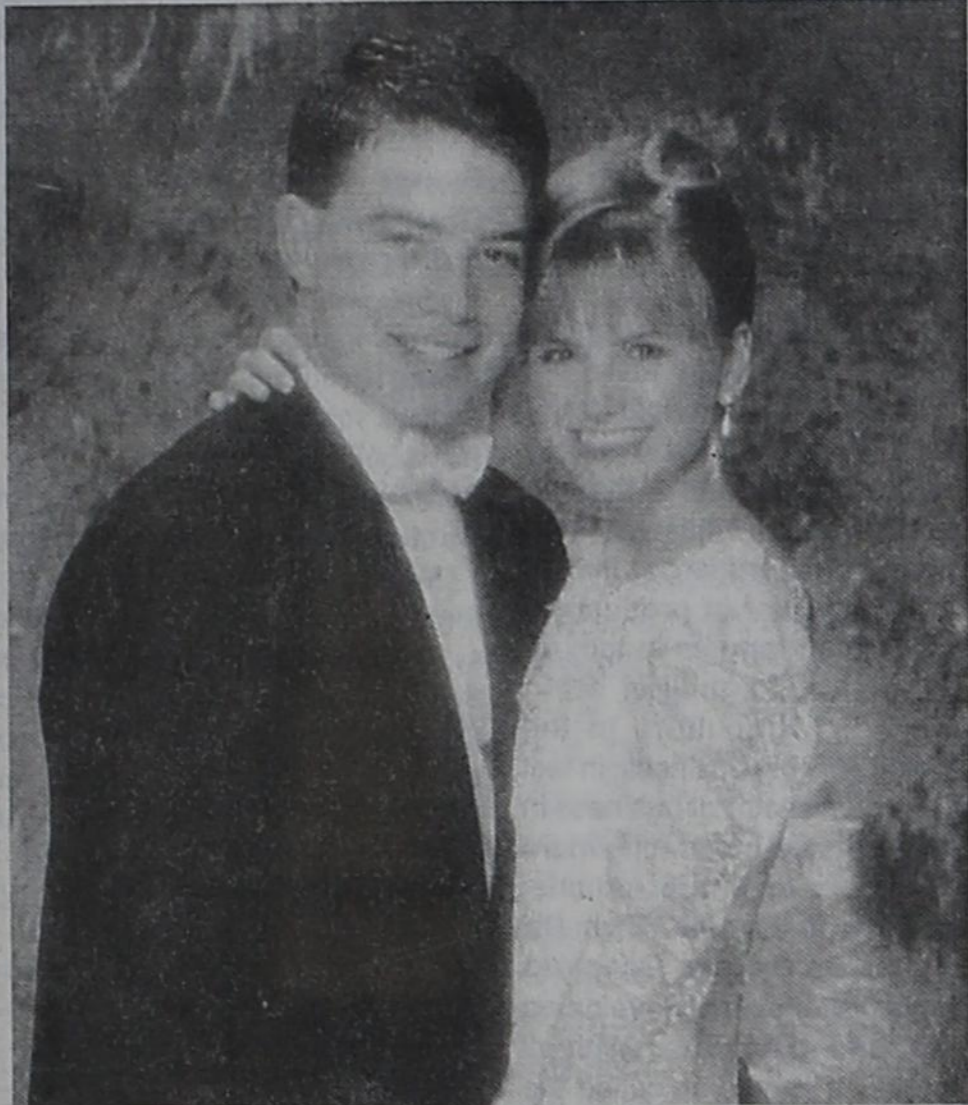




## Crystal Robertson and Sam Brinegar Pledge Nuptials



Crystal Robertson and Sam Brinegar were married on Tuesday, December 20th at six in the evening. The wedding was in the home of the bride's mother, June Robertson. The house was decorated with poinsettias, Christmas greenery and holly.

The bride was escorted into the living room by her brother, Brand Robertson. Sam and Crystal repeated their vows in front of a beautifully decorated Christmas tree and a candelabra with red candles. The double ring ceremony was performed by Ken Harp, associate pastor of Restoration Church in Euless.

The groom wore a white lace over satin tea length dress with seed pearls, a low back and long sleeves of sheer lace. Her bouquet was red carnations, baby breath and holly. She carried a handkerchief that belonged to the late Edna Watson, grandmother of the groom. Her matron of honor was Sherry Neil. She wore a Christmas red street length fitted dress.

The couple were married on the groom's great-great grandparents anniversary. Ora Seale and James Watson were married December 20, 1900.

After a short wedding trip to Las Vegas, the couple are at home in Lubbock.

## Kathryn Lloyd and Jack Rainey United In Marriage



Kathryn Elizabeth Lloyd and Quintin Jack Rainey were united in marriage Saturday, December 10, 1994 at 6:30 p.m. in a candlelight ceremony at the Ninth Street Church of Christ in Ballinger. Max Pratt, minister of the church, performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lloyd of Ballinger. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barfield of Desdemona, and Mr. Kenneth Rainey of Gorman.

The church was decorated with brass candelabras covered with grapevine greenery, and small candles around the church. The pews were accented with white bows and English ivy, with the entrance arched with tuil

ister and the bride's brother wore black ties and cummerbunds.

The mother of the bride chose a red brocade suit with red accessories. The mother of the groom wore a purple silk tea length suit.

Honored guest at the wedding was the bride's great-great aunt, Glayds Snyder McClellan formerly of Gorman.

The reception was held immediately following the wedding. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with two wedding bells. Coffee, punch and egg nog were served to forty-five guests. Guests were from Denton, Mesquite, Ovilla, Haskel, Euless, Grand Prairie and Gorman. The couple received many useful gifts from family and friends.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by Joyce and John Brinegar, the groom's parents, at Cheddars in Arlington on Monday night.

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## J. W. O'Neal Laid To Rest Sunday



Joseph Weldon O'Neal, 86, minister for 50 years and school teacher for 22 years before retiring, died Friday, January 6, 1995 in Heritage Manor of Gorman.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Clarence Wilson, Mrs. Roy George and Rev. Jimalee George, officiating. Burial was in Simpson Cemetery near Kokomo.

Mr. O'Neal was born in the Jewel community near Carbon and graduated from Howard Payne University and West Texas College. He was a member of Kokomo Baptist Church and was the widower of Thelma E. Scott O'Neal, whom he married in 1931 in Hamlin.

Survivors include one son, Joseph Weldon O'Neal, Jr. of Austin; two daughters, Thelma Sharon Mearse of Odessa and Johnny Elizabeth Shackelford of Amarillo; one brother, Don O'Neal of Houston; two sisters, Nancy Hendricks of Gorman and Fannie Bell Hoy of Greenville; 6 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Kelly Buchanan, Dane Gressett, John Scitern, Delmon Eaves, Woodrow Browning and Paul Hoy.

### KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Christmas and New Year's visitors with Mrs. Opal Holliday were Sandy, Debbie Sanders and Melissa and Jason of Odessa, Glen, Sabrina and Christa Glasson of Gorman, Ruth Sanders of De Leon. Ruth Sanders of De Leon and Opal were weekend visitors with the Sanders in Odessa. They attended services at Chapel Hill Baptist Church in Odessa for the baptism of their granddaughter, Melissa.

sleeves were accented with French floral lace appliques covered with sequins and beads that tapered to a "v" and the wrist. A large bow accented the back at the dropped waist with the skirt being accented with the French floral lace appliques with sequins and pearls and the lower edge of the full skirt and the cathedral train was edged with lace and pearls. The bride's veil was a matched heavy beaded tiara with a waist length double veil, attached with a pouf sprinkled with pearls. Her bouquet was of white casablanca lillies, white carnations, and white dendrobium orchids with English ivy cascading down, accented with her Great-Grandmother's, Grandmother's, and Mother's pearls and her Grandmother's family ring, backed with a crocheted Bridal Bouquet doily trimmed with white picot ribbon. She also carried a small white Bible given to her at birth.

The Groomsmen wore Grey pinstripe tuxedos and the Bridesmaids wore wine or hunter green tea length dresses made of Bengalina material. Wedding attendants entered to "Your Love Amazes Me" by John Berry. Maid of honor, Lori Schaefer of Austin was escorted by Best Man, Andy Harrell of Dublin. Matron of Honor Theresa Smothermon, sister of the Bride, of Ballinger entered with groomsmen Kevin Frizell of Loraine. There were followed by Michelle Wood, cousin of the bride, of Abilene, and Kevin Barclift of San Saba and Janabeth Bryan, cousin of the bride, of Norton and Clyde Carter of Gorman. Flower girl was Katelynn Smothermon, niece of the bride and ring bearer was Justin Lamberson, nephew of the Groom.

The reception was held in the church fellowship building following the ceremony. The building was decorated with magnolias and English ivy by the Bride's sister, Theresa Smothermon. The bride's and her attendant's hair was

## All-Big Country - Class A

The All-Big Country list is in for Class A Football in honorees are:

### OFFENSE

**Coach of the Year** - Mike Christian, Roby; **Player of the year** - Aaron Hood, Robert Lee, QB, 6-3, 175, Jr.; **WR** - Kevin Dorsey, Knox City, 5-10, 165, Sr.; **TE** - Matt Reed, Cross Plains, 6-3, 200, Sr.; **OL** - Anthony Wink, Robert Lee, 6-2, 230, Sr.; Brian Dickson, Roby, 6-1, 185, Sr.; Jerry Chavira, Roscoe, 6-0, 270, Jr.; Devlin Pierce, Bronte, 190, Sr.; Michael Ledesma, Knox City, 5-10, 195, Sr.; **QB** - Mario Barrera, Roby, 5-10, 165, Sr.; **RB** - Don Mauney, Gorman, 5-9, 200, Sr.; Michael Perales, Rising Star, 5-11, 155, Jr.; Tyrone McCann, Roscoe, 160, Sr., and Lee McCown, Robert Lee, 6-1, 190, Sr.; **K** - Duane Toliver, Knox City, 6-4, 195, Jr.

### DEFENSE

**Player of the year** - Jonathan Torres, Robert Lee, LB, 5-10, 230, Sr.; **DL** - Danny Whitfield, Throckmorton, 5-10, 230, Sr.; Keith Hardin, Roby, 6-2, 195, Jr.; Nathan Hartkoff, Roscoe, 240, Jr.; Phillip Ratliff, Bronte, 5-10, 240, Sr.; **LB** - Dusty Bilbrey, Rising Star, 6-3, 170, Sr.; Jimmy Lee, Cross Plains, 6-0, 170, Sr.; Bryce Moore, Roby, 5-5, 160, Sr.; **DB** - Bronco Flye, Munday, 5-9, 155, Sr.; David Dudensing, Knox City, 5-11, 160, Jr.; Eric Hood, Robert Lee, 6-0, 165, Jr.; Mackey Elliott, Rising Star, 6-0, 180, Sr.; **P** - Rick Rankin, Throckmorton, 6-1, 180, Sr.

Don Mauney carried 229 times for 1, 717 yards and 23 touchdowns, while Perales gained rushed 228 times for 1, 283 yards and 11 touchdowns. He also caught passes for 53 yards and had 347 kick return yardages. McCann rushed for 1,188 yards on 151 carries and scored 24 touchdowns. He also caught four passes for 35 yards and had 218 yards on 10 punt and kickoff returns.

## Rev. Jeffrey Sherry New Pastor Of Pentecostal Church



The new pastor of Gorman United Pentecostal Church is Rev. Jeffrey L. Sherry. He is married to Wynette Sherry and has two children, Emalie, seven years of age, and Clayton, four years of age.

For the past three years he and his family have been living in Dublin where he also pastors Calvary UPC and is president of the Dublin Ministers Alliance. He has been active in many facets of the ministry over the past 20 years. He has labored overseas in the land of Australia, evangelized throughout America, held positions such as Associate pastor, Youth pastor and Sunday School Director. Rev. Sherry stated that "my reason for requesting the opportunity to assume the pastorate here in Gorman is that I feel a strong urgency in these last days and there are citizens here and in surrounding towns that are searching for more of God. God is alive and waiting for us to respond to Him as he seeks to touch our lives with His mercy and grace. That is an exciting thought.

We will endeavor with the Lord's help to introduce a compassionate savior to hurting people, an omnipotent God to a weak soul, a God of love to the unloved, and a lively God to those who want to rejoice in their salvation. We come as a servant of God to all the people of this community.

## Opal May Fry Laid To Rest

Opal May Fry, 82, died Monday, January 9, 1995 at the De Leon Hospital.

Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Terry Colwell officiating. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery.

Mrs. Fry was born in Duster and graduated from De Leon High School. She retired from Purolator in 1976 after 40 years and was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Carolyn Simmons of Arlington and Diane Snider Smith of Gorman; two sisters, Fay Carroll of Stephenville and Audree Thornton of Houston; five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

The reception was held in the church fellowship building following the ceremony. The building was decorated with magnolias and English ivy by the Bride's sister, Theresa Smothermon. The bride's and her attendant's hair was

## USDA Commodities To Be Distributed Jan. 17-19

Central Texas Commodities, Inc. will distribute USDA Commodities in Eastland County at the following locations and dates: Cisco - 1161 W. Hwy. 80 (Hospital) - January 17 - 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Rising Star - Senior Center - January 17 - 1 to 2 p. m. Eastland - Senior Center - January 18 - 8 to 10 a. m. Carbon - Christ Center - January 18 - 11 to 11:30 a. m. Desdemona - School - January 18 - 12 Noon to 12:30 p. m. GORMAN - Senior Center - January 18 - 1 to 2 p. m. Ranger - Senior Center - January 19 - 8 to 10 a. m. Items available this month are butter, pears and green beans.

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All eligible persons will receive emergency food assistance without regard to race, sex, color, age, etc. Shutins are encouraged to designate an authorized rep to pick up for them.

Volunteers are greatly needed and appreciated to help with this much needed program.

## 1995 Gorman Livestock Show Slated Saturday

The 1995 Gorman Livestock Show will be held Saturday the 14th at 8:30 a.m.

Showtimes are as follows:

8:30 a.m.	Breeding Rabbits
9:00 a.m.	Market Lambs
	1) Fine Wool
	2) Fine Wool Cross
	3) Southdown Cross
	4) Southdown
	5) Medium Wool
10:30 a.m.	Meat Goats
11:00 a.m.	Breeding Guilts
	1) Berk
	2) Spot
	3) York
	4) Poland
	5) Duroc
	6) Hamp
	7) Cross
1:00 - 1:30	LUNCH
1:30 p.m.	Market Hogs

Friday, January 13th any participants will need to bring all animals to the school by 7:30 p.m.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Fort Worth Livestock Show** will be January 31st thru February 4th (Gorman Has 8 Participants)

**Eastland County Stock Show** - February 8 thru February 10.

This project program consist of:  
175 Hogs  
20 Lambs  
10 Breeding Sheep  
100 Broilers  
24 Market Rabbits  
10 Breeding Rabbits  
(80 Kids - 38 Families Involved)

**San Antonio Livestock Show** - February 14 thru February 18. (18 Gorman Participants)

**Houston Livestock Show** - February 22 thru March 2 (42 Gorman Participants)

**San Angelo Livestock Show** - March 8 thru March 10 (14 Gorman Participants)

For more information contact Bo Caraway - Ag Department. Public is welcome to attend all schools.

## Gorman Elementary Met TAAS Accountability

Upon analyzing 1994 TAAS scores, Lionel R. Meno, Commissioner of Education found that

done by Michelle Wood, cousin of the bride, of Abilene.

The Bride is a graduate of Ballinger High School. She is employed by the Rannels County Appraisal District.

The Groom is a graduate of Lingleville High School. He is employed by the Rowen Pellet Mill.

After a honeymoon trip to San Antonio the couple will reside in Ballinger.

Maxfield Elementary met the TAAS accountability at the threshold of 65% or above. While your rating was not designated as recognized under the 1994 campus rating guidelines, it must be noted that this is truly commendable level of performance. I congratulate you on your accomplishment.

Your school community should be proud of their efforts to achieve excellence and equity for all students. This level of success did not come easily and I encourage you to continue your hard work. The dedication and commitment of the educators at your campus has served your students well and I encourage you to celebrate this success.



### Sam Walker Services Held Friday

Sam Walker, 79, of Fort Worth and formerly of the Comanche County area, died Wednesday, January 4, 1995 in a Fort Worth hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in Edwards Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Michael Feese officiating. Burial was in Murray Cemetery in Carbon.

Mr. Walker was born in Comanche County and attended school in the Hassie community. He was a farmer and married Serena Mary Jane Bryant in 1932 in Coleman County. He was a U. S. Army Veteran of World War II and lived in Eastland, Carbon, Gorman and Cisco before moving to Fort Worth 25 years ago. He worked as a heavy-equipment operator for Glade Construction Co. in Fort Worth before retiring in 1973. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Cisco.

Survivors include his wife, of Fort Worth; one son, Larry Walker of Crowley; two daughters, Janie Warren of Fort Worth and Jaenell Welling of McCamey; one brother, Edward Walker of Abilene; two sisters, Daisy Ross and Oleta Rust, both of Fort Worth; eight grandchildren; 15 great-

### SCHOOL MENU

For Week of Jan. 16th thru 20th  
**BREAKFAST**

- MONDAY - Rice, Toast, Juice and Milk.
- TUESDAY - Fried Eggs, Toast, Jelly, Juice and Milk.
- WEDNESDAY - Cheese Toast, Hash Browns, Juice and Milk.
- THURSDAY - French Toast, Juice, Milk.
- FRIDAY - Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice and Milk.

### LUNCH

- MONDAY - Chicken nuggets, baked potatoes, green beans, gravy, hot rolls, honey and milk.
- TUESDAY - Roast, cream potates, carrots, brown gravy, hot rolls, apple cobbler and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - Soft Tacos, cheese, lettuce, tomato, refried beans, Spanish rice, Jello and pears and milk.
- THURSDAY - Goulash, blackeyed peas, fried okra, cornbread, peaches and milk.
- FRIDAY - Hot dogs w/chili and cheese, French Fries, pickle spears, onion, ice cream and milk.

grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

### Meagan Arian Olivia Gillen Services Held

Meaghan Arian Olivia Gillen, 2 months and 6 days, died Monday, January 2, 1995 at Cook Childrens Hospital in Fort Worth.

Graveside services were held at Victor Cemetery in Erath County near Lingleville at 2 p.m. Rev. Ron Carroll officiated.

She was a member of First Baptist Church in Gorman.

Survivors include father and mother, Lee Irvin and Bridget Renee, brother, Marc Alan Oakley and sister, Maressa Angelle Orianna; grandfather and grandmother, Lee Ivin and Karen Elizabeth of Pineville, Louisiana; grandfather and grandmother, Ron and Tena Davis of Spring, Texas; two uncles, Jeremy Manshack of Spring and Garrett Gillen of Pineville, Louisiana; and one aunt, Kristina Gillen of Pineville, Louisiana.

### Notice of Proposed Bank Merger

Notice is hereby given that Security State Bank, Abilene, Texas, has made application to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Washington, D. C. 20429, for its written consent to merge with Citizens State Bank of Gorman, 115 S. Fisher Street, Gorman, Texas.

After the foregoing merger, Security State Bank, as the continuing bank, will continue to have its main banking office at 402 Cypress, Abilene, Texas 79601, and will operate the existing banking office of Citizens State Bank of Gorman at 115 South Fisher, Gorman, Texas 76454 as a branch office.

This notice is published pursuant to Section 18(c) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act.

Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his/her comments in writing with the Regional Office, 1910 Pacific Avenue, Suite 1900, Dallas, Texas 75201.

If any person desires to protest the granting of this application, such person has a right to do so if the protest is filed with the Regional Director by (30 days from date of first notice).

The nonconfidential portions of the application are on file in the Regional Office as part of the public file maintained by the Corporation. This file is available for public inspection during regular business hours.

December 22, 1994.

### Odie Brightwell Announces New G-Great Grandbaby



Odie Brightwell, 94, announces his first great-great-grandbaby.

Great-great-granddaddy, Odie is shown with Great-grandmother, Betty Brightwell Hale, grandmother, Vickie Hale McCombs, mother, Kristi McCombs and son, Logan Jack McCombs.

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### Leland D. Warren Laid To Rest

Leland Dee Warren, 89, died Tuesday, December 20, 1994 in the Albany Hospital.

Services were at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 21 in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ron Carroll officiating. Burial was in Gorman-Oaklawn Cemetery beside his wife and daughter's graves.

Leland was born on December 24, 1904 in Comanche County. He was a member of First Baptist Church and widower of Thelma Fay Jay Warren, whom he married in 1925 in Carbon. She died on February 11, 1965. His

daughter, Marjorie Nell Warren, died on January 7, 1972 in Midland.

Leland had worked for Higginbotham's in Gorman and De Leon from 1949 until May, 1962; Frossard's Department Store from May 1962 until July, 1964; and for SWPGA from October, 1965 until December 1970 when he retired.

Survivors include one son, George Jay Warren of Gorman; two half-sisters, Lillie May Reed and Ima George Willis, both of Levelland; six grandchildren, Rodney Warren, Douglas Warren, Lissa Hogan, Amy Troutman, Curtis Warren and Tona Adams; and nine great-grandchildren, Heather and Amandie Warren, Bryan and Lance Warren, Kyle and Rusty Hogan, Crystal and Joshua Troutman, and Cagan Adams.

### THANK YOU

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, Or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a funeral spray, If so we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, As any friend could say; Perhaps you were not there at all, Just thought of us that day, Whatever you did to console our hearts We thank you so much whatever the part.

We would like to thank Bro. Ron for his kind and comforting words for us; to Juanita Fuller, Tommy Clark, Jeff Seaton, Hershel Cordell and Glen Clements for the beautiful music; and to Gorman for being such a caring and friendly place to live. God Bless You All!

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Tona, David, and Cagan Adams  
Lillie Mae and Walter Reed and Family  
Ima George and Gail Willis and Family  
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### AGRICULTURAL VIEWPOINT

I was listening last week to Paul Harvey on the radio as I often do, and he began to talk about farmers and agriculture in the United States. He made some comments on economics and importance of agriculture to our national economy and the importance of the upcoming 1995 FARM BILL.

Let me attempt to put in context his statements. "Today there are less than 2 million American farmers feeding our nation of over 260 million, plus many parts of the outside world. Though smaller in number these farms are larger in size and more efficient in production. These 2 million farmers in turn directly employ 21 million other Americans. Agriculture in the United States is big business, in fact it is the largest sector of business in the United States generating more than 71% of our entire national economy. With the 1990 Farm Bill about to expire the new Congress has the important job of developing a new 1995 FARM BILL. With all due respect it should be called the 1994 Consumer Bill, because that's who's receiving the benefits of the Program, Consumers, ...Page Two"

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1993 Buick Roadmaster Ltd., V8, fully loaded, 35,000 miles  
1993 Olds Clera S. 4-dr, V6, fully loaded, 23,000 miles  
1993 Pontiac Sunbird LE 4-Dr, 27,000 miles  
2-1993 Buick Park Ave. V6, Fully loaded, 18,000-32,000 miles  
1993 Olds Delta 88 4-Dr, Fully loaded, 32,000 miles  
2-1993 Chev Lumina 4-Dr V6, loaded, 38,000-47,000 miles  
2-1993 Cadillac Sedan Deville, Leather, Loaded, 18,000-23,000 miles  
1993 Bonneville SE 4-Dr, Leather, Fully loaded, 11,000 miles  
1992 Chev Lumina 4-Dr V6, Fully loaded, 34,000 miles  
1993 Chev Caprice Classic V8, Fully loaded, 27,000 miles  
1993 Chev. Corsica 4-Dr, V6, 17,000 miles  
2-1993 Chev Cavalier 4-Dr, Fully loaded, 23,000 miles  
1992 Pontiac Grand Am 2-Dr, 16,000 miles  
1993 Chev. Lumina Euro 2-Dr, fully loaded, 16,000 miles  
1993 Mercury Sable GS 4Dr, V6, fully loaded, 26,000 miles  
1987 Chev Caprice Classic 4Dr, 46,000 actual miles  
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1992 Achleva S 4-Dr, fully loaded, 31,000 actual miles  
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1993 Olds Achleva SC 2-Dr V6, Fully loaded, 16,000 miles  
1993 Pontiac Bonneville 4-Dr, Fully loaded, 18,000 miles  
2-1993 Pontiac Grand Am 4-Dr, 16,000 - 26,000 miles  
1993 Lincoln Town Car 4-Dr, Leather, Fully loaded, 22,000 miles  
1991 Chev Corsica 4-Dr, Fully loaded, 48,000 miles  
1988 Pontiac Fiero Formula, very clean  
1986 Chev Caprice Classic Brghm, loaded, 63,000 actual miles  
1991 Olds Delta 88 Brghm, 4-Dr., fully loaded, 40,000 miles  
1989 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, fully loaded, 59,000  
1984 Mercury Marquis 4-Dr, 64,000 actual miles  
1986 Pontiac 6000 STE 4-Dr, Fully loaded, very clean  
1989 Chevrolet Corsica, 4-Dr, 30,000 miles  
1986 Oldsmobile Delta 88, 2-Dr, 42,000 miles  
1994 Cadillac Sedan Deville, leather, loaded, 18,000 miles  
1992 Buick LeSabre 4-Dr, fully loaded, 49,000 miles

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1989 Jeep Wrangler 6 cyl. Air Cond. 72,000 miles  
1987 Ford Aeorstar Van Very Clean, Local Owner  
1991 Chev. Astro Ext. Van Fully Loaded, 58,000 miles  
1993 Chev. Full Size Van Dual Air Fully Loaded, 44,000 miles  
1994 Chev. 1/2 ton Ext. Cab Silver. loaded, 350-V8, 13,000 ml  
2-1993 Chev 1/2 ton Silverado Sub. 4x4 loaded, 32-35,000 ml  
1993 Chev 1/2 ton Silverado Sub. loaded, 32,000 miles  
1990 Ford 3/4 ton 4x4, good work truck  
1993 Ford 1/2 ton XLT V8 loaded, 17,000 miles  
1991 Chev 1 ton Silverado Sportside, loaded, 53,000 miles  
1992 GMC 1 ton HD Chassis Diesel Auto, 29,000 miles  
1991 Chev 3/4 ton Ext Cab Silverado Western Hauler, 25,000 ml  
1992 Chev 1 ton 4x4 Silverado, fully loaded, 56,000 miles  
1992 Chev 3/4 ton Silverado 350-V8 55,000 miles  
1993 Chev 1/2 ton Ext Cab Silverado 350-V8 20,000 miles  
1993 Chev 1/2 ton Ext Cab Silverado 350-V8 29,000 miles  
1992 Chev 1/2 Ton Ext Cab Conversion 55,000 miles  
1993 Plymouth Voyager Minivan 18,000 miles  
1990 Ford 1 ton Super Duty Flatbed Diesel 53,000 miles  
1992 Chev 3/4 ton Suburban Silverado loaded 61,000 miles  
1984 Chev 1/2 ton Suburban Silverado 4x4 loaded  
1994 Chev 1/2 ton 350-V8 SWB Silverado, loaded, 7,700 miles  
1991 Ford 1/2 ton XLT Ext Cab V8 auto, loaded, 47,000 miles  
1991 Chev 3/4 ton Diesel Silverado, loaded, 44,000 miles  
1991 Ford Explorer 4-Dr, 2 wheel drive, cruise & tilt, V6  
1991 Chev S10 V6 5-speed Tahoe, 52,000 miles  
1994 Chev 1/2 Ton V6 Auto SWB, 16,000 miles  
1992 Chev Astro Ext. Van, Dual A/C, 52,000 miles  
1993 Chev S10, Auto trans., 14,000 miles  
1986 Chev S10, Ext. Cab, 4X4, Good work truck  
1992 Chev 1/2 ton 4X4 V6, auto trans, 53,000 miles  
1990 Chev Conversion Van V6, gas saver, 63,000 actual miles  
1988 Chev. Crew Cab 454-V8 Silverado 4-Speed Trans  
1987 Chev. Crew Cab Silverado, fully loaded, 68,000 miles  
1990 Chev. Astro Van CL, fully loaded, 52,000 miles  
1990 Ford Full Size Van, Anahelm Conversion Pkg., fully loaded  
1991 Chev. Ext. Cab S10 V6 engine, 66,000 actual miles  
1992 Isuzu Pick-Up, Air Cond., 14,000 miles  
1985 Chev. 1/2 ton PU SWB, 62,000 actual miles  
1989 Chev. 3/4 ton 350 V8 5-Speed, cruise & tilt  
1990 Olds Silhouette APV, fully loaded, 43,000 miles  
1988 Chev 3/4 ton Suburban, 49,000 miles, a RV Special  
1987 Nissan Pathfinder XEV6, very clean  
1989 AmeriCoach Motor Home, 22,000 miles, very clean  
1992 Dodge Conversion Van, Dual A/C, 48,000 miles  
1987 Chev. El Camino, fully loaded  
1988 GMC Suburban, 58,000 miles  
1977 Ford 1 ton flatbed, good work truck  
1990 Ford 1/2 ton super cab 6 cyl., air, very clean  
1992 Chev 1/2 ton Ext cab Silverado, 50,000 miles  
1993 Chev 1/2 ton ext. cab Silverado, 32,000 miles  
1991 Chev 1/2; ton ext cab Silverado, 59,000 miles  
1988 Dodge Caravan LE, fully loaded  
1992 Chev 1/2 ton Ext. Cab Silverado, loaded, 27,000 miles  
1993 Chev Ext Astro CL, fully loaded, Dual A/C, 31,000 miles

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## HERITAGE MANOR NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

The next Birthday party will be Thursday, January 26th at 2:00 p.m. Honorees are Ina Mae Tarrance, Iola Johnson and Pauline Love.

Some of Ora Mae Atchison guests were Dr. And Chesley Royce Atchison and sons, Robert, Jessie and William of Galveston, Quida Joyce and Casey Gartman, Tiffany Nowling of Levelland, and Ima Lee Burleson of Desdemona.

A good time was had by all when Dewey Bailey's band came. Guests were Dewey and Iola Bailey, Raymond and Vivian Hart, Eddie Sadler, Bernard Keith, Bernice Farley, Allen Allcock, Donna Allcock, Larry Emory and Wynogene Smith. Residents were Iola Johnson, Travis Smith, Cynthia Earles, Dorothy Beaty, Joe O'Neal, Ora Mae Atchison, Effie Mae Brown, Orlena Perdue, Iris Smith, Veno Hale, Lovell Whitehorn, S. D. Gilmore, Cleo Clement, Varona Taylor, Ruby Vandergriff, Ruth Broom and G. O. Boyd.

Some of Rosa Bennett and Ruth Broom's guests were W. R. and Hazel Collins, Frankie Eakin and Ray Broom of Eastland, Delbert and Verna Kidd of Odessa, James, Ellen and Rachel Tucker of Odessa, Denzel and Fay Ables, James and Ruby Lee Kinser, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Euel Poyner, Eunice Love, Claude and Barbara Tucker, Jeff and Kyle Broom, Frankie and Georgie Stacy.

On Sunday morning Rev. Ron Carroll of First Baptist Church taught the Sunday School lesson for Joe O'Neal, Cynthia Earles, Effie Mae Brown, S. D. Gilmore, Veno Hale, Ina Mae Tarrance, Jess Hallmark, Orlena Perdue.

Some of Cynthia Earles and Ina Mae Tarrance's guests were Fay and Brenda Kay Earles, Era Maupin, Frankie Jo Shipman, Fay Huff, Kristina Turner, Dizi Murphey and Amanda Earles.

We regret to report Jess Roberts is in the De Leon Hospital.

Lisa Jobe gave Varona Taylor a new permanent.

At 2:30 on Sunday those coming from the First Baptist Church were Irene Hallmark, Nelda Mauney, Era Maupin, Frankie Jo Shipman, Louise Hall, Ruby Lee Kinser, Brent Lasater, Connie Carroll. Residents were Orlena Perdue, Ina Mae Tarrance, Cynthia Earles, Jess Hallmark, Ora Mae Atchison, Effie Mae Brown, Dorothy Beaty, S. D. Gilmore, Ruby Vandergriff, Varona Taylor and Joe O'Neal.

Some of Travis Smith's guests were Michael Smith of Stephenville, Debra and Jaret Selman of Round Rock, Kelly and Victoria Shupp, James Perez, Chris Shupp, Barbara Smith and Wynogene Smith.

At 4:00 p.m. those coming from the Church of Christ were Jason Posey, Cody Foster, Mason Simmons, Eunice Love, Velda Baze, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Tracey and Janda Taylor, Rev. John Payne, Cy Cypher, Durwood Webb, Samantha, Tana, Jenny and Cathy Goode. Residents were Dorothy Beaty, Veno Hale, Ruby Vandergriff, Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison, Iris Smith, Ina Mae Tarrance, Varona Taylor, Effie Mae Brown, S. D. Gilmore and Cynthia Earles.

Some of Olga Kinser's guests were Velma Bennett, Nancy Hendricks, Ri-

chard Kinser, Hazel Collins of Eastland, Mayvis Lasater, Euell Poyner, James and Ruby Lee Kinser, Era Maupin and M. L. Skiles.

Dorothy Roberts gave Cleo Clement and Garnet Adams new permments.

On Christmas, Mary Williams went to her daughter's, Maxine Frasier of De Leon. She got to visit with 3 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren and their families. Other guests have been Fred and Mary McMullen of Melrose, NM, Bruce and Lavoyce Hirst, Janda Taylor, Virginia Turner, Ima Brown, Nancy Hendricks and Durwood Webb.

Some of Pauline Love's guests were Durwood Webb, Eunice Love, and Carol Rae Ervin.

Ina Scitem has the last party of 1994 for residents, serving cake floats and popcorn. Present were S. D. Gilmore, Jess Hallmark, Veno Hale, Joe O'Neal, Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison, Travis Smith, Lovell Whitehorn, Effie Mae Brown, Orlena Perdue and Garnet Adams.

Those visiting Effie Mae Brown were Estelle Craddock, Kay Ann Craddock, Lousie Hollywood, S. D. Gilmore, Nichole Giesler, Jill and Kira Hollywood of Merkel.

On Friday Ruby Pratt, Dietary Supervisor gave Bingo prizes for winners in Bingo who were Ora Mae Atchison, Effie Mae Brown, Veno Hale, Orlena Perdue, Iola Johnson, and S. D. Gilmore. Other players were Cynthia Earles, Lovell Whitehorn, Iris Smith, Leotis Meadows, Joe O'Neal and Dorothy Beaty.

Some of Lorene Jay's guests were Billy Fred and Donna Joy of Abilene, Mayvis Lasater, Brent and Jean Lasater.

We are sorry to report Doil Miears is a patient in the De Leon Hospital.

Those visiting S. D. Gilmore were Modess Burgess, Barbara Tucker, Idell Warren, Effie Mae Brown, Louise Hollywood and Dixie Pack Ryon.

We are happy to report Lois Buchanan is home from the De Leon Hospital.

On Sunday Era Maupin visited Lovenia Blair, Lois Buchanan, Rosa Bennett, Ruth Broom, Travis Smith, Olga Kinser, Joe O'Neal and Iris Smith.

We are happy to report Theresa Parker has returned from the De Leon Hospital.

Some of Joe O'Neal's guests were Doyle Poyner, Era Maupin, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Allen Allcock of Carbon, Anna Rush, Dane Gressett, Brent Lasater, Edith and Joe Carter of Hamlin, and Frankie Jo Shipman.

### Hilda de la Torre New Nurses Aide

We are happy to announce Hilda de la Torre is now working as a Nurses Aide. She lives in Gorman and has a 2 month old daughter Jasmeen Le Anne.

Jimmy and Verna Lee Little visited Annie and Veno Hale.

On Tuesday at 2:30 those coming for the "Sing-o-Long" were Waldene Jones, Wanda Rainey, Bro. L. C. and Mary Lou Landers, W. R. and Hazel Collins of Eastland, R. Lee McDaniel, Ruth Knowles, Billie Stacy, all of Carbon, Nancy Hendricks, Anna Rush, Willo Rice, Fay and Denzel Ables, Irene Hallmark. Residents were Veno Hale, Dorothy Beaty, Effie Mae Brown, S.

## JANET THOMAS PRESENTS PROGRAM FOR KOKOMO F.C.E. CLUB

The Kokomo Family Community Education Club met in the beautiful nome of Mrs. Mary Frances Bishop in Eastland on Monday, January 9th at 2 p. m. for a regular monthly meeting.

President Zeldia Jordan presided asking Norma Webb to lead the club creed and prayer. Mary Frances Bishop gave the devotional Psalms 46. Roll call was answered by "How do you plan to start the new year."

Secretary Nancy Hendricks read the minutes. Treasurer Jerry Koonce gave her report. The club had paid all club dues for 1995.

The club congratulated Janette Burreson on her First Place centerpiece in the Eastland County Pecan Show. Mrs. Jordan thanked the club in writing for asking her to be the Club Woman of the Year.

The club planned the Annual Stev Supper (a benefit project) for Saturday, February 18th from 5 to 8 p. m. Adult tickets will be \$2 and children \$1. Homemade stew, crackers, pound cake, tea and coffee will be served at the Kokomo Community Center.

Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent, gave the program, "Exercising for a healthy body." The program explained "Take Time to Live" and a healthy exercise and healthy foods.

Mrs. Thomas explained some changes and the new programs and club projects for 1995.

Mrs. Bishop served delicious refreshments of layered cake, topping, dunking crackers, Hersheys, coffee and cold drinks.

Members present were Norma Webb, Nancy Hendricks, Wynelle Brown, Zeldia Jordan, Janette Burreson, Johnnie B. Griffith, Naoma Morrow, Anna Laura Clearman, and Jerry Koonce, and hostess, Mary Frances Bishop.

Guests were Arletha Sherry, Niles Trout and Janet Thomas.

Wynelle Brown will host the club Monday, February 13th.

Reporter, Nancy Hendricks

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D. Gilmore, Ora Mae Atchison, Veno Hale, Ruby Vandergriff, Jess Hallmark, Iris Smith, Orlena Perdue and Garnet Adams.

Louise Able of Waco visited her mother, Mary Willingham.

On Wednesday Rev. Ron Carroll brought the devotional for Lovelle Whitehorn, Iola Johnson, Veno Hale, S. D. Gilmore and Effie Mae Brown.

Waldene Jones of Dublin visited her brother, Eulon Perry on Tuesday.

On Wednesday afternoon Ina Scitem had Bingo for Cynthia Earles, Nancy Halloway, Garnet Adams, Joe O'Neal, Iris Smith, Veno Hale, Patty Whitehorn, Leotis Meadows, Orlena Perdue, Varona Taylor, Iola Johnson, S. D. Gilmore, and Effie Mae Brown.

Those visiting G. O. Boyd were Bill, Sherry, Amanda, Ashley and Shanna Hair of Abilene, Vance and Paula Breeding of Arlington, Athalie Loudermilk of Downing, Butch and Brenda Boyd.

Nettie Una Denton visited his sister, Dorothy Beaty.

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**KOKOMO NEWS**

ZELDA JORDAN -- PHONE 639-2289

The Kokomo Community, and all the surrounding area, has been saddened by the death of Bro. Joe O'Neal on Friday night, January 6th. Bro. Joe was the pastor of the Kokomo Baptist Church with his be-

**ITEMS OF INTEREST**

**FUNDS** are still needed for the Water Project for Oakland Cemetery in Comanche Co. Anyone who has interest or wishes to donate to this cause, please send donations to Water Well Fund, Citizens State Bank, Gorman, Texas. We wish to express our profound appreciation to those who have already contributed to this worth while project.

The Gorman 4-H Club will meet Thursday, January 12th at 7:00 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. The program will be brought by Dr. Michael Burk, Veterinarian in De Leon. Several upcoming workshops will also be discussed as well as the County Livestock and Project Show to be held in February. Come Join Us.

**NURSES AIDE TRAINING COURSE** will be given at Heritage Manor of Gorman on January 17th. Register on January 16th. For more information Call Heritage Manor of Gorman - 817-734-2202.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. If you would like to make a donation in memory of or In Honor of someone, please send to Box 501, Gorman, or Citizens State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

"Storytime" for Ages 2-5 every Monday morning from 10:00 til 10:30 a.m. Library times - Mon. - 9:30 - 11:30; Tues. - 3 - 5:30; Wed. - 3 - 5; Thurs. 3 - 5 and Fri. 3 - 5 p.m. at Charlie Garrett Memorial Library.

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, Worshipful Master, 734-2724 - Phillip Osborne, Secretary - 734-2807.

**CMS, Inc. Health Services** - Will hold a Free Blood Pressure Clinic on the Third Wednesday of Each Month at the Senior Citizens Center.

**Gorman Boy Scouts** are collecting Aluminum Cans. If you have any to pick-up - Please Contact a Boy Scout at 734-2724 or 734-3322.

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

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services Every 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. - Sandra Osborne, Worthy Matron - 734-2807 and Phillip Osborne, Worthy Patron 734-2807.

**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 JANUARY 18TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.**

loved wife, Thelma, by his side, from 1964 until he retired in 1974. He has continued to live at Kokomo all these years, even after the death of his wife, and was a member of the Kokomo Baptist Church. He also taught school at Gorman for several years. He will be missed. A very large crowd attended the funeral at Gorman on Sunday.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to his children, Sharon, Johnny Beth and Joseph, and their families, and to his sisters, Nancy and Fannie Bell and a brother, Don and their families.

Those from out of town here for Bro. Joe's funeral and visiting with Nancy Hendricks were Kelly Buchanan of Giddings, Sylvia Buchanan and Tina Billingsley and Bro. Clarence and Leona Wilson of Stephenville, Nat and Sharon Mearse, Denise, Christi, Jeremy and Brian Redman, Dave, Camilla, Courtney, Whitney and Jami Mudry, all of Odessa, Lanice, Matthew, Cliff and Blake Freeman of Denison, Mark, Teresa, Brandon, Collin and Lauren Rotramel of Hobbs, N.M., Freddie and Johnny Shackelford of Amarillo, Joseph and Linda O'Neal of Austin, Don and Lani O'Neal of Houston, Paul and Fannie Bell Hoy of Breenville, Marve and Lydia Adams and Buddy and Lanelle O'Neal of Abilene, and the Revs. Roy and Jimalee George of Haskell, John Lewis and Wynelle Stone of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. Altus Kelly of Sweetwater.

Other visitors in the Hendricks home were Joyce Priest of Abilene, Fred Smalley of Olden, Velma Bennett, Doris Bradshaw and Daisy Slaton, all of Gorman, and John and Troy Scitern, Delmon and Joyce Eaves, Zelda Jordan, Ruth Bryant, Hope Joiner, Norma Webb, Johnnie B. Griffith and Anna Laura Clearman, all of Kokomo.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday were Gary, Donna, Lesley and Melanie Gatlin of Nocona, and Sheryl and Kristina Everton of Gorman were visiting with their dad, Cecil Everton.

Visitors with Jimmy and Verna Lee Little during the Christmas holidays were Tim and Nelda Fails, Cody and Jarad of Arlington, Joe and Brian Fails of Stamford, Ray Neal, Melissa and Emily Little of Eastland, James, Jill and Ashley Little of Lake Leon, Dora Garrett of Eastland, Jerry and Lavell Hallmark, Earl and Debby Braddock and Ashton, and Shane, Amy and Taner Shott, all of San Angelo, Greg and Becky Ethington, LeeVi, Shane and Sheyanné of Big Lake, and Charles and Carolyn Little.

Nelda Fails of Arlington visited with her parents, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little on Sunday and attended the funeral of Bro. Joe O'Neal.

Randy and Deliah Lewis, Christopher and Jonathan of Ennis visited on Sunday with her parents, Delmon and Joyce Eaves and Deliah attended the funeral for Bro. Joe O'Neal.

**CARBON NEWS**

BILLIE STACY - Correspondant

The Holidays are over and it seems everyone is busy starting the New Year off by staying home and working.

Visiting with Coy and Jessie Mangum last week were Kathy Files, Elizabeth Sandlin, Billie Stacy, R. Lee McDaniel and Ruth Knowles all of Carbon.

The Widow Ladies Luncheon met last Tuesday with R. Lee McDaniel. We had not met since before the holidays. We sure were glad to get back together. We will meet with Ruth Knowles this week, then most of us will go to the singing at Heritage Manor in Gorman for the gospel singing. We would like to encourage you to go help us sing.

Visiting with Terry, Gayla and Brad Stacy on Sunday were Angela and Bubba Twitchell and Jennifer, Stacy and Clint Cecil of Eastland.

Carbon has a new City Hall building, it is next to the New Fire Station. It sure looks nice.

Brol Jim and Ann Poe and Jenoise and Euell Allison are attending the Texas Baptist Evangelistic Conference in Fort Worth, Monday thru Wednesday noon.

Several from this Community attended the funeral of Bro. Joe O'Neal in Gorman, Sunday afternoon. We extend our sympathy to the family.

Our sympathy goes out to the Truman Bryant and family at the loss of his sister, who passed away last week.

Ima Brown of Gorman and Maxine Morgan visited Billie Stacy on Sunday afternoon.

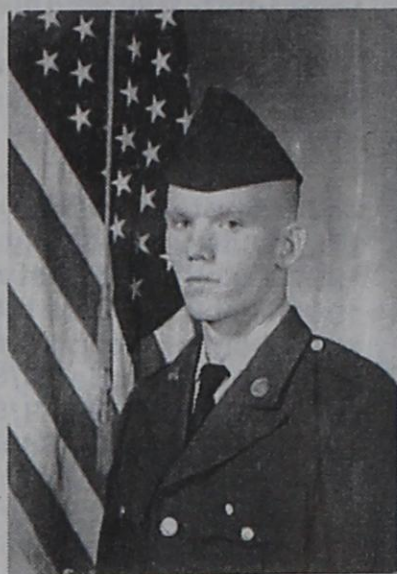
John Rodgers visited his mother Berniece Rodgers of Gorman on Saturday afternoon.

Betty and Larry Strube visited in Comanche on Wednesday with Elvis and Johnnie Chambers.

Glenda and Bill Priest of Abilene visited on Saturday with her mother, Zelda Jordan. Kelly Buchanan of Giddings and Norma Webb also visited in the Jordan home.

Joe and Glynda Bond visited with her mother, Mrs. Mildred Wilson at Ranger on Sunday evening.

Gary and Donna Gatlin, Lesley and Melanie of Nocona visited during the weekend with her parents, Woodrow and Helen Browning, and brother, Gary Browning.

**Freddie L. Huff Has Completed Basic Training**

Freddie Lynn Huff, E2 has finished basic training at Fort Knox, Kentucky, in D Co. 2/13-Armor 1st Plt.

He spent the holidays with his family and friends. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Huff of Gorman. Freddie left home, January 3, 1995 to report for base in California and will then be shipped to South Korea.

An overview of the new guidelines for county FCE organizations will be presented and discussed with club members.

Being as this is starting a new year here is something I would like to share with you. This was given to me and it is so true.

**The Time Is Short**  
By Phillip Brooks

Dear Friends,

You who are letting miserable misunderstanding run on from year to year, Meaning to clear them up some day; You who are passing man sullenly upon the street, not speaking out of some silly spite, and yet knowing that it would fill you with remorse if you heard that one of these men were dead tomorrow morning; You who are...letting your friends heart ache for a word of appreciation or sympathy, which you mean to give him some day if you could know...that "the time is short," how it would break the spell!

How you would go instantly and do the thing which you might never have another chance to do.

**F.C.E. COUNCIL MEETS ON JANUARY 18TH**

The Eastland County Family Community Education Council will meet Wednesday, January 18th at 2 p.m. in the Eastland National Bank Community Room.

All Council members are urged to be present for the first meeting of the year.

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# Gorman Panthers Play In Rising Star Tourney

## First Round Game Gorman Vs. Sidney

Gorman led all the way in this one to gain a big win after 6 days rest over X-Mas holidays. After 1st quarter is was Gorman 17 and Sidney 12. In the second it was the Panthers 38 and Sidney 29. Gorman won the 3rd stanza 14-13 and won the game 66-59. Balanced scoring was the key. Nick Guthery led all scorers with 15, Jerry Krause with 14, Ronald Majors with 13, and twin brother Donald with 11.

## Second Round Game Gorman vs. Santo

A slow 1st quarter was the key in this one with only 4 points on the board for Gorman and 13 for the Santo Wildcats. The Panthers did however put on a good final 3rd quarter but it wasn't enough as they dropped the second round game 65

to 54. Leading the Panthers as Nick Guthery with 14 points, Ronald Majors with 13 and Nic Bureson with 9 points.

## Consolation Game Gorman vs. Evant

The Gorman Panthers stormed out of the gate leading the game in the 1st 3 stanza's but a less than impressive 4th quarter gave the Evant Elks the consolation trophy. "We started in a good way putting up good shots, our shot selection was good, but the bucket dried up in the 4th period. I was pleased with the way the kids played, we had hardly and practice time. We were a bit rusty but they did not give us. They played with a lot of pride and I am very proud of them." Nick Guthery turned in an Excellent Tournament. Nick and Ronald Majors led Gorman with 18 points a piece and Don Mauney had 6 points.



# Gorman Panthers Lose To Lingleville 66 to 61

The Panthers lost a heart breaker to a good Lingleville team. Jason Posey came out with a 25 points effort. Jason hit 7 of 10 3 point attempts to lead the Panthers. Ronald Majors had 17 points as the

Panthers dropped to 4-9 on the non-district schedule. "Jason is a heck of a good shooter I think that this will help his confidence and he will begin to show what a real talent he is." Nick Guthery had 8 points to round out the scoring.

# Gorman Panthers Lose To De Leon Bearcats

The Panthers lost to De Leon Friday night in a closer than the score ballgame.

The Panthers showed a lot of character in this one. De Leon is an old rival with a lot of tradition. The Panthers played a hard fought game. "I think we are ready to begin district play, we have played a tough pre-district, playing a lot of good teams. Although we are 4-11 we are definitely better than our record. Our inside game has improved and are better in transition. We play good defense but we are young and have players with very little varsity experience." Nick Guthery led the Panthers with 10 points, Jason Posey had 9 points, Ronald Majors had 5, Don Mauney had 5 points. The Panthers open District play Tuesday, January 10th against Eula at home. Come out and support your Panthers and Lady Panthers.

## JV Panthers Now 8-1

### Gorman JV Loses To Lingleville 55 to 39

Scoring for the JV Panthers was Justin Bureson with 8 points, Adon Rodriguez with 8 points, Shannon Mauney with 7 points, Jason Warren with 5 points, Scott Scitem and Clay Sandlin with 4 points each and Aaron Grice with 3 points.

### Gorman Wins Over De Leon 41-38

Scoring for the JV was Adon Rodriguez with 12 points, Justin Bureson with 10 points, Shannon Mauney with 9 points, Scott Scitem with 5 points, Jason Warren with 4 points and Clay Sandlin with 1 point. The JV Record is now 8-1.

# JV Lady Panthers Lose To De Leon JV

The JV Lady Panthers were outscored 30-19 by the De Leon JV Lady Beacats, Friday in their first game after a long Christmas break.

In the first quarter, the JV Lady Panthers scored one point when Freshman Sarah Reeves made a free throw after being fouled. The JV Lady Panthers led at the end of the first quarter 8 to 1.

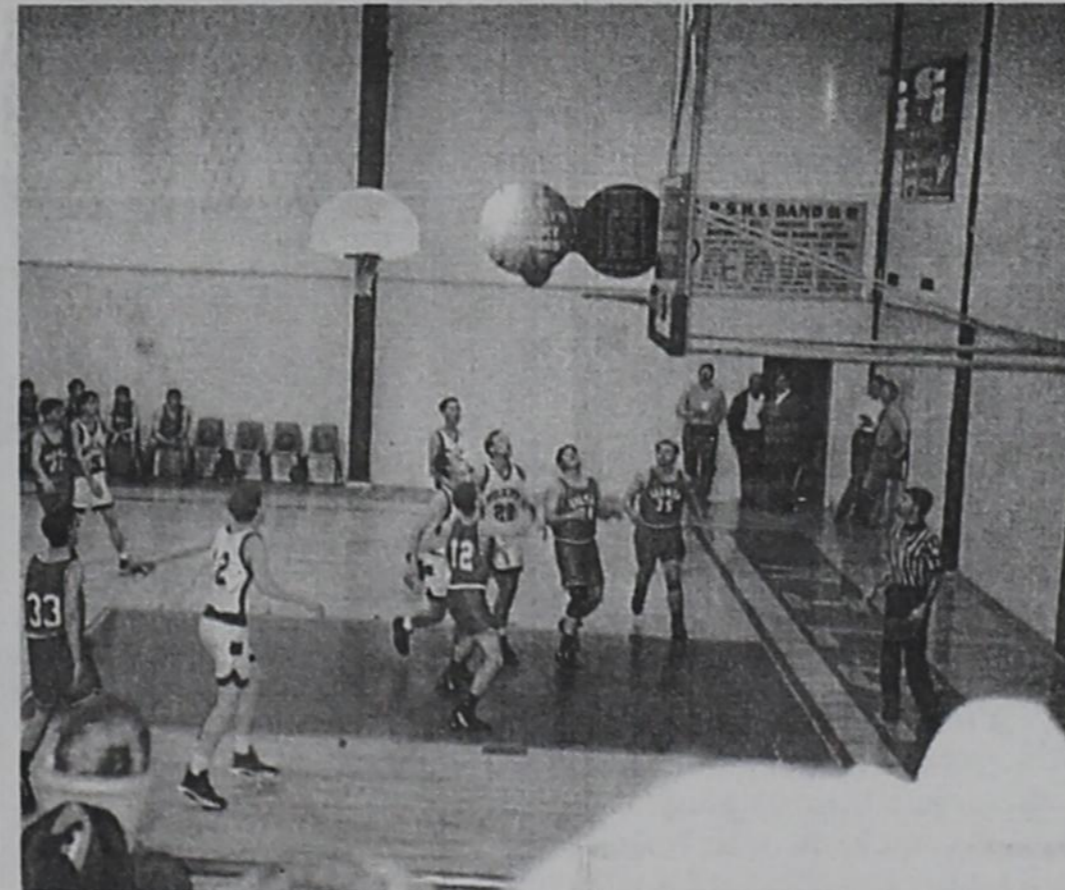
The score was more balanced in the final three quarters.

In the second quarter, Jennifer

Shackelford made a bucket for 2 points and Marla Smith scored 3 points, from the free throw line.

Six points were scored by the JV Lady Panthers in the third quarter. Jennifer scored a bucket making 2 points. Samantha Stephens and Marla scored 2 points each from the free throw line. Kaycee Gilmore made a free throw after being fouled.

In the final quarter, Samantha led the scoring with 4 points and Sarah made a free throw.



# Lady Panthers Beat Lingleville Cardinals

Last Tuesday night the Lady Panthers won a nondistrict game against the Lingleville Cardinals. The girls won 47 to 44.

At the start of the game the Lady Panthers lost the tipoff but out rebounded and out shot the Cardinals. Six points were scored by both Laci Sharp and Marlena Guthery. Mary Campbell scored four points to help give the Lady Panthers a 3 point lead at the end of the first quarter. The Lady Panthers lead 16 to 13.

In the second quarter Laci Sharp scored eight points from her post position. Mary Campbell would add another two points and Lacy Pack would score by making two free throws. Twelve points were scored in the second quarter to give them a twenty-eight to twenty-two lead at half time.

Four points were scored by post player Laci Sharp in the 3rd quarter. Staying even with Laci in scoring was guard Mary Campbell. She scored four points also. Marlena Guthery scored 3 points in this quarter. Eleven points were scored in

the third quarter. The Lady Panthers retained their lead 39 to 34.

In the last eight minutes Laci would score six more points, two buckets and two free throws, to give her a total of twenty four points in the game. Mary scored two points in the final quarter to give the girls the final points to help them win the game. The final score ws 47 to 44.

Individual stats for the Lingleville game: Keri Scitem - 4 rebounds, 1 assist, 1 mistake caused; Jennifer Scitem - 1 rebound, 1 mistake caused; Sabrina Glasson - 2 rebounds, 2 assists;

Lacy Pack - 2 points, 6 rebounds, 3 steals, 1 assist, 3 mistakes caused; Jennifer Eaves - 4 rebounds, 1 steal, 4 assists, 3 mistakes caused; Mary Campbell - 10 points, 2 rebounds, 3 steals, 5 assists, 4 mistakes caused; Jenny Goode - 1 steal, 1 mistake caused; Laci Sharp - 24 points, 11 rebounds, 3 steals, 1 assist, 4 mistakes caused; Missy Jobe - 1 assist, 3 mistakes caused; Marlena Guthery - 11 points, 9 rebounds, 1 steal and 4 mistakes caused.

# Lady Panthers Lose To De Leon

In the last non district game of the year the Lady Panthers lost to De Leon 75 to 43.

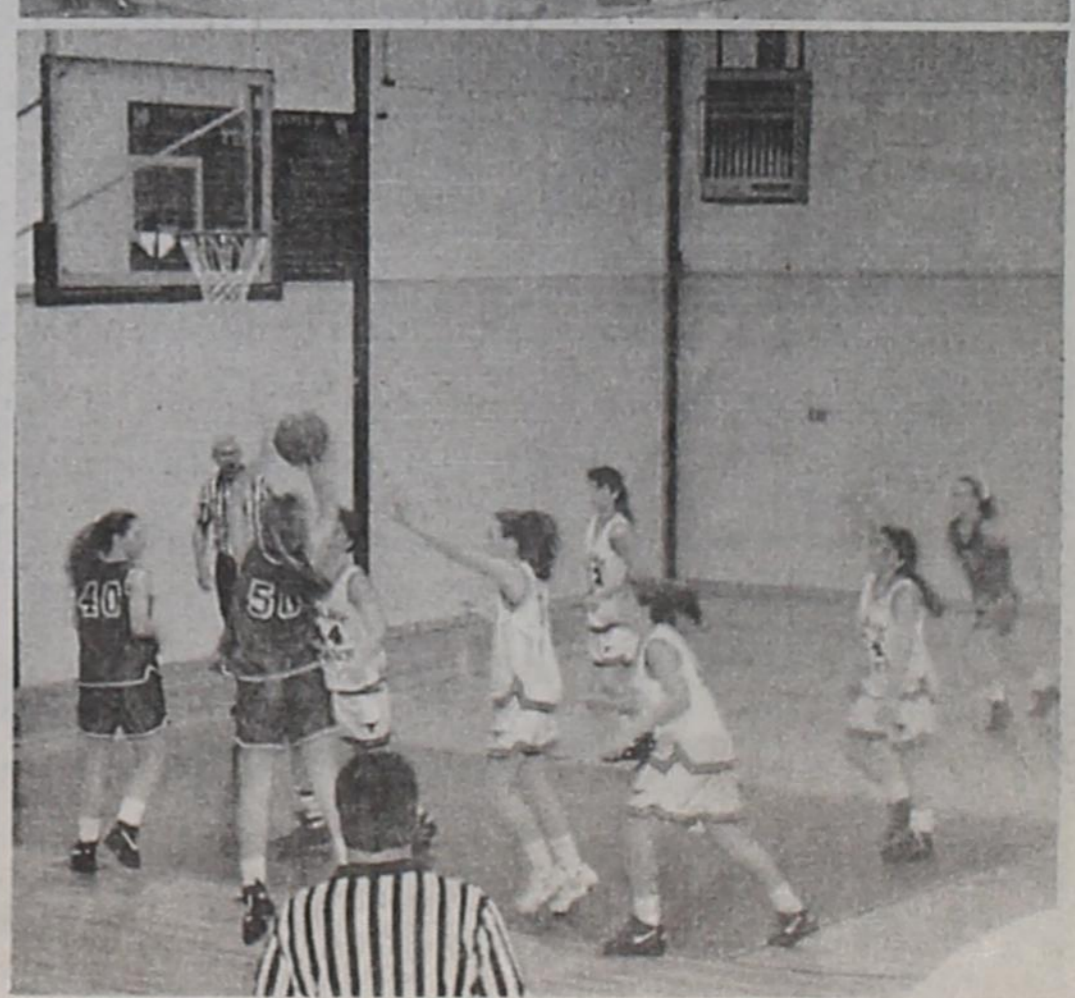
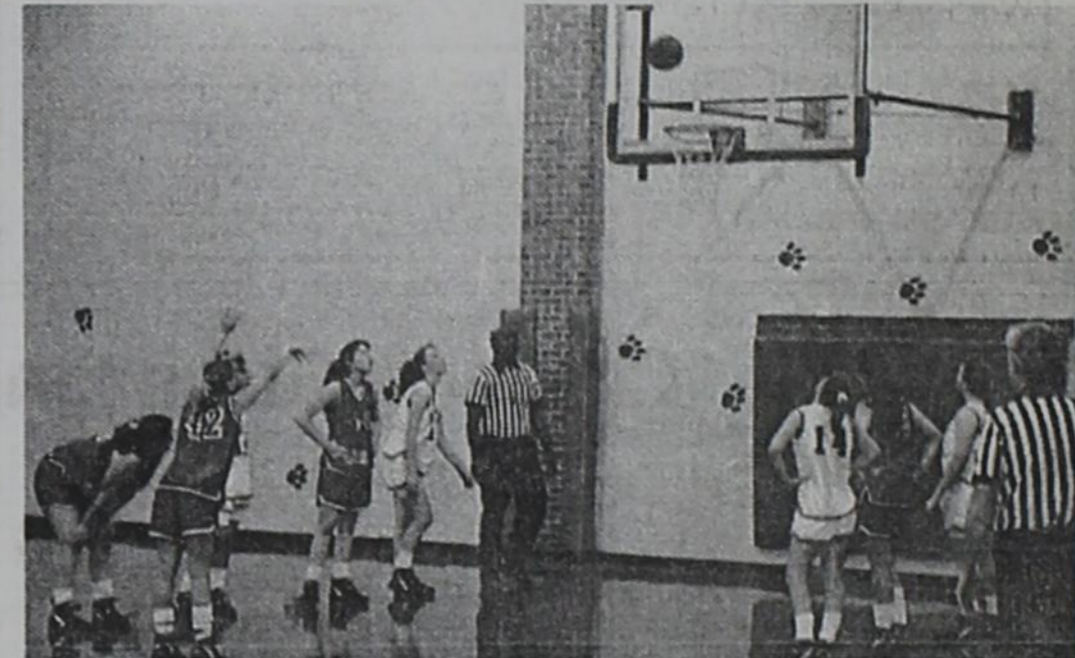
In the first quarter Laci Sharp scored six points. Four of these came from the two buckets she made and the other two points came from the free throws she made. After she was fouled. Sabrina Glasson scored a bucket to give the Lady Panthers 8 points in the first quarter. De Leon lead 18 to 8.

In the second quarter Laci would score 4 more points from her post position. Keri Scitem, Lacy Pack, Marlena Guthery, and Mary Campbell all scored two points in this quarter. Keri, Lacy, and Marlena all scored a bucket while Mary made two free throws. At the end of the second quarter the Lady Panthers were behind 37 to 20.

Laci Sharp scored 4 more points in the third quarter. Mary, Jennifer Eaves, and Jenny Goode all scored a bucket at this time. At the end of the third quarter the score was 56 to 30 in favor of De Leon.

The final quarter of the game the Lady Panthers scored 13 more points. Laci scored four more points Jenny Goode scored 3 points. Mary Campbell scored two. Jennifer Scitem and Missy Jobe also scored two points in this quarter. Jennifer scored hers by making a bucket and Missy made both of her free throws.

Individual stats for the De Leon game: Keri Scitem - 2 points, 2 rebounds, 1 steal, 1 assist; Jennifer Scitem - 2 points, 2 assists; Sabrina Glasson - 2 points, 3 rebounds, 1 steal, 3 assists, 1 mistake caused; Jennifer Eaves - 2 points, 4 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 assists; Mina Rodriguez - 2 assists, 2 mistakes caused; Mary Campbell - 6 points, 8 rebounds, 3 steals, 2 assists, 4 mistakes caused; Jenny Goode - 5 points, 4 rebounds, 1 mistake caused; Laci Sharp - 18 points, 4 rebounds, 1 steal, 1 mistake caused; Missy Jobe - 2 points, 2 rebounds; and Marlena Guthery - 2 points, 4 rebounds and 1 steal.



## GORMAN BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	GIRLS Var / JV	BOYS Var/JV
*13	Cross Plains	There	4:00	* *	* *
*17	Santa Anna	Here	4:00	* *	* *
19-21	Zephyr JV Tourney	TBA		* *	* *
*20	Rising Star	There	4:00	* *	* *
24	OPEN				
*27	Eula	There	4:00	* *	* *
*31	Cross Plains	Here	4:00	* *	* *
Feb. *31	Santa Anna	There	4:00	* *	* *
*7	Rising Star	Here	4:00	* *	* *

\* Denotes District Games

## JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	GIRLS	BOYS
Jan. 5-6-7	Gorman PTO Tournament			* *	* *
16	Eula	There	4:00	* *	* *
23	Cross Plains	Here	4:00	* *	* *
30	Santa Anna	There	4:00	* *	* *
Feb. 6	Rising Star	Here	4:00	* *	* *



■ Eastland County Commissioners

# Purchasing plan for automotive needs changes

By MAYBELLE TROUT  
Correspondent

EASTLAND — Fuel, motor oil and other supplies to operate county vehicles and equipment will be purchased differently this year.

During Monday's county commissioners meeting, newly appointed County Auditor Ken Parker was given permission to advertise for vendors interested in selling to Eastland County.

In the past, bids have been advertised to dealers who wished to sell by the year. Then the bid went to the lowest bidder.

Under Parker's plan, vendors will be contacted monthly, with the lowest bidder selling that month to commissioners.

Also, Parker will ask the sheriff's department to use the same plan for its cars. Bids

will be opened at 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 23. Bulk road materials may also be bought by the month from the lowest bidder. That will be decided at the next meeting.

In other business: ■ Commissioners toured the fourth floor of the courthouse to see how more space has been provided for the 11th Court of Appeals and how the jury deliberations room has been modernized.

So far, about \$8,000 of \$13,000 budgeted has been spent. Electrical work still must be paid for, and an air conditioner must be bought.

■ Possibilities were discussed to find revenue and resources necessary to buy road and bridge maintenance equipment.

Precincts 2 and 4 are in desperate need, commissioners agreed. They asked the county auditor to study the situation, even

though the budget is locked in until Sept. 30. ■ Commissioners agreed to extend County Road 184 south of Pleasant Hill in Precinct 4 about half a mile and number it 184 A for 911 purposes. The county will maintain it.

■ Commissioners agreed to authorize publicizing that the county is deciding on a depository for its funds. Interest, security and charges for services will be bid items.

■ The manner in which the salary grievance committee is chosen was changed. Previously the committee was made up of six elected officials and two names from grand jury records. Monday it was decided all members will be drawn from the grand jury names.

Ainsworth said, "I feel since we are working for the public, and they pay the salaries, the public should make up the board."



Pictured are some of the kindergarten students who attended Santa's Safety Workshop sponsored by Gorman FHA.

Kindergarten student from Mrs. Brown's and Mrs. Reeve's classes attended a Santa's Safety Workshop in the home economics building on December 14. Members of the Consumer Home Economics class conducted the workshop. Santa Claus welcomed the students while class members Sarah Reeves, Samantha Stephens, Mindy Laminack, Melissa Clark, and Janice Glover presented workshops entitled Fire Facts, Play It Safe, Home Safe Home, and Home Alone. Other members assisting with the programs were: Don Manuey, Amanda Howard, Rosie Kennedy, Andrew Tarver, Curtis Cates, and Jennifer Shackelford.

This is the second program planned and presented to elementary students as a part of an FHA education project which recognizes that an alert child is a safe child. FHA is planning to use this project as an entry in FHA Star Event Competition in February at the Regional Meeting.

## Drip Irrigation Seminar Set Jan. 12th

A Drip Irrigation Seminar has been set for Thursday, January 12, 1995 at the Comanche Community Center on Hwy. 377 in Comanche. The seminar will begin with registration at 8:00 a.m. and the program beginning at 8:30 a.m. and lasting till 3:00 p.m. A sponsored lunch will be served and interested producers should preregister by calling the Extension office at 915-356-2539. The Drip Irrigation Seminar is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension service and Submatic Austin, Inc.

The Drip Irrigation Seminar will include many important aspects of drip irrigation that will help anyone with an interest in applying this water saving technology to their production system. Pecan, vegetable, melon and field crop producers have all found ways to adapt and use the benefits drip irrigation offers to any production agriculture enterprise.

The seminar will begin with an overview of drip/micro irrigation including a look at ways other production areas in Texas are using drip. System make up will be covered next including "Re-inventing the Wheel", "How To Buy A System To Meet Your Needs" and an "Overview of System Components". Management of drip systems will include "Guidelines to Practical Drip Irrigation and Fertigation" and will be the last topic for the morning program.

The afternoon session will include crop specifics for producers of field crops such as melons or peanuts and for permanent crops like pecans. Producers will be able to get specific application questions answered in this session so that they can go away from the seminar with plans for drip irrigation use in their own farm situation.

Speakers for the Drip Irrigation Seminar include drip/micro irrigation engineers as well as Robin Franks, Research and Development Engineer, Netafim, Inc.

Makes plans now to attend the seminar Thursday, January 12.

## Local Host Families Needed For Exchange Program

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs (ASSE) is seeking local families for boys and girls from Scandinavia, France, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Germany, Holland, Britain, Poland, the Newly Independent States of the former Soviet Union, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Switzerland, Mexico, Brazil, Japan, Canada, Australia and New Zealand, 15 to 18 years of age, coming to this area for the upcoming high school year. These personable and academically select exchange students speak English, are bright, curious and anxious to learn about this country through living as part of a family, attending high school and sharing their own culture and language with their newly adopted host family.

The students are sponsored by ASSE, a nonprofit, public benefit organization, founded by the Swedish Ministry of Education. ASSE also cooperates with the Canadian Provincial Ministries of Education and is approved by the Australian and New Zealand Departments of Education. ASSE is the only organization with these credentials.

The exchange students arrive from their home country shortly before school begins and return at the end of the school year. Each ASSE student is

fully insured, brings his or her own personal spending money and expects to bear his or her own share of household responsibilities, as well as being included in normal family activities and lifestyle.

The students are well screened and qualified by ASSE. Families may select the youngsters of their choice from extensive student applications, family photos and biographical essays. Students and families are encouraged to begin corresponding prior to the student's arrival.

ASSE is also seeking local high school students to become ASSE exchange students abroad. Students should be between 15 and 18 years old and interested in living with a host family, attending school and learning about the lands and people of the countries listed above. Students should have a good academic record and desire to experience another culture through living with a warm and giving volunteer family. Academic year or shorter vacation programs are available.

Those persons interested in obtaining more information about becoming a host family or becoming an exchange student should contact ASSE's local representative Eula Miears at 817-734-2517 or call 1-800-473-0696.

## Stenholm Introducing Bipartisan Legislation

Washington, D.C. — Continuing his long-standing efforts to address deficit spending, Representative Charles Stenholm (D-TX) has joined with Rep. Dan Schaefer (R-CO) in introducing bipartisan legislation, H.J. Res 28, calling for a Constitutional Amendment requiring a balanced federal budget. H.J.

Res. 28 was introduced with 138 original cosponsors and, if ratified, would be the 28th amendment to the U. S. Constitution.

"Nothing is more important to the futures of our children and grandchildren than for our nation to put its fiscal house in order," said Stenholm. "Passage of the Balanced Budget Amendment by the Congress, and ratification by the States, are necessary first steps toward this end."

Identical companion legislation, S.J. Res. 1, was introduced in the Senate by Majority Leader Robert Dole (R-KS), as well as Senators Paul Simon (D-IL) and Larry Craig (R-ID). In 1994, the Senate version was defeated by four votes, while the House version was defeated by 12 votes.

"The House and Senate bills represent consensus agreements reached by both Republicans and Democrats over the past decade," noted Stenholm. "At a time when so many are highlighting conflicts between the two political parties, I am pleased to help lead a bipartisan, bicameral effort for the fiscal future of this country."

The amendment would require the President to submit a balanced budget for each fiscal year, and would require three-fifths approval of both Houses of Congress to increase the national debt. Increasing taxes would require a "Constitutional majority," meaning 218 votes in the House and 51 votes in the Senate. The amendment could be waived during a war or a military conflict declared by Congress.

### Eula 42, Gorman 38

Girls  
Eula 14 15 9 4-42  
Gorman 6 16 11 5-38  
Eula — Davis 2, Favor 3, Faircloth 12, Adams 2, Smith 4, Jones 9, Bradshaw 4, Roberts 2, Pearson 2, Lane 2.  
Gorman — K. Scitern 2, Pack 5, Eaves 3, Campbell 9, Sharp 10, Jobe 1, Guthery 8.  
Records — Eula 1-1, Gorman 0-1.  
JV score — Eula 45, Gorman 31.

### Eula 45, Gorman 42

Boys  
Eula 14 15 9 7-45  
Gorman 8 12 12 10-42  
Eula — Russell 9, Smith 18, Sanders 8, Wilson 2, Surdlovic 8.  
Gorman — Snider 2, Guthery 8, R. Majors 12, Posey 15, D. Majors 2, Herrera 3.  
Records — Eula 2-0, Gorman 0-1.



By Janet Thomas & Davy Vestal

### 4-H SCHOLARSHIP WORKSHOP SLATED FOR JANUARY 18TH

The Texas 4-H Foundation provides the largest youth scholarship program in the nation. This year there will be some 100 scholarships awarded which range from \$500 to \$1500. All 4-Hers should take advantage of this scholarship opportunity program...but preparation should begin 5 to 6 years in advance of applying for a scholarship.

A Scholarship Workshop will be conducted on Wednesday, January 18th at 6 p. m. in the Courthouse Conference Room on the first floor.

Parents are urged to attend this training with your 4-Her. IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND, YOU MUST PRE-REGISTER NO LATER THAN JANUARY 11TH. A Scholarship Packet will be prepared for those families that pre-register. This training will be conducted by Janet Thomas.

Scholarship applications are due in the County Office no later than March 1st.

### 4-H COUNCIL TO MEET ON JANUARY 18TH

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the 4-H Council will be on Wednesday, January 18th from 5 to 6 p. m. in the Courthouse Conference Room on the first floor.

Plans will be finalized for the end of year trip!!! The program will be "4-H Opportunities for You in 1995".

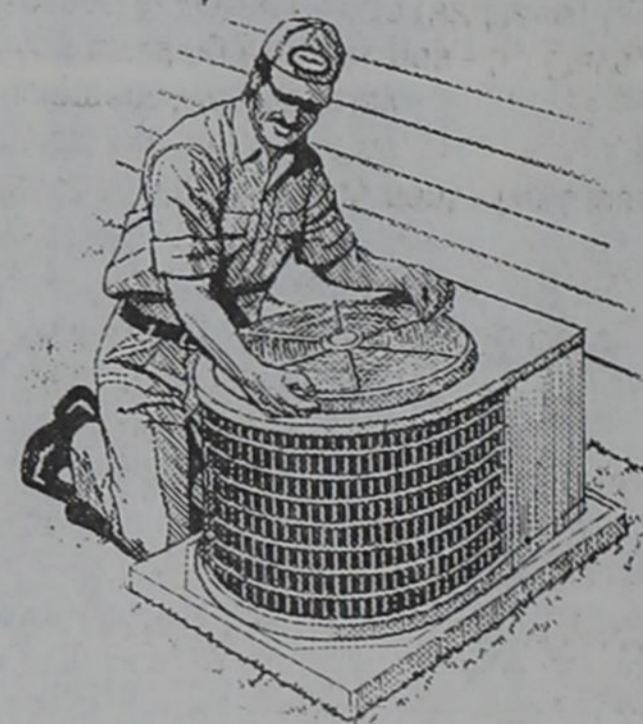
### Seniors To Sell Community Cookbooks

The Gorman High School Senior Class of Gorman, Tx will soon be sponsoring a fundraising drive. They will be selling community cookbooks which will feature recipes from contributors of Gorman and the surrounding area. The price of the cookbooks will be \$6.00 each. Order several.

These community cookbooks make great keepsakes and gift ideas. The sponsoring group is anticipating a great demand for these books. They ask that you reserve your books now to guarantee yourself cookbooks. The cookbooks go on sale February 1, 1995. You may purchase them from any Senior.

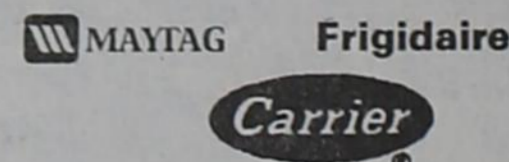
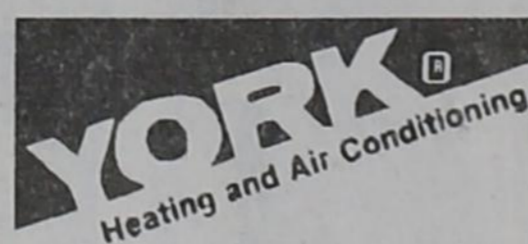
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