



## 71 HOMECOMING CROWD ENJOYS VISITING - REMINISCING & GAME

The 1971 homecoming of the Gorman High School Exes held last Saturday was highly successful, although the attendance was not quite as large as some of the past years. Ninety-one former students registered during the morning coffee at the high school, but many more arrived during the day and by game time at 8:00 p. m. the stadium was overflowing for the game between the Gorman Panthers and the Rising Star Wildcats. The Panthers did not disappoint the fans as they outplayed their opponents from start to finish.

Lester Seaton was chosen president of the Ex-Students Association in the business meeting held at 1:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Other officers for 1971 are Richard Watson, first vice president; Daryl Hirst, second vice president; Mrs. Lester Seaton, secretary; Mrs. E. G. Henderson, treasurer; Mrs. Ray Rankin and Mrs. Graydon Baze, invitation chairmen; and Mrs. Estelle Craddock, publicity chairman. The group voted to hold the homecoming annually. The class of 1921 had the largest number in attendance for the



**COMING HOME QUEEN** — Mrs. Lottie Browning Morris smiles happily as she was presented at halftime ceremonies Saturday night recognizing her as Gorman High School Exes "Coming Home" Queen for 1971. Richard Watson, left, Homecoming 2nd. V.-Pres., escorted Mrs. Morris on the field where the Panther Band had formed a large heart. Gene Foster, in the background, presented the bouquet of red roses.

second consecutive homecoming. Six were present. Other classes were also recognized. Exes chose Mrs. Lottie Browning Morris as Coming Home Queen. She was presented at half time activities at the football field Saturday night.

traveling the farthest distance, 550 miles from his home in Harlingen to attend the reunion. W. C. Browning paid tribute to the deceased exes from the years of 1969 to 1971. Boxes of peanuts were presented to the three honeers.

Frank Hunt of Fort Worth was honored as the representative of the Class of 1918. Carl Thompson was given special recognition as

Second vice president Richard Watson welcomed the ex-students and presided at the afternoon business meeting. The invocation was



**HOMECOMING QUEEN** — Christie Duran, chosen Homecoming Queen by the student body of GHS, was escorted by Danny Ervin at the half-time activities at homecoming ceremonies Saturday night. She was presented a bouquet of red roses by Gene Foster.

said by Rev. Frank Williams, pastor of the First United Methodist Church. Minutes of the 1969 homecoming was read by Vicki Frossard in absence of the secretary, Mrs. Bill Chandler.

Pep rally was held at 6:50 p. m. in the high school auditorium and the seniors served a turkey dinner in the school cafeteria. An after game dance was held in the warehouse building back of the bank for the college and high school students. Young married couples met in the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall and the older adults met in the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall for after game refreshments and get-togethers.

Christie Duran, a junior, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duran, was chosen Homecoming Queen. Others honored at half-time activities were Football Sweetheart, Bernadean Reeves, a junior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reeves; June Collins, Band Sweetheart, a senior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Collins; and Richard Hattox, Band Beau, son of Raymond Hattox, who is a soph-

omore. Half-time activities were under the direction of Band Director, Russell Fuller.



**FOOTBALL SWEETHEART** — Bernadean Reeves smiles proudly as she receives the accolade of the Panther team co-captains Danny Snider, Windell Treadway and Billy Self.

## Annual Carnival To Be Held Oct. 28

The Gorman athletic department will sponsor the annual Halloween Carnival on Thursday evening, October 28th from 6:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. All sponsored booths will contribute 75 percent of net proceeds to the athletic fund to be used to purchase equipment and supplies for the elementary and high school athletic programs. It is through this event that we have been able to supply some of the needs of the department.

Each class and some organizations will sponsor booths of various kinds with a food booth. Booths have not been selected at this time. Also each class has nominated a boy and girl as their candidate for king and queen of the carnival. A king and queen will be selected for the first four grades, one for the middle four, and one for the upper four. The coronation will be in the high school auditorium starting at 8:15 following the closing of the booths at 8:00 p. m.

The following have been nominated as candidates from the classes: first grade, Randy Thompson and Susan Barnett; second grade, Scotty Mauney and Tacy Simpson; third grade, Steve Spivey and Terrye Jeffs; fourth grade, Don Vaughn and Shari Guthery; fifth grade, Billy Simpson and Susan Borden; sixth grade, James Dickerson and Lisa Warren; seventh grade, Revice Laminack and Kathy Hughes; eighth grade, Gary Hattox and Patsy Martin; ninth grade, Rodney Warren and Charlene Self; tenth grade, Claude Ridens and Annette Jackson; eleventh grade, Jim Jackson and Barbara Regian, and twelfth grade, Don Porter and Marilyn Thompson.

Everyone come out and have an evening of fun and fellowship together and help raise the much needed money for the athletic fund.

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  - Night Patrolman ..... 734-5730
  - Constable ..... 734-5795
  - Sheriff Dept. .... Eastland 629-1774
  - Game Warden .... Eastland 629-2711
  - Dept. of Public Safety ..... Eastland 629-2615
  - City Office ..... 734-5317
  - City Water Dept. .... 734-6891
  - Fire Dept. .... 734-5555
  - Ambulance ..... 734-2271
  - Hospital ..... 734-2294 & 734-2295

## Carbon Loses To Lueders-Avoca; To Play Gordon

The Lueders-Avoca Riders beat the Carbon Wolverines by a score of 68 to 18 last week.

The scoring for Lueders-Avoca was done by four of their boys. Leading the scoring for the Riders was Tommy Camacho with four touchdowns for 24 points. Keith Henderson scored three touchdowns and kicked four extra points for a total of 26. Brian Harvey scored two touchdowns for 12 points. Also scoring was Joe Tabor, scoring one touchdown for 6 points. Tommy Camacho's touchdowns came on runs of 35, 15, 7, and 4 yards. Henderson's touchdowns came on passes of 2, 20 and 4 yards. Harvey's touchdowns came on a 5 yard run and a 5 yard pass. Tabor's touchdown came on a 35 yard pass. Brian Harvey threw just about all of the touchdown passes.

The scoring for Carbon was done by Don Duncan with two touchdowns and Timmy Wooley with one touchdown. Don Duncan's scores came on a 20 yard pass from James Norris and on a 35 yard run. Wooley scored on a 65 yard pass play from James Norris.

The Carbon Wolverines will play their first district game on Friday, October 22 at 7:30. They will play Gordon.

## Powder Puff Game Slated For 7:30 Thursday Night

The most popular football game of the year will take place at 7:30 p. m. Thursday in Brogdon Field when the "Evil Kinevials" meet the "Chic A Boom's" in the annual Powder Puff battle of the year.

Coaching the "Evil Kinevials" will be "Pawpaw Patterson", "Kick My" Self, and "Wallop" Warren. Twirlers entertaining will be "Bertha" Brown, "Legs" Lewis and "Rosey" Greer. Cheerleaders trying to cheer their team to victory will be "Sweety" Guthery, "Elvira" Ervin, "Sue Ann" Snider, "Deviled Ham" Underwood and "Peach" Gregory.

Coaching the ever-popular "Chic A Boom's" will be "Deep Sleep" Henderson, "Jolly" Jackson, and "Betting" Baze. Cheerleaders will be "Stetson" Hattox, "Pretty" Porter, "Claudice" Edwards, "Clox" Rydians, and "Miss Martha" Eaves. Twirlers will be "3 Minute" Rice and "Donna" Williams.

Admission for this event is 35c for students and 50c for adults. Refreshments will be served in the concession stand so clear your calendar for Thursday evening and get your supper at the concession stand and we promise you an evening of exciting football.

## Last Rites For Mrs. Plez Montgomery On Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Plez (Maude) Montgomery, 79, were held at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Harrell Nichols, pastor of Grace Temple Assembly of God in Fort Worth, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Ronnie Armes of Fort Worth.

Burial was in Murray Memorial Cemetery near Carbon. Mrs. Montgomery died at 5:30 p. m. Sunday in Heritage Manor Nursing Home in Hemphill. She was a former Gorman resident.

Born March 16, 1892 in Grayson County, Mrs. Montgomery was a member of the Pentecostal Church. Survivors include two sons, J. A. and Monte; two daughters, Mrs. Cleo Wright of Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. Hensley of Hemphill; one brother, Buddy Thompson of Enid, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Millican of Fort Worth and Mrs. Roxie Carolye of Grapevine; 11 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Glenn Justice, Dick Foster, Heppy Jackson, Verr Jackson, Dickie Burgess, Johnny Zatorsky, Bryon Hester and W. J. Greer, Jr.

## Smith Drug & Sales Hit By Burglars

Jose David Fuentes of San Antonio, an employee of Gorman Peanuts, was apprehended Tuesday by Gorman Chief of Police Larry Kibodeaux and is in Eastland County Jail after admitting to the robbery of Smith Drug and Sales in Gorman around 1:00 a. m. Monday.

Being sought as an accomplice in the robbery is Joe Garcia Benavidez.

Entrance to the store was made through the side alley plateglass window. Approximately \$1,000 in merchandise and \$150 in cash and checks was taken. Merchandise included TV, radios, knives, electric razors, watches, cosmetics and jewelry.

The robbery was discovered at 8:00 a. m. Monday by A. E. Smith, owner.

Eastland County Deputy Sheriff, J. D. Clement, assisted in the investigation of the robbery.

## LAST RITES FOR MRS. W. LOVELL HELD SUNDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Will Lovell, age 98 years, 2 weeks, were held Sunday, October 17 at 3 p. m. in the First Baptist Church of Carbon where she was a member. Rev. Jim Roberts, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. Lee Fields of Carbon.

Mrs. Lovell died Friday evening, October 15 at 8:30 p. m. in the Eastland Manor Nursing Home where she had been a patient for the past 10 months. Burial was in the Center Point Cemetery, south of Carbon.

Cedera Josephine Mayberry was born October 3, 1873 in Centerville, Tenn., and at the age of nine years came to Texas with her family and settled near Gatesville, Coryell County, Texas. On November 14, 1889 she married William Jasper Lovell in Gatesville and they came by ox wagon to Eastland County arriving in the Jewell Community December 25, 1889. From there they moved to Center Point where they made their home and raised their family.

To this union was born four children. Survivors are Clyde E. Lovell of Baird and Henry A. Lovell of Carbon. Preceding her in death was her husband, June 16, 1926, and a daughter, Sybbie Maness December 8, 1916, and a son, John Wallace Lovell June 19, 1949. Also surviving are 7 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Honorary pallbearers were W. E. Walker, W. J. Greer, Vernon Cagle, Buster Johnson, Horace Browning and Dulan Sandlin.

Pallbearers were Cody McDaniel, J. E. McDaniel, Euell Allison, Bill Brown, Willie Lovell and Doyle Keith.

## Sen. Tom Creighton To Seek Re-election In 22nd District

State Senator Tom Creighton of Mineral Wells in an Austin news conference today announced that he would seek re-election in the newly constituted 22nd Senatorial District which, under the new redistricting plan, includes the following counties: Bosque, Comanche, Cooke, Denton, Eastland, Erath, Hill, Hood, Jack, Johnson, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Somervell, Stephens, Wise and Young.

In expressing pleasure with the plan devised by the Redistricting Board, Creighton said, "The Board had a very difficult job, but, in my opinion, they performed in a statesman-like manner. The West Texas Districts are homogeneous and are representative of a substantial community of interest."

Senator Creighton has served in the Texas Senate for the past 12 years and presently ranks sixth in seniority. He serves as chairman of the Senate Water and Conservation Committee, is a member of the powerful Legislative Budget Board, as well as the five-member Senate Finance Subcommittee.

Creighton is a practicing attorney and resides in Mineral Wells with his wife, the former Sue Sparks, and their three sons, Will, Kenny and Mark.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my deepest appreciation to the wonderful people of this area who have shared words of comfort, prayers, visits, and many other kindnesses with me during my stay in the hospital. May God bless and keep each and every one of you in my sincere prayer.

Mary Mehaffey  
Box 342  
Old Ocean, Texas 77463  
—GP—

### CARD OF THANKS

To my friends, neighbors, relatives, Dr. Pino and Dr. Eisenrich and staff at Blackwell Hospital, I say thanks for the good care, cards, flowers, gifts and thoughts sent my way during my stay in the hospital. A very special thanks to the nurses who gave me such good care and attention.

May God bless you.  
Bassed and Ora Hirst  
—GP—

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We would like to express our deepest gratitude for the prayers, food and flowers during the illness and passing of our dear loved one. Your deeds of kindness will ever be remembered.

May God bless each of you.  
The Family of  
Mrs. Will Lovell  
—GP—

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jamison of Sweetwater visited over the week-end with Mrs. T. F. Morrow.

# Panthers Outgun Wildcats 41-12; Open This Week Date

The Gorman Panthers brought a perfect climax to Homecoming activities on Saturday night and thrilled the large homecoming crowd with a smashing 41 to 12 defeat of the Rising Star Wildcats to make their season record read 5-1.

The Panthers didn't get untracked until the early part of the second quarter when they took the ball on their own 39 and scored in four plays featuring a beautiful 37 yard scamper by Steve Patterson and a 21 yard burst by Bill Self. Self scored from the one yard line over left tackle with 10:23 left in the second. Rudy Espinoza booted the extra point to put the score at 7-0.

The Big Red came right back with another touchdown after recovering a Wildcat fumble on the Rising Star 30. Following a 15 yard penalty against the Panthers, the Panther quarterback Kelly Henderson hit Mark Arnold on the "bomb

getting the final 2 yards. The run for points failed and the score was 35-6.

Gorman's final score came with 6:26 left in the game when Bill Self scored his third TD of the night on a 10 yard jaunt off the right side. The run for points failed and the score rose to 41-6.

The final Wildcat score came on a fine 85 yard scamper by Tommy Linney with 3:07 left in the game with the entire Panther reserve unit in the ball game. A pass for the extra points failed and the final score read 41-12.

This was a real fine game for the Panthers as they put forth another determined and spirited effort by the whole team.

Outstanding defensive and offensive play was turned in by Mark Arnold, Jim Guthery, Bimbo Roberts, Windell Treadway, Danny Ervin, Rodney Warren, Jim Jackson, Danny Snider, Bill Self, Rudy Espinoza, Kelly Henderson, and Phillip Lewis, plus all the reserves. We must at this time apologize to Phillip Lewis as we have failed to mention his name the last few weeks. He has been playing real fine ball and in naming the players each week we just slipped up and failed to get his name in. Sorry, Phillip.

We thought Rudy Espinoza and Danny Ervin played by far their best game of the season, with outstanding play on defense and real fine work on offense. Therefore, Rudy and Danny are the picks this week for Panthers of The Week. Boy, those Panthers have really been playing determined, spirited play, with fine concentration and if they keep this up they will be really hard to beat the rest of the way.

Bill Self had his most productive game of the season, rambling for a total of 258 yards on 19 carries for a 13.5 average. Steve Patterson also had his best evening of the season getting 96 on 12 trips for 8.0. Rudy Espinoza produced 71 yards on 5 totes for 14.0, and caught a 22 yard TD pass. Henderson had 3 yards on 2 keeps. This was a real fine effort for the Panthers as they amassed 418 yards on the ground and 70 in the air for a total of 488 offensive yards.

The Panthers get a well deserved rest this week with an open date before traveling to Lometa to take on the Hornets in their first 17-B District game on Friday, October 29th with game time being 7:30 p. m. Please note the time change. This should be another real battle for the Panthers as Lometa and Gorman always play tough football games against each other. But we know the Panthers can win this 17-B opener if they continue their outstanding play. Right, Panthers?

See you at Lometa!  
—GP—

## GORMAN PEANUTS RECEIVES '71 INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION AWARD



Governor Preston Smith presenting Robbie Robertson, Assistant Mgr., and Wilbur Shell, Secretary-Treasurer of Gorman Peanuts, the coveted Industrial Expansion Award Thursday, October 14, 1971 at the Governor's Conference on Industrial Expansion held in Austin.

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Gorman Peanuts was one of five industries leading Texas in corporate growth and contribution to community economy. Gorman Peanut renovated and expanded its processing facilities to bring its 1970 sales to more than \$22 million. The company, which is the areas principal employer, also brought to Gorman a new industry which processes peanut by-products.

The company had a payroll increase of 25 percent from 1969 to 1970, with an employee increase of 20 percent.

Products produced at the plant increased 47 percent, and investment of new plant facilities in

equipment increased 11 percent. Increase in local expenditures was 10 percent.

Gorman Peanuts acquired in July of 1970 new facilities at San Antonio, Houston and Ranger, and at the same time acquired buying points at Carbon, Pleasanton, Stockdale and Pearsall.

Gorman Peanuts is a member of the Gorman Chamber of Commerce and the Industrial Foundation, and is active in all community activities.

Gorman is very fortunate to have a company like Gorman Peanuts located here. We all share the pride and appreciation of the contribution Gorman Peanuts has made in the economy of our community.

Attending from Gorman were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shell, Mrs. M. E. Shell, (Melvin was in Chicago on business), Robbie Robertson, Richard Watson, Mrs. Rooney Williams, Graydon Baze, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baker, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayres of Eastland.

Ed. Note: To those who are not familiar with the history of Gorman Peanut Co., it was founded in 1940 by Melvin and Wilbur Shell.

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## ITEMS OF INTEREST

A wiener roast for all boys in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades will be held at the First Baptist Church from 6:00 to 7:00 p. m. Sunday, October 24th. Everyone is welcome to stay for the worship service beginning at 7:00 p. m. Boys needing a ride may call Richard Watson, Burl Harper, or Bill Gressett.

The Social Security Representative will be in Gorman Thursday, October 28th at 10:00 a. m. at the City Office.

**NEW HOME FOR LONE STAR GAS CO.** — Lone Star Gas Office is in the process of moving to their new office, the former city office building. The building is owned by Mrs. Berenice Jeffs.

**BANK AND POST OFFICE TO BE CLOSED ON MONDAY** — All Federal offices will be closed on Monday, October 25th in observance of Veterans Day. The First National Bank and the Gorman Post Office will be closed and no rural mail will be delivered on that date.

**Non-denominational Prayer group** will meet in the home of Mrs. A. E. Pino on the first and third Tuesday of each month and at 2:30 p. m. on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month. All women of the community are invited to attend.

The Band Boosters are in urgent need of a good used electric refrigerator to be used in the concession. If you have one or know of one to be donated, please contact Mr. Russell Fuller or Frances Simpson.

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## VETERANS DAY 1971

Veterans' Day will be observed this year in most states on October 25th. This time of remembrance had its beginning as Armistice Day marking the end of World War I on November 11, more than 50 years ago. It is now the day on which the nation honors all veterans of the Armed Forces. They should be doubly honored this year for the thankless task of "winding down" the Viet Nam war—a conflict in which many of them have participated.

Unlike veterans of previous periods in our history, those returning from Viet Nam will find no brass bands awaiting them, but a nation preoccupied with dissension and confusion over economic and social troubles. These troubles would assume far more reasonable proportions if the respect for our nation, which is implicit in Veterans' Day, could enjoy a rebirth. A part of that respect can be redeemed by observing Veterans' Day in the spirit in which it was conceived by patriotic Americans of over a half century ago. There was no question then of the greatness of our nation, its purposes nor the quality of its citizens.

We should realize that what was true then is true now. There is no greater nation than the United States. Those who have served in its military forces are symbolic of everything in which free men believe—the Christian ideals of personal liberty, the rule of law and the sanctity of the home and the individual. There is no better time to pay homage to all of these safeguards of human dignity and freedom and to the members of the Armed Forces who have helped to preserve them than on Veterans Day.

—GP—

TO GIVE AWAY — Registered female Chihuahua dog. Mrs. Iris Smith, 734-5549. 1-10-21c

FOR SALE — New Ferguson peanut inverter. Priced for quick sale. 758-2501, Desdemona. 2-10-28p

FOR SALE — 10 head Hampshire choateas, 100 lbs and over. Also a sow to go with them. Will sell by head or by pound. J. V. Touchstone Rising Star, 643-3289. 2-10-28p

FOR SALE — Portable welding equipment, truck, machine, torch and miscellaneous tools. Top condition. Alton Briscoe, 629-2972, 1713 W. Commerce, Eastland. 2-10-28c

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# DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Murray Foote spent several days in San Antonio visiting his daughter, Mrs. Warner Speer and Mr. Speer. While there they visited a brother, Arlie Foote, who lives in the Veterans Hospital at Houston.

On Wednesday Mrs. Inez Heeter had a surprise visit as Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradley of Dallas and Mrs. Katie Thurman of Gorman came by. Mrs. Bradley will be remembered by some as Sallie (Zelma) Montgomery. She was reared in Desdemona. Fred's father was superintendent of the Magnolia Oil and Gas Co. This place has changed quite a bit since they lived here.

Docy Williams is at the home of her daughter, Dorothy Roberts, after spending several days in the De Leon Hospital suffering from a mild heart attack.

Mrs. Gussie Ragland, Mrs. Bonnie Watkins and Mrs. Hattie Tate attended the annual meeting of the W. M. U. in Breckenridge on Thursday.

Mrs. Inez Heeter and Mrs. Hattie Tate were in Cisco on Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. C. C. Cutting. He formerly lived at Desdemona. We also visited Mrs. Laura Greenhaw at Hickman Nursing Home and visited with Mrs. O. G. Lawson and daughter, Mrs. Roy Anderson (Helen Louise) and had a very pleasant visit and the coffee was "tops." The Lawsons will be remembered by many as former residents of our town. Mrs. Lawson lives alone at her home in Cisco as Mr. Lawson passed away in 1970.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Brogdon and family of Weatherford attended homecoming Saturday and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Clark and family of San Antonio visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers, and his father, D. R. Clark, who is a patient in Blackwell Hospital.

Felix Sparks had the misfortune of having a run-in with a lawn mower one day last week and had a very sore foot from the results.

Mrs. Eva Williams and a sister from Stephenville, Mrs. Garden Holmes and Mr. Holmes, were in Lamesa several days this week. They said the crops were fine, if the frost stayed off until late. Other reports were that the "better bean" crop was excellent and their deep freezers are bulging with beans.

Mrs. Robbie Riddle is under the care of the doctor. She would be glad to get a card or visit from her friends. Her address is Route 4, Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burleson of Stephenville visited in our town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig visited with his mother over the weekend. His father, Billy Craig, is in Dallas for eye surgery.

Ethel Keith returned home Saturday after spending two weeks in Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Wilcoxson brought her home and returned to their home in Odessa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Weaver of Granbury visited the Morgan Roberts on Sunday.

Quite a few attended the musical at the Community Center Saturday night.

Don't forget Saturday night, Nov. 20th is regular country musical night and there will be chili, stew and bean supper and fried pies. The cost will be \$7 per plate.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb are visiting relatives in Phoenix and Scottsdale, Arizona.

Mrs. Evah Sparkman and grandchildren of Stephenville attended the State Fair of Texas on Saturday.

Hattie Tate, Sub Reporter

C. C. Reeves of Coffeville, Kans. attended homecoming on Saturday and remained for a weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Smith and family of Brownwood attended the homecoming football game Saturday night. He is a former coach and high school principal at GHS. They were also visitors in the Joe Bennett home following the game.

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# KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powers of Vidor were recent visitors with his mother, Mrs. T. G. Jackson.

John Gilbert of Texas University and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and family of Houston were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert and Floydene and Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers.

Cathy Parr of San Angelo State College was a homecoming visitor and spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Parr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Henson of Gordonville are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Nath McMullen. Mrs. Henson will be remembered as the former Merle McMullen.

Mrs. Mary Mehaffey left last week for an extended stay with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mehaffey of Old Ocean.

Mrs. Jack Wheeler of Denton spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Marvin Blair, and attended homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Kimble of Abilene were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimble and Mrs. Doyle Greer. They also attended the GHS homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clement and Michele of Dallas were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clement and attended homecoming.

Vicki Frossard of Big Spring was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frossard. She attended homecoming activities.

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd and family visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Boyd and attended homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Browning and Jennifer of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. John Delgado, Elizabeth and Terry of Houston, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Morris of Levelland visited last week with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Huppy Morris, and attended homecoming on Saturday.

Tresa Duran of Kilgore Junior College and Mike Duran of SMU were weekend visitors with their family, the Charles Durans.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rodgers and Kevin of Brownwood were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning and Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Self and girls of Big Spring were weekend visitors with his mother, Mrs. Donnie Self, and attended homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eison and Lori of Bridgeport and Mrs. James Henry, Melissa and Christian of Fort Worth, spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Jolene Eison, and with Mr. and Mrs. Don Laminack and attended homecoming. Mrs. Henry remained until Wednesday. Her grandmother, Mrs. Luther Cunningham, returned home with her and will go on to Longview for a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Glenda Silvertooth.

Paul Morgan of Detroit, Michigan is visiting this week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Smith. Paul is a former resident of Gorman and linotype operator for the Detroit Free Press. He has recently undergone eye surgery at the VA Research Hospital in Chicago. He praises his surgeon Dr. Nichols Veit, very highly for the very successful operation.

Shorty Allen of Odessa visited with friends in Gorman Saturday and attended homecoming.

L. D. Holliday returned to the VA Hospital in Dallas last Wednesday after spending five weeks at home. He is scheduled for more surgery Wednesday. Recent visitors in the Holliday home were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gregory and Dorene and Mrs. Gertie Eminger of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker,

## Crossbreeding Beef Cattle to be Topic of Eastland Meeting

"Crossbreeding beef cattle to improve production efficiency" will be the topic of a program Thursday night, October 21, in Eastland. L. A. Maddox, Extension Beef Cattle Specialist from Texas A&M University, will be the speaker at the meeting which will be held at the Farm Bureau building in Eastland, starting at 7:30 p. m. County Agent De Gordon said the meeting to help Eastland County beef producers increase their income. He says crossbreeding to achieve hybrid vigor can increase production efficiency by 10 to 25 percent in most commercial herds.

Maddox will discuss the importance of selection in crossbred and purebred herds. The most successful crossbreeding programs will also be discussed.

Gordon says the speaker has much experience in this field. He served as animal husbandman for Texas Tech Research Farm from 1949-54; owned and operated a Hereford ranch, 1945-56 and has been Extension beef cattle specialist at Texas A&M since 1956.

The county agent urges all beef producers in Eastland County to attend.

Mrs. Rachel Johnson, Cherry Hillson and Mrs. Lyda Gowan, all of Gorman, and Bob Walker of Kokomo and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Norris of Carbon and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Holliday of Hilltop, The Hollidays visited last Friday in Ranger with the Gregorlys.

Mrs. Ila Carlock and Mrs. Neudy Radcliffe of rownwood visited Monday, October 11 with their aunts, Mrs. Gyrt Patrick and Mrs. Mamie Chambliss. They entertained the residents of Gorman Hotel Housing Project with the showing of movies Mrs. Radcliffe made on a tour of Tahiti, New Zealand and Australia.

Mr. and Mrs. David Revels and family of Houston spent the homecoming weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Revels and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis of Houston were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson of Harlingen were weekend house guests of Ozella Pulley and attended school homecoming on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baze of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baze of Midlothian and Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze and David of Eastland were weekend visitors with their mother, Mrs. J. A. Baze, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Baze. They attended homecoming on Saturday and the Deacon Ordaining Service of Joe Ed Baze at First Baptist Church on Sunday.

## Is Moodley Better Than Naicker?

By Robert Bostick, Gorman Church of Christ

I saw in the newspaper several months ago that a gentleman in South Africa had his name changed. The interesting part was that he switched from Gnasasamunthamurthi Naicker to Gnasasamunthamurthi Moodley. The filler went on to say that no reason was given for the change. It reminded me a little of the fellow named Joe Stink because he got tired of people saying, "Hey, Joe, what do you know?"

Gnasasamunthamurthi had a fine reason for changing his name, I am sure. Apparently the one he had to begin with indicated something or related him to someone that he wasn't proud of. After all, that's what names are for. They describe. They tell who or what. They indicate kinship, or quality, or purpose. They identify.

Why is it then, do you suppose, that people are so careless about names when it comes to spiritual affairs? Millions professing to be Christians are apparently not satisfied to be called that. They take extra names. Some are based on a practice (Baptist, Dunkard, Quaker). Others come from a man's name (Lutheran, Calvinist, Wesleyan). Maybe these names designate church government (Congregational, Presbyterian, Independent or Episcopalian). Sometimes they grow out of a belief or doctrine (Evangelical, Fundamental, Methodist, Adventist or Sabbatarian) - and we may as well include Progressive and Anti, Liberal and Conservative, etc. If a person carries a partisan flag for these causes he is in the same boat with all the rest along this line.

Christians in the New Testament times, under the guidance of the apostles and prophets also baptized, but they were just CHRISTIANS. They were congregational in government and were ruled by local presbyters (elders) who were also called episcopopi (overseers) But they were still just CHRISTIANS. They were "pro" some things and "anti" some things. But they were still just CHRISTIANS, or saints, or disciples, or believers, or brethren. And these were names common to them all, no labels to divide them from one another.

The one time we find them taking any party labels (in that case they had begun to take men's names), the Apostle Paul reprimanded them firmly, and reminded them that they were all baptized into the name of Christ, who was crucified for them all. He added that Christ was not divided, and that they should not be either (I Corinthians 1:9-18).

The great reformers of early Protestantism all begged their followers not to take their names. They urged them to be Christians, nothing more and nothing less. If a man is a follower of the Lord he can be described best in that term. Scripture says the man who suffers as a Christian is to glorify God on that behalf (I Peter 4:16). The individual who suffers as something else has to find encouragement elsewhere. One who takes all the Bible and nothing else will be a Christian, and nothing more.

It is tragic that most of those who say they are Christian have added the "kind" of Christian they want to be. Christ died for us all. All true Christians are baptized in His name. Let us be just Christian. Unless, of course, we ARE something else. In which case the honest thing to do is change our name. Like good old Gnasasamunthamurthi. I can't help wondering, though . . . is Moodley that much better than Naicker?

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Mrs. T. G. Jackson and Mrs. H. H. Pullig visited last week in San Angelo with relatives, Mrs. Virgie Harkins and the George Davis family in San Angelo.

Randy Stone and friend Lee Ann Belcher, students at TCU, spent last weekend with Mrs. H. H. Pullig and Mrs. Earl Stone, Sr.

Mrs. Charles Collins and Christy of Irving spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Simmons of San Marcos were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simmons.

Doyle Shipman of the University of Texas spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Shipman and Mike.

# HOSPITAL REPORT

The following were listed as patients at the Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday morning:

- Mrs. J. A. Barrett, Dublin
- D. R. Clark, Gorman
- Virgil Holloway, Gorman
- Mildred Cook, Gorman
- Mrs. Lora Taylor, Gorman
- C. R. Ragland, De Leon
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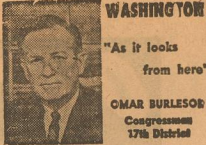
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JUST RECENTLY THE AFL-CIO has produced an excellent document entitled "Who is the Imperialist?" This publication puts together a fact-laden study of trends, incidents and policies in the cold war since the epoch of World War II. It answers with clarity the charges of the Marxists and the New Left that the United States is an imperialistic Nation, with designs to subjugate other countries to her will.

THE AF OF L-CIO PAMPHLET cites chapter and verse in a remarkable sequence of events to show that it is the Soviet Union and Red China who are the imperialists in today's world. Both have pursued a course of global expansion while the Free World has steadily reduced its perimeters. SET FORTH IN DETAIL is the historical record, giving names, places and dates of direct aggression and how the Communists have created the largest slave empire in modern times.

THE UNION'S STUDY DESCRIBES with accuracy how the Communists powers have annexed near 825,000 square miles of territory, involving at least 25 million people in eleven Nations. In addition they have gained virtual control over another thirteen satellite countries with about a million square miles and more than 146 million inhabitants. Adding up the attainment by aggression, not counting Russia and Red China themselves, comes to an imperialistic empire of almost two million square miles, inside of which live 172 million human beings.

COMMUNISM HAS GROWN TO A gigantic force which controls all or parts of at least twenty countries, approximately sixteen million square miles and over a billion people. To this can be added those people of Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam under Communist domination, the extent of which is difficult to estimate.

WHILE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE been running up their score of domination over Nations who had little or no chance to resist, the free Nations have granted independence to just about all their colonial holdings. The AFL-CIO lists 68 states which achieved self-determination between the end of World War II and the present.

**NEW HOPE NEWS**

By Mrs. Gerald Scitern

Everyone has been busy in the peanuts when possible, but this last rain will really slow everything down. Some will have an extra hard time finding their peanuts now, because a good many got washed down the creeks.

Mrs. Ernest Weaver was able to return home on Monday after a two weeks stay in the hospital. She reports she is feeling better. Visiting in the Weaver home on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Butch Boyd and girls of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Moore and Larry Dean of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Treadway.

Mrs. Buss Collins was admitted to the Eastland Hospital last week. She is feeling better.

Mrs. Enoch Cook was admitted to the Gorman hospital on Monday. I want to wish all those who are sick a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Scitern and Veda were supper guests of the Glenn Sciterns on Monday.

comprising more than 13 million square miles of the Earth's surface and the independence of near one and a quarter billion people.

SO, WHO IS THE IMPERIALIST, the AFL-CIO asks. The preparation makes it perfectly clear and documents its findings with hard historical facts.

FOR THOSE WHO WOULD like to have this pamphlet for reference, write Omar Burleson, Member of Congress, Bayburn House Office Building, and one will be sent. If preferred, you may write directly to the AFL-CIO National Headquarters at 815 16th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006.

**KOKOMO NEWS**

By Mrs. GLENN JORDAN

The rains continue to hamper the peanut harvest. Three and a half inches fell here at our house on Monday and Tuesday.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning were Jack Clement, a former resident, who was here for the Gorman homecoming on Saturday, Mr. Jim Lewallen of Floydada, Mrs. D. C. Benn and Lanette and Lisa Newman of Denver City, Mrs. Arvel Lewallen and Jimmy of Lubbock,

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Orval Treadway and Windell were the Butch Boyds of Eastland, the Lane Campbells, Ernest Weavers and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treadway.

Like I said there wasn't any news this week. There are several sick and after last night (Tuesday) I'm sure there are more sick. Maybe next week I'll have more.

**Senior Citizens Club News**

The Senior Citizens met at the Fire Hall at 1:30 p. m. October 19. We played 42, 84 and dominoes. During the rest period we had cookies, lemonade and candy.

The following were present: Denny (still single) Moss, Paul Dietz, Newton and Rosetta Bennett, Florence (won two) Kent, C. C. and Ora (his boss) Easter, Honest (never) and Bossy Bennett, Grace Skiles, Purpose Kirk, Big Boy and Chattering Henderson (cannot stop with 13), so we add Arthur Littlefield (for good measure).

We had a wonderful time visiting and playing games. Be with us Tuesday at 1:30. We need you and you need us.

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Joe Glenn Miles of Abilene, and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Kelly of Arlington.

Time for the evening services at the Kokomo Baptist Church now are Sunday, 6:30 p. m. Bible Study and 7:30 church service. Wednesday night prayer meeting is at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert, Lisa, Steve and Glenn of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers and Kevin of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers, Kim and Jonna of Carbon and Mike Rodgers of Gorman visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers, during the weekend and attended the homecoming activities at Gorman on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Casie spent Sunday in Lewisville with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson, Tena and Travis. Tena returned home with them for a week's visit.

Mrs. Dee Lovell of Carbon, garnd mother of Mrs. Euell Allison and Mrs. Bill Brown, passed away in Eastland on Friday night. Funeral was held in Carbon on Sunday. We extend sincere sympathy to the family of Mrs. Lovell. She was an aunt to Mrs. Vern Garrett and Mr. Jim Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Kelly of Arlington spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Albert Hendricks, and attended the homecoming activities at Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles and Joe Glenn of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan, and attended the Gorman homecoming activities on Saturday and co-hosted with her brother, Teddy, the silver wedding anniversary dinner honoring their parents. Others spending the weekend in the Jordan home were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel ewallen, Jimmy and Missy of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bell, Lanette and Jamie and Lisa Newman of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wharton and daughter, Mrs. Brenda Harrison of Fort Worth, visited on Monday with his mother, Mrs. Susie Wharton, in the Lawndale Home for Senior Citizens in Gorman.

La Von Snider of Brownwood and Dwayne Snider of Lubbock were here for the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Pete Snider, and Danny, and attended the homecoming activities at Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Craddock, Debbie and Bobby of Sundown, Mrs. Bishop Craddock of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. David Brush, Daviddie and Barbara Jo of Grand Prairie, Mrs. Estelle Craddock of Gorman

and Kay Ann Craddock of Plano, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern, Brenda, Anita and Amy of New Hope, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater.

**KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS**

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Arvil Means of Houston were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Buchanan and attended homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Russell of Dallas were weekend house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin and also attended homecoming Saturday.

Kay Ann Craddock of Plano attended homecoming Saturday and visited over the weekend with her mother, Estelle Craddock.

Joe Craddock of Sundown and Mrs. Bishop Craddock of Comanche attended homecoming Saturday.

Willy Jamison of Sweetwater and Mrs. Donna Bell Mitchell of San Angelo attended homecoming and spent the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barnes.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Underwood Saturday were former classmates, Roy Sullivan of Pampa and Mrs. Grace Weaver of Eastland and Ozella Pulley of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Graham of Kerrville. It was the first homecoming for Mr. Graham and the first time in 50 years the classmates had seen each other.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper and family of Karnes City spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Gladys Lucke, and attended homecoming at GHS.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Poyner of Ranger visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker. Other weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart and family of Hurst. The Harts attended the Deacon Ordination services of their son-in-law, Willy Gilbert, at First Baptist Church Sunday.

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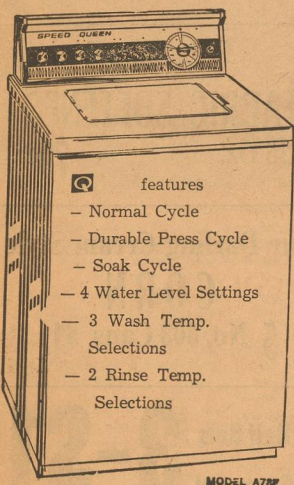
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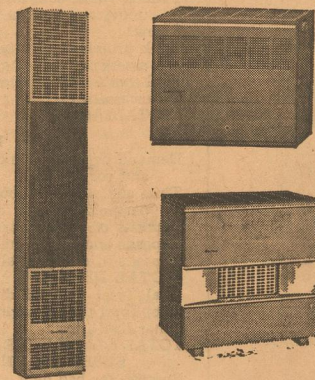
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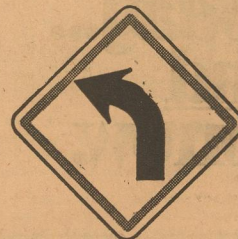
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## NEWS FROM LAWDALE

Bessie and Myrtle Chambers of De Leon and Alta Stacy of Gorman visited Lizzie Skaggs, Betty Richburg and Eva Stout.

Elmer and Madill Watson of Midland visited Betty Richburg and Eva Stout.

Ricky, Bill and Renee Townley of Gorman visited Nola Underwood and Eva Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Underwood of Gorman and Mrs. Albert Palmer and Jeff of Garland visited Nola Underwood.

Louise Hall of Brownwood visited Helen Claxton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Majors and Bryan of Ogden, Utah visited Pearl Maltby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mearns of Houston visited Atta Sanders and Eva Perry.

Gary Overstreet of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Overstreet of Petersburg visited Mary Overstreet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Canal and family of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. George Porter and Lizzie Skaggs.

Ruthie and Sherry Porter of Gorman visited Mr. and Mrs. George Porter.

B. B. Skaggs of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs of Abilene and Arlin and Cleo Clement of Gorman visited Lizzie Skaggs.

Ina Mae Tarrance of Gorman visited Cora Richmond, C. O. Huff, and Nola Underwood.

Mrs. Barton Eppler of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brogdon of Weatherford visited Mrs. George Blackwell.

Donna and Susan Brock of Austin visited Dora Wood.

Garace Boyd of Mineral Wells, Jewel Franklin, Katherine Veale and Stella Goforth of Ranger, Harlin Patterson of Santo visited Lillie Boney.

Mrs. Linnie Mae Meador of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gore of De Queen, Arkansas visited Alma Craig.

Gertrude Williams of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams of Kermit visited Ollie Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bethany of Moran visited Nancy and Virgil Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Irma Espinoza and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Espinoza, Jr. and family of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Espinoza and family of Lovington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Martin Perez of Seagraves and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dawiles of Sinton visited Dionicia Espinoza.

Zelda Jordan of Kokomo, Mrs. Jim Lewallen of Floydada, Joe and Glenda Miles of Abilene, LaNetta Bell of Denver City, Missy Lewallen of Lubbock, Mrs. Brenda Harrison of Azle, and Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Wharton of Fort Worth visited Susie Wharton.

Anin and Rachel Ruffin of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson.

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## Lometa Lions To Sponsor Pancake Supper on Oct. 29

On Friday night, October 29 at 7:30 p. m. the Gorman Panthers will be playing the ometa Hornets in a district football game at Lometa.

This is homecoming for Lometa, and the Lometa Lions Club will be sponsoring their annual Pancake Supper beginning at 5:00 p. m. The Lions Club has asked the Progress to cordially invite all those people in Gorman to come and eat with them. The price is \$1.00 for adults and 50¢ for children under twelve.

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## MRS. HOMER WOOD HOSPITALIZED FOLLOWING AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Homer Wood was hospitalized for minor injuries following a two car collision that occurred in front of Mehaffey Grocery and Station on Hwy. 6 east.

Mr. W. M. McMillan, driver of the other vehicle involved in the accident, was not injured.

According to investigating officer Larry Kibodeaux, Mr. McMillan failed to see the on-coming car and failed to yield the right of way on making the left hand turn. Both cars were heavily damaged.

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## SARAH WRIGHT TO BEGIN STUDENT TEACHING IN STEPHENVILLE OCTOBER 25

STEPHENVILLE (Spl.) — Sarah Wright of Gorman, senior Elementary Education major at Tarleton State College, will begin student teaching October 25. Student teaching will continue through Dec. 17th.

Miss Wright has been assigned as a fourth grade teacher at Central Elementary, Stephenville, according to Dr. Hugh Antoine, faculty advisor.

Miss Wright is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science degree in May, 1972.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Wright of Gorman.

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## GLENN JORDANS HONORED ON SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan were honored with a family dinner in their home on Sunday, October 17, 1971 in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary. Hosts for the occasion were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles and Joe Glenn of Abilene and Teddy Jordan of the home.

A turkey dinner with all the trimmings, complete with a beautifully decorated tiered cake with th bride and groom and "25" completing the decorations, was served at the noon hour.

Those attending were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan of Kokomo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen of Floydada, and Mrs. Glenn Jordan's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Lewallen, Jimmy and Missy of Lubbock, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bell, Lanette and Jamie and a friend, Lisa Newman of Denver City.

Glenn Jordan and the former Zelda Lewallen were married in Eastland on October 18, 1946 and have made their home in the Kokomo community all twenty-five years. They are members of the Kokomo Baptist Church, where Glenn is a deacon.

—GP—

## METHODIST YOUTH ENJOY HALLOWEEN PARTY ON MONDAY EVENING

Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter and Mrs. Bob Green were hosts for a Halloween Party Monday evening for the Intermediates and Senior High Classes of the First United Methodist Church.

Fellowship Hall, scene of the party, was decorated in Halloween theme, lighted only with candles in pumpkin faces.

The refreshment table was covered with a black cloth and held arrangements of fall flowers and persimmons.

Games of Halloween Mixer, Gossip, Charades were enjoyed. No Halloween party is complete without having your fortune told, and Mrs. Green obliged by conducting the game of fortune telling. Record music was provided throughout the party.

Refreshments of pimiento cheese sandwiches, chips, cookies, peanuts and punch were served to 20 class members and guests.

## Dup. Bridge Club Champ'nship Game Slated This Week

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club will hold a Club Championship Game this week, starting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday. Visitors are welcome, either to play or to watch.

A school for beginners will start at 7:00 p. m. Monday, October 25 and will be held each Monday at this hour as long as students continue to come. Please notify Mrs. Keith Whitt if you desire to enter.

If you have not decided and would like to come down to the first class, please feel free to do so. We are happy to have visitors. There is no charge for this school.

—GP—

## CARD OF THANKS

To the wonderful friends who remembered me with cards, flowers, visits and food during my recent stay in Blackwell Hospital, I send profound thanks. The manifestations of your love and concern shall be forever held in grateful remembrance.

—GP—

Mr. J. N. Underwood

## Willing Workers Class Meets In Monthly Meeting

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class met Thursday, October 14 in the First Baptist Church for their regular business meeting. The meeting was called to order by the class president, Ina Mae Tarrance, with Mrs. Verna Watson giving the opening prayer. Mrs. Olga Kinser gave the treasurer's report.

Devotional was given by Verna Watson and the closing prayer was given by Mrs. Lyda Gowan.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Lyda Gowan, Lizzie Jackson, Olga Kinser, Donna Day, Virgie Mauney, Ester Stewart, Bessie Lou Barnes, Verna Watson, Miss Tarrance and Mrs. Mae Quinn and visitors were Delia Richards.

—GP—

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Skiles of Big Spring vacationed last week with his mother, Mrs. Grace Skiles, and did some fishing at Lake Leon. They went home with a 38 pound prize catfish.

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in the State of Texas, at the close of business on September 30, 1971, published in response to call made by Comptroller of The Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	\$ 959,381.09
U. S. Treasury securities	242,704.31
Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	100,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	16,985.75
Other securities	4,500.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	400,000.00
Loans	1,921,862.17
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	10,165.64
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1,350.00
Other assets	15,605.20
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$3,672,554.16</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,228,081.67
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	850,813.96
Deposits of United States Government	47,266.44
Deposits and States and political subdivisions	229,791.85
Deposits of commercial banks	22,760.74
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$3,378,714.66</b>
(a) Total demand deposits	\$2,442,280.68
(b) Total time & savings deposits	\$936,433.98
Other liabilities	6,716.01
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$3,385,430.67</b>
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS ruling)	4,848.56
<b>TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS &amp; SECURITIES</b>	<b>\$4,848.56</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common Stock-total par value	50,000.00
No. shares authorized 500	
No. shares outstanding 500	
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	102,274.93
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	30,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$282,274.93</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$3,672,554.16</b>
MEMORANDA	
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$3,220,999.20
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,922,220.72

I, Peggy Singleton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[s] Peggy Singleton

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

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