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Panthers-Clyde Renew Colorful Series Friday



Gorman and Clyde meet this week in the third game of what is one of the most colorful series of football contests in these parts.

Desdemona Wins 2 Of 3 Games

October 1 - In three games played in the Desdemona gym Friday night, Desdemona was the winner of two. In the first game of the season for the Desdemona Jr. High Girls they won over the Huckaby Junior Girls 17 to 10. Allan contributed 6, Barker 5, Carr 4, and Nabers 2 for Desdemona. Helen Lewis, Barker, Karen Lewis, and La Vonne Lewis did an excellent job as guards. Nabers fouled out of the game. Leading the scoring for Huckaby were Stewart and Packs.

Referees were Supt. R. E. Murray and Lee Roy Nabers. In the second game the DHS girls were defeated by the Huckaby girls, 28 to 20. The leading scorer for DHS was Doris Nabers with 12 points - for Huckaby Adams led with 11. Refereeing this game was C. L. Mahon of De Leon.

In the third game the DHS boys would not be denied avenging a previous Huckaby defeat. Friday night's game was a 40-36 victory for Desdemona. For DHS Nabers led the scoring with 13 points. Owens had 10, Koonce 7, Redwine 8, and Lewis 2.

Koonce, DHS center, fouled out midway in the third quarter and was replaced by White. With very little time remaining in the game Redwine fouled out and was replaced by Rogers.

Chambers, star left-handed center for Huckaby was their leader with 18 points, being closely guarded by DHS lads. Referee was C. L. Mahon.

The DHS boys have received their new suits. Desdemona girls will play Rising Star two games Monday night and the High School teams will play in Gordon Tuesday night.

Rising Stars Takes Two

In the first game DHS Girls B team was defeated by R. Star B team 24 - 8. Leaders for DHS were Rainey and Nabers with 5 and 3 points.

For R. Star - Mary Haynes 3, Martha Haynes 5, and Duggan 6. In the second game R. Star 37 - DHS 21.

R. Star - Maynard 10, Allen 5, Tyler 12 and Clark 6 points. Desdemona: Nabers and Rogers scored 9 points each and Carr 3. Tuesday night (5th) - Desdemona girls lost a hard fought to Gordon in their gym 46-44. Carr scored 17, Rogers 17 and Nabers 7. Desdemona suffered a loss of scoring power by Nabers fouling out of the game.

Gordon leaders were Finch 22 and Rogers 24.

DHS boys defeated Gordon 43 - 34. Nabers 13, Owens 4, Koonce 14, Redwine 6, and Rodgers 2. Gordon - Bearden 9, Grigsby 8, Foster 9, and Wylie 4. The early part of the game was a defensive game. C. L. Mahon, referee.

Thursday night, (7th) Lingleville will play two games at Desdemona.

New suits for the High School Girls have arrived. Plans are underway to provide new suits for Junior High Teams.

This will be the third meeting in as many years between the two schools. Although Clyde moved up to Class A this year, officials of the two schools were determined that the teams would continue playing.

In 1952 Clyde won the first contest 13-7. Last year the Panthers nosed out Clyde 20-19 and kept going to win district championship. Both elevens are starting over this year with inexperienced lads. Each team has won one contest so far this season. Gorman defeated Carbon 21-6 and Clyde downed Moran 19-6. In other games this year Clyde tied Rule 0-0, lost to Baird 34-6, and lost to Rochester 39-0.

Clyde is coached by Cliff Patton, former T. C. U. extra point and field goal specialist. The Bulldogs run from the single wing formation and from the straight T. When they employ the T, Jack Patterson performs the upback duties. Probably the strongest feature of the Clyde offense is the running power down the middle with Gene Cook, all area full-back, totting the ball. Freddie Kniffen is the other returning regular from last year's team. Kniffen holds down the left end slot. Another scoring weapon employed by the Bulldogs is the field goal kicking of Ray Harris who booted two against Morman from the 34 and 24 yard lines respectively.

The Panthers are practicing long hours this week after dropping last week's game to a classy Goldthwaite team. Coach Wynne reports the Panthers to be physically sound with the exception of Ted Snider who at mid-week was still taking it easy because of an arm bruise.

The starting line-up is expected to be the same with Pierce, Rodgers, Welch and Brown in the backfield. Linemen are Robertson, Harrison, Clement, Watson, Mehaffey, Rodgers and Browning. Game time this week is 7:30 p. m. This will be the final non-district tilt for the Panthers.

Announcements

You are invited to attend a celebration honoring Mr. and Mrs. George H. Parker on their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary Sunday, October 17, 1954.

They will hold open house from 2:00 until 6:00 p. m. at their home located in the De Leon Housing Unit, Apartment 18, De Leon, Texas.

Notice - A Pyrex pie plate, glass bowl, 2 dinner plates and dessert dish are still at the F. S. Perry home. They belong to some of the nice people who brought food to the day of Vaughn Lowe's funeral.

The Country Rhythm Boys will be playing again at the old Hancock farm on the De Leon highway Saturday night at 7:45 p. m.

The Eastland County Singing Convention will meet at Hill Top Sunday.

The First National Bank of Gorman will observe Tuesday, October 12, 1954 as a holiday and will not be open on that date.

MAX JACKSONS ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Max Jackson are proudly announcing the birth of their daughter, born Tuesday September 28th at Ranger General.

The young miss has been named Becky Max. She weighed 8 pounds and 12 1/2 ounces at birth.

Mrs. Jackson and Becky Max are at home. The mother is the former Imogene May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. May of Dublin. Paternal grandfather is Dr. T. G. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Phillips and daughters of Victoria were week end visitors of her mother, Mrs. Mel Harrell.

SWPGA Cautions Farmers To Save Peanuts - Short Crop

Market Price Farmers Stock Peanuts Above Price Support \$237 Per Ton

Churches To Host After Football Supper October 15

A number of churches of the area are working together in initiating an entertainment for the youth of Gorman. Intermediates and Seniors with older youth are expected to accept the invitation which is extended to them.

The event is an after-football supper Friday night, October 15th which will be served at the Baptist Educational Building.

A fun session will follow the supper. The hosts will be prepared to take care of a large number.

Participating as hosts on October 15th will be the Midway, New Hope and the First Baptist Churches.

This project is community-wide and hosts will not be confined to any denomination, all are invited to participate as co-sponsors.

"Meet you at the Baptist Educational Building after the game Friday night, October 15th."

Prayer Meeting To Precede Methodist Revival Service

Group prayer meeting will be held preceding the revival services at the Methodist Church beginning Sunday, October 10th.

Former Resident Mrs. Irene Bennett Buried Monday

Mrs. Irene Bennett, a resident of Gorman for forty-eight years, died Saturday night, October 2, 1954 in Coon Memorial Hospital at Dalhart, Texas. She had moved from her home in Brownwood one year ago to live with her daughter, Mrs. Dick Wood, of Dalhart. Prior to suffering a stroke in September Mrs. Bennett had enjoyed good health.

Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon at three o'clock in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Ellis Hilliard, assisted by Rev. M. A. Pennington, officiating. Interment was made in the Gorman Cemetery.

Mrs. Bennett was the former Irene Stovall, born in Comanche County, July 3, 1879. Her husband, J. F. Bennett, had preceded her in death June 17, 1951. The two had lived in Gorman until 1942.

Surviving the deceased are a son, Newton Bennett of Gorman, three daughters, Mrs. Wood of Dalhart, Mrs. Elmer Pirtle of Win gate and Mrs. Marvin Dorsett of Lubbock, and a niece, Mrs. Modelle McFadden of Ft Worth, who was reared in the Bennett home. There are also 11 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

A second son, T. O. Bennett, died September 1, 1953.

Pallbearers were Arlon Pirtle, Johnny Bennett, S. L. Craighead, W. R. Collins, Ernest Weaver, and B. F. Grice.

Illness In Gorman

Mr. D. J. Jobe has returned to his home from Ranger General following a minor operation. He is reported to be doing fine.

Mrs. M. A. Pennington experienced a minor operation at Blackwell Hospital last Saturday. She is recuperating at her home and expects to return to teaching at an early date.

Jerry Clark has not returned to work at this writing but is reported to be improved. Tom Hallmark experienced a minor operation at Blackwell this week.

Mrs. Jim West and Mrs. W. R. Yates were Gorman folks registered at the hospital Wednesday morning.

Billy Gray was carried to the hospital Wednesday afternoon suffering with an attack of appendicitis.

1954 Peanut Crop is estimated at one-third less than the last five year average normal yield. Growers should take steps to insure seed for planting the 1955 crop. This can be done by placing your peanuts under loan or by each grower keeping enough peanuts to plant their 1955 allotment. Unless growers take one of the two steps mentioned above, adequate peanut seed may not be available for planting the 1955 crop.

S. E. Cloninger Manager, SWPGA

BIRTHS

Charles Dickie Edgar born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dean Edgar of Albany on September 21 weighed 8 pounds and 1 ounce.

Michael Wayne Shockley born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Shockley of Eastland on October 3 weighed 7 pounds and 4 ounces.

Kathy Ranette Carthen born to Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Alfred Carthen of Route 2, Comanche on October 3 weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces.

Berl Ray Hale born to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt H. Hale of Comanche on October 4 weighed 8 pounds and 3 ounces.

P. T. A. Schedules Carnival For Saturday, Oct. 30

At a call meeting of the Parent Teachers Association the membership-voted to hold the annual Halloween Carnival in a roped-off area downtown on Saturday October 31st.

They accepted a proposition of the Fire Boys to handle publicity for the carnival, if held downtown with an exhibition square dance to be held on a roped-off street.

Committees for booths were appointed by the President, Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher.

It was suggested that the monies would be used for purchase of library materials and lower grade playground equipment. No chances will be sold by anyone.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, October 14th.

Carbon Announces Homecoming, 22nd

All ex-students as well as the general public are being invited to attend the annual homecoming day at Carbon High School on Friday, October 22 according to H. L. Mullins, Superintendent.

Highlights of the homecoming event will be the football game between Carbon High and Rochelle to be played that night at 8 o'clock, Mr. Mullins said. In discussing the days activities he also announced that a homecoming King and Queen will be crowned at the football game between halves.

Other events for the all day affair include visiting classrooms, visiting with the teachers, an assembly program by the students, a pep rally and a homecoming supper to be held in the school lunchroom just prior to the ball game. Tickets for the supper will be \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students.

With Our Boys In Service

A Jim Frank Samuels stationed at Chanute Field, Illinois has written his mother that he has joined the First Baptist Church at Rantoul, Ill. Ralph A. Brown, pastor, Jimmie states the members there are very friendly and that he is enjoying church and Training Union.

There church bulletin has the following invitation - "Where Northern and Southern Baptists are at home away from home and where everyone is welcome."

25th Div., Korea - Pfc. Robbie J. Overstreet, whose wife, Janice, lives in Eastland, is a member of the 25th Infantry Division, which is leaving Korea for Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

The 25th "Tropic Lightning" Division, which saw more combat in Korea, than any other American unit, arrived on the peninsula in July 1950, shortly after the Communist invasion.

Private First Class Overstreet, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Overstreet of Gorman, is a wireman with the 27th Infantry Regiment's Heavy Mortar Company.

Johnnie T. Fonville, son of Mrs. Lydia Murrel Fonville of Desdemona, enlisted in the USAF on Wednesday, September 27. Johnnie attended school at Desdemona.

He has been sent from the Abilene enlistment center to Lackland AFB, San Antonio, for basic training and career guidance.

The Eastland Recruiting station is still in the County Courthouse to take care of the Air Force enlistment program and manned by Sgt. Grady Hoyle. Only the Army Recruiting Station moved to Breckenridge and this in no way affected the Air Force Recruiting Station.

Odell Gilmore expected to arrive home this week. He has completed his boot training at San Diego.

Mrs. Eula Jameson of San Angelo is visiting the J. C. Claitors.

Fire Chief Says Fire Prevention Does Pay Off

Fire Chief Herb Whitlock in making note of Fire Prevention Week October 3-10 reminds citizens of Gorman that Fire Prevention does pay off in dollars and cents, in loss of life and emotional distress.

One business of the Fire Department ranking in importance with that of quenching flames is that of working in cooperation with the City of Gorman and the citizenry in preventing fires. This prevention not only decreases the danger of loss of life and property by fire but also brings with it a decrease in fire insurance rates which all underwriters, state licensed, must comply with.

The new fire truck purchased in May 1953 caused a noticeable drop in key rate. Precautions of the citizens in being careful have kept the loss of home by fire to a minimum. There being no houses destroyed within the City Limits over a period of years.

A survey of roofs is being made to determine just how many roofs have been changed to fire proof roofing. The pump house built with fire prevention in mind. A check is being made buildings formerly used for business that demanded high rate insurance in view of rate changes.

On behalf of the citizens of Gorman the Gorman Progress congratulates the members of the Fire Department for the part made by them toward Fire prevention.

We do wish to thank you for this gallant peacetime and all time service you render so unselfishly in our midst. You give us a feeling of security and we are expressing our appreciation before there is need for that heroic heroism which we are sure you would willingly and capably perform.

Histories of volunteer fire departments throughout Texas confirm that there is no fire civic organization with so definite purpose as yours.

Your hometown salutes y Herb Whitlock, Ben R. Town, Arlon Smith, J. O. Thom, Gabe Wright, Doyle Prestor, chie Skaggs, Tom Hallmar, Sanders, John Turner, May, Boston, G. C. Acrea, Harry M. pin, Vardie Huff, W. C. Brown, ing, Harvey Parker, B. J. Har, rison, B. M. Bennett, Boyd Hilley and honorary members J. E. Wal, ker, Gene Baker, Barton, Eppli, and John Kimble.

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KING THEATRE

Thursday - Friday
Ray Milland - Grace Ke

in
DIAL M FOR MU
Also
Screen Novelty

Saturday
Roy Rogers - Dale Evans
In
Sunset In El Dorado
Also

Amanda Blake - George Nader
In
Miss Robin Crusoe
and
Daffy Duck Cartoon

Sunday - Monday
Dane Clark - Dorothy Patrick
in
Thunder Pass
Also

Molly Bee and Tennessee Ernie
Tuesday - Wednesday
Neville Brand - Christine White
in
Man Crazy
Also

Apache Belles of Tyler
Thursday and Friday
Dean Martin - Jerry Lewis
In
Living It Up
Also
Color Cartoon

1954 State Fair Program in Brief

The State Fair of Texas, Oct. 9 thru 24, Dallas, America's largest annual exposition. Admission: 60 cents for adults, 30 cents for children. Daily: The King and I, Ice Cycles of 1955, Joie Chitwood Thrill Show, Dancing Waters, Planetarium shows, Midway rides and shows.

Free: Fashion Roundup, Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp, Magnolia Sky Revue, television shows, band concerts.

Exhibits: New Women's Building, House Beautiful Pace Setter Home, Research for Agriculture, Kitchen of Tomorrow, automobile show, antique autos, natural gas show, bird show, farm implements, Aquarium, Health Museum, Hall of State, Museum of Natural History, Museum of Fine Arts.

Livestock: Hereford, Santa Gertrudis, Brahman, Shorthorn, Aberdeen-Angus beef cattle; Jersey, Holstein, Ayrshire, Guernsey, Milking Shorthorn dairy cattle; swine, sheep, Angora goats; Quarter horses, Palominos, Shetland ponies; chickens and turkeys; Pan-American Livestock Exposition Oct. 9-17; Junior Livestock Show Oct. 18-22.

Football: Texas-Oklahoma Oct 9, Wiley-Prairie View Oct. 18, SMU-Kansas Oct. 23, high school football Oct. 16, 18, 21, 22.

Major special events: Mexico Day Oct. 11, Dallas Day Oct. 12, Public School Centennial and Music Festival Day Oct. 13, Crippled Children's Day Oct. 14, Elementary School Day Oct. 15, Rural Youth Day Oct. 16, Hero Achievement Day Oct. 18, East Texas Day Oct. 19, High School Day Oct. 22, Religious Festival Oct. 24.

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FOR SALE - My home - 4 large rooms, all modern conveniences. Gene Wright. See Gabe Wright at Wright Garage. 9-9-fn

FOR SALE - Seed Oats, Mustang and Nor-Tex. \$1 per bushel. Vetch and Barley Seed. Sam Powers, Highway 16, 2 miles north of De Leon. 9-16fn

FOR SALE or RENT - Furnished home. E. F. McCormack, Phone 186.

RENT - Small residence, 4 rooms out in country. Has electric, butane gas, hot and cold running water, tub and shower bath. Rent may keep chickens and range for cow. No water day as well has electric. Scoe Reeves. fn

FOR SALE - My laundry building and equipment, complete for \$100.00. Mrs. E. Barron, 719 E. Kennedy, Phone 26316, Kingsville, Texas. 11-18p

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The Panther Squall

FIFTH GRADE (Mrs. Ragland)

The first thing this Monday morning we started our first six-weeks tests.

Mrs. Raglan said we handed in some neat Social Studies scrap books for this six-weeks.

We are making posters showing how cigarettes and alcohol are harmful to our bodies.

Our room has a different picture. We found a pretty picture in the Old High School building and received permission to use it.

In art we are soap carving. We drew objects and made them with clay, now we are carving them from soap.

SIXTH GRADE NEWS

We are having six-weeks tests and our two hardest will be Health and History.

Halloween is coming up and we soon will be trick-or-treating. Friday night the Panthers will play Clyde. We hope to see every one there. The band is going to play, and they are working on a new march.

We shall soon get our report cards. Oh me!

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

We are having six-weeks test and we are all hoping to pass

As Nick Eaker Sees Occupied Guam

Nick Eaker has returned to the States after spending some nineteen months with the Army of Occupation in Guam. He is on fifty-two day leave before going to his new assignment in Washington, D. C. where he continues with the Communications Division until he completes his enlistment.

Nick first trained at San Diego attending the Training Center as a radio student. Later he went to Imperial Beach to study communications. He was then assigned to Guam.

The Army personnel on Guam are like those in other occupied countries are for the most part marking time until they can return to the States.

Peoples of the little country who have their governor appointed by the President of the United States are a religious people totally. They attend the Catholic churches largely but some have through influence of soldiers or business men of occupation become attendants at the Protestant churches, which include the Baptist Church at Guam. They are called Chamorros. They are Indonesians of Talagos, and Spanish descent.

The island, one of the Marianas, was discovered by Magellan and his party when the globe was first circumnavigated.

Many thousands of Philipinos on the island are civic service workers, They and the people of Guam have features and other characteristics which are similar. One can scarcely designate between the nationalities.

The homes, largely frame, for

brick must be shipped from the States, are western in style of architecture but they have no doors or windows, only openings.

Conveniences are few except those owned by those having some wealth. The standard of living although far below that of the States is much higher with the Army of Occupation present than it would ever be otherwise. The very poor continue to live in thatched houses and they glean the earth and the shore waters for food, sometimes eating whole the tiny fish they can catch.

Most stores or restaurants are operated in connection with a night club patronized by the service men and their families. Because of the dependents of the service men on the island the system of education is among the best. They have a Territorial College. Owners of businesses will always sport good cars whether they have homes or not.

A large portion of the island is covered by jungle, paths through which must be cut with axes. More and more of the jungle is being cleared. Since so few vegetables are grown on the island the Navy maintains a cattle ranch on another of the Mariannas and also has vegetables shipped from a more fertile island.

Agana, the capitol, is the only town having a water system. They have diesel electric power which is not at all dependable or sufficient.

The Spanish custom, Duenna must accompany daughter, continues in Guam. The girls are well protected and by keeping on one's good behavior for about a year a sailor may perchance be able to date a native girl.

There are few varieties of ani-

all of the tests.

The Cubs beat Rising Star last Tuesday. The game to be played there Tuesday night, Oct. 5 was called off on account of rain.

The seventh grade would like to express their thanks to Mrs. Steele for covering our library books. They look much nicer.

FRESHMEN NEWS

The Freshman class the past week have been reviewing for our first six-weeks tests this school year.

The Panthers lost their game last Friday with the Goldthwaite Eagles. We are looking forward to downing Clyde next Friday. Lets all go to Clyde and back our boys. Pep rally will probably be held Friday. If you cannot attend the game be sure and come to the pep rally.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

The Sophomore Class regrets that we lost one of our pupils, Louise Belyeu, but are glad to

TWO COUPLES FISH AT PORT ARANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of Aspermont and Mr. and Mrs. George West spent six days last week at Port Aransas.

Enjoying the sport of fishing they drew in four big ones that they can brag about. But according to Mr. Moore the lot of fine speckled trout caught made fishing more than sport, considering the fish fries he and other members of the family have had.

SISTERS MEET FOR FIRST TIME IN 59 YEARS

Mrs. Ida Wilhite was happy the past week when a sister, Mrs. Zula Mehaffey, whom she had not seen in 59 years and also a brother, Mr. Mun Wilhite and wife and Mrs. Pearl Vest of Birmingham, Alabama spent several days here. The group also visited another sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young of Hico. They left Monday for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore spent the week end in Seagraves with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham, and had lunch Sunday in Big Springs with Mrs. Moore's sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rogers.

Little Karen and Derrell Branham returned home with the Moores for an extended visit.

Animals on the island and there are no snakes. The deer are small. Net fishing is the only profitable method for catching. The waters are shark infested.

Building continues at a good pace. There are two good hospitals, Guam Memorial and the Naval. A new Guam Memorial is being built.

Nick has seen all he cares to see of Guam.

have Jake back. This keeps our number at 31.

In our Literature we are studying Silas Marner and keeps us in suspense all the time. In World History we are studying how different civilizations began and it is very interesting. In Algebra we are trying to master equations. The Latin Class is studying declensions and are translating sentences. The Homemaking Class is re-decorating the cottage and we think it looks very nice. The boys in Ag are studying the different feed rations. This week is six-weeks test week so I guess we will be very busy studying.

JUNIOR NEWS

This week we are taking six-weeks tests. We're sure everyone is studying hard and we wish them good luck on all of their tests.

"Have we got the spirit" was the cry last Friday night at Goldthwaite. We kept the spirit all through the game even though they did beat us. We're sure everyone has still got the spirit and will keep it all through our next game with Clyde Friday night when the Panthers go to a victory over them. The Panthers will have the spirit too, if everyone will go out and back them.

F. F. A. NEWS

The Gorman Chapter of FFA has been working in the shop the past week. Some of the boys worked on a chicken brooder for one of our members. We have also painted cabinets and cleaned parts of the shop.

We have worked a little in our notebooks and Monday we received a new note folder.

BAND NEWS

The band enjoyed the trip to Goldthwaite Friday night very much.

We started practicing for the following Friday night when we play Clyde.

All of the band members are looking forward to October the 16th when we go to Austin.

EDITORS NOTE: Do we need a Band Sponsor or a Band Mother's Club?

Don't you imagine our drum majors and twirlers would be inspired to put on a top notch show if they had the glamour of flashing SATIN SUITS afforded by other schools who have a group supporting them?

Wouldn't the band have cause to be proud if we took better care of our investment in students, instruments and uniforms?

PEANUT ICE CREAM BALLS IN CARAMEL SAUCE

Scoop round balls of vanilla ice cream, and roll them in crushed peanuts. Serve the peanut balls in sherbert dishes with Caramel Sauce.

To make 1 1/4 cups of Caramel Sauce, heat 1 pound of caramels and 1 cup of milk together in the top of a double boiler until thoroughly combined. Beat well.

THE GORMAN PROGRESS, Thursday, OCTOBER 7, 1954
GORMAN, Eastland County, TEXAS



- ★ The KING and I Great Broadway Musical Show!
- ★ ICE CYCLES OF '55
- ★ AUTO DAREDEVILS
- ★ COTTON BOWL FOOTBALL
- ★ NEW WOMEN'S BLDG.
- ★ HOUSE BEAUTIFUL
- ★ AUTOMOBILE SHOW
- ★ PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK
- ★ BIRD SHOW
- ★ AGRICULTURE
- ★ FREE ACTS
- ★ 10,000 FREE EXHIBITS

Plan to Go!
OCT. 9-24 * DALLAS

Farm and Home Safety Week for 1954 is now history, but living to farm and farming to live should be a daily reminder that accidents lurk in a thousand or more places on every farm and carelessness will put them to work.



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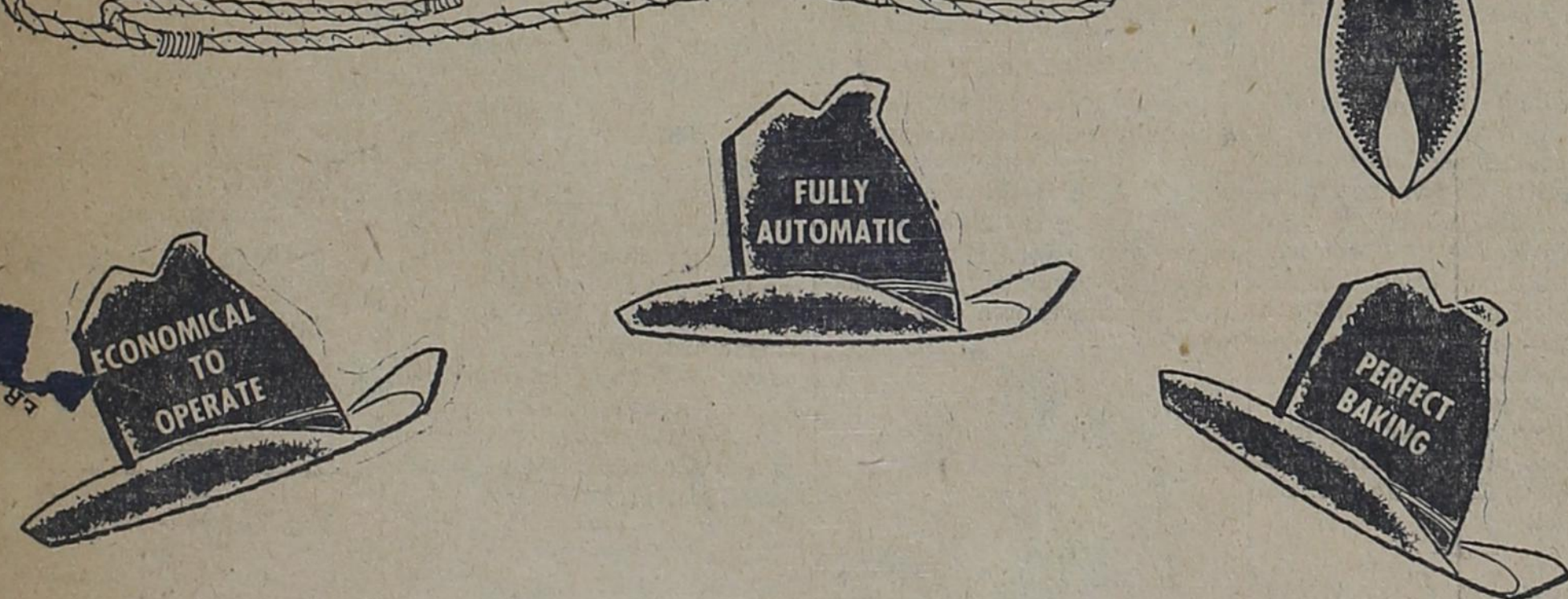
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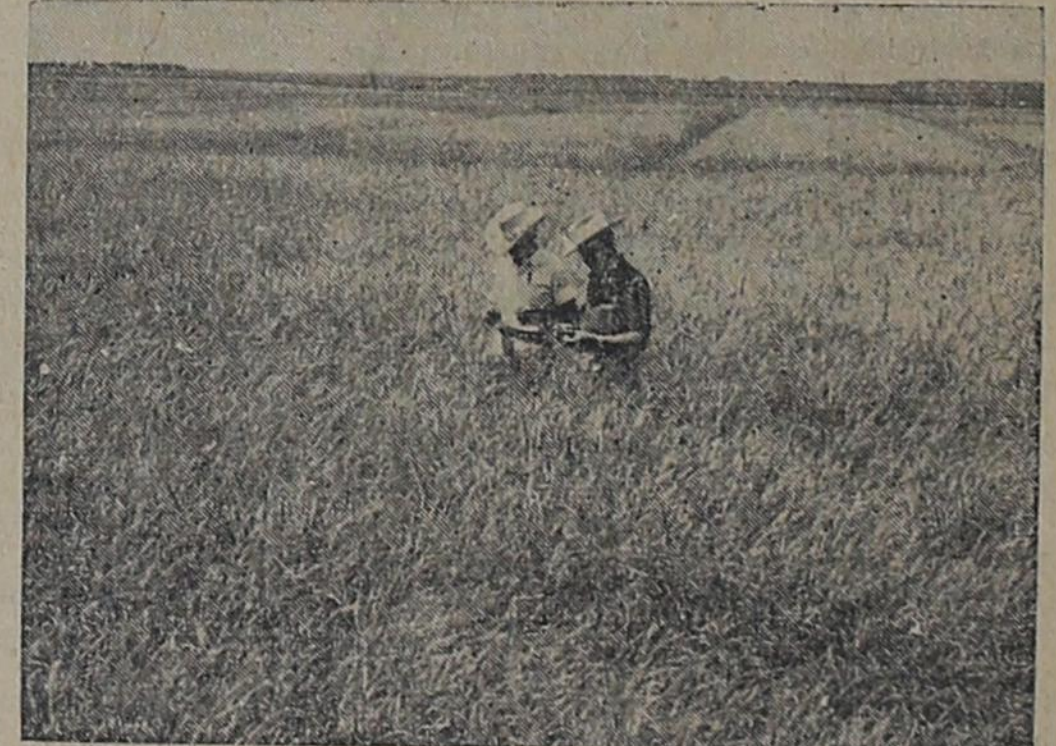
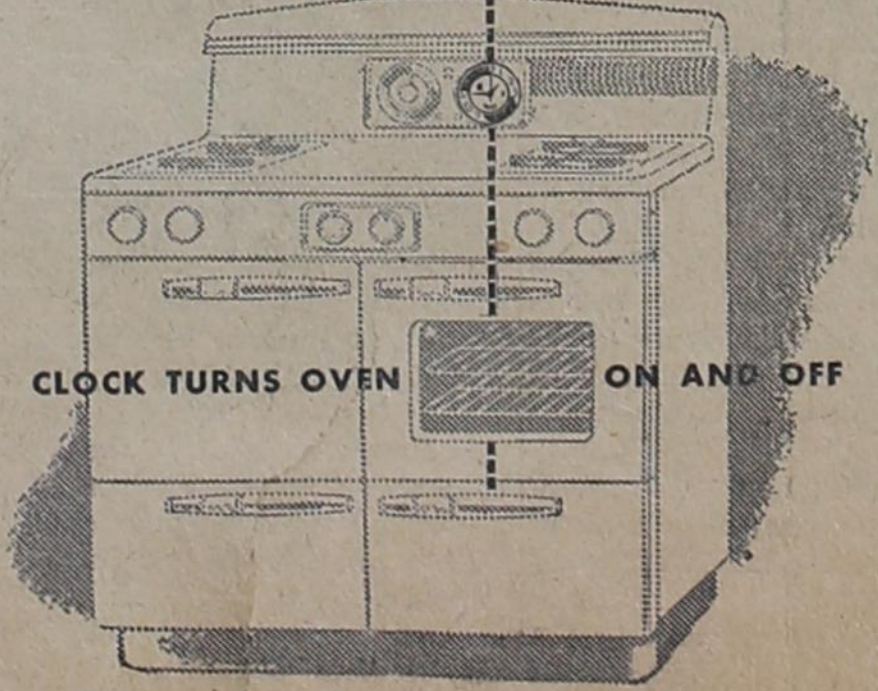
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The First National Bank GORMAN, TEXAS
"Oldest Bank In Eastland County"

JEWS
 reporter

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 n and Mrs.
 Mr. Week-

Mrs. Strickler tells us that their older son, Seaman Apprentice Clayton Strickler, is aboard the destroyer USS Rodman, with base at Charleston, S. C.

Indications are that he will be sent to the Arctic Circle soon. He serves as a fireman technician.

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Loresta Love was fitted with glasses this past week, to correct a weakened eye condition, which may be only a temporary hindrance.

Mrs. John Love was a treatment case at the Ranger General Hospital from Friday until Monday with a serious throat infection.

worship, spending the afternoon in visiting and studying.

Other church visitors were Mrs. Oscar Strickler and son, Johnny Mac, a senior of Ft Worth, who spent the rest of the day with the paternal Mrs. J. P. Strickler.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Allen of Frederick, Oklahoma, were visitors in the home of her brother, Henry Perrin and Mrs. Perrin, from

Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirkland and their daughter, Mrs. Thelma Thomas, and children of Childress and her brother, Toy Penny of Eastland, were here Sunday visiting their aunt, Mrs. Mary Tucker, and the Richard Tuckers. Toy and Dora Kirkland are the children of Newt Penny, brother deceased, of the elder Mrs. Tucker. Guests for the past week in the

Will Underwood home have been their daughter, Mrs. D. J. (Wilda) Mason, Mr. Mason and children of Moses Lake, Washington. It has been several years since the Masons have visited here and her brothers, Alton, Morris, Milton, and Choc Underwood, and their families visited her here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatley Dean were dinner guests of the J. D. Rogers on Sunday.

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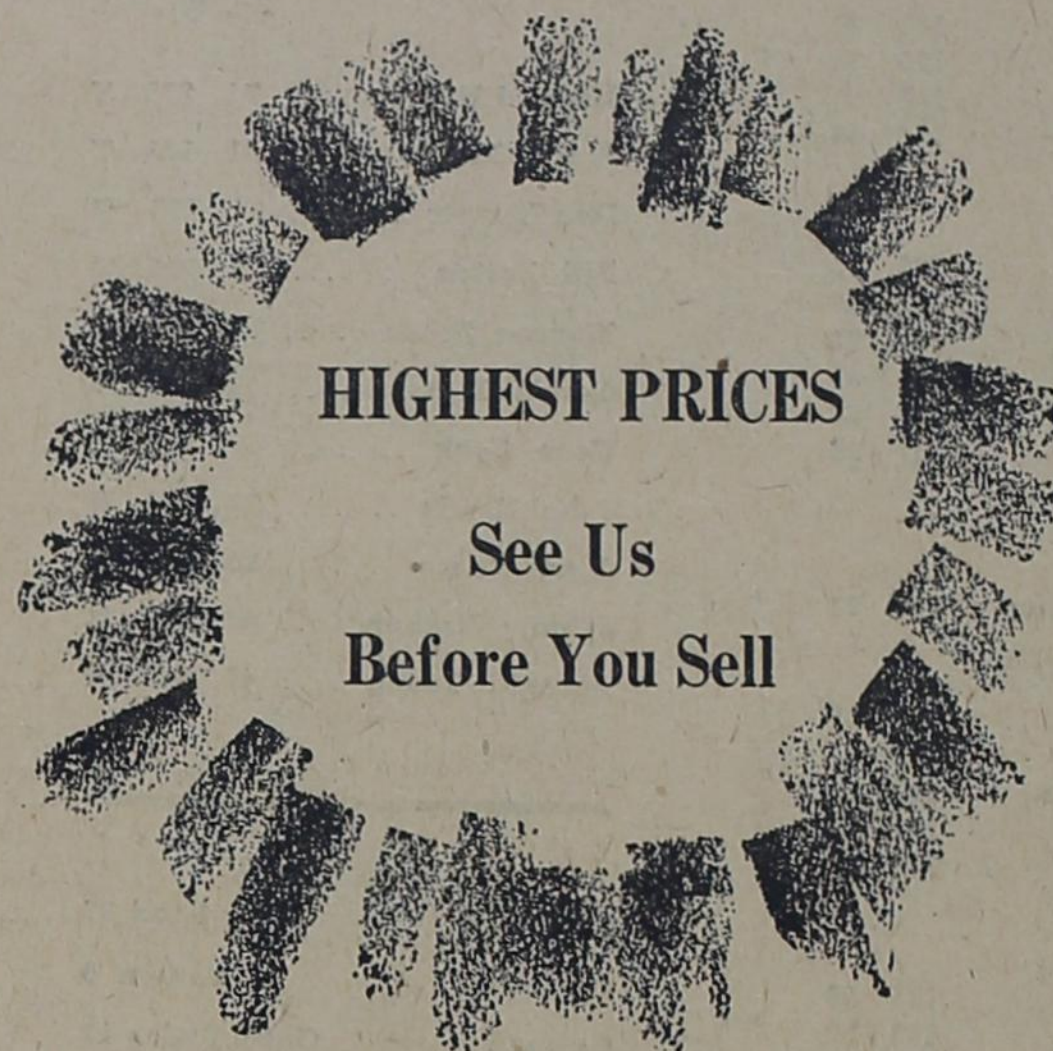
Phone 2715 De Leon

Her immediate survivors are husband, John Blackwell, and a daughter, Mrs. Belva Jean Henderson, one grandson, Jimmy Henderson of Lubbock. Her father, Walter Duncan of Staff, and one brother, John Thomas Duncan of College Station, and a host of other relatives, mourn her untimely death.

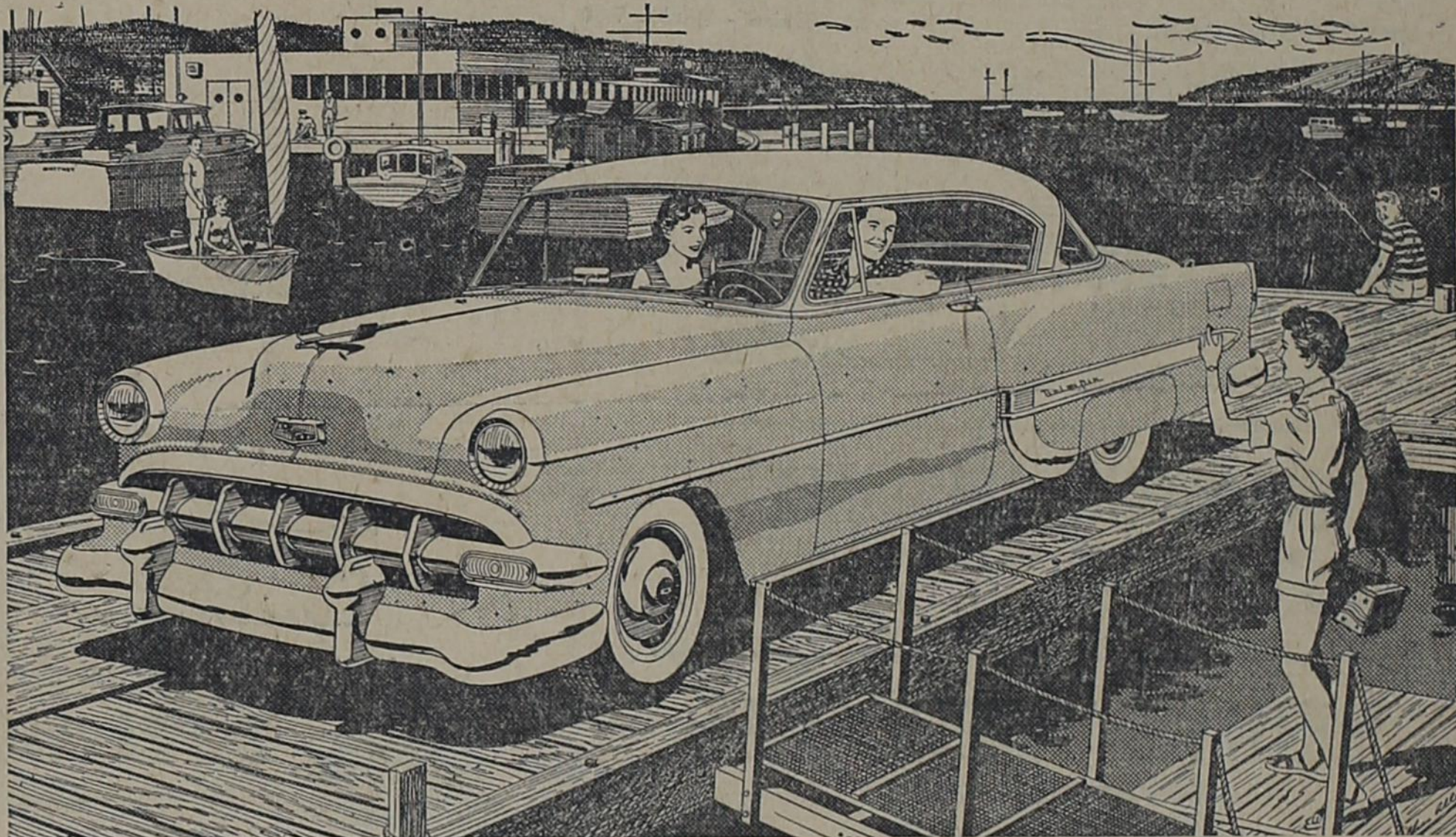
Loyd Ash, who spent the summer months in Pennsylvania selling Bibles and doing Missionary work, and who was a minister for the Cheaney Church of Christ during the '53-54 college term at Abilene Christian College, was a welcome visitor at Cheaney Sunday. He preached at the evening service. He was accompanied by a Sophomore student of ministry, Joe Schubert, who led the singing. Bro. J. F. Lilly, Gorman, delivered the morning sermon.

Loyd Ash and Joe Schubert were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman following the morning

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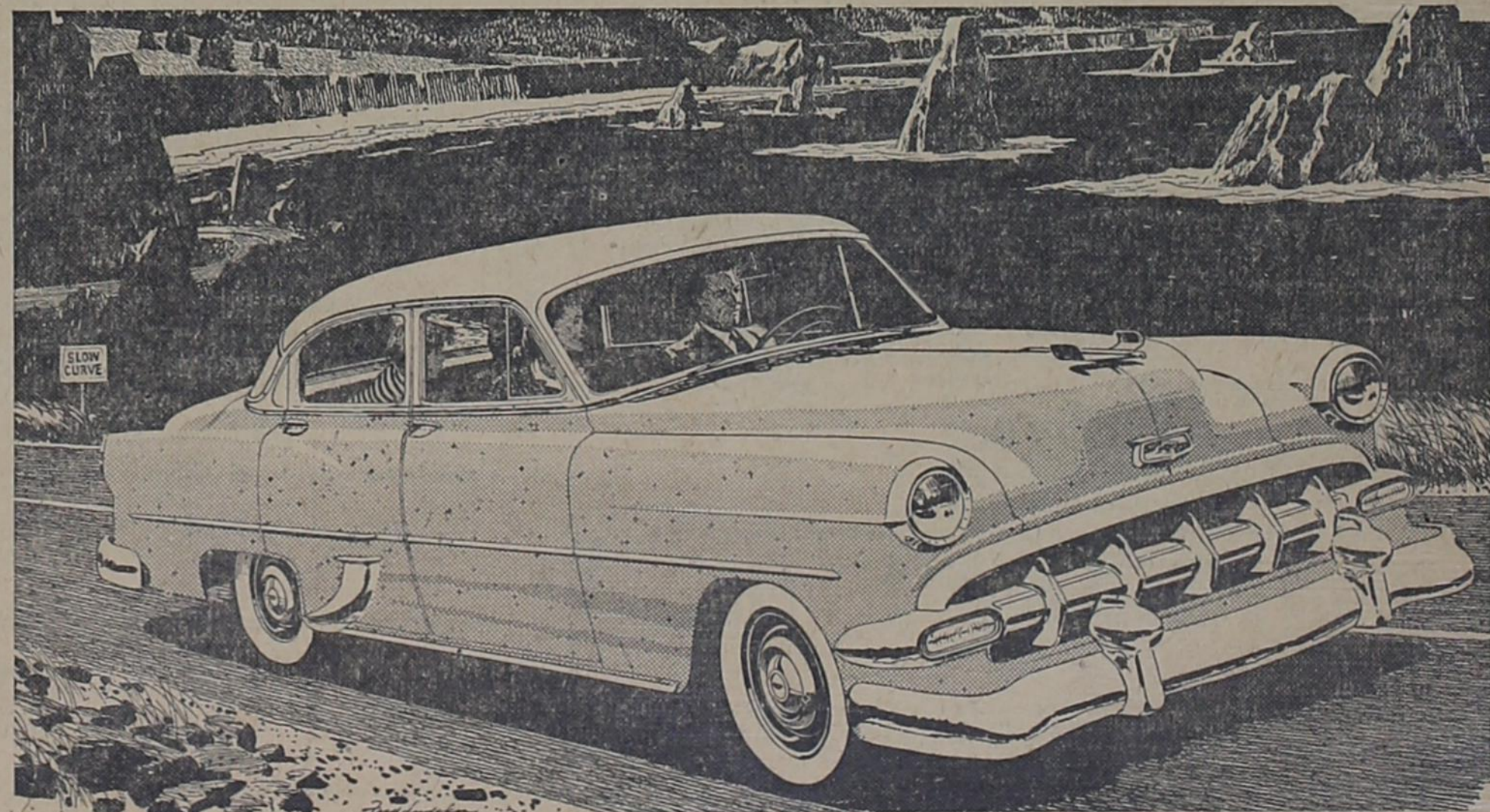


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* Lee Harrison	165	26
* Paul Robertson	175	31
James Swanner	155	39
Jimmy Bryan	135	40

TACKLES

Butch Eison	225	43
* Ken Watson	164	25
* Joe Mehaffey	180	23
Ed Rodgers	255	41
James Overstreet	175	28
Larry Grice	147	29

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**Woodrow Browning	155	33
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GUARDS

Jerry Warren	125	38
Eddie Browning	120	22
Durwood Burgess	110	20
* Johnny Rodgers	205	42
* Freddie Rodgers	180	32

BACKS

**Jimmy Rodgers	175	36
* Robert Welch	165	30
* Max Pierce	173	24
* Corky Brown	125	37
Royce Clement	140	35
Ted Snider	150	27
Jay Grimshaw	130	21

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Don Turner	64	155	G
Bill Patton	60	175	G
Thomas Sallee	77	175	C
Gerald Patterson	38	158	B
Gene Cook	80	165	B
John Harris	76	165	B
Jerry Nance	85	160	B
Johnny Kniffen	45	155	E
Bernard Young	47	140	E

Gorman 0	De Leon 37
Gorman 21	Carbon 6
Gorman 0	Cross Plains 13
Gorman 13	Glen Rose 13

SEASON SCHEDULE

Oct. 1 - Goldthwaite - There - 8
 Oct. 8 - Clyde - There - 7:30 p. m.
 Oct. 15 - Moran - Here - 7:30 p. m.
 Oct. 22 - S. Taylor - There - 7:30
 Oct. 29 - Strawn - Here - 7:30
 Nov. 5 - Open
 Nov. 12 - Baird - Here - 7:30



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BACK the CUBS

Cubs 7 Dogies 27
 Cubs 21 Rising Star 7

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Oct. 12 - Gorman at Comanche
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 Nov. 2 - Gorman at De Leon
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Leroy Cowan, Minister

Among the out of city folks attending the funeral rites Monday for Mrs. Irene Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wood of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dorsett and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pirtle of Wingate, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Pirtle of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey and family of Talpa, Sgt. and Mrs. Louis Raskovich and Jimmy of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Mary McBride, Mrs. Harry Fowler and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McFadden and family of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stovall of Big Springs, Mrs. Sallie Stovall of Stephenville, Mrs. Cannon, Mrs. T. O. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fry and son, all of Brownwood, Truman E. Bennett of Chicago, Mrs. Neva Puckett and Mrs. Puckett, Grandmother Lloyd of Wingate and Mrs. Lloyd of Woodfin.

past year.

The bus will leave Eastland at 6:00 a. m. and will start the return trip from Dallas at 6:00 p. m. While at the Fair the boys and girls will be served a free meal as well as having been admitted to the grounds free.

Both Higgins and Miss Billingsley will accompany the group.

DUSTER ROCK BLUFF NEWS

Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Reporter

Rock Bluff and Duster Baptist had regular attendance Sunday.

The Church of Christ had fair attendance.

Sorry to report Mr. George Scott is still ill in the Harris Hospital at Ft Worth.

Little Sammie Frasier was delighted last Sunday afternoon when the Beattie Junior Sunday School Class visited him and had a little devotional service and refreshments were served to the guests. A visit or card of cheer will cheerish a little boys heart that is confined to his bed as Sammie is.

Mrs. Nora Lee Smith and Mrs. Jenkins and Mr. Heathington are doing fair. Hoping for all a very speedy get-well.

This community was made happy last Friday when Tom Coan and Howard Iley returned home from Korea.

Polly, Pansy, and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Coan from Ft Worth visited home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Abb Coan, Tom and Joan, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Quinn and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Quinn and children of Fort Worth were week end guests with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skaggs.

Mrs. Loretta Honifon and children of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Koonce of Robinson Springs were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gray of De Leon, Miss Clyde Coan of Brownwood, and Mrs. Mattie Haynes of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller and children of Odessa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Frasier, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hall and daughters visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pritchett, at Kemp, Texas on Sunday.

Mr. Don Heathington of Artesia, N. M. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Slade Heathington, a few days.

MRS. RILEY ATTENDS UNCLE'S FUNERAL

Mrs. G. D. Riley attended the funeral of her uncle, J. L. Clement, Sunday, September 26, in Cleburne.

While in Cleburne she received word that a second uncle living in California had passed away.

Desdemona News

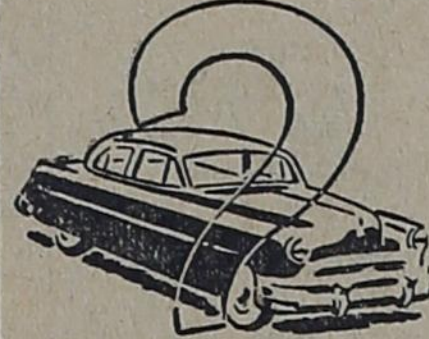
Reporter, Mrs. Ethel Keith

Farmers and business people alike are all proud of the showers but still hoping for more.

Mrs. Roy Jones of Ft Worth visited a short while Monday with her sister, Ethel Keith, enroute to Abilene on a business trip.

Little Joyce and Sharon Grisham, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Grisham of Abilene, and granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Belyeu, were on TV Monday afternoon on Channel 9 out of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Koonce and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie spent Sunday afternoon at Possum Kingdom Dam.



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Mr. Bill May visited his grand

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The former Mrs. Bernice Chatham and her husband of Duster spent a short while Sunday afternoon with the H. H. Williams.

A group of women of this community gathered at the home of Mrs. John Arnold the past Thursday and quilted 3 quilts for Mrs. Hubert Rainey. Mrs. Rainey's family lost their home by fire about

3 weeks ago.

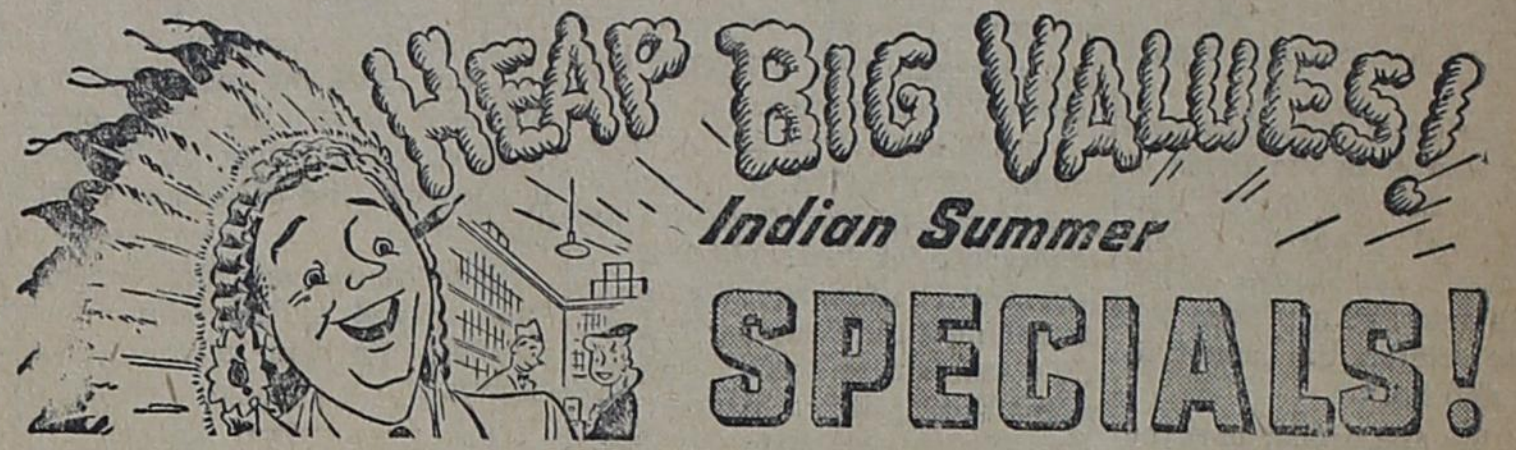
Another quilting will be held this Tuesday at Mrs. Arnolds and quilts will be quilted for several different ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Maltby and his brother, Ike Maltby, spent the week end of last week in Dallas visiting with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Lemaster. Ethel Keith and Mrs. Nina Loh

man were visiting in Dublin Sunday

and Mrs. Keith's mother returned home with them for a short visit.

Hugh Abel spent the week end in Valley Mills with his wife, Mrs. Abel, who is at the bedside of her mother who is ill.



SWIFT'S 1/2 GAL. MELLORINE 49c

American Cream Soup

1/4 cup finely cut onion
2 tablespoons hot shortening
2 tablespoons flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
few grains pepper
2 1/2 cups water

2 beef or chicken bouillon cubes
1 cup diced carrots
1 cup diced celery
2 cups grated American cheese
1 1/2 cups Pet Milk
4 teaspoons chopped parsley (can omit)

Cook onion slowly until yellow in shortening. Blend in flour, salt and pepper. Stir in water; heat to boiling. Add bouillon cubes, carrots and celery; cover and boil 20 min. or until vegetables are tender. Then add cheese and milk. Stir over low heat until cheese melts and mixture is steaming hot, but do not boil. Add parsley and serve. Makes 4 servings.

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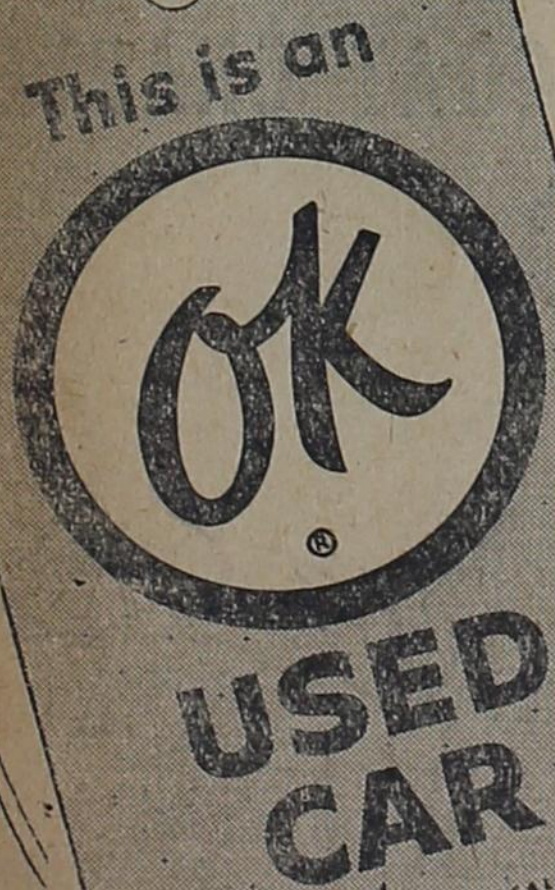
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As Mayor of Gorman I do hereby proclaim the period from October 20, 1954 to November 11, 1954 as American Legion Weeks - or "AL WEEKS".

During that time I ask all citizens in this community to note well the record of accomplishment established over the years by The American Legion through its local, state and national organization.

The American Legion has performed valiantly in the fields of Community Service, Rehabilitation, National Security, Child Welfare and Americanism. It has earned its spurs as a proven friend of the veteran, the community, state and nation.

It is fitting and proper that the City of Gorman salute The American Legion on this occasion and help this great veterans organization.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to say thanks for every gesture of kindness shown me during my illness. The pretty cards, flowers, visits, and gifts were all greatly appreciated. If any of you are down this way, be sure to drop by to see me.

Mrs. Mattie Jones
Sanatorium, Texas

tion celebrate "AL WEEKS" October 20 to November 11.

I ask all members of this community in addition to our civic and service groups to help in the observance of "AL WEEKS". I join with The American Legion in extending an invitation to all eligible veterans to become Legionnaires during this American Legion Weeks enrollment for 1955.

T. L. Jay
Mayor, City of Gorman

Cisco Brotherhood Meeting Held Here At First Baptist

The regular quarterly meeting of the Cisco Baptist Brotherhood met with the First Baptist Church of Gorman on Monday, October 4 at 8 p. m.

Dr. R. A. Springer, State Treasurer for Texas Baptists was the guest speaker. Dr. Springer gave a very informational as well as an inspiring message on our gifts and the need for more. He led the men to see the great open field of opportunity for service in our own land as well as world wide.

After the message refreshments were served in the educational building by the men of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin attended a Philco meeting in Ft Worth Friday and Saturday.

WCS Meeting For Oct. 11, Postponed

The regular yearbook program of the Woman's Society of Christian Service scheduled for Monday, October 11th has been postponed until Monday October 18, due to the fact that the Revival meeting will be in progress at the church.

A monthly business session was conducted by President Mrs. W. M. Blair, last Monday.

Mrs. William Brogdon gave the devotional.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for the cards, flowers and food, also for every expression of sympathy extended to us during the recent illness and death of our brother, "Bunk" Wallace.

God bless you all.
The Wallace Families
Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Day
and Mrs. J. T. Kelley

Keeping Up With Our Friends - -

J. S. Roberts and Mrs. Shelley Hirst attended the New Mexico State Fair held in Albuquerque last week. They visited with Mrs. C. G. Wilshire in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stanfield of Westbrook are visiting his sister, Mrs. Stanley Porter and another sister, Mrs. W. T. Broom.

Mrs. W. T. Broom visited Ernest Key of Brady Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erin Haile have returned to Houston after spending their vacation visiting with his mother, Mrs. E. L. Haile, and visiting other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Perry of Ft Worth spent the week end visiting with Mr. F. S. Perry and Miss Callie Lowe.

Mrs. Craig Smith has returned from Hardsity, Oklahoma where she and her children met for a reunion.

LEGION TO MEET MONDAY, OCTOBER 11TH

The American Legion will meet Monday, October 11th, at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

All members are urged to be present. Business of importance will be transacted.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank each one for the kindnesses shown me during my short stay in the hospital. Also for the fine food which was brought to our home.

We appreciate the many cards and letters that were sent. The many prayer offered in my behalf and the beautiful flowers helped to make everything bright er.

Mrs. M. A. Pennington

CARD OF THANKS

We shall be eternally grateful to the many folks of Gorman for their kindness to us in our grief at the loss of our loved one, Mrs. Irene Bennett.

The words you have said, the flowers you sent, the food prepared and served, for these and other things we express our sincere thanks.

The Family of
Mrs. Irene Bennett

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for the many kindnesses shown to us at the loss of our loved one, Dan W. Powers.

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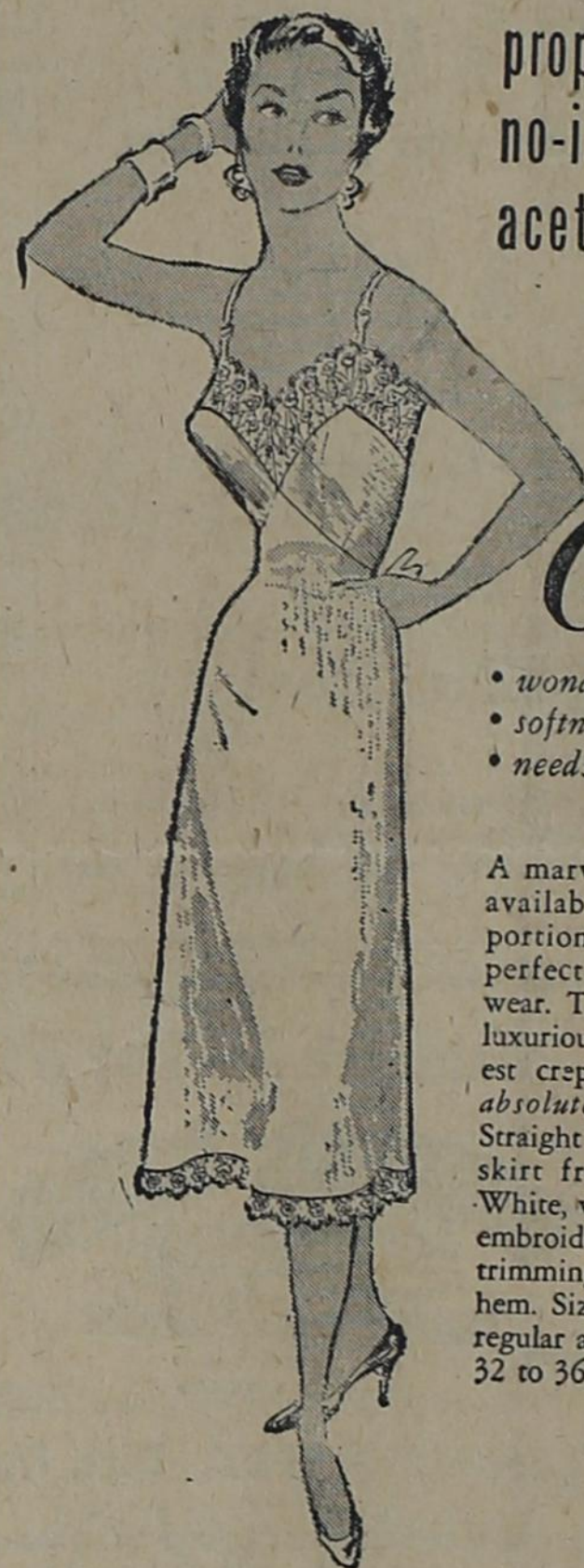
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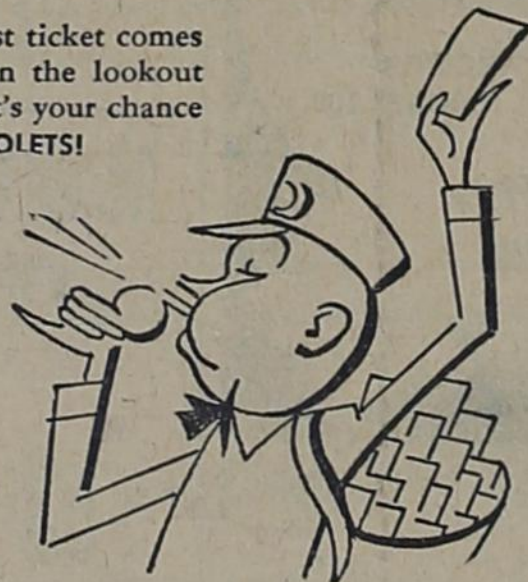


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