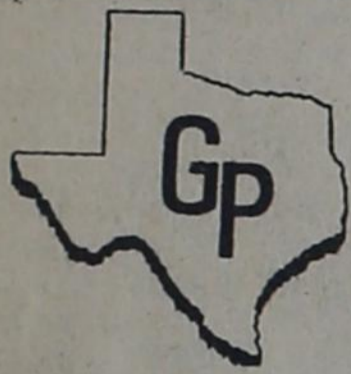


AMBULANCE FUND DRIVE GOAL IS NOW A REALITY

Thanks to the generosity of the people of Gorman and surrounding area and friends far and near, you have made it possible to pay in full the \$12,900 required for the cost share part of the new ambulance. Thanks to all of you for making it possible. It will be a great benefit to the citizens of Gorman and area to have the newly and Modern equipped medical facilities of the new ambulance.



PRESS POINTS
JOE BENNETT, Publisher

All the talk here this week seems to center around the Ambulance Fund Drive . . . and the fact that the community has reached its goal. Its amazing what a community can do when it really pulls together in a united effort. Also former Gormanites and former patients at Blackwell from other places are to be commended for their contributions, for it all added up to the final goal. I have always said that this community could do anything if it set its mind to it. Thanks folks for the marvelous effort. No matter what the amount, all contributions were sincerely appreciated and will afford Gorman and this area with the best in an ambulance equipped to handle our ambulance emergencies, etc.

There is a separate article on this elsewhere in this issue.

The peanut harvest continues in full swing this week. There still seems to be some lines of trailers and trucks at some locations, but they are thinning out a good bit now. It sure seems funny for most of the farmers to have their peanuts in this early. But with the ideal weather we have had the farmers have really been "making hay while the sun shines." And overall, it looks like most farmers are doing well on their crops. Thank the Lord for a good season for peanuts.

We received the following letters this week for publication in the paper.

Dear Editor:

I want to reply to Dr. Willy Pino's letter:

Dr. A. E. Pino will not put patients in Blackwell Hospital. He sends them to De Leon. Even members of his immediate family. Does that prove that he is trying to help our hospital?

The last two times I went to see him, he would not tell me anything. He would tell his nurse what to tell me. Is this the way a doctor is supposed to do when you are paying him cash for his service? I know that is not the American way.

I saw Dr. Canut on May 24-78. Entered the hospital for tests after losing 35 pounds in three months. He said I would hear from tests in three days. On 6-1-78 I told him I was going home. On 6-8-78 they phoned that tests were in. (Testing for tumor.) I said I will be there in ten minutes for report.

They said no, to wait and come on 6-12-78. Is that the way for a doctor to treat his patients? Do you wonder why the people are disgusted with these doctors? Is that justice? It had been sixteen days since I entered the hospital. I was anxious to hear the results of my tests. They could have at least told me they were all clear. I think it was an inhuman act.

I really believe the reason they would not release me was that the doctor came around twice a day (so he claimed. Not so. He did not) and billed me \$21.00 for those visits. I wrote B-Part Medicare and received an

Funds received at the Progress Office this week for the Ambulance Fund include Mrs. Marvin Nix of Lubbock \$25, George F. Bennett \$25, Tommie Sue Roberts of Waco \$10 in memory of her mother, Mrs. Jenny McCroan; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Craddock \$10 in memory of his brother, the late Hubert Craddock.

Billie Lightfoot \$25 donation in honor of her faithful employees and customers of Artistic Beauty Salon. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Childers \$5, Mrs. F.C. Eaves \$10 in memory of her late husband F.C. Eaves.

The donation made last week by Mary Fair was in memory of Jim West. We were in error in stating it was made by Jim Fair.

Memorials made at Blackwell Hospital were \$100 in memory of the last Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Dennis by their son's the Dennis Brothers.

\$25 by Rev. and Mrs. Burton Dennis in memory of Dr. D.V. Rodgers and \$25 in memory of Mrs. Belle Harrison, mother of Mrs. Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Supton \$10 in memory of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Skaggs. A contribution has been made by Mrs. Mae Quinn in memory of the late Rev. and Mrs. Frank Skaggs.

Erma Little of Newbury, California sent \$50 to Betty Henderson for the Ambulance Fund in memory of her late parents, Lee and Mattie Stanfield, her sister Mrs. Effie Broom, her three brothers, Bill, Clea, and Mark and her adopted parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Cooper. Emma is the sister of Mrs. Stanley Porter.

\$25 by Frankie and Cliff Jarrett made in memory of all the good doctors who have served at Blackwell Hospital.

List of Contributions:
Mr. and Mrs. R.O. Baze, Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Foster, Giff and Ruby Acrea, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Files, Jolene Gilliland, Azilee Cunningham, Effie Crews, Brown's Feed Store, Frankie and Georgia Stacy, Lasater's Dept. Store, Exxon Station, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Yardley, Otis Thompson, Nettie Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrett, Friendly Fellows Sunday School Class, S.G. Fair, Gorman Pharmacy, Mr. and Mrs. T.H. Seay, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Boyd, Gorman Insurance, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Jeffs, Gorman Progress, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wright, Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers, Marie Latham, Overstreet Trucking, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Maxfield, Otis Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs.

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April of 1927 and were married November 10, 1928 by Justice of Peace J. T. Chapman and have lived around Gorman all their married lives.

Mr. Kinser is a retired carpenter and Mrs. Kinser worked for a number of years in Shelly's Variety Store.

Both are members of the First Baptist Church, Mr. Kinser has served as Deacon in the Baptist Church for over 40 years.

They were very active in the Midway Baptist Church before moving to Gorman in 1954. They have served as Sunday School teachers and sung in the choir here and at Midway.

Their hobbies are vegetable and flower gardening.

General Election Tuesday

The General Election will be held Tuesday, November 7 in the Fire Hall. Mrs. Mozell Rhymes will serve as election judge with W.C. Browning serving as alternate judge.

Clerks will be Dorothy Hatcher, Donnie Parker, Carolyn Underwood, Zella Jordan and Viola Eaker.

Polls will open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

This is an election that everyone should make an effort to go to the polls and vote. There are some 30 offices to be filled on the state, county and local level as well as 8 proposed constitutional amendments.

Voters are asked to bring registration certificates. All qualified voters are urged to vote. This is one way you can help choose who will be in control of our state and national government. Study the candidates and issues and vote your conviction.

Variety Show Scheduled Nov. 11

The Gorman Booster Club will again present it's Variety Show on November 11, 1978 at 7:30 P.M. at the Gorman High School Auditorium. We invite everyone to come and enjoy our show with all net proceeds going to the benefit of our students of Gorman Public Schools.

If you have a special talent, song or dance, please contact Gene Foster at Foster Floral, 734-2519 to set up an audition with him. These auditions are specifically for a time schedule and not for a process of elimination. We must have an idea of how long you act will last in order to have a more successful show. So if you have not contacted Gene Foster please do so now!

Remember, our own Sgt.

PANTHERS DROP WILDCATS TRAVEL TO TOLAR FRIDAY

The Gorman Panthers took another step toward the show down in District 6-B East zone last Friday night when they dropped the Rising Star

Game At A Glance		
GORMAN	RISING STAR	
17	First Downs	9
256	Yds. Rushing	102
178	Yds. Passing	37
8 of 12	Passes Comp.	5 of 15
1	Interceptions	1
1	Fumbles Lost	1
4 for 30	Punts, Avg.	7 for 30
6-30	Penalties	7-55

Services For Dove Lewis Held Thursday

Dove Lewis, 86, of Desemona died at 3:05 a.m. Wednesday in Eastland hospital after a lengthy illness. Services were 2 p.m. Thursday in the Desdemona Church of Christ.

Payne Hattox, minister of Northside Church of Christ in Stephenville, officiated, assisted by Kermit Upshaw, minister. Burial was in Alameda Cemetery, directed by Nowlin Funeral Home.

Born April 1, 1892, in Desdemona, he lived there all his life. He married Nannie Casey in 1911 in Desdemona. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Lewis died in 1963. Survivors include a son, Clydell of Desdemona; a granddaughter; and a grandson.

W. Robinett Buried Monday

DE LEON — Willard C. Robinett, 67, of Gorman was dead on arrival at 8:20 p.m. Saturday October 28, 1978 at De Leon Hospital after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday in De Leon Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Danny Barley, associate pastor of Shady Oaks Baptist Church in Hosuton, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Lannie Spruill, pastor of Lingleville Baptist Church. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery.

Born December 2, 1910 in Hamilton County, he married Elsie Skaggs Jan. 9, 1939 in De Leon. He was a retired farmer and World War II veteran. He was a member of Morton Chapel United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Sammy of Gorman, DeWitt of Houston and Jackie of Abilene; two daughters, Marilyn Warren of Gorman and Carolyn King of Waco; a brother, Joe of De Leon; two sisters, Mable Singleton and Lottie Mull, both of De Leon; and eight grandchildren.

LORD'S ACRE NOW IN PROGRESS

Well, the big day is here and the Lord's Acre Festival of the Gorman First United Church is now in full swing. The doors opened this morning at 8:00 a.m. and the crowd is gathering. This is an affair where the members of all church come in for fun and fellowship. If you have not already been better hurry and join in the fun. The fellowship and the visits with friends will be worth your time you spend with us. Come on, come all and let's have a big two-day festival. It will be open each day from about 8:00 a.m. to 5 P.M.

There will be all kinds of crafts, arts, foods, clothing, white elephants, and dozens of other things being sold. You will have a chance to win a beautiful picture or a Mr. Coffee. This will be a good time to get some of your Christmas shopping out of the way.

Food and drinks will be sold all day with plenty of beans and corbread, chicken and dumplings, and chili. Take your coffee break with us and come in for lunch.

Wildcats 43-8 to remain undefeated in district play. Blanket is also undefeated in district and the Panthers will host the Tigers at Brogdon Field on November 10 in what is figured to be the showdown in the district. This week, though, the Panthers must defeat the Tolar Rattlers to remain undefeated.

The Panthers hit the scoreboard on their first possession,

taking the ball on the Wildcat 47 and going the distance in just 3 plays with Blaine Gibbs bursting over from the 6 yard line with 9:30 left in the period. The drive featured a 38 yard run by Jimmy Johnson. The kick by Charles White was good and Gorman led 7-0.

The Big Red came back with another tally in the second quarter with 9:30 left with Johnson running the

final 6 yards. This drive covered 35 yards. The run for points failed and Gorman led 13-0.

Then the Wildcats came alive and moved 62 yards in 6 plays with the score coming on a 16 yard pass to John Lee with 7:30 left in the period. A pass for the two point play was good and the score stood at 13-8.

However the score didn't stand that way long as the Panthers took the following kickoff on its own 44, and following a 2 yard gain, Jimmy Johnson broke loose on the outside and raced 52 yards for the endzone on a magnificent run. Gibbs added the two point play and Gorman jumped out to a 22-8 lead.

The Big Red scored again with 4:30 left in the second period when they took the ball on their own 34 and scored in just one play when Billy Simpson dropped back to pass, found Jamie Snider open and hit him with a pass covering 66 yards. It was a picture perfect play. A pass to Tim Swanner added the two pointer and Gorman led 29-8.

Gorman added another TD before the halftime intermission when they took the ball on the Wildcat 49 and scored in 7 plays with Jimmy Johnson catching a 13 yard pass in the endzone with 30 seconds left in the half. The drive featured a beautiful 20 yard pass to Jamie Snider who made a diving catch at the 11. Then following a two yard loss, Johnson got the TD. White added the PAT with a kick and Gorman led 36-8 at halftime.

The lone Panther score of the last half came with 8:30 left in the third period on a 2 yard run by Gibbs. The drive covered 47 yards in 4 plays and featured a 26 yard pass to Swanner. White added the PAT and the final score was 43-8.

The Big Red defense did their usual excellent job and the offense really looked good for the game.

Johnson led Gorman with 110 yards on just 7 carries and did not play in the second half. Gibbs got 81 on 14 totes. Larry Keith had 22 on 7 tries. Simpson had 2 on 1 keeper. Greg Skiles had 23 on 8 trips. Toofer Bond had 14 on 4 tries. Kip Nemir had 5 on 2. Steve Watson had 4 on 1, David Pettit had a -1 on 1, and Steve Spivey lost 14 yards on two sacks.

This week the Panthers travel to Tolar to take on the Rattlers. The Tolar team have just gotten in to 11 man ball but are coming right along after a slow start. The Big Red defense will have another good night, however, and the Panther offense should really go this week and the Panthers will have another victory under their belts. Right, Panthers? Go Get 'EM Big Red!

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Calendar Of Events

The Fire Department will meet Monday November 6.

Band Boosters will meet Monday at 6:00 p.m.

Lions Club will meet Tuesday, November 7 at the Band Hall at noon.

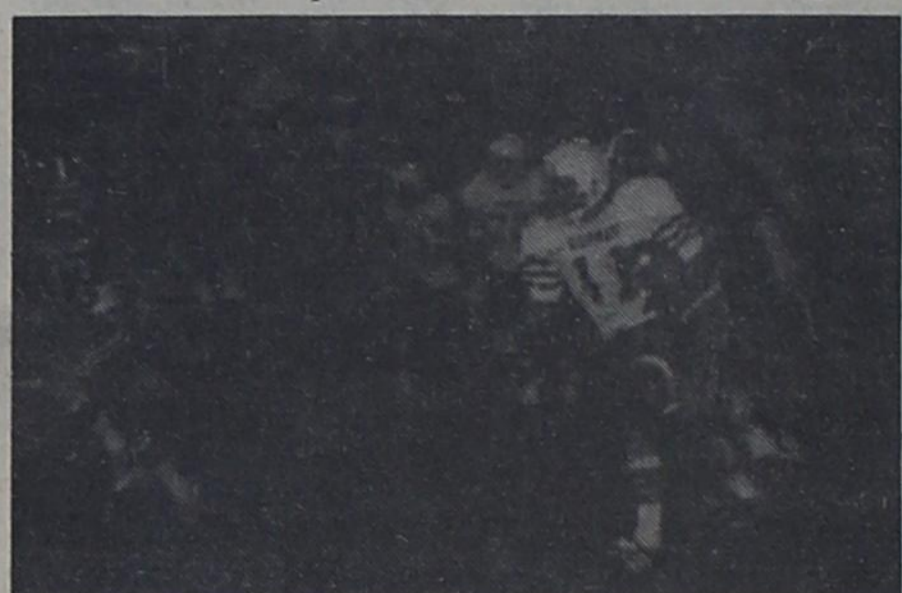
The City Commission will meet Thursday, November 2 at 8:00 a.m. in the City Hall.

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

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Girls Scouts Junior and Cadettes will meet each Tuesday at 3:45 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Fellowship Hall.

CUB SCOUT MEET EACH Saturday, 9:30 to 12 noon in the School Gym.



FINE RUN FOR TD — Jimmy Johnson is shown about to put away another touchdown run. He made several TD's and had a fine night at Rising Star.



TREMENDOUS TACKLE — Show above are Blaine Gibbs, 23; Tim Swanner, 20; and two other unidentifiable Panthers putting the finishing touches on a fine Quarterback for the Rising Star Wildcats.

Holliday - Sanders Pledge Vows

Miss Deborah Darlene Holliday and Lloyd Eugene Sanders, Jr. were married at six o'clock in the evening November 20, 1978 in First Baptist Church. The Rev. Darrell Dossey, pastor officiated at the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Lois Buchanan was organist and Brent Foster sang "Devoted To You" and accompanied himself on the guitar.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Holliday of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Sanders, Sr. of De Leon are parents of the groom.

The bride given in marriage by her father, chose a street length dress of off white and carried a bouquet blue and red carnations and baby's breath.

Matron of honor, Mrs. Terry Clark was attired in a pastel blue dress. Mrs. Glenn Glasson was bridesmaid and wore a blue dress identical as the matron of honor.

Terry Barnes, of Arlington and cousin of the groom served as best man and Edward Sanders of De Leon, brother of the groom was groomsman.

A reception hosted by the brides parents was held immediately following the wedding in Fellowship Hall.

The brides table was covered with a white silk Organza floor length cloth with a blue flounce with white satin bows and streamers. The center piece of blue and red carnations and baby's breath was arranged around three blue candles. One end of the table held the four tiered

columned wedding cake trimmed with blue sugar spun roses and topped with a cupid figure. The other end held a silver punch service. Presiding at the punch service was Mrs. David Sides of De Leon and Mrs. Jeff Rice of Idaho Falls, Idaho. Serving the wedding cake was Mrs. Christi Snell of Abilene and Mrs. Effie Martin of Eastland.

Nancy Sanders, sister of the groom registered guests. Mother of the bride wore a street length dress of tan double knit with jacket and a red carnation corsage. Mother of the groom was attired in blue double knit dress and wore a red carnation corsage.

The bride is a graduate of Gorman High School and Stephenville Beauty College. The groom is a graduate of De Leon High School and Tarleton State University. He is employed by Dorchester Gas Inc. of Dallas.

Following a honeymoon trip to Granbury the couple are at home in Dallas.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: Mrs. Pearl Sanders of De Leon and Jim Chandler of Comyn, grandparents of the groom. Mrs. Othor Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Barnes of De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Rice and Melody of Idaho Falls, Idaho; Mrs. Truitt Norris of Carbon, aunt of the bride; Mrs. Glenn Smith, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Hogan and Laura and Alicah Hogan of Lake Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday of Woodson; and Mrs. Clementine Holliday of Normange.

SQUARE DANCE

The Peanut Promenaders Square Dance Club will hold their monthly dance at 8:00, Saturday, Nov. 4. They will dance at Doug's Welding Shop in Gorman. Jim Lee will be our guest caller.

Everybody is welcome to come out and enjoy an evening of fun and good dancing.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with thankful hearts we express sincere appreciation to each of you for the kindness shown during the illness and death of our loved one.

The family of Dove Lewis

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THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Friday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.; Saturday 8:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the home of Iris Smith, I am moving and have household items, electrical appliances, metal cabinet of glass doors, dishes and clothes. 1-11-2 P.

FOR SALE: 1973 Pinto Runabout. Extra Clean, good condition. Call 734-2456. 2-10-26 C.

RN needed for 11 to 7 shift, two night per week. Blackwell Hospital. 734-2291. 1-8-17 FNC.

Ernest Foster's Records are on sale now at Seven Eleven and Farmer's Peanut Company and Artistic Beauty Shop. Only \$1.25 2-11-14 C.

FOR RENT: \$500.00 per year 16.6 peanut allotment. Has 2 water wells, on Hwy. 571 2 miles North of Gorman. Call Bill Yung, Canyon, Texas 806-655-0167 or Office 806-656-2323. 11-2 FNC.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday November 4 at R.L. Sharp home 3 miles north of Desdemona, just off Hwy. 16 watch for signs. Couch, electric appliances, dishes, clothes, new Barbie Doll Clothes, toys and many other items. 1-11-2 P.

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KOKOMO NEWS
By Zelda Jordan

We're still having ideal harvesting weather. A few more days of pretty weather and most of the peanut harvest in this area will be finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning and Donna, with Mrs. Claude Fuller at the piano, rendered the special music at the morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Browning, Bro. Bob Watson and J.D. McNeely rendered the special music at the evening service. The new time for Sunday evening service is 6:00 p.m. and the Wednesday evening service is 7:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Curley Richards of North Zulch, Texas were visitors in the morning service. They are friends of Bro. and Mrs. Bob Watson. Mrs. W.F. Bryant was recognized for her near perfect attendance at Sunday School during the last church year. She missed only on Sunday, and that was a Sunday when there was ice and snow everywhere and there was so much danger in her falling. She was presented a certificate and a pin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McNeely have recently returned from a visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harris and Karen in Lincoln, Neb. and attended Karen's marriage to Dough Larkin on Sept. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Boone of Plainview have been visited with her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Treadway in Eastland during the past week. Also visiting here with them were cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Burleson and Mrs. Gertrude Perry of Guin, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Al Gaeta of Eastland and Ms. Gene Foster, Lisa and Joe of Gorman were visiting with them on Monday. The Sciterns, Burlesons, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Foster and Lisa were in Abilene on Tuesday and night.

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**Lawndale
News**

Those visiting in our home last week were:
Hallie McCuller of Lubbock and Layell Rodgers of Eastland visited Alma Vann.
Mrs. Wesley Stephens of Post, Texas, Sue Lovingsid of Odessa, Texas and Joyce Richardson of Lubbock all visited Luther Harper.
Ina Mae Tarrance of Gorman visited Mrs. Will Haynes. Annis Lasater of De Leon visited Lucy Lasater.
Berniece Rodgers visited Mary Timmons and Jessie Lemley.
Susan Tarrance visited Elmer and Hope Hughes.

Lenis Rice, Lavell Rodgers and Hallie McCullough visited in our home.
Joe O'Neal visited the Lon Sniders.
Monie Fay Warren and Micheal Warren visited Lexie Wright.
Gladys Chambless visited Mamie Chambless and Vera Goodwin.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Matejek and Tommie Thompson of San Angelo visited in our home.
Jessie and Ora Mae Atchison visited Dewey Lindley.
Melissa Phillips visited Vera Goodwin.
Lillie M. Prentice of

Whitney visited Bernice Haynes.
Dorothy Henson of Ranger and Mrs. Louise Burns visited Ozy Hallmark.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burns visited Lon and Alice Snider.
Louise Dorsey, LaJuan, Bekky and Rowdy Rollin visited Murt and Charlie Norris.
MONDAY was news day.
TUESDAY — Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 p.m. we played Bingo. Our first winner was Ennis Clemmer; 2nd William Tate, Mary Harrell; 3rd Mary Harrell; 4th Addie Ormsby. Our Blackout winners were: Mary Timmons, and Lexie Wright. We had a lot of new people out and we had a good time. Thanks to Jettie Daniels for calling and Era Fraley for helping. Thanks ladies.

WEDNESDAY — Bible Study. Brother Joe O'Neal came and gave our Lesson. His subject was on; Philipians - Chapter 3 verse 10; "That I may know Him and the Power of resurrection and the fellowship of His suffering, being made comfortable unto His death." Several other items were mentioned as follows: Be forever at home with the Lord and the Host of the redeemed. Loved ones and friend. No more trails, disappointments, sorrow and or death."
Thank you so much Bro. Joe. We love you very much. We appreciate your lessons so very much.
THURSDAY — At 2 p.m. we had our monthly Birthday Party and a Halloween Party combined. We had a lot of guests and had a very good time. The ladies of the

Kokomo Home Demo. Club came and decorated the front lobby. Zelda Jordan and Nancy Hendricks did a very good job. Halloween is as good time for old folks as well as for young people. You never get to old to have fun and to laugh.
Those celebrating Birthday's were: Silas Foster the 13th; Addie Ormsby the 17th; Clyde Pulley the 17th; Claude Curb the 16th and Oscar Carr the 18th. Mrs. Ormsby received a beautiful flower and the men received a good after shave. Mrs. Ruby McCoy made beautiful and delicious cake and punch for our party. The guests did a lot of singing and then Oscar Carr quoted the 23rd Psalm for his birthday present to us. Thanks to everyone who helped to make this another successful party for

our ol folks. Thanks!
THURSDAY NIGHT at 7p.m. we had some very good singing. Everyone was in the mood to sing and it was a very good night for all. Some of our singers were: Marion and Annie Dennis; Essie Simpson from Houston; Pat Cornwell; Mary Emerson; Mae Quinn; Leland Warren; Juanita Fuller; Archie and Georgie Fae Skaggs; Velma Bennett; Mary Revels; Ava Rodgers; Berniece Rodgers; Billie Stacy; Jettie Daniels. Thank you all so very much for coming. We will be looking forward to seeing you next week.
SUNDAY at our 2 p.m. service the New Hope Baptist Church came. Rev. Richard Watson's subject was on: Revelations 4 and 5; John's description of Heaven. When a door was opened in Heaven. Jesus had left his mother in the care of this beloved apotie. John saw a book with seven seals. The question was, "Who is worthy to open the book and loose the seals thereof?" No man was worthy to open and read the book. One of eldest saith unto me weep not, behold the Lion of Tribe of Juda, the root of David hath prevailed to open the book and to loose the seven seals thereof. This was the Lord who has redeemed us to God by blood out of every kinder, and tongue and nation.

Those helping with the service were: Ernest and Ethel Weaver; Verna Watson; Pauline Broom; Sam Broom; Richard and Connie Watson. Thank all of you so much. We look forward to you coming again.
At our 5p.m. service the Church of Christ came. Rev. David Coffey's sermon was on 1st; Thessalonians Chapter 4 verse 13. But I would not have you to be ignorant, breatheren, concerning them which are asleep, that you sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. The dead in Christ shall rise first. Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air and ever be with the Lord. The Church of Christ are so very faithful to come every Sunday. We love each and everyone of you. Our prayer is for each of you to reap the kindness you have shown us.

We have been in need of them for a long while so the other day one of our residents suggested that the residents donate chairs but I didn't think it was a good idea since they are on a limited budget. He then said, "Why not let our families or friends give them?" I thought it was a good idea if they wated to. He mentioned it to his son and his son looked me up and said, "Go buy what you want." They went to Higginbothams and picked out the first chair. This gentleman was J.H. Barbee. This morning we have received so far 11 chairs. Isn't that wonderful. I am going to print on the back of each chair who it is donated by. Like (Donated by the family of J.H. Barbee.) Or (In memory of; The people that have donated so far are: The Jay family - In memory of Dick and Cubelle Jay - 2 chairs; Hulon Lasater for Lucy Lasater - 1 chair; Jettie and Burnice Daniels for Nattie Watts - 1 chair; Nattie Watts Family for him - 1 chair; Larry Sikes - 1 chair; Our Dairy Queen donated 2 chairs; Bob's Grocery donated 1 chair; Annie Foster 1 chair for Silas Foster.

I would like to say again how wonderful the people of Gorman are. In all my life I have never seen so many people willing to help others. I was so very surprised that our town has responded so wonderfully to donating folding chairs to our activites.
—GP—
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhymes spent the weekend in Cranfills Gap with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson.

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As Attorney General, John Hill has:

Tax Relief. John Hill was the lead-off witness at legislative hearings on property tax relief and has led the fight for reform of our unfair property tax laws.

Budget Management. While the caseload of his office has more than tripled since he became Attorney General, John Hill and his staff have absorbed the extra load and they've done it without unnecessary budget increases. Output of his staff lawyers is double the average.

Energy Policy. John Hill filed suit to force interstate gas rates to be increased so out-of-staters will have to pay a price equal to those our Texas utility customers pay and is strongly on record against the national administration's proposals to put Texas' intrastate gas market under federal control.

Education. John Hill's role as lawyer for the state agencies put him in the forefront of the major legal battles involving education and gave him valuable insight into steps needed to improve our educational system.

Utility Rates. John Hill became the first Attorney General to establish as a matter of law the right of the Attorney General to stop unfair long-distance intrastate telephone rate increases. In a landmark 1975 case that went to the Texas Supreme Court, Hill blocked a \$60 million rate increase request in a ruling that helped persuade the legislature to enact a law backed by Hill to create the state Public Utility Commission.

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As Governor, John Hill would:

Tax Relief. John Hill has campaigned on a platform of "no new taxes" and a pledge to veto any new tax bill. His campaign platform of repealing the state sales tax on utility bills and providing property tax relief to homeowners, the elderly and farmers was adopted by the legislature during the special session this summer.

Budget Management. John Hill already has begun looking for waste he can trim from the state budget. He will implement a zero-base budget program to stop the practice of stacking new programs on top of unnecessary old ones, and he will bring tighter scrutiny to state management of federal funds. He will insist on following our "pay-as-you-go" balanced budget policy, and will push for adoption of this policy by the Federal government.

Energy Policy. Leadership in Washington will be crucial to our state's ability to reverse disastrous federal energy policies based on taking our natural gas from us at prices below what our own citizens and businesses have to pay. John Hill is pledged to lead that fight in Washington to get a national energy policy that is fair to Texas and in our nation's best interest.

Education. John Hill will make education his No. 1 priority to assure adequate funding and adequate attention to all issues confronting our public schools. He will emphasize improved compensation for teachers, expansion of state programs for gifted and talented, handicapped and vocational education students, as well as better state equalization support for poor districts.

Utility Rates. The Texas legislature already has implemented, during the special session this summer, one of John Hill's proposals to reduce utility bills by repealing the state sales tax on utility bills. He will propose to the 1979 legislature utility bill relief legislation to end the current practice of allowing fuel adjustment costs to be passed along to consumers without review by any state regulatory agency.



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REUNION OF THE CLASS OF '47 HELD

By Mrs. Wayne Eaves
On 9-27-78 I wrote letters to the members of the Class of '47 urging them to come to a class reunion and GHS Homecoming on 10-21-78. Thirty letters were mailed and only two were returned - "Address Unknown". However, with a lot of determination and several phone calls, three letters came stating that these members could not attend. It was discouraging to think that the rest of the members might not be able to attend also. Then the letters started coming from different ones

stating they planed to attend and I realized that I was not the only on that could get excited about a reunion. Thirty-one years had passed since our graduation and this would be the first attempt to have a reunion.

Anxiously, I looked forward to October 21st. I wondered if everyone else had changed -- I knew I hadn't! Would I recognize them? I wished I could get rid of these extra pounds and the wrinkles that were beginning to show-not to mention the grey hairs! Oh Well!! Too late to think about those things--I was more concerned about gathering

all the pictures of my granddaughter together--I certainly wanted to show her off! Then there were the scrapbooks of all my high school years--school pictures and newspapers (Gorman Progress'), yellow and brittle with age, with events in them concerning our class. All these things were on display when finally, the big day arrived.

We were to meet at the High school on Saturday morning and then go to my home after the business meeting on Saturday afternoon. Each time one of our classmates walked in you could hear whispered "Who is that?" "Is that one of ours?" And then--"I would

never have recognized him!" "They sure have changed!" But after talking with everyone for a little while, it seemed like the same old classmates--no change at all!!

We all ate together at the cafeteria at noon--all the time there was a constant chatter--so much reminiscing and visiting to do and such a short time to do it in.

then we went to the business meeting. This would be the first time since we started having GHS Homecoming that our class had had more than 3 when it came time to recognize each class present. This time we had eleven at the business meeting. There would have been more but

one had to leave early and two hadn't arrived as yet.

After the meeting we all met at my home. Everyone gathered around the table of snacks that different ones had prepared and then the display of pictures and scrap books were discovered. We spent the rest of the time remembering different things that we had done--Rythmn Band, choral club, home-ec, ball games, sit-down strikes on one of the first warm days of Spring encounters we had with teachers concerning door knobs, fights; all the parties we had--so many good times!

there just wasn't enough time to get all of our remembrances discussed so after the ballgame all that could returned to my home, where we ate more snacks (something we always like doing) and talked as fast as we could until almost the midnight

hour.
Perhaps out of habit, or could it have been our early discipline, that caused everyone to leave just in time to return to where they were spending the night, by the time the clock struck Midnight. After all, our folks always wanted us home by that time!
—GP—

RE LEON METHODIST SET HARVEST FESTIVAL

The De Leon First United Methodist Harvest Festival will be held Saturday November at the City Hall in De Leon. Doors will open at 10:00 a.m. and will feature homemade baked goods, handiwork, handcraft items, "Grannies Attic." At 5:00 p.m. a Barbecue Dinner will be served in, followed by an auction at 7:00 p.m. Proceeds benefit outreach projects including the Little Children's Care Center, and monthly birthday parties and the Nursing Homes.
—GP—

BAND TO GO TO BRADY MARCHING CONTEST

The Gorman Marching Panther Band will attend the Interscholastic League Marching Contest in Brady on Saturday, November 4. The band students and director, Berry Crudington will leave at 5:00 a.m. Saturday for the contest. The students have been practicing and working diligently for this contest, which is a highlight of the band year and the beginning of many contest they will be participating in before the school year ends.

the competition is very strong at this contest and to place well in it is an accomplishment.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Andrew J. Johnson, Defendant, Greeting:
YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court Eastland, Texas of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, some being the 20th of November A.D. 1978, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 1st day of August A.D. 1978, in this cause, numbered 27,878 on the docket of said court and styled Mildred Johnson, Guardian For the Estate Of Richard L. Hardy, Plaintiff, vs. Andrew J. Johnson, Defendant. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Suit On Collection Of Promissory Note.
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Witness, Joe T. Gray, Clerk of 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

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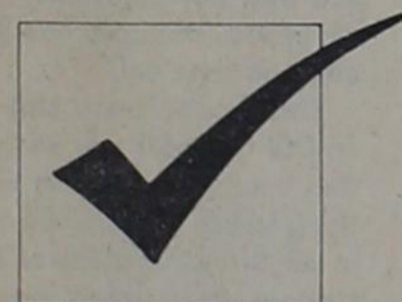
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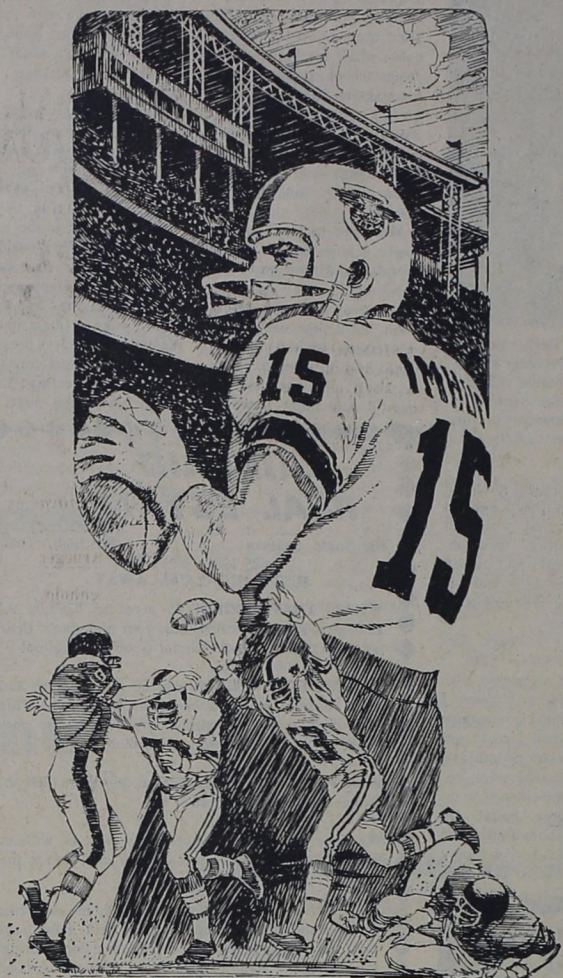
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 Sept. 22 - GORMAN 28 - THROCKMORTON 0
 Sept. 29 - GORMAN 35 - ALBANY 6
 Oct. 6 - GORMAN 55 - PERRIN 0
 Oct. 13 - GORMAN 14 - EVANT 13
 Oct. 21 - GORMAN 48 - LOMETA 6
 Oct. 27 - GORMAN 43 - RISING STAR 8

Nov. 3 - 7:30 — *Tolar **There**
 Nov. 10 - 7:30 — *Blanket **Here**

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1978-79 CUB SCHEDULE

October 12 — GORMAN 14 - EVANT 8
 October 19 — LOMETA 14 - GORMAN 0
 October 26 — RISING STAR 38 - GORMAN 22
 November 2 — Tolar — **Here**
 November 9 — Blanket — **There**

GORMAN PANTHERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.
11	Jimmy Johnson	B	148
12	Billy Simpson	B	136
20	Tim Swanner	B/E	165
22	David Pettit	B	108
23	Blaine Gibbs	B	165
24	Greg Skiles	B/E	150
31	Steve Watson	E	122
33	James Little	B	134
37	Steve Spivey	B	123
40	Toofer Bond	B	135
44	Larry Keith	B	161
45	Kip Nemir	B	143
50	Brad Lewis	G	133
51	Curtis Warren	G	172
55	Jeff Bowling	G	164
60	Andy Kinser	G	150
61	Harvey Bryan	G	140
62	Riley Curb	G	145
63	Charles White	C	225
65	Chris Hogan	G	138
70	Bob Hagood	T	163
74	Ricky Files	T	144
75	Clint Tucker	T	159
77	Peyton Vaughn	T	134
80	Bill Townley	E	147
81	Jamie Snider	E	135
88	Mark Watson	E	75

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 Managers: Bud Jeffs and Scotty Mauney

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 Principal: Bill Sandlin

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 Kelly Mauney
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SENIOR CITIZENS

Well, we had a few sprinkles last week. It seems that that is about our regular quota all the time. Tho the weatherman sure seems to be Cooperating with the harvesting of those peanuts. We are looking longing at the clouds and hoping for the water needed to fill the tanks, lakes and soak the fields for the grain that is sown and being sown. Also for the pastures and replenish the underground supply.

The old folks are just eating and taking care of themselves and trying to figure our how to pay all those increases in the cost of living. I mean the one that are not on the Food stamp line.

Do you know that the Food stamp program will cost six billion dollars per month next year? There will be twenty million on the plan next year. That means it will cost almost \$30 per person on an average for each one not on the plan per month. That means to average out on babies there adults to pay that amount. When? Where will it stop? I do not believe anyone who is not a citizen should draw one penny. Just send them home, except a few refugees driven from their homeland.

Our office gang is as mean and growly as a mangy sow. Some cannot keep their mouth shut. They try to tell you how to play. When it is none of their business. They are like Carter in a way, always talking out of the wrong side of their mouth. About as much judgement, too. Tho we kill a lot of time. It is fun at times.

In the old days the school teachers controlled and taught the children. Most of the parents backed the teachers. I knew that if I tried to do anything wrong to the teacher, that my dad had a good heavy razor strap and I knew that he could make it pop. Wouldn't that kind of discipline be fine if it was that way today? I believe if it was, we would not have so many delinquents around today.

I wonder if that is why so many have lost all respect of our Country and also of themselves. They will do anything to get money except work for it.

When we had a chance to play. We played as hard as we generously worked we would play baseball when we were large enough to play. We would last go to singing school. My Dad liked to sing. We spent many enjoyable hours that way. We had many singings on Friday and Sunday nights. It has been a long trail for me. There has been many enjoyable times. Also there has been many things that were sad and not enjoyable. Tho we travel this road one time and one time only.

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November 7, 1978 (7 de noviembre de 1978)

SAMPLE BALLOT (BOLETA DE MUESTRA)

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION:)

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may vote a straight ticket by placing an "X" in the square beside the name of the party of your choice at the head of the party column. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato. Usted puede votar por todos los candidatos de un solo partido marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del partido de su preferencia a la cabeza de la columna para partidos.)

Candidates for: (Candidatos para:)	Democratic Party (Partido Democratico)	Republican Party (Partido Republicano)	Raza Unida Party (Partido Raza Unida)	Socialist Workers Party (Partido de Trabajadores Socialistas)	Write-In (Voto Escrito)
United States Senator (Senador de Los Estados Unidos)	<input type="checkbox"/> Robert (Bob) Krueger	<input type="checkbox"/> John Tower	<input type="checkbox"/> Luis A Diaz DeLeon	<input type="checkbox"/> Miguel Pendas	
United States Representative, District 17 (Representante de los Estados Unidos, Distrito Num. 17)	<input type="checkbox"/> Charles W. Stenholm	<input type="checkbox"/> Bill Fisher			
Governor (Gobernador)	<input type="checkbox"/> John Hill	<input type="checkbox"/> Bill Clements	<input type="checkbox"/> Mario C. Compean	<input type="checkbox"/> Sara Jean Johnston	
Lieutenant Governor (Gobernador Teniente)	<input type="checkbox"/> Bill Hobby	<input type="checkbox"/> Gaylord Marshall		<input type="checkbox"/> Andrea Doorack	
Attorney General (Procurador General)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mark White	<input type="checkbox"/> Jim Baker		<input type="checkbox"/> Agnes Chapa	
Comptroller of Public Accounts (Contralor de Cuentas Publicas)	<input type="checkbox"/> Bob Bullock				
State Treasurer (Tesorero Estatal)	<input type="checkbox"/> Warren G. Harding			<input type="checkbox"/> Derrick Adams	
Commissioner of General Land Office (Comisionado de Oficina General de Terrenos)	<input type="checkbox"/> Bob Armstrong				
Commissioner of Agriculture (Comisionado de Agricultura)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reagan V. Brown				
Railroad Commissioner (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mack Wallace			<input type="checkbox"/> Jana Pellusch	
Railroad Commissioner (Unexpired Term) (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles) (Termino no completado)	<input type="checkbox"/> John H. Poerner	<input type="checkbox"/> James W. Lacy			
Chief Justice, Supreme Court (Juez Presidente de la Corte Suprema)	<input type="checkbox"/> Joe R. Greenhill				
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1 (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar Num. 1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Franklin Spears				
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2 (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar Num. 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sam D. Johnson				
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 (4 Year Unexpired Term) (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar Num. 3) (Termino no completado de 4 años)	<input type="checkbox"/> Charles W. Barrow				
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4 (2 Year Unexpired Term) (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar Num. 4) (Termino no completado de 2 años)	<input type="checkbox"/> Robert M. Campbell				
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1 (Juez, Corte de Apelación Criminal, Lugar Num. 1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Wendell A. Odom				
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 (Juez, Corte de Apelación Criminal, Lugar Num. 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sam Houston Clinton				
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 3 (Juez, Corte de Apelación Criminal, Lugar Num. 3)	<input type="checkbox"/> W.C. (Bill) Davis				
State Representative, District 54 (Para Representante Estatal, Distrito Num. 54)	<input type="checkbox"/> Joe C. Hanna				
Member State Board of Education District 17 (Para Miembro de la Junta de Instruccion Publica, Distrito Num. 17)	<input type="checkbox"/> James M. Binion				
Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, District 11 (Para Juez Asociado, Corte de Apelación Civil, Distrito Num. 11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Raleigh Brown				
Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, District 11 (Unexpired Term) (Para Juez Asociado, Corte de Apelación Civil, Distrito Num. 11) (Termino no completado)	<input type="checkbox"/> Bob Dickenson				
Criminal District Attorney of Eastland County (Para Procurador del Distrito Criminal)	<input type="checkbox"/> Emory C. Walton				
County Judge (Para Juez del Condado)	<input type="checkbox"/> Scott Bailey				
District Clerk (Para Secretario del Distrito)	<input type="checkbox"/> Roy L. Lane				
County Clerk (Para Secretario del Condado)	<input type="checkbox"/> Joann Johnson				
County Treasurer (Para Tesorero del Condado)	<input type="checkbox"/> Edith McCullough				
County Surveyor (Para Agrimensor del Condado)	<input type="checkbox"/> Chester H. Breneman				
County Commissioner (Para Comisionado del Condado)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Justice of the Peace (Para Juez de Paz)	<input type="checkbox"/>				

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS (ENMIENDAS PROPUESTAS A LA CONSTITUCION)

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION:)

Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote. (Marque con una "X" el cuadro al lado de la frase que indica la manera en que quiere usted votar.)

THE TAX RELIEF AMENDMENT (LA ENMIENDA PARA ALIVIO DE IMPUESTOS)

FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment providing for tax relief for residential homesteads, elderly persons, disabled persons, and agricultural land; for personal property exemptions; for truth in taxation procedures, including citizen involvement; for a redefinition of the tax base; for limitations on state spending; and for property tax administration. (La enmienda constitucional disponiendo alivio de impuestos para hogares seguros residenciales, personas mayores de edad, personas incapacitadas, y tierras agricolas; exenciones de bienes muebles; la verdad en procedimientos tocante a la imposición de impuestos, incluyendo participación de ciudadanos; de nuevo definiendo la base de impuestos; limitando los gastos del estado; y la administración de impuestos sobre propiedad.)

No. 4 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from taxation solar and wind-powered energy devices. (La enmienda constitucional autorizando a la legislatura para exentar de impuestos aparatos de energia solar o de viento.)

No. 5 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment to extend the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in civil cases. (La enmienda constitucional para extender la competencia de los jueces de paz en causas civiles.)

No. 1 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment deleting the archaic reference to the "Deaf and Dumb Asylum," allowing certain products and services of handicapped individuals to be used by agencies and departments of state government, requiring the procurement of other products and services required in the operation of state government to be made under bids awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, making all such procurement processes subject to laws enacted by the legislature and eliminating the requirement that the Governor of Texas, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller of Public Accounts of Texas be personally involved with such transactions. (La enmienda constitucional eliminando la referencia arcaica al "Instituto de Sordos y Mudos," permitiendo que ciertos productos y servicios de personas incapacitadas sean usados por agencias y departamentos del gobierno del estado, requiriendo que otros productos y servicios requeridos en la operación del gobierno del estado sean obtenidos por ofertas concedidas al postor responsable que ofrezca el precio mas baja, haciendo que todos los procesos de procuración sean sujetos a las leyes establecidas por la legislatura y eliminando el requisito que el Gobernador de Texas, el Secretario de Estado, y el Contralor de Cuentas Publicas de Texas participen personalmente en tales negociaciones.)

No. 6 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment permitting the legislature to increase the number of justices on a court of civil appeals, permitting a court of civil appeals to sit in sections, and requiring a concurrence of a majority of justices to decide a case. (La enmienda constitucional permitiendo que la legislatura aumente el número de jueces en cualquier Corte de Apelaciones Civiles, permitiendo que Cortes de Apelaciones Civiles sesionen por secciones, y requiriendo la concurrencia de una mayoría de jueces para decidir una causa.)

No. 2 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment to provide that the legislature may permit political subdivisions to issue revenue bonds to develop employment opportunities for its citizens. (La enmienda constitucional para disponer que la legislatura puede permitir que las subdivisiones politicas que emitan bonos de ingresos, para desarrollar oportunidades de empleo para sus ciudadanos.)

No. 7 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment to repeal the constitutional authority for the State Building Commission and the State Building Fund. (La enmienda constitucional para abrogar la autoridad constitucional de la Comisión de Edificios del Estado y el Fondo de Edificios del Estado.)

No. 3 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment to give the legislature the power to authorize cities and towns to issue bonds to finance the redevelopment of blighted areas and prohibiting any city or town from granting its money or lending its credit for such purposes. (La enmienda constitucional que da a la legislatura el poder de autorizar las ciudades y pueblos para expedir bonos para financiar el desarrollo de areas deterioradas y prohibir cualquier ciudad o pueblo de conceder su dinero o prestar su crédito para tales fines.)

No. 8 FOR (A FAVOR DE)
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

The constitutional amendment authorizing certain districts to engage in fire-fighting activities and to issue bonds or other indebtedness or to issue bonds or otherwise lend their credit for fire-fighting purposes. (La enmienda constitucional autorizando que ciertos distritos participen en actividades contra incendios y emitan bonos o de otra manera presten crédito para tales propósitos.)

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Carbon News
By Mrs. Bob Hastings 639-2517

Larry Sandlin and Vicent Millican were injured badly in a collision between their motorcycle and a car Sunday morning near Lake Leon. Vincent was taken to Hendrick Medical Center at Abilene and is in critical condition there. Larry was first taken to Eastland Memorial Hospital and later taken to Hendrick Medical Center where he is in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weston of Merkel spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston.

Mrs. Collin Campbell visited her aunt Mrs. Alice Heath of Strawn last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Stubblefield spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryant and Heather of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Roy Rice visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rice of Clyde on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Rogers of Fredicksburg were weekend visitors with Mrs. Ova Rogers.

Mrs. Fannie Been, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Been of Grand Prairie visited Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G.A. Plummer of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines during the weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell on Sunday were Mrs. Kenneth Snider, Linda and Julie of Rosebud, Arkansas, and Mrs. Colleen Lamb of Mimrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scheiner of Houston were visiting Mrs. F.J. Stubble-

DESDEMONA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Kermit are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Buckley and family. They are enjoying their new great-granddaughter Dayna Abbey.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Weaver, Heather and Heath of Waco visited Mrs. Dorothy Roberts and Jeff over past weekend.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Mr. Dove Lewis, who was buried Thursday in Alameda.

Mary Alice (Brown) Ficklen and a friend of Dallas was in town Monday visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. B.M. Keith of Odessa visited the Pug Guthery's over the weekend and attended the funeral of Mr. Willard Robinett Monday in De Leon.

field Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston visited relatives in Goldthwaite on Sunday.*

MRS. J.E. DANIELS HONORED ON 84th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J.E. Daniels was honored with a surprise party for her 84th birthday. The party was held in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, A.J. and Dorothy Goates of Kokomo. We had a covered dish luncheon. At 2:00 p.m. we sang happy birthday to Ma, Sonnie Daniels, and Jenny Dawn Scitern. Served at the party was cake, ice cream and punch. In attendance at the party were four of her children and their husbands and wives, 8 grandchildren, and seventeen great-grandchildren. Also in attendance was Dee Dee Rodgers.

Those present were: A.D. and Sonnie Daniels of De Leon; Melvin Daniels of De Leon; Bonnie, Alvis, and Leveda Scitern of Gorman;

Mrs. Neta Gee returned home Sunday after a visit with her daughters Betty Higgins and Frances Friday of Fort Worth.

HONOR ROLL - GORMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

4th GRADE
A Honor Roll
Daivd Gibbs, Stacey Slampa, Bryan Wood.
A-B Honor Roll
Sam Brinegar, Mike Snider and Toby Snider.

5th GRADE
A Honor Roll
Randy Anderson, and Danny Barnett.

Dorothy and A.J. Goates of Kokomo; Raymond Daniels and daughter April of Rising Star; Kathy Scitern and children, Becky, Allen, Steven, and Jenny of Kokomo; Gerald and Ina Scitern and children, Brenda, Nita, Amy, and Kevin of Gorman; Melva and Otis Jordan and children, Tammy, Zandra, and Michael of Eastland; Vivian and Everett Wilcoxon and children; Windell, Bobbie and Ronnie of Cisco; Angie and Tracey Croley of Kokomo; Annette and Troy Dickerson and Gaylon Kim-mell of Comanche; and Dee Dee Rodgers of Gorman.

Everyone had an enjoyable time.
Reported by Tammy Jordan

NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davenport of Stephenville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Othell Clark and Bill.

A-B Honor Roll
Traci Burns, Tammy Campbell, Shannon Caraway, Rhett Harrison and Wayne Warren.

6th GRADE
A Honor Roll
Angela Burgess, Lisa Foster, and Lori Halcomb.
A-B Honor Roll
Mary Jane Gray, Russ Gressett, Charla Little, Angie Plaunty, Leslie Sikes, Stephan Slampa, Jeff Ripley, Katherine Turner.

7th GRADE
A Honor Roll
Alfie Pino
A-B Honor Roll
Shelly Hambrick, Terri Keith, Kristi Odell, Debra Swanner, Mark Swanner.

8th GRADE
A Honor Roll
Susan Barnett, Toby Cordell, Tracy Dossy, Dane Gressett, Michael Halcomb, Kathy Snider.
A-B Honor Roll
Jimmie Needham, Veronica Kight.

GORMAN PROGRESS, NOVEMBER 2, 1978

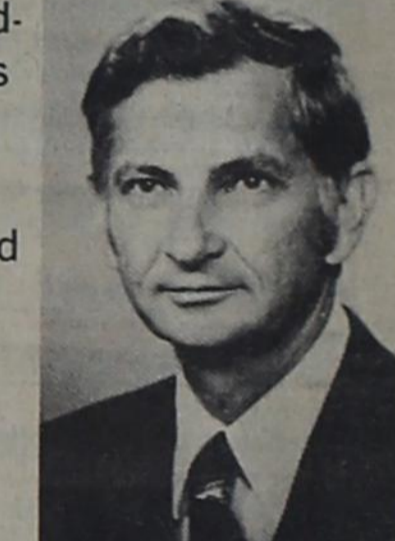
Visitors with Mrs. Ruby Bennett Friday were Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Bennett of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynn Bennett, Terry and Latrecia of Odessa and Mrs. Pearl of Carbon.

Last weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bolt

was his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bolt of Lake George Village, New York. They were on their way to Harligen. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lindsey of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. George Bolt of Stephenville and their children.

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