

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET SLATED MARCH 20

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 Chamber of Commerce.

Speaker for this year's event will be George Brazell of Desdemona.

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 20, 1986 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. There will also be entertainment provided during the dinner hour.

Awards to be given during the banquet will be the Farmer of the Year for 1985 and the Community Service Award for 1985. The awards are given to deserving individuals each year and are the highlight of the evening.

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 be available at the door, also. Tickets are available from the following:

Foster Floral or Gene Foster
Gorman Progress or Joe Bennett
Gorman Pharmacy
Lasater's Dept. Store or Brent Lasater
Brown's Feed Store
Henderson's Quickway & Deli
Citizen's State Bank or Kay Henry
Sunbelt Savings
Birdsong Peanuts
A.O. Easley Trucks or Tommy Harrison
Clark Construction or Tommy Clark
Fred Rogers
Brenda Hirst

Mark this date and time on your calendar as this is an event you will want to attend.

Gospel Meeting

The Church of Christ has planned a "Gospel Meeting" for March 23-26. Milton Caraway (formerly of DeLeon, Tx.) will be the speaker.

Services will be at 7:00 p.m. each evening.



Mr. Brazell was the speaker for last year's Banquet and was asked to return by popular demand. Mr. Brazell has a number of addresses he uses at different functions, each with a good message, so we know you will enjoy him this year as much as you did last year. He is currently a Professor of Psychology and Sociology at Cisco Junior College. 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 counseling 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 Lion's Club.

Brazell speaks with a combination

Deane Christian New Adminstrator at Canterbury Villa

Deane Christian is the new administrator of the Canterbury Villa of Gorman. She was born on September 14, 1926 in Coryell County and came to Erath County in June 1933 where she has lived until she moved to De Leon when she began her work at the Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Gorman on February 3, 1986.

For the past 22 years she has worked in Nursing Homes and is also an LVN.

In September 1975 she graduated from Palo Pinto General Hospital in Mineral Wells and was awarded the Florence Nightgale Award for the Most All Around Nurse and is a member of the Tri-County League of Vocational Nurses.

In September 1981, Deane received her Nursing Home Administrators License and holds an Associate Degree in Nursing Home Administration and Long Term Care.

She is the widow of the late V. O. (Jones) Christian of Lingleville and the mother of two children.

She is Baptist and a member of the Southern Baptist Church of Round Grove which her son pastors.



Eastland Co. Livestock Show Friday & Saturday in Eastland PROGRAM

Thursday, March 13, 1986

8:00 a.m. — Weigh market hogs by aisles starting on South side
1:00 p.m. — Judging Dairy Goats
3:30 p.m. — Judging Breeding Swine
5:00 p.m. — Judging Market Swine

Friday, March 14, 1986

9:00 a.m. — Judging Dairy Cattle
10:00 a.m. — Rabbit Show
11:00 a.m. — Broiler Show
1:00 p.m. — Judging Angora Goats
2:00 p.m. — Judging Breeding Sheep
5:00 p.m. — Judging Market Lambs

Saturday, March 15, 1986

9:00 a.m. — Judging Beef Cattle
11:00 a.m. — Judging Market Steers
12:00 p.m. — Start Removal of All Non-Sale Animals
7:00 p.m. — Auction and Presentation of Special Awards

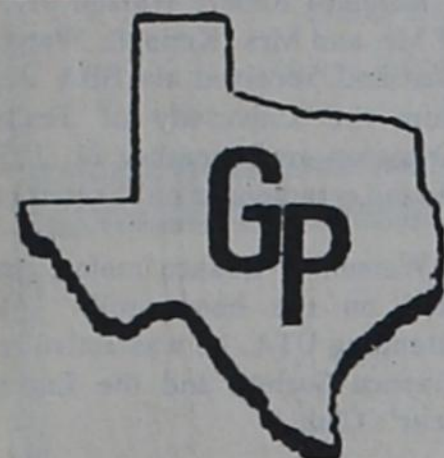
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NUMBER SIX

Gorman, Eastland County, Texas 76454

MARCH 13, 1986



Press Points
Joe Bennett, Publisher

—J—

We received a little rain here on Tuesday afternoon, and luckily, we missed any of the damaging hail that other parts of the big country received. In places hail as big as golf balls and baseballs was reported. Also a few funnel clouds were reported, with one being sighted a few miles northwest of Desdemona, which did not touch ground. Anyway we were happy for the rain that we did get, and very thankful that we did not get the damaging hail that our area experienced last year that played havoc with a large portion of the area.

—J—

The Chamber Banquet is expected to draw a very large crowd again this year as the Chamber honors the Farmer of the Year and awards the Community Service Award to highlight the evenings activities. Also highlighting the evening will be the delicious meal catered by Oscar's of Cisco, and the humorous words of George Brazell, who entertained the folks so very well last year. George has a variety of programs to use and promises a different one from last year's event, which is expected to be as great or better than the previous one. The price of tickets has been held at \$5 each so that all folks in this area can afford to attend this most important occasion in our city.

—J—

The Second Friday Night Musical is slated for Friday night at the usual place and time, and a lot of musicians and music lovers are expected to attend.

—J—

There will be a meeting of folks who are interested in the well being of our city and area on Thursday evening at the Senior Citizens Center. Plans are to be discussed for an event to bring people to town for Easter. The meeting is slated for 7 p. m. tonight, Thursday. Merchants and business people should be present at this meeting to help in the promotion of our town.

—J—

Larry Stewart has told us that he has received about 15 or more calls from folks interested in promoting peanuts in our area maybe through a "Peanut Festival" of some kind. We have also received several calls here at the office. Most of the callers really seem interested in getting something like this started. If interest continues to grow for this idea, then I am sure that a meeting will be set up to check out the ideas of folks who are interested enough in the promotion of peanuts to put forth some untiring efforts and time to promote our most important industry product in this area. Keep the calls coming in and maybe soon we can call an organizational meeting to discuss further plans.

—J—

Received the following letter a day or so ago:

Dear Joe

Here is the money for my subscription for the year; but you didn't put the sales tax on it so I am adding 51 cents. I think that was what it was last year. If there is no tax now just keep it to help pay for mailing it each week.

Would like to ask a question. When will the class of 1937-38 have their 50th anniversary? In Sept. of 1987 or Sept. 1988? I would like to come home for it. It was nice to read about Dorothy Hatcher in Feb. 27 paper.

Sincerely,

Medadell Williams

P.S.: I have my first grandchild, a little girl, Nicole, born November 22, 1985.

Thanks for the note Medadell. I am not sure about your class reunion, but I bet that your classmates will see this and maybe they will get in touch with you to set something up. I'm sure it would be great for all you "kids" to get

ALL-DISTRICT TEAM NAMED IN DISTRICT 29-A

GIRLS

MVP - Paige Clawson, Soph., May. First Team - Sissy Burnett, Sr., May; Jackie Harris, Soph., Rising Star; Amy Norris, Sr., Carbon; Sherly Higgins, Sr., Sidney; Dawn Strength, Sr., Cross Plains. Second Team - Michelle Prater, Sr., Cross Plains; Crissy Moore, Sr., May; Jacque Horne, Sr., Gorman; Laura Bearden, Jr., Rising Star; Melissa Montgomery, Fr., Cross Plains.

BOYS

MVP - Hall Redfearn, Sr., Carbon, First Team - Tony Evans, Sr., Cross Plains; Elgin Katt, Soph., Cross Plains; David White, Soph., Rising Star; Chad Kilgo, Soph., May; Shannon Bond, Soph., Carbon; David Gibbs, Jr., Gorman. Second Team - Todd Redfearn, Jr., Carbon; Brian Thompson, Sr., May; Terry Barker, Jr., Rising Star; Rhett Harrison, Sr., Gorman; Dennis Hagan, Sr., Carbon.

COMMODITIES

Commodities for Gorman and Desdemona will be given out as follows:

Gorman, Wednesday, March 19, 1986 from 2:30-3:30 p.m. Any new ones to sign up for commodities may sign up from 3:15-3:30.

Desdemona, Thursday, March 20, 1986 from 3:45-4:15 p.m. Anyone wishing to sign up can call Brenda Walton at 758-2604.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Lois Robinson
Center Director

together again. Also since you mentioned being a "grandmaw", I am expecting to be a "grandpaw" any time now. They say it is great, and the wife and I can hardly wait.

Maybe we will have some good news next week.

—J—

Things are settling down some here since the closing, and opening, of the local bank. The old bank ended operation on Thursday, February 27 (not the 6th as this dumb reporter stated in last weeks article), and then opened as Citizens State Bank on Friday, February 28th (not the 7th). Anyway, folks have been assured that their accounts are still intact and still insured under FDIC, as always, and that the checks they have with First National Bank printed on them will be honored until new checks can be issued with Citizens State Bank on them. Anyway, things seem to be returning to normal at the bank and the coffee pot is still on, so folks at the bank urge everyone to drop by for a cup of coffee and get acquainted with the new officials.

The way things have been going in agriculture the past few years its surprising that even more banks in the ag belt have not went under. The way some business places continue to close down on account of the economic situation, it is very possible that some more banks could go.

—J—

There were a lot of poor souls (or bottoms) hit the floor of the gym on Monday night as the Donkeys came to town to entertain folks with a donkey ball game. The report of a good crowd with good proceeds will make the ones with broken bones and spirits feel a lot better, knowing they gave their all for a good cause. We saw the donkeys leaving town on Tuesday, and they seemed to be in pretty good shape. And who knows, maybe the riders will be able to be up and about in a few more weeks.

—J—

We are glad to have the insert for Sav-On-Foods back in the paper this week after being out for last week. Several folks were asking us where the Save-On insert went. Anyway, its back in the paper again this week, along with all the other ads, etc. of business firm in this area.

—J—

We do wish to apologize to the folks at the bank for getting the dates messed up in the article on the bank in last weeks issue. But as hectic as things were the past couple of weeks I guess we were lucky to have gotten the paper out at all.

—J—

And remember to smile - - because God Loves You!

FIVE FILE FOR PLACE ON SCHOOL BOARD

There are a total of five candidates who have filed for places on the upcoming school ballot in the election to be held on Saturday, April 5th with polls to be in the High School Library from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

The newest name added to the list is that of Rodney Stephens. Others on the ballot will be Dale Curb, Larry Campbell, and Terry Clark seeking election for full term positions, and Windell Treadway, who is a candidate to fill a two-year term.

Absentee voting will be March 17th through April 1st. at the Superintendents office from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

BRENT FOSTER FUND

A fund has been established at the Sun Belt Savings for Brent Foster. The donations will go to help pay expenses incurred by the family during Brent's treatments for kidney failure in Abilene.

Brent must travel to Abilene three times a week for dialysis treatments. He is not able to work during this time.

Dialysis treatments cost \$35,000.00 per year. The family has some insurance but it does not cover many of the related expenses. All donations are greatly appreciated.

ATTENTION!!!

There will be a Red Bean and Stew supper at Canterbury Villa Thursday night at 6:00 p.m. There will be entertainment, Red beans, stew, cornbread and salad.

Please come bring a salad and eat for \$1.50.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

ATTENTION: We the Seniors of '86 are working hard trying to earn enough money to go to Florida on our Senior Trip. We have one MAJOR problem that only you can help us with. Were overloaded on Panther Cushions. We desperately need to sell 150 cushions to break even. Please help send a Senior to Florida, buy a cushion at a new low price of \$5.00. Call any Senior or Mary McCormick at 734-2024. We DELIVER.

The City Commission will meet at 8:00 a.m. on March 20, 1986.

The 55 ALIVE Driving Class will begin at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 13 in the Senior Center.

American Cancer Society -- Volunteers needed for Cancer drive in Gorman for April 5th thru 10th. Call Blackwell Hospital at 734-2294.

On Tuesday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. at the Eastland Fire Department. Representative Daniel Martin of National Weather Service will put on a Weather Watch School for any interested party in Eastland County. Everyone is urged to attend.

The Gorman PTO is collecting recipes for a new PTO Cookbook. If you have any recipes you would like used in the cookbook, please turn them in to Frances Warren, Rt. 1 - Box 60, Gorman, or at Gorman East End Co-op.

SENIOR CLASS TO HOLD TALENT SHOW, Friday, March 21st at the High School Auditorium. Anyone interested please call Ida Chandler at 734-2782.

Need A Ride? First Baptist Church Van runs at 9:30 a.m. for Sunday School and 5:45 p.m. for Sunday Evening Services. Call the Church at 734-2420. Everyone Welcome.

South Eastland County Hospital District Tax Office at Blackwell Hospital is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 a.m. til noon and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

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

Gorman Housing Authority Board will meet the Second Tuesday of each month at 2:00 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.

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

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

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FOR SALE: Square bales - fertilized Costal Hay. Stan Clark, 734-2598. 9-12-FNC.

FOR SALE: Have a few, good, old time pocket watches. Jesse Powell, 893-2635. 9-12-FNC.

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De Leon, Texas 76444
3-21-FNC.

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3-2-2 in 2.25 acres on Desdemona Highway just outside the city limits. No payment for owners equity, pay off bank note. Call 915-695-3665. 9-5-FNC.

FOR SALE, TRADE OR LEASE IN FLOWER MOUND: 2200 sq. ft. home with detached Garage converted to office, large back porch, wood fenced back yard, 2 full baths, fireplace, sunken living room. Call 214-539-0277 or 734-2410. 11-21-FNC.

FOR RENT: Mobile Home, fully furnished, 3 bedroom, close to school. Call 734-2754 or 893-2097. 1-17-FNC.

Custom Draperies Made: No Labor Charge when fabrics, etc., are bought from our store. Free estimates. **W. H. Smith Dept. Store**, Phone 893-2135. 5-26-FNC.

ELECTRICAL WORK WANTED: Call 734-2954 after 5:30 p.m. Donald Laminack 2-14-fn

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1-6-FNC.

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LVN's and RN's WANTED for full or part-time positions at Blackwell Hospital. Contact Director of Nursing at 734-2294 ext. 136 or apply in person. 4-3-13c

HOUSE FOR SALE TO BE MOVED 2 bedroom and bath house to be moved. Call 734-2410 or 734-2401 after 6 p. m.

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(Political advertising charged for at a rate of \$1.74 per column inch.)

Any political advertising reflecting adversely upon the character of a person will be refused.

The Gorman Progress is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries on May 3 and June 7, 1986.

House of Representatives:

District 17:

CHARLES STENHOLM

(re-election)

District 65:

JIM PARKER

(re-election)

District 65:

JOSEPH B. SWANNER

Republican

State Representative

District 65

JOHN NEVILL

County Judge:

SCOTT BAILEY

(re-election)

District Clerk:

MARY JANE ROWCH-BROWN

(re-election)

District Attorney:

EMORY C. WALTON

(re-election)

County Clerk:

JOANN JOHNSON

(re-election)

SHERY STAGGS-JOHNSON

County Treasurer:

BETTY CROSS

RITA REID BYRD

RUTH PUGLIESE

County Commissioner:

Precinct No. 2:

PAT MOSELEY

END OF SEASON SALE: 1/2 PRICE on Fruit Trees, Roses, Shade Trees, Grape Vines. Western Schley Pecan Trees - 1/2 Price. Womack Nursery, halfway between De Leon and Gorman on Highway 6. 2-3-13

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom home with 2 - 200 ft. lots, 1100 sq. ft. red brick, 310 Pershing St. 4 years old. \$40,000. Eddie Jo West Leach, Apt. 26 Brandon Place. 2-3-20 C.

HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER: 2 bedrooms, extra large corner lot. Call after 6:00 p.m. - 734-2126. 3-6-FNC.

MOVING SALE NOW UNDERWAY at Brandon Place No. 46. Furniture, air conditioner, plants, misc. items. 1-3-13 P.

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EQUIPMENT AUCTION AT LAUGHLIN EQUIPMENT CO., Morgan Mill, Texas. Saturday, March 15, 10:30 a.m. Selling two large groups of repossessed equipment - 1 Farmer selling out. Lots of late model John Deere equipment. 4250 JD Tractor, 6620 JD Combine, 430 JD Baler, 1219 JD Cutter and lots more. Several other tractors, lots of irrigation equipment, good hay equipment, pickups and trucks, lots of nice shop tools, peanut equipment and much more. Sale by L&L Auction Co., TXS-0171265, Phone 817-968-4963. 1-3-13 C.

FOR SALE: The City of Gorman is taking bids on the 1979 Police car. It needs some work. Will be sold as is. Can be seen in front of Chief Funderburgh's house. Will take bids until 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 20. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids. 1-3-13 C.

HAVE YOU HEARD?

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Phone Numbers of Importance Listed

Senator Bob Glasgow (D-Stephenville) stated today that he would like to make all of his constituents aware that the Texas Legislature, as well as certain other State agencies, is obtaining a new telephone system. "In view of this," stated Senator Glasgow, "I would like to advise my constituents of the current mailing address and telephone numbers of each of my offices."

SENATE CAPITOL OFFICE
Senator Bob Glasgow
P.O. Box 12068, Capitol Station
Austin, Texas 78711
telephone: 512/463-0122

DISTRICT OFFICE
Senator Bob Glasgow
6410 Southwest Blvd., Suite 107
Fort Worth, Texas 76109
telephone: 817/763-0259

OTHER NUMBERS OF INTEREST
Mark White, Governor of Texas
512/463-2000.
William P. Hobby, Jr., Lt. Governor 512/463-0001.
Gib Lewis, Speaker of the House 512/463-1000.
REPRESENTATIVE SENATORIAL DIST. 22
Jim Parker 512/463-0644.

UNIRRIGATED PEANUT LAND FOR RENT: 78.9 acres produced 54,000 pounds in 1985. 2 miles west of town on highway 6. W. T. Shell, Box 494, Gorman, Texas 76454, Phone 817-734-2925. 1tc

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NOTICE

On February 27, 1986, First National Bank, Gorman, Texas, was closed by the Comptroller of the Currency, and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) was appointed Receiver.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against First National Bank of Gorman, 115 Fisher Street, Gorman, Texas 76454, that the same must be presented to Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), Receiver of said bank, with legal proof thereof, within three (3) months from February 27, 1986, or they may be disallowed.

All claims should be presented in person or mailed to:

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
Receiver of First National Bank
115 Fisher Street
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(S) Deborah J. Hall
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Watson Receives BBA Degree

Kenneth Robert Watson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watson of Eastland, received his BBA Degree from the University of Texas at Arlington on December 21, 1985 at the fall commencement exercises.

Watson, a finance major, graduated on the honor roll. While attending UTA, he was active in the Finance Society and the Entrepreneur's Club.

He and his wife, the former Robbie Phillips of Eastland, reside in Arlington.

Kenneth is the grandson of Hammoll Watson of Gorman and the great-grandson of Mrs. Nona Bond also of Gorman.

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CANTERBURY
VILLA OF
GORMAN NEWS

Those bringing the worship serv-
ices from the First Baptist Church
Sunday were Bro. Ron Carroll, Steve

Jones, Wynell Bryant, Alga Kinser,
Hazel Smith.
At 4:00 p.m. coming from the
Church of Christ were, Bro. and
Mrs. Curtis Maness, Modess Self,
Floydeon Gilbert, Myrtice Rodgers,
Zina Simpson, Janda Taylor and
Tracey, Allie Mae George, Fred
Rodgers, Dee Smithey, Stella Scott,
Lorene Foster, Cula Palmer, Perna
Faye Smith and Dora Faye Brewer.

We were happy to have M.L.
Skiles and Elaine Skinner come on
Monday to help us with bingo.
Game 1, had two winners, Lonzo
Coffman and Iola Johnson; game 2
Alice Burleson; game 3 - Doe
Hamilton and Iola Johnson had the
black out card.
On Wednesday at 10:00 a.m.
Hazel Smith and Gladys Chambliss
helped. Iola Johnson won game 1;
Lonzo Coffman won game 2; and
Emma Gregg won game 3. Jess
Roberts had the black out card.
Eilene Skinner and Irene West
came Friday to help. Game 1-
Garnet Adams; Game 2 - Iola
Johnson; game 3 - Doc Hamilton and
Emma Gregg. Lonzo Coffman and
Emma Gregg had black out cards.
The good turn out for the regular
Thursday night singing was appre-
ciated. Those helping were: Cleo
Clemment, Velma Bennett, Lucritia
Fairbetter, Mr. and Mrs. Felmon
Self, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrett,

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GORMAN
SCHOOL MENU
BREAKFAST

Monday - Cereal, juice, milk
Tuesday - Buttered rice, juice, milk
Wednesday - Toast, bacon, jelly,

Melton Fairbetter, Mr. and Mrs.
Bobby Tedwell, Nancy Hendricks,
Deane Christian, Melba Frasier,
Moe Quinn, Annie Curb, Estell
Dickey, Iola Johnson and Alice
Burleson.

The regular 3rd Monday night
musical will be March 17th at 7:00
p.m. Everyone is invited.

We are so sorry to report Mr.
George Hallmark is in the Hendricks
Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mrs. Ola Hirst is a patient in the
Gorman Hospital. We miss these
fine residents and wish them a
speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Snider of
DeLeon, LaVon Snider of Brown-
wood, Mrs. Gene Snider, Mrs. Cass
Frasier and Mrs. Pete Snider visited
Mrs. Alice Snider recently.

Dora Faye Brewer and Bertha
Gregory came and played dominoes
with the residents Friday morning.

We are happy to have a new
resident. Thomas L. (Doc) Hamilton
of Gorman. Mr. Hamilton's wife
Mildred lives in Gorman. They have
three children, LaJoyce Bailey, Les-
ter and J.L. Hamilton. Welcome to
Canterbury Villa.

recent visitors visiting Annie and
Verno Hale were Mr. and Mrs. Earl
Little Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie
Little, Mrs. Mamie Little and Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Little.

Visiting with Charlotte O'Neal
lately were Mrs. Roy Buchanan of
Clyde. Mrs. Don Brumelow of
Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan
Mearse of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs.
Mike Oagle of Clyde, Mrs. Hoyt
Bryant, Bro. Joe O'Neal, Mrs.
Albert Hendricks.

We appreciated Mrs. Velma Ben-
nett bringing her cardorgan and
entertaining us on Tuesday.

On Wednesday Mrs. Dorothy
Reynolds of Cross Plains came and
sang. She was accompanied by Mrs.
Willo Rice. Thank you ladies.

At 2:00 p.m. we welcomed Bro.
Curtis Maness to bring our Wednes-
day devotional.

Recent visitors with Elizabeth
Williams were Mr. and Mrs. Larry
Anderson, Anthony and Brian of
Cronfields Gap, Gary Rhymes of
Abilene, Mrs. Roy Buchanan of
Clyde, and Mozell Rhymes.

On Tuesday we took Alice Burle-
son and Grace Skiles down town to
the Senior Citizens Luncheon.

juice, milk
Thursday - Oatmeal, juice, milk
Friday - Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk

gingerbread, milk
Wednesday - Fish, tartar sauce,
pinto beans, spinach, cornbread,
applesauce, milk
Thursday - Fried chicken, potatoes
with cheese sauce, green beans,
biscuits, honey, milk
Friday - Cheeseburgers, lettuce,
tomatoes, onions, pickles, french
fries, ice cream, milk

THE
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION
(Aviso De Eleccion De Regentes)

The South Eastland County Hospital District Board of Director's
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purpose of electing 3 directors for two year terms.

El suroeste condado de Eastland El Hospital Distrito Elbord De
Directorez dala-- Noticia de las eleccion 5 de abril de 1986 Para ele-
jir candidatos Para dos anos cuatro.

ABSENTEE VOTING by personal appearance will begin on 26
March, 1986, and continue through 3, April, 1986, from 9:00 a.m.
to 3:00 p.m. each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an of-
ficial stte holiday. (VOTACION FOR AUSENCIA en persona com-
encera el 26 de Marzo 1986 y continuara hasta el 3 de Abril de
1986 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 correo
deben dar vuelta por correo 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
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CITY CHIT CHAT

By Mayor Charlie L. Garrett

At the last Commission meeting, we had several citizens present. I appreciate people who will take time to visit such a meeting and give input in matters coming before the Commission. At this meeting we were discussing a rate increase from Lone Star Gas Company. As I told you before, they were asking for a rate increase of 3.2 percent. After much discussion, the Commission voted to offer them a 2.4 percent this would bring in an additional \$9,076 where the 3.12 percent would bring in \$11,115.00.

Mr. Vaughn, Lone Star representative from Dallas told us that he would present the offer to Lone Star management. They could accept it, could come back with another proposal, or appeal it to the Texas Railroad Commission to get the increase for which they asked. We should hear from them in a few days. I will let you know what they decided as soon as I know.

We opened bids for the upkeep of the Cemetery and had two low bids of the same amount. We deferred action on the two bids until the next meeting and in the meantime we will discuss the work load and the bids with the two who tied.

You may have received a letter about funds for the cemetery this last week. I have had a few calls about the letter. Some are under the impression that we had a Trust Fund that would bring enough interest to care for the cemetery, but this is not the case. It is true that we receive the interest from the Bryant Memorial Fund, but it is not enough to pay for keeping the grounds. The money that will come from this letter will be used for current upkeep, unless it goes into the Bryant Memorial Fund. It can be put in that fund at the Citizens State Bank, but if all of the money goes there we will run short of funds in the near future for the yearly upkeep.

I will be bring you some information in the next few editions about some changes in the election laws for this year. For the first time, all voters will be required to vote within a voting booth. There will be some type of booth at the City, School and Hospital elections as well as in the spring primary. More later.

KOKOMO NEWS

Phone 639-2289

By Mrs. Zelda Jordan

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning, Donna Browning and Steve Gilbert with Joyce Gilbert at the piano, rendered the special music at the Sunday morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Oklahoma City, Steve Gilbert of Fort Worth, and Dale and Kathy Collum of Desdemona were visitors.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist Church going to the Canterbury Villa for the church service on Sunday afternoon were Bro. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Lowell and Cynthia, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Clearman, Mrs. Bill Brown and Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Albert Hendricks were Sylvia Buchanan of Clyde, Mrs. Don Brumbelow of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Clymer, Adam and Seth of Austin, Mrs. Pauline Dennis and Mrs. Ruby Vandergriff of Gorman, Ruth Bryant, hope Joiner and Lum Tuggle.

Visitors with Mrs. Dora Garrett were Mrs. Tim Fails, Cody and Jarad of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little, James Little, Jill Lowrance of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett, Mrs. O.A. Jordan and Mrs. Mable Garrett of Eastland and Bro. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little helped Mr. and Mrs. Tim Fails, Cody and

Jarad move to San Antonio during the weekend.

Mrs. J.C. Clearman and her sister, Mrs. Jessie McCaffety.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson spent the weekend in Andrews with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, Shannon and Brian were in Austin part of last week during Spring Break to attend the State Boys Basketball tournament. Joe is a coach at Carbon High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Oklahoma City and Steve Gilbert of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with Mrs. Odis Rodgers and in Gorman with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert and family.

Mrs. Bill Brown, E.H. CLUB NEWS president of the Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club, was in Glen Rose on Feb. 27 for a District 8 planning meeting.

Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club members helping at the Birthday Party at the Canterbury Villa on Feb. 27 were Ava Rodgers, Berneice Rodgers, and Nancy Hendricks. Club members were presented certificates reading "In Grateful Appreciation for Volunteer Services in the Social Program. Club members have been going to the nursing home to help with the monthly birthday parties for many years.

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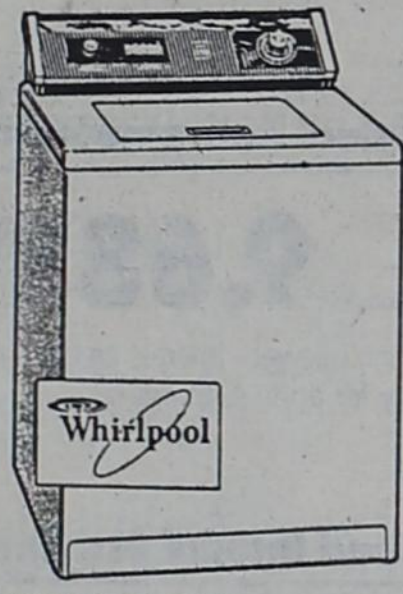
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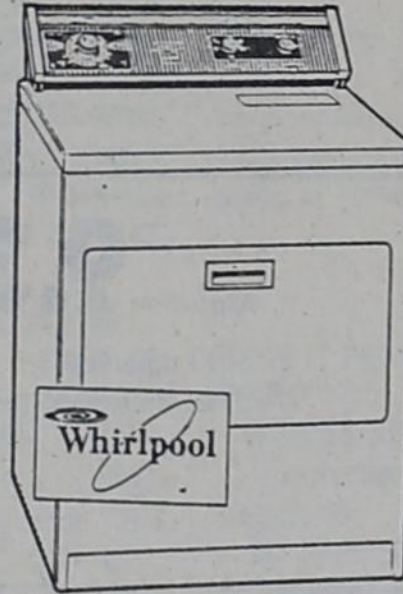
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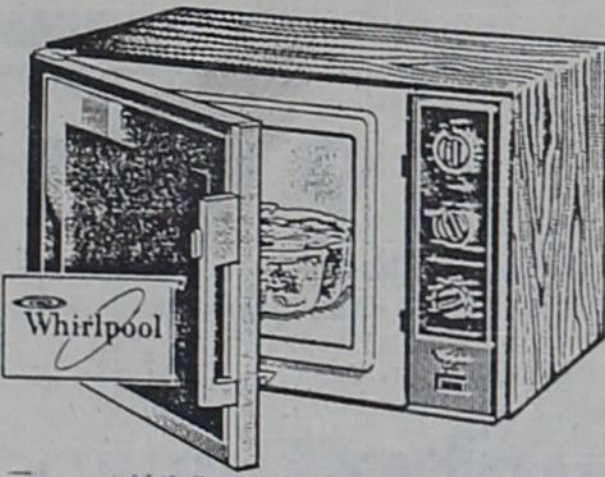
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FFA & 4-H TEAMS ATTEND HAMPSHIRE TYPE CONFERENCE

The Gorman FFA & 4-H teams attended Hampshire Type Conference Sweetwater, Texas. Wed. Feb. 19, 1986. The members attending judging contest were: Noble Laminack, Allen Scitern, Shannon Caraway, Wayne Warren, Scott Gressett, Jaret Singleton, Allan Little, Tommy Curb, Justin Underwood, Stephen Scitern, Kevin Hirst, Shane Caraway, John Stephens and Kris Scitern.

The Senior team, 3rd place, were: Allen Scitern, Noble Laminack, Shannon Caraway and Wayne Warren won 3rd place.

Junior team 4th place were: Stephen Scitern, Justin Underwood, Kevin Hirst.

Reporter
Becky Underwood

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Francis M. Leazer feel humbled by the love and kindness that all concerned have given us. We love each of you as she did. A special thanks to Dr. N and L and the staff at Blackwell Hospital for their love and care. To Higginbotham Funeral Home, the bearers, the Quartet's beautiful music, to you that brought food to our home, the ladies of First United Methodist Church who cooked and served food for all the family, and to so many people that sent flowers, cards and

E. L. Graham Hospital Offers Prepared Childbirth Classes

E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital in Cisco is currently sponsoring prepared childbirth classes. The Lamaze method is being taught to help prospective parents through the labor process. The classes are designed to allow the expectant father to play an integral part in this process.

Interested parties may call Fay Stephenson, R.N., instructor, for details at (817) 442-1921. Information may also be obtained by calling Helen Orr or Sharene Richardson at the hospital (817)442-3951.

Couples should begin attending the sessions at the beginning of the eighth month of pregnancy. The cost is minimal.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday were Mrs. Roy Holliday of Morangee, Mrs. Sandy Sanders and Melissa of Odessa, Mrs. Ruth Sanders and Mrs. Lewis Waller of De Leon, Mancy Sanders of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox, Bobby and Chris of Gorman.

made donations in memory of Francis.

To Rev. Richter for his support, comfort and the beautiful service that touched each of our hearts to be remembered always.

Multi-County Peanut Short Course Set March 20

Eastland County peanut growers and wives are urged to attend a multi-county peanut short course in DeLeon Thursday, March 20. County Agent DeMarquis Gordon said the shortcourse has been planned by Eastland, Comanche, and Brown Counties and will be at the DeLeon City Hall beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Some very timely topics that will be of interest to growers and their wives will be discussed. Topics will include: Efficient Irrigation Systems, Texas Irrigation Conservation Program, Conservation Reserve Program Implications, Minimum Tillage System from Peanut Disease Standpoint, Current Peanut Program Situation, Peanut Management Tips and Coastal Bermudagrass Guidelines.

Speakers for the short course will be Dr. Leon New, Extension Engineer; Comer Tuck, Texas Water Commission; David Martin, East-

Gladys Chambless had as for guests for the weekend her daughter Jo Anne Miller and her son, David, Kathy Fisher and Betty Pile, all of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Esther Bolt has returned from Nashville, Tennessee following an extended visit over the holidays with her son John Paul and his family.

Kokomo Extension Homemakers Meet

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club met on Monday March 10, 1986 at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Anna Laura Clearman for a regular monthly meeting. President Mrs. Wynell Brown presided and asked Mrs. Ava Rodgers to lead the Clubs Creed and Theme.

Mrs. Clearman gave Devotional John 14:1-16 and led the opening prayer.

Roll call was answered by, "The one thing I had trouble remembering this week." Most of us had forgotten what we remembered!

Mrs. Nancy Hendricks read the minutes and they were approved. Mrs. Berneice Rodgers gave treasurers report.

Mrs. Ava Rodgers gave councils report. We will have the 4-H Clubs April 14th at the Kokomo Community Club House. Mrs. Nancy Hendricks and Mrs. Naoma Morrow will be the hostesses.

We plan to attend the District 8 T.E.H.A. convention at Mineral Wells Country Club April 7. Eastland, Palo Pinto and Stephens Counties are the hosts.

Mrs. Anna Laura Clearman gave a very interesting and informative program on "Alzheimer's Disease". For recreation we did stretch exercises.

Mrs. Clearman served delicious refreshments of salad plate, coke, frozen peaches and cold drinks to Mmes. Naoma Morrow, Berneice England, Ima Lee Fair, Ava Rodgers, Wynell Brown, Berneice Rodgers and Nancy Hendricks. President, Wynell Brown, Rep., Nancy Hendricks.

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5TH MARINE DIVISION REUNION SLATED

Following 36 successful years of 5th Marine Division Reunions from coast to coast, but never before in Texas, this organization will make San Antonio its headquarters from Wednesday 18 June 1986 until Noon on Sunday 22 June 1986. Noted for its historical flag raising on Iwo Jima

land County ASCS; Dr. Chip Lee, Extension Plant Pathologist; Ross Wilson, Southwest Peanut Growers Association; Dr. Leland Tripp and Dr. George Alston, Extension Agonomists.

A free fried fish lunch will be prepared and served by Stanley White of Stephenville. Some 17 agricultural products companies will sponsor the meal and will have booths at the shortcourse.

Extension Home Economics will have a peanut promotion booth. Gordon said the booth will be informative and of interest to growers and wives.

The County Agent invites all peanut growers and thir wives to attend. The short course should be completed by 2:30 p.m.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or natural origin.

GORMAN YOUTH IN FRANCE



Steve Slampa of Gorman, freshman at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, was one of 46 Cowboy Band members and sponsors who took part in the annual Winter Carnival Celebration in Nice, France, recently. He is shown with his tuba on the streets of Nice near the Mediterranean Sea. (HSU News Photo by Charles Richardson.)

in February 1945, the Division was deactivated following WWII, and then became a part of the Marine Corps Reserve Forces. During the Vietnam conflict many Marines served with activated elements of the 5th Marine Division. Any veteran who served attached to or with the 5th Marine Division at any time, is eligible for membership with the Association. Membership applications will be available at the Reunion Headquarters in The El Tropicano Hotel in downtown San Antonio, or by sending a SASE along with \$15.00 check or money order to: Mr. Roland Chaisson, Box 225, Larose, La. 70373 he is our recruiter. For reunion information, send a SASE to mike Sekerak GySgt USMCRet., Rt. 1 Box 170AA, Buchanan Dam, Texas 78-

609. The 5th Marine Division Association currently lists membership over a 1000 comprised of WWII and Vietnam Vets, but there is always room for more. our Sesquicentennial Year of celebrations makes San Antonio that much more attractive as a reunion site for visitors since it too is particularly significant in history. All who attend will have many memories of old friendships renewed, new friendships made, and neighborly memories of Texas hospitality. The San Antonio reunion site represents a convenient location for Texans, Marines who may or may not have attended previous reunions, to enjoy some home state pleasure. "Nowhere but Texas, done better by Texans", "Y'all Come!" Unquote

SCHOOL HILL NEWS

Phone 758-2537

By Mrs. Oma Lee Ridell

Tena and Jimmy Dennington of De Leon came out last Sunday and took me fishing. William came back for awhile. They caught several pounds of fish. Marie and Jack Blackwell of Ranger came but we missed them. On Thursday we were shocked to learn of the death of Jack. He was buried in Ranger on Saturday.

Leslie and Tim Goetze were in Fort Worth on Sunday to see Jim Goetze who was in a car accident about three months ago. Jim is finally doing better.

Danah Ruth Proctor of Freer was here visiting her parents, Blake and Delilah Morrison last weekend.

Tammy Merriman and children of Lingleville spent one night with her parents J. C. and Patsy Moon.

Glen Birch of Durango, Colorado, his sister and brother-in-law from Kansas and Brandon Merriman spent Wednesday night with J. C. and Patsy Moon. Others visiting for awhile were Clell and Dorothy Bays of Highland. Backy and Jackson Boen and daughter and Tommy Brown of Lingleville and Cindy and Daniel Decker.

I dread hearing, "It's that time again." That meaning take care of ranch.

William usually says that when he has eaten too much and wants me to open and shut the gate.

He's really kind to animals and don't want to work on them unless they weigh at least five hundred pounds, because he don't want to hurt them. They're always hid so we have to stage a cow hunt with me beating out the schinnery and him ready to rope it. The minute he ropes one he comes thundering down like John Wayne. They usually get back in the schinnery before he tosses the rope, so he misses it and starts yelling, "we might as well quit running 'em. You're crowdin' em to hard. You gotta work these cattle easy, etc."

Then he takes off and I have to run to get to ride on in the pickup. I expect him any time to try to ear tag me again. Once he got me roped and throwed but I was such a kicker that I got loose.

It usually goes this way. He ropes it, I haze it, then while he piddles around finding the needle. I try to hold my own with the cattle. He surveys the situation and says, "anyone can hold a two year old bull better than that. Hold him steady. He could hurt himself if you let him bang his head that away."

Then he goes stompin off to find the medicine and allows as how he must have left it home. "Come on we'll do it tomorrow", he says.

CARBON NEWS

Phone 639-2517

By Mrs. Velma Hastings

Clarence H. Files died late Thursday in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene after a lengthy illness. Funeral services were held in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Gorman Sunday afternoon with burial in Weaver afternoon with burial in Murray Cemetery in Carbon. Rev. Ron Carroll of Gorman officiated.

Survivors are his wife, Stella Gaines Files of Carbon; two sons, Gayland of Eastland and Darrell of Frederick, Okla.; one daughter, Margie McCollum of El Paso; three brothers, Ira Files of Eastland, Elbert of Cleveland, and Harvey of Grand Prairie; one sister, Edna Roney of Gorman; eleven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mmes. Joyce Taylor, Rosetta Haggen, Crickett Walker and Elizabeth Sandlin were in Dublin last Tuesday to attend the funeral of Harold Keith's grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Keith.

Mrs. Faye Tucker returned home Wednesday after a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Tucker and Lacey of Dover, Okla. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freed of Duncan, Okla. Mr. Freed has just been released from a hospital in Oklahoma City where he had been very ill.

Brian Fortenberry of California is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fortenberry, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield spent the weekend with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton

Burnett and a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Hawkins of Pasadena.

Mmes. Jolene Oliver of Eastland, Mabel Greer and Betty Greer visited Mrs. Iva B. McNutt of Coleman on Friday.

Visiting in the Jim Hogan home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Kinard and Danny Ray of Odessa, Mrs. Kent Bowden and Dusty of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hogan, Mrs. Bob Hagood and two boys of Gorman, Mrs. Shirley Morgan and Darla, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kinard and Sadonya of Graham, Mrs. Jo Ann Hull of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burgess and family of Flatwoods, Mrs. Bobby Pittman and Mrs. Jewel Petree of Eastland and Mrs. Kay Warren and Gregg of Carbon.

Mmes. Margaret Lane and Minnie Lee Scarlett of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dorothy Jackson spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Tucker and family of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Walker visited friends in Dallas over the weekend and attended the wedding of Mrs. Billie Berggren of Dallas and Jin Cole of Houston on Saturday night.

Mrs. Oleta Skinner spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Odis L. Skinner of Midland.

Mrs. Hazel Campbell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker to visit Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and family of Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday.

MARK WHITE PROCLAIMS MARCH 9-15 AS OLDER WORKER WEEK



Recognizing the important contributions of senior workers, Governor Mark White proclaimed March 9-15, as Older Worker Week in Texas. Joining the Governor for the proclamation signing were J. D. Legler, City Manager, LaGrange; Charlie Jungmichel, Mayor, LaGrange; Diane Parrish, Green Thumb Director; Jack Davis, Older Worker Contract Officer, Department of Labor; Jebron Hopper, Texas Department on Aging; Bob Girard, Senior Texans Employment Program Director; Dan Stewart, Texas Department on Aging; Murphy Giles, Green Thumb Enrollee, LaGrange; Joe Rankin, President, Texas Farmers Union; Bert Kruger Smith and David Dennis, representing the Texas Department of Community Affairs.

Opal Mauney is the Green Thumb Senior Citizen worker at Gorman Senior Center in Gorman and Mozelle Rhymes is Site Manager.

The ladies are to commended on the excellent job they are doing at the center. They invite all senior citizens of the area to be a part of the centers activities. All persons ages 60 plus are eligible to participate.

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Mansel Fox

Joe Mansel Fox, 76, of Olden, died Tuesday at a Ranger hospital after a long illness.

Services were at 10 a.m. Thursday at Bakker Funeral Home, with the Rev. David Henley officiating, assisted by the Rev. Ray Rodgers.

Burial was in Merriman Cemetery.

An Eastland native, he was a charter member of Calvary Baptist Church. After retiring from Texas and Pacific railroad, he worked at the Eastland City Garage.

Survivors include his wife, Inez Highsmith Fox of Olden; a son, Joe Donald Fox of Burnet; a daughter, Glenda Stedum of Albany; four brothers, Paul Fox of Desdemona, H.C. Fox and Alfred Fox, both of

Olden, and Andy Fox of Oklahoma; three sisters, Dealva Rodgers of Eastland, U.J. Marshall of Eunice, N.M., and Mammie Dell Norton of Coleman; five grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Polly Foy Services Held

Polly Foy, 99, died Sunday in a Snyder hospital. Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Bell Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Bud England officiated, with burial at Loraine Cemetery.

A Van Zandt County native, she was widow of George W. Foy and member of Thirtieth Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include seven daughters, Etta Mae (Mrs. J.R.) Brown of Lubbock, Ethel Stephens, Hazel Forbus and Marie Wagner, all of Lamesa, Bessie Fay Mitchell of Carbon, Nila Bassinger of Sand Springs, Nena Mitchell of Snyder; 10 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and 23 great-great-grandchildren.

Clarence Files Final Rites Held

Clarence Homer Files, 77, formerly of Gorman, died Thursday at an Abilene hospital after a long illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at Higginbotham Funeral Home in Gorman.

Burial was in Murray Cemetery near Carbon with the Rev. Ron Carroll officiating.

A Gorman native, he was a mechanic and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Stella

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors, and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Howard, for the delicious food, cards and expressions of kindness at the time we needed them the most. A special thanks to the ladies who helped to serve.

To Rev. Marion Dennis for the beautiful kind words of comfort. There is truly no place like Gorman, for the people are so good and so great. We love each and everyone of you.

May God Bless You!
The Harold Zink Family

DESDEMONA NEWS

Phone 758-2665

By Mrs. Vonnie Guthery

Bro. Terry Moffett of Abilene is the new pastor of the First Baptist Church. Terry, his wife Pat and 3 children will be moving in the parsonage soon as possible. We "welcome" this fine family to our town.

Frances Arnold Leazer of Gorman was buried Friday. She is survived by her husband, Frank, a daughter, Beverly, a sister, Jolene Hopper of Eunice, New Mexico and a brother, Paul Arnold of Midland. We send our sincere sympathy out to this

family.

Bernard and Ann Keith spent the past week in Chattanooga, Tennessee visiting their son, Brad, who attends University Temple.

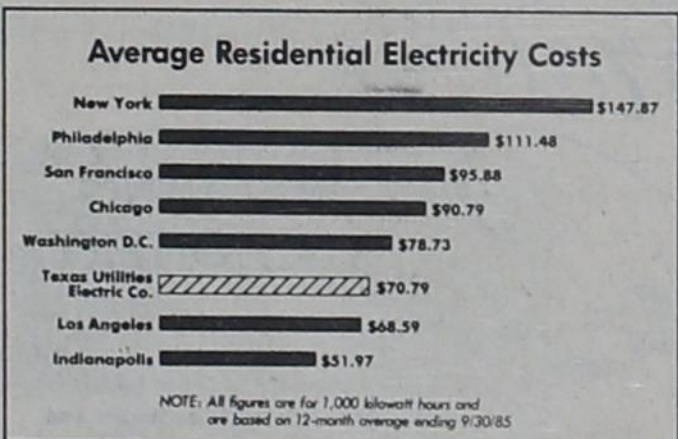
Levn and Juarice White of Sulphur Springs visited Pug and Vonnie Guthery last Friday.

"Happy Anniversary" to Mack and Nelda Keith of Gorman on Friday, March 14th from Pug and Vonnie Guthery.

A thought for today—A great deal of what we see, depends on what we are looking for.

Consumer Update No. 4.

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