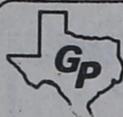


March 31, 1983



# The Gorman Progress

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GORMAN, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS 76454

OUR 83RD YEAR OF SERVICE NUMBER SEVEN



## Press Points

Joe Bennett, Publisher

We received a little shower on Tuesday night when the bad weather was moving around in the area, and thank the Lord, rain was all we got. There were twisters reported near Clyde and in Callahan County, but we lucked out in that category. The showers are great for the gardens. Now if it will just warm up a little, the prospects for good garden crops will be greatly improved.

Be sure and remember to go to the polls on Saturday and cast your vote in all three elections. There are positions to be filled in the school, city and hospital district elections. The way you vote is your business, but please take advantage of the opportunity we have of having a say in who is to represent us in the different positions. So whatever else you do on Saturday, be sure and vote.

Jack Bennett has purchased the lot where the former Chuck Eaker home was located next door to Mrs. Iris Preston and Jack and Barbara have contracted with Clark Construction Co. to build their new home on the lot.

Work on the rebuilding project of Leonard Silva on the former Bolt home is coming right along with the stud walls already in place on the upstairs portion of the house and the trusses were being placed in position on Tuesday afternoon.

We add our congratulations and thanks to all of those in the community to the Chamber of Commerce (and all those who helped them) on the outstanding job that was done with the annual Farmer of the Year Banquet held last Thursday evening. Everything went just great and a larger than average crowd was on hand for the presentations of Farmer of the Year Award and Outstanding Citizen Award. The food was great, the fellowship with all the folks was great, the speaker was great, and the entertainment was great, and the selection committees did a fine job on their task of naming the recipients of the annual awards. It was just a marvelous evening and a fantastic job was turned in by everyone connected with the banquet. I know people always complain when they are asked to help with something because they are always so busy, but isn't it fantastic that the job is always done when it comes down to it and it is always done well. Good job, folks.

The wife and I will be out of town for a few days visiting with relatives in Wisconsin. But if you need anything just holler at Lonnie or Estelle and they will get the job done. But it's that way already, because they do all the work around here anyway.

And remember to smile -- because God Loves You!

**THANK YOU!**  
To all my family and friends, please accept my thanks for honoring me with your presence, gifts and cards, in making my 75th birthday a very Happy occasion.

I love you all.  
Lorene Foster

Gorman Schools will dismiss school at 2:30 Thursday, March 31 and resume classes on Tuesday April 5. This is the annual Easter holidays for the faculty students and school personnel.

## Bud Jeffs — Marlene Quarles Announce Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Maulin Quarles of Morgan Mill announce the engagement of their daughter Marlene, to Bud, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jeffs.

Wedding vows will be exchanged on June 18, 1983, in the Morgan Mill Baptist Church at 8:00 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

## DINNER TO HONOR BUYER'S

The 4-H FFA Booster Club is having a Buyer's Appreciation Dinner on Tuesday, April 5, 7:00 p.m. at the High School Gym.

This year we will also recognize the 4-H and FFA members who participated in the Livestock Show. All members and their

## Paul Morgan Services Held

Paul Morgan, 74, of Eastland, a retired printer, died Wednesday March 23, 1983 morning in Colorado Springs, Colo., after a short illness. Graveside services were at 10 a. m. Friday at Sipe Springs Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

Officiating was the Rev. Donna Ware, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Gorman.

He was born Dec. 19, 1908, in Sipe Springs. He had worked as a printer for the Chicago Tribune, Houston Chronicle and Cross Plains Review. He was a Baptist and an Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include a son, Paul Carroll McClure of Mesa, Ariz.; a nephew, James Smith of Eastland; and a cousin, Helen Chandler of Gorman.

Pallbearers of Gorman were Graydon Baze, Edgar Higginbotham, Bill Chandler, Honnoll Watson, Bill Parr and Joe Bennett.

## 4-H — FFA BOOSTER CLUB THANKS BUYER'S

The Gorman 4-H FFA Booster Club, the 4-H Club and FFA Club wish to thank all the buyers that purchased sale animals, the Merchants and people that donated money to our booster fund and attended our money-raising suppers and bake sales.

We really appreciate all of the support and backing that we received from everyone.

There was a record amount spent on Gorman animals this year which was \$29,107.20.

In the open bidding on Gorman Livestock was Brown's Feed Store, Gorman; Columbia Packing Co., Dallas; First National Bank, Gorman; Birdsong Peanuts, Gorman; Lone Star Title; Eastland; Jack Rahar, Jasper, Texas; Bob Carrol Construction, Ranger; Mauney Farm Supply, Gorman; Cook Insurance, De Leon; Production Credit Association, Eastland; Clyde Bookkeeping, Clyde; Eastland National Bank, Eastland; Hood King Motors, Eastland; Gorman Milling, Gorman; Comanche Co. Tractor, De Leon; Moran National Bank, Moran; Moylan Construction Co., Eastland; Don Hanvey Production Co., Dallas; Sure-Grow Liquid Feed, Hereford; Eastley Trucking, Gorman; Texas Electric Service, Eastland; Comanche Co. Phone Co., De Leon; Corn Gold Sausage, Stephenville; Mahan Chev., De Leon; Hagood Electric, Gorman; and Big Country Log Homes, Gorman.

Merchants and people making donations to our Booster Fund to help purchase animals were Smith Brothers Chev., Gorman Pharmacy, Dr. Gray, The Nat House, Dr.'s Clinic, Qickway, Lasater's Dept. Store, Blaine Gibbs Mobil, Big "J" Boots, Fincher Feeds, Claude Fuller, Mears Butane, Higginbotham's, Nut House, Doctors' Clinic, City of Gorman, Hi-Fashion Beauty Salon, Sunbelt Savings, Tommy Roberts Construction, Bob's Grocery and Carousel Gift Shop.

Also Clark Tractor Co., Golden Oak Milling Co., Dennis Frasier, Larry Campbell Exxon, Grandpaw's Smokehouse, Billy Self, James Thompson, F & M Bank, Southwestern Peanut Growers Association, G & L Auto Parts, Milton Jensen, Zeld Jordan, Troyat Underwood, Farley Farm Supply, De Leon Peanuts, A.E. Smith, Foster Floral, Bob's Welding Service and De Leon Veterinary Clinic.

Others making contributions were Keith Tractor Co., Gorman Insurance Co., Dr. Gary Easley, Charles Little, Artistic Beauty Salon, Lone Star Gas, Duncan's Veterinary Clinic, Community TV Service, Texas Electric Service, De Leon, Gorman Lions Club, Dr. Pino, Jay Brothers, Jay's Grocery and Jay's Insurance.

Also D.D. Lowery Irrigation, Tom Broom, T.J. Clark Construction, Munn's Cleaners, Wright Irrigation, Wesley Warren, Larry Morrow, Ball Oilfield Service, Ebba Iron, JS Roustabout Service, W & W Gate and Panel, Bramlett Implement Co., Dairy Queen, Jobe's Spraying, Perkins Car Wash, Vernon Files and Donnie Mauney.

We sincerely hope we haven't left anyone off of the list and if we did we apologize and did not do it intentionally.

Thanks to everyone.

## Danny Snider Named Farmer of the Year

Some over 250 persons attended the Chamber of Commerce Banquet Thursday evening.

Layton Black a lamb buyer from Goldthwaite addressed the crowd and left 'em laughing with his humorous supposedly true stories. On a serious note he spoke on "Whatever Happened to Excellence."

Roy Thackerson, outstanding fiddler from Ranger assisted by Al Anderson and Gerald Parks of Cisco presented a most delightful program.

Danny Snider, 28 year old Gorman native, was named Outstanding Farmer of the Year Thursday night at the Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

Danny is a 1972 graduate of Gorman High School and 1976 graduate of Tarleton State University with a degree in Agri-business.

He comes from a farm family. His father the late C.S. Snider farmed all his



life. He has two brothers Ted and Gene who are successful farmers in the Gorman area. His mother Hazel lives on the family farm near Gorman.

His farming career began part time while he was a student and a following graduation he began full time.

He presently farms 80 acres peanuts, and 120 acres

of cantaloupes, watermelons and guar. He also raises cattle.

He is married to the former Dianne Vaughn. They have two children, Justin age 5 and Belenda age 2. They attend Kokomo Baptist Church where he is a Sunday school teacher.

Danny was presented the coveted 1982 Farmer of the Year plaque by master of ceremony, Gene Foster.

## Rowena Wilson Named Citizen of the Year

Mrs. Ross (Rowena) Wilson was named Citizen of the Year at the Chamber of Commerce Banquet Thursday evening.

She was chosen for accomplishments as a teacher and the record of students competing in University Interscholastic League and State competition in Short hand, and typing.

She is devoted to her students and the admiration and respect that her students have for her is evidence by the fact that the high school annual has been dedicated to her twice. All her students know the standard of excellence that she demands of herself as a teacher also know that she challenges each student with that same standard of excellence.

She has had no less than 45 students place first or second in district competition 25 in typing and 20 in shorthand of the 45, 32 went on the place first, second or third in regional competition and qualify for state contest. Fourteen of these were in typing and 18 in shorthand. Out of 20 district winners in shorthand, 18 made it all the way to state. Thirteen of her students have placed third or higher in state competition at Austin. She coached two state champions in short hand, Paulett Baze in 1980 and Kayla Odell in 1982.

Her students have won in district and regional competition to qualify for state competition in 18 of the last 22 years.

This is a record that is probably unequalled in the entire state of Texas.

## Mary Webb Executive Director TPPB

Bill Huff, Chairman of the Texas Peanut Producers board, has announced the hiring of Mary Webb as Executive Director.

Mary came to work for the Board in September of 1975 as a secretary. She was promoted to Assistant Executive Director in April 1981 and has been serving as Acting Executive Director since August 1982.

The kids have worked hard on these projects and are lucky to have the fine support of the town and people in the surrounding area.

Thanks to everyone.



Mrs. Wilson graduated from Baxter Iowa High School as salutatorian of her class. She attended Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri and Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Sheets moved to Texas during her college years when he became basketball coach at Southwestern University in Georgetown. She also came to Texas and

graduated with honors from Southwestern University. She taught two years at Daniel Baker College in Brownwood before coming to Gorman where she began teaching in 1949. On December 23, 1949, she married Ross Wilson Gorman Football coach. She continued teaching in Elementary school until 1955 when she began teaching in high school.

## Randall Gibbs Receives Bonus



Randall Gibbs receiving a Bonus Check for \$100 from Corky Brown of Brown's Feed Store for his hog that was named Grand Champion at the Eastland County Livestock Show.

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Corky for his exceptional generosity.

Jerry, Carolyn and Randall Gibbs

She currently serves as a Director on the National Peanut Council and is on the Export Executive Committee. She is the office manager and the assistant secretary-treasurer of the Texas Peanut Growers Association.

Mary is married to Tommy

Webb and they live with their three children in the Nimrod Community in Eastland County.

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

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

City Commission will meet Thursday, April 7 at 8:00 a.m. at the City Hall.

Fire Department will meet Monday, April 4.

Lions Club will meet Tuesday, April 4 at noon at Band Hall.

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 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

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

## Holy Week SERVICES

First United Methodist Church welcomes you to attend Maundy Thursday Services and Communion at 6:00 p.m. Thursday, March 31 and Good Friday Tenebrae Services on Friday, April 1 at 7:00 p.m. Rev. Donna Ware, Pastor.

## VOTE SATURDAY

Official Ballot No. 192  
South Eastland County Hospital District  
April 2, 1983

Vote for the candidate of your choice by placing an "X" in the square beside the names of the candidates of your choice.

VOTE UD PARA LOS CANDIDATOS DE SU PREFERENCIA POR PONER UN "X" EN LOS CUADROS CERCA DE LOS NOMBRES DE LOS CANDIDATOS DE SU PREFERENCIA.

### ELECTION FOR FOUR BOARD DIRECTORS

Vote For Any Four of Your Choice:

- Woodie Beene
- Hershell Cordell
- James Mears
- Lowell Rawls

SAMPLE

### Official Ballot No. 501

CITY ELECTION CITY OF GORMAN April 2, 1983

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VOTE UD PARA LOS CANDIDATOS DE SU PREFERENCIA POR PONER UN "X" EN LOS CUADROS CERCA DE LOS NOMBRES DE LOS CANDIDATOS DE SU PREFERENCIA.

### ELECTION FOR TWO COMMISSIONERS:

FOR COMMISSIONER, PLACE 1:

- Frank Leazer

FOR COMMISSIONER, PLACE 3:

- Bill Mears

### Official Ballot No. 501

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION April 2, 1983

Vote for the candidate of your choice by placing an "X" in the square beside the names of the candidates of your choice.

VOTE UD PARA LOS CANDIDATOS DE SU PREFERENCIA POR PONER UN "X" EN LOS CUADROS CERCA DE LOS NOMBRES DE LOS CANDIDATOS DE SU PREFERENCIA.

### CANDIDATES FOR GORMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION

THREE TRUSTEES TO BE ELECTED FOR THREE YEAR TERM:

- Dale Curb
- Gene Snider
- Jackie Grice
- Howard Hagood

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- John (Corky) Brown
- Windell Treadway

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4-4-21 C.

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way . . . from Peter Cottontail and  
from us. We all want you to have  
a joyous, bountiful Easter season

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# KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

It seems to me that we are  
having typical Texas Spring  
weather. Thunderstorms,  
rainstorms, sandstorms, warm  
and cold weather. It rained  
about an inch here on Friday  
night.

If you did not attend the  
revival services at the Kokomo  
Baptist Church this past week,  
you surely missed blessing.  
Donna Browning, Angela  
Burgess, Caye Little, Charla Little  
and Kathy Snider rendered the  
special music at the Sunday  
morning service. Visitors were  
Bro. and Mrs. George Weeks of  
Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy  
Don Wilson and Jerry Don of  
Ranger, Kyle Bryant, Alma Lee  
Creager of Levelland.

**FOR SALE:** Three  
bedroom house on corner  
lot, for more information  
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Rainey. 1-3-31 C.

**WANTED TO BUY:**  
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day thru Sunday call  
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**REWARD: \$50.00**  
REWARD for leads to  
the person who shot our  
dog on Tuesday after-  
noon, A Black Labrador.  
The dog is badly injured  
in the right front leg.  
Notify Mike Rodgers at  
734-2952 after 5 p.m. if  
you have any information  
concerning the shooting.  
1-3-31 C.

A covered dish luncheon was  
enjoyed in the fellowship hall at  
the church following the Sunday  
morning service.

Special music at the Sunday  
evening services was rendered by  
Helen and Woodrow Browning,  
Albert Hendricks, and Bro. Jim  
Andrews with Wynelle Brown at  
the piano. Mr. and Mrs. W. C.  
Browning of Gorman were  
visitors.

Our Congratulations to Danny  
and Dianne Snider and their  
children. Danny was named as  
the Outstanding Farmer of the  
Year at the Gorman Chamber of  
Commerce Banquet on Thursday  
night.

Mrs. Wayne Eaton, Chad and  
Lindsey of Abilene visited from  
Tuesday until Friday of last week  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Claude Fuller, while Chad was on  
Spring Break from school.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hooper of  
Pampa were recently visitors  
here with her brother, Mr. and  
Mrs. Claude Fuller.

Mrs. W. A. O'Neal was released  
from the Blackwell Hospital on  
Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoy  
and Robin of Plano, and Mr. and  
Mrs. Roy Buchanan, Kelly and  
Yancy of Clyde were here to visit  
with her and Mr. and Mrs. Albert  
Hendricks. We wish Mrs. O'Neal  
a speedy recovery.

Mr. Alvin Lasater has been a  
patient in the Blackwell Hospital  
for several days. We send get  
well wishes to him.

**FOR SALE:** Recently  
remodeled two bedroom  
house on two lots  
\$11,000. Call 893-6630.  
3-24-FNC.

**GARAGE SALE:** Friday  
and Saturday, April 1 and  
2 at Jo Henery's, 25 and  
50 cents per garment.  
Lots of garments left from  
last week. Men's pants,  
Ladies dresses, Roll-  
Away bed, complete,  
\$25.00. Call 734-2768.  
1-3-31 C.

**LOST:** Black baldy cow  
near Oliver Springs. Any  
information appreciated.  
Call 893-6788. 1-3-31 C.

**Charles Keyser Rites**  
Charles Roy Keyser, 66, of  
San Juan, Texas, formerly of  
Gorman, died Saturday,  
March 26, 1983 in Harlingen  
after a short illness. Grave-  
side services were at 11 a.m.  
Wednesday at Oaklawn  
Cemetery, directed by Hig-  
ginbotham Funeral Home.

The Rev. Donna Ware of  
First United Methodist  
Church officiated.

Born Feb. 26, 1917, in  
Oklahoma, he was a gift shop  
owner.

Survivors include his wife,  
Martha Keyser; a daughter,  
Verna Budd of Severna Park,  
MD.; a brother, Leslie Key-  
ser of Gorman; a sister, Viola  
Koonce of Kaufman; and  
three grandchildren.

Lindell Fields of Bryan, Mr. and  
Mrs. Richard Nachtigall, Taylor  
and Trevis of Morgan Mill and  
Buster Johnson were visiting  
during the weekend with Mr.  
and Mrs. Vernon Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson, Mr.  
and Mrs. Jerry Wilson, Mr. and  
Mrs. Glynn Wilson, Amy, Adam  
and Nathan and Mr. and Mrs.  
Jimmy Don Wilson and Jerry Don  
all of Ranger and C. N. Adams of  
Eastland were dinner guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, Shannon  
and Brian on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller  
recently took a vacation trip to  
Las Vegas, Nevada and also  
visited with her nephew, Mr. and  
Mrs. Jerry Flatt and children of  
Las Vegas.

The new Pediatric Floor of the  
Brownwood Community Hospital  
held open house on Sunday  
afternoon. Alice (Mrs. Mike)  
Rodgers is the Head Nurse of the  
Pediatric Floor, and was  
featured in the story on KRBC-TV  
Sunday night news. Our con-  
gratulations to Alice.

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt at  
Kokomo will be held following  
the Sunday morning service at  
the Kokomo Baptist Church.

**Lorene Hallmark  
Laid To Rest  
Wednesday**

**STEPHENVILLE** —  
Lorene Hallmark, 67, of  
Mesquite, formerly of  
Stephenville, died at 8:25  
a.m. Monday, March 28,  
1983 at Mesquite Physi-  
cian's Hospital. Services  
were at 1:30 p.m.  
Wednesday at Stephe-  
nville Funeral Home.

The Rev. Lanny Spruill  
of Lingleville Baptist  
Church officiated. Burial  
was at Mount Zion  
Cemetery.

Born June 10, 1915, in  
Erath County, she had lived  
in Wichita Falls for  
several years and was a  
longtime resident of  
Erath County. She was a  
member of School Hill  
Baptist Church.

Survivors include four  
brothers, Lon Hallmark  
of Lingleville, Ergle  
Hallmark and Joe  
Hallmark, both of  
Stephenville, and Jess  
Hallmark of Gorman.

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**Women's Bowling Assoc. To Organize April 11**

A meeting will be held April the 11th at 7 p.m. at the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland for the purpose of organizing a women's bowling association for the Eastland County Bowling Center which plans to open on or about May 15th. All women interested in bowling

are invited to attend this meeting.

On April 14th at 7 p.m. at the Texas Electric Reddy Room the men will have their meeting to form their association.

All men interested in bowling are invited to attend this meeting.

**CITY CHIT CHAT**

**BY CHARLIE L. GARRETT, Mayor**

I would like to thank all of you who responded to our letter informing you about your delinquent taxes. If you received a letter or you know that you have some delinquent taxes, it is to your advantage to pay them as soon as possible in order to stop the penalty and interest, which will go up again the last day of the month.

I mentioned a few weeks ago that we were planning our annual clean-up week. The date has been set for the week of April 18. I hope that all of you will start now rounding up trash and have it ready to haul during that week. We will try to haul anything that you have located where the hauling equipment can get to it. We do not have the time to carry the trash from your back yard or where ever to the alley or street where it can be loaded. If you have trash to haul, call the City Office and let it be known. If you have material that can not be loaded with out use of the loader, we might be able to haul this by charging a small fee for the loading. We will have to talk to each of you separately about us loading and hauling large items. What we will be hauling on the truck and trailer without charge will be trash that can be loaded without the loader or any extra work.

We are winding down another year in the City Government. We are now looking at our budget for the 1982-83 year to make amendments where we need to do so. Are also looking at the budget for 1983-84. We will be announcing the time of the budget hearing later and will give you a chance to come to the hearing and express your ideas for or against proposals. The hearing on Revenue Sharing was announced in last weeks paper. Our Revenue Sharing will be up for the coming year.

We're taking a look at some streets and hope that we will be able to do some more paving this summer.

Remember the City, School, and Hospital District elections Saturday, April 2. Be sure you go out and vote, and vote your choice. This is your chance to express yourself in our democracy.

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**LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A GIRL**

Lori and Larry Womack are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Latonya Nicole Womack. She was born at De Leon Hospital at 11:03 p. m. March 26. She weighed 9 pounds and was 21 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Linda and George Simmons of Gorman and Sandy and Nathan Files of De Leon.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Mason of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Files of Gorman. Maternal great-great-grandparents are Ava Mason of Gorman and Cora McMullen of De Leon.

Paternal grandparents are Lajoice and Larry J. Womack of De Leon. Paternal great-grandmother is Dee Dee Womack of De Leon.

—GP—

**T. P. Cabitt Laid To Rest Monday**

T.P. Cabitt, 72, of De Leon died at 11:25 p.m. Saturday March 26, 1983, at his home. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at Northside Baptist Church.

The Rev. Bob Watson, the Rev. Marvin Andrews and Payne Hattox, a minister, officiated. Burial was at De Leon Cemetery, directed by Nowlin Funeral Home.

**SCHOOL MENU**

April 5-8

**BREAKFAST**

Tuesday - Pineapple juice, dry cereal and milk.

Wednesday - Apple juice, donuts and milk.

Thursday - Orange juice, hot biscuits, honey and milk.

Friday - Pancakes, butter, syrup, bacon and milk.

**LUNCH**

Tuesday - Chicken fried steak, gravy, new potatoes and beans, batter bread, cake and milk.

Wednesday - Taco salad, beans, fruit, crackers and milk.

Thursday - Spaghetti, corn blackeyed peas, Jello and milk.

Friday - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, french fries, ice cream and milk.

—GP—

"The silliest of all people are those who do foolish things to show off." Vauvenargues

Born May 22, 1910, he was a retired farmer. He married Ileta Eads August 15, 1938, in Stephenville. Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Ruby Towns of De Leon and Charlotte Snider of Gorman; two sisters, Other Stephens of Stamford and Katie Moore of Ropesville; and five grandchildren.

**SCHOOL HILL NEWS**

**By Oma Lee Riddell**

This community was saddened to learn of the death of Tommy Wells of Stephenville. Tommy lived in School Hill most of his life. His family have our deepest sympathy.

Nona Huffman has been visiting in Eules with her son Junior Huffman and family.

Ricky and Kay Clayton have visited recently with Ricky and Lexie Hogg.

We all enjoyed supper with Gene, Jeane, Will and Niki Grimshaw and helped Leslie celebrate his twentieth birthday on Sunday.

William had a birthday awhile back. I told him "You can't imagin what I went through to get you a present." He said, "Yeah, I can too. You went through my pockets." I asked him why he never buys me a present anymore. He said, "Did you ever see anyone feed a worm to a fish after it was caught?" When he and

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I were married - We became one. The trouble started when we tried to decide which one. I complained to him one day, "Every time you see a pretty girl you

forget that you're married." He said, "No, that's when I remember it."

The spoked wheel, historians estimate, was invented around 2000 B.C.



NEW CO-MANAGER — Cal Horton left is co-manager with Ellen Humphreys at the Dairy Queen.

Mr. Horton has previously served as food supervisor for the military in Officers Club, and Enlisted Mens Clubs and is familiar with food supervision. He will be working with Ellen, both day and night shifts. They welcome everyone out for a visit.

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**CARBON NEWS GORMAN CARE CENTER NEWS**

By Mrs. Bob Hasting  
639-2517

After all the spring weather we had, it got cold again and seems like it can't warm up again. We did get a good rain Friday night.

Mrs. Joydene Oliver of Irving spent last week with her mother Mrs. Mabel Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Jackson and Mrs. Dorothy Jackson attended the funeral of their aunt Mrs. Betty Payne in Baird on Monday. Mrs. Payne died Saturday in West Texas medical center after a long illness. She will be remembered here as Betty Vaughn.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston part of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weston of Hereford. Mrs. Billie Lightfoot of Austin also visited on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Johnson of Montgomery, Alabama are visiting their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs.

By Jettle Daniels

Last Week's Bingo Winner's were: On Tuesday Game 1. Mary Timmons, No. 2 Jessie Lemley, No. 3 Lonzo Coffman, No. 4 Nancy Holoway. Black Out Game was won by: Jessie Lemley.

Fred Tucker, Holly and Brian.

Visitors of Mrs. Lona Abbott during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Don Jordan, Vickie and Sandra Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hodge of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. David Doge and Scott of Abilene.

Mrs. Ora Lee Snider spent Monday and Tuesday with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McGee of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tracy of Mesquite spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. Pearl Snodgrass.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jackson during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jackson of Tuscola Mr.

Friday's winners were: Jimmie Mosley, Jessie Lemley, Mary Timmons, Vernon Hamilton. Black Out Game was won by: Linnie Smith.

Last Wednesday, Mrs. John Rice, Brought our Bible Study. She read from the 86th. Chapter of Psalms. She did a very interesting talk and every one enjoyed her very much, and we plan on having her back soon.

This Thursday is Birthday Party again. Those having Birthday's are: Myrtle Stockton, Alice Snider, Mamie Chambless, Tabitha Rainey.

They will all receive, Carnations in Bud vases.

Sunday, is Easter Sunday of course. And that is the First Baptist's Church's Day to have Church at 2:30. Our residents will be looking forward to this time, so hope there will be a lot present and everyone will have a great time.

and Mrs. Doyle Renfro of Odessa.

Mack Stubblefield was able to return home from the hospital on Monday.

**Betty Tucker Services Held Wednesday**

Betty Laura Tucker, 82, of Ranger died at 1:40 a.m. Monday March 28, 1983, at Ranger General Hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Mesquite and Rusk Streets Church of Christ, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

Ronnie Lowe, minister, officiated. Burial was at Alameda Cemetery.

Born Aug. 28, 1900, in the Chaney community in Eastland County, she was a homemaker and a member of Mesquite and Rusk Streets Church of Christ.

Survivors include two brothers, Claude Tucker of Gorman and Shelly Tucker of Artesia, N.M.; and three sisters, Ima Howard of Ranger, Eula Jean Choate of Coleman and Ellen Box of Sulphur, La.

**MORINE HATCHER AND GENE ELLISON MARRIED IN SAN ANTONIO**

Morine Hatcher of Ranger and Gene Ellison of Gorman were married Saturday March 12 at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Hite in San Antonio.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Hite, Amie and Liza Echols and Ginger Seward great nieces of the couple served as flower girls.

District Judge James Onion performed the double ring ceremony.

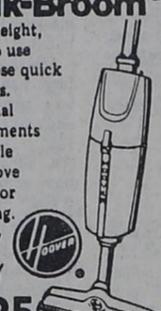
Also attending the wedding was Mr. Ellison's daughter, Jeanne Carwile of Arlington. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Seward, niece of Mr. Ellison and Susan Echols, a niece of Mr. Ellison.

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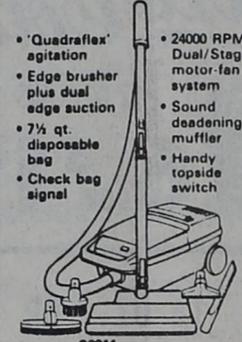
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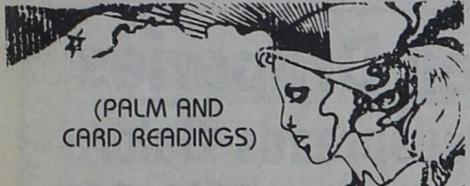
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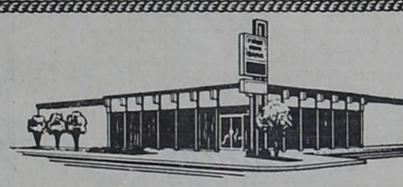
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