

Santa With Elephant To Visit Here Saturday

Carbon To Play Talpa For Region At Coleman Friday

The Carbon Wolverines captured the Bi-District Title on Thanksgiving night at Comanche by downing the Gustine Tigers by a score of 22 to 14.

The Bi-District win puts the Carbon Wolverines in the playoff for the Regional Title against the Talpa team, winners of Bi-District honors in their area over a strong Wienert team. Carbon is undefeated through eleven games this season.

Mrs. Ollie Mae Gaines Buried At Oakland Cemetery Wednesday

Graveside rites for Mrs. Ollie Mae Gaines of Kermit were held at 3 p. m. Wednesday, December 1st at Oakland Cemetery.

Mrs. Gaines, a former resident of Gorman, died November 28 in Winkler County Memorial Hospital at Kermit.

She was born September 27, 1894 at Cain, Texas. She was married to Douglas McClure Gaines in 1910. They lived on a farm in the Indian Mountain Community for a number of years.

Mrs. Gaines was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are five daughters, Mmes. Stella Files of Andrews, Maybell New, Kermit, Pauline Davis, Wichita Falls, Lucille Burrows, Decatur, and Mary Williams, Roswell, N. M.; four sons, Edward of Big Spring, Robert of Andrews, Jack of Vernal, Utah, and Paul Gaines; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Carole Rae Rankin Is Local Candidate For County Pecan Queen

Miss Carole Rae Rankin, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin, is Gorman's entry in the contest for Eastland County Pecan Queen.

The county queen competition will be held as one of the highlight features of the annual Eastland County Pecan Show to be held at Cisco on Friday and Saturday, December 10-11.

Winner of the contest will succeed Miss Susan Griffin of Carbon who won the honor during last year's show which was held at Ranger.

The brunette high school coed is a junior and was winner of the Miss Gorman Contest in September.

She is an active member in the Gorman Chapter of Future Homemakers of America, a member of the annual staff, and has served on the pep squad.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SUNDAY FOR BEN KENT

Funeral services for Mr. Ben Kent were held Sunday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Rising Star.

He was the brother-in-law of Mrs. Bert Kent of Gorman.

Attending the services with Mrs. Kent were her children, Mrs. Twylla Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ray Kent of Olden and Leroy Kent of Ranger.

JOE ED BAZE BAGS EIGHT POINT BUCK NEAR JUNCTION

Joe Ed Baze returned Sunday with an eight point buck and two Javalenas killed on the William Taylor ranch at Junction during a Thanksgiving hunting trip he made with his father, Graydon Baze, and grandfather, Lonnie Capers.

The group left Wednesday and returned Sunday.

The Regional Title battle between the Wolverines and Talpa will be played on Friday night, December 3rd, at Coleman. Game time will be 7:30 p. m.

Coach Dale Key and assistant Jimmy Hughes reported that the lineup for Carbon would be as follows:

Right End - Ray Kanady
Center - Bruce Wyatt
Left End - Jerry Cook
Quarterback - Alvie Allison
Right Half - Tim Warren
Left Half - Ronnie Hughes.

In the Bi-District game Carbon scored early in the first period when Ronnie Hughes broke loose and raced for 35 yards for the touchdown. Alvie Allison booted the two extra points.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

There will be a special meeting in the High School Auditorium on Monday, December 13 at 4:00 p. m. to inform everyone 65 and over about Medicare and the Medical Insurance program that will go into effect next year. Mr. Weatherby, your social security representative, will be here to answer all questions. Do not miss this meeting.

Dates for the distribution of USDA Surplus Foods for Eastland County for the month of December are as follows:

Monday, December 13 - Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Tuesday, December 14 - Rising Star, Pioneer Okra, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona.

Wednesday, December 15 - Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

The City Commission will meet Thursday, December 2 at the City Office.

Singing at Rock Bluff will be held Sunday, December 5th.

Gorman Chapter No. 443, Order of Eastern Star, meets Monday, December 6th.

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department will meet on Thursday night, December 2 at the Fire Hall for the fourth session study course.

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.

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

LT. JOE MEHAFFEY LEAVES FOR DUTY IN VIET NAM

Lt. Joe Mehafe, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mehafe, of Fort Benning, Georgia, left Friday for a tour of duty in Viet Nam. Joe is with the Helicopter Division of the U. S. Army. He has recently completed a tour of duty in Germany.

His wife, Linda, and daughter, Randi Zee, will make their home in Hamilton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cloninger, and will be spending some time in Gorman with the R. C. Mehaffes while Joe is away.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the means of expressing our thanks to the City of Gorman and the Gorman Fire Department for the use of the Fire Hall for our reunion.

We appreciate the friendly welcome we always get in Gorman. The Wolfenbarger Children

Carbon scored again before the first half ended with Hughes making the final 25 yards on a beautiful scamper into the end zone. Allison added the two extra points and Carbon led 16 to 8.

Just before the first half ended Gusline scored on a 45 yard pass play. Tim Warren, Carbon's safety man got in front of the pass receiver and batted the ball up in the air and the Gustine player grabbed it for the score. Gustine added the two extra points and the score at half-time was 16 to 8.

Carbon added another score in the fourth period with Hughes plunging over from the one yard line. The conversion attempt by Allison failed.

Gustine got their final tally on a long pass play. The conversion failed. This made the final score read: Carbon 22 and Gustine 14. Outstanding offensive playing was turned in by Hughes, Tim Warren and Ray Kanady. Outstanding defensive playing was shown by Bruce Wyatt, Kanady, Danny Hobbs, Hughes and Warren.

We congratulate the Wolverines on winning the Bi-District Title and add our wishes for a victory in the Regional Game at Coleman on Friday night.

County Pecan Show Slated For Dec. 10-11

All winning entries in the 13th annual Eastland County Pecan Show at Cisco, December 10th and 11th, may be entered in the Texas State Pecan Show at A&M University the following week, it was explained today by show officials.

The first three place winners of the various pecan varieties, if of the quality of the nuts justify, will be sent to the state show according to Oscar Schaefer, president of the grower organization.

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce and Schaefer's group are co-sponsors of the annual affair.

Schaefer called attention to the fact that the original county pecan show started in Cisco and said there will be twenty similar county shows held over the state this fall all patterned, to some extent, after the Eastland County show.

All pecans entered must have been grown in 1965 by the man or woman, boy or girl showing them. Anyone with one tree or a thousand trees may enter pecans living either in the country or in town, according to Jim Smothers, local Chamber of Commerce manager.

Cash prizes of \$10.00, \$5.00 and \$3.00 will go to the winners of the centerpiece division. The centerpieces must use pecans in the exhibit. Winning entries of pecans will compete for ribbons, plaques and a trophy.

The centerpiece division has been gaining interest among exhibitors in recent years.

The Cisco Jaycees are sponsoring a pecan queen contest to be held in connection with the show.

A pecan bake show, featuring cakes, pies, cookies and candy, will also be held.

A NEW SON FOR MR. & MRS. JIMMY PHILIPS

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Philips announce the arrival of their son, Jimmy Leroy, Jr., born at 8:27 a. m. Saturday, November 27 in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and twelve ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison of Gorman and great-grandparents are Mrs. R. G. Buckley of Gorman and Mrs. Hudson Collins of Compton, California.

Jimmy Leroy Jr.'s father is employed with the Texas Federal Inspection Service.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR FLOYD PORTER SET TODAY AT 2:00

Funeral services for Mr. Floyd Porter will be held at 2:00 p. m. today, Thursday, in the First Baptist Church. Burial will be in the Oakland Cemetery.

Mr. Porter died at 12:30 a. m. Wednesday, December 1 at his home in Lometa.

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

Gorman High Band To Perform at Stock Show

The Gorman High School Band will perform in the 1966 Southwestern-Exposition and Fat Stock Show Opening Day Western Parade, Friday, January 28.

In 1965 the parade was seen by more than 135,000 spectators who lined Fort Worth streets. Paraders were also viewed by thousands more on area television. The parade, traditionally the kickoff event for the Stock Show's ten-day session, will begin its two-hour trip through the downtown area at 2 p. m. January 28.

Gates on the exposition grounds will open at 4 p. m. and the first performance of the 1966 Fort Worth Stock Show Rodeo will begin at 8 p. m. Closing date of the 70th edition of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show will be Sunday, February 6.

Saturday, January 29 has been selected as Future Farmers and Homemakers of America and 4-H Club Members "Special Day" at the Fort Worth Stock Show.

Applications for Mail Order Tickets for the 1966 Rodeo are now being taken at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, P. O. Box 150, Fort Worth, Texas 76101.

14 Gorman Youth In Work Program

Fourteen Gorman High School students are now employed under the National Youth Corps at \$1.25 hourly rate.

The students are 16 to 20 years of age and are working in four areas of the school district, as custodian, library, office and lunchroom.

More students could be employed if they apply and qualify. Whether they can qualify or not depends on total income of parents and how many children are in the family, school officials said.

Students are allowed 10 hours work per week during the school term.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my thanks to Dr. Rodgers and the entire hospital staff for the many kindnesses shown me during my recent stay in the hospital.

I want to thank all my friends for the lovely cards and flowers and a special thanks to the Willing Workers Class of the First Baptist Church for the lovely flowers and a special thanks to Mrs. Donnie Parker and Mrs. Annye Faye Foster.

May God bless each of you. Mrs. Mary Emerson



The Yule Season will officially open here Saturday when Santa's Christmas Productions arrive. Santa Claus will make his appearance with his Jumbo Sleigh, an elephant drawn sleigh which will be available to give free rides to children of all ages. Santa will visit with the children in his special workshop "Santa's Hut," when he is not riding with the children in his elephant drawn Jumbo Sleigh.

Santa will have a live Shetland Pony Ride consisting of six ponies tied to a spoke-like wheel and will give free pony rides all day. There will also be an airplane ride for the children.

"Big Jess," a Ringling Show elephant, is Santa's helper, and weighs 7,695 pounds and is quite a sack full to get down the chimney!

Santa and his helpers will be in Gorman from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturday, December 4th, and he would like to visit with all the children in the area, getting their Christmas gift wishes, and will be giving free sleigh, pony and airplane rides.

The merchants of Gorman have decorated store windows for the holiday season and Santa's visit. The city employees have installed the street decorations and the lights have been turned on and will remain on until the end of the Christmas season.

Santa's Christmas Productions is being sponsored by the Gorman Business Men and they extend a cordial welcome to everyone to spend the day in Gorman Saturday, December 4 and enjoy Santa's visit.

Pantherettes Open Season With Wins Over Ranger Teams

The Pantherettes began the season in high fashion Tuesday night, November 22 when they met the Ranger girls for the first game of the season.

The Gorman "A" team defeated the Ranger team 48 to 20.

Marilyn Shell was high point winner with 26 points. Lana Stacy was second with 9, Bennie Peveto racked up 7 and Linda Warren 6. Doing outstanding guard work were Kathy Browning, Mary Martin, Mary Kirk, Elizabeth Parr and Mollie Steele.

High point winner on the Ranger team was McKelvain with 11 points.

The Gorman "B" team won over Ranger 23 to 17 with Katrina Watson hitting the basket for 7 points to take high point honors. Linda Rodgers came in second with 6. Sharon Young and Lana Stacy each got 3 points and Cecilia Self made 2 points.

Guards playing a fine game were Charles Ann Jenkins, Jean Collins, Pam Foster, Michaelyn Porter and Connie Park.

High point winner for Ranger was Johnston with 6 points.

Dr. D. V. Rodgers Buys Hereford Bull In West Texas Sale

Dr. D. V. Rodgers purchased We Silver Prince E, consigned by Weldon Edwards of Clyde, for \$1,000 at the West Texas Sale. The November 1964 calf was sired by LHF Silver Prince B26.

Rodgers bought the bull at the Annual West Texas Hereford Association Sale at the Taylor County Exposition Center Monday.

He also bought the champion bulls at the 1963 and 1964 Abilene sales, bought four females, including the champion pen of three consigned by Mr. and Mrs. J. Olin Amerson of Hamlin, for \$1,560. He paid \$400 each for Lady Superior 152, Caroline 153 and Nita Boy A 155.

Dr. Rodgers, who runs 105 mother cows on his ranch near Gorman, started selling calves to 4-H Club in 1951 and many of the young buyers have shown them to championships in several major shows.

Gorman Cagers Split Games With Dublin Here Tuesday Night

The Gorman boys and girls basketball teams opened their regular full schedule of games on Tuesday night at the local gym with three games with the Dublin teams.

In the opening game the Gorman boys "B" team lost to the Dublin "B" boys 53 to 29. Doyle Shipman was high point winner for Gorman with 10 points. Fine led the Dublin scoring with 12.

The Pantherettes, in their second game of the season, outpointed the Dublin girls by a score of 45 to 37.

Marilyn Shell led the Gorman scoring with 25 points. Bennie Peveto hit for 10 points, Laverne Scitern got 6 and Linda Warren netted 3. Barbara Spurger took scoring honors for Dublin with 22 points.

The Panthers dropped their first game of the season to a strong Dublin team, who were playing their fifth game, by a score of 66 to 31.

Daryl Hirst led the Panther point-makers with 20 points. Mike Rodgers hit for 6, Tommy Kirk 4 and Jackie Harrison 1. Harrod led the Dublin scoring with 16 points. Dublin had 5 boys in double figures in scoring.

The Gorman boys and girls are entered in the Eastland Basketball Tourney beginning today, Thursday, and continuing through Saturday night.

The next regular schedule game will be on December 7 when the Gorman cagers host the Desdemona boys and girls at 7:30 p. m.

GORMAN TOURNEY SLATED DECEMBER 9-10-11

The Gorman Invitational Basketball Tourney is slated for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 9-10-11 with eight teams competing in the boy's bracket and eight teams in the girl's division.

Games will begin at 1:00 p. m. Thursday and will continue thru Friday afternoon and night and Saturday and Sunday night.

Teams entered in the boy's division are De Leon, Moran, Olden, Dublin, Eastland, Gordon, Carbon and Gorman.

Teams in the girl's bracket include Ranger, Moran, Gordon, Olden, Eastland, Carbon, and Gorman "A" and "B" teams.

A complete line-up of games will be published next week.

1965 Gorman Basketball Schedule

Dec. 2-3-4 - Eastland Tourney
Dec. 7 - Desdemona - Here - 7:30
Dec. 9-10-11 - Gorman Tourney
Dec. 14 - Desdemona - There - 7:30
Dec. 16-17-18 - Carbon Tourney
Dec. 21 - Dublin - There - 7:00
Jan. 4 - Open
Jan. 7 - Open
Jan. 11 - Bye - Here - 7:00
Jan. 14 - Carbon - Here - 7:00
Jan. 18 - Putnam - There - 7:00
Jan. 21 - Olden - There - 7:00
Jan. 25 - Moran - Here - 7:00
Jan. 29 - Bye - There - 7:00
Jan. 31 - Carbon - There - 7:00
Feb. 4 - Putnam - Here - 7:00
Feb. 8 - Olden - Here - 7:00
Feb. 11 - Moran - There - 7:00

Boys Coach: Joe Ellis
Girls Coach: Dave Smith

"American Heritage" Is Theme Of Woman's Study Club Monday

The Fall of the year seems to be a time of "remembering," and that it was, indeed, when the members of the Woman's Study Club gathered in the home of Miss Ozella Pulley on Monday night. Special guest and program center was Mr. Tom Bennett, "American Heritage" the central theme.

Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher led the group in the Pledge to the Flag of the United States.

The response to roll call was something pertaining to American Heritage, and everyone must have felt that America begins at home. Even though Miss Pulley officially introduced Mr. Bennett and his program, "Yesteryears," a little later, it really did actually begin with roll call. As each told of something special, an old clock in a family many years, an 1889 Methodist Hymnal, a family history being compiled here that already reaches 300 years into the past, an 1847 deed, a very old bedstead and dresser . . . and with each response began a general discussion of birthdates, places, old houses, and Mr. Tom was thoroughly familiar with most of it and helped straighten out dates and places several times, or else the incident recalled some other related story to his mind that he would tell.

Mr. Bennett brought along some old pictures, and Ozella had borrowed others from Mr. John Kimbl. They were passed, and discussed, the places located and the people identified. One in 1893 was the third school term in Gorman; the old school building with pupils in front, was located just behind Mrs. Nona Leazar's home. There was a scene at Bass Lake, quite a crowd on the bank and musicians in a boat out in the pool. Another showed a threshing scene in 1911. There were others. And throughout were little stories - - the time the water tank burned, the time of lynch mobs, and boom-time incidents. There was humor and pathos and when it comes to Gorman's American Heritage, Mr. Bennett can tell most of it - - he said he had grown up with the town, and his remarkable memory of that growing is most interesting and accurate.

Refreshments of carrot cake with whipped cream, fruit punch and peanuts failed to slow the chatter. Questions were asked of Mr. Bennett almost faster than he could answer. Who are the men in this picture? Do you know about when this was taken? Where was this? and on - - Mr. Bennett didn't seem to mind, and the club members really enjoyed his "Yesteryears."

Club president Mrs. Berenice Jeffs presided during a brief business meeting. More cookbooks were secured and are for sale. Four quarters for Headquarters was voted, as was a donation to the Arthritis-Rheumatism Foundation. Touch-up painting will be done on the Welcome to Gorman signs. And plans for the next meeting, A Christmas Party, were made.

And, thus, on a happy note, the meeting was adjourned.

WOLFENBARGER REUNION HELD SUNDAY AT FIRE HALL

The children of Mrs. W. L. Wolfenbarger met at the Fire Hall in Gorman Thursday, November 25th for a reunion and Thanksgiving dinner.

Fifty-two members of the families were present and included: Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas of Aransas Pass, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Thomas of Headrick, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Clement, Shirey and Brenda of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carrey and children of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wolfenbarger of Gorman;

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wolfenbarger of Sundown, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Grisham and Dona of Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown and children of Midland, Mr. Alton Wright and Quinton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bryan and children of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hicks, Jacque, Johnny and Jimmy of Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Roberts, Kinnard, Bo and Rodney of Irving.

Mrs. Jack Thurman and Mr. E. W. Thurman and family.

Mrs. H. O. Files, who lives two miles north of Gorman, was surprised Thanksgiving when four of her children arrived to spend the day with her. They were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Files and son of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Files and daughter of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Files and son of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Roney of Breckenridge. A son, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Files of Houston, were unable to attend.

Thanksgiving Day visitors in the home of Mrs. Fanny Burkett were her daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Palmie and daughter, Dee of Austin, and Mrs. Margaret Ellison of Abilene, and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Currier and Missie, also of Abilene, and Miss Mary Jones of Midland.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Browning were their daughter, Mrs. Huppy Morris and Pamela, and Linda Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. James G. Morris, Mitzy and Mark, all of Brownfield.

Paul Jones of Houston visited friends in Gorman Saturday. He spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Cisco, Eastland and Rising Star with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson and Scotty of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, Jimmy and Cassie, were visitors Sunday in the home of their mother, Mrs. Ollie Nelson.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shell were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Browning of Austin and Linda Shell of Dallas.

Carol Ramsey of Fort Worth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ramsey, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Morris of Carbon, Bill and Mrs. D. P. Holliday of Woodson and Mrs. O. Z. Keller and sons of Olden were visitors in the L. D. Holliday home during the holidays.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Shell were

SECOND BOOK OF GORMAN NATIVE IS PUBLISHED

AUSTIN, Texas — The second book of a Gorman native was published this week.

"Wagons East", an episode in natural disaster, human relations, and press leadership in the great drought of 1886, has been published by the Public Affairs Reporting Program of the School of Journalism at The University of Texas. The author is C. Richard King.

Dr. King, who is associate professor of journalism, was born in Gorman. He is the nephew of Mrs. Martha Sutton, Mrs. Ethel Harrell, and Mrs. Maude Gray, all of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gregg were hosts for a covered dish Thanksgiving luncheon Wednesday, November 24 for all the residents of the Gorman Elderly Housing Project.

Sharing the Thanksgiving dinner and fellowship were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee Chambers, Mrs. Nell Dollberry, Mrs. Jewell Huddleston, Mrs. D. F. Overstreet, Mrs. Flora Perrin, Mrs. Fanny Burkett, Mrs. Nonie Underwood, Miss Della Pullig, Mr. and Mrs. Stoker Richards were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rose of Merton visited with her mother, Mrs. J. Frank Dean, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

TOMMY RODGERS HONORED ON SECOND BIRTHDAY

Tommy Rodgers was honored on his second birthday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers, with a family dinner at their home on Sunday, November 28.

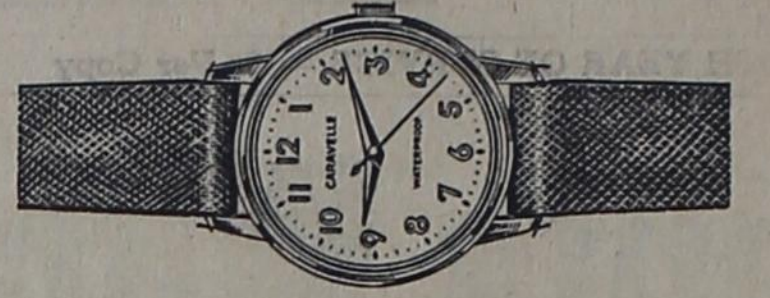
Tommy's birthday cake was baked and decorated in the form of a dog.

Members of the family attending the celebration were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Caloway of Rincon, N. M., great-grandmother, Mrs. George Blackwell, an aunt, Miss Linda Rodgers, and his sister, Vonnice.

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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Westmoreland, Gary and Pamela of Hamilton spent Thanksgiving Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and Mrs. Laura Westmoreland. Gary and Pamela remained with the grandparents until Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Anderson of Seattle, Washington arrived Saturday for several days visit with her mother, Mrs. Alma Elliott, at Lawndale Nursing Home. While here she is also visiting with Mrs. Donna Day. Sunday visitors with Mrs. Elliott were her brother, Mr. Nathan Sherrard, and nephew, Gregg Muse of Albany.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Donna Day Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baze and Burl of Fort Worth, Mr. Nathan Sherrard and Gregg Muse of Albany, and Mrs. Carl Anderson of Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burns had all of their children home for Thanksgiving Day dinner. They were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burns, all of Gorman, and Mrs. Ruth Shupp of Abilene, and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Burns of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thurman were in Fort Worth and Dallas for the Thanksgiving holidays visiting with their nephew, Mr. and



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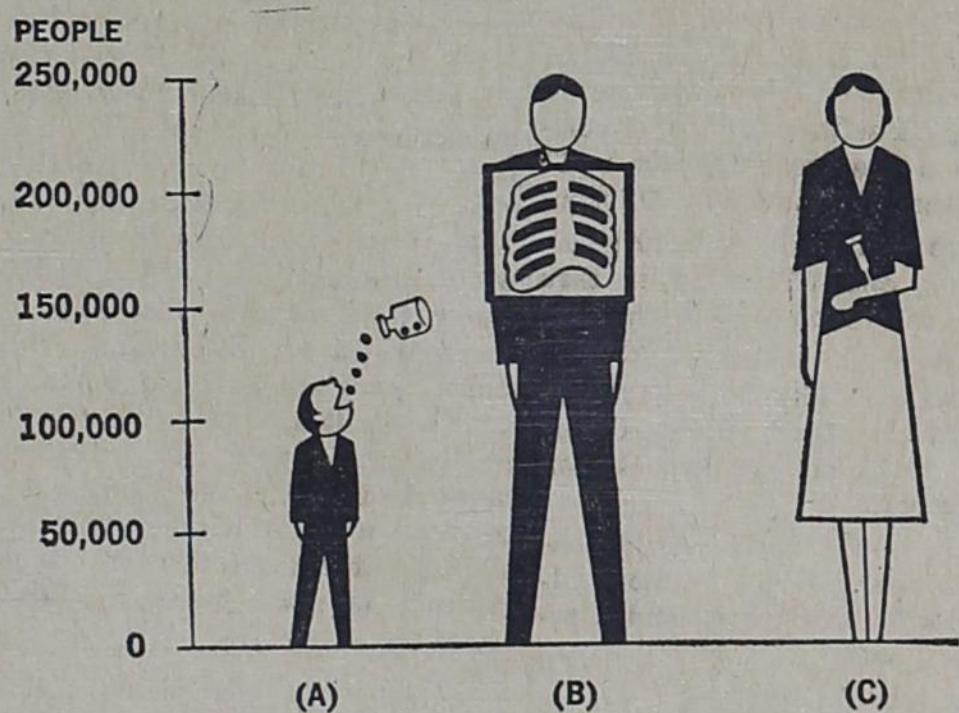
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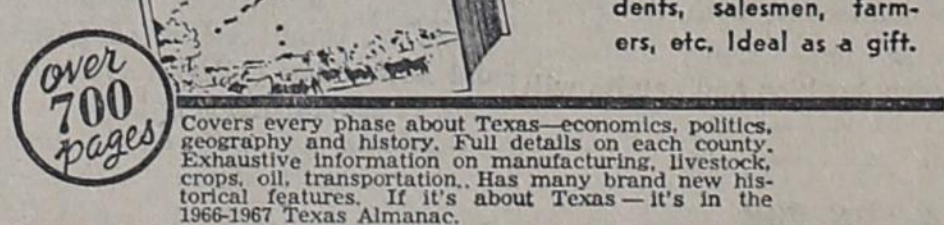
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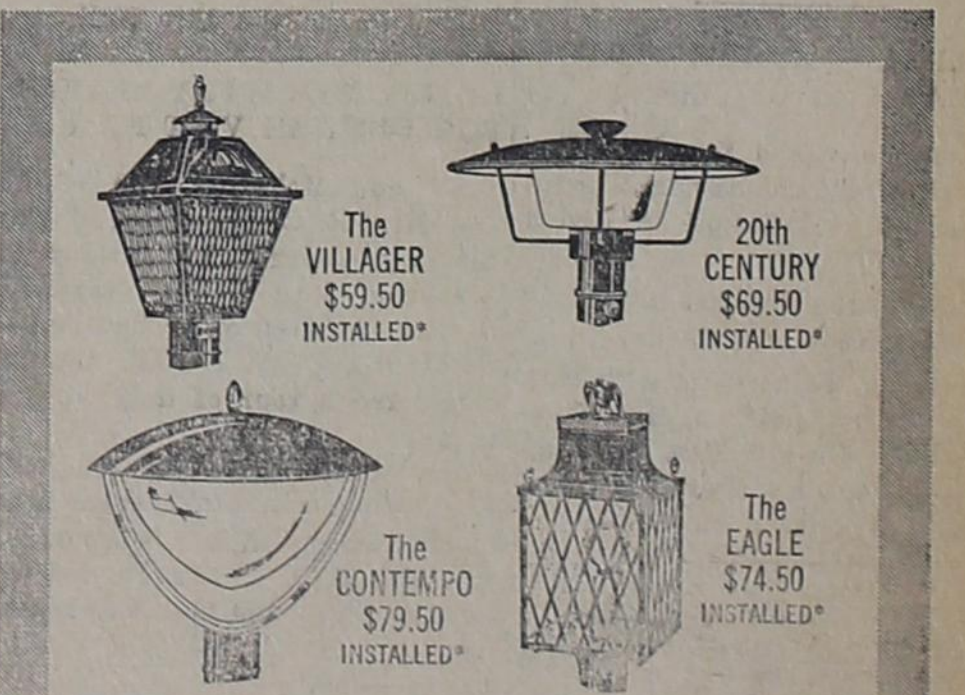
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KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. O'Neal spent Thanksgiving in Dumas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Shackelford and Camilla. They also visited in Snyder during the holidays with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Meares and family.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks were Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan of Sweetwater, Mrs. George Eppler, Paula, Billy and Edward of San Angelo, Mrs. Shorty Anderson of

Huntsville, Mrs. Bobby Browning of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Buel Bryan of Gorman were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Thanksgiving Day.

Those visiting with the Odus Rodgers family during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert, Lisa and Steve of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rodgers and Kim of Carbon, Mrs. J. C. Timmons of Gorman, Kathy Browning of Gorman and Bobby Browning of Austin.

Miss La Von Snider of Brownwood spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Pete Snider, and Dwayne and Nancy. Other visitors of the Sniders on Thanksgiving Day were Mrs. Snider's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Win-

ford Jumper and Robert of Houston. Mrs. Ellis Jumper of Midland Amos Jumper and Jamie Lee Snider of Gorman were overnight guests in the Snider home on Friday night. S. L. Snider of Sundown visited with the Snider family on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazel Snider, La Von, Dwayne and Danny were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Snider on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Eaves, Donald, Mack and Delores of Comanche and Kenneth of Tarleton, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Laminack and Marilyn of Lake Jackson, Glendal Laminack, who is band director at Lyford, and Lyndon of Texas University, Clyde Knapp of Comanche and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves, Mark and Deliah of Kokomo spent Thanksgiving Day with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves, in Gorman.

They all attended the wedding of Miss Ann Norris and Mr. Calvin Smith at the Normandie Baptist Church in Fort Worth on Friday night, November 26. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris of Fort Worth and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Brown, Betty and Gary of Lake Jackson, also attended the Norris-Smith wedding.

Lt. and Mrs. Bill Graham and family of McAlister, Oklahoma spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham, and with his sister, Mrs. D. F. Eaves, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Campbell, Ronnie and Bobby of Levelland, visited during the holidays with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow, and with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop on Thanksgiving Day were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan and children of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams and little daughters of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bishop and sons of Criss Plains and Mrs. Dale Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevenson of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Fuller were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller and family on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Claude Fuller, Christi and Rickey, visited in De Leon on Friday with her dad, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Flatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White spent the holidays in Dallas in the home of their daughter, Mr.

and Mrs. James Butler, Debbie and Stephen. Also visiting in the Butler home were the White's other daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Dennis, Pam and Joe Wayne, of Jefferson.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Kearnes and Keith of Colorado Springs, Colorado spent the weekend with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, Jimmy and Cassie Sue of Carbon spent Thanksgiving Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan.

Glenn Jordan, Glenda and Teddy, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen in Muleshoe. Mrs. Glenn Jordan, who spent last week in Muleshoe, returned home with her family on Saturday. The Jordans also visited in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lewallen and family and in Crosbyton with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Winn and family. Mrs. Jordan's sister, Mrs. D. C. Bell, who has been ill in a hospital in Muleshoe, is improving and hopes to be able to return to her home in Denver City soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White visited on Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hazard at their home near Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, Jimmy and Cassie of Carbon, Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mrs. D. F. Eaves, Mark and Deliah, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and family on Tuesday and helped Teddy to celebrate his 14th birthday.

Mr. John W. Anderson was the speaker for the services at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning and evening in the

De Leon Young Homemakers To Hold Talent Show Dec. 11

Saturday night, December 11, the De Leon Young Homemakers Chapter will sponsor a talent show at the De Leon High School Auditorium beginning at 7:30 p. m. Proceeds from the show will go toward remodeling the local city hall. Plans call for the old gym, located in the city hall, to be remodeled for a community center to be used by all clubs for meetings, banquets, etc.

Categories will include music, dancing and miscellaneous events. An entry fee of \$1.00 will be charged per number. Each entry will have a limit of five minutes. First place trophies will be given in each of the following groups: 5 years and under; 6 through 10; 11 through 16; 17 through 21; 22 through 40; and 40 and up.

First, second and third place ribbons will be given in each of the categories according to the age groups. A grand champion winner will receive a trophy.

Entries must be in by December 9th, and mailed to Mrs. Floyd An-

absence of the pastor, Rev. J. W. O'Neal.

Mrs. J. C. James and Mrs. L. F. Pittman of De Leon were visiting with Mrs. W. F. Bryant on Monday. Mrs. Bryant's brother, Mr. W. E. Pittman of Fort Worth, visited with Mrs. Bryant on Sunday. Mrs. Bryant continues to improve and is able to be up a lot of the time now. Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Bryant and Larry are staying with Mrs. Bryant to care for her.

person, Route 1, Comanche. Specify talent, age, name, address and phone number. Also how many are entered in the event.

We would like to invite all talent from the Gorman area whether it might be a song, piano, fiddle, twirling, or reciting a poem. Every one with talent is encouraged to enter. Who knows, you might bring home a trophy.

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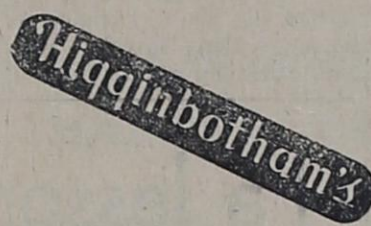


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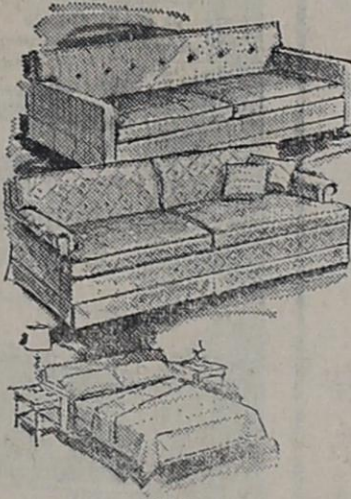
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By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

A large crowd was present on Monday night of last week to help us to celebrate our annual Thanksgiving supper held each year at the school gym sponsored by the local PTF Chapter.

Mrs. Ella Tidwell, who suffered a severe heart attack several days ago, is now reported quite improved.

Mrs. J. D. McMasters has been a patient in the Gorman hospital for the past several days.

Mr. (Uncle) Dave Deguire remains a patient in the Stephenville Hospital and is reported doing well, and expects to be home soon.

Mr. John Ryon was in the Gorman hospital for several days but was able to be home last Wednesday.

Mrs. Maud Fuqua spent several days last week in the Gorman hospital but is now home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herc Ficklen and children of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Johnson of Amarillo spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buckley and children of Graham spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Buckley.

Miss Judy Wilcoxson came home Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gage of Pampa were here on the weekend and Mrs. Ina Fuqua, who had been visiting with them for an extended visit, returned to her home here.

Miss Lunelle Allen of Denton was here on the holiday weekend and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and children of Fort Worth attended the School Homecoming at Olden the past Saturday and spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. David Deguire. Also visiting in the Deguire home were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Yardley and sons of Odessa and the Leo Williams family of Grafrod.

Mrs. Mack Keith and sons, Michael, Stephanie and Larry of Monahans, Mrs. Curtis Sadberry and children of Coleman and Miss Annie B. Rainey of Monahans visited here Saturday with relatives, the Keiths and Raineyes.

Visiting with the Jerry Buckleys during the holidays were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Kermit, and a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Joiner.

Little Derrrell Blankenship of Mexia spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Blankenship.

Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown report that their son, Robert Brown, is a patient in the hospital in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Keith and children of Odessa spent the week end here and finished up his dental work.

Mrs. Bobbie Glasson has been on the sick list the past several days.

Mrs. Earl Lane left Sunday for several days visit in Monahans with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane were in Andrews the past weekend and visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers.

Mrs. Ometa Lewis of Midland visited her mother, Mrs. Velia Roberts, the past weekend.

Mr. Albert Clark of Midland spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark.

Mrs. Potect, a sister of Mr. Lesley Hammonds, is visiting the Hammonds and attended church at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Read of Alvin spent the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Read.

Mr. Steve Blain was here on the weekend as a guest of Master Robert Ficklen, son of the Ficklens.

Mrs. Glenn Lane and children of Robstown were Sunday visitors with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lane. She is the daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane.

Visiting with the Ott Raglands and the Genoways for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nance, Don and Stevie of Midland, Mr. Whit Richards of Stephenville, Mr. Bill Mathews, Mrs. Rasberry and Jerry Ragland, all of Stephenville.

Mrs. Matt Davis, Jr. and her father of Bridgeport, and Mrs. Faye Iley were here this past week end and Mrs. Davis expects to be here for some time.

Mrs. Johnnie Keith of Dublin and her sister, Mrs. Nettie Cook, and son, Jackie Walls of the Lowell Community, visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ethel Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Key and son of Kansas spent the holidays here with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. May.

Mr. Jay Maltby and family of New Orleans, La. spent several days the past week with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Maltby.

News From Lawndale Home, Senior Citizens

Mrs. Mary Brasher celebrated her ninetieth birthday on Thanksgiving Day. Those visiting with her were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider and Kathy of Gorman.

Mrs. Rachel Shook celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday the first of December.

Mrs. Duran's Methodist Junior Sunday School Class visited the home on Tuesday. Everyone enjoyed listening to the Thanksgiving songs that they sang. We invite them back to visit again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stephens of Aransas Pass, Mrs. A. E. Wright of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Wolfenbarger of Sundown, and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Thomas of Headrick, Oklahoma visited with Mrs. Julia Wolfenbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wood and Mrs. Bill Slaton of Gorman, L. G. Wood and Nittie Wood of Dublin visited with Mr. Jim Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Petzell of Rising Star visited with Mrs. Nancy Fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ragland and

Mrs. Florene Burleson and son, Jerrell, who recently moved to Stephenville, spent the holidays in Amarillo with their husband and father, Bobby Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Fein of Fort Worth had dinner with his mother, Mrs. Ollie Fein, on Sunday before the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Eldridge had both of their children home for Thanksgiving. They are Mr. and Mrs. Gus McMillan of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eldridge of Lubbock.

A large number of friends attended the house warming at the home of Mrs. Georgie Whitlock held Saturday night.

Judy, Ronald, Donald and James of Maljamar, N. M., and Mrs. Neita Lee of Gorman visited with Mrs. Alma Craig.

Mrs. H. L. Perrin and Barbara Perrin of Ranger visited with Mr. Henry Perrin.

James A. Carver of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Cox and Karen of Denver City visited with Mrs. Elizabeth Carver.

Anne Baldwin of Dickens visited with Mrs. C. O. McKeenan.

Jewel Morris of De Leon visited with Mrs. Clemmie Phillips.

Janna Morris of De Leon visited with Mr. Jim Gowan.

Mrs. U. S. Branscum of Brownwood visited with Mrs. Helen Claxton.

Visiting with Mrs. Mary Rankin were Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Files and Mrs. Stella Reynolds of Gorman, R. O. Rankin, Alfred Britton, Rella Britton and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cockrill of Post, Mrs. M. N. Jones of Dublin, Mrs. S. S. Burleu of Paris, and Mrs. Dorothy Mayfield of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shook of Eastland visited with Mrs. Rachel Shook.

Mrs. Carl Anderson of Seattle, Washington visited with Mrs. Elma Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Scoope of Dallas visited with Mr. Tom Hale.

Mr. Lon McDonald of Gorman visited with Mrs. Carra Love.

Mrs. Clara Ivey and Mrs. Chas. Ashcraft of Ranger, Mrs. Rob Kinser and Mrs. Marvin Lewis of Gorman visited with Mrs. Ethel Ramsey.

Mrs. Nellie Turner and family of Cisco, Mrs. H. S. Sanders and Mrs. W. V. Carter of Eastland visited with Mr. Henry Sanders.

Mrs. Marie Owens and Miss Sherbert of Cisco visited with Mrs. Lucy Smith.

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Mrs. Ed Wyatt of Gorman visited with Mmes. Ollie Sims, Etha Pittman, Allie Seay, and Maude Gray.

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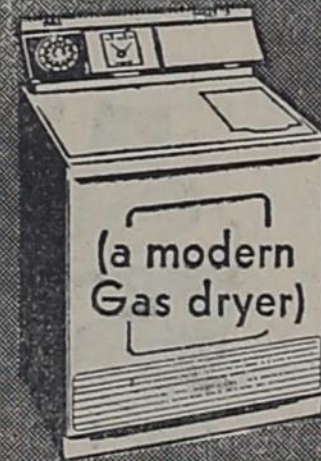
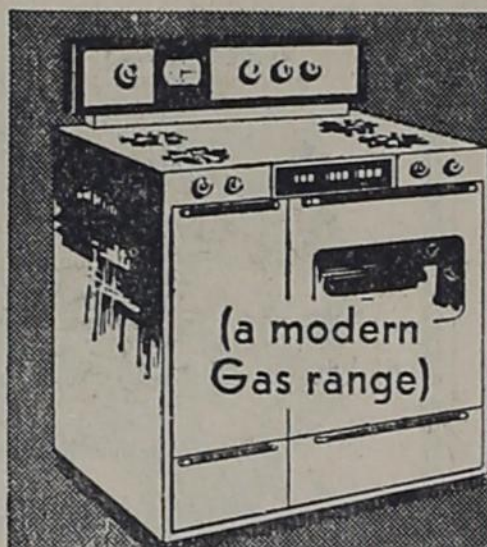
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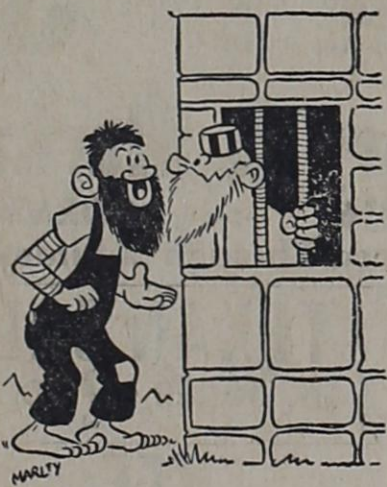
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More than 3668 persons over 65 in Eastland County have a decision to make before March 31, 1966, relative to something new under social security - Medicare. Only about half of them have already done so.

This new program offers extensive hospital and health insurance to almost all persons over 65. At the present time even those who have never worked under social security may qualify for this protection. Even those who are still working and are not eligible for the monthly cash payments may qualify.

R. R. Tuley, Jr., Abilene Social Security District Manager, stressed the fact that all persons over 65, or who will be this year, need to contact their social security office now if they are not receiving social security, railroad retirement, civil service retirement, or old age assistance. He urges them to complete the coupon printed below at once. All those completing the coupon will be contacted about filing the needed forms for medicare protection.

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MOTHER OF MRS. CLAITOR IN SAN ANGELO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Eula Jamison, 86, mother of Mrs. J. C. Claitor of Gorman, fell recently and broke a pelvis bone.

Friends wishing to send cards may do so by addressing them to: Mrs. Eula Jamison, Shannon Hospital, Room 440, San Angelo.

MRS. FRANK RHYMES IN EASTLAND HOSPITAL

Mrs. Frank Rhymes underwent major surgery Monday in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. She is doing nicely and will be able to come home in a few days.

Mrs. A. D. Eaker will be filling in at the City Office until Mrs. Rhymes is able to return to her duties as City Secretary.

service retirement, or welfare checks. Please let me know what I should do to qualify for Medicare benefits.

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(This coupon can be clipped and mailed to Social Security Administration, Box 3258, Abilene, Texas 79604.)

FINAL RITES FOR NORMA JENKINS HELD ON TUESDAY

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church in De Leon for Miss Norma Jenkins, 21, airline stewardess, among 13 persons killed Saturday in the crash of a chartered plane near Salt Lake City, Utah.

The Rev. Dan Kent, pastor, officiated, assisted by Payne Hattox, minister of the De Leon Church of Christ. Burial was in the De Leon Cemetery.

She was born January 8, 1944, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Jenkins of De Leon. Mrs. Jenkins was reared in Gorman. She was a 1962 graduate of De Leon High School and attended Tarleton State College for two years and received her stewardess training in Denver, Colorado.

Survivors are her parents; a sister, Mrs. Paul D. Knudson of Denver, Colorado; and grandfather G. H. Parker of De Leon.

CARD OF THANKS

Humbly I thank everyone who had a part in the nice house warming in which I was so graciously honored.

I wish I could thank each of you personally, but some of the gifts did not have names on them, so I am using this method of expressing my thanks.

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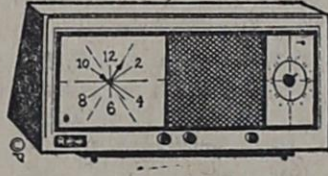
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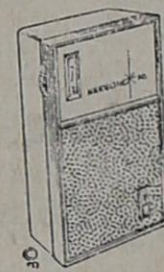
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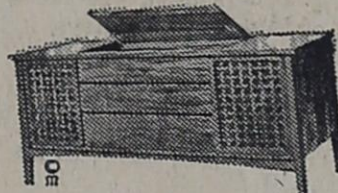
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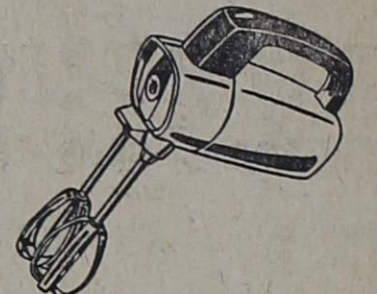
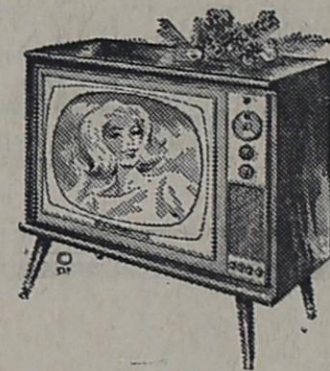
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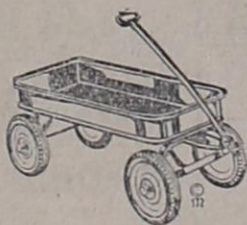


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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Ethel Ramsey, Mrs. Jessie Lemley and Bobo Hunt spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunt.

Mrs. F. R. Haile and Mrs. Fred Rodgers accompanied Mrs. Inez Williams, mother of Mrs. Haile, to Austin Sunday. They visited with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Rodgers and family. Their granddaughter, Mechile, returned home with them for an extended

visit.

Mrs. Floyd Dixon and Rusty of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrison of Arlington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison and visited in Eastland with the Harrison's new grandson, Jimmy Leon Phillips, Jr.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Haley of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Emmons of Breckenridge, Miss Diane Emmons of Houston, Miss Gerry Walker of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Rodgers and Mrs. Stella Morrow of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaffner Rodgers of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rodgers of Sweeney were holiday guests in the home of their father, Mr. and Mrs. Don E. Rodgers.

Thanksgiving weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrison were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Clark of Dallas, sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Braudt of Amarillo, their son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Barton Eppler and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman and Mrs. George Eppler, Paula, Billy and Edward of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jean Adcock of Phillips spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Iona Adcock.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning Thanksgiving Day were Mrs. Huppy Morris and Pamela, and Linda Murphy of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider and Cathy, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Browning of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Morris, Mark and Mitzy of Brownfield.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker Thursday and Friday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart, Reta, Lee Ann, Lana Ruth, and Joannie Hurst, and Miss Carol Hart of Arlington State College, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Poynor of Ranger and Miriam Poynor of TWC.

Edith Bolt arrived home Monday for a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bolt.

Mrs. G. C. Miller and Mrs. S. E. Linder spent last week in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Seckinger. Mrs. Seckinger underwent minor surgery in Fifth Ave. Medical Clinic and she is recovering nicely and was able to return to work on Monday.

Mrs. Mary Ann Echols returned Friday from a weeks visit in Lubbock with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Hays, sister-in-law, Mrs. Ima Jean Parish, and grandson, Demoris Echols, and nephew, Earl Hays, in Colorado City.

Weekend visitors with Mrs. Lizzie Jackson were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sloan, Bruce and Suzan, of Hurst.

Mrs. Joyce Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. George Bell of Gorman, and Jolene Bell of Fort Worth spent Saturday in Temple with Hershel Burleson, who is a patient in the Veteran's Hospital.

Weekend holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bell were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bell of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett of Ranger and Jolene Bell of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Lennie Montgomery, Mrs. Gail Bennett and Mrs. Palmer Stokes were visitors in Fort Worth on Monday.

Thanksgiving holiday visitors in the home of Mr. Holland Kirk were his children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett, Rita and Ronald of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirk and family of Lefors, Dale Kirk of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kirk of St. Louis, Mo.

Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fairbetter, La Gena and Angela of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Russell, Steve, Marc and Jonathan of Mineral Wells, and Mmes. W. L. Underwood, Nell Regan, Vivian Scott and Vesta Smith, Regan Smith, Lindy Smith, and Manning Trammell, all of Fort Worth.

Kay Ann Craddock and Linda Fields of Grand Prairie visited on Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Estelle Craddock.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater this past week were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ragland, Earl Dean, Larry and Gary of Andrews, Mrs. David Brush of Grand Prairie, and Mrs. Bishop Craddock of Comanche, Mrs. Estelle Craddock of Gorman, Kay Ann Craddock and Linda Fields of Grand Prairie.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mrs. Gladys Lucke were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Maxwell of Kermit. While here the families visited in Eastland with Mrs. Julia Maxwell, mother of Mr. Maxwell.

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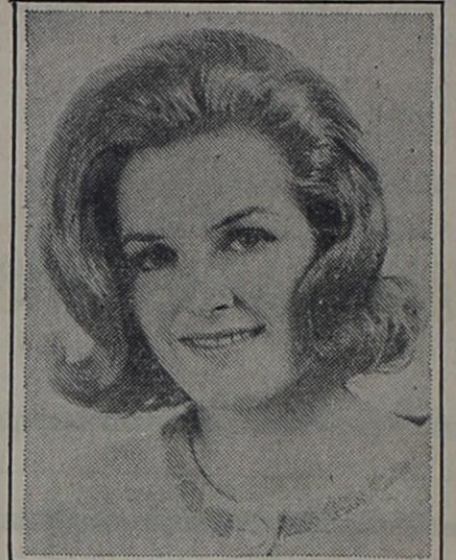
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