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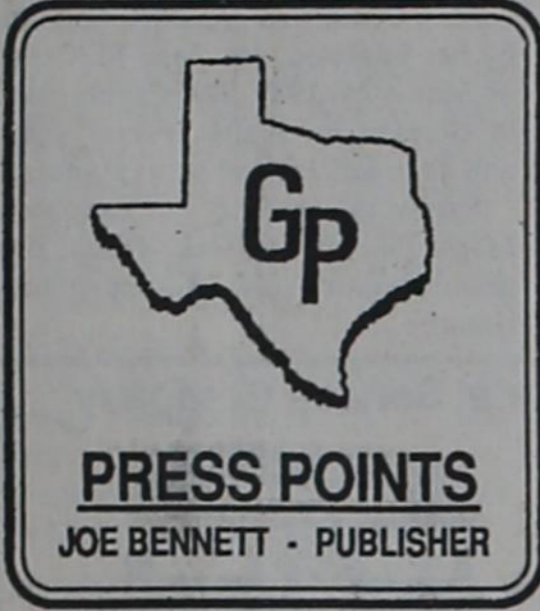
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PANTHERS CLINCH PLAYOFF BIRTH; PANTERETTES WIN

The Gorman cage teams travelled to Sidney on Tuesday evening and both the Pantherettes and Panthers came away with District 23A victories.

In the girls action the Pantherettes jumped out to a 14 to 5 margin in the initial period then added 15 more points in the second quarter while holding the Sidney girls to 6 points to lead at the halftime intermission by 29 to 11. The Pantherettes scored 21 more points in the last half while holding the Sidney team to 15 points to give them the 50 to 26 victory.

Jana Norris led the Pantherettes with 12 points while Trosper led Sidney with 7.

This win gives the Pantherettes a 23A District mark of 4-3 and a season record of 5-16.

In the boys action the Panthers clinched a playoff berth with a convincing 73 to 43 victory over the Sidney Eagles.

Gorman scored 20 points in the initial period while the Eagles were scoring 10, then added another 20 points in the second quarter while holding the Eagles to 13 to lead 40 to 23 at the halftime intermission. Then the Panthers scored 17 and 16 in each of the final two quarters while the Eagles managed only 20 to give the Panthers the 73-43 District 23A victory and also a berth in the playoffs.

Steve Taylor had 19 points to lead the Panthers, while Stephen Scitern and Kevin Hirst each scored 11 points. Moreno led the Eagles with 9 points.

This win keeps the Panthers perfect in District play with a 7-0 mark and makes them 17 and 4 on the season.

PANTHER CAGER TEAMS WIN OVER RISING STAR CAGERS

The Gorman cage teams traveled to Rising Star on Friday night for crucial District 23A games, with both

the Pantherettes and Panthers getting victories.

In the girls action the Pantherettes scored 11 in the first period to take an 11 to 9 edge. Then in the second quarter the Pantherettes scored 9 more points while holding Rising Star to just 2 and took a 20 to 11 margin into intermission time.

In the thirs period the Pantherettes scored 12 more points while Rising Star got 10, and then in the final period Gorman scored 15 points while the Wildcats were getting only 4 to give the Pantherettes a 47 to 25 victory.

Cari Daniels led the Pantherettes with 15 points while Annette Love scored 10. Sizemore led Rising Star with 10 points.

The Pantherettes are now 3-3 in district and 4-16 on the season.

In the boys action the Panthers ran off 20 points in the initial period while holding the Wildcats to 11 and then added 14 more points in the second while the Wildcats got only 11 to give the Big Red a 34 to 22 margin at intermission time.

Then in the third quarter the Wildcats closed the gap some by scoring 14 points while the Panthers hit for 12. But in the final quarter the Panthers came back hitting for 13 points while the Cats got 10 to give the Panthers a 59 to 46 victory and another District 23A win.

Kevin Hirst led the Panthers with 15 points, while Jason Ditmore had 14, Chago Landa 12, and James Carroll 11. Horton had 15 for Rising Star and Evans hit for 10.

The victory gives the Panthers a season mark of 16 and 4 and a District leading masrk of 6 and 0.

The Gorman cagers will host the May teams at the local gym in the final regular season game on Friday night, February 8 with the JV game starting at 5 p. m., followed by the varsity games.

SPECIAL STATE REPRESENTATIVE ELECTION SLATED FOR SATURDAY

A Special Election called by the Governor of the State of Texas, Ann Richards, has been set for Saturday, February 9th to fill the vacancy that was left with the resignation of Rep. Jin Parker, District 65 State Representative, to join the Governor's staff as a liaison.

The local polling place will be held at the Old Fire Hall, with Frances Simpson serving as election judge. Polls will open at 7 a. m. and will close at 7 p. m.

There are eleven candidates who have filed for the position. If there is

no winner by majority count, there will be a run-off election held at a time and date as set by the Governor of Texas, and no date can be set until the official count of the special election has been canvassed and declared complete.

SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL VACANCY IN OFFICE (Eleccion Especial Para Llenar Puesto Vacante)

(Condado de) Eastland County, Texas

February 9, 1991 (9 de febrero de 1991)

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. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia en cada carrera marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

State Representative, District 65, Unexpire Term (Representante Estatal, Distrito Numero 65, Termino no Completado)

- Bob Day (Democrat)
- Bob Moore (Democrat)
- Richard Gist (Democrat)
- Robert R. (Bob) Turner (Democrat)
- William L. Williamson (Democrat)
- Phil Wilson (Republican)
- Richard Watson (Republican)
- Ben Doyle Sudderth (Democrat)
- Kenneth "Tootsie" Mitchell (Democrat)
- H. R. Jefferies (Democrat)
- Martha Parker (Democrat)

Write-In (Voto Escrito)

The weatherman has been messing with our weather again. It seems most folks don't know what to expect next. After the snow that hit us last week, most any kind of weather would be better, and we seem to be getting a lot of different kind. It can't make up its mind whether to rain or the sun to shine. Personally, I'll take the sunshine and temperatures 65 and above. So I guess you could say I'm ready for Spring to "Spring".

Those Panthers are really coming right along with a top record in District 23A action and are showing great for the entire season so far.

The Pantherettes are having a little tough time this season but are really playing their best and are improving as they go along. With the experience this team is getting this season, look out for next year.

Received the following letter recently:

I think my subscription to the Gorman Progress expires in February '91.

All I can find for the price of the paper is \$12. I am sending you a check for \$12, hoping this is correct.

If this is correct, I will hold on to the cancelled check for further use to remember.

I am now 92 years old and don't remember very well.

Thank you,

Bonnie B. Poe,
Box 411, 2423 Ft. Worth
Dallas, TX 75211

Thanks for the renewal Bonnie. Hope you continue to enjoy the paper another 92 years.

The Eastland County Crimestoppers have paid reward money for information leading to the arrest and indictment of person or persons involved in a robbery at the Corinth Baptist Church. Items taken were a VCR, microwave, sound system, items in the nursery, toilet tissue, diapers, etc. Almost everything that was nailed down.

The Crimestoppers Board of Directors have voted to pay \$250 to an unnamed informer for the tip. Rewards are paid on a points basis depending on the crime and the amount, etc.

The County Crimestoppers are appreciative of the support they have received and are glad to give the money to informants so that criminal activity can be curbed in our county.

The Gorman Lions Club voted at their Tuesday noon meeting to donate \$250 toward the purchase of animals at the Eastland County Livestock Show next weekend.

The Club also voted to purchase a pair of glasses for a student needing glasses. Also the club has voted to donate Smoke Detectors to those needy persons who do not have a smoke detector in their homes and cannot afford to purchase them. These folks should contact a member of the Gorman Lions Club, the Gorman Pharmacy or Gorman Progress.

These are just some of the many community projects sponsored by the Gorman Lions Club.

We wish all the exhibitors in the Eastland County Livestock Show the best of luck in next week's show. All the exhibitors have worked real hard on their projects and deserve all the praise the congratulations we can bestow upon them.

And remember to smile - because God Loves You!

Music Concert At First Baptist Church Feb. 10

St. Paul's Methodist Church choir from Abilene will present at concert, Sunday, February 10th at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Gorman.

The pastor and members of First Baptist Church would like to invite all area churches to attend.

FHA / HERO WEEK

The Gorman FHA / HERO Chapter will be joining 11,000 other local chapters in a nationwide observance of FHA / HERO Week, February 10-16, 1991.

This annual event gives members an opportunity to show how Home Economics and FHA equips them for future leadership. The theme of this years National FHA / HERO Week is "Future Homemakers of America; Working Today for a Better Tomorrow." The Gorman Chapter is planning a series of activities during the week long observance.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Veterinaian from Duncan Veterinarian Clinic of Eastland will be in Gorman on February 23rd (Saturday) at the Old Firehall to administer rabies shots for your pets. He will be there from 1:00 p.m. thru 4:00 p.m. or as late as necessary to tend to all who come. There will be a \$7.00 charge. There is a City Ordinance requiring all pet owners to have their pets vaccinated.

The Gorman Senior Class is sponsoring a Volleyball Tournament - February 28 - March 1 & 2. If you have a Women's, Men's, or Mixed Team and are interested please notify at 893-5103 or 734-2642. Please leave name and phone number

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Bill Hagood, W.M., 734-2724 - Howard Hagood, Sec. 734-2977.

NEED A SMOKE DETECTOR???

If you need a Smoke Detector for your home and live in the City of Gorman and cannot afford to buy one, Contact a member of the Gorman Lions Club, Gorman Pharmacy or the Gorman Progress.

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services on 2nd - 3rd - 4th Sundays. Services begin at 10:30 a.m. Elder Barry Brown, Pastor - Everyone Welcome To Attend.

CHARLIE GARRETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEEDS A TYPEWRITER. WE CAN GET ONE FOR 72 S&H GREEN STAMP BOOKS. THE LIBRARY WOULD APPRECIATE THE HELP OF ALL YOU GOOD CITIZENS ON THIS. THE S&H GREEN STAMP BOOKS FOR DONATION MAY BE LEFT AT THE CITY OFFICE, SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER OR THE LIBRARY.

The 2nd Friday Night Musical is slated February 8th. Concession stand opens at 5:00 p.m. Come eat and get the music started.

Local Group To Support Desert Storm Personnel

A few of us have been talking about doing something for our service people in War.

We would like to post pictures and names in a business so that we can remember them in our prayers.

If you would like to have the name and address and picture of your loved one or your friend on this poster contact Donnie Rodgers at 734-2948 or Darlene Hampton at 734-2983. We will be happy to put them on. They do not have to be from Gorman, we will be happy to put out of town names too.

Andrew Tarver Fitted With Artificial Leg

Andrew Tarver was fitted for his new leg on Friday, January 25th at Scottish Rite Hospital in Dallas. He is able to go to school now without his wheelchair. He still has to use crutches for a few days to get around on.

Andrew will have to have tests run in March or April and will probably have corrective surgery in July or August at Cook's Childrens Hospital in Fort Worth.

The new leg fits good and works well enough for Andrew to have kicked a soccer ball 91 feet last week. Of course not with his artificial leg but with his good leg.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We want to say thank you very much to our Volunteer Firemen for answering the fire alarm so promptly and putting out the fire so quickly near our home.

We appreciate you.
Pinky and LaVelle Jobe

Local Artists Exhibit Work At De Leon Library

Currently exhibited in the De Leon Library is a presentation by members of the De Leon Art Association. "Expressions in Mixed Media" offers a variety of works in non-traditional media and is the culmination of the October 1990 workshop and demonstration taught by Donice Scott Smith. Members were introduced to a variety of experimental art media that included ebru, encaustic, and tissue collage.

Art association members represented in the exhibit include Gene Snelson, Ona Dean Freeman, Muriel Hargrove, Ruth Higginbottom, Iva Mae Puckett, Donna Gibson, Frances Scott, Donice Smith, and club president Caro Boswell.

The exhibit runs through the month of February.

SCHOOL MENU

BREAKFAST

- Monday - Eggs, toast, jelly, juice and milk.
- Tuesday - Cereal, toast, juice and milk.
- Wednesday - Biscuits, sausage, gravy, juice and milk.

LUNCH

- Monday - Taco salad, cheese, lettuce, ranch beans, fruit, tortilla chips, hot sauce and milk.
- Tuesday - Meatloaf, cream potatoes, green beans, fruit cocktail cake, hot rolls and milk.
- Wednesday - Hamburgers, cheese the works, french fries, ice cream and milk.

You are invited to attend a reception honoring Clarence Ragland on his 95th birthday on Sunday, February 10th, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Hotel Apartment lobby in downtown Gorman. Hosted by his family.

CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

We are sorry to report Louie Roberts is in the De Leon Hospital.

Those visiting Emma Shugart and Dee Gilmore were Dixie Pack of Desdemona, Odalee Thomas of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dawkins of Abilene, Modess Burgess and Idell Warren.

On Tuesday those coming for singing were Edna Watson, Floy Morrison, Joe O'Neal, Melba Frasier Velma Bennett, Willo Rice, Nancy Hendricks, Dorothy Roberts, Anita Franklin, Oma Dee Garrett, Ava Rodgers and Billie Stacy.

We appreciate Rev. C. M. Avery of First United Pentecostal Church bringing the devotional for 21 residents.

Visiting Lorene Jay were May Fry and Mayvis Lasater.

JANUARY BIRTHDAY PARTY

At 2 p. m. Thursday, January 31 we had our January birthday party honoring Agnes Akard, Lola Johnson Pauline Love, Emma Shugart, Gracie Hamilton, and Wayne Forrest. Veno Hale and Dorothy Beaty played the piano.

Velma Bennett, Jolene Gilliland, Iris Preston and Gladys Chambless furnished birthday cakes served with punch.

The First United Methodist, First Baptist and Church of Christ and Canterbury Villa gave gifts.

Helping volunteers were Cecil Self, Waldene Jones, Jolene Gilliland and Nancy Hendricks.

Visiting Mae Quinn and Cleo Clement were Archie Skaggs, Ima Lee Burlison, Sue Clement, Georgie Faye Skaggs, Hallie Clark, Mary Skaggs, Virgil and Ann Skaggs of Abilene, Bernice Farley of Rock Bluff and Glen and Shirley Clement.

Wednesday morning Willo Rice brought the devotional for 12 members.

Wednesday afternoon Billy Self and Jean Burns helped with bingo. There were 15 winners.

Jolene Gilliland, Velma Bennett and Nancy Hendricks visited Judy Phillips and Ruby Pullig.

On Friday Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Ida Lewis, Emma Shugart, S. D. Gilmore Mae Quinn, Dorothy Beaty, Minnie Dupuy, Cynthia Earles, Veno Hale and Ora Mae Atchison.

On Saturday at 10 a. m. Rev. Joe O'Neal of Lake Leon Baptist and

Rev. Joyce Dennis of First United Methodist Church came for church worship for 11 residents.

Those visiting Gertie Leeper and Dorothy Beaty were Nettie Denton, Dora Faye Brewer, Oma Dee Garrett Jonell and Charley Torrez, Jr., Era Whitehurst, Lola Bailey, Norma Tedford, Dee Gilmore, Emma Shugart, Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Avery, Rhoda Burney, Vernon and Lois Cates of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Denton and Vada Collins of San Angelo.

On Sunday morning at 10 Bro. Ron Carroll taught the Sunday School lesson for 9 residents.

Those visiting Ruby Pullig were Ima Brown, Annie Faye Foster, Curtis Maness, Lavoyce Hirst, Floy Morrison, Earl and Virginia Stone of Granbury.

At 2:30 p. m. Sunday those coming from the Carbon Baptist Church were Rev. George Weeks, Carol Sandlin, Euell Allison and R. Lee McDaniel.

Those visiting Bertie Self were Curtis Maness, Cathy and Samantha Goode, Nettie Denton, Juanita Files, Purnia Faye Smith, Cecil and Christine Self, Modess Self, Vera Rodgers Scytha Alldredge, Dora Faye Brewer Lorene Foster, Stella Scott, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Bud and Dee Smithey, Jean Burns of Fort Worth, and Billy Self.

We are happy to report Ruby Vandergriff is back home from the De Leon Hospital.

Those visiting Minnie Dupuy were Walter Goodwin, Sylvia Bridgewater Icy Munn, Odell Dupuy, Rufus Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Goodwin, Karen and Jo Jo Smith.

Those coming for church on Sunday at 4 p. m. from the Gorman Church of Christ were Bro. Curtis Maness, Bud and Dee Smithey, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Durwood Webb, Stella Scott, Lorene Foster, Dora Faye Brewer, Scytha Alldredge Cecil Self, Folydene Gilbert, Juanita Files, Nettie Denton, Janda and Tracey Taylor, Cathy and Samantha Goode and Zina Simpson.

There were 21 at the Friday morning musical. Musicians were Raymond Hart of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Keith of Desdemona and W. D. Bailey.

On Wednesday Billy Self and Ima Jean Burns helped with bingo. Winners were Emma Shugart, S. D.

Gilmore, Cynthia Earles, Minnie Dupuy, Lola Johnson, Mae Quinn, Veno Hale and Garnet Adams.

Those visiting Ora Mae Atchison and Era Whitehurst were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dunnwell, Chesley and Barbara Atchison, Ima Lee Burlison, C. M. Avery, Zina Simpson, Scytha Alldredge, Dora Faye Brewer, Edna Watson, Stella Scott, Lorene Foster, Curtis Maness and Juanita Files.

On Monday morning Betty Sanders helped us paint pictures and led exercises for 8 residents.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Bill and Mary Ann Lipps of Houston, Willadean Ormsby of Stephenville, Kristin Ervin, Lesley Bryant, Zina Simpson, Curtis Maness and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Avery.

BRACIE HAMILTON HONORED

On Monday, January 28 at 1 p. m. Gracie Hamilton was honored with a birthday party for her 96th birthday.

Deane Christian made the birthday cake which was served with ice cream and punch.

Those enjoying the gala occasion were Teresa Bevis, Benjamine Zandudo, Kenny Bevis and Norma Zandudo of Midland, David Moore, Mrs. Jess Hallmark, Minnie Burlison of Clyde, Estelle and Steve Stephens of Rising Star, Mildred Walker and Delsie Little of Baird, Minnie Dupuy, Veno Hale and Tola Bailey.

On Monday May Fry, Ina Reynolds of Carbon visited Lola Johnson.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were May Fry, Sue Clement, Ora Lee Lawrence Joe O'Neal and James Lewis.

On Tuesday morning Wilma Cordell gave us bingo gifts. We appreciated them so much.

PORTER/BROWN FAMILIES PLAN FEBRUARY 16 GATHERING

Families of William and Benjamin Porter (Somerville County) and the Brown families (Comanche County) will be meeting at Fort Worth at the Tandu Center Mall Ice Skate Rink on Saturday, February 16th from 1 to 5 p. m. The Tandy Center is located where the old Leonards shopping and bargain basement use to be located. The Tandy Center Parking lot is located off Hwy. 199 Jacksboro Hwy. and Trinity River Bridge.

Families will enjoy the subwat ride to downtown mall. Children will enjoy the Tandy Ice Skate Rink while the older folks will enjoy visiting. The skating party and gathering will be cancelled due to bad weather and rescheduled for March 16th, same place, time, etc. No further notice will be sent. Mail your calendars.

Fort Worth Visitors Bureau and toll free number is 1-800-433-5747.

A Porter/Brown Reunion is being planned for sometime in the future. Family members are being located and family history is being collected

Anita Franklin of Ranger, Faye Huff, Kelly Moss, Christina Everton, Sterling McCaulley visited Cynthia Earles, Nellie Morgan, Jess Roberts and Dorothy Burns.

Tuesday we had council and elected Ora Mae Atchison president and S. Dee Gilmore as Resident of the Month.

Mrs. Marvin Jones of Dublin visited Eulon Perry.

by Loretta Hardin, Rt. 1, Box 184, Temple, Okla. 73568 or J. E. Porter, Gorman, Tx 76454, also has information sheets.

We are also collecting old letters, news clippings, documents, birth, death, etc. of information relating to the Porter and Brown families. Very little is known of the Brown family. We hope anyone with info will

contact the above named.

? and Sarah (Rainet) Brown of Comanche County, Tx. The Brown children were Sallie, Mary, John (married Fannie ?) and Ezekiel (1869-1940) married Mattie L. Porter (1874-1954). Children of Ezekiel and Mattie Porter Brown were Pearl Tiny Brown Carlile, George Wesley Brown (1894-1941 of Walters, Okla. born in Gorman, Tx., Nettie Belle Brown Jones, Monroe Brown of Fort Worth, and Albert E. Brown of Fort Worth, Tx born in 1910 at Walters, Okla.

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BASKETBALL '90

Basketball Schedule 1990-91

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	Girls (Var.)	Boys I.V. -- Var.
Feb. 1	* Rising Star	There	5:00	*	* *
Feb. 5	* Sidney	There	6:30	*	* *
Feb. 8	* May	Here	5:00	*	* *

* Denotes District

JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE 1990-1991

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Feb. 4	May	Here	6:00

PANTHER ROSTER

No.	Player	Ht.	Class
10	Steve Taylor	5'8"	Junior
12	Stephen Scitern	6'2"	Senior
20	Chago Landa	5'6"	Senior
23	Jeremy Ditmore	5'9"	Senior
24	James Carroll	6'3"	Senior
30	Andy Cariker	5'10"	Junior
32	Jason Ditmore	5'9"	Junior
34	Cory Pack	5'11"	Junior
42	Matt Jones	6'0"	Senior
44	Kevin Hirst	6'1"	Senior

Coach: Dudley McCarty
Asst. Coach: Eddie Pettit
Manager: Renee' Rainey

J. V. PANTHER ROSTER

No.	Player	Ht.	Class
10	Chris Laminack	5'10"	Soph.
11	Shane Caraway	6'2"	Fresh.
12	Flavio Herrera	5'8"	Soph.
15	Tony Forbus	5'9"	Soph.
20	Freddie Huff	5'3"	Fresh.
22	Travis Fraley	5'6"	Fresh.
23	Neely Carter	5'6"	Soph.
24	Jeremy Carroll	5'11"	Fresh.
25	Jade Warren	5'11"	Soph.
30	Noah Landa	5'10"	Fresh.
32	Jonray Childers	6'0"	Soph.
33	Rajee Patel	5'7"	Soph.
34	Kris Scitern	5'7"	Soph.
42	John Stephens	5'8"	Fresh.

Coach: Dudley McCarty
Asst. Coach: Eddie Pettit

PANTHERETTE ROSTER

No.	Player	Ht.	Class
10	Jana Norris	5'7"	Junior
12	Michelle Thackerson	5'8"	Senior
14	Stephanie Jobe	5'5"	Soph.
20	Barbie White	5'7"	Junior
22	Melissa Mayfield	5'8"	Junior
24	Jill Rainey	5'5"	Soph.
30	Connie Rone	5'4"	Fresh.
32	Cari Daniels	5'9"	Soph.
34	Annette Love	5'7"	Fresh.
40	Mandy Wilcoxson	5'7"	Junior
42	Angela Treadway	5'6"	Soph.
44	Sylvia Ramirez	5'2"	Junior
52	Edith Torres	5'8"	Soph.

Coach: Diana McCarty
Manager: Kathy White



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26 FFA MEMBERS ENTER ANIMALS AT HOUSTON

Twenty-six FFA members from Gorman Schools will be joining 4-H and other FFA members from across the state for showing competition at the upcoming Houston Livestock Show February 16th through March 3 at the Astrohall.

These FFA and 4-H exhibitors compete in one of two divisions of the Houston Livestock Show - the junior show division. The other division, the open show, attracts its exhibitors from the world's agricultural industry, primarily professional breeders and ranchers.

Entries in both the open and junior shows combine with horse show entries to make the Houston Livestock Show the world's largest.

The Gorman entries include 2 market lambs and 26 market barrows and are as follows:

Market Lambs: Stephen Scitern and Shane Craaway.

Market Barrows: Kenneth Rainey,

Ashley Rich, Jason Rich, Jennifer Scitern, Kevin Scitern, Scott Scitern, Stephen Scitern, Marla Smith, John Mart Stephens, Samantha Stephens, Michelle Thackerson, Justin Underwood, Jade Warren, Leslie Bryant, Shane Caraway, J. J. Clark, Reece Clark, Michael Hampton, Ashley Laminack, Chris Laminack, Mindy Laminack, Shannon Mauney, Don Mauney, Efran Pacheco, Anthony Patel and Rajee Patel.

Representing 862 Texas 4-H Clubs and FFA chapters, the junior show is expected to exceed 13,000 entries this year. A variety of animals are shown in the junior show division; market steers, swine, sheep and poultry, and beef and dairy heifers, breeding sheep, goats, commercial steers and breeding rabbits.

The four market animal categories represent animals raised by the exhibitor as food sources. Top animals in each of these categories are eligible for their individual market

auctions. Total money paid in 1990 at the four junior show auctions exceeded \$2.7 million.

All net proceeds from the annual Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo provide funds for scholarships and research projects throughout the state. Currently, more than 1,000 students receive some form of show-sponsored financial assistance, with 30 research projects funded. More than 9,000 volunteers ensure the success of each year's event.

This year's event begins with horse show competition Thursday, Feb. 14 followed by other livestock competition beginning on Saturday, Feb. 16. The first rodeo performance will be held at 4 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 17. All events conclude March 3. A total of 30 star entertainers are scheduled to perform during the rodeo's run.



DESDEMONA NEWS

VONNIE GUTHERY
PHONE 75802665

You are invited to attend a reception honoring Clarence Ragland on his 95th birthday on Sunday,

February 10th, from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. at the Hotel Apartments lobby in downtown Gorman. The event is hosted by his family.

This reporter recently received a letter from Estelle (Baldaree) Strickland, who is a former resident of Desdemona and graduated from DHS in 1936. Her father, Bro. H. N. Baldaree, was a former pastor of the Desdemona First Baptist. Her husband, Steadman Strickland, a former

resident of De Leon, retired in 1983 from Exxon Pipeline in Luling. She has a brother, H. N. "Hank" Baldaree, Jr. who also attended school at DHS and was in the class with Betty Jane (Clark) Guthery, Maxie (Harris) Griner, Earl Parks, Jack Powers and others.

It is always good to hear from former residents and invite them to the Annual Desdemona Homecoming and School Reunion.

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BREAKFAST WITH THE CONGRESSMAN SET FOR TUESDAY, FEB. 12th - 7:00 A. M.

Farmers, ranchers and others from throughout this area are invited to attend a dutch-treat breakfast at which Congressman Charles Stenholm will be the speaker on Tuesday, Feb. 12th.

The informal visit-meeting will be held at The Crossin Restaurant in Eastland from 7 to 8:30 a.m., sponsored by the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, according to President Gary Montgomery. Special cost for the meal has been set at \$4.50 per person.

The Congressman will be discussing the Middle East Crisis, the Farm Bill, anticipated legislation and other matters of concern to citizens in this county. Congressman Stenholm will be accompanied by Aide Don Starr.

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Citizens State Bank PO Box 519 Gorman, Texas 76454-0519		2847-37	FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 19 07416		
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
Gorman	EASTLAND	Texas	76454-0519	December 31, 1990	
Dollar Amounts in Thousands					
ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:					
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin					
b. Interest-bearing balances					
2. Securities					
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:					
a. Federal funds sold					
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell					
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income					
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses					
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve					
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)					
5. Assets held in trading accounts					
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)					
7. Other real estate owned					
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					
10. Intangible assets					
11. Other assets					
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)					
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)					
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)					
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:					
a. In domestic offices:					
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
(2) Interest-bearing					
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:					
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
(2) Interest-bearing					
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:					
a. Federal funds purchased					
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase					
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury					
16. Other borrowed money					
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases					
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding					
19. Subordinated notes and debentures					
20. Other liabilities					
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)					
22. Limited - life preferred stock and related surplus					
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding					
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized b. Outstanding					
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)					
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves					
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities					
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments					
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)					
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)					
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28.a & 28.b)					
29. Total liabilities, limited - life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c)					
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:					
1. a. Standby letters of credit, Total					
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations					
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SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT				DATE SIGNED	
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT				AREA CODE/PHONE NO.	
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MADE AND NOTARIZED at GORMAN, Texas, this 28th day of January, 1991. Notary Public: GHERYL BROOKS

Last Rites For Austin H. Cozart Held on Sunday

Austin H. Cozart, 80, of Breckenridge, passed away Friday, February 1 at a local hospital.

Services were held at 3 p. m. Sunday at Morehart Mortuary with the Rev. George Glover officiating, assisted by the Rev. Jimmy Allen. Burial was in Willow Pond Cemetery in Mineral Wells.

Mr. Cozart was born in Marietta, Okla., attended school in Throckmorton County and Almeta. He served as a peace officer in Stephens

County, Pecos, Big Lake and Fort Stockton.

He was a member of Shelton Ave. Baptist Church and the widower of Josephine Watson and Lea Dell Loven.

Survivors include two sons, Durwood Cozart of Belton and Curtis of Breckenridge; a daughter, Doris Boone of Weatherford; a stepson, Charles Witherspoon of Odessa; two stepdaughters, Dorothy Glover of Mineral Wells and Wanda Goodwin of Breckenridge; four brothers, Delbert Cozart of Eastland, Houston of Carbon, and Leman and Ralph, both of Breckenridge; a sister, Ethel Elam of Ranger; 27 grandchildren; and 55 great-grandchildren.

ASCS ACTIVITIES

ACP APPROVAL PERIOD

Requests for cost-sharing of conservation practices are continuously being accepted. The County Committee has determined that they will consider requests at their meetings of February 21. Additional approval periods will be announced as funds become available. Practices applicable at this time include planting grasses, reorganizing irrigation systems, and water impoundment reservoirs.

LONG TERM AGREEMENTS

Requests for cost-shares under the Long Term Agreement program (LTA) will be accepted February 4 through February 15th.

The LTA concept of solving conservation problems is to concentrate on a particular area with a contract for conservation work to be done over a 3 to 5 year period. Cost-shares are generally based on 50 percent of the average cost and are limited to \$3,500 per person per year.

FARM RECORD CHANGES

Your assistance is requested in keeping your farm records current. If you have leased, sold, purchased or rented additional land, please let us know.

FOREIGN OWNERS MUST REPORT

The Agricultural Foreign Investment Act requires foreigners who have certain land transactions to file a report within 90 days of the transaction at the ASCS office where the land is located.

1991 NATIONAL PEANUT POUNDAGE QUOTA

USDA has announced that it expects the 1991 National Peanut Pounding Quota will be 1,550,000 short tons, down 10,000 short tons

Airman John McDaniel Graduates From USAF Course

Airman John M. McDaniel has graduated from a U. S. Air Force strategic aircraft maintenance course at Sheppard AFB in Wichita Falls.

During the course, students were taught aircraft maintenance fundamentals to repair and service aircraft turbo engines. Also, maintenance management and documentation were taught for assessing the aircraft readiness capability.

Graduates earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

McDaniel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. McDaniel of Route 1, Carbon.

He is a 1990 graduate of Carbon High School.

Kokomo EH Club To Meet Monday February 11

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Wynelle Brown on Monday, February 11 at 2 p. m. for their regular monthly meeting.

Program chairman Johnnie B. Giffith will give the program on "Health Warning Signs".

Members are urged to attend and guests are welcome.

Nancy Hendricks, Reporter

THE GORMAN PROGRESS

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from the 1990 level.
Information concerning the 1991 Peanut Program will be provided to producers as soon as received.
MULTI-COUNTY PEANUT SHORT COURSE SLATED

A Multi-County Peanut Short Course will be held at 9 a. m. February 20th in the Desdemona School Building. Pre-register by calling the Eastland County Extension Service Office before 5 p. m.

February 15th. The number is 629-1093.
HOLIDAY NOTICE FEBRUARY 18
The ASCS Office will be closed February 18th in observance of George Washington's Birthday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Poteet and Arleen McDonald of Graham, and Larry Court of De Leon visited with Lorene Poteet last week.

Johnnie and Pattie Waters of Amarillo and Frank and Sue Leazar visited with Muriel Prewitt the past week.



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(Paid Pol. Adv. by Committee to Elect Kenneth Mitchell, Its Mitchell Treasurer)

TFU Says Farm Bill Falls Way Short

Members of the Texas Farmers Union meeting this week in Austin say farmers are headed for another depression that could cost rural Texas billions of dollars.

During a "Town Hall Farm Forum" held during the group's state convention Friday, farmers presented testimony about the rural situation to a group of state and federal legislative officials and farm lobbyists. "Certainly, the 1990 farm bill will do little to improve the situation in agriculture," TFU Vice-President Robert Green told the panel. The group has joined with Farmers Union organizations in other states in a petition drive aimed at reopening the farm bill.

Green cited difficulties he's experienced in getting operating credit this year. He said bankers are reluctant to make loans while commodity prices remain low. Over the last six months, Texas wheat prices have dropped by over a dollar a bushel, and dairy prices have dropped more than three dollars per hundredweight. But, Green said easier credit is not the answer to the farm sector's problems. "We don't want loans. We want a price; a fair price."

A 22-year old farmer from Castro County, Daniel Higgins, told the panel that the farm bill will cut his income considerably. "In my opinion this farm bill makes no economic sense," he said.

H. R. Pruett, a dairy farmer from Denton County, said higher petroleum prices resulting from the Persian Gulf crisis are hitting farmers particularly hard. Pruett said fuel costs, electric costs, and fertilizer and chemical costs have all risen dramatically in the last few months. "At the present time, fuel costs have gone up approximately forty

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To obtain an application (Form SS-5) and instructions, call 1-800-234-5772 from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. weekdays. Evidence of a person's age, U. S. citizenship (or lawful alien status), and identity are needed. Parents can mail the completed form and required documents to Social Security in the pre-addressed envelope that will be provided with the form. The documents will be returned promptly, and a Social Security card usually will be issued within 2 weeks. People age 18 and over applying for an original Social Security number must apply in person at a Social Security office, but they may call first to get the application and instructions.

If you have lost your Social Security card or the care of your child and don't have the number, you will need to complete an application and submit proof of identity before the number can be given to you. So, don't wait until the last minute, call now for an application.

The application, any assistance needed to complete the form, and

percent, and my milk price is down 25 percent.

The economic problems among farmers have led to other problems for rural Texas, said Linda Lowery, the Criminal District Attorney in Yoakum County. "In the past five years, Texas led the nation in the number of rural hospital closures," she said. Lowery said Texas lost sixteen small-town hospitals last year. "Fifty-five of our counties now have no hospital."

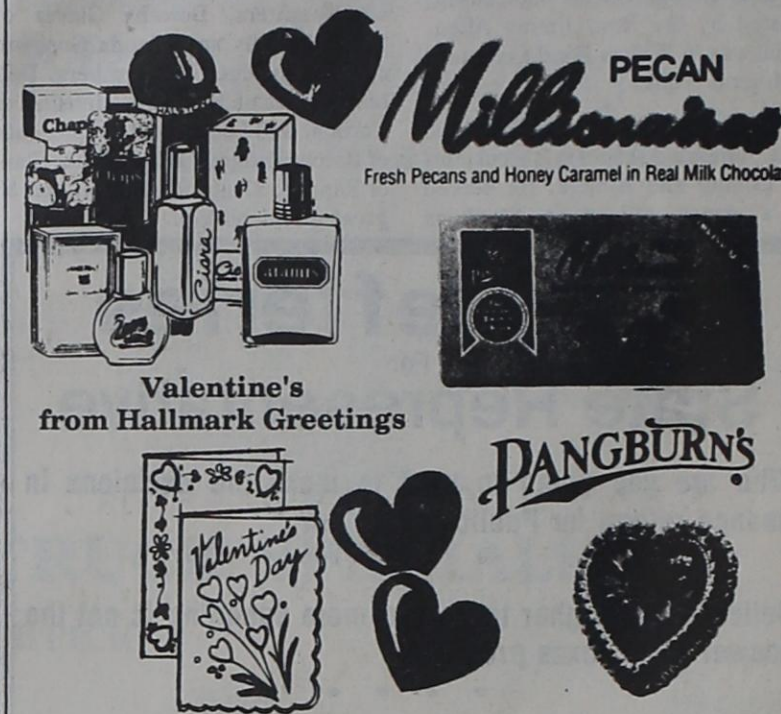
Norbert Schlegel of Wheeler County said the ultimate affect of the farm price crisis will be the depopulation of rural Texas, and may even cause employment problems in metropolitan areas as farmers and ranchers are forced to move to cities. "If we are going to survive until 1995, we have to change this current legislation. It's disastrous."

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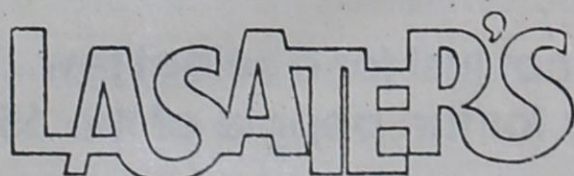
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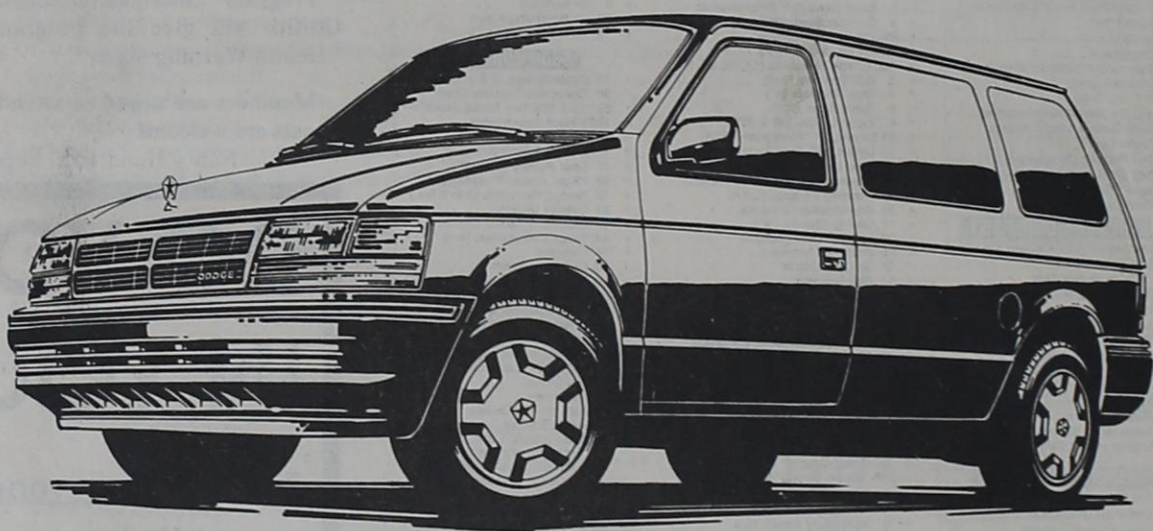
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The program is tailored to meet the individual needs of families by offering them freedom of choice in locating suitable housing units that meet their individual needs. It is possible that these families could receive assistance in housing units that they presently occupy.

Anyone wishing to apply should contact Dana Woodman at the WCTCOG Housing Programs office, (915) 672-8544, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, or should send a card requesting an application with your name, mailing address and phone number to Dana Woodman, WCTCOG, P. O. Box 3195, Abilene, Texas 79604.



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FARMS AND GARDENS

By David L. Tunmire
Eastland County Extension Agent

START GETTING THAT GARDEN SITE IN SHAPE

Now is a good time to be getting your garden site worked up. This is especially true if you're looking at starting a new garden site.

The first step is to select a good site for your garden. Choose a location where the soil is loose, rich, level and well drained. Avoid low areas and soils which stay wet. The site you select should also receive at least 6 hours of sunlight. Areas which may have trees right on the border of a garden site can cause problems, too.

The next step is to prepare the site. The sound and proven method is by use of a shovel or spading fork but most people look for the easier method, the rototiller.

When using a rototiller skip rows between passes. This will make it easier to turn the tiller and till the garden better. Till the skips once you have gone through the garden.

Don't try to work the ground too deep when tilling the ground for the first time. Set the brake stake or depth guide for half of the desired tilling depth on the first round. Then set it at full depth for the second round.

Till soil only when it is slightly dry. Tilling soil which is too wet will result in clods which become very hard when dry.

Fertilization should be the next consideration for the garden site. The best method for determining fertilizer needs is by getting the soil tested at least every 2 years. Soil testing information is available at the county extension office.

If you don't have a soil test you should use a complete fertilizer with twice as much phosphorus as nitrogen or potassium such as 10-20-10 or 12-24-12. The number represents the percentages of nitrogen-phosphorus-potassium in the fertilizer. A 50 pound sack of 10-20-10 would contain 5 pounds of nitrogen, 10 pounds of phosphorus and 5 pounds of potassium.

Use 2 to 3 pounds of fertilizer such as 10-20-10 for every 100 square foot garden area if you have not had your soil tested. Use 2 pounds of fertilizer on sandy soils and 3 pounds of fertilizer on mostly clay type soils.

Do not over fertilize. Generally, two cups of fertilizer will weigh approximately 2 pounds. If a fertilizer has more nitrogen use less and if a fertilizer has less use more fertilizer and work it into the soil.

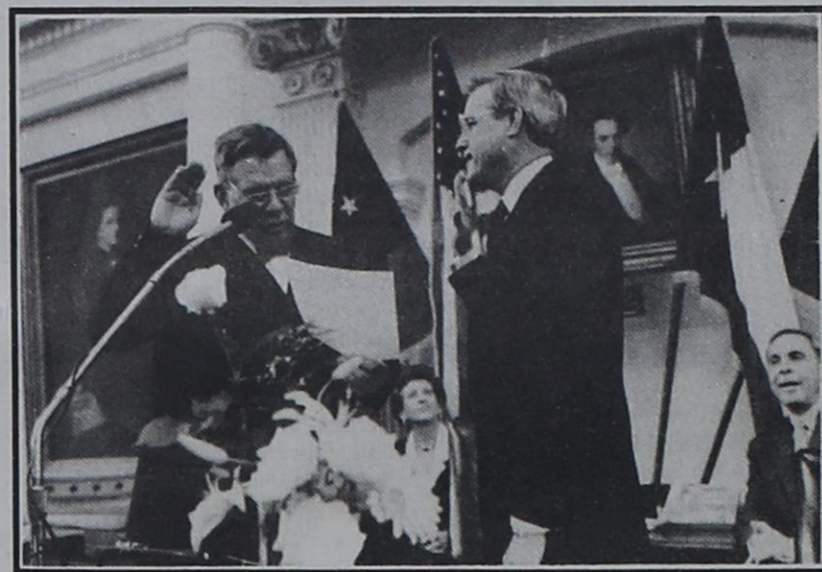
These starting steps will help you get your garden off to a good start.

Senator Bob Glasgow To Serve As Senate President Pro Tempore

AUSTIN -- The Texas Senate held its opening session of the 72nd Legislature Tuesday, January 8, and elected State Senator Bob Glasgow, D-Stephenville, to serve as that body's President Pro Tempore.

The Senate President Pro Tempore is second in the line of succession to the Governorship. The Texas Senate elects the President Pro Tempore from its membership at the beginning of every Session to serve as presiding officer in the absence of the Lt. Governor. The President Pro Tempore also serves as Governor on occasions when the Governor and Lt. Governor are both out of the State at the same time.

"I am honored to have been elected to this post by my colleagues," said Glasgow, who was first elected to the Senate in 1980. "The list of those who have served as President Pro Tempore over the years is a very distinguished one, and to be elected by the other members to this position is truly one of the greatest honors of my tenure in the Texas Senate," he said.



State Senator Bob Glasgow, D-Stephenville, is sworn in as President Pro Tempore of the Texas Senate by Lt. Governor Bill Hobby. As President Pro Tempore, Glasgow is second in succession to the Governorship.

In making the nomination of Glasgow for President Pro Tempore, Senator Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, Dean of the Senate, called him "one of the hardest working members of the Senate." "Senator Glasgow has demonstrated that he cares about

this State, and cares deeply about solving the problems that beset us and our society. He is a Senator who tries to get people of different views to work together and build a consensus to advance the interests of all Texans," Brooks said.

Senator John Montford, D-Lubbock, in seconding the nomination, said "I don't know of any member who is more intense or more deliberate than Bob Glasgow." "He always strives for what is best for his constituents and the people of Texas, and will reflect well on this body as President Pro Tempore," Montford said.

increase efficiency and reduce the tax burden on each and every Texan," Sharp said.

Sharp stressed that the Comptroller's staff will work closely with the State Treasury and with individual taxpayers to make the transition to the new rules as smooth as possible. The 1989 Legislature passed the law which allows the Comptroller to make this change. Sharp expects the new procedure to be in place in early April.

Letters notifying the affected taxpayers of the rule change will be mailed by the Comptroller's Office in late January.

Sharp Rule Changes Earns State Extra \$700,000

AUSTIN, Tx -- With a stroke of his pen, State Comptroller John Sharp today launched a plan that will earn an additional \$700,000 annually for the state's coffers by requiring that any taxpayer who owes the state \$1 million or more in any single tax category must use electronic funds transfer (EFT).

"There may be some corporate bosses in New York who are angered by this action, but it's time they start playing by our rules," Sharp said.

Currently, only taxpayers who pay \$2 million or more annually in one tax category must pay the state via EFT.

"This new procedure will help us crackdown on those out-of-state taxpayers who like to play games with the money they owe Texas. We're going to stop the

practice of these big corporations mailing the check from Nome, Alaska, let's say, in order to delay delivery, and therefore - over a year's time - cheat the state out of hundreds of thousands of dollars in interest income.

"By utilizing the 21st century technology, state government will receive the tax dollars it's owed more efficiently and more quickly than ever before," Sharp said.

With this change, the number of EFT taxpayers will increase from approximately 775 to about 1,300.

"This change will increase the state's interest earnings by about \$700,000 annually, from \$4.4 million to \$5.1 million, because tax revenue will be deposited into state interest-bearing accounts more quickly. This is just one example of how innovation can

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Ben Doyle SUDDERTH says...

'Outrageous' Property Taxes

are destroying the Economy of Rural Texas!



"The unconcerned lawmakers in Austin have allowed property taxes in this state to destroy the economy of the rural areas!

Combined with other factors, landowners pay for property three times!

(1) The first time is the original purchase price! (2) The second time is interest on a long term loan! (3) The third time results from PROPERTY TAXES during the life of the loan, plus constant increases of property taxes!

BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH realizes that for many property owners' their taxes are four (4) times what they were just five years ago!

"Outrageous" PROPERTY TAXES...

1. Excessive PROPERTY TAXES are causing land values to drop drastically which has destroyed part of the economic foundation of rural TEXAS!
2. Excessive PROPERTY TAXES are causing small businesses to close their doors!
3. Excessive PROPERTY TAXES are creating long-lasting conflict between neighbors!
4. Excessive PROPERTY TAXES are causing people in our rural areas to lose their jobs!
5. Excessive PROPERTY TAXES are discouraging land and home improvements!

Outrageous PROPERTY TAXES are causing people to give up the "American Dream" of home ownership!

This election offers the opportunity to VOTE for a proven TOUGH DECISION MAKER, who not only understands we have a problem, but who will attack the source of the problem. We need...

The TOUGH DECISION MAKER!

**Ben Doyle
SUDDERTH**

CANDIDATE FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Paid for by the Committee to Elect BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH, Anne Sudderth, Treasurer

Lingleville and Gorman Take Top Honors in Tourney

The Junior High Tournament was held this past weekend at the local gym. There were several exciting basketball games.

In the boys Championship Game the Lingleville boys won 45 to 38 over Gordon. The Gorman boys placed third and 4th.

In the girls division the Gorman "A" girls defeated Lingleville 43 to 14 in the Championship game. The Gorman "B" team placed fourth while Gordon took third.

Thank you to all these students for their participation.

THANKS FROM THE PTO

The PTO would like to say thank you once again for your help and support of the junior high tournament. The bad weather in January forced the tourney to be rescheduled and your patience during this time is greatly appreciated.

The PTO would like to thank Sav-On-Foods, Bob's Grocery, Citizens State Bank, Quickway, Peanut Corporation, Bill's Dollar Store, Mears 7-11 and Coca-Cola Bottling for their donations. A special thanks to Johnny Crim, John Carter, Joe Rodgers, Ronson Childers, Craig Gryder, Tim Swanner and Randy Parks for refereeing the games. Without all of your help and support the PTO would not be able to serve our children and school.

—GP—

Services For Frank Holly Set For Thursday

Frank G. "Bud" Holly, 74, of Breckenridge, passed away Monday, February 4 in the Breckenridge Hospital.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. Thursday at Melton Funeral Home Chapel of Memories with the Rev. Rex Boggs officiating. Burial will be in Hart Cemetery.

Mr. Holly was born in Becton and was a longtime Breckenridge resident. He was a carpenter and was retired from civil service.

He was a member of Rose Ave. Baptist Church and was a U. S. Army veteran of WWII and a member of the VFW and Oddfellow Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Alice Holly of Breckenridge; a daughter, Linda Wright of Breckenridge; a

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Please call for details on how you can become an ASSE Host Family. 1-800-333-3802 or call your Area Rep Eula Mears, P. O. Box 457, Gorman, Tx 76454, 817/734-2517.

Last Rites For Clyde S. Campbell Set Thursday

Clyde S. Campbell, 98, of Eastland passed away Tuesday, February 5 in the Eastland Hospital.

Services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at Edwards Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with Gary Montgomery officiating. Burial will be in Carobn Restland Cemetery.

Mr. Campbell was born in San Saba. He later moved to Goldthwaite where he attended school before moving to the Carbon area. He attended the Brittan school.

He started farming with his father at an early age and continued until his retirement in 1964. He was a member of the Church of Christ and the widower of Dora Warren and Norah Murry.

Survivors include two daughters, Arleta Shirey of Eastland and Bonnie Pierce of Cisco; a son, Bernard Campbell of Eastland; two brothers, C. T. "Bud" Campbell of San Angelo and Collin Campbell of Carbon; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandson.

sister, Mary Anna Sproles of Gorman; three brothers, Willard Holly of Breckenridge, Donald of Pilot Point and Turner Popejoy of Sundown; and two grandchildren.

Appear In Concert

Mark Chesnutt, whose "Brother Jukebox" is currently No. 1 on the country charts, will be appearing at Tarleton State University in Stephenville on Thursday, February 14th at 8 p. m. Tickets are \$7 students and \$10 general public.

Mark will open the show for Shenandoah.

Mark's first single, "Too Cold At Home," the title cut from the album, set a record as the fastest breaking debut single ever by a new artist. It establishes Mark as one of the best of the new breed of hard-core country singers.

Growing up in a musical household - his dad was a singer as well - Mark decided early that "singing was all I ever really wanted to do." His ease with a range of country stylings, from ballads through Texas swing and honky tonk, gained him a fanatical following around the Lone Star city of Beaumont, where he grew up. A single he released there caught the ears of MCA executives in Nashville, and Mark quickly found himself with a recording contract.

Just 27, Mark already has a decade of solid experience behind him, having appeared in and around Beaumont since he was 17.

—GP—

Ten Free White Pines Offered By NAF

Ten free white pine trees will be given to each person who joins the National Arbor Foundation during February 1991.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign.

"The white pines will add year-round beauty to your home and neighborhood," John Rosenow, the Foundation's executive director said. "They are fast-growing landscape trees with soft needles and graceful branching. You can see them as specimen trees or as a privacy screen or windbreak...even as a beautiful sheared hedge."

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between March 1 and May 31 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to Ten Pines, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, Neb. 68410, by February 28th, 1991.

KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN -- PHONE 639-2289

The weather has been a little better the past few days, but I am still looking for some nice warm days. The cold misty days doesn't do much for me, especially while I am having problems with sinus. Glenn has had a bad cold, too, so we haven't ventured out much during the past week. Sure makes for a long week when you don't feel like going to church on Sunday.

Kristal Brown of Carbon, Gladys Morrow of Levelland and Erlene Blakney of Lubbock were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Joe Bond was the speaker for the Sunday night service.

Lucille Joiner and Joyce Bramlett of Stephenville and Ennis Joiner of Gorman accompanied their mother, Mrs. Bill Joiner, to Abilene on Thursday, January 24 for eye surgery.

Howard, Barbara and Julie Joiner of Arlington, Lucille Joiner of Stephenville and Billie Jeanne Grisham of De Leon came for a visit with Mrs. Joiner on Saturday. (I apologize to Mrs. Joiner and family for overlooking this item in my news notes last week.)

Mrs. Albert Hendricks has received a letter from her grandson, Kelly Buchanan, who is with the Operation Desert Storm in Saudi Arabia. This is the first letter any of the family has received since the war started. He stated that he was OK - just wet - as it is the rainy season over there, and they have no protection from the rain in their fox holes up on the front line.

We want Kelly and all the other boys and girls over there to know we are praying daily for them, and for this war to be over quickly and they can come home to their families.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw of

Gorman and Gordon Bradshaw of Eastland to Clyde on Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Yancy.

Nancy Hendricks and Bro. Joe O'Neal visited on Monday in Ranger with Sarah Hendricks and in Eastland with Daisy Wood.

Martha and Wilbourne Wood of Carbon, Bill and Doris Bradshaw of Gorman and Ruth Bryant were visiting with Nancy Hendricks.

Gladys Morrow of Levelland and Erlene Blakney of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow.

Nancy Hendricks visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan on Sunday afternoon.

TEHA DISTRICT TRAINING WORKSHOP

Eastland County Extension Agent Janet Thomas, Gerry Zummer of the Morton Valley EH Club and Mary Frances Bishop of the Kokomo EH Club attended the District 8 TEHA Training Meeting for County Council Chairman, and the County TEHA Chairman and Vice-Chairman on Tuesday, January 29th at the Nell Tope Garden Center in Waco. Fifty-three ladies from 18 counties were in attendance at the meeting.

SUDDERTH SAYS...

Excessive Property Taxes Are Damaging the Economy!

BROWNWOOD- "Folks in this district are concerned about the future of Texas," said Ben Doyle Sudderth, candidate for State Representative, during a press conference Saturday morning in Brownwood with approximately 150 people in attendance. Sudderth has travelled from one end of the 65th District to the other and back again as campaign time winds down for the February 9 voting day.

"They are concerned about the economy, about property tax, school finance, prison reform and other problems facing this state, and they want a representative in Austin who will speak up for this District," he explained.

Sudderth's campaign strategy is to meet face-to-face with as many voters as possible during this short campaign. The hours have been demanding and even though the schedule has put his 58-year-old bones to a test of endurance, Sudderth says the contacts and information has been very valuable.

"We've got to get the economy turned around. I'm asking the voters to send me to Austin and I will work to stabilize our tax base. Excessive property taxes have created long-lasting conflicts between neighbors that could have been avoided," Sudderth explained.

"Excessive spending in Austin, combined with excessive property taxes have damaged the economy of this rural district. Our census figures show a decline in population. This is happening because our area is not attracting new industry. We are losing jobs instead of creating new ones," he added.

"I want the voters to know that legislation needs to be introduced to eliminate many of the practices in Austin that are creating economic problems for the rural areas of Texas," stressed Sudderth.

His day begins around 4 a.m. "I spend about an hour each morning thinking and planning. I've been doing that for years but not at four in the morning," he explained.

Sudderth heads for the coffee shops around the District's most mornings. Local cafes have become familiar meeting places for campaigning.



BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH -- He served in the Texas Legislature in the 1950s and is ready to take his experience in private business, farming, ranching, banking and law back to Austin.

"I have talked face-to-face with the people who are the backbone of this district. The working man who rolls up his sleeves and earns an income and supports a family. I've discussed the issues with men and women that own small businesses and with folks who have children in our public schools and with people who are retired.

"I've worked with the people of this district for 35 years and this campaign has re-enforced my beliefs that this district needs effective representation! I met many of these people when I served in the legislature in the 1950s.

"Now, they are concerned about the problems of today, yet they are optimistic and willing to do what it takes to get the problems solved and the economy turned around," said Sudderth.

"I want to encourage the voters of this area to get out and vote. This election is important! The issues will effect the people in this area for the rest of their lives, and if they will send me back to Austin, I will give this district a strong voice in the legislature!" stated Sudderth.

OPEN LETTER TO THE VOTERS of EASTLAND COUNTY

With the Legislature in session, Eastland County has been *without* representation for almost a month!

We do not have the luxury of another two or three weeks before sending someone to represent us in Austin!

BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH's qualifications stand head and shoulders above the other candidates running for this office!

BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH can go to Austin and immediately give this District EFFECTIVE REPRESENTATION.

In the publication which lists all lawyers in Texas, BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH is given the rating of 'VERY HIGH' for ABILITY and INTEGRITY. We need to put this 'VERY HIGH' ABILITY and INTEGRITY to work immediately in Austin!

I served with BEN DOYLE SUDDERTH in the legislature in the 1950s. He was RESPECTED by all for his outstanding ABILITY and INTEGRITY!

Sincerely,

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