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GRADUATION EXERCISES SET HERE THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Eighth Grade Program Tonight

Thursday, May 19, 1983 7:30 P.M.

Processional..... Mrs. Juanita Fuller
 Invocational..... Armando Ramirez
 Salutatory..... Bryan Wood
 Valedictory..... Stacey Slampa
 Class History..... Toby Snider
 Presentation of Certificates..... Mr. Gibbs
 Mr. Hunter
 Benediction..... David Gibbs
 Recessional..... Mrs. Juanita Fuller

EIGHTH GRADE CLASS ROLL

Joey Beaty
 Sam Brinegar
 Glenn Burgess
 Michael Burns
 Laura Carter
 Tim Dennis
 Kathy Diamond
 David Gibbs
 Lance Jones
 Garcia Landa
 Daniel Martin
 Sue Ann Osborne

Bill Plaunty
 Armando Ramirez
 Sara Rodgers
 Shana Savage
 Jennifer Simmons
 Anne Silva
 Stacey Slampa
 Mike Snider
 Toby Snider
 Ronnie Strandridge
 Doug Webb
 Bryan Wood

USHERS

Tommy Curb
 Scott Gressett

Kathy Dixon
 Becky Cordell



Press Points

Joe Bennett, Publisher

It seems that we missed another good chance for another rain shower on Tuesday night as the weather line moved through with a lot of heavy thunder but little else. There was still hope for rain in the area on Wednesday, but then the weather is expected to clear out for a few days. We sure do need some rain for the farmers to have good prospects for preparing and planting their crops. A small number have planted some of their acreage already for early crops.

Gorman High School will be graduating eighteen seniors at commencement exercises on Friday night at 7:30. The Grade School program will be held Thursday night at 7:30.

We add our congratulations to all those who have ads in this weeks graduation edition and the community as well to all the graduates completing their high school education. It is a must nowadays to have at least a high school education and college completion adds much to your earning power capabilities. So we wish all the graduates much success in their future and we appreciate so much the support of the advertisers in making it possible to print this graduation edition honoring our grads.

The different clubs and organizations of the community are now in the process of getting things underway for their Miss and Little Miss Gorman Contestants. The contestants and the organization they represent are listed in this issue and all proceeds will go toward a civic project that all folks will want to help with, that of securing chairs to go with the tables which have been donated by local churches to the school for use when the different banquets are held in the gym. The tables and chairs have been hauled back and forth from the different churches and they have gotten in bad shape. The different churches have secured new tables and have given the old tables to the school so the new ones will not have to be moved back and forth. So the money from this contest will go to pay for chairs to use at the banquets and other civic functions. So when one of the groups contact you on the different drawings they will have, be sure and help them out. Then

the project can go over big.

Noticed that Vergie Dennis has added a carport to her home and it sure looks good.

Also the Lanny Hands are in the process of having siding installed on their home.

The William Isbells have added a carport to their home out on the Desdemona highway and they have a nice place out there.

The new home of Jack and Billie Bennett is coming along fine and the brick should be put on soon.

The old laundromat is in the process of being rebuilt and Bob Wilkerson plans on opening the laundry as soon as possible after all the work and new equipment is installed. More on this later.

Noticed where the House voted 382 to 41 to repeal the 1982 law requiring that taxes be withheld from interest and dividends. Guess the House members got the word from their constituents. The battle now shifts to the Senate where opposition to the withholding is also very strong. I personally cannot understand how the bill was passed to begin with.

Don't forget to sign up for the Lions Club 42 Tournament to be held June 2. The deadline to sign up is May 31st. More on this elsewhere in this issue.

And remember to smile -- because God Loves You!

Miss and Little Miss Gorman Pageant Set For June 4



ANGELA BURGESS
 Angela Burgess, 16 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess and granddaughter of Mrs. Rayford Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Garrett, candidate for the Miss Gorman Pageant is sponsored by Kokomo Home Extension Club.

She served as Class president of the sophomore class this year in Gorman High School, Voted Class Favorite, Cheer Leader, FFA Sweetheart, Football Sweetheart and member of the Annual Staff, Vice-president of FHA. Her hobbies are cooking, swimming and showing calves.

Her escort will be Jeff Ripley son of Mrs. Sue Ripley and J.S. Ripley.

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ANGIE PLAUNTY
 Angie Plaunty, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Plaunty, is sponsored by the Gorman Fire Department. Angie is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Plaunty of De Leon. Angie is 16 yrs. old and she is a Sophomore at Gorman High School. She is the Sophomore Class Princess, She is in the Panther Band and in F.H.A. Some of her hobbies are collecting Salt and Pepper Shakers, Swimming, cooking, and Playing games. Angie's escort will be Mark Swanner, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Swanner.



LISA FOSTER
 Lisa Foster, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster, is sponsored by the Gorman Chamber of Commerce. Lisa is the granddaughter of Mr. Henry Scitern and Mrs. Lorene Foster. Lisa is 16 years old and attends Gorman High School where she is presently a Sophomore. She is a Cheerleader, Class Officer, F.H.A. Member and Officer. She is also a member of the Annual Staff. She received the Chamber of Commerce award for highest ranking academic student the past 2 years. Some of her hobbies are cooking, swimming, and reading. Lisa's escort will be Dane Gressett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gressett.

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CHRISTIAN PARK
 Christian Park, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Park and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Park and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Seaton. Gorman Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring Christian in the Little Miss Gorman Pageant.

She enjoys Sunday School, swimming, collecting dolls and her favorite TV show is Pink Panther, and her favorite color is red and she enjoys Mexican Food.



BECKY JO UNDERWOOD
 Becky Jo Underwood 15, a freshman at Gorman High School has been chosen by the Gorman Industrial Foundation, Inc. as their candidate for the Miss Gorman Pageant. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troyat Underwood of Rt. 1, Gorman.

Becky Jo has been active in Gorman High School activities such as basketball, track, band and pep squad. She is an active member of the Gorman 4-H Club; placed and won several ribbons.

In Oct. 1981 she was member of The First Baptist Church of Gorman.

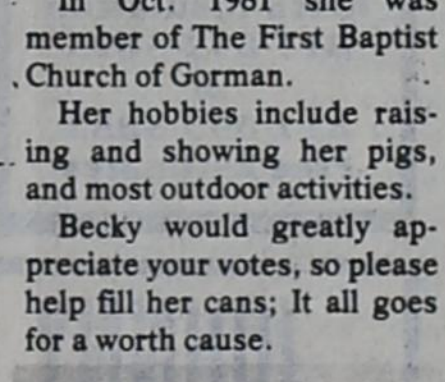
Her hobbies include raising and showing her pigs, and most outdoor activities.

Becky would greatly appreciate your votes, so please help fill her cans; It all goes for a worth cause.



RACHEL HARPER
 Rachel Harper, age 5, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson of Gorman. She is sponsored by the Gorman Lions Club. Rachel was in Kindergarten this year and was her class Halloween Representative, as well as the Gorman Panthers Football Mascot. She is a member of Sunday School and Mission Friends at First Baptist Church. Rachel's hobbies are swimming, putting on make-up and talking on the telephone.

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KERI MICHELLE WRIGHT
 Keri Michelle Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quintin Wright, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Albert White, and great-granddaughter of Ernest Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Capers all of Gorman.

Keri is a candidate for the Little Miss Gorman and is sponsored by Gorman Fire Department.

She was born in Alaska, but prefers warm Texas weather. Her favorite color is pink and TV Show is Dukes of Hazard.

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CARD OF THANKS
 We want to "thank" each of you for the love you shared with us during Cecil's illness and death.

Thank you for the flowers, food, calls, cards, and contribution given in his memory. We thank you especially for the prayers that carried us through this time.

"Home" is a place we always want to return to because its a place where we were loved. Cecil's body was brought home for burial and Cecil's soul is at home in Heaven with a Lord that he served gladly.

Thank you for being there



LACY MICHELLE CLARK
 Lacy Michelle Clark, age 5, daughter of David and Donna Roberts and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Standley and Dolores Clark and Darren Clark uncle.

Michelle loves school, animals and collecting rocks.

Her escort will be Michael Singleton.

when we needed you the most.

All of Cecil's Family
 Peggy and James Collins
 Clark, Melva, and
 Candice Shubert
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Gorman Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the Miss Gorman and Little Miss Pageant again this year.

The pageant will be held June 4 at 8:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

Proceeds from the contest will be used to purchase folding chairs to be used by the community and will be stored at the school.

Club and organizations sponsoring contestants are Gorman Fire Department, chamber of Commerce, Kokomo Home Extension Club and Gorman Industrial Foundation.

Funds will be raised on the vote bases.

CONTEST RULES FOR MISS GORMAN and LITTLE MISS GORMAN PAGEANT

Miss Gorman:

1. Must be 15 thru 19 years of age.

2. Must reside in the Gorman Trade Area.

3. Must attend Gorman Independent Schools. (Votes will be derived from monies from cans placed in stores and money-making projects with your sponsor in charge. Contestant is responsible for decorating cans and placing them in the stores.)

Little Miss Gorman:

1. Must be 5 years of age on date of pageant.

2. Must reside in the Gorman Trade Area.

3. When eligible, attend Gorman Kindergarten. Monies received from cans in stores, will be the only way votes will be counted for Little Miss Gorman.

Each contestant is responsible for decorating and placing cans in stores.

Money from the cans should be picked up by contestant's sponsor and turned in by Noon each Friday in order for that weeks tally to be posted on bulletin board. Money should be brought to City Hall and will be counted in the presence of sponsor by Mary Jo Eaves and posted. Votes will be 1c each for both contestants.

Commencement Slated May 21

Friday, May 20, 1983

7:30 P.M.

Processional..... Ruby Lee Kinser
"Pomp and Circumstance" - Elgar

Invocation..... Darrell Dossey
Pastor, First Baptist Church

Salutatory..... Toby Cordell

Alma Mater..... Senior Class and Audience

Valedictory..... Dane Gressett

Presentation of Awards and Diplomas

A. L. Hunter, Principal
G. W. Maxfield, Superintendent
Daryl Hirst, President of the Board

Presentation of Scholarships

Benediction..... Marion Dennis
Pastor, Congregational Methodist Church

Candle Lighting Ceremony..... G. W. Maxfield

Recessional..... Ruby Lee Kinser
"Grand March" - E. Mack

Senior Class To Leave Saturday For Senior Trip

The 1983 graduating class will leave Saturday May 21, for their senior trip to San Antonio. They will be staying at the Hilton on the River. Plans are to return home on Wednesday May 25.

Sponsors for the trip are Mr. Milton Jensen, Mrs. Jean Teal and Jack Harrison.

Last Day of School May 20

Last day of school will be a full day Friday May 20 with classes dismissing at regular time 2:30 p.m. Buses will run at the regular time.

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RACHEL REEVES
 Rachel Reeves, daughter of Mr. Mrs. Roscoe Reeves, Jr. and the granddaughter of Mr. Mrs. Dean Kirk and Mrs. Ruth Reeves is a candidate for the Little Miss Gorman Pageant. She is sponsored by the Gorman Industrial, Inc.

Rachel has one brother, Daniel, and two sisters, Ruth and Sarah.

Rachel attends kindergarten in Gorman Elementary school. Her special interests include reading, swimming, gardening, music and crafts.

PROCLAMATION

Whereas public works services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

Whereas the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as water, sewers, streets and highways, public buildings, solid waste collection, and snow removal; and

Whereas the health, safety, and comfort of this community greatly depend on these facilities and services; and

Whereas the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design, and construction are vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works officials; and

Whereas the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff public works departments is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform; now therefore

Be it Resolved that I, Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor of the City of Gorman, do hereby proclaim as NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK in May 22-28 (date) Gorman, and call upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the problems involved in providing our public works and to recognize the contributions that public works officials make everyday to our health, safety, and comfort.

Elementary Cheerleaders

Cheer leaders for Elementary school for the year 1983-84 elected last week are Mollie Vaughn, Kim Canet, Kim Sharp, Amy Scitern, Cucu Landa, and Kathy Dixon.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

A Musical will be held the Friday night of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Hall. The Public is invited to attend.

Gorman Annual School Homecoming, Saturday, September, 17.

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

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

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FOR SALE TO BE MOVED: 3 bedroom, 1 bath house at 402 E. Ross Street in De Leon. Carpeted through out, new siding, \$10,000 cash. Seriously interested call 893-6417. 2-5-26 C.

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CARBON NEWS

By Mrs. Bob Hasting
639-2517

Mrs. Ida Hines Plummer died Thursday in a Colorado City nursing Home. Funeral service and burial was in Midland. Mrs. Plummer was a former Carbon resident and was a sister of Henry Hines of Carbon.

Jesse Crow of Comanche died Friday in an Abilene Hospital. He was a brother-in-law of Berry Greenwood, Mrs. Ethel Lovell and Mrs. Mike Worgan of Carbon. Funeral service for Mr. Crow was held in the Comanche Baptist Church on Tuesday morning Burial was in the Murray Memorial Cemetery at Carbon.

There was a reception honoring Nelson Datson on his graduation from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, on Sunday afternoon at the Carbon Baptist Church. The Reception was hosted by the Fellowship Sunday School Class. Some out of Town attending were his parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Dotson and his brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Dotson of Odessa; His mother-in-law Mrs. Naomi Grice of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jordan of Hamlin and Mrs. Ima Jordan of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner on

Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McGaha have returned home after an extended visit with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Mike McGaha of Elliott, Maryland.

Mrs. Alvie Allison of Azle visited Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Ann during the weekend and attended the Baccalaureate Service at the Methodist Church Sunday Morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Nowlin of Fort Worth spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. Mabel Payne.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Files on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wylie McCollum of El Paso Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Files of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Skinner, Darien and David of Midland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for the prayers, cards, visits and flowers while I was in Blackwell Hospital. A special thanks to Doctors L. and N. and nurses and hospital staff for good care.
Mary (Maggie) Smith

C of C Fund Raising Project

Everyone come on out to see the Hobo's battle the Bums for stardom, at the High School gym on May 28th at 8:00 p.m.

The teams will consist of local business men and women - ages 25 to 85.

The Gorman Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring the great event and tickets will be: Adults-\$2.00; Students-\$1.00. Pre school-Free.

Proceeds from the game will go for the Chambers representative, Miss Lisa Foster for the Miss Gorman Pageant.

Athletic Boosters To Serve Food At Field Day

Gorman Athletic Booster will serve food at the Elementary Field Day Friday, May 20 at Brogdon Field.

They will be selling hamburgers, chips drinks and sweets.

Everyone is invited to come by the concession stand and eat with us.

Donations of rice krispie treats and brownies would be greatly appreciated.

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Congratulations Grads — 1983



TOBY CORDELL

Toby Cordell, son of Mr. Mrs. Russell Cordell was born April 10, 1965 in Hamilton. He entered Gorman Schools in 1978, transferring from Roby Jr. High.

During his high school years his achievements and honors include: Member of the Panther Band three years, serving as an officer his sophomore and junior years; Band Beau his sophomore year; State solo and ensemble; Outstanding sophomore; Member of FFA his freshman and sophomore years; Member of Parliamentary Procedure team his freshman and sophomore years; Voted Friendliest Boy; member of the Annual Staff his sophomore, junior and senior years; officer his junior and senior years; Attended Citizenship Seminar his sophomore year; Who's Who Citizenship, Personality and Scholarship; Named Salutatorian with a four grade average of 95.33; A member of the One Act Plays his sophomore, junior and senior years; Named All Star Cast all three years; won UIL News, Feature Writing and Editorial writing also Headline and Ready Writing. Won first in State UIL Prose Interpretation, he also competed in UIL Prose; typing, shorthand Science and Slide Rule; Server for Junior and Senior banquet and graduation usher his junior year.

Toby plans to attend Tarleton State University and to study Law.

His hobbies are swimming, talking to friends and having fun. His favorite foods are pizza, steak, and Mexican food. Favorite music is Rock and New Wave.



JAN RANE COZART

Jan Rene Cozart, is the daughter of Mr. Mrs. Royace Cozart she was born in Stephenville May 3, 1965. She entered Gorman Schools in the school year of 1973-74 transferring from Stephenville.

During her high school years she was a member of the Pep Squad her freshman, sophomore and junior years; a member of Future Homemakers of America four years and the Drama Club Four years and senior plays four years.

Her future plans are to attend Texas State Technical Institute in Waco. She plans to work for Bert Kent for a while and then work as a dental assistant.

Her hobbies are reading, wood carving, listening to music and her favorite sport is water skiing.

Favorite foods are Pizza, seafood, and Mexican food. Favorite music is Rock and Roll and some Country and Western.



BRENDA DARLENE SCITERN

Brenda Darlene Scitern, daughter of Gerald and Ina Scitern was born September 9, 1964 in Eastland. She entered Gorman schools in first grade and has attended Gorman school twelve years.

Her high school honors and achievements include playing Basketball four years. Track her sophomore and junior years. Served as band officer her junior year and was a member of the Panther Band her freshman, sophomore and junior years. Member of Future Homemakers class her freshman and senior years. A member of the cast of the Senior Play and participated in the One Act Play her sophomore year and served as graduation usher her junior year.

She plans to attend Cisco Junior College and Tarleton State University.

Her hobbies are sports, talking to people and having fun. Favorite foods are Italian, Mexican, Pizza, and ice cream. Favorite music is country and soft rock.



KATHY ANN SNIDER

Kathy Ann Snider, daughter of Mr. Mrs. Gene Snider was born in Gorman on January 1, 1965 and has attended Gorman school all twelve years.

During her high school years she played basketball and ran track all four years. Chosen Miss GHS, and Most Likely To Succeed, Most Athletic, Served as Future Homemakers of America class president. Chosen Homecoming Queen in 1982, served as class officer. A member of the pep squad three years. Listed among Who's Who in Athletic and Who's Who in Citizenship. Homecoming class representative her sophomore year.

Future plans include attending college at Tarleton State University.

Her hobbies are water skiing, reading, all sports, and talking to people.

Favorite foods are steak, Ore cookies, ice cream and Mike's spaghetti and favorite music is country and western.



DELANA MARIE RODGERS

Delana Marie Rodgers, daughter of Jim and Donnie Rodgers was born in Blackwell Hospital in Gorman on May 29, 1965.

She entered Gorman schools in 1975 as a fifth grade. She transferred from the Dublin schools.

During her four years in high school she was a member of the Future Homemakers of America her freshman, sophomore and junior years. Also pep squad her freshman and junior years. Chosen Homecoming Princess her senior year. A member of the senior class play. Baccalaureate usher her junior year and Drama class her junior year.

Delana plans to attend Brownwood Commercial College. Her hobbies are water skiing, horse back riding, and chasing boys.

Her favorite foods are seafood, Mexican, Italian, ice cream, and steak. She prefers Rock and a little Country music.



STELLA DIANE FISHER

Stella Diane Fisher, daughter of Sidney A. and Ailene Fisher was born December 27, 1964 in Pleasanton. She entered Gorman Schools in the school year of 1975-76 transferring from Pleasanton schools.

During her four years in high school her honors and achievements include being a member of the Band her freshman and sophomore years, serving as band officer her sophomore year. A member of FHA four years; member of the pep squad her junior year Junior and Senior Banquet server her sophomore year. Member of the senior class play and annual staff her senior year. She was on the A honor roll her sophomore and senior years.

College is in her plans for the future and she has chosen Tarleton State University.

Her hobbies are sewing, reading, horseback riding, water skiing. Favorite foods are steak, and Mexican and she prefers country and western music.



TAMYA ANDERSON

Tamya Anderson, daughter Dero and Gerry Anderson was born December 7, 1964 in Denver City and transferred to Gorman schools in 1980-81 school year from Mission, Texas school.

During her high school years she played basketball, was a member of the Pep Squad, Drama Class, Annual Staff, and served as class secretary her sophomore year and her junior and vice-president of her class her senior year. She was voted Class Favorite her senior year and named Homecoming Princess her junior year and Homecoming Queen Nominee. She was banquet server her junior year and Graduation usher her junior year.

Pam's hobbies are photography and being with people, Plants, skiing (Both kinds) Her favorite food is all kinds and she prefers country music but enjoys all kinds.

Her future plans are to get married to Alan Sadberry of De Leon on August 7, 1983.



RICHARD SUMMERS

Richard Summers, son of Mr. Mrs. James D. Summers was born December 15, 1965 in Tampa, Florida. He entered Gorman schools his senior year, 1982, transferring from Tampa Florida schools.

During his high school years he was a member of the Parliamentary Procedure team Played Basketball his freshman, sophomore and senior years, Football his sophomore and junior years. He received the Sportsmanship Award in basketball his senior year. A member of the Future Farmers of America chapter four years and served as sentinel one year.

Richard plans to attend Cisco or Ranger Junior College. If he does not attend college he plans to farm, singer or song writer or be pro basketball player.

His hobbies are Sins and dance, football and basketball. All kinds of sports, swimming, hunting and fishing.

Favorite foods are American and Mexican, and favorite music is Modern rock, country and western.



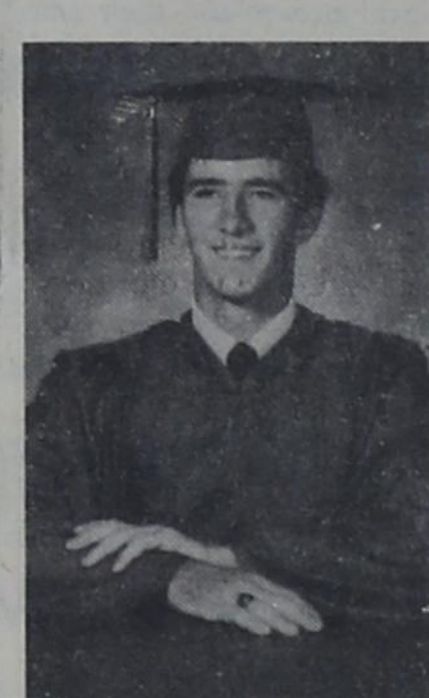
VERONICA KIGHT

Veronica Kight, daughter of Frank and Jean Brinegar was born February 14, 1963 in Cisco, Texas. She transferred to Gorman schools in her fourth grade year 1974-75, from Abilene schools.

Her high school honors and achievements include: Participant in UIL Poetry her sophomore and junior years Regional qualifier her junior year. UIL typing her junior year and state qualifier. Member of the One Act Play her sophomore year. She played basketball her sophomore, Junior and Senior years. Member of Future Homemakers her freshman year and member of the Panther Band her sophomore and junior years.

Veronica plans to attend Tarleton State University. Her hobbies are being with children, reading and typing.

Favorite foods are cherry cheese cake, oatmeal cookies, filet mignon, donuts with Dr. Pepper and her favorite music is Country.



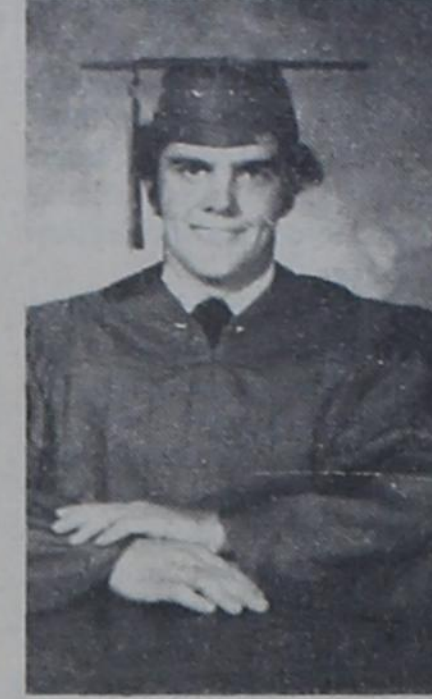
DANE GRESSETT

Dane Gressett, son of Mr. Mrs. Billy J. Gressett was born in Tullia, Texas on October 3, 1964. He has attended Gorman schools all twelve years.

His highest achievement during his four years in high school was being named Valedictorian of the senior class with a four year grade average of 95.67. Other achievements include being named to All District in Football and basketball; Named A Star Greenhand; Star Chapter Farmer; Lone Star Farmer; and Area swine production winner; UIL regional qualifier. Voted Most Likely to Succeed. Chosen Mr. "GHS". Served as class president and FFA chapter president.

Dane plans to attend Texas A&M University.

His hobbies are playing the guitar and listening to music.



PHILLIP OSBORNE

Phillip Osborne, son of Phillip and Sandra Osborne was born in Randolph County, Indiana on April 28, 1964. He entered Gorman schools in 1976 transferring from Ward Elementary Winchester, Indiana.

Phil played football three years, basketball two years, a member of the Future Farmers of America chapter four years and received District and Area Crop Proficiency Awards. He was a member of the cast of the Senior Play.

His future plans are to farm with his father. Listening to music and sleeping are his hobbies and his favorite foods are shrimp, steak and Mexican food and favorite music is Rock-N-Roll.



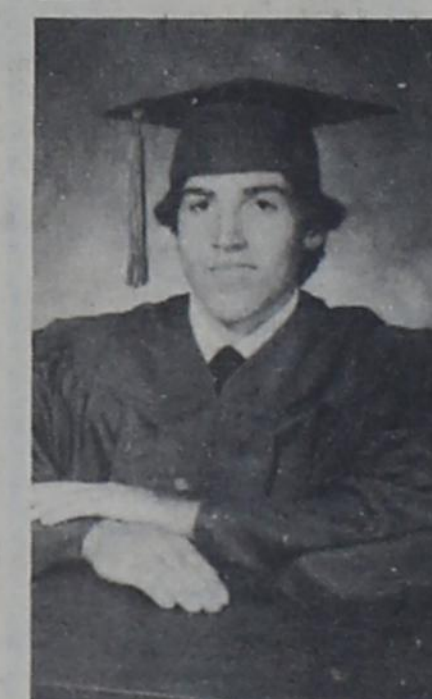
DARREN CLARK

Darren Clark, son of Mr. Mrs. Standley Clark was born March 19, 1965 in Arlington, Texas. He entered Gorman schools in the eighth grade. Transferring from Arlington schools.

Darren played football, served at the Junior and Senior banquet, and usher at baccalaureate and received Future Farmer of Awards.

His immediate plans are to work as a Dairy hand.

Hobbies are fishing and hunting and his favorite food is Copenhagen and favorite music is Southern Rock - Roll.



JOEY CASEY

Joey Lee Casey, son of Mrs. Shirley Casey was born June 27, 1964 in Haskell, Texas. He entered Gorman schools his sophomore year transferring from Big Spring in the 80-81 school year.

His achievements and honors during his high school years include serving as baccalaureate usher his junior year named Who's Who personality his junior year, Played football, and track his senior year, Voted Class favorite and FHA Beau, Football Beau his Senior year, Named Second All District offense and Honorable Mention Defense and in Track also.

His future plans are to attend night classes at Ranger Junior College and work at Gorman Milling Company.

His hobbies are fishing and hunting and steak and sea food his favorite foods.

Favorite music is country and western.

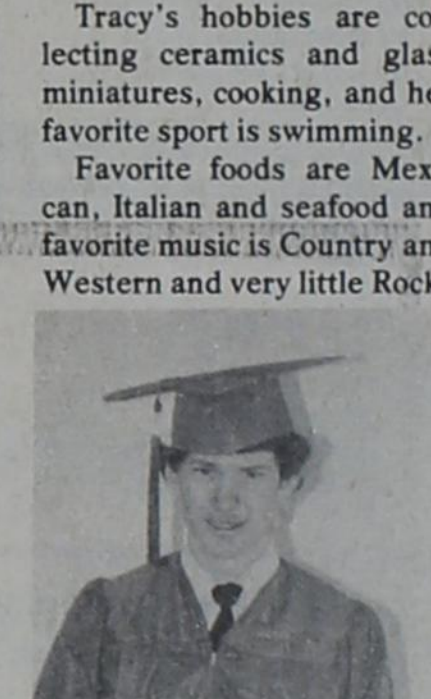


TRACY JUNE DOSSEY

Tracy June Dossey, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Darrell Dossey was born in Stephenville, December 29, 1964. She entered Gorman schools in 1978 as an eighth grader, transferring from De Leon schools.

During her four years in high school she has been active in all school activities. A member of the Band four years; serving as an officer three years; chosen Band Sweetheart, FFA Sweetheart, Class Favorite 2 years; cheerleader three years; head cheerleader two years, Regional qualifiers for two years in UIL One Act play; and Headline Writing; UIL Regional Feature writing qualifier one year; UIL Short-hand, second place in State; Homecoming Princess her freshman year; Baccalaureate Usher; Junior and Senior Banquet server. She was named the highest ranking girl in the Senior Class with a four year grade average of 93.71.

Her future plans are to attend Cisco Jr. College or Tarleton State University. Tracy's hobbies are collecting ceramics and glass miniatures, cooking, and her favorite sport is swimming. Favorite foods are Mexican, Italian and seafood and favorite music is Country and Western and very little Rock.



JOHN WOODALL

John Woodall, son of Roger Woodall was born in Gorman on November 9, 1964. He entered Gorman schools in 1978, transferring from Eastland schools.

He played football and was a member of the Future Farmers of America chapter, Parliamentary procedure, and showed stock at the Eastland County stock show and received the Ag Mechanics Award.

He does not plan to attend college, but hopes to work as welder and horse trainer.

His favorite food is steak and favorite music is rock and southern rock.

The only senior to answer his questionnaire comments were 'Free in '83'.



RODNEY REESE

Rodney Reese, son of J.S. and Glenda Ripley was born in Eastland September 5, 1964. He entered Gorman schools in 1981 transferring from Eastland schools.

His high school honors and achievements include; Named All District football; Regional Qualifier in track; played basketball; and was a member of the cast of the senior class play and member of the Future Farmers of America his freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years.

His future plans are to become a mechanic and may seek training in a trade school.

Rodney's hobbies are fishing, hunting and sports. Favorite foods are steak and seafoods and Country and Rock is his favorite music.



WILLIAM RAY CRAIN

William Ray Crain, son of Vernon and Shirley Crain was born in Gorman on June 16, 1965. He entered Gorman schools in 1974 for two years and returned in 1979.

His high school achievements include playing football his freshman, sophomore and senior years; Member of FFA four years; Served as Parliamentary Procedure his freshman year; Advisor crop production his freshman year and Beef and Swine production his freshman year. Member of the band his freshman year and was a member of the senior class play his senior year.

He plans to attend Ranger Junior College.

His favorite music is Soft Rock.



LANETA ANN SIMMONS

Laneta Ann Simmons, daughter of Mr. Mrs. Gene Simmons was born April 6, 1965 in Gorman. She attended Gorman schools in first grade and transferred to Andrews schools and returned to Gorman schools in her sophomore year in 1980.

During her high school years she played basket and volleyball her freshman year. A member of the Future Homemakers class four years and member of the Pep Squad her sophomore year and choir her freshman year.

Her future plans are to attend college and then get married. She will attend Stephenville Beauty College.

Her hobbies are horseback riding, watching TV, hiking and swimming. Favorite foods are Italian, Mexican Chocolate cake and chicken. Favorite music easy listening, Country and some rock.

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Best Wishes

THE GORMAN PROGRESS
**CAPITOL
UPDATE**

by Jim Parker

MAY 16



This past week has been the most difficult and frustrating week of the Session for me because of the action of the House in regard to the Appropriations bill. Of course, the Appropriations bill is the legislation that dictates the spending of state dollars over the biennium.

The bill that was passed was totally unpalatable to me for several reasons, all of which I think are valid. In the first place, the bill, and the solvency thereof, is predicated upon three items, at least, that may or may not actually come into being. The items are the \$220M amount derived from a reduction in the state's contribution to the Teacher Retirement System, (I have supported reduction if the funds generated would be used in the education field.); the "speed up" of tax collections

by the Comptroller; and passage of Senator Leedom's bills increasing fees to users of state services. As I say, none of these enumerated matters may come to pass and I think it is bad business for the state of Texas to spend money they may get.

Another good and sufficient reason for opposition to the Appropriations bill is the fact that because of the change in the local fund assignment formula, local school districts, statewide, will have to make up an additional \$122M out of the only source they can, ad valorem taxes. I cannot for the life of me see why 82 members voted for such a measure, realizing the outcome, but can only conclude that they either did not know what effect it would have or did not care. In spite of the efforts of 50 of us who voted

against the Appropriations bill, I fear most members simply did not know what they were doing.

Finally, the Appropriations bill simply is not adequate to meet the needs of the state. It is much like a good, conscientious carpenter who is asked to build a house but is only given threefourths enough lumber. He can conceivably build the house but, regardless of how skilled he may be, he cannot do the job he was commissioned to do in a satisfactory manner.

I think I have probably worked harder this past week than any other time in my 38 years and it sure leaves a bitter taste to have worked so hard, talked so long, and tried to move so many people and be ultimately unsuccessful. I take no pride in the outcome but I do have a certain amount of pride in the fact that a number of us worked so hard for what was right, proper and just.

See you next week.

—GP—
The annual per capita consumption of soap in the United States is about forty pounds.

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

**Green Thumb
Training Focuses
On Alcoholism**

Former Congressman Wilbur Mills, Doc Severinson of the "Tonight Show", and Ralph Waite of "The Waltons" all have at least two things in common: they used to suffer from alcoholism, and they now have much better lives after coming to grips with the disease.

The stories of these prominent people were part of the information provided to more than 125 Green Thumb workers attending a special alcoholism training session at the Senior Center in Cisco on May 10. Green Thumb employs about 1,000 persons aged 55 and over in community service projects across the state.

In a film entitled "They Do Recover," Waite, Mills, and Severinson discussed the development of their alcohol problems and the paths they followed to find relief.

"The fact that these well-known people are alcoholics helps to show the disease—and alcoholism is a disease—can strike anyone, rich or poor, lonely or in the spotlight," said Green Thumb District Director Susan Armstrong, who conducted the training.

"Mills and Severinson suffered from severe blackouts, and Mills was afraid he had a brain tumor until examinations revealed his problem was alcoholism," she said.

"Waite says he often felt 'dead and alone,'" Armstrong said, "even though he was a national celebrity. Many of our workers—especially widows and widowers—know the feeling. We want to demonstrate that alcohol will only make any existing problems worse."

She said some of Green Thumb's enrollees have lost their jobs because of drinking, and for these people the future is dim. "They've lost their income and their self-

**Desha Patty
Services Held
Saturday**

Desha Patty, 58, of Lueders, died from an apparent heart attack at 8:25 a.m. Thursday May 12, 1983 at Stamford Memorial Hospital. Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church in Lueders, directed by Stanford Funeral Home of Stamford.

The Rev. Neal Shepherd, administrator of Big County Baptist Assembly at Lueders, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Ron Carroll of First Baptist Church in Lueders. Burial was at Rockdale Cemetery.

Born Dec. 24, 1924, in Lueders, he attended Lueders schools and served in the Army in World War II. He married Mary Belle "Tussy" Willoughby June 23, 1945, in Avoca. He was a director and past president of the Federal Land Bank here. He had served on the Paint Creek School board, the Jones County Fair board and was a 4-H leader. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Spencer of Lueders; two daughters, Mrs. Joan Hager of Stamford and Julie Patty of Lubbock; two brothers, O.C. of Desdemona and Darwin of Stamford; a sister, Ollie Rister of Stamford; and two grandchildren.

Nephews were pallbearers.

The family requests remembrances be sent to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center or the Rockdale Cemetery Fund.

respect, and few of them will have the resilience and energy to fight back. Prevention, whether you're young or old, is the best answer."

Green Thumbers from Gorman attending the session were Opal Mauney and Site Manager Mozelle Rhymes.

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There will be Homemade Ice Cream for sale at the Baseball Park on May 23rd at 7:00. The proceeds will go to the Industrial Foundation's candidate for Miss Gorman, Becky Jo Underwood.

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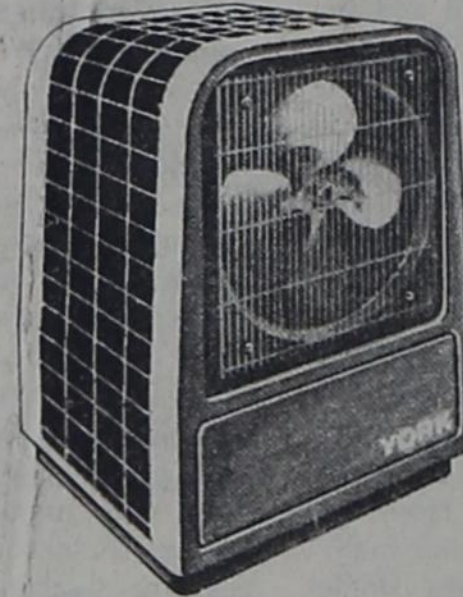
**Grant Town
Riding Club Set
Playday**

The Grant Town Riding Club will be having a Jackpot Playday Sunday, May 22, 1983 at 1:30 p.m. in Mingus Tx. The rain date will be the following Sunday. There will be 4 classes: Pee Wee,

Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. Entry fee will be \$3.00 per event with \$2.00 going to the jackpot and \$1.00 to the Club. The events will be Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Flag Racing, and 2 fun events. There will be a concession stand open for your convenience.

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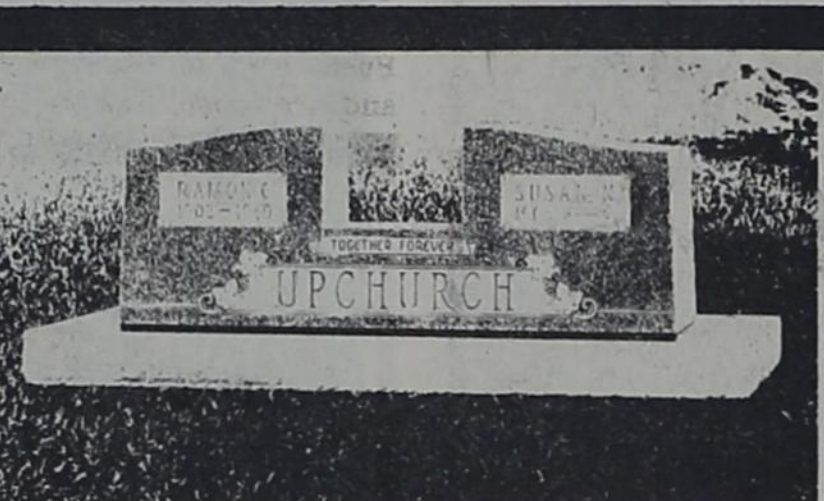
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CITY CHIT CHAT

By Charlie L. Garrett
Mayor

The Gorman City Commission met May 9, 1983 with the Mayor and all Commissioners present. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Bills for the month of April were approved.

Chief Funderberg reported that the Department had been fairly busy during April. Fourteen citations had been issued, a number of

warning tickets issued, five arrests had been made, thirty investigations of complaints, and gave assistance in six situations.

Judge Ingram reported that there were twenty cases filed in Municipal Court during April. Eight of these had been settled with twelve still pending. Total fines collected during the month was \$466.50.

Mrs. Brinegar reported that revenues for April were \$15,017.05 and expenses were \$12,867.68. The figures she gave shows that we will end the year with a sizable balance, a large part

of which will be spent on street repair this summer. Figures show that State Sales Tax is off about 14% from the same date last year.

Mr. Barnett reported that general work was going on in general. He reported that we have one city hand out due to sickness and this means that we will be short handed for some time.

A representative from Community Television met with the Commission to request a rate increase. He told us that in order to give us the type of reception that we would like to have, the entire cable system would have to be replaced. This includes cable, drops, transformers, etc. In order to do this they say they will have to spend at least \$213,000. In order to help off-set this cost, they asked if the Commission would consider a rate increase of \$5.00 which would bring the rate to \$13. He stated that no increase would go into effect until the system was rebuilt. We agreed that this was the only way we would consider an increase.

We proposed a rate of \$12 per month which he will present to the Company and then get back to us. After that time we will be holding a hearing on the increase. Along with the increase, other channels would be added to the system. Decisions on these channels will be made later.

The first week of the new

policy on the landfill got off with very few problems. We did have a few and we are trying to work them out as they develop. We may still have to make some changes in the rules pertaining to dumping of trash. We will take care of these as time goes on.

We are working on the budget now and will be announcing the budget hearing soon. We do have a sizable amount on hand at this time but much of it is allocated to street improvement, swimming pool improvement, the new fire station, and other projects. In addition to these projects, and the expenditures there, we will be receiving less money from some sources. Our State Sales Tax is off through the last report by over 14% from last year. We are trying to stay within our income and we hope that we can. We are hoping that we do not have to raise taxes again this year. I will be giving you more information about the budget within the near future.

The week of May 22-28 is National Public Works Week. All of us depend greatly on the work of the dedicated people who clean our street, maintain our public buildings, collect and dispose of our refuse, maintain our water system, and manage our sewer disposal plants. Let us all join together to salute all of those

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Hot summer days, however, don't mean our taste for sweets has to be postponed. Home economists in the Betty Crocker Kitchens have developed several cool desserts that will fit the bill for dog days at your house. They are four ice-cream desserts, each using a Chocolate Fudge Sauce easily prepared from a package of frosting mix, and a Neapolitan Cream Pie with a

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A tip for rolling out the pastry: Lightly sprinkle flour on the pastry cloth. Rub the flour into the cloth to prevent excess flour in the pastry and yet prevent it from sticking to the cloth.

Soda Fountain Specials

Shake: Place 3 tablespoons Chocolate Fudge Sauce (right) and 1/2 cup milk in blender container. Cover and blend on low speed 2 seconds. Add 2 to 4 scoops vanilla ice cream. Cover and blend 5 seconds. 1 serving.

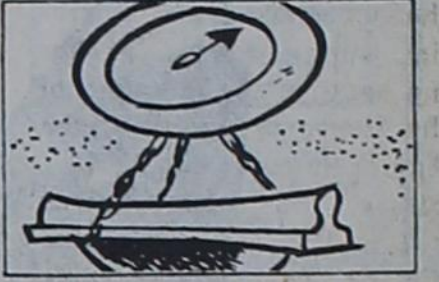
carbonated water, 2 tablespoons milk and 2 tablespoons Chocolate Fudge Sauce (right) vigorously in tall glass. Add 1 to 2 scoops any flavor ice cream. Fill glass with 1/4 cup chilled carbonated water. 1 serving.

Sundae: Drizzle 1 to 2 tablespoons Chocolate Fudge Sauce (right) over 1 large scoop vanilla ice cream in dessert dish. Top with sweetened whipped cream and cherry if desired. 1 serving.

Parfait: Alternate vanilla ice cream and Chocolate Fudge Sauce (right) in parfait glass. Freeze until firm, about

2 hours. Top with sweetened whipped cream and pecan half if desired. 1 serving.

Chocolate Fudge Sauce: Heat 1 package Betty Crocker® chocolate fudge frosting mix (dry), 2/3 cup milk and 3 tablespoons margarine or butter to boiling in 2-quart saucepan over medium heat, stirring frequently. Boil and stir 1 minute. Refrigerate any remaining sauce. About 2 cups sauce.



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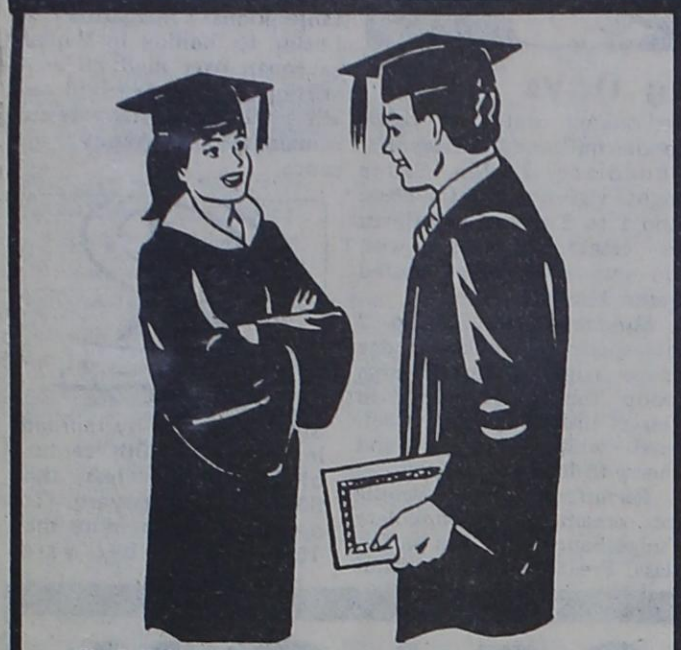
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Any disputes will be settled by the tournament judges.

An entry fee of \$10 per team will be charged. Sign up

and entry fee must be in by 5 p. m. Tuesday, May 31 to George Simmons, Joe Bennett, Allan Gibbs or James Miears.

Play will begin at 5 p. m. Thursday, June 2. All proceeds will go to the Lions Club Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville.

If enough are interested and a bracket can be figured out, there will also be a domino tournament.

A concession stand will be open will a lot of goodies.

The tournament will be held in the School Lunch-room.



NEW HOME - The Home above is one being built by Clark Construction Co. for the Jack Bennetts.

BLACKWELL HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday morning were:

Goldie Smith Eastland
Mary Franklin Eastland
Gussie Sanders Gorman
Ivy Ross Carbon
Maggie Crawford Eastland

Patients dismissed on

May 11:
Helen Humphrey
May 12:
Mary Wilks
May 13:
James Jordan
Lennie Brashear
James Cook
May 14:
Addie Moseley
Elizabeth Williams
—GP—

Homemakers Class Enjoy Monthly Social

Homemakers Class of First Baptist Church met May 10 in the home of Lavoyce Hirst with Opal Holliday and Gladys Chambliss as co-hostesses.

Annye Faye Foster conducted the business meeting which was opened with prayer by Hazel Smith.

Geraldean Wright gave the devotional on Flowers and prayer was voiced by Bea O'Neal. Lois Buchanan read the minutes of the last meeting.

Hostesses served congealed salads, vegetable dish, miniature sausage, stuffed celery, deviled eggs, cheese cake, pound cake and punch.

Members present were, Elaine Skinner, Hazel Smith, Iris Preston, Bea O'Neal, Lois Buchanan, Annye Faye Foster, Louise Brown, Euna Porter, Geraldean Wright, Irene West and Mayvis Lasater.



Americans buy about ten million diamonds a year.

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CONSUMER CORNER

Conquering The Cockroach

A new and highly effective chemical agent available from professional pest control operators is spelling doom for the common cockroach.

The new product comes in a childproof plastic feeding station that is about two inches in diameter. It can be used anywhere roaches are a problem, and remains active for up to three months to assure lasting control and to prevent reinfestation. That's important, experts say, because a single pair of German cockroaches—the most common type—can produce over 100,000 offspring a year.

The new roach bait



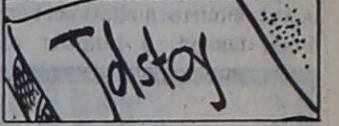
A new roach control system is highly effective and safe for use around children and animals—except, of course, roaches.

station, Maxforce, was developed by scientists at American Cyanamid, a world leader in agricultural pesticides. One test in a nursing home provided 89 percent control through the 12th week. Another, in a heavily infested facility, totally eliminated the German cockroach population during the 12 week trial period.

Roaches enter the feed-

ing station, eat, wander off and the chemical kills them later. So far, there is no indication of the roaches developing a resistance to the chemical, which often happens in roach control. The product is registered by EPA for use around children and animals and there's no need to remove dishes or food from cabinets and cupboards.

Many people with cockroach problems are taking action and asking if their pest control operator has this new roach control system available.



Leo Tolstoy was nominated for, but never won, a Nobel Prize.



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Simpson Cemetery Association Elects New Officers For 1983-84

The annual associational meeting of the Kokomo-Simpson Cemeteries was held Saturday, May 14 at the Kokomo Community Center. Before a bountiful lunch

was spread there was much visiting and reminiscing.

Immediately following the lunch a business meeting was held. Trustees for the coming year were elected.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to those who were so kind during the illness and loss of our dear mother. Especially Dr. L. and Dr. N. and Dr. Parmlee, the nurses, the kitchen staff, those who cleaned her room, the technicians and any other member of the hospital staff. Also we thank the Gorman Care Center, their nurses and entire personnel for being good to mother. To all our dear friends also. We thank Bro. Jim Andrews, Bro. Bob Watson for their visits, prayers and words of comfort. Also the ones who rendered

the beautiful music, the ladies who prepared the delicious food, the ones who so graciously served it. For the beautiful flowers, phone calls visits, cards, memorials and any other expression of sympathy.

Our gratitude also goes to the Higginbotham Funeral Home, Ray, Era and Dorothy for your love and concern and good work.

May God bless each of you.

The family of Mary Timmons Berniece Rodgers and family Ava Rodgers and family Billie Stacy and family Ima Brown and family

Delmon Eaves was elected president; Albert Hendricks, vice president; Zelda Jordan, secretary; and Bobbie Brown treasurer.

Others that will be serving as trustees are J. C. Clearman, Paul Norris, Bill Eaves and Orville Treadway.

According to a recent survey, the top selling soup in American restaurants is vegetable soup.

Spring Pecan Field Day

A spring pecan field day will be held Tuesday, May 24 at Charles Walker's orchard south of Eastland. Pecan growers are invited to meet at the Walker orchard at 9:30 a.m. The orchard is located on Highway 6 about four miles south of Interstate 20. Several types of sprayers

will be demonstrated. Four Extension and Experiment Station specialists will speak on sprayer calibration, mixing chemicals, reading labels and determining the most economical methods of controlling insects, diseases and weeds in pecan orchards.

County Agent DeMarquis Gordon invites everyone interested to attend. The field day will end by noon.

4-H'ers Place At District 4-H Contests

The annual District 8 4-H Round-Up Contest were held Saturday, April 30 at Tarleton State University. Four Eastland county 4-Hers entered the illustrated talks contests. Contestants included: Karmen and Jay Hall, the children of Kathy and Cliff Hall of Rising Star, they placed third in the sheep division; Travis Parson, placed second in the rabbits category and is the son of Wanetta and Homer Parson of Rising Star and their son Warren Parson was also entered in the Safety category.

Congratulations to these 4-Her's!

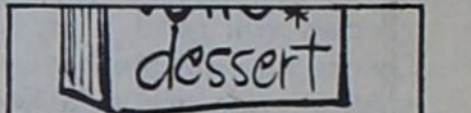
There were also sixteen 4-H'ers entered in the judging contests at Tarleton. The Sr. livestock Judging Team was made up of Noble Laminack from the Gorman 4-H, Darla Cagle from the Eastland 4-H and Wade Shackle-

ford and Shannon Kendall from the Nimrod 4-H. This team placed 3rd overall. The Sr. Dairy Judging Team was Stacey Slampa, Rebecca Scitern and Shannon Caraway from the Gorman 4-H, with Terry Davies from the Nimrod 4-H. The Jr. Livestock Team members were Shane Burgess and Glenn Burgess from the Gorman 4-H and Stephanie Long and Howard Lawrence from the Rising Star 4-H. There was also a Jr. Dairy Judging Team made up of Rising Star 4-Hers. These were Tabitha Hutton, Stacey and Wendy Green, and Brian Bailey.

This team also placed 3rd overall. Congratulations to these 4-Hers!



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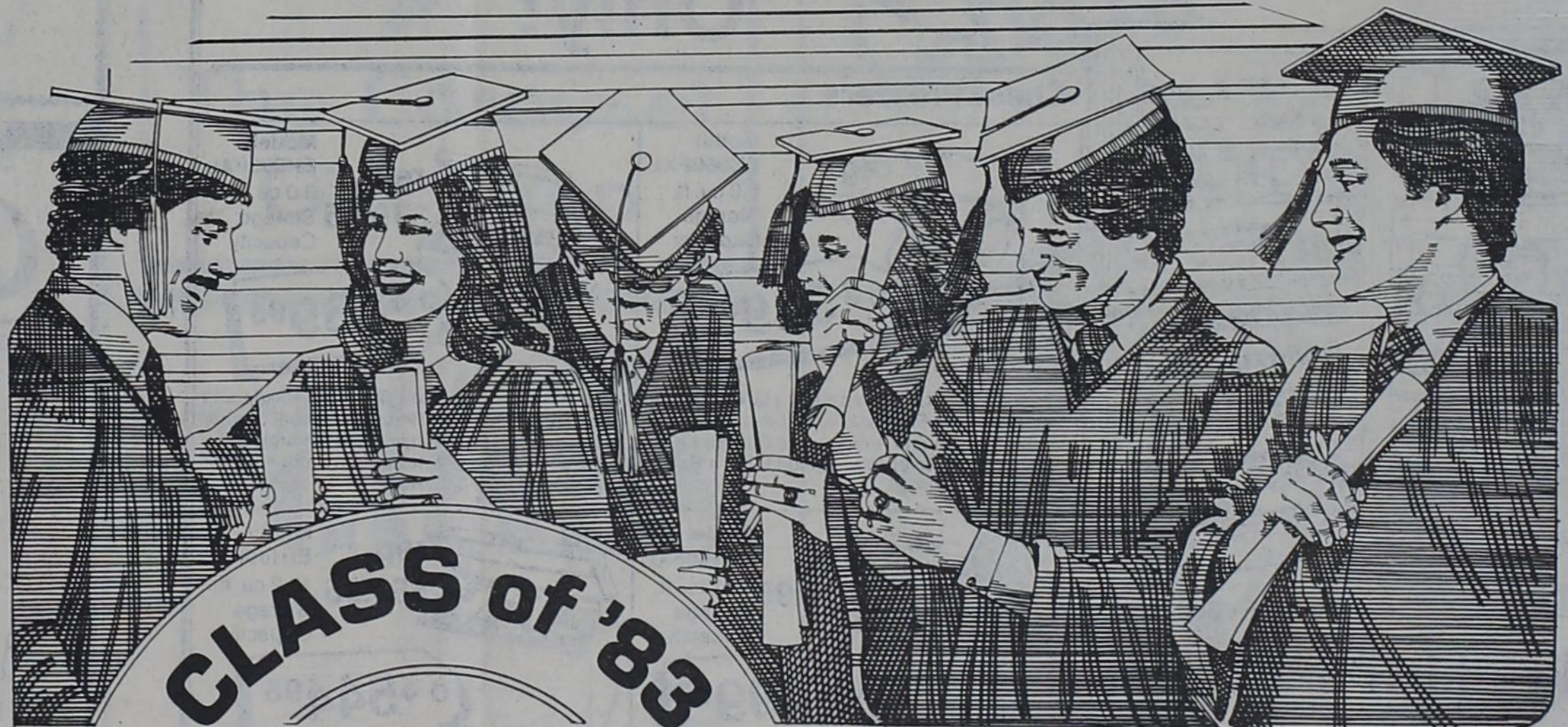
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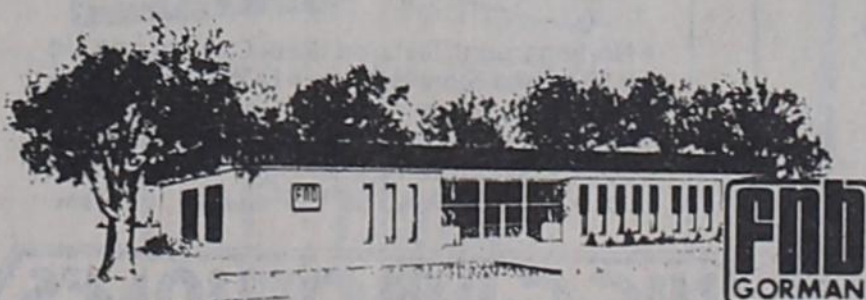
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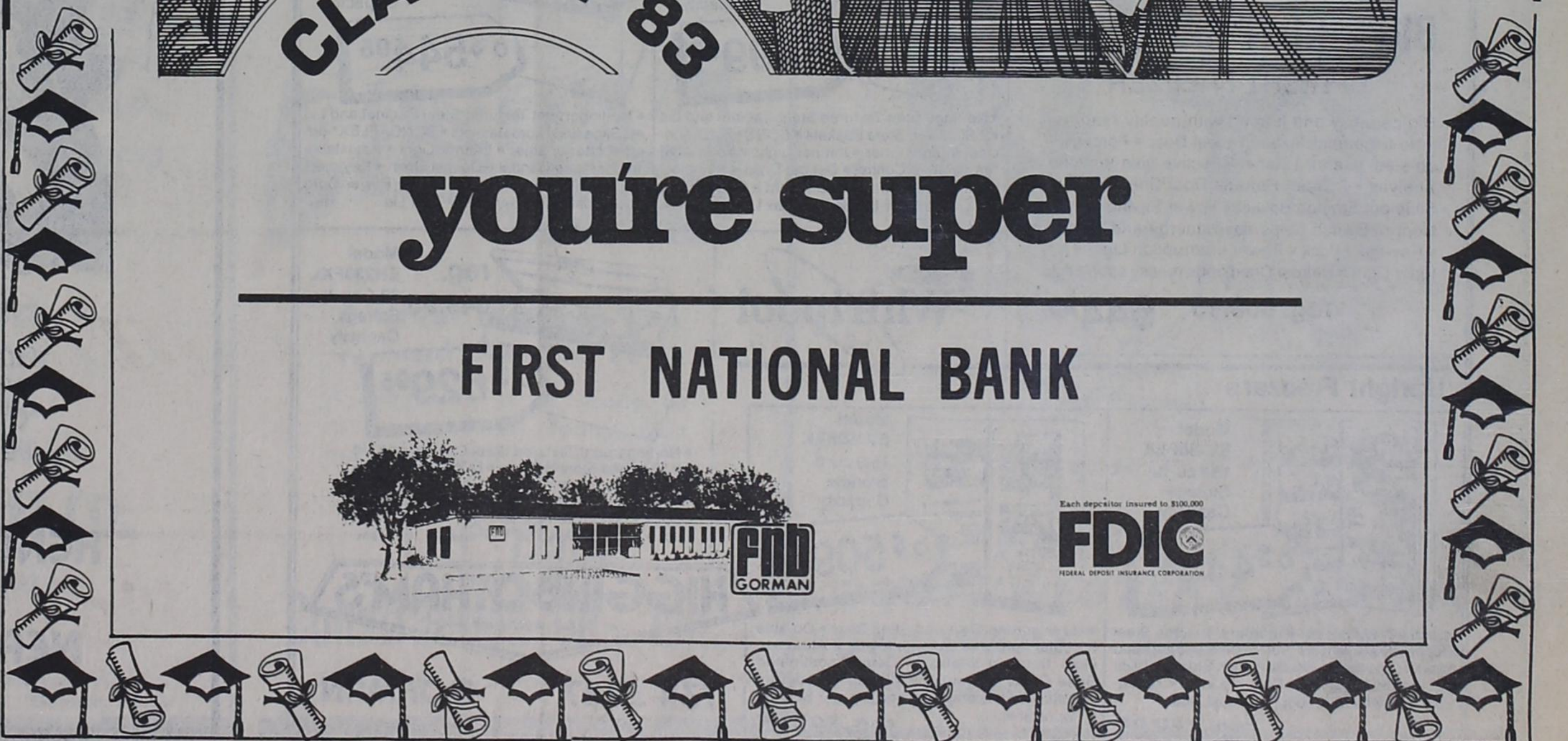


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Elvira Torres — Larry Rone - Vows

Katherine Murphy - Abraham Torres To Pledge Vows

Mrs. Roberta Murphy of Wheeler and Mr. Frank G. Murphy of Soco, California announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Katherine Murphy of Gorman to Abraham Torres, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Torres of Gorman.

Vows will read Thursday, May 26 at 7:30 p.m. in Congregational Methodist Church.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding.



Miss Elvira Torres and Larry Joe Rone pledged wedding vows at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, March 26 in the Congregational Methodist Church.

Arrangements of spring flowers formed the altar for the double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Marion Dennis.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white semi-sheer organza over satin. She carried a bouquet of white and blue silk flowers.

Gena Rone was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Karen Welch, Obdulia Leal and Catrina Drozski.

Ricky Rone served as best man and groomsmen were Johnny Torres, Roberto Leal and Santiago Salvador. Ushers were Lupe Torres and Juan Yvarro.

Denna Torres was flower girl and Jason Rich was ring bearer.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Torres and the bridegroom is the son of B. W. Rone of Gorman.

Following the ceremony the bride's parents were hosts at a reception in Fellowship Hall.

The bride's table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with blue and white silk carnations. The beautiful three tiered wedding cake, decorated with blue and white sugar flowers and topped with white turtle doves graced the table.

A beige linen cloth covered the groom's table which held a coffee service and chocolate cake.

Members of the house party were Mrs. Jo Nell Torres, Dbbie Torres, Allie Lou Torres and Peggy Rone.

Following a short honeymoon trip the couple are at home in Gorman.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Gorman High and the bridegroom is employed by Birdsong Peanuts.

School Hill News

BY OMA LEE RIDDELL

Several from here attended the Athletic Awards the other night and reported having a great time.

The community was saddened to learn of the death of Cecil Stephens this week. Cecil and Ola Mae lived in our community for many years. His family have our deepest sympathy.

Renia Hogg has been enjoying the company of her sisters this week. They are Darvella Scroggins of Big Springs, Claraleen Williams of Anchorage, Alaska, and Ezear Pilgrim of Dumas.

I've been having a bad back problem. Think it may be better now.

Shorty and Alma Fox visited with us one night this

week. When William and I were married we agreed that we wouldn't go to bed mad at each other and we haven't and have bags under our eyes to prove it. He told me one day that he didn't aim to drink any more and I said, "Any more than who?" —GP—



The first record of the use of spices dates from the age of the pyramids in Egypt—approximately 4,600 years ago.



The first known use of the expression "A-1" was said to be by Lloyd's of London, the British insurance organization. Lloyd's graded ships according to the risk of insuring them and those rated "A-1" were thought least likely to sink.

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Homemaking Hints

County Extension Agent

Janet Thomas

Beautiful gardens are visible throughout Eastland County which means food preservation time is just around the corner!

Frozen fruits and vegetables spice year-round menus with garden-fresh flavor. But the nutritive value and quality of these fruits and vegetables depend largely on the treatment before freezing, storage temperature and method of cooking and serving.

Most fruit can be frozen satisfactorily. Select sound, ripe fruit

which is slightly riper than for canning but not soft or mushy. Tree or vine ripened fruits contain more vitamins and richer flavor than fruits picked green and allowed to ripen before freezing.

In general fruit is prepared for freezing as for eating.

Some fruits, such as peaches, apricots, apples and pears, discolor easily. Ascorbic acid (vitamin C) is available in tablet, crystalline or powdered form. Use 1/2 teaspoon of this per quart of syrup to

prevent this discoloration.

If you don't want to pack the fruit in syrup, sprinkle dissolved ascorbic acid over fruit just before adding sugar. Use 1/2 teaspoon in 1/2 cup cold water to each quart of fruit.

Most fruits have better texture and flavor if packed in sugar or syrup. Some fruits may be packed without sweetening for use in special diets.

Quickly getting vegetables from the garden to the freezer is a must for top-quality frozen vegetables. During hot weather, harvest vegetables in the early morning before they absorb much heat.

In preparing vegetables for the freezer, heat the vegetables in boiling water before freezing. This is called blanching. The length of heating time varies with the vegetables. The heat kills enzyme action in the vegetable. Enzymes help the plants grow and mature but if not deactivated the vegetables will develop off flavors and often discolor or toughen during freezing.

Place the blanched vegetables immediately into ice water. When the product is cool throughout, then it is ready to pack for your freezer. Pack in airtight moisture-vapor-proof containers, leaving 1/2 inch headspace.

The Eastland County Extension Service office in the courthouse has a good supply of food preservation bulletins available to the public. These bulletins are

free, and you may request them by calling me at 629-2222 or P.O. Box 189, Eastland 76448.

BEET PICKLES
3 quarts peeled, cooked small beets
2 cups sugar
2 cups water
2 cups vinegar

RECIPE FOR THE WEEK:

The recipe I am featuring this week is from Dr. Al Wagner, who is a Food Technologist with the Extension Service at Texas A&M University.

1 teaspoon whole cloves
1 teaspoon allspice
2 sticks cinnamon, broken into small pieces
Select small, young, tender beets. Cook until

tender and skins slip easily. Dip in cold water. Slip off skins. Make syrup of sugar, water and vinegar; add spices in cheesecloth bag. Add beets and cook 10 minutes. Pack beets into hot jars. Add boiling syrup to within 1/2 inch of jar top. Close. Process in boiling water 20 minutes if whole, 5 minutes if sliced. Start to count processing time as soon as water returns to boiling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark, Amy and LeeVi of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and James were visiting with Mrs. Dora Garrett on Sunday afternoon.

IT'S THE MOST!



Another house is raising its roof to allow more people to enjoy its lovely rooms. It's the King David Manor on Long Island's oceanfront in Long Beach, NY. No senior residence stands taller in the esteem of those in the know than this magnificent facility. The new addition will add a seventh floor overlooking the famed Boardwalk.

The world's largest house is the Biltmore House in Asheville, NC. Its 250 rooms were built by George Washington Vanderbilt in the 1890s on an estate of 119,000 acres. The house is still owned by Vanderbilt's kin.

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KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

Albert Hendricks, Woodrow Browning and Helen Browning and Bro. Jim Andrews rendered the special music at the Sunday morning services at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker and Mallie of Whitehouse, Buster Johnson of Carbon, Modess Burgess, Sam Bringer and Bill Plaunty, all of Gorman.

The Sunday evening service was dismissed so that the members might attend the baccalaureate services at Gorman. Kokomo has one graduate this year, Kathy Snider. We congratulate Kathy and all the graduates and pray that God's blessings will be upon them as they go forth to find their place in the adult world.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, Shannon and Brian and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown attended the baccalaureate at Carbon on Sunday morning. Our congratulations and prayers go to the Carbon graduates also, and to every graduating senior everywhere.

The monthly Brotherhood Breakfast at the Kokomo Baptist Church will be held at the fellowship hall on Saturday, May 21 at 6:30 a. m. All men of the community are invited and urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rodgers, Serrina and Lynn of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rodgers and Tammy of Gorman were Mother's Day visitors with Lavelle Rodgers.

We extend sympathy to

the family of Mr. Jesse Crow of Comanche, who passed away on Friday. He was an uncle of Mrs. Bill Brown and Mrs. Euell Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker and Mallie of Whitehouse and Buster Johnson were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Griffith spent the weekend in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Griffith, Chad and Lara Jane.

Gene, Lou Evelyn and Joe Rodgers, Jim and Wilda Rodgers, Danny, Cindy and Ryan Rodgers and Linda Weaver, all of Midlothian, Rodney and Ruth Spencer of San Antonio, Denny and Deanna Chupp of Houston, Vance, Donna and Ellen Laminack of Fort Worth, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers last weekend and attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Timmons on Wednesday.

Joyce Gilbert of Oklahoma City, Steve Gilbert of Abilene, John, LaTonne and Jonna

Rodgers of Carbon, Jeff and Kim White of Graham, Bob and Kathy Rodgers, Brownwood, and Mike and Alice Rodgers visited with their mother, Mrs. Odis Rodgers, last weekend and attended

the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Timmons on Wednesday.

The homecoming and cemetery working of the Kokomo Simpson Cemetery Association was held at Kokomo on

Saturday. There will be a write-up elsewhere in the paper about the meeting.

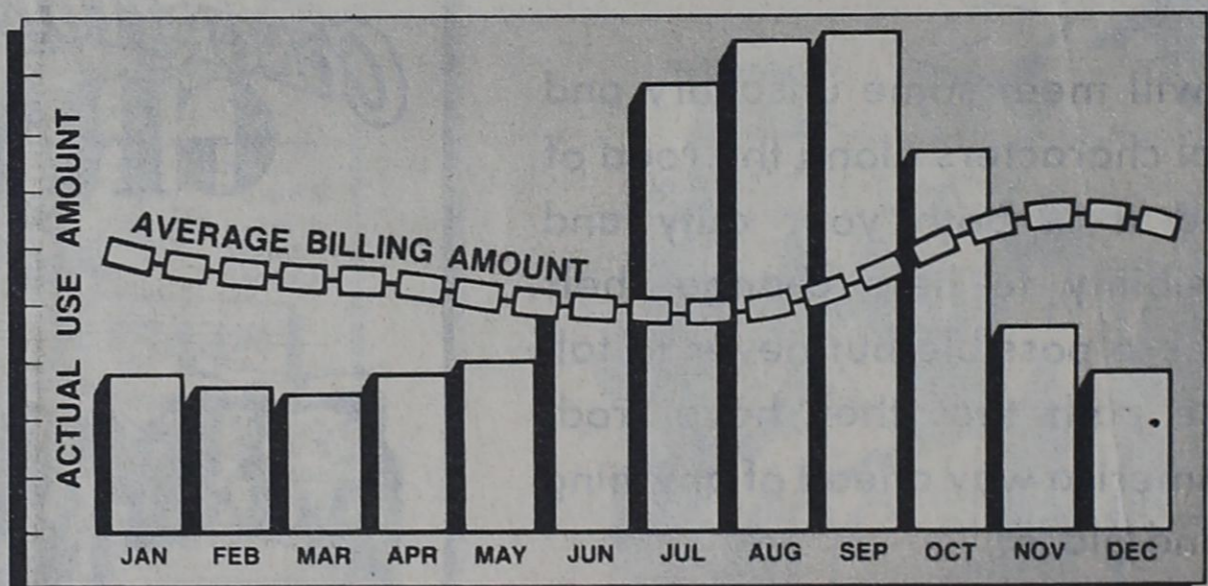
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan were in Munday on Saturday to help Ted and Cindy Jordan in their move

from Floydada to Munday. Ted has accepted employment as vice-president of the First National Bank of Munday.

BAKE SALE - By the Kokomo Extension Homemakers

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