

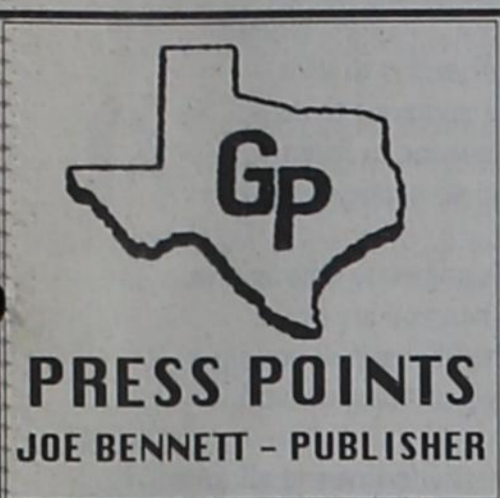
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The weatherman gave us some light showers and is now letting that cold wind freeze us to death. Reports were as low as 29 degrees and I saw a lot of frost on the grass and on windshields on Tuesday morning. According to the weatherman we are in for some more cold and rainy weather the rest of this week. Personally, I like the temperature at about 70 or 75 degrees and the rest can just blow on by.

The peanut farmers are really getting after the peanuts and when weather permits there will be even more trailers and trucks rolling into town to the buying points. The crop is reported to be on the low side in most cases. However some irrigated peanuts did fairly well. So watch out for peanut trailers and trucks on the roads around the area.

Gorman will play host to the May Tigers and Woodson at Brogdon Field on Friday night at 7:30 in a bi-district six man game. May is 7 and 2 on the season and Woodson is 5 and 4. Six man football is very offensive with a lot of running and passing. The teams will be presented with trophies by the Lions club, which will be operating the concession stand. So come on out and

Supplementing Cattle In Winter

The Extension Livestock and Range Committee in Comanche County has planned a seminar for livestock producers who are concerned about supplementing cattle in winter. The Winter Supplementation Seminar has been set for Tuesday, November 18 at the Comanche Community Center in Comanche. Registration will be from 9:30 to 10:00 a.m. with the program starting at 10:00 and lasting through a sponsored lunch.

The first part of the program will focus on cow nutrition in winter and how best to meet those needs. Included in the discussion will be information on determining a producer's current situation on how best to meet the cows needs with supplements. Dr. Steve Hammack, Extension Beef Cattle Specialist, will discuss this part of the program including an emphasis on current

research into cattle uptake of various supplement sources. Also included in the part on the program will be a discussion on mineral programs for cows and the part minerals play in breeding.

The second part will include a discussion of winter pasture management. Dr. Eric Prostko will present information on winter fertilization programs for small grain pastures and controlling potential weed problems that may surface. Dr. Prostko can address how to make sure greenbugs and army worms are not a problems with scouting and good treatment programs.

Sponsors for the Winter Supplementation Seminar include Security State bank, Comanche National Bank, Stephenville Production Credit Association, Farmers and Merchants Bank, First National Bank, Moorman Inc. and Comanche County Electric Cooperative.

watch some wide-open football and buy some goodies at the concession stand.

The Panthers closed out the season the week of October 31st at Baird and wound up in third place in district. I think the Panthers did a fantastic job considering all the freshmen and sophomores on the team. They accomplished a lot this season and we look forward to a great season next year. Way to go big red!

And remember to smile--because God loves you!

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Did You Know?
(NAPS)—Local bookstores now carry the intriguing novel *The Forgetting Room* (Harper Collins, \$22), by Nick Bantock.

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A proposed new silver dollar is expected to cost taxpayers over \$750 million.

A terrific topping for cookies or cheesecake can be made with Reddi-wip real whipped cream.

Billy Fred Jeffs Laid To Rest Wednesday

Billy Fred Jeffs, 68, of Gorman went to be with his Lord, Monday, November 10, 1997 after a short illness.

Services were held Wednesday, November 12 with James Haynes officiating, assisted by Lavelle Haynes. Burial was in the Weaver Cemetery.

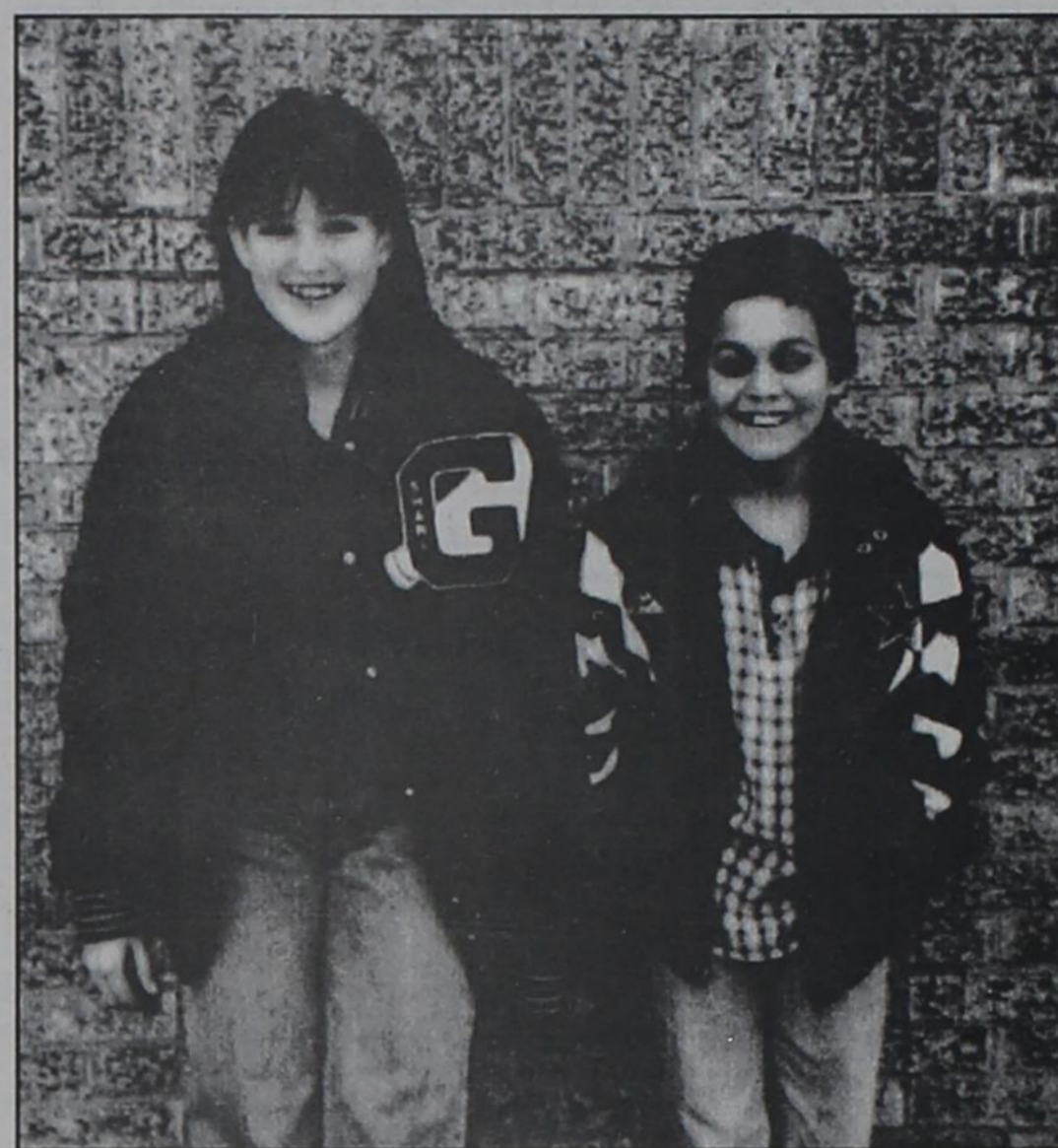
Mr. Jeffs was born in Gorman and worked for Smith Chevrolet for many years before going into ranching. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Gorman. He married Mary Evelyn Robertson in 1961.

Survivors include: His wife, Mary Jeffs of Gorman; one son, Bud Jeffs of New Caney; one daughter, Terry Nickles of Glen Rose; three grandchildren.

Ode To Billy Fred

From this world left a great man,
Tall in stature he did stand.
A hard working man, rancher by trade,
Proud of the things his hands had made.
Mary Evelyn he took for a wife,
God blessed them with two children during his life.
Three grandchildren, so sweet and young,
Were born to the daughter and the son.
His heart grew weak, but his will was strong.
He fought for life, his will to carry on.
But God had different plans that day,
He took his hand and carried him away.
The tears filled our eyes
And our hearts broke as we said goodbye.
Your in heaven now and that makes us smile,
Your with loved ones we haven't seen in awhile.
From this world you have gone,
Our love for you will carry on.
Till we meet again,
Your family and friends.

District Band Tryouts



Enrique Landa and Shari Marlow tried out for the ATSSB Junior High District Band on Saturday, November 8th at Dublin High School.

Shari earned a chair in the Junior High District Band and will be playing a concert with the other members from surrounding schools on Saturday, November 15th at the Glen Rose High School Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

New Sign Greet Gorman Visitors



A colorful new sign bearing the Gorman Peanut Festival logo has recently been erected East of Gorman on Highway 6 just past Birdsong Peanuts. This sign was placed there by the Gorman Peanut Festival Committee Members.

Kimberly Dianne Lee Laid To Rest Sunday, Nov. 9

Kimberly Dianne Lee, 26, of DeLeon passed away, November 7, 1997 from injuries sustained from an auto accident.

Funeral services were held Sunday, November 9, with Elder Kenneth Wilson officiating. Burial was in the DeLeon Cemetery.

Kimberly was born on June 6, 1971 in Gorman, Texas. She worked as a nurses aide for DeLeon Home Health and was a member of the DeLeon Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include: One daughter, Taylor Lee of DeLeon; Her mother, Wynona Lee of Odessa; Father, Jackie Cogburn of DeLeon; Sisters, Deana Grimes of Comanche, Starla Cogburn of DeLeon; Brother, Jason Cogburn of DeLeon; Grandmothers, Ona Dean Freeman of DeLeon and Jimmie Ray Cogburn of DeLeon.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Joe Bennett of Gorman and Doris Bennett of Eastland were in Dallas on Sunday to meet with Doris's son Joe & Shirley Bennett and they all attended the Cowboys' Football Game.



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Attention Crafters!

Remember, The annual Arts & Crafts Fair sponsored by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce of DeLeon is just around the corner. Start getting those crafts ready! It's not too early to reserve your space. You could even share one with a friend.

Santa will be available form 11-3. Bring your camera to take your child's picture with Santa.

This year the Arts & Crafts Fair takes place on November 29, and is located in the DeLeon City Hall Auditorium from 9-5. Call Gay Hall (254) 893-4177 or LaJoyce Johnson (254) 893-2634 for more information.

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KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON



TEXAS POINTS THE WAY TOWARD MEETING ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES

When it comes to the environment, an ounce of prevention turns out to be worth more than a pound of cure.

That's the message behind innovative laws that have been approved by Texas and 22 other states. These environmental audit laws encourage cooperation and incentives for business to protect the environment.

Under Texas' environmental audit law, companies are given incentives to assess their own environmental compliance and take corrective action. Rather than playing a waiting game for state regulators to find environmental violations, companies will find — and stop — violations.

This arrangement is based on the common sense assumption that everyone, including business and industry, has a vested interest in clear skies, clean water and a safe environment. Instead of a game of "gotcha," the private and public sectors in our state are working together to strengthen environmental protection efforts.

I have introduced legislation, the Environmental Protection Partnership Act, that will apply this environmental audit system to federal regulation efforts. Under my bill, if a company voluntarily completes an environmental audit — a thorough review of its compliance with environmental law — government may not turn around and use the audit report against that company in court. This will encourage companies to look for, find and remedy problems, rather than wait for the heavy hand of the regulator to descend upon them.

In addition, if a company performs an audit, promptly corrects any violations and reports this to the Environmental Protection Agency, that company will not be penalized for its violations. By ensuring companies that they will not be dragged into court for being honest, the bill encourages both compliance and reporting.

Environmental audits do not mean companies that pollute will go scot-free. My bill in no way protects willful violators, those that do not promptly address violations or those trying to evade investigation. But the cooperative approach will free the EPA to target enforcement dollars on the "bad actors" — those who intentionally pollute.

The bill also directs federal agencies to assist small businesses (which typically have fewer resources) to develop in-house compliance systems for performing voluntary self evaluations.

Businesses need to play an active role in environmental protection. This legislation will make companies active partners with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in assuring compliance with the law.

The EPA itself has acknowledged the necessity of such an approach. In a recent policy statement, the EPA pointed out that, "because government resources are limited, maximum compliance cannot be achieved without active efforts by the regulated community to police themselves."

Texas and the 22 other states which have passed environmental audit laws are encouraging companies to be "good actors" and play a positive role in environmental protection. In the Lone Star state, hundreds of companies have carried out voluntary environmental audits, correcting countless violations in the process. These are corrected violations that the EPA and state regulatory officials may or may not have discovered. Other states tell similar success stories.

We have made monumental strides in cleaning up the environment over the past 30 years. Our air, water and soil are far cleaner now than they were when we first rolled up our sleeves and went to work. The Environmental Protection Partnership Act will allow us to build on those gains, and engage industry more fully in protecting the environment.

Gorman City Council Unofficial Minutes

The Gorman City Commission met in regular session on Nov. 6, 1997. The meeting was called to order at 5 p.m. Those present were: Mayor Jack Simpson, Commissioners: Robert Ervin, Kenneth Good, Johnny Smith, and John Rice. Others present were: Lloyd and Glenn Glasson, Gaylord Battenfield, Jeffery Mackey, Chief Watts, Verl Ervin, Joe Williams, Charles Buckmaster and Tracy Keith.

John made a motion to approve the minutes as read. Kenneth made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

Robert made a motion to approve the bills for payment. Johnny made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

The Mayor read the Fair Housing Ordinance for the first reading. No action was required at the first reading.

Johnny made a motion to adopt the resolution to deed property to George Simmons, Lloyd Glasson and Kenneth Good. This is to be at no expense to the city. John made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

Robert made a motion to go into executive session with a second from John. John made a motion to adjourn from executive session and go into regular session with a second from Johnny. Motion carried 4-0.

Kenneth made a motion to hire Gaylord Battenfield at \$9.00 per hour, 90 day probation period. Johnny made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

Kenneth made a motion to put Robert in charge of hiring a new police patrolman. Johnny made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

Chief Watts has a patrolman in mind for the position.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Web Sites To Watch

(NAPS)—Jay Leno's Garage, the busiest little garage in California, attracts thousands of visitors from all over the world every day. The site features information on Jay's cars, jokes, surveys and more. Access it via www.CarsAndCulture.com or www.NBC.com/TonightShow. In each case, select "Garage."

Retailers such as Ross-Simons use Web sites to help their customers shop 24 hours a day, for everything from fine jewelry to watches and china. Visit their site at www.ross-simons.com.

The Guilt Of Sin

By Rev. Dane Gressett

"And that servant who knew his master's will and did not get ready or act in accord with his will, shall receive many lashes, but the one who did not know it, and committed deeds worthy of a flogging, will receive but few..." (Luke 12:47-48)

Have you ever wondered how God will judge the inhabitants of the world? Especially considering that we come from so many different historical, cultural, educational and religious backgrounds? Our text shows that God will determine guilt by the amount of light received and yet resisted. The more you know of God's will the more guilty you will be for not doing it.

Jesus told the people in the cities where he taught that they would be more guilty than the ancient city of Sodom on Judgement Day. Sodom was full of violence, greed, drunkenness, and sexual perversion. The Jews, however, strongly supported family values and conservative living. How could Jesus say they were more guilty than the Sodomites? The Jews had the Scriptures and the prophets. They heard Christ's teachings and saw His miracles and yet rejected Him. Sodom had no Bible or Sunday School. They weren't told about the Saviour. Yes, they sinned greatly but against much less knowledge of God's will!

"Who will be more guilty for rejecting God's only plan for the salvation of mankind? Will it be the heathen who have never heard of Jesus or the American who has heard a thousand times but still goes on in proud defiance? The average American who lives without Christ is more guilty than entire heathen tribes. Each of us has already accepted or rejected Jesus Christ. If you've heard His claims and failed to trust and obey Him, your guilt has become exceedingly great. This is not religious foolishness. Today's choices determine your eternal destination. Heaven and hell are real. (Questions? Contact Bro. Dane at Box 344, Gorman, Tx. 76454. (254) 734-3203)

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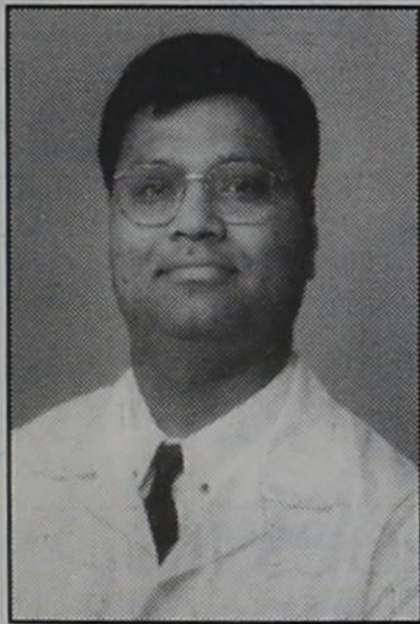
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Federal Flood Insurance Available

Eastland County has joined over 18,000 communities nationwide who are allowed to purchase Federally backed flood insurance. This availability follows the community's adoption and enforcement of ordinances to reduce flood losses and acceptance by the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). This action was jointly announced by Michael J. Armstrong, Associate Director for Mitigation of the Federal Emergency Management Agency and Spence W. Perry, Executive Administrator for the Federal Insurance Administration.

Eastland County is eligible to participate in the NFIP effective September 30, 1997. Residents of Eastland County will be able to purchase flood insurance up to the limits under the Emergency Phase of the program. However, there is a 30-day waiting period before the coverage goes into effect. For single family homes, this limit is \$35,000 and \$10,000 for the contents. Renters can also protect their belongings through the contents coverage.

For commercial properties, this limit is \$100,000. After the initial Emergency Phase, higher limits of coverage will be available. Lenders must require borrowers whose property is located in a designated flood hazard area to purchase flood insurance as a condition of receiving a Federally backed mortgage loan in accordance with the Federal Disaster Protection Act of 1973.

The NFIP, implemented through the Federal Emergency Management Agency, is a self supporting program, requiring no taxpayer support to pay claims and operating expenses. There are nearly 2.8 million flood insurance policies in the more than 18,000 participating communities.

For further assistance, contact the Regional Office staff in Denton, Texas. They can be reached at: FEMA, Mitigation Division, Federal Regional Center, 800 North Loop 288, Denton, Texas 76201-3698 or (817) 898-5165.

Tarleton Inducts Gorman Students Into Alpha Chi

Two Tarleton State University students from Gorman were among the 83 students inducted into the Texas Alpha Kappa Chapter of Alpha Chi during the fall 1997 semester. Alpha Chi is a national scholastic honor society.

Among those inducted into the Tarleton chapter this fall were Marilyn S. Warren and Katherine J. White. Marilyn is a 1970 graduate of Gorman High School and the wife of Jimmy D. Warren. Katherine is a 1993 graduate of Gorman High School and the daughter of Beth White and David Knaack.

Membership in Alpha Chi is limited to members of the junior and senior classes who excel academically. Grade point averages must be 3.6 or better.

Jackpot-Buckle Run

The Eastland County 4-H Horse Program is sponsoring a "Jackpot-Buckle Run" on Sunday, November 16, 1997, at 3:00 p.m. at the Cisco Junior College Arena. Negative Coggins is required to enter this event.

High point winner, 19 years and younger, will receive an engraved Montana Silversmith Buckle. High point winners from the 1997 playday series are not eligible to compete for the buckle.

All ages will be entered in the jackpot. The jackpot will have a 50% payback with the top three places paid out.

There will be no ribbons awarded, no age divisions, no leadline and no exhibitions.

Events will include cloverleaf barrels, poles and flags. The cost is \$10.00 to enter the jackpot and buckle run (if eligible).

Money raised will benefit the Eastland County 4-H Horse Judging teams. For more information, please call Lauma Bacon, 254-442-4081 or Diana Reynolds 254-629-1873. As usual, in case of rain or extremely cold weather, please call before you come.

"Holiday Market At The Hilton"

This year's "Holiday Market At The Hilton," November 22 and 23, will feature many local and out-of-town crafts artisans. They will be bringing a large selection of handmade items for a unique weekend of holiday shopping.

The annual event will be from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m., Saturday November 22, and Sunday, November 23 from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Hilton Community Center in Cisco.

Items featured will include wood crafts and toys, baked goods, fashion and costume jewelry, painted and appliqued shirts, vests, collars, quilted baby blankets, needlework, leather goods, ribbon hair clips, bows, decorated tee-shirts and sweatshirts, country crafts, ceramics, stuffed toys and animals, wooden necklaces, tin punch, wreaths, swags, rugs, Christmas decorations and much more!

Exhibitors will be located on the first floors of the Hilton Community Center, on the entrance porch, and also in the front yard area. Exhibitors are expected from Cisco, Breckenridge, Eastland, Fort Worth, Vernon, Cedar Park, Arlington, Abilene, Early and Baird.

Most of the exhibitors have agreed to donate items to be given as door prizes. Drawings will be held hourly. Guests do not have to be present to win, but they must come by the Hilton and register to be eligible.

There will be a snack bar open for exhibitors and shoppers both days of the Market. The snack bar will be operated by The Pleasant Hill F.C.E. Club. Saturday's menu includes breakfast burritos, pinto beans, stew, cornbread, chicken salad sandwiches, and assorted desserts. On Sunday, the menu will be barbecue beef, potato salad or slaw, green beans, rolls, chicken salad sandwiches, and desserts. In addition to the individual serving menus, there will also be baked goods for sale.

This year's Market promises to be an exciting community event. Don't miss out on an exceptional opportunity to join the fun. Admission is free.

Tommie Frances Ferrell Parsley Laid to Rest Nov. 7

Tommie Frances Ferrell Parsley, 81 of Coppell, Texas passed away at her residence on Wednesday, November 5, 1997.

Ms. Parsley was born October 18, 1916 in Duster, Texas to Fred Ferrell and Elizabeth Jones Ferrell. She was retired from Texas Instruments.

Funeral services were held Friday, November 7, with Bro. Wesley Howard officiating. Burial was in the DeLeon Cemetery.

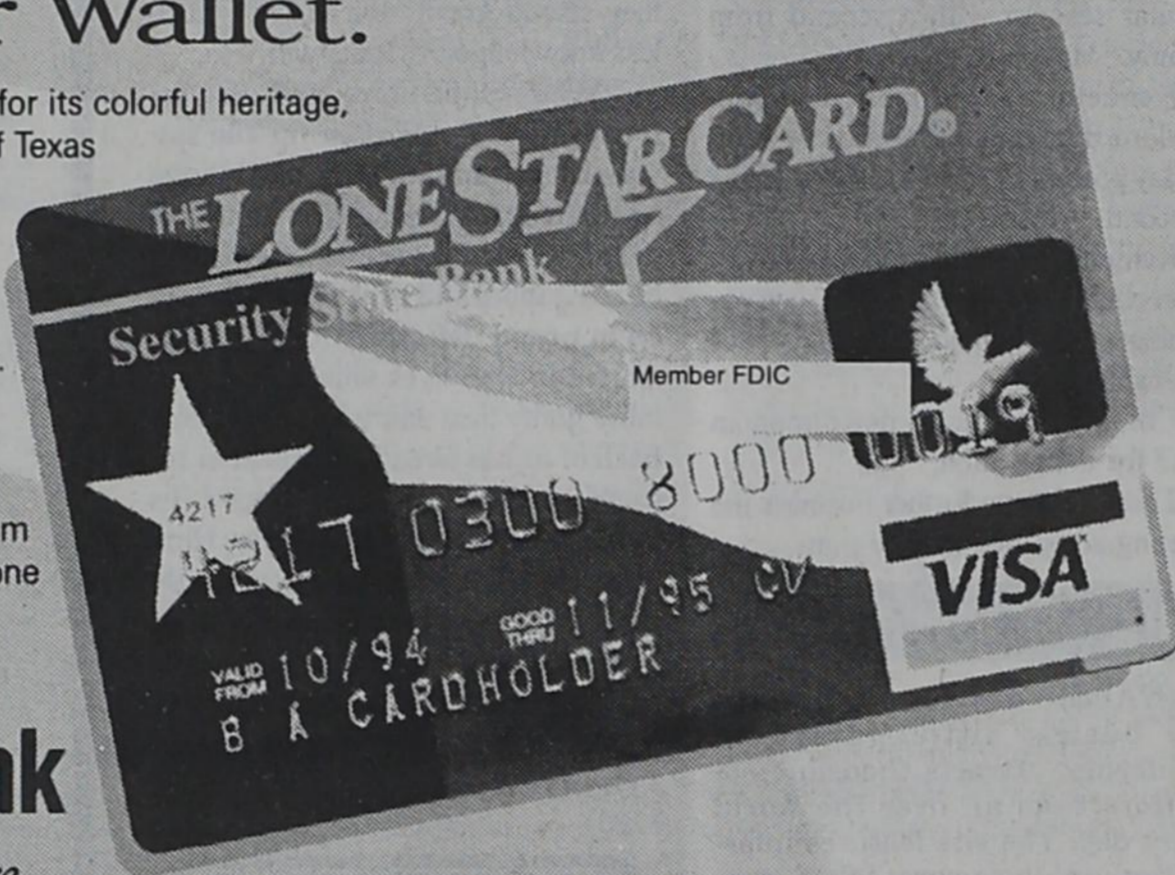
Survivors include: two daughters, Kay Womack and Ann Warren both of Coppell; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Preceded in death by four brothers: Ivan Patterson "Keefer" Ferrell, Barney Ferrell, Eugene Ferrell, and Noel Ferrell; two sisters: Edna Walker and Lady Clyde Price.

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Web Sites To Watch!

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1997 Tax Practitioner Workshop Series Announced

The schedule for the 1997 Tax Practitioner Workshop series has been announced. These workshops are designed to meet the needs of tax practitioners across the state and present a variety of topics. Workshop director is Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The workshops will be held from the latter part of October through December. An additional workshop will be held in January in Durango, Colorado.

The general tax practitioner workshop is a series of two-day meetings and will emphasize new income tax developments and problem areas. The meetings will be held in Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Beaumont, College Station, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Ft. Worth, Houston, Lubbock, Midland, Mount Pleasant, Overton, San Angelo, San Antonio, Sherman, Stephenville, Waco and Weslaco. Fee is \$160.

The advanced tax practitioner workshop costs \$170 and will be held in Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Ft. Worth, Houston, Overton, San Antonio, Waco and Weslaco. This workshop is designed for the practitioner who has substantial experience.

An estate planning workshop will be held in Amarillo, Houston, San Angelo and San Antonio. This workshop is designed to make tax advisors familiar with a wide array of planning options they can discuss with clients where concurrent income tax planning and estate planning are needed and to create awareness of the filing requirements and forms for gifts and estate tax returns. The one-day workshop costs \$125.

Fiduciary income taxation workshops will focus on differences between individual and fiduciary taxation and the mechanics of preparing a basic Form 1041. Special emphasis will be given to the interrelationship between trust and tax law for the proper completion of a fiduciary tax return. This one-day workshop will be held in Dallas, Houston and San Antonio and costs \$125.

Amarillo, Houston, Lubbock and San Antonio will host the agricultural tax issues workshops, which are a series of one-day seminars to assist practicing accountants and lawyers in the specialized area of agricultural taxation. These cost \$125.

The Partnership/LLC tax workshops

Stenholm Votes for Coalition to Save Medicare

Representative Charles Stenholm recently voted to strengthen the Medicare program to benefit senior citizens, to enable them to use their new found power of consumer choice to gain access to a wider range of health care benefits.

Stenholm was applauded for his vote by leaders of the Coalition to Save Medicare, an organization co-chaired by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the Healthcare Leadership Council. The Coalition presented Stenholm with a certificate of commendation for his leadership on the Medicare issue.

The Medicare changes were part of legislation, passed by Congress and signed by President Clinton, that establishes a plan for balancing the federal budget in five years. The legislation strengthens Medicare by opening the program to market competition, enabling seniors to choose from among a range of different private health plans as an alternative to traditional fee-for-service Medicare.

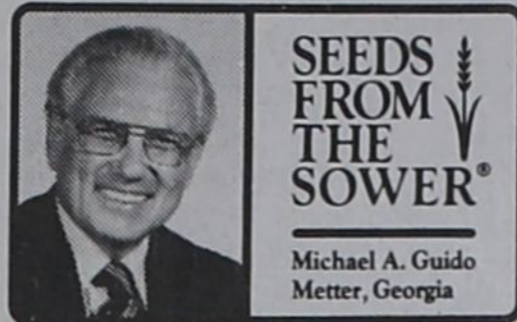
The certificate presented to Stenholm reads, in part, "You have given 36 million Medicare beneficiaries a choice among traditional Medicare and competing private health plans. Senior citizens will now be able to choose a health plan with lower out-of-pocket cost and expanded benefits, such as prescription drugs, eye

glasses, and preventive care treatment."

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Most of these workshops offer taped versions of the course and follow-up exams. For more information contact Dr. Wayne Hayenga, Texas Extension Education Foundation Inc. P.O. Box 946 College Station, Tx. 77841-0946. Phone # (409) 845-2226.



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School Menu

Nov. 17th -- Nov. 21st
Breakfast

MONDAY - Cereal, toast, jelly, juice, milk
TUESDAY - Oatmeal, toast, jelly, juice, milk
WEDNESDAY - Cheese toast, hash brown, juice, milk
THURSDAY - Scrambled eggs, toast, jelly, juice, milk
FRIDAY - Sausage, biscuit, gravy,

juice, milk

Lunch

MONDAY - Ham sandwiches, veg. soup, lettuce, tomato, pickle spears, apples, milk
TUESDAY - Turkey dressing, green beans, creamed potatoes, fruit salad, hot rolls, milk

WEDNESDAY - Pizza, salad, corn, crackers, milk
THURSDAY - Taco salad, cheese, lettuce, tomato, refried beans, spanish rice, cookies, milk
FRIDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, onions, pickles, french fries, ice cream, milk

Curried Barley and Chicken Bake



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Curried Barley and Chicken Bake

1 tablespoon olive oil	1 cup pearl barley
1/2 cup chopped onion	2-1/2 cups chicken broth
1/2 cup chopped red bell pepper	4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
1/2 cup chopped green bell pepper	1/2 teaspoon garlic salt
1 clove garlic, finely chopped	3 tablespoons orange marmalade or apricot jam
1 medium tart green apple, chopped	
1-2 tablespoons curry powder	

Heat oil in large skillet; sauté onion, bell peppers and garlic 5 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add chopped apple and curry powder; sauté 4 minutes longer. Stir in barley and chicken broth; bring to boil. Reduce heat and simmer 15 minutes. Pour barley mixture into large baking dish or casserole. Arrange chicken breasts over barley and season with garlic salt. Cover and bake in 375-degree oven 45 minutes. Remove cover; brush chicken with marmalade. Continue to bake, uncovered, 15 minutes longer. Remove from oven and let stand 5 minutes before serving. Makes 4 servings.

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HERITAGE MANOR NEWS

By Nancy Hendricks

Hello Everyone,

My isn't this fall weather nice, and the holidays are just around the corner, with only 45 shopping days until Christmas.

This is really a beautiful time of year and we at Heritage Manor are looking forward to the holidays. We are hoping you will visit us and help us plan for our residents.

Goodbye for now and God Bless.

Dean Christian McNeill
Administrator

The next birthday party will be Tuesday, November 25th at 1:30 p.m. Honorees are Myrtle Hale, Rubye Jones and S.D. Gilmore. Everyone is welcome.

Darrell and Pat Graham and Pat Hagood visited Jack and Mildred Bellows.

On Saturday those coming from the Abundant Life Church were Rev. and Mrs. John Howard Jr., K' Ann Howard, Tara Howard, Lana Howard, Trey Howard, Lacy Howard and Laloni Roberts. Residents were Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore, A.V. Seay, Veno Hale, Ollie Halcomb, Irene Heathington, Cynthia Earles, Inez Rogers, Patty Whitehorn, Varona Taylor and Velma Bennett. Guests were Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, Nancy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

Anna Rush and Estelle Erwin visited Levenia Blair, Ola Walker, Ruby Vandergriff, Leta Richardson, Ina Mae Tarrence, Veno and Annie Hale.

On Sunday morning Hershell Cordell taught the Sunday School lesson for Velma Bennett, Jack and

Mildred Bellows, Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, and Cynthia Earles.

Visiting Vadis Phelps were Anna Rush, Estelle Erwin, Fay Tucker, Elnora Lindley, Birdie Hogan, Ruey Carruth, Mitzi Hogan and Pat Hagood.

Karen and Jim Burleson, Philip, Donna, Robert and Sarah Lewis, Vickie and Zane Harris visited Skinnie Lewis.

Those coming from the First Baptist Church on Sunday at 2:30 were Brent Lasater, James Criner, Anna Rush, Estelle Erwin, Frankie Jo Shipman, Louise Hall. Guests were Pat Graham, Della Galloway, and T.D. Whitehorn. Residents were Velma Bennett, A.V. Seay, Cynthia Earles, Veno Hale, Ora Mae Atchison, Patty Whitehorn, Inez Rogers, Ollie Halcomb, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Some of Myrtle Hale and Velma Bennett's guests were Argie and Margie Hale, Thurman and Sally Hale, Ennis and Nina Joiner, Jerrel and Betty Marie Hale, Johnnie Houton Black, Janice Glover, Steve and Betty Joiner, Eunice Love, Mayvis Lasater, Nancy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

Visiting Ollie Halcomb and Dorothy Beaty were Alpha Mae Andry, David and Denna Halcomb, Eunice Love and Pat Hagood.

Visiting Bea O'Neal were Billie Bennett, Mayvis Lasater, Gena Rone, Annie Fay Foster, Irene West and Nancy Hendricks.

On Monday Ina Scitem had bingo for Velma Bennett, Frank Skiles, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Jack and Mildred Bellows, Veno Hale, Cynthia

Earles, Rubye Jones, Inez Rogers, Irene Heathington, Patty Whitehorn, Ollie Halcomb, Iola Johnson and Hazel Wisdom.

Visiting Inez Rogers and Ora Mae Atchison were Della Galloway, Fred Rogers, Buddy Rogers, Anna Rush, Estell Erwin, Chesley Atchison, Edie Nichols, Ima Lee Burleson and Pat Hagood.

Visiting Frank Skiles and Travis Smith were M.L. Skiles, Ron and Nina Skiles, Mayvis Lasater, Barbra Smith, Wynogene Smith and Pat Hagood.

Those coming for the Hogan Band of Tuesday evening were Carroll Hogan, Paul and Ima Jean Norris, Gus and Evelyn Sublett, Marshall and Dottie Reeves, Hershell and Mary M. Gibson, Lloyd Glasson, Alpha Mae Andry, Anna Rush, Estelle Erwin, Vernon and Lorene Stewart, Nancy Hendricks, Doris Bradshaw, Jackie Whitlock, Ina Scitem. Residents were Hazel Wisdom, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Veno Taylor, Ora Mae Atchison, Maggie Snider, Ruby Vandergriff, Annie Hale, Travis Smith, A.V. Seay, Iola Johnson, Velma Bennett, Cynthia Earles, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, Irene Heathington, Aletha Yarborough, Ola Walker, Veno Hale, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

On Wednesday morning those coming from Frist United Methodist church for chapel were Rev. Bob Beeman, Ella Reeves, Ima Lee Burleson, Violet Watson, Neva Robertson and Pat Hagood.

Visiting Ed Johnson were Fay Johnson, Rev. Dane Gressett, Dale Johnson and Edgar Reynolds.

Visiting Aletha Yarborough were Arthur Ray Yarborough, Jean Smith, Mary Ruth Beschoner and Alma Dickerson.

On Wednesday Bro. Bob came and played "Hit the Bucket" for Ora Mae Atchison, Cynthia Earles, Veno Hale, Irene Heathington, Patty Whitehorn, Inez Rogers, and Veno Hale.

Visiting Maggie Snider were Richard and Doana Memory, Micheal Friday, Peggy and Bobby Ingram, Jewel, Diana and Larry Snider, Alma Dickerson, Nancy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

Visiting Rubye Jones and Patty Whitehorn were Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, Corkey and Jerry Brown, Sylva Estes, Mary Estes, Marie Cook, Vickie, Seth and Josh Johnson, Julie, Cameron, and Corey Clark, Eunice Love, Michael and Marsha Whitehorn.

Betty Duke of Desdemona came and played the electric keyboard on Tuesday for Myrtle Hale, Hazel Wisdom, Iola Johnson, Maggie Snider, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Inez Rogers, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Velma Bennett, Ollie Hallmark, Mabel Reynolds, Sibl Urban, Jack and Mildred Bellows, A.V. Seay.

Don and Nell Sherman and Ina Reynolds visited Sibyl Uran.

Rick or Treators registering were Patty Rodriguez, Eula, Ezequel and Enequel Sanchez, Leo Martinez, Laura Rhodes, Arnulfo Rhodes, Hunbeto Madera, Lydia and Gerrodo Madera, Nathan Ritter, Timmy, Christopher and Kandra Madera, Melinda Leal, Raymond Farley, Lois and Jordan Perry, Corey Brown, Orlando, Ernest and Samuel Rodriguez, Kendra Swanner, Nikki, Aaron and Matt Keith, Alaina and Tyson Swanner, Victor, Shannon, Shawn Brown and Chris Shephard.

Visiting A.V. Say were Alicia Fannie, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wilson, Mrs. Pete Taylor of Granbury, Pat Hagood, Alpha Mae Andry, Thomas and Vickie Seay, Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Fair of Stephenville.

Those coming for the Monday Sing-

a-long were Ruby Lee Kniser, Willo Rice, Della Galloway, Ethel Weaver, Ernestine Campbell, Marjorie Treadway, Anna Rush, Estelle Erwin, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, T.D. Whitehorn, and Alpha Mae Andry. Residents were Ruby Vandergriff, Varona Taylor, Ava Rodgers, Hazel Wisdom, Velma Bennett, Patty Whitehorn, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers, Iola Johnson, Veno Hale, Ollie Halcomb, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Ora Mae Atchison, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Iola Johnson were Don and Nell Sherman, Ina Reynolds, Della Galloway, Pat Caraway.

Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Fair of Stephenville visited Ruby Vandergriff and Inez Rogers.

Mrs. Marvin Jones of Dublin visited Eulon Perry.

Visiting Varona Taylor were Flora Delle Clayton and Billy and Janda Taylor.

On Friday Ina Scitem and Bob Beeman had bingo for Hazel Wisdom, A.V. Seay, Iola Johnson, Velma Bennett, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Ollie Halcomb, Varona Taylor, Ora Mae Atchison, Cynthia Earles, Patty Whitehorn, Irene Heathington, Inez Rogers, Jack and Mildred Bellows and guest Ima Lee Burleson.

Some of Hazel Wisdom's guests were Leo and Eloise Williams, Bob and Merlene Wisdom, Audrey Pond, Johnnie Houton Black, Pat Kincannon.

Visiting Effie Mae Brown and S.D. Gilmore were Pat Hagood, Alpha Mae Andry, Louise Hollywood, Durwood Webb.

Terry Stone gave Sibyl Urban a new permanent.

Some of Mabel Reynolds and Cynthia Earles guests were Johnnie Black, Randy Reynolds, Dalton Reynolds, Joyce Forrest, Edgar Reynolds, Burl Warren, Nancy

Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, V.O. Huff, Pat Graham, Frankie Jo Shipman, Fae Johnson, Eunice Love, Mayvis Lasater.

Terry Stone gave Veno Hale a new permanent. Some of Irene Heathington's guests were Ken and Betty Sue Heathington of Knozville, Tenn, Johnnie Houton Black, Billie Corley and Nancy Hendricks.

Ina Scitem had concentration for Ora Mae Atchison, Patty Whitehorn, A.F. Seay, Inez Rogers, Cynthia Earles, Iola Johnson, Irene Heathington, Veno Hale, Velma Bennett, Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Some of Mary Williams' guest were Maxine Frasier, Bruce and Lavoyce Hirst, Howard and pat Hagood, Alpha Mae Andry, Estelle Erwin, Anna Rush, Irene west, Maggie Hagood, Durwood Webb, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. McMullen of Calif.

Terry Stone gave Varona Taylor a new permanent.

Visiting Ava Rodgers were Lou Evelyn Rodgers, Mayvis Lasater, Ima Brown, Eunice Love, Jana Grice, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, and Pat Hagood.

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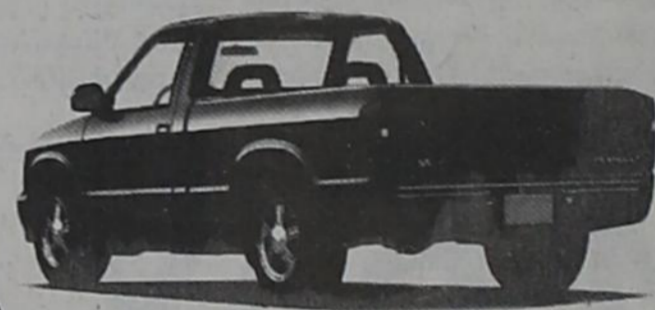
The Gorman yearbook staff had Homecoming pictures taken at the game. These photos were taken by professional photographers and are a very good quality. If you are interested in any Homecoming photos of the game, band, cheerleaders or of course the Princesses and the Homecoming Queen please contact Becky Swanner at 734-2616. You may come in and look at the proofs and order any you like. Thank You.

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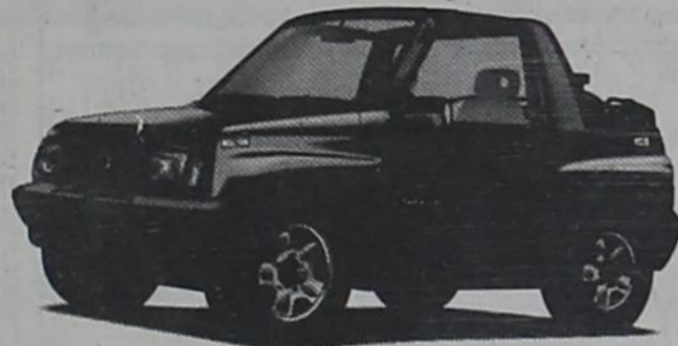
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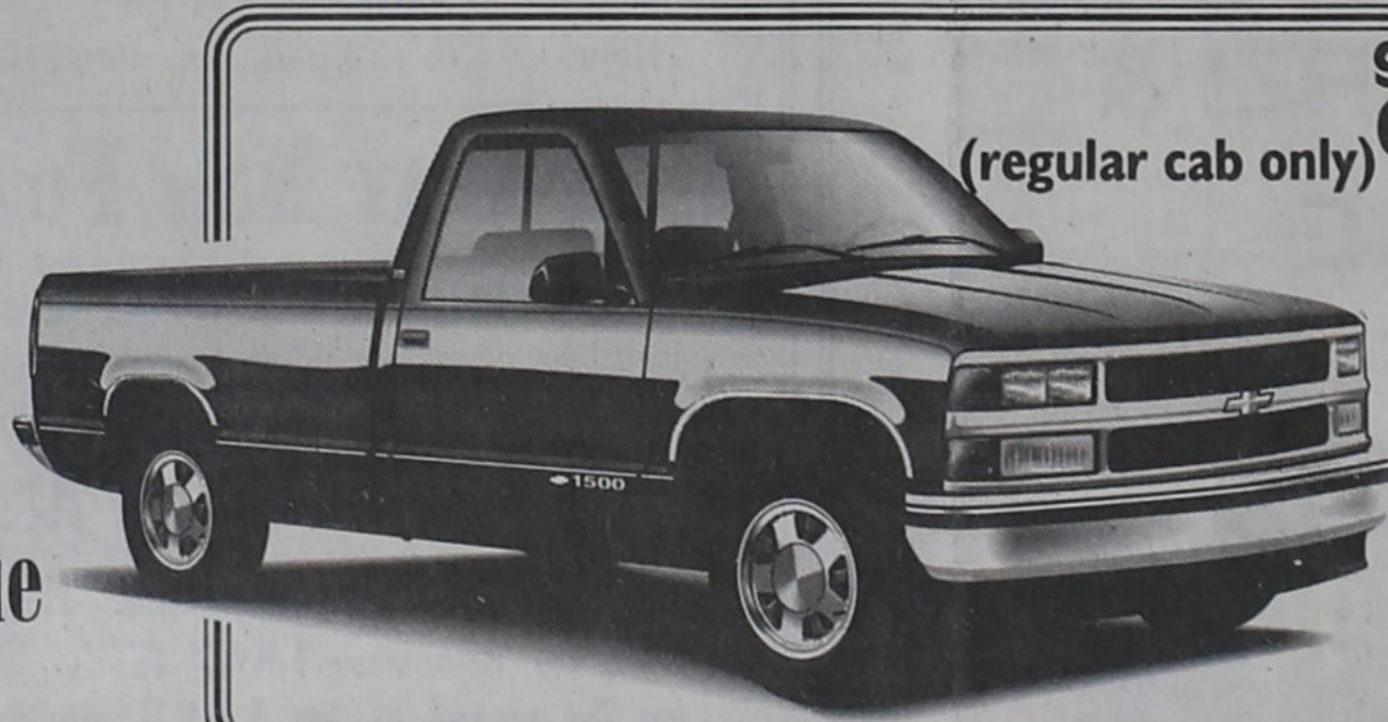


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