

EXPERTS ADDRESS EC-65 GROUP HERE ON INDUSTRIAL FINANCING

The Gorman Businessmen's Club were hosts for a noon luncheon for the fourth EC-65 Seminar held Thursday, March 4 in the private dining room of the Brown Jug Cafe.

The program began at 9 a. m. Mayor Ross Wilson, who heads the Gorman EC-65 Steering Committee, welcomed guests, county, community, civic and business leaders.

Larry Milner, former manager of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce and now Community Coordinator with Texas Industrial Commission, was master of ceremonies.

the largest industrial organizations in the state with assets of over a million dollars, was feature speaker during the noon luncheon.



Bill Shelton

Shelton gave the gathering information relative to forming local groups to secure funds to promote plants and payroll expansion, also stating some facts to be aware of when thinking of securing a local program. First: Competition keen for industrial developments; Second: Inspired local leadership; and Third: plan for a long range approach.

Concluding the Thursday seminar, TIC Executive Director Harry Clark, outlined possible plans for "Statewide Industrial Financing." He informed the group that Texas, due to its 10 million population and potential buyers, was a very good attraction for plant and industrial locations, also of the pending legislation under consideration in the Texas Senate and House of Representatives. Clark stated that Texas is only one of six states in the nation with no funds available to aid and assist in industrial developments.

Larry S. Milner, Community Coordinator of West Texas TIC, stated that a visit of Gov. John Connally to Eastland County early next summer will climax the six month EC-65 Eastland County Industrialization pilot program project to expand presently operating industries and to secure new plants and payrolls.

County, community, civic and business leaders initiated the pilot program last December in cooperation with Texas Industrial Commission and Gov. Connally.

The next session of the seminar will be held May 4 in Cisco on "Prospecting."



N. W. Mittenenthal

Prior to the noon luncheon Mr. N. W. Mittenenthal, representative of the Texas Mortgage Bankers Association, Dallas, told of private financing readily available for sound industrial development projects. He also named life insurance companies as good sources of obtaining financial aid and the newest source is private pension funds. Other sources named were Commercial Banks for short term loans.

Mr. Bill Shelton, former executive assistant director of Texas Industrial Commission, now General Manager of the Wichita Falls Industrial Development, Inc., one of

FINAL RITES FOR JOHN LAYTON HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Mr. John Layton, 65, a native of Gorman and a World War I veteran, died at 8:15 a. m. Saturday in Veterans Hospital in Dallas after an illness of six weeks.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with Audy Moore, minister of the Gorman Church of Christ, and the Rev. Haston Brewer, pastor of First Baptist Church of Eastland, officiating. Burial was in the Gorman Cemetery.

Mr. Layton was a member of the Church of Christ and an ex-student of Hankins Normal College.

Born August 8, 1889 here, he never married.

Survivors are one brother, Ed Layton of Eastland, and one nephew, Charles Layton of Arlington.

Pallbearers were Gus Frossard, Ben R. Townley, Graydon Baze, Dick Jay, Charles Underwood and B. H. Hallmark.

Honorary pallbearers were Coy Warren, Tracy Harwell, Benton Hooker, Floyd Jay, Clyde Pulley, Bill Knight, Whit Russell, Whatley Hamrick, Roy Parker, Floyd Taylor and Charlie Taylor.

School Board Meeting Held Monday Night

The Board of Trustees of the Gorman Independent School District met in regular session on Monday night, March 8, 1965 with all members present. Also present were Supt. W. R. Taylor and High School Principal Dave Smith.

Business transacted included:

1. Approved the selection of text books made by the local Text Book Adoption Committee.

2. Authorized the offering of Driver Training this summer and approved preliminary plans for same.

3. Accepted "with regret" the resignation of Supt. W. R. Taylor. Mr. Taylor's resignation was submitted so that he might accept the superintendency of the Dublin Public Schools. The resignation is effective June 30th.

4. Contracts and working agreements were renewed for the next school year on the following school personnel: Arthur Young, Mrs. Lois Buchanan, Mrs. Evelyn Bramlett, Mrs. Annie Henderson, Mrs. Jim Brewer, J. W. O'Neal, Mrs. Annie Mae Wright, Mrs. Jo Gray Polnac, Herman Alsop, Miss Shirley Richardson, E. C. Bramlett, Miss Carolyn Gilbert, Jack Harrison, Walter Steele, Mrs. Louise Rankin, Mrs. Bernice Gregg, Mrs. Purnia Faye Grice, Mrs. Velma Grady and Mrs. Blanche Brown.

Open House At School Draws Large Crowd

School officials and members of the school faculty were well pleased with the response of the patrons of the Gorman Independent School District to the Open House held on Thursday night in observance of Public Schools Week.

Over 400 people filed through class rooms viewing and inspecting work of the students on display.

A program was presented by the Stage Band and grades one through four in the high school auditorium at 7:45.

The ladies of the lunch room prepared and served refreshments in the School Cafeteria following the program.

James Miears, Mrs. Helene Prater, Eugene Baker, E. E. Todd, E. G. Henderson, Graydon Baze, Jerry Mehaffey and Mrs. Estelle Craddock. From Ranger, Don Yarbrough, W. T. Eaton and Grover Lee. Eastland: Frank Sayre, Ben Lancaster, Standee McCracken, Ernest Moore, H. V. O'Brien, James Reid, County Agent J. M. Cooper, and Jim Horton. Cisco: A. R. Rutherford, Jim Smothers, Gene Abbott, Judge Scott Bailey, and Richard Moore.

Others included Don Raburn, new member of TIC staff in Austin, James Glenn, West Texas Utilities, Abilene, Howard Maddox of Texas Electric Service Co., Fort Worth, and Mrs. N. W. Mittenenthal.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Eastland Order of Eastern Star invites the Gorman Order of Eastern Star No. 443 for an installation service on March 23 at 7:30 p. m.

The Woman's Study Club will meet Monday, March 15 in the home of Mrs. Clinton Revels.

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department will meet at 6 p. m. on Monday, March 15th.

The Drivers License Representative will be in Gorman Thursday, March 18 at 10 a. m. at the City Office.

NOTICE — Persons interested in joining the Bow and Arrow Club may do so by contacting Bid Hallmark at the Dairy King.

Persons wishing to make a contribution to the American Red Cross may do so by sending a check to the Gorman First National Bank or contacting Mr. John Kimble, Chairman of the Gorman area.

Special Event - Master Point Bridge Game will be held Sunday, March 14 at 2 p. m. at the Lone Cedar Country Club. Admission will be \$1.00.

Boy Scout Troop No. 38 meet 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 Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

Spring Revival At Desdemona First Baptist March 14-21

Evangelist, Rev. Avery Sullivan, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger, will preach for the spring revival at the Desdemona First Baptist Church beginning on Sunday, March 14, and continuing through Sunday, March 21.

Rev. Don Nichols, pastor of the Carbon Baptist Church, will be in charge of the song services.

Morning services will be held at 10 a. m. each weekday morning and evening services will begin at 7:30 p. m.

The pastor, Rev. D. E. Dossey, extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend.

Herschel McDonald Is Speaker For LVNA

The L.V.N.A., Division No. 64 of Eastland met Monday, March 8 in Rising Star at the Elite Cafe guest room for their regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Gertrude Wallace of Gorman, president, presided at the business session.

Herschel McDonald, minister of the Church of Christ in Rising Star, was guest speaker and brought a very inspiring talk on nurses part in caring for the sick.

Mrs. Billy West of the Eastland Memorial Hospital in Eastland, and Mrs. Lucille Broom of Blackwell Hospital, represented the division at the President's Council and Workshop held recently at the Driskill Hotel in Austin.

There were 36 divisions from the state of Texas present.

Refreshments were served to 13 members and guest, Mrs. McDonald. Also present was the group sponsor Mrs. Mary Lee, R. N., supervisor of nurses at Eastland Memorial Hospital.

The next meeting will be an Easter social held in Gorman on April 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Collins of McCamey are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Turner. The Turners are convalescing from the flu and other illnesses that kept them in the hospital for many days.

A Salute To The Golden Goober During National Peanut Week

Now is the time to salute the "golden goober" The National Peanut Council reminds us that March 7-13 has been designated National Peanut Week. All the wonderful peanut products which add delicious nourishment to our daily living are included in this gala celebration. Whether you think of them as gooobers, groundnuts or peanuts, remember them as fun nuts — fun to use as flavor treats or combine in tempting dishes.

Wonderful peanuts have a talent for pleasing which is expressed in many ways. The jaunty little Spanish peanuts with their red jackets and the plump Virginia type team up to capture the imagination of the salted nut enthusiast. For those who like to "shell their own" a new twist has been added — salted-in-shell peanuts. And peanuts lend their enchantment to a variety of candies.

Instant delight, blendable, spreadable peanut butter deserves its place as a staple in a handy kitchen cupboard. Peanut butter sandwich crackers are another tasty treat in the family of peanut products. Enjoy them all during National Peanut Week, March 7-13.

From the test kitchen of the National Peanut Council come several ideas just right for Lent. We think they are also the kind of idea that fits right in the family recipe box to be served at any season. For breakfast during March Egg Month why not try goober griddle cakes. Beat together 2 cups pancake mix, 2 cups milk, 2 eggs and 1/3 cup peanut butter. For a special sauce heat together 1/4 cup peanut butter and 3/4 cup maple syrup. For lunch, add 1/4 cup of chopped salted peanuts to your favorite tuna casserole. For dinner top a well-chilled fruit cup with sprigs of mint and crushed peanut brittle.

Try these interesting ways to salute National Peanut Week March 7-13. You'll serve them often.

De Leon Dinner Affair To Honor Ben Barnes Saturday, March 20th.

Ben Barnes, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, will be honored by his many friends at home on March 20th, with a dinner at the City Auditorium in De Leon. The occasion is the Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet, and De Leon is preparing for many out of town guests. Dinner will be served at 8:00 p. m.

Cactus Pryor of Austin, known as President Johnson's favorite MC, will be guest speaker. Mr. Pryor is currently one of the most popular personalities on the "dinner circuit", and just recently wrote the material for and was MC at the big Democratic Victory Dinner in Austin before 6000 people. His sharp wit will reveal the "lowdown" on politics in general, and reach from the Capitol to the City Hall.

Friends of the popular young Speaker of the House from this area of the State are invited to help the Home Folks express their congratulations and good wishes to Ben and Martha, and to enjoy good fun, food, and fellowship.

Reservations may be had by writing or calling the De Leon Chamber of Commerce before March 16th. Tickets are \$2.50 each.

Assembly Of God Revival Services Set Here For March 15-20

Rev. and Mrs. George Cook, pastors of the Assembly of God Church of Dublin, will conduct revival services in the Gorman Assembly of God Church beginning March 15 and continuing through March 20th.

Services will begin each evening at 7:30 p. m.

The pastor, Mrs. Thelma Hostatler, extends a cordial invitation for everyone to attend these services.

FINE CROWD ENJOY ALL-SPORTS BANQUET HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

A large crowd was in attendance at the Gorman Community Club's Annual All-Sports Banquet for Gorman High School athletes on Friday night in the Higginbotham Building.

Activities got underway about 6:45 with The Penetrators, a local combo consisting of Jerry Ormsby, Tommy Clark, Doyle Welch and band director Herman Alsop, entertaining the folks until the call for the invocation prior to the dinner.

Mike Newby, head coach, gave the invocation.

Following the meal, consisting of barbecue beef and ham, beans, potato salad, slaw, pickles, onions, peppers, peaches, coffee and tea, The Penetrators entertained the group with several selections.

Ross Wilson, master of ceremonies welcomed the attendants at the banquet in behalf of the Community Club and then spoke on the importance of athletics in school and college, as well as in future life, stating that lessons learned while participating on the gridiron or basketball court will greatly assist the participants as they go out in the world or adulthood.

Following the address Mr. Wilson then introduced the girls basketball coach, Mr. Dave Smith, who expressed his appreciation to the group for honoring the athletes and introduced each of the basketball girls.

Mr. Mike Newby was then called upon to address the group and introduce his assistant, Mr. John Felts, who each expressed their sentiments to the banquet attendants and the club for making the banquet possible. Mr. Newby did his usual outstanding job of introducing the football and basketball boys. His bits of humor in introducing each athlete was a real crowd pleaser.

Joe Bennett, President of the Community Club was recognized and proceeded with the most pleasurable part of the program, that of presenting the clubs annual awards to the athletes.

Gary Overstreet was named as

Donkey Basketball Game Set For Tuesday

The Senior Class is sponsoring a Donkey Basketball Game in the Gorman High School gym on Tuesday, March 16 at 8 p. m.

Come see prominent people ride these stubborn tricky donkeys in the funniest game ever played.

Admission will be 75c for adults and 50c for students.

DALE CURB IS HOME FROM DE LEON HOSPITAL

Dale Curb, who underwent an emergency appendectomy at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, March 7th., returned to his home here on Wednesday and is reported doing nicely.

EASTLAND COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW TO GET UNDERWAY THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The 1965 version of the Eastland County Livestock Show - picture window of an annual \$4,000,000 livestock industry - will get underway Thursday, March 11 at the show grounds, a mile northwest of town with some 500 animals on exhibit.

All animals must be entered and in their places by 10:00 p. m. on that date according to show officials. The affair is sponsored by the county livestock raisers organization. Sam Kimmell, Cisco is President. Robert Kincaid, Morton Valley, is general superintendent. Both are county ranchers.

Funeral Services For E. D. David At Lamesa

Funeral services for Mr. E. D. David, President of the Lamesa First National Bank, were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday in the First Methodist Church in Lamesa.

A native of Gorman and former president of the Gorman First National Bank, he moved to Lamesa in 1952.

A complete obituary will be published in the next issue of the Progress.

the Most Valuable Player in Gorman High for the second year in a row. Gary has been on the All-District team three years and has been awarded a full four-year scholarship to TCU.

William Lee Jay won the Outstanding Backfield Certificate. He was awarded the honor for his outstanding play while on offense, but especially for his splendid job on defense, particularly on pass defense and fine tackling.

Ronnie Smith was presented the Outstanding Lineman Certificate. Smith made the All-District and All-Area teams this past season.

Daryl Hirst, a freshman, was named as the Most Conscientious Player for the exceptional job he rendered on leading the football team at the quarterback spot, as well as the accomplishments he has made in all sports.

Mack Sutton won the Boy's Sportsmanship Award for the manner in which he handled himself while participating in sports.

The Outstanding Offensive Basketball Player Certificate for the Panthers went to Mike Rodgers who turned in a fine record for the season.

The Boy's Outstanding Defensive Basketball Player Certificate was awarded to Mike Foster, who did a tremendous job on the basketball court (and football field) despite his lack of size.

The Girl's Outstanding Offensive Basketball Player Certificate was awarded to Glinda Rodgers, who was also named on the All-District team the past season.

The Girl's Outstanding Defensive Basketball Player Certificate was won by Linda Jarrett, winner of the same award last year, who has turned in a fine performance for the Pantherettes during her entire athletic career at Gorman High. She was also named on the All-District team this season.

The coaches were then presented gift certificates from the club and were also given gifts from the athletes.

Mr. Bennett then praised the wonderful job of decorating performed by Miss Carolyn Gilbert, the homemaking teacher, and the home ec girls. He also expressed appreciation in behalf of the club to all who helped in any way and to those in attendance for making it possible for the club to honor the athletes who deserve all the praise of which we are able to give them.

Mr. Bob Green was then called upon to give the benediction, after which the banquet goes expressed their personal appreciation to the athletes while the Penetrators rendered a few more selections.

There were a total of 176 in attendance at the banquet.

The Gorman Community Club wishes to express their appreciation to everyone who helped to make this event a success and are looking forward to next year's affair.



James C. Hestand, Breckenridge, Ross Wilson, Gorman, and Harry Clark, Executive Director of Texas Industrial Commission, Austin, all of whom took part in EC-65 program.

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THANK YOU FRIENDS!

I wish to thank you, the many friends and customers, for the many kindnesses and courtesies that you have shown me during the past 18 months I have operated the Hotel Coffee Shop.

I have sold my cafe business to Mr. and Mrs. John Caudle, formerly of Rising Star. I hope that you will continue to favor the Caudles with the same good patronage that you have given me.

Mrs. Pauline Allen

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week:
The future is over-shadowed by darkness and despair if we let too much hate live in our hearts and mind. Let kindness and love dwell within.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Reed of Alvin spent the weekend with the Willie Hendersons. Their niece spent last weekend with them.

Mrs. Mamie Love of Dallas spent last weekend with the Clyde Setzlers.

Bro. Houston and wife of Stephenville spent last Saturday night with the A. D. Bryans.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst were visiting the Jim Johnsons Sunday afternoon.

The Harry Stark family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with the Irvin Domineys. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears were visiting the Domineys Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dewey Lindley and the Jessie Atchisons visited in Goldthwaite this past week with their mother.

Kenny and Kerry Watson of Eastland spent last week with their grandparents, the R. H. Watsons.

Bro. Fox and wife were dinner

FAILING SUCCESSFULLY

A study made a number of years ago said the more education a man has, the less likely he is to be an inventor. Now the reason for that is quite simple. From the time the boy, or girl, starts in school he is examined three or four times a year, and, of course, it is a very, very disastrous thing if he fails. An inventor fails all the time and it is a triumph if he succeeds once. Consequently, if education is an inhibition to the form by which we rate things and not because of any intellectual differential.

I can take any group of young people any, and teach them to be inventors, if I can get them to throw off the hazard of being afraid to fail. You fail because your ideas aren't right. You shouldn't be afraid to fail intelligently. By that I mean, when you fail, find out why you failed, and each time it will bring you up nearer to the goal.

From an address by Charles Kettering, Director and Research Consultant, General Motors Co.

guests with the R. H. Watsons on Sunday.

The Bruce Hirst family were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst, Sunday morning.

The Jim Johnsons were visiting the Henry Johnsons in De Leon last week.

Student Jobs Will Be Available at C J C

An agreement for 15 student jobs under the new Work-Study Program at Cisco Junior College between Eastland County Commissioners' Court, County Judge Scott Bailey, and L. E. Jenkins, director of the college technical-vocational program.

Under the federal employment-opportunity plan, jobs have been established for the 15 students for the summer and fall terms at CJC. The jobs are under four classifications — maintenance-construction, building utility, dispatcher clerk, and clerk-typist.

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In the explanation of intent, required by the government, Judge Bailey said, "General maintenance and construction work will be performed in the precincts which would be backlogged until the regularly hired or budgeted employees could perform it or otherwise go unattended. Such projects will be performed as clearing rural unattended cemeteries, cleaning brush from around blind, obscured corners and culverts on country roads and bridges, placing markers with reflectors, and general safety beautification of out-lying and unattended roads and areas." These fifteen jobs will be avail-

able particularly for students of the Eastland, Ranger, Gorman and Rising Star areas. Students from these areas may also apply at the college campus for jobs available there. A student can work fifteen hours each week, and earn approximately \$75-\$80 a month to meet expenses to attend college. This will more than defray the total expense if the student lives at home.

Students desiring to enter Cisco Junior College under this program in the summer or next fall may make application now by contacting the registrar's office, or L. E. Jenkins.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

We have purchased the Hotel Coffee Shop from Mrs. Pauline Allen. She will remain as one of our cooks. We have also retained the services of all employees and will continue to offer the best of fine foods and service of which you have been accustomed to in the past.

FORMAL OPENING - SATURDAY, MARCH 13

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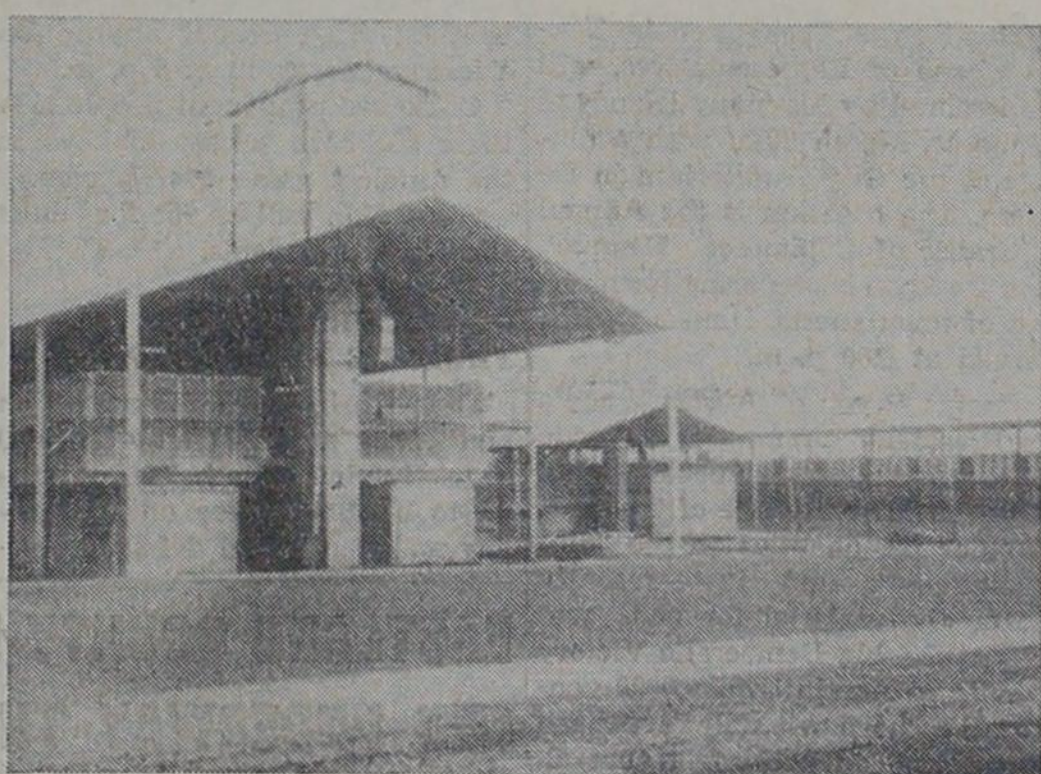
THAT PUBLIC SHELTERS HAVE BEEN MARKED WITH THE SIGN SHOWN ABOVE, AND THAT FOOD, WATER, MEDICAL AND SANITATION KITS HAVE BEEN STOCKED FOR 25 MILLION SPACES



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**School Honor Roll
Fourth Six Weeks**

Following is the Honor Rolls for the Gorman Public Schools for the Fourth Six Weeks period:

**THIRD GRADE
A HONOR ROLL**

David Moore, Vickie Hallmark, Vickie Simmons, Ruby Martin, Rebecca Parker, Vicki Harvey, Steven Stinnett, and Bill Baze.

B HONOR ROLL

Ray Petree, Nancy Grady, Lavona Highsmith, Kathy Rhyne, LaVeda Scitern, and LuKretia Couch.

**FOURTH GRADE
A HONOR ROLL**

Kelly Henderson, Patricia Hirst, Chester Joiner, Karan Kirk, Mike Moore, David Porter, Sha Rogers, and Rebecca White.

B HONOR ROLL

Lonnie Bennett, Marla Craven, Dale Dennis, Christie Duran, George Fraley, James Jackson, Jeanette Jackson, Karen Moore, Bernadean Reeves, Wanda Redman, Abram Torrez, Gary Smith and Brenda Weldon.

**FIFTH GRADE
A HONOR ROLL**

Mark Arnold, Denese Grady, Sarah Kirk, Don Porter, Bruce Smith, Danny Snider, Marilyn Thompson and Sharon Welch.

B HONOR ROLL

June Collins, Bobby Eaves, Neil Martin, Billy Self and Windell Treadway.

**SIXTH GRADE
A HONOR ROLL**

Maudine Aston, Tresa Duran, Karen Hallmark, and Betty Seaton.

B HONOR ROLL

Dorenda Arnold, Burma Broom, Anna Lee Butler, Bill Clark, Kay Dennis, Christi Fuller, Marilyn Hampton, Debbie Holliday, Hal Lasater, Billy Miears, Debra Smith Scott Stacy, Ricky Sutton, Dana Weldon, and Randy Wright.

**SEVENTH GRADE
A HONOR ROLL**

Mike Young, Kathy Wright, Randy Underwood, Anna Jean Taylor, Jackie Lawson, Bill Kirk, Teddy Jordan, Jan Jones, Mike Duran and David Armstrong.

B HONOR ROLL

Barbara Williams, Phyllis Watson, Randal Storey, Celia Jane Reeves, Sherry Jobe, Becky Foster, Terri Prater, and Jana Brown.

**EIGHTH GRADE
A HONOR ROLL**

Doyle Shipman, Teddy Higginbottom and Burl Nelson Harper.

B HONOR ROLL

Brenda Butler, Pamela Foster, Dennis Frasier, John Lee Gilbert, Jimmy Hampton, Wayne Huff, Mary Jay, Jerry Mathews, Randy Ormsby, Frances Perez, Barry Redman, Vicki Reynolds, Don Sanders and Linda Welch.

**FRESHMEN
A HONOR ROLL**

Mary Kirk and Brenda Shugart.

B HONOR ROLL

Jean Collins, Allie Lou Fraley, Daryl Hirst, John Shell, Tommy Simmons, Jerry Wallace and Bobby Williams.

4-H Club News

The Gorman 4-H Club met for their regular meeting on Tuesday night at the Fire Hall with 6 members, and 1 visitor and 2 leaders present.

A judging team was organized and taught by Bobby Williams, Junior Beef Leader, for the Eastland County Livestock Show. Members of this team are Sarah Wright, Teddy Jordan, Barbara Williams, and Christi Fuller as alternate.

Sarah Wright, President, presided over the meeting which included discussions to finish the 4-H Wecome signs and get them placed at entry points to the town during the coming week.

Other business included the election of two new officers, which were Catherine Parr as secretary and Teddy Jordan as council delegate. These officers replace others who have missed three consecutive 4-H meetings without a good reason, which is one of the rules of the Gorman club in an effort to maintain active participation.

The Livestock Show was discussed and pointers were given to the younger ones about showing their animals. Those having entries are Christi Fuller (2 pigs); Teddy Jordan (1 steer); Sarah Wright (1 Angus heifer); Randy Wright (who has the mumps and will be unable to show his Angus heifer); Bobby Williams (1 steer and 1 bull); and Barbara Williams (2 black Angus heifers).

SOPHOMORES

A HONOR ROLL

Elizabeth Parr and Dwayne Snider.

B HONOR ROLL

Don Burkhalter, Jimmie Belyeu, Charles Ann Jenkins, Carole Rankin, Milton Taylor, Ray Edwards, Vicki Frossard, Benny Peveto, LaVern Scitern, James Jay and Robert Ervin.

JUNIORS

A HONOR ROLL

Joyce Joiner and Glenda Jordan.

B HONOR ROLL

Anita Acrea, Kay Barnett, Juanava Collins, Kathy Browning, Tommy Kirk, Marilyn Shell, Mack Sutton, Robert Whitt, Sharon Young, Linda Warren and Bobby Ward.

SENIORS

A HONOR ROLL

David Kirk, Shirley Burns, Joy Love, Gary Overstreet, Deryck Pockock, and Don Wallace.

B HONOR ROLL

George Bolt, Martha Foster, Mike Foster, Kim Hailey, Linda Jarrett, William Jay, Jerry Ormsby, Margaret Porter, Glenda Rodgers, and Betty Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Abilene spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher, and attended the Stage Band Festival in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Self and family visited Sunday in Carbon with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knight of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker visited last week in Harlingen and other points of interest in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cooper, James and Jana Kay, of Karnes City, spent last week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper and Mrs. Gladys Lucke.

The program was given by Bobby Williams, who demonstrated how to make a rope halter. He gave leaflets describing the steps to all and made a halter during his demonstration.

The meeting adjourned after recreation led by Barbara Williams.

**HEARING AID
CLNIC SET**

Mr. Treadway will hold his regular Hearing Clinic at the Gorman Hotel in Gorman Monday, March 15th. from 3 P.M. to 5 P.M.

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FOR SALE - Six room house with 115x130 lot. House recently redecorated inside, new carport, seven large pecan trees in full production, cement cellar and outside storage house, small garden plot. Located across street from Church of Christ. See Gabe Wright Mrs. H. L. Smith or Mrs. T. Y. Gregg. **1-2fnc**

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Mrs. Art Prater, Mrs. Berenice Jeffs and Mrs. James Mears, interested listeners at the EC-65 program held in Gorman on March 4th.

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KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

I really enjoyed the open house at the school on Thursday night. The teachers and students are to be commended for the fine work they are doing.

Mrs. Joe O'Neal returned home on Friday from a two weeks visit with her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Shackleford and Camilla of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. Nat Meares, Lanis, Denise and Teresa of Snyder. Mrs. O'Neal also visited with her mother at Hamlin. Mrs. Meares and children brought Mrs. O'Neal home and spent Friday night with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Bryan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks visited in Breckenridge on Sunday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Gray.

Mrs. Claude Fuller accompanied Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Boyd of Gorman to Breckenridge to the singing convention on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Wharton of Carbon and Mrs. D. S. Gothard of O'Brien were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan on Saturday. Mrs. Jordan is still in bed at this writing, but hopes to be able to be up on Wednesday.

Mrs. Willie Mae Hendricks of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller and children were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Sunday night.

Mrs. Joe O'Neal was admitted to the Eastland Memorial Hospital on Monday morning with the flu. We wish her a very speedy recovery.

Edwin Elston of Stephenville and Carroll Elston of Morgan Mills were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow on Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all the ones who helped with my mother, Mrs. Ethel Walker, during her long illness and when she passed away.

We were in bed with the flu when mother passed away. I want to thank the ones who helped care for us. The ones who took care of the funeral arrangements; for the flowers, cards, food, and the men who served as pallbearers and the ones who sat up at the funeral home, and Rev. Dewey Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wooten

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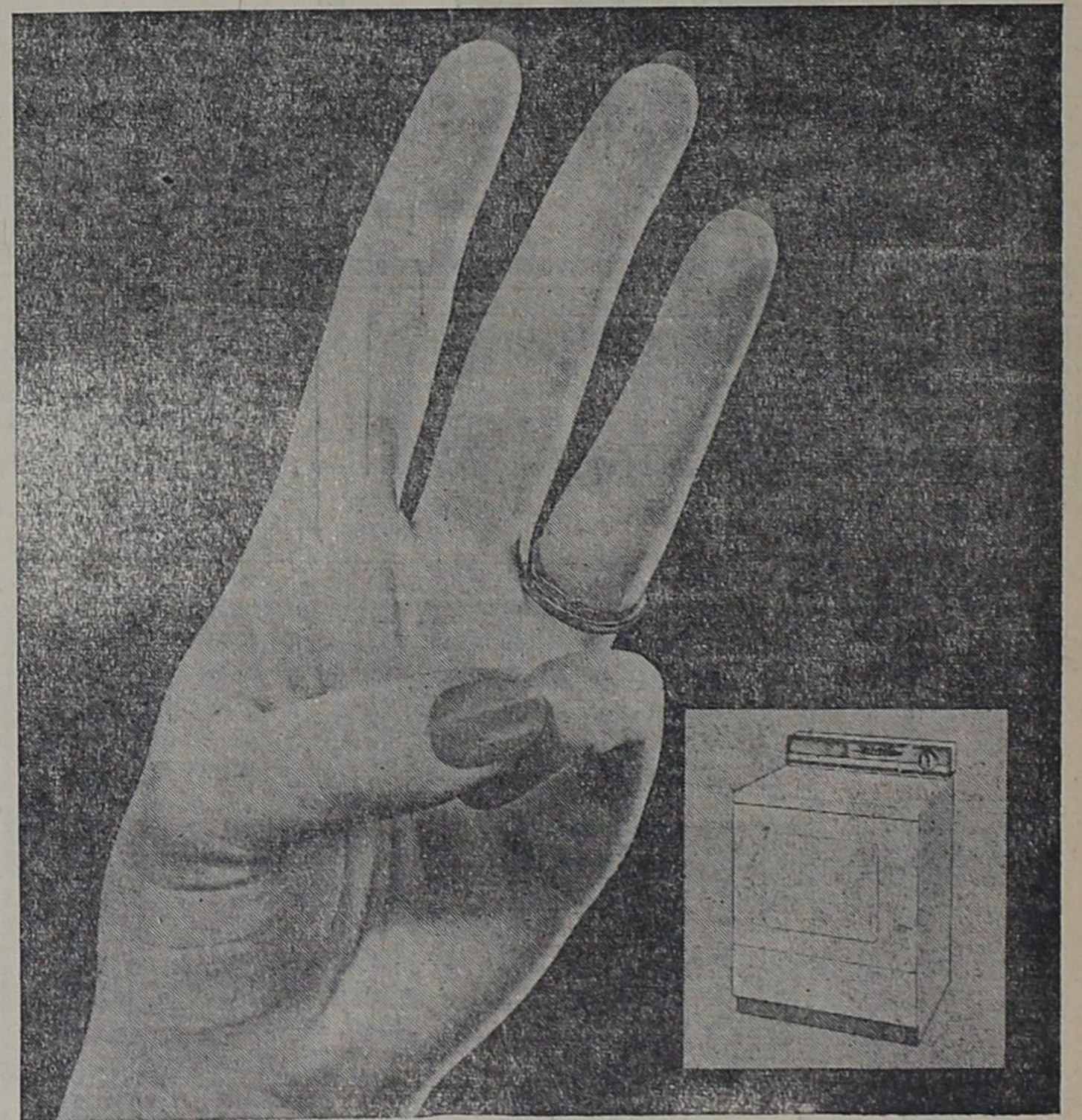
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DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Attendance at the different churches here is on the increase now.

There has been lots of sickness since Christmas and attendance at school has been under normal.

Mrs. Jim Grimshaw, who has been a patient in the Gorman hospital for several days, in home again and doing very well.

Little Derrell Blankenship spent the past weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Blankenship. Derrell is a student in the State School at Mexia.

The Ray Hendricks of Roscoe spent Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Quinn and son, Urvel, spent part of last week here with his mother, Mrs. Emma Quinn.

Mrs. Verda Lane has been a house patient at her home here with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane was in Eastland at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Minton Hanna, to celebrate his birthday last week.

Mrs. O'Ra Walls spent the week end in Stephenville with her children and will be moving down to Stephenville as soon as she has purchased her a small home.

Mrs. Lunelle Maupin of Denton was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and Jo, for the past weekend.

Morris Ray and Linda Greenhaw, students at North Texas State University at Denton, spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greenhaw.

Mrs. W. H. Davis returned home Sunday following a stay in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mrs. Aaron Henslee of Lingleville, who underwent surgery in the Harris Hospital Thursday of last week. Mrs. Henslee has gone through the operation fairly well. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Foreman of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. James Riggs, also of Fort Worth, were here to visit the Ferrel Lewis family and Mrs. Ethel Riggs on the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Powers and children of Texas City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers, and attended services at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wayne Whitlock and children of Olden spent the weekend here with his mother, Georgia Whitlock.

Mrs. Jack Beaty and son, Jackie of Goree, visited here Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthery.

To the ones who may care to send cards to Mrs. Aaron Henslee, her address is Room 712, Harris Hospital, Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane had their granddaughters, Marsha and Julia Hanna of Eastland, on Friday night and then the girls returned home with their mother on Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS

To all our many friends who so graciously remembered us during our recent illness and stay in the Blackwell Hospital with the wonderful shower of cards, your visits, and especially for your prayers, we humbly thank you.

To Dr. Rodgers and Dr. Brown and the wonderful staff of nurses we send our thanks.

May God bless and keep you.

Mr. & Mrs. A. N. Turner

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An old superannuated minister had unwittingly told of his wealth and fortune, and the fame of his possessions got to the ears of the tax assessor. One day the government's representative came to his door to press him for a statement of his wealth.

"Is it so," began the assessor, "that you have capital?"

"Yes," said the preacher, "I am a rich man."

"In that case," said the visitor interestedly, pulling out his book, "I shall have to assess you. What are your possessions?"

"I am enjoying good health," said the man, "and health is worth very much."

"Well," said the caller, "what more do you have?"

"I have a good wife — worth more than diamonds."

"Congratulations," exclaimed the tax man, "but don't you own more?"

"Yes, I have healthy, intelligent, upright sons and daughters, and that is a possession of which any man can feel rich."

"Do you own anything else?" asked the inquirer.

"Yes, I own citizenship in the United States, and an assured inheritance in Heaven. What more could a man own?"

"But don't you own any money or real estate?"

"No, otherwise I own nothing," said the man happily.

"My friend," said the assessor as he closed the book, "you are indeed a rich man, and your riches no man can take away—not even your government."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our friends for the cards and visits and other kindnesses during our stay in the Blackwell Hospital. We especially want to thank Dr. Brown and Dr. Rodgers and the nurses and hospital staff for their excellent care and kindness.

May God bless each of you.

Mr. & Mrs. Jim Stacy

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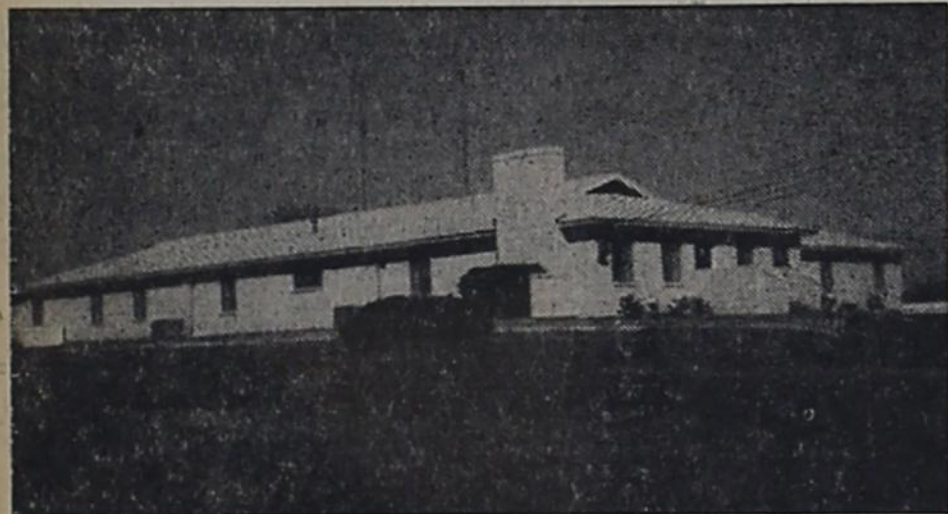
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Consider these facts:

- 229,000 needy aged, representing 30 per cent of Texas' entire aged population, now have a Blue Cross-Blue Shield health insurance policy paid for by the State,

- This State program provides hospital, medical, surgical, x-ray, and nursing home benefits,

- 72% of the aged in Texas now have one or more health insurance policies,

- Through the "Texas 65 Health Insurance Plan," Blue Cross' "Senior Texan Service," and other special programs offered to the aged by private companies, health insurance is available to all who want it at a reasonable cost,

- Studies by Belden Associates indicate that only a small percentage of the aged actually still need and want help in paying health costs (these aged would be covered by the program now being considered by the Texas Legislature).

In view of these facts, the national "medicare" tax proposal (the King-Anderson bill,

H.R. 1) is not needed. "Medicare" benefits are very limited, covering about one quarter (25%) of the total yearly health care costs of the average aged person. "Medicare" would not cover physicians' services or surgical charges, nor would it cover the cost of drugs outside of institutional care.

The "medicare" proposal is an extremely expensive one. While we all are starting to enjoy a reduction in federal income taxes as a result of action by Congress last year, the "medicare" program would cost an estimated \$1.7 billion dollars in additional taxes the first year. "Medicare" would increase payroll taxes to cover everyone over 65—even the wealthy. The employee who now pays a maximum tax of \$174 annually would find the amount for Social Security benefits and "medicare" increased to \$291 by 1971. Employers would pay a similar increase for each employee, thus resulting in higher prices for goods and services.

The Texas approach of providing medical, surgical and hospital care to those who need it is a more comprehensive, more economical program than "medicare," and it provides more benefits. If you object to paying higher payroll taxes for an undesirable, unneeded program, write your Congressman today. Ask him to oppose the "medicare" tax proposal, mentioning the programs for the aged now available in Texas. Ask him to support the Herlong-Curtis Eldercare Bill (H.R. 3727), which would make possible the broadening of the existing Texas program to provide medical, hospital and nursing home care for those few remaining aged who are still in need of help.

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**Gorman H D Club
Meeting Held Monday**

The Gorman Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting Monday, March 8 at 1:30 p. m. in the Kokomo Club House. Mrs. Bill Brown called the meeting to order, leading the motto, pledge and prayer. Mrs. Wayne White led the devotional prayer.

Due to sickness only 5 members answered the roll call to "A Rule of Etiquette."

The minutes for the past two meetings were read and approved.

Mrs. Bill Brown gave the council report. Mrs. D. F. Eaves read the club constitution and by-laws. These were both approved by the club.

Mrs. J. L. Morrow was elected to serve as program chairman.

The club will have the candy, snow cone, popcorn ball concession stand at Eastland Livestock Show March 11-12-13.

Mrs. J. L. Morrow dismissed with prayer.

Mrs. Bertha Hazard and Mrs. Wayne White served as hostesses. Pecan pie, snack crackers and spread and punch were served.

The next meeting will be March 22 at 1:30 at the Kokomo Club House.

**Dallas Flower Show
To Feature Exotic
Plants March 13-21**

Water in all forms - jets, fountains and pools -- will dramatize the theme of the 1965 Dallas Flower and Garden Show.

"Wonder of Water" will be delineated in more than thirty elaborate model gardens at the flower spectacular which will run March 13 through 21 in the World Exhibits Building at State Fair Park in Dallas.

Co-sponsors of the 14th annual spring event are the Dallas Garden Center and State Fair of Texas. Hours will be from 11 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily.

Focal point of the first main vista in the Flower Show will be a Wisteria Walk overlooking a large tropical garden typical of a private home in Brazil. Hyacinths and water lilies will float in a free-form pool in the garden.

One of the most spectacular settings will be installed by the Dallas Park Department. A blaze of color will come from 400 big red azalea plants in the garden.

Among the ever-popular features of the Flower Show will be picture boxes, stump gardens, flower and table arrangements, house plants, hanging baskets, lavabos

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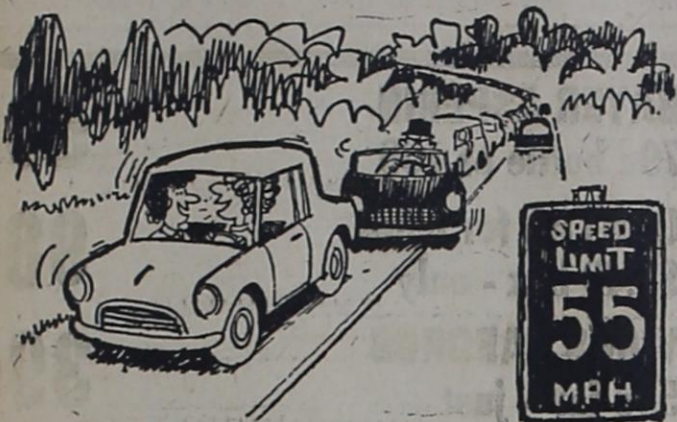
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WASHINGTON, D. C. — IN THE LAST YEAR OR TWO, and particularly in recent months, we hear and read of the danger of the proliferation of nuclear weapons. More and more will be heard about it in the months ahead.

BEHIND THE NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY and the creation of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency was the fear that more and more nations, and particularly those who have exhibited no world responsibility, will develop the capability of producing the nuclear bomb.

AS FAR BACK AS 1960 there was strong indication that the Red Chinese would be able to explode an atomic device. They did so at least 8 or 9 months before it was expected, except for only a few days before it happened.

WHAT IS THE WORLD GOING TO BE LIKE when Sukarno of Indonesia, Nasser of Egypt, the State of Israel, and perhaps half a dozen other nations develop their own nuclear bomb? It is frightful to contemplate, because in many parts of the world human life is relatively cheap. Chinese leaders said a long time ago that the loss of 100 million people in China would be meaningless to them. Their attitude is real and was made to emphasize that retaliation was no deterrent at all to them.

RED CHINA DOES NOT YET HAVE the ability to deliver their bomb to a target, but it must be assumed that if they are able to develop and detonate a nuclear bomb, indeed they will in time be able to develop a missile, booster or a manned bomber capable of offense against others.

IN A SPEECH SOON AFTER THE FIRST OF THE YEAR, Free Chinese President Chiang Kai-shek had this to say, "The Chinese Communists have been given a chance to grow strong enough to test a nuclear device. There is still the belief that compromise in the U. N. or empty gestures such as disarmament and adherence to the partial nuclear test ban can relax aggression, prevent Communist infiltration and subversion and forestall the disaster of a nuclear war. Such ideas have come

Mrs. B. B. Brooks of Bartlesville, Oklahoma arrived Sunday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Stella Reynolds, who was a patient in Blackwell Hospital. She was dismissed on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collis Hays of Dallas spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Hill, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bennett, Aubrey Bennett and Opal Golob of Eastland visited in Graham on Sunday and Fort Griffin near Albany. Mrs. Bennett spent last week in Temple with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Bennett. He accompanied her home Saturday. Visiting with Mrs. Martha Sutton this week were Mr. and Mrs.

Visiting from Thursday to Saturday with Mrs. Alma Craig and Mrs. George DeVoll, who are patients in Blackwell Hospital, were Mr. and Mrs. Clint Gage and boys of Abilene. Mrs. Gage is a daughter of Mrs. DeVoll. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickey and family of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Todd of Slaton spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Todd, and other relatives.

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B. L. Blackburn of Abilene, Mrs. Millie Slaton of Breckenridge and Mrs. W. H. Davis of Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning and Kathy spent the weekend in Austin with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Browning, and attended the boys state champion basketball games.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Files of Abilene visited in Gorman Thursday.

Visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baze were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Baze of May Pearl, and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neal Baze and David of Ranger, visited on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baze and John Burl of Fort Worth were Sunday visitors. Mr. Baze has been a patient in Blackwell Hospital and was dismissed on Monday.



FARMING is where the economy of Our Area is started.

CONGRATULATIONS during NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK to the Farmers of this area on a job well done . . . and to the Gorman Peanut Company for the progress they have made in their plant improvements to aid the farmer and the peanut industry . . . and to the SWPGA.

NOW is the time to get your machinery to top shape for next season's farming. See us for new Massey-Ferguson Tractors and GMC Trucks and Pick-Ups.

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GABE WRIGHT

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GORMAN

NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK MARCH 7 - 13



ALWAYS FRESH!



CRISP! CRUNCHY!

Eat Some Salted SPANISH Peanuts Every Day - -

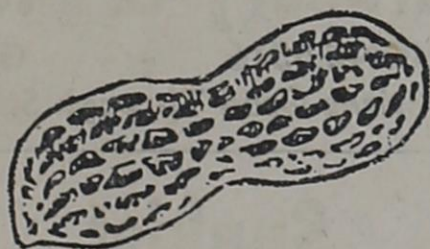
SPANISH Peanuts - - The Kind We Grow!

GORMAN HUMBLE STATION

G. T. LEONARD, Operator

RE 4-5615 Hwy. 6 West GORMAN

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WEEK MARCH 7 - 13

We join the community in paying tribute to the people in this area in the Peanut Industry - - the Farmers, the Gorman Peanut Company and Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association.

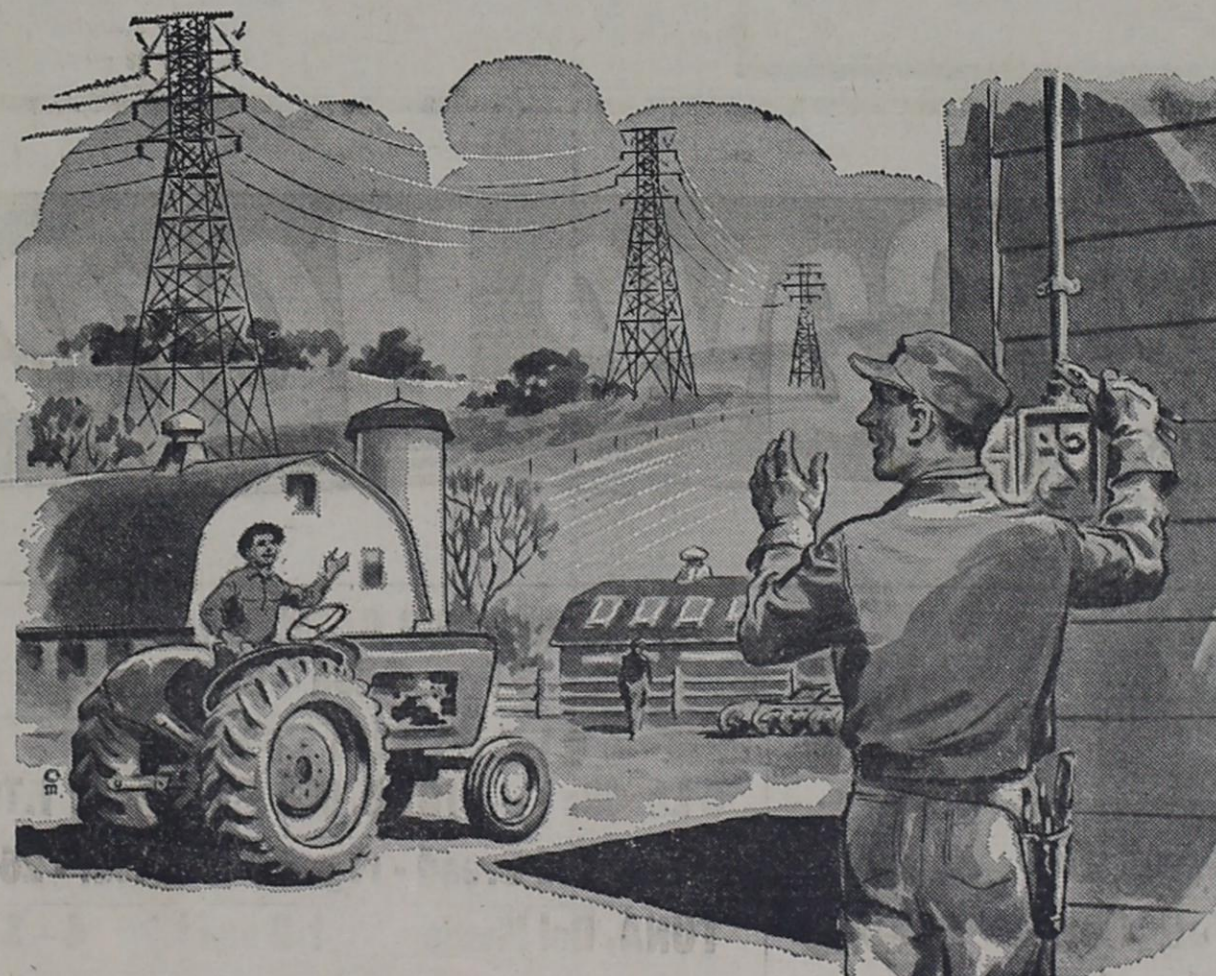
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JUG & VIRGIE DENNIS

PIT BARBECUE — LUNCHES & STEAKS

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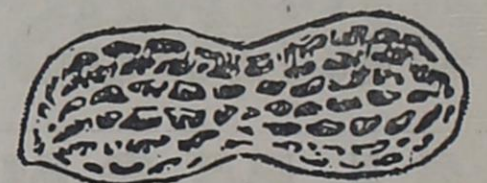
The Farm . . .



IS THE CENTER OF OUR ECONOMY!

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We Salute our Farmers On NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK MARCH 7 - 13



You, Mr. Peanut Farmer, are the most important man in the Peanut Industry . . . For you are the man that grows the Peanuts. Without you the industry would not exist at all.

We are proud to be a part of the peanut industry. We try to pay the highest possible price for peanuts . . . and use people from this area for employees.

GORMAN PEANUT COMPANY

Shellers of Spanish Peanuts

Wilbur Shell

Melvin Shell

Congratulations to the Farmers
and Peanut Industry during

NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK
MARCH 7 - 13

CARPET REDUCTION SALE
100 percent Continuous Filament Nylon Carpet

See our New Samples of 100% HERCULON, ACRALON
& WOOL CARPETING — All Permanently Moth-Proof

\$5.25 Yd. & Up installed over heavy 40 oz. pad

CORNING WARE SPECIAL
2½ Qt. Corning Ware Sauce Pan with Cover
Regular \$6.50 Value - ONLY \$4.88

**7 Pc. Regal Ware Quality Aluminum
Teflon-Lined Cooking Set**

6/Qt. Dutch Oven - 10½ & 7 Inch Fry Pans - 1 & 2 Qt. Sauce Pans

No Stick Cooking & No Scour Clean-Up

Selling For Only **\$24.95**

MELMAC DINNER SETS - SERVICE FOR 8
6 Different Patterns To Choose From **\$15.79**

Coppertone & White Aluminum Canaster Sets
by Mirror Matic - Only **\$9.95**

Hiqqinbotham's

STORE RE 4-5319 - LUMBER YARD RE 4-5419

FUNERAL HOME - AMBULANCE

Day or Night — Phone RE 4-2272

**Peanut Growers Urged
To Release Unplanted
Acreage By April 5th.**

The 1965 peanut box score on
peanut acreage for Comanche
County is as follows:

Acres Released: 686.3
Acres Requested: 5,110.4
Acreage Needed to
Fill Requests: 4,424.1

The Comanche ASC County
Committee urges each producer
to either plant his peanut allotment
or release it. If any part of
the 1965 peanut allotment will not
be planted on a farm, you are
urged to release such acreage to
the County ASC Committee by
not later than April 5, 1965. In
most cases releasing acreage will
help maintain history for a farm.
Released acreage will be reapportioned
to other producers in the
county who need more acreage
and who file a request at the ASC
Office for additional acreage
by not later than April 5.

There were 46,929.3 acres of
peanuts planted in Comanche
County in 1964. 45,836.1 acres were
harvested. The 1964 peanut allotment
was 57,196.2 acres. Total production
was 38,472,562 pounds
with an average yield of 839 lbs.
per acre.

The 1965 peanut allotment for
Comanche County is 56,394.9 acres.
You are urged to plant or release
your allotment.

**Associate Membership
Drive For Texas
Sheep & Goat Raisers**

February 26 — A drive for asso-
ciate membership among banks
and other firms and professional
men associated with the sheep and
goat industry is being launched by
the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers'
Association.

The plan is for directors of the
organization to contact business
and professional men in their own
counties.

The sheep and goat industry is
one of the most important in Central
and West Texas, and its welfare
directly affects the welfare of
the business community. TS&G
works in legislative and
other fields for the good of the industry.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter
and Milton, Jr. are visiting this
week in Fort Worth with her sisters,
Mrs. F. K. Scott and Mrs.
Nell Regan, and in Boyd with his
brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Fair-
better, and will visit their daugh-
ter, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Russell
and family in Mineral Wells be-
fore returning home.

**POMMAC, Popular
Soft Drink, Makes
Debut In Gorman**

POMMAC, the new soft drink
import from Sweden, made its
debut in the Gorman market on
March 8, 1965, it was announced
today by Mrs. Grace Lyon, owner
of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Com-
pany of Dublin, which will handle
distribution of the new product.

"We are pleased to introduce
this unique and interesting new
soft drink to the people of our
area," said Mr. Lyon. "And we
predict that it will meet with wide
acceptance here as it has done in
all other areas where it has been
made available," she added.

"The introduction of the drink
will be as colorful as POMMAC
itself," said Mrs. Lyon. "Dealers
and consumers in the area are in
for something new and different when
they meet up with this unusual
product," she added.

POMMAC has been a leading
seller on the Continent for more
than 40 years. Its flavor is com-
pared to a fine light champagne
and although non-alcoholic, its re-
putation places it somewhat be-
yond the ordinary soft drink. Made
from a combination of white
grapes and other natural ingredi-
ents, POMMAC flavor is distinc-
tively different from any other
brand of soft drink.

The manufacture of POMMAC
also deviates from the standard
process used by other soft drink
makers. The perfect blending of
drink is predominately noticeable
through actual testing. Its original
flavoring, made in Sweden, is aged
in huge oak casks before being
shipped to the United States. It is
marketed as a low-calorie drink
with less than one-third calorie
per ounce.

Dr. Pepper Company has ex-
clusive distribution rights for
POMMAC throughout the entire
Western Hemisphere. Beginning
in October last year the company
first introduced POMMAC in the
United States in four test markets

- Benton Harbor, Mich.; Rapid
City, S. D.; Santa Clara, Calif.,
and Denton, Texas. Initial tests
proved highly successful and dis-
tribution was soon expanded in
each of the areas. Earlier this year
two large metropolitan markets
were added to the test program
comprising Dallas and San An-
tonio, Texas. Consumer accept-
ance in these two heavily popula-
ted areas has been equally satis-
factory, the company reports.

In a July 23 meeting of the Dr.

Pepper Company board of direct-
ors held in Dallas, home of Dr.
Pepper Company, it was announ-
ced that POMMAC would be taken
from the test marketing stage and
opened to national distribution.
Since that time POMMAC dis-
tribution has expanded rapidly
throughout the United States with
many new plants now franchised
to handle the product.
Mrs. Grace Lyon, Owner
Dr. Pepper Bottling Co.,
Dublin, Texas

BAYER ASPERIN 79c bottle of 100	59c
GONTAC for colds \$1.49 box - only	98c
VICKS VAPORUB 55c jar - just	39c
TUMS 12c rolls - only	7c

SMITH DRUG & SALES CO.
ARLTON E. SMITH, Owner
Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. — Night: 6:30 to 8:30
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During...
NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK
MARCH 7 - 13
.. We join the business men of Gor-
man in saluting the people in the
peanut industry in our area.

Our New Stock Of
LADIES SPRING SHOES
Have Just Arrived
FROSSARD'S
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Gorman, Texas

this is
POMMAC
the new soft drink
from the Continent

Save Here!

SHOP ONE STOP
JAY'S
Grocery & Market
PHONE 5316 — GORMAN
Prices Good Through Saturday

Potatoes	10 Lb. Bag	.79
SALMON	Honey Boy Tall Can	.39
WEINERS	ARMOUR'S All-Meat 12 oz. pkg.	.39
Bologna	ARMOUR'S ALL-MEAT pound	.39
CRISCO	3 lb. can	.79
Bananas	Pound	.10

ARMOUR'S CANNED HAM 3 Pound Can	2.49
GLADIOLA FLOUR 5 Lb. 49c - 10 Lb. 89c - 25 Lb. 1.79	
Mrs. Baird Bread - reg. 1 1-2 lb. loaf	25c
TUNA, Del Monte 1-2 can	4 - \$1
TOMATO SOUP, Campbell's	10c
Peter Pan PEANUT BUTTER 12 Oz. Jar	59c
TEXSUN 46 oz. Can	
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	39c
FROZEN JUICE - 12 oz. Cans Orange 49c Grape 39c Lemonade 29c	
Del Monte FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 Can	5 - \$1
ARROW Reg. Roll	
ALUMINUM FOIL	29c

TOP JOB - NEW
King Size - 99c - Giant - 69c & Reg. - 39c

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½ Gallon **29c**