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## PRESS POINTS

Joe Bennett, Publisher

—J—  
Wasn't the fine shower great on Tuesday evening? We got a real good shower here and there wasn't any bad wind or other elements. We thank the Good Lord for the rain and just hope and pray that more will be forthcoming in the near future in preparation of planting peanuts. Anyway, it was greatly appreciated by all.

—J—  
Everyone will want to remember the Health Fair to be held on Saturday, April 25 sponsored by the Lions Club in connection with the Blackwell Memorial Hospital. A large number of different tests will be given and hospital personnel will be on hand to take all the tests. This is a very important project and everyone in the community should take advantage of this opportunity to improve the health of our community. This could save some folks trouble down the way if something is found that you didn't know about. So be sure and attend the fair and take the tests. The life you save could be your own.

—J—  
Sure have enjoyed the past couple of nights as we have really been putting on the feed bag. On Monday night the All Sports and Awards Banquet was held and we managed to put away a good deal of food. Of course we also enjoyed seeing all the youth of our community honored for their achievements in sports, academics, band, etc. We congratulate all the students named. Then on Tuesday night everyone was invited down to enjoy another good meal compliments of the Gorman Future Farmers of America in appreciation for the fine support of the FFA and 4-H Chapters. The exhibitors received real fine support from everyone. Anyway, we overdone it again with all the great food. Also the Lions Club met at noon and the food was great and the fellowship was almost as good.

So last night I told the better half that if I could just find another place to eat on Wednesday and the rest of the week, everything would be great. She said I could do without the rest of the week and still live due to all I had eaten already. Ugh! Well the ladies piled up the food on my plate and I just couldn't be ill-mannered and not eat all of it.

—J—  
We would like to call your attention to the fact that folks in the school district might be contacted on tax matters concerning the new evaluation of property made necessary by the new legislation recently passed. The tax people are working in the Carbon School District and in some instances the connecting district residents may be contacted. So be prepared in case you are contacted.

There may be an open meeting to discuss the new system in the near future. It has been discussed, and I wouldn't be surprised if the meeting is held in the very near future to explain the system to the taxpayers.

—J—  
The City workers are still busy working on some of the streets in town and folks sure are grateful as some were in bad shape. Also the city just completed a sewer cleaning project. Maybe money will be available in the near future to do some work on the paved streets which are needing repairs.

—J—  
Isn't it something the way the judges are ruling on the jail situation. They are in the process of making the different cities and counties put 1 prisoner to a cell. Since when has the judges acquired the right to tell the taxpayers of the country how to run their

## FFA & 4 H APPRECIATION BANQUET HELD TUESDAY



**JOB WELL DONE** — Bill Gressett is shown here receiving a plaque from Ag Teacher Gary Underwood. Bill was the Outstanding Support of the Gorman FFA Chapter.



**GROWING BOYS** — Shown above is Jimmy Johnson and Curtis Warren confirming that the food at the FFA and 4-H Appreciation Banquet was the best eating in town. The banquet was held Tuesday night.

## A.B. Hunt's To Mark Sixtieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hunt will celebrate their sixtieth Wedding Anniversary with a reception at the Eastland National Bank Community Room, Sunday, April 26th from two until four-thirty in the afternoon.

The reception will be hosted by their children, Mrs. Irma Jacot of San Angelo; Mrs. Anita Whitley of Eastland; Mrs. Geraldine Hogan of Fort Worth; Mr. A.B. Hunt, Jr. of Amarillo; Mrs. M. L. Rowan of San Angelo; Mr. Sherman Hunt of Big Lake; Mrs. Lanora Hodgson of Wichita Falls; Mr. Charles Hunt of Odessa. Married May 8th, 1921, they lived most of their life in Gorman. They have 24 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

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The children of  
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hunt  
request your presence at a reception honoring their parents on their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary  
Sunday, April 26, nineteen hundred and eighty-one.  
Reception will be held in the community room at the Eastland National Bank, 201 E. Main  
from two till four-thirty  
Please no gifts or flowers, they are nursing home residents.  
Cards would be appreciated.

## TIME CHANGES SUNDAY

It's time to turn your clocks forward one hour. Day Light Savings Time begins Sunday April 26 at 2:00 a.m.  
You will gain that one hour of lost sleep back in October when we go back to Central Standard Time.

own business. They have overstepped their authority and I think its about time they were told to "butt out". If the trend the judges are setting continues we will not have any jails or prisons at all and then we won't need any courts because it will be unlawful for the law to lock anyone up for a crime. Then all the criminals will be able to do what they want and not be punished for it. I think the jails shouldn't be so nice. Maybe that would be a deterrent to crime if they knew it was going to be a little tough on them if they were caught. The law-abiding citizen doesn't have any rights anymore to protect their property and to punish those who do the criminal acts. Then some folks just can't understand why folks want to have a gun around to protect themselves.

This trend to protect the criminals has to change in our country. But it will not be changed until the citizens get fed up and let the judges know that we are not going to put up with letting them turn the criminal loose on society.

—J—  
It looked like we might get some more rain at press time. Maybe we will get a little more to go with the half inch we received on Tuesday night.

—J—  
And remember to smile - - because God Loves You!  
—GP—

## New TPPB Executive Director

Mr. Joe Boswell, a native of De Leon, Texas, was hired as Executive Director to replace Wayne Eaves, Executive Secretary, at a board meeting held in College Station, Texas on March 27, 1981.

Joe grew up on a peanut farm near De Leon and farmed with his father and brothers until leaving for college in 1975. He managed his personal farming operation. He is a 1975 graduate of De Leon High School and was the highest ranking male in his graduating class. He was a member of the Future Farmers of America, the student council, the National Beta Club, and captain of the football team.

He attended McMurry College in 1975-76, Tarleton State University, spring semester 1977, and the University of Texas at Austin 1977-1980. He graduated with honors from the University of Texas with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree. He was named to the Dean's list at Tarleton one semester, and to the Dean's list at the University of Texas four semesters. He was named to the '1979-1980 Edition of the National Dean's List.

Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Boswell of De Leon. He and his wife, Rita, will be residing in a farming community north of De Leon. He will begin working for the Board on April 20, 1981.

The Board voted to change the title of Executive Secretary to Executive Director, and move Mary Webb from the position of secretary to Assistant Executive Director. Wayne Eaves was asked to stay on and serve in a consultant capacity when needed.

the Board has enjoyed outstanding grower support since its inception in 1969. Growers are urged to continue their support and call upon the Board for any assistance needed.

## SENIOR CLASS TO PRESENT PLAYS

The Senior Class will present two plays on Tuesday April 28, in the High School Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

Ghost in Pumpkin Holler and French Toast will be presented on stage.

Admission will be 75 cents for high school students and \$1.00 for Adults and Eight grade and under will be 50 cents each.

Concession stand will be open for refreshments.

## GORMAN RECEIVES ONE HALF INCH SHOWER

Tuesday evening showers measured one half inch of precipitation in the city of Gorman. More rainfall is expected through Thursday.

—GP—  
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clark and Cory of Watauga visited Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Grace Nix, who is a house guest of Mrs. Agnes Hodge.

## BAND NEWS

By Joe Williams

The Gorman High School Band and Intermediate Bands will present the Annual Spring Concert Monday April 27 at 7:00 p.m.

The High School Band will be playing favorite selections from concert and marching season.

The Fifth and Sixth Grade Band will present three favorite concert numbers.

Awards will be presented to outstanding members in each class in High School.

Donations for the Band Boosters will be accepted and appreciated.



**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED** — Libby Baker of Abilene and Jackie Robinett of Breckenridge have announced that they will be wed in an afternoon ceremony in De Leon on May 23, 1981. The groom, son of Elsie Robinett of the Rock Bluff community, is the new editor of the Breckenridge American. The bride, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Denson, reside in Irving, is the office manager for American General Life Insurance Company's Abilene agency. After the wedding the couple will live in Breckenridge.

## Health Fair GHS Gym Saturday

The Gorman Lions Club is sponsoring a Health Fair in conjunction with the Blackwell Memorial Hospital on Saturday, April 25h at the school gym from 1 to 6 p.m.

Free tests for blood sugar, blood pressure, temperature, lung capacity, etc., will be given to anyone wishing to take them.

These tests are being given to help in the health needs of our community and everyone is urged to take advantage of this Health Fair opportunity.

## GOSPEL MEETING IN PROGRESS AT C OF C

Gary Rambaran of South Africa is preacher for a Gospel Meeting now in progress at Gorman Church of Christ.

Services will continue thru Wednesday April 26.

Schedule of services are 7:30 p.m. Wednesday thru Saturday and Evening services Sunday at 6:00. Bible Classes at 10:00 a.m. Sunday and Worship Service at 10:45 a.m. Sunday.

Everyone is welcome to attend any or all services.

## FHA MAKE PLANS FOR MOTHER - DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Gorman FHA Chapter met last Wednesday April 8th to elect new officers for the coming year of 1981-82. And to make plans for the Mother - Daughter Banquet.

The officers for the coming year are: Cayle Little serving as President; Vice President of Programs, Kristi Odell; Vice President of Ecouter, Donna Browning; Secretary - Treasurer, Kayla Odell; Reporter, Tacy Simpson; Refreshment Chairperson, Charla Little.

The following officers will be installed at the Mother - Daughter Banquet to be held May 15. This is a banquet in honor of the mothers of the FHA girls. I gives us a chance to show our appreciation for all they've done for us.

## FHA REPORTER Tacy Simpson

## NARFE CHAPTER 553 SET MEETING

The NARFE Chapter 553 will meet at the Colony Restaurant at Cisco at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday April 28.

All members are urged to be present for lunch and business meeting. Program will be announced at meeting. Prospective members who are retired Federal Employees are urged to attend and become members.

## SERVICES PENDING FOR MYRNA WINTERS

Myrna Winters, 75, long time resident of Gorman died at 3:57 p.m. Tuesday in Blackwell Hospital.

Services are pending at Higginbotham Funeral Home.

## AWARDS BANQUET HELD MONDAY

Gorman High School students were honored Monday night with an All Awards Banquet. The event was held in the High School Gym.

Those receiving Chamber of Commerce Academic Awards were Kristi Barnett, Senior Class; Kayla Odell, Junior Class; Dane Gressett, Sophomore Class; and Krista Odell, Freshmen class.

Lions Club Sports Awards were presented to Susan Snider, Outstanding Basketball Defense Award; Terrye Jeffs, Outstanding Offense Basketball Award; Outstanding Track Award, Cayle Little.

Boys receiving the Lions Club Awards were: Andy Kinser, Outstanding Basketball; Bob Hagood, Outstanding Lineman; David Pettit, Bill Clark Fighting Panther Award; Outstanding Athlete, Jimmy Johnson; Outstanding Track Award, Jimmy Johnson.

Track Awards were pre-

sented to Jimmy Johnson, Scotty Mauney, Ted Underwood, Ray Bond, Harvey Bryan, Matt Ables, Mark Swanner, Jeff Seaton, Jacky Johnson, Edditt Pettit.

Receiving Golf Awards were: Steve Spivey, Andy Kinser, Peyton Vaughn and Jeff Seaton.

High School Basketball Awards were presented to: Andy Kinser, Scotty Mauney and Ted Underwood, Bud Jeffs, Dane Gressett, Philip Osborne, Mark Swanner, Richard Summers, Junior Varsity Basketball Awards were presented to: Terry Martin, Uril Rameriz, Royce Ridens, Luis De Le Torre.

Interscholastic League Awards were presented to Bill Townley, 1st in Poetry; Veronica Kight, 2nd in poetry; Kristy Barnett, Alfie Pino and Toby Cordell in spelling; Ronda Cox, Headline Writing, Ready Writing; Kristy Barnett, Toby Cordell and Ronda Cox in New

Writing; Bill Townley, Science; Toby Cordell, John Brinegar, and Ricky Fiels in Persuasive Speaking; Ricky Fiels in Poetry Interpretation; Veronica Kight in Number Sense and Toby Cordell in Numbers Sense.

One Act Play Awards - Kayla Odell, All Star Cast, Best Actress; Toby Cordell, All Star Cast, Honorable Mention; Bill Townley, Honorable Mention; Kristy Barnett, Honorable Mention and All Star Cast; Also receiving awards were Jackie Dennis and Susan Barnett, Stage Crew receiving awards were Andy Kinser, Brenda Scitern and Veronica Kight.

Typing Awards went to Kayla Odell, 1st in District Typing and goes to Regional; Jackie Dennis, 1st in District Shorthand and goes to Regional; Bethany Gibbs, 2nd in District and also goes to Regional.

Football Awards went to Scotty Mauney, Jimmy Johnson, Dane Gressett, Jacky Johnson, David Pettit, Eddie Pettit, Greg Skiles, Luis DeLaTorres, Tod Anderson, Steve Spivey, Ray Bond, Juan Pacheco, Brad Lewis, Curtis Warren, Mike Jones, Andy Kinser, Harvey Bryan, Phillip Osborne, Richard Summers, Darrell Savage, Bob Hagood, Ricky Fiels, Jimmy Turner, Bill Crain, Royce Ridens, Jeff Seaton, Mark Swanner, Darren Clark, Ted Underwood, Mark Watson, Matt Ables, and John Woodall.

Awards were given to Panther Cheerleaders: Bethany Gibbs, Susan Snider, Beverly Underwood, Donna Beth Rodgers, and Traci Dossey.

Terri Jeffs, the Panther Mascot also received an award.

Panther Band Twirlers received awards. They are: Jalynn Dorsett, Terri Keith, and Shelene Young.

Kayla Odell, Panther Band Drum Major also received an award.

Band awards went to Freshman Kristie Odell, Shelene Young, Terri Keith, Herb Savage, Alfie Pino, Tony Sheerman, Nita Scitern and Becca Scitern; Sophomore's receiving awards were Brenda Scitern, and Veronica Kight, Diane Fischer, Toby Cordell and Tracy Dossey; Juniors receiving awards were Patricia Hudson, Kayla Odell, Jalynn Dorsett, Mary Perez and Bill Townley; Seniors receiving awards were Bethany Gibbs, Rhonda Cox, Jackie Dennis and Joe Williams.

Future Homemakers Awards were given to Mary Perez, Beverly Underwood, Donna Browning, Jalynn Dorsett, Kathy Snider, Debra Swanner, Kristy Barnett.

Annual Staff receiving awards were Susan Snider, Editor; Kristy Barnett, Lori Fiels, Tacy Simpson, Bill Townley, Kayla Odell, Kathy Snider, Susan Barnett, Toby Cordell, Alfie Pino and Debra Swanner.

Future Farmers of America Awards were given at the Banquet, but we were unable to get the names of the recipients.



**WINNERS OF THE AG AWARDS:** Show above left to right are Scotty Mauney, Bud Jeffs, Curtis Warren, Bob Hagood, Dane Gressett, Peyton Vaughn and Steve Spivey.



**CONGRATULATIONS** — Show above are the Boys receiving the Lions Club Awards. They are: Andy Kinser, Outstanding in Basketball; Bob Hagood, Outstanding Lineman; David Pettit, Bill Clark Fighting Panther; Jimmy Johnson, the Outstanding Athlete and Outstanding Track Awards.



**LIONS CLUB SPORT AWARD FOR GIRLS** — This award went to Susan Snider, for Outstanding Basketball Defense; Terrye Jeffs for Outstanding Offense and to Cayle Little for Outstanding Track.



**RECEIVERS OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACADEMIC AWARDS** — Shown above are Kristi Barnett for the Senior Class; Kayla Odell for the Junior Class; Dane Gressett for the Sophomore Class; and Krista Odell, for the Freshman Class.

## Tax Appraisal Crew Due In Carbon Area

The appraisal crew from the firm of McMorries and Company, should begin work in the Carbon and adjoining tax districts within the next week to ten days. Mr. B.H. Penny, rural appraiser for the firm reports that work will soon be completed in the Rising Star area.

Although the majority of the work will be in the Carbon district, Mr. Penny wants to remind property owners in adjoining districts that their property may be worked if it is near the Carbon area. He also stated that when a property owner is not home, the measurement of the improvements will still be done. An identification

card will be left so that the property owner will be aware of the work done.

The re-appraisal of the property within the Eastland County area is being done in order to put the taxing jurisdictions of the County into compliance with new State tax laws passed by the 1979 State Legislature. One of which states that all taxable property within the State be valued at 100% of its market value by the 1982 tax year.

If anyone has any questions concerning the re-appraisal of their property, please contact the local school tax office.

## HAPPENINGS

Social Security Representative will be in Gorman Monday April 27, at 1:00 p.m. at the City Office.

Oliver Springs Cemetery Working will be held Friday May 1.

Desdemona Cemetery Working will be held Friday, April 24. Bring lunch. Officers meeting will be held following lunch.

Woman's Auxiliary of Blackwell Hospital meets first Tuesday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center at 3:00 P.M.

**KOKOMO E. H. CLUB BAKE SALE** will be on Friday April 24 at the Nut House in Gorman. Proceeds will go to the support of their candidate in the Miss Gorman Contest, Miss Donna Browning. There will be lots of good cakes and pies so we invite everyone to come by and get your favorite.

Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets the 1st Monday each month at 7:30 P. M.

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



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Jeeps, Cars, Trucks available through government auction in your area. Many sell for under \$200. Call 602-941-8014 Extension 219 for your directory to purchase. 4tc.

**GARAGE SALE:** Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 23, 24 and 25 at Summers residence across from the Baptist Church. 1-4-23 P.

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**SEVERAL FAMILY GARAGE SALES:** Home of Doris Bryan, Saturday April 25 at 8:00 a.m. Furniture, drapes, bedspreads, toys, dishes, baby clothing, pictures and many misc. items. Everyone welcome. 1-4-23 c

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## NEWS

Syble Brockwell of Abilene visited her cousin Berenice Jeffs Monday and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and Brandon were Easter weekend visitors with her mother, Dorothy Hatcher.

Jolene Gilliland spent the weekend in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mrs. Kay Henry, Millisa Kay, and Christian. Her other children visiting with her and Mrs. Henry were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eison of Bridgeport; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Eison, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan and Mary Ann of Denton, Mrs.

Jo Carol Eison of Fort Worth. Also Mrs. Glenda Burger and Gina of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Hobbs, N.M. visited Estelle Craddock at the Progress office Tuesday. They were enroute home from visiting relatives in Tyler. Mrs. Smith will be remembered as Syble Roden, she said to tell all her friends hello.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wright of Granbury visited Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Grace Yarbrough.

Visiting Ruby Bennett Saturday were her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and Mark of Cleburne and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett of

Eastland, and Mrs. Velma Bennett of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Frantam of Lubbock visited over the Easter weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snelson.

Mrs. Wilma Gray and daughters, Pam and Karen of Richardson were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawley and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Poyner of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Craddock visited last Wednesday in Hamlin with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pharris.

Weekend visitors with the Roy Crawley's were their other daughter and grandchildren Mrs. Dena Roy Tindall of Dallas, and a friend Vicki Rossin of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Turley of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. David Gaily of Garland.

Easter holidays visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Shipman was their son, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Harper, Melinda, Melissa and Jennifer of Tyler.

Visiting over the weekend with Mrs. Claude Dennis was her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Biford and Cathy of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hamilton of Garland.

—GP—  
Vinegar is a natural meat tenderizer.

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## Congressman

### Charles W. Stenholm

Congressional Comment



WASHINGTON, D.C. — There are more government programs that are unworkable, uneconomical, and unpopular with the people the programs were supposed to assist than I could possibly list in six of these columns.

Congress has taken a hard look at all government programs this year, with an eye toward trimming unnecessary and expensive programs. Members of the House Subcommittee on Tobacco and Peanuts, myself included, balked this week, however, at dismantling a program that does work, is economical, and has proven itself to the people it was designed to assist — the peanut producers.

The Reagan Administration had targeted the peanut program for extinction, with the intention of gutting the program of its most vital supply-management provisions.

The current peanut program works. In fact, it works far more economically than the Administration's proposal would work. The federal cost of the current peanut program has been reduced 60 percent in the last three years and peanut growers have proposed a program to continue this trend to a point of zero cost in 1985. To ignore the producer request this year is to ignore the personal sacrifice they have made

over the last three years attempting to reduce federal costs and produce peanuts competitively priced for the world market.

The current program has also been beneficial to the consumer by encouraging production of a steady supply of peanuts over the last 25 years, even though this year's supply has been shortened by a rare national drought. With a normal production year, the price of peanuts and peanut products can be expected to return to pre-drought levels.

Peanuts, although grown in only a few counties in the 17th District, play an important social and economic role throughout the state of Texas. If the current government program is phased out, production in the Southwest area of the U.S. would be curtailed, resulting in much larger farms fewer people residing in rural areas, and fewer jobs for everyone in those areas.

I plan to continue to examine government programs with a critical and perhaps miserly eye, in light of our current economic problems in this country, but a program supported by farmers that works as well as the peanut program has worked should not be scrapped to accept a program that will cost more and not work.

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A Statement of Intent has been filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 308 S. Seaman, Eastland, Texas.

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**CARBON NEWS**

By Mrs. Bob Hasting  
639-2517

There will be a 4-H Club meeting Thursday night at 7 p.m. April 23 at the School Cafeteria. This will be a very important meeting for all members and parents to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hord of Roswell, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb of Desdemona visited Mrs. Vinia Henson last Sunday.

Mmes Lora Sledge and Lurine Hurst of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Myrtle Maness last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Trimble of Indianapolis, Indiana spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been. On Sunday morning they attended morning worship services at the Methodist Church. Others visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. John Webb of Desdemona and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Been of Eastland.

Mrs. Vadis Phelps spent last week with Mrs. Birdie Phelps of Fort Worth.

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker, Clint and Mart were Mr. and Mrs. Winford Lindley and family of Desdemona; Mrs. Birdie Hogan and family of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Murrya of Eastland and Mrs. Vadis Phelps of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines met Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCurry and family and Mr.

and Mrs. Charles Adair and family in Bewlton for an Easter visit during the weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell during the weekend were Mrs. Ray Reeves and Pollyanna of Fort Worth, Mrs. Colleen Lamb of Nimrod; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and family of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Tucker and baby of Sweetwater spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan enjoyed having all their children with them on Easter. They are Mr. and Mrs. Royce Kinard; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hogan of Sillsbee; Mr. and Mrs. John Hull and Monty of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hogan of Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Morgan of Breckenridge; and Bob Hogan of Carbon. Other grandchildren visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Eaves, Josh and Jeremiah; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hogan and Kyle; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hogan of Gorman; Mikey Hogan of Sillsbee; Sonya, Randa, Ronnie, Robbie and Darla of Breckenridge; Danny Nicholas of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Kent Bowdon, Tommy and Dusty of Pampa; Mrs. Joe Fields, Michael, Caylea and

Lisa of Madisonville; Mr. and Mrs. Tim Warren and Gregg of Stephenville; Mrs. Linda Taylor, Tammy and Teresa of Irving; Larry Thackerson of Carbon; Friends visited were Johnny Agnew of Cisco; Rusty Freed and Caly Millican of Carbon; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Arther and Chase of Wichita Falls; Don Nicholas of Abilene; Mrs. Luce Pittman of Eastland; Lana and Craig Aruter of Duncanville; Jewell Porter and David Shamrock of Eastland.

Visiting the Bob Hastings during the holiday weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grun, Pam and David Lickner of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhyne, Wayna and Cindy of Big Spring.

Mrs. Truman Been visited Mrs. Archie Lee of De Leon on Tuesday.

Carbon City Council met Thursday evening April 16. With five council members present. Mayor Pro Tem M. B. Gilbert swore in Tim Webb as new relected Mayor. Then Mr. Webb swore in Mr. Loyd Jackson and Doanld House as Council members.

Mr. Adams represented the Water Department, Delton Ake of Lone Star Gas brought an amendment to the Franchise and explained the Amendment. After discussion Truman Bryant made motion, seconded by Brooks Gilbert to grant Lone Star Gas permission for the amendment, carried 5-0.

Brooks Gilbert made a motion to increase Mr. Adams salary one hundred

**SCHOOL HILL NEWS**

by Oma Lee Riddell

Leslie and Tena Riddell were in Fort Worth along with teacher, Mrs. Billingsley and the rest of the Science class on a field trip. They reported having a very

hollars. Motion was seconded by Donald House. Carried 5-0.

B. Gilbert made a motion that both secretaries for Water Department and City pay bills as they come due and if council has not met but such bills will be reviewed by council at next meeting. Second by Loyd Jackson. Carried 5-0.

Mr. Adams presented some repair bills to be paid. T. Bryant made motion seconded by B. Green.

Donald House made motion that the City pay three dollars per hour for those holding the City Election. Second by B. Gilbert. Carried 5-0.

B. Green made motion that now water meter be turned on unless all past due bills on record are paid. Brooks Gilbert seconded. Carried 5-0.

L. Jackson made motion, seconded by B. Green, that Mr. Adams attend to getting a meter and pole for electricity and the electricity turned on also see to getting chairs for the City Hall. Carried 5-0.

B. Gilbert made motion seconded by Donald House that Truman Bryant see to the paneling and insulation. Carried 5-0.

Donald House made motion that a key to the Hall be made for each Council member, the Superintendent and Secretary of the Water Department. Carried 5-0.

T. Bryant made motion to meet as Council has in the past. Seconded. Carried 5-0. Notices will be posted three days before meeting.

T. Bryant made motion that we take insurance with Germania and Mayor see to that. Second. Carried 5-0.

nice time. Mac and Brenda Moore were in Fort Worth recently to see the Doctor. The kids thought that Mac was there with another woman then discovered that it was Brenda with a new and very becoming hair-do.

Leslie celebrated his eighteenth birthday recently.

Marsha Rice, Tena Riddell, Mondo Vasquez and Scotty Smithwick were all chosen to be on the Cross Timbers Basin Area team and All District Basketball Team. We are very proud of them all.

Several from here went to Six Flags with the First Baptist Church on Friday.

Rodger, Joan and Stacy Elston of Lingleville visited one day this week with Ralph and Aline Eston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kouns of Fort Worth have visited recently with Joe, Ann and Joey Staude.

Shorty Stokes of Lingle-

ville, Brad, Terrie, Jennifer and Lindsey Moon visited with me on Friday.

One of the neighbors kids was filling out the card in her new wallet the other day. When she came to the line that said "Sex" she wrote no. When her mother asked her about it she said, "Well, Mother, I don't."

Ruby Johnson has been visiting recently in Austin with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross.

Leslie, Tena and I spent last weekend in Fort Worth where Tena was in a baseball Tournament. We got beatout about noon Sunday after playing three extra innings to untie the game.

Danah Ruth Proctor of Freer has been here this week visiting Agness Proctor of Lingleville, who is in the hospital and with Blake and Delilah Morrison. Digger and Rob arrived on Friday night for the Easter holidays.

I told one of the neighbors the other day that if he were my husband that I'd poison his coffee. He said, "Well, if you were my wife, I'd drink it."

**Desdemona News**

BY Vonnie Guthery

Attendance was good at the First Baptist church on Easter Sunday with several visitors. Special music was brought by Glyn and Alpha Thiebaud, Freda Riggs and Skinny Lewis with Karen Creed at the piano.

Gary, Linda and Garrett Barker of Teague visited the weekend with her parents, Bob and Merlene Wisdom, Marsha and B.Y. Williams.

Mr. John Allen is in the Eastland Hospital. He suffered a heart attack Thursday night at his home.

Desdemona Cemetery Working will be Friday April 24th and at Howard Cemetery Saturday April 25th. Bring a basket lunch and plan to stay for officers meeting.

Pug and Vonnie Guthery

was in Rising Star on Saturday evening to attend the funeral of Mr. John Dewbre of Kermit. Burial was in May Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burrows and Alisha of Alvarado visited the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Annie Collum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Murph and Dusty of Snyder visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collum and boys.

The Kevin Weaver family of Waco spent last weekend with her mother, Dorthy Roberts and Jeff.

Mr. Odis Sharp is home after spending several days in the Ranger Hosital.

A thought for today - "A Smile is a gently curved line that has a was of setting things straight."

**SCHOOL Menu**

**WEEK OF APRIL 27 - May 1 BREAKFAST**  
MONDAY — Orange juice, oatmeal, toast and milk.  
TUESDAY — Apple juice, dry cereal and milk.  
WEDNESDAY — Pineapple juice, sweetrolls, and milk.  
THURSDAY — Orange juice and biscuits, butter, honey and milk.  
FRIDAY — Pancakes, bacon, syrup and milk.  
**LUNCH**  
MONDAY — Meat loaf,

blackeyed peas, corn, cornbread, and ginger bread, and milk.

TUESDAY — Roast beef, creamed potatoes, hot rolls, cake squares, crackers and milk.  
WEDNESDAY — Pimento cheese sandwiches, soup, fruit and cookies, crackers and milk.  
THURSDAY — Pizza, salad, peanut butter and crackers, fruit and milk.  
FRIDAY — Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, french fries, ice cream and milk.

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**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22-SUNDAY, APRIL 26**

**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

**7:30 P. M. Wednesday-Saturday**

**Sunday:**

**Bible Classes 10:00 A. M.**  
**Worship 10:45 A. M.**  
**Evening Services 6:00 P. M.**

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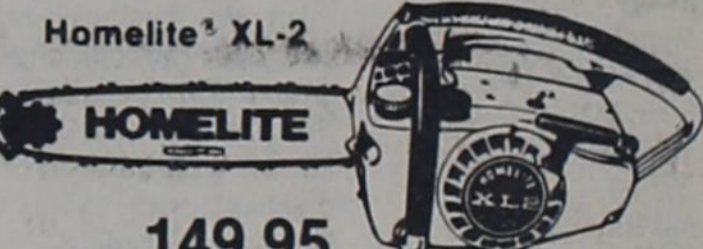
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# LAWNDALE NEWS

By Jettie Daniels

Tuesday, April 21st. Good Morning to all of you, from all of us at Lawndale, we wish each of you a very nice day.

This is Bingo Day again, our residents enjoy this time each week. Also they are looking forward to a big night tonight with Roland Smith and his band and all of you good people who attend this musical every third Tuesday in the month.

Last weeks Bingo winners were: Jim Jordan winner of Game 1; Lexie Wright, winner of Game 2; Eunice Clammer, winner of Game 3; Jessie Lemley winner of Game 3; and Jim Jordan winner of Game 4. George Bennett won the Blackout Game.

Thanks Lavelle Wallace, Zelda Jordan for their help. Brent Lasater, brought our Bible Study last week. His message was on "Witnessing to Others for Christ". Acts 2-22 thru 35.

It was indeed a good message and was enjoyed by everyone. Thanks very much, Mr. Lasater. We had 18 residents present.

Had a very good Singing Thursday night. Had 22 residents attending, which is very good. They each enjoyed the Singing very much and they look forward to this occasion each week as they enjoy the good gospel singing and the visitation with the people of the community. Our very sincere thanks to each of you for helping our residents to have a very nice time.

We'll be looking forward to seeing you this Thursday night at 7 p.m.

On Friday the 17th. We had a Easter Egg Hunt for the employee's children. We had 27 children present. Eighteen residents and 21 other guests. A good time was had by all, even though all 66 of us got kinda damp. We decided if you want it to rain, plan an outside party or picnic and you may just get that rain that you've needed for so long.

Appreciate the different churches that bring the Church Services each Sunday, we are indeed very grateful to each of you.

Church services are at 2:30 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. each Sunday.

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## FIFTH AND SIXTH WEEKS HONOR ROLL

**FOURTH GRADE**  
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Susan Carmack  
Ronson Childers  
Amy Scitern  
Troy Timms  
Michelle Jenkins

**FIFTH GRADE**  
A HONOR ROLL  
Scott Campbell  
Tommy Curb  
Scott Gressett  
Don Rodgers  
A - B HONOR ROLL  
Kristi Cordell  
Randall Gibbs  
Trent Harrison  
Clay Savage  
Molly Vaughn

**SIXTH GRADE**  
A HONOR ROLL  
Stacy Slampa  
Bryan Wood  
Armando Ramirez  
A - B HONOR ROLL  
Sam Brinegar  
Glenn Burgess  
David Gibbs  
Rene'e Wilson

**SEVENTH GRADE**  
A HONOR ROLL  
Danny Barnett  
A - B HONOR ROLL  
Randy Anderson  
Traci Burns  
Tammy Campbell  
Shannon Caraway  
Rhett Harrison  
Wayne Warren

**EIGHTH GRADE**  
A HONOR ROLL  
Lisa Foster  
A - B HONOR ROLL  
Mary Gray  
Russ Gressett  
Angie Plaunty  
Jeff Ripley

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There once was an English duke who was so proud he would never allow his children to sit in his presence and only spoke to his servants by signs.

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**drive 55**  
Texas Department of Public Safety

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# HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday were:

Willie Barrett	Gorman
J. D. Rodgers	Gorman
Hade Barbee	Gorman
George Hallmark	Gorman
Bud Allen	Gorman
Idell Warren	Gorman
Vera Hamilton	Gorman
W. E. Pauline	Broom
Pauline Broom	Gorman
Frank Rasco	Gorman
Eula Cook	Carbon
W.E. Cunningham	De Leon

**Patients dismissed on April 15 were:**  
Cora Greenhaw Desdemona  
Eula Robbins Gorman  
Burton Henry Gorman  
George Fox Rising Star

**April 17:**  
Sherri Wilks Cisco  
Chuck Fonville Desdemona  
Vernon Hamilton Gorman  
Velma Hamilton Gorman  
Letha Rasco Gorman

**April 18:**  
Jennifer McGinn and baby girl Eastland

**April 20:**  
Aubry Wilson  
Sarah Mice De Leon

**April 21:**  
Ava Mason  
Dennis House  
Eula Robbins

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**GORMAN 4-H CLUB GIVES PROGRAM TO KOKOMO E.H. CLUB**

What a treat the Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club had on Monday, April 13, when the Gorman 4-H Club, some 26 strong, came to the Kokomo Community Center to share with us their projects and achievements this year, and displayed their ribbons, trophies and scrapbook. This is no idle bunch. Their projects include food preparation, sewing, gardening, livestock raising and showing chickens, rabbits, sheep, swine, goats and cattle at the Eastland County Livestock Show. All the ribbons and trophies told of their success with these projects. Thirteen members of the Gorman 4-H Club and three of their leaders present are from the Kokomo Community.

4-H'ers participating were Beverly Underwood, Stephen Scitern, Alan Little, Joe Rodgers, Justin Underwood, Johnnie Osborne, Becky Underwood, Scott Gressett, Don Rodgers, Randall Gibbs, Becca Scitern, Allen Scitern, Wayne Warren, Shannon Caraway, Billy Young, Doug Webb, Caye Little, Noble Laminack, Glenn Burgess, Angela Burgess, Charla Little, Kim Webb, Tonya Caraway, Lancy Morrow, Shana Savage, and Layne Morrow. The program was under the direction of Mrs. Aletha Burgess. Other leaders present were Mrs. Carolyn Little, Mrs. Odene Savage, Mrs. Fannie Underwood and Mrs. Paula Morrow. Clay Savage and Lenny Morrow were visitors.

We extend our thanks to the 4-H club and their leaders for a fine program.

Nancy Hendricks presided over the business meeting and led the opening exercises. Wanda Rainey voiced the prayer. For the devotional all repeated the 23rd Psalm, with Anna Laura Clearman leading. Zelda Jordan read the minutes and gave the treasurer's report. Ava Rodgers gave a short program on fashions in the Absence of Bernice Rodgers who was ill.

Ava Rodgers led the recreation period with a counting game substituting words for certain numbers. It is not as easy as it sounds, and we have a lot of fun. Wanda Rainey was the winner.

Nancy Hendricks, Joyce Eaves and Naoma Morrow were hostesses and served cake, cup cakes, chips, dips, crackers, punch and lemonade. The decoration for the table was the cake decorated in the 4-H colors of green and white and was inscribed with "Welcome 4-H Club", and the cup cakes that were decorated with green and white icing.

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## MRS. E. G. HENDERSON RECEIVES AFAGHAN FROM SPANISH CLASS

Mrs. E.G. Henderson was the recipient of the Afaghan given by the Spanish Class of Gorman High School.

The class wishes to express thanks to all who helped with the successful project.

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## VELMA BENNETT HOST TO UMW

Mrs. Velma Bennett was host for the United Methodist Women in her home April 6.

The women met for the final session of the Spring Bible Study.

Theme of the study was One's Spiritual Journey.

Bible readings were the closing chapter of the four Gospels.

Those present discussed the happenings in the spiritual life of persons who went to the cross with Jesus, including Joseph of Arimathea, Nicodemus, Mary and the other Mary's, Jobe, Peter and Simeon, the cyrene.

A number of those present related spiritual experiences in their own lives. Lucretia Fairbetter closed the study with a brief review of the book "The Kiowa" which is a spiritual journey of an American Indian.

Members of the study committee were Don Moorman, Mozell Rhymes, Tommy Hale and Helen Chandler.

UMW president, Ruby Acrea gave the benediction.

The Hostess served refreshments of cake and spiced tead.

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## R.H. Echols Laid To Rest Thursday

Robert Herman Echols, 85, of Abilene, a Church of Christ minister, died at 11:40 p.m. Monday April 13, 1981 at his home. Services were at 10 a.m. Thursday at Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, 542 Hickory.

The Rev. David Echols, Church of Christ minister from Port Arthur, officiated. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery south of Gorman.

Born February 1, 1896, in Comanche, he had lived in Abilene about 20 years. He grew up in Comanche, attended Britton Training School in Cisco and also attended Abilene Christian College. He was a minister of Highlands Church of Christ in Houston and minister at Pleasanton, Brownfield and a number of area churches.

He married Carrie A. Burke, May 11, 1919, in Gorman.

He was a member of University Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Carrie; a son, Clarence Franklin of Bakersfield, Calif.; two grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and two brothers, A.Q. Echols of Clyde and W.C. Echols of Comanche.

—GP—

## SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

WEEK OF APRIL 16

Well, the rain keeps on passing us by. Tho that is typical Texas weather. It is rough to get adjusted to it. As I have tried many decades and I know the worry and troubles it causes.

Ted Kennedy reminds me of a Jersey Bull that is fenced in by an electric fence. His bellowing is the same all the time. He is so strong for gun control. I wonder why his is not for Car control. He knows that Cars are a more deadly weapon than guns.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the following families. Billy Charles Underwood of Gorman; Cecil Kellet born at Carbon; Buster Shugart, a pupil of mine at Triumph; a smart boy in school. And Johnnie Burns of Gorman; Ott Ragland of Desdemona. I have known him since 1912. He was a good man. Mr. Sparr, of Eastland, he belonged to Odd Fellows of Gorman. I have known him for over 50 years. May you remember the one that can

guide you and comfort you in your time of need.

# Eastland County Tests Scheduled

J. & W. Oil Co.-W. F. will drill No. 1 Moates as an Eastland County wildcat one mile east of Gorman.

The planned 3,500-foot venture is located on a 123-acre lease.

It spots 330 feet from the south and 1,825 feet from the west lines of Section 2, Block 1, H&TC Survey.

Steele Brothers & Brown Inc., Houston, filed application to re-enter to 4,036 feet.

Morris Greenhaw, Fort Worth, filed application to drill No. 1-A Neal as an Eastland County wildcat seven miles southwest of Eastland.

The planned 4,200-foot venture is located on a 40-acre lease.

It spots 1,787 feet from the north and 853 feet from the west lines of Section 41, Block 2, H&TC Survey.

Adobe Oil & Gas Corp., Midland, will drill No. 1 Sikes in the Mangum, North (3,200) Field five miles southeast of Cisco.

Location is on a 170-acre lease, spotting 467 feet from the north and 1,849 feet from the east lines of Section 22, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

Permit depth applid for is 3,500 feet.

W. H. (Bill) Hoffman staked location for No. 1-A Roberts in the Nimrod, East (Patio) Field three miles east of Nimrod.

The planned 1,500-foot venture is located on a 160-acre lease.

It spots 150 feet from the south and west lines of Section 79, Block 3, H&TC Survey, A-256.

An Tron Oil Co., Graham, No. 2 Robert Tucker is a planned 1,500-foot wildcat for Eastland County.

It will be drilled four miles west of Carbon on a 160-acre lease.

Site is 2,222 feet from the north and 2,190 feet from the east lines of Section 11, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

EnRe Corp., San Antonio, staked No. 2-E Mitcham in the D.R.S. (Ellenburger) Field 10 miles northwest of Cisco.

The planned 4,500-foot venture is located on a 160-acre lease.

It spots 1,537 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east lines of Section 3187, TE&L Survey.

Ridgeway Oil Exploration & Development Inc., operating from Abilene, staked No. 2-A R. P. Morton as a proposed 1,300-foot venture in the Nimrod, East (Patio) Field.

Location is three miles northwest of Romney on s 160-acre lease.

It spots 990 feet from the north and 600 feet from the east lines of Section 78, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

Otis Energy Inc. from Parker, Colo., completed No. 1-C I. N. Hart as a Conyn oil discovery well four miles northeast of Cisco in Eastland County.

Location is 1,950 feet from the south and 1,695 feet from the east lines of Section 57, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

Daily potential was 120 barrels of 41.2 gravity oil, flowing through a 14-64-inch choke with packer set on the casing and 120 pounds tubing pressure.

Production is from perforations 3,784 to 3,905 feet. Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 4,031 feet, two feet off bottom.

Gas-oil ratio was too small to measure.

Robert L. McMillan, Abilene, filed applications to drill three projects in the Mittie (Marble Falls) Field five miles northwest of Duster.

Each venture has a proposed depth of 3,000 feet.

No. 1-B Robbins will be drilled on a 120-acre lease, spotting 1,980 feet from the south and east lines of Section 15, D&DAL Survey.

Site for No. 1 Joiner is on a 150-acre lease.

It spots 660 feet from the north and 3,320 feet from the west lines of Section 20, D&DAL Survey.

No. 1 Rodgers-Files Unit will be drilled 467 feet from the south and 1,740 feet from the west lines of Section 15, D&DAL Survey.

Cal. Her mother died and was buried in Ranger in the late 40's. After the funeral we were at Earl and Bertha Blackwells. Earl introduced us. Tho I did not pay any attention to peanuts name. Tho I had known Florence for 30 years.

I kept looking at peanuts and I noticed he kept looking at me. It knew I had seen him somewhere. That evening when I arrived home I asked my wife what peanuts name was. I sure hated that I missed it. Peanuts asked his wife, what my name was. He told them we were Army Buddies. He was still small and short.

Bertha said he was as wide as a door now. They still live in Cal. He went over seas. While I spent 20 1/2 months at Ft. Sill due to sickness.

Our Space Shuttle went into space this morning. What a tremendous cost, fourteen billion dollars. We just wonder if it will ever pay off. It gives an advantage to us on Space Control. It will make Russia stop and think about what they are doing or we hope so at least.

We are so proud of those youngsters in U.I.L. Do your best to stay at the top of your class.

Look up. Smile. It will shine for miles.

# Rev. Osie Williams Rites Held

EASTLAND — The Rev. Osie Jefferson Williams, 75, died at 9:10 a.m. Tuesday at Eastland Memorial Hospital after a long illness. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at 513 S. Ostrom St., where the body will be until service time.

Officiating will be the Rev. Richard Dodrill, the Rev. John Howard Sr., the Rev. H.F. Wilkins, the Rev. Stephen Wheeler and the Rev. James Hamilton. Burial will be at Eastland Cemetery, directed by Arrington-Edwards Funeral Home.

Born July 19, 1905, in Louisiana, he married Josephine, in 1937. He was a migrant farm worker and a Pentecostal minister who lived in Eastland and Rogers, Ark.

He was preceded in death by a child, a brother and six sisters.

Survivors include his wife of Rogers, Ark.; four sons, Walter J. and Paul T., both of Carbon, Daniel J. of Eastland and John D. of Monterey, Calif.; three daughters, Virginia Brister of Carbon, Mary Eaton of Dallas and Sarah Horton of Fairland, Okla.; three brothers, Seba and U.V., both of Eastland, and Ronnie of Seguin; two sisters, May Elmore of Eastland and Faye Smith of Hardee, Ark.; 20 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

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## LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Guthery announce the arrival of their son, William Blake, born at 1:02 a.m. Sunday April 12, 1981 in Blackwell Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and two ounces and measured twenty inches tall.

He was welcomed by a brother, Nicholas age three and Paternal grandmother, Mrs. Tommie Guthery and paternal great-grandmothers Mrs. Thomas Forrest of De Leon and Mrs. Ninnie Guthery of Desdemona. Maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moore of Gorman and maternal great-grandmother Mrs. Grace Bailey of Jacksonville, Florida.

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## EUNIE PORTER HOST HOMEMAKERS CLASS SOCIAL

Mrs. Eunie Porter was hostess for Homemakers Class of First Baptist Church monthly social on Tuesday April 14. Iris Preston was co-hostess.

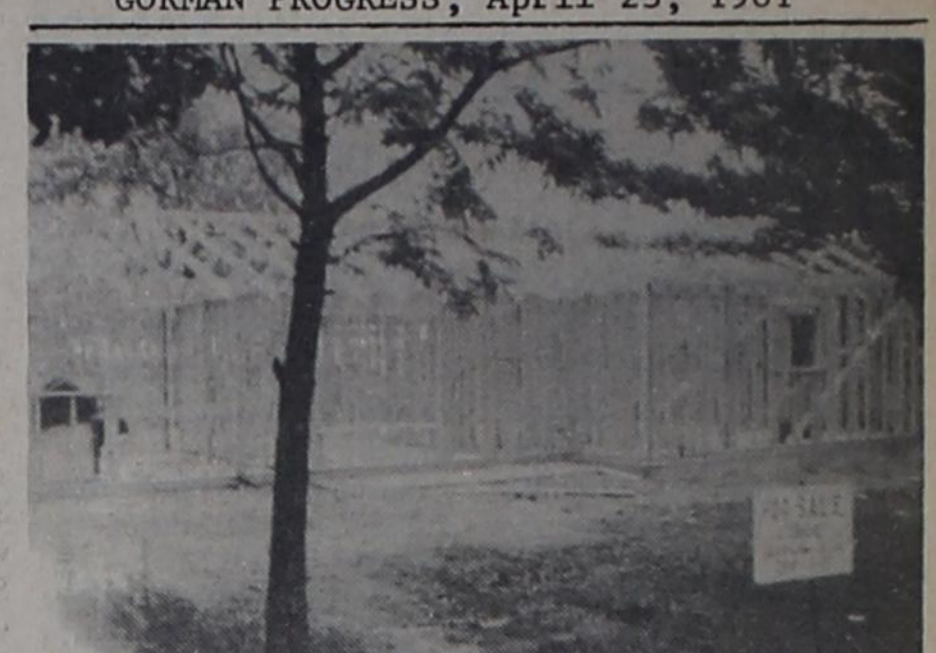
Easter was theme for the home decorations.

Ora Lee Lawrence opened the meeting with Leledd Bennett voicing the prayer. Louise Brown gave the devotional using prayer as theme. Special prayer requests were made at this time.

Hostesses served chips, dips, salads, angle food cake, nuts and punch to the following members: Lois Buchanan

Elain Skinner, Juanita Fuller, Georgia Fay Skaggs, Gladys Chambless, Thelma Hampton, Ora Lee Lawrence

Velma Grady, Wynell Bryant, Leledd Bennett, Loue Beene, Louise Brown and Annye Fay Foster.



**ANOTHER HOME FOR GORMAN** — The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Porter is under construction on 100 E. Carter Street. Clark Construction Company is builder of the new home. Clark Construction is also in the process of building a new home on 1006 Fisher Street for Bob Strandridge. It will be good to have these families back in Gorman.

# 3 Men Arrested For Forgeries

EASTLAND (RNS) — Three men were being held at Eastland County Jail Friday night, following their arrest for forgery Thursday at Lake Leon by Gorman Police Chief Cecil Funderburg and Eastland County Sheriff Johnnie Morren.

The three are Jimmy Lee Pelham of Lake Leon, Robert Wayne Russell of Tyler and Patrick W. Quinn of Michigan, said Eastland District Attorney Emory Walton.

They were charged with forgery in Stephens County, where bond for each has been set at \$10,000, said Deputy Tom Baker of the Stephens County Sheriff's Office. Similar charges have been filed against them in Brown County, where bond has been set at \$5,000 each, and in Comanche County, where bond has been set at \$10,000 each, according to Deputy Joe Forbess of the Brown County Sheriff's office and Comanche County Sheriff W.G. "Shilo" Garmon.

Pelham, Russell and Quinn each face a \$15,000 bond set by Pat Ingram of Gorman, Eastland County Justice of the Peace, Walton said.

They allegedly passed fictitious checks in the four counties in the past three days, he said, describing the forgery operation. After opening accounts at local banks using fictitious names, the three then used courtesy checks to write checks larger than the amount of their purchases of small items, Walton said.

## DISTRICT XIV \$500.00 SCHOLARSHIP

At our District XIV, 1980 House of Delegates meeting, we voted to give our \$500.00 Scholarship Award to a 1981-82 college senior education major. Previously we have given the scholarship to high school seniors who planned to enter the teaching profession. We felt that a senior college student would be in greater need of financial assistance at this time since there are very few scholarships offered at this level.

Requirements are that an applicant must have graduated from District XIV High School and be a 1981-82 college senior majoring in education.

Applications must be returned by May 15, 1981, and the scholarship recipient will be notified before August 15, 1981. The award will be made public at the District XIV Convention, November 9, 1981.

Interested persons may request application forms by writing or calling: Andy Cleveland, 1258 Ross, Abilene, Texas 79605 or Call (915) 672-7258 after 5.

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## KOKOMO NEWS by Zelda Jordan

What a wonderful day Easter Sunday was at the Kokomo Baptist Church. We were blessed with a very inspiring message from God's word brought by our pastor, Bro. Jim Andrews. The Acteens, Donna Brown, Caye Little, Kathy Snider, Angela Burgess, and Charla Little blessed our hearts with a message in song about our risen Lord. The church was filled with the many visitors as so many came to be with loved ones on this very special day.

There was an egg hunt for the little ones, following the service, and an opportunity for lots of visiting with friends and loved ones.

Easter visitors with Mrs. Elver Everton were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stewart, Melissa, Marie and Matthew of Bogalusa, La., Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Everton, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Johnson and Mrs. Eddie Sadler, Darla, Dana and Darren of Eastland, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis of Meard. Mrs. Stewart also visited with her aunt, Mrs. Vera Goodwin at Lawndale in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Little and La Dawn of Whitehouse spent the weekend with Mrs. J. L. Little and others joining them for lunch and outing at the lake on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and James, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little, Caye and Charla and Alan, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boles, Blake and Abby Jo of Arlington, Ima Boles of Clyde, Bart Boles of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Fails and Cody of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Collins,

Mrs. Dora Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Lance, Layne, and Lenny and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess, Dan, Angela, and Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and James, and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Fails and Cody of Abilene visited with Mrs. Dora Garrett on Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little and Mrs. Ima Boles of Clyde attended the funeral of a sister-in-law and aunt, Mrs. Pearl Owens in Amarillo on Thursday, April 16. Anson Little of Odessa met them in Amarillo. We extend sincere sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Lowry and Steve Gilbert of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers, Kevin, Jason and Corby of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers and Jonna of Carbon and Mike Rodgers were Easter visitors with Mrs. Odis Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. David Porter and Scarlett and Amanda of San Angelo, Stacy and James Webb of Stephenville, Brenda Routhouse and Tina Riley of Stephenville were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Oren Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Tinkler and Sherry of Abilene and Mrs. Gene Foster, Lisa and Joe of Gorman were Easter visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern and Mr. and Mrs. Marvi Boone of Plainview recently returned from a trip to Birmingham, Ala. to visit with cousins, the Burleson and Guin families. This was

the first trip to Birmingham for the Sciterns in 53 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nachtigall, Taylor and Trevis of Morgan Mill were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields.

Mrs. C. L. Snider, La Von Snider of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snider, Sheri and Lisa of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Snider, Justin and Belinda were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider, Kathy and Mike on Sunday.

The Dwayne Sniders were supper guest of Mrs. C. L. Snider and La Von on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jordan of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles, Joe and Sheri of Abilene were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. They also visited their grandfather Mr. Jim Jordan at Lawndale.

Mrs. Allene Reeves of Eastland, Rev. and Mrs. Don Connell of Ringgold were visiting with Bro. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal on Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsay of East Texas were visiting with the O'Neals on Sunday.

Congratulations to Pete and Celia Eldredge of Kemp on the birth of their son. Mrs. Alene Reeves is the maternal grandmother and is visiting with the Eldredge family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers had their sons, Gene and Jimmy and their families of Midlothian home during the Easter weekend.

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club will have a bake sale on Friday, April 24 at the Nut House in Gorman. The proceeds will go to the support of their candidate in the Miss Gorman contest, Mrs. Donna Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, Shannon and Brian spent the Easter weekend with his mother, Mrs. Ray Bond at Bullard, and visited with his brother, Rev. and Mrs. James Bond, Sue, Jim, John, and Linn and a sister, Mrs. Ellouise Shock in Athens on Sunday and attended church services at the First Baptist Church where Rev. James Bond is the pastor.



According to the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, the average American eats 8 1/2 pounds of pickles a year.

## City Chit Chat

By Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor

The Gorman City Commission met on Thursday with the Mayor and all Commissioners present. Others attending the meeting were Mr. Funderburg, Mrs. Brinegar, Mr. Hgood, Mr. Irvin and Mr. Barnett.

The first order of business was to canvas the Election returns and the canvass showed that Mr. Higginbottom and Mr. Gressett were elected for a two year term. I administered the oath of office to them and they were declared as fully qualified members of the Commission.

We voted to give \$200 at this time to the Swimming Pool Committee so that they could pay some outstanding bills from last summer. Plans are being made to raise money to repair the pool for this summer. You will be hearing more about it at a later date.

Since my last report to you we have completed the cleaning of the portion of the sewer system that was scheduled for this year. We cleaned all trunk lines and much of the six and eight inch line. You just can't believe what we got out of the lines. Some had no more than two inches open on top of the line and one six inch was completely stopped. This stoppage was due mostly to sand in this line which we hope to eliminate in the future. We ask all of you to be careful as to what you put in your sewer lines so that we can keep them clean. With the cooperation of all the places that do washing of any kind where sand gets into the line, we can correct a major problem without having to take any official action to prevent sand from getting into the lines.

We have been hauling rock and putting it on many of our streets during the past two weeks and started hauling again on Monday. We are doing the road from Mrs. Thompson's Grocery around the corner up to the gravel at the Cemetery. When the rock gets settled and packed down it will make a good road. While we are hauling we will

put rock on the parking lot at the Senior Citizens Building.

We are now busy with the budget for next year and as expected, it will be up over this year. We can't tell just yet what we will have to do about a tax increase. We hope that we can make one more year, but it may not be possible. Everything we are buying is up every time we place a new order. We will do the best we can to make every dollar go as far as possible without cutting services.

At this time we do not know when the Central Appraisal Board will have the Appraiser in our area, but it should not be too long. They will be in Carbon just as soon as they finish Rising Star. They will be giving this matter coverage in the paper from time to time. Just remember that this is not something that we have decided to do but it is something mandated by state law and all property will go on the tax roll beginning in 1982 at market value as determined by the appraiser and the County Equalization Board. We hope that you understand why this is being done. It will raise taxes some because there will be an added cost of operating the County Appraisal Office and local increases to raise what ever is required to meet the budget needed. Remember as you value goes up, your rate will decrease. The appraised market value will not mean that you will be paying the same tax rate on that amount as you are now paying. As I have said before, your property will have the same value placed on it in all taxing units. You will not have three or four different values as you now have and you will have to meet with only on Equalization Board.

I would like to thank our Police Department for their work in helping to solve the hot check scheme that was pulled here last week. Our Chief was on the case as soon as it was reported and played a big part in solving the case and taking those involved into custody. I am asking that all merchants be more careful in cashing checks on strangers without having some identification. A little checking can save you some money.

## SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

Oh, What a beautiful morning to dress in your new Easter finery to show off today. Many will go to Church for the first time this year. I wonder why? Do you?

This is a time when the entire world is in a terrible turmoil. The communist are gradually taking control of all the countries. America has disarmed to the point where we must start from scratch or say we give up. There are so many in the North East U.S. and Western U.S. that lean to Communist. What a shame?

Well, the 21st is the anniversary of the Battle of San Jacinto. What a victory over Dictator Santa Anna. Many Mexicans were with the Texans to help destroy a Government run by the Church. That same thing is the reason that all but a small percent are peons today. The peons come to the U.S. to try and keep from starving. They raise large families as their church does not believe in birth control.

I have a sister-in-law by marriage. She lives in Calif. She has been married twice in this county, so has her husband.

She wrote me a letter a few years ago, wanting me to go to Court House and get those dates. As she wanted to get a Divorce and marry a Mexican

We set the week of May fourth through the ninth as City Clean Up Week. We are asking that everyone start planning now to make it a success. We will be hauling trash but we have placed some restrictions on trash that will be hauled. All trash you want hauled must be placed near the street or an alley where it can be picked up with out getting on private property or having to be carried to the truck. All brush must be cut in to lengths short enough to load with ease. It should be no more than four to six foot in length. If you have trash to be hauled, call the City Hall and tell us what you have and we will tell you whether it can be hauled. Let's all PITCH IN AND MAKE OUR TOWN A NICE CLEAN PLACE TO LIVE. Thank You.

Catholic. She said the Priest would declare that she was never legally married. It wrote her that she was married legally according to the Laws of Texas and before God and Man. You and that priest should have more: You know that was the last I heard from her. I told her that what they were trying to do was to say that she was living in adultery. Her husband died a wine-o.

In 1911 Granddad Scott lived on the place that I bought in 1921. He owned two Russian Stag Hounds. Charlie Miller was working for him. One morning I was there and we went Jack Rabbit hunting. Those dogs could catch one very easy.

We were going East in the road and one of the dogs jumped a jack in the road. There was a clear spot on each side of the road where the horse and mule walked. Tho in the middle was grass. Charlie saw that jack making about 40 miles. So he just squated down to catch it. Just as the rabbit saw Charlie, it could not stop. It just tried to jump over him. Charlie rose and caught the rabbit in his arms. It knocked him backward and knocked the breath out of him. It made a big blue spot on his chest. He was to sore to work for three days. He was Stanleys bud.

Our sympathy goes out to the Echols family. He married here in Gorman and was buried at Oakland Cemetery. Remember, there is one who cares.

When the men were play-

ing dominoes at my house while I was bathing. I would make candy at night. I kept peanut, lemon and chocolate at all times. At night I would take a fryer, butter it heavy, put it in baking sack, when it was done, I would freeze a part of it. I was an expert with meat loaf. Also if I wanted jelly, I would get a large can of Hi C Drink, a carton sure juell and sugar. I made grape. Tho the best was Orange. Even a left handed person could make a cake with a mix.

One day Stan Miller said he would come and make coffee and play. I told him no that they would spill sugar and coffee on floor, rug and table. I knew he was a chain smoker. I said not smoking. As some have emphysema. He said he could not come, as he had to smoke and drink coffee when he played.

One man I was playing with took out a cigar. I told him no smoking. He grinned and got his lighter. I got up and said theres the door. Some of the men said ground rules. So he put it up.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING	7:00 P.M.

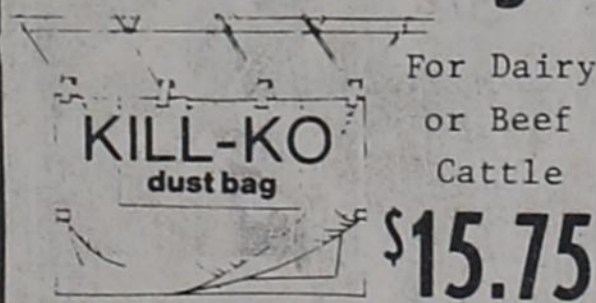
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## Budding & Grafting school in Cisco April 24

The annual Eastland County Pecan budding and grafting school is scheduled for Friday, April 24. The event will be held in the "Texas Room" in the library at Cisco Junior College. The Eastland County Pecan Growers Association sponsor the school to teach pecan growers and homeowners how to bud and graft pecan trees. Dan Childress, president of the association, announced that this will be the 28th annual budding and grafting school in Cisco.

will be the instructor. From 9:30 until noon Dr. Heilmers will show illustrated slides along with a discussion on the techniques of budding and grafting. He will also discuss the most popular varieties of pecans.

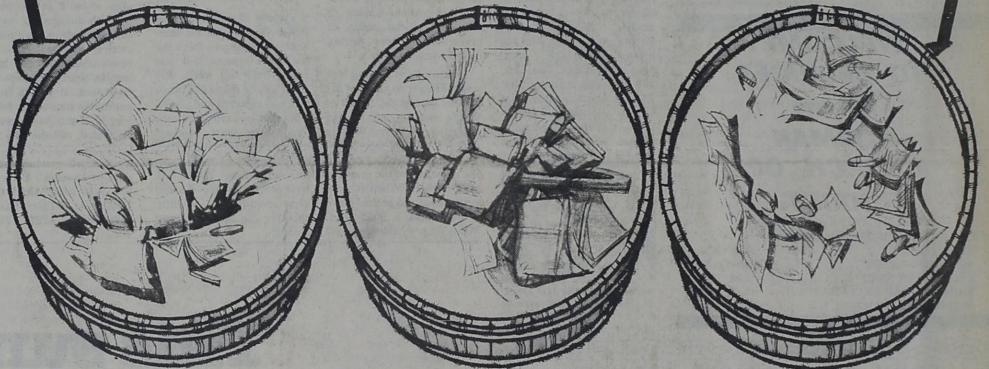
After noon the school will continue in a pecan grove where demonstrations will be given and participants will practice.

Childress says the growers association will sell budding and grafting wood and tape at the school.

The school begins at 9:30 a.m. in the library which is located just north of the Harrell Fine Arts auditorium. Dr. Sabiny Heilmers Extension Service Horticulturist.

The school is co-sponsored by the Cisco Chamber of Commerce. Both men and women of all ages are invited to attend.

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