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The weatherman sure is cooperating with the peanut farmers at the present time. The dry weather is sure helping the peanuts to mature and the farmer has had no fear of moisture the past several days. This will help the peanut crop to mature greatly, thus increasing the yield of the crop. Maybe we will get several more days of clear, dry weather, and then we will really see the peanuts coming out of the ground. Several have stated, though, that they plan to leave the peanuts in the ground for several more days and some for a few weeks yet, hoping the weather will cooperate even further.

Lets all pull for some good dry weather now for awhile.

The Peanut Festival sure came off great with a very large crowd in attendance. With the Homecoming being at the same time as the Peanut Festival, it helped to make the crowd bigger, as some came for the homecoming and also enjoyed the festival activities, as also a lot came for the festival activities and was here to attend the homecoming events also. I think it worked out great. Now if we can just get back to our usual date for the festival where we will not interfere with any other area events, it will sure help to make our parade and the attendance at the festival a lot better.

The Lions Club will be holding their annual Broom and Mop Sale to benefit the Blind this Saturday, October 12th. The Blind Caravan will be parked in front of the Senior Citizens Center and the Lions will be on hand to help folks with their selections and this will benefit the blind. If you need anything from the broom and mop sale, just call 734-2410 or 734-2859 and your order will be taken and delivered to you on Saturday. This project by the Lions always raises a good bit of money for the blind and helps sell the products made by the Blind.

The Panthers will be starting district play this Friday night when they travel to Tolar to take on the Rattlers. This game is always a good one, and we think the Panthers are ready for the district race to start. Game time will be moved up to 7:30 now that the district games are underway.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!

The city workers really did a good job of helping make the town look better for the festival. Things were cleaned up and a lot of the excess grass and weeds were trimmed and cleaned up. Also the big holes in the streets were cemented in and the chug holes in the streets were also fixed. We salute you city workers for the great job you did getting things ready for the festival.

And remember to smile -- because God Loves You!

Lions Club Broom and Mop Sale For Blind Set Oct. 12

The annual Broom and Mop Sale to benefit the blind, sponsored by the Gorman Lions Club has been scheduled for Saturday, October 12th. This is one of the projects of the Gorman Lions Club which they undertake for the benefit of the blind and helps them sell their blind-made merchandise.

The Caravan For The Blind truck will be parked in front of the Senior Citizens Center beginning at 8:00 a. m. and will be there for sales by the Lions Club members until after lunch.

There will be advance sales taken ahead of time with deliveries made on Saturday, October 12th. Also some areas of town will be covered by some of the Lions members, but the largest portion of the sales will be at the site downtown and by advance orders and sales.

GORMAN JUNIOR CLASS SELLING Tom Watt

The Gorman High School Junior Class is currently selling Tom Watt products as a fund raising project.. Sales will continue through October 21st.

If you are interested in looking at these products, please contact any Junior Class member.

PTO Announces Winners At Peanut Festival Games

The PTO wishes to express their gratitude to Birdsong Peanuts and Jackie Don Simpson for their contribution of burlap sacks at the Peanut Festival.

Winners of the games were:
Sack Race: 1. Clay Sandlin; 2. Francisco Madera; 3. Jason Dale; 4. Jstin Brleson; 5. Cole Sandlin; 6. T. J. Jay.

3 Legged Race:
1. Clay Sandlin and Justin Burlleson; 2. Mandy Warren and Chasta Underwood.

Egg Toss: 1. Ton Bynum and Anthony Patel.
2. Cole Sandlin and Adrian Torrez; 3. Clay ZSandlin and Jason Dale . 4. Jason Rich and Nicholas Guthery.

Second Egg Toss: 1. Bradley Gilmore and Stephen Gryder; 2. Diana Glover and Liz Brinegar; 3. Bill and Keegan Miears; 4. Melissa Clark and Deborah Sanchez.

Egg In A Spoon Race: 1. John

Reagan and Bradley Gilmore; 3. Stephen Gryder.

Balloon Pop: 1. Freddie Escalante. 2. Janice Glover; 3. Ramiro Madera; 4. Justin Burlleson; 5. John Tarver.

Little Ones Balloon Pop: 1. Charlie Tarver; 2. Elizabeth McCormick and 3. Tyler Womack.

Bubble Blowing: 1. Janice Glover; 2. Mandy Warren and 3. Ramiro Madera..

Football Throw: Grades 2-3: 1. Michael Foster and 2. Mandy Warren.

Grades 4-6: 1. John Reagan; 2. Jody Underwood; 3. Jason Dale and Clay Sandlin; 4. Adrian Torrez; 5. Jady Underwood; 6. Justin Burlleson and 7. Cole Sandlin.

Grade 7: 1. Eric Miears; 2. John Ibarra; 3. Mason Simmons; 4. Ramiro Madera; 5. Jason Posey; 6. Stephen Gryder and 7. Scott Scitern.

Grade 8: 1. Nicjola s Guthery; 2. Jason Rich; 3. John and 4. Kevin Scitern.

Panthers Lose To Santa Anna; Travel To Tolar Friday Night

GAME AT A GLANCE		Gorman	Santa Anna
6	First Downs	11	
27/111	Carries-Yards	46/172	
14	Passing Yards	92	
2 of 5	Passes Completed	7 of 15	
1	Interceptions	1	
3	Fumbles Lost	2	
3/40	Punts, Avg.	2/20	
4/30	Penalties	7/34	

The Panthers traveled to Santa Anna on Friday night to take on the Mountaineers and came out on the short end of a 20 to 17 score. The Panthers went into the intermission with a comfortable 17 7 lead, but the Mountaineers came back in the final minute of the game to pull out the win.

Santa struck first on their first possession after taking the ball on the Gorman 28 after recovering a fumble, going the distance in 7 plays with Hernandez getting the final yard on a run with 7:30 left in the first period. Andu Burghardt added the point after and Santa Anna led 7-0.

Then with 6:21 left in the first half the Panthers took the ball on their own 46 after a fumble recovery by Cory Pack and scored in just 3 plays with Jason Ditmore going the final 4 yards on a run for the score. The drive featured a beautiful 43 yard scamper by Ditmore. The try for point failed and the score was 7-6.

Then on the next possession by Santa Anna, Jade Warren stepped in front of a Mountaineer receiver and intercepted a pass and raced 40 yards for a score to put the Panthers up 12 to 7 with 5:20 left. Ditmore added the two pointer on a run and Gorman led 14 to 7.

After holding the Mountaineers on their next possession, the Panthers took the ball at the Santa Anna 40 and moved to the 12 yard line before settling for a 22 yard field goal by Ditmore with only 10 seconds left. This upped the score to 17 to 7 at halftim halftime.

The Panther Marching Band put on a very fine performance despite the very strong winds at Santa Anna.

The Mountaineers came back with a touchdown drive late in the third quarter after recovering another Panther fumble on their own 42. The Mountaineers scored in 10 plays with Cody Martin catching a 7 yard pass for the TD with 3:34 left in the third. A pass try failed and the score stood at 17 to 13.

The winning touchdown by the Mountaineers came with only one minute left in the game when they took the ball on the Gorman 45 and scored in 4 plays with Billy Thomas catching a 20 pass deep in the end zone for the score. Burghardt booted the point after and the Mountaineers were up 23 to 17.

The Panthers tried to come back but Santa Anna intercepted a Panther pass try that ended the threat to insure their 20 to 17 win.

The Panthers had some very bad breaks in the gam, losing 3 fumbles and getting one pass intercepted. The Big Red defense did a good job most o the night holding the Mountaineers to 172 yards on the ground and 92 in the air, but had trouble with the long pass plays by Santa Anna, that eventually got the go-ahead score for the Mountaineers.

Jason Ditmore led the Panthers with 109 yards on 17 carries. Kris Scitern was injured with a bad ankle and carried only one time in the game. Cory Pack had 9 yards on 2 carries. Rajee Patel got 5 on 3 tries. Steve Taylor had a minus 11 on four keepers.

Gorman will open district play this Friday night when they travel to Tolar to play the Rattlers in a 7:30 ball game. This District 14A game will be an important one for the Panthers to help propell them into the race for the district title and they

Rejavian Club To Hold First Meeting October 19th

The Rejavian Club will hold its first meeting and luncheon on Saturday, October 19th at PAR Country Club dining room at 11:45 a. m.

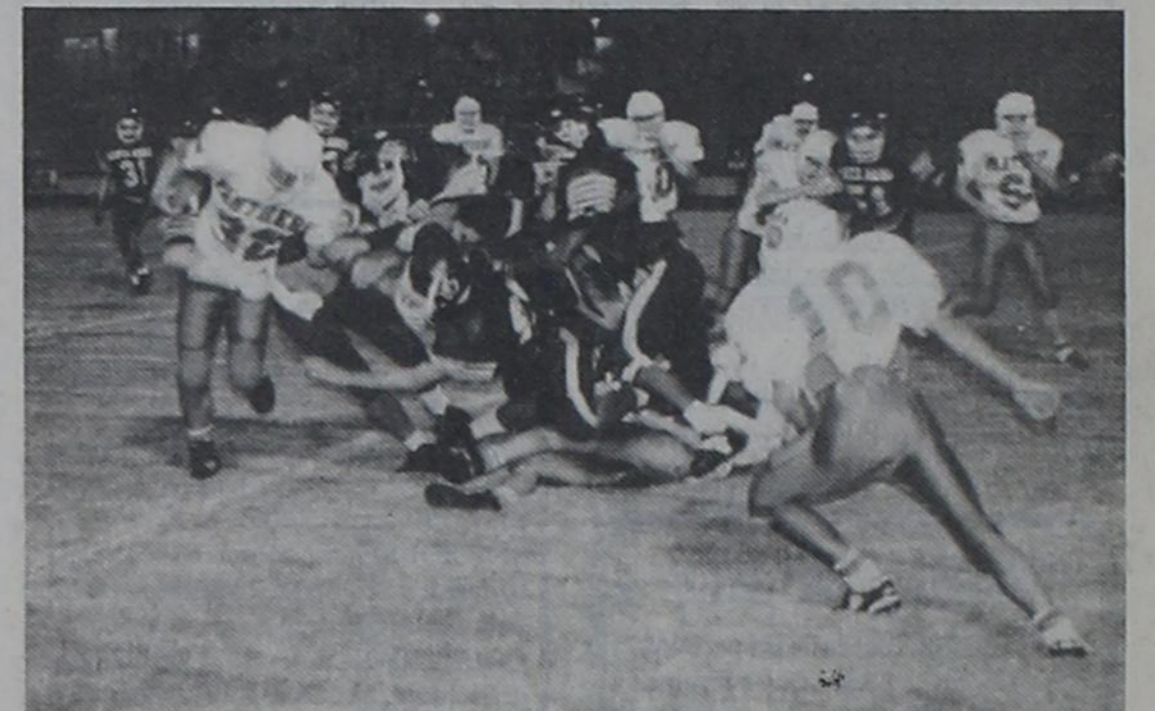
Mrs. Jimmy Kennedy will review Stars in My Crown by Joe David Brown.

If you have not paid your dues, you may do so at this time. Lunxh will cost \$6 for each of the four meetings this year. RSVP by calling Elizabeth Morris at 893-5261 by October 17th.

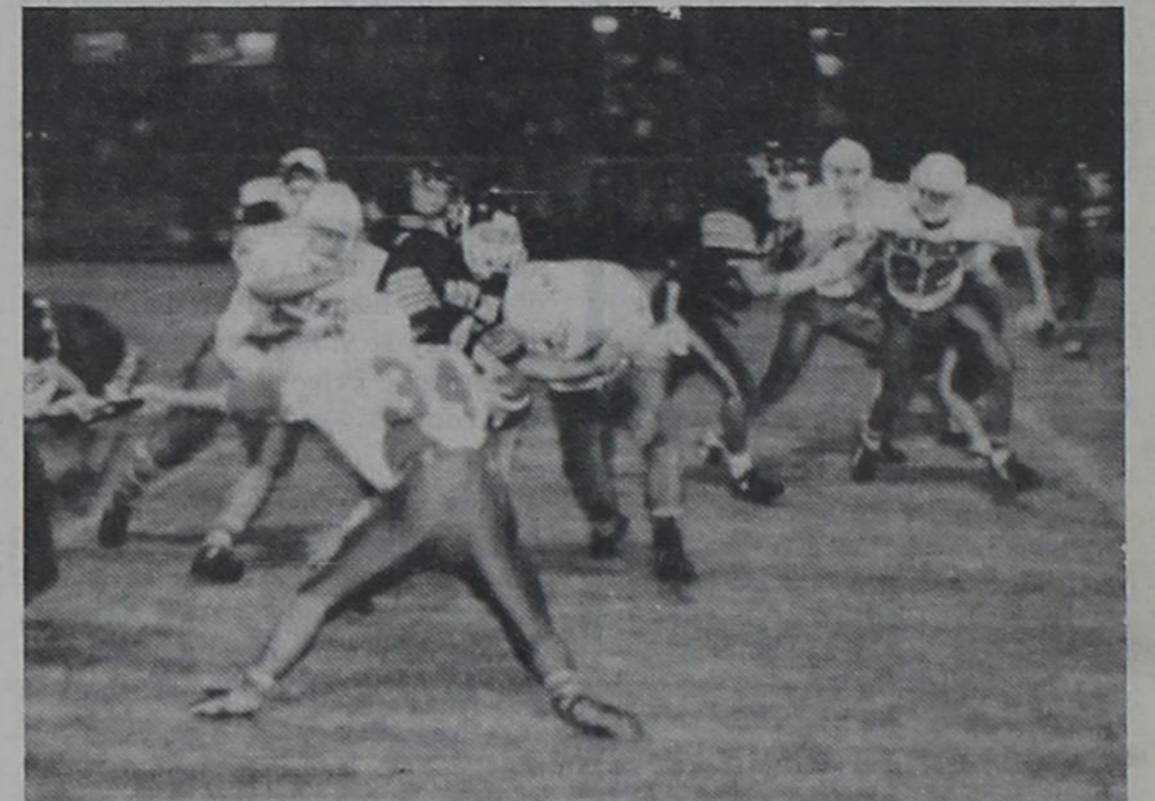
will really have to correct the miscues they suffered at Santa Anna to take a victory in this game. By correcting the turnovers, the Panthers should do good.

Lets all travel to Tolar to boost the Panthers to victory and show them our support.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!



JASON UNDER ATTACK - Jason Ditmore is shown trying to elude the onslot on Santa Anna Mountaineers during game action Friday. Rajee Patel is also shown in the picture.



PANTHER DEFENSE MEETS CHALLENGE - Shown above is a host of Panthers making a stop on one of the Mountaineers in game action Friday. Pictured above are Kris Scitern, Robert Darley, Jason Ditmore, Shane Caraway and Christoph Haase.

GORMAN JUNIOR HIGH DEFEATS SANTA ANNA 20 TO 0

The Gorman Junior High football team defeated the Santa Anna Jr. High on Thursday by the score of 20 to 0.

Marko Herrera scored one touchdown; Nick Guthery scored two TD's and Justin Snider caught a pasas from Nick for a two point play.

JUNIOR VARSITY LOSES TO SANTA ANNA JV 22-0

The Gorman Junior Varsity lost their battle with the Santa Anna Junior Varsity on Thursday by the score of 22 to 0.

The offense just couldn't seem to get going, but the defense played a good game despite the 22-0 score. Outstanding on defense were Scotty Walton and Trino Escalante.

Gorman-Tolar Game To Be Broadcast Live

The Gorman Panther-Tolar Rattler football game will be broadcast live on KCUB 98.3 Stephenville of n Friday night beginning ast 7:30.

The De Leon-Ranger game could not be broadcast live on Friday night on KCUB, but will be re-broadcast at on Friday and approximately at 9:30 on Saturday morning.

The Gorman-Tolar live broadcast will begin at 7:15 p. m. with pre-game activities.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the people of Gorman and our friends for their prayers, the beautiful flowers, food and kind words expressing sympathy at the time of passing of Douglas J. Burney, Jr.

Also to Higginbotham Funeral Home, Ray Daniels and staff. Mat God bless each of you. The Family of Douglas J. Burney, Jr. —GP—

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank all you folks who sent cards, letters, visited and held us up in prayer while we were at M. D. Anderson in Houston. I would also like to say a special "Thank you" to Cheri Lynn for taking care of Kojack and his friends. We've still got a ways to go so keep us in your prayers. Dick and Sue Troutman

USDA Commodities To Be Distributed October 16

The USDA Commodities for October will be distributed on the following dates and times:

GORMAN: Wednesday, October 16 from 1 to 2 p. m. at the Senior Citizens Center.

CARBON: Wednesday, October 16th from 11 to 11:30 a. m. downtown.

DESDEMONA: Wednesday, October 16 from 12 noon to 12:30 at the Community Center (School).

Items to be distributed this month are cornmeal and Rice. —GP—

Dr. Gustino To Speak At Canterbury Villa

The Gorman Support Group has invited Dr. Vincenzo Giustino of the De Leon Clinic to speak at their meeting on Monday, October 21st.

The meeting will be held at Canterbury Villa Nrsing Home at 6:30 p. m. His topics will include stress, depression, and death in regard to Daily Living.

You are cordially invited to attend this special meeting. —GP— NEWS

Doyle Lynn Clark of Comfort was a visitor Thursday through Saturday with his brothers, the Terry and Tommy Clark families.

Action of City Commission Meeting On September 19th

The Gorman City Commission met in regular session on September 19 with the following present; Mayor Pro-Tem John Rice, and Commissioners Ann Maxfield, Johnny Smith and Howard Hagood.

The meeting was opened at 6:10 p. m.

The minutes of Sept. 5 were read. Commissioner Ann Maxfield made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to approve the minutes as read. Motion carried.

Dave Casebowl was present to address the Commission on recent cost changes in the sanitation industry. In consideration of the costs presented, BFI would like the Commission to consider a 6 percent increase in rates. A price schedule was presented. This item will be put on the next agenda.

Ann Maxfield made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith to appoint Doris Bryan and Howard Hagood as publicity directors to alert the public of a possible cemetery association and to set a meeting at which time a set of by-laws will be established to present to the Commission. Motion carried 3-0.

Johnny mith made the motion, seconded by Ann Maxfield, to transfer \$12,000 from the systems fund into the general fund and to approve the bills. Motion carried 3-0.

Appintment of new mayor was tabled.

A date must be set and given to the Texas Water Commission in writing notifying them when a certified person will be fully licensed for wastewater. Joe is to give this date on Monday so the secretary can respond. The Commission gave their recommendation that Duane Herron consider taking water and sewer schools to be certified for back-up.

Claro Guerra gave his resignation on Sept. 13th. No action was taken at this time to replace his position or to hire part time help.

Upon the second reading of Ordinance No. 313 Mandatory Water and Sewer Hook-up, Ann Maxfield made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to pass the ordinance. Moton carried 3-0.

Upon second reading of Ordinance No. 314 Adopting a Tax Rate for 1991, Howard Hagood made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to pass the ordinance. Motion carried 3-0.

Howard Hagood made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith to proclaim the weekend of September 27th and 28th as the Gorman Peanut Festival. Motion carried 3-0.

Johnny Smith made the motion, seconded by Howard Hagood, to adjust the salary of Charles Buckmaster as to duties assigned. Motion carried 3-0.

The meeting closed at 9:30 p. m. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Notice To Persons Interested In Gorman Cemeteries

To all persons with family members buried in the Gorman cemeteries (Gorman and Oaklawn) and all other interested parties.

There will be a public meeting on October 14th at 7 p. m. at Gorman Senior Citizens Center. The purpose of this meeting is to generate interest in the management and care of the cemeteries.

There will be a discussion on forming an association with trustees elected by the membership to serve as managers of the hiring of persons to maintain proper care of our cemeteries.

The financing of this program will also be discussed and how much money will be needed to be raised to form a trust fund to provide continued operating capital for this care. And other improvements as might be decided upon by the membership.

We would hope with the fund raising, with the help of the membership, we could acquire funds to set up a trust fund so the interest would maintain financial needs of this endeavor.

We ask you to please give this your utmost consideration and support. Come to the meeting and be ready to help with this very worthwhile community project.

Doris Bryan - Howard Hagood Organizational Co-Chair Persons —GP—

EH Club To Meet

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club will meet in the home of Mrs. J. C. Rodgers on Monday, October 14th at 2 p. m.

Program chairman Johnnie B. Griffith will give the program "What is C.P.R.?"

Members are urged to attend and guests are welcome. Reporter, Nancy Hendricks

SCHOOL MENU

BREAKFAST

Monday - Rice, toast, juice and milk.

Tuesday - Cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Wednesday - Eggs, bacon, toast, juice and milk.

Thursday - Cinnamon rolls, juice and milk.

Friday - Pancakes, sausage, syrup juice and milk.

LUNCH

Monday - Meat and cheese nachos salad, apples, tortilla chips, cookies, hot sauce and milk.

Tuesday - Sliced ham, baked potatoes, green beans, banana pudding, hot rolls and milk.

Wednesday - Chicken nuggets, cream potatoes, English peas, gravy, hot rolls and milk.

Thursday - Chalupas, grated c cheese, lettuce, corn, peaches, hot sauce and milk.

Friday - Chili dogs with cheese, tator tots, relish, onion, ice cream and milk.

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Sr. Class Shrimp Day Sale Slated Saturday

The Gorman Senior class took orders for fresh shrimp from the Gulf Coast recently. The shrimp will arrive on Friday, October 11th (due to the amounts sold) they ask that you come by D. B. Warren's fruit stand on Hwy. 6 between 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. to pick up your shrimp. The shrimp will be bagged.

The Senior Class would like to thank you for your continuing support.

GORMAN ISD TAX RATE

At a special called meeting on Monday, September 30, 1991 the Gorman ISD Board of Trustees set a tax rate of .28 for the 1991-92 School Year.

This rate will be split with .211 for debt service and .0689 for enrichment.

The County Education District tax rate for 1991-92 will be .8659 for an overall rate of 114.59.

CLASSIFIEDS

DIFT WORK: Dump Truck Service - Lot Preparation and Leveling - Driveway and Road Material -- Sand -- (Topsoil. Reasonable. K. D. Boyd, 734-2122. 2-3-FNC.

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Real Estate

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1 ACRE M/L AT RUCKER - 2 Br, carpeted home, well, pavement, nice storage, satellite dish, \$15,000.00
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1.5 ACRES - M/L between Gorman and Carbon, Clean 2 - 1 partly insulated home, big oaks, city water, storage bldgs, fine garden, just off Hwy. Yours for \$20,000.
182A + Near Hogtown, solid 2-1 home, big carport, excellent well, 2 tanks, spring, 20 cult, live oaks, lots hwy. front, deer area, rolling and scenic. \$600.00 A - 1/4 Down

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We WANT Your Listings - Peanut Farms - Houses - Small and Large Acreages.
893-6666 DE LEON, TX
5-30-FNC.

TO GIVE AWAY - 4 little part Lab puppies, about 8 weeks old. Call Nelda Mauney at 734-2821. 1tc

SEVERAL FAMILY GARAGE SALE - 2 blocks west of Church of Christ, Saturday only, Oct. 12. 1-10-10c

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FOR RENT: Mobile home, fully furnished, 2 bedroom, close to school. Call 734-2578 or 893-2097. 1-17-FNC.

FOR SALE - Clean Lilliston Peanut Combines - 2 each, \$6,000 2 each \$7500. Call 915-758-2644 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. 6-10-17c

CUSTOM DRAPERIES MADE: No Labor Charge when fabrics, etc., are bought from our store. Free estimates. W. H. Smith Department Store, Phone 893-2135. 5-26-FNC.

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NOTICE OF BIDS

Gorman ISD is taking bids for cafeteria food and supplies. Bids will be opened on October 14, 1991. Send bids to: Gorman ISD, Box 8, Gorman, Tx. 76454.

NOW OPEN SATURDAYS

We will be open on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. from now until Christmas! Peanut Corp of America, Hwy. 6 west, Gorman. 2-1017c

GIANT 6 FAMILY GARAGE SALE
Friday, Oct. 11th Only. 9 to 6, at Sue Spiveys. Furniture, household goods and much, much more. 1-10-10c

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3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Antique bottles, unusual and beautiful colors; some very valuable; men's women's and baby clothes and shoes; bedspreads and curtains; lots of other household items. Starts Thursday at 9:00 through Saturday. 807 Apache Drive at 2 story house in De Leon. 1-10-10p

HOME CARE ATTENDANT NEEDED IMMEDIATELY. This is a part-time position that requires light housekeeping and assisting with personal care. To be considered for employment call 1-800-580-4475 and ask for Melissa. GIRLING HEALTH CARE, INC. E.O.E. 1-10-10c

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Dr. Audie A. Brown Laid To Rest On Tuesday

Dr. Audie A. Brown, 91, of Gorman passed away Sunday, October 6th in the De Leon Hospital.

Services were held at 4 p. m. Tuesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. James Haynes officiating. Burial was in Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery.

Born in Eastland County, Dr. Brown received his doctorate degree from Baylor University in 1934, practiced 10 years in Richardson before moving to Gorman where he practiced medicine for 20 years.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church and the American Medical Association.

Survivors include his wife, Effie Mae Brown of Gorman; and several nieces and nephews.
-GP-

Scythia Alldredge Buried Tuesday At Murray Cemetery

Scythia Faye Alldredge 67, passed away October 2 in Anchorage, Alaska.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Curtis Maness officiating. Burial was in Murray Memorial Cemetery near Carbon.

Mrs. Alldredge was born in Texas, was a member of the Church of Christ, was in the banking business and the widow of Lynvoy Alldredge.

Survivors include a son, Leslie Wayne Alldredge of Anchorage; three brothers, Ed Duggan of Garland, Nickie Duggan of Waxahachie and Russell Duggan of Stephenville; five sisters, Johnnie McGilvray of Granbury, Frances Oveerstreet of Abernathy, Dee Smithey of Gorman, Virginia Heggedendahl of Floodwood, Minn., and Mary Vincent of Stephenville; and five grandchildren.
-GP-

Graveside Services For Douglas Burney On Oct. 3

Graveside services were held at 4 p. m. on Thursday, October 3 at Gorman Cemetery. The priest from the Catholic Diocese of Stephenville officiated. The services were under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Burney Sr.; one brother, Lawrence R. Burney of San Angelo; two sisters, Tina and Sherry Burney of Stephenville; grandmothers, Agnes Heshton of San Angelo and Mrs. Chester (Rhoda) Burney of Gorman. He is also survived by three uncles, one aunt, three nieces and 1 nephew.

OLD HOUSE AND YARD SALE - Corner of Milliam and Kokomo Hwy. Oscar Howard home. Saturday, Oct. 19th, 9 to 5:00, Sunday 2:00 to 5:00. Rug shampooer, pressure cookers, treadmill, mirrors, pictures, electric ovens, stoves, tables, toys, clothes size 4 to 16. Lots of miscellaneous items. 1-10-10c

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GARAGE SALE - Friday, October 11, 9 till? at 1215 North Fisher. Clothes, toys, stuffed animals. Also rabbits. 1-10-10p

HUGE YARD SALE - 1 mile north of Kokomo Church, Friday, Oct. 11th and Saturday, Oct. 12th from 8 a. m. Antique piano, confection oven; 2 sewing machines; 1 treadle -type cake tops and party favors. Lots of larger size women's clothes 36-40. Some size 10-12. Dishes; pots and pans; full size bed with mattress and box springs. Lots of goodies! Call Joyce Eaves, 639-2280 for more information. 1-10-10p

Services For Pete Buntin Held October 4

Services for Pete J. Buntin of Midland were held at 3 p. m. Friday, October 4 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Charles D. Taylor of Westside Church of Christ officiating. Don Mitchell officiated. Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He passed away on Wednesday morning, October 2 in his home after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Buntin was born January 8, 1916 in Graham. He was reared in the Graham and Gorman area, where he also attended school. As a young man, he was in C.C.C. during the depression. He married Betty Joyce Bushell on June 4, 1942. The couple moved to Ft. Stockton and then to Midland in 1952. Mr. Buntin was a district manager for the Fort Worth Star Telegram. He retired in 1986.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and a sister.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Joyce Buntin of Midland; one son, John W. Buntin, III of Midland; two daughters, Era Joyce Weigel Patterson of Midland and Shedella Gail Dale of Waco; two brothers, Guy Buntin of Arlington and Rupert Buntin of Gorman; one sister, Rita Capers of Ft. Stockton; 7 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.
-GP-

NEWS

Estelle and Kay Ann Craddock visited last week in Longview with Grace Nix.

Services For Betty Fay Gee Higgins Held Sept. 30

Betty Fay Gee Higgins, 63, of Haltom City passed away September 30 in Eastland.

Funeral services were held at 9:30 a. m. on September 30th in the Haltom City Greenwood Chapel. Interment was in the Greenwood Mausoleum. Bro. L. C. Landers of Desdemona officiated.

Betty was born on December 15, 1927 in Desademonsa. Parents are Neta Morrow Gee and the late Frank Gee. She graduated from esdemona High School in 1944.

Survivors include her husband, Doug Higgins, Sr. of Haltom City; two sons, Doug Higgins, Jr. of Keller, Brad Higgins of Fort Worth; one daughter, Karen Higgins Kinnaid of Watauga; her mother, Neta Morrow Gee of Ranger; two sisters, Frances Friday of Fort Worth and Shirley Prater of De San Jose, Calif.; two grandchildren, Holly Higgins and Tim Higgins.

mothers, Agnes Heshton of San Angelo and Mrs. Chester (Rhoda) Burney of Gorman. He is also survived by three uncles, one aunt, three nieces and 1 nephew.



SENIOR KING AND QUEEN - Senior King - Henry Rice and Senior Queen - Gertrude Leeper are show riding in the Canterbury Villa float during the Peanut Festival Parade.

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Eastland Crime Stoppers seeks clues on theft

EASTLAND — A property theft is the Eastland County Crime Stoppers Crime of the Month.

A 1991 16-foot flatbed trailer, valued at \$750, was stolen from Russell's Auto, 929 E. Main, between Aug. 14 and Aug. 15. The trailer had pipe railings and "D & S Design" was painted on both fender wells.

Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest and indictment of those involved. Call 629-TIPS with information.

Site chosen for Eastland County recycling plant

By MAYBELLE TROUT
Correspondent

EASTLAND — Land has been acquired east of Eastland for a tire recycling plant.

Grover Hallmark, president of the Eastland County Industrial Corporation, with Directors Dick Wooley and Don Bradshaw made the announcement Friday.

According to Hallmark, 150 acres, located at Interstate 20 and County Road 438 near Olden, has been selected as the site for South Texas Tire Recovery, Inc., to build a plant that will employ about 50 people by June 1992.

The plant will be built with Texas Department of Commerce revenue bonds. The maximum amount of the tax exempt bonds is expected to be \$9,935,000.

A hearing on the bond series will take place at 1 p.m. Tuesday Oct. 22 in the county commissioner's court room.

County commissioners are expected to approve the bonds, but the citizens of the county will not be obligated in any way.

FARM AND GARDENS

By
David L. Tunmire
Eastland County Extension Agent

HOW WILL WEATHER AFFECT PEANUTS?

Last week a cold front brought in cool weather and lots of rain. You can realize the importance of crop to a county by who's asking questions about it. Just about everybody I talked to last week would sooner or later ask how will the weather affect the peanut crop. With the prospects of a good crop throughout the county, this is an important question.

The short cold spell we experienced was not long enough to cause a big problem for the peanuts. The cool weather did slow the peanuts maturity up a little, but not much. The quick return to warmer weather reversed most of the effect of the one or two days of cool weather.

Peanut producers need to remember that it is still just the end of September. Dr. George Alston, Extension Agronomist, warns producers not to let cool weather push you into doing something too quick. Wait for peanuts to mature as long as weather conditions permit.

The wet weather does bring one concern this time of year for producers and that is pod rot. Wet, warm conditions are ideal for the development of pod rot.

This time of year peanut producers are like all other farmers in the country. They are at the mercy of the weather. This fact is the same throughout the growing season, but it is at this time of the year when producers are left helpless. The peanut crop is almost made and the money has all been spent to get the crop set. Weather can take it all away.

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PANTHER SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 6	Gorman 27 - Perrin 0		
Sept. 13	Cisco 14 - Gorman 0		
Sept. 20	Gorman 21 - Ranger 2		
Sept. 27	Hico 20 - Gorman 14		
Oct. 4	Santa Anna 20 - Gorman 17		
Oct. 11	* Tolar	Tolar	7:30
Oct. 18	* Cross Plains	Gorman	7:30
Oct. 25	* Rising Star	Rising Star	7:30
Nov. 1	* Santo	Gorman	7:30
Nov. 8	* Baird	Baird	7:30

* District ** Homecoming *** Parents Night

PANTHER JV SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 12	Cisco	Cisco	6:00
Sept. 19	Ranger 28 - Gorman 6		
Sept. 26			
Oct. 3	Santa Anna 22 - Gorman 0		
Oct. 10	Stephenville (9th)??		
Oct. 17	Cross Plains	Cross Plains	7:30
Oct. 25	Meridian	T/Neutral	7:30
Nov. 1	Santo	Santo	7:00
Nov. 8	Baird	Goman	8:00

JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 19	Ranger 20 - Gorman 0		
Sept. 26			
Oct. 3	Gorman 30 - Santa Anna 0		
Oct. 10	* Tolar	Gorman	6:30
Oct. 17	* Cross Plains	Cross Plains	6:30
Oct. 24	* Rising Star	Gorman	6:30
Oct. 31	* Santo	Santo	5:30
Nov. 7	* Baird	Gorman	6:30

PANTHER ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POSITION	WEIGHT	CLASS
10	Rajee Patel	QB/DB	145	JR.
12	Steve Taylor	QB/DB	155	SR.
20	Cory Pack	QB/OLB	155	SR.
21	Daniel Sanchez	WB/OLB	160	JR.
22	Tony Forbus	TB/DB	165	JR.
24	Mario Rodriguez	WB/OLB	140	SOPH.
30	Jade Warren	SE/DE	170	JR.
31	Flavio Herrera	QE/DB	150	JR.
32	Jason Ditmore	FB/ILB	175	SR.
34	Kris Scitern	TB/DB	150	JR.
36	Benji Cox	WB/OLB	140	JR.
44	Robert Cox	FB/OLB	150	SR.
50	Brent Skaggs	C/DE	170	SOPH.
51	Chris Laminack	SE/ILB	170	JR.
55	Verl Ervin	QG/ILB	165	JR.
60	John Mart Stephens	QT/DT	175	SOPH.
61	Kenneth Rainey	QG/ILB	170	JR.
62	Daniel Reeves	SG/DT	170	JR.
64	Chris Haase	SG/DE	180	SR.
66	Christian Clark	ST/DE	150	JR.
70	Noah Landa	QT/DT	180	SOPH.
72	Jonray Childers	C/DT	170	JR.
74	Robert Darley	SG/DT	210	SR.
76	Don Mauney	ST/DT	180	FR.
80	William Rainey	SE/DB	160	JR.
82	Shane Caraway	QE/DE	170	SOPH.
84	Marty McCormick	QE/DB	155	SR.

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CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

We will have a Pet Parade at 2 p. m. Thursday, 10th, on the patio. Henry Rice, King; and Gertie Leeper, Queen.

Canterbury Villa residents Senior King, Henry Rice, and Senior Queen Gertie Leeper were very lovely in the Gorman Peanut Festival Parade on Saturday, the 28th.

Congratulations to the two lovely people.

Those visiting Homer Wood were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lightfoot of Rock Bluff; Sunny, Zack and Tanya An-

derson; Lance, a friend of Moran; Jardana Perrett; Jamie and Kenneth of Stillwell and Pasadena, Daisy Slaton, Sarah, Shawn and Sterling McCaulley.

The next birthday party will be Thursday, Oct. 31 at 2 p. m. Honorees will be Mary Choate, Juanita Barham, Jess Roberts, Cynthia Earles and Lucille Campbell. All friends and relatives are welcome to attend.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Biob and Claire Love of

Garland, Kathy and Kegan Takerud of Richardson, Rev. and Mrs. Matt Richards, Tommy Sue Roberts of Fayetteville, Ga., Huppy and Lottie Morris, Lavelle Jobe and Amy Wood.

Bro. Ron Carroll of First Baptist Church taught the Sunday school class for 9 residents on Sunday.

Mrs. Faye Gaeta, LVN of Gorman Canterbury Villa, who is teaching the 80 hour nursing assistant training program, now has the following students enrolled: Wesley Adams, Elia Salis, Shannon Talett and Neida Himinez.

Those visiting Henry Rice were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sommins of Cisco.

Those coming from the New Hope Baptist Church on Sunday at 2:30 were Rev. and Mrs. Richard Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Campbell and Mrs. Lenis Rice.

Visiting Jack Mauney were Helen Koen and La Donna Walford of Abilene, Billy Jack Mauney of Conroe, L. D. Mauney of Rockport, and Joe O'Neal.

At 4 p. m. those coming from the Church of Christ were Bro. and Mrs. Curtis Maness, Bro. T. A. Grice, Zina Simpson, Lorene Foster, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Purnia Faye Smith, Janda and Tracey Taylor, Odie Brightwell, Murna Smith, Faye Brewer, Zina Simpson and Bud Smithey.

Eunice Love and Denzel Ables visited Ruby Vandergriff.

Those visiting Mae Quinn and Cleo Clement were Wayne and Betty Quinn of Saginaw, Wayne Clement of Dallas, Ima Lee Burlison of Desdemona, Glen and Shirley Clement of Lake Leon, Veronica and Kaci Seaton and Joe O'Neal of Kokomo, W. C. and Winnell Browning and Georgie Faye Skaggs.

On Wednesday morning Rev. Ron Carroll of First Baptist brought the devotional for 18 residents.

Those visiting Minnie Dupuy were Glenn Thompson of Dublin, Otto Dupuy of Odessa, Jerry Dupuy, Sylvia Bridgewater and Odell Dupuy.

On Wednesday Anna Rush and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Emma Shugart, Veno Hale, Ida Lewis, Henry Rice, RErwin Miere, Kenneth Walker, Minnie Dupuy, Iola Johnson, Gertie Leeper, Dorothy Beaty, Ora Mae Atchison, Ruby Vandergriff, Jess Hallmark, Cynthia Earles, Annie Hale and S. D. Gilmore.

We appreciate the bingo gifts donated by Anna Rush and Modell Crawley.

Those visiting Ora Mae Atchison were Chessley and Barbara Atchison of Fort Worth and Ima Lee Burlison of Desdemona.

On Tuesday at 7 p. m. we sure had a good musical. Musicians were Carroll and Leta Hogan, Loyd and Bobbie Glasson, Hershell Cordell, Paul and Imogene Norris of Gorman Allen Allman and Truitt Norris of Carbon, Marshall and Dollie Reeves of Dublin, E. H. and Martha Polk of Strawn, Gus and Evelyn Sublett of Breckenridge.

Lonnie Raybourne of Scotland visited Nancy Holloway.

On Friday morning Dewey Bailey and Joy Campbell played music and sang for 14 residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cook and Vera West visited Eulon Perry and Junior Fairbetter.

Lenis Rice and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were RErwin Miere, Ruby Vandergriff, Minnie Dupuy, S. D. Gilmore, Iola Johnson, Veno Hale, Emma Shugart, Ida Lewis, Cynthia Earles, Henry Rice and Kenneth Walker.

Idell Warren, Elbert Files of Cleveland, and Dixie Pack visited Emma Shugart and S. D. Gilmore.

Thursday morning we had beauty and good grooming. Edna Joyce Brinegar and Edna Watson and Geraldene Wright helped for 12 residents.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were Jimmy, Terri, Brent Lewis of Fort Worth, Ora Lee Lawrence, Joe O'Neal, Brenda and Veronica Weldon, Sue Seaton, Frances Rinchart,

Foreign students, host families meet

GORMAN — Several foreign exchange students and their host families are planning to meet today in the home of James and Eula Mears, area representatives for American Scandinavian Student Exchange International.

- The foreign exchange students are: Luis Tolosa from the Canary Islands, who is staying with Danny and Betty Guinn in Iredell.
- Eric Garon of Canada, who is staying with Curtis and Dorothy Manning in Brownwood.
- Svanhildur "Swana" Gunnarsdottir of Iceland, who is staying with Gaylon and Debbie Fleming of De Leon.
- Mischa Zeller of Germany, who is staying with Ray and Jean Findley of Coleman.
- Marcel Gustavsson of Sweden, who is staying with Gary and Doris Fambro of Breckenridge.
- Nico Torke of Germany, who is staying with Randy and Jodie Mason of Iredell.
- Melanie Barriault of Canada, who is staying with Danny and Gaye Fowler of Iredell.
- Christoph Haase of Germany, who is staying with the Mears in Gorman.

All are participating in school activities, including some who are playing football, until returning to their native countries in June.

David Andrews, Edna Brinegar, Joy Campbell, Juanita Spence, Vada Collins, Dorothy Beaty, Regina Davis and Nell Scott.

On Monday morning Joy Peppers had exerciess and Joy Campbell did the news for 14 residents.

Those visiting Annie and Veno Hale were Carson Woodall, Devin Savage, Mary Turner, and Dorothy Beaty.

We appreciate Mzelle Rhymes donating bingo prizes.

Those visiting Gertoe Leeper were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones of Hobbs, N. M. Teresa and Jo Jones of Houston, Deana and Tyra Tedford of Stephenville, Glenna Turner, Blondie Sanders, Nellie Lucky, Gloria, Jimmy and Dezi Murphy.

Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo on Monday. Winners were Gertie Leeper, Ida Lewis Veno Hale, Erwin Miere, Kenneth Walker, Ora Mae Atchison, Iola Johnson, Cynthia Earles, S. D. Gilmore, Henry Rice, Ruby Vandergriff, Dorothy Beaty, Jess Roberts, Jess Hallmark, Emma

Shugart and Minnie Dupuy.

Those visiting Dorothy Beaty were Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Collins of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spence of Little Lamb, and Nettie Denton.

On Tuesday there were 17 residents who enjoyed exercises and table tennis directed by Joy Campbell.

Those visiting Minnie Brightwell, Mary Choate, Stella Thurman were Fred and Beth Owen, Willadean Ormsby, Myrna Smith, Zina Simpson and Odie Brightwell.

Dorothy Roberts gave Cynthia Earles a new permanent.

We enjoyed the Tuesday singing.

Those coming were Dorothy Roberts, Berneice Rodgets, Velma Bennett, Billie Stacy, Willo Rice, Cricket Walker, Elizabeth Sandlin, Nancy Hendricks and.

Those visiting Orvil Boyd were Mr. and Mrs. Don Loudermilk of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Collins of San Angelo, Brenda Boyd and family of Abilene.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: Eastland County's 4-H members and leaders are observing National 4-H Week, October 6-12, 1991, and

WHEREAS: 4-H Club work is an educational program of the Texas A&M University Extension and is supervised on the county level by the Extension Staff along with the help of local volunteer 4-H leaders who are outstanding men and women in their communities, and

WHEREAS: The purpose of 4-H club work is to give equal training to the Head, Heart, Hands, and Health of young people and to help prepare them to be better citizens and leaders who will fit into the society where their life's work may take them; and

WHEREAS: 4-H members working with educational learn-by-doing projects put into practice new skills and science as they strive "To Make the Best Better", the motto of 4-H Club work; and

WHEREAS: The citizenship and leadership training which 4-H members receive in this program is a valuable asset to our democratic way of life; now

THEREFORE: I, Scott Bailey, the Judge of Eastland County, do hereby proclaim October 6-12, 1991, as "NATIONAL 4-H WEEK" in Eastland County, and urge all of our people to encourage and support the work of the 4-H Clubs.

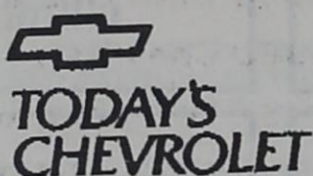


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Emma Lou Isbell and Millie Frasier of Irving and Mary Clark of Gorman visited the Sunday morning services at the Desdemona First Baptist Church. Karen Munoz and Leah Loper, students of the Stephenville Tarleton State University, brought the special music for the evening services.

Bernard and Ann Keith spent the past 10 days in Louisville, Ky. visiting their son, Brad and Priscilla Keith.

Jeff Roberts of Dallas visited on Sunday evening with his mother, Dorothy Roberts.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Betty Fay Gee Higgins of Haltom City who passed away Saturday, Sept. 27th. Betty graduated from Desdemona High School in 1844. The obituary will be found elsewhere in this paper.

-GP-

Senior Citizen News

Visitors with Nettie Denton for the school homecoming and other activities were Lleroy and Jo Denton of Union City, Calif.; Lawrence and Betty Cate of La Luz, N. M.; Warren Cate of Midland; Bennie, Merle, Mark and Amber Cate of Bossier City, La.; and Steven Cate and Abbie McFadden of Rustin, La. Also Juanita Spence of Little Elm and D. M. and Vada Collins of San Angelo.

Elbert Files of Cleveland was a guest of the Edgar Higginbottoms and attended the school reunion.

Glenn and Bertha Asker and Merle Smith of Eastland visited Gladys Chambless last week.

Senior Class of 1961-62 Hold Reunion October 5

The home of Edna Joyce and John Brineage was the setting of a reunion that took thirty-six classmates, spouses and friends back to their school days.

After some busy chatter, we sat in a circle in the living room. John Bolt welcomed all in attendance, and added there was one who couldn't attend because she had lost her battle with cancer during the past year, Vicky Mauney Chambers. We went around the circle telling the first thing that came to mind when we thought of Vicky. We all remember her fondly. There was a lot of laughing and some tears.

Carol Ramsey Collins (being a teacher) gave us our next assignment. We went around the circle one more time. This time telling what we had done with our lives the past thirty years. One thing that stood out to our credit, even above degrees, fame and travel, was how many of us have remained with our original mates.

The group helped themselves to soft drinks and cookies and continued visiting until around 5:30 when we gradually broke up. Most of us went to Lone Cedar Country Club for the evening meal. The country club was the site where we had hosted the seniors of 1961 at the Junior-Senior Banquet.

Those who visited during the after-noon beginning with the seniors of 1962 were as follows: John Bolt, Freddie Gilmore, Larry Campbell, Johnny Miller, Wesley Warren, Carol Ramsey Collins, Janie Pittman Anderson, Edna Watson Brinegar, Linda Bryan Waller, Linda Shell Delgado, Albert Palmer, Glendon Frasier, Phil Puckett, Margie Sanders Witcher, Joe Harrison, Terry Shell, Sarah Miller Seckinger, and Gene Snider. Spouses were Jean Munn Miller, Charles Collins, Jerry Anderson, Juanita Leonard Palmer, Betty Puckett, John Brinegar, Kathy Goltmore, Laura Frasier, Carolyn Bolt, Kay Browning Snider, Joy Love

Campbell, and Linda Jarrett Warren. Friends and school mates were Carolyn Gilbert, Gerry Haile Rodgers, Kay Craddock, Nell Browning Head, Delores Sanders and Don, guest of Gerry Rodgers.

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Willie Lovell Maness Buried In Cedar Hill

Mrs. Willie (Lovell) Maness of Ozona, 84, passed away Thursday, Sept. 26th in a San Angelo hospital.

Graveside services were held at 10 a. m. Sept. 28 in Cedar Hill Cemetery, directed by Freddy Funeral Home.

She was born Sept. 12, 1907 in Carbon and had lived in Ozona 43 years.

Parents of Mrs. Maness were Jim and Susie Lovell.

Survivors include five daughters, Sue Staley of Lubbock, Lou Dugan of Clyde, June Meadows and Pauline Bentley, both of Ozona, and Betty Boatman of Many, La.; three sons, James Maness of Farmington, N. M., Weldon of Ozona and Bill of Eldorado; three sisters, Mrs. Vie Hurst of Proctor, Mrs. Claude Rich of Cisco and Mrs. Faye Eason of Pottsboro; a brother, T. L. Lovell of Midland; 24 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

USED CARS

- 1988 Chev. Caprice LS 4-Dr., fully loaded, 45,000 miles
- 1986 Bulck LeSabre Ltd 4-Dr., fully loaded, 56,000 miles
- 1990 Olds Delta 88 4-Dr., fully loaded, 18,000 miles
- 1991 Cadillac Sedan Deville, fully loaded, 12,000 miles
- 1991 Chev. Cavalier R/S 2-Dr., 11,000 miles
- 1985 Olds 98 4-Dr., fully loaded, 68,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. Caprice Classic 4-Dr. Fully loaded, 17,000 miles
- 1983 Olds Toronado 2-Dr., fully loaded, clean
- 1991 Olds Ciera 4-Dr. fully loaded, 9,100 miles
- 1991 Chev. Beretta 2-Dr., 8500 miles
- 1990 Ford Crown Victoria, Fully loaded, 11,000 miles
- 1991 Olds Delta 88 4-Dr., Fully loaded, 9500 miles
- 1991 Geo Storm 2-Dr., 9,500 miles
- 1991 Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme 4-Dr, 6,000 miles
- 1991 Olds Cutlass Calais, 4-Dr, 8,500 miles
- 1991 Geo Metro 2-Dr., 9,500 miles
- 1991 Geo Prizm 4-Dr., 7,800 miles
- 1991 Chev. Corsica 4-Dr., V6, Cruise, Tilt, 13,000 miles
- 1991 Chev. Cavalier R/S 4-Dr., 7600 miles
- 1990 Chevrolet Lumina 4-Dr., 17,000 miles
- 1990 Pontiac Grand AM LE 4-Dr, 8,000 miles
- 1989 Chevrolet Corsica, 4-Dr., 26,000 miles
- 1988 Oldsmobile Ciera, 4-Dr., 62,000 miles
- 1988 Buick Regal, 2-Dr., 37,000 miles
- 1987 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 2-Dr., 52,000 miles
- 1986 Oldsmobile Delta 88, 2-Dr., 42,000 miles
- 1985 Oldsmobile Toronado, 2-Dr., one owner
- 1984 Cadillac Seville, very clean
- 1984 Oldsmobile Delta 2-Dr., Fully loaded
- 1984 Pontiac Bonneville, 4-Dr., good economical work car
- 1979 Ford LTD, 4-Dr., very clean

USED PICKUPS

- 1986 GMC Suburban, fully loaded, very clean
- 1989 Chev. 1/2 ton Silverado 4-wheel drive, 6,000 miles
- 1991 Ford 3/4 ton Super Cab 4x4 Diesel, 5,000 miles
- 1990 Geo Tracker, 4x4 pickup, 6,800 miles
- 1984 Chev. 1/2 ton Silverado, good work truck
- 1990 Chevrolet S10 Blazer, 4x4, 33,000 miles
- 1988 GMC Suburban, very clean
- 1988 GMC Suburban, 58,000 miles
- 1989 Chev frac 1/2 ton PU 350-V8, cruise, tilt, 54,000 miles
- 1987 Ford, 3/4 ton, 4-wheel drive, XL
- 1990 Chev. 3/4 4x4, fully loaded, 18,000 miles
- 1986 Jeep Comanche, 4x4 pickup, 68,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. 1/2 ton Ext. Cab 4x4, fully loaded, 22,000 miles
- 1986 Isuzu Trooper II, diesel, 4x4
- 1989 Chev. Astro Van, fully loaded, 42,000 miles
- 1985 Chev. S10 Blazer, fully loaded, 64,000 miles
- 1988 Chev. 1/2 ton Ext. Cab Silverado, loaded, 56,000 miles
- 1984 Toyota Extended Cab - Extra Clean
- 1989 Chev. Suburban, fully loaded, 49,000 miles
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KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN -- PHONE 639-2289

Billy Bob Brown made his first trip to church services at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning along with his parents and sister, Kris, D'Aun and Kristal of Carbon. The proud grandparents are Bill and Wynelle Brown.

During the song service, "Happy Birthday" was sung to Deon Fields who's birthday was on Sunday and La Von Snider, who's birthday was last week.

La Von and Hazel Snider were in Breckenridge for the funeral of Leota Faye (Hamilton) Harrison on Saturday. Mrs. Harrison was the daughter of the late Bill and Winnie Hamilton, and the niece of Alice Snider. We extend sincere sympathy to the family.

Hazel and La Von Snider visited with Esther Mae Jumper in Abilene Care Center on Saturday afternoon.

Dwayne, Connie, Sheri and Lisa Snider of Stephenville were supper guests of Mrs. Hazel Snider on Monday night.

Clifford Melson had the misfortune to fall off a tractor wheel and broke a bone in his knee on Wednesday, Oct. 2. He spent Wednesday night in the Hendrick Medical Center at Abilene. The break did not require surgery but he will not be able to put any weight on it for two months.

Those who were visiting with Clifford and Lurline Nelson were Jimmy, Maggie and Teresa Nelson of Stephenville, Glenn and Zelda Jordan, Pleas, Pat and Sarah Reneau of Ranger, Russell and Bonnie Jackson of Pasadena, Anna Marie Rogers of Tyler, Wanda Cole and Jim and Sherry Tidwell of Gorman, and R. Lee McDaniel of Carbon.

Visitors with Bro. Joe O'Neal were Freddie and Johnny Shackelford of Liberal, Kans., Joseph O'Neal of Austin and Nancy Hendricks.

Visitors with Cullen and Ava Rodgers were Rodney and Ruth Spencer of Boerne, Jim and Wilda Rodgers of Midlothian and J. D. and Dawn Rodgers of Rogers, Ark.

Richard, Teresa, Taylor and Trevis Nachyigall of Morgan Mill and Buster Johnson of Carbon were visiting with Vernon, Deon and Lindell Fields during the weekend and helped Deon celebrate her birthday.

Kris, D'Aun, Kristal and Billy Bob Brown of Carbon were visiting with Bill and Wynelle Brown on Sunday.

Visitors with Hope Joiner were Joyce Bramlett and Lucille Joiner of Stephenville, John T. and Geardean

Singleton of De Leon, Ennis Joiner of Gorman, Beverly Gates, Wayne Grisham and Terry Riggle of Houston, and John Ed and Billie Jeanne Grisham of De Leon.

Jerry and Lavell Hallmark, Earl, Debby and Ashton Braddock and LeeVi, Shane and Sheyenne Mikeska of San Angelo, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little, and Jarad Fails of Arlington were weekend visitors with Dora Garrett. Other visitors with Mrs. Garrett were Lurline Nelson, Ruth Bryant, Ora Mae Jordan of Eastland, Donnie Rone, and Lois Collins.

Mark Eaves of Mansfield was visiting with Delmon and Joyce Eaves on Monday.

Nancy Hendricks visited in Clyde on Sunday with Sylvia Buchanan, Yancy Bucvhana of San Angelo State University and Kelly Buchanan of Fort Hood.

Kokomo EH Club Members Attend Council Meeting

Mrs. Bill Brown and Mrs. Jack Bishop attended the Eastland County Extension Homemakers Club Council meeting on October 2 at 2 p. m. in the TU Electric Reddy Room in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bisop, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown attended the Eastland County 4-H Awards Dinner sponsored by the Cisco 4-H Club members at the Cisco Elementary building in Cisco on Saturday, October 5 at 6:30 p. m.

Reporter, Nancy Hendricks
—GP—

Defensive Driving Course Slated Oct. 21-23 At CJC

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on Monday and Wednesday, October 21 and 23 from 6 to 10 p. m. The class will meet in room 3 of Schaefer Hall.

Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment must be paid no later than 3 p. m. on October 21. Students must attend both nights of class and must bring a valid drivers license to class. Cisco Junior College is an agency of the Texas Safety Association.

For more information please contact Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567, extension 122.

Clarence Williams Buried Saturday In Gorman

C. M. "Clarence" Williams, 83 of Big Spring, passed away Wednesday October 2 in a Big Spring hospital.

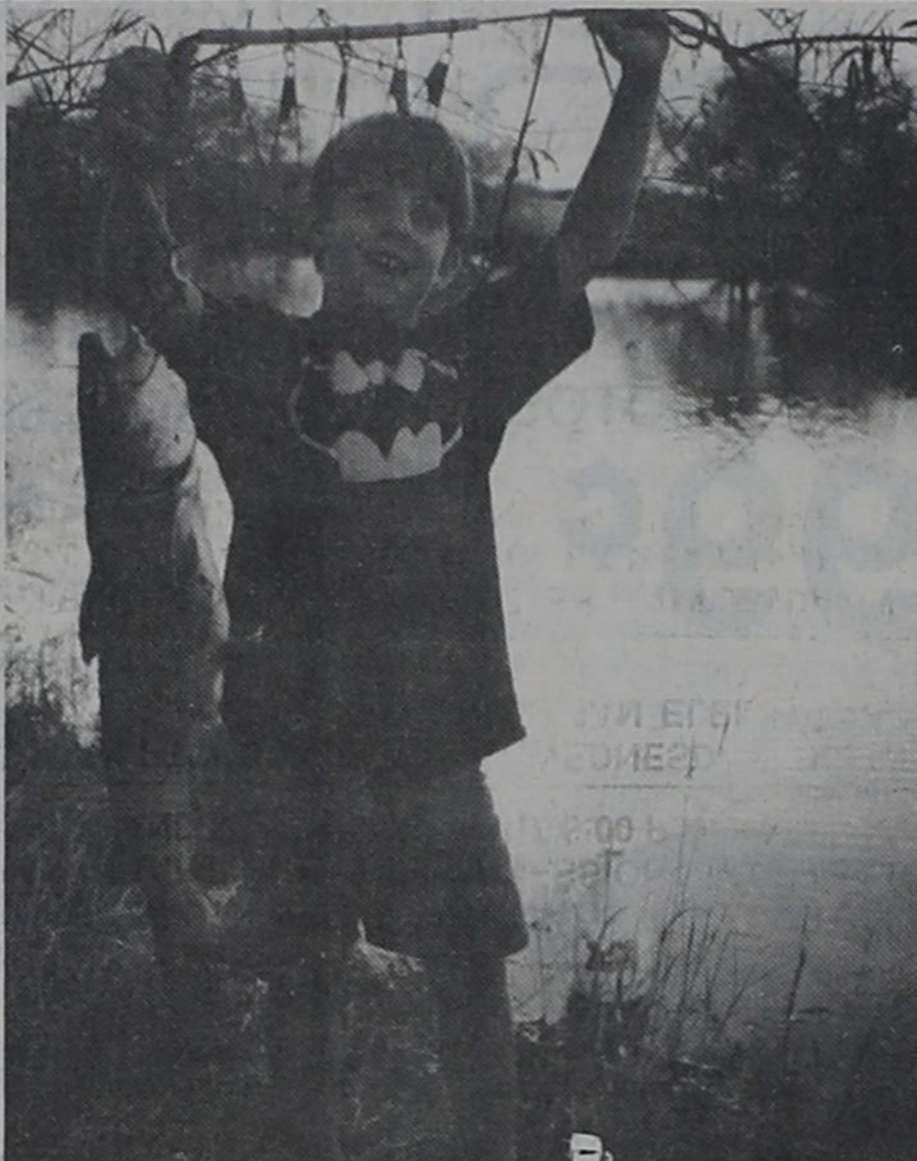
Graveside services were held at 10 a. m. Saturday at Gorman Cemetery in Gorman with Payne Hattox officiating, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Williams was born in Comanche County and moved to Big Spring in 1932 from Gorman. He was a member of the Church of Christ and had worked at Cosden Refinery from 1942 to 1970, when he returned to Gorman.

He moved back to Big Spring this year.

Survivors include his wife, Marjorie Williams of Big Spring; three sons, James Williams of Kearns, Johnnie Harold Williams of Sand Springs and Don Williams of Beeville; two daughters, Judy Brandon of Odessa and Jean Teague of Brownfield; a sister, Stella Scott of Gorman; a brother, Elvin Williams of Blanket; 12 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

His wife Marjorie Taylor Williams is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Taylor.



T. J. 'S BIG 'EN!!! - T. J. Jay caught this 5 pound blue cat by himself on September 22nd at his favorite fishing hole. T. J. had been trying all summer to land one like this.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

SECOND FRIDAY NIGHT MUSICAL IS OCTOBER 11TH AT THE GORMAN FIREHALL. CONCESSION STAND OPENS AT 5:00 P.M. AND MUSIC STARTS AT 6:00 P.M.

GORMAN PTO WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16TH AT 3:30 P.M. IN THE GORMAN ELEMENTARY LIBRARY.

PANTHER BOOSTER CLUB MEETS EACH TUESDAY NIGHT AT 6:30 P.M. IN THE HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY. MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND THE NEXT MEETING AND JOIN THE BOOSTER CLUB.

The Senior Class is now taking orders for a video may of the Miss Texas Reject Pageant. Contact either Lana Sharp at 758-2238 or Angela Buckley at 758-2660.

OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES

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will be held on the Second Wednesday of each month at the Gorman Hotel Apartments and the Third Wednesday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Gorman Support Group is now meeting at the City Hall on Wednesday nights at 7:30 p.m. Anyone needing support may contact Ina & Gerald Scitern at 734-2720 or Joy Campbell at 734-2121.

STATED MEETINGS FOR GORMAN MASONIC LODGE NO. 716 ARE SECOND TUESDAYS OF EACH MONTH AT 7:30 P.M. VISITORS ARE MOST WELCOME, AND MEMBERS ARE URGED TO ATTEND. ELWOOD RAGLAND, MASTER 758-2552, HOWARD HAGOOD, SECRETARY 734-2977.

NEED HELP???

We would like to invite you to join our OPEN NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meetings. Meetings will be held at the old Fire Hall in Gorman at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday nights.

Gorman PTO is accepting Donations for the Louise Rankin Memorial Library. If you would like to make a Donation in Memory of or In Honor of Someone, Please Call Janda Taylor at 734-2497 or 734-2617 Amy Wood - 734-2973.

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.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Ann Jay, Worthy Matron - 734-2733 and Howard Hagood, Worthy Patron 734-2977..

NANCY TROUT WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT WILL BE OCTOBER 16TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

Police Report

For September

The following report was given to the City Commission meeting on October 3 by Chief of Police, Brett Ashley:

During the month of Sept. the Gorman Police Dept. issued three traffic citations as follows: 1 blocking an emergency exit; 1 speeding; and 1 with no headlights.

Arrested or detained nine persons, as follows: 3 female juvenile runaways; two males open container; 2 males on warrants; 1 male attempted suicide; 1 male juvenile warrant.

Investigated 58 reports, as follows: 6 unsecured property; 13 disturbance calls; 6 wreckless driver; 10 criminal mischief; 1 burglary; 2 attempted suicides; 8 suspicious vehicles; 1 child abuse; 2 prowler calls; 1 inquest; 4 accidents; three lost child; and 1 theft by check.

Answered 34 calls for assistance, as follows: 2 public assistance; 2 emergency message; 1 house watch request; 1 drug investigation; 5 animal control; 1 fire meeting; 1 dispatch meeting; 3 funeral escorts; 3 assist other agencies; 4 welfare concerns; and 11 traffic control.

Vehicle maintenance showed:

beginning mileage	86062
Ending mileage	88147
Total Mileage	2085
Fuel Used	222.2 gals.
Fuel Economy	9.38 MPG

Maintenance showed:

Flat fixed	4.75
Oil Changed twice	16.00
Total Maintenance	20.75

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Wanda Cole and her daughter, Joy had as their guests this past week, Wanda's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jackson of Houston and aunt and uncle, Rease Rodgers of Ranger. On Friday night they all gathered for dinner along with guest Benton Echols of Desdemona. On Saturday they all left for Andrews to visit with another niece, Dell Nelson. While here they all visited with Clifford and Lurline Nelson where Cliff is laid up with a broken leg for awhile.

Mary Hudson, Estelle and Kay Ann Craddock were in Sundown over the weekend for the coming-

home celebration of their great nephew, Clint McDaniel who has been serving in the Persian Gulf for the past nine months. They also attended the Sundown homecoming football game where another great-nephew, Jimmy McDaniel is a member of the team. They visited with the Snooks and Joe Craddock families. On Saturday they met in Abilene with nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ragland, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ragland and Bethany of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean Ragland and Rebecca of Eastland, and attended the Hardin-Simmons football game where a great nephew, Greg Ragland, is a member of the team.



LARGE SWEET POTATO - Odie Brightwell is shown holding a 5 1/2 Pound Sweet potato he grew in his garden. We have no measurements on how big around the potato is, but it looks very large.



FIRST PLACE TROPHY - Stephanie Job and Kayln Porter received a First Place in their division in the Peanut Festival parade. Congratulations, girls.

FESTIVAL SCENES

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