



PRESS POINTS
JOE BENNETT, Publisher

We were happy here with the cool breeze and the small amount of rain we received this week. We had prospects for a little more at press time on Wednesday. Maybe we will get some rain.

The report on the peanut crop continues to be bad but some were a little more hopeful after the rain we received recently if the peanuts could just have enough time to make. Some peanuts that have been combined already were reported better than last year because of better grade and quality. There was not as much quantity, but the quality was better. So maybe the peanuts that do make it will be better than most folks think because of the quality and grade.

The Panthers really took it on the chin at De Leon last Friday night. They were really outweighted and outclassed to a certain degree as the Bearcats had everybody well for the first time this season and were really ready for the Panthers. The Bearcats really rolled the first half but the Panthers made some adjustments at half and fairly well shut down the Bearcats the last half. But the Panthers just couldn't control the line of scrimmage and the offense really suffered due to the missed blocking assignments.

Maybe all the blocking and tackling assignments will be worked out this week as the Panthers will again be faced with a big team in the Glen Rose Tigers. They are winless this season but have a large size team. We feel the Panthers will really be prepared for this game and will get back in the winning bracket this Friday night at Brogdon Field.

Get 'Em Big Red!
Hope you are one of the lucky ones eligible to have your picture taken and receive one of the Hammer Pens being presented by the First National Bank of Gorman. Betty has been making the rounds with the camera-man to get all the pictures she can. Their ad in this week's Progress will explain more about the Hammer Pen campaign.

And remember to smile because God Loves You!

SCHOOL NEWS

SENIORS SELLING HOMECOMING MUMS

The Homecoming Class of Gorman High School are now selling mums for Homecoming! The standard mum is \$7.50, the double mum is \$18.00, and we also have a child's mum for \$4.50. If you would like a mum, see a senior or call Foster Floral.

CLASS OF 1970 PLAN CLASS REUNION

The graduating class of 1970 will hold a class reunion in the Currency Room of First National Bank Saturday October 4 at 4:00 p.m. All exes are urged to attend and bring family pictures, old school pictures or school annuals.

SECOND GRADE ANNOUNCES HALLOWEEN PROJECTS

Would you like to win a beef hind quarter, a \$50 savings bond, or a water color painting? If you would, contact a second grade student or the second grade teacher.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TO HOLD REVIVAL



Evangelist E. C. Chron from Dallas and singer Don Jackson from Duncanville will be preaching and singing in the fall revival at the Gorman First Baptist Church. Dates of revival are September 28 through October 2. Sunday services will be at 11:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. Weekday services will be at 12 noon and 7:00 P.M. There will be a covered dish luncheon each weekday at noon. (The church will furnish the meat). The Bible message will begin around 12:30.

Brother Chron has conducted over 200 revival campaigns. He was born in Ralls, Texas, born again in the FBC at Ralls. He served with the US Navy in WW II. He is married to the former Melba Joe Reinhard. They have 4 children. He pastored 10 years in Texas and Alaska. He was State Director of Missions and Evangelist for Alaska Baptist Convention for 4 years. He has been full-time evangelist since 1972. He is the author of "Praying the Prayer of Faith" and "On Course, Destination: Heaven."

School Menu

BREAKFAST

MONDAY: Pineapple juice dry cereal and milk.

TUESDAY: Orange juice, toast, jelly and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Applejuice buttered rice, toast and milk.

THURSDAY: Pineapple juice, sweet rolls and milk.

FRIDAY: Orange juice, hot cakes, sausage, syrup and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY: Pork patties, gravy, carrot and raisin salad, English peas, cobbler, milk and bread.

TUESDAY: Roast beef and gravy, creamed potatoes, hot rolls, green beans, cake squares and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Pimiento cheese sandwiches, vegetable soup, fruit, crackers, cookies and milk.

THURSDAY: Meat loaf, blackeyed peas, corn, bread pudding and milk.

FRIDAY: Sloppy Joes with french fries, salas, milk and ice cream.

HAM SALE

The Gorman 4-H and FFA groups will be selling country cured hams until October 13, 1980. These hams weigh between 16 - 18 pounds and will sell for \$1.65 a pound.

Order your hams today for Thanksgiving and Christmas to save. The price of hams will be going up greatly before Thanksgiving and Christmas so buy now and save. Hams will stay good if frozen. They are processed and cured by Columbia Packaging in Dallas, Texas, and are very high quality.

Proceeds will be used to purchase projects at the Eastland County Livestock Show in March. Help support our youth and save.

Orders will be taken at home football games or from any 4-H or FFA member or by calling Gary Underwood at 734-2505 or 639-2549.

Painting, by Bimbo Roberts, can be seen in the window at Lasater's Department Store. These money making projects are effects to support the second grade Halloween king and queen candidates Kevin Hirst and Sharla Clark. Money raised will be used for the second grade classroom.

Go! PANTHERS We're behind you

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Webb of Lubbock visited last week-



Brother Don Jackson was born in Fulton, Kentucky. He moved to Dallas in 1955, which is now home. He was educated at the University of Texas at Arlington, Murray University, Murray, Kentucky and Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth. He is married to the former Stella Gay of Dallas. They have 3 children. Don has served in the field of Sacred music for more than 21 years. He has been Minister of Music for some of the finest churches in Tennessee and Georgia, Kentucky and Texas. In 1980, he resigned at Minister of Music, FBC, Duncanville to enter the field of full time Music Evangelism. He received the award of Outstanding Young Men of America in 1971. He is a member of "The Singing Men of Texas".

The staff and members of FBC are working and praying toward a great spiritual working in our church, in our town, and our country. Everyone is cordially invited to the revival services.

FHA NEWS

The Gorman FHA Chapter met Wednesday September 17. The meeting began with our President, Kristy Barnett telling the members who were unable to attend our last meeting that Todd Anderson was elected to serve as FHA Chapter Beau. Then a treasury report was handed out by our treasurer - Lori Files.

For our program entertainment our President, Kristy Barnett and our encounter chairperson, Kayla Odell gave two very interesting talks. Kristy told us about her trip to St. Louis for the National meeting. From the way it sounded she had a blast. And for all of the hand work she put into it - she sure deserved it! Following Kristy's talk, Kayla gave an interesting demonstration and story on respecting the other person's self-concept and self-confidence. She pointed out that those little remarks - which we really don't mean sometimes - can affect the other person in the wrong way. We should be more careful of what we say and how we say it. Think about it.

To conclude our meeting, our Program Chairperson - Kathy Snider had planned a balloon bursting contest, and my team won! #1 Champs and FHA members - remember our next meeting October 15 at 3:00 P.M.

FOOTBALL MOMS MEET

The Football Boys Moms met and had a good time visiting with the new moms, and renewing acquaintances. Not all got to come, but a good time was had by all.

Moms will again have the red vests with son's number. So you moms who weren't there get your red vests.

Also decided to help the Cheerleaders on a project for the boys.

EVERYONE - Support the team. They are good bunch of boys who work and try hard. Give them a pat on the back not a put down. Wear Red to all the games and carry your Red Bandana to wave.

Go! PANTHERS We're behind you

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Webb of Lubbock visited last week-

Building Fund Started

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department has opened a building fund at First National Bank for their new building to be constructed soon to house the fire trucks.

Anyone who would like to make a contribution to this worthy project may do so by sending it to the Fire Department Building Fund at First National Bank. Any and all donations will be appreciated.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION TO BIRDSONG PEANUTS

Gorman Volunteer Fire Department wishes to thank Birdsong Peanuts for their generous donation of \$3,000 and continued support. These funds will be used to start a building fund account at First National Bank for a new fire station.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS AT BRIDE OF CHRIST FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

Larry Smith of Hassey will be preaching all this week at services at Bride of Christ Full Gospel Church in Gorman.

Services are at 7:30 p.m. each evening. W. D. Bailey, pastor extends a warm welcome to everyone to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this time to thank each and everyone for their wonderful support during the loss of my mother. It was such a great comfort when I returned home to the lovely flowers and plants, wonderful food and thoughtful cards. Also for all the encouraging phone calls. Everyones kind love help put things into perspective for me and I will always remember your love and concern. Thank you all. With all my heart.

With Love
Rita Higginbottom and family

CARD OF THANKS

We are thankful beyond words for all our friends and neighbors who were so good to us. During the illness and death of our love one R. M. Robbins. To those who visited him while he could enjoy them also to all the friends who helped in any way. Especially we thank the Doctors and nurses for their never tiring efforts. To Vicie Collins who sat with him we thank you. We thank Odell Carter and Rev. Marion Dennis for their beautiful words they gave us to remember. We thank the many friends for the lunch served us at recreation hall. Thank for the flowers, letters, cards and phone calls and your prayers most of all. We appreciated the singers that went with us more than words can tell.

May God shower blessings on each and everyone is our humble prayer.

Mrs. R. M. Robbins and Family

HOME COMING NEWS HOME COMING PLANS BEING FINALIZED

Everybody is getting excited as Homecoming Day approaches. All the officers and committees are busy getting everything ready for the best Homecoming ever.

We would like to impress on all our local exes how important it is for you to participate in all the activities. When you are there to welcome the ones coming home that makes them feel like their effort to make the trip home was well worth it.

It takes a lot of work to have a good program, so when you are asked to help out in anyway, please don't say no!

We will have more about our program in next weeks issue of the progress. Make your plans to take part in all the activities, beginning with the ballgame and after game reception Friday night.

Lottie Morris Reporter
end with Mrs. Olga Kinser and Mrs. Bert Poyner.

PANTHERS LOSE TO DELEON HOST GLEN ROSE FRIDAY

GAME AT A GLANCE

Gorman	De Leon
8 First Downs	20
130 Yds. Rushing	232
15 Yds. Passing	45
1 of 7 Passes Comp.	3 of 5
1 Interceptions	0
0 Fumbles Lost	1
3-45 Punts, Avg.	1-29
5-35 Penalties	3-35

The Gorman Panthers invaded the land of the Bearcats on Friday night in what was supposed to be a real battle in which the Panthers were slight favorites by most polls. However, the polls had failed to put into their computers that all the Bearcat players were healthy for the first time and were really ready to play the Panthers. The heavy Bearcat line just simply overpowered the Big Red line which were on the lighter side. The Panthers just could never take charge of the line of scrimmage. And before the night was over the Bearcats had completely dominated the Panthers by the margin of 21-6.

De Leon wasted little time in taking charge of the game as they took the ball on their first possession and moved 85 yards in 12 plays eating up all but 1:28 on the clock with VanZandt getting the TD on a 6 yard run. Walker kicked the point after and the Bearcats led 7-0.

The Bearcats did not move on their next possession, but after taking over on their own 47 on the next possession they moved the 53 yards to the goal line in just 5 plays featuring a 17 yard pass and a 15 yard run before a pass from Dennington to Edwin Hale for 14 yards scored the second Bearcat touchdown with time running out in the half. Jerry Walker added the point after and the Bearcats led 14-0 at the half.

THIRD GRADE CLASS FUND RAISING PROJECTS

The Third Grade Class has started two fund raising projects for their efforts in supporting their Halloween candidates, Lance Sharp and Kim Webb.

First project is a three foot tall life like plaster cheeta which will be on display in Lasater's Dept. Store window on Monday September 29.

The second project is all aluminum 5 speed, 48 inch four blade decorator ceiling fan by Encon. This fan is lightweight and easily in-



BIRDSONG PEANUTS MAKE CONTRIBUTION

Tom Birdsong, III, of Birdsong Peanuts is shown presenting a check of \$1,000.00 to Paula Morrow, President of Gorman P.T.O. and Jackie Frasier, Treasurer.

Mr. Birdsong stated in making the donation that he wished to get the newly organized P.T.O. started. The organization wishes to thank Mr. Birdsong for his generous donation and assure him that the money will be used in the schools in the best way possible to assist the most students.

Lottie Morris Reporter



FIRST LOAD OF PEANUTS THIS SEASON

Shown above is Ricky Fuller with his first load of peanuts taken from his field west of Gorman. The first load was taken to Smith Warehouse and Dryers. The Average Grade was 68 and had a net weight of 75.35 bushels per acre on a 60 acres of irrigated peanuts. The load was brought in on Thursday the 18th

De Leon got on the boards again with 2:55 left in the third period when they blocked a Panther punt and recovered it in the end zone for their final score. Walker again kicked the PAT and De Leon led 21-0.

The only bright spot for the Panthers came with 9:48 left in the final period when Jimmy Johnson ran 2 yards for a TD after the Panthers had took over following a high snap from the center to the De Leon punter on the 5 yard line. The pass try for

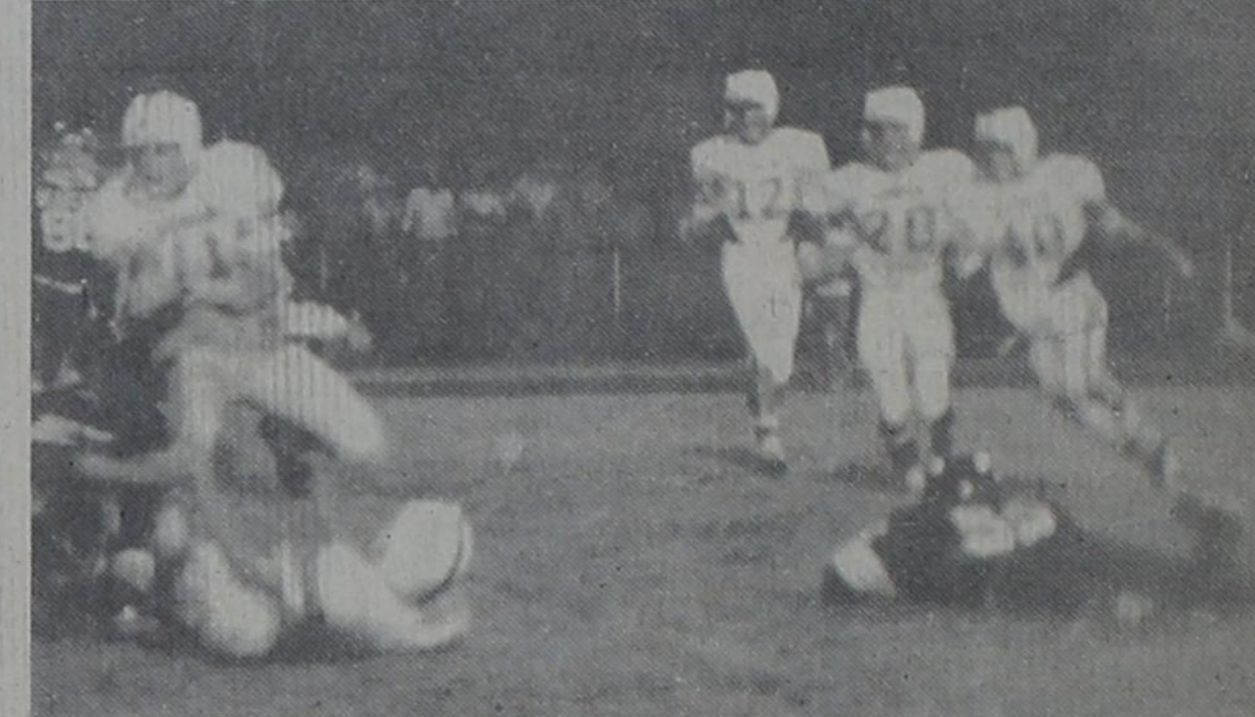
two points failed and the filan score read 21 to 6.

The Panthers changed the defense following the first half intermission and shut down the Bearcats the last half not allowing much offense as far as the Bearcats were concerned. But the Panthers couldn't muster an offensive threat and failed to win.

The leading ground gainer in the game was Jimmy Johnson with 109 yards on 27 carries. Jacky Johnson had 15 yards on 7 trips. Todd

Anderson had 4 on 1 try and Dane Gressett got 2 yards on one keeper.

The Big Red will have to regroup for their game this week with the Glen Rose Tigers at 8 p. m. Friday at Brogdon Field. The Tigers are winless this season so they will really be up for the game. The Panthers will do a lot of blocking assignments this week in preparation for this game and we look for the Panthers to get back on the winning side this week. So, Go Get 'Em Big Red!



SENIOR CLASS SELLING HOME COMING MUMS

Senior's will be selling Halloween candy starting Friday. The price is \$2.00 a

stalled. For more information on this item call Linda Stephens at 893-6766 or Martha Harrington, third grade teacher, a student or mother will be happy to explain the details of these projects. Proceeds from these projects will be used for third grade class room.



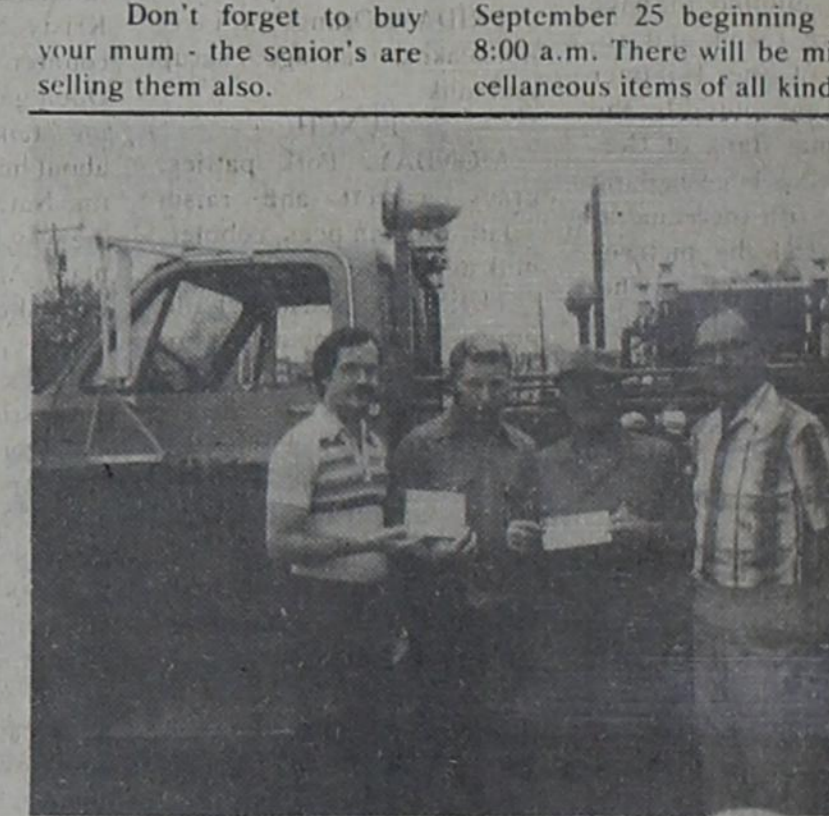
RECEIVING CERTIFICATE AND CHECK

Shown above is Doug Rainey and V. O. Huff accepting a certificate and check from the Eastland Co. Farm Bureau Ins. Co. after Doug completed a training at the Annual Texas Fireman's Training School held at Texas A&M University. Doug's trip was sponsored by the Eastland County Farm Bureau Insurance Co. which sends one fireman to the school each year. Doug also attended the Special Texas Farm Bureau Conference held during the school. Doug said, "I feel more men from our community should attend the excellent training school held each year. Also pictured in the picture are left to right: Joe Gosch, Eastland County Farm Bureau Agency Manager, Doug Rainey, Fireman, Fire Chief V. O. Huff, and Ernest Reich, President of the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

KINDERGARTEN CLASS TO SPONSOR GARAGE SALE SATURDAY

A Garage Sale will be held at The Nut House, Saturday, September 25 beginning at 8:00 a.m. There will be miscellaneous items of all kinds.

Don't forget to buy your mum - the senior's are selling them also.



Also the homecoming dinner tickets are on sale. They are \$4.00 for 12 and older ticket, and \$2.50 for a child's plate. See a senior now!

Homecoming

Gorman High School Homecoming Saturday, October 4.

Telephone Number for Ambulance Service 734-2297

Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets the 1st Monday each month at 7:30 P.M.

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Church of Christ at Rucker urges all Church of Christ people to meet with them each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Charles Marsh of Arlington preaches every 2nd Sunday and Johnny Snow of Abilene preaches every 4th Sunday.

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YARD SALE: Friday and Saturday, September 26-27 (if not raining) at the home of E. R. Halcomb, Desdemona Hwy. House No. 707. Clothes and misc items, Living Room suite, Box springs and mattress, Electric stove top, almost new sink faucets. 734-2327. 1-9-25 P.

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday at the Ralph Hudson home on Crescent Street, 3 house south of the Ina Foster apartments. Toys, drapes, clothes, odds and ends. one time

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KOKOMO NEWS
by Zelda Jordan

The weatherman says cooler weather and possibility of showers this week, and we hope he is right.

Recent visitors with Bro. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal were her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Roy George of Farmersville. The Georges also visited with a friend, Mrs. Rhodes in Lawndale at Gorman.

Alma Lee Creager of Levelland is visiting with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow.

Mr. Joe Fields, Michael and Caylea of Madisonville
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and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nachtigall, Taylor and Trevis of Morgan Mill were recent visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fields and family have just moved to Madisonville from near Livingston. Joe has been promoted to superintendent of a gasoline plant at Madisonville. Our congratulations to Joe and family and we wish them the very best in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Revise Laminack, Chris and Mindy have moved to Albany wehre Revise is employed by Haliburton Co. We miss them in our community, but wish them the very best in their new home.

Bro. and Mrs. Randy McDonald and Shea of Duncanville were recent visitors

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in the Glenn Jordan home.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and their daughter, Mrs. Roy Buchanan of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbourne Wood and Mrs. Floyd Wood of Carbon were in Carlsbad, N.M. from Thursday until Saturday to be with their sister and aunt, Mrs. C. G. (Bunk) Wheeler and family and attend the funeral for Mr. C. G. (Bunk) Wheeler on Friday. Mrs. Floyd Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbourne Wood spent Saturday night in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wood and family.

Mr. Glenn Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen of Floydada visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Treadway and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treadway.

Jamie Lewallen of Floydada spent Thursday night with the Glenn Jordans and the Jim Lewallens. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen returned to their home in Floydada with Jamie on Friday after a two weeks' visit in the Jordan home. Mrs. Dora Garrett and Mr. Jim Jordan visited with the Jordans and Lewallens on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett of Lake Leon spent Saturday with Mrs. Dora Garrett. They visited with their brother, Mr. Jim Jordan in the afternoon.

Mrs. Dora Garrett was a dinner guest of Mrs. Mamie Little on Sunday and they visited with Mrs. Verna Lasater of De Leon in the afternoon, and also visited with Mrs. W. F. Bryant at her home.

Mrs. Cullen Rodgers, Mrs. J. C. Clearman, Mrs. J. L. Morrow, Mrs. Alma Lee Creager and Mrs. Glenn Jordan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rollins on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Odie Rodgers visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers and family of Brownwood and spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers and Jonna at Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles and Robert, Joe and Sheri visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and enjoyed a trip to Six Flags on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham and their daughter, Mrs. Connie Weidner and Cory of McAlester spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Esther Graham and they all went to Monahans on Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tuxhorn and family of Cristoval. Mrs. Graham returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves spent Sunday night and Monday in Denton with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Eaves.

Mrs. Claude Fuller took Bro. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal to Abilene on Tuesday for Mrs. O'Neal to see an eye doctor.

GRANT TOWN SETS PLAY DAY SUNDAY
The Grant Town Riding Club will have a Jackpot Playday Sunday, September 28, 1980, at 1:30 P.M. in Mingus, Texas. The rain date will be the following Sunday. A gift certificate will be given to the top ten contestants at the October Playday. Points will be carried over from each playday and the persons having the most points will be awarded the certificates at the end of the October Playday. There will be four

LOCALS
Saturday night visitors with Ruby Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynn Bennett, Latricia and Terry Lynn of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett of Eastland, Mrs. Pearl Snell of Carbon and Velma Bennett of Gorman. classes: Pee Wee, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. Entry Fee will be \$3.00 per event with \$2.00 going to the Jackpot. The concession stand will be open for your convenience.

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MORNING WORSHIP 10:45 A.M.
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SENIOR CITIZENS

Well, that elusive moisture is still passing us by. Tho just think that tomorrow (Monday) Fall begins. So we will be glad to bid that terrific hot dry summer a final goodbye and do not want to welcome such one.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of James Rhodes, a resident of Lawndale. He was an oil field retired worker. He was an oil retired worker. Also to the family of Lonzo Melton, a next door neighbor of mine here in Lawndale. He had lived in the Chaney Community all of his life and was a farmer. I have known Lonzo many years. He was an honest upright man and will be missed by his many friends.

I notice where an awful explosion happened at Olathe, Kan. Saturday night. It was an air base there in War II. I just wonder if it was a Bomb from that period that exploded. Floyd Eison and I spent a night there in Nov. 1943. We'll tell next week.

The Senior Citizens new Center, the former King Theater is such a nice place to meet now. So many have put in many, many hard hours of free labor on it.

People are complaining about high prices. During the Boom here I worked as a Roustabout for 50 cents an hour. Ten hours per day, seven days per week. Eggs \$1 a dozen, fryers on foot for \$1; sugar 80 cent a pound; butter \$1; bacon 60 cents; gasoline 35 cents. We did not know then that drip gas would burn.

I remember that five months ago today was the last time I played dominoes at the old Gulf station. Yesterday my daughter, Betty of Albany, drove to town and I went along for the ride. I saw Little David (Jack Mauney), Carter Wright, Bookie the Bull man, Dr. Lonnie Hampton, Archie (Rockefeller) Skaggs. They wanted me to play. I told them "no competition". I had to get back home for my soap and crackers, etc. Tho it was wonderful to shake the hands of such friends again. You know the hand that "Rocks the Cradle" can rule or ruin a nation.

Americans should read the papers and study the facts. Listen to the new and learn what is happening. Tho remember most news reporters are extra liberal.

Get in there Big Red. When you play in your class we are ready to climb those "Golden Stairs".

Look up, Smile, it is the best thing to kill a frown. So try it.

The Rambler Reporter
—GP—

RUTH DUNN — HELEN CHANDLER HONORED AT CHAPTER TEA

On Sunday afternoon September 7, Gorman Chapter No. 443 hosted a tea in the Currency Room of First National Bank for Mrs. Ruth Dunn, Deputy Grand Matron and Mrs. Helen Chandler, Lets Get Together Committee.

The tea table, covered with yellow satin and a white lace overlay, featured a beautiful arrangement of silk flowers and silver candelabra with candles and flowers carrying out the colors of the Order. Cookies, minted pecan halves, salted peanuts and frozen fruit punch were served.

Guests registered from Richardson, Gainesville, Copperas Cove, Ft. Worth, Stephenville, Dublin, De Leon, Desdemona, Strawn, Ranger, Eastland and Gorman.

—GP— PEANUTS ABANDONED OR BALED

What does a peanut producer do if he decides to abandon or bale peanuts? First, he needs to visit the county office and file an application for disaster credit on Form ASCS 574. If the peanuts are going to be baled, arrangements for an appraisal of the potential production prior to the time the peanuts are baled should be made.

—GP—

In old Germany it was illegal to tie nine knots in anything.

FOOTBALL 1980



GORMAN PANTHERS



VS.

GLEN ROSE TIGERS

8.00 P. M.

Sept. 26

Brogdon Field

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

SEPT. 5 - GORMAN 30- HICO 6
SEPT. 12 - DUBLIN 30 - GORMAN 24
SEPT. 19 - DE LEON 21 - GORMAN 6
SEPT. 26 - Glen Rose H - 8:00
OCT. 3 - Loraine (Homecoming) H - 8:00
OCT. 10 - Evant T - 7:30
OCT. 17 - Lometa H - 7:30
OCT. 24 - Rising Star T - 7:30
OCT. 31 - Goldthwaite T - 7:30
NOV. 7 - Blanket H - 7:30

JUNIOR HI

SEPT. 25 - Rising Star - There

FOOTBALL

OCT. 9 - Evant - Here

SCHEDULE

OCT. 16 - Lometa - There

OCT. 23 - Rising Star - Here

OCT. 30 - Goldthwaite - Here

NO.	NAME	POS.	WT.
10	Scotty Mauney	E	135
11	Jimmy Johnson	B	170
12	Dane Gressett	B	135
20	Jacky Johnson	B	155
22	David Pettit	B	125
23	Eddie Pettit	B	115
24	Greg Skiles	B	150
31	Luis DeLaTorres	B	140
33	Tod Anderson	B	170
37	Steve Spivey	B	135
40	Ray Bond	B	150
45	Juan Pacheco	B	130
50	Brad Lewis	G	145
51	Curtis Warren	C	200
55	Mike Jones	G	135
60	Andy Kinsler	G	190
61	Harvey Bryan	G	160
62	Johnny Trevino	G	170
63	Phillip Osborne	C	165
65	Richard Summers	G	145
66	Darrell Savage	G	175
70	Bob Hagood	T	170
74	Ricky Files	T	150
75	Jimmy Turner	T	130
76	Bill Crain	T	225
78	Royce Ridens	T	130
80	Jeff Seaton	E	125
81	Mark Swanner	E	150
84	Darren Clark	E	110
86	Ted Underwood	E	170
88	Mark Watson	E	105

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Dail Ables,
Dudley McCarty

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Bill Sandlin

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GORMAN PROGRESS, SEPT. 25, 1980

James Rhodes Laid to Rest on Sunday

James Arthur Rhodes, 84, of Gorman, a retired oil field gauger, died at 10:45 p.m. Friday September 19, 1980 in Blackwell Hospital after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Jimmy Fitzhugh of De Leon officiated. Burial was in Gorman Cemetery.

Born February 10, 1896, in Hassé, he was a retired oil field gauger for Atlantic Richfield. He married Bessie Kay Britton on March 1, 1924, in Ranger. He was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jack Rhodes of Stephenville; two daughters, Marie Rhodes of McCamey

and Alma Dickerson of Gorman; a brother, Mart Rhodes of McCamey; a sister, Dollie Jared of Odessa; 12 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by six brothers and three sisters.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

—GP—

"La Marseillaise," the French national anthem, was written during the French Revolution in response to a remark that French soldiers had no spirited marching song.

Last Rites L. E. Melton on Tuesday

RANGER — L.E. Melton, 86, a lifetime resident and farmer in the Chaney community, died at 7:20 p.m. Sunday September 21, 1980 in Ranger General Hospital after a brief illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Eastside Baptist Church, directed by Killingsworth-Ed-

Services for C. Wheeler in Carlsbad

Cecil Gale Wheeler of Carlsbad, N. M. died September 16, 1980 in Carlsbad, N.M.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m. Friday, September 19 in Fox & Lake Church of Christ. Interment was in Carlsbad Cemetery.

Mr. Wheeler was born Mach 14, 1904 in Ranger. Mr. Wheeler was a miner at P.C.A. and retired in 1969.

wards Funeral Home.

The Rev. Gary Speer officiated. Burial was in Alameda Cemetery.

Born October 12, 1893, in Mississippi, he married Beulah Weeks in July, 1911. She died November 3, 1975. He was a member of the Eastside Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Curtis of Altaloma, Jay of Stephenville and Odis of Cisco; two daughters, Mrs. Velma Carr of Gorman and Mrs. Dorothy Crouch of Malahoff; 17 grandchildren; and 34 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a brother, L. Z., in 1963.

LIONS HOST THIRD ANNUAL BENEFIT BOWL SATURDAY

The Lions Club of Zone 9 will play host to the Third Annual Lions Benefit Bowl at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Buckaroo Stadium in Breckenridge. The game will feature the defending National Champion Ranger Junior College Rangers against the undefeated Cisco Junior College Wranglers. All proceeds will go to the Lions charities.

The Rangers have won the two previous Benefit Bowls and carry the nation's longest winning streak of 22 games into the contest. They are three wins against no losses this year and have yet to be scored upon. Their victories have been against Cameron State JV - 42-0, Cowley County - 10-0, and McMurry JV - 52-0.

Cisco comes into the match with wins over McMurray JV and UT-Arlington JV. They lost to Ranger in last year's Bowl by a score of 31-0 but finished the season against Ranger by coming within one point of the Rodeo Bowl-bound Rangers before falling 7-6 in the toughest match of the year.

The Benefit Bowl is once again being sponsored by the Lions Club of Cisco, Ranger, Breckenridge, Strawn and Carbon. Lions charities that will benefit from the game will be the Lions Camp for Crippled and Diabetic Children, the Lions Eye Bank and the Lions-Care and Lions Foundation.

a sister Hazel Lewis of Phoenix, Arizona; 14 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

—GP—

Sgt. John Edward Clark of Fort Rucker, Alabama visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield. He is on leave from the U.S. Army and will be re-assigned to Korea.



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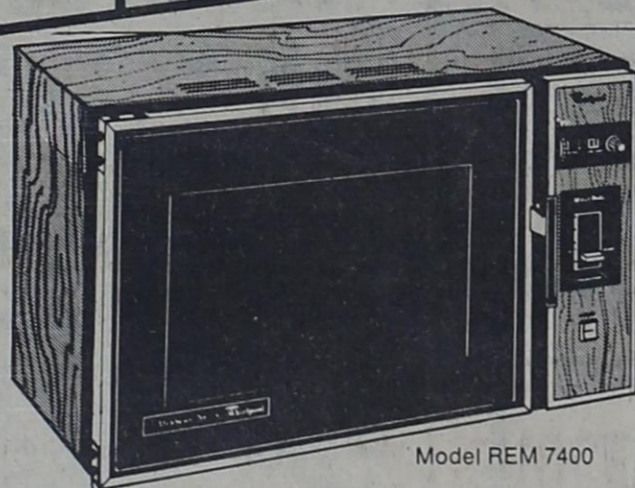
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