

EXCEDRIN HEADACHE NUMBER 25 - - (left to right) Kem Miller as Coach Pennywinner, Gail Swift as Peggy Pennywinner. Cast members not shown are Ricky Simmons and Tomm Willikerson

HELP ME MAKE IT THROUGH THE NIGHT - -

Walker, and Kem Miller.

(left to right) Brian Haun, Mary Harbin, Steve

Thursday, January 29, 1976

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> Eastland, Texas 76448 Today's Center For Tomorrow's Future! 10° EACH

Tickets At Door For Jr. Play Thursday At 7:30

'They Run In Our Family" will be presented tonight, January 29, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be sold at the door--adults \$1.00 and students 50c. Directing the Junior Play is Larry

The Eastland Independent School District Board of Trus-

tees has been given the benefit

of the early preliminary think-

Facility Utilization Plan

Juniors participating in the play are: Kem Miller, Karen Plowman, Donna Trout, Gail Swift, Tommy Williamson, Larry Mahaney, Sylvester Wilson, Ronnie Pinkerton, Rickey Sim-

zation by its engineering firm.

by the firm, the board, in

conjunction with the administration, staff and the public will

make decisions on directions and approaches in its contin-

uing efforts to provide the best facilities possible for Eastland public school youngsters.

Jim Booher of the engineering firm of B.G.& R. appeared before the board Monday

evening, and discussed the pre-

liminary thinking of his firm, to

compare with the thinking of

the board members. The

common goal is to utilize and

modernize for the longest

period of use at the most

economical and expedient man-

The firm has surveyed the existing buildings and Mr.

Booher had blueprints of the

facilities, as well as school

population figures, with trends

n several directions plotted.

Work will be correlated with this in mind, it was pointed out.

An idea that is being con-

sidered, among others, is the addition of building space

between the existing high school (built in 1926) and the

Junior High School (built in

1929). Into this new section

would go school offices, a new

cafeteria-lunchroom, rest

rooms, possible science labora-

tories on the second floor.

Movement of these facilities out

of the present high school would

offer more classroom space

there, and if the Sixth Grade

were_moved to the Junior High

building, crowding at the

present Elementary School -

Mr. Booher emphasized that

Trustees asked that the firm

offer all the alternates possible,

so that when decision-making

time comes, the best choices

presided and trustees present

were Bill B. Hart, Gene Frost

Mr. Booher will meet Thurs-

day with school principals and

other school officials to get their

input for the initial planning

period. Final report and recom-

mendations are due in about 60

In other business, the board

called election for April 3, when

the terms of Gene Frost (place

six) and James Reid (place

seven) expire. Both have filed

as follows: Don Nicholas, Nancy

Trout. Don Phillips. Rex Dick

Election judges were named

Board President James Reid

the present buildings are struc-

turally sound and definitely

would be cut down.

may be made.

and John Neville.

for re-election

and Ruth O'Dell.

From this data as it is offered

mons, Cynthia Pinkerton, Janet Frost, Elizabeth England, Mary Jane Harbin, Betty Britt, Beth Parker, April Adams, Steve Walker, David Elliott, Sandi Alldredge and Brian Haun.

Gourley, Bobby Brown, Terry Simmons, Jimmy Sharp and

Helping with make-up are Jessie Jiminez and Kathi Hendricks.



Deputy Jim Williams points to a bullet hole where shots were fired at the Exxon Station early Tuesday

Man Shot In Station Robbery, Suspects Still At Large

and locally, a mystery woman

to investigate. It is possible of course that immediately.

leads "that we can say anything about".

of Cisco, remained in "critical, but stable" condition Wednesday in the intensive care unit of Eastland Memorial Hospital, according to a hospital spokesman.

Fallin. Sancillo had stopped to check was reported, Fallin said.

"while he was able", Harris related details of the robbery incident to Sancillo, who transported Harris to the hospital.

Harris apparently was attacked by the two men when he was recording their California license number of their pink or red Cadillac on a \$3.70 credit card receipt, according to the station owner

to give a description of the assailants or obtain their license number because he was struck on the head and pulled down an interior hallway to a restroom where he was shot.

Over Coleman Tuesday Nite The Mavericks dropped a che. The Comanche Maidens are in first place so it's a crucial one for the Mavettes.

Leading the Mavettes in the

scoring department were: Jill

Price-16; Cynthia Pinkerton-22;

Donna Crabtree-14; Kelly

DO YOU MEAN BEFORE OR AFTER the porch

swing tackled him? - - (left to right) Betty Britt as

Mitzi Jones, Ronnie Pinkerton as "Spook" Mullins,

Mavettes Win, Mavericks Lose

and Beth Parker as Dimple Dillard.

notch and the Mavettes advanced in District 9-AA competition in the local gym Tuesday evening as the Coleman Bluecats teams were visitors. The Mavettes won, 54-34,

and the Mavericks lost, 52-40. The Coleman Junior Varsity beat the locals, 48-46 in a close

The Mavettes were never behind, and not hold a 7-1 in district with a really bigger on tap Friday night when the

Jesse I. Encke

Buried Following

Monday Services

Services for Jesse I. Encke, 79

of Lake Leon, who died at 6:43

p.m. Saturday at Ranger

General Hospital, were held Monday at First United Me-

The Rev. Jack Hopkins.

pastor, officiated. Burial was at

4:30 p.m. Monday in Elmwood

Memorial Park in Abilene,

directed by Killingsworth Fun-

eral Home in Ranger. Born Feb. 27, 1896, in Big

Spring, he lived in Strawn from

1919 to 1968. In 1968, he moved

He was retired president of

the Strawn National Bank and

had worked at the bank from

He married the former Zadie

Lee Edwards Jan. 23, 1921, in

Weatherford. He attended

Simmons College and served in

the Army Air Corps in World

He was a member of First

United Methodist of Strawn.

Strawn Masonic Lodge, Scottish

Rite Masonic Bodies, York Rite

Masonic Bodies, Cross Timbers

Shrine Club of Eastland County,

Moslah Temple Shrine of Fort

Worth and Long Cedar Country

Survivors include his wife; two

daughters, Mrs. MacD.(Jo

Ruth) King of Dallas and Mrs.

Edward H. (Margaret) Hamil-

ton of 748 Westwood, Abilene; two brothers, Wilburn M. of

Dallas and Luther M. of Roby:

three sisters, Mrs. Lillian Terry

of Longworth, Mrs. Gaylon

(Ollie) Hulsey of Clyde and

Mrs. Kidd (Ruth) Waddell of

Roby) six grandchildren; and a

great grandchild.

to Lake Leon.

1919 to 1968.

War I.

thodist Church in Ranger.

Playing good defense again for the Mavettes were Jan Maynard, Sandy Allredge and Emily Perkins.

Jill Price and Cynthia Pinkerton are the leading Mavette scorers--leading the rebound department is Jan Maynard.

BOYS

Coleman-Holloway 6, Marcee 6, Payne 22, Brown 2, Carrillo 8, Johnson 2, Hargett 6; Totals 21

Eastland-Boles 5, Johnson 12, Hahn 1, Warton 10, Wilson 1, Mahan 11; Totals 16 8 40. Coleman 13 13 12 14 - 52 Eastland 10 14 8 8-40

GIRLS Eastland 18 14 8 14-54 Coleman 8 2 11 11-32

To Meet Jan. 29

Attention Parents, Cub Scouts and Welbloes. A pack meeting will be held tonight, January 29, at 7 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church. An Honor Banner will be awarded the den with the most boys and families present. Parents are urged to

attend. **Loaning Radio**

Eastland County Commissioners Monday approved the loaning of a radio transmitter and receiver to a group of rural fire fighters.

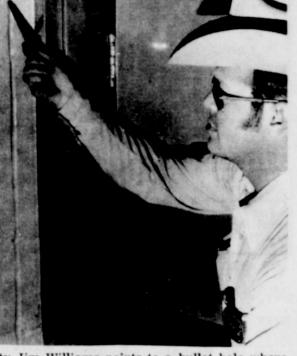
The equipment is to be used in the new rural fire truck.

Weekend visitors of Rev. and Mrs. A.C. Harbin were their daughter, Mrs. Maxine Gressett and Jodie of Midland, their grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hardin and Shane and Gary Hardin of Abilene and Norman

Hardin of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wheeler of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Hile of Dallas were visiting Mrs. Joe Tow during the weekend.

Mrs. Katte Meredith of Strawn and son Edgar Mendith of Fort Worth spent Friday with her sister, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy HITTSON.



pistol was used in the shooting

Harris has been employed at

the Exxon station for about a

The Eastland Public School

System is now offering reduced-

rate lunch programs for those

families who are entitled to such

consideration. The system has

gram for a number of years for

Details of requirements may

be obtained from the school

office and/or school principals.

Eligible students may qualify

for lunches at a reduced rate of

Ken Reese, Rotary President

was in charge of the noon

program Monday. He had a

slide-tape program on the four

avenues of Rotary service

entitled the "Most Important

February 2, Bob Boudreaux

has the program and will have

FULLEN

Joe Hanna as the speaker.

operated the free lunch pro-

Reduced Rate On

Lunch Program

Eastland police said.

month, Fallin said.

those eligible.

20 cents each.

Slides Shown

Statewide, two Negroes in a red Cadillac are being sought, is being sought to help in identifying suspects in the early Tuesday armed robbery of an Eastland service station during which the attendant was

Sheriff L.E. Sublett said the woman who called the Radio Dispatch reporting that "terrible accident" at the Exxon Station east of town, is urgently requested to contact his office so that she might help in the search for the suspects. Her identify will be protected, he said. The Dispatch in turn summoned Police Sgt. Ben Sancillo who went to the station

the mystery woman was a transient who happened upon the scene, saw the injured man, called for help, and then left

Sheriff Sublett said Wednesday morning there were no

Weldon W. Harris, about 50,

Harris was shot in the head and through the right shoulder by two black men who fled the scene with \$178.21 between 4:00 and 4:15 a.m. Tuesday, said service station owner Billy

the station, located about a mile east of Eastland off Interstate 20, at about 3:45 a.m. and returned to town. He went back to the station about 40 milutes later when the robbery

A .32 - caliber automatic

MOTOR CO. PUNCH LINE OF THE WEEK Gentleman: One whose mental processes are so slow that he is unable to do or say the wrong thing at the right time.

Sheriff Sublett said that Fallin said Harris was unable

De Gordon, County Agent, with 4 - H members planting the Liberty Tree at the City Park.

Larry Mahaney as Alvin Pennywinner, Sylvester Wilson as Seymour, Donna Trout as Pat Pennywinner, and Ronnie Pinkerton'as "Spook" Mullins

WHETHER ON THE ATHLETIC FIELD of combat.

or the gridiron of life - - 1,2.1,2 (from left to right)

seen the worse of the energy crisis," State Rep. Joe Hanna told members of the Eastland Lions Club at their regular luncheon meeting Tuesday at the Ramada Inn.

Speaking about research. surveys and a recent trip to the Alaskan pipeline operation. Rep. Hanna told the Lions that there are many experts, but no

"Maybe, just maybe, we've single "overall expert" in the sources.

Program Chairman Tom

energy field and efforts are underway to correlate the vast amount of data and knowledge

proaches to energy fuel

in order to take the right ap-Ward introduced Rep. Hanna

noting that he is chairman of the House Energy Resources Committee (the first) and a

Brag Corner

GARY & NANCY BEGGS

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Beggs GRANDPARENTS:

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Wilson Mrs. John Beggs

Rep. Joe Hanna Speaks To Lions Club On Energy Crisis

IMPORTANT BUSINESS, HUH? - - (left to right

seated) April Adams as Mrs. Allen, Gail Swift as

Peggy Pennywinner, Sandy Alldredge as Midge.

(standing left to right) David Elliot as Dr. Paul

Andrews, Janet Frost as Mrs. Speer, Liz England as

Josie, Larry Duncan is director

Regional Energy Committee. of Texas, Los Alamos, N.M.,

for Corpus Christi Bay. It's a gigantic industrial problem, he said, and with the federal override through ERTA, it's kinda like "re inventing the wheel", with so many going in so many directions, but hopefully, maybe we have reached the peak in increasing utility

maybe there'll be a leveling. In Texas, we're the largest producer of natural gas, but then, too, we're the biggest users, he said. He complimented the Texas Utilities Co. for doing a fine job in seeking alternate fuel sources. They've got three lignite plants in operation; seven proposed and a nuclear power plant

Describing his visit to the Alaskan pipeline, he emphasized that it's being done under extreme conditions (cold) and that it holds bright hope for additional fuel.

member of the Southwest

There are 19 solar research projects underway at schools and universities in Texas, he explained and nuclear research is underway at the University and at OakRidge, Tenn. Geothermal Energy research is being done in New Mexico and a major test is set this summer

prices. There'll probably never again be "cheap utilities", but

under construction.

Supt. Ray Pruitt and board members were to attend an important state education meeting in Abilene Wednesday when the most significant state tax evaluation plan will be explained in detail. **Funeral Services For**

> To Be Thursday Eula M. (Ayers) Shamburger, 87, of Eastland, died at 3:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Cisco Nursing Center after a short illness. Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Arrington

Memorial Chapel in Eastland. The Rev. Haston Brewer. pastor of First Baptist Church. will officiate. Burial will be in Eastland Cemetery.

Mrs. Shamburger

Survivors include a sister, Juanita McDougal of Houston; two brothers, F.C. Bratcher of Glen Rose and Hubart Bratcher of Lubbock.

> Insurance Fair With High Near 60.

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1--Electric Fence Charger-

\$--12'-9" Creosoted Post--\$8 2--14'5" Creosoted Posts at

\$12 each--\$24. 1--Post Puller--\$50 10--Sacks Sacrete Cement at

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FOR SALE - - 30 gallon electric water heater; piano that needs repair; old gas cook stove; school bus seats. Call 817 - 734 - 2378. t- 10

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WANT TO GIVE AWAY -- a cute gray and white, part poodle, female puppy. She is 2½ months old. May be seen at 401 S. Neblett or call 629-1612. t-tf

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WANTED TO BUY -- Com post mill. Call collect Strawn 672-5664. Ask for Mr. Frank. t-17

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were stolen. In the spring of

1974, our meeting place was

broken into and over \$80 worth

of supplies were stolen and the

girls Mothers Day projects

were smashed all over the

floor. Now our door has been

kicked in several times, but

these two times are the only

times things have been stolen.

All of these times were

Breaking and Entering; only

one time was Theft over Fifty

Dollars. The people responsible

for all of this evidently have no

respect for property or possessions of others. Now if

people are not punished for

these smaller crimes, what is to

keep them from stealing bigger

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more damage than our human being citizens have done. The Park is a great place to have meetings with young people. Our girls enjoy meeting there. We go on hikes and enjoy looking at the trees and plants we have. And among the broken beer bottles there are always pretty rocks to find.

businesses. I understand this,

but what I will never un-

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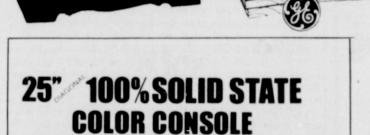
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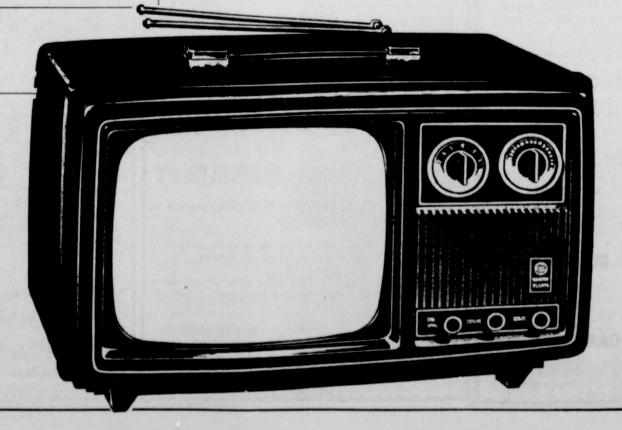
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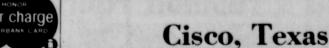
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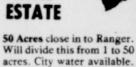
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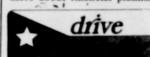
What's going to happen to peanut production in Eastland County if the peanut program is lost? Can the peanut farmer stay in business? These and other important questions will be discussed by Dr. Bill Black Monday night, February 2, at Gorman High School.

Needs For Peanut And Livestock Production To Be Topic At Meet

Planning financial needs for peanut and livestock production will be the topic of a two-night workshop in Gorman Tuesday and Wednesday night, Feb. 3 and 4. The workshop will be held in the Gorman High School lunchroom and will begin at 7:00 p.m. each night.

County Agent De Gordon said James Denton, Area Economist-Management for the Extension Service will conduct the workshop. The agent said farmers have had to make changes in methods of farming and type of machinery used. Now it is becoming more important that farmers do a good job of planning their financial needs because of increased cost of production. The workshop will teach growers how they make an annual operating budget and credit plan and how to fill out loan

applications. The workshop is open to any growers interested in learning nore about financial planning.



Dr. Black is a marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M University. County Agent De Gordon said the meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Gorman High School Auditorium. Dr. Black will discuss alternative actions the peanut grower can take to maintain a market for his peanuts.

He is associate coordinator of the Texas Agricultural Market Research and Development Center and conducts educational programs in marketing for various commodity groups throughout the state.

Anyone who has an interest in the future of peanut production should attend this meeting, Gordon said.

Gorman Roping Club Holds Meet

Officers and Directors of the Gorman Roping Club met Saturday night Jan.24 in the Directors room at South Western Peanut Growers Assn.

Plans call for Jackpot Roping to begin early in April. Runt Sloan, New Castle, Texas met with the group. Hewill be producer of the Third Annual Peanut Junior Rodeo which will be held July 1,2 and 3 at the Gorman Roping Arena. Officers for 1976: president-Larrow Morrow; secretary-Marcil Laminack: treasurer-Jerri Brown; directors are: Fred Rogers, Corkey Brown, Charles

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The club program leaders will present the programs next month. Leaders attending the training workshop conducted by Mrs. Janet Thomas, Extension Agent, were: Mrs. Willis Parker, Pleasant Hill H.D. Club: Mrs. Henry Parsons, Eastland H.D. Club; Mrs. Mary Stephens and Mrs. Etta Judia, Lake Cisco H.D. Club; Mrs. Ernest Schaefer, Word H.D. Club; and Mrs. Bernice Tankersley, Morton Valley H.D. Club

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493 Cities Mailed Checks In Jan.

Comptroller Bob Bullock mailed checks totalling \$11.4 million in city sales tax to 493 cities and towns during January. He announced a cooperative effort between his office and cities to collect the hotel occupancy tax.

Cisco received \$2,419.01 as net payment to City while Eastland received \$3,251.24. Gorman didn't receive any money while Ranger received \$2,682.50 and Rising Star received nothing.

17 File For County Election

Seventeen have filed for County election as of January 27, according to County Democratic Chairman Mrs. Mary Bailey. The Democratic Primary will be May 1, 1976. Filing deadline is Monday, February

Earl Conner Jr., has filed for District Judge; Nancy Trout has filed for Tax Assessor Collector; and John A. Ingram has filed for an unexpired term of Justice of Peace in Precinct 5.

Those who have filed for Sheriff are: Ronnie (R.B.) White, Louis Hollywood, Johnnie W. Morren, and Benny Moselev

Constable Justice filings are: William (Bill) Hunter, precinct 1; J.W. Vinson, precinct 2; Jesse Brown, precinct 2; Rodney Davlin, precinct 2; E.M. (Buddy) Turner, precinct 3; N.D. Chancellor, precinct 3; W.H. (Hamp) Kornegay, precinct 3; and S.E. Parkinson, precinct 4.

Danny Woods has filed for County Commissioner for Precinct 1; and L.T. Owen has filed for County Commissioner for Precinct 3



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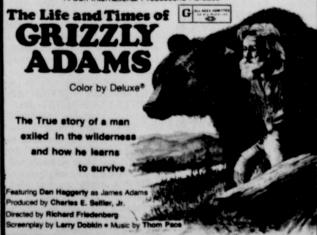
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.: Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting 7400 p.m. Sunday: Cora Davis Prayer Group 9:30 a.m. Wednesday; Choir Practice Wednesday 7:30

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Rev. E.D. Norman Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

SERVICES NORTH OSTROM ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST

H.S. Lewis

Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening Wednesday Night Service, 7:30 Worship 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday p.m.; Ladies Prayer Meeting Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Daily Pray Service Monday

> FIRST BAPTIST Rev. Haston Brewer Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Training Union 6:15 p.m.

SOUTHSIDE PENTECOSTAL 107 New Stree.

A.J. Woodard Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Midweek Service, 7:30 p.m. Thursday

BETHEL BAPTIST Rev. Paul Edwards, Pastor unday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Training Union 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 7:00

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH Claude Harris, Pastor

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30. Sunday Evening Worship :00. Wednesday Evening Worship 7:00. All denominations welcome to study and worship with us.

> **OLDEN CHURCHES** BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Howard Meeker Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service

> OLDEN CHURCH OF CHRIST Damon Smith

Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship, 5:00 p.m. FLATWOOD

CHURCH OF CHRIST Wilkie E. Moore

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m

CARBON CHURCHES CARBON FIRST BAPTIST

Rev. Delbert Smith, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.: Training Union, 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 8:00

CHURCH OF CHRIST Jack Landrum sunday School 10:00 a.m.;

Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.; Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Worship 7:30

FIRST UNITED METHODIST Rev. C.C. Shultz Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. MANGUM BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. A.J. Thomas

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Training Union 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.: Wednesday Evening Worship

7:30 p.m. FULL GOSPEL CHURCH [Charismatic] Claude Harris, Pastor

Sunday School (from nursery through adults) 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.; Evening Services for young people 7:00 p.m.; Regular Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome

a visit which Jesus Christ made to these peole shortly after his resurrection. Many biblical **Tot Kindergarten**

Has Busy Month

Tot Kindergarten.

the 'Pledge'

nice and large.

diamond.

her curtains.

January, 1976, has been a very busy month at the Green

We have a new pupil. His name is Forrest Peacock. He is

working hard trying to get

caught up with the others who

have been here since October,

1975. He was presented with an

American Flag from the Ladies

Auxiliary of the VFW. Mrs.

Ruth Aston presented to the

Kindergarteners. Forrest got to

hold the flag while we all said

Susan Tankersley presented

the Kindergarten with a lovely

large calendar from American

Cyanamid Company - - which

we are using to learn the days

of the week and the months of

the year. It has 1975 - - 1976 - -

1977 on it and the numbers are

We are learning to make and

associate objects of size; like

circle, triangle, rectangle,

square, oval, star, heart and

We presented Mrs. Finley

with a gift for all the extra nice

things she does for us. She said

the six mugs would just match

Mr. Lloyd Armstrong, 200 S.

Oaklawn notified us that the

lovely colored and black and

white Christmas pictures are

ready. The parents are to call

629 - 1677 to learn the size and

price and pick them up and pay

for them when he can give you

an appointment to do so. Please

We say our Kindergarten

Pledge together: I will not

drink - - BOOZE), I will not

smoke - - I will not use drugs.

We discuss the harm and

dangers in all three things.

Mrs. Green suggests all

parents read 'What Smoking

Does to Women' in January,

1976 Readers Digest. Men Also.

Cancer is a very serious thing.

It may take years to show up in

A prayer we enjoy saying

together is: Thank you for the

world so sweet - - Thank you

for the food we eat - - Thank

you for the birds that sing - -

Thank you God for everything.

Then the Tots add many things

they are happy and thankful

Band and game time brings

Tammy Lyerla served the

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Holloway

many smiles and happy faces.

Tots 'Tom's Oatmeal Cakes'.

honored their daughter Jayna

on her fifth birthday January

26. with beautiful cupcakes

with pink roses and green

leaves on white served with

punch and bright Hallmark

napkins. The cupcakes were

made by Mrs. Fred Brown. The

group sang 'Happy Birthday

Dear Jayna' and she blew out a

special candle. Jayna brought

her picture of the Christmas

party taken in the living room

by Lloyd Armstrong. The

bright colors and happy faces

are nice. Each tot was holding

Tammy Lyerla's parents

have requested the Valentine

party to be held Feb. 11, on

Wednesday. A Valentine Post

Office will be made here and

each child may bring a penny

valentine for each child. Just

We all enjoy cutting, pasting,

Parents, please see to it that

coloring and sharing together.

your child does not bring things

to Kindergarten in the pockets.

It disturbs them and others.

Please no c gun, candy toys,

etc. Cough drops and kleenex

We will see you all Monday,

Ferne Green

Rebekah's Install New Officers Monday

February 2, with bright shiny

sign FROM, not to.

his American flag proudly.

our children.

call Mr. Armstrong.

Emory Walton

Elected President

Of Civic Theatre

Emory Walton was elected

president of the Eastland Civic

Theatre Sunday afternoon at a

meeting of the Board of

Directors in the home of the

theatre's director, Mrs. Virginia

elected a new director and was

also elected vice-president. The

late Carl Garrett formerly

served on the Board on this

Dan Childress, president for

the past two years, presided

over the meeting. Other officers

elected were Mrs. Tom Wilson.

secretary: James Reid, trea-

surer; and Mrs. Jack Germany,

by they will retire after a four

year term, three each year, was

instigated for the purpose of

providing greater representa-

tion on the Board from the

An annual membership mee-

ting was set for Sunday,

February 1. It will begin

promptly at 2 p.m. at Bell Hurst

Theatre with Walton presiding.

sion, plans will be made for the

spring production. Try-outs will

begin as will the work of

organizing for production. This

will include naming crews for

costumes, make-up and stage

Everyone interested in the

Annual dues of \$1.00 per year

Directors attending the mee-

ting were Childress, Walton,

Reid, Ralph Stevens and Mmes.

Don Pierson, Bob Phillips,

Seaberry, Wilson, Germany,

Other directors, unable to

attend, were Don Nicholas.

Richard Rossander and Don

To Celebrate

N.F.H.A. Week

tion Week at Carbon.

The Carbon High School

America will celebrate

Chapter, Future Homemakers

National Future Homemakers of

America Week, Feb. 1-7, by

sponsoring Teacher Apprecia-

members will do something

Rhonda Tucker is the chairman

for planning the Monday

activity. Working with Rhonda

will be Nelda Kanady and Gwen

Carlton. Tuesday's chairman is

Kim Rodgers. Kim's commit-

tee is Julia Stacy, Denise

Chambers and Deborah Bryant.

Planning the activity for

Wednesday is Fran Duncan

Chairman, Renae Pack, Avis

Newman, Candi Bryant and

Lisa Norris. The Home and

Family Living class, with Quona

Newman serving as chairman,

Lee Wood, Wallace McDaniel

and Ronnie Barton are planning

Week activities and National

FHA Week, Homemaking III

students. Terri Wood chairman,

JoAnn Foley, Quona Newman

and Charlene Harle are plan-

To end Teacher Appreciation

Thursday's activity.

ning the activity.

special for the teachers.

Each school day Carbon FHA

may be paid at the meeting.

work of the theatre is invited,

After a brief business ses-

A rotation of directors where-

Mrs. V.T. Seaberry Jr., was

Russell.

capacity.

reporter.

membership.

carpentry.

and Russell.

Mrs. Russell said.

Americans to have been the other sheep" which Christ spoke of in the gospel of John (John 10:14-16). These ancient Americans are ancestors to the American Indians of today. The Elders message coincides with the American Indians legends of a "great, white, bearded, who visited the Indians fore-fathers anciently. This nessage is taken from the Book



The Book of Mormon is history of the ancient Americans as it was written by their ophets and leaders. The Book Mormon came forth in fulfillment of the prophecy as made by Ezekial in the Old Testament. Ezekial's prophecy stated that there would be two records, a stick of Judah and a stick of Joseph. The stick of Judah is the Bible, the stick of Joseph is the Book of Mormon. (Ezekial 37:15-20). TheBook of Mormon takes its name from the ancient prophet Mormon who compiled these records in the America's about 400 years after Christ. To find out more about the Book of Morman and where it came from, contact the Elders at 629-8247 before 9:30 DISCOVER AMERICA IN 76 READ THE BOOK OF MORMON!

Annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale Starts Thursday At 4

The annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale starts at 4 p.m. on the afternoon of January 29. The cookies sell for \$1.25 per box and come in five flavors this year. They have added the Lemon Creme to the list which includes Savannah (peanut butter). Scot tea, Oxford Creme, and Mint.

The Gorman Community Girl Scout Troops will be in Eastland at times during the week of the cookie sale. The sale ends February 7.

Your help in getting these girls over their goal will be greatly appreciated. This money helps the girls in their own troop as well as Campership Certificates, patches for selling and other overall

Eastland Rebekah's install new officers Monday night 7:30 p.m. at the Rebekah Hall, 300 N. Lamar St. A beautiful installation cere-

mony was presided over by District Deputy President-Mary Frances Cope, Grand Marshall Dorothy Awalt. Past Noble Grand Mary Maphfey and Past Vice Grand May Woods, Musician Mildred Armstrong. Carrie Harlow acted as Chaplain to give the honors, May Woods pinned the jewel of the

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Past Noble Grand on the outgoing Noble Grand Lula Mae Basham. Three received ferfect attendance pins--Mary Maphfey, May Woods and Lula Mae Basham. Each member received a 6 inch Golden Rule book marker and officers in various offices received gifts of appreciation for work during the

Officers elected and installed Noble Grand Esther Mae Jumper, N.G. Right Support Carrie Harlow, L.S.N.G. Juanita Massengale, Vice Grand Ethel Rowch, R.S.V.G.Mary Maphfey, L.S.V.G. Georgia Walter, Secretary Doroth -Awalt, Treasurer May Woods,

Appointed officers: Musician Lula Mae Basham, Color Bearer Olive Underwood, Warden -Kaye Allsobrook, Conductor Mary Frances Cope, Chaplain Bessie McCollum, Jr. Past Noble Grand Lula Mae Basham, Door Guardians Mary Sue Steddum and Miles Awalt.

Americana By Charles Crowder

OUR OWN SEVEN WONDERS The pyramids of Egypt topped the list of the seven wonders of the Ancient World. And, believe it or not, the Golden Gate Bridge ranks first among the seven man-made wonders of the U.S.

It was the finding of an official poll conducted by the U.S. Travel Service of the Department of Commerce to determine the constructions in the United States with the greatest tourist appeal. The travel agency representatives who took the national poll drew 539 votes for 106 different attractions. No voter came up with all seven, and only three named six.

According to the Visit U.S.A. Newsletter, the Golden Gate Bridge was voted No. 1. Built in 1937, the 4,200 ft. suspension bridge spanning the narrows of San Francisco Bay has long been considered one of the most beautiful structures in the world.

The other six man-made beauties of our country, as noted in the Newsletter, were: Mount Rushmore National

Monument in South Dakota. The Astrodome, Houston, the great sports and convention complex built in 1965 which opened a whole new world for sports-minded Americans"

The Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor. The "Lady with the Torch" was given to the United States by the French people to epitomize the spirit of America. It has also been the symbol of freedom for millions of refugees since 1886.

Hoover Dam., Arizona-Nevada. Completed in 1936, the multi-purpose dam on the Colorado River is 726 feet high and 2,224 feet long.

Disney World, the great amusement theme park at Lake Buena Vista, Florida.

Gateway Arch, St. Louis. Rising some 750 feet at the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial on the banks of the Mississippi River, it is a testimony to St. Louis's past and to the modern spirit of imagination and development.

Following among the other seven in popularity were Disney land, the Empire State Building. Washington Monument, and the U.S. Interstate Highway System.

This poll of man-made wonders will soon be followed by one to ascertain America's likes in natural wonders.

Incidentally, the pyramids are the only survivors of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. The others have all been destroyed by either time or man. They included the Statue of Zeus at Olympia, Greece; the Hanging Gardens of Babylon; the Temple of Artemus of Ephesus; the Mausoleum at Halicarnassus, the Colossus of Rhodes, and the great light house of Pharos at Alexandria.

FARM NEWS AS DAIRY COWS PRODUCING MORE MILK-Dairy production

has increased in Texas in recent years, thanks to careful attention given to herd management and record keeping which are a major part of the Dairy Herd Improvement (DHI) program. From 1961 to the present. annual milk production per cow has increased more than 3,600 pounds--or more than 424 gallons, says a dairy specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Also, butter -fat production has increased well over 100 pounds per cow. Despite these increases, only about 14 percent of the state's dairy cows are enrolled in DHI program.

BANKERS TO HEAR OF CHANGING ENVIRONMENTS -The changing environments of agricultural financing will be highlighted at the Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers at Texas A&M University, February 9-11. Speakers will discuss the changing political, market and financial environments as they will affect agricultural financing in the year ahead, points out an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The school will also feature special sessions on agricultural loans and on the outlook for livestock, cotton, grain and the money market.

EXTENSION SERVICE AP-POINTS ECONOMIST -- Dr. -Richard L. Trimble has joined the Texas Agricultural Extension Service as an economist in management. Trimble will be conducting educational programs dealing with all phases of farm and ranch management, with particular emphasis on increasing operating efficiency.

Trimble comes from the University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada, where he spent the past two years as an assistant professor of agricultural economics and extension education. He is a native of Missouri.





4-Hers and others plant Liberty Tree at City Park

CORN STILL TOP SWINE FEED--Corn still continues to be the most efficient feed for swine rations, according to research by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. However, the research shows that carcasses from sorghum-fed hogs are equal to those fed corn in pork yield, finish, lean-to-fat ratio, quality and firmness. Tests rated sorghum as having as average efficiency value of 96 percent compared to corn.

Commitment in a marriage implies the dimensions of time and continuity--time to get to know each other, share many experiences and meet challenges because of crises or longterm knowing and loving. Dorthy Taylor, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Kincaid's Real Estate Corner

HOUSES

3 bedroom frame home, living room, dining room, kitchen, utility area with washer, dryer, bath, newly panelled throughout, single car garage and storage, corner lot, offered completely furnished, new Spanish style living room suite with hide - abed, color TV, dining room furniture, Spanish style bedroom suite, one brass bed and chest, one set twin beds, stove, refrigerator and other misc. items, all included at the price of \$11,200.00.

Large 3 bedroom frame, large living and dining room combination, bath, garage, pecan trees, garden spot, large lot, located 115 Scurry St., Gorman. \$10,500.00. Consider Terms.

LAKE PROPERTY

1612 acres Possum Kingdom, 2200 ft. frontage, 6 lodges: Main lodge 2775 sq. ft. (2) 1352 sq. ft., (3) 1944 sq. ft. (4) 1640 sq. ft. (5) 1144 sq. ft., (6) 1066 sq. ft. Recreation bldg. 3600 sq. ft. All completely furnished, own water system, butane system, sewer system, boat dock boat launching ramp, all in good repair. For Sale or Trade.

24 acres of land Lake Leon, over 1400 ft. water frontage, road frontage on 3 sides, needs a developer. \$24000.00.

100 acres, 34 mile water frontage with 30 acres irrigated from wells, 1/4 mile highway frontage, pecans, deer and quail hunting, excellent building site. \$350.00 per acre.

260 acres approx. 11/2 miles water front, good house, out buildings, 34 mile highway frontage, pecans, 35 ac. cult. an excellent buy at \$325.00 per acre.

SMALL TRACTS OF LAND

31/2 acres highway frontage, trees, good building site, \$2000.00. 12 acres all coastal, 4 irrigation wells, outskirts of Anson. Also has hog sheds and farrowing set up, completely fenced and cross fenced with hog wire, will G.I. \$12000.00.

25 acres, creek bottom land, highway frontage, good tank

631/2 acres of land, secluded and rough, good grass, improved varieties sown, no minerals, good tank, excellent deer and bird hunting 34 mile off pavement, 6 miles from town. \$300.00 per acre.

Terms available, would consider G.I. plus cash.

Two 44 acre tracts that adjoin, tank water on both, highway frontage, not far out, good open grass land with scattered trees, city water possible. \$16000.00 each tract. G.I.

101 acres good improved native pasture, close in, some trees, some creek bottom, net fences, 2 good tanks, good deer and bird hunting. City water possible. \$375.00 per acre. Terms. 70 acres coastal, good net wire fences, 2 pastures, well, tank,

barns, close in. \$400.00 per acre. City water possible. 40 acres coastal, close in, good fences, \$400 per acre. Will take G.I. plus cash. City water possible.

36 acres brush land, close in, city water, excellent location, \$14,000.00. Will G.I. 107 acres, good fences, barns, south of Carbon, 2 tanks, one

well, 85 percent minerals, \$350.00 per acre 135 acres n.w. rising Star, several good water wells, some orchard, good peanut allotment, asking \$350.00 per acre, make us

an offer. On pavement. Financing available FARMS AND RANCHES

237 acres, excellent grass land, scattered clumps of live oaks, good highway frontage and excellent location, 2 tanks, city water possible, \$350.00 per acre, good terms can be arranged.

320 acres, highway frontage, 60 ac. cultivation, now in K.R. bluestem, creek, well, 4 tanks, good net wire fences, excellent terms can be arranged. \$325.00 per acre. 840 acres improved ranch, nice house, barns, corrals, several

pastures and traps, 3 wells, 8 tanks, 2 springs, good location, on pavement, good bird and deer hunting, fish in tanks, good net fences. \$350.00 per acre. Excellent terms.

1000 acres good grass land, 2 wells, 8 tanks, good net fences, no bldgs., pavement, good location, \$300.00 per acre. Excellent

650 acres rolling, semi open grass land, some bottom and river frontage, good fishing in river, pecans, several good tanks, 1 water well, 40 ac. coastal, 25 acres grain, excellent deer hunting, air strip, net wire fences, 2 houses, 35 miles from city limits Fort Worth \$350.00 per acre, excellent terms. 16 percent down balance to be arranged 81/2 percent interest.

1068 acres highly improved ranch located on Paluxy River, welded pipe corrals, landing strip and hangar, good barns, exceptionally nice 3500 sq. ft. home, 3 other houses, 80 acres coastal, 45 acres grain, excellent fishing, deer and bird hunting, 50 miles from downtown Fort Worth. \$600.00 per acre. Excellent terms. 15 percent down, balance to be arranged 8 percent interest.

We have for sale or trade large ranches, irrigated farms, all sizes anywhere in the Southwest. Also motels, office buildings, shopping centers, commercial property of all types. Contact us

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Carbon News

By Mrs. Bob Hastings

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The menu for the Carbon chool cafeteria for the week of February 2-6 will be as follows: Monday: Barbecued beef patties, pinto beans, slaw,

prownies, milk. Tuesday: Macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, carrots, cookies, milk

Thursday: Taco casserole, green beans, lettuce and tomato salad, cherry cobbler, milk Friday: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, chips or french fries, peaches, milk

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stokes visited Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Merritt of Moran last Saturday.

Mrs. Callie Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown were in Odessa Thursday to attend the funeral of Les Havnes.

Robbie Stuteville went to Fort

funeral of his uncle Mr. Stute-

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison of Kokomo were Sunday visitors with their mother, Mrs. Ethel

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lyon of Mason spent the weekend with Mrs. Nettie Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell, Mrs. Bill Newcomb, Mrs. Erra Byrd spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Compton of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Greer of Ranger and Mrs. Doyle Purvis of Strawn visited Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stokes Sun-

Sunday visitors of Mr. and

Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lyndell Worth Thursday to attend the

HOUSES

"New" 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with central air and heat. Home has a fireplace and is in an exclusive addition of Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath home with central air and heat. Located

on Seaman Street, \$16,800.00. Under construction, new 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home. Nice

corner lot Well financed

2 bedroom, 1 bath house on 2 lots, located in Olden. \$10,500.00. Nice 3 bedroom, 112 bath, home with large den, central air and heat, location is South Dixie.

Nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, carpeted, with central heat. Good location. Shown by appointment only. \$21,000.00

4 bedroom, 3 bath house on Dixie. Shown by appointment only. bedroom, 1 bath carpeted home. Good location. \$18,500.00. 2 bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace, corner lot on Mulberry

3 bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace, could be arranged for a

8 city lots suited for trailer park. \$6,500.00. 6 city lots in Ranger, well located

Store building, station, living quarters, fixtures and stock at Morton Valley, \$8,000.00.

3 bedroom, 131 bath, carpeted, central air and heat, corner lot, approximately 3 years old

2 bedroom house, completely carpeted and paneled, central heat with extra lot. \$13,500.00.d SMALL ACREAGE

1 acre with a 3 bedroom, 2 bath, home in Olden. 2 tracts on Interstate 20 near Cisco, lill G.I.

26 acres near Eastland with city water \$12,600.00.

11 acres with 2 bedroom, rock home extra nice, good barns, city

water, on payement, North of Eastland. 5 acres, 3 bedroom, fireplace, den and 2 bath home. Northwest

of Cisco. \$25,000.00.d 8 acres on Interstate, Ranger, Texas. Good location

FARMS AND RANCHES

80 acres Southwest of Cisco, good fences, two stock tanks, and half minerals, with a 2 bedroom home. 163 acres, 3 bedroom home, all coastal, good fences, and barns.

Located in the Carbon area. \$475 per acre.

668 acres some improved grasses with a 2 bedroom house, good barns, good well water, located in Stephens County.

160 acres Southeast of Ranger, deer and 12 minerals. \$300 per 198 acres with 3 bedroom home on payement with city water, 70

acres of cultivation near Lake Leon.

245 acres, 7 miles Southeast of Eastland with city water, 12

224 acres improved grasses with good fences and good set of pens. \$10,000 down. Owner will finance. \$315 per acre. Location

near Carbon. 215 acres near Olden with good fences and good stock tanks.

491 acres in Eastland County with nice brick home, some coastal, fenced and crossed fenced. Approximately 12 the minerals. Shown by appointment only. 320 acres near Carbon, 60 acres of coastal, fair fences, 12

minerals. \$315 per acre. 486 acres near Lake Leon with 2 bedroom rock home,

irrigation, and good fences, on payement, 695 acres in Eastland County with some river bottom, \$315 per

306 acres near Eastland on Leon River with 106 acres coastal bermuda and remaining improved grasses, ample irrigation. Water and equipment for all of tract. 7 stock tanks, pecan trees, good fences, metal corrals and a 40 x 72° all steel barn, also other out buildings.

328 acres in Stephens County. \$262.50 per acre.

320 acres with all improved grasses, good fences, 12 minerals, \$350 per acre with good terms

160 acres with a 3 bedroom home, fireplace, 2 good tanks, natural gas, on pavement, city water with some love grass. 150 acres South of Eastland, 140 acres in coastal, good fences on

County Road with city water. \$425 per acre.d 143 acres Northwest of Ranger, with 52 acres of peanuts, \$375 per acre.

74 acres with cultivation on County Road North of Eastland with city water on pavement. \$400 per acre.

120 acres on Sabanna River, pecan trees, deer and turkey. 12 minerals. Good terms. 74 acres North of Eastland with city water on pavement. \$400

per acre. 140 acres close to Eastland with 2 bedroom home, good barns,

good fences, \$450 per acre. 544 acres with coastal and other improved grasses, good terms,

some minerals. 815 acres south of Cross Plains with deer and turkey. Ap-

proximately 12 minerals. 1450 acres near Albany with approximately \$500 a month oil

income, on pavement. \$210 per acre. 1297 acres in Eastland County with some cultivation and im-

proved grasses. Good place.

138 acres, 11 acres peanut allotment, 5 miles West of Rising

Star. \$235 per acre. 604 acres n ear Putnam, fair fences with three (3) stock tanks.

150 acres north of Eastland on pavement with 77 acres of cultivation and city water. \$400 per acre.

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Carbon Honor Roll

FIRST GRADE - - Susie Bryant, Dean Ishmael, Josh Mehaffey, Jonna Rodgers, Shana McDaniel, Cody Wells. SECOND GRADE - - Matt Hawkins, Dennis Hagan, Pam

of Kokomo, James Johnson and son Hayden of Lake Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Coffman of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stacks and Mrs. Faye Walsh of Springtown visited Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Medford part of this

Visiting Mrs. Pearl Snell during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fillyou of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Bennett of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snell and Truman Snell of Gorman.

S. Sgt and Mrs. Jimmy Culp and family who have been serving with the Armed Forces in Bangkok, Thailand, returned to the United States Thursday. They are visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle and Charlene. Others visiting in the ome during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harle of Henrietta, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Harle and family of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stennett and family of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Laird and family of

Mrs. Ruth Reese attended the funeral of her brother-in-law J.B. Reese of Lubbock last

Dear friends.

60 years of age.

the deceased.

THIRD GRADE - - Tammie Barron, Sheryl Sandlin, Lawuana Newman, Lynn McDaniel, Marc Morgan, Charla Little. Cathy Files.

FOURTH GRADE .. Tammy Hart, Denise Hagan, Sammie Mehaffey, Dee Con-

FIFTH GRADE - - Alice Ann Allison, Randi Mehaffey, Susan Harris.

SIXTH GRADE - - Donnie Barron, Stanley Hickman, Caye Little, Lylia Mehaffey, Cordel Shook.

SEVENTH GRADE - - Betty Constancio, Marla Morgan, Sharon Williams, Gary Bled-

EIGHTH GRADE - - James Wood

NINTH GRADE - - None TENTH GRADE - - Candi Bryant, Fran Duncan, Renae Pack, Avis Newman, Lisa Norris, Terry Lasater, Kenneth McDaniel, Walter Williams.

ELEVENTH GRADE -Calvin Millican, Keith Reynolds, Timmy Smith, Terry Wood.

TWELFTH GRADE .. Quona Newman, Ronnie Barton, Wallace McDaniel, Randy McGinn, Lee Wood.

CARD OF THANKS The family wishes to express their gratitude and thanks for your kind deeds in our hour of bereavement evidenced in thought and deed.

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dependent minor children.

Van Geem Circle The Family of Curtis D. Douglas **Holds Meet** Mrs. Henry Van Geem, Circle Gravel, Sand, Dirt

Leader, was hostess to her circle Tuesday morning, Jan. 27th, for fellowship and an organizational meeting.

Mrs. Ben Marney brought the devotional, "Bible verses, signal for the day". Mrs. Harold Ray was elected assistant circle leader and treasurer, with Mrs. Y.A. Wright as corresponding secretary and Mrs. Jack Frost as recording secretary and reporter.

Mrs. Herman Hassell, U.M.W. President led a discussion of Projects for The Lord's Acre. She also invited members to the Kick-Off Meeting Wednesday night, Feb. 4. Mrs. Wright invited the circle to meet with her on the 24th of February.

Members present were, Miss Opal Morris, MMES Henry Bulgarin, Y.A. Wright, Ben

Mrs. Van DePutte of Ranger; and Mrs. J.H. Lee of Eastland.

Republican Women's Club Holds Meet

A luncheon was held for the

Republican Women's Club of

Eastland County on January 20,

in the home of Virginia W.

The guest of honor was Mrs.

Lou Bolen, district director of

Senatorial district number 22

for Republican Women's Clubs.

Bolen spoke to the club on the

Bentsen Bill. She stressed the

importance of becoming

familiar with the bill in order

to understand how it relates to

party guidelines in the for-

The guest of honor was

presented with a gift by

Virginia Russell, the club

A brief business meeting was

held and members were

reminded of the Club's

Bicentennial jewelry that may

be purchased by contacting

Mrs. H.J. Bulgerin, Mrs.

Murray Kimmey and Virginia

Members present were Mrs.

Gordon Wadley, Mrs. C.

Timmons, Mrs. James Horton,

Mrs. Murray Kimmey, Mrs.

H.J. Bulgerin, Mrs. Ella White

and Mrs. Gregg Saunders of

Ranger; Mrs. W.C. Crone of

Olden and the hostess, Virginia

Guests included were: Mrs.

Lou Bolen, Lewisville, Texas;

theoming May Primary.

president.

Russell.

Russell.

Following the luncheon, Mrs.

Russell at Bell Hurst Drive.

Pioneer Club In Basset Home

The Pioneer Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Ben Bassets home, with a luncheon. The table was set in a Valentine decoration and Bicentennial program. Mrs. Paulene Lee brought a program on how people got to this country and now they pioneered after here. Mrs. Basset read a plaque on how they used lye soap and how clothes were boiled outside in a

wash pot. All members answered with a Bible Verse. Members present were: Larene Crawford, Mary Logan. Paulene Lee. Fannie Lockheart. Nora Wilkerson. Sallie Garrett, Mrs. B.T. Clifton, Fannie O'Brien, Mary Logan, hostess was Mrs. Winnie Bassett.

U.M.W. Meets In Corbell Home

United Methodist Women met in Mrs. Margaret Corbell

The Corbell Circle of the First Methodist Church met in the home of the Circle Leader Mrs. Margaret Corbell, Jan. 27, at 9:30 a.m. for the first meeting

of the year. The meeting was called to order by the Leader, Mrs. Corbell. An opening prayer was given by Mrs. Ed. Willman.

A short business meeting was held and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Frank Sparks, assistant Circle Leader; Miss Minnie Lay, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J.C. Lyerla, secretary tres.; Mrs. C.T. Brockman, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. W.F. Davenport, telephone

Cards were to be mailed to the people that are ill.

Mrs. Corbell closed with a devotional.

Coffee, spiced tea, with cake, fruit, and cheese crisps were served to the following twelve members: Medames, Earl Bender, C.T. Brockman, Laura Grimes, I.C. Heck, James Horton, Minnie Lay, J.C. Lyerla, Jos. Perkins, Powell, Frank Sparks, Ed. Willman, and Margaret Corbell Hostess

Adult Education will not be held Thursday night, January 29. due to the Junior Play. Classes will resume Monday. February

Grandson Displays Art

BY F. JAMES DABNEY John Cotten, left, and Jack Terry, are shown standing by oil painting of "Pueblo Woman" during art show held in lobby of 1st National Bank of Breckenridge Sunday. The

through Tuesday of this week. Cotten and Terry are Co owners of the Cotten - Terry Gallery, in Austin, and were in Breckenridge at the request of John Vail, public relations officer of the bank.

show was due to continue

Shown during the exhibit were more than 50 paintings in oil, water color, and acrylics varying in price up to \$12,500.

Terry is the grandson of Mrs. M.P. Herring of Eastland, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steen Herring of Victoria, Texas. He is a 1970 graduate of Victoria High School, and holds a degree in Journalism Advertising from the University of Texas. Terry,

23 years of age studied with the renowned artist Dalhart Windberg.

(Photo by James Dabney)

Another well - known artist whose paintings were exhibited was Rennie Hughes, who painted the "Pueblo Woman". Young Terry, along with Cotten, is presently on a tour of Texas cities with their works

and were due to exhibit in Lubbock upon leaving Breckenridge. Terry remarked during the

exhibition, "It is hoped that we can exhibit in Eastland soon. We understand that Eastland is an unusual town for its size in that it has quite an active art program, with many residents who have a highly developed appreciation for art in all forms, including music, the theater, and the other art forms, including various styles of painting.

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Mrs. Joseph Perkins is pictured with Mrs. Jack Frost and her Auto Harp at the Charles Crawford Chapter

DAR Chapter Meets In **Durham Home**

Charles Crawford Chapter DAR met in the home of Mrs. Harold Durham with Mrs. Charles Terrell as co -

Three Eastland High School students, Robert Hallmark, Randy Frost, and Steve Johnson, were enthusiastically received when they presented their scholarship award winning essays on "What the Bicentennial Heritage Means to These essays were written for the Bicentennial project sponsored by the Eastland VFW. The overall emphasis was on how proud we are to be Americans living in a country of freedom of speech, religion, and opportunity.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins gave a review of American music during the Revolutionary period. She was assisted by Mrs. Jack Frost who played the auto harp and sang some unfamiliar American ballads Among them was the "Battle of by Francis Kegs" Hopkinson who wrote early American songs. Mrs. Frost concluded the program with

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Mrs. Durham is pictured with Steve Johnson, Robert Hallmark and Randy Frost at the DAR meeting held at the home of Mrs. Durham.

President And Elusive Kissinger Head List Of VIPs Stitched In Unique Bicentennial Memorial

States, and Henry Kissinger

who doesn't give autographs,

but did, and more than 30 other

notables whose names glitter in

a national pantheon of recogni-

tion for their distinctive contri-

butions to the American dream.

that person's own signature is

embroidered in the center of a

white Greek cross set in a blue

and white square and an overall

motif of the national colors in

the king-size quilt that Virginia

spread with such pride in a

Rising Star home one day last

week. How it got there offers a

story of idealism, ingenuity and

stubborn determination well

worthy of the bicentennial

When our son, Doug,

moved from his room he left us

with bare furniture on a red

carpet. I got to wondering what

back to life when I recalled the

gift of an autographed quilt a

Methodist congregation had

'It was no more than an idle

once given a retiring minister.

recollection until I hitched it to the bicentennial theme. Then

an idea blazed, bigger than the

mere decoration of a room. Why

not gather autographs of people

who have made outstanding

contributions to life in America

and sew them into a memorial

as enduring and intimate and

warm as the covering spread

could do to bring that room

As Virginia told it:

theme

edroom of the Cecil Joyces

The name of each notable, in

BY BEN A BUTLER

Extraordinary ideas are combinations of the unlikely; they suggest the impossible. So with that of Virginia Joyce

of Fort Worth, daughter-in-law of Cecil and Mayme Joyce of Rising Star, whose need to decorate a bedroom inspired a Bicentennial expression as unique as its elements are different. Those elements are quilt-making---certainly one of the most popular of homecraft art forms -- and the human instinct for hero-worship. The result could be an heirloom treasured for generations.

Virginia's family call it her 'Betsy Ross Quilt'

A lot of people--and a lot of famous ones--had parts in its making. There was Virginia, of course, the originator and motive force behind it. There was husband Don, whose skills as a design engineer produced its remarkable pattern; there was the staff of the Fort Worth Library who gathered information and the addresses of the notables who contributed autographs, and there was a Rising Star lady, Mrs. Ted Hudson, who did the final 'quilting'sewing together the decorative top and the cotton-filled lining with a care worthy of the memorial it has become.

And then there was Gerald Ford, President of the United

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"I made a list of 50 who, in my opinion, deserved special recognition. I went to the Fort Worth Public Library and got enthusiastic help in gathering addresses and other information I needed. We composed a letter explaining the project and asking each celebrity to autograph an enclosed square of cotton cloth with a ball point

pen and return it in

self-addressed envelope. I

mailed each of the 50 persons a

copy of the letter. Hopefully I would get back as many as 20 of the signatures. One of the letters went to President Ford. He was the 'biggie''. I simply had to have his signature or the project

wasn't off ground. "My husband and I left on a two weeks' vacation. I asked our son, Doug, to check each day's mail at the house to be sure that none of any autographs returned was lost or damaged. During the vacation I telehoned him several times. The first reply came from Rose

Kennedy; her warm letter and

her signature arrived exactly four days after the mailing.

'But there was none from the President. I returned home in some disappointment, appre-hensive of failure. And then, on the dining room table I found a letter of congratulations and best wishes from the White House and the President's autograph. Doug, with a fine sense of climax, had opened and let it there. It was the "big play" I needed; the project was on it sway.

Other signatures arrived quickly, most of them with messages commending the idea and wishing success. As the responses piled up, so increased Virginia's determination to make the memorial truly and broadly representative.

Vice-President Rockefeller sent a warm personal letter with his signature. Replies and similar encouragement came from Bess Wallace Truman, Mamie Doud Isenhower and Lady Bird Johnson, former first ladies, each of whose names occupies a corner square of the

Walter Kronkite, much admired CBS newsman: Dr. Jonas Salk, whose devotion to perfection in developing the Salk anti-polio vaccine Virginia cites as a continuing inspiration; Norman Rockwall whose folksy art lifted up the nation in the trauma of the Great Depression; Bob Hope and Lucille Ball, the latter of whom signed simply, "Love, Lucy" each sent early responses. Betty Ford added her name to that of her

Others whose autographs

otherwise dismal pall of Water-

gate; Roy Rogers and 'Trigger';

Joe Namath who, besides being

a great contributor to profes-

sional football found a place in

the quilt because, in Virginia's

words. "I think he's cute":

Bing Crosby who made "White

Christmas" such a beautiful

expression of the spirit of

the Nativity; Barry Goldwater;

Gen. Omar Bradley; Gen.

Alexander M. Haig Jr.; John

Connally, whose autography

Virginia finds most beautiful of

all: Helen Hayes, the first lady

of the theater: Ronald Reagan,

as his thoughts. appear on the finished quilt are: Senator John Tower; baseball "Can you read it?" laughed star Hank Aaron; Astronaut Virginia. It is little more than an Neil Armstrong, first human to esoteric wiggle, suggesting a step on the moon; Leon Jaworski and Judge John Sirica disposition to vouchsafe as little as possible through half-closed whose names illuminate the

> Two weeks later she received a letter from the Kissinger office. Dr. Kissinger, it said, doesn't give autographs.

challenger of President Ford in

the contest for the Presidency;

Doctors Denton Cooley and

Michael E. DeBakey, celebra-

ted makers of new hearts; Al

Capp, the cynical cartoonist; "Big John" Wayne whom none

can fail to recognize; Joe

Dimaggio whose signature was

pursued and captured through

the medium of the Baseball Hall

of Fame at Cooperstown, N.Y.;

Grace Kelly, aristocratic prin-

cess of Monaco, and Shirley

Temple Black, child movie star

who grew up to become the U.S.

There were difficulties with

some of these, mainly because

of problems in contact, but it

was Secretary of State Kissin-

ger who proved the most elusive of all whose signatures were

"I had the very dickens of a

time getting his autography", said Virginia. "I wrote appeal atter appeal and once sent a

registered letter to no success.'

she finally made to run down

her famous quarry would do

justice to the devious skills of that peripathetic diplomat. -

With him, as with detente,

'I called Senator Tower's

success does not come easily.

office and handed them my

frustration. I think it shook

them up some, but they got

busy. A secretary in the

Senator's office has a friend in

the Kissinger retinue and

between them, the two man-

aged the coveted autograph.

Even when obtained and

embroidered into the appro-

priate square, the Secretary's

signature is about as mysterious

Her persistence and the ploy

Ambassador to Ghana.

finally obtained.

Of the 50 names solicited all but two or three were sent. After 34 replies the original project has spilled over into another, the nature of which Virginia has yet to decide.

"But there will be one", she said firmly. "I have 12 more autographs at home and I have sent more requests to help



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