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Letter to Romans Said Most Important

James D. Smart, an author of note, terms Paul's Letter to the Romans (except the four gospels) the most important Books of the Bible. Confrontations recorded in Romans parallel today's happenings in various fields.

In directing the study of Romans for the United Methodist Women, Mrs. Charles Duran is using Mr. Smart's book, "Doorway to a New Age," as a companion text. The same being a study in depth of Paul's letter.

The second session of the study of Romans will be held Monday, October 10 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrison.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. G. C. Acree.

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New Families

Move to Gorman

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Foster moved to Gorman this week from Gretna, La.

Mr. Foster is a welding inspector for Chicago Building and Iron Co. and is presently working in Oklahoma. He has been an employee of the company for 28 years.

Mark Fontenot, 15, brother of Mrs. Fontenot, is making his home with them and is an eighth grader in Gorman Junior High. The Fosters have moved their mobile home to the James Mears mobile home lots.

Saturday Is Last Day to Register

Saturday is the cutoff day for voter registration.

Area residents who want to vote November 7th but have not registered may do so in the next two days.

Registration certificates are available at the Eastland County Courthouse.

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Jo Nell Kasinger And Charlie Torres Say Vows

Mrs. Jo Nell Kasinger and Charlie Torres of Gorman were married Friday, September 29 by Rev. Marion Dennis, pastor of the Congregational Methodist Church, at his home.

Mrs. Torres is the daughter of Mrs. Nellie Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Torres are parents of Mr. Torres.

Attending the wedding were Mrs. Nellie Turner and James Lynn Kasinger, son of Mrs. Torres, and Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Torres and Elvira.

Mr. Torres is employed by his father as a heavy equipment operator. Mrs. Torres is employed by Gorman Insurance Agency.

Mr. Foster is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Foster of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pirtle moved this week to the apartment of Mrs. A. N. Mahan. They are formerly of Lott, and Mr. Pirtle is a former resident of Gorman.

District Gov. Maples to Visit Gorman Lions

Loren Maples of Graham, governor of Lions District 2E-1, will be the guest speaker at the Gorman Lions Club's noon meeting Tuesday, October 17 at the high school band hall, according to James W. Mears, club president. Maples' topic will be "Humanitarian Solidarity Through Lionism," which is the international service organization's theme for 1972-73.

A 30 year veteran of Lions club work, Maples has served as zone chairman and deputy district governor, as well as secretary and president of the Graham Lions Club.

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School Menu

The following is a list of the menus for the Gorman School Lunchroom for the week of October 9-13:

Monday — Moiled wieners, English peas, fresh potatoes, milk, bread, and pineapple cake.

Tuesday — Meat loaf, black eyed peas, creamed potatoes, milk, hot rolls and chocolate cake.

Wednesday — Pinto beans, buttered corn, mixed greens, milk, hot rolls, cornbread and peach cobbler.

Thursday — Chicken fried steak, buttered potatoes, hot rolls, green beans, milk and chocolate pudding.

Friday — Bologna sandwiches, noodle soup, lettuce and tomato salad, potato chips milk and banana pudding.

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MRS. L. F. MIEARS CELEBRATES 83RD BIRTHDAY WITH FAMILY

Mrs. L. F. Mears celebrated her 83rd birthday Saturday, September 30 with a family get-together for a dinner in the craft room of Gorman Hotel Apartments.

All of her children were present with the exception of a son, Elvin of Hamilton, who was unable to attend. All remained for a weekend visit.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weehunt of Granbury, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Watson, Carl and Jerry of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle J. Mears and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mears, Jeffery and Jasean and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears, Jr., of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. James Mears, Bill and Johnny of Gorman, and Miss Lynn Mutchler of Cisco.

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NOBLE LAMINACK HONORED ON FIFTH BIRTHDAY SEPT. 29

Noble Bruce Laminack II was honored with a birthday party at the Fire Hall on Friday afternoon, September 29 by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Laminack of Gorman.

Children's games of Flying Dutchman and run through were played by the group. Then the girls took to the side lines to do some pep yells while the boys played a game of football. All this activity calls for refreshments, so everyone gathered around the table to sing "Happy Birthday Noble" as he blew out all 5 candles.

Birthday cake, decorated in a western theme, punch, assorted candies and gum were served to the following: Julie Brown, Ronda Hudson, Sara Rodgers, Angela and Glenn Burgess, Toby Snider, Buddie Broom, Joe Robert Underwood, Mike Snider, Russ Gressett, Jeff Ripley, and the honoree, Noble.

Mothers attending were Kay Snider, Hazel Snider, Aletha Burgess, Jerry Brown, Toni Underwood, Ellen Gressett, and the honoree's mother. Others coming by to wish Noble "Happy Birthday" were Kathy Snider, Vickie Brown, Cheryl Arnold, Kelly Mauney, Randy and Revise Laminack, Mrs. Reggie Underwood and special guest "Little Regenia Ann" Underwood.

Party favors were coloring books and whistles.

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Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Avery Yarbrough were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Smith, Debrah, Billy and Robert of Irving, Tech. Sgt. Neal Gurlin of Canton, Mo., and Mrs. Gurlin, Kathy and Richard of Gorman.

SERVICES FOR MRS. CREAGER ON FRIDAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Creager, 73, of 3202 S. Willis in Abilene died at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, September 26, 1972 at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Gorman with Dr. Clyde Smith a retired Methodist minister officiating. Burial was in Gorman Cemetery.

Born August 18, 1899 in Alabama, she had worked for the Federal Housing Administration in Washington 30 years before retiring in 1964.

She moved to Abilene from Mineral Wells three months ago.

Survivors are a brother, B. E. Shoemaker of 858 Peach St., Abilene; a sister, Mrs. Raymond Dobbs of Salem, Ill.; three nephews and two nieces.

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VONNIE RODGERS HONORED WITH SURPRISE PARTY

Vonnie Rodgers was honored on her 12th birthday with a surprise party September 20th at her home. Hosts were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers.

Guests enjoyed a back yard supper of sandwiches, chips, cold drinks and bubble gum. The beautiful birthday cake, decorated with yellow roses and green leaves, was baked and decorated by Mrs. Tommy Carr.

Those attending were Debra Barnett, Susan Borden, Kent Bridges, Gary Campbell, Kenneth Good, Melenda Harrington, Rosana Parker, Sarah Jo Porter, Joe Dale Poteet, Carmen Longoria, Cherri Overstreet, Billy Don Simpson, Sherri Wright, Renee Townley, Timothy Swanner, Julia Stacy, Mary Kay Janes and Sarah Jane Slaton.

Vonnie received lovely gifts from her grandmothers, Mrs. W. O. Calloway of Ricon, N. M. and Mrs. D. V. Rodgers of Gorman.

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CARD OF THANKS

The days have gone by unheeded and we have failed to say thank you to our friends and neighbors as we should have, and it would appear that we are ungrateful for the many, many expressions of sympathy shown us at the untimely death of our beloved mother. But to tell you the truth we are still reeling from the shock.

We do want to tell you, dear friends and kindly neighbors, that your every act of sympathy was appreciated. To turn aside from your own busy lives, to come to us with words of comfort, to bring dishes of food, to send lovely flowers, to sit at the funeral home, the eulogy, the song service, and your every memorial to the one we held so dear, will always be a part of our lives.

Thank you and God bless. The children of Mrs. L. L. Dukes, Sr. and their families

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CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this method of thanking my neighbors and many friends and relatives for the flowers, cards, visits and gifts, and to those who took care of my yard and for all the food brought to my home during and since my return from Hendricks Hospital. I thank God for good friends and may God bless all of you is my prayer.

Mrs. Bonnie Wolfenbarger

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Homecoming Activities Well Attended Here

The 1972 homecoming of the Gorman High School Exes held last Saturday was highly successful with a larger than usual number of exes attending. One hundred and five former students and teachers registered at the morning coffee held in the high school building with many more arriving during the day and by game time at 8:00 p. m. the stadium was filled to overflowing for the game between the Bangs Dragons and the Panthers.

Lester Seaton presided at the 1:30 p. m. business meeting held in the High School Auditorium. Robert Bostick, Church of Christ minister, gave the invocation.

Coach Joe Ed Baze recognized former coaches. Former coach Houston Jolley spoke briefly to the group complimenting the Gorman Schools, their friendliness, the spirit of the citizens for their Panther football team, and the entire town as being a nice place to live and this is the reason he has chosen to make his home in Gorman. Mr. Jolley is now a student counselor for Cisco and Rising Star Schools.

W. C. Browning was elected president of the Ex-Students Association; Graydon Baze, first vice president; Corky Brown, second vice president; Mrs. W. C. Browning, secretary; and Mrs. Billy Earl Simpson, treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pittman were chosen as invitation chairman and Johnny Watson and Estelle Craddock for publicity.

Mrs. Gertrude Wallace, class of 1927, was chosen as Coming Home Queen and was presented at half-time activities at the ball game. She was escorted by her brother, Bill Parr, to the center of a heart formed by the Gorman Panther Marching Band. Lester Seaton presented her with a bouquet of red roses.

Frank Hunt of Fort Worth was honored as the representative of the class of 1918. Ward Mangum of Long Beach, Calif. was given special recognition for traveling the farthest distance to attend the reunion.

Elmer Creager of Corpus Christi was recognized as the Texan traveling the farthest distance. Boxes of Gorman peanuts were given to each of the honorees. Othell Clark paid tribute to the deceased exes from the year 1917-72.

Bernadean Reeves, a senior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reeves, was chosen as Homecoming Queen by the student body. She was escorted by David Porter. Runners-up were Karen Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moore, who was escorted by Mike Lewis and Patty Hirst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hirst, escorted by Marshall Roberts.

Football Sweetheart was Phyllis Guthery, daughter of Mrs. Tommie Guthery, escorted by Kelly Henderson. Sha Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers, was chosen Band Sweetheart, and was escorted by Band Beau, Brent Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Foster.

All of the honorees were escorted to the center of a heart formed by the band as they played "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." Each was presented a bouquet of red roses by Daryl Hirst, second vice president of the Ex-Students Association.

Half-time activities were under the direction of Band Director, Russell Fuller.

An after game reception was held in the school cafeteria.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gary Overstreet of Fort Worth were homecoming visitors and also spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Overstreet.

Panthers Open District Play At Eden On Friday

The Gorman Panthers will have to get down to their most serious performances beginning on Friday night as they open District 6-B action traveling to Eden to take on a tough bunch of football players. The only recollection of Eden that most local football fans have is a loss to the Eden team several years ago in a bi-district game, which the Panthers feel they should have won.

We feel that the Panthers will really be up for this one after losing their first three games of the season to Class

A opponents, and it will be good to get into our own classification for a change. I know the boys will really be up for this one with the preparations they have made this week.

The Panther defense has been coming along fairly well but the offense hasn't as yet showed the full potential we are sure they are capable of playing.

So, go to Eden on Friday night and back the Panthers to their first victory of the season, and we hope, several more victories before this season is over.

Remember, game time will 7:30 p. m.

GAME AT A GLANCE

Gorman	Bangs
10	First Downs 15
146	Yards Rushing 229
0	Yards Passing 34
0 of 5	Passes Comp. 1 of 1
3	Fumbles 4
5 for 35	Punts, avg. 3 for 20
4 for 30	Penalties 4 for 35

The Bangs Dragons ruined things for the happy homecomers on Saturday night as they defeated the Gorman Panthers 20-6 before a real fine crowd at Brogan Field.

Rivers Grocery Now Open Here

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Rivers of Rotan have opened a wholesale grocery in the Masonic Lodge building next door to Higginbotham's.

Mr. Rivers and his father have operated a successful wholesale grocery in Rotan. Mrs. Rivers will be remembered as Frances Perez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Perez of Gorman. The couple have a new son, Erich, five weeks old.

They plan to move their mobile home to Gorman within the next few weeks.

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NEAL GURLIN ATTENDING ADVANCE EDUCATION AT CULVER-STOCKTON

Neal Gurlin, a career military man, is attending Culver-Stockton College at Canton, Mo. as a participant in the Armed Forces Bootstrap Program. The program is designed to aid officers and military personnel.

T/Sgt. Gurlin has only two semesters to go on his Business Administration and Economics Degree which is his personal objective in preparation for his retirement from the Air Force, where he has served for 16 years.

Mrs. Gurlin and their children, Kathy, Neal and Richard, make their home in Gorman.

Sgt. Gurlin was a weekend visitor with his family.

The Dragons scored on their second possession. Taking over at their own 35 yard line, they drove the distance in 8 plays with Jackie Cosgrove rambling for the final 8 yards off the left side with 7:00 left in the first quarter. Keith McKamey kicked the PAT to make it 7-0.

The Panthers took the kickoff and started a beautiful drive from their own 30 yard line. They moved to the 17 yard line of Bangs in 12 plays before being held on downs. From the 17 yard line Kenneth Butler missed a field goal and the Panthers failed to score. This seemed to take a whole load of wind from the sails of the Panthers as they really didn't threaten as far as the offense is concerned the rest of the evening.

Bangs added another touchdown with 7:55 left in the second quarter going 80 yards in 17 plays with Dick Templeton, fullback, blasting through the middle for the final 5 steps to make the score 13-0. The kick for PAT failed.

Following the kickoff to the Panthers, and holding the Big Red Gang forcing them to punt, Jackie Cosgrove, a very speedy back, took the punt on his own 10 and rambled 90 yards for the tally to make the score 18-0 with 5:14 left in the first half. McKamey booted the PAT to make the score 20-0.

Gorman got on the scoreboard with 4:22 left in the third period when the Panthers held Bangs deep in their own end of the field, forcing them to punt, with James Michaels recovering a blocked punt in the end zone for the lone Panther score. The kick for PAT by Butler failed and the score read 20-6.

From this time on the two teams played on even terms until the final gun.

Leading ground gainer for the Panthers was Bimbo Roberts, who ran for 88 yards on 19 carries. Kelly Henderson ran for 51 yards on 17 tries, but was hurt by a 16 yard loss on a pass try. Kenneth Butler got 10 yards on 7 totes. Bill Baze, playing at quarterback had a -3, but was thrown for losses on two occasions.

We give the nod this week for Outstanding Player to Steven Stinnett, a junior, who did a superb job at his defensive line position. He only weighs in at 132 pounds, but in our estimation played like a two hundred pounder against the strong rush of the Dragons. The whole team showed improvement on defense. Others playing a very good game were David Moore, Bimbo Roberts, Kelly Henderson, and James Michaels, who recovered the blocked punt for the touchdown.

Come on out and back these fine young men and they will play their best for the fans and for Gorman High!

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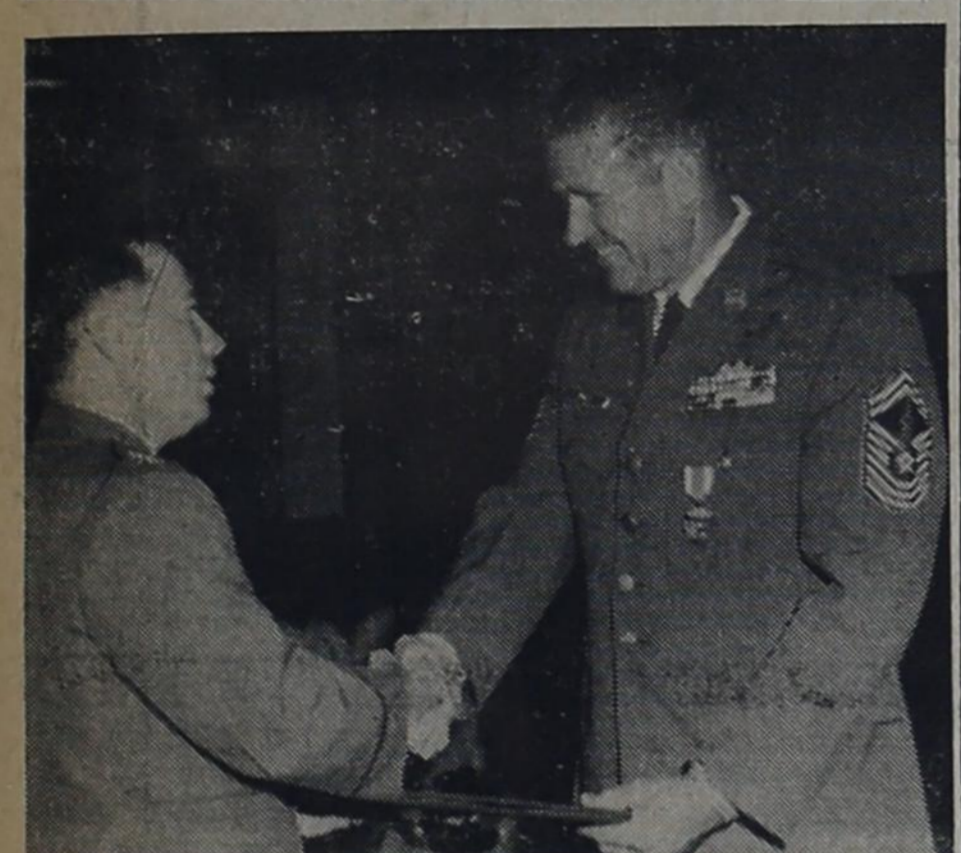
ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Kokomo Home Demonstration Club will meet on Monday, Oct. 9 at 2:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. L. Morrow. Visitors are welcome.

NOTICE — The person who lost the men's glasses near SWPGA September 20, please call the Progress office.

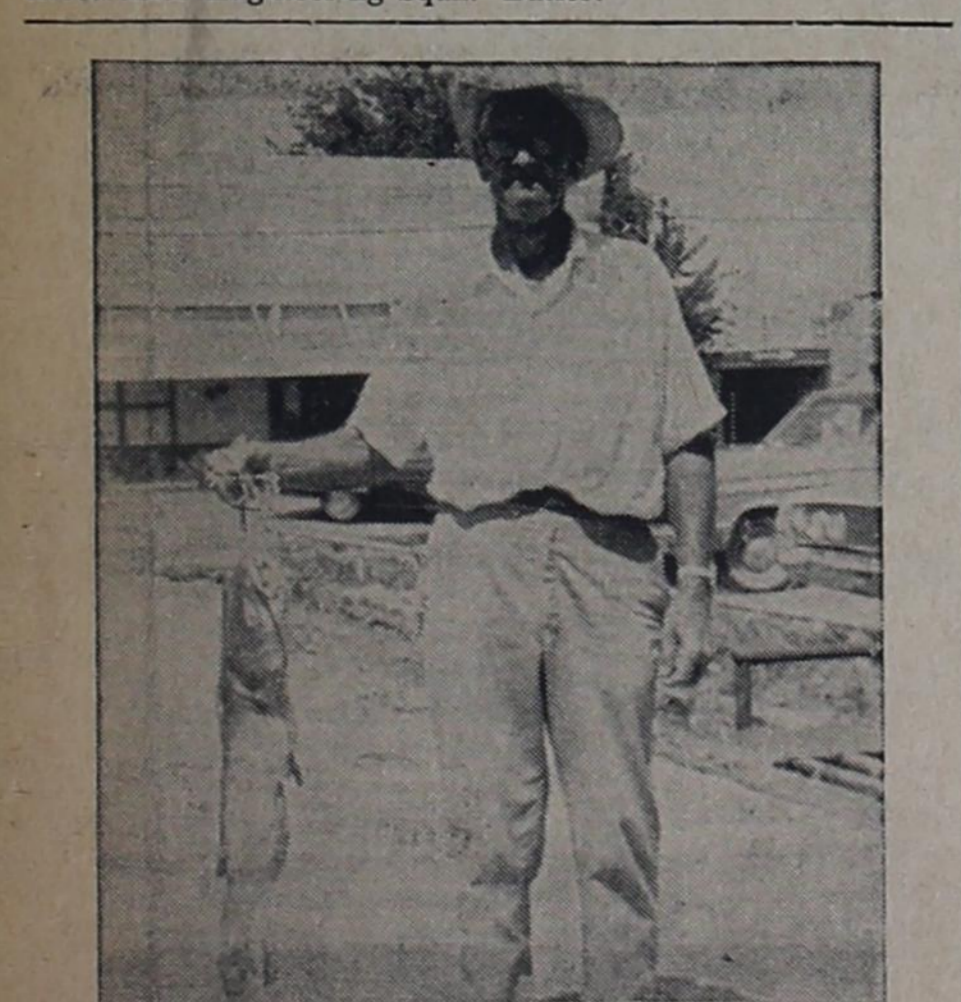
The Panther Booster Club will meet Monday, Oct. 9th for a showing of the film of the Gorman and Eden football game.

The Gorman Independent School District Board will meet Monday, October 9.

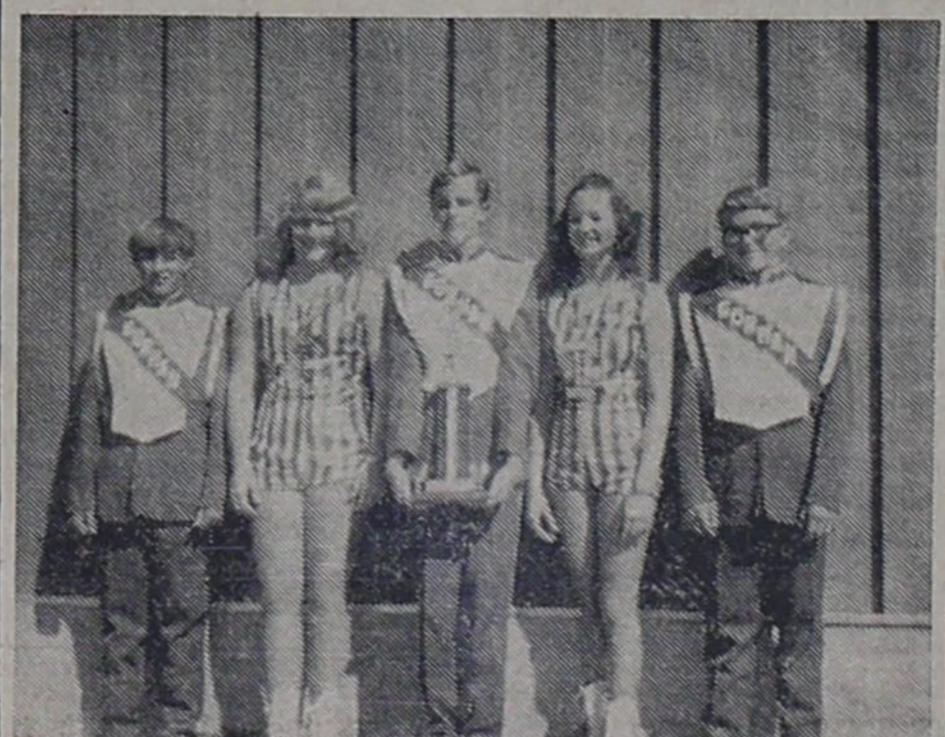


U. S. Air Force Chief Master Sergeant Billy R. Bailey receives the Meritorious Service Medal during his retirement ceremony at Oklahoma City Air Force Station, from his commander. (USAF Photo)

OKLAHOMA CITY — U. S. Air Force Chief Master Sergeant Billy R. Bailey, son of Mrs. W. A. Bailey of Gorman, Texas, received the Meritorious Service Medal during his retirement ceremony at Oklahoma City Air Force Station. Sergeant Bailey was cited for his outstanding duty performance as a maintenance superintendent with the 1845th Electronics Engineering Sqdn. Southern Communications Area, Oklahoma City, prior to his retirement.



NICE CATCH — Mr. E. G. Revels proudly displays the 7 pound catfish caught at the A. D. Pittman lake at their farm home east of Gorman. The catch was made with a rod and reel. Revels had previously caught several five pounders from the lake.



PANTHER BAND OFFICERS — The Gorman High School Band officers for 1972-73 are (left to right): Curtis Whitlock, Junior High Representative; Phala Jay, librarian; George Broom, president; Terry Price, secretary-treasurer; and Brent Foster, vice president. The officers proudly display the marching trophy won at the Texas Peanut Bowl Parade held recently in Eastland. They were chosen as the outstanding Class B Band.

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BIG CLOTHING SALE - 25 to 50% off on all clothing. I have in stock 40 pair men's trousers 60 suits, 94 dress coats, thousands of ladies dresses, blouses skirts, & pants. Also children's clothing. Girls' dresses 25c. Don Rodgers Real Estat office Gorman. 12-17fnc

FOR SALE - Paint \$2 gallon and up. W. T. Barnes Lumber Co., 305 W. Labadie, De Leon, Phone 893-6611. 1-6fnc

NEED
An extra key - made while you wait. Rankin Army-Navy Surplus. 9-7fnc

FOR SALE - New and used typewriters and adding machines. Also all types of machines cleaned and repaired. Contact Estelle Craddock at Gorman Progress, 734-5410.

CUSTOM HAY BAILING - Call Jack Zerkle 968-8478, Stephenville, Texas. 5-10-20p

FOR SALE - Tropical Fish aquariums, pumps, plants and accessories. May be seen at Nathan's Barber Shop. 9-7fnc

FOR SALE - In Gorman, 3 bedroom home, 1 bath, large corner lot, big shade trees, near downtown. \$4000. 60 A. most all cultivation, 18 peanuts, one irrig. well, pavement \$425 acre, 29% down. We want your listings. Cogburn Realty, De Leon, 893-6666. 9-7fnc

FOR SALE - 1966 Chevrolet 1/2 ton Pickup. Good condition, V-8, auto, trans., radio, 45,000 miles. Call 817-734-5406. Mrs. Opal Mauney, Box 205. 610 S. Pershing, Gorman. 2-10-5p

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REJUVENATION of the entire body is possible through Foot Massage. Restores health and relieves pain without the use of drugs. Give me a try. No charges if not satisfied. L. M. Wooten, 734-5373. 4-10-5c

FOR SALE - Four room house in Ranger, near Young School. Contact A. D. Grumbles at Grumbles' Station on East 80 West in Ranger. 1tp

2 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Friday and Saturday. Shoes, clothing and many other items. Vera Henderson. 1tp

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All makes and models. Also have Singer sewing machine for \$19.50. For further information call Estelle Craddock, 734-5410. 4-10-5p

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Rep. Burleson Is "Watchdog of Treasury"

WASHINGTON, D. C. - The National Associated Businessmen, Inc. today presented Congressman Omar Burleson with the "Watchdog of the Treasury" Award for his 90.9 percent economy voting record of the 92nd Congress, 1971-72. The Award has been presented to Burleson annually since the organization began its recognition of Members of Congress whose actions and votes were found to be for fiscal responsibility in Government.

The National Associated Businessmen, Inc., represented by its President, H. Vernon Scott, in congratulating Congressman Burleson, said, "Your outstanding economy voting record indicates to your constituents and to our membership that you have a keen awareness of the need for fiscal responsibility. I know it takes much courage to resist the pressures for unnecessary Federal spending.

"As you know so well, inflation contributes to a higher cost of living which touches all of us," he continued. "Your votes for economy in government merit the appreciation of each of your constituents."

Made up primarily of small business firms, the NAB is a non-partisan organization with its headquarters in Washington. Its goals include fiscal responsibility in government and the elimination of the Federal Government from competition with private business.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT AND CIRCULATION

Statement required by Act of August 12, 1970; Section 3685, Title 39, U. S. Code, showing the ownership, management and circulation of the Gorman Progress, published weekly at Gorman, Texas for October 5, 1972.

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[s] Estelle Craddock

FOR SALE - Used furniture in good condition. May be seen at the home of Ramona Stacy or call 734-5776 10-5fnc

FOR SALE - 40 tree pecan crop. C. R. Day, 734-5692 1tc

GARAGE SALE - Friday and Saturday at former Mary Emerson home. Large dining table, bathroom heaters, Victor adding machine, and many odds and ends. Mrs. David Holcomb. 1-10-5c

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GORMAN PANTHERS

VS.

EDEN BULLDOGS

October 6, 1972

7:30 P. M.

Eden Stadium

1972 PANTHER SCHEDULE

Dublin 12 - Gorman 0

Cross Plains 18 - Gorman 0

Bangs 20 - Gorman 6

Oct. 6 - Eden* - There - 7:30 p. m.

Oct. 13 - Evant* - There - 7:30

Oct. 20 - Meridian* - Here - 7:30

Oct. 27 - Blanket* - There - 7:30

Nov. 3 - Lometa* - Here - 7:30

Nov. 10 - Rising Star* - H - 7:30

Nov. 17 - Richland Springs* - T

* Denotes Conference Games

Gorman Panthers

Team Physician: Dr. A. E. Pino

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.
10	Bill Baze	B	150
12	Kelly Henderson*	B	170
20	Bobby Rich	E	130
21	Ricky Fuller	B	125
22	James Webb	B	140
23	Kenneth Butler	B	165

31	Marshall Roberts*	B	175
32	Danny Rhyne	B	120
33	Carl Burleson	B	140
45	Rodney Warren	B	199
46	Bennie Butler	B	165

50	Larry Thompson	C	140
51	James Michael	G-T	196
60	Richard Hattox	G	140
61	Jerry Troutman	G	145
64	Mike Lewis	G	135

71	Mike Shipman	G-T	165
74	David Moore	T	190
75	John Mears	T	197
78	Gary Mauney	T	195

80	David Porter*	E	170
81	Tony Ripley	E	150
83	Steve Stinnett	E	135
84	Scott Marble	E	128
86	Claude Ridens	E	160
88	Lupe Torrez	E	115

* Denotes Captains

Coaches: Kenneth Good and Joe Ed Baze

Supt.: Charlie L. Garrett

Principal: Cedric W. Bettis

School Colors: Red and Blue

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Cheerleaders:

Head: Christie Duran

Bernadean Reeves

Deborah Guthery

Vickie Hallmark

Krista Henderson

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Band Director: Russell Fuller

Drum Major: Sha Rogers

Head Twirler: Terry Price

Twirlers:

Phala Jay and Sarah Espinoza

WE'RE BEHIND YOU PANTHERS ALL THE WAY IN 1972!

Revel's Garage

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Brown's Feed Store

Foster Floral

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Lewis Fina Station

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Friendly Service Agency

Lone Star Gas Company

Brown Jug Cafe

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Daryl's Grocery

Seaton's Variety Store

Tex-Farms, Inc.

Glasson's Cafe

BOBBIE & LOYD GLASSON

MONUMENTS

RILEY-GARDNER MEMORIAL - HAMILTON

Era Maupin, Agent

SEE DISPLAY AT MAUPIN SERVICE STA.

P. O. Box 484

Gorman, Texas 76454



KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

The word for everyone in the community is busy, busy, busy. Peanut harvest is in full swing.

Mrs. Joe O'Neal returned home from the Scott and White Hospital in Temple on Wednesday night. She is gaining strength daily and feeling fine. Mrs. Nat Mearse of Odessa, who had been in Temple with her parents, returned to her home on Saturday.

Visitors in the Henry Scitern home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Tinkler and Sherry of Lawton, Okla., Mrs. Faye Callison and Larry of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster, Lisa and Little Joe of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. John Scitern of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scitern of Gorman, Bradley Carr of Gorman, Alvis Scitern of New Hope and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Boone of Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. Boone have remained for a few days visit with the Sciterns and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Treadway in Eastland.

Albert Hendricks rendered the special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Visitors were Marla Shrank of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles, Joe and Sheri of Abilene, Denise OJiner of Eastland, and Louann Cranford of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bramlett, Jr. and Cliff of Weatherford, Okla. were recent visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joiner. Cliff remained for a weeks visit with his grandparents while his parents were on a school sponsored trip to the Lilly Laboratories in Chicago. E. C. and Joyce are pharmacy students

at the Pharmacy College in Weatherford. They came Friday night to get Cliff and returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rodgers and family of Midlothian, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean Rodgers and family of Midlothian and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Spencer and family of San Antonio spent the weekend with their parents and attended the homecoming activities at Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers and Kevin of Brownwood spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Kelly of Arlington spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles, Joe and Cheri of Abilene, and Teddy Jordan of Tarleton spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. Louann Cranford of Stephenville was also a visitor in the Jordan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson, Tena and Travis of Lewisville, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, and visited with his sister, Cassie Nelson, in the hospital at Gorman.

Mary Jo Clearman of Howard Payne at Brownwood spent the weekend her with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman.

Teresa Fields spent the weekend in Arlington with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Washburn. Mrs. Washburn is the former Sharon Garrett of Carbon.

Mrs. Aubrey Jacobs returned home from the hospital in Ranger and stayed a few days but was admitted to the hospital again on Tuesday. Mr. Jacobs and their daughter, Mrs. Oren Webb and family, are at her bedside. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Christi Fuller and Marla Shrank of Tarleton spent the weekend with Christis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, and attended the home coming activities at Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elige Long, in Weatherford on Sunday.

DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Motto: Be not weary in well doing.

October came in with a bang and brought us some cooler weather.

Our part of the country has been blessed with a good "crop" of most everything, including all kinds of farming, fruits of all kinds, especially "pears", not leaving out the crab grass and grass burs and worms.

A meeting was held in the Community Center Friday night, September 29th in regards to the Eastland County Centennial 1973. Guest speaker was Mike Collins of Eastland. Lets all get in there and

do our part to put Eastland County up front.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ragland and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Pool of Stephenville attended a "Shriners" meeting in Waco on Saturday.

Ina Jones of Azle visited her sister, Ethel Keith, this past week. While gathering apples one came down and hit her on the forehead, broke her glasses in three pieces and left her with a black eye. May you have a more pleasant visit next time.

Neta Gee returned home on Friday after spending several days in Fort Worth.

Eddie Williamson of Wichita Falls visited with Myrtle Reid and other friends this week.

Billy and Ruth Craig are getting a new roof on their house.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. Z. Rainey of Carbon visited Mrs. Velia Roberts on Saturday.

Hattie Ayers of Eastland visited her sister, Mrs. Nora Lane, this past week.

Stanley and Mildred Baker were in Fort Worth this past week visiting with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Paul were in Topeka, Kansas this past weekend visiting their daughter and family.

Mrs. W. H. Davis spent several days in the Strawn Hospital this past week.

Evah Sparkman entertained her granddaughter, Penny Sparkman, and great-grandson, Butch Carter of Stephenville, for the weekend.

Does anyone know the State vegetable of Texas? New Mexico has the chili-pepper and Trojin Bean. Just how many other states have a vegetable?

ACT Assessment For Seniors Set

Students at Gorman High who are planning to attend college will have five opportunities to take the ACT Assessment during the 1972-73 academic year.

The first of five national testing dates on which the national assessment examination will be offered in Saturday morning, Oct. 21. Students planning to take the five-part ACT Assessment on that date must have registered no later than Oct. 2, it was announced by O. C. Warden, Counselor.

Mr. Warden also announced the complete national ACT schedule or the 1972-73 academic year. The schedule is (with corresponding registration periods in parenthesis): Oct. 21, 1972 (Aug. 21-Oct. 2); Dec. 9, 1972 (Oct. 9-Nov. 13); Feb. 24, 1973 (Nov. 27-Jan. 29); April 28, 1973 (Feb. 12-April 2); July 21, 1973 (April 16-June 25).

Cost to students for the ACT Assessment, which takes about 3 1/2 hours to complete, is \$6.50. Resulting information reports are of valuable use to students and counselors in pre college planning.

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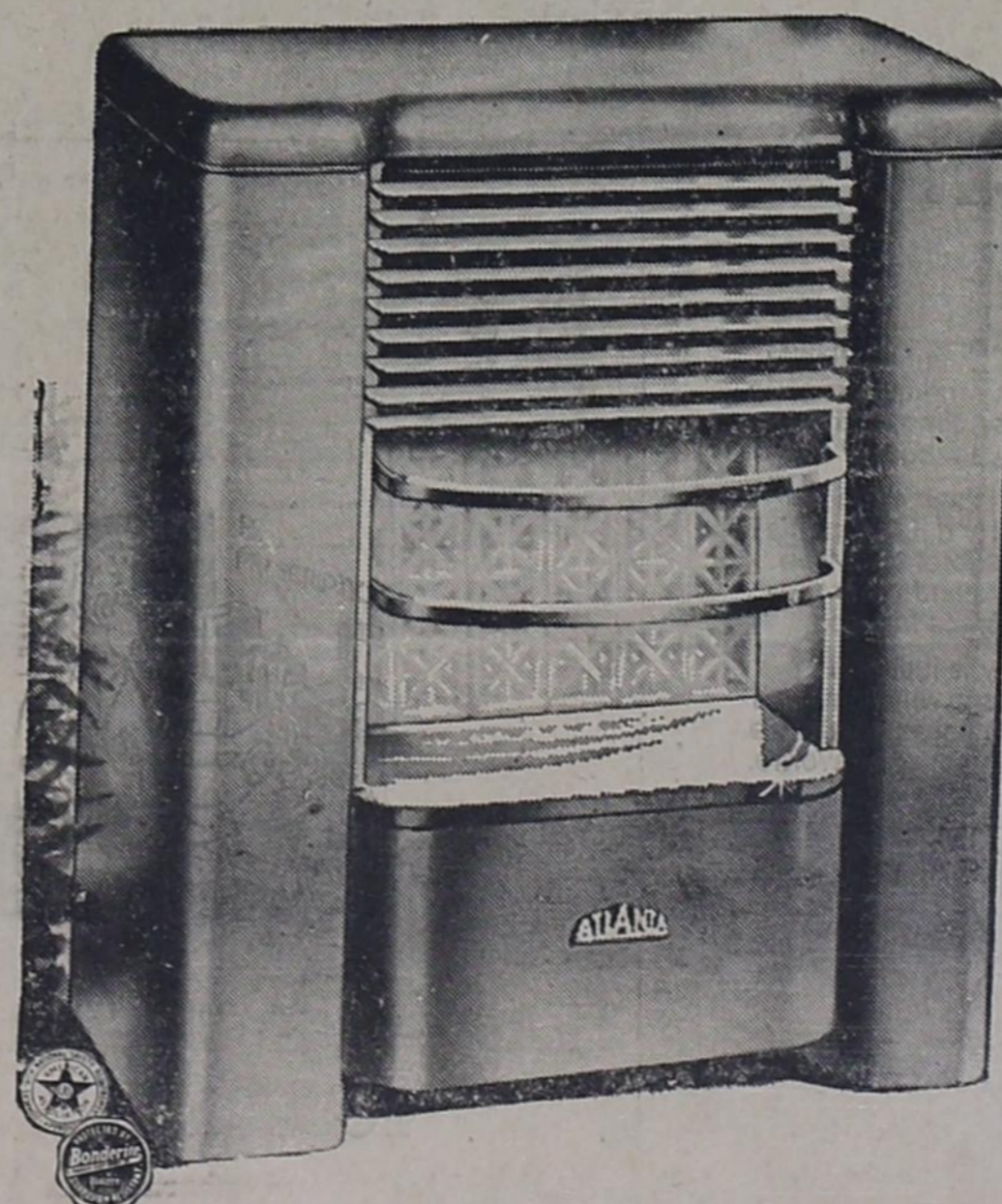
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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bell of Cedar Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hall of Goldthwaite spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter. Mr. and Mrs. Bell attended homecoming and Mrs. Hall visited her father, George Porter, at Lawndale.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moake of San Antonio spent the weekend with Mrs. John Kimble and attended homecoming on Saturday.

Kay Ann Craddock of Plano was home for the weekend for homecoming and a visit with her mother, Estelle Craddock.

Mrs. Nell Rainey and her sister, Hazel Cobb, returned this week from Arkansas where they had been vacationing for the past month in the Ozarks. They also visited a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Newport at Marshall, Ark., and a sister, Opal Dampf, and family in Mountain View, Ark. While there they looked over the buildings for the Folk Culture Training Center, a \$1,600,

000 government investment to be opened for use in April, 73. They also visited the Blackhard Springs Caverns, and attended the Folk Festival at Mountain View, an annual affair and the weekly musical held on the courthouse lawn. Tourists attend in large numbers. The Folk Cultural Center is the outcome of the 30 year musical free to the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Wells (the former Dona Belle Jamison) of San Angelo attended the homecoming Saturday and visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barnes. Last weekend visitors with the Barnes were her brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Claitor of Stephenville.

Mrs. Frank Roberts of Dallas and Mrs. Schofield and Shelby of Arlington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin and attended homecoming.

Mrs. Basil Ellis of Waco and Mrs. Lena Pittman of Abilene spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Tom Bennett, and also attended homecoming.

James Brown of Kenner, La. was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Ed Brown. He attended homecoming activities at GHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clark of San Marcos spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Hood and D. R. Clark, and attended homecoming activities.

Mr. and Mrs. David Goodwin and Ricky of Paducah, Benny Goodwin of Tarleton State and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Decar of Stephenville visited over the weekend with their parents, Mrs. Vera Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Gregory, and Mr. and Mrs. James Mears and also attended homecoming.

Mrs. Estelle Roff and Mrs. Maudie Snider of Eastland visited Saturday with Mrs. A. N. Mahan and attended homecoming at GHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Skaggs and family of Hereford spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Skaggs, and attended homecoming activities.

Vicki Frossard of Big Spring was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frossard. She assisted with registration of Exes at homecoming activities.

LAWNDALE VISITORS

Leola and W. T. Keith of De Leon were visitors of Lola Smith.

Joyce Burleson of De Leon was a visitor of Etta Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Fletcher of Ballinger were visitors of Claude Curb.

Brenda, Paula and Sherri Boyd of Eastland and Marjorie Treadway of Gorman were visitors of Docia Moore.

Mrs. Vic Edwards of Eastland visited Mrs. W. L. Love.

Mrs. Jewel Herweck of Ranger visited Mrs. Nora Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Capers of Ranger were visitors of Cora Richmond and Lillie Boney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hall of Brownwood visited with Claxton Pearce.

Mrs. Don Underwood of Roby was a visitor of Mary Ann Echols.

Derenda Harper of Gorman Lavone Sharp and Jerry Majors and girls of Desdemona were visitors of Mr. Shipman.

Bill Townley of Gorman was a visitor of Nola Underwood and Eva Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Douglas of Dallas, Doris Clark of De Leon and Pauline and Arville Wilson of Nocona were all visitors of Mrs. Macon.

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Reeva McLearn of Cisco was a visitor of Mrs. Maxey. P. L. Creager of Tefer was a visitor of Mrs. Kate Allen.

Mrs. Bob Perry of Sundown, Mrs. George Bingham of Hobbs, N. M. and Mary Lee Cagle of Olden were visitors of Mary Overstreet, Helen Claxton and Mamie Chambliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Taylor of Belton and Mrs. T. C. Wylie of Ranger were visitors of Mrs. Maudie Snider.

Mrs. L. E. Moake of San Antonio, Mrs. R. E. May of Abilene, Mrs. Helen Chandler of Gorman and Mrs. Frank Dean were all visitors of Eva Stout, Pearl Roberts, Kate Allen, Mrs. George Blackwell and Mrs. Georgie Eaker.

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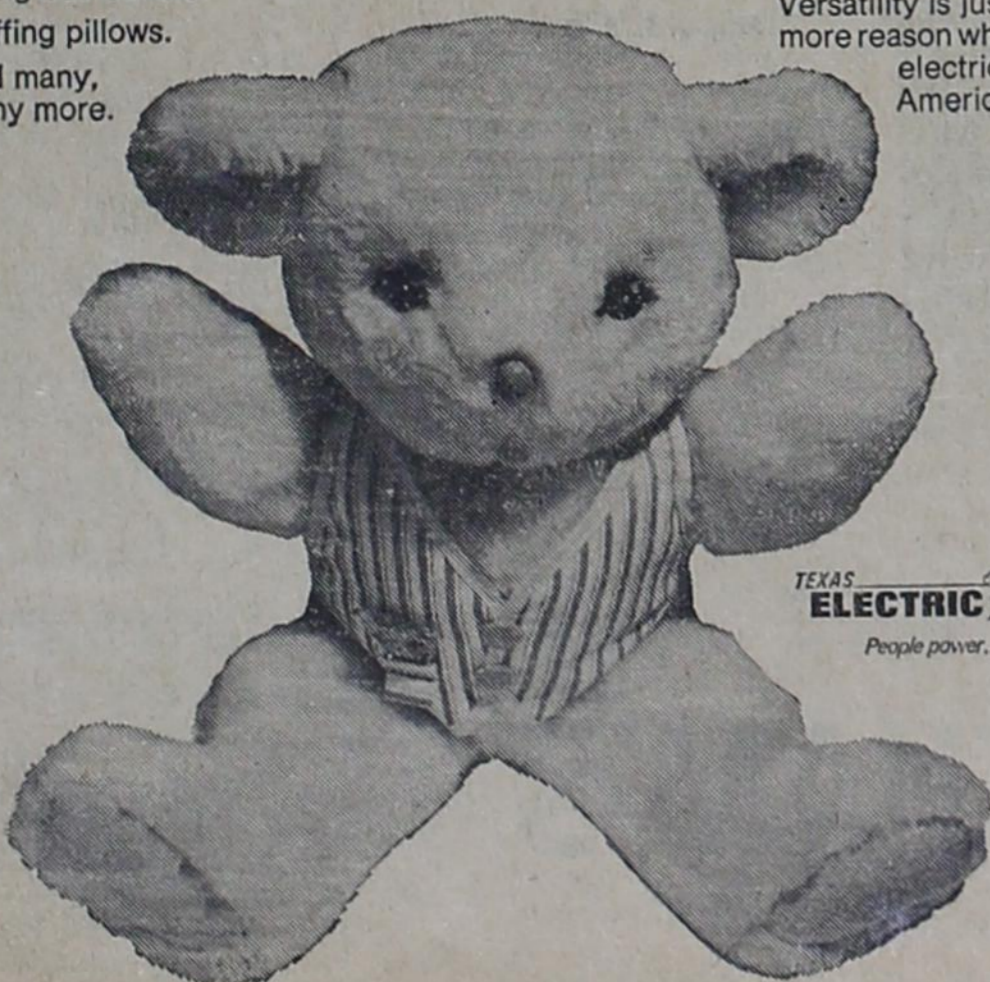
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