GORMAN, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS 76454

NUMBER THIRTY-TWO OUR 82ND YEAR OF SERVICE

Points

Joe Bennett, Publisher -J-

We received some good showers the end of the week hat sure made things look etter around here. The rain came at different times and some folks got showers and some did not. We just hope you were one of the lucky ones. There were some very heavy showers in a few areas but the rain was not the widespread kind. But we thank the Good Lord for what we got and just hope and pray that it will help the crops in the area.

-J-Bert and Bonnie Witt have completed the siding project on their home and it is real nice. They added shutters to the front portion of the house and it looks fine.

Guess most folks in town have noticed that Gene Foster has been real busy in the building he purchased from Johnny Watson. He is making some changes in the interior of the building to suit his florist business. He has been busy removing a wall section which will be moved further back in the building to make more room for the display area at the front. He plans to lower the ceiling in the building and do a complete renovation inside. Gene stated that if there were any volunteer workers who could pitch in and help, they could just come by and he would assign them to their duties.

-J-I received a letter this week from someone who was not even polite enough to sign their letter. Therefore, I am unable to thank them properly and give him (or her) the words of expression that I think they deserve. But maybe they will read this copy of the paper also and will get my drift.

To quote portions of the

"Recently, while visiting

friends in Gorman, I saw the enclosed page from your newspaper, THE GORMAN PROGRESS. I was absolutely appalled at the gross number of grammatical and typographical errors on the front age. Your column was the most shocking editorial (?) I have ever seen. It sounds like a gossip column - the town busybody with his nose in everyone else's affairs (usually personal). Other editors' columns deal with important events and items if interest occurring outside the rhelm of the local community. Many of the comments in your column are repeated elsewhere in the paper. This repitition tends to be boring; therefore, showing a lack of imagination in finding more important matters to comment on. Besides, in small towns, everyone already knows who is building or remodeling.

"You will notice that I have corrected the errors on page one. The following is a brief explanation of most mistakes. I sincerely hope tell you I am not perfect, and that you and your proofreader/printsetter will take the time to review these comments in an effort to improve yourselves and the newspaper. The paragraphs are numbered for easy identification.

"A question now--If an article with grammatical errors is turned in for publication, isn't it your responsibility to correct them? A plain dictionary is a fantastic reference guide for this.

"Mr. Bennett, "This letter is intended to be constructive criticism, which, I hope you are man enough to accept, and learn from. There are good points in your paper, despita all my criticism. With some contientious work, your newspaper could become quite informa-

tive and educational. "Since you do not know GORMAN CITIZENS JOIN

The Gorman Police Department, in cooperation with a citizen committee, and in conjunction with Emory Walton, Criminal District Attorney's "war on drugs", announces the formation of a program providing for rewards for information leading to the arrest and indictment of persons involved in certain types of crimes.

The ever-growing incidence of drug-related crimes in our community is a cause for concern for each and every one of us. Most citizens are not aware of the drug problem in Gorman, with the majority feeling that this type of problem only exists in larger cities such as Dallas or Fort Worth. The Gorman Police Department, in 1981, confiscated over two pounds of marijuana and varying amounts of methamphetamine ("crystal" or 'crank''), biphetamine

("Black Mollies"), Quaalude ("Ludes"), and several different types of "Speed", as well as paraphernalia for using or preparing these me, and I do not know you, it would serve no useful purpose for me to sign my real name. As a matter of fact, it might embarrass my friends. Please take this critique in the manner which it is intended, and help yourself and your community. Sincerely, A Critic"

Thanks for the criticism "A Critic". First of all, I do not believe that you do not know me and that I don't know you. If this is not true then you would have had the courtesy of signing your signature to the letter. Secondly, I am glad that you did find some good points in the paper. As far as taking the time to scrutinize the paper for errors, we do proofread the paper. However, we do not have all the time that you apparently have free to do things, because it sure took you a great deal of time to cover every word, punctuation mark, capital letter, etc. that you found. Maybe you should find something more constructive to occupy your time. Maybe you could go back to teaching English and Grammar. Evidently, this is your profession. My column is terrible I

know. However, what I see fit to put in it is of my concern and I will put local news in it anyday before I will but some of the "Krud" (pardon the grammar) that is in other newspapers. I am not really concerned about putting what happens all over the world in our paper. For one thing, we do not have the room. And another is, that news is covered a million times a day in the big papers, radio stations and TV. I think that if you talk in simple everyday language. that everyone can absorb it better. Folks (that is most of them) prefer the smaller, simple words over the long. hard-to-decipher words that they have to look up in the dictionary to learn the true meaning of. True, we could do a lot better on the typos, etc., and I will be the first to never have been. I guess my first mistake came just a short while after I was born, for my folks said I missed my diaper real quick. I just hope you will not be heart-broken when you make your first mistake, because its a terrible thing to live with.

I assure you that I will let the writers of stories sent in to this paper know I will not change anything, because it might change the meaning of what they want to say. That's what folks like about the paper. If you do not, then let me know your name and I will cancel your subscritpion and refund your money in

I am grateful for your

And remember to smile - because God Loves You!

controlled substances and paraphernalia that has been confiscated thus far in 1982 has already surpassed that of 1981. A visit to City Hall by every concerned citizen is encouraged. There, in the police department office, you will see just a small portion of these confiscated items.

Most people have a mental image of the typical drug user ... long-haired, bearded black leather jacket, tattoos, riding around on a motorcycle in dark alleys, shooting herion or cocaine into their veins. This is the type of drug user we see on TV, but it is not an accurate picture of the real-life user. Most of the drugs and paraphernalia that was confiscated in Gorman last year was taken form high-school and junior highschool students! One packet of marijuana was taken from an eleven-year old child!

Where do our children get it? They get it from people who do not have a conscience; people who have found a fast way to make money and don't care what the consequences are. We have drugs coming into Gorman from Ft. Worth, Ranger, Cisco, and several other places. They bring these drugs into Gorman and sell them to local dealers, who then sell this poison to our children...or what's even worse...they give it to our children in hopes of developing a future

West of Gorman

the illegal crop.

customer, once the child gets hooked on the drug. These people, the dealers, are hard to catch. They are aware of the location of the people, at all times, and they are smart enough to keep their "merchandise" well hidden. We the concerned parents,

concerned business-men, concerned church members, concerned citizens, need help in ridding our community of these people, and that is the purpose of the Crimestopper Program. Through the program, we can offer money in exchange for information that will help us to put these "chid-poisoners" behind bars, where they belong. But in order to do this, we first have to raise the money for the reward fund.

Three concerned citizens, Darrell Dossey, James Miears and Brent Lasater, are in charge of administering the program, and constitute the committee that will make the determination of when a reward is deserved for information that leads to arrest and indictment for drugs and other serious

If you share our concern for the welfare of our children and for our community, please contact one or more of these persons, and they will tell you how you can help.

We the undersigned parents and citizens fully agree Cont'd on page 5

Marijuana Patch Discovered

A large amount of marijuana was confiscated on Tuesday afternoon

near Gorman. Chief Cecil Funderburgh of the Gorman Police Depart-

ment discovered the plants growing on a farm just outside the city

limits, and called for assistance from the Eastland County Sheriff's

Department and Constable Dewey Keesee of Precinct Five to "harvest"

The plants, 8 to 9 feet tall, filled the back of a pcikup truck after be-

ing pulled up, and had an estimeated street value of over \$11,000.00

Funderburgh, Keesee, Sheriff Johnnie Morren, and Deputy Sheriff's

which was taken to the sanitary landfill and burned. No arrests have

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PICKUP LOAD OF MARIJUANA - Above is Chief Funderburgh, Con-

stable Keesee. Sheriff Johnnie Morren. Deputy's Ben Sancillo. Terry

Petree, and Bill Pence examining the marijuana confiscated west of

\$11,000 DOLLARS ESTIMATED GOES UP IN SMOKE — There she goes.

a patch of marijuana harvested is being burned at the local sanitary

landfill by the Chief of Police of Gorman and Constable Precinct Five.

LOOK WHO'S NEW

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Sea-

ton announce the arrival of

their son, David Wesley,

born at 7:00 a.m. Tuesday

September 7, 1982 in Balck-

well Hospital. He weighed

10 pounds and five and one

half ounces and measured

211/2 inches long.

SENIOR CLASS TO

SPONSOR HAMBURGER

SUPPER

hamburger supper Friday,

September 24, in the school

cafeteria from 5:30 to 7:30

Hamburger with all the

trimmings, potato chips and

tea \$2.25. Brownies 25cents

p.m.

extra.

The senior class will host a

Ben Sancillo, Terry Petree and Bill Pence participated in the "harvest"

been made at the time this article went to press.

Mrs. Willie Seaton Laid To Rest

Willie L. Seaton, 71, of Gorman died at 2:20 p.m. Friday, September 17, 1982 at Gorman Care Center after a long illness. Services were at 3 p.m. Sunday at Higginbotham Funeral Home.

The Rev. Darrell Dossey of First Baptist Curch officiated assisted by the Rev. Richard Watson of New Hope Baptist Church. Burial was at Oaklawn Cemetery.

Born Aug. 21, 1911, in Gonzales County, she married James C. Seaton there in March 1933. He died in 1970. She was a member of Full Gospel Church in New Braunfels.

Survivors include two sons Floyd of San Angelo and Lester of Gorman; two daughters, Louise Landers of Amherst and Betty Blakenship of Seguin; two brothers, Virgil Caraway of New Braunfels and Hoy Caraway of Victoria; three sisters, Estelle Martin of New Braunfels. Lois Wiley of Stockdale and Florence Davis of Victoria; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Gradon Baze, E. G. Henderson, Donnie Mauney, Cecil Robertson Charlie Torrez and Arley Taylor.

-GP-**GROWERS** NEEDED SEPTEMBER 27

Peanut growers and their families are invited to attend a barbecue dinner and meeting beginning at 7:30 P.M. at the Gorman School Gym on Monday, September 27. Area banks are hosting the dinner.

The meeting is being held to provide first hand information on the Peanut Membership Organization and Political Action Commettee. Similar meetings are being held throughout Texas and Oklahoma to enlist growers in this program. Reports confirm that growers throughout the Southwest are enthusiastically supporting this effort in an attempt to bolster chances of keeping the peanut price support program after 1985.

D.B. Warren and Cecil Self, local arrangements cochairmen, said that Ross Wilson will be present to assist in explaining the functions of the new organizations.

> -GP-CARD OF THANKS

My thanks to Dr. L. Agulia the nurses and staff for the good care I received during my stay in Blackwell Hospital Also a special thanks to the ladies in the kitchen that prepaired the delicious food. Thanks to friends for the visits, cards and your love and concern. May God bless each of you.

> Jack Harrison -GP-

FOSTER NAME CONTINUES

Brent and Tammy Foster were sent a gift from Heaven in the form of a baby boy to keep the "Foster" name going in Gorman at 6:10 P.M. on September 19, 1982 weighing 8 pounds and 5 ounces.

'Cody" was welcomed by his brother, Jason age 3 who wanted a little sister but he decided he wanted the little brother to play with instead so he is not going to send it back.

Maternal Grandparents are Ron and Chris Ivey of Graham. Paternal Grandparents are Velda Foster and The Late Dick Foster of Gorman.

He was welcomed by a big brother, Allen age 21 months and maternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mc-Laughlin of Fort Worth and paternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Seaton, and great grand mother. Mrs. Cleo Clement and uncle Jeff Seaton all of Gorman.

Panthers Drop Hornets 36-0; To Host Eagles

GAME AT A GLANCE Gorman Lometa

17 221 Yards Rushing 199 Yards Passing 8 of 10 Passes Comp. 1 of 5 Interceptions Fumbles Lost

1 for 44 Punts, Avg. 7 for 30 3 for 25 Penalties 6 for 30

The Gorman Panthers began district play on a bright note on Friday night when they traveled to Lometa to meet the Hornets in District 8-A action and came away with an overwhelming victory of 36 to 0.

Gorman got on the scoreboard with 4:56 left in the first period when they drove 43 yards in 8 plays with Mark Swanner racing for the final 16 yards on a beautiful run. The try for two points failed and the Big Red led 6-0.

Following the next Hornet possession, the Panthers got the ball on their own 29, and Mark Swanner again thrilled the Big Red fans with a thrilling 71 yard run with 2:07 left in the period. Eddie Pettit added the two pointer on a run and the Panthers were off and running with a 14-0 score.

After holding the Hornets on the next possession, the Panthers took the ball on their own 40 and on one pass play Jeff Seaton tossed a strike to Dane Gressett, who caught the ball about the Hornet 35 and raced into the endzone with 11:31 left in the half. Jacky Johnson added the two pointer on a run and the Panthers extended their lead to 22-0. This was the score at the end of the first

Following the intermission the Panthers took the opening kickoff on their own 26 and moved the distance in 8 plays with Dane Gressett hitting his brother, Russ, with a perfect pass for 31 yards for the score with 7:37 left in the third. Mark Swanner added the two pointer on a run and the Panthers led 30

Gorman High Homecoming News

The Officers of Gorman High Ex-Students Association have been working hard to get everything ready for our 26th Homecoming, October 29th and 30th, but all of our hard work will be worth it if you will come and participate in all of the activities beginning with the pep rally Friday afternoon.

The Seniors will cater the banquet. They will be selling tickets so be sure and buy yours early. The food is always delicious.

Roland Smith and the Sandy Land Band will entertain us with a good musical program Saturday night after dinner. We are fortunate to have them. They always do a good job.

If you are asked to help by one of the Committee Chairmen please be willing. It takes all of us working together to have a good Homemcoming, Do you part and it will be one you'll never forget

Don't forget. October 29th and

Reporter

PINK AND BLUE SHOWER TO HONOR MRS. BLAINE **GIBBS**

Blue Shower on Thursday, September 30. Calling hours are 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of Church of

-GP-**BAND BOOSTERS** POSTPONE HAMBURGER SUPPER

The Band Boosters Club has postponed their hamburger supper scheduled for Friday, September 24, to October 8. Night of the Cross Plains game. -GP-

Visiting Ima Lee Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. Howard lley and Fred over the Labor Day weekend were Laura Stewart of Stephenville, Julia and Toby Morris of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. David Rainey and family of Fort Worth, Eddy Iley of Stephenville and Phil Iley of Desdemona.

Gorman added the final score with 9:00 left in the game when Dane Gressett again tossed a perfect strike to brother Russ for the final 12 yards. The run for two points failed and the final score read 36 to 0.

The Big Red defense did a great job by holding the Hornets to just 3 first downs and a total of 61 yards on the ground and 5 in the air. The final half of play showed the Hornets with only a total of 4 yards on the ground and 5 in the air. Joey Casey, Royce Ridens, Phillip Osborne, Bill Crain, Juan Pacheco, Darren Clark. Dane and Russ Gressett, John Woodall, Rhett Harrison, Jacky Johnson and Eddie Pettit led the defense all evening and all the Panther team did a great job. Most all the players got into the game.

Mark swanner led the Panthers on the ground with 166 yards on 13 carries. Pettit had 16 on 6 trips. John Woodall had 13 on 2. Harrison got 8 on 8 blasts up the middle. Johnson had 24 on 5

keeps. Ricky Hunter wound up with 0 on 6 tries. Ricky also did a great job on the defense. Dane was minus 10, losing the yards on pass tries when he was tackled behind the line. It was just a mervelous effort by all the

Big Red squad. This game sure wasn't a great test for the Panthers and this Friday night they will host the Goldthwaite Eagles, picked to take the District Crown by most prognosticators. The Eagles have showed good strength thus far this season and will really be up for this most important game. The Eagles will be out to avenge the loss to the Panthers last season to put the Big Red in the playoffs.

The Panthers will have to have a superb effort this Friday night to come out on

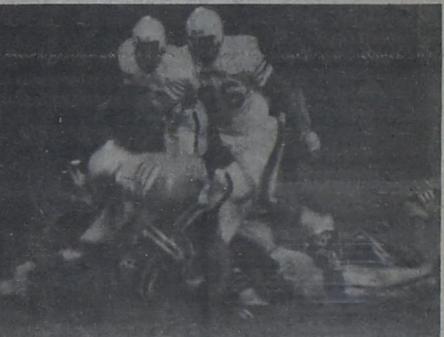
The Panthers will have to have a superb effort this Friday night to come out on top and that's exactly what we think they will do.

Remember that game time is 7:30 p. m. through the rest of the season.

Get 'Em Big Red!



THERE GOES MARK — Mark Swanner is shown gaining some of his 166 yards gained in game action Friday at Lometa. With the help of a group of blockers Mark had a good night against Lometa.



DEFENSE - DEFENSE - Bill Crane, Rodney Reese and Dane Gressett stop a Lometa running back for short yardage in game action Friday. Panthers won 36 to 0.



HEADS UP TACKLING — Joey Casey, Darren Clark and Jacky Johnson are shown putting the finishing touches on a Lometa Quarterback. The fine defensive playing of the Panthers held the Hornets to a 36 to 0 loss.

employees for Hollywood - Maxwell, Hollywood Vassarette and Vassarette of Munsingwear, will be held at Camp Imspiration in Eastland, Saturday, November 6th starting at 10:30 a.m. ,please bring a covered dish for the noon meal.

Gorman Athletic Booster Club is sponsoring a Hamburger Supper on September 24th before the Goldthwaite Game in the School Cafeteria. Everyone is urged to

3:00 P.M. .

Mrs. Blaine Gibbs will be The Second Annual Reu- Athletic Booster Club honored with a Pink and nion for all former will meet each Monday at 7:00 p.m. Everyone come out and view the film of football game Fri-

PTO COOK BOOK

P.T.O. cookbooks are in and may be purchased by contacting Mary McCormick at 734-2024 or Frances Warren at 734-2725.

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

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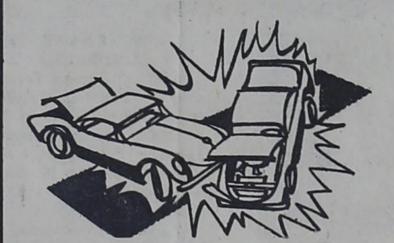
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THE GORMAN PROGRESS, SEPTEMBER 23, 1982

Mrs. Ruth Snow of Hobbs, N.M., Mrs. Gretchen White and Mrs. Hubert Sparks of Abilene visited Monday with Bert Poynor and Olga Kinser.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sanders of Odessa visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday.

Saturday visitors with Mrs. Ruby Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett of Cleburne and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett of Weatherford and Velma Bennett of Gorman.

'The mind of each man is the man himself." Cicero

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CRIME: IT'S THE VICTIMS WHO ARE LOCKED UP

I want to talk to you this week about an issue that troubles me greatly and which I know is of great concern to Texans. It seems that whenever I have spoken about crime in the past 12 months I have gotten a strong and troubled response. No matter where I am-Jewett, Roma or Dalhart-people tell me they are angry and afraid about crime in our state.

This anger and fear concerns me for two reasons. First, because this kind of anger and fear serves as a sort of "jail" for innocent people. They are the ones locked in their homes at night while criminals go free. The second reason I am concerned is because unless something is done to stop the crime epidemic. people will be ripe for the kind of politician who will play on citizens' fears. The result could be that Texans lose their liberty in return for their 'safety". In that sense, the crime problem is like a cancer a have to go. gnawing at democracy.

The incumbent Lt. Governor's response to the crime issue has been shameful. While

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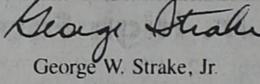
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he has been in office the crime rate has risen 131%. He has done nothing to attack crime in a substantial way. In fact, he has fought stronger anti-crime measures. He openly opposed the new wiretapping law designed to catch drug dealers. He openly opposed the Governor's anti-crime package by putting it in a legislative committee run by a hostile Senator. who promptly bottled it up. Much of the package passed anyway and now Mr. Hobby has the gall to go around the state taking credit for it!

His sympathies in the fight against crime are evident. Not long ago he allowed the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) to hold a fundraiser in his Houston mansion and he proudly defends it. The ACLU has consistently opposed laws that would make it easier to deal with the crime problem.

I think such two-faced maneuvering is disgraceful. It is obvious that if we are going to attack the crime problem, if we are ever going to give law officers, judges and prison guards the tools they need to make us safer, Bill Hobby will

If you have thoughts about this, I'd like to hear from you. Please write me at 1213 W. 34th, Austin, 78705.



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September 10 — Baird 21 - Gorman 14

- September 17 − Gorman 36 − Lometa 0
- *SEPT. 24 GOLDTHWAITE Here 7:30
- *OCT. 1 ROCHELLE There 7:30 P.M.
- *OCT. 8 CROSS PLAINS Here 7:30
- *OCT. 15 OPEN
- *OCT. 22 SANTA ANNA There 7:30
- *OCT. 29 EVANT HERE 7:30 P.M.

(Homecoming)

- *NOV. 5 BLANKET There 7:30 P.M.
- *NOV. 12 RISING STAR Here 7:30 * Denotes District Games

Jr. High Football Schedule

Sept. 02 - HICO - Here - 6:00 P.M.

Sept. 09 - BAIRD - There - 6:00 P.M Sept. 16 - LOMETA - Here - 6:00 P.M.

Sept. 23 - GOLDTHWAITE - There - 6:00 P.M.

Sept. 30 - ROCHELLE - Here - 6:00 P.M

Oct. 07 - CROSS PLAINS - There - 6:00 P.M.

Oct. 14 - OPEN

Oct. 21 - SANTA ANNA - Here - 6:00 P.M.

Oct. 28 - EVANT - There - 6:00 P.M.

Nov. 04 - BLANKET - Here - 6:00 P.M. Nov. 11 - RISING STAR - There - 6:00 P.M.

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	12	Dane Gressett	В	153	SR.	
	20	Jacky Johnson	В	167	JR.	
	22	Mark Swanner	В	168	JR.	
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	44	Jimmy Woodall	В	116	SOPH.	
	45	Ricky Hunter	В	132	SOPH.	
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	51	Jeff Ripley	C	140	SOPH.	
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	60	Breck Daniels	G	147	SOPH.	
	61	Wayne Warren	G	118	FR.	
	62	Olin Harrington	G	123	SOPH.	
	63	Rodney Reese	T	200	SR.	
	66	Juan Pacheco	G	160	JR.	
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	74	Joey Casey	G	162	SR.	
	75	Jimmy Simmons		140	FR.	
	76	Bill Crain	C	265	SR.	
	77	Danny Barnett	T AND	132	FR.	
	78	Royce Ridens	T	166	JR.	
	80	Noble Laminack	E	118	FR.	
	84	Darren Clark	E	130	SR.	
	88	Jaime Espinoza	E	123	FR.	

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CITY

BY CHARLIE L. GARRETT MAYOR

The City Commission met on Thursday, September 16 with the Mayor and all Commissioners present. Also present was Mrs. Brinegar and Mr. Steve Thomas, Chief Appraser for the Eastland County Apprasial Board.

The main item on the agenda was to set the tax rate for 1982. Mr. Thomas explained the options we had on setting the rate and how long it would take if we raised the rate to the point that the money we collected would exceed collectible amount of taxes for 1981 by more than 3%. Had we decided to go above 3% it would have been the last of October or the first of November before we could have mailed out tax notices.

After hearing his explaination we decided that we would stay within the 3% allowed. The actual allowance was \$0.26377, but we dropped the last two digits and by a unamious vote set the tax rate at \$0.263. This rate will bring in only \$1587 more than collected last year, which is not as much as we figured we would need.

Since the rate we set would not bring in as much money as we will need, we voted unamiously to discontinue the early payment discount. By doing this we will collect about \$1800 if early payments had been the same as last year. This will give us a total of \$3387 more money; which amounts to an overall 6.4% more than collected last year. This will be offset; however by the fact that we dropped all automobiles not used in bussiness or trade from the tax roll.

I will try to give an example of what the increase and the dropping of the autos from the roll will do to a tax figure taken from the air. Suppose you have a house that was evaluated at \$20,000 and a car at \$2,000. using the tax rate of \$0.256 which rate would have given us the same amount of money that was collectable last year, your tax this year would have been \$56.32. Had you paid in October and received the 3% discount. you would have a discount of \$1.69. Your payment would have been \$54.63. Paying this year only on your home or real property on the same example you will be paying only on the \$20,000 at the new rate of \$0.263 which will be \$52.60 which is a saving of \$2.03 over your net payment with the car taxed and taking the discount. You can see that we have given you a break by going this way. REMEMBER, some taxes

will decrease and some will INCREASE. It will depend on how much your market value increased over last year. We did not set the value, we only set the rate on the total roll to give us the over all 3% increase in money collectible. A large number will pay less taxes this year than they paid last

-GP-

SCHOOL MENU

Week of September 27 Thru October 1: **BREAKFAST**

MONDAY - Pineapple juice, rice, milk and toast. TUESDAY - Raisins, dry cereal and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Orange juice, sweet rolls and milk. THURSDAY - Apple juice, Toast, jelly, and milk.

FRIDAY - Pineapple juice, pancakes, bacon, butter, syrup and

LUNCH

MONDAY - Creamed hamburger and new potatoes, English peas, bread, Jello and milk. TUESDAY - Roast beef, gravy,

creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, cake and milk. WEDNESDAY - Pressed ham sandwiches, soup and salad, fruit and cookies and milk. THURSDAY - Meat loaf, corn,

spinach, bread, pudding and FRIDAY - Hamburgers,

tomatoes, lettuce, pickles, onions, french fries, milk and ice

School Hill News

BY OMA LEE RIDDELL

Marie Chisum, Minnie Huffman, and Edna Wells all of Stephenville, and Mattie Turpin of Lingleville are visited on Thursday with Nona Huffman. Nona celebrated her birthday on Tuesday, I did on Wednesday and Ralph Elston did on Friday.

Charles and Sara Williams of Granbury visited with us on Sunday afternoon.

Junior Huffman of Euless visited over the weekend and with Nona Huffman.

Rob Proctor of San Angelo spent the weekend here with Blake and Deliliah Morrison.

The Chisums and Morrisons are spending some time at the hospital with their brother-in-law Warren Christian. Warren is very sick at this time.

I was crying one day over the death of our dog and one of my grand children said, "Don't cry, Grandma, We'll get you another dog and next time, Maybe you'll die before the dog does".

I gave Tena two dollars to take to church one time and she came home with one of them. I fussed at her and asked why. She said "I did what the Bible said to do. It says to be a cheerful giver and if I'd given both of them it wouldn't have been cheerfully".

Any man that says he can see through a woman is over looking some real good parts. -GP-

P.T.O. SETS **FALL PROJECTS**

PTO held their first PTO meeting Sept. 15, at the high school with 46 members pre-

\$10.00 was awarded to the 5th grade for having the most parents present.

PTO has purchased play ground equipment totaling \$492.00.

Two main fund raising events will be the fall festival and the junior high basketball tournament.

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FRESHMAN CLASS **ELECT OFFICERS**

The Freshman class of Gorman High School recently elected class officers for the school year 1982-83. Randy Anderson will serve as the class president; Rhett Harrison was elected vice president; Danny Barnett, secretary; Wayne Warren treasurer; and Kelly Branch, repor-

Hello, my name is Kelly Branch, and I am the reporter for the 82-83 freshmen class. My job is to inform you about the great things that are going on in our class.

We are all very excited about the new school year and are looking to another great season from the pan-

Well, thats it from the freshmen.

See va. later Your Freshman Reporter Kelly Branch

baked goods at 25cents each, each Wednesday. The monev raised will go to the classrooms for their use.

P.T.O. will be holding bake sales downtown Gorman Oct. 28th and Nov. 23rd.

The King and Queen candidates have been chosen for the fall festival. Cans will be placed Sept. 27 at the down town business firms. Votes will be 1cent each. All money from votes will go to the classrooms.

Next P.T.O. meeting will be Oct. 13.

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The Central Texas Pork their third annual Show Pig Sale Saturday September 25 at 7 P.M. The sale will be at the Comanche County Live-The pigs will arrive at the evening or early Saturday

nice cool weather.

Pearl Westerman for taking care of things for me while I was away.

Last week's games were: Oscar Carr, one and two ton and Lonzo Coffman. Game Four: Bessie Rhodes,

the hospital, but hope they

Those having Birthdays this month are: Lucy Lasater Judy Phillips, Stella Swanner, Ollie Nelson, Ora Files, Ava Mason, Eulon Perry, and Buddy McClearen. Our Birthday Party will be on Thursday the 30th. The last Thursday in the month.

Thursday Nights at 7:P.M., and we need all the singers we can get, it makes your friends and loved one's much happier when you come to share a few moments with

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Good morning to every one this fine morning from all the residents and the Staff at Gorman Care Center, Hope every one is enjoying this

I've been on vacation, had a nice time, but glad to be back. Missed our residents very much.

Sincere thanks to Mrs.

Bingo winners No. I Game II George Bennett, Game III Lennie Montgomery - Game 4 Pearl Westerman. Black Out Game was won by Mr. Oscar Carr.

Game Three, Vernon Hamil-Balck Out by: Ollie Nelson and Mary Timmons. Two of our residents are in

will soon be back with us.

Mrs. Mary Emerson, returned to her home on the 20th. We wish her the very best.

The Senior Citizens Band from Rising Star will entertain.

We still have singing on

stock Center located on North Lane in Comanche. Livestock Center Friday morning in time to begin

CANCER FUND OPENED FOR MARGARET ABBE

A cancer fund has been opened at First National Bank, Gorman for Margaret Abbe's medical expenses. If anyone wishes to make a contribution it will be greatly appreciated. Make check payable to Margaret Abbe Cancer fund. -GP-

WEST TEXAS REHAB BENIFIT CATTLE SALE

As next Monday's benefit cattle sale approaches, Jim Alexander of Abilene, general Chairman of the Cattlemen's Round-Up for Crippled Children, expressed cautious optimism.

About 100 head of cattle have been pledged for the sale thus far, which is about one-fourth the number needed to make the sale a success. But Alexander hastened to say, "Traditionally, most pledges come in the week prior to the sale, so now is the time for the rest of our friends to make their commettments."

Cattle have been pledged and are being picked up from as far away as Hereford, Alpine, Kingsville, The Houston area, and the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

The Cattlemen's Round-Up for Crippled Childrens is the oldest major fundraising event for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center which this year will provide services, without charge to more than 10,000 handicapped children and adults through its campuses in Abilene, San Angelo, and Snyder.

Those wishing to donate livestock or cash to this year's Round-Up should contact their area chairman or the West Texas Rehabilitation Center central offices at (915) 692-1633.

The cattle sale, the first in a series of sales to benefit the Center, is set for 1:00 PM, Monday, September 27 at the Abilene Auction in Abi-

sifting at 9 A.M. Frank Hermesmeyer a Vocational Agriculture Teacher and swine producer from Wall Texas will sift the pigs. Following the sifting Hermesmeyer will select breed champions for each breed represented at the sale. A Champion and Reserve Champion of the sale will then be selected. The sale will begin at 7 P.M. with the

sale of the champions. Consignors for the sale include: Wesley Mathis, Charles Crawford JR., Gregg and Marlin Priddy, Neal Morris, Beaty Brothers, from De Leon: Billy Merryman and J. W. Cummings from Coleman: Double F Stock Farms and Carl Chumney from Septhenville: Ray Mahan from Blum: Dane Gressett from Gorman: Harold Stein form Brownwood:

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KEY ST. JUDE

VOLUNTEERS NAMED Dr. Limneo M. Aguila, chairman for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Wheels for Life Bike-a-thon, today announced the names of key volunteers for the October 16 event.

Pam Childers is publicity and promotion chairman. Becki Wright is rider recruitment and follow-up chairman. Other committee chairmen include the following: Route and Checkpoint Commettee - Bert Witt; Prizes Committee - Nimfa Aguila. MD., Food and Supplies Committee - Lisa Cornwell.

"Our committee people are giving their time and talent to help in the fight against cancer and other catastrophic childhood diseases," Dr. Agulia said.

Funds raised support St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, the largest childhood cancer research institution in the world. Cancer is second only to accidents as a killer of children in this country.

Since opening in 1962, this non-sectarian research center has become the leader in developing new treatment procedures to save children stricken by catastrophic diseases.

Riders can pick up their sponsor/registration forms at the Quickway Grocery, First National Bank and Doctors Clinic or call 734-2292 for information. -GP-

HOMEMAKERS CLASS **ELECTS CLASS OFFICERS**

Homemakers Class of First Baptist Church met Tuesday, September 14, in Fellowship Hall for a social and business meeting.

Mrs. Irene West was hostess for a salad supper held prior to the business meeting Irene gave the invocation.

Mayvis Lasater presidend at the business meeting, which was opened with prayer by Lavoyce Hirst.

Elaine Skinner was elected class teacher, other officers elected were: Annye Faye Foster, president; Irene West, Vice President; Outreach Leader, Gladys Chambless; Secretary, Ireis Preston; Recording Secretary, Lois Buchannan; Treasurer, Barbara Tucker; Opal Holliday, Reporter; Blanch Browning and Thelma Hampton, Flower Commit-

Storms of Life was topic of the devotioanl given by

Gladys Chambless. Geraldean Wright gave

the dismissal prayer. Members present were: Alice Eakin, Annye Faye Foster, Geraldean Wright, Euna Porter, Juanita Fuller; Gladys Chambless, Blanch Browning, Lavoyce Hirst; Elaine Skinner, Irene West, Mayvis Lasater, Hazel Smith Lois Buchannan, Iris Preston and Louise Brown.

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Oscar Petree SEPTEMBER 18: Frances Couch Alvin Lasater Roy Palmer Ora Atchison Donna Gulling SEPTEMBER 19: Fred Cocker Speedy Clark SEPTEMBER 20:

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TEXAS EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS TO MEET IN EL PASO* SEPT. 14-16

More than 800 members of the Texas Extension Homemakers Association from throughout Texas are expected to assemble in El Paso for the annual state convention of the association, Sept. 14-16. Attending from Eastland County are: Bessie Marie McCollum, Mary Louise Hearn, Alberta Sims and Dorothy Underwood.

"This will be the 56th annual meeting of the homemakers organization, and a blue ribbon program has been prepared," announces Mrs. Billie H. McCraw, pre-

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sident of the 22,680-member group. McCraw is from Raymondville.

Conference sessions will be at the Convention Center. Registration will begin at 1 p.m. Sept. 14 and continue through that evening. Special activities for that afternoon and again the agternoon of Sept. 16 will be bus tours to Mexico, with emphasis on several historic cathedrals and a visit to a federally-sponsored shopping center in Juarez.

Among key speakers will be the Rev. Donald Anderson of San Antonio, who will discuss "A Total Veiw of a Healthy American Family,"

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RAILROAD REHABILITATION

The Railroad Commission has executed a contract with Harland Bartholomew and Associated, Inc. for engineering services in connection with the rehabilitation of 24.1 miles of railroad between Dublin and Gorman.

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Bartholomew and Associates will prepare detailed engineering specifications and budget estimates for rehabilitation of the Texas Central Railroad, a short-line rail transportation company, to improve track and bridges.

Under the terms of a grant agreement with the Federal Railroad Administration, the federal government will pay 80 percent of the contract and the state, through the Railroad Commission, will pay 20 percent.

In Phase I, Bartholomew and Associates will inspect the existing Texas Central line, define contract con-

and Kathryn Blissard, a Houston television personality, whose subject will be "How Important are You?"

In addition to Texas homemakers, others also are expected to attend from New Mexico, McCraw says.

An election of officers is slated for the closing afternoon with installation of officers to take place the evening of Sept. 16.

The Texas Extension Homemakers Association has members in 1,326 clubs in 250 Texas counties. During the past year, members have reached and taught more than 100,000 Texas homemakers through a wide array of educationa

struction work required to upgrade the track, and estimate the amount of money needed for the proposed rehabilitation work.

In Phase II, the Bartholomew and Associated will help the Commission select a track construction contractor to do the actual rehabilitation work. The firm will also make daily visits to the site during the construction period to check on the progress and quality of the work.

Under the state's rail assistance program, Texas is allocated funds each year by the federal government for HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT **ASSOCIATES CELEBRATES 5TH ANNIVERSARY**

Hospital Management Associates, the Fort Myers company that owns and manages hospitals in eight states marked its 5th anniversary Wednesday, September 8. The 65 employees of the firm's corporate headquarters, at 2180 West First railroad rehabilitation and rail facility construction assistance. The Railroad Commission is the agency responsible for administering the program in Texas.

COMPUTER SEMINAR FOR FARMERS AND RANCHERS

A computer seminar for farmers and ranchers, which is also geared to businessment and agri-businessmen, will be offered by the Tarleton State University Continu-Street, celebrated the occasion with a luncheon on Friday. HMA is the owner of the Blackwell Hospital located in Gorman.

Joseph C. Greene, chairman of the board and president of HMA, founded the hospital management company in Louisville, Kentucky, in 1977, leaving a position as president of the hospital division of Human, one of the world's largest hospital companies. He moved the corporate headquarters to Fort Myers in March, 1980.

HMA currently operates hospitals in Atlanta, Georgia; Electra, Gorman and Houston, Texas; Labanon, Pennsylvania; Manchester, Tennessee; Paintsville, Kentucky; Waverly, Missouri; and Williamson, West Virginia. Two other hospitals, in Milton, Florida and Russell Springs, Kentucky, are under management contracts. The company has 1,200 em-

Officers of HMA besides Joseph C. Greene are James R. Cheek, executive vice president of finance; T. Jefferson Jones, executive vice president of staff services; Earl P. Holland, senior vice president of operations; Charles M. Greene, senior vice president of finance; Jim R. Mattingly, vice president of managed hospitals; and Robb L. Smith, vice president and general counsel.

ployees.

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ing Education Department on Oct. 1-2. The two-day course will involve hands-on time in which each student will have an opportunity to actually operate a computer. Areas of instruction to be covered include budgeting for livestock stocker and feeder, cow-calf and wheat and oat graze-out.

Other areas of instruction will include farm budget accounting and taxes, cowherd management, pedigree management, crop budgets, banking, orchard management, and a professional occupations area dealing with laws, rules and regulations, and agri-business programs.

The course will also include a feasibility study of computers by farmers and ranchers.

Tuition for the course will be \$75 and enrollment will be

limited.

The computer classes will be held in the workshop theatre of the Clyde H. Wells Fine Arts Center starting at 9

a.m. each day. Additional information on Continuing Education classes at Tarleton may be obtained from the CED in the Tarleton Center or at 817-968-9300.

> FFA CHAPTER **ELECTS OFFICERS**

The Future Farmers of America chapter have elected officers for the new school year.

Dane Gressett was elected president; Russ Gressett, vice president; secretary, Phil Osborne; treasurer, Darren Clark; reporter, John Woodall; Sentinal, Jeff Ripley; Bo Caraway, advisor.

Angela Burgess was elected FFA Sweetheart.

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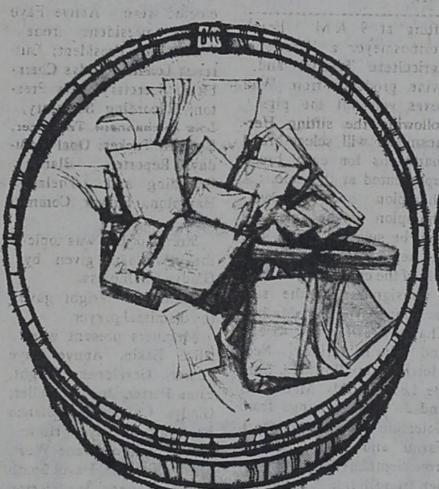
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Our sympathy goes out to the Seaton Family, also to J. D. Yancey Family. May you look to the King of Kings in your time of

Gee! I am getting to where I am crazy, I guess, as I fell again. have been afraid to walk out make more than in NFL. side. Tho I weighed 154 this morn. So that will help me. I sure try to be careful.

I notice where they stopped the Federal Judges from ruling on the cases of State Courts. That way would be a lot of Death Sentences carried out. Should be a Law, Death Sentences in Rape Cases and also in Accidents where driver is cause of Death and is intoxicated at time

I want to propose a Toast and of rain. So that is better than I

a great big Thank You to: Mr. Elzy Powel. He comes to the home and gives us Old Country Codgers a free haircut once a week. If there is a person that does as much for the people here in "The Home", I do not

I have missed singing and church here lately as I have been close to my bed for several days now.

well here it is Monday morning and the NFL is going to go on strike tomorrow, or so it looks player saying on TV that he could not get by on this salary. I would be willing to give 5 cents on a cotton sack for him if he would Tho lucky me, I grabbed and use it on a sack to pick cotton kept from falling on my face. I in. I am sure that he would

> The Railroad Workers are going on a strike. We have subsidized them for so many years. They go on a run that takes about 2 hours and draw a days pay for it. That time of running a tour when the train stopped and switched cars around at every town men on train than necessary these days.

> I heard last night that some places around here had 2 inches

By Mrs. Bob Hasting

Peanut harvest has begun R.D. Craighead brought the first load to the dryer here last week. Several other loads have come in.

There will be a Blood Pressure check in the Fellowship hall at the Carbon Baptist Church next Tuesday September 28, from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. Put this on your calendar.

Mr. and Mrs. E.V. Stacv. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Stacy, Jennifer, Angela and Bradlee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tim Stacy, Delanna and Gregg of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Purvis of Cross Plains were visitors at the Sunday evening worship service at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ode Dennis attended the Hodge family get-to-gether at Brownwood State Park last weekend. Mrs. Dorothy Jackson

spent the weekend with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jackson of Elmdale. had heard the report from ones

working here. Take it slow and easy. THE RAMBLER REPORTER

Wichita Falls on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryant, and Heather and

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Manly

Melvin Wyatt visited Mrs.

Ruth Reese and Mr. and

Mrs. Hal Almond of San

Angelo spent the weekend

with Mr. and Mrs. Don

Bennett. They visited in

Mrs. J. E. Jackson.

of Kingsman, Arizona and

Mmes Lora Sledge and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker Jackie Hurst of Ft. Worth of Abilene visited her mother visited Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Mrs. Lona Abbott on Sun-Jackson and Mrs. Myrt Maness on Thursday.

Heath of Dumas.

Some of our young people attended the West Texas State Fair at Abilene and were given awards for their showings. Ann Rich won First place with cookies containing cereals; Jonna Rodgers won First place with

GRANT TOWN SET PLAY DAY

The Grant Town Riding Club will be having a Jackpot Playday, Sunday, Sept. 26, 1982, at 1:30 P.M. in Mingus drop cookies; second place with millionaire candy; third place with chocolate cake and

banana bread. Shannon Spruill and Frank Boykin showed the Charolais beefers they won in last year's Calf Scramble. Travis Hays and Cliff Spruill won lambs in the Scramble this year. They were sponsored THE GORMAN PROGRESS, SEPTEMBER 23, 1982

the following Sunday. A gift certificate will be presented to the High Point Contesteach playday. There will be

Texas. The rain date will be 4 classes: Pee Wee, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. Entry Fee will be \$3.00 per event with \$2.00 going to the ants at the end of the jackpot and \$1.00 to the club. September Playday. Points There will be a concession will be carried over from stand open for your con-

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