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GARAGE SALE - Saturday, Feb. 15 at home of Kenneth Good, next door to old Blackwell Hospital. Girls and some boys clothing, toys, guns, portable lead melting pot and misc. items. 1-2-13c

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CARBON NEWS

By VELMA HASTINGS

The menu for Carbon School Cafeteria for the week of Feb. 17-21 is:

Monday - Barbecue wieners pinto beans, slaw, brownies, milk and cornbread.

Tuesday - Taco casserole, blackeyed peas, lettuce and tomatoes, cornbread, chocolate cookies and milk.

Wednesday - Fried Chicken, peas, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, peaches and milk.

Thursday - Macaroni and cheese, green beans, lettuce and tomatoes cornbread, milk and orange juice.

Friday - Hamburgers, potato chips, onions, pickles, lettuce and tomatoes, Jello and milk.

Many of our sick folks are improving. Among those who have returned home from the hospitals recently are Otis Guy, J. F. Guy, Mrs. Mary Jackson, Mrs. Pearl Snell, Mrs. B. W. Hobbs, Mrs. Lonnie Bohannon, Mrs. George ridges, A. E. Guy, J. B. Jackson. If there are others we are glad you are home, too, but didn't know about you.

Gravesides services for Will-

4-H CLUB NEWS

By Bethany Gibbs

Our 4-H meeting was held at the Fire Hall on Feb. 4, 1975.

Our treasurer, Carla Good, collected \$6.00 in dues.

We will have a 4-H food show on February 15.

The places the 4-H members won at the Gorman Livestock Show were:

Terrye Jeffs, 4th and 9th with a calf; Bud Jeffs, 6th and 9th with a calf; Bethany Gibbs, 3rd with a pig; David Good, Grand Champion Jersey calf; Kenny Good, Reserve Champ with a Jersey calf; Kelly Mauney, 6th with a pig; Scott Mauney, 2nd place with a pig; Revice Laminack, 2nd place a pig, and 3rd place with another pig; Nobel Laminack, 8th place with a pig; and Randy Laminack, 8th place with a pig and Grand Champion with a calf; and Dane Gressett, 5th place with a pig.

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FOR SALE - Good 1962 Chevrolet Pickup, also 2 wheel trailer with 4x8 bed. A. B. Hunt, 7342497. 2-2-20p

FOR SALE - Two bedroom home on corner lot. Call 734-2610 or 734-2728. 2-13fnc

FOR SALE - Two sets bed springs and one innerspring mattress. Mary McCormick, 734-2024. 2-6fnc

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PIANO FOR SALE - Contact LaVerne Carr at First National Bank or call 734-2892 after 4 p. m. 1-23fnc

FOR SALE - 15.4 Peanut Allotment, 8 miles south of Cisco. 1054 lb. base. Bob L. Pierce, P. O. Box 222, Wink, Texas 79789, Ph. 915-527-3364. 4-2-20p

FOR SALE - Two bedroom home (the home of Mrs. Vera Goodwin). Corner lot with additional lots. Call David Goodwin, Paducah, 806-492-3591 or 3735 after 4:30 p. m. or see James Mears at Higginbotham's, Gorman. 3-2-20c

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FOR SALE - Kid Goats, one month old, nursing. Carl Enebak, 734-2176. 2-2-13p

iam (Bully) Knight of Corpus Christi were held in Murray Memorial Cemetery here. Rev. Delbert Smith officiated at the 10 o'clock services Saturday morning. Mr. Knight, a former resident of the Carbon community, passed away Thursday morning at his home in Corpus Christi. Survivors are his wife, Mae Dell of the home; a son, Harvey (Bo) of San Antonio; three sisters, Mrs. Lelia Wyatt and Mrs. Lora Sledge of Eastland and Mrs. Lurene Hirst of Fort Worth; two brothers, Carl and Truman of Fort Worth; and eight grandchildren.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Montgomery, Ala. is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tucker, Holly and Brian Eric, this week.

On Saturday night, Feb. 8, Mr. E. T. Tucker and his sons, Walter and Jack of Eastland and Fred of Carbon, honored their daughter and sister, Mrs. Bill Holliday of Woodson and a son and brother, Pete Tucker of Eastland, with a brotday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tucker. All reported a great time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snider visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McGee, of Ranger.

R. E. McMillan has returned from Shreveport, La. where he was employed for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams Kara and Randy of Abilene, spent the weekend with her mother, Ms. Nettie Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Payne and Jean Ann of Snyder, visited his mother, Mrs. Mabel Payne.

Sunday dinner visitors of Mrs. Vades Phelps were her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hogan, Elton and Leon of Fort worth, Mr. and Mrs. Winford Lindley, Kelly and Mitzi of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker, Clint and Mart of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynn Bennett and Terry of Gardendale and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett of Eastland visited Mrs. Pearl Snell Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Norris during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hogan of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Olan Kellar of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pack, Renee and Rudy, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pack, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Pack were in Abilene

KOKOMO

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN
We've had some beautiful weather the past few days. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning, Donna and Gary, with Mrs. Claude Fuller at the piano, rendered the special music at the morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday. Mrs. Roy Buchanan Kelly and Yancy of Arlington were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller spent Friday night in Hondo with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Platt, and attended the San Antonio Livestock Show on Saturday. Ricky showed a steer in the show.

Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers, Kevin and Jason of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers, Kim and Jonna of Carbon, visited during last week with Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan Kelly and Yancy of Arlington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rasco of Gorman visited in Lewisville on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson, Tena, Travis and Teresa.

Ruby Wright of Gorman visited with Mrs. John Lasater on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Spencer, Allen and Andrea of San Antonio, visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess and family were in El Paso and San Antonio last week for the livestock shows. The boys were exhibiting calves at both shows.

Mrs. Alma Lee Creagor of Pleasanton is visiting her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Higginbottom in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Tranny Lasater is in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Aubrey Jacobs was able to come home from the Ranger Hospital on Saturday.

Thursday to see and hear the performance of Ray Pack and the Half Breeds. The combo are nephews of Victor Pack.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harle of Henrietta, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Laird and boys of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stinnett of Cisco were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle and Charline during the weekend.

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CARD OF THANKS
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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Skaggs and family
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Barnett and family
The family of Mrs. Etta Sanders

Musical Set At Kokomo Monday
The public is cordially invited to a musical at the Kokomo Community Center on Monday, February 17, beginning at 7:00 p. m. The event is sponsored by the Kokomo Community Club and several musicians are expected, including the Gorman FFA Talent Team, the De Leon FFA Talent Team, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kinser and Loyd Glasson. Any musician is invited to come and take part. Refreshments will be served. -GP-

SINGING SET SUNDAY AT CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST CHURCH
Our regular third Sunday afternoon singing will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 16 in the Gorman Congregational Methodist Church. We are expecting the Mayhall Quartet from Abilene to be with us. Also other out of town visitors will attend. Come and enjoy the afternoon with us. Your presence will help keep this type of worship in our town. Show your interest by being present. Rev. Marion Demins

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SENIOR CITIZENS

We played 84 two nights last week. Granny Kent is still going strong. Though her voice is softened a lot lately. Lucky for all of us that it has, too. So Mae is not so nervous any more. Big Foot is still afraid to bid. As old Twitter Tongue tries to hold him under control. She knows that is the way my Boss does me all the time, nearly.

Old Carbon is still holding his own in puffing and spitting an awful lot. Baldy and Ora

Easter say they finally reached the end of the "Rainbow" and the po was empty. Tester and Double Six Bennett claim they are the ones that emptied it. Though I do not know.

Murel and Fats have finally conquered the flu. They say it was just a close battle for their feeble bodies.

The Grim "Reaper" has used his scythe again in our community. Mr. Moody Carr and Mrs. Etta Sanders of this community and Horace Foster, formerly of Gorman. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved. Be prepared, as your name and mine are on that

list somewhere down the line.

Our office has had a full quota lately. Though I have missed a few sessions, due to head troubles. I am afraid to use our office. Doc's advice, as his neighbor says, his fee is too high, even for sharpening lawn mower blades. Luke still feeds his face two charges at a time. The fresh air may be the cause of it though. Rabbi Clyde is still going very strong. Tennessee and his side coach are talking of fishing a lot. He tells the players what to play every time, nearly. The Fisherman is a little lonely since he lost Tennessee to the coach. Taller and Blood and Guts are still glaring at each other.

Doy is still a "Brick Layer." Uncle Sam sure hates to stop playing when his wife comes by. He claims he is making more easy money from his cows than from dominoes. Monroe is still baby sitting. The bunch there are still mostly a gang of thieves and crooks. They will steal you blind while you water them. Tater Bat is still working and Digger finally won another game. Now back to last weeks report on school days. When I started to Mr. Dean's school in the early part of this century at Triumph. I learned to start reading under him. I thought he was an old man. Though I am sure he was under 50 years of age. I really liked him as a teacher. Other teachers there were Carl Simms, Ed Foote, Roy Nunnally and G. W. Scott. I remember getting two thrashings that I got. I did not believe I deserved. I was almost grown, when I got the last one. I know if I went home my Dad would whip me all the way back to the school house and would see that I took my medicine. I came back and taught that school in 1925-26 and 1926-27. At one time, 1911, there were three teachers here. In that community there are probably five pupils now. I remember when Frank Wyatt was the first rural mail man out of Gorman. He was our carrier. We got the semi-weekly paper from Galveston. I believe. Then in 1911 we started getting "The Fort Record" daily. That was when the Mexican Revolution started. That paper later became the Star Telegram. So times have changed since those early times. I do now know whether it is for the better or not. Now the young folks go everywhere at night, get mixed up with dope wreckless and drunk driving. Do not mind or help their parents or a lot of them are that way. In those days people loved our country and would stand up for it. In those days no old age pensions, no Social Security. When a person became old it was so different to what it is now.

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Desdemona News

By HATTIE TATE

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches and loving favor rather than silver and gold.

The rich and poor meet together. The Lord is the maker of them ail. Proverbs 22:1,2.

We feel so sorry for the "Poor Old Ground Hog". He will have to stay housed in for six more weeks. No complaints for this is better than what we had this time last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Rim Pack were in Meadows Saturday, February 1st to attend the wedding of their son, Phillip Pack, and Miss Rita Mackey. They were united in marriage Saturday, Feb. 1 in the home

of the bride's sister in Meadows. They will live in Lubbock where they are both employed by the V-M Vending Co. We wish for them a long and happy wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Zinke of Weatherford visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watkins Friday evening.

Mrs. Benton Echols is in Benbrook for a couple of weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Junior (Nell) Moore. She has been a patient in De Leon Hospital for several weeks.

David DeGuire who lives in Lawndale Home in Gorman is at this time in Blackwell Hospital.

W. H. Shipman is in Ranger hospital. He also lives in Lawndale Home.

Eva Northcut has returned to North Manor in De Leon after being in Ranger Hospital.



DON'T FORGET VALENTINE'S DAY
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cavitt of Hico visited with Bro. and Mrs. L. C. Landers. They also attended church services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and stayed over for services Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Tate of Ruidoso, N. M. visited from Sunday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Garden Tate. They claimed that this seemed like summer to what they were used to.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher of Granbury visited Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hammond Wednesday night. Mr. Fisher is Mrs. Hammond's brother.

The R. A.'s and G. A.'s are getting back in full swing now after several had a bout with Mr. Flu. Mrs. Fred Watkins is their leader.

We are sorry to report the passing of two former citizens of our community. Moody Carr was laid to rest Thursday, January 6 in Desdemona Cemetery. He had lived in Lawndale Home for the past two years.

Mr. Tilman Dyson passed away in Stephenville Tuesday and was laid to rest Friday, January 7 in Garden of Memories in Stephenville. Mr. Dyson and family lived here for several years and he was employed by Magnolia (Mobil).

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shirley of Fort Worth have moved to the farm house of Mrs. Odessa Johnson. This is in the Howard Community north of Desde-

mona. Mrs. Ethel Keith who has been living in the North Park Home for some time, is now at home with her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Guthery.

Chad, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tidwell, fell from the bed Wednesday and was rushed to a Fort Worth hospital. He suffered from a head injury, but is doing fine at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hughes of Gorman visited Mrs. W. H. Davis Friday. Mrs. Davis has been suffering with an injured knee caused from a fall.

Don't forget the musical on Saturday, February 15. Come eat, drink and be merry.

It seems as though the vandals can't catch up on the "tearing down" of things such as our community center.

Remember, we still have laws. Why not try this in your own home. We are glad to have people come to our entertainments but not the wrecking crew.

-GP-

FRATERNITY AT TSU Marilyn Thompson was among the twenty-two Tarleton State University students who were inducted into the Alpha Chi, national honorary scholastic fraternity at ceremonies held on the campus recently.

Marilyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson of Route 1, Gorman. She is a junior English major at Tarleton.

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School Hill News

By Mrs. Bill Riddell

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moon and family visited on Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hancock of Stephenville.

Renia Hogg spent a couple of days in Fort Worth with Loretta Lewallen and family. Her sister, Claraleen Williams of Anchorage, Alaska, joined her there and returned home with her for a visit. They were called Wednesday night to come to Dumas where their mother, Norma Pilgrim is very ill.

Ricky and Lexie Hogg visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kimbrough and son of Stephenville.

Nancy Wise of Lingleville visited with Patsy Moon on Friday. She said it was clean up day and she wanted a leisure bath. No telling what she'll want next time. Better watch her, Patsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riddell and family visited while Friday night with W. T. and Evelyn Yardley of Stephenville. Then we all drove out to the home of Doss and Opal Yardley where we had a lovely evening.

Giff and Linda Johnson and sons are spending a few days in Oklahoma with friends.

Visitors with us Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Musick of Lingleville, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Grimshaw and Niki of Kokomo, Ruby and Shorty Stokes of Lingleville.

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to neighbors and friends for the flowers, cards, food and the phone calls during the passing of our father and grandfather, Charlie Rich.

May God bless you.
The Marvin Rich family
and Mr. and Mrs.
Manuel Torres

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Lola Mae Pierce of Okla. City visited this week with her sister, Mrs. Nancy Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Clark and Robby of Comfort spent the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers and D. R. Clark.

Mrs. Charles Martin of Weatherford visited Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. B. E. McClearen, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jerald McCelaren.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miears and John were visitors with their son Bill, in Huntsville.

Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher visited from Friday to Monday in Whitesboro with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Cope, John Robert and Andrew, visited from Thursday to Saturday in Odessa with his mother, Mrs. Athalee Cope. They visited Sunday afternoon in Fort Worth with friends, Dr. and Mrs. Roger Blair of Pittsburg, Penn.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hallmark were their children, Mrs. Dean Reynolds and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reynolds of Odessa, Mrs. Nell Aldredge and Sandy of Eastland, Mrs. Wilma Ruth Cagle and David of Eastland, Mrs. Vonita Hallmark and Steve of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rogers and Geina of Gorman.

Mrs. Jack Wheeler of Denton spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. L. A. Blair. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynn Bennett and Terry Lynn of Gardendale spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Bennett.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Poyner of Ranger and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Collins and Eric of Irving.

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bryant announce the arrival of their daughter, Stephanie Lee, born at 5:14 p. m. Friday, February 7, 1975 in Eastland Memorial Hospita. She weighed five lbs. and seven ounces and measured 19 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Adren Bryant of Gorman and maternal grandmother is Mrs. Edith Boels of Albany and paternal grandfather is David L. Decker of Finley, Ohio.

GENE FOSTER TO HEAD MID-WEST TEXAS FLORIST ASSOCIATION

Tuesday evening a group of area florists met in Brownwood and formed the Mid-West Texas Florist Association. Abilene was approved as the home for the Florist Association.

Gene Foster was elected as president; Edsel Burford of Abilene, vice-president; Bill Walker of Abilene, secretary-treasurer; and directors named were Lucille Huddleston of Rising Star, Biddy Harkrider of Brady and Manley Webb of Brownwood.

The Mid-West Texas Florist Association will meet every second Tuesday of the month. Plans are underway for a design school in Abilene this fall. Edsel Burford was appointed as School Master.

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FRANCES SIMPSON ACCEPTS SCHOOL SECRETARY POSITION

Mrs. Billy Earl (Frances) Simpson of Rush Springs, Okla. has accepted the school secretary position in the Gorman Schools. She replaces Mrs. Wynell Brown, who has resigned to accept the Secretary position with the Eastland County School Superintendent's office in Eastland.

Mrs. Brown's resignation becomes effective Monday, Feb. 17. She expressed her enjoyment in her work with the school board, teachers, students and parents during the past nine years.

Frances and her children have moved to Gorman and Billy Earl will join them here in a short time.

ACTEEN ACTIVITIES

By DARLA GOOD

This week we had the pleasure of having Mrs. Aubrey

Finley, Ohio.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. B. L. Brannon of De Leon, Mrs. Tom Bryant of Carbon and Mrs. A. E. Yochum of New Jersey.

Stephanie Lee was welcomed by her big sister, Leslie Susanne, age 2 1/2 years old,

Pond speak to us about how God helps us through prayer.

After the meeting we had an officers meeting to plan our future meetings.

Those attending this week were Sarah Porter, Sherrie Wright, Melinda Harrington, Stephanie Slampa, Amy Warren, Darla Good, Debbie Hambrick, Marlo Barnes, Paulette Baze, Carla Good, Sandy Porter, Debra Barnett, and Mrs. Ellen Gressett.

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