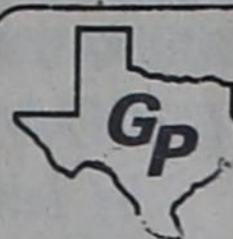


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OUR 82ND YEAR OF SERVICE

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The heat wave that has hit our area is welcomed by everyone as the warmer weather is great for a change. With all the cases of "The Bug" that has plagued the area during the cold weather, most folks really appreciate the nice warm weather so they can recuperate. Now I guess the weathermen will probably send us all into shock with another cold blast and freeze us to death. Oh well, one thing for sure: if you don't like the weather, wait a minute and it will probably change.

What we really need is about three inches of good rain within a couple of days, and then cloud up and come a good chunk floater. Maybe the Good Lord will bless us with some moisture soon. Talk to him about it in your quiet time with him tonight.

Have you noticed the new look at the J. D. Hampton place out on the Kokomo road. They have just completed a renovation project and the house sure does look great. If you haven't seen it as yet, drive out and see it. It is pretty.

We wish to welcome the new operator of the Exxon Station into business. L. M. Wooten has opened the station and has the station really looking good. L. M. is no newcomer to Gorman as he and his family have lived here for years. His son is assisting him in the business and we wish them success.

Don't forget the Kokomo Stew Supper this Saturday night beginning at 5 p. m. Go out and enjoy some great stew built by the Kokomo ladies and help support their annual West Texas Rehab benefit project. The price for the marvelous stew is very low and the money goes for a most worthy cause. Remember the date, Saturday night, and go out and get some stew and visit with all the folks.

We have had a little mix up about the Junior High girls district race. The way we understand it the district is divided into two halves. The way we worked it out Eula and Carbon tied the first half with Eula and Carbon each losing one game and in the second half Eula, Carbon and Gorman each had one loss. So if this all works out then all three teams ended the season with two losses each and this would mean a tie in district. We hope all this is right because its hard to keep up with all the games and to know each teams record.

If anyone has any different information to solve this puzzle we would be glad to get it.

We received the following letter this week and thought we would include it.

Dear Estelle:
Each week as we receive the Progress and read of events of friends, dear friends and the joy and sorrows our hearts are touched and we realize as we grow older things happen, and we wish we could do or say something to let them know about it. If you have space I would like for you to print for the Kent family my feelings about Mrs. Kents going home to rest.

Florence Kent was a very special lady, a fine Christian, loyal friend, and filled with a heart full of love that always kept giving it away. She took

LIONS CLUB TO HOLD LIGHT BLUB SALE

The Gorman Lions Club will be selling light bulbs starting next Monday night, February 22 beginning at 5:30 p. m. when they plan the first part of their sale in the area of town north of Hwy. 6.

The Lions will be selling the top quality Sylvania light bulbs and there will be two different packs of bulbs for sale. One will be the energy saver pack with only 60 watt bulbs and the other will be the Thank You pack which will have three different size bulbs in it. Each pack will sell for \$3 and the Lions will be making a house-to-house sale to help raise money for their civic projects in our community.

Bulbs will also be for sale at Gorman Pharmacy, Lasater's Discount Store and East End Co-Op. in the old bank building. Buyers may also buy bulbs at these locations for the same price of \$3 per pack.

The Lions plan to divide

the town into different parts and sell the different areas on each consecutive Monday night to cover the entire town. So if you are not contacted on the first sale night, don't be discouraged, as the Lions will be knocking on your door soon.

This sale is expected to be an annual project of the Lions if all goes well. The Lions also hold an annual Broom and Mop Sale to benefit the Blind once each year.

Your support of this project will be greatly appreciated by the Lions Club and you can be assured that the funds derived from this sale will be used in civic projects of the club only as their meals, etc. are taken care of by their quarterly dues. So all of your money will be used in important civic need projects.

So all you folks north of Hwy. 6 be ready to greet the Lions this Monday night when they come calling and buy those badly needed light bulbs from the Lions.

Florence Kent Laid To Rest Thursday

Ada Florence Kent, 81, of Gorman, died Tuesday February 9, 1982 at Blackwell Hospital. Services were at 2 p. m. Thursday at First United Methodist Church, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

The Rev. Sam Partee officiated, assisted by the Rev. Marion Dennis. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery.

She was born February 15, 1900, in Eastland County, where she married Bert Kent October 13, 1927, in Eastland County. He died in 1964. She was a former member of the Blackwell Hospital Auxiliary and was member of First United Methodist Church.

A daughter, three brothers and three sisters preceded her in death.

Survivors include three sons, Bert R. of Gorman, William L. of Olden and Bill W. of Center; a daughter, Twyla Wallace of Gorman; eight grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lowell Rawls, George Bridges, C. R. Brinegar, Graydon Baze, Clinton Brown and Bobby Standridge.

—GP—

Flora Foster Rites Held Tuesday

Flora Belle Foster, 89, of Gorman, died at 8 p. m. Sunday February 14, 1982 at Blackwell Hospital after an illness. Services were at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home.

The Rev. Darrell Dossey of First Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery.

Born July 19, 1892, in Illinois, she married Silas W. Foster May 18, 1911. He died March 27. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Two sons preceded her in death.

Survivors include four sons, Buck of Gorman, Jack of Smithville, Douglas of Sidney and Damon of Odessa; 12 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

—GP—

James Spence Services Held Wednesday

James Curtis Spence, 58, superintendent of schools at Kopperl and a former Carbon resident, died about 8 a. m. Monday February 15, 1982 at Goodall-Witcher Hospital in Clifton. Services were at 3 p. m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home.

The Rev. Darrell Dossey of First Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery.

Born May 5, 1923, in Tennyson, he served in the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II in India and married Annie Louise Butler on April 10, 1951, in De Leon. He had lived at Kopperl for 11 years and was a member of Carbon Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; five brothers, William of Midland, Harold of Duluth, Minn., Vernon of Grand Junction, Colo., Herman of Lamar, Mo., and Travis of Little Elm; and several nieces and nephews, including Mark Sessum of Kopperl.

—GP—

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ragland, Terri and Gregg of Andrews visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern.

STEW SUPPER SATURDAY AT KOKOMO

Kokomo Homemakers Extension Club will hold their annual Stew Supper on Saturday February 20 from 5:00 to 8:00 p. m. in the Kokomo Community Center.

Price of the supper will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children.

This is the event of the year, everyone looks forward to attending. The food is delicious and the fellowship with friends is worth the price of the supper.

—GP—

V. O. HUFF ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE

V. O. (Vardie) Huff has authorized this newspaper, to announce that he is a candidate for Justice of Peace, Precinct 5. His name will appear on the May Primary ballot.

—GP—

CARD OF THANKS

It is with deepest gratitude that we extend this word of appreciation to those who were so comforting to our loved one during her illness and the expressions of sympathy to us following her passing.

Particularly do we wish to thank the staff at Gorman Care Center and to Dr. L. Agulla and the Blackwell Hospital Staff as well as those who sent flowers, cards and memorials, food and other expressions of affection.

Also to the ladies of the First United Methodist Church and friends who sent food for the family dinner. To each and everyone of you, we say most sincere thanks from the depth of grateful hearts.

The Family of Florence Kent

—GP—

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Joe Baze and Sunbelt Savings for buying the Gorman and Carbon Basketball Game on February 9. We believe that both communities enjoyed the game.

Thank Again, G. W. Maxfield, Superintendent of Gorman ISD

—GP—

Noah Murdoch Laid To Rest Wednesday

DE LEON — Noah Thomas Murdoch, 75, of De Leon, a retired farm worker, died at 7:15 p. m. Monday February 15, 1982 at Stephenville Hospital. Services were at 2 p. m. Wednesday at Faith Chapel Church, directed by Nowlin Funeral Home.

The Rev. Marvin Andrews, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Oliver Springs Cemetery.

Born January 18, 1907, in Jayton, he married Abalee Earl in June 1933 in Gorman. She died in 1937.

Survivors include a daughter, Jo Ann Murdoch of De Leon; a brother, R. G. of De Leon; and three sisters, Opal Smith of Dunn, Annie Faye Foster of Gorman, and Jewell Dean Morris of De Leon.

—GP—

CORRECTION

We were in error last week when we reported that the Jr. Hi Boys ended the Basketball Season with a 17-3 record. It should have been 16-2. Also an error was made in reporting the points scored in the Carbon game. Danny Barnett made 4 points and not Danny Burgess as we reported. We are sorry for these errors and are happy to make the corrections.

Gorman Livestock Show -- A Big Success

The Annual 4-H and FFA Livestock Show was held Saturday, February 13th. A record number of animals were shown this year.

Winners in the Swine Division were as follows:

MARKET SWINE
Grand Champion Market Hog — Ray Bond
Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog - Rodney Reese
Heavy Weight Champion - Ray Bond
Reserve Champion - Ray Bond
Other Exhibitors:
Justin Underwood
Becca Scitern
Becky Underwood
Wayne Warren
Allen Scitern
Shannon Warren
Phil Osborne
Medium Heavy Weight Champion - Glen Burgess
Reserve Champion - Shannon Caraway

Other exhibitors:
John Osborne
Scotty Mauney
Jeff Ripley
Jessie Osborne
Andy Kinser
Medium Weight Champion - Rodney Reese
Reserve Champion - Darrell Savage
Other exhibitors:
Noble Laminack
Andy Kinser
Russ Gressett
Rhett Harrison
La Tonya Caraway
Charla Little
Justin Underwood
Harvey Bryan
Louis Torres
Steven Scitern
Scott Gressett
Medium Lightweight Champion - Noble Laminack
Reserve Champion - Randall Gibbs

Other Exhibitors:
Kevin Hirst
Lance Morrow
La Tonya Caraway
Royce Ridens
Mark Swanner
Dane Gressett
Becky Scitern
Allen Scitern
Juan Pacheco
Caye Little
Allie Little
Lightweight Champion - Temo De La Torre
Reserve Champion - Allen Little
Other Exhibitors:
Randall Gibbs
Steven Scitern
Eddie Pettit
Darrel Savage
Breck Daniels
Louis Torres
Juan Pacheco
Jeff Ripley
Lance Morrow

BREEDING SWINE
Grand Champion - Ray Bond
Reserve Grand Champion - Noble Laminack
Duroc Champion - Noble Laminack
Reserve Champion - Becky Underwood
Other Exhibitors:
Wayne Warren
Kevin Hirst
Russ Gressett
Olin Harrington
Hampshire Champion — Scott Gressett
Reserve Champion — Shannon Caraway
Third Place — Jimmy Woodall
Other Breeds Champion - Ray Bond
Reserve Champion — Dane Gressett
Other Exhibitors:
Olin Harrington
Jeff Ripley
La Tonya Caraway
Mr. Larry Cordell, the Vocational Agriculture Teacher of Springtown, Texas and the Swine Judge and he selected Dane Gressett to receive the Senior Division Showmanship Award and Tonya Caraway to receive the Junior Division Award. There was a total of 77 head of hogs entered this year in our local show.

Mr. Larry Cordell also judged the Poultry Division as follows:
Champion Pen of Broilers - Shannon Caraway
Reserve Champion — Darren Clark
Other Exhibitors:
La Tonya Caraway

Bud Jeffs
Bill Crain
Curtis Warren
Tanya Anderson had the Champion Buck Rabbit and Justin Underwood showed the Reserve Champion Buck. Tanya Anderson also had the Champion Doe Rabbit.

Mr. Wisenhunt, of Mullin, Texas judged the Sheep Division as follows:
MARKET FAT LAMBS
Fine Wool Champion - Stephen Scitern
Reserve Champion — Beverly Underwood
Other Exhibitors:
Rebecca Scitern
John Woodall
Molly Vaughn
Shannon Caraway
Jeff Seaton
Fine Wool Cross Champion — Caye Little
Reserve Champion - John Woodall

Other Exhibitors:
Rebecca Scitern
Beverly Underwood
Allen Scitern
Shannon Caraway
Medium Wool Champion - Stephen Slampa
Reserve Champion - Allan Little
Other Exhibitors:
Glenn Burgess
La Tonya Caraway
Peyton Vaughn
Stephen Scitern
Phil Osborne
Southdown Champion - Allan Scitern
Reserve Champion - Scotty Mauney
Other Exhibitors:
Jimmy Johnson
La Tonya Caraway
Jeff Seaton
Stacy Slampa
Joey Beatty
Allen Little
David Harr
Lance Morrow

BREEDING SHEEP DIVISION
Southdown Ewes (4teeth and over)
First - La Tonya Caraway
Second - La Tonya Caraway
Third - Rebecca Scitern
Fourth - Allen Scitern
Southdown ewe (2 teeth and under)
First - Allen Scitern
Second - Stephen Scitern
Third - Rebecca Scitern
Grand Champion Ewe - La Tonya Caraway
Reserve Champion Ewe - La Tonya Caraway
Grand Champion Ram - La Tonya Caraway
Reserve Champion Ram - Rebecca Scitern

Thanks to everyone, Bo Caraway

MEDIUM WOOL DIVISION
4 Teeth and Over Class
First - Peyton Vaughn
Second - Peyton Vaughn
Third - Shannon Caraway
Fourth - Rebecca Scitern
Fifth - Shannon Caraway
Sixth - Shannon Caraway
Two teeth and under Class
First - Peyton Vaughn
Second - Peyton Vaughn
Third - Stephen Scitern
Grand Champion Ewe - Peyton Vaughn
Reserve Grand Champion Ewe - Peyton Vaughn

FINEWOOL DIVISION
Finewool Ewes:
First - Shannon Caraway
Second - Rebecca Scitern
Third - Darin Clark
Fourth - Allen Scitern
Fifth - Darin Clark

BEEF CATTLE DIVISION
Heifers
First - Allen Little
Second - Joe Robert Underwood
Third - Glenn Burgess
Grand Champion Heifer - Allen Little
Reserve Champion Heifer - Joe Robert Underwood

DAIRY DIVISION
Jersey Heifer
First - Stephen Scitern
Grand Champion Heifer - Stephen Scitern

The Showmanship Trophies were won as follows:
Junior Division Swine - Dane Gressett
Junior Division Sheep - La Tonya Caraway
Senior Division Sheep - Peyton Vaughn
Junior Division Beef Cattle - Allen Scitern
Senior Division Beef Cattle - Joe Robert Underwood
Junior Division Beef Cattle - Allan Little

We extend our greatest appreciation to those who donated the following:
LOCATION — Mauney Farm Supply
TROPHIES — Columbian Packing Co., Dallas, Texas
HAY — Donnie Bramlett, Stephenville
PANELS — Bob Martimore [Midwest Livestock], Carbon, Texas
Joe Harrison, Gorman
DIRT — City of Gorman.
PARENTS — who gave their time and labor.
STUDENTS — who devoted their time and work on their project to help make it a success.

Thanks to everyone, Bo Caraway

Rites For Minnie Taylor Held Today

Minnie Rebecca Taylor, 95, of Keller, formerly of Carbon, died at 5 p. m. Tuesday February 16, 1982 at Grapevine Medical Center in Grapevine.

Graveside services will be at 2 p. m. Thursday at Murray Cemetery at Carbon, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

The Rev. Isaac E. Traylor will officiate.

Born April 9, 1886, in Georgia, she had lived at Carbon for 40 years before moving to Keller.

A son and daughter preceded her in death.

Survivors include a son, Issac of Keller; five grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Half Century Club will hold a dance Saturday February 20 from 7:00 to 11:00 p. m. in the City Hall. Country Four Band will provide the music. Everyone welcome.

City Commission will meet Thursday February 18 at 8:00 a. m. at the City Hall.

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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FOR SALE: 10 acres, all costal, excellent well, city water, extra nice 16 foot wide energy efficient mobile home, A/H, 2 full baths, nice 2 car garage, electronic opener, lots pecans and fruit trees. An extra clean setup. Cobburn Realty, 893-6666, De Leon.

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FOR SALE: Nice three bedroom house, nice location, fully carpeted, completely remodeled. Shown by appointment only. 734-2417. 4-1-14 FNC.

FOR SALE: Nice building lot in new sub-division, 71 by 212 feet, water well and fruit trees. Tommy Clark, 734-2107. 8-6 FNC.

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FOR SALE: Wife's car — 1977 Cadillac Eldorado Biarritz. One owner, 35,000 miles - all Cadillac extras. Real leather interior, new Michelin Radial tires. Fire Mist Oranger. \$7,000 - firm. Dr. Clay Salyer, Dublin, Texas, 445-3317 or 445-3792. fnc.

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FOR SALE: 1973 Chevrolet Impala. Good condition. Bobbie Winkles, 817-893-6788. 1-28-FNC.

FOR SALE: Catalina gas dryer. Mrs. John West, 734-2719. 2-2-25 C.

FOR SALE: 1977 Chevrolet Love pickup. Air conditioner, good condition, good tires. Call 893-5831. 1-2-18 C.

FOR SALE: Four year old AQHA registered quarter horse mare \$1,000 or best offer. Contact Jess Hallmark, 734-2751. 2-18-FNC.

REAGAN V. BROWN TO SPEAK AT RC&D ANNUAL MEETING
Reagan V. Brown, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, will be the featured speaker at the Annual meeting and banquet of the Leon-Bosque Resource Conservation and Development Area (RC&D).
The meeting will be held March 17, 1982 at the Proctor Area Recreation Center on Lake Proctor in Comanche County.

The Leon-Bosque area covers Bosque, Comanche, Eastland, Erath and Somervell counties.

The public is invited to attend. Tickets can be purchased at the local Soil Conservation Service Offices in the various counties.

School Hill News By Oma Lee Riddell

You know you're getting old when you can make the wrinkles in your face disappear just by taking off your glasses.

Digger Procter of Freer spent the weekend here with Blake and Delilah Morrison and with Jay Procter.

Joe, Ann and Joey Staude spent several days in San Antonio attending the Fat Stock Show. They reported having a very good time.

Tommy, Jane and Luke have been visiting some this week with Mr. and Mrs. Fermen Wyche of Stephenville. Granddad has been in the hospital, but I know visiting with old Luke will make him feel better.

One of my backwoods friends wrote this letter to her son in the army the other day, though you might like to read it:

Dear Son,

You paw has a job. It's his first one that he's had in the forty-eight years at have been married. We are a litter bit better off now, in fact we have so much money now that we don't know what we will do with it. Pa gits \$17.15 ever Thursday, so we thought we aught to do somethin about fixin up the house. We sent to Sears and Roebuck fer one of those bathrooms that you hear uv people having in their house. It took a plumber to put it in shape. One one side

of the bathroom is the great long thing jus like a hog trough, only you git in it and wash all over. Over the other side uv the room is a littel white thing thet you call a sink where you wash your face in, but over the other corner is the best thing of all. This thing, you put one foot in, wash it clean, then you pull a little chain nad get fresh water for the other foot. Now did you ever hear uv anythin so fancy? Two lids come with this foot washer.

We go no use for them on the bathroom, so I'm using one fer a dough board and the one with the hole in it is just right fer Grandpa's pitcher. Sears and Roebuck are real nice people to deal with. They put in a roll of writin paper, but since I don't write much I use it to wrap Pa's lunch in. Take care of yourself, Ma.

Enjoyed talking to Jacky Walls one day this week. He is enjoying being at home from the hospital and hopes to soon be doing much better.



Water is pitch black at three thousand feet below the sea's surface. Not even a tiny bit of light can penetrate down more than half a mile.

KOKOMO NEWS By Zelda Jordan

I didn't get any news in last week due to a pinched nerve in my back. It is nice to be able to move again, even if it is kind of slow.

Albert Hendricks, with Helen Browning at the piano and Glynda Bond at the organ, rendered the special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Griffith, Chad and Lara Jane of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Griffith of Forsan, Jason and Corby Rodgers of Brownwood, Mrs. Ethel Lovell and Ann Allison of Carbon. Bro. Chuck Andrews of Dallas will be guest speaker at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning, February 21.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist Church going to the Gorman Care Center on Sunday afternoon for the church service were Bro. Jim Andrews, Billy Andrews, Bro. Joe O'Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks, Mrs. J. C. Clearman, Mrs. Bill Joiner, Mrs. J. L. Morrow, Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and Wanda Rainey.

The Avon Division Sales Manager of Kansas City, Mo., and the District Sales Manager honored Avon's President's Club members with a banquet on Wednesday, February 3 at the Country Club at Brownwood. Those attending from this area were Nancy Hendricks, Lennis Rice of Carbon, Mary Crenshaw and Jo Elly both of Ranger, Billie Jean Wrensten of Baird and Barbara Ezzell of Rising Star.

Visitors during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Griffith were Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Griffith and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Griffith and Mrs. D. L. Griffith of Forsan and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burleson of Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. Burleson also visited with his mother, Mrs. Alice Burleson, who is a patient in the Blackwell Hospital at Gorman. Get well wishes go out to Mrs. Burleson for a quick recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mike O'Neal and Debbie Williams of Abilene were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan, Kelly and Yancy on Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks also visited with Jamie Clearman in the Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene, and his wife Ann and their son, Karley Clearman of Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Jamie Clearman underwent surgery in the Hendricks Medical Center on February 8 and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman visited with him and the family several days last week. We send get well wishes to him for a speedy recovery.

CONGRATULATIONS to all the boys and girls who showed their animals in the Gorman Livestock Show on Saturday.

Jason and Corby Rodgers of Brownwood spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Odis Rodgers. Others visiting with Mrs. Rodgers during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers and Kevin of Brownwood, Mrs. John Rodgers and Jonna of Carbon and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff White of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen and Jamie Lewallen of Floydada spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. They all attended the funeral of Mr. Lewallen's brother, Mr. Amiel R.

SCHOOL MENU

Week of February 22-26

BREAKFAST
MONDAY — Apple juice, toast, oatmeal and milk.
TUESDAY — Raisins, dry cereal and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Orange juice, sweet rolls and milk.
THURSDAY — Pineapple juice, biscuits and honey and milk.

FRIDAY — Apple juice, bacon, hot biscuits and milk.

LUNCH
MONDAY — Lasagna, blackeyed peas, spinach, pudding and milk.

TUESDAY — Sliced turkey and gravy, salad, creamed potatoes, hot rolls, cake and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pimento cheese sandwiches, soup, fruit and cookies.

THURSDAY — Stew, cornbread, lettuce and pears, cake and milk.

FRIDAY — Hot dogs, chili, french fries, ice cream and milk.

good food and fellowship with friends and neighbors. The profits will be used for the worthwhile projects supported by the club, including the West Texas Rehab Center at Abilene.

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EVENING WORSHIP 6:00 p.m.
THURSDAY LADIES CLASS 10:00 a.m.
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GORMAN CARE CENTER NEWS

By Jettie Daniels
 We had a good musical last Tuesday night, February 9th. Thanks very much to Roland Smith, Carroll Hogan and Hershell Cordell, Dale Hogan and Lloyd Glasson. Their music and time is indeed appreciated very much, it makes our residents days much happier.
 Next month's musical will also be on Tuesday the 9th at 7 p.m.
 Bingo winners last week were: Mary Harrell, No. 1; Jesse Roberts, No. 2; Ennice Clemmer, No. 3; and Bernice Haynes, No. 4. Blackout Game was won by Nancy Holloway.

News

Visiting Ruby Bennett on Saturday, was her brother Mr. and Mrs. Guss Reynolds of Stephenville, and their daughter Ima Jean Bird of Denver City. Sunday visitors with Ruby were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and Mark of Cleburne and Velma Bennett of Gorman.

Mrs. Kay Henry, Melissa and Christian of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her mother, Jolene Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fraiser of Loop visited over the weekend with Mrs. R. C. Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sanders of Odessa spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday.

CARBON NEWS

By Mrs. Bob Hasting
 639-2517

Mrs. Bobby Clinton of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fields on Saturday.

Buck Weston has been confined to Eastland Memorial Hospital for over a week. He was feeling some better on Sunday. We hope he will soon be able to be at home.

Oscar Petree has been in the Blackwell Memorial Hospital last week. HE is better too.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Woodell, Sharon and Stephanie of Dallas spent Sunday with Mrs. Ruth Craighead.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker of Abilene visited Mrs. Lona Abbott during the weekend.

NOTICE: There will be a Blood Pressure Check in the Fellowship Hall of the Carbon Baptist Church Tuesday, February 23 from 10:00 to 11:30 A.M. Don't forget!

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner of Levelland spent last week with Mrs. Ruth Reese.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gryder and boys during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gryder, Janet and Jona of Keller; Mr. and Mrs. Orwell Gryder of Odessa; Mmes Mae White and Myrtle Thurman of Cisco and James Burson of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and Sallie of Burkett visited Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell on Sunday.

Visitors in the Jim Hogan home part of last week were Lynn Hogan of Sillsbee; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hogan of Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton of Odessa; Mrs. Tim Warren of Kokomo; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Morgan and family of Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thackerson and baby of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Grun of Houston spent the weekend with the Bob Hastings.

In Basketball last week the Carbon Junior Hi teams played their last games of their season with Gorman. Boys game Carbon scored 34 points and Gorman scored 43. The Carbon Girls scored 29 points and Gorman had 26 points, giving the Carbon Girls Second Place in District.

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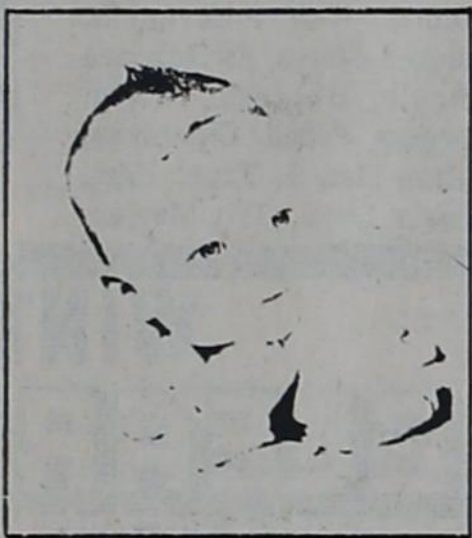
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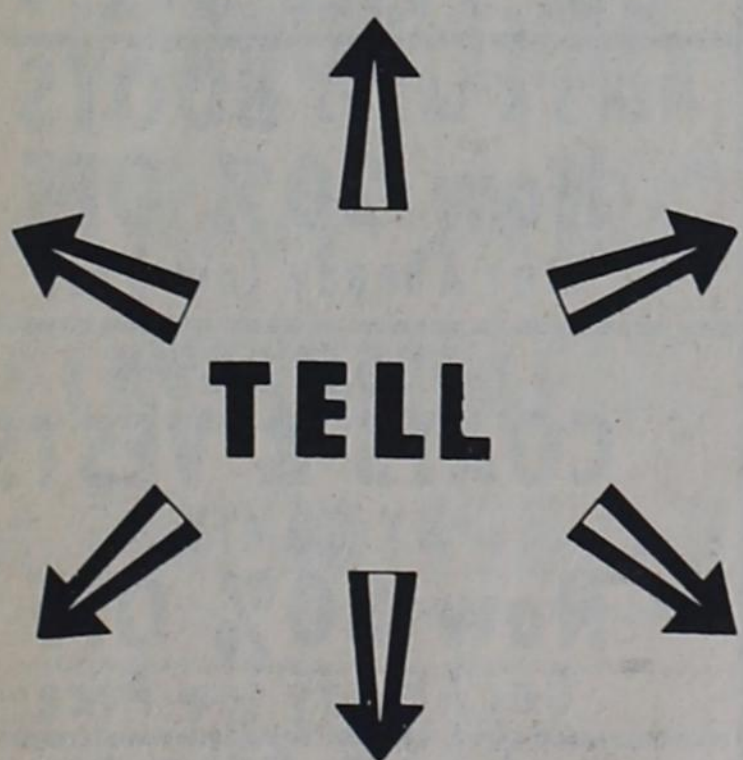
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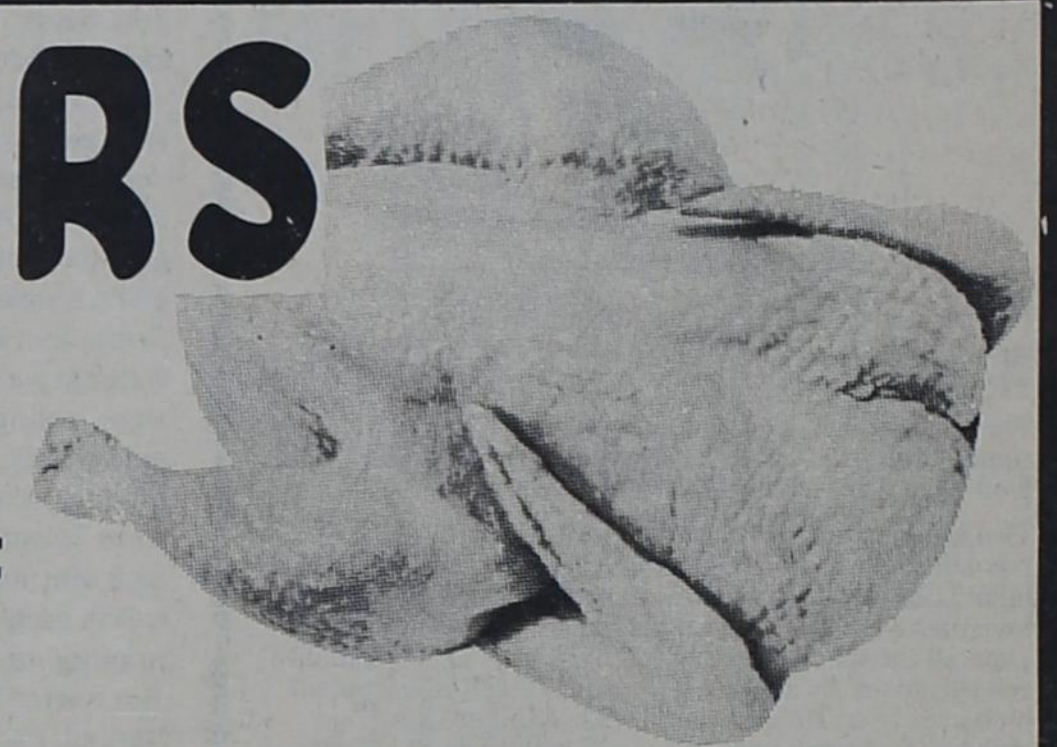
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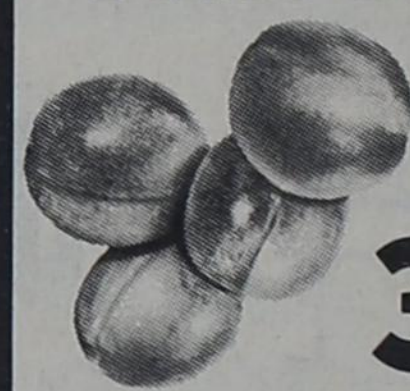
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SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

"Memories" April 1900 I was sitting by my Dad as they started to put dirt in my Mother's grave. We were at Graveland. I jumped up and started

running. My grand mother Scott caught me and led me to their wagon. When I jumped up I screamed "Mama is gone." I remember crying so long and hard in her arms.

We moved in with them for 16 months until dad married Sallie Layton. She was a good mother to us. Scotts owned place where Dallas Jobe lives. Grand dad Bennett owned land on south side and it extended to Shen Oak Springs, Bass Lake now.

I had uncles and aunts galore just over me to put up to all kinds of meanness. That was when I needed a mother in my formatives. I guess that is why I am so radical at times. As I would try to defy those older ones.

Granddad Scott was really an excellent melon raiser. As I was four in July. I always went with him to patch. (Carried a small bucket and he would get odd shaped and rotten ended for his hogs. He would have 2 or 3 marked for seed. One Sunday, a bunch of boys were at the well and Jim Scott, 16 asked me if I knew leazar seed melons were. I said, "Yes". He went and got Grand dad's boots and told me I could have all the heart that I wanted. He got the melon and I was given a small bit of the heart. Some one had spilled some water at well curb where they were eating. So I went to mud puddle and got feet real muddy. The melon halves were about a step apart. I took aim and ran, putting a foot in each half at same time running toward the house. Jim started after me. I yelled "grand dad". Jim stopped and told me to come on back, they would cut another melon, and give me all I could eat. He knew he would be in Dutch if I went to granddad the next day. Seed melon gone. He looked for tracks. All he he could see was his boot tracks and mine. He shook his head and said he did not remember getting it. He wanted to know if I remember him getting it. I shook my head no. That was the truth I was telling him. I told him years later how it happened.

In the Fall of that year Ed and I were eating breakfast. He was three years older than I was. We were on

opposite sides of table. Bread was by his plate. We were eating sorghum, butter and biscuits. I asked for a biscuit and again. The third time I yelled out (just the two of us at table). He stood up and threw at me hitting me in the face. I had a fork in my hand and I threw at him. It went just under chin, the prongs all the way in. Blood began to spurt. We both thought he would die. Screaming bloody murder, Grandma came in pulled out the fork, went to store, got some sut and the blood stopped. He had that scar on his chin for life. She asked me what happened and I told her. Ed said that was right. She got the razor strap. I contained thin strips. We caught hands and waltzed around and around. I would watch and when she hit I would jump around and scream. Ed was smiling. Tho she had him to waltz and his smile soon turned to tears. My tears to smiles.

She said that we were both wrong. Then one day Ed and Cliff (my dads 8 yr. old brother) was in the barn smoking shunk cigarette and got some shucks afire. I ran out of barn. They told me to wait and they put them out and threw them in a hog wollar about a foot deep while I tromped them down. Granddad would shuck corn and put the best ears in a hoghead, pronounced hots it. It was a two barrel capacity. He would do that at night or on bad days.

Well Gorman lost a friend to everyone this week, Florence Kent. She was loved and respected by every one. She would do anything to help anyone out. She always liked to argue and fuss at any one. If you would fuss with her she knew you like her. Our sincere sympathy goes out to her family. She has walked that "Lonesome Valley" that all of us are nearing each day. Also send sincere sympathy to family of Flora Foster.

Go Big Red in your games from now on. Be proud of your accomplishments. Do you best in the game of life.

THE RAMBLER REPORTER

HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed Wednesday in Blackwell Hospital were:

Oscar Petree	Carbon
Isabel Hernandez	De Leon
Elsie Bell	Gorman
Velma Hamilton	Gorman
Pearl Westerman	Gorman
Willie Seaton	Gorman
Glady's Lucke	Gorman
Frances Fussell	Rising Star
Pauline Allen	Gorman
Daniel Boatright	Gorman
Estella Baker	Gorman
Corene Happter	Rising Star
Kelly Wilkerson	

Rising Star Linnie Montgomery Gorman Earlene Smith Gorman Willie Barrett Gorman J. D. Rodgers Gorman

Patients dismissed February 10: Nancy Hale Lillie McGary Izetta Blackshear Lucille Campbell Addie Moseley

February 11: Frances Leazar

February 12: Alvin Aldredge

February 14: Claude Weatherby T. E. Vermillion

February 15: Vicki Rich and baby Frances Simpson Aubry Bennett Garnet Adams Hoyt Bryant Ernest Weaver Bert Whitt Joe Landess Ellen Mays Alice Burselon

50th Livestock Show To Be Golden Extravaganza

Fifteen 4-H members from Eastland County will be participating in the 1982 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, February 20-March 7. With more than 29,000 expected livestock entries, the Golden Anniversary Houston Show will once again be the largest livestock show in the world.

"The 1982 Show offers spectators a unique opportunity to see some of the finest livestock ever and it's all gathered under one roof," said Assistant General Manager Don Jones, Jr.

The Houston Show also provides an opportunity for exhibitors to participate in some of the toughest of showing competition after a year's worth of preparation for their animals. This year's show once again promises to be profitable for them, as open show and junior exhibitors will vie for more than a half a million dollars in prize monies and premium auction prices above market value.

Houston, the fastest growing city in the nation, brings western heritage to life when it once again hosts this two week extravaganza. Livestock show dates are February 20-March 7, and rodeo dates are February 24-March 7.

Lavelle Rodgers, Kay Watson and Frankie Jarrett visited over the weekend in Comfort with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Jung.

and Sam Scott. LaTonya Caraway and Allen Scitern have entered the Market Lambs division. Those showing in the Market Burrows are Glenn Burgess, Shannon Caraway, Noble Laminack and Caye Little.

Jim Bob Cozart will be showing two Dairy Heifers. He is also entered in the Dairy Scramble.

The four students that will be showing Market Broilers division are LaTonya Caraway, Shannon Caraway, Allen Little, and Sam Scott.

Sam Scott is also entered in the Market Turkeys contest.



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According to the agreement, corporate operations will be under the name of Olney Savings. Official approval of the merger agreement, which normally takes 90 to 120 days, must come from both the Texas Savings and Loan Department in Austin as well as the Federal Home Loan Bank Board in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Myers and Watson emphasized that the customers of Decatur Savings can be assured that the merger is a change in name only, with

the addition of extended services and financial strength.

Myers commented, "This merger will result in a much stronger institution with greater reserves. With the increased capital and resources, we will be able to better serve our customers."

At the present time, Olney Savings is \$295 million in assets and Decatur Savings is \$60 million, making the Association's total assets \$355 million.

Olney Savings Association was chartered in 1927 and now operates its offices in Olney, Seymour, Jacksboro, Bridgeport, Nocona, Weatherford, Azle, Graham, Brownwood, Wichita Falls, Bowie, Archer City and Vernon. Other Divisions of Olney Savings are: Ranger Savings in Ranger, Eastland Savings in Eastland and Electra Savings in Electra.

1982 Reporter-News All-Area Team

FIRST-TEAM OFFENSE

Quarterback — Tie, Jay Hess, 175, Eastland, Jr.; and Tyler Tabor, 175, Brownwood, Sr.

Running Backs — Jimmy Johnson, 185, Gorman, Sr.; James Morton, 175, Eastland, Jr.; Pat Boyd, 170, Aspermont, Sr.

Tackles — Billy Tyus, 225, Dublin, Sr.; Randy Boaz, 195, Breckenridge, Sr.

Guards — Jeff Fields, 280, DeLeon, Sr.; Andy Kinser, 220, Gorman, Sr.

Center — Floyd Fain, 250, Jim Ned, Sr.

Wide Receiver — Larry Blackwell, 165, Eastland, Sr.

Tight End — Jesse Smith, 220, Brownwood, Sr.

Kicker — Jimmy Morris, 185, Brownwood, Sr.

FIRST-TEAM DEFENSE

Defensive Line — Mike Kinsey, 210, Brownwood, Sr.; Ken Johnson, 245, Hamlin, Sr.; Jewel Brown, 190, Brownwood, Sr.; Brad Woodward, 200, Breckenridge, Sr.

Linebackers — Pat Gerald, 195, Sweetwater, Sr.; Kendall Nelson, 195, Brownwood, Sr.; Marvin Louis, 175, Aspermont, Sr.

Defensive Backs — Marvin Rathke, 170, Brownwood, Jr.; Chuck Howard, 160, Stamford, Jr.; Sid Grant, 155, Baird, Sr.; Brad Lakey, 175, Hamlin, Sr.

Punter — Jimmy Morris, 185, Brownwood, Sr.

SECOND-TEAM OFFENSE

Quarterback — Brad Lakey, 175, Hamlin, Sr.

Runningbacks — Marvin Louis, 175, Aspermont, Sr.; Gene Gibson, 190, Brownwood, Sr.; Essie Woodard, 175, Stamford, Jr.

Tackles — Ronald Hickman, 220, Brownwood, Sr.; Jeff Martin, 200, Aspermont, Sr.

Guards — Danny Hunter, 200, Roscoe, Sr.; Gordon Lee, 130, Brownwood, Sr.

Center — Curtis Warren, 210, Gorman, Sr.

Wide Receiver — Danny Kitley, 150, Rule, Sr.

Tight End — Hayden Merket, 180, Hamlin, Sr.

Kicker — James Morton, 175, Eastland, Jr.

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

Defensive Line — Mike Davis, 225, Brownwood, Jr.; Todd McKee, Clyde, 170, Clyde, Sr.; Pat Boyd, 170, Aspermont, Sr.; Shane Speck, 190, Breckenridge, Sr.

Linebackers — Leon Greeson, 185, Rule, Sr.; Richard Daniels, 225, Knox City, Sr.; Gary Speegle, 165, Cisco, Sr.

Defensive Backs — Jeff Merket, 170, Hamlin, Jr.; Mart Riley, 175, Jim Ned, Sr.; Victor Jackson, 170, Colorado City, Sr.; Joseph Wilson, 160, Miles, Sr.

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February 15-20 Designated As 'Farm Bureau Week' In County

The week of February 15-20 has been designated "Farm Bureau Week" in Eastland County by County Judge Scott Bailey.

The official county proclamation calls American agriculture "the producing marvel of the world," and adds that one farm worker

now produces enough food for 68 people. "Because of this," the proclamation said, "the average American family spends less than one-

OFFICIAL PROCLAMATION
BY
Scott Bailey, COUNTY JUDGE
Eastland COUNTY
Eastland TEXAS

Greetings:

American agriculture is the producing marvel of the world. One farm worker produces enough food for 68 people. Because of this, the average American family spends less than one-fifth of its income for food.

Farmers and ranchers have learned they can improve their industry and rural life through organization. Some four out of five producers are voluntary members of Farm Bureau, an independent general farm organization. Through Farm Bureau, they work to build a better social and economic life for themselves.

Therefore, I, Scott Bailey, County Judge of Eastland County, do hereby designate February 15-20, 1982, as FARM BUREAU WEEK IN Eastland County, and urge our citizens to give due recognition to this observance honoring the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

In official recognition thereof, I hereby affix my signature this 11th day of February, 1982.

Signed *Scott Bailey*
Eastland County Judge

fifth of its income for food." Mr. Ernest Reich of Cisco, president of the County Farm Bureau said "the Bureau will continue to represent interests of farmers and ranchers in Austin and in Washington, D.C."

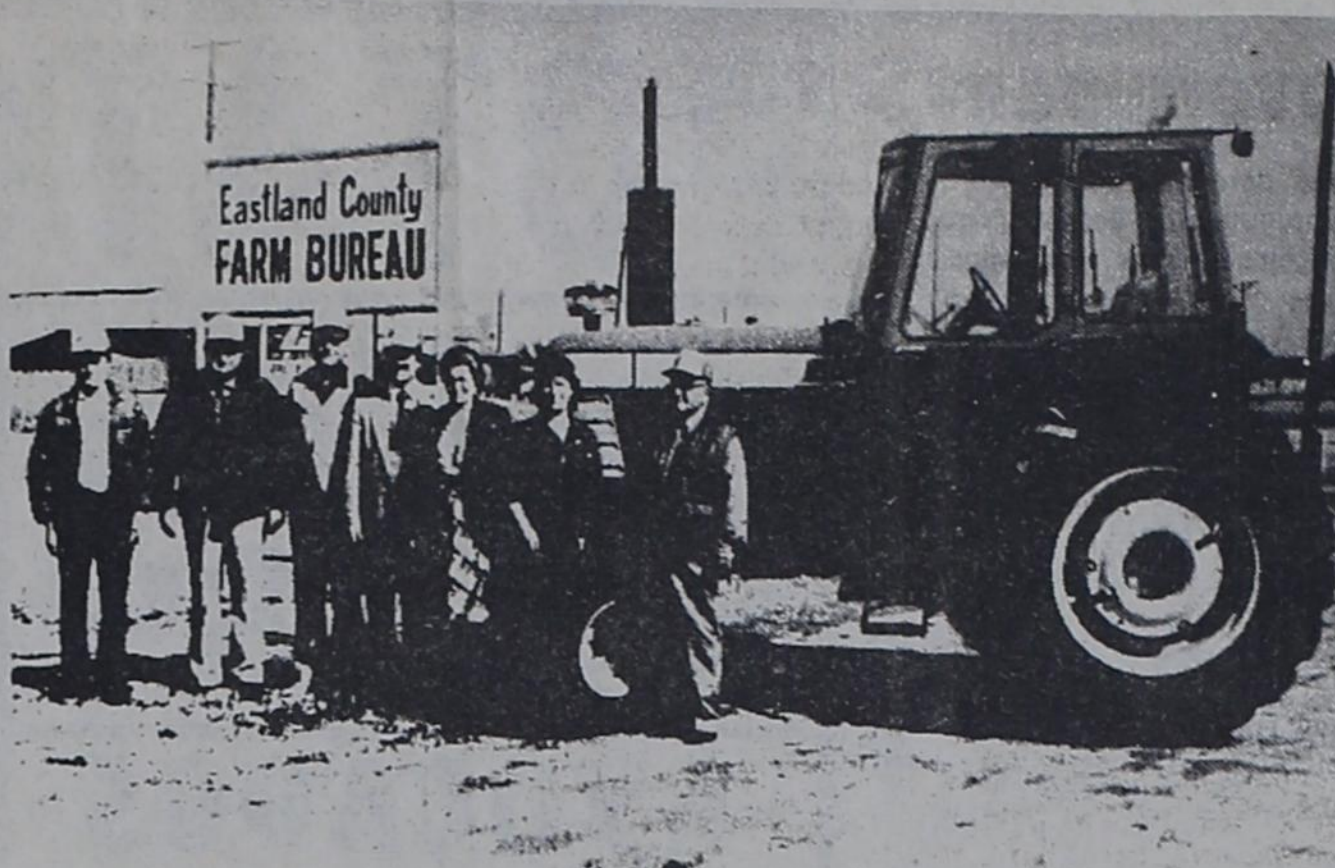
ting livestock and poultry from ad valorem taxation." The county leader went on to say "the organization also favored spending and tax cuts that were passed by Congress last year."

producers. The Texas Farm Bureau maintains a full-time legislative staff in Austin, and the American Farm Bureau Federation has a similar staff in the nation's capital.

The local leader stresses that the Farm Bureau represents its members in legislative and governmental activities, and provides educational programs for

Commodity activities play a major role in Farm Bureau on the state and national level. In Texas, producers are organized in ten commodity divisions - dairy,

Among Farm Bureau policies implemented last year was the state constitutional amendment exemp-



Standing left to right: Bob Perkins, Farm Bureau Member, Scott Bailey, County Judge, Ernest Reich, Eastland County President, Joe Gosch, Agency Manager, Ann Justice, Secretary, Danelda Gevara, Secretary and Ted Bobb, Membership Chairman.

cotton, rice, beef cattle, peanuts, wheat, feed grains, soybeans, citrus, sheep and goats.

According to Mr. Reich, during "Farm Bureau Week" the Eastland County Farm Bureau will be seeking

to enroll new members.

The local organization is out to increase the 1981 total of 1,507 member families. They are joining other counties across the state in an effort to exceed the Texas Farm Bureau's 1981 membership of 276,247 member families.

Ted Bott of Ranger is county membership chairman.

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By Vonnie Guthery

The deacons of First Baptist Church of Desdemona hosted an early Sweetheart Breakfast for their wives last Sunday morning in the fellowship hall. Those attending were Pug and Vonnie Guthery, L. P. and Evelyn Hammond, Bill and Helen Collum, Moody and Hazel Koonce, James and Freda Riggs, Glyn and Alpha Thiebaud, and the pastor Bro. John and Kay Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Buddie

Stacy visited in Abilene last Thursday with Mr. Alton Cogburn (former resident of Oliver Springs). He had been a patient in Hendricks Hospital several days but is home doing better. He would enjoy hearing from his friends in this area. Address is: 618 East North 20th St. Abilene, Texas 79604

Mrs. Dorothy Roberts and Jeff visited the past weekend in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Weaver and family.

Mrs. Annie Collum hosted a "Valentine Dinner" at her house last Monday. Those present were: Alpha Thiebaud, Abbie Lindley, Lucille Johnson, Dorothy Greenhaw, Vonnie Guthery, Kay Walker, Hazel Koonce, Estelle Lindley, Ila Koonce, Evelyn Hammond, Bethel Clark, Johnnie Koonce, Neta Gee, Leota Powers and Elaine Skinner of Gorman and Lorene Koonce of De Leon and the hostess. Everyone reported a good time.

Mr. George Hughes, 72, was buried Monday in Brownwood. He is survived

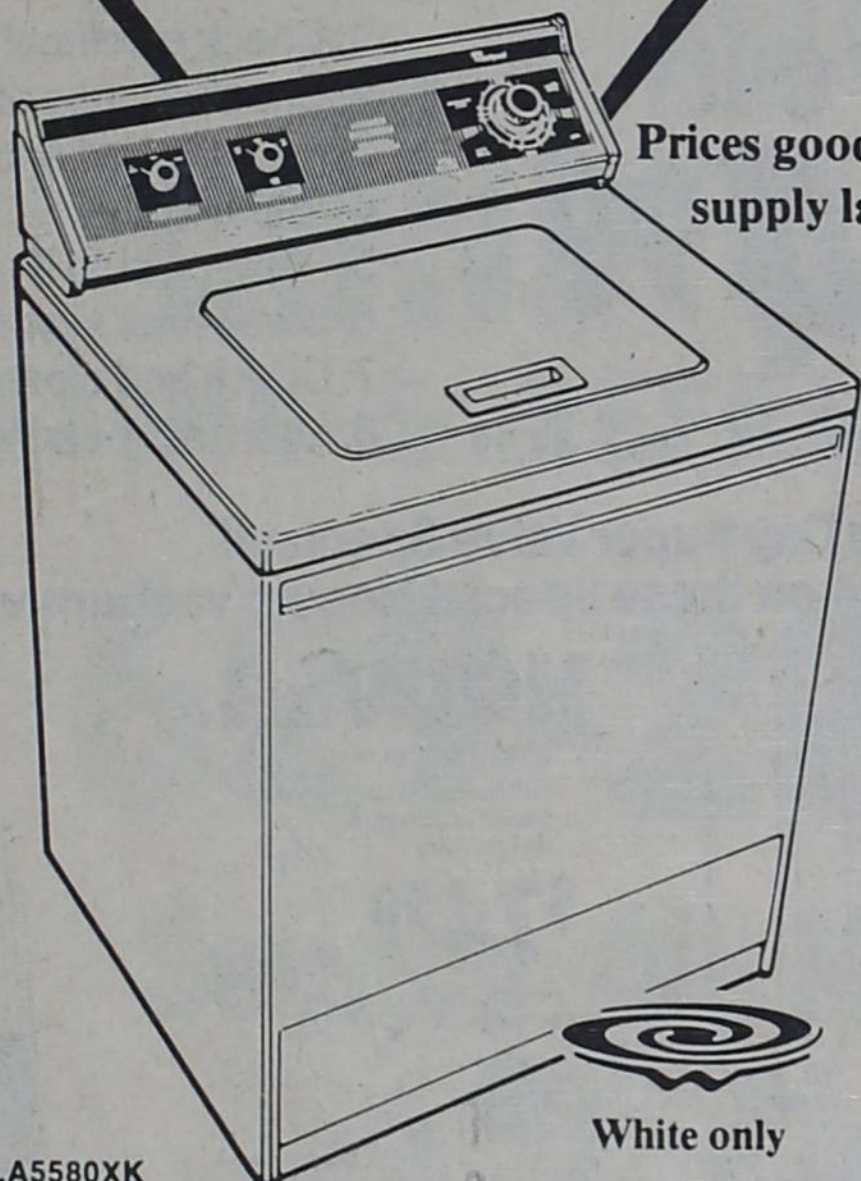
by two brothers, Raymond in Abilene and Doyle of Colony, two sisters, Maxine Rowch of Eastland and Ann (Rainey) Mize of De Leon. Our sincere sympathy goes out of this

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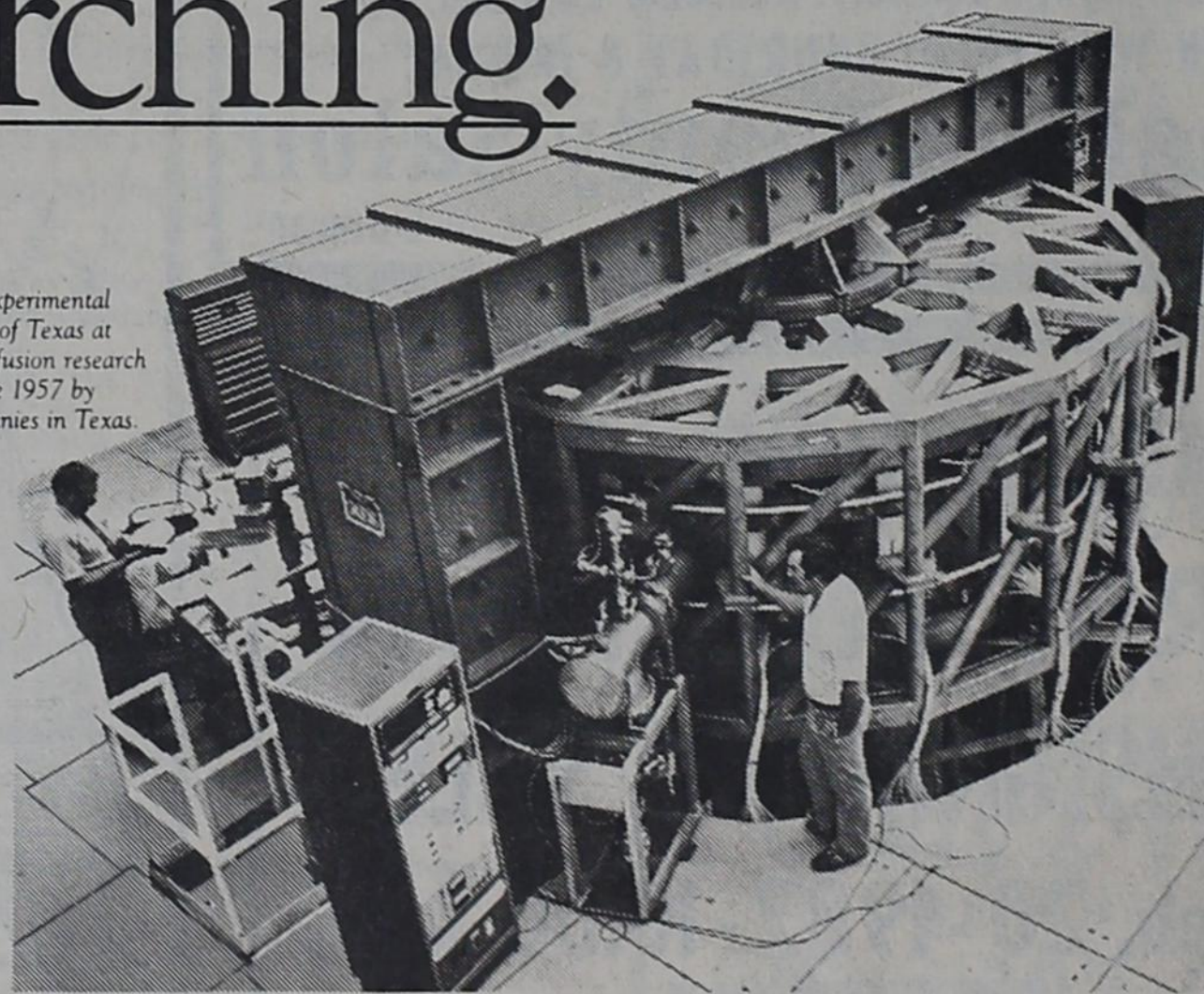
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Other technologies—geothermal, biomass, wind power—are being developed, but like solar power are not now practical for generating electricity in Texas. Giant storage systems would be required for times when the sun doesn't shine or the wind doesn't blow.

Way down the line is nuclear fusion (different from fission, the process used in all present day nuclear plants). We could make electricity

with an element found in ordinary seawater if we had fusion, but its use is still decades away.

In other words, while some of these ideas hold promise, we're still a long way from energy alternatives that are truly practical.

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