baylor edged Rice, 63-62, to provide the biggest surprise of the season.

The Baylor upset of Rice was something that this league usually has to contend with each year. The Bears always will win one big game, one that really hurts, in any given season, regardless of a lowly estate. This season they have won only 3 games out of 20, and when they beat Rice it was their first conference triumph in 10 tries.

Saturday night SMU and Tech clash at Dallas in a game that could be very important, while TCU and Rice get together at Houston. Arkansas should have the easiest time of the four top contenders as it goes to College Station to play A&M. Texas and Baylor tangle at Waco.

### Reduce Delinquency

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**HOW TO GET WHAT WE NEED**  
(A distinguished Texas judge offers pointers on combating our rapidly increasing juvenile delinquency problem.)

By JUDGE SARAH T. HUGHES



Texans like to brag—and we have much reason to be proud. But we can't brag about our facilities for handling juvenile delinquents. They're inadequate.

The state institutions are heavily overcrowded. There are no state parole officers for children released from them. Many counties have neither institutions nor parole officers.

While the Legislature provided for some additional facilities, the buildings will merely permit less crowding and replace unsafe structures. No more children will be accommodated. No probation officers were authorized.

**You Can Get Them**  
There is, however, something that can be done, and it is up to us, the people, to do it.

Public officials respond to what the voters want. On the county level it is the Commissioners Court, and for the state the Legislature has the responsibility.

If there is strong enough public opinion favoring adequate facilities and probation officials, our representatives in county and state office will provide them.

**Develop Public Opinion**  
Public opinion is something you can be a force in developing. Talk to your friends, your clubs, your church. Write your legislators, county commissioners, newspapers.

And if your county is too small to afford paid probation people, get volunteer ones, ministers, other people with character... yourself!

Next week: The Biggest Factor.

M. Y. F. NEWS  
Carol Hatcher, Reporter

This week our program was about integration and segregation in schools of Negroes and white pupils. Annys Kate Blair had charge of it. It was the second part in a series titled "Progress In Human Relations." This part was called "Spotlight on Schools". The program was conducted with a panel discussion between Norman Jones, Carol Hatcher, Janice Day, and Kay Lynn Ramsey, with Annys Kate acting as moderator.

In our business session we made plans for our chili supper for Wednesday night immediately following the prayer meeting. We also made plans to go to the M. Y. F. Sub-District at Ranger Monday night. There were 17 youth and one adult present. We closed with the M.Y.F. benediction.

### SUB-DISTRICT NEWS

Nineteen youth and three adults went to Ranger to the Sub District meeting Monday night. President Don Deffebach of Ranger presided. We sang "God Will Take Care of You", then Rev. Brooks of Rising Star led the prayer, "Wonderful Words of Life" was the next selection we sang. Kay Lynn Ramsey of Gorman played the piano.

Principle business was the count of the youth representing each town in our sub-district and the election of officers for the sub-district. We want you to be sure and read this - "Gorman won the banner for this month for having the highest number of members enrolled present." We are very proud. Wouldn't it be nice if we could keep it for two months in a row - no other town has yet done so.

We were honored to have three of our members elected as officers of the sub-district. Carolyn Haynes was elected president, Carol Hatcher was elected citizenship chairman, and Mike Stacy was elected song leader. Next Sunday afternoon at 2:00 at Cisco all of the officers will have a council meeting.

For our program, we had a panel discussion. The subject was "Relations between Teenagers and Parents". The teenagers on this panel were Jim Lewis, Kay Hopper, Lee King, Mary Carolyn Berry, with Don Deffebach acting as moderator. Views were readily expressed on many issues including car driving privileges,

curfew, honesty, and understanding. It was a good program, and we learned something from it.

After the business and program we all went down to the basement of the church and played games and had refreshments.

We were dismissed by forming our friendship circle and repeating our MYF benediction in unison.

## Political Announcements

The Gorman Progress is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries July 26 and August 23, 1958:

For State Representative  
PAUL BRASHEAR  
(re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 2  
B. M. BENNETT  
A. M. (Judge) THURMAN  
M. E. "Buck" FOSTER

For County Judge  
CLYDE L. GARRETT

JOHN HART  
(re-election)

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

For District Clerk  
ROY L. LANE  
(re-election)

For County Clerk  
JOHNSON SMITH

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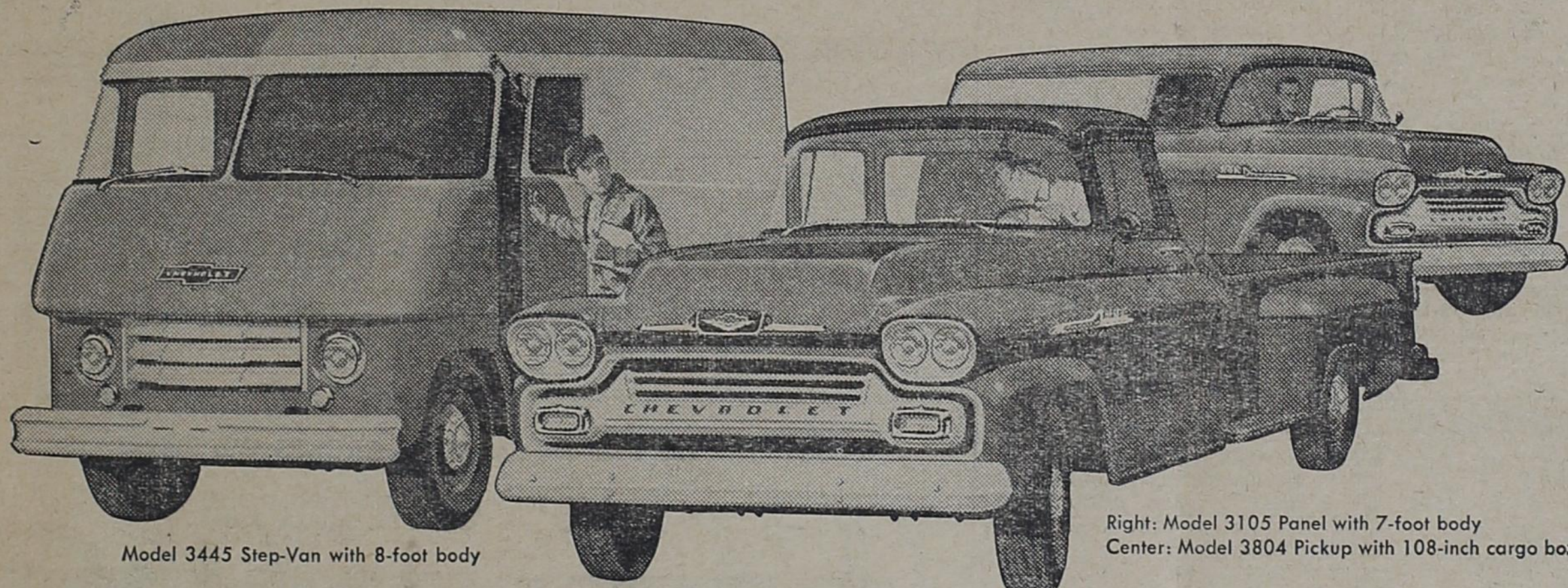
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### New Step-Van delivery models complete with boddies

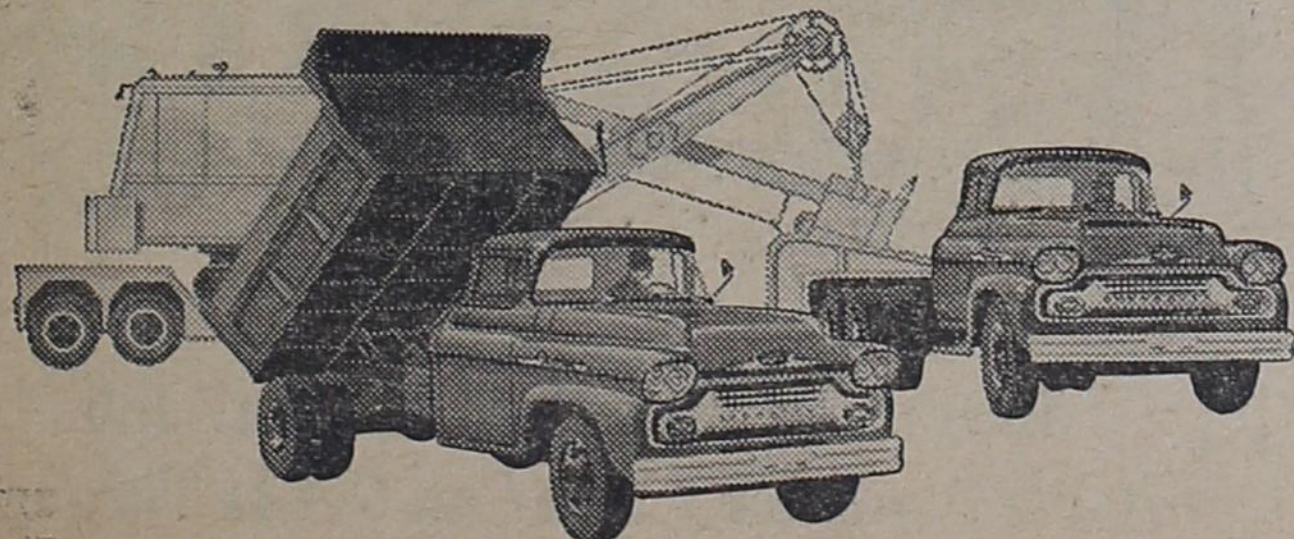
Got a delivery job? Look over Chevrolet's spacious new, feature-packed Step-Vans with walk-in bodies.

### Higher powered V8 and 6

Chevy offers the improved fuel-saving 145-h.p. Thriftmaster 6. For more power—with maximum economy—the new 283-cu.-in. 160-h.p. Trademaster V8 is available at extra cost.

### WATCH NEW TASK-FORCE MIDDLE-WEIGHTS AND HEAVIES HANDLE ANY SIZE HAUL!

Chevrolet's rugged medium-duty Vikings can move big loads fast. Chevy's heavy-weight Spartans feature the 230-h.p. 348-cu.-in. Workmaster V8—a new kind of engine for a new kind of efficiency and economy. See your Chevrolet dealer soon.



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**OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS**  
FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Due to cold weather Sunday our attendance fell short. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Setzler visited with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrus, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richardson visited the Carl Highsmiths Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mears and the Robert Mears of Arlington visited the S. E. Mears over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson spent Monday in Glen Rose.

The Harvie O'Neals and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Capers of Breckenridge visited the D. L. Bond family and Mr. Henry Capers Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. N. Watson is visiting her daughter at Desdemona, Mrs. Lee Roy Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson and son were in De Leon Saturday afternoon shopping.

The Melvin Daniels were visiting in Breckenridge Sunday.

Miss Cora Richmond visited the D. L. Bonds Sunday afternoon.

Our Singing is still growing on Second Sunday afternoons. Singers were with us Sunday from Comanche, Lampkin, Rising Star, Eastland, De Leon, and other places. Sunday afternoon is a good time to meet and sing good gospel songs, old and new.

**County Committee To Make Survey Of County Schools**

Members of the Eastland County Hale-Aiken school study committee took some definite steps following their Thursday afternoon meeting in Eastland.

The Teachers Supply committee, headed by Floyd Killingsworth of Ranger, with Mrs. Maurine Shell of Gorman as secretary, voted to conduct a county-wide survey of junior and senior classes to determine how many students plan to enter the teaching profession.

The School Program committee with Wendell Siebert of Eastland as chairman and G. B. Rush of Ranger, secretary, termed health and physical education as this county's greatest school weakness. A study of the PE situation in the county, in addition with the rest of the school program, is to be made.

Members of the Finance committee pondered ways of meeting the rising costs of education. A study of local financing is to be made. Tom Wilson of Eastland heads the committee and Wilson Guest of Ranger is secretary.

The School Construction committee decided that representatives of each school district should make a survey to determine how the county now stands as far as number of students compared to number of class rooms available stand. Chairman of the committee is W. C. Browning of Gorman. Mrs. M. A. Treadwell of Eastland is secretary.

The four committees met separately in Eastland High School classrooms. Next meeting of the group will be held the last week in February and a meeting open to the general public is slated for early March, according to Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, county chairman. Secretary of the county group is Mrs. Richard Donovan of Cisco. H. R. Garrett, county school supt., is consultant to the committee and Virgil E. Moore of Eastland is publicity chairman.

**Hospital Report**

Blackwell Hospital reported the following listed as patients on Wednesday morning:

- 201 - Mrs. Jack Vineyard, Comanche
- 202 - Mrs. Gale McCullough, Comanche
- 203 - Mrs. Robert Haynes, G'man. (No Visitors)
- 204 - Mrs. Roy Stroud, Eastland
- 205 - Henry Capers, Gorman (No Visitors)
- 206 - Mrs. Tom Greer, Carbon
- 207 - Mrs. D. C. Fulberg, De Leon
- 208 - J. Z. Phillips, Carbon
- 209 - Duaine Horton, Comanche
- 210 - Mrs. L. Lesley, Carbon
- 301 - George Alford, Carbon
- 302 - M. O. Dingler, Gustine
- 303 - Mrs. Roy Cunningham, Gorman
- 304 - Mrs. Geo. Bennett, Eastland
- 305 - Kay Miller, Gorman
- 306 - Mrs. B. E. Pate, Comanche
- 307 - Bill Reed, Eastland
- 308 - Mrs. Vera Hamrick, G'man
- 309 - Conley Fields, Gorman
- 310 - Mrs. Frankie Jo Harper, Gorman
- 311 - Lewis Echols, Gorman

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All members of the committee, including representatives of Carbon, Cisco, Eastland, Gorman, Olden, Rising Star, Ranger, Scranton, and Desdemona districts, were presented with a 37-page guide book prepared by the Hale-Aiken Committee of Twenty-four. That committee was appointed by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the House of Representatives and the State Board of Education each naming six members. Included in the state committee membership is Sen. Floyd Bradshaw who represents Eastland County in the Texas Senate.

Mrs. Perkins explained the work of the committee, saying, "In authorizing this study, the Legislature continued a pattern which has been used effectively in Texas for many years. Since the formation of the Gilmer-Aiken study committee in 1947, Texas citizens have had many opportunities to participate in state-wide conferences and studies aimed at school appraisal and improvement. The Hale-Aiken studies to be conducted in each of the 254 counties this year will enable all interested citizens to become well informed concerning the work and the problems of their schools and to assist in providing for Texas children the best schools to be found anywhere."

**Keeping Up With Our Friends**

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Woodburn of Portales, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson last week.

Ben Pendarvis visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pendarvis, last Thursday.

**FFA STORY - from Page One**

Thirty years of outstanding progress by Future Farmers of Texas were acknowledged by Governor Price Daniel recently as he designated February 22 - March 1 as official FFA Week.

In presenting the proclamation to Billy Penn, State FFA President, and George Hurt, State Director of Vocational Agriculture, the Governor praised the work of the Future Farmers who are studying the science of agriculture and who are striving to continuously improve the agricultural economy of the state.

The Texas Future Farmers have been extremely successful in developing leadership, promoting good citizenship, and inspiring patriotism among its members, the Governor said.

Billy Penn, State FFA President from Lufkin, received the proclamation in behalf of the 36,000 active members in 904 FFA Chapters in the state.

George Hurt pointed out that the Future Farmer organization is composed of boys who are studying vocational agriculture in the public high schools as preparation for careers in farming, ranching, and related occupations. Hurt credited the teachers of vocational agriculture, the school administration, and the lay people where vocational agriculture is taught, for the success of the FFA program in the state.

312 - Jesse Haynes, Carbon Lounge - Mrs. C. C. Wilson, Comanche

401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon (No Visitors)

402 - Mrs. Bulah Coan, Abilene

403 - Mrs. Ernest Reese, Gustine

404 - James Helms, Stephenville

405 - O. B. Brinson, Comanche

406 - B. R. Hargrove, Jr., Cross Plains

407 - Mrs. T. A. Weaver, Comanche

408 - Don McKeehan, Brownwood

409 - Mrs. John Wheeler and Jackie Don, Gorman

410 - Lorena Clark, Gorman

411 - Mrs. Della Brown, R. Star

412 - Betty Jean Parkman, Comanche

414 - Mrs. H. B. Baxter, C. Plains

415 - Diane Baxter, Cross Plains

416 - Ralph Morton, Cisco

417 - Mrs. Hugh Abel, Desdemona

418 - Mrs. John D. Scott, Comanche

419 - Mrs. W. F. Flatt, De Leon

**BIRTHS AT BLACKWELLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee Nabors of De Leon are the proud parents of a new son, Terry Lee, born February 16, weighing 7 pounds and 3 ounces.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to thank all my friends who made visits and sent cards to me during my recent stay in the hospital. Also many thanks to the doctors and nurses for all they did.

Mrs. Leland Warren

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fred Jay and daughter of Ft Worth visited here over the weekend.

Mrs. E. C. Hubston of Odessa visited Mrs. Ethel Williams on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Henderson and children of Midland visited her mother, Mrs. Ava Mason, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henderson, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clement of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clement, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Broom and children of Cisco visited Mrs. Burma Hickey on Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Broom visited her brother, Clea Stanfield, in Albany last week.

Miss Buena Van Winkle, her father, Mrs. Yates, Rev. Don Turner, and Hulon Pullig attended the Baptist Workers Conference last week at Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bennett and son, and Mrs. Mollie Bennett of Victoria visited here over the weekend.

Miss Lorene Jay, Mrs. Rowena Austin, and Miss Marjorie Warren of Fort Worth visited with the Henry Capers family and relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. G. O. Boyd and brother, Eugene Gilder of Coleman, visited in Hillsboro with their grandfather, S. R. Raby, who is critically ill, last weekend.

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**Martha Washington's Rice Pudding**

Rose water in a rice pudding? Not today, but this was a prized flavoring in Martha Washington's day. Many Mt. Vernon puddings used rose water (no longer used as a food flavoring) and usually were highly spiced and plump with "currants" or "raisins of ye sun." Martha Washington called this pudding Rice Florentine.

**INGREDIENTS:**  
3/4 cup uncooked white rice  
1 1/2 cups water  
1 teaspoon salt  
2 1/2 cups milk  
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon cloves  
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg  
1/3 cup uncooked raisins  
1/3 cup uncooked currants  
3/4 cup beet or cane sugar  
3 eggs, beaten  
2 teaspoons confectioners' sugar

**METHOD:** Put the rice, water and salt in a 2-quart saucepan. Bring to a vigorous boil over a high heat. Turn heat down low. Cover with a lid and simmer 14 minutes. Stir in the milk. Cook, uncovered, about 20 to 30 minutes over a medium heat until the milk is absorbed. Do not boil. Stir occasionally. Stir frequently toward end of cooking. Stir in the cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, raisins, currants and 3/4 cup sugar. Stir some of hot mixture into eggs. Return to saucepan. Mix well.

Pour into a greased 1 1/2-quart baking dish. Place in a pan of hot water. Bake in a 300° F. oven 50 to 60 minutes or until liquid in center is absorbed. Pudding stiffens as it cools. Sift on the powdered sugar. Cool. Serve warm.

This recipe makes 8 to 10 servings.

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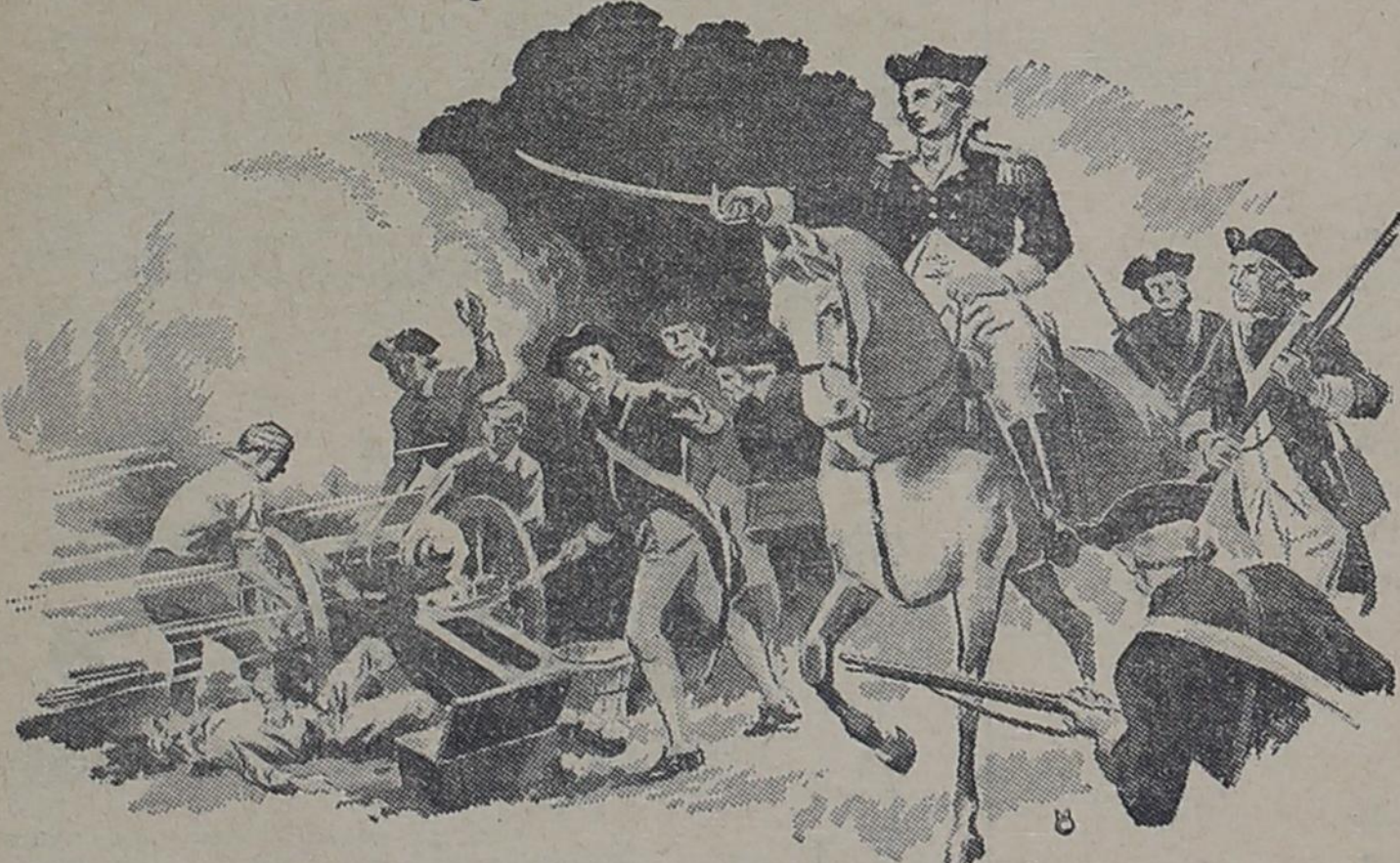
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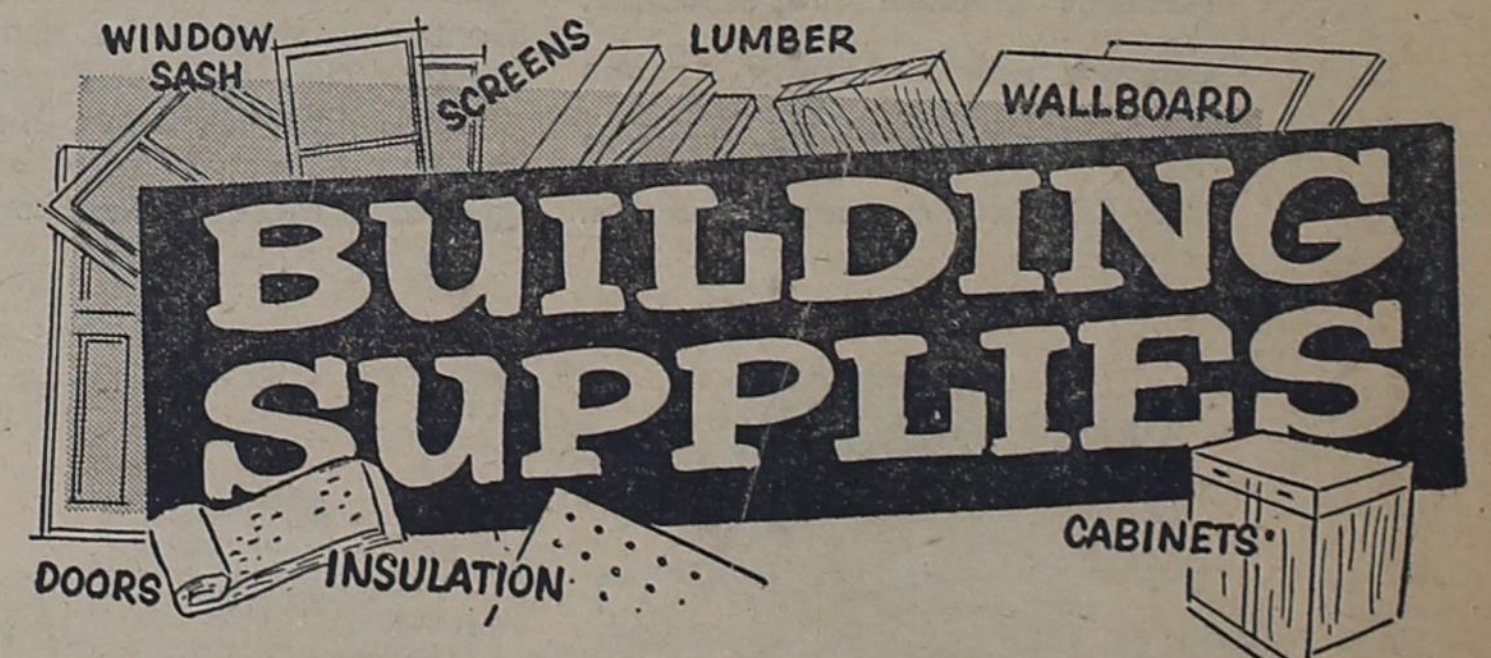
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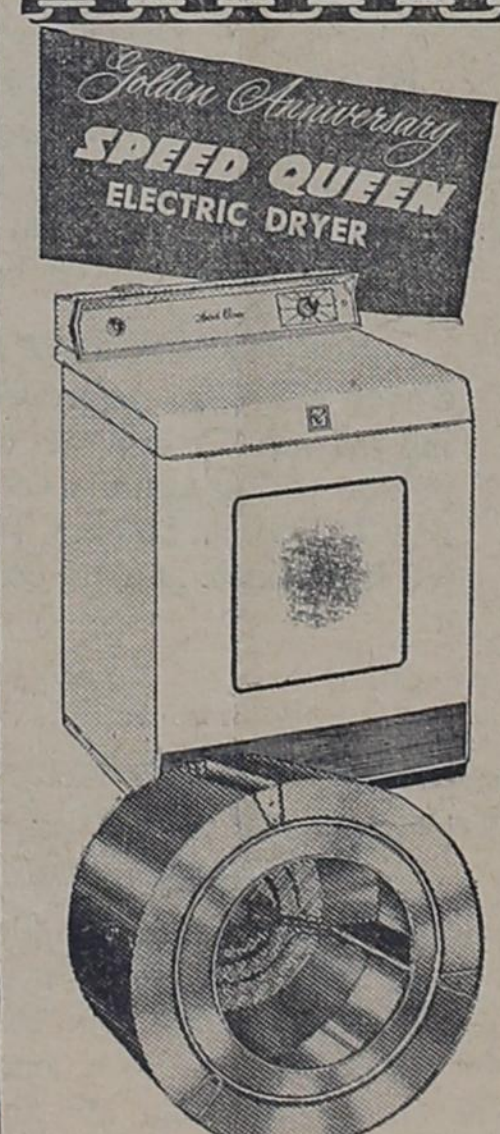
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