

# The Gorman Progress



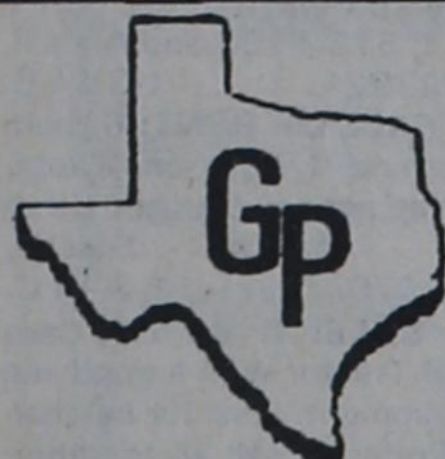
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Gorman, Eastland County, Texas 76454

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**Press Points**  
Joe Bennett, Publisher

—J—  
Things keep changing around here. Folks continue to improve their homes and places.

The Dr. L. Aguila family have purchased the former home of the Hershel Cordells, just off the Desdemona Highway near the electric booster station. The Cordells have moved into the former J. O. Jackson home out on the Alameda road. The Aguilas were anticipating on building a new home but opted for the purchase of the beautiful home of the Cordells.

The Glendon Frasier's have sold their home on Lexington Streer to the Sammy Ramirez family of De Leon. The Frasier's have moved in a mobil home on the lot behind the home of the Shelby Frasier's.

Marvin and Virginia Clegg have moved a mobile home on the lot behind the Joe Ormsby place. Virginia is the new administrator at the Gorman Care Center. We will have a picture of Mrs. Clegg as soon as it can be arranged.

—J—

Well, it looks as though old Corky has been out fishing again. Man, he said those "big ones" were really biting and that he had already caught enough to come up with another one of his famous Fish Frys. So Corky is inviting everyone to starve themselves to death in preparation of his fish fry which will be held Thursday, March 28th at 7 p. m. at the school gym. We will have more on this later, but we just wanted to get this in the column to get everyone ready for the big event.

Also we have failed to say anything about Gary Mauney being employed by Brown's Feed Store. Corky said he had searched far and wide for a top-notch hand and felt real fortunate to have secured Gary as an employee.

—J—  
Received the following letters this past week and thought I would include them in the column:

Dear Joe;  
Received your statement for the 85-86 subscription. I looked back on my check for last year and it was for March 84 to 85, not Feb.

I enjoy reading the paper each week about people that lived there when I went to school in Gorman. It is nice to find out what has happened to your classmates. Sometimes I read some news about my kinfolks before I get the news from them.

Back down the way I sent you an article about my son and his work with the penguins at Sea World. I sent you two pictures of him along with a stamp to return the pictures if you didn't use them. Also some news about my sister (LaJoyce) and myself since we left Gorman. If you didn't know my dad was Bill Caraway and Bo Caraway is my cousin.

I am sending my check for \$10.51. I know about sales tax foe we pay 6 cents on the dollar in California all the time. It is a shame that people don't pay it to you. I look forward each week for the paper, even if it is a week old.

Thank you  
Medadell Williams

P.S. If there is a charge for printing the aarticle on my son let me know how much and I will send the money. If you have lost the article I will send another.

Thanks for the note Medadell. We didn't lose the article. We have just had some small papers and just couldn't seem to get it in. But we have it in this week. Sorry about the delay.

Dear Editor;  
Our children have suffered enough.

School is important, communities are important, etc. - but wait! What is the future of our communities? Our country? It's our children! Without them there is no future.

We realize how important the school is to our communities, our country, and our nation, but do we really see how important our children are to the school?

Without our children there is no school, no community, no state, no nation. Yet we let them be the  
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## Monty Montgomery Seeks School Board Position By Write-In

Dear Joe:

I am writing this letter to you to announce my candidacy for the School Board as a write-in candidate.

I did not want to run against Mr. Hirst or Mr. Warren and when I foud out that Mr. Warren had decided not to seek re-election, it was too late for me to get my name on the ballot.

I feel my background as a former School Board member in Katy, Texas and my extensive involvement in various school programs qualifies me for this job. May profession in financial matters will be of help to me as a board member, also.

I am vitally interested in the future of Gorman and feel that this future lies with our youth. I believe that we should give our youth the opportunity to have the very best education available and if I am successful in this write-in campaign, I will work toward that belief.

Sincerely,

(s) Nelson "Monty" Montgomery

## Daryl Hirst Files For School Board Election

Daryl Hirst, incumbent, was the only candidate filing for a position on the Gorman School Board at deadline time last Wednesday. He is seeking re-election to the board. Daryl is employed by Gorman Milling Co.

The term of Wesley Warren also expires in April but Mr. Warren did not file.

A Write-In candidate has announced intentions to seek election to the board. Nelson "Monty" Montgomery will be a write-in candidate for one position.

The election is set for Saturday, April 6th. with polls at the high school.

Absentee voting for the school election will be March 18th thru April 2 in the high school office.

Two trustees will be elected for 3 year terms.

—GP—

## Rev. and Mrs. Darrell Dossey To Move To Aspermont

Rev. and Mrs. Darrell Dossey will be moving to Aspermont on Monday, March 18th where he has accepted the position as pastor of First Baptist Church.

Rev. Dossey has served as pastor of the Gorman First Baptist Church for six and one-half years. He and his wife, June, have served in area churches for more than 25 years.

They will be missed by the many friends they have made inside and outside the churches.

Rev. Dossey began his ministry in 1959 and served as pastor of Desdemona Baptist Church for 4 years, St. Joe 8 years, Hamby 3 years, Victor 2 years, and Liberty 1 year.

He moved to Gorman in 1978 after serving 2 years as associate pastor of First Baptist Church in De Leon.

Rev. Dossey and June are loved and appreciated by all the people in and outside the churches they have served.

They have the prayers and best wishes of everyone as they go to their new church home in Aspermont.

—GP—

## MEMORIAL FUNDS CONTINUE TO INCREASE

I want to thank all of you who have made a contribution to either the Gorman Cemetery Fund or the Arthur & Vesta Bryan Memorial Fund. During January and February of 1984 there was \$1028 given to the Gorman Cemetery Fund, and in 1985 during the same period, \$3,781 was contributed. I think this is great. I don't have the amount that has been added to the Bryan Memorial Fund, but several dollars have been added. Remember that from money deposited in the Trust Fund, only the interest drawn can be used, while money in the Gorman Cemetery Fund can be used for current operations.

Anyone who would still like to make a contribution to either of these funds may do so at the City Office. If the contribution is made in memory of someone, a card will be sent to the family acknowledging the gift. When making the gift, just let Edna know to which fund it goes and to whom you wish the card to be sent.

The City Commission has contracted with Milton Jensen to maintain the cemeteries for the next year, starting on March 15, 1985. If you have something that you wish done at the cemetery, you should contact the City Office and make your request. Milton will be working under the supervision of the city. We are hoping that we will be able to maintain the cemeteries as they should be maintained. If we continue with this contract after the first year, it may take more money. We will just have to wait and see how the money comes in from the Trust and individual contributions.

Thank all of you for helping.  
Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor

—GP—

Visiting with Mrs. Pauline Dennis during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Clymer and Seth of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Currie of Stephenville, and Mrs. Nancy Hendricks.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET SLATED MARCH 21

The annual Gorman Chamber of Commerce Banquet honoring the Outstanding Farmer and the presentation of the Community Service Award is now upon us. This event is sponsored by the Cmamber of Commerce.



GEORGE BRAZELL TO SPEAK

Speaker for this year's event will be George Brazell of Desdemona. He is currently a LProfessor of Pyschology and Sociology at Cisco Junior College in Cisco. He is a graduate of Southern Methodist University and the University of Oklahoma. Professor Brazell works as a "Family Life Specialist". He teaches "Marriage and the Family" at CJC\* does special concueling and conducts "Life Enrichment" seminars. He has spoken at many banquets, conventions and camps.

His honors include "Teacher of the Year", "Outstanding Educator of America", "Who's Who in Texas Today", "Outstanding Educational Standards" Award from his college alumni. He is past president of the Rotary Club and a current member of

the Lions Club.

Brazell speaks with a combination of humor, patriotism, seriousness, and facts. He presents addresses that challenge his listeners to have hope for tomorrow and to realize that fulfillment today is a possibility. He presents challenges that make people feel better about themselves and their situations.

Brazell is married and has one daughter.

The date to remember is Thursday March 21st, at 7:00 p. m. in the school gym. Tickets are \$5.00 each and the meal will be catered by Oscar's Barbeque of Cisco.

Entertainment for the banquet this year will be provided through the Cross Timbers Country Opry of Stephenville. Appearing will be Jimmy Green, Mark Briles and Jo Ann Guest.

Awards to be given during the banquet will be The Farmer of The Year for 1984 and the Community Service Award for 1984. This is always a highlight of the annual event.

If possible please purchase tickets in advance as the chamber needs to know approximately how many will be in attendance so as to get a count to the caterer. Tickets will also be available at the door. Tickets are available at First National Bank, Gorman Insurance, Foster Floral, Brown's Feed Store, Gorman Progress, Henderson's Quickway & Deli, Birdsong Peanuts and Doctor's Clinic.

Tickets may also be purchased from any of our board members: Gene Foster, Monty Montgomery, Fred Rogers, Dr. L. Aguila, Mary Jeffs, Tommy Clark, Joe Bennett, and secretary, Brenda Hirst.

Mark the date on your calendar and make plans to attend.

## Gorman FFA Wins Three Trophies In Sweetwater Judging Contest



SOPHOMORE AND JUNIOR TEAMS — Above are Lance Jones, Mike Snider, Allen Scitern, Shannon Caraway, Noble Laminack, Glenn Burgess, Mike Warren, and Toby Snider.

The Gorman FFA attended the Annual Sweetwater Judging Contest and Hampshire Type Conference in Sweetwater, Texas.

In the High School Division the Sophomore Teams placed Second which consisted of Mjke Snider, Toby Snider, Glenn Burgess and Lance Jones. Mike Snider tied for high individual of the contest. Glenn Burgess was 5th High Individual.

The Junior Teams placed Fourth. Which consisted of Allen Scitern, Shannon Caraway, Wayne Warren, and Noble Laminack.

The Freshman Team placed Seventh which consisted of Scott Gressett, Scott Campbell, Shane Burgess and Olin Harrington.

Shane Caraway and John Mark Stephens judged as Junior in Individuals. John Mark placed 5th and Shane 7th.

In the Adult Division, Bo Caraway won First Place in his division.



FRESHMAN TEAM — Shown above are Scott Gressett, Scott Campbell, Shane Burgess, Shane Caraway, and John Mark Stephens, Olin Harrington and Bo Caraway.

## MOVIES GALORE AND MORE NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS



Gerald and Ina Scitern have opened Movies Galore and More, a video tape rental store with a lot of extras including TV's, Stereos, VCR's for sale.

## Employee Of The Month At First National Bank



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH — Zelma Sharp is the Employee of the Month at First National Bank. She has served as a Teller for the past few years.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOLKS — Above shown are Lorene Foster, Ruth Higginbottom, Agnes Hodges, Lois Buchanan, Laura Davis and Virgie Brown was not present for the picture, all celebrated birthday's in the month of March. Also shown in the picture are Andrea and Amanda Higginbottom granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Higginbottom.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOLKS — Above are Edgar Higginbottom, Frank Skiles and Truitt Coffman all celebrate birthdays in March.

## ONE ACT PLAY PERFORMANCE SET HERE MARCH 19

The public is crodially invited to attend the dress rehearsal for the UIL one act play, Rise and Shine. The performance will be held March 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the Gorman School Auditorium. Admission is free.

The one act comedy features Gorman High School students (in order of appearance) Rhett Harrison, Traci Burns, Randy Anderson, and Lisa Foster. Students assisting with the production are Julie Brown, and Tammy Campbell.

The group will compete in zone competition on March 21 at Weatherford Junior College.

Some costume items are needed for the play. One of the men must wear a suit. The other man needs a

suit coat. Both of these should be black, navy, dark brown or charcoal grey. Minor alterations must be made in the clothing, and the characters will be wearing make-up, so the items should be old. If you have suits that you would like to donate or loan, please call the high school and leave your name and number.

## SERVICES PENDING FOR TOMMY KENT

Funeral services were pending at press time for Tommy Alan Kent, 27, of Lake Leon who was found dead on Tuesday afternoon at about 12:50 p. m.

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A complete obituary will be published next week.



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## ITEMS OF INTEREST

**Monthly 4-H Meetings** will be held the Second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Fire Hall.

**Commodities** will be given away Tuesday, March 19th from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. Bring your on sack.

**South Eastland County Hospital District Board of Directors** will have its Regular Monthly Meeting on the 4th Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at Blackwell Hospital.

**Gorman City Commissioners** will meet the First and Third Thursdays at 8:00 a.m. at the City Hall.

**Gorman Housing Authority Board** will meet the Second Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the Assembly Room of High Rise Apartments.

**Crimestoppers** will meet the First Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.

**A Musical** will be held the Second Friday night of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Hall.

**Woman's Auxiliary of Blackwell Hospital** meet First Tuesday of every month at the Senior Citizens Center at 2:00 p.m.

**Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM** stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

**Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S.** meets First Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

**South Eastland County Hospital District Tax Office** has recently mover back to Blackwell Hospital. New office hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 a.m. til noon and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

## NEWS

Rev. Donna Ware of Amarillo was a weekend house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snelson. She also visited with other friends over the weekend. Her mother, Mrs. Mira Ware of Arlington visited Sunday with the Snelsons and they attended church

services at First Methodist on Sunday.

Visiting with Mrs. Gladys Dennis on the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Frasier of Loop.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett of Weatherford visited with his mother, Mrs. Ruby Bennett, during the weekend.

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**PEANUTS**

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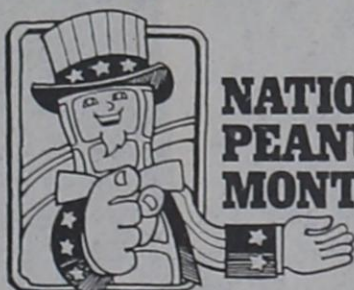
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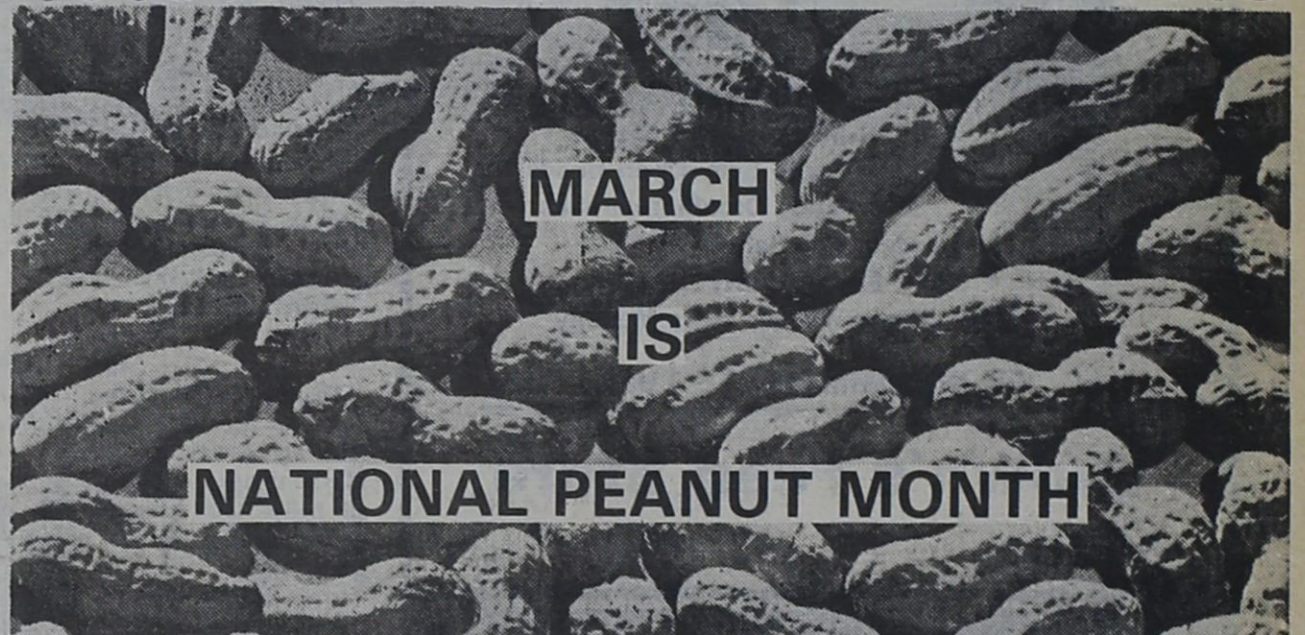
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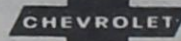
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bargaining power for political parties. With all the new educational programs they are made to feel inadequate, dumb, stupid, and failures. They say, "Why this isn't true." "It's for their own good." I say "you are wrong". Anything that causes children to commit suicide and suffer mental depression is not good for them.

There is far too much pressure put on our children with this new unworkable educational system. They are not allowed to use their natural creative ability, their minds are not allowed the time to grow. They are not allowed the time alone to work out their problems of day to day living.

They are crying out to us to help, and in answer we are saying, "The few that have committed suicide or that are undergoing therapy for mental depression are just weak anyway." How many of our children have to die. How many therapist will be allowed to get rich before we realize this system won't and can't

work?

I can see the importance of a good education. But when is the cost too high? Is the cost of just one of these precious lives worth six extra credits to graduate from high school? I think not.

Compare our educational system to a specialist. You take your child to a foot specialist and he'll see the child's feet and not see the child has a hearing problem. Take the child to an eye specialist and he'll see the child has a deformed foot. Our educational programs are not looking at our children. It's picking them apart piece by piece and when you do that you can't possibly end up with a whole child.

God put our children here as a whole to serve as a whole, and I wonder how that's going to continue to be possible when they are being picked apart piece by piece. What can we do? Write your congressmen, senators, and governors and say in a nice yet firm way, "If you want to continue the privilege of serving us as a whole, we want our children back as a whole."

If you see this new educational program as a terrible tax burden, or

**CITY CHIT CHAT**

By Charles L. Garrett, Mayor

As you will notice, you now have a choice at the polls to pick from two groups of candidates for the two places on the City Commission. Lupe Torres and Jackie Don Simpson have filed for the place now held by Frank Leazar. Jo Ann White, L. F. Kellogg, and Blaine Gibbs have filed for the place now held by Bill Mears. Leazar or Mears neither filed for re-election. I am glad to see this many file and urge that all of you plan now to vote on April 6 for the person you feel will best represent the community on the Commission.

In September of 1983, the City Commission voted to open Winkler Street from Kokomo Farm Road north to Bernice Street. Due to conflict at that time and some that has developed since that time, this item will be on the agenda on March 21, 1985. I am asking that any party interested to be present at this meeting and to express their opinion on this matter. There seems to be some misunderstandings as to just what the City Commission voted to do.

At the last meeting, the Commission set the first full week in Mat as City-wide Clean Up Week. Start Planning now to be a part of this and help us clean up our town. I will be giving more information on this as time passes.

The Commission is working on some kind of Ordinance for the operation of the solid waste landfill.

This seems to have become necessary because of some problems that we have had out there lately. I want you to still be thinking about the idea of contracting this service out to a company. Let me know what you think about this.

you see the heavy load it places on our teachers, just stop and put yourself in your child's place. He or she isn't old enough or mature enough to see it from a taxpayers view or a teachers view. All they know is they are expected to do the impossible and they are scared. Frankly, I'm scared too!

Sincerely,

Laura Singleton

Thanks for the letter, Laura. I know for sure that an awful lot of folks agree with you all the way. Maybe things can be changed if we all holler loud enough and long enough for the big shot officials to hear.

-J-

We appreciate the cooperation and support of the advertisers in the Progress this week for allowing us the privilege of paying honor to the farmers and agriculture in general during National Peanut Month. With out our farmers and agriculture in general there wouldn't be no life as we know it in our great USA. Look at some of the other countries where there is no agriculture left. Folks, they are starving to death! I think its about time our officials wake up and see what is happening. We can do without a lot of things friends, but food is not one of them.

-J-

And remember to smile - - because God Loves You!

**CARRIE MARIE SHIPPS HONORED WITH SHOWER**

Mrs. Ray Shipps and baby daughter, Carrie Marie, were honored with a baby shower on Thursday night, February 21, in the lovely home of Mrs. Claude Fuller.

The many beautiful and useful gifts were displayed in a pink bedroom.

The refreshment table was covered with a linen cloth and the centerpiece was a white ceramic boot with pink carnations. The napkins were blue. Mrs. Sandy Warren

baked the beautiful pink cake topped with a baby in a cloud. Cake squares, pink punch, mints and peanuts were served. Crystal service was used.

Special guests were the grandmothers, Mrs. A. L. Scott of Blum, and Mrs. Allen Hines of De Leon, and an aunt, Mrs. Stanley Anderson of Dublin.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Claude Fuller, Leslie Sharp, Jerry Overstreet, Billy Don Simpson, Albert Hendricks, Alton Wright, Bill Eaves, Wesley Warren, Bobby Un-

derwood, Charles Troutman and Charles Little.

Lacy Sharp registered the 26 guests.

Little Carrie Marie was cared for at home by her dad, Ray Shipps, grandpas, A. L. Scott of Blum and Allen Hines of De Leon, an uncle, Stanley Anderson, and cousins, Jeffrey and Jay Clyde Anderson of Dublin.

It is said that if a spider crawls toward you you are in for a quarrel.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION**

(Aviso De Eleccion De Regentes)

The South Eastland County Hospital District Board of Director's hereby gives notice of an election to be held on April 6, 1985 for the purpose of electing 4 directors for two year terms.

El suroeste condado de Eastland El Hospital Distrito Elbord De Directores dala-- Noticia de las eleccion 6 de Abril de 1985 Para elegir candidatos Para dos años cuatro.

ABSENTEE VOTING by personal appearance will begin on 27 March, 1985, and continue through 1, April, 1985, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. (VOTACION POR AUSENCIA en persona comencera el 27 de Marzo 1985 y continuara hasta el 1 de Abril de 1985 las 9:00 a.m. hasta las 3:00 p.m. en todos los dias que no sean sabado, domingo, o dia oficial de vacaciones estatales.)

Absentee voting in person shall be conducted at Tax Office. Applications for absentee ballots by mail should be mailed to South Eastland County Hospital District, P. O. Box 637, Gorman, Texas 76454. (Votando por ausencia personal va ser conducido acera de Tax Office. Solicitudes para una boleta de ausencia por correco deben dar vuelta por correco al Surosta Condado De Eastland El Hospital Distrito, P. O. Box 637, Gorman, Texas 76454.

The POLLING PLACE designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election. (Los sitios de votacion indicados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. el dia de la eleccion.)

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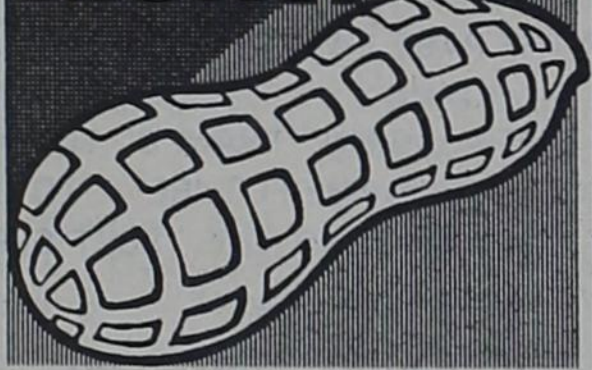
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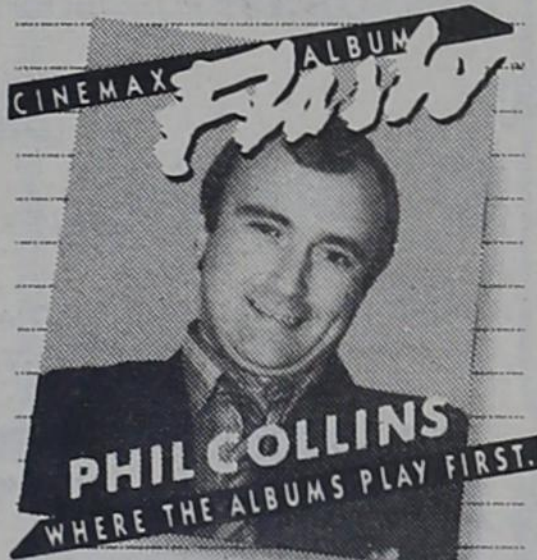
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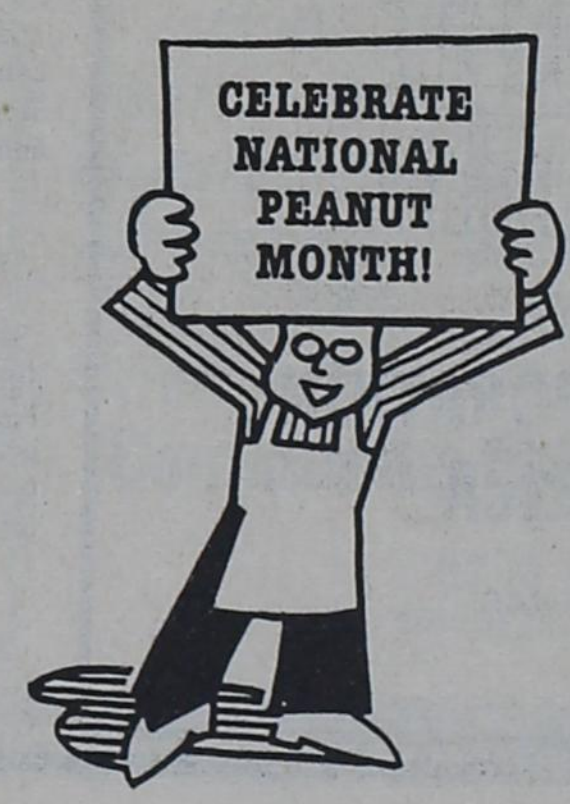
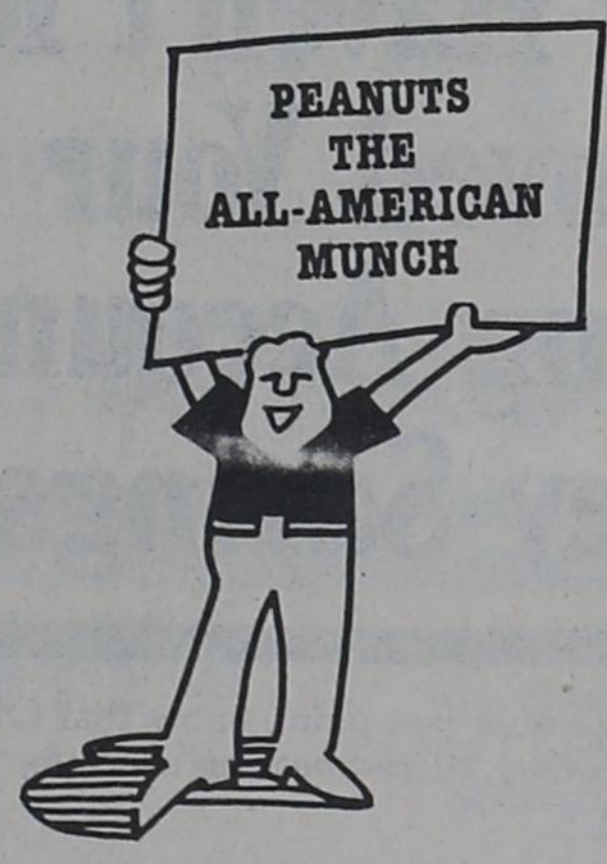


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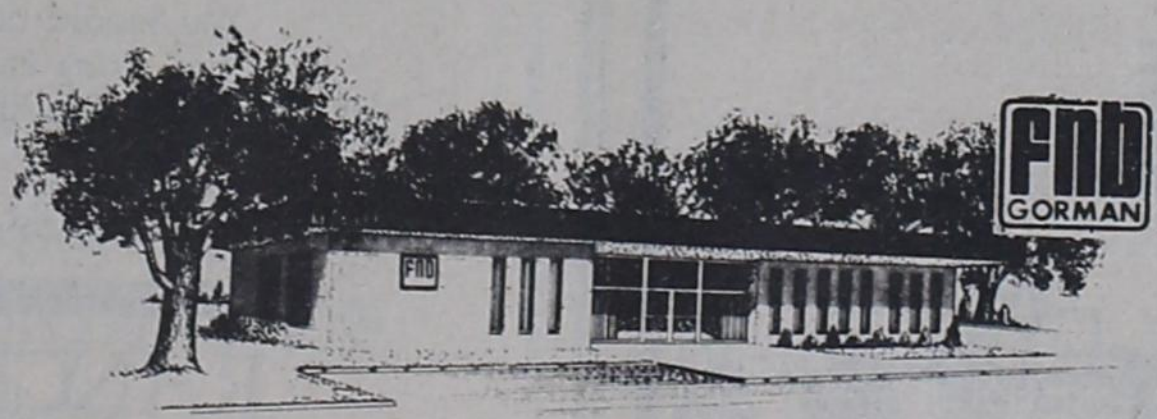




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**Fritz Kunkel**

**COMANCHE** — Fritz Frederick Kunkel, 77, of Comanche, a retired self-employed mechanic, died at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday, March 5 at Comanche Community Hospital. Services were held at Comanche Funeral at 2 p. m. Thursday with the Rev. R. W. Kensing officiating. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery in Priddy.

Born Jan. 6, 1908, in Mills County, he married Nelda Louise Stegemoller Aug. 4, 1930, in Priddy. She died June 6, 1979. He lived in Comanche since 1977, moving from Priddy. He was a Lutheran.

Survivors include seven sons, J.C. and Leroy, both of Orovada, Nev., Raymond of Johnson City, Bill of Abilene, John of Brownwood, Don of Parker, Colo., and Wayne of Ephrata, Wash.; seven daughters, Lenora Kunkel of Denver, Colo., Wilma Chambers of Terrell, Nadene Shuman of Ireland, Janice French of Pampa, Dorothy Atwood and Jo Ann Cooper, both of Hobbs, N.M., and Fay Mockaitis of Arlington; a brother, Pete of Oklahoma; four sisters, Emma Pax of Priddy, Minnie Lorenz, Olga Mason, both of Goldthwaite, and Hulda Schlee of Dumas; 29 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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**EASTLAND (RNS)** — Cindy Carlton of Carbon will begin her duties Thursday as justice of the peace courts clerk coordinator.

She will visit justice of the peace offices in the county and will do paperwork previously done by Department of Public Safety troopers. Her office will be in the DPS building.

Eastland County commissioners recently approved paying the clerk's salary with funds set aside to hire an assistant district attorney.

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# HEALTH COSTS RAISE WELLNESS CONSCIOUSNESS SAYS MEDIC ALERT GROUP

Rising health care costs and changing health insurance plans are forcing Americans to change the way they look at their health. And many people are discovering that prevention and a healthy lifestyle are still the most effective and inexpensive ways to insure your health.

Despite reduced inflation, the nation's health bill is still rising three times faster than the Consumer Price Index, and health care analysts expect the 1984 bill to be more than \$380 billion. That works out to more than \$1500 per capita that Americans spent on health care in 1983, ten times more than they spent in 1960.

The response by health care professionals, corporations and individuals has been a stronger embrace of the "wellness" concept, a slogan for the old-fashioned idea of prevention and protection. From employee fitness programs and health screen-

ings to emergency medical identification services and new eating habits, individuals and organizations are looking at inexpensive ways to maintain health.

The outcry over the seemingly unstoppable health cost spiral has come from government, the health care industry, insurance companies and consumers — groups that frequently have disagreed with one another. However, all agree that 1983 federal legislation mandating price levels for health care services is the most significant health care reform since Medicare was established in 1967.

They also agree that new rules concerning how much hospitals can charge for their services provide the health care industry and consumers with incentives to keep costs down.

For instance, this means paying a greater share of their health care costs with higher health insurance

deductibles. Individuals now only pay 31 percent of the country's total health costs with private insurance plans accounting for 26 percent and government paying 43 percent.

Higher health care deductibles are one reason why individuals are looking at ways to "insure" their health. Some new private insurance plans have what are called "health incentives", where the customer is refunded part of his annual premiums if he remains healthy and makes only a specified amount of health claims for that year. Health care observers expect that several versions of this idea will become more prevalent as insurance companies compete for customers.

Corporations and other employers, who now pay the health insurance premiums for three-quarters of the nation's workforce, are also taking steps to reduce health benefits costs. American businesses pay \$80 billion a year in health insurance premiums for their employees.

Companies traditionally paid 100 percent of an employee's health insurance premiums, but the per-

centage of major corporations requiring employees to pay a portion of health benefits nearly doubled in 1983 from 18 to 34 percent.

Increasingly, companies are instituting "wellness" programs, offering such things as fitness counseling, exercise facilities and health screening as a means of preventing major problems. These programs are designed to reduce the millions of workdays lost to illness and keep insurance premiums from rising.

Many companies have adopted programs designed to identify health risks and improve employee fitness.

Columbia Pictures is one example of a corporation that has developed an employee health program to keep its 2200 employees and the bottom line healthy. The company says its preventative health program is designed to make people aware of what they can do to stay healthy.

"We also think this program demonstrates to employees that the company is committed to them", says Jane Steiner, R.N., Columbia's

director of health. "Companies are becoming more competitive in recruiting people and the benefits package is part of it."

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Our health programs are designed to prevent major health problems from occurring," says Steiner.

"Medic Alert is a natural part of the whole package". Columbia pays the \$15 lifetime membership fee for employees who join Medic Alert.

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# SCHOOL HILL NEWS

By Mrs. Oma Lee Riddell

Carl Morrison took Digger Proctor home to Freer last Sunday. Digger had been here a few days visiting relatives.

Clay Huffman of Perryton has been visiting with Ralph and Aline Elston. They have been visiting with Pete Huffman, who has been sick in the Hico Hospital.

Horace Chisum has had a bout with the flu, but is feeling better.

Old preachers never die, they just go out to pastor.

Old fishermen never die, they just

smell that way.

Kim Musick was able to return home from the Harris Hospital in For Worth. Hope you'll soon be feeling better, Kim.

I've been the sick one in the family this week. We seem to take turns.

Renia Hogg spent Monday in Stephenville with her daughter, Loretta Stephens.

Patsy Moon spent Thursday with Flora Bays of Stephenville.

When we had a storm and the electricity was knocked out I told

# KOKOMO EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS MEET MARCH 11

The Kokomo Extension Home-

William "We'll have to go out to eat." William said, "Why? You don't have an electric stove." I told him, "No, but the can opener is electric."

Luke Musick of Stephenville, Niki and Will Grimshaw of De Leon all spent the weekend with us. We loved it. Do it again soon, kids. We all enjoyed dinner on Saturday with Tena and Jimmy Dennington and attended Niki's ball game.

One of the grandkids was saying the Lord's Prayer and said, "Our Father, which art in Heaven, Harold be thy name," etc. And on to "Give us this day our jelly bread". He's the same one that asked, "Just who is the cross eyed bear we've been hearing them sing about?"

—GP—

## 4-H CLUB NEWS

The Gorman 4-H Club had their monthly meeting Monday, the 11th of March at 7:30 p. m. in the new meeting place, the old fire hall.

They discussed the upcoming county livestock show at Eastland which will run the 13th through the 16th.

Come and support the young people.

Good luck to all!

Becky Underwood, Reporter

makers met on Monday, March 11th in the lovely lake home of Mrs. Johnnie B. Griffith. Mrs. Wynelle Brown presided over the meeting. Johnnie B. Griffith brought the devotional from Luke 18, verse 27 and Mark 9, verse 23.

Nancy Hendricks read the minutes of our last meeting. Roll call was answered by each one telling what we enjoy doing daily or our favorite color.

Wynelle Brown gave the treasurers report. Anna Laura Clearman gave the council report. Achievement Day will be May 1st at the Womens Club Building in Eastland. A covered dish luncheon will be at noon. At 1 p. m. Dr. Fred Cross of Stephenville will bring us up to date on how women can best protect themselves. A 4-H Fashion Show will be held May 25th at Cisco.

During our business meeting we voted to give \$100 each to both the Gorman and Carbon Fire Departments. We hope we can show them, in this small way, how much we appreciate the many times they help us. We also voted to give \$50 to the Cancer Society.

Bernice Rodgers gave a program on Looking Beautiful at Any Age. It was a good program that gave us a preview of our spring fashions.

Refreshments of chips, dips, cookies, and a salad plate and cold drinks were served.

Since it was Naoma Morrows birthday, she was presented a beautiful birthday cake after the members sang Happy Birthday.

Members present were Anna Laura Clearman, Naoma Morrow, Nancy Hendricks, Wynelle Brown, Bernice Rodgers, Johnnie B. Griffith, and guests, Jason and Corgy Rodgers. Our next meeting will be on April 8th to honor our local 4-H Club members. Visitors are welcome.

# CHIT CHAT

Mrs. Ruby Bennett and Mrs. Pearl Snell visited in Eastland with Mrs. Doris Bennett. Also Joe Lynn Bennett, Terry and Latricia and Shirley and Lafonda Broom of Odessa visited with them in Eastland.



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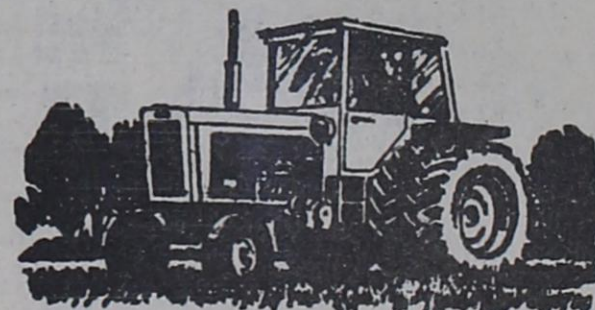
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**KOKOMO NEWS**

By Mrs. Zelda Jordan

A revival has been set to begin on Easter Sunday, April 7, and continue through April 14 at the Kokomo Baptist Church with services at 7:00 p. m. each night. The pastor, Bro. Clarence Wilson, will be the evangelist. Everyone is welcome, so mark your calendars and plan to attend.

Special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning was rendered by Sheri Blakney of Fort Worth and Joyce Mehaffey of Lubbock. Other visitors were Blanton Clearman of Lamesa, Jim Lewallen of Floydada, Barbara Bell of Denver City and Chad Eaton of Marble Falls. Michaelyn Eaves was presented a pin for 9 months perfect attendance at Sunday School by the pastor, Bro. Clarence Wilson. Michaelyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Eaves. Congratulations to you, Michaelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Lance, Layne and Lenny of Plains, visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Mrs. Gladys Morrow and Mrs. Alma Lee Creager and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris. Others visiting with them in the Morrow home were Mrs. Earlene Blakney of Lubbock, Sheri Blakney of Fort Worth, Mike Blakney, Joyce Mehaffey of Lubbock, and W. C. Morrow of Dallas. Other friends visiting with them were Charles and Carolyn Little, Daryl and Brenda Hirst, Ron and Pam Childers of Gorman, Lana and Lacy Sharp of Desdemona, and Helen and Woodrow Browning and the boys who visited with Lance, Layne and Lenny were Gary Browning, Lance Sharp, John Carter, Kevin Hirst, Alan Little, Steven Scitern, Cory Pack and Shane Caraway.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris hosted a family dinner at their home on Sunday for Larry, Paula, Lance, Layne, and Lenny Morrow of Plains, Ronnie, Leanna, Cory and Lacy Pack of Carbon, James, Jo, Jana and Jody Norris, Lisa and T. J. Davis of Rabger and Mrs. Alice Burleson of Gorman.

D. C. and Barbara Bell and Cirildo, Lupe and Junior Rios of Denver City visited during the weekend with Glenn and Zelda Jordan and Jim Lewallen. Bro. Joe O'Neal and Nancy Hendricks also visited in the Jordan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Scott of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Roy George of Haskell visited one day during the past week with their sister and brother-in-law, Bro. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Neal of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Clymer and Seth of Bay City and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman were weekend visitors with Mrs. Nancy Hendricks. Others visiting in the Hendricks home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Scott of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy George of

**CARD OF THANK**

We would like to thank Dr.'s N. and L. Aguila, nurses and staff in the caring of our loved one Elzie Powell.

Also a special thanks to our friends and neighbors for the lovely flowers, cards, prayers, food and many other expressions of sympathy in the passing of our loved one.

The Family of Elzie Powell

Louise and Bill Clark were weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. Rodger Blair, Billy and Scott, of Fort Worth.

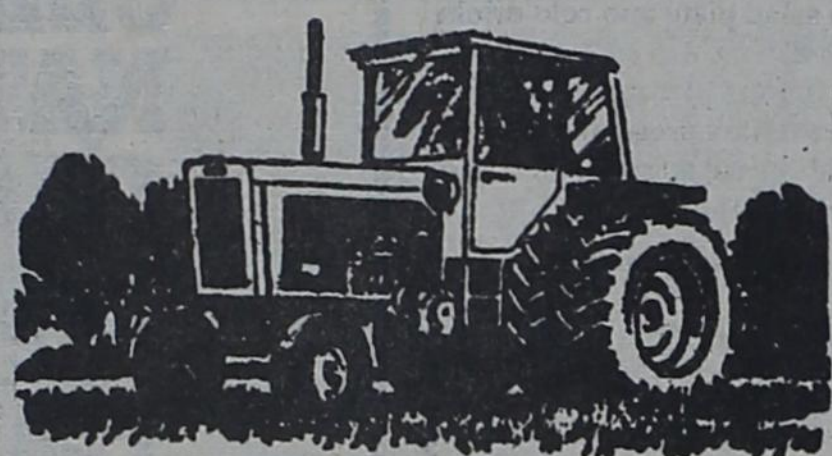
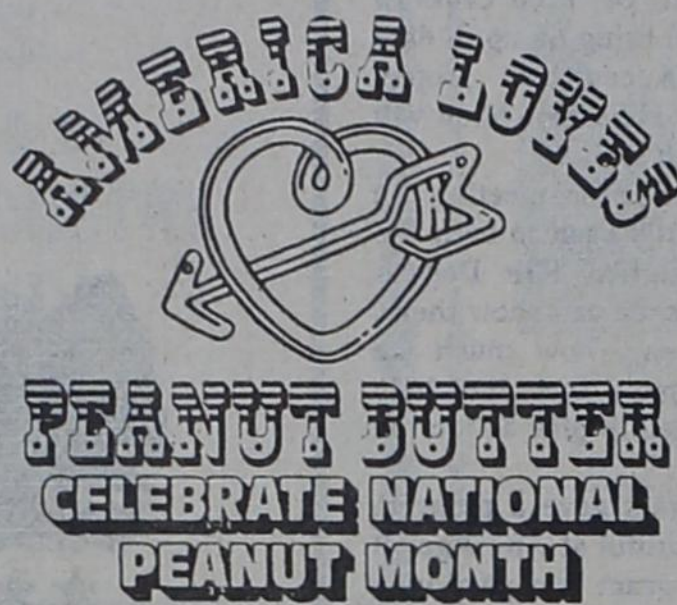
Haskell, Bro. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal, Mrs. Pauline Dennis and Mrs. Ester Bolt of Gorman, Barbara Bell of Denver City, Zelda Jordan, Hope Joiner and Mr. Lum Tuggle. Deanna Chupp of Houston and Ruth Spencer of San Antonio have been visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

**LOOK WHO'S NEW**

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shipp are the proud parents of a baby girl, Carrie Marie, born January 6, 1985, at 12:35 p. m. in Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. She weighed 3 lbs. 6 1/2 ozs. and was 15 inches long. She has dark hair and blue eyes.

Carrie Marie remained in the hospital for 4 weeks.

Proud maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Scott of Blum and proud paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hines of De Leon. Mrs. F. A. Scott of Whitney is the great-grandmother.

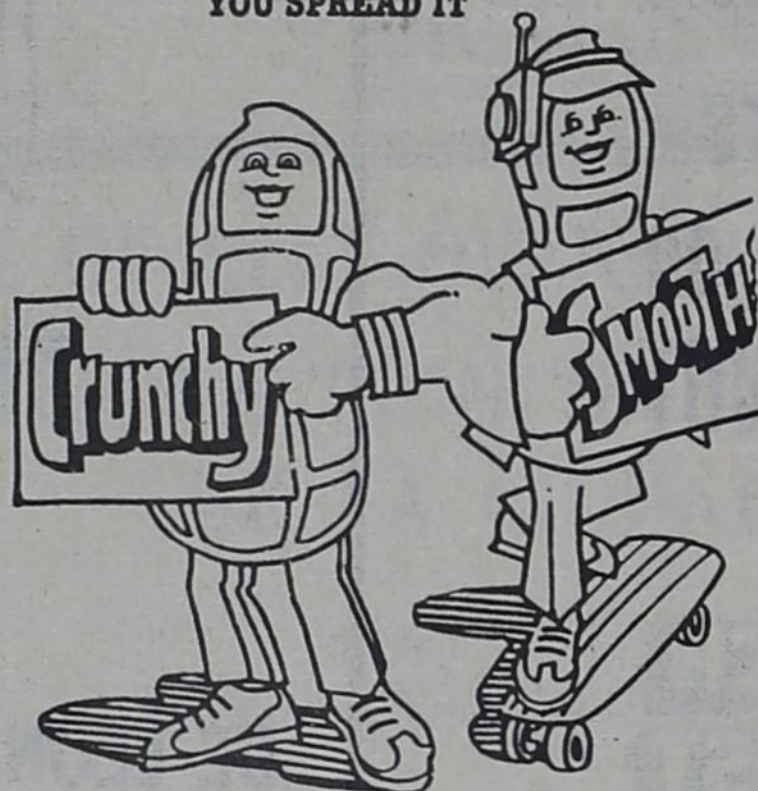


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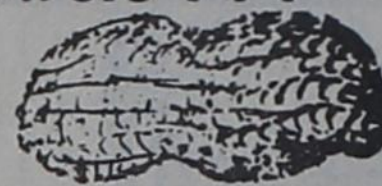
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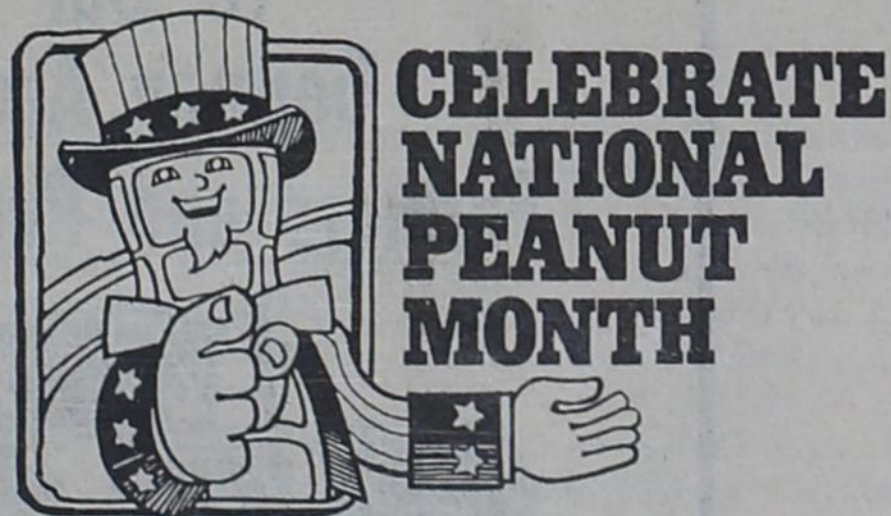
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