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THE GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland Co., TEXAS 76454

**SEPTEMBER 13, 1973** 

NUMBER THIRTY

Cassie Nelson and Gary Ford Carr Rasco Exchange Vows



#### Miss Cassie Sue Nelson and | The bride, given in marri-Gary Wayne Rasco exchanged age by her father, wore a

#### Jack Wheeler to be Guest DRILL PROJECTS Laid to Rest Speaker at Homecoming on Tuesday and recipient Purchasing A-

man.

gent's Assn. Scholarship.

Jack is married to the for-

mer Annye Kate Blair, who

Henry Euell (Ford) Carr. 63, of Gorman and formerly of Odessa, a retired welder, was found dead at his home about 8:30 a. m. Sunday, September 9, 1973 after an apparent heart attack.

Funeral services were held at 3:09 p. m. Tuesday in the De Leon Assembly of God Church with T. W. Chapman, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Desdemona Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home in Gor-

Born October 14, 1909, at Desdemona, he grew up there. He had lived in Odessa before moving to Gorman about one and a half years ago. Survivors are his wife, Velma; two sons, Don and Keith, both of Gorman; a daughter, Mrs. Wanda Morrow of Canton; his father, Oscar Carr of Kermit; two brothers, Felton of Ranger and Bud of Kermit; and seven grandchildren. Pallbearers were Shirley Brown, Richard Tucker, Alton Underwood, Jack Rogers, Curtis Melton and Skinny Lewis. -GP-

**GORMAN 4-H'ers** DO WELL AT W. TEXAS FAIR

Gorman 4-H youth placed career for himself since gradwell in the cattle judging held uation from Gorman High Monday and Tuesday at the School. West Texas Fair in Abilene. Randy Laminack placed third in the Junior Division with his Hereford heifer, and 8th in the Open Class Division. of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson ion was held by a pearl crown. His brother, Revis, placed 15th psychiatric technician. Comin the Junior Division. Terrye Jeffs placed 10th in the Junior Division and Bud baby's breath on a white Bible Jeffs placed 13th with their ed officer of the unit. black angus heifers. Randy and Revis are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Don Laminack and Terrye and Bud Jeffs are children of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jeffs of Gorman. -GP-Karen Moore Is blue ribbons centered with Nelson of Lewisville, sister-in- Shower Honoree Miss Karen Moore, bride-Wayne Huff of Eastland elect of Jimmy Guthery, was was best man. Groomsmen honoree at a gift party Monweer Jimmy Nelson of Lewis- day evening in the home of ville, brother of the bride. Mrs. Wesley Spivey. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Spivey were Mmes. Arnold Butter, Medina, with a party on Flower girl was Tena Lyn ler, Bruce Hirst, Cecil Reeves, her 12th birthday, Wednesday, Nelson of Lewisville, niece of John West, Charles Duran, Fred Rogers, J. O. Jackson, Bridal attendants wore blue Jr., J. S. Ripley, David Ervin, blue flowers and strawberry floor length gowns fashioned Frank Rhymes, Donald Bolt, with empire waists, long sleev- Kenneth Good, Troy Johnson, Folowing a series of games es. Each wore blue ribbon in Rex Kinser, Leslie Sharp, Ala party queen was elected. their hair and carried long- ton Wright, Dale Curb, Ted Snider, and G. O. Boyd. A reception in Fellowship Patty Hirst registered the guests. emony, with the bride's par-Refreshments were served from a table laid with white Slampa, Julia Stacy, Cheri registered by Mrs. Wayne cloth over blue. The bride's chosen colors were carried out Susan Borden, Rosanna Par- An arrangement of white in the table arrangement of ker, Sarah Porter, Sarah Jane gladiolas centered the bride's white baby mums arranged Slaton, Sheree Wright, Vonne table covered with lace over with a large white mum and



Homecoming program chair events planned for Friday men Graydon Baze and Mrs. night( ball game) and the full drill No. 1 Butler. Ray Rankin have announced day of activities on Saturday thata Jack Wheeler, a form- September 22nd. er Gorman student and special assistant to the President of North Texas State University, will be guest speaker for the Gorman Ex-students and **Teachers School Homecoming** to be held Saturday, September 22nd.

The homecoming program will be held at the Brogdon Field Saturday night at which time the Homecoming and Coming Home Queens will be presented, as well as the Band Sweetheart.

Jack has carved quite a

# NUMEROUS IN GORMAN AREA

Eastland Counyt has gained southwest of Gorman.

teaches in the Denton Public It is Tex-Cal. Co. of Abilene Schools. She is the daughter No. 1 D. V. Rodgers Estate, of Mrs. L. A. Blair and the located on 503 acre lease. late Marvin Blair. Jack is Drillsite is 467 feet from the the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler. One of east of Section 30, Block 1, Jack's sisters, Mrs. Mary Jo TTC Survey.

Wheeler Eaves, lives in Gor-Rhodes Drilling Co. of Abilene staked two locations in Everyone is looking forward the Beattie, North (Marble defense. to homecoming and visiting Falls) Field in Comanche Co. with former classmates. Field in Comanche County.

Homecoming President, W. leases 10 miles south of Gor-C. Browning, and the homeman and slated for 2,800 feet. coming committee are antici-In the same field  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles pating a large number of exes to attend the homecoming norteast of Duster, Asc-Ot Olis Inc. of Shreveport will

> The planned 3,000 foot ven- 89 ture is on a 450 acre lease.

Iva Buchan Honored on Ninety-first Birthday



LIONS; OPEN FRIDAY site for a proposed 5,000 foot this week to re-group their standing game for the Lions wildcat in the area four miles forces after the humiliating running backs punts of 67 and

downpour of rain.

south and 2,230 feet from the pletely overwhelmed from the EP try failed. Jurney then

by the Lions. GAME AT A GLANCE Gorman

First Downs Yards Rushing Yards Passing

8 of 28 Passes Comp. 4 of 13 Passes Intercepted Fumbles Lost 7 for 35 Punts, avg. 2 for 35 1 for 5 Penalties 4 for 60 

Dublin

12

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### Sister of Mrs. Flor, Underwood **Buried Wednesday**

Mrs. Ola Belle Dudley, 77, September 10, 1973 in a Hitchcock nursing home. Funeral services were held

Well the Panthers will have Mike Jurney played an out-41-0 loss in the season opener, 75 yards, along with a 19 yard against the Dublin Lions on touchdown scamper.

**PANTHERS BEATEN BY** 

Friday night at Dublin in a Mike Sharp scored the first Lion tally in the intial quart-The Panthers were com- er on a one yard sneak. The opening kickoff and just could, scampered 67 yards on a punt not handle the Lion offense return and Sharp added the and could not muster any two pointer on a run. Journey offense against the tough Lion then added another score on a 19 yard run later in the The biggest damage to the period. In the third period. Big Red was accomplished Darwin Hester, linebacker, Both are on the R. J. Scott by spectacular runbacks of ran a pass interception back punts and pass interceptions 53 yards for a score. Sharp passed to David Boncher for the 2 pointer. Later in the quarter Jurney took back the 77 yard punt return for six points with the extra point kicked by Randel Joiner.

Sharp completed the Lions' hex over the Panthers in the final period running back a Bill Baze pass 5 yards for the final tally.

The Panthers just couldn't block out the onrushing Lion linemen, and consequently the Big Red offense never got untracked all evenng. Outstanding players for the Panthers were Bill Baze on offense, and Claude Ridens and Richard Hattox on defense. of Hitchcock died Monday, For Dublin, Jurney was outstanding on offense, and on defense was T. L. Malone.

double ring wedding vows on white floorlength gown of bri-Saturday evening, September dal satin fashioned with an 1, in the First Baptist Church empire vaist overlaid with at Kokomo. The Rev. J. W. lace, encrusted with pearls. O'Neal, pastor, solemnized the The full skirt, overlaid with couple's pledge at 8 o'clock. chiffon, was completed by a The bride is the daughter chapel train. Her veil of illusof Route 1, Carbon, and the The bride carried a colonial

bridegroom's grandpar ents bouquet of white carnations are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasco and white pompom mums and of Gorman.

Piano selections of tradi- with a lift-out corsage of white tional wedding music was pre- | carnations and blue satin ribsented by Mrs. Claude Fuller, | bon. The cascade was of white | who also accompanied Mrs. lace. The tradition of some-Scott Stacy as she sang "The thing old, new borrow and Twelfth of Never." blue was observed.

For the formal nuptials, the Maid of honor was Miss church alter was graced with Donna Blancet of Carbon and an archway of greenery and bridesmaids were Mrs. Jimmy white and blue wedding bells. law of the bride.

#### MEDINA HARRINGTON **CELEBRATES 12TH**

**BIRTHDAY WITH PARTY** Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Har- Teddy Jordan and Robert Errington hoonred their daugh- vin of Gorman were ushers. August 29th. the bride.

Pink cake with yellow and fruit punch were served. The coveted honor went to stemmed white carnations. tephine Slampa, who was rowned by being dumped in Hall followed the wedding cera bath tub full of water.

Those present were Stephine ents as hosts. Guests were Overstreet, Renee Townley, Huff of Eastland. Rodgers and Debra Barnett. blue. The three-tiered wedd- blue ribbon. -GP-

HAROLD COTTLE, USMC couple. ATTENDING TEXAS TECH

QUANTICO, VA. (FHTNC) Aug. 31 - Marine Officer Candidate Harold D. Cottle, Jr. ville. son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Cottle, Sr. of Route 1, Gorman, Texas, graduated from the Marine Platoon Leaders Class here.

A 1971 graduate of Gorman High School, he now attends Texas Technical University, al bouquet. Lubbock, and joined the Marine Corps in February, 1973. The summer long course is husband attended Gorman M

ing cake was topped with the Punch was served from a traditional miniature bridal crystal punch service. White

petis fours with blue flowers, Members of the house party mints and nuts were also were Mrs. Jimmy Nelson and served. Members of the house Louann Cranford of Stephen- party were Deborah and

Phyllis Guthery, sisters of the Following the reception Mr. prospective bridegroom. and Mrs. Rasco left on a wed-Receiving guests with the ding trip to Lubbock. For honoree were her mother, travel the bride wore a long Mrs. W. B. Moore, and Mrs. white crepe dress with white Tommye Guthery, mother of accessories and the white car-l her fiance.

nation corsage from the brid-Special guests were aunts of the bride-elect, Mrs. Hill-The bride is a graduate of ary Seay and Mrs. Lendon ligious Council. He is also list-Carbon High School and her Shipman of Gorman, and also f De

He received his BBA and MBA degrees from North Texas University in 1961. He served as a reserve in the U S. Air Force as staff sergeant

He has been employed as

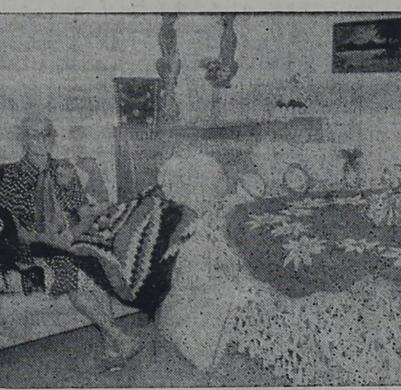
Dean of Students at NTSU; Director of University Activities. NTSU Director of Student Personnel, Director of Housing. He served as Student Counselor from 1958 to 61.. Also Assistant Personnel Manager, Southwestern Region. State Farm Insurance Companies, Dallas, Texas 1961-65. He held summer jobs with Magnolia Oil, SWPGA, Agriculture Stabilization Commisson and Gorman Peanut Co. Jack's extra curricula activities include present treasurer of Southwest Association of University and College Housing Officers; member of Texas Assocation of Student Personnel Administrators; trators; immediate Past President of Dallas Chapter Personnel Administration; immediate Past President, Dallas Chapter, National Multiple

Sclerosis Society (49 county area); member of and past sales director of Dallas Personnel Association.

He is Past Chairman of the Patrick House Corporation of the Sigma Phi Epsilon social fraternity sponsor, Talons, men's honorary service organization, NTSU, vice president and immediate past director, NTSU Alumni Assn., and many other organizations. A member of the First Baptist Church, Denton, he is list-

ed in "Who's Who of Notable Americans", serving on Special Commission, Texas Assn. of Student Persannel Administrators. A past president of United Students of NTSU, Baptist Student Union, Sudent Re-

pleted six months training in HELPING WITH PARTY - Helping Mrs. Buchan celepsychiatric hospital. Selected brate her 91st birthday were (left to right) Mrs. Clyde outstanding non-commission- Wright of De Leon, Mrs. Buchan, Mrs. Bonnie Wilhite of a retired school teacher and a member of the First United Monahans, and Mrs. Johnnie Anderson of Stephenville. Methodst Church.



member of National Assn. of Mrs. Iva Buchan is shown with some of her handwork Chapel. Student Personnel Adminis- displayed at the celebration in honor of her 91st birthday.

homesite of her maternal ornaments were examples of grandparents. Her parents her talent, skill and creativity. 36 years before moving to Corwere Janie Ellison Browning She keeps abreast of the and John Story Browning. She news, enjoys newspapers and the Winters Hardware Store is the granddaughter of James some television programs, but in Winters. M. Ellison, who was one of one of the most enjoyable ex-

in the 1800's. She and her hus- her stereo. She also likes some band, James Richard Buchan, folk songs and country and

ghters, Mrs. Faye Walker of Nacogdoches, Bonnie Wilhite to hear a tape recording of a Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha of Monahans, Clyde Wright of program presented Sunday Graham of Canon City, Colo., De Leon, and Johnnie Ander- over Station KVKM in Mona- and Mrs. J. W. Appleton of ern Star Home needs Old Ties son of Stephenville. An infant hans. The presentation, Hymn Abilene; two brothers, Alvin for quilt scraps for the senand Miss Lillie preceded her Time, which included some of of Gorman and Herman of ior citizens quilting projects. in death. She has six grand- her favorite hymns, was dedi- Downey, Calif.; six grandchil- Bill Parr is sponsoring the children, twenty-one great- cated to her by her daughter, dren and one great-grandchild. drive in Gorman. Ties may be ed in 1960 edition of "Who's grandchildren, and four great- Bonnie Wilhite.

at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday in The Panthers will be open the First United Methodist this week and maybe they Church in Gorman. Rev. Kent will be able to re-group for Marrs, pastor of the church, the upcomng homecoming officiated with burial in the game on September 21 when Gorman Cemetery under the they host the tough Cross direction of Hgignbotham Fu- Plains Buffaloes, who showed neral Home.

Survivors include one dau-

ghter, Mrs. Loraine Farrell of

-GP-

**Brother of Alvin** 

Wright Buried

Park in Abilene.

**On Wednesday** 

Funeral services for Alvin

P. Wright, 78 of Shady Oaks

Lodge in Abilene, died at 8

in Arkansas. He married Mar-

tha Groommen in 1917 in Ville-

green, Colo., where they lived

His first wife died in 1966.

the Presbyterian Church.

grandchild.

real well in winning their She was born Feb. 9, 1896 opening game last Friday in Comanche County. She was night.

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MRS. EUGENE BAKER **TO UNDERGO EYE** SURGERY THURSDAY

New Orleans, La.; two bro-Mrs. Eugene Baker entered thers, Doyle R. and Leslie St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Summitt, both of Del Rio; one Worth Wednesday where she sister, Mrs. Florence Under- will undergo eye surgery on wood of Gorman, and one Thursday. She is expected to return home within a week.

> She was accompanied by her husband, who will remain with her during the surgery. -GP-

# **ITEMS OF** INTEREST

p. m. Sunday, Sept. 9, 1973, The Junior Class will sponwere held at 2 p. m. Wednesson a Car Wash Saturday, day at North's Memorial September 15 from 9 to 5 p. m. at the Gorman Car Wash, one block east of the First The Rev. Grantland Groves, National Bank. Wash and pastor of Westminster Presbyvacuum \$2.25. Pick up and terian Church, officiated. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial delivery.

The Gorman Volunteer Fire He was born Aug. 15, 1895, Department will meet Monday, September 17.

The Gorman Lions Club will meet Tuesday, September 18 pus Christi. He later owned at the Band Hall.

The City Commission will meet Wednesday, September 19th. He marred Martha Stevenson

in 1972. He was a member of The Social Security Representative will be in Gorman Survivors are his wife; a Thursday, September 20 at 10 son, Allen, Jr. of Orlando, a. m. at the City Office.

Old Ties Needed - The East-One son, Raymond, preced- left with him or at the Pro-

Sunday afternon, September | home decoration. Her favorite 2. Mrs. Iva Buchan was hon- work at the present time is ored with an informal tea in making Christmas decoraher home in Desdemona cele- tions. She showed guests some brating her ninety-first birth- ten or twelve beautiful table The honoree was born Sept. were truly works of art and 2, 1882 at Ellison Springs, the the exquisite boutiqued tree

the first settlers to bring his periences during the day is family into Eastland County listening to sacred music on

were the parents of six dau- western music.

covers and tree skirts which

Her guests were privileged

The summer long course is husband attended Gamma	Dimpinum or Gorman, und uno	ed in 1960 edition of "Who's	mant mandal 111	Domine winnte.	One son, Raymond, preced-	left with him or at the Pro-
designed to give young men in college opportunity to earn Haggia Walding Shap in Laggia	Mrs. Joe Ben Koonce of Des-	Who Among Students in Amer-	great-grandchilddren.	Approximately fifty called	ed him in death.	gress office. Mr. Parr will
in college opportunity to earn a commission in the Marine Corps while finishing their	demona.	ican Universities and Colleg-	Her impaired nealth limits	Approximately fifty called to wish her well on the happy	-GP-	pick up the ties if you do not
a commission in the Marine moss	GP	es", "Who's Who at NTSU,	plant and purgues has many	occasion and were served	LOOK WHO'S NEW	have a way of getting them
Corps while finishing their	Mrs. Bertha Scallings and		interests and hobbies. This	occasion and were served from a table covered in red	LOOK WHO'S NEW	to him or the Progress. His
education. invited.	daughter, Mrs. Patricia	Lack Far Drawnshing	was reflected throughout her	with an availar of and of han	Mr. and Mrs. Doug Rainey	number is 734-2236.
	Knight of Inglewood, Cailf.,	Gorman students attending	house as guests enjoyed a		announce the arrival of their	and the second sec
	and another daughter, Mrs.	college whose names were	display of her varied types	cioines, the appointments	daughter, Beverly Renee, born	The Senior Class are now
	Bobbie Lirghhan of Roseburg,	omitted from our list of nam-		were crystal and silver with	at 8:00 p. m. September 5,	taking orders for Homecom-
FINE ARTS MUSEUM is the owner of Rocky Ash	Washington, visited last week	es appearing in last week's	Items included were redecor-	a center arrangement of red	1973 in the De Leon Municipal	ing Mums. For your mums
A. D. (Rocky) Ash of Clyde Auction Co. in Clyde and is	s with Mrs. Mary Choate and	paper are George Bolt, who	ated antiques especially some	guadiolas. The local point was	Hospital. She weighed seven	to wear to the football game
has been named auctioneer married to the former Jod	i other relatives. Mrs. Scallings	is attending Tarleton State,	trunks which have been do-	the nered birthday cake dec-	pounds and thirteen ounces,	on Friday night, contact a
for the 1973 Abilene Fine Arts Olney. She was raised in Abi	was the former Bertha Blair	and Lanota Roddors who is		orated with red roses and	and measured 21 inches tall.	senior or leave your order at
Museum Gallery Arts Auction lene. The couple have two		attending TCU.	treasure chests." Crocheting	white and green numbered	Maternal grandparents are	Foster Floral and the Seniors
to be held Sept. 14, 1973 at children, Andy, 8, and April, 6	man.		is of high interest to her as	candles.		
8 p. m. All proceeds from this He is the son of the late	Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyne	Bennett and family and Mr.	numerous afgans, bedspreads.	Her daughters were hostess-	10 1 1 1 1	
auction will be used to mance John Ash and Mrs. Minnie	e of Carbon visited with their	and Mrs. Cecil Self and fam-	tablecloths, and other pieces	es for the occasion Mrs Fave	parents are Mr and Mrs O	Gorman Duplicate Bridge
the museum. The public is Ash, now living in Odessa.	daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe	ily on Sunday.	were much in evidence in her	Walker was unable to attend.	Z Bainey of Carbon	Club meets each Monday at
	and the second of the second of the second of	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		,	a. munoj or ourbou.	7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

day



MATTRESSES -

BOX SPRINGS peanut harvest for a few days, New renovated, foted cotton, but was beneficial to the peainnerspring, choice of firm- nuts not ready yet for harvest. ness, size and color. Satisfac- Mrs. Roddy Miles and Altion guaranteed, Made in San bert Hendricks with Mrs. Antonio by Western Mattress Claude Fuller at the piano, Co. Free pick-up and delivery. rendered the special music at Ph. 734-5611, Gorman. 3-16fnc the Kokomo Baptist Church on I

Sunday morning. Visitors were BIG CLOTHING SALE - 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles, 60% off on all clothing. I have Joe and Sheri of Abilene, Main stock 40 pair men's trousrie Forestburg, missionary to ers, 60 suits, 94 dress coats, Africa, Mrs. Jack Johnson and thousands of ladies dresses, Laura of Lake Leon, and Carla blouses, skirts, & pants. Also and Darla Elliott of Eastland. children's clothing. Girl's dresses 25c. Don Rodgers ionary who has recently re-Real Estate office, Gorman. turned to the United States

NEED An extra key - made while speaker at the Kokomo Bapyou wait. Rankin Army-Navy Surplus. fnc

DEAD ANIMAL SERVICE As near as your Telephone claim same by paying for this \$3.00 service chargee under 50 ad, at Gorman Progress. miles from Hamilton - Over 50 miles - 15c per mile. Phone GARAGE SALE - Thursday DU 6-3303, Hamilton, Texas. and Friday. Sweaters, coats, Used Singer Sewing Machine men's sizes. Summer and win-

\$26. We also clean and adjust all makes and models. For portable typewriter, camera further information, call 734-5410. 4-8-8-p

CARPET CLEANING HEAVY DUTY EQUIPMENT COMANCHE CARPET CLEANING 915-356-2424 8-30fnc

FOR SALE - 2 Long Peanut ticking. Also wall electric Diggers, 1 King size Roanoak, bathroom heater. C. E. Atchi-Peanut Combine. 1 - 12 ft. tandem disc, furrow fillers and 3 point hook-up. A. C.



of 2 to 3 inches. It slowed the

Marie Forestburg, a miss-

from Africa, was the guest

FOUND - Suitcase contain-

ing clothes, etc., on Monday

morning near Hulon Lasater

jackets, juniors, ladies and

ter clothes. Clarinet, Royal

and many other items. Mrs.

FOR SALE - 48 inch, coil

spring (80 coils) roll away bed

with newly renovated mat-

tress, made with sterilized

home grown cotton with new

1-9-13c

2-9-20p

Houston Jolley.

son. 734-5896.

GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland Co., Texas, SEPT. 13, 1973 tist Church on Sunday night. Henry Lovell and Mrs. Speck, Mr. and Mrs. Elvy David She told of the experiences Greer of Carbon.

with the work in Africa where Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Flatt ed from Friday to Sunday with she had served as a mission- of Dallas visited on Thursday his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. ary for 27 years. She is visit- with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hollifield, Lorena Clark and ing with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fuller.

Brownng in Eastland. Other Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hen- ers, Mr .and Mrs. Speedy visitors on Sunday night at dricks spent Friday night in Clark and the D. R. Clarks. Kokomo Baptist were Mrs. Arlington with Mr. and Mrs. Good rains fell in the com-



Clark of Corpus Christi visit-

Estelle Craddock, and broth-D. R. Clark visited from Friday to Sunday in Comfort with his son, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Clark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Moos of San Angelo were recent visitors with her mother, Mrs. Effie Crews.

Roy Buchanan, Kelly and Yancy.

Mr. Vern Garrett returned home on Monday from the Eastland Memorial Hospital. We wish him continued improvement.

Mrs. J. C. Timmons was admitted to the hospital at Gorman on Monday. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles and family of Abilene and Ted dy Jordan of Stephenville spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan. Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Alice Ann honored Kris Brown with a birthday supper in their home on Monday night. Those helping Kris celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Allison of Dublin and Mrs. Henry Lovel of Carbon. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown honored their son, Kris, with a birthday trip to the Mel Tillis Show in Stephenville on Tuesday night. Van Stacy accompanied them.

The Kokomo Community Club meeting set for September 15th has been postponed until Saturday, September 22 at 8:00 p. m.

# A lighting specialist tells what to look for when you're buying light bulbs.



Here are some suggestions that may help you in the wise selection of light bulbs for your home.

All general service incandescent bulbs now have three ratings on their packaging. (A) Lumens tell you about the light output or performance of the bulb. (B) Watts tell you how much electricity is needed to produce that light. (C) Bulb life is stated as an average, and is an indication of the hours of use you may expect before the bulb burns out.

2. When the amount of light is more important than bulb life - for reading, studying or working - choose a standard bulb that provides the most lumens for its wattage.

Where bulbs are difficult to change and when the amount of light needed is not so important, choose an extended life bulb. You'll get longer bulb life, but you'll give up some light. Considering two bulbs of the same wattage, longer life means less light. You give up one for the other.

In some cases you can take advantage of the fact that one large bulb may give more light at lower cost than a group of smaller bulbs. For instance, one 100-watt bulb gives more light than three 40-watt bulbs; it uses less energy and costs less to buy, too. Be sure to check the fixture for its maximum bulb wattage rating.

5. Use fluorescent lamps where you can. They give more lumens per watt and have longer life. They can also produce a color of light comparable to incandescent bulbs.

If you're building or remodeling, we'll be glad to help with your plans and show you how to get efficient use of electricity for lighting. There is no charge for this help, and you can arrange it by calling our office. It's our job at Texas Electric to help you get the most value from your electric service.

Ask for our free booklet, "Tips to help you use electricity more efficiently throughout your home."



Underwood, 673-3593, Ranger. 4-9-20p

#### NOW OPEN GORMAN TV TUBE SERVICE AND BARGAIN SHOP

and other tems. L. M. Wooten

on Desdemona Hwy.

BILL'S AUTO SALVAGE in Eastland. Phone 629-2376 bus., res. 629-1558. 24 hour wrecker the machine we check your service. We buy junk or wrecked cars. 4-9-20c

WANTED - Garden Work. plowing, shredding. Garden work of any kind. Contact W. F. Duske at Birdsong Peanuts, shelling dept., after 3:30 p. m. 8-10-11p

FOR SALE - 1971 Vega, 3 speed, Call after 5 p. m. 734- thing. There are thousands of 5592.

IT'S A PARTY - Come to the Fire Hall September 20, at 7:30 p. m. A Merrimac, Toys and gifts to buy. Make good Christmas gifts. Mrs. LeVona Owen, hostess. 2-9-13c

Real Estate - 75 A., 23 peanuts, pavement, new fences, \$500 A. Assume good loan - 82 A., 22 peanuts, 24 feed grain, Car-Realty, 893-6666, De Leon, 8-2fnc Texas.

I will sit with your sick or loved one or will live in. Available after Sept. 1. References. Gertie Leeper, Phone 734-5322. 8-16fnc

AIR CONDITIONING - HEAT-ING - Certified Lennox Dealer. Commercial Refrigeration. Bill Lamb, De Leon, Phone 893-2510. 6-28fnc

three bedroom home on 70'x ways close by when you need 90' lot. (build-in Frigidaire us. We are in the Stephenville refrigerator, oven and cook office, (Skipper Real Estate top included). Also 65'x90' lot, Bldg.) every Thursday, and in located three blocks from the Hamilton office every Fridowntown. Contact Speedy day to run special tests and Clark, Box 636, Phone 734- assist you in every way. 5429, Gorman.

**Hearing Tests** Are Important

If you have a hearing problem of any kind you owe it to T.V. Tubes, Antiques, Ladies yourself to have an Electronic and Men's good used clothing Hearing test made to find why and what can be done to help you before it is too late. The tests are free and will only 4-9-13p take about 20 minutes of your time. We check your ears for

packed wax, the tubes that let your ears breathe, then with hearing nerve, (bone reading) air conduction, (outside sounds) then measure how much sound the ear will take

We can pinpoint your problem and explain in plain English what can be done to help you, then you make your own de cision. We never try to high-

pressure you into buying any-3-9-23c people today suffering from hard of hearingness, (even some that wear Hearing Aids' just because they waited too late to do something about it . . don't let this happen to

you. Mr. Joe Treadway will hold his regular Hearing Aid Work shop at the City Library at City Hall in De Leon on Monday, Sept. 17th from 10:30 bon area, \$250 A, good land. A.M. til noon. We invite you to Listings appreciated. Cogburn come in for your free test We do repair

> service on most makes of Aids, and have a full service or cleaning, tut es, batteries for your Aid, and can always save

Mr. Treadway you money We are Licensed by the State of Texas to fit and Dispensing FOR SALE - Well located, of Hearing Aids. We are al

 Remove rubbish • Check all wiring • Take extra care

**PUBLIC NOTICE** SUMMARY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS OF PROPOSED SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1973

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

(S.J.R. 13)

adults."

districts.

NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT

(S.J.R. 12)

NUMBER FOUR

ON THE BALLOT

(S.J.R. 1)

· NUMBER ONE -ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 8)

J'Article III, Sections'5, 24 and 49a and Article VIII, Section 6 of the Texas Con-stitution are amended to: Provide for regular annual sessions of the Leg-islature. The regular session in each odd-numbered year would be for a period not to would be for a period not to exceed 180 days. The regfollows: ular session in each even numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 60 days and would be limited to consideration of fiscal matters and any emergency matters submitted by the Governor. The 60 day ses-sion could be extended by the Governor for a period not to exceed 30 days; Provide an annual salary for members of the Legisla-ture not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not ular session in each even

ture not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not exceeding \$18 per day for each day of each regular session or special session; Provide that no appro-priation of money shall be made for a longer term than one year and direct the Comptroller to make annual estimates of anticipated rev-

estimates of anticipated rev-enue rather than biennial estimates.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for annual regular sessions of the legislature; and to provide an annual salary of \$15,000 and per diem for the members of the legislature, effective in January, 1975.'

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT

(H.J.R. 7)

Article XVI, Sections 50 and 51 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

servation and reclama-tion districts." Include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family home-stead may not be aban-Article XI, Section 7 of Article III, Section 49-b the Texas Constitution is of the Texas Constitution is which: stead may not be aban-doned except with the consent of both spouses. Presently a single adult person is not entitled to claim a homestead exemption and a married man can abandon a family homestead without the consent of his wife. The wording of the pro-posed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: "The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other require-ments of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

sea walls and breakwaters upon a vote of the resi-dent property tax-payers." eran has filed with the

NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT » (S.J.R. 26)

Article VIII, Sections 1-a and 1-b of the Texas Con-stitution are amended to: Extend the \$3,000 ad court, concurrently with the county court, shall have the general jurisdiction of a pro-bate court and in a probate proceeding shall also have the jurisdiction otherwise conferred on it by law. It conferred on it by law. It also provides that the legis-lature may increase, dimin-ish, or eliminate the jurisdic-tion of the district court or county court in probate matters, may adopt rules governing the filing, distri-bution, or transfer of cases and proceedings as between the courts having jurisdic-tion of probate matters, and may provide that all appeals in probate matters shall be to the courts of civil ap-peals. posed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as "The constitutional amendment to extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the homesteads of unmarried

Article XVI, Section 59, peals. The wording of the pro-posed constitutional amend-ment as it will appear on the of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Subsection (e) which: Provides that no law ballot is as follows:

creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be "The constitutional amendment stating that passed unless a copy of the proposed law is delivered to the commissioners court of the district court concurrently with the each county and to the gov-erning body of each incor-porated city or town in whose jurisdiction said discounty court shall have county court shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further pro-viding that in any pro-bate proceeding the dis-trict court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise triet or any part thereof is or will be located. Each or will be located. Each such commissioners court and governing body may file its written consent or oppo-sition to the proposed law with the Governor, Lieuten-ant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representa-tives. Each special law cre-ating such a district must comply with general laws then in effect relating to consent by political subdivi-sions to the creation of such districts. conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the legislature may increase, diminish or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and further providing that the legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: and proceedings as be-tween district courts, county courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further pro-viding that the legislature "The constitutional amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of may provide that all aplaws creating certain con-

Board an application and contract of sale to purchase through the Board the tract selected by him or her and before the purchase has been completed, then the surviving spouse may com-Article V, Section 8 of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new paragraph which: Provides that the district Section 8 of plete the transaction. The wording of the pro-posed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutionalamendment to provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obli-gations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund."

NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 29)

Article XI, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 5(a) which:

Authorizes and requires incorporated cities, towns, and villages, regardless of population and notwith-standing the constitutional limitations on total tax rates, to levy such annual ad valorem taxes on the tax-able property in the city, town or village as are neces-sary to pay the principal of and interest on, when due, the general obligations here-inafter issued by the city, town, or village. The legis-lature is empowered to limit by general or special law the total principal amount of general obligations which may be issued, but unless and until the legislature acts to do so, the limitations established by statute with respect to the total principal amount of bonds which may be issued by independvalorem taxes on the taxmay be issued by independent school districts shall apply as the rate limitation on cities, towns, and villages. The wording of the pro-posed constitutional amend-

ment as it appears on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on their general obligations hereafter issued subject to the restrictions provided by law."

#### NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 25)

Article VIII of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 2C

Allows the Legislature, general law, to exempt

all real and personal prop-

erty used by non-profit

water supply corporations

or cooperatives from all

property taxes. The exemp-

tion would apply only to





amended to: Provide that all counties amended to: Provide for an additional and cities bordering on the \$100 million in bonds or coast of the Gulf of Mexico obligations of the State of are authorized to levy a tax Texas for the Veterans' to pay for bonds issued for Land Fund. This amendthe construction of sea walls ment increases the present

the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a majority vote of the resi-dent property tax-payers. Counties and cities are pres-ently authorized to levy such taxes and this amendment only changes the re- September 16, 1940 and the quired vote from a two- date of formal withdrawal thirds majority to a simple of United States troops majority. from the armed conflict in The wording of the pro- Viet Nam. This amendment from the armed conflict in posed amendment as it will would allow all veterans

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shall be to the courts of (civil) appeals."

NUMBER SEVEN

ON THE BALLOT

(H.J.R. 6)

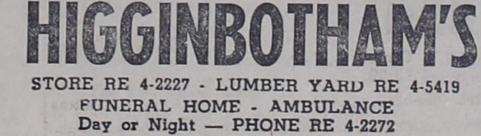
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such property as is reasonably necessary to conduct the business of a non-profit water supply corporation or cooperative. The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to excrup from property taxes tain property used by a non-profit water supply corporation or a nonprofit water supply co-operative."

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A wonderful time of visitber 7-9 for their annual re- ing, eating and games was -GP-

# HOSPITAL REPORT

#### Those listed as patients at the Blackwell Hospitai on Wednesday morning were:

Mrs. J. A. Barrett, Dublin Huett, Fort Worth; Mr. and Jessie Lee Eison, Gorman Mrs. Glenn Huett, Mr. and Mary Timmons, Gorman Mrs. Bernard Huett, Abilene; Zetta Battenfield, Gorman Junior, Beth and Jenifer of William Terry, Gorman Bennett, Eastland, Mr. and Martha Norris, Gorman Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jurline Ruthtord, Comanche



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