



THE PINNACLE OF SCOUTING -- George Bolt, having Williams, 4, and Katrina Watson of the First Baptist Church of Riscompleted all work necessary to become an Eagle Scout, was with 1 examined by a local committee Monday evening, February 15, 1965. After questioning George about his scouting, from the Gorman cagers for high point the time he became a Tenderfoot until he completed his final honors with Doyle Shipman hittest toward an Eagle Badge, the committee voted unanimous- ting for 12, Jerry Mathews, 4 ly to recommend him for his Eagle Badge. Becoming an Eagle Jackie Grice, 3, Lewis Torres, 2, Scout requires almost as much knowledge as it takes to get Mike Duran, 2, and Mike Young, Baptist minister. a degree in college. Full details of this work will be published | 2. The score was 43-14. when George receives his Eagle Badge in about six weeks.

E. C. Bramlett, Scout Counselor, Jack Harrison, Scoutmas- Carbon Tournament this weekend. ter, W. C. Browning, Committeeman, Rev. B. C. Huddleston and Gene Baker were on the committee.

In the background, supervising the proceedings was Paul boys playing Olden at 6 p. m. If ity. The couple moved to Gorman seniors from Arkansas, Oklahoma, McFarland, Eastland, Boy Scout District Executive. In the they win they will play at 7 and in May of 1964. She was a mem- Louisiana and Texas who will be foreground is Donald Bolt, father of George, proudly watch- 8 p. m. Saturday night. ing the proceedings.



By KERNEL GENE, aPe

Ah, youth . . . glad I don't have to go through that again. Jay Staggs, the voice and owner of KERC, visited the Progress office this week. Said he was celebrating his first anniversary in business this month. Oddly enough, I became owner of the Progress on February 15, 1945 - 20 years of bliss and blisters. Somewhere in this issue there should be a picture of Jay Staggs and his charming family. Good listening, I mean looking, aren't they?

Had planned on having a blowout myself but just didn't get around to it. Recall several years age we had a peanut cooking contest which went over pretty good and all the entries were sold and the money went to the March of Dimes. Want to do it again? Good. Contest coming up in March. Date will be announced later.

Thereasa says I am really nuts to this peanut party and give entering Yankeeland, he really goats in the county. prizes for both. The main prize enjoyed passing through such though is going to be for the best places as Texarkana, Little Rock, cattle and goats will be open both information on how to reduce the ORIGINAL peanut recipe and Memphis, Nashville, the beautiful to the junior as well as to adult risk of heart attacks and accept bands in Gorman Schools, will cards. most ORIGINAL pecan recipe. Shenandoah Valley, Washington, Other prizes will be awarded for Baltimore, Philadelphia and many show are open only to the FFA pies, cakes, cookies, decorations, other places of historical interest. games, etc. Did you know there are lots of games you can play member back in the early Twen- your future success. ties when I was recreational leader for the Epworth League (MYF now) I put on a party for thirty kids using nothing but peanuts all during the evening. Some of those folks would be surprised to know I am an official peanut kernel

If you have something new in peanut and pecan recipes, please let me know. Also if you would like to enter something in the contest let me know that, too. I think the prizes will be worthwhile, even if I do have to quit smoking cigars again to save money for the prizes.

A City and School Trustee election will be coming up soon. As far as I know no new ones have filed for any office. Therefore, I won't be accused of playing politics by repeating that I think our City and School Trustees have done an excellent job and deserve the commendation of all our citizens. No, I haven't agreed with them wholeheartedly myself, BUT they have weighed and made de- ments to the 14 members and the food, flowers and cards. cisions which they thought were three guests, Mrs. Mae Spears, for the good of the community. Mrs. J. F. Gilbert, and Randy They have also kept the com- Green. munity informed as to their ac-

tions.



ROSCOE REEVES, JR. RECEIVES BA DEGREE; ENTERS NAVAL TRAINING

Among the mid-term graduates Reeves, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. culture, majoring in Agronomy.

After a brief visit with his par-Newport, Rhode Island, entering steer division. the U. S. Naval Officers Training until June 1st.

He made the trip to Newport

Our congratulations to you upon your graduation from college, with peanuts and pecans. I re- Roscoe, and our best wishes for

Mrs. Arthur Young es of sheep. **Presents WSCS Program Monday**

Mrs. Arthur Young brought the February Yearbook program to the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Monday meeting in the home of Mrs. John Kirk.

Mrs. Bob Green, president, opened the meeting with prayer.

Program topic was "Prayer Disciplined Life". Mrs. Young led a discussion from questions distributed with a theme Readiness for Prayer, Mrs. J. W. Ramsey gave a paper "The Disciplined

During the business session Mrs. B. C. Huddleston was elected as delegate to the District WSCS meeting being held February 18 in

Mrs. M. F. Allen assisted the hostess in serving light refresh-

Mrs. Huddleston will host the 22nd, meeting at the parsonage.

Tied With Moran For First-Second

ball teams won both games played with Moran Monday night, placing the Gorman girls in a first tive of Eastland County, died at place tie with Moran and the 11:50 p. m. Thursday, February Gorman boys are in a second 11 in Blackwell Hospital. She had place tie with Olden.

The girls played a very close jously ill for the past six months. game at Moran Monday night end-9 points, followed by Cathy Parr the pastor, Rev. Huron A. Polnac, with 8, Kathy Wright, 5, Barbara and Rev. A. D. Kyle, Jr., pastor

John Gilbert made 18 points for Oaklawn Cemetery of Gorman.

The teams are entered in the

Finals will be played on Mon- of Gorman. day night, February 22.

The Gorman Junior High Tourary 26th. and 27th. with teams Gorman participating.

will be published next week.

Directors Named For Eastland Cnty. Livestock Show

Various ranchers and livestock men have been named to head up the various sections of the annual Eastland ounty Livestock Show, March 11-13 according to Robert Kincaid, Morton Valley rancher, who will again serve as general superintendent of the annual

Buck Wheat, Morton Valley, will serve as the assistant general of Sam Houston State Teachers superintendent. He served in the Make Heart Fund College at Huntsville was Roscoe same capacity at the 1964 show.

Ross Wilson, Gorman, and Ray-Roscoe Reeves of Gorman, who mond Beck, Eastland, prominent received his BA degree in Agri- Hereford breeders, will be superents and friends here, he left for land, will have charge of the fat as sponsor of the 1965 Heart Fund Humfeld, college band director,

dairy cattle section.

that, although he encountered Bullock. Cantwell has one of the Monday, March 1, when volunso, I have decided to add pecans some rough weather even before few flocks of registered Angora teers in all of the community's band All-District this year. He well Hospital for the kindness

> exhibitors. Other divisions of the contributions to the Heart Fund. was explained.

have charge of the breeding class- Mrs. Broom.

Park Plambeck, Pleaasnt Hill, will have charge of the breeding Graveside Services classes of swine. Hoot Ferguson Cisco, and Jack Therwhanger, For Rodgers Infant Eastland, are superintendents of the fat pig classes.

Wright of Eastland, announcer; Glyn Gilliam, Ranger banker, who will award the ribbons and C. M. ruary 13th. in Blue Ridge Ceme-McCain, Eastland, who will award tery in Fort Worth for David the cash to the winning exhibit-

CARD OF THANKS

It is with a humble heart, we would like to express our deepall the kindness shown to our family during the illness Crawford. We are most grateful to the doctors and nurses of the Blackwell Hospital for their efforts and untiring service, and to May God bless each of you.

Mrs. Darlene Fink Mrs. Mark Burrowes The Andrus and

Slaton Families

Junior High Teams LAST RITES FOR Mike Foster Named EC-65 SEMINAR ON FINANCING IS The Gorman Junior High basket- ON SATURDAY

Mrs. Leland Warren, 57, a nabeen ill for the past year and ser-

Funeral services were held at ing with a score of 27-25. Sherry 2:30 p. m. Saturday, February 13 Jobe was high point winner with in the First Baptist Church with ing Star, officiating. Burial was in

> Born April 18, 1907 in Eastland County, she was married to Leland Warren on May 30, 1925 in Carbon by Rev. B. F. Clement,

Mr. and Mrs. Warren had lived

nament will be held here Febru- of Midland; one son, George War- Chorus Concert which will from Carbon, Eastland, Olden and dren; her mother, Mrs. Mary Lee Auditorium. Jay; two brothers, Floyd and Dick | The visiting seniors will arrive More details of the tournament Jay, all of Gorman; two sisters, on the ET campus around 8 a. m. Miss Lorene Jay of Fort Worth Mike, outstanding for his musical and Mrs. Mayvis Lasater of Gorman; and five nieces and four

> Jay, preceded her in death in 1947. Pallbearers were Cecil Robertand Dale Gilmore.

Honorary pallbearers were Rob Kinser, H. T. Rawls, John Warren, T. A. Thompson, Tommy Gray, Odis Rodgers, A. D. Mauney, Roscoe Sanders, Ernest Weaver and H. H. Echols.

Gorman LVNA To **Drive March First**

The Texas Heart Association intendents of the beef cattle di- today announced the appointment vision while Ben McKinnis, East- of the LVNA Chapter of Gorman Campaign here. The drive will be Norman Richardson, Ranger under the direction of Mrs. Tom School where he expects to be diayman, will be in charge of the Broom, Blackwell Hospital employee.

"The Heart Fund is a great Mike. and 4-H Club boys and girls it crusade against the number one health enemy of our nation in Bill Claobrn, Eastland, and Gas- which we all can participate ton Boyd, Cisco, will superintend through giving and serving as volthe fat lamb division. Jimmy Horn unteers. We are proud to serve as and M. L. Terrell, Eastland, will sponsors of this 1965 drive," said

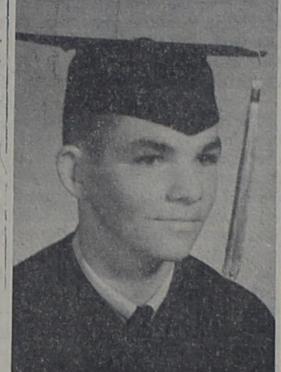
Ring officials include James Held On Saturday

Graveside rites were held Feb-Wayne Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean Rodgers of Fort Worth. He was born on Monday, February 8 and lived only a short

Survivors are the parents; one est appreciation and thanks for brother, Keith, age 2, and a half sister, Kelly Sue, of Lubbock; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Timmons of Gorman.

tives for all the words of comfort, Rodgers, Mrs. J. C. Timmons, Mrs.

On The All-Senior SCHEDULED HE Honor Band At ET



Mike Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. in the Hardshin Community near Dick Foster, a senior in Gorman Gorman since their marriage High School and outstanding The girls will play the Olden where she was very active in musician, will be among approxiteam at 5 p. m. Friday, with the church activities of the commun- mately 700 graduating high school ber of the First Baptist Church on the East Texas State College campus in Commerce Saturday, Survivors are her husband; one February 20th. for the Tenth Andaughter, Miss Marjorie Warren nual All-Senior Honor Band and ren of Gorman; five grandchil- held at 7:30 p. m. in the College

achievement, will represent Gorman High School and while on campus will have an opportunity A twin brother, R. E. (Buck) to audition for a music scholarship at ETSU. The purpose of the concert is to honor seniors with musson, R. A. Barnett, John West, ical ability much as all-senior James Thompson, D. B. Warren football games honor senior grid-

Approximately 300 honor chorus members will meet first in the Student Center Ballroom where they will rehearse the night's program. The ET Chorale will give a special performance at days prior to election day. 11:30 a. m.

Meanwhile, an estimated 400 honor band members will assemble at the Music Building for rehearsals and tryouts for seating places in one of the three bands. Mike will try out at this time 3 on the City Commission. for a band scholarship at ETSC. The Blue Notes, the college dance band, will perform for the group after lunch, according to Dr. Neill and the ET Band will give a concert for the group at 1 p. m. in the College Auditorium.

make the trip to Commerce with

mittee of EC-65 has announced of five meetings which are dethat the fourth industrial seminar signed to train the civic leaders on "Financing" will be held in of Eastland County in the tech-Gorman at the Brown Jug Rest- niques of attracting new manuaurant beginning at 9:00 a. m. on facturing payrolls to the area. Thursday, March 4th.

RAISES \$47.04

and the students contributed a total of \$47.04, with Grade School | The three previous seminars raising \$43.83, with the second have been highly successful. These grand raising the largest amount, meetings were held in December, \$12.57, with one hundred percent January and February and includparticipation of the 27 students ed programs on "Community Betand teacher, Mrs. E. C. Bramlett. terment", "Research and Analy-

grade was \$4.07; third grade, \$5.20 Buildings." fourth grade, \$7.27; fifth grade, \$3.31; sixth grade, \$8.26; seventh grade, \$1.35; and eighth, \$1.80. High School contributions were \$3.21.

Mr. Joe Collins, Gorman Chairman of the March of Dimes, reports that a benefit basketball game is scheduled in the near future between the Carbon and Gorman girls.

E. E. Todd Files For City Commission; Deadline March 6

The deadline for filing as a candidate for the City Commission election is March 6th., thirty

missioner Place 3, and Arlton E. Smith, Place 1, expire this year.

Mrs. Mozelle Rhymes, City Secretary, reported that E. E. Todd nesday, March 3, 1965. has filed for re-election for Place

Commissioners are elected for two year terms.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation and heartfelt thanks for the many kind deeds, thoughts The program Saturday night prayers and remembrances during The Angora Goat division will The Heart Fund Drive will will consist of three All-Senior the recent loss of one we loved I've been a Kernel so long, in his car and writes his parents be headed by W. O. Cantwell, reach its high point on Heart Honor Bands, playing individually. so much. A special thanks to the Mike placed first chair in first doctors, nurses and staff at Blackresidential areas will visit their will also audition for a scholar- shown her, and to the ladies who The breeding classes of beef neighbors to deliver educational ship at Nacogdoches on April 3. brought and served the food, and Mr. Herman Alsup, director of to those who sent flowers and

> May God bless each of you. The Barnett Families



death of our loved one, Mrs. Clara Rodgers of Gorman and Mr. and This is the Jay Staggs family, owners of Radio Station KERC Mrs. Clyde Brashear of Lubbock; in Eastland. The family is celebrating their first year in Eastand great-grandmother, Mrs. J. C. land County, having moved here from Coleman, Texas. Jay started out in the radio business in Coleman in 1949 and was Those attending the funeral a part of the Coleman Radio staff until he purchased KERC our friends, neighbors and rela- Gorman were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. last year. Frances, also a native of Coleman County, was reared on a ranch near Talpa. Members of the First Christian Odis Rodgers, Mrs. Dub Brown, Church, the two children are Sherry Lee, age 10, and Jace Bridge Club meets each Friday at and Mrs. Edward Stacy of Carbon. Alton, age 8. Although a radio man from the start, Jay's family were originally newspaper people. His mother is still one Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Underwood of the news editors of the Coleman Democrat Voice in Colewere guests Sunday in the home man. The family feels proud to be a part of Eastland County, Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Crews. | and state they have enjoyed their first year here very much. | p. m. at the Fire Hall.

AUSTIN - The Steering Com- | This is the fourth in a series

These seminars are being conducted by the Texas Industrial Commission in cooperation with

local community leaders. The program for the fourth seminar will feature outstanding financial experts from around the state, according to Harry W. Clark executive director of the Texas Industrial Commission. "We believe this program will give the Mrs. Ray Rankin, chairman of people of Eastland County sufthe Gorman Schools March of ficient knowledge to enable them Dimes, reports that the schools to find proper financing for new have completed their campaign manufacturing operations," Mr.

Clark said. Contributions raised in the first sis," and "Industrial Sites and

Candidates Scarce For School Board **Trustee Election**

As the deadline nears for filing for a position on the Gorman Independent School District Board of Trustees, the three places to be filled are going begging.

The Trustee Election will be held in the High School building on Saturday, April 3rd.

Terms of E. G. Henderson, Joe Bob Browning and Claude Fuller expire this year.

Wednesday, March 3rd. is the deadline for filing as a candidate for trustee on the school board, The terms of E. E. Todd, Com- and requests for having names of candidates placed upon the official ballot must be filed with the County Judge not later than Wed-

ITEMS OF NTEREST

Regular Third Sunday Singing at the Congregational Methodist Church will be held Sunday, Feb. 21. Singing will begin at 1:30 p. m.

The Gorman Community Club will hold it's regular 4th. Monday meeting on Monday night, February 22 at 6:30 at the Fire Hall.

Important business will be discussed and all men of the community are urged to support their community by joining the club. We need YOU.

The Excelsior Club will meet Tuesday, February 23 at the home of Mrs. Nell Rainey.

The De Leon Peach and Melon Festival dates have been set for August 3rd. through the 7th.

Friday, February 19 is regular singing night at Sand Hill

A cordial invitation is extended everyone to attend.

Eastland County Historical Survey Committee will meet Tuesday, February 23 at 5 p, m. at the Brown Jug Cafe.

The Gorman IOOF Lodge No. 413 will meet at 7 p. m. Friday, February 19th.

This is a very important meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Boy Scout Troop No. 38 meets the second Monday of each month at 6 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

The Friday Afternoon Duplicate 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

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sows	\$12.00 to \$15.00

song, "Swinging On A Star" by a group, Mr. C. L. Mohon and Mmes. Claude Fuller, John W. Henderson, Albert Hendricks, Bill Brown,

Vernon Fields and Glenn Jordan; "Star of Melodies," instrumental The menu consisted of ham, Leon was speaker for the evening and spoke on "Following the Star

> the benediction. and Billy and Mike Foster.

2-18fnc | chairman; Mrs. Odis Rodgers was food chairman and Mrs. D. F. Eaves was decoration chairman.

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sum of Eastland.

Those from the Kokomo Bap- points of Texas. tist Church taking part in the Other special guests were Mrs. service at the Gorman Nursing sity Lab Band, under the direction FOR RENT - One five room Joe O'Neal, Mr. Durwood Burgess Home on Sunday afternoon were of Leon Breeden, will present a Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal, Mr. concert Friday night at 8 p. m. The banquet was planned un- and Mrs. Albert Hendricks, Mr. in the Junior High Auditorium 103 Crescent St. in Gorman. Call der the direction of Mrs. Joe O'- and Mrs. Jim Jordan, Mrs. Claude and will also play for the dance Mrs. Ina Hanson, Phone 2085, De Neal, Training Union Director. Fuller, Mrs. Bill Brown and Mr. to be held Friday night at the

> her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert will present a concert. Hendricks.

An Extra Key - Made While You FOR SALE - Cheap - Tyler open before moving to Roby last year. in Hamlin with Mr. and Mrs. iversity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and TERRY CLARK ENTERS Those from here attending the Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow spent FORT WORTH COLLEGE 1-2-18c Kokomo, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mrs. W. S. Creager, and other of Gorman High School, has en-

schools.

Thursday. They will be competing with 15 Class A Bands from all

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Sylvia Hendricks of Abilene | Saturday at 4:20 p. m. the Texas | spent the weekend at home with Christian University Stage Band

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cafeteria. It was a rainy, cold dreary day, but Mr. Alsup reported it was a nice day as the band was well received in all the

The Stage Band will be in

Judges for the festival this year The community was saddened Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham will be Don Jacoby of New York, on Monday to receive word of the spent the weekend in Monahans N. Y.: Clem DeRosa of Chicago, death of Mrs. Carra Sessum at with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clif- Illinois; Vincent DiNino of the Snyder. Mrs. Sessum was a resi- ford Graham and Patricia. En- University of Texas; and Leon dent of Kokomo for many years route to Monahans, they visited Breeden of North Texas State Un-

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Consecration For De Leon Methodist Church Set Feb. 21

By Altha Wilkerson

Standing, as it does, on a hill where it commands a view of the town, the new Methodist Church in De Leon seems to bring alive the quotation of Jesus when he said, "Come unto me all ye that I will give you rest."

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Open house date for the new house of worship s set for February 21 when a full day of worship is planned. Regular morning services are scheduled as usual, church school at 9:45 a. m. and worship services at 11:00 a. m. Bishop Kenneth Pope will present and preach at the 11 a. m. service. Bishop Pope is the new bishop for the Central Texas Conference and it will be his first trip to De Leon.

An informal open house will labor and are heavy laden and be held Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 p. m. and everyone is in-

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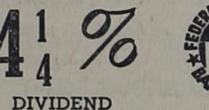
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My sincere thanks to my friends and neighbors for the cards and flowers during my illness. I especially thank the ladies of the Church of Christ who so willingly sat the many hours with me. To "my hospital family" thanks for the affection and special attention shown me.

Jessie Lemley

vited to come by and see the new building and share in the day of triumph for the Methodist people.

God bless you.

The building was designed and built by Paden Construction Co. of Cleburne and is brick veneer construction in modern design. The sanctuary with its high vaulted ceiling and exposed laminated beams has a seating capacity of 268 with "overflow" space for 80 to 90 more. Woodwork is of a light natural finish with the pews of matching finish. The beautiful windows are a design of modern art with blue the predominating color. Several other colors are intermingled and make a beautiful picture when the light shines through. The pews are upholstered in red and the carpeting on the rostrum and down the center aisle is red. Indirect lighting accents the beautiful coloring of the

There are 12 classrooms, a study, large fellowship hall, and well planned kitchen facilities. The en tire area of 10,000 square feet is centrally heated and air condition-

One of the outstanding features other than the sanctuary is centered around the two large stained glass windows moved from the old church. This room will be a class room; but, because of its unusual beauty and size, it has been furnished as a parlor for any small church gathering. Here, also will be the church library.

The Methodists purchased the grounds for this building from the De Leon School District at a cos of \$10,000.00. The building with its furnishings was completed at a cost of about \$80,000.00 It has been financed by contributions. and through the special projects connected with the Lord's Acre - -Lord's Hour program that has been climaxed the past two years with the Harvest Festival. The local bank has financed all above the contributions and the indebtedness on the structure is \$36,000.

The wonderful job done here has been due, to a great extent, to the leadership of the pastor, the Reverend John Basham. John, as he is known to most of his members, is a man who does not know the meaning of the sentence, "It can't be done." He is lavish with his praise and because his members feel so unworthy of 1953 GMC Pickup this they seem to work all the harder to be worthy of that praise. He has had, to work with him, a hard working building committee 1954 Chevrolet composed of Truman Rehshaw, Chairman, Marvin Holdridge, I. C. Donegan, P. B. Rann, Mrs. Lucile Wilkerson, Mrs. Dale Smith, Coy Otwell, and Jim Wilkerson.

Doris Joiner is New DESDEMONA **President For The** Young Home'akers

makers met Tuesday, February 9, days due to illness. in the High School Library.

presented by Andy Hudson on the of flu. different cuts of meat. He also re-

Doris Joiner with a charm on be- Keith and boys. half of the club in honor of Doris the Young Homemakers. Nancy also gave Doris a charm from her-

Mrs. Geneva Wilson baked a beautiful "doll" cake to help celebrate the occasion.

Plans for money making were discussed.

The Young Homemakers helped with the recent March of Dimes Drive. Ten ten dollar prize was awarded the Young Homemakers for collecting the most money for the drive.

Last month at our regular meetng, Mrs. Juanita Thompson presented our program. She discussed the re-upholstering of furniture.

A social is being planned for the Young Homemakers and Young Farmers and their families.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Barbara Lasater and Mrs. Judy Coan.

Reporter

Danny Dyson remains a patient n the Gorman hospital following an appendix operation and a round with pneumonia. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Raymond Joiner remains a patient in the hospital.

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By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

So much sickness has kept the attendance of our churches down.

A very interesting program was the pulpit Sunday after a case Renea.

the pneumonia. She was visiting Mary Walls and children. Nancy Johnson presented Mrs. with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Haile of May God bless each and every

being elected State President of tient in the De Leon Hospital. evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chubby Foreman and children of Irving visited her ery, over the weekend.

Alexander visited her brother, Mr. one of you. Mrs. Annie Koonce is still a pa- and Mrs. Hugh Abel, on Sunday

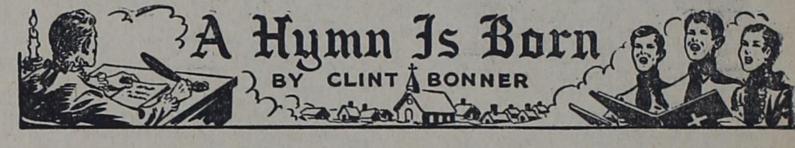
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We are truly grateful to the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guth- good friends and neighbors who did so much for us during our re-Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hammond cent sorrow. May we take this announce the arrival of their first means of saying thank you for the The De Leon Young Home- Also our school was closed four grandbaby born to Mr. and Mrs. manw comforting expressions Gerald Hammond of Ranger. The your friendship and affection. A Bro. D. E. Dossey was back in baby girl was named Angelia special thanks for the beautiful flowers, cards, food and to the Mrs. Nora Walls visited a few T. E. L. Class and members of Mrs. Ethel Keith is a patient days in Stephenville with her son, the First Baptist Church for your vealed some secrets of buying in the Ward Memorial Hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walls and prayers and christian interest, the and cooking different kinds of Room 104, in Monahans. She has family, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. doctors, nurses and staff of the Blackwell Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Lee Jay and Families

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Philip Bliss got the themes for most of his hymns from sermons. It was from a sermon by a Rev. Brundage that he got his idea for "Almost Persuaded." While singing for evangelist D. W. Whittle in Chicago, Bliss heard the preacher tell of a battle during the Civil War. From the message came his theme for

The singer-composer was singing for Dwight L. Moody when the renowned evangelist told the story of a shipwreck. Moody related how passengers were lost because lower lights along the shore were out and only the large light of a lighthouse was burning. The pilot had his general direction but could not see rocks

near the entrance to the harbor. "The Master will take care of the great light," said Moody, "let us keep the lower lights burning."

Once an idea struck the alert mind of Bliss, he worked rapidly . . . usually writing both words and music. At the next service he sang a new hymn for Moody's congregation. It.

Brigthly beams our Father's mercy From His lighthouse evermore; But to us He gives the keeping Of the lights along the shore.

Dark the night of sin has settled, Loud the angry billows roar: Eager eyes are watching, longing, For the lights along the shore.

Trim your feeble lamp, my brother! Some poor seaman, tempest-tossed, Trying now to make the harbor, In the darkness may be lost.

Let the lower lights be burning! Send a gleam across the wave! Some poor fainting, struggling seaman You may rescue, you may save.



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Eastland County furnished the first place winner again this year and three out of the ten winners of the twenty contestants under the 4-H banner.

again this year in winning at the was Teddy McCullock of Cisco, Markets and is the highlight of Calf Scramble at the 1965 San third place winner was Bobby the stock show and rodeo.

Williams of Gorman, and Benny Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo Gray of Cisco won seventh. Eddie Kincaid of Morton Valley also participated.

The purchase certificates ranged from \$50 first prize to \$40 for third prize and \$20 for seventh

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Plainview visited in Gorman on the weekend with their parents,

Ages of contestants range from ed by 4-H and FFA Club spon- and Mrs. D. R. Clark,

The prize certificates must be applied to the purchase of livestock to be used in the winners Mrs. Frank Rhymes. 4-H or FFA project. Title of the livestock passes to the boy only after he has demonstrated interest in caring for livestock and his ability to follow competent instructions in raising livestock.

Mr. Bill McCutcheson, Assistant Eastland County Ag. Agent, and parents of the youth, accompanied the boys to San Antonio.

Robert Whitt, son of Mr. and

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preciation to everyone who ex- Dorothy Hatcher. The Browns attended words of sympathy and tended the Music Educators Assocomfort during the loss of our ciation meeting held in Dallas on loved one, Raymond A. Spark- Thursday, Friday and Saturday. man. We will ever be grateful for the lovely flowers, the delicious food and your many deeds of lov- several days visit with her sistering kindness. Everything you did in-law, Mrs. Dona Moorman, and to bring consolation and comfort friends. in our time of sorrow will al-

May God bless you. The Sparkman Family

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I wish to express sincere thanks to each one who visited me, those who sent get well cards and flowers during my recent stay in the Blackwell Hospital.

A special thanks to the doctors and hospital staff, and to Mrs. George Blackwell for taking me to the hospital and bringing me

Mrs. Ed Wyatt

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Ross of and family of Grand Prairie spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. B. Bran- Mr. and Mrs. Gail Bennett and Mr. Holland Kirk.

Doyne Lynn Clark is spending 12 to 15 inclusive and are selection this week with his parents, Mr.

> Mrs. W. A. Williams of Rising Star spent the latter part of last week with her daughter, Mr. and

George Hollifield and Mrs. Henry Capers visited Saturday in Rising Star with their sister, Mrs. Joe Barnes, and nephews, Roy and Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Barnes.

Mrs. Bertha Mehaffey of Cisco and Mrs. James Miears visited Sunday in Tolar with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Goodwin and family. Kay Ann Craddock of Grand Mrs. Keith Whitt, was first place Prairie visited Saturday night and winner in the 1964 calf scramble. Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Estelle Craddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown We wish to express our deepest of Abilene spent Saturday night and most sincere thanks and ap- and Sunday with her mother, Mrs.

> Mrs. Karen Moorman of Brown wood returned home Tuesday after

Jackie Don Simpson and Wesways be remembered by each of ley Warren of Sam Houston State College were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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