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OUR 81ST YEAR OF SERVICE

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The peanut farmers still have until Friday, January 29 to cast their vote in the referendum to decide whether peanut price support program for four years which would be through the 1985 crop year. This vote is critical to the peanut farmer and EVERY peanut grower eligible should vote in the referendum.

If growers fail to approve quotas by a two-thirds majority, there would be no quotas or price support in effect for 1982 and another referendum would be conducted next December to determine marketing procedure in 1983.

If two-thirds of the growers participating in the referendum approve, the program framework with a quota support rate of \$550 per ton in 1982 - a 21 percent increase over 1981 - and mandatory increases in subsequent years to help offset production cost increases would be in effect.

All peanut growers should voice their choice in this voting.

The Gorman Chamber of Commerce has scheduled a stew supper for February 1, Monday night, at the school cafeteria and the public is invited to attend. The cost will be \$1 per plate and important matters concerning the City of Gorman will be discussed. So, if you are interested in the future of Gorman, and all residents should be, then you should be there to voice your ideas and thoughts for the future of Gorman.

Be there Monday night. The Panthers keep right on rolling along. They defeated the Rising Star Wildcats here Tuesday night to remain undefeated in District 27-A. We look for the Panthers to continue their winning ways and go into the playoffs. That is if they continue their fine brand of basketball.

The Pantherettes haven't fared as well as the Panthers but they are in there fighting in every game and are doing their best each time out. Let's all support the teams and show them we are behind them all the way.

We lost one of our large families this past week in Gorman, as well as losing a business man. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sikes and family have moved to Stephenville where he will be in the transmission business with his brother-in-law. The Sikes have lived in our community for ten years and have operated the Gorman Exxon Station. The station has closed and there has been no notification as yet if and when it will re-open. This family will be missed in our community and we wish them the best in their new home and business venture.

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Tickets are \$1.00 per person. Everyone is welcome to attend. remodeling just completed on our home.

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And remember to smile because God Loves You!

Bob Revels Jr. Laid To Rest Friday

EASTLAND — Services for William Robert "Bob" Revels Jr. 28, of Waco, formerly of Ranger, who died January 19 in West, will be at 4 P.M. Friday at Edwards Funeral Home.

The Rev. Jerry Speer of East Side Baptist Church in Ranger Will officiate, assisted by Randy Housh of Word of Life Church in Eastland. Burial will be in Alameda Cemetery.

Born February 3, 1953, in Ranger, he graduated from Ranger High School in 1971 and lived in Waco for 10 years, where he graduated from Texas State Technical Institute. He was employed as a florist in West.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Yvonne, in 1978; his father, Bob in 1975; a brother, Robert Lester; and a grandfather.

He is survived by a sister, Francis Jane Revels of Eastland; a paternal grandmother Mrs. Coda Jane Revels of Gorman; and two cousins, David Revels of Houston and Michael Wayne Dabney of Breckenridge.

Pallbearers were Steve Revels, Herb Merdena, Clarence Tally, Floyd Carraway, Ray Pryor, Mark Merdena, Ray Ripsey, Joe Finger, Bill Adams, and Bubba Adams.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Eastland Fire Department.

Mamie Vaughn Rites Held Thursday

ASPERMONT — Mamie Alice Vaughn, 83, of Aspermont, a retired beauty operator, died at 8:45 a.m. January 19, 1982. Tuesday at Stamford Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church, directed by McCoy Funeral Home.

The Rev. James Wood of Central Baptist Church and the Rev. Elmer Ward of First United Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in Aspermont Cemetery.

Born August 10, 1898, in Kent County, she had lived in the Aspermont area since 1918. She married Fermon Lee Vaughn December 20, 1968, in Girard. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Wesley Robbins of Anson; a daughter, Mary Beidleman of Zephyr; three sisters, Mrs. Annie Fae Foster of Gorman, Mrs. D.D. Smith of Dunn, and Mrs. J.T. Morris of De Leon; two brothers, R. G. Murdock and Noah Murdock, both of De Leon; and two grandchildren, Bill Robbins of Joshua and Kay Schwertner of Abilene.

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Barnett -- Iley Plan June Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barnett of Gorman, wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kristy Ann to Fredrey Joe Iley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Iley of Desdemona.

Kristy is a 1981 graduate of Gorman High School and is presently attending Texas A&M University. She is employed as Secretary to Dr. Thomas Hildy, Head of the Geodyromics Department of Texas A&M.

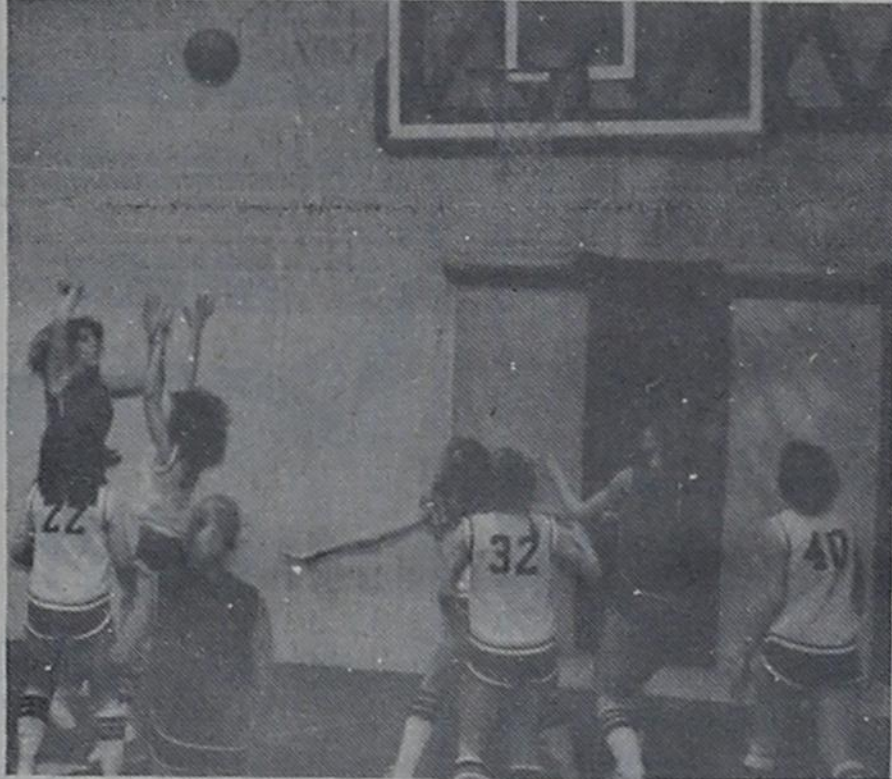
Fredrey is a 1977 graduate of Haltom High School. He is presently employed as a mechanic at Bruner Chevrolet in Stephenville.

The couple will be married on June 18, 1982 at the First Baptist Church in Gorman. They plan to make their home at College Station.

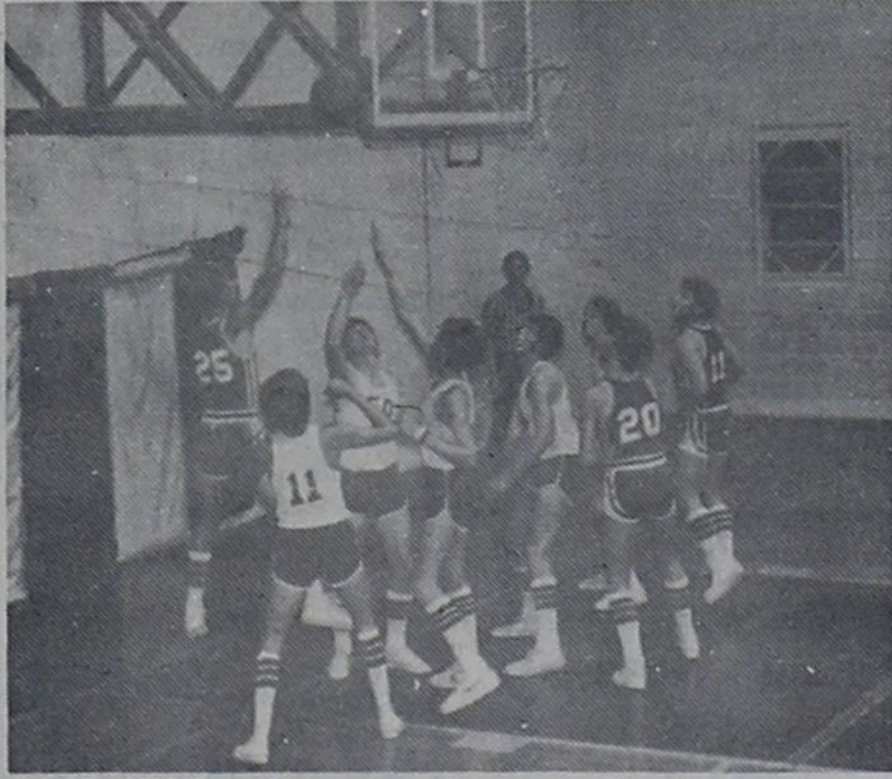
Kristy is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John West of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett of Eastland.

Fredrey is the grandson of Mrs. Ima Lee Burselson of Desdemona and Mrs. Lera Iley of De Leon.

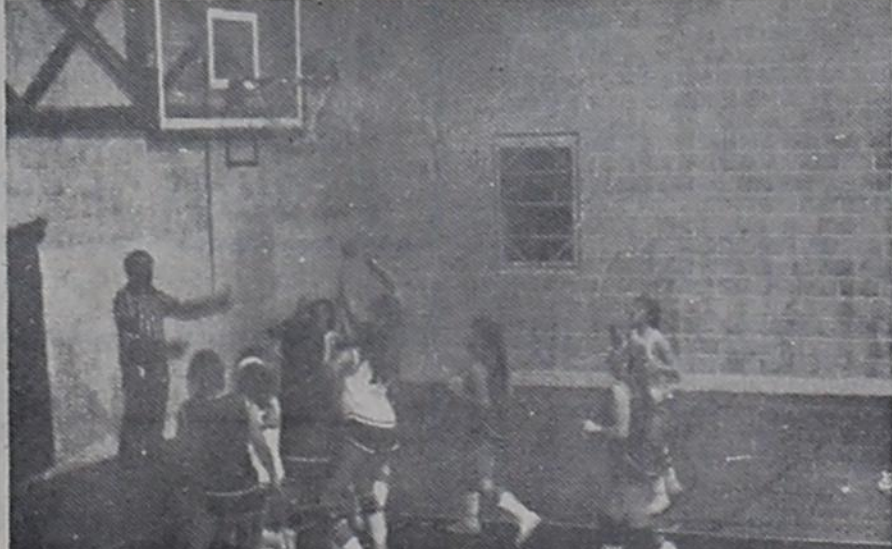
Basketball



FINE OFFENSIVE ACTION — Shown above is two of the Pantherettes making a fine effort to score two points in game action Friday night against Carbon.



GOOD SHOT — Show above is one the Panthers making a fine shot against the Carbon Boys in game action Friday night in Carbon. The Panthers won the game.



EXCELLENT DEFENSE — Above is several Pantherettes putting the Carbon Girls down doing action in the game held Friday. Pantherettes won the game.

CPR CLASSES TO BEGIN ON JANUARY 28

Blackwell Hospital is sponsoring a six weeks course in Emergency Medical Care. Classes will begin Thurs. January 28 at the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church. Hours will be 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Cost of the course will be \$40 plus cost of text book.

No previous medical training or knowledge is necessary.

Among topics covered will be training in CPR and management of at home and job medical emergencies.

Instructors for the course will be Dr. L. Aguila and Dr. N. Aguila, James Swanner, Lisa Cornwell and Diane Kent.

Anyone interested in pre-registration or requiring more information may con-

Hospital District To Elect Three

The South Eastland County Hospital Board of Directors have called an election of three board members. Election date has been set for Saturday April 3.

Directors terms expiring in April are Mrs. Tommie Haile, Edgar Higginbottom and Jame Peppers.

Candidates have until March 22 to file for a place on the ballot in the April 3 election.

All persons desiring to become a candidate may do so by filing with Hershel Cordell at the South Eastland County Hospital District Tax Office.

Myrtle Reynolds Services Held Thursday

EASTLAND — Myrtle N. Reynolds, 78, of Eastland, a lifelong Eastland County resident, died at 3:55 p.m. Tuesday, January 19, 1982 at Eastland Memorial Hospital after a short illness. Graveside services were at 11 a.m. Thursday at Oaklawn Cemetery in Gorman, directed by Bakker Funeral Home.

The Rev. Eric McKinney of First United Methodist Church officiated.

Born Myrtle Dolberry, February 19, 1903, in Eastland County, she married Fred Reynolds August 21, 1925, in Gorman. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Her husband preceded her in death in 1963.

Survivors include a son, L.B. of Eastland; a daughter, Mrs. Troy (Betty) Cross of Eastland; three sisters, Eva Daniels of Clyde, Dovia Black of Brady, and Pearl Garrett of Eastland; six grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

She was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Ruby Bennett and an aunt of Joe Bennett, both of Gorman.

THANKS TO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Our thanks and appreciation to the Gorman Volunteer Fire Department for extinguishing the grass fire at our farm Monday afternoon. The quick action of the men answering the call prevented further damage to our house and out buildings. Our special thanks to Tommy Kent who discovered the fire and alerted the fire department.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield

Regular Blood Pressure Clinic Set

West Central Texas Home Health Agency will hold a free Blood Pressure Clinic in the Gorman Hotel Apartments, the second Tuesday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.

The first clinic will be held on Tuesday February 9. This is a free clinic and everyone is urged to come and get your blood pressure taken.



ANOTHER FINE SHOT — Show above is Andy Kinsler breaking loose and scoring for 2 points against Carbon in game action Friday.

contact James Swanner at Blackwell Hospital at 734-2294.

TWO DAYS LEFT ON PEANUT REFERENDUM VOTE

According to D. B. Warren, a referendum vitally important to peanut producers will be conducted by a mail ballot from the County ASCS office during the period January 25-29. The following message in respect to the referendum has been endorsed by the National Peanut Growers Group and by all peanut grower organizations in the state.

"Peanut growers will have an opportunity to vote in a very crucial belt-wide referendum during the week of January 25 to determine if we will have a peanut price support program this year. If growers approve quotas by a two-thirds majority of those voting, quotas and price supports will be in effect throughout the four years, 1982-1985. If growers fail to approve quotas, there would be no quotas or price support in effect for 1982 and another referendum would be conducted next December to determine marketing procedure in 1983.

There is a big difference in the result of this referendum and those held in the past for peanut growers. In past referenda, if growers had failed to approve quotas, there still would have been a program with support prices at 50 percent of parity

GIRL SCOUTS TO SELL COOKIES

January 29 marks the start of this year's Girl Scout Cookie Sale. An American tradition that dates back to 1933, it's still a popular event for the girls and their customers.

Once upon a time cookies were home-baked, but the rapid growth of Girl Scouting and the public acceptance of their cookies soon required higher technology. This year there will be seven favorite varieties, including a new Chocolate cookie made with real chocolate chunks.

Girl Scouts in Heart of Texas Council have set a new sales record for the past four years in a row, according to council executive Donna Fincher of Brownwood.

"Like every part of the Girl Scout program, the cookies sale offers opportunity. It is a method for girls to earn their own way, and they have demonstrated over and over again that opportunities earned have great value than any free ride," Fincher said.

The cookies sale is a way for girls to share in the benefits of Girl Scouting regardless of their ability to pay. Through their own hard work in the sale girls earn their way to camp, pay membership dues, earn trips with their troop, or pay for books and other equipment.

Official estimates, based on prior year sales, are that girls will average earning almost \$10 individually, while each troop will average earnings of \$142. Camp fee credits and special scholarships are additional programs paid from cookie sale profits.

Girl Scouts will be taking cookie orders from their customers from January 29 through February 8. Cookies will be delivered beginning March 5.

Girl Scout officials remind the public that no Girl Scout will be accepting payment for cookies until cookies are delivered. Anyone who asks for money in advance might not be a Girl Scout.

Cookies will sell for \$1.75 per box this year. Call in orders may be made to Girl Scout Leader, Judy Miears at 734-2962.

for those growers planting within their allotments. This year, however, if growers fail to approve quotas, the new Farm Bill specifically provides that there will be no price support. In other words should growers fail to approve quotas, there would be no program whatever, neither quotas nor support price, in 1982.

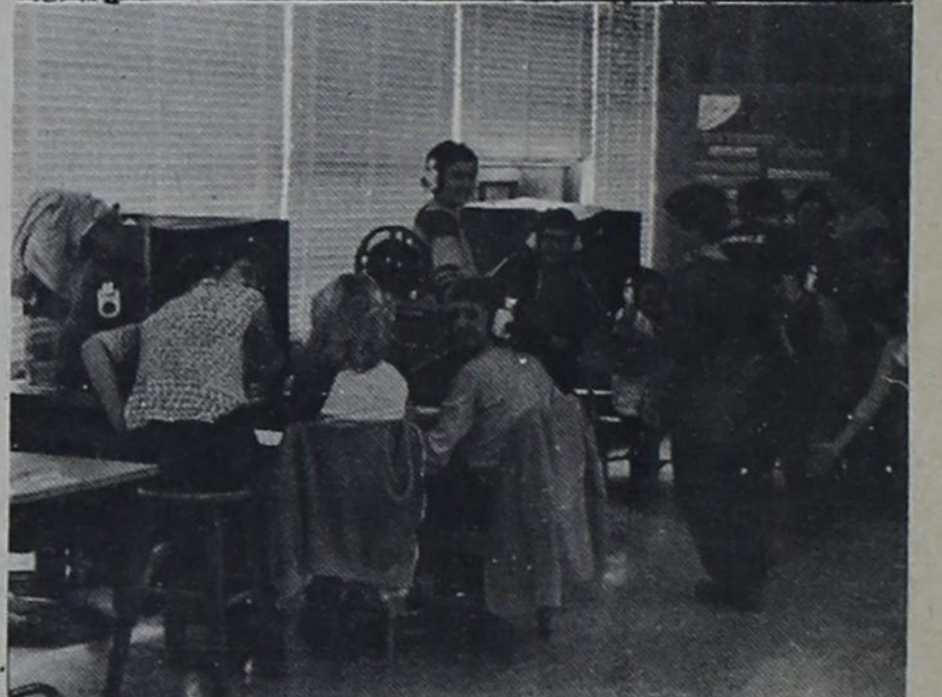
However, if two-thirds of the growers participating in the referendum vote to approve, we will maintain our program framework with a quota support rate of \$550 per ton in 1982 - a 21 percent increase over 1981 - and with mandatory increases in subsequent years to help offset production cost increases. We will have a national poundage quota of 1.2 million tons in 1982, along with substantially strengthened undermarketing carry forward provisions beginning with unused undermarketings in 1980.

We know that many

peanut producers are unhappy with the program and its future outlook. Such feelings are understandable, but they are not good reasons for voting out the peanut program altogether or for not voting. With all of its problems, the peanut program is one of two remaining commodity programs that contain the basic essentials for success - supply management and support prices. These features must be preserved. Don't risk losing those fundamental concepts - VOTE FOR QUOTAS AND PRICE SUPPORTS.

We urge that you not only vote in the referendum, but that you join with other growers in your community in setting up a telephone call campaign just prior to and during the referendum period to remind growers to vote.

A vote not cast can be used by program adversaries almost as effectively as a vote against quotas.



CAREER LEARNING CENTER — Gorman eighth grade students have been working this week with a Career Learning Center. The Career Learning Center involves the students in gathering information on many different careers, investigating career clusters or job families which relate to the students' interests and temperaments, and exploring one or more specific careers. The students are collecting data such as job outlook, kind of training needed, yearly pay, and the yearly number of job openings. The Center consists of cassette tapes, film loops, printed information, career files, books, filmstrips, microfiche, comic books, and 16mm career films. The Career Learning Center is under the supervision of Linda Glover, school counselor.

January 24-30 is Texa School Counselor's Week. Other students in the school have been learning about the role of the counselor in their school.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday February 27 were: J. D. Rodgers Gorman, Willie Barrett Gorman, Alvin Lasater Gorman, Emma Boyd Gorman, Flora Foster Gorman, W. O. Holliday

Throckmorton Cardelia Redman and baby Redman Gorman, Minnie Allen Gorman, Edna Watson Gorman, Louise Merrill Desdemona, Lucille Campbell Gorman, Regina White Gorman, Marion Smith Gorman, James Barker

Berenice Haynes Gorman, Bert Witt Gorman, Patients Dismissed February 20: Lois Pounds Gorman, Minnie Allen Gorman, Dismissed February 20: Tammy Shearman Gorman, Fred Cook Gorman, Dismissed February 23: Barbara Deletarro Gorman, Lennie Montgomery Gorman, Dismissed February 23: Joush Grumbles Gorman, Dorothy Rodgers Gorman, Frances Couch Gorman, Dismissed February 24: Addie Moseley Gorman, Bill Clark Gorman, G. O. Boyd Gorman, Dismissed February 26: A. R. Dossey Gorman

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Kokomo Premetive Baptist Church will meet Saturday night February 6 and Sunday Morning February 7.

Half Century Dance will be held January 29 from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m. in De Leon City Hall with Country Four Band providing Music. Everyone is invited.

Gorman Lions Club is sponsoring a Blood Drive to replace the Blood used for Ozella Pulley in her recent surgery. For more information contact Lion James Miears.

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

City Commission will meet Thursday, February 4 at 8:00 a.m. in the City Hall.

Chamber of Commerce Stew Supper Monday February 1, in School Cafeteria, \$1.00 per person. Everyone welcome.

Lions Club will meet Tuesday February 2 at the Band Hall at noon.

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

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

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FOR SALE: Catalina gas dryer. Mrs. John West, 734-2719. 1-1-28 C.

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School Hill News
By Oma Lee Riddell

I have been busy this month on a new job. I'm baby sitting for my little grandson and I must say that I've been improving on him considerable. When he first started staying with me he just wanted to lay in bed and sleep but now I've gotten him to where he will let me rock him all day and not cry until I put him down. She really had him spoiled. I will be sorry to see this month end and have him go to laying around in bed all the time again.

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SCHOOL MENU
Week of February 1-5
BREAKFAST
MONDAY — Orange juice, rice, toast and milk.
TUESDAY — Raisins, dry cereal and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Pineapple juice, sweet rolls and milk.
THURSDAY — Apple juice, toast, jelly and milk.
FRIDAY — Orange juice, pancakes, bacon, syrup and milk.

other day that it only takes ten dollars a month to feed a child in India, so I decided to send Leslie and Tena there.

I enjoyed visiting with Mother in Dublin on Monday and with Jane, Tommy and Luke Musick on the way home.

Renia Hogg's sister, Claraleen of Alaska has been visiting with her.

Belinda Staude of Stephenville visited some this week with Ann, Joe and Joey Staude.

Giff, Cody and Corey took Linda out to eat with Big Daddy on Tuesday night in honor of her birthday, I'll decline to way which one. Happy Birthday, Linda.

Jim Grimshaw was visiting on Wednesday morning with Gene, Jeane and Will Grimshaw.

It just occurred to me the other day that things look different to different things. For instance: A worm finds it much more relaxing to dig in the hard ground all day than going fishing.

Missy Davis had surgery in the Dublin Hospital on Thursday and is doing fine. Will be home soon.

Those helping William celebrate his birthday on Sunday were Leslie Riddell of Stephenville, Gene, Jeane and Will and Niki Grimshaw of Howard Community, Tommy, Jane and Luke Musick of Bunyon, Tena and I.

LUNCH
MONDAY — Stew, corn-bread, lettuce, pears cake squares and milk.
TUESDAY — Fried chicken and gravy, carrots and raisins salad, English peas, hot rolls, applesauce cake and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Pimiento cheese sandwiches, soup, fruit, cookies and milk.
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Kristin Ervin
Julie Grice
Michael Hampton
Michelle Hampton
Kevin Hirst
Matt Jones
Layne Morrow
Stephen Scitern
DeLana Skaggs

FOURTH GRADE

A Honor Roll
April Daniels
Christie Frasier
Brian Lasater
Lance Morrow
Lance Sharp
Nikki Warren
A — B Honor Roll
J. D. Bowery
Larry Brinegar
Gary Browning
Chad Campbell
Julie Casey
Jodi Gibbs
Brandon Gilmore
Eric Rivers
Tiffany Stephens
Julie Warren
Justin Warren
Kim Webb

FIFTH GRADE

A Honor Roll
A — B Honor Roll
Tresa Hutson
Michelle Jenkins
Kevin Love
Dara Mears

SIXTH GRADE

A Honor Roll
Jim Don Andrews

GORMAN CARE CENTER NEWS

By Jettie Daniels
Activity Director

This coming Thursday is Birthday time again. Those having birthdays this month are: Georgia Leonard, Bessie Jennings, Bessie Rhodes and Otis Thompson.

A very special wish for a very Happy Birthday.

The Rising Star Senior Citizens, will be our entertainers for this very special occasion.

Last weeks Bingo winners were Game No. 1 - Nancy Holloway; Game No. 2 - Ollie Nelson; Game No. 3 - Vera Goodwin; Game No. 4 - Vera

SEVENTH GRADE

A Honor Roll
Armando Ramirez
Stacey Slampa
A — B Honor Roll
Glenn Burgess
David Gibbs
Lance Jones
Anne Silva
Mike Snider
Toby Snider
Rene Wilson
Bryan Wood

EIGHTH GRADE

A Honor Roll
Randy Anderson
A — B Honor Roll
Danny Barnett
Traci Burns
Tammy Campbell

DESDEMONA NEWS

By Vonnie Guthery

Mr. Jackie Walls of School Hill Community is at home now following a long stay in the Waco Hospital. He is reported doing much better and would enjoy his friends dropping by for a visit.

The Ladies Monthly Social Goodwin. Blackout Winner was George Bennett.

Last week we had visitors from Tye, Fort Worth, Desdemona, Eastland, McCamey, Antelope, Gorman and Oklahoma City.

We thank each of them for coming our way.

You have indeed made your loved ones have a brighter day.

Had a nice singing last week after a month's rest and truly hope everyone will be back this Thursday night.

Our residents need you and look forward to seeing each of you on this Special night at 7 P.M.

Can You Say?
Can you say in parting with the day that's slipping fast. That you helped a single person of the many you have passed?

Did you waste the day or lose it, was it well or poorly spent?

Did you leave a trend of kindness, or a scar of discontent?

As you close your eyes in slumber, do you think God would say —

You have made the world much better for the life you've lived today?

—Author Unknown—

will be Monday, February 8th in the home of Mrs. Abbe Lindley. Visitors are welcome.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Page, Judy and Leroy were his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Page and his grandfather Mr. J. L. Fish of New Albany, Mississippi.

Mrs. Louise Merrill spent weekend in the Gorman Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Weaver and family of Waco spent Sunday visiting her mother, Dorothy Roberts and Jeff.

Brentley Johnson, son of Clyde and Sha Johnson of Stephenville had a bicycle accident recently and spent several days in Harris Hospital in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Connell former residents of Desdemona have moved to Lake Hubbard near Breckenridge. Henry recently retired from Mobil Oil Co.

Our Thought for Today — Light a Candle of Friendship. Never let its flame burn low. For all your world can be lighted. By one candle's friendly glow.

— Jon Gilbert

—GP—



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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

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In the state of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1981 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Charter number 7410 National Bank Region Number 11

Statement of Resources and Liabilities Thousands of dollars

ASSETS

Cash and due from depository institutions	2,219
U. S. Treasury securities	1,197
Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	302
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	777
All other securities	8
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,000
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	10,949
Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	101
Loans, Net	10,848
Lease financing receivables	none
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	496
Real estate owned other than bank premises	146
All other assets	486
TOTAL ASSETS	17,479

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,975
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	11,166
Deposits of United States Government	3
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States	1,803
All other deposits	none
Certified and officers' checks	6
Total Deposits	15,953
Total demand deposits	3,279
Total time and savings deposits	12,674
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	none
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U. S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	none
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases	177
All other liabilities	324
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	16,454
Subordinated notes and debentures	none

MEMORANDA EQUITY CAPITAL

Preferred stock	No. shares outstanding	none	(par value)	none
Common stock	No. shares authorized	700		
	No. shares outstanding	700	(par value)	70
Surplus				190
Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves				765
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL				1,025
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL				17,479

Amounts outstanding as of report date:	
Standby letters of credit, total	none
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	3,030
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	245
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:	
Total deposits	16,531

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

[Signatures]
Directors

I, Freda Riggs, Cashier

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Signature]
Signature
January 26, 1982
Date

FORMAN PROGRESS, JANUARY 28, 1982
UMW TO OBSERVE A CALL TO PRAYER
 The United Methodist Women will meet at 2:30 p.m. Monday February 1, at the Church observing an Annual World Wide Event, "A Call To Prayer and Self Denial". Mrs. Lucretia Fairbetter will lead the every member participation study of World Mission Projects - these being spiritual, physical, social and political. The word Self Denial has to do with an offering which is a second mile gift. The monies received will aid in supporting the struggle against racism at home and abroad.

CITY TAX NOTICE

GORMAN CITY TAXES ARE NOW DUE

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HOSPITAL TAX NOTICE

South Eastland County Hospital District Taxes are now due.

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Property owners must pay taxes by Jan. 31

AUSTIN--An important deadline occurs this month for property owners in Texas.

Kenneth Graeber, executive director of the State Property Tax Board, today reminded Texans that local property taxes assessed for 1981 by cities, counties, school districts and special districts must be paid by the end of January.

"Taxes not paid before

AUCTION FOR WRANGLER BELLES SET! FOR FEBRUARY 14

Auctions for the 1982-83 Wrangler Belles drill team of Cisco Junior College will be held Sunday, February 14, in the gymnasium on the CJC Campus.

The tryouts will begin at 1:00 P.M. and should be completed by 5:00 P.M.

Mrs. Pat Owens, director of the Belles, said that a simple routine will be taught to the girls, and they will be auditioning in groups.

All senior girls are invited to audition, and no previous experience is necessary. Shorts and tennis shoes should be worn by the girls.

All Wrangler Belles receive a scholarship, the amount depends on place of residence (on or off campus) and classification.

For more information contact Mrs. Pat Owens at 817/442-2567, extension 121.

—GP—

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB MEET IN G. C. AREA HOME

The Woman's Study Club met on Monday evening January 25, 1982 at the home of Mrs. Ruby Acrea, with Mrs. Acrea and Mrs. Eula Lee Mears as hostesses.

Mrs. Joan Butler, President, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Mary Crenshaw reported that the West Texas Rehab Benefit Bean Supper was a success as we raised \$542.60. Members of the club donated the beans and cobbles at an average cost of \$10 per member and other expenses totaling \$70 were paid from the club treasury. All the proceeds from the supper were given to the Rehab Center, and Mrs. Crenshaw and Mrs. Louise Rankin were "stars" on the TV Telethon.

Miss Don Moorman reported that she and Mrs. Bernice Jeffs sent out the annual cemetery letters early in January. From the 271 letters the cemetery fund has received \$858.60.

The year book that was sent to district headquarters has been returned with a score of 87 on it. Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher, Chairman of the year book Committee noted that the scoring on individual points on this should be a help to the next year book committee.

Mrs. Lois Buchanan gave a delightful program on "School Days" in which she related many humorous incidents of her experience in teaching first grade. The roll was then called and each member responded by telling some interesting or humorous memory of her own school days.

Delicious refreshments of cake, dips, chips, salad and drinks were served by the hostesses.

LEGAL NOTICE APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH A CBCT BRANCH

Notice is hereby given by First National Bank, Gorman, Texas that an application was filed with the Comptroller of the Currency on December 1, 1981 for permission to establish an off-premise CBCT Branch at 202 West 8th Street in Cisco, Texas in accordance with the provisions of the National Bank Act, as amended.

Any person wishing to comment on this application may reply in writing to Clifton A. Poole, Jr., Regional Administrator of National Banks, Eleventh National Bank Region, 1201 Elm Street, Suite 3800, Dallas, Texas 75270, within 10 days of this notice. This application is on file in the Regional Administrator's office in Dallas and is available for public inspection during regular business hours.

interest charges will total 9 percent in March, 11 percent in April, 13 percent in May, and 15 percent in June.

Total penalty and interest on delinquent taxes reaches 18 percent in July, 19 percent in August, 20 percent in September, 21 percent in October, 22 percent in November, and 23 percent in December.

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a combined 24 percent penalty and interest charge. And, Graeber noted, the interest would continue to increase by 1 percent per month.

In addition, if a taxing jurisdiction or appraisal district has contracted with a delinquent tax attorney, its governing body may add an additional penalty to any tax delinquent on July 1.

The additional penalty may not exceed 15 percent of the taxes, penalty and interest due.

Graeber pointed out that some home rule cities may have different delinquency dates for 1981 taxes. "The Property Tax Code does not affect a city's delinquency date for its 1981 taxes if the city charter or ordinance provides an earlier delinquency date," he said.

He also noted that if a taxing jurisdiction mailed its 1981 tax bills after January 10, the delinquency date is postponed to the first day of the next month that will provide a period of at least 21 days after the date of mailing for payment of taxes before delinquent.

Taxpayers with questions are encouraged to contact local government tax offices.

Cut flowers last longer if the leaves below water level are removed.

Taxpayers pay for trash

The Brownwood Highway Department District of nine counties which includes Eastland County spent a total of \$189,000.00 just to pick up trash along the State's highways during the fiscal year that ended August 31, 1981.

The figures released today by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, show an in-

crease of 26 percent. The litter problem, particularly in heavily populated areas is growing to gargantuan proportions.

"If motorists would properly dispose of their trash it would save Texas taxpayers millions of dollars and would save DHT thousands of man hours. That's time and money that could be spent on keeping our aging highways in better repair," said DHT Engineer-Director Mark Goode.

SCHOOL TAX NOTICE

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CARBON NEWS
By Mrs. Bob Hasting
639-2517

In Basketball, Junior High Boys and Girls played Rising Star last Monday night at Rising Star. Scores were Carbon Girls 24, Rising Star Girls 5; Boys Scores were

Carbon 26, Rising Star 23. They will play Eula this Monday night here.

Carbon High teams played Cross Plains on last Tuesday here winning both games, Carbon Girls 44 and Cross Plains Girls 39; Carbon Boys 69 and Cross Plains 55.

On Friday night Carbon played Gorman and lost both, Gorman Girls 35 -

Carbon Girls 29 and Gorman Boys 64 - Carbon Boys 58.

Scores for the Carbon Lion's Club versus Mangum Baptist Church. Lion's wives scored 38, Mangum ladies had 32; Lion's had 55 to Mangum men with 28.

Mrs. Elbert Files of Houston visited his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Files part of last week. On

REAGAN BROWN TO BE HONORED IN STEPHENVILLE

Texas Commissioner of Agriculture Reagan V. Brown will be honored at a fund raising fish fry in the Stephenville recreation building at the city park Monday February 1. The fish fry will be catered by Stanley White with a full evening of entertainment planned. Tickets for the 6 p.m. fish fry are \$10 each and are available at Farmers-First National Bank, Stephenville Bank and Trust, and Town and County Bank. Tucker

Thursday evening they visited their sister, Mrs. Edna Roney and their mother Mrs. Pearl Files of Breckenridge, where they helped their mother celebrate her 92nd birthday. Our congratulations to, Mrs. Files.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrad Johnson of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mrs. Bessie Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKeekan of Sipe Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warren of May visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jordan of Odessa spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Lona Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett of Wichita Falls spent part of last week with Mrs. Ruth Reese.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner during the weekend were Mrs. Zula Walton and John Walton of Carlott also Miss Darla May of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ables of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan one day last week, other visitors in the home during the week were Trumal Snell of Eastland and Mrs. Pearl Snell also Mr. and Mrs. Rex Morgan and family of Graham.

Several Carbon 4-H members and their parents enjoyed a Livestock Work Shop Saturday afternoon at the Joe Cagle home. A local Show is being planned for February. There will be more information as to date, location and so on later.

How Good Is Guinea Meat?

COLLEGE STATION--How good is guinea meat compared to other types of poultry meat?

Recent studies indicate the nutritional quality of guinea meat is comparable to that of chicken broilers, explains

Pemberton is ticket sales chairman.

Entertainment will be provided by the popular musical group "Amanda", young fiddle player Eric Tull, and the captains of the Stephenville High School Stingerettes.

Several local and state office holders, headed by State Senator Bob Glasgow and Representative Bruce Gibson, are expected to attend the event and make brief remarks concerning the candidacy of Brown in the coming general election.

Brown is currently completing his first full term as Commissioner of Agriculture. He was appointed to the office in 1977 by Gov. Dolph Briscoe to fill the unexpired term of a former commissioner and was elected to the office in 1978.

Brown has been involved in Texas Agriculture more than 30 years starting his career with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He served as Extension Sociologist in the Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology at Texas A&M University, and in 1974 was appointed special assistant to Governor Briscoe responsible for rural development and agriculture programs.

Brown has received numerous awards and citations from agriculturally-oriented organizations and groups including Man of the Year in Texas Agriculture and Faculty Distinguished Service Award from Texas A&M University.

Brown's daughter, Beverly is married to Paul Watson and they make their home in Stephenville where Watson is Administration and Planning Officer in the university engineer's office at Tarleton. Beverly is a flight attendant for Southwest Airlines.

thigh meat samples were analyzed.

Guinea breast contained 74.60 percent moisture to 74.46 percent for chicken breasts. Guinea thighs had 76 percent moisture while broiler thighs had 75.81 percent.

From a protein standpoint, guinea meat was 22.3 percent protein in the breast and 18.8 percent in the thigh compared to 23.09 and 19.95 percent in the broiler breast and thigh, respectively.

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SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

Well, there was Bookie with his "Love Lorn" Book in his hands. He had hired Hickey as an Office Manager and Bookie would be field manager. Hick like the job as he could talk the horns off a "Billy Goat". Hick had a job chewing Tinsley Tobacco. It was fine if he could chew a lug per week. He was saving the tags to recover his house again.

When he was not busy at buying or selling, he would

be shelling pecans as "Landers Best."

He had a way of putting out a small amount in Container for customer to buy. When he had the amount the person wanted, Hick would say "not any left, you had better buy a few more". The person would be a few more and Hick would laugh. After person left out Hick would go to back of store and unlace a full sack and get ready for next customer.

He was a good domino player. Bookie had a perfect incusable hair transplant. It would come his time to play and he would grumble like an old sow with 14 pigs. He would raise his hat and push his hair back and yell "75". He would never miss it over 80.

The last I played at Station was November 79. Lola was in Hospital 18 days unconscious. Cora Lee came to Hospital two evenings straight and said she would take me to Station and would stay with Lola and if any change would come and get me.

When I entered Station they asked me, how Lola was doing. I told them just gradually getting weaker. That I could see the Rest Home staring at me.

Some one told me to take their place. I was playing just after Marcy. Both days I have never had such luck in my life. I knew Marcy was a better player. Tho I kept on saying "it is Science". After winning the same way on both days and would get up and say "no competition".

Marcy had many good qualities. He would take men to windy's at De Leon. Take a crowd to De Leon Senior

Citizens Dinner, also here. He donated to the Churches when he sold his home. He met his maker years ago. His wife with such a wonderful record as teacher is here in the home.

My daughter, Betty visited me Sunday morn and during Super Bowl. I certainly enjoyed the visit. She also pruned my finger and toe nails for me. As I cannot see how to do the job.

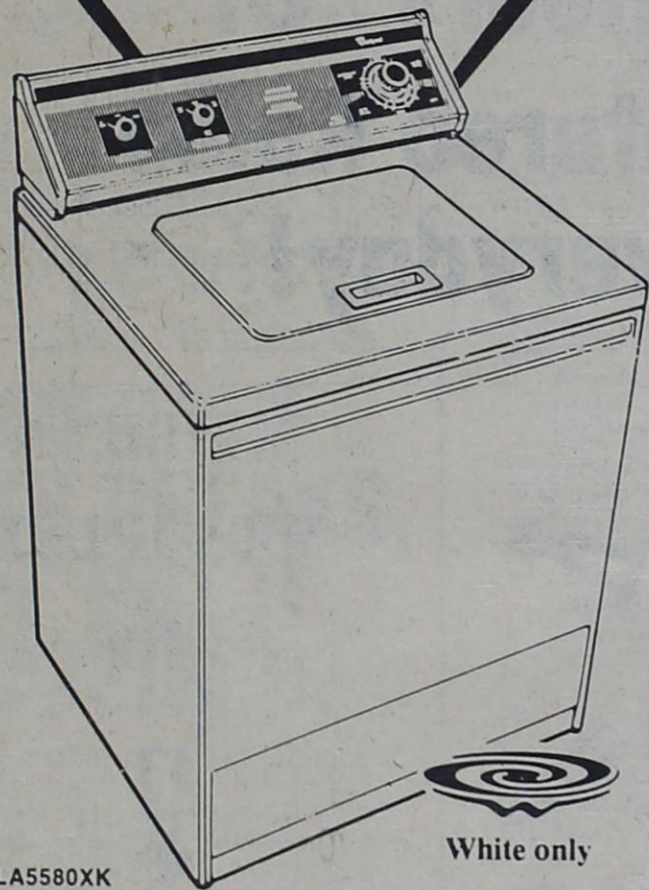
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- 2 wash and spin speeds for proper fabric care
- Porcelain-enameled top, lid, outer tub and inner basket
- Heavy-duty 1/2 h.p. motor
- Bac-Pak! Laundry Information Center
- Choice of decorator colors
- **Whirlpool selected load - see Laundry Guide

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Your electricity will cost more in 1982 mainly because the fuel to make it will cost more.

In 1982, we'll have to pay more for the fuels used to produce your electricity. Partly this is because another contract for low-cost natural gas fuel has expired. But mainly it's because the price of all fuel continues to rise.

We spent about \$200 million in 1980 for fuel to make your electricity. In 1981, the fuel bill was about \$400 million. And in 1982, we estimate we'll have to spend \$640 million for fuel.

Approximate Cost of Fuel

Year	Fuel cost paid by Texas Electric	Your average annual fuel cost per kilowatt hour
1980	\$200 million	1 cent
1981	\$400 million	2 cents
1982*	\$640 million	3 cents

*Estimated

We buy all our fuels at the lowest price available. We

charge our customers exactly what we have to pay for fuel. And each month, we show on the bill the "fuel" part of the total cost of electricity.

At Texas Electric, we're trying to hold down fuel costs by making as much electricity as possible in plants built to use lignite coal - a cheaper fuel. And we're building a plant to use uranium, the lowest priced fuel available to us.

You can help hold down your electric bill by conserving at home. To learn how, please call us.

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