

## HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES SLATED HERE FOR SATURDAY

### Bob Love To Address Exes; Pep Rally at 3 p. m.

Gorman High School students and teachers will have the opportunity to lend their support to the 1975 Dis-



**PRESS POINTS**  
By JOE BENNETT, Publisher

★ **WHAT A BANQUET!** That's the only way to describe the TESCO Quarter Century Banquet, which we were fortunate enough to get to attend in attend on Monday evening. Thanks to W. C. and Blanche and Mary and Clinton for the invite, along with Richard Armstrong. We enjoyed a marvelous meal, wonderful fellowship with old and new friends, a great program, even the speaker, W. G. Marquardt, president of TESCO, was good . . . and besides this the wife and I won a beautiful centerpiece pot plant . . . AND also a marvelous AM-FM portable radio and 8 track combination unit given as a door prize. According to Emmett Lasater, who was pulling my leg a little, newspaper folks were not eligible to win prizes, but after I warned him that he would get wrote up if we weren't eligible, guess he made sure that our number came up for the prizes. Guess we showed him. However, when we looked in the carton to see what it contained - - guess what they gave us to run it on - - would you believe a whole bunch of batteries! Hey, Dub, you and Emmett had better get on the ball. However, folks, it had have an electric cord to plug into the TESCO socket, naturally.

Any way, the better half and I had a marvelous time, and we thanks God for friends and business acquaintances like the TESCO folks for inviting us to the banquet. It was great, as usual!

★ Well, I understand that we will have another cafe in our fair city beginning the next week if possible. The Kountry Kitchen will open in a newly remodeled building at the north end of Kent street past Munn Cleaners. The building has been beautifully remodeled inside and out and is a very, very nice place. We are fortunate to have this fine eating establishment in our city with folks like Mary and Truman Snell being responsible for this business. Mrs. Freddy Gilmore will also be connected with the business. We are looking forward to the opening of this cafe.

★ Thank the Lord for the shower we received last weekend. It wasn't much, but what we got helped wet the ground for some of the peanut farmers to dig their crop, and for this we thank God. We are still needing some moisture, so next time you are speaking to the God Lord, thanking him for all the marvelous things he has done for us, let him know we need some more rain, and if we ask him in the right manner, I am sure he will send us rain. He does furnish our every need, you know.

★ Am looking forward to seeing all the GHS Exes in town this weekend. Hope everyone has a marvelous time, and hope to see most of you while you are here.

And remember to smile - - because God loves you!

trict-leading Panther football team Saturday night at the annual homecoming game between the Panthers and the Blanket Tigers. Game time is 7:30 p. m. at Brogdon Field. Fans are urged to get to the game early though so they may see the presentation of the Bicentennial Flag at pre-game activities.

Homecoming activities will begin with registration at 9:30 a. m. at the High School, followed with visitation, refreshments of sweets and coffee until 11:30 a. m.

A luncheon will be served at the school at 11:30 a. m.

Business meeting will be held at 1 p. m. in the High School Auditorium with a program as follows: roll call by Brent Lasater; welcome by G. W. Maxfield, superintendent; election of officers; election of "Coming Home" Queen; Memorial service by W. C. Browning.

Guest speaker will be Bob Love, a GHS ex-student. A pep rally will be held at 3:00 p. m. downtown followed with a dinner at the school cafeteria from 5 to 7:30 p. m. This is sponsored by the senior class.

Homecoming and Coming Home Queens will be presented at the half-time activities.

The day's program will be climaxed with a reception following the football game for everyone in the High School gym.

The classes of 1932 and 33 are planning a get-together. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bolt are hosting an open house for the classes of 1934 to 1957, and

### Buck Westons To Mark 50th Anniversary Nov. 9



A reception Sunday, Nov. 9, Mrs. H. S. (Buck) Weston of 1975 will mark the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Carbon.

A reception hosted by their children will be held from 2 until 5 p. m. in their home at Carbon. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Children of the Westons are Mr. and Mrs. Bill (Dorothy) McCrum, De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Weston, Taylorsville, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weston, Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred (Billie) Lightfoot, De Leon. The Westons met at a camp

### Gorman Lions Sponsor Election Discussions

The local Lions Club had made arrangements with Emory Walton, District Attorney, and Mike Seibert, Eastland Attorney, to give a discussion on the proposed Constitution on Monday, Nov. 3 at 7:00 p. m. in the Gorman High School Auditorium. Mr. Charlie Garrett, Lion president, states that he feels that this is a meeting that voters should attend in order to better understand what the issues are in the up-coming election. All eight propositions will be discussed and questions will be answered in regard to these propositions.

There are many things that the new Constitution will change, some possibly good and some possibly bad. All property owners should be interested, especially farmers, in how property will be taxed under the new Constitution. Do you understand what is proposed as far as the Legislature is concerned as to meeting and members salaries?

Mr. Garrett states that he feels that this is an opportunity to find some answers you may have about the proposed Constitution. Everyone come on out and bring your copy of the Constitution with sections marked that you would like to know about and let Mr. Walton and Mr. Seibert tell you about them.

the class of 1925 is planning a class reunion marking their 50th year since graduation.

All local exes are urged to be on hand to welcome those who travel far and near to see their classmates.

### Methodist Harvest Festival To Be Held Nov. 6-7-8

Next Thursday at 8:30 a. m. downtown next door to the Post Office, begins the 1975 Lord's Acre Festival sponsored by the Gorman First United Methodist Church.

The sale and auction will be open Thursday and Friday, Nov. 6 and 7, from 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., and Saturday, Nov. 8, from 8:30 to 2:00 p. m. Several sections of the sale, including the Country Store, Sweet Shop, Rag Bag and Thrift Shop, and the Flea Market, will be open throughout the Festival.

The Hot Lunch Counter will serve hot dishes and sandwiches on Thursday and Friday. The Coffee Break Center will be open all three days.

Bids on items offered in the silent auction will be taken at any time during sale hours, with highest bids posted as they change. Auctioned goods will be sold to the highest bidder at the 2 p. m. closing time on Saturday.

Some smaller items will be sold at the end of each day.

Any other merchandise remaining in the store after 10 a. m. on Saturday will be reduced to half price or put into grab-bag groupings at less than half price.

Come in every day to see what's happening!

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### CITIZEN OF THE WEEK AT LAWDALE

Our Citizen of the Week at Lawdale Home this week is Mabel Trammell.

She was born to William Manning and Iva Dora Trammell March 4, 1887 at Fort Worth. She taught school in Fort Worth from 1910 until 1920. She lived at White Sulphur Springs, Ga. near Pine Mountain on the Ancestral estate of her paternal grandparents where during her forty years managing the farm Miss Trammell served in official capacity of Trinity Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service. She was for thirty years a Justice of Peace and was Democratic Precinct Chairman for a number of years.

When in 1972 her health began to fail, Miss Trammell returned to Texas to live in Breckenridge with her sister. She has three brothers, Add Trammell, Benbrook, M. L. also of Benbrook, and W. A. of Warren, Michigan. three sisters, Vivian Scott of Fort Worth, Lucretia Fairbeter of Gorman, and Elizabeth Chapman of Breckenridge.

She came to Lawdale on January 27, 1975.

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### Desdemona Baptist Revival Services Set Nov. 3-9

Revival services at the First Baptist Church of Desdemona will be held Monday, November 3 through Sunday, November 9th.

Evangelist will be the Rev. Dale Cartwright, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger. Wayne Bickers of Ranger will serve as director of music.

Prayer services will be held each evening at 7:00 p. m. and preaching at 7:30. The pastor, Rev. L. C. Landers, and the church membership invites everyone to attend these worship services.

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Mrs. Gladys Lucke has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Cooper and Jana Kay of Weatherford. Other visitors with the family over the week end were James Edward Cooper and two friends from Texas A&M University.

### Bicentennial Flag Presentation Set At Homecoming

The Official Bicentennial Flag designating Gorman as a Bicentennial City will be presented at the pre-game ceremonies at the Homecoming Game on Saturday night, November 1st.

Mr. Jim Gorman, member of the State Bicentennial Committee, will make the presentation. Receiving the flag for Gorman will be W. C. "Check" Smith, General Bicentennial Chairman for Gorman.

Other members heading the Bicentennial Committee projects are Robbig Robertson, festival chairperson; Johnnie Baze, horizons chairperson; Ethel Sutton, heritage chairperson; and area chairpersons on the committee are Karen Burleson, Desdemona; Zelda Jordan, Kokomo; and Bernard and Merle Campbell, Carbon. Come early for the football game as the pre-game activities begin at 7:00 p. m.

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### PATRICIA BANKS NAMED FOR WHO'S WHO HONORS

Patricia Banks of Gorman was among 37 students at the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary to be selected for inclusion in the 1976 edition of "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges." Miss Banks is currently enrolled in the seminary's School of Church Music and is working toward the master of music degree.

The students were selected on the basis of their academic achievement and their contributions to the community and the seminary.

Miss Banks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jethro Banks of Route 1, Gorman.

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### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown me during my illness. Thanks to each of you for the cards, letters, gifts and prayers.

Sincerely,  
Kay Ann Craddock



**PANTHER BAND OFFICERS** — Shown above are the Panther Band officers for 1975-76, and the trophies won by the band at the Ranger marching contest. Left to right: Jerry Dennis, sec.-treasurer; Kellye Stewart, vice president (holding trophy the band won for a First Division in marching); Norma Dennis, president (holding the trophy won by the band for best in Class B); and Paul-ette Baze, Jr. High representative. Shown in back is Mr. Andy Taylor, band director. The band members will attend UIL contest Saturday and will perform at half-time for Homecoming activities Saturday night.

### IMPORTANT ELECTION FOR VOTERS NOV. 4

Election for the proposed revision of the Constitution of Texas will be held Tuesday, November 4 at the Fire Hall. Polls will open at 7 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Odie Brightwell will serve as election judge and clerks will be Dorothy Hatcher, Donnie Parker, Viola Eaker, Sue Simmons and Blanche Browning.

There are eight amendments on the ballot. Proposition No. 1 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Separation of Powers, Legislative and Executive Positions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 2 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Judiciary Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 3 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Voting and Election Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 4 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Education Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 5 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Finance Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 6 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Local Government Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 7 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the General Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

No. 8 - The Constitutional Amendment revising the Mode of Amending Provisions of the Texas Constitution.

Voters can vote for or against each proposition on the ballot individually. Voters can pick and choose what they like and discard what they don't. Of the eight propositions on the ballot all but No. One contains only one article each. Any of the eight can pass or fail without consequences to the others.

Find out how each of the propositions will affect you and your community, then on election day vote your convictions.

Voters should bring voter registration certificate to the polls when they vote.

Beginning November 6th, a new voter registration drive will begin. The new voter registration law passed by the 1975 Texas Legislature (S.B. 300) provides that all current voter registrations expire on March 1, 1976.

A system of automatic registration is provided for currently registered Texas voters who have not changed addresses. Those who have moved in the past interim will have to take the initiative to register.

New registrations under the new law will be good for two years.

### Panthers Host Blanket In Homecoming Game

The Gorman Panthers, riding high in District 6-B with an undefeated record in all but their first game this season, will host the Blanket Tigers in a District game at Brogdon Field Saturday night before an expected overflow crowd of homecoming fans.

The Tigers always play the Panthers a very, very tough battle, and they will be striving to put the damper on the homecoming game. However, we feel that if the Panthers continue their unselfish, determined play, that they will get the victory for the homecoming crowd.

Game At A Glance	
Gorman	Rising Star
21	First Downs
425	Yards Rushing
46	Yards Passing
3 of 7	Pases Comp.
2	Interceptions
2	Fumbles Lost
2 for 43	Punts, avg.
6 - 70	Penalties
	3 for 35

The Panthers overcame some bad calls on Friday nite in the Wildcat Den and still came out on top of a 38-12 score. They were scored on however for the first time in four games when a punt was returned for a touchdown following a question on roughing the kicker by local fans that was not called by the officials.

This bad judgement call really hurt the Panthers, but they didn't let this get them down and played a real fine ball game the rest of the way to put down the Wildcats and held them the rest of the way except on a beautiful run by Tony Rimer for 85 yards.

The Panthers got on the board first with 1:45 left in the first period when Carl Burleson broke loose off the left side for 6 yards and the TD to cap a 62 yard drive. A pass from Maxfield to Kirk Arnold added the two pointer.

Gorman scored again on their next possession, taking the ball at their own 47 and going eh distance in 6 plays, with Tony Ripley getting most of the yardage on a beautiful 35 yard pass from Maxfield with 5:30 left in the second stanza. Burleson ran for the wo pointer and the score climbed to 16-0.

Then when the Panthers were moving the ball for another tally, a couple of untimely penalties caused them to have to pun, and this is when Rimer ran he punt back 55 yards for Rising Star's first tally. The Panther punter was downed by two Wildcat defenders, but no penalty was called. The Wildcats failed on a pass try for two points and the half-time score read 16-6.

The Panthers got on the scoreboard again with 8:00 left in the third period when James Webb took the hand-off, got some marvelous blocks and rambled for 16 yards for the score. This score was set up by a pass interception by Kirk Arnold on the Wildcat 20. Maxfield added the two pointer on a QB keeper and the score rose to 24-6.

The Big Red defense again gave the Panther offense the ball on an interception by Mel Maxfield on the Gorman 47. The Panthers scored in 13 plays on a real fine drive. Maxfield got the tally on a one yard QB keeper with 1:45 left in the third quarter. Mel added the two pointer on a run and the score stood at 32 to 6.

The Panther's final tally came with 9:00 left in the 4th period with James Webb going 61 yards on an electrifying run that brought the fans to their feet. A pass for the two pointer failed and the score jumped to 38-6.

Rising Star scored again on a beautiful run by Tony

Rimer of 85 yards with 8:30 left in the game. The run for points failed and the final score read 38-12.

The Panther defense was a-gain devastating as they held the Wildcats to only a total of 164 yards on he ground, and 85 of that was on one play. This year's Big Red defense is to be highly commended for its performance and enough cannot be said for the marvelous job they are doing. Keep up the good work.

James Webb led the Panthers on the ground, eating up 227 yards on 20 carries. Carl Burleson had a great night rambling for 74 yards on 14 totes. Billy Burgess got 66 yards on 12 tries, but was hampered with an injury. Robert Lewis had 37 on 8 tries. Maxfield had 8 yards on 5 tries and lost 9 on a pass try. Blaine Gibbs had 13 on 3 totes.

Game time for the Homecoming tilt will be 7:30, but fans are urged to come early for the pre-game activities in which the Bicentennial Flag will be presented to Gorman.

Get 'Em Panthers!

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### ITEMS OF INTEREST

Kokomo Primitive Baptist Church will meet Saturday and Sunday, November 1-2.

The Gorman Fire Department will meet Monday, November 3rd.

The Lions Club will meet Tuesday, November 4th at noon at the Band Hall.

The City Commission will meet Thursday, November 6 at 7:00 a. m. at the City Hall.

The Chamber of Commerce will meet Thursday, November 6th at 9:00 a. m. at the Conference Room of SWPGA.

A Turkey Shoot will be held Sunday, November 2nd at the Rifle Range at Eastland, located south of the Airpor.

The Gorman Chapter No. 443, O.E.S., will meet Monday, November 3 at 7:30 p. m.

Put a special swing into your Christmas enjoyment with Home Economist for Lone Star Gas, Martha Harmon. Mrs. Harmon will present the Christmas program for your enjoyment at the Home Ec Cottage on Thursday, Nov. 6 at 7:30 p. m. Make this Christmas season one you won't forget! FHA urges you to attend.

The Seniors are selling Homecoming Mums. If you have not ordered yet, go by the florist shop or see a senior. Don't wait any longer to order the extra special mum for the special someone!

Homecoming Dinner will be sponsored by the Seniors. The turkey and dressing dinner with all the trimmings will be served in the School Cafeteria on Saturday, Nov. 1 from 5:00 till 7 p. m. For your tickets go by Louise Rankin's office or see a Senior. Tickets are \$2.50 per plate.

Watch for the announcement of the First National Bank's new club for senior citizens. Eligible members must be 65 years of age or older and have an account with the bank.

Gorman Lodge 716, Stated meetings, 2nd. Tuesday of every month. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Cheers-Cheers-Cheers

# FOR GHS HOMECOMING



## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Friendly Service Agency

WALLACE COOK, Manager  
PHONE 734-5411 GORMAN

### Texans:

If you are tired of bigger government and higher taxes, vote NO on the proposed new constitution November 4.

Don't give future Legislatures a blank check.

The Houston Chronicle calls the new constitution "a dangerous document." Governor Dolph Briscoe warns it will "lead us down the road to a state income tax."

Governor Briscoe says: "It is my personal view that the current Constitution under which Texas has grown and prospered for a century is preferable to the proposed new constitution. Accordingly, I believe it is in the best interest of Texas that all eight propositions on the ballot be rejected."

Play it safe. Keep our present Constitution by voting NO on Tuesday, November 4.

Paid political advertisement by CITIZENS TO PRESERVE THE TEXAS CONSTITUTION, Senator Peyton McKnight, Tyler, Chairman; Mrs. Pat Black, Treasurer; 102 Vaughn Building, Austin, Texas 78701.

## GREETINGS...

### EX-STUDENTS!

We Welcome You Back To



## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

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## KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

The film "The Return" that was to be shown at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday night did not arrive for showing due to a foul-up in the Postal Department. It will be shown Wednesday night or Sunday night depending on its arrival. Our apology to those visitors who came expecting to see the film. We were just as disappointed as you were. We hope that you will come again to visit with us.

Visitors at the morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church were Mrs. Dwayne Snider and Sherri LaVon of Lubbock, Mrs. Willis Morrow and Mrs. L. R. Higginbottom of Levelland. Little Lenny Morrow was at church for the first time since his birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morrow and Mrs. L. R. Higginbottom of Levelland visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow from Wednesday until Tuesday. They all attended the funeral of a longtime friend, Mrs. Johnnie Ellison in Stephenville on Thursday. Others vis-

iting in the Morrow home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Logan of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elston of Huckabay, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Elston, Scotty, Charlie, Randall and Sheila, Mrs. Ruby Short, Eulala Keith and Earl Morrow, all of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Lance, Layne and Lenny. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider, Kathy and Mike, were recent visitors in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snider and Sherri LaVon and Mrs. Snider and Sherri returned to Gorman with them for a visit with Mrs. C. L. Snider and other relatives and in Stephenville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Park and Jeannie. Mr. Snider will be here this weekend for the Gorman Homecoming activities.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves, Mark and Deliah, Mr. and Mrs. Nolen Luttrell spent the weekend in Monahans with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham and Patricia and attended Patricia's wedding to Mr. Bruce Texborn, on Saturday night. Mrs. Eaves baked and decorated the wedding cake and the cake for the groom's table. Mrs. F. C. Eaves accompanied them and spent the weekend in Lamesa with

## Hospital Report

Wednesday, October 29:

Willie Barrett, Gorman Emma West, Rising Star Nell Dollberry, Gorman Emma Kay Love, Gorman Ruth Michaels, Brownwood James Wright, Comanche Noah Underwood, Gorman

a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Peak Neill. Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves also visited in the Neill home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolen Luttrell and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves and family also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Graham and family as did Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham and Connie of McAlester, Okla.

Mrs. Clementine Holliday of Normangee and Mrs. L. D. Holliday and Mrs. Gary Rasco of Gorman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Saturday. Bro. and Mrs. Bob Watson were supper guests of the Hendrickses on Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Walker of Eastland were Monday night visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendricks of Sierra Vista, Ariz. were visiting on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and they all visited in Lawn with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan, Kelly and Yancy, on Tuesday night.

There is quite a lot of sickness in the community at this writing. Mr. Vern Garrett suffered another heart attack early Friday morning and is in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Elver Everton is improving since suffering a heart attack and has been removed from the intensive care unit at Eastland Memorial Hospital. Mr. Hoyt Bryant is in the hospital at Gorman. Mrs. Wayne Eaves is in the hospital at Eastland. We wish all of these a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller visited during the weekend in Levelland with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kennedy, in Sundown with Mr. and Mrs. Will Stewart, and in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hooper.

Mark Watson, Gorman Martha Cary, Stephenville Amila Spcin, De Leon Darnell Phifer, Comanche Robert Kinser, Gorman Robert Harbin, Carbon Hoyt Bryant, Gorman

Ottis Wright, Gorman John Petree, Carbon Aubry Whitesides, Comanche Mary Parker, Gorman Vickie Hughes, Gorman Betty Tackett, Cisco —GP—

# WELCOME EXES!



## May You Have A Fun-Filled Day!

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## We Hope Your Visit To Gorman SATURDAY, NOV. 1 will be filled with Joy and Happiness

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Cliff and Ruby McCormick, Managers  
The Most in Convenient Food — 7 Days a Week  
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## WELCOME...

### EX-STUDENTS!

## To Your Annual HOMECOMING

### BEST WISHES for a Happy Reunion with your Classmates and Teachers

## A. E. SMITH Warehouse & Dryers

Arilton E. Smith, Owner  
Phone 734-5790 Gorman, Texas

## Hi EX-STUDENTS!

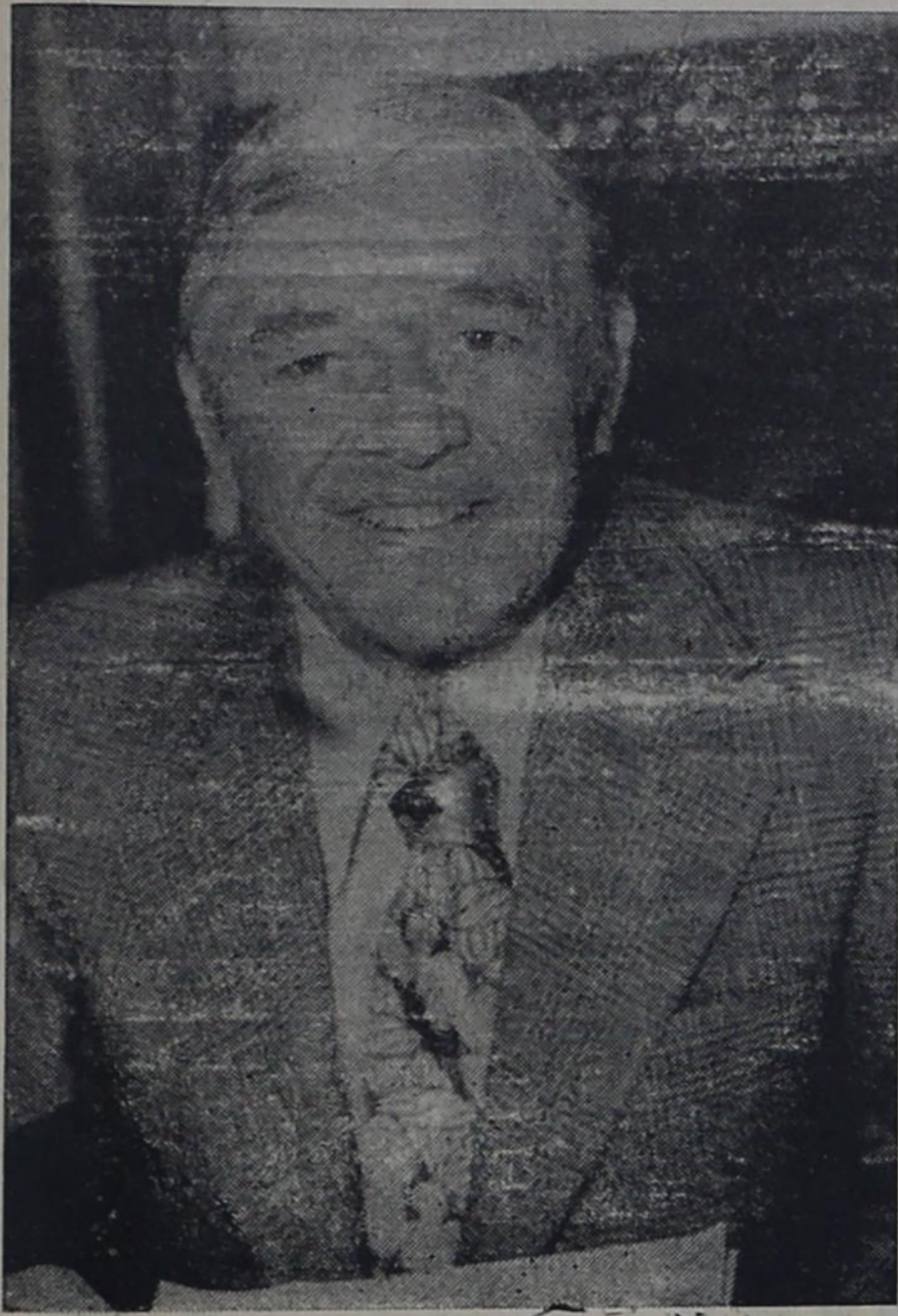


### WELCOME TO YOUR 19th HOMECOMING

Best Wishes For A Happy Reunion With Classmates and Friends

### Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association

ROSS WILSON, Manager  
GORMAN TEXAS



SEN. TOM CREIGHTON APPRECIATION DAY SET FOR NOV. 6 — Senator Tom Creighton, 22nd Senatorial District of Texas, will be honored with "A Day for Tom Creighton" in honor of his 15 years of service to the people of the district. A casual "come as you are" barbecue will be held at the Downing Heliport facility of the Municipal Airport in Mineral Wells. Tickets for the event are \$5.00 each and are currently available in Gorman from Ross Wilson and in Desdemona from Clyde L. Lewis.

# WELCOME

## To Gorman High



FOOTBALL GAME  
and HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES  
**Saturday, November 1**

**Gilmore Auto Center**  
Freddie Gilmore, Owner-Mechanic  
Mechanics - Dwayne Snell and Don Williams  
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Ex-Students  
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Annual  
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Gorman  
Insurance Agency

### Hospital Board of Directors Meet

The Board of Directors of South Eastland County Hospital District met in regular session on Tuesday, October 21, 1975 at 7:30 p. m. at Blackwell Hospital. Fifty-three admissions were reported for the month of September. There were no deaths and no new births during that month. Tax collections for the

### TESCO Honors Quarter Century Members Monday

W. F. Marquardt, president of Texas Electric Service Company, praised TESCO employees on Monday night, October 27th for their part in making TESCO one of the best electric utilities in the nation. Speaking at the annual Quarter Century Club banquet Marquardt said TESCO is in a very solid position with a good fuel supply and low rates. "The gap is widening between TESCO rates and the national average," he said. "All electric rates are going up, but we are going up much slower."

Citing numerous power firms across the nation who have held up critical power plant construction due to lack of income, he said, "The impact for the customers of such a company will come three to five years from now when the demand for electric power in their area surpasses the capacity to generate. They could have brown outs, rationing, industrial curtailment and loss of jobs. New plants will still take years to build and then will cost much more. We have a lot to be thankful for. We are in a good position today. We are not taking it easy. We're planning and building for the future of our area and asking for adequate rates."

"Our company is seeking a rate increase at this time. We need it so we can keep our good credit rating, so we can borrow large sums of money at the lowest possible interest rates and build new power plants which burn cheaper fuels."

TESCO is currently engaged in a construction program with Texas Power & Light and Dallas Power & Light to build power plants that will use lignite and nuclear fuel, both of which are much cheaper than new supplies of natural gas, the company's main fuel today.

The theme of the event centered around the Bicentennial. Marquardt concluded with an expression of thanks to TESCO employees for their contributions to the TESCO "heritage."

He then presented award watches to two employees for completing 25 years of service with the company during the year and becoming members of the Quarter Century Club. The two are C. L. Baker and J. J. Scroggins, both of the Graham power plant.

Those attending the banquet from Gorman were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Revels, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett.



month amounted to \$25,366.13. Discounts for timely payments amounting to \$784.91. This was based on a 3 percent discount for payments made in September. A 2 percent discount is being made in October and a 1 percent discount is to be made in November. No discount will be made in December and January and penalty and interest are to be charged.

# WELCOME EXES!



To Your 19th  
**HOMECOMING**  
we wish you a happy  
reunion with old  
Schoolmates

**BLACKWELL CLINIC**  
A. E. PINO, M.D. J. R. CANUT, M.D.

# WELCOME EXES!



To Your  
19TH ANNUAL  
**Homecoming**  
SATURDAY, NOV. 1  
WE JOIN YOUR MANY FRIENDS  
IN EXTENDING YOU  
Our Very Best Wishes  
**FARMERS PEANUT  
COMPANY, INC.**  
GORMAN, TEXAS

### BRIAN LASATER HONORED ON FOURTH BIRTHDAY

Brian Lasater, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Lasater, was honored on his fourth birthday Saturday, October 25. The party was centered around the theme of a black and white Teddy Bear. The birthday cake was in the shape of a Teddy Bear, made and decorated by Sandy Warren.

Mothers attending were Frances Warren, Ellen Gressett, Sandy Warren, Beth Lerner, and Janet Gray.

Very special guests were Brian's grandmother, Floy Ranson of Coleman and great-aunt, Lorene Jay of Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. George Robbins of Winter Haven, Calif. visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Robbins. Mrs. Delia Dalton of Rising Star is visiting this week with the Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and Mark of Cleburne visited Saturday with their parents, Mrs. Ruby Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. George Bell. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett of Eastland were Sunday visitors with his mother.

Mrs. Charles Brown of Whitesboro spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher.

## LOCAL NEWS

Little friends attending the party were Tona Warren, Randy Burns, Scott Gressett, Michael Warren, Robby and Matt Lerner, and Cherie and Christy Gray from Raton, N. M.

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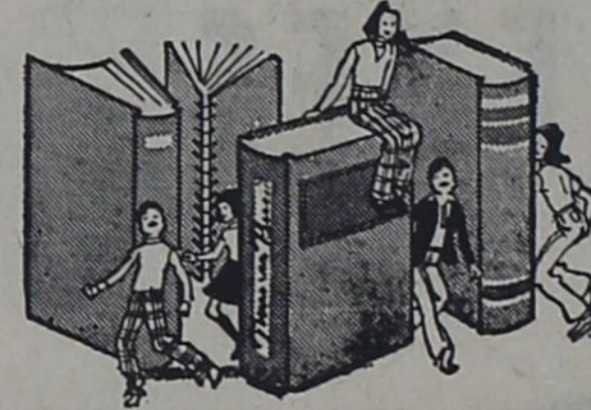
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## BACK TO SCHOOL

**HOMECOMING**  
WE JOIN YOUR MANY FRIENDS  
IN EXTENDING ...

Our Very Best Wishes  
**FOSTER FLORAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster  
PHONE 734-2219 GORMAN

## WELCOME BACK



To Your 19th  
**HOMECOMING**  
Have A Happy Day  
**A. O. EASLEY  
TRUCKS, INC.**  
Phone 734-2673 Gorman, Texas

Visiting from Wednesday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning were his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Timms of Muleshoe.

Billy Dee Hamrick of Chicago, Ill. and his daughter, Mrs. Harold Riffin of Houston visited last week with Mrs. Pearl Roberts and aunts, Mrs. Frank Dean, Mrs. Mae Richardson, also Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Townley.

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CARD OF THANKS

May we express our appreciation to those who remembered us during the illness and death of our loved one, Eleanor Wright. Special thanks to Dr. Treadwell, Dr. Garrett, the wonderful nursing staff, the nurses who did special duty, Bakker Funeral Home, those who provided music, Bro. Audy Moore, and those who sent food, flowers and cards.

God bless each of you.  
Vernon Wright  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owens  
Mrs. Mary Morehead  
Mrs. Lexie Wright  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Owen and family  
Monie Warren and families  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Robertson and boys

**School Hill News**

By Mrs. Bill Ridd F

Connie and Melani Armstrong of Highland and Patsy Moon spent Friday in Dallas with Brad Moon. They all came back by Brock to see the ballgame that night.

A. J. Winn of Ranger, Tommy and Jane Musick of Lingleville, Leo and Eloise Williams of Desdemona visited with the Riddell family on Friday.

Patsy had an appointment with the dentist this week and talked so hard that, had he charged by the hour, he would have been rich now. It took him some time to fix her jaw back after she threw it out of "gear" talking. Guess we'll be out of a telephone again now.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Elston and girls of Lingleville visited Tuesday afternoon with Ralph and Aline Elston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Huffman visited on Saturday with Renia Hogg. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hogg and family visited on Sunday with Mrs. Hogg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marchman of Lingleville visited some this week with Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Parks of Lingleville visited this week with Eddie and Lynette Johnson and family.

Every day, more than 186,000 adults in The Big Country read more local West Texas news and sports in The Reporter-News.

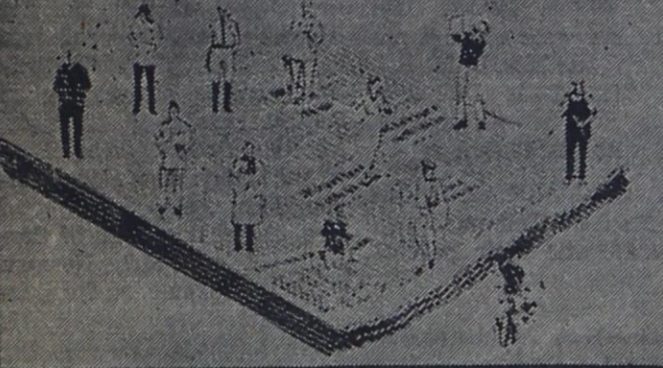
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### SERVICES FOR BEULAH HART ON MONDAY

Beulah Hart, 78, of Gorman, died at 6:30 p. m. Friday, October 24, 1975 in Blackwell Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Monday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Cope, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Gorman, officiating. Graveside services were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday in Rose Hill Cemetery in Fort Worth.

Born March 10, 1897 in Vernon, she was a retired TWX supervisor for a telephone company. She was a member of the Travis Avenue Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

She lived in Fort Worth for a number of years, moving to Gorman two months ago.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Birdie Chanslor of Dallas, Mrs. Rothelia Burks of Fort Worth and Mrs. John Campbell of Austin; and several nieces and nephews.

She was an aunt of Mrs. Dale Scott of Gorman.

GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland Co. Texas, OCT. 30, 1975

### PANTHER EMBLEM DESIGNED BY MRS. RUTH MCKITRICK WHITE

Each year at Homecoming time many questions are asked about former events and activities, traditions, etc., about Gorman High School.

Two unanswered questions that have been asked the past two weeks is who wrote the School Song. According to the minutes of 1958 homecoming and Mrs. Ray Rankin, there were three writers: Mrs. Hallie Beth Scales Williams, Dorothy Jean Eppler Ashworth and Mrs. Beryl Blackwell Rodgers. The song was written in 1929 when the colors were still gray and gold. The same year the Panthers were District Champs.

According to Charles Underwood, member of the first football team organized in 1921, the name Panthers was adopted

### ACTEEN ACTIVITIES

Last week in Acteens we had our installation of officers and some mothers were present to see our installation.

We enjoyed listening to our guest speaker, Jeanell Gilman of Eastland.

Before dismissing, refreshments were enjoyed by all.

The Panther emblem was the art work of Mrs. Ruth McKitrick White and it was designed also in 1929.

The Black Panther designed in full size used by the school now was drawn by Mrs. Mike Newby, whose husband was a former football coach at Gorman High School.

Be at Homecoming and see all your old classmates and friends this Saturday, Nov. 1.

# WELCOME EXES!



## To Gorman's 19th HOMECOMING

Have a Good Time while you are here!

### Blackwell Hospital

South Eastland County Hospital District  
PHONE 734-2294 GORMAN, TEXAS

## GREETINGS... EX-STUDENTS!



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## HOMECOMING Saturday, November 1

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HUNT'S WHOLE TOMATOES 300 CANS \$1

DEL MONTE BANANAS 15c pound

MRS. SMITH'S Frozen PIE SHELLS 10 OZ. - 8 INCH 49c

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# Welcome HOME EXES



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# As It Looks From Here

OMAR BURLESON, M. C.  
17th District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D. C. — PRESIDENT FORD HAS THROWN OUT A CHALLENGE that the Congress cannot ignore. He proposes that taxes be reduced by \$28 billion and that a commensurate amount in spending be cut.

THE FIRST PART OF THIS PROPOSITION is not the problem. The rub comes in cutting Federal expenditures. Everybody — both Members of Congress and those in their Constituency who influence them — have their ideas of where reductions should or should not be made.

EVEN WITH A REDUCTION OF \$28 BILLION IN SPENDING IN the coming fiscal year, the Administration's budget will stand at an estimated \$395 billion with a deficit of approximately \$72 billion.

THE CHOICES THIS NATION FACES BECOME MORE AND MORE acute. We can elect not to cut back on Government spending and face onward towards economic collapse, or we can choose THAT IS A BASIC DECISION NOW IN THE PROCESS

of being made. The tax cut of \$24 billion last March expires at the end of 1975. Not counting the tax refund for 1975 it will take about a \$13 billion extension of that reduction to say where we were in 1974.

AN ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE BY THOSE OF US who believe there should be a definite commitment by the Congress to cut spending by at least an equal amount of any tax reduction to see this requirement is put into the law. Unless this Congress positively and unequivocally says by a resolution by both the House and the Senate that this be accomplished, it is not likely any spending will be reduced.

IT IS TRUE THAT THE CONGRESS cannot at the moment know exactly where reductions in spending can be made specifically. A budget must be examined in careful detail but if tax cuts are made contingent on the same amounts of less spending, a real incentive will hang right around our shoulders until it is done. We all want less taxes. If we want lower taxes, let's tie lower taxes to lower spending.

THIS IS A BIG ORDER BECAUSE OUR MUSHROOMING Government programs have led this Nation closer and closer to the British type of socialism in which they find themselves. We are at a point now where many able economists warn that by the year 1980, one half of our people will be supporting the other half. If that point is ever reached, those 50 percent or more who receive Government largesse are not likely to want to turn back, and will in fact have changed our successful form of Government to a parental form patterned after England.

ECONOMISTS OF VARIOUS PERSUASIONS AND THEORIES have testified before the Budget Committee that a continuation of the temporary tax cut is necessary to stimulate the economic recovery which is now seemingly on its way. Most, however, warn that continuous deficits contribute to more inflationary pressures which could follow a sizable economic upturn. Inflation, the cruelest tax of all, must be brought under control if we are to have economic stability. The only way a tax cut can benefit people is to guarantee that savings will purchase something. Otherwise, it's giving with one hand and taking it away with the other.

THE PRESIDENT SHOULD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, submit a budget calling for the \$395 billion he has already suggested and recommending these reductions should be made but it cannot be applied to some things like interest on the public debt. The Government would be in the same position as New York City should it default on its obligations. Therefore, this means that selective reductions must be made, although in certain categories a flat percentage on every expenditure could be applied.

## WELCOME BACK

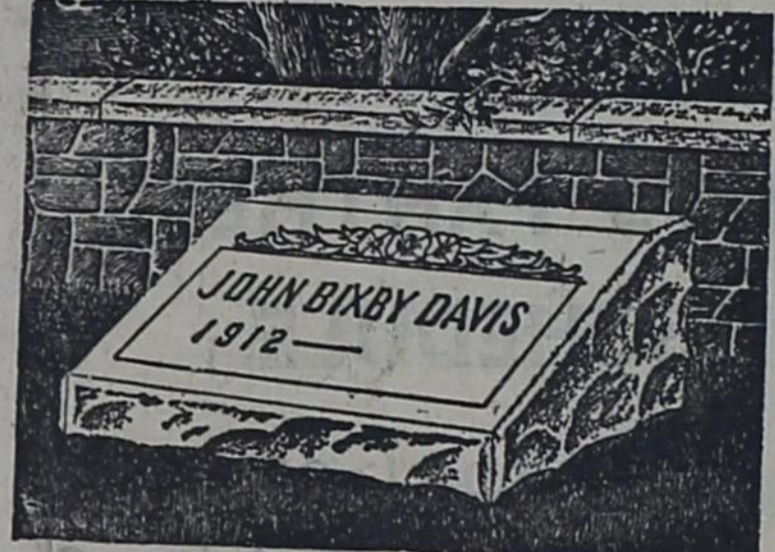
## EX - STUDENTS TO YOUR 19TH ANNUAL

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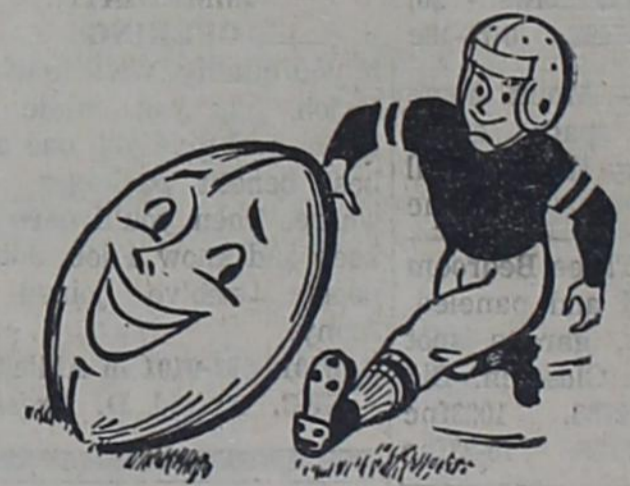
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**\$4.95 Gallon**  
**HI EXES!**



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**SATURDAY, NOV. 1**  
**GORMAN EXXON**

LARRY - TERRY And JANE  
PHONE 734-2730 Hwy. 6 West GORMAN

# WELCOME EXES!



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## FOR SALE - New three bedroom brick home

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## REAL ESTATE - 78 A., orchard, coastal, nice clean 3 BR. Den home. Lg. barns, \$24,000 - 260 A., 3 BR Home, 2 lakes, 40 peanuts, river, \$425 A., 29 percent down - 158 A., showplace, 3000 ft. home, lg. barns, coastal, irrigation (improvements valued at \$50,000) \$50 A. - Real nice mobile home, pretty yard, it's nice, just \$9,000. Cogburn Realty, 823-6666, De Leon. 8-14fnc

## SEWING MACHINES - Used Singer \$39.95

We also clean and adjust all makes and models. For appointment call 734-2410. 5-10-30p

## FOR SALE - Brahman bull calves, gentle, white, Manso breed. Neal Garner, Route 2, Clifton, Texas 76634. Phone Cransfills Gap 817-576-2276. Call at noon. 2-10-30p

## FOR SALE - Two Bedroom Home, large lot, pecan and fruit trees. 734-2728. 10-13fnc

## FOR SALE - Fed Calves for deep freeze. Call Bill Jeffs, 817-734-2023. 10-23fnc

## HELP WANTED - Applications are now being taken for kitchen help at Lawndale Home in Gorman. Apply at the manager's office. 1-10fnc

## FOR SALE - 26 inch boys 5 speed bicycle. Excellent condition. Make offer. Rev. Bob Uupe, 734-2546. 10-9fnc

## Homestead 640 Acres - Millions of acres of public land still available! Government Land Survey, 155 Laws - 20, Ukiah, Calif. 95482. 6-11-13c

## FOR RENT - Mobil home space. Storage space available. Mrs. Sunny Kellogg, call 734-2347. 10-9fnc

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## WANTED - Someone to clean house and take care of 3-year-old boy five days a week from 8 a. m. to 2 p. m. Contact Mr. or Mrs. Freddie Gilmore at 734-2100 or 734-2320. 2-11-6c

## FOR SALE - 24 Inch RCA B/W Console TV. New picture tube, thoroughly reconditioned Rye TV, 734-2068. 10-23fnc

# Hospital Report

Wednesday, October 22:  
Willie Barrett, Gorman  
Alma Martin, Gorman  
Nell Dolberr, Gorman  
Ruth Michaels, Brownwood  
Lloyd Lassiter, De Leon  
Beulah Hart, Gorman  
W. B. Moore, Gorman  
Willie Whisenant, Stephenville  
Martha Cary, Stephenville  
Danell Phifer, Comanche  
Ersie Davis, Stephenville  
Eugino Martinez, Comanche  
Ottis Wright, Gorman  
Noah Underwood, Gorman  
Anna Thompson, Dublin  
Altha Odum, Gorman  
Ed Cheatham, Comanche  
Mary Parker, Gorman  
Meredith Baze, Eastland  
Hattie Tate, Desdemona  
Lydia Wilson, Gustine  
Lillie Childers, Cross Plains

**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.

**FOR SALE -** 1971 Mobil Home, 14x70 ft., unfurnished. 3 bedroom, 1 and 3/4 bath. Wood burning Franklin fireplace. Good condition. \$5,000. Phone 734-2092. 1-10-30c

**WANTED -** Lease or rent peanut land, irrigated or dry in the Carbon, Kokomo or Gorman area. H. L. Perrin, Jr. Call 647-1028. 4-11-20p

**NOTICE -** I will not be responsible for any beds, or credits made after this date (Thursday, Oct. 30) by anyone but myself. Gary Ervin. 1tp

**FOR SALE -** Peanut Hal, \$1 per bale in the field. Danny Norris, Rt. 1, Carbon. Call 639-1518. 2-11-6p

**COMPLEXION PROBLEMS?** Clean it with Norwalk CLEARZIT medication. Only \$1.98 at the Gorman Pharmacy. 5-11-27p

**WANTED -** Dishwasher at The Pantry. Contact Dick Spencer or apply in person. 734-2210. 1-10-16fnc

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**SEALED BIDS:** The Gorman Independent School District will accept bids until 10:00 a. m. November 14, 1975 for: 1 - 1962 Chevrolet 48 passenger school bus. Trustees reserve the right to accept or reject any and all bids. For further information, contact Supt. G. W. Maxfield, 817-734-2614, Box 8, Gorman, Tex. 76454. 5-11-13c

**HELP WANTED -** Aides and Housekeepers. Apply in person at Lawndale Home, Ph. 734-2202. 9-11fnc

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# EX-STUDENTS HOMECOMING GAME

## GORMAN PANTHERS

vs.

## BLANKET TIGERS

Nov. 1 7:30 p. m. Brogdon Field



### 1975 PANTHER SCHEDULE

De Leon 36 - Gorman 0  
Gorman 44 - Dublin 0  
Gorman 50 - T'mtrn 13  
Gorman 14 - Hico 0  
Gorman 29 - Evant 0  
Gorman 38 - Eden 0  
Gorman 37 - St Anna 0  
Gorman 38 - R. Star 12  
Nov. 1 - Blanket\* - Here (Homecoming Game)  
Nov. 7 - Rich. Spgs\* - H  
\* Denotes District Games  
Games Oct. 10 Thru Nov. 7 - 7:30

### CUB SCHEDULE

Ris. Star 36 - Gorman 0  
St. Anna 36 - Gorman 0  
Blanket 56 - Gorman 24  
Ris. Star 36 - Gorman 0  
St. Anna 28 - G'man 0  
St. Anna 44 - Gorman 0  
Oct. 23 - Open Date  
Oct. 30 - Blanket - T

Game Time: 7:00 p. m.

### PANTHERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.	Coaches:
10	Billy Simpson	B	95	Allan Gibbs and Dale Ables
11	Mel Maxfield	B	157	Managers:
20	Kirk Arnold	E	153	James Dickerson, Jimmy
22	James Webb	B	170	Lewis, Timmy Swanner
23	Blaine Gibbs	B	136	Mascot: Panthers
31	Robert Lewis	B	161	Colors: Red and Blue
33	Carl Burleson	B	153	Supt.: G. W. Maxfield
40	Billy Burgess	B	160	Principal: Bill Sandlin
44	Rick Townley	B	82	Cheerleaders:
50	Gary Campbell	T	115	Donna Lewis
51	Doug Warren	C	212	Deborah Guthery
55	Jeff Bowling	G	122	Deliah Eaves
60	Bruce Gibbs	G	167	Cheryl Arnold
61	Jerry Truotman	T	200	Terri Patterson
70	Stacy Webb	G	208	Mascot: Lissa Warren
63	Charles White	C	190	Twirlers:
65	Cliford Lewis	G	139	Kellye Stewart
66	Chuck Troutman	T	200	Jo Rodgers
75	Edward Cox	T	206	Meñada Harrington
76	Edwin Murphy	T	219	Sara Slaton
77	Bobby Jay	G	140	Drum Major: Vane Rodgers
78	Gary Mauney	T	186	Band Director: Andy Taylor
80	Randy Barnes	E	134	
81	Tony Ripley	E	185	
83	Jamie Snider	E	108	
86	Randy Seaton	E	130	
88	Ricky Troutman	E	140	

## WE'RE BEHIND THE PANTHERS... ALL THE WAY IN 1975!

Lawndale Home For Senior Citizens  
Gorman Insurance Agency  
Munn Cleaners  
PHONE 723-2318  
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Gorman Gulf Station  
First National Bank  
Blackwell Hospital  
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Southwestern Peanut Growers Assn.  
Gorman Exxon Station  
Lewis Fina Station  
Gorman Pharmacy  
Smith Bros. Chevrolet Co.  
Foster Floral  
Comanche County Telephone Co.  
Gorman Auto Parts  
Shell 7 - 11

Blackwell Clinic  
A. O. Easley Trucks, Inc.  
Friendly Service Agency  
Gilmore's Auto Center  
Todd's Variety Store  
Appliance Service Co.  
Brown's Feed Store

### THE PANTRY



## MONUMENTS

Era Maupin, Agent

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"TAKE A HARD RIDE"

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SATURDAY ONLY

PERENCE HILL and HENRY FONDA In  
"MY NAME IS NOBODY"

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Sunday - Monday - Tuesday

DAVID HARTMAN - DONALD SIDER In Walt Disney's  
"ISLAND ON THE TOP OF

THE WORLD"

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DRIVE IN**

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## Lawndale News

Ward Mangum of Long Beach, Calif. visited Mrs. Leach.

Betty Whisenant of Olden and Mary Lee Cagle of Eastland visited Mary Overstreet. Mr. J. H. Barbee and Sally Evans of Abilene visited Ila Pulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nonce of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harper. Harvey and Bea O'Neal of

Breckenridge visited Martha Norris.

Billie and Jennifer Stacy of Carbon visited Mrs. Timmons and Lilly Boney.

Cecil and Rena Robertson Mkie and Ken of Odessa visited Lexie Wright.

Joan Fairbetter of Abilene and Adele Russell of Everman visited Mabel Trammell.

Connie Welch of Gorman visited the Davises and Laura Shugart.

Joe O'Neal of Kokomo and Ray and Rachel Murphy of Houston, Lillie and Carl Perrin and Mr. and Mrs. Sam

Powers of Desdemona also visited the home.

Carbon Baptist Church held church services at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. Also at 6:30 the Church of Christ had services.

Tuesday is bingo day and we had lots to turn out for this the last few weeks. Wednesday afternoon Joe O'Neal of Kokomo held Bible Study. On Thursday night I missed again. Hope to be back this week. All residents said it was real good singing. This is always enjoyed by all. Thanks again for all who help in anyway to visit the residents, sing for them, teach a Bible lesson or anything else.

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We planed 84 two nights last week. Mae is getting her ticker tocking better now. Poor Kent, it seems that her friends are afraid of her bite. Big Foot is on the mend. You see, Mama keeps him on a string. I can sympathize with him, as I am in the same shape. My Boss keeps me so busy at time helping her can and getting things ready for the freezer. (I am a good watcher at hat. Though it is trying to me). Fats is on the mend since Murel came home. I will bet the cats are a lot happier also, as Fats is not a good cook for them.

The Reaper has called another to her final resting place, Mrs. Vernon Wright. You see the young do answer that call. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved.

We have missed Ott for several days. He is on a vacation in the hospital. He has been experiencing some new joys while there. Hurry home Ott, we miss your wise sayings so much.

Our office has been a little quieter since Luke and his quiet neighbor have been with us. Tater has harvested his crop, so he really chews those vines now. He is still with the recycle bunch. Speck and Slim Pickens can really use those cigarettes. Also Lover Boy. I wonder if they throw their stubs on the floor at home? Bud smokes, though he takes care of his stubs. I wonder if they ever think that by blowing their smoke in the room that it is hurting us non-smokers and can really damage our lungs and body. Though the non-smokers could go home, I guess!

I had to help Doc see that he got his cover crop planted, as his cheap neighbor could not help him, even if he did work half price for him. Grassy Jack is already counting his \$\$\$ now. Marcy is still helping me side coach. We received some fresh air last week. Tester is with us now.

There was a wonderful singing Friday night at the Hotel Apartment. Try it again some times.

One place where I taught school, there was a young man that would come out and play basketball every day at noon. Lofton Frasier weighed about 50 lbs. if he had been thrown in the creek. When the man would get the ball and start oward he goal post, Lofton would hang on his leg and stop him. The man would tell me about Lofton, as I was referee. I would just say I was watching the ball. Nearly every time Lofton would really hang on. It was funny to me and the boys that were playing. Lofton was very agile and a smart pupil.

Pupils, study hard and remember the teachers are trying to help you.

Look up and smile, as a smile will help you win. Remember that the sun is shining just behind the darkest clouds at all times.

Thanks to so many that say they enjoy my remarks.

Honest, Reporter

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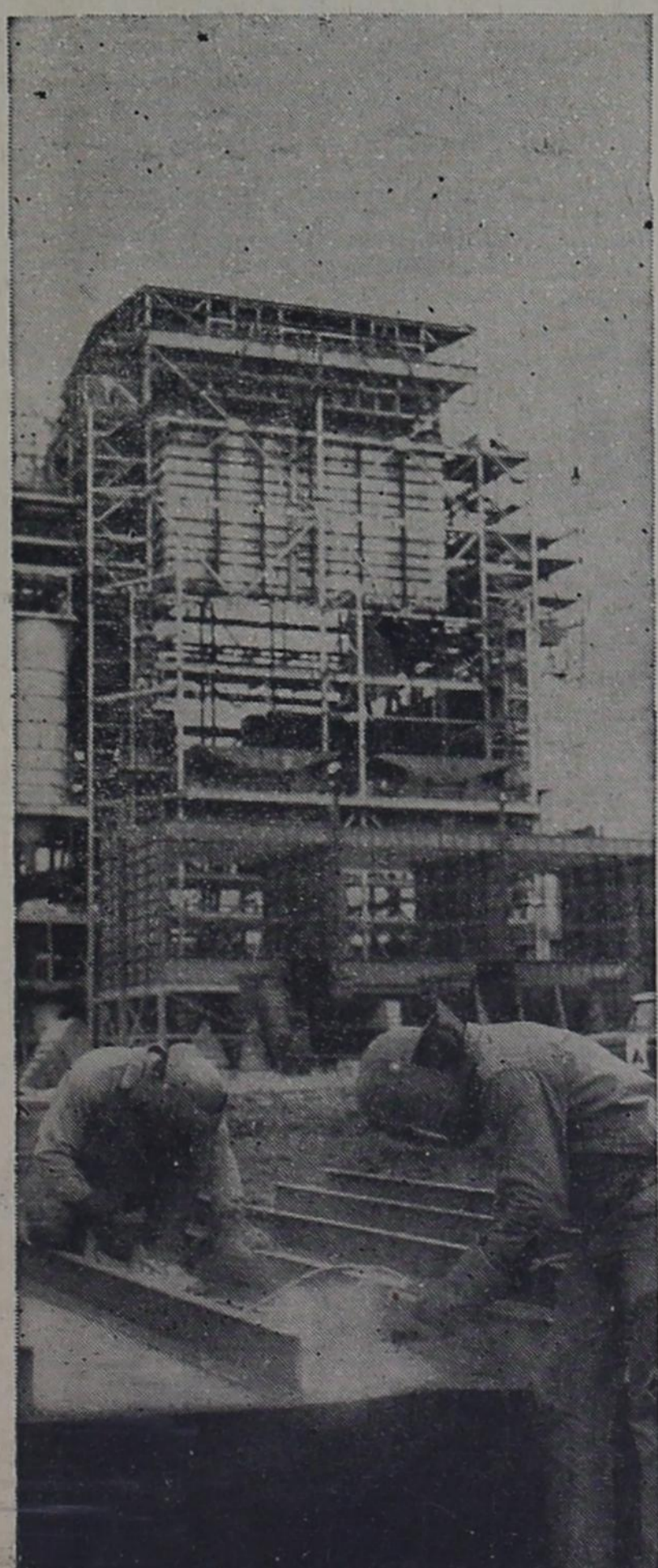
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# CARBON NEWS

By VELMA HASTINGS

The menu for Carbon School Cafeteria for the week of November 3-7 is as follows:

Monday - Tacos, lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, pinto beans, fruit cocktail, cookies and milk.

Tuesday - Fish, blackeyed peas, carrots, hot rolls, cherry cobbler and milk.

Wednesday - Pizza, lettuce and tomato salad, green beans, butter, cookies and milk.

Thursday - Hot dogs, cheese corn, lettuce and tomato salad, peaches and milk.

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

Mr. D. O. Ross received a message Sunday evening that his brother, Harvey Ross of Glen Rose had passed away

at his home there early Sunday morning. Funeral arrangements were pending on Monday.

## YOUNG HOMEMAKERS

The Carbon Young Homemakers will sponsor a Community Garage and Bake Sale on November 8th beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning and continuing throughout the day at the Carbon School Cafeteria. The purpose of this sale is to raise money for the remodeling of the school cafeteria. Items to be included in this sale are: adult and childrens clothing, household items, appliances, toys, furniture, tires, plants, home baked goods.

Anyone having items to donate are urged to get in contact with LaTonne Rodgers Mittie Bledsoe, Martha Woods or Rosetta Hagan before Nov. 8th. If you cannot bring your donations, contact one of the above people and arrangements will be made to pick up your donations. Please sup-

port the Carbon School System by helping to make this sale a success.

Mrs. Clifford Gilbert and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert of Denton were visiting friends in Carbon Saturday.

James Guy of Andrews spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rogers of Cottonwood, Arizona last week.

Homer and Don Loper visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Loper last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bennett of Big Springs visited Mrs. Opal Hays and Mrs. Ruth Craighead on Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Snell spent Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blackwell of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Faulkenberry of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Loper during the weekend.

Mrs. Marie Bolin, a newcomer to Carbon, accompan-

ied Mrs. Muriel Campbell to the October 17 meeting of the Pleasant Hill HD Club and was admitted as a member. Mrs. Bolin was a member and secretary of the Stitch and Stir Club of Las Alamos, N. M. for a number of years. The meeting was in the home of Mrs. Kitchens.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boston of Angleton visited Mrs. Mabel Greer last Friday.

Mrs. Don Guy of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy part of last week. Mr. Guy has been ill in Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Shirley Rice of Eastland visited her grandmother, Mrs. Lenis Rice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner Poolville, Jamie Harle of Fort Worth had been visiting the Harle's and accompanied them to Poolville.

weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle and Charlene spent Sunday with Mrs. Harle's sister, Mrs. Evelyn Hanna and family of

were in Stephenville on business Saturday.

Mrs. B. W. Hobbs visited her sister, Mrs. Agnes Sullivan of Eastland during the

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bolin were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey of Gorman in Cisco on Tuesday night.



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