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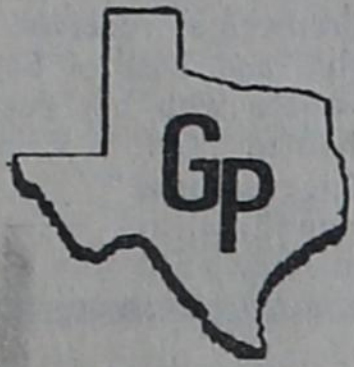
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GORMAN, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS 76454

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Press Points

Joe Bennett, Publisher

Spring(?) sure hit with a hard blast in this area with a hard freeze that is expected to reduce the fruit crop considerably. A lot of the fruit was killed and a good bit of the garden stuff was damaged by the cold blast. So, in this area Spring really didn't spring, it stung.

We add our congratulations to those of the community to our UIL contestants in the Heartland Literary Tournament held at Early. Also to the One Act Play students on their win at Cisco Junior which advances them to the play contest at Tarleton State University.

We wish to thank Principal A. L. Hunter for passing along the following letter to us from the Early School concerning our Gorman students.

Dear Sir:
On behalf of the Early High School administration and the directors of the Heartland Literary Tournament, we would like to commend your sponsors and contestants for their excellent performance at our meet. The conduct of all the young people present was superior. It is indeed a pleasure to host a meet for such outstanding young people.

We do hope your students can compete again next year. Good luck as you continue with your UIL competition.

Sincerely,
John N. King
Principal

We again congratulate our youth on their performance and want them to know we are proud of them in all their endeavors. As we have stated so many times before, we have the greatest young people here as you will find on the face of the earth.

Make sure you are at the Chamber of Commerce Banquet this Thursday night. Every citizen of our community should be at this most important event. You should be there when the top awards are presented to the deserving folks. But if for no other reason the price of your ticket will be well worth it just to see and hear Roy Thackeron perform. On Saturday night last the wife and I attended the Johnnie High Country Music Revue in Fort Worth and had the pleasure of seeing Roy perform. We didn't know he was to be on the program and it was a pleasant surprise for us. He really brought the house down with his fiddle playing and he also played the electric guitar. He was great.

Also the speaker for the banquet, Layton Black of Goldthwaite is an outstanding speaker as well as an authority in the agriculture field.

So just make sure you are at the banquet Thursday night at 7 p. m.

We welcome a new business in our town. Blaine and Brenda Gibbs have begun the new greenhouse business and it will be known as the G-C Greenhouse. They will handle vegetable plants, as well as flower plants, etc. We wish them well in their new venture.

Leonard Silva is in the process of remodeling the former Donald Bolt home across from the old Blackwell



Mark Aaron & Krista Henderson

May 28 Vows To Be Exchanged

Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Henderson announce the engagement of their daughter Krista, to Mark William Aaron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Aaron.

Wedding vows will be exchanged May 28, 1983, in the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The bride-elect was graduated from Gorman High School and Texas Tech University. She is a teacher for Lubbock Independent School District. The future bridegroom was graduated from Eastland High School and attends Tarleton State University.



GC Green House Now Open

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Gibbs are shown in their new Green House. They have what ever you need for your Spring Planting such as Flowers and Vegetable plants.

GORMAN CRIMESTOPPERS OFFERS CASH REWARDS

Gorman Crimestoppers is offering cash rewards of \$200.00 on each of the following crimes:

On September 24, 1982, Smith Brothers Chevrolet in Gorman was burglarized and an attempt to open the safe was made. Entry was gained by crawling under a chain-link fence and breaking a window in the shop area. A welding torch was moved from the shop to the office area, and was used to cut holes in the safe. Failing to get the safe open, the person or persons took two handguns from a desk and fled. The guns are described a blue .25 automatic pistol with white or pearl grips, and a steel blue .38 Colt Police Special revolver, 4 inch barrel, and brown wooden checkered grips. No serial number. He is in the process of adding a second story to the structure and is planning a complete renovation of the house.

Spring break at school is over and all the students sure did enjoy the holiday away from the classroom. However, we know most all the students were overjoyed to get back to their books and the joy attending classes all day long. And if you believe that, I have some fine swamp land for sale in Louisiana. And remember to smile -- because God Loves You!

number is available at this time.

On November 8, 1982, Higginbotham Brothers store in Gorman was burglarized. Entry was by way of a second-floor window, where the glass was broken and iron bars pried apart. A latch was removed from a door leading to the stairs, giving the burglar access to the main portion of the store. The burglar emptied a 3-lb. sack of "Gold-Kist" peanuts on the floor and used the white, blue and gold sack to carry about \$44.00 in cash from the drawers. Also taken in this burglary was a Quasar Model GX3642 portable AM/FM, cassette stereo unit. The stereo is silver-gray in color and was valued at \$239.95. The serial number is RD201203733. A Remington Model 66 .22 caliber automatic rifle was taken from the gun case. It has a nylon stock and scope, and the serial number is A2184620. Value of the rifle is \$99.95.

Anyone having information about either of these burglaries is urged to call Gorman Crimestoppers at 734-2730. Your identity does not have to be revealed, and if your information leads to arrest and indictment you will receive a cash reward.

Gorman 4-H Receives Award

At the Eastland County Livestock Show, the Gorman 4-H Club was presented with the Herdsman Award in the Sheep Division.

This Award is for keep-

Gorman Students Win One Act Play Competition

Gorman students, won 1st in the University Interscholastic League one act play competition Tuesday in Cisco. Winning District makes them eligible for Area Competition to be held at Tarleton State University in Stephenville on April 7.

Toby Cordell and Alphonse Pino made the All Star Cast in the Tuesday competition. Terri Keith was named to Honorable Mention. Gina Burger was named to Honorable Mention. "The Bankers Delima", Mrs. Jean Teal is director.

Five Gorman Students Place on All District Basketball Teams

Five Gorman students were recently named to the 27 A All District Basketball teams.

Named to Second Team Girls were: Kristi Odell and Terri Keith. Gorman Boys named to First Team were: Mark Swanner and Dane Gressett. Jeff Seaton was named to Second Team.

Other area students named to All District were: First Team Girls; Holly Versyp, Robin Engstrand and Jeni Bennet of Eula. Vickie Walker of Rising Star and Jojo Koenig of Cross Plains.

RABIES VACCINATIONS AT GORMAN MILLING SET SATURDAY

Larry Damron, D.V.M. from Stephenville will be at Gorman Milling Company, Saturday, March 26 from 1-3 P.M. Rabies vaccinations for small animals (dogs and cats) will be available for \$5.00 per animal. Distemper shots will also be available.

Dogs are the principal spreaders of rabies or hydrophobia. Outbreaks occur among skunks, coyotes, foxes, and other animals that attack livestock and fowls. All warm blooded animals are susceptible.

Library Fund Established

The P. T. O. has established a Library Fund in memory of Louise Rankin. Anyone wishing to make a donation in memory of a deceased family member or friend, please mail your donation to: Gorman P. T. O. c/o Louise Rankin Memorial Library Fund Gorman, Texas 76454

Please include with your donation the memorial recipient, name and address to whom the acknowledgement is to be sent. Memorial donations may also be deposited in the Louise Rankin Memorial Library Fund at The First National Bank, Gorman, Texas. Please leave your address and the name and address to whom the acknowledgement is to be sent.

Books will be purchased and labeled at a later date for the library.

LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A GIRL

Marshall "Bimbo" and Anna Lee Roberts are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Kendra Jo. Kendra was born March 9, at 8:32 p.m. She was 20 inches long and weighed 6 lbs. 14 1/2 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Butler of Gorman. Maternal great grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Day, of Kaufman.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Roberts of Gorman. Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B.G. Thomas of Gorman and Mrs. Bertha Roberts of Ranger.

Kendra was welcomed at home by her brother, Levi, 11 months old.

ing our part of the Showbarn clean.

The trophy will be displayed in the window of the Gorman Insurance Agency.

er of Rising Star and Jojo Koenig of Cross Plains. Second Team Girls; Andera Bozart and Patti Adamark of Eula. Kim Hihg of Carbon.

First Team Boys: Mark Morgan of Carbon, Scott Willis and Joel Dolloff of Eula and Mike Kyle of Rising Star.

Second Team Boys: Rudy Pack Carbon; Jeff McCoy, Dennis Koenig of Cross Plains and Gary Blair of Eula.

The infection is caused by a filtrable virus that attacks the nervous system. It is transmitted in the saliva of a diseased animal that bites its victims. Upon entering the bloodstream, the virus infects, the nerves, the blood-facts, the nerves, follows their course to the spinal cord, and finally involves the brain. From 15 to 45 percent of the bites of rabid animals result in death to the victim.

Please have your dogs and cats vaccinated and help prevent this disease in our community.

Ada Mae Love Laid To Rest Wednesday

RANGER — Ada Mae Love, 89, a longtime Ranger resident, died at 12:20 p.m. Monday, March 21, 1983 at Campbell Memorial Hospital in Weatherford after a long illness. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Edwards Funeral Home.

The Rev. Ronnie Lowe of Mesquite and Rusk Street Church of Christ officiated. Burial was in Alameda Cemetery.

Born June 14, 1893, in De Leon, she married George Love, who preceded her in death in the early 1960s. A former resident of the Alameda and Desdemona communities, she was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, A. G. of Fort Worth; a daughter, Lavelle Simpson of Jacksboro; two grandsons, Roger Love of Fort Worth and Vaughn Simpson of Jacksboro; and three great-grandchildren.

Elmer Little Rites Held

Elmer Little, 60, of Graham, brother of Irene West of Gorman died Monday March 14, 1983 in Graham Hospital after a long illness.

He had been manager of United Supermarket there for 12 years. He was a veteran of World War II and Vietnam, a Mason and member of First Baptist Church.

Memorial services were held Thursday March 17 in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jones, Assistant Pastor officiating.

Burial was in Graham Cemetery under the direction of Morrison Funeral Home.

Survivors are his wife, Dale of the home; 3 children and three grand children; six brothers and three sisters.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET TONIGHT 7 P.M.

The Gorman Chamber of Commerce 18th Annual Outstanding Farmer Banquet will be held at 7:00 p.m. tonight in the High School Gym. The Community Outstanding Citizen will also be named.

Tickets are \$4.00 per plate and may be purchased from members of the Chamber of Commerce Directors and/or business firms in town or you may call Mary Jo Eaves 734-2491. Tickets will also be available at the door. It

would help those who are planning the food if you could purchase your tickets early in order for them to know how many to prepare for.

The program committee is proud of the program they have outlined for the evening.

Layton Black of Goldthwaite guest speaker for the evening is an outstanding after dinner speaker as well as an authority in the agricultural field.

You will not want to miss the entertainment program by Roy Thackeron of Ranger. He is an outstanding fiddler as well as an outstanding person. Thackeron will be accompanied by Al Anderson and Gerald Parks of Cisco.

High light of the evening will be naming of the Farmer of the year and the community Outstanding Citizen.

The banquet dinner prepared locally will be served at 7:00 p.m.

CHARLES STENHOLM TO SPEAK AT DE LEON LIONS BANQUET



The newly organized De Leon Club will have their Charter Banquet on Thursday, March 31, 1983, at 7:00 P.M. The banquet will be held at the De Leon City Hall. Congressman Charles Stenholm of the 17th Congressional District will be the keynote speaker. Following the banquet, there will be a cake auction. Proceeds from

the banquet and cake auction will be used for future community service projects. Tickets for the barbecue meal are \$6.00 each and may be purchased from any De Leon Lions Club member. Additional ticket information may be obtained from either Mike Hare at the De Leon Hospital or Joe Burnett at Burnett Automotive.

SIXTEEN DONORS DONATED BLOOD

Sixteen donors donated blood to the United Blood Service in San Angelo, the center that provides blood service to Blackwell Hospital patients.

The program was sponsored by Blackwell Hospital on March 15. Donors from Gorman were Barbara Smith, Susan Hogan, Lisa Cornwell, Jerry Troutman, Rodney Reese, Joey Casey, Grace Townley, Janda Taylor, James Swanner, Bill Eaves, Daisy Slaton, Nelda Mauney, James Jessup, Carroll

Hogan, Billy Taylor and Linda Straub.

Persons who tried but were unable to give blood due to low hemoglobins were Wynogene Smith, Burma Broom, Deborah Cypher and Rhonda Honson.

You may safely donate blood every eight weeks. The Blackwell Clinic hopes to continue the blood drive to help replace the blood used at the Hospital.

On behalf of those patients who will benefit from those who donated, thank you for giving blood - the gift of life.

Gorman P. T. O. Honors Teachers

Gorman P. T. O. honored Teachers with the annual Appreciation Luncheon, Tuesday, March 22 in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church. They served some 40 teachers and school personnel.



P.T.O. MEMBERS - Members serving at the Luncheon were L to R - Fanny Underwood, Pam McCormick, Mary McCormick, Doris Gryder and Darlene Hampton.

Her husband and two sisters preceded her in death. Survivors include two sons, Clifford R. of Monahan and Billy Max of McAlister, Okla.; a daughter, Joyce Eaves of Kokomo; seven grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. Grandsons were pallbearers.

Rites Held March 8 For Marie Parker

Funeral services for Mrs. Gene (Marie) Parker were held at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday March 8, 1983 in First Baptist Church in Colorado City. The Rev. Glenn Roenfeldt officiated. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial in Abilene.

Born J. Marie Bear on June 20, 1930 in Comanche, she married Gene Parker of Gorman on April 2, 1948 in Goldwaite. She had lived in Mitchell County since 1950.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter; Cindy Specks of Dallas; two sons, Gary Parker of Odessa and Randy Parker of Stephenville; her mother, Mrs. W.E. Bear of Comanche; one sister, Carolyn Steele of Abilene; two brothers, Walter Bear of Bishop and Garland Bear of Sacramento; five grandchildren, and father and mother in laws Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker of Gorman.

Pallbearers were Paul Wright, Doc Slater, S.R. Wilkinson, Glenn Dunn, Sonny Pawkett and Bob Chalker.

Woman's Auxiliary of Blackwell Hospital meets first Tuesday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center at 3:00 P.M.

Gorman Band Students will be in Coleman on Friday, March 24 for Band University Interscholastic League Competition.

4H Club meets 2nd Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church.



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ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gorman 4-H - FFA Boosters Club meets 3rd Monday, 7:00 p.m. at school.

Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets the 1st Monday each month at 7:30 P.M.

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The Eastland County
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Eastland County during
the 1983 County
Livestock Show. There
were twenty-one projects
entered by Eastland
County 4-H members.
The "Best of Show" win-
ners will enter their pro-
jects in the State 4-H Pro-
ject Show at Texas A&M
University, June 6.

The placings in each
category were as follows:
Braided Belts: Karmen
Hall of Rising Star - Blue
ribbon and Best of Show;

Leathercrafts: Jeff
Greene - Blue ribbon and
Best of Show.

Crafts: Warren Parsons of
Rising Star - Blue ribbon
and Best of Show. Red
ribbons - Kim Schwab,

PUBLIC NOTICE
A proposed Use Hearing
for General Revenue Sharing
purposes will be held on
April 7, 1983 for all interest-
ed citizens of the City of
Gorman.
The amount of General
Revenue Sharing funds to be
discussed for this fiscal year
is \$17,497.00.
The meeting will be held at
9:00 A.M. for the purpose of
discussion of possible uses
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Warren Parsons, Karmen
Hall and Clifford Jay Hall
of Rising Star.

Leathercrafts: Jeff
Greene - Blue ribbon and
Best of Show.

Crafts: Warren Parsons of
Rising Star - Blue ribbon
and Best of Show. Red
ribbons - Kim Schwab,

Travis Parsons and War-
ren Parsons of Rising Sta-
and Margaret Yeager o
Nimrod.

Paintings and Drawings:
Melissa Gomez received
a blue ribbon and four red
ribbons.

In the Promote 4-H
Poster Contest Marsha-
Crenwelge received a
blue and Best of Show
ribbons with her poster
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CARBON NEWS

By Mrs. Bob Hasting
639-2517

Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Bond of Eastland honored Mr. and Mrs. Truett Norris with a birthday supper Saturday evening in the Bond home. Other guests were Mrs. Louis Rice Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Norris and Jessica also of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stubblefield of Garland and Mrs. Sherry Bryant of Dumas have been at the bed side of their father Mack Stubblefield who under went surgery in Eastland Memorial Hospital. Mr. Stubblefield has been very ill but is improving.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and Polly of Fort Worth, Mrs. Colleen Lamb of Nimrod Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker, Sally, Loren and Collin of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Payne of San Antonio are visiting his mother Mrs. Mabel Payne this week.

Mrs. Delora Cotten visited her Aunt and Uncle Mr. and Mrs. B.G. Dunlap of Goldth-

waite on Saturday.

Terry Lassiter of Arlington spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Lassiter.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Norris were in Fort Worth on Monday.

Quite a good number of 4-H and FFA members from the Carbon Chapters showed animals in the County Stock Show. Last Weekend among them were Charles Hatten, Todd Forbus, Brian Bond, Shannon Bond, Chad Pickens, Jikki Pickens, Jonna Rodgers, Kenny Norris, Jerry Carlton, Cliff Sprull, Tommy McCoy, Travis Hays, Brian Fortenberry, Billy Rodgers, Rudy Pack, Matt Hawkins, Randy Bledsoe, Frank Boykin, George Wooley, Dennis Hagan, Wayne Sewell, Carlton Cozart.

Jonna Rodgers received Champion and Reserved Champion and a trophy for her exhibit in the Rabbit show. Also reserve champion with heavy weight fine wool market lamb. Mrs. Delora Cotten visited

GORMAN CARE CENTER NEWS

By Jettie Daniels

Last Tuesday, I was gone to a meeting, so we had, Terri Kieth to call Bingo for our residents and they enjoyed having her very much.

Terri passed out the snacks at 2 P.M. She also helped me with the Wednesday's activities.

Our thanks to her very much, hope she'll come our way again real soon.

Bingo Winners last week were: Nancy Holloway, Lonzo Coffman, Lucille Campbell, Mary Timmons.

Black Out Game was won by: Jessie Lemley and Jesse Roberts.

Wednesday Morning was exercise day and we had 13 residents present. Every one enjoyed this time very much.

Wednesday afternoon for Bible Study there were 14 her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Sid Chesser of Midland and her son Jimmy Kemmel of Roscoe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell visited his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Bud Campbell of San Angelo Saturday.

residents present.

There is still time for some one to volunteer to have Bible Study on the following dates: Wednesday the 23rd and the 30th. Time at 2:PM.

Please call me, Jettie, at this number 2202.

Your Services will be greatly appreciated by all. Although in the Nursing Home, the residents are still a part of this Community.

Singing every Thursday Night at 7:PM.

You being here is indeed a great blessing to all those in this home, and they look forward to seeing their friends on this night.

Hope to see you at 7:PM.

—GP—

SCHOOL MENU

Week of
March 28 - April 1

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WEDNESDAY — Orange juice, donuts and milk.

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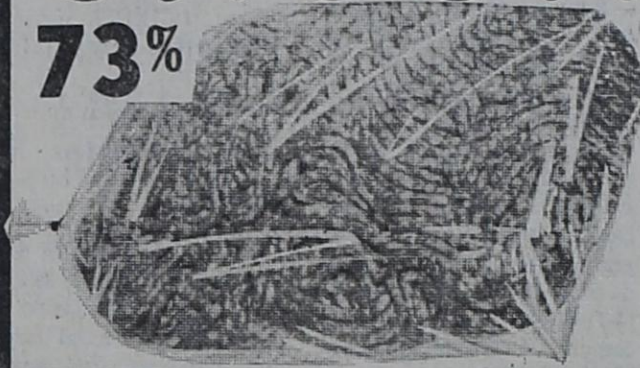
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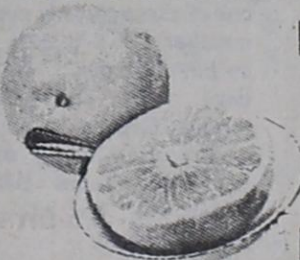


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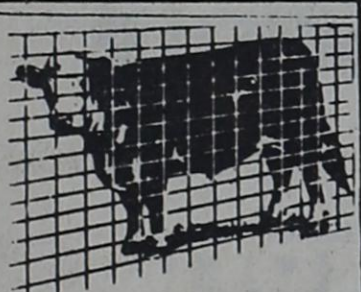
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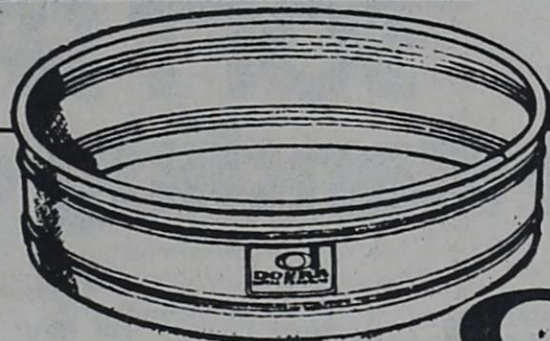
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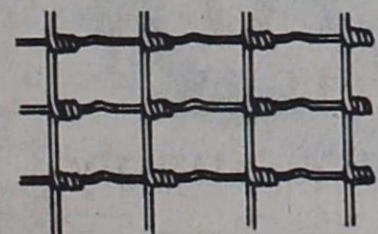
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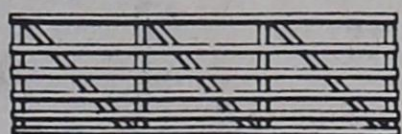
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Tommye Haile gave the lesson from the study of Hebrews entitled "Outside the Gate", by Roy Sono. This timely book deals with the vital theme through an open pluralistic approach. Importance for christians to keep on moving in the faith by following Jesus.

Mrs. Fairbetter gave the review from the last chapter of the lesson.

Ruby Acree closed the program in leading the group in repeating the U.M.W. Benediction.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by members Mildred Whitt, Don Moorman, Lucretia Fairbetter, Ruby Acree, Rev. Donna Ware, Bobbie Brown, Esther Bolt, Pauline Dennis, Theresa Parker and guest Grace Nix of Lubbock. She always comes to our programs when she visits, its a joy to have her, seems like old times to have her with us.

Our next meeting will be March 28 in the home of Pauline Dennis.

—GP—

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark of Canadaiqua, New York are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Jason Aaron, born at 9:55 p.m. Friday March 18, 1983 in Rochester General Hospital in Rochester, New York. He weighed 4 pounds and twelve ounces and measured 18 1/2 inches long.

Maternal grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Plainty of De Leon. Paternal grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, Sr. of Canadaiqua, New York.

Great grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Plainty of De Leon and Mrs. Anna Foster of De Leon is great, great grandmother.

BLACKWELL HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday morning were:

- Hulon Lasater Gorman
- Alvin Lasater Gorman
- Hade Barbee Gorman
- A. D. Eaker Gorman
- Mary Eavan Gorman
- Ivy Ross Gorman
- Clara Mae Rich De Leon
- Thelma Bingham Gorman
- Charlotte O'Neal Gorman
- Claude Fox Rising Star
- Doris Bryan Gorman
- Beverly Seaton Gorman
- Frances Brumfield Gorman
- Walter Greenhaw Desdemona

Patients dismissed on March 16:

- Frances Brumfield
- March 19:
- Randy McGinn
- Marion Smith
- Gary Evan
- March 20:
- Willie Lee Williams
- Christy Skiles
- Jason Skiles
- Ernest McLoud
- Joy Rogers
- Dell Nelson
- March 21:
- Lois Morris
- Willie Atchison

—GP—

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our love for our relatives, friends and loved one for what they have meant to us at our time of need. We deeply appreciate all deeds of kindness shown to us at the passing of Esther Graham. The prayers, food, flowers, phone calls and etc. will never be forgotten. Bro. Jim Andrews for the beautiful service. Higginbotham Funeral Home, Mrs. Buchanan Woodrow and Helen Brown for their music.

May God's Blessing be with each of you.
C.R. Graham and family
B.M. Graham and family
D.F. Eaves and family

**CJC Set
LVN Program**

Cisco Junior College is now accepting applications for the August, 1983 Licensed Vocational Nursing program at Cisco.

In accord with certification requirements, applicants must make application in advance and pass a pre-entrance physical and examination.

The twelve month program will hold classes on the campus with clinical work in the E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital in Cisco and the Eastland Memorial Hospital in Eastland on a rotating basis.

Satisfactory completion of the program entitles the student to a certificate from the college, and qualifies him/her to take the State Board of Vocational Nurse Examiner's examination.

A prospective student must be at least 17 years of age and must be in good physical and mental health. Students must be high school graduates or have successfully taken the GED examination establishing high school equivalency. The GED examination is given on the CJC main campus in Cisco.

Employment opportunities for a Licensed Vocational Nurse are very good; the demand for LVN's far surpasses the supply.

For full information, interested persons (male or female) may contact Vocational Dean, Gerald Birt or Program instructor, Mrs. Wanda Wheatley in the Vocational-Technical Building on the campus or by telephoning (817) 442-2567.

—GP—

CISCO FRONTIER JUBILEE TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Plans are being made for the annual Cisco Frontier Jubilee Parade to be held Saturday, April 23 at 10:00 a.m. Trophies will be awarded to bands, riding clubs, floats, etc. For more information contact Olin Odom at Cisco Junior College, 817-442-2567.

DONNA BETH RODGERS HONORED WITH BRIDAL SHOWER

On March 11, 1983 from 6:00 to 7:30 P.M. a Bridal Shower was given in honor of Donna Beth Rodgers bride-elect of Kirk Arnold in the home of Betty Henderson.

Guest were registered at the door by Dee Dee Rodgers, sister of the bride-elect. Punch and cookies, mints and nuts were served from a beautifully decorated table carrying out the brides chosen colors of Red and White.

The bedroom and game-room displayed the many beautiful and useful gifts.

Special guests were: Donnie Rodgers, mother of Donna Beth; Betty Arnold, Mother of Kirk; Beryl Rodgers, grandmother to Donna Beth; Dee Dee Rodgers, Cheryl Burgess, and many other relatives and friends.

Hostess for the shower were: Betty Henderson, Tommye Haile, Francis Simpson, Frances Warren, Patricia Hagood, Mary Jeffs, Mary Ruth Reeves, Georgia Iley, Aletha Burgess, Kay Snider, Carolyn Little, Sandy Warren, Tacy Simpson, Zena Simpson, Kathy Everton, Linda Simmons, Lori Womack, Mary McCormick and Neida Mauney.

—GP—

Spring Fever Festival Set April 5-10 in Abilene

With the coming of warm weather, it's easy to fall into a spring fever laziness; the sure cure is a liberal dose of fun and you'll find lots of opportunities for that at the Spring Fever Festival in Abilene on April 5th-10th, at the Expo Center of Taylor County. The Expo Center grounds will come alive with the fun and excitement of the Bill Hames Shows carnival and midway. Ride your favorite rides and play your favorite midway games while munching on those great concession foods.

On Thursday, April 7th, hear the rock sounds of "Point Blank" in concert at the Taylor County Coliseum with special guest "Turnabout." The concert will begin at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$7.00 and are available at the Coliseum offices and Farm & Ranch Western Wear in Abilene and Sweetwater. On Friday, April 8th, Red Stegall will play a western benefit dance for the Expo Center Horse Barn building fund. The dance begins at 8 p.m. with a \$10.00 per person admission.

All day Saturday & Sunday, April 9-10, there is a competition of the National Oldtimers Roping Association in the Expo Center Horse Barn. There is no admission fee for spectators.

Abilene is the place to be to beat spring fever--at the Spring Fever Festival, April 5-10 at the Expo Center. Enjoy the Bill Hames Shows carnival & midway, entertainment and other events to be announced.

—GP—

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS DUE BY MAY 15

The scholarship committee of the West Texas Fair & Rodeo is seeking applications for two \$500 scholarships awarded each year to high school seniors.

Two merit scholarships are awarded through the youth divisions of the Modern Living Mall and Livestock Departments. An applicant for one of these awards must be member of a 4-H club, FHA or FFA Chapter. Applications may be secured through County Agents, faculty sponsors or by writing the West Texas Fair & Rodeo, P.O. Box 5527, Abilene, TX 79608.

Both awards are based on scholastic achievement, school participation and future objectives. Applications including supporting letters of recommendation are to be sent to the West Texas Fair & Rodeo, P.O. Box 5527, Abilene, TX 79608, by May 15, 1983.

—GP—

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NEWS 4-H Meeting Report

Visiting friends in Gorman on Friday was Pete Ramsey of Eastland and his granddaughters Christy and Cherie Collins of Irving. The Progress staff were among the privileged for a nice visit with the family. The granddaughters are the children of Charles and Carol Collins.

Mrs. Martha Lewis, Cliff and Jean Ann of Kermit visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Lasater and Bryan from Wednesday to Saturday.

Visiting Friday with Dr. Jim and Betty Gray in Gorman were Betty and Frankie SoRelle of Sweetwater, Dr. Lennis Polnac of Austin and Rev. and Mrs. Huron Polnac of Ranger.

Mrs. Grace Nix arrived Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Agnes Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parker and the Clark families.

Verna Mae Webb of Borger is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Townley.

Mrs. Roy Crawley spent last week in Hamlin with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Neal.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Boyd were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Foreman, Chad Allen and Lori Kay of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holiday recently visited in Throckmorton with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday. Debbie Sanders of Odessa spent the weekend with her parents, the Hollidays and they visited Saturday with Mrs. April Norris in Valley View Nursing Home in Eastland.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cook last week were their son Jerry Cook who was taking Spring Break from his teaching job in Ennis. Visiting Friday and Saturday with the Cooks were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cook, David and Donny of Snyder. They

4-H Meeting Report

The Gorman 4-H Club had a meeting Monday, March 14 at the Methodist Church.

After the business part of the meeting, John Blair, Eastland County Extension Agent, presented the program. He talked about showmanship at the County Show.

—GP—

REPORT FROM SENATOR BOB GLASGOW

Texas Sen. Bob Glasgow and Texas Rep. Jimmy Mankins announced today that, after completing several public meetings, and at the request of the Texas Aeronautics Commission, they will make several changes to their proposed bills affecting aviation in the state.

Both legislative members agree the public input received at the scheduled meetings prompted them to delete a general aviation aircraft and ultralight vehicle licensing and license fee program, and to delete authority for the state to adopt rules concerning safe aircraft operations, this being the responsibility of the Federal Aviation Administration. Also deleted is a provision that would have authorized the Aeronautics Commission to coordinate defense conditions. A section of the proposed bills has been modified to authorize the Aeronautics Commission to administer federal block-grant funds only for general aviation airports, if such a program is enacted by the U.S. Congress.

Glasgow and Mankins expressed their appreciation for the interest shown by aviation community that participated in the public meetings.

took Lennie Montgomery of Gorman to Abilene on Friday for a medical checkup.

RANGER LIONS TO HOLD VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

Ranger Lions Club announce their 5th Annual W.S. Wagley Memorial Volleyball Tournament to be held March 31 and April 1 and 2.

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- (Hudson Society Bird Series, 1944)
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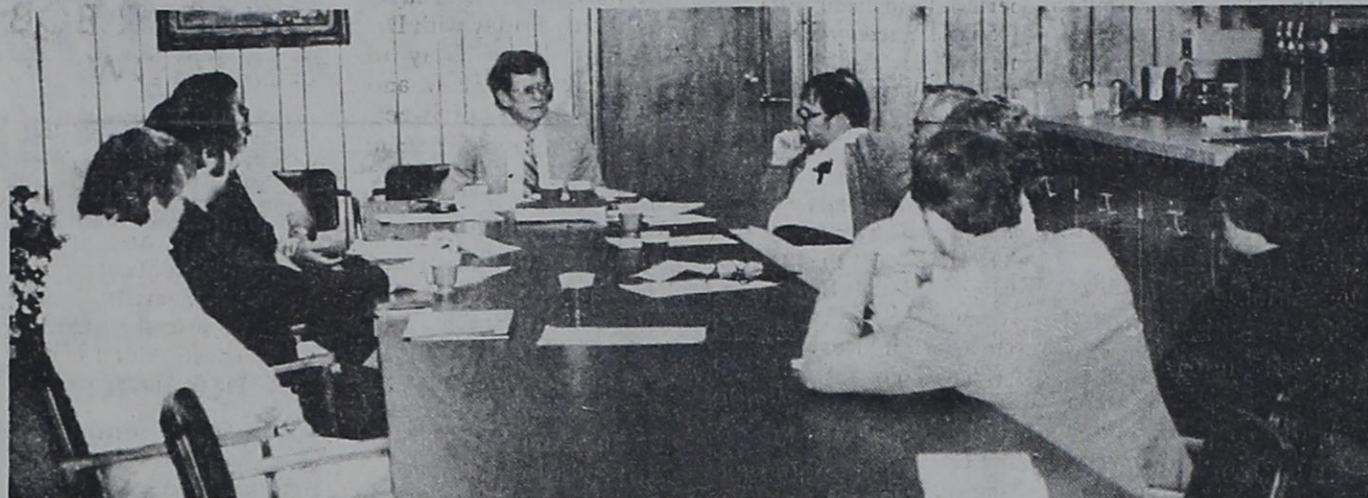
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Working For Eastland County...

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Chamber Manager James Wright, H.V. O'Brien, Carbon School Supt. Ken Norris, Eastland Chamber President Mike Kizer, Rising Star Chamber Officer Sybil Parker, Terry Edwards of Eastland and Jerry Edwards of Ranger. Gorman representatives, Chamber President Lester Seaton and Graydon Baze could not be present for the Wednesday meeting.

(Staff Photo)

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Topics Due Coverage In Special Edition

A great number of vital topics are going to be included in the Special Edition and great care is being taken to make the information as up-to-date as possible, and to touch the areas which are felt to be of the most interest to a potential industrial prospects.

One of the most critical points might be the listing of available buildings and building sites which could be readily utilized for the installation of plants. Working closely with the local real estate agents, it is hoped that this information can be used to speedily make arrangements for securing needed facilities.

Equally important will be the listing of a favorable work force, and methods of cataloging by skills and handy reference for interviewing.

There'll be a brief history of the county listing all towns and a complete list of county, state and federal officials who might be helpful in locating in Eastland County.

A brief history of each town with listing of officials so that contact can be made direct if preferred.

The public schools will be discussed in another article explaining the advantages which the local schools offer.

The county's two junior colleges will also be discussed so the prospects will know that higher education and training is available right here.

A look at the county's religious heritage through its many churches and denominations will also be included.

A vital topic to be discussed will be housing availability including apartment facilities as well as specialized areas.

There'll be a listing of current industries to show that these are happy and prospering in the Eastland County climate.

All Towns Represented

Among those working on this special project Gorman Chamber President Lester Seaton and Graydon Baze; Cisco Chamber President Robert Dudley and Manager Randy Speegle; Ranger Chamber Manager Stubby Warden, Jerry Edwards and Ben Lancaster; Rising Star

Medical facilities, including hospitals, clinics, physicians, nursing homes and other health care aids will be catalogued.

Recreation won't be over-looked either, as a careful analysis is made of the many facilities that the county offers.

Of course agriculture plays an important part the county's story and its far-reaching influence will be covered.

The important of the oil economy will be included and shown as a vital part of the present-day county.

Available utilities, highways and transportation in general will be an important part of the package.

An explanation of the availability of industrial revenue bonds through the county will be given.

All of the county's art, cultural aspects will be described in an article about the various clubs and organizations available to citizens in this county.

Child care facilities will also be included so that new-comers can know that good ones are available.

Not entirely over-looking its history, the county's historical markers will be catalogued so that visitors can share in the locals' love of the past.

A close look at the individual chambers of commerce will be included so that these hard-working people will be introduced "in advance" and will be able to aid and assist prospects who call.

A unique feature will be the inclusion of a reader-service card which will permit a reader to ask directly for specific information about a particular location, utility and/or other service described in general in the publication. This card will give excellent "follow-up" opportunity.

Students To Compete In Sales Effort Here

"You'd like living in Eastland County because...
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(in 50 words or less)"

That's the phrase to complete for cash prizes by Eastland County school students.

A total of \$500 will be awarded - and the fringe benefits might even be greater.

It'll be an opportunity for each county student from kindergarden to Jr. College student to put on papers the word, words or phrase that might influence a person to locate a manufacturing plant in Eastland County which could result in J-O-B-S for now and the future.

The entries will be judged by an independent agency and all entries will be subject to be included in the County Special Publication which will be send around the nation in an effort to attract new jobs to this county.

There will be a winner in each town (Carbon, Cisco, Eastland, Gorman, Ranger and Rising Star) with the top prize winner awarded a \$50 bill. The top winner from both Cisco Junior College and Ranger Junior College will also win a \$50 bill.

These eight winners then will be judged for grand prize winner which will be awarded a \$100 bill. So the grand prize winner could win a total of \$150 for his or her effort.

Entries may be sent immediately to CONTEST, P.O. Box 29, Eastland, TX 76448.

It is hoped that school officials from throughout the county will encourage students to participate in the event in an effort to capture the best thoughts from those who live here about the good quality of life in Eastland County.

Deadline for entries is Wednesday, March 30 and all entries must be on a 3x5 inch piece of paper, which also lists the students name, grade, and school. Judging will be based on originality, sincerity and aptness of thought. No entry will be returned, and all become the property of the contest sponsor.

Most of the entries will be used in the special county publication with the winners being given prominent display.

Time and thought are of the essence: students should think about what makes this county great, and then put it into their own words - 50 or less - and get the entries into the mail. More than one entry per person is welcome, but each entry must comply with the rules.

Once again -
"You'd like living in Eastland County because... (50 words or less)"

Mail entries to CONTEST, P.O. Box 29, Eastland, TX 76448.

Choice Quote:

Choice quote about the county effort would be this from Terry Edwards:

"There's this, when we go at it (industrial prospecting) as a county, we cut our competition down to just 263 other counties, as opposed to the thousands of towns who are trying to do the same thing.

Adding New Jobs In County Is No. 1 Goal Of Effort

Broadest Districtution is the Key!

Benefitting: Carbon Cisco Eastland Gorman Ranger Rising Star

Distribution of the Special Crossroads County Special Publication will be an area where everybody in Eastland County can get involved in helping "sell the county" to the nation.

In addition to the thousands that will be distributed in the Eastland County newspapers, thousands of extra copies will be made available to individuals, clubs and organizations who will be encouraged to "take as a project" the direct mailing of copies to persons of acquaintance in other places who might be in a position to decide or influence a decision to move a plant or factory here to provide additional jobs.

A select mailing list is also being prepared of key executives with all the major companies in an effort to place a copy of the Eastland County Story in the hands of persons who could be responsible for taking a close look at this area for re-location.

One major project will be the "at home" delivery of the publication to chief executives of major companies so that they can digest the Eastland County information at their leisure, away from their office. Some form of sophisticated delivery such as Postal Service

Express Mail or commercial delivery is being considered to add an extra dash of appeal to the package.

The theory is that if a concise "total package" publication all about the county can be made available to the some 20,000 residents of Eastland County, they can be invaluable in helping disseminate the information around the nation.

Special publicity ideas are also being developed to call attention to the publication and the county through the national news media.

Certainly ideas and suggestions are welcome, and persons and or organizations who want to

assist, can contact their local chamber of commerce office immediately to volunteer help. It's felt that most of us have "contacts" (relatives or friends) around the nation who could be in a position to help us spread the "Eastland County story".

The finished product will be a tool that can be used in the future for providing information in a handy inexpensive package and then as inquiries come in, the individual chambers of commerce and industrial foundations can use their own more-expensive color brochures and other tools to help "close the deal" in bringing more jobs to this area.

KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

Well, we just thought that winter was over when we were having those beautiful warm spring days. I'm almost sure that we lost most of our fruit. The thermometer said 25 degrees early on Monday morning here at our house. Some light showers fell on Saturday.

The revival at the Kokomo Baptist Church is in progress this week. We invite you to come and hear the Word of God preached by Rev. George Weeks of Brownwood and enjoy the good music under the direction of Bro. Woodrow Browning, with Mrs. Woodrow Browning and Mrs. Joe Bond at the piano and organ. Services at 12:00 noon and 7:00 p.m. through Saturday and Sunday services at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning were Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Oklahoma City, Don Everton of Decator, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snider, Sheri and Lisa of Stephenville, Mrs. Tim Fails and Cody of Abilene, Alma Lee Creager of Levelland and Kevin Rodgers of Brownwood.

Ron Everton visited on Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Everton and Cheryl.

Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Oklahoma City is visiting here with Mrs. Odie Rodgers and in Gorman with the Floyd Gilberts during Glenn's spring break from school. Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn and Mrs. Odie Rodgers took Kevin Rodgers home to Brownwood on Sunday afternoon and visited with the Bob Rodgers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Rodgers, Jennifer and Brad of Bay City visited during the weekend with her mother, Mrs. June Hawkins and Matt and Mrs. Bessie Bennett and attended the Eastland County Livestock Show.

Congratulations to all the boys and girls who exhibited their livestock in the show. I know that many of the exhibitors were "Kokomo Kids", but I don't have a complete list.

Mrs. Tim Fails and Cody of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham of Monahans and their family, Mr. and Mrs.

Bill Graham of McAlester, Okla. and their family remained for a visit with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Eaves following the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Esther Graham. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Eaves of Midland and Deliah Eaves of Kermit were also here.

Mrs. Verna Laminack and Mrs. Preston Brown of Lake Jackson and Mrs. Erma Eaves who has been visiting in Lake Jackson were also here for Mrs. Graham's funeral, and a visit with the D.F. Eaves family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Fields of Big Spring spent the weekend with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields. They all visited on Sunday in Morgan Mill with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nachtigall, Taylor and Trevis.

Rev. and Mrs. Randy McDonald and Shea of McAlester spent Saturday night with the Glenn Jordans. The McDonalds are in Revival at the First Baptist Church in De Leon through Friday this week. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Joe and Sheri Miles attended the Sunday night service.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles, Joe and Sheri of Abilene came for a visit on Sunday with the Glenn Jordans. Joe and Sheri remained for a visit until Wednesday while they are on Spring break from school.

Mrs. Eric Nilson, Kristen

and Kari and a friend Pam of Warren AFB, Wyoming and Craig Sexton and Donna Christenson of Big Spring have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett and an aunt,

Mrs. Dora Garrett.

Mrs. Paul Hoy of Plano visited from Thursday until Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W.A. O'Neal who is in the hospital at Gorman.

Mrs. Hoy was a dinner visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Neal of Houston were here over the weekend to be with Mrs. O'Neal at the

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hospital, Mrs. Hoy, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks were in San Angelo on

Thursday night and Friday for Albert to have a check on his eyes and Nancy attended the Avon's President's Club meeting.



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6' shredder
5 New 5' shredders
6' used blade
2 row Ford planter
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JD 640 hay rake
9 shank JD chisel
11 shank chisel 3 pt.
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1 lot used tires
1 lot shop tools
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