



PRESS POINTS
JOE BENNETT, Publisher

The rain the past several days has sure changed the outlook for the prospects for the upcoming planting season, as well as the prospects of the cattlemen in this area. The rain seems to be widespread over the country with most all areas reporting a large amount of moisture. The rain fell just right to begin with as most of the moisture went right into the soil. Then on a couple of occasions we have gotten some hard rain which has helped to refill the stock ponds and the area lakes have reported large rises. This rain has truly been a God send and all of us should thank God for the wonderful rain and all the blessings that come our way. At press time the rain had stopped. However, I understand we could receive more rain before the clearing trend comes.

We received word Tuesday that the decision on the application for a savings and loan in Gorman has not been made at this time. It is expected that it will be about four more weeks before the decision is handed down. Most times it takes about six weeks for the applications to be granted. Whenever the decision is made, we hope to get it in time to break the news to everyone here, depending on the date the decision is released.

The election to determine whether the people in the hospital district wish to sell the hospital and all facilities will not be held the same day as the directors election because of the time limit on the notice of election which is 30 days. The notice had not been completed, so the voters will not vote on the decision April 7th as we stated. Voters will decide who will be on the Board of Directors only. The vote on the decision to sell or not will have to be held later. Maybe we will have some notice on this for you soon.

As of this writing the board had not posted notice of the election to vote on the sale of the hospital. Maybe some action will be forthcoming soon.

We wish to add our congratulations to words that all folks here have given in their praise of our FFA and 4-H members for the outstanding job they have turned in at the county livestock show. They completely dominated the show from the opening day till the final judging. Hard work and outstanding attitude has brought this accomplishment to our youth. Add to this the outstanding leadership of Dwaine Brown and leaders in the 4-H and you have the perfect combination for outstanding achievements. Good job gang!

We ask Gods Special blessing on each of you. All of you will always be remembered dear to our hearts.

We Love You The Ulyss (Fat) Westmoreland Family

AN OPEN LETTER
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No leads have been reported in a Sunday night burglary in Gorman. Ten tires valued at \$300 and about \$50 in cash was taken from the ARCO service station operated by Delton Keese.

Police chief Delbert Biggs is heading the investigation.

Cindy Burleson-Bobby Jay Plan Nuptials



Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burleson of Desdemona announce the engagement and forth coming marriage of their daughter Cindy Lea to Bobby Jay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman L. Jay of Gorman.

The wedding ceremony will take place Friday, April 6, 1979 at 7:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Gorman.

The reception will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCormick following the wedding. All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception.

Lonnie Capers Celebrate 56th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Capers celebrated their 56th Wedding Anniversary Sunday, March 18 with a family covered dish dinner in their home.

DESDEMONA VOLLEY BALL TOURNAMENT
Desdemona will sponsor a volley ball tournament April 5th, 6th, and 7th. All teams in our area are invited. Fee is \$18.00 a team. Call Karen Creed 758-2202.

IN GRATITUDE
How great is the love of God which is shed abroad in our town.

And you, our friends, have ministered unto us, serving In His Name. It is as if you have wrapped the blanket of Love and Grace about us - keeping us safe and warm.

God bless each one. Lucretia and Milton, Jr. and family

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. James Mears visited over the weekend in San Antonio with their son Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mears

We thank the people for their cards, letters, flowers, visits and especially their prayers during "Fats" long illness.

Thanks so much to the Ladies of all the churches of Gorman who sent food to the Methodist Church on Sunday for the Westmoreland families. To the Ladies who served at the noon meal we give a special thanks. We appreciate all the pastors of the different churches who came to the funeral home. To all our friends who came to express their love and concern. In case we missed any one let this be a special thanks to you. We couldn't get every ones name but we do thank and appreciate all of you.

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H. Fairbetter Laid To Rest Saturday

Milton Haynes Fairbetter, 88, died about 8:30 p.m. Thursday, March 15, 1979 in Blackwell Hospital after a sudden illness. Services were held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday in First United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Burton Dennis, interim pastor officiated assisted by the Rev. Marion Dennis, pastor of Congregational Methodist Church.

Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Hilton Haynes Fairbetter was born November 1, 1880 in Italy, Texas. In his early days he worked as a grocery clerk and bookkeeper on moving to Boyd with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodor Fairbetter. In 1914 he became a peanut farmer, but in 1917 he volunteered for military service and served two years in France with Company L. 142 Infantry Regiment 36th Division. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and Quarterback Club.

In 1920 he began his life time career as a U.S. Postal employee at the Fort Worth Post Office. In 1927 he married Lucretia Trammell. After four years, ill health caused him to find a higher altitude in Winters, Texas.

Some years later at the close of World War II opportunity brought him to Gorman.

When death came to him Thursday evening, he slipped away leaving a great number of friends and he loved them all.

Survivors include his wife Lucretia, two sons, Milton Jr. of the home and William Manning of Abilene; a daughter Adelle Russell of Everman; seven grandchildren and a great-grand child; and two brothers, Raymond of Boyd and John of Snyder, Oklahoma.

A brother, Barney died in August 1978.

Pallbearers were: D. R. Clark, Graydon Baze, Bill Parr, Frank Rhymes, Joe Bennett, Bill Chandler, M. F. Allen and E. N. Higginbottom.

and Dara. Dara returned home with them for a weeks visit during spring break from school.

GORMAN COUNTY DOMINATE LIVESTOCK SHOW

The Gorman 4-H and Gorman FFA once again excelled at the Eastland County Livestock Show. The two groups took all eight champion rosettes Friday in the super tough swine competition despite the 144 market hogs entered from across the county.

On Saturday, the Gorman Banner claimed both the Grand Champion Steer and the Grand Champion Heifer to highlight the final action.

Much of Gorman's success - in both 4-H and FFA - this year centered on the Burgess family.

It was 10 year old Glenn Burgess, a Gorman 4-H'er, who all smiles on Friday when his 225 pound duroc gilt was named Grand Champion market hog among 144 others.

Then on Saturday, it was big brother Danny Burgess, 16, capturing the limelight with the 1979 Grand Champion Market Steer. Burgess showing under Gorman FFA displayed a 1,340 pound Chianina crossbred he calls "Big Red." Burgess fed the 21 month old steer Hi Pro Feeds. Other than that, just a whole lot of attention and care was the key to success for Danny.

Farmers Peanut Company of Gorman donated the Trophy for the Grand Champion steer. By co-incidence (as with many folks in the Gorman Area) Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess, parents of the Burgess children are peanut farmers.

Whether or not peanut farming has anything to with the Burgess success in hogs and steers is debatable. After all the Burgess crew was successful in a very tough heifer show (perhaps even tougher than the steer show).

It was Angela Burgess, 12, who showed the 1979 Grand Champion Heifer. Angela, a 6th grader showed a Limousin - Simmental crossbred she calls "Suzie" for the win. The heifer wasn't quiet 8 months old on show day, despite its size and frame.

The heifer had also topped the other breed heifers competition. The Reserve Champion of the other breeds judging was shown by Jeff Hodge, a Carbon FFA'er, who exhibited Simmental Cross.

Bud Jeffs, 15, Gorman FFA member, showed the Reserve Champion heifer, Jeffs, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Jeffs showed a two-year old Angus heifer. The heifer had also stood as the Champion Angus Heifer of that breed competition. For the Champion heifer, Bud received the Mike Farnsworth Memorial Trophy, presented each year to the exhibitor of the best Angus Heifer.

Gorman FFA'er Mark Watson took the Swine Showmanship Trophy.

Charla Little, 11, a Gorman 4-H'er, showed a cross bred heavyweight Chester White - Hampshire hog for Reserve Overall Grand Champion market hog. It was a 245 pound gilt. Charla, a 6th grader, is the daughter of

BROWN'S FEED TO SPONSOR FREE BARBECUE TONIGHT

Brown's Feed Store is sponsoring a free barbecue dinner to be held Thursday, March 22 at 7:00 in the Gorman High School Gym. The dinner is free and everyone is invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to friends and neighbors who remembered me in any way while I was in the hospital. The food, flowers, cards, prayers and phone calls were all appreciated very much. May God bless each of you.

Brent Lasater

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Capers of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mrs. Velma Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little, Charla also received the Goat Showman Trophy. And is in her second year to show hogs. Her hog has been the Champion of the predominantly White hog classes.

Andy Kinser a FFA'er, showed the Reserve Champion of those classified as heavyweight. Andy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kinser of Gorman.

Steve Watson, a Gorman FFA'er, showed the Reserve Champion Durocs predominate Red Class judging. It was a heavyweight which stood second in a tough class which yielded this year's Overall Grand Champion shown by Burgess. Steve is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Watson of Gorman.

Jeff Ripley, Gorman 4-H'er showed a heavy-weight Hampshire as the Champion and predominate Black Hog Classes. Jeff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Ripley of Gorman.

Caye Little, 15, a Gorman 4-H'er had a big day in both the goat and market lamb competition.

Caye showed the Champion Angora doe with a 9 year old doe. Despite its age, Caye came back in the late night market lamb judging before a capacity crowd of more than 1,000 Eastland County folks to exhibit the Champion Fine Wool Lamb. Caye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little of Gorman.

In addition to Miss Little's fine wool champion in the late night market lamb judging other market lamb champions were: Kim Rodgers, Carbon FFA, Champion Fine Wool Crossbred and Shannon Caraway, Gorman 4-H'er. Shannon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bo Caraway of Gorman.

The Reserve Champion Market Lamb was shown by Cordell Shook, Carbon FFA; Reserve Fine Wool: Mark Tucker of Carbon. Tucker of Carbon showed the Reserve Fine Wool Cross.

Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker of Carbon.

Peyton Vaughn, Gorman FFA, showed the Reserve Medium Wool Lamb. Peyton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn of Gorman.

Shannon Caraway, a Gorman 4-H'er showed the Reserve Champion Medium Wool Ram with another fourth ram.

Daryl Hirst of Gorman judged dairy cattle.

Swine Show Judge was Garth Priddy of De Leon, highly recognized swine judge.

This was the second consecutive year that the Gorman FFA and 4-H'ers have swept the Eastland County Show and the 4-H leaders and FFA instructor, Dwaine Brown and the students are to be commended on the fine job they are doing.

The community is indeed proud of their accomplishments.

EASTLAND COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW FRIDAY RESULTS

MARKET HOG SHOW
Lightweight Durocs and predominantly Reds - 1. Steve Spivey, Gorman FFA; 2. Clint Whitehead, Gorman FFA; 3. Noble Linnack, Gorman 4-H.
Medium weight Durocs and predominantly Reds - 1. Caye Little, Gorman 4-H; 2. Suzanne Hill, Eastland FFA; 3. Andy Kinser, Ranger FFA.
Heavy weight Durocs and predominantly Reds - 1. Glenn Burgess, Gorman 4-H; 2. Steve Watson, Gorman FFA; 3. Ted Underwood, Gorman FFA.
Champion Duroc and predominantly Red Market Hog - Glenn Burgess, Gorman 4-H, heavyweight Duroc.
Reserve Champion Duroc and predominantly Red Market Hog - Steve Watson, Gorman FFA, heavy weight Duroc.

Lightweight Hampshires and predominantly Blacks - 1. Sidney Woods, Eastland FFA; 2. Shawn Wells, Ranger FFA; 3. Scott Russell, Gorman 4-H.
Heavyweight Hampshires and predominantly Blacks - 1. Jeff Ripley, Gorman 4-H; 2. Danny Burgess, Gorman FFA; 3. Shannon Caraway, Gorman 4-H.
Champion Hampshire and predominantly Black Market Hog - Jeff Ripley, Gorman 4-H, heavyweight Hampshire.
Reserve Champion Hampshire and predominantly Red Market Hog - Danny Burgess, Gorman FFA, heavyweight Hampshire.

Lightweight Predominantly Whites - 1. Mark Watson, Gorman FFA; 2. Kelly Jones, Ranger FFA; 3. Greg Gannon, Ranger FFA.
Heavyweight Predominantly Whites - 1. Charla Little, Gorman 4-H; 2. Andy Kinser, Gorman FFA; 3. Steve Spivey, Gorman FFA.
Champion Predominantly White Hog - Charla Little, Gorman 4-H, heavyweight.
Reserve Champion Predominantly White Hog - Andy Kinser, Gorman FFA, heavyweight.

Grand Champion Market Hog - Glenn Burgess, Gorman 4-H, heavyweight Duroc.
Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog - Charla Little, Gorman 4-H, heavy crossbred.
JUNIOR DAIRY SHOW
Heifer calves, 6 months to 11 months - 1. Robin White, Eastland 4-H; 2. Bud Wood, Nimrod 4-H.
Heifers over 1 year and prior to calving - 1. Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H.
Cows, two years but under three years - 1. Shirley Kidd, Eastland 4-H.
Grand Champion Female Dairy Cow - Shirley Kidd, Eastland 4-H, Guernsey.
Reserve Grand Champion Female Dairy Cow - Robin White, Eastland 4-H, Holstein.

ANGORA GOATS
Two tooth and under does - 1. Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H; 2. Leo Boyd, Nimrod 4-H.
Four tooth and over does - 1. Caye Little, Gorman 4-H; 2. Charla Little, Gorman 4-H.
Champion Angora Doe - Caye Little, Gorman 4-H, Reserve Champion Angora Doe - Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H.
Two tooth and under bucks - 1. Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H; 2. Charla Little, Gorman 4-H; 3. Audie Woolley, Cisco FFA.
Four tooth and over bucks - 1. Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H; 2. Caye Little, Gorman 4-H; 3. Leo Boyd, Nimrod 4-H.
Grand Champion Buck - Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H, two tooth bucks.
Reserve Grand Champion Buck - Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H, two tooth bucks.

BREEDING SHEEP
Fine Wool Two Tooth and Under Ewes - 1. Amy Weekes, Ranger FFA; 2. Tommy Claborn, Nimrod 4-H; 3. Cricket Smith, Gorman 4-H.
Fine Wool Four Tooth and Over Ewes - 1.2. Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA.
Champion Fine Wool Ewe - Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA, Corriedale-Columbia crossbred.
Reserve Champion Fine Wool Ewe - Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA.
Fine Wool Ram - Scott Carson, Cisco FFA.
Champion Fine Wool Ram - Scott Carson, Cisco FFA.

Medium Wool Ewes, two tooth and under - 1. Bryan Flemming, Nimrod 4-H; 2. Shannon Caraway, Gorman 4-H; 3. Tommy Claborn, Nimrod 4-H.
Medium Wool Ewes, four tooth and over - 1. Bryan Flemming, Nimrod 4-H; 2. Dean Thompson, Cisco FFA; 3. Scott Carson, Cisco FFA.
Champion Medium Wool Ewe - Bryan Flemming, Nimrod 4-H, Suffolk.
Reserve Champion Medium Wool Ewe - Bryan Flemming, Nimrod 4-H, Suffolk.
Medium Wool Rams, two tooth and under - 1. Tommy Claborn, Nimrod 4-H.
Medium Wool Rams, four tooth and over - 1. Deana Thompson, Cisco FFA; 2. Shannon Caraway, Gorman 4-H.

Champion Medium Wool Ram - Deana Thompson, Cisco FFA, Suffolk 4 tooth ram.
Reserve Champion Medium Wool Ram - Shannon Caraway, Gorman 4-H, 4 tooth ram.
Southdowns Ewes, two tooth and under - 1. Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H.
Southdowns Ewes, four tooth and over - 1. Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H.
Reserve Champion Southdown Ewe - Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H, four tooth ewe.
Reserve Champion Southdown Ewe - Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H, two tooth ewe.
Southdown Rams, 4 tooth and over - 1. Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H.
Champion Southdown Ram - Scott Anderson, Nimrod 4-H.

RABBIT SHOW
White does - 1. Tim Elmore, Eastland; 2. Ken Petty, Eastland; 3. Mart Tucker, Carbon.
White bucks - 1. Jeanine Rich, Cisco; 2. Tim Elmore.
Colored does - 1. Misty Files, Ranger; 2. Misty Files; 3. Jeanine Rich.
Colored bucks - 1. Ken Petty, 2. Misty Files; 3. Ricky Herrera, Eastland.
Best Rabbit of Show - Ken Petty, Eastland, colored buck.
Best Opposite of Show - Tim Elmore, Eastland, white doe.

MARKET LAMBS
Fine wool lambs - 1. Caye Little, Gorman 4-H; 2. Cordell Shook, Carbon FFA; 3. John Howard, Gorman FFA.
Champion Fine Wool Lamb - Caye Little, Gorman 4-H.
Reserve Champion Fine Wool Lamb - Cordell Shook, Carbon FFA.
Fine wool cross lambs - 1. Kim Rodgers, Carbon FFA; 2. Mart Tucker, Carbon FFA; 3. Charla Little, Gorman 4-H.
Champion Fine Wool Cross Lamb - Kim Rodgers, Carbon FFA.
Reserve Champion Fine Wool Cross Lamb - Mart Tucker, Carbon FFA.
Medium Wool Lambs - 1. Jamie Long, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Peyton Vaughn, Gorman FFA; 3. Tommy Claborn, Nimrod 4-H.
Champion Medium Wool Lamb - Jamie Long, Rising Star 4-H.
Reserve Champion Medium Wool Lamb - Peyton Vaughn, Gorman FFA.

Southdown Lambs - 1. Shannon Caraway, Gorman FFA; 2. Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H; 3. Angela Burgess, Gorman 4-H.
Champion Southdown Lamb - Shannon Caraway, Gorman FFA.
Reserve Champion Southdown Lamb - Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H.

EASTLAND COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW SATURDAY RESULTS

MARKET STEER SHOW
Lightweight steers - 1. Jim Moylan, Eastland; 2. Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA; 3. Bud Jeffs, Gorman 4-H.
Champion Lightweight Steer - Jim Moylan, Eastland.
Reserve Champion Lightweight Steer - Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA.
Heavyweight steers - 1. Danny Burgess, Gorman FFA; 2. Truet Hart, Eastland 4-H; 3. Cynthia Dill, Cisco 4-H.
Champion Heavyweight Steer - Danny Burgess, Gorman FFA.
Reserve Champion Heavyweight Steer - Truet Hart, Eastland.

BULL SHOW
Class I Hereford Bulls - 1. Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H; 2. Wayne Moore, Eastland.
Class II Hereford Bulls - 1. Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA.
Champion Hereford Bull - Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H.
Reserve Champion Hereford Bull - Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA.
Simmental Bulls - 1. Sherry Kidd, Eastland; 2. Jim Moylan, Eastland; 3. Cody Wells, Eastland.
Grand Champion Bull - Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H, Hereford.
Reserve Grand Champion Bull - Sherry Kidd, Eastland, Simmental.

HEIFER SHOW
Hereford heifers Class V - 1. Johnny McCaughren, Cisco FFA; 2. Brian Flemming, Nimrod 4-H; 3. Craig Spruill, Carbon FFA.
Hereford heifers Class VI - 1. Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H; 2. Truet Hart, Eastland 4-H; 3. Gary Blossie, Carbon FFA.
Hereford heifers Class VII - 1. Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA; 2. Jim Moylan, Eastland 4-H.
Hereford heifers Class VIII - 1. Bob Haywood, Gorman FFA.
Champion Hereford Heifer - Tommy Donham, Cisco FFA.
Reserve Champion Hereford Heifer - Johnny McCaughren, Cisco FFA.

Class VIII Angus Heifers - 1. Mark Watson, Eastland 4-H; 2. Cory Wallace, Cisco FFA.
Class IX Angus Heifers - 1. Bud Jeffs, Gorman FFA.
Champion Angus Heifer - Bud Jeffs, Gorman 4-H.
Reserve Champion Angus Heifer - Scott Gordon, Eastland 4-H.
Class 30 Other Breed Heifers - 1. Angela Burgess, Gorman 4-H, crossbred; 2. Jeff Hodge, Carbon FFA, Simmental; 3. Cody Wells, Eastland 4-H, Simmental.

Class 31 Other Breed Heifers - 1. Jeff Hodge, Carbon FFA; 2. Truet Hart, Eastland 4-H.
Champion Other Breed Heifers - Angela Burgess, Gorman 4-H.
Reserve Champion Other Breed Heifers - Jeff Hodge, Carbon FFA, crossbred.
Grand Champion Heifer - Angela Burgess, Gorman 4-H, Limousin-Simmental crossbred.
Reserve Grand Champion Heifer - Bud Jeffs, Gorman FFA, Angus heifer.

Calendar Of Events

The Eastland County Spinners Square Dance Club will hold a dance in Ranger, Saturday March 24 at the New High School Gym on Hwy. 80E. A special invitation is extended to the Peanut Promoters of Gorman. Everyone is invited to attend.

DR. LARRY DAMRON TO GIVE BABIES SHOTS HERE MARCH 24

Dr. Larry Damron of Stephenville Veterinarian will be in Gorman Saturday March 24, at Gorman Milling Company to give rabies inoculations to animals.

Dr. Damron will be giving the shots between the hours of 1 to 3 p.m. A fee of \$4.00 will be charged for each animal.

Everyone is urged to bring their animals for these shots.

Girls Scouts Junior and Cadettes will meet each Tuesday at 3:45 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Fellowship Hall.

Needed for one act play contest, lots of old china type plates and pieces, also an old china cabinet and a victorian chair. Gorman high school Drama Department.

Gorman Chapter 443 D.E.S. meets the first Monday each month at 7:30 P. M.

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meeting 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.



CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Windell Treadway and Daughters Angela and Allison.



CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Orval Treadway for receiving the Farmer of the Year award at the Chamber of Commerce banquet.

NOTICE
CHANGE IN TRASH PICK-UP EFFECTIVE APRIL 1st.
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FOR SALE: 3 bedroom carpeted home in Dublin, Texas just \$16,500. Call 893-6110 after 5 p.m. for further details. 4-4-5 C.

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CITY CHIT CHAT

By **Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor**
Your City Commission met on Thursday, March 15 with

HEALTH CLINIC SET FOR HERE JANUARY 23
The Texas Department of Health Region 4 Nursing Staff will hold a blood pressure screening clinic at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Gorman on Thursday March 22 from 10 to 12 a.m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

The nurses will also give diabetes, tuberculosis tests. If further follow screening is needed, the individual will be referred to his private physician. —GP—

American on the average spend 22.3 cents of every dollar on food, alcohol and tobacco.

LEGAL NOTICE
Pursuant to Article 1302-2.02 of the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act this is to serve as published notice that Eaves Bros. a sole partnership, will be dissolved and its intention to become incorporated and begin operations on March 20, 1979, as a Texas corporation named Eaves Bros., Inc. with said corporation assuming all liabilities and assets of Eaves Bros. and operating at its current address. 4-3-29P

We are starting to work on the budget along with taxes since these go together. Each commissioner will be working on budget figures for his department. We will be comparing budget figures for the last two years as we work on next years budget. We will be trying to figure one that will meet the needs with the least amount of money possible. We decided to try to be ready to make a decision on

the mayor and all commissioners present. Others present were Edna Brinegar, Robert Ervin and Troy Johnson. The Commission took a look at delinquent water bills. Most of them are not more than one month delinquent. The City Secretary was instructed to notify those that were delinquent for some time and if not paid within a given time limit, they would be disconnected. Some have been disconnected within the past few months. We dislike having to notify anyone and we sure do dislike having to disconnect a home, but water bills must be paid in order that we can pay our water bill to the Water District. If you are behind, please take care of this at once.

A resolution was passed to post notice of hearing on use of Revenue Sharing Funds. This notice appears elsewhere in this issue of the Progress.

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starting the work on the water tower at the next meeting. We have studied bids and companies and will try to get the best possible job done for the money we spend. This is a job that should be done right and we hope to make the right decision on it.

We are trying to make a change in the trash pick-up schedule so that it will not take five days to do the job. As soon as this is worked out, the new schedule will be published. We still give the service now being given with few, if any changes, except for the days of pick-up. Watch the paper for these changes.

I reported to the Commission that I had a price given on the old theater building. Some details are yet to be worked out one this matter, but if we can come to an agreement, we are considering the purchase of this building to be converted into a meeting place for the Older Americans Program. Once we get a building, we then can get help through WTCOG by way of a Federal grant to help rework the building for this Program. We also plan on moving the library there and making it larger. It is our feeling that this would be a good investment for the city and certainly would serve a segment of our citizens that need this type of service. You will be given more information on this project later. Some have

offered to help when we start reworking with what every they can. We will be asking for help both in form of labor and maybe money. I would like to let you know that this column in the paper is not just my column, but everything that is discussed here is matters that have been discussed in Commission meeting. Some are things on which we have taken official action while others are things that we have discussed that may be acted on at a future time. Even though I write the column, the ideas are those of the entire body. We differ on some things, but still agree that the public is entitled to know what we are doing or thinking about doing. We appreciate you reading these articles and appreciate your comments, good or bad. After all this is your city and we are elected to run it for you as best we know how. We are trying to do this and will continue to do so in the future. This will be possibly the last article before the election. Please go to the polls and vote in all three elections on April 7. This is your opportunity to help elect the officials that will be running the City, the School and the Hospital. **VOTE ON APRIL 7.**

SHOWERS USHER IN SPRING
Spring was ushered in by some real gully washer rains on Monday. Showers on Friday and Saturday measured up to 1.20 inches and then on Monday some heavy rains showers dumped 1.20 more inches of rain. Other areas around Gorman received much more precipitation that Gorman did. Desdemona reported five inches and Alvin Lasater reported four inches at Kokomo.

This is the kind of rains this area has been needing for some time. Surface tanks are filled and some overflowing. Also the lakes received run off water. —GP—

CARD OF THANKS
Dick joins me in Thanking each and everyone for you cards, visits, prayers and the beautiful flowers. These things mean so much when you are in the hospital.

To Dr. Jennifer, Bro. Dossey and Bro. Joe O'Neal we give special Thanks. To all entire Hospital Staff - you were all wonderful to me. We appreciated it so much and we don't forget these things. Also, it got out somehow; That I couldn't have phone calls, that was a mistake. I'll be glad to hear from my friends at any time. Thankfully, Mabel Wood —GP—

NOTE OF APPRECIATION
The young people of the First Baptist Church wish to thank all the adults who have shown an interest in their activities. The Adult Sunday School Classes helped provide food and money for The Sweetheart Banquet, and approximately a dozen women helped decorate, cook and serve the food. Many people have furnished food and help with a number of Youth Fellowships. A special thank you to Bro. Darrell Dossey for showing a strong interest in finding a Youth Director and in starting programs such as G.A.'s, R.A.'s and Acteens for not only our own Baptist, but all Gorman youths. We sincerely appreciate the many ways that everyone has shown that they care.

The Young People of the First Baptist Church

PUBLIC NOTICE
A proposed use hearing for general revenue sharing purposes will be held on April 5, 1979 for all interested citizens of the City of Gorman. The amount of general revenue sharing funds to be discussed for this fiscal year is \$13,108.00. The meeting will be held at 8:00 A.M. for the purpose of discussion of possible uses of general revenue sharing funds at the Gorman City Office. All interested citizens will have the opportunity to give written and oral comment on uses of the funds. Senior citizens are encouraged to attend and comment.

NO-COP-OUT SUNDAY

To make it possible for everybody to attend church next Sunday:

Cots will be placed in the back for those who say Sunday is the only day they can sleep.

Blankets will be provided for those who say the church is too cold.

Fans will be provided for those who say the church is too hot.

We will have hearing aids for those who say the minister talks too soft - and alarm clocks for those who say he talks too long.

Calculators will be provided for those who enjoy counting the hypocrites present.

Finally, the sanctuary will be decorated with both Christmas poinsettias and Easter lilies for those who have never seen a church without them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tucker and family visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Tucker and Allan of Coleman on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Ragland reports their son, Johnny Dean Ragland of Andrews is doing good since open heart surgery.

Mrs. Ruth Lewis is a patient in Ranger Hospital.

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DE LEON BOOSTER CLUB TO HOLD BOXING TOURNAMENT

The Bret Sharp Memorial Boxing Tournament, sponsored by the De Leon Booster Club will be held March 30 and 31.

All school age boys are eligible and invited to participate in the tournament and should contact Bodie Weaver at Weaver Drug in De Leon. —GP—

The fastest speed at which a giant tortoise can crawl is about five yards a minute. If it could travel five times as fast, it would be going at almost one mile per hour.

DESDEMONA NEWS
BY VONNIE GUTHERY

Visiting Mrs. Abbie Ash over the weekend were Richard Lane of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Lea Lewis of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tucker and family visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Tucker and Allan of Coleman on Saturday.

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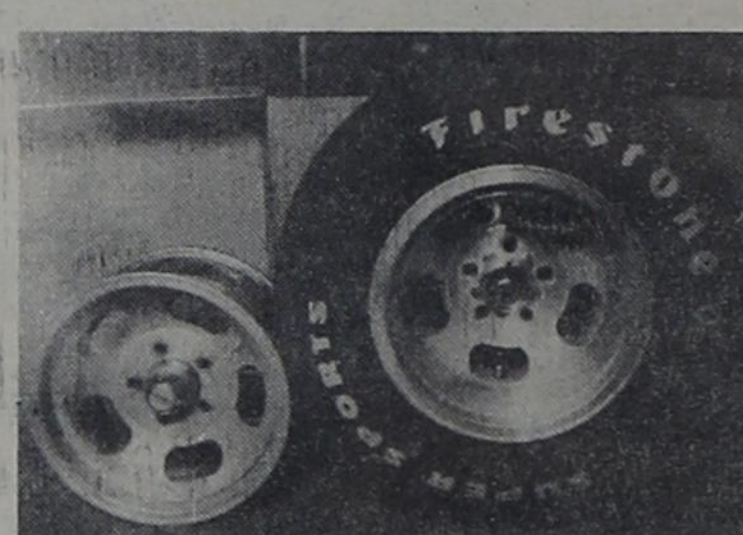
Mrs. Ruth Lewis is a patient in Ranger Hospital.

First Baptist Church will have a "note burning", Sunday 25th. A nice program is planned. Visitors welcome. Bring baskets lunch and join us. Sunday School at 10:00 and Morning Services at 11:00.

Mrs. Kurt (Mary Guthery) Gregory of George West was buried Monday. She is sister to late Roy Guthery and former resident here.

Our Desdemona Monthly Musical has been discontinued. Thank you for your support in the past.

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SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL MENU
WEEK MARCH 26 - 30
BREAKFAST
MONDAY — Oatmeal, toast, milk and juice.
TUESDAY — Do-nuts, milk and juice.
WEDNESDAY — Dry cereal, milk and juice.
THURSDAY — Toast, jelly, milk and juice.
FRIDAY — Bacon and eggs, toast, jelly, milk and juice.
LUNCH
MONDAY — Corny dogs, salad, pork and beans, cake and milk.
TUESDAY — Barbecue beef, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, cake squares and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Pinto beans, sour kraut and weiners, corn, cornbread, and

cobbler and milk.
THURSDAY — Meat and potato casserole, Blackeyed peas, squash, batter bread and milk.
FRIDAY — Hamburgers, french fries, onions, pickles, lettuce and tomatoes, ice cream and milk.
 the University Interscholastic League One Act Play contest will be held Friday, March 23 at Cisco Junior College. Gorman High School students will participate in this event.
 The Panther Marching Band will be in Coleman on Saturday for the University Interscholastic League solo and site reading contest.
 The Literary UIL Contest will be held Monday and Tuesday at Cisco Junior College in Cisco.

GORMAN STUDENTS WELL IN COMANCHE MEET
 On Saturday, March 10, Gorman High School students participated in the Comanche Academic Meet at Comanche High School. Kelly Mauney won first place in Typewriting and Carla Good placed Third. Melinda Harrington won first place in Shorthand and Vonne Rodgers placed third. Kayla O'dell also placed third in Poetry Interpretation. Melinda and Kelly both had perfect papers. Other students competing were Bill Townley and Carla Good in Poetry Interpretation, and Paulette Baze in Typewriting. Mrs. Rowena Wilson
 Many Gorman Elementary and High School students will be competing in these contests.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH DESDEMONA TO HOLD NOTE BURNING SUNDAY
 The First Baptist Church of Desdemona will hold a note burning and dedication service on Sunday March 25. Following the dedication services lunch will be served.
 The services will begin at 10:00 a.m. with Sunday School. And at 11:00 a.m. the dedication service will be held. Rev. L.C. Landers will give the opening prayer and announcements. Special music by Dorothy Roberts and Karen Creed. History of notes will be given by L.P. Hammond. Burning of notes by Rev. Landers and Deacons.
 and Mrs. Linda Glover accompanied the students to Comanche. Other schools competing included Class A and AA Schools.

CLARK, GUTHERY AND GIBBS DOING PRACTICE TEACHING IN DE LEON
 Bill Clark, graduate of Tarleton State University and an English major is doing his practice teaching this semester in De Leon High School. Bill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Othel Clark of Gorman.
 Two other Gorman High School Graduates are also doing practice teaching in De Leon. They are: Phyllis Guthery, daughter of Mrs. Tommie Guthery, is doing her practice teaching in De Leon Elementary School. She will be a spring graduate of Tarleton State University, and Bruce Gibbs, who will be a summer graduate at Tarleton.
 The message will be given by Rev. Landers and special music by Alpha Thieboud, Freda Riggs and Helen Colium. **WHAT MY CHURCH MEANS TO ME** will be given by Helen Colium and others. Responsive reading and Church Covenant by Glen Thiaboud.
 Closing prayer will be given by M.B. Koonce.

EASTLAND COUNTY SCHOOLS TO RECEIVE GRANT
 WASHINGTON, D.C. — Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announces the approval of a \$197,100.90 Office of Education grant to Eastland County. The allotment of these funds for school year 1979-80 is under provisions of Title 1 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act as amended by Public Law 95-561. These funds will provide services for children residing in low-income areas and institutionalized neglected and delinquent children in State-operated or supported schools who have need for special educational assistance in order that their level of educational attainment may be raised to that appropriate for children of their age. These funds shall become available on July 1, 1979.
 The State Department of Education will distribute the funds to the school districts based on the best available data which reflect the current distribution of children in low-income families.
 Some say sneezing on Saturday means you'll see your sweetheart on Sunday.
 ton is doing his practice teaching in the High School Science and Chemistry Department and also Physical Education. Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gibbs of Gorman.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SET SPRING MEETING
 The Church of Christ has scheduled a series of spring services for March 26, 27 and 28. Theme of the meeting will be "Commitment."
 Services will be held each evening at 7:30 p.m.

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 Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker visited over the weekend in Hubbard with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart. Visiting with the Bakers Monday and Tuesday was her sister Mrs. Katy Babcock and Pete Smith of Fort Worth.
ON THE PASSING OF MILTON FAIRBETTER
 My Honey knew he would not pass this way again. That is why he enjoyed his four score and eight years and lived them with so much zest. Sowing and reaping, Loving and being loved, Rejoicing or weeping with youth or age.
 There was no generation gap. There is something special in having persons of different doctrines, different nationalities coming to share our grief, as they have in the past shared our joys. He could not speak when you passed by, seeing how beautiful he was, but he did have a little smile for us and for you.
 He knew and we know he will not pass this way again - but just as surely we know his angel spirit will come again and again.
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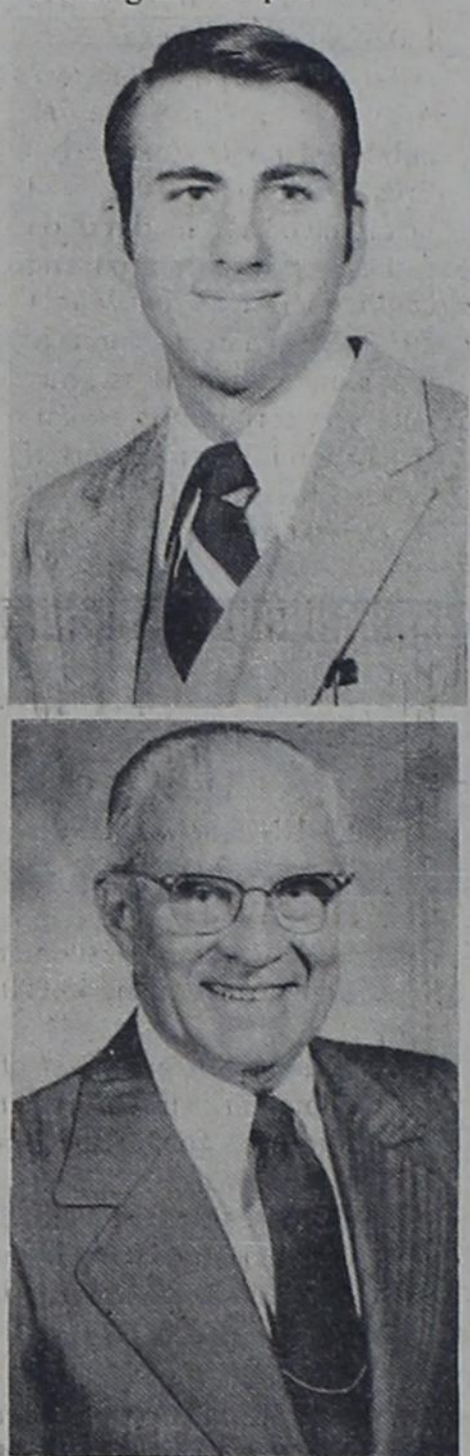
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Speakers will be Mike Whittington. He will speak on "The Committed Life." Furman Curley will speak on "Does God Expect Commitment" and Lemoine Lewis will speak on "Characteristics of Commitment." All are of Abilene Christian University in Abilene.
 Everyone is invited to attend any and all services.

MR. AND MRS. WADE CRADDOCK HOST COUSIN GET TOGETHER
 A cousin get together was enjoyed in the home of Wade and Letty Craddock Thursday night. The occasion was a visit with Leonard and Rae Wilmot, of Portland, Oregon. Their first visit to Texas in several years.
 A covered dish supper was enjoyed, then slides made by Woodrow Wisdom of the families over the years were shown, also beautiful scenery of Oregon and Washington. Childhood times were remembered and other old pictures shared. These are grandchildren of Harvey and Mary Rodgers, pioneer residents of the area.
 Those present were: Leonard and Rae Wilmot of Portland; Woodrow Wilson, a brother of Rae, of Houston; Marvin and Cora Bowles of Ft. Worth; Oliver and Della Galloway of Gorman; Pete and Gladys Bibby of Ranger; Jack and Inez Rogers and the Craddocks of Cheaney Community.

HOSPITAL REPORT
 Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital Wednesday were:
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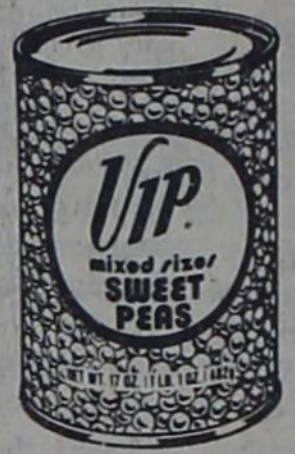
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KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

It was water, water every-where on Monday afternoon as the community received heavy rains. Reports were from one and half inches to over three inches, giving some needed run off water to fill some tanks. Nash Creek was flowing almost bank full and washed out water gaps. The land was already quite wet from the rains we received on Friday and Saturday. The farmers are happy to see the good rains.

Despite the rainy weather, a large crowd attended the stew supper sponsored by the Kokomo Extension Homemakers' Club at the Community Center on Saturday night. The club wishes to express thanks to all who came and helped make the event a success. Gross sales

was \$140, and will net the club a little over \$100 for use in their worthwhile projects. Part of it will be given to the West Texas Rehab Center at Abilene.

Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Hobbs, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snider and Sheri of Stephenville and Mike Blakney of Lubbock were visitors at the Kokomo, Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Noel of Oklahoma City were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. McNeely and Mrs. Ben Rollins and Mrs. Rosa McNeely of Valley View Home in Eastland. Mrs. McNeely had the misfortune to fall on Saturday night at Valley View and broke her hip. She under-

went surgery in the Eastland Memorial Hospital on Tuesday and at last report was doing well. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Other patients from Kokomo in the Eastland Hospital were Vern Garrett, Elver Everton and Mrs. Dean Collins. All have returned home and we wish them all continued improvement.

Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Hobbs, N.M. were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Odus Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert and Floydene in Gorman.

Mike Blakney of Lubbock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow and Boys.

Congratulations to all the boys and girls who exhibited at the Eastland County Livestock Show, and especially to our Kokomo "Kids", Danny, Glenn and Angela Burgess, Caye and Charla Little, James Little, Shannon Caraway and Becca and Allen Scitern, who exhibited many of the champions of the show. We are proud of them all.

Mrs. J.C. Clearman returned home on Sunday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jessie McCafferty of Amarillo. Granddaughters, Jo Beth Thompson of Kress and Cami Jo Leonard of Canada accompanied her home for a visit.

Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and Mrs. Glenn Jordan of the Kokomo EH Club were

Carbon News

By Mrs. Bob Hastings 639-2517

Everyone enjoyed the nice showers that fell here during the weekend. They helped young gardens immensely.

The Carbon School menu for next week March 26 - 30 will include:

BREAKFAST
MONDAY - Cheese, toast, fruit, juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Peanut butter, syrup, toast, juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Bacon, scrambled eggs, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Sausage, cinnamon rolls, juice and milk.

FRIDAY - Bacon, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Corny dogs, pork and beans, chips, cheese sticks, mart and Rudy Cake, milk.

TUESDAY - Cheese enchiladas, creamed potatoes, ranch style beans, rolls, butter, milk and Lemon Pudding cake.

WEDNESDAY - Texas hash, green beans, rolls, butter, milk and brownies.

THURSDAY - Pinto beans, sweet potatoes, macaroni and cheese, cornbread, butter, milk and cookies.

FRIDAY - Barbecue beef on

among those attending the District 8 Texas Extension Homemakers Association Meeting in Temple on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks were in San Angelo from Sunday until Tuesday for his eye checkup. They visited enroute in Clyde with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan, Kelly and Yancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields visited in Olden on Saturday night with his sister Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Cates of Big Springs. Mrs. Lois Stice of Dallas. They visited in Carbon on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Johnson and with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker and girls of Krum who were visiting in the Johnson home.

Bro. Bob Watson, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Morrow, Mr. J.C. Clearman, Mr. and Mrs. Odus Rodgers, Mr. Ben Rollins and Mr. J.D. McNeely attended the Cisco Baptist Associational Rally at the Bethel Baptist Church in Eastland on Monday night. Bro. Bob preached at the service.

—GP—

Mrs. Ruth Dunn and Mrs. Hup Morris attended the Garden Show Saturday in Fort Worth at Will Rodgers Colliseum. They accompanied the De Leon Garden Club to the show.

Mrs. Lynn Hagen entered Harris Memorial Hospital Fort Worth Sunday. She was to undergo surgery on Monday.

Mrs. Annie Mae Avery and Mrs. Robert Avery of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Petree and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rice on Thursday.

Mrs. Delbert Smith accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dotson and Chris of Eastland to Orlando, Florida last week. Mrs. Smith will be visiting her sons and families the Dennis Smiths and Billy Smiths of Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clower, Wendy, and Keith of Sweetwater visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant and Candi Sunday. Mr. Clower was guest speaker at evening service of the Baptist Church.

Donald Nickolas of Eastland was guest music director in Sunday morning and evening services.

Dwayne and Donald are former Carbon people and all enjoyed hearing them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns attended the funeral of his cousin Mrs. Opal Hendrix of Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stubblefield and Brian of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns of Okla. visited Mr.

nd Mrs. John Burns Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhyne and Wayna of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings during the weekend.



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