



PRESS POINTS
JOE BENNETT, Publisher

Things continue to look better for our community as new businesses are opening here. This is a good sign as far as the future is concerned.

Brenda Warren has opened the American Body Wrap Salon next door to Gorman Insurance. Brenda is really excited and enthusiastic about her new business adventure and invites everyone in for a visit. We welcome this new firm to Gorman and wish Brenda the best for the future.

The Gorman branch office of the Sunbelt Savings is now open and they invite everyone to come by and have a cup of coffee and a visit. The temporary office has been completed and the new sign is up. The permanent building will be constructed as soon as the bids can be received and the decision made as to the contractor. The new building will be erected just behind the temporary office. Welcome to Gorman.

Judy Hanifan is now associated with Jay's Insurance Agency. James is happy to have someone with Judy's ability in the office and now he won't have to work so hard.

Pictures of the above named appear elsewhere in this issue.

We are still looking for the rain that is needed so desperately in this area both for the lakes and stock ponds and also for the seasonal moisture for the upcoming peanut crop plantings. So I am putting in our order for rain and hope that it will arrive soon and will not be put on back order. Maybe the Good Lord will see fit to send the rain. Why not ask him for his help when you visit with him.

According to Roland Smith and Gene Foster the list of talent continues to grow for the Benefit Talent Show to be held here on March 14th. It is rumored that "Coach" Coffman has finally given in to the pressure of all the requests he has been given and will appear on the program. He is not only going to dance jig but is also expected to render a vocal number since so many have requested him to do so. Now you understand that this is rumors and we were unable to get an interview with him due to his heavy schedule but we are looking forward to having him appear on the show.

The Gorman Firemen are now in the process of dismantling the old telephone office in preparation of clearing the lot and pouring a slab to begin construction of a new Fire Station. We are very glad for the firemen and they are looking forward to the completion of the new facility. There will be four stalls for trucks and also a storage room and hopefully a meeting room for the firemen. This facility has been needed for a long time.

And remember to smile because God Loves You!

GORMAN FFA SPRING FRUIT SALE

The Gorman FFA Chapter will be selling fruit from February 12 - 27. The fruit this time of year is a lot better than that before Christmas. Due to poor weather conditions oranges were of poor quality before Christmas so we will offer these better oranges at a lower price. The Chapter will be selling Oranges, Grapefruit, and Apples. The money raised will be used to help FFA members attend the State FFA Convention in Dallas. Your support will be appreciated. Fruit delivery will be approximated during the second week of March.

Judy Hanifan New Manager



NEW MANAGER — Judy Hanifan is now associated with Jay's Insurance as manager. Judy has had seven years experience in Insurance Work. She was employed by Cook Insurance Agency, Inc. in De Leon for five months and was manager of the Dublin Insurance for six years.

She is married to Rick Hanifan, an employee of Truck Transportation. They have a daughter Shanda, who is a first grader in Gorman Schools. They are affiliated in the Baptist Church and live with her mother, Mrs. Mary Fair in the Indian Mountain Community.

ATTENTION ALL CARBON PROPERTY OWNERS

All property owners in the Carbon School District are invited to attend a meeting concerning property reappraisal process and procedures. The meeting will be Thursday, February 19 at 7:30 in the Carbon School Cafeteria. Patrons will have the opportunity to meet and visit with Steve Thomas, Chief Appraiser for the Eastland County Appraisal District. Mr. Penny, Onsite Inspector and representative for McMorries Appraisal Company will also be present. It is our sincere hope that you will plan to attend.

Kenn Norris

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for the cards, phone calls, the flowers, food, visits and we want to thank all the hospital staff and the doctors we are so proud of our hospital. We have such a sweet bunch of nurses. We thank you for ever kind deed and most of all your prayers. We thank you for ever visit that has been made.

Thank again,
Floyd and Lydia Gowan

MRS. ROSA BOUCHER IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

Word was received Monday that Mrs. Rosa Boucher had fallen and broken a hip. She was to undergo surgery when her condition permitted. Mrs. Boucher was former Post Mistress and a long time resident of Gorman. Friends may send get well cards and letters to her at Methodist Hospital, 3615 19th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79410.

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who have demonstrated in any way their love and sympathy in the loss of our loved one, we take this means of expressing our deepest gratitude for your numerous acts of kindness. We shall always remember and cherish your expressions of care, hope and love.

The Family of
Glenna Lucile Sheets
Clarence Sheets
Rowena and Ross Wilson
William and
Margaret Mulleneaux

EARLY DAY CHURCH TO BE DEMOLISHED

The building shown above was the first and the only Presbyterian Church built in Gorman. It was used for many years as the Gorman Telephone Company facilities.

It will be demolished soon to make room for the new four stall Fire Department building to house the Fire Trucks.



Services For American Body Wrap Now Open Held Sun.

EASTLAND — George W. Rhyne, 72, of Eastland, a retired carpenter, died at 1:30 p.m. Friday February 13, 1981 at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at Arrington-Edwards Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Lee Fields of Carbon officiated. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery.

Born April 17, 1908, in Carbon, he married Willie Inez Taylor October 9, 1931, in Eastland. He had lived in Eastland for 24 years, moving from Carbon. He was a Baptist.

His wife died in 1966.

He is survived by a son, Ray of Ranger; a daughter, Betty Durham of Eastland; two brothers, Jake of San Antonio and Phillip of Borger; a sister, Pearl Snodgrass of Carbon; 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

J.N. Graham Laid To Rest Saturday

DE LEON — John Newton Graham, 79, of De Leon died at 4:40 a.m. Friday February 13, 1981 in a De Leon nursing home after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at De Leon Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Donnie Aulvinshine, pastor of St. Joe Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery with Masonic graveside rites. Born October 21, 1901, in Pantitoc, Miss., he was a member of Woodland Masonic Lodge in Houston. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include a son, John G. of Pasadena; a brother, Jack of Sipe Springs; a sister, Buena Bateman of Brownwood; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Rites For Mother of Mrs. Wilson

Glenna Lucile Sheets, 80, of Quitman, Texas died February 9, 1981 at the Medical Center in Tyler, Texas. Services were held February 10, 1981 at the First United Methodist Church in Quitman with Rev. Larry Grubbs officiating.

Born January 16, 1901 in Colfax, Iowa, she married Clarence Sheets February 17, 1923 in Des Moines, Iowa. She was a retired school teacher having taught in the public schools of Waxachachie and Richardson, Texas.

She is survived by her husband Clarence A. Sheets of Quitman, a daughter, Mrs. Ross Wilson of Gorman, Texas and a brother, William Mulleneaux of Newton, Iowa.



NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS — Brenda Warren has opened American Body Wrap Salon in the Jeffs building located next door to Gorman Insurance Agency.

Brenda states she opened the American Body Wrap Salon to help keep you slim and trim. The Salon was opened on Monday but Brenda plans a formal opening at a later date. She also plans to install a tanning booth. Mrs. Amy Troutman and Carol Irving are employees of the salon.

Brenda, a native of Gorman and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adren Bryant and is married to Jerry Warren, they have two children, Wayne age 12 and Shannon age 10. They live on their peanut farm and ranch north of Gorman.

For further information on the American Body Wrap give Brenda a call or go by and see the beautifully decorated Salon.

SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

Well, another week has rolled into history and still no rain for us, which is needed now or a little sooner. Tho we did have a day with near zero, with a chill factor many degrees below zero. Many low records were broken in several places.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Mamie Hughes Hazard raised in Staff community also George Rhyne raised in Carbon, and Ellen Horn, wife of Lon Horn. I went to School with Lon 1915-16 at Flatwood. May you look to the King of Kings in you bereavement.

We had a wonderful Valentine party here Friday eve. Juanita was so wonderful with her accordinian, also piano and singing. What a wonderful talent she has. This was appreciated by all.

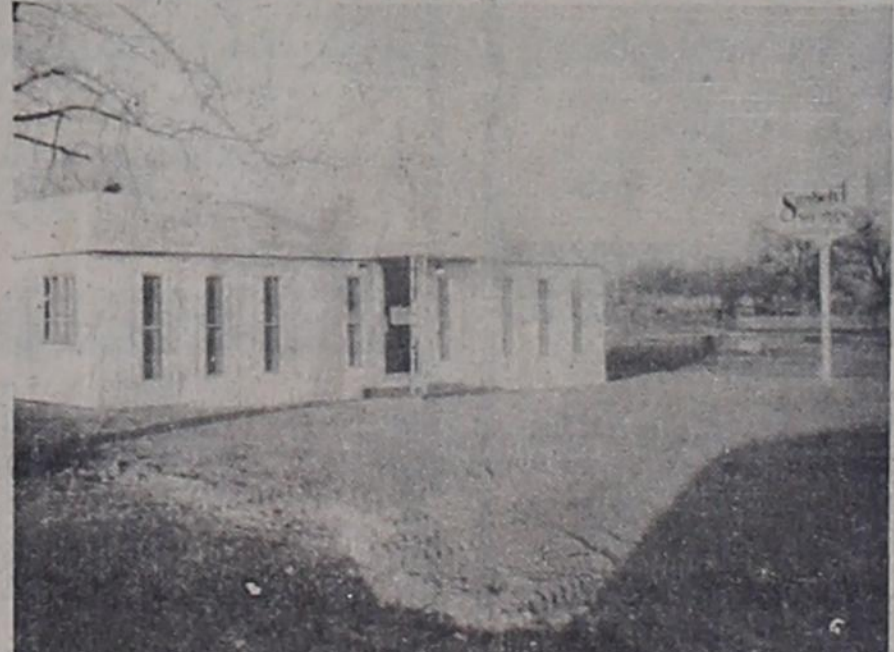
The Marine Corps tried Garwood for Desertion and many other charges. What a shame. The Hostages were in Iran prison for 14 months. They were brain washed, etc. When they came home they were praised to the High Heaven. What do you think Garwood went thru? Brain washed, etc., until he did what the Viet Cong wanted. Do you know whom the guilty ones were? Lydon Johnson and the members of Congress were the guilty ones. They would not let our men invade N. Vietnam. Would not let our planes destroy their reservoirs. Too much money being made by the warmongarors. So they did not want to win.

I went to town to get a hair set last week. The Barber wanted to make me some spit curls. I told her no, to cut them off. I was afraid it would make all the Home jealous.

I went by the Nut House and at the door I met little Jack. He had tears in his eyes nearly as large as monkey eggs. I asked him his troubles and thru his tears and snubbling he said that they ran him out of the Nut House. Said no kids under 12 allowed in there.

He was going to get a pair of boots with 12 inch soles

THE RAMBLER REPORTER



SUNBELT SAVINGS OPEN IN GORMAN — The new branch office is now open on Hwy. 6.

HOMEMAKERS CLASS MEET IN THE HOME OF LOUE BEEN

Homemakers Class of First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Loue Beene for their regular monthly party February 10. Mrs. Louise Brown was co-hostess.

Mrs. Bea O'Neal conducted a short business meeting following the opening prayer by Mrs. Beene. Mrs. Doris Bryan gave the devotional on Love and Valentine's Day. Invocation was given by Mrs. Louise Brown.

Valentine theme was used in the refreshments and table decorations. Guests were served sandwich loaf, radish roses, celery sticks, sausage wheels, chips, candy, angel food and plum cakes and hot spiced tea and coffee.

Members present were: Mrs. Joan Butler, Mrs. Euna Porter, Mrs. Gladys Chambliss, Mrs. Doris Bryan, and Mrs. Bea O'Neal.

SENIORS TO HOLD BAKE SALE SATURDAY

The Senior Class will hold a bake sale Saturday, February 21 at 8:30 a.m. in front of the Post Office.

on them. Stay in there David. The money Carter agreed to give Iran for the release of Hostages should not have gone to Iran. He was not president when they were released. Now we will lose millions of dollars to then now.

Last night I went to Jessie Lee's, Jim Maddie, Vernon and Juanita Fuller were there. We had some wild 84 bidding. The men showed to be the Master of the Game. I sure enjoyed it so much. I believe I could spend a night at that.

I am looking forward to Reagans speech Wednesday. There are so many things that could be stopped. Such as Peace Corps, Department of Education and a few thousand fired on Energy program. The head of that draws \$175,000. Cut out Food Stamps to Foreigners. When a person is drawing unemployment, if a job in any line of work is open let them take it, even it is lower pay scale. Control the Mafia Labor Racket.

Look up. Smile as tomorrow may be a better day for all. Do Right, Stand for Right.

BASKETBALL NEWS

PEE WEE BASKETBALL NEWS

MORAN TOURNAMENT
Gorman Girls won the first game 20 to 16 over Baird. High scorer for Gorman was Stacy Slampa and Susie Osborne with 8 points each, Garcilia Landa and Andra Wilson had 2 points each.

Gorman Boys beat Baird 22 to 16. High Scorer for Gorman was David Gibbs with 10 points, Daniel Martin scored 6 points, Glenn Burgess, Sammy Brinegar, and Bud Plaunty each scored 2 points.

Second round of games Gorman girls beat Albany 22 to 9. High Scorer for Gorman was Stacy Slampa with 10 points, Susie Osborne scored 8 points, Andra Williams and Shanna Savage scored 2 points each.

Gorman boys lost to Albany 16 to 19. Scott Gressett was high scorer for Gorman with 8 points, Sammy Brinegar scored 4 points, David Gibbs and Toby Snider scored 2 points each.

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Gorman Girls win Championship game

Gorman Girls won the Championship game by defeating Ranger 20 to 4. Shanna Savage and Garcilia Landa tied for high scorer with 6 points each, Stacy Slampa, Andra Wilson, Tena Keese and Corca Landa scored 2 points each.

Boys Win Third Place

Gorman Boys won Third Place in the Tournament by outscoring Moran 22 to 10. Michael Ables was high scorer for Gorman with 8 points, Daniel Martin, Sammy Brinegar, Toby Snider, and Glenn Burgess scored 2 points each and Joey Beaty and Scott Gressett scored 3 points each.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday were:
Ozy Hallmark Gorman
J. D. Rodgers Gorman
Gus Frossard Gorman
Willie Barrett Gorman
Cody Skinner Gorman
Virginia McCullough Gorman

Gerald Walley Eastland
Ernest Barnes Gorman
Lendon Shipman Gorman
Clyde Pulley Gorman
Bud Allen Gorman
Rosa Lee Tubbs Gorman
Stanley Baker Rising Star
Zelma McCullough Straw
Marilou Summers Gorman
James Morris Gorman
Lola Graham Gorman
Pauline Cocker Gorman
Jerry Poynor Gorman

Patients Dismissed February 11:

Ann Funderburg
February 12:
William Isbell
Zelma McCullough
Eula Martin
Elise Lewis Rising Star
February 16:
Jarrett Selman

GORMAN PEE WEE TOURNAMENT BEGINS

The Senior Class is sponsoring a Pee Wee Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Gorman Fifth grade boys with play the Comanche team in the first round of Tournament play Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Gorman Pee Wee Girls will play Rising Star at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Gorman Sixth Grade boys will play Rising Star at 8:30 p.m. Thursday.

VARSITY TEAMS END SEASON

Gorman High School Girls ended Basketball Season with a record of 18 wins and 7 losses and a district record of 8 wins and 2 losses.

The last game was played February 10 with Carbon with Gorman winning 48 to 40. High scorer for Gorman was Beth Rodgers with 19 points, Terry Jeffs scored 10 points, Susan Snider had 9 points, Caye Little had 4 points, Lori Files had 4 points and Kristy Odell had 2 points.

High scorer for Carbon was Morgan with 10 points, Allison, Kanady and House each scored 6 points, Halford and Hagan scored 2 points each.

Gorman Boys Lose to Carbon
Gorman Varsity Boys team had a district record of 7 and 3 and lost their last game of the season to Carbon 55 to 49. Carbon also is 7 and 3 in District.

High scorer for Gorman was Andy Kinser with 17 points, Dane Gressett scored 13 points, Mark Swanner and Bud Jeffs had 4 points each, Jeff Seaton and Scotty Mauerne scored 4 points each also.

High scorer for Carbon was Carlton with 24 points, Bledsoe with 16 points, Tucker with 8 points, Pack with 4 points, Shook with 3 points.

SCHOOL Menu

February 23-27
BREAKFAST
MONDAY — Pineapple juice, rice, toast and milk.
TUESDAY — Orange juice, dry cereal and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Apple juice, sweet rolls, and milk.
THURSDAY — Pineapple juice, toast, jelly and milk.
FRIDAY — Biscuits, sausage and gravy and milk.
LUNCH
MONDAY — Spaghetti, blackeyed peas, corn, pudding, milk and bread.
TUESDAY — Sliced Turkey, new potatoes, English peas, cake and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Bologna sandwiches, salad, fruit and cookies, and milk.
THURSDAY — Tamale pie, pinto beans, spinach, cookies and jello.
FRIDAY — Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, milk and ice cream.

HAPPENINGS

Corn Gold Sausage for Immediately delivery. Call Band Booster Club Member Mrs. Ralph Hudson at 734-2307 nights, or day at 2420 or Call Ina Scitern at 734-2720.

NARFE Chapter 555 will meet at the Colony Restaurant at Cisco at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 24. All members are urged to be present for lunch. Business meeting and program to be announced at meeting. Prospective members who are retired Federal Employees are urged to attend and become members.

The Monday Night Swingers will hold a dance March 11 at the De Leon City Hall from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m. Music by Jr. Trice and Buddy Weeks Band.

The Half Century Club will sponsor a dance at the City Hall in De Leon Saturday, February 21, from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m. Music provided by The Country Four of Brownwood.

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

Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets the 1st 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.

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HELP WANTED: Lawndale Home of Senior Citizens has opening for afternoon cook and nurses aides. Please apply in person. 11-20-fnc.

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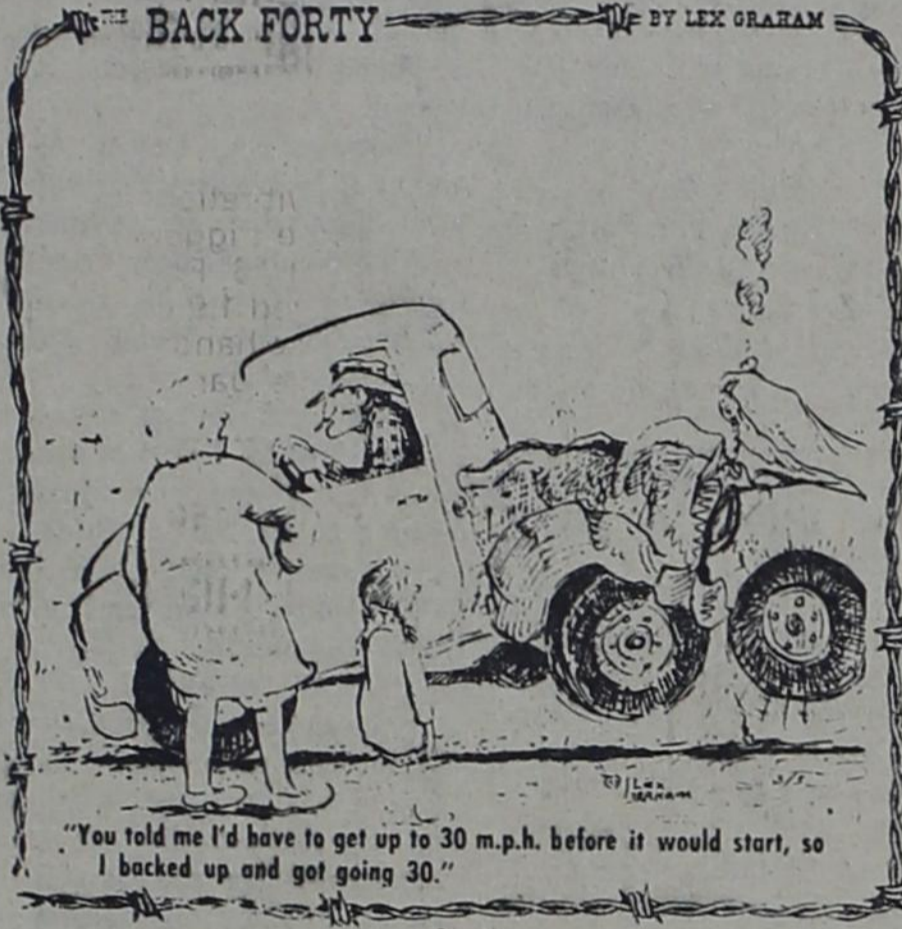
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CARBON NEWS

By Mrs. Bob Hasting
 639-2517

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rhyne of Phillips spent Saturday night with Mrs. Ruth Craighead and attend the funeral of George Rhyne in Eastland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston visited relatives in Goldthwaite on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Boug Bryant, Heather and Heath of Dumas during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rhyne of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rhyne of Phillips and Benny Snodgrass of Fort Stockton visited Mrs. Pearl Snodgrass during the weekend and attended the funeral of George Rhyne on Sunday

in Eastland. Mrs. Danny Cox and Corey of Arlington spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCurry of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Thompson and family were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines.

Wayne Parson of Everman visited his mother Mrs. Lona Abbott during the weekend.

Mrs. Sherry Daskovitch and children of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lightfoot of De Leon and Jackie Brooks of Arlington were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston.

A AND B HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED AT TARLETON STATE UNI.

STEPHENVILLE, TX — Students making the A and B honor rolls and the Distinguished Students list totaled 687 for the 1980 Fall semester at Tarleton State University, according to TSU registrar John Whiting.

Students listed on the A honor roll must have a 4.0 grade point ratio on the 4.0 system and be taking a minimum of 12 hours. Students on the B honor roll have a grade point ratio between 3.00 and 3.99 with no grade lower than B and be taking a minimum of 12 hours. Freshman and sophomore Distinguished Students have a minimum GPR of 3.25 with no grade lower than C. Junior and senior Distinguished Students have a minimum GPR of 3.50 with no grade lower than C.

Area students on the honor rolls were: Randall J. Grimshaw on the A honor roll and the Distinguished Student list from Desdemona and Barry D. Nitcholas on the B honor roll and the Distinguished Student list also both from Desdemona. The students from Gorman are: Linda Gibbs on the A honor roll and Distinguished Students list; Janda G. Gibbs

AREA MEN ATTEND TEXAS FARM BUREAU LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Ernest Reich of Cisco, Eastland County Farm Bureau President, and Bob Shults of Rising Star, Legislative Committee Chairman of the same organization, attended the Texas Farm Bureau Leadership Conference held at the Autin-Hilton on January 26-28, 1981.

American Farm Bureau President Robert Delano and Texas Farm Bureau President Carol Chaloupka led discussions exploring areas where county Farm Bureau presidents might better serve their respective counties.

Joe Gosch, who resides with his wife Sue and three children at 305 West 4th Street, Cisco, is the Agent-Manager for the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

—GP—

Vegetables include roots such as potatoes, stems such as celery, flowers such as capers, fruits such as tomatoes and seeds such as peas.

on the B honor roll and the Distinguished Student list; Ruth Ann Hagood on the B honor roll and the Distinguished Students list; Alecia D. Cornwell on the B honor roll; and Pricilla Cornwell on the B honor roll.

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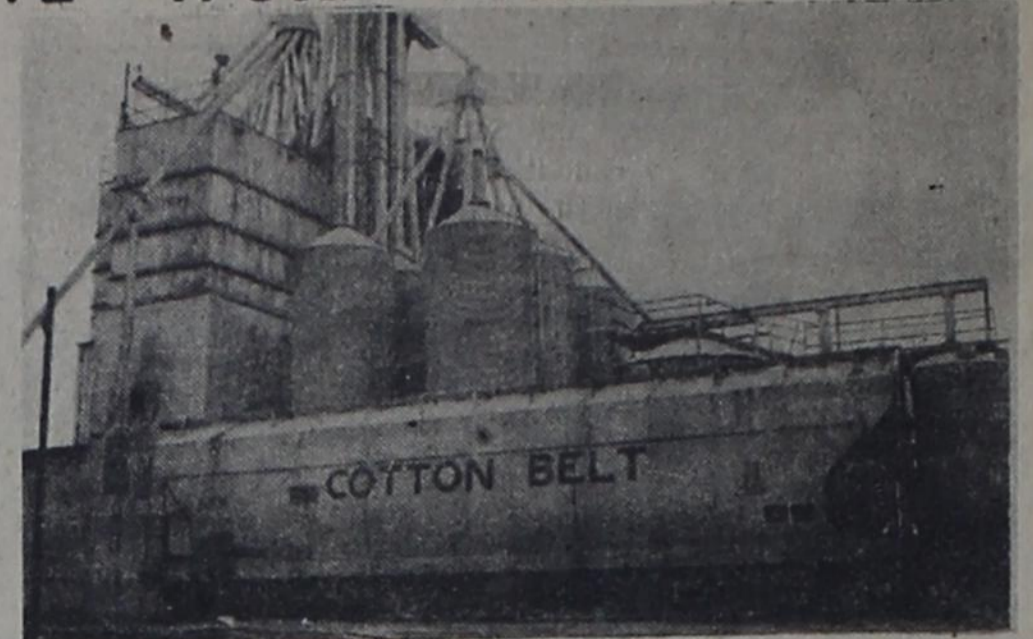
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KOKOMO NEWS
by Zelda Jordan

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WELCOME TO SERVICES of the GORMAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

BIBLE CLASS 10:00 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP 10:45 A.M.
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people were served and \$213 was taken in. What a nice sight it was to see friends from all over the area visiting with each other as they enjoyed the good food and fellowship. We also appreciate those who bought tickets but did not get to come. The money will be used for a good cause to support the charitable projects of the club.

KOKOMO BAPTIST HAVE A NEW PASTOR

Brother Jim Andrews of Eastland has accepted the pastorate of the Kokomo Baptist Church. Brother Andrews and his wife, Brenda, and sons, Jimmy Don and Billy live in Eastland. He is employed at the Eastland Drug and she is in the office at the Eastland Memorial Hospital. He has attended Southwestern Seminary at Fort Worth and has served as Youth Director at the First Baptist Church in Eastland, and been the supply preacher in several area churches. This is Bro. Andrews first pastorate, and we feel it is really a blessing of God to have him as our pastor. A cordial invitation is given to all to come and worship with us at any service.

Bro. Andrews and family were in both services at Kokomo on Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Rice of Gorman and Kami Leonard of Canadian. Robert Fortenberry was a visitor on Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning and Donna rendered the special music at the morning service.

SWEETHEART BANQUET
The Sweetheart Banquet, honoring the youth of the Kokomo Baptist Church and their guests was held in the fellowship hall of the church on Wednesday night, February 11. The fellowship hall was beautifully decorated in the Valentine theme. Each table for four was covered with a red cloth and held red candle holders, the head tables was covered with a red cloth and had a floral and Valentine centerpiece.

Daniel Dixon of Howard Payne at Brownwood entertained with musical selections and was the speaker for the banquet.

Bobby Eaves, Youth Leader at Kokomo, and his wife Elaine attended and Bobby served as Master of Ceremonies.

Mexican food was served by Aletha Burgess, Helen Browning, Carolyn Little, Paula Morrow and Kay Snider.

Mr. Woodrow Browning attended the Brotherhood meeting at the New Hope Baptist Church on Thursday night.

Mrs. Tim Fails and Cody of Abilene and Mrs. Dora Garrett were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cozart of Eastland were visiting one day last week with Mrs. Dora Garrett.

Mrs. Richard Nachtigall, Taylor and Trevis of Morgan Mill visited with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell from Tuesday until Thursday.

TAX COUNSELING FOR THE ELDERLY TO START

Mr. Garrett, announces that the Tax Counseling Program for the elderly is now in progress. He will be in the Senior Citizens Building each

Wednesday from about 10:00 a.m. to 2 P.M. to assist those who may have a question about filing their income tax return. He will even make returns for those who can not do so for themselves. He states that if you have any complicated return that it would be best for you to go to IRS or a regular tax preparer. He will work primarily with the normal average tax return that the elderly will be filing.

Jimmy Dale Hendricks of Eastland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Saturday. Bro. and Mrs. Jim Andrews, Jimmy Don and Billy were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning, Donna and Gary on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mr. Jamie Lewallen of Floydada were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan on Thursday night. The occasion was to honor Claude and Juanita Fuller who celebrated a wedding anniversary on February 3.

Jamie Lewallen was an overnight guest of the Jordans.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Spencer and family of San Antonio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers and Jonna of Carbon were visiting with Mrs. Bernice Rodgers on Saturday night after the stew supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman visited in Breckenridge on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. O'Neal's sister, Mrs. Virgie Gray and with a niece, Mrs. Jack Gray.

Word has been received here that Mr. Ellis Carter of Hereford has undergone surgery in an Amarillo Hospital and is doing well. Mr. Carter and his dear wife, who recently passed away, have visited at Kokomo many times and are loved by all who know them.

Earl Norris of Flatwood was visiting with Jim Jordan on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fiels were visiting with the Glenn Jordans on Monday night.

Mr. Hugh Clearman of Lawn and Dr. M. M. Mims of Hereford visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman and Kami Jo Leonard on Saturday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Danny Snider and their new baby girl, born Thursday, February 12.

There will be a covered dish luncheon following the morning services at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday, February 22 to welcome the new pastor, Bro. and Mrs. Jim Andrews, Jimmy Don and Billy.

Word has been received that Bro. Bob Watson is seriously ill in the De Leon Hospital. We pray for a speedy recovery.

Wednesday, you may call Mr. Garrett at 734-2573 and he might be able to help you over the telephone or make a date to meet you at some other time.

Mr. Garrett has just completed his third four day tax school that is sponsored by NRTA/AARP with the approval and help of the Internal Revenue Service. In this school time is spent dealing with the average type of return that an elderly person will be filing and this is

basically what he will be dealing with. If he can help you, he will and if he can't, he will tell you and suggest that you go elsewhere. This program is designed for the elderly but Mr. Garrett said that he would be glad to answer questions or help anyone who asked for help.

This is a free service done by volunteer workers all over the United States. Several hundred thousand returns were filed through this service last year. Mr. Garrett is

not a certified tax preparer and will not sign your return as such, but it will be stamped with the initials TCE in the space that a preparer would sign.

NEWS

—GP—
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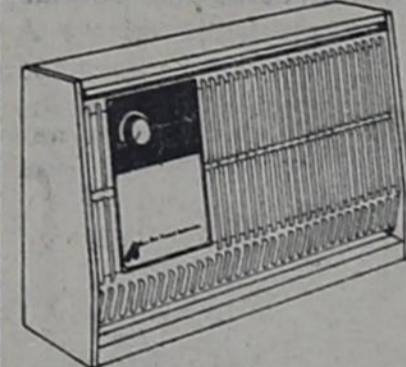
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LAWNDALE NEWS

By Jettie Daniels

We had a jumbled up party last Friday, we celebrated Washington's and Lincoln's Birthday, also Valentine's Day.

We had 27 residents out and they enjoyed the party very much, especially, Juanita Fuller's playing the accordion and piano. She played, Love Songs of years gone by, the one's our residents use to sing.

We served heart shaped cookies, with red icing, also red punch.

Had a few visitors, hope they enjoyed the party.

Thanks very much to Mrs. Yardley, Velma Bennett and Juanita Fuller for their cooperation and help. Appreciate them very much.

This is Tuesday the 17th. Roland Smith will be here tonight and everyone is looking forward to hearing him once again. Know we will all have a ball as we always do.

Mr. Garrett is to bring our Bible Study this week. Next week the 25th, Richard Wat-

son will conduct the Bible Study.

Thanks very much to these gentlemen, from all of us at Lawndale.

Church Services each Sunday at 2:30 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. Bingo on Tuesday's at 2 p.m.; Bible Study on Wednesday's at 2 p.m.; Singing each Thursday night at 7 p.m.; Dominoes every day at 2 p.m.

Everyone is welcome to attend our Activities, be more than glad to have you and know that you as well as our residents will receive a blessing, because you were here and because you cared.

GORMAN PROGRESS, FEBRUARY 19, 1981

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB MEET FEBRUARY 9th

The Woman's Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Lois Buchanan on Monday evening, February 9, 1981. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to start the evening off.

The theme of the meeting was "God is Love". Ms. Don Moorman gave a talk on Women of the Bible, in which she discussed events in the lives of some of the women of biblical times and how they influenced history as well as the world around them.

Mrs. Buchanan played several songs on the piano and the music was enjoyed.

Mrs. Joan Butler, President, conducted a short business meeting. Ms. Sandy Morris' name was proposed for membership and tabled for consideration at the next meeting in two weeks, in accordance with the constitution of the club.

Mrs. Mary Crenshaw read a letter of thanks from West Texas Rehab Center.

Everyone had such a good time that they stayed around to visit a while after the meeting was over.

Mrs. Claude Fuller will resume teaching **PIANO - THEORY** in her home.

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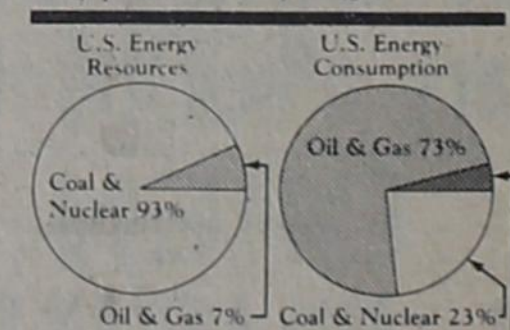
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