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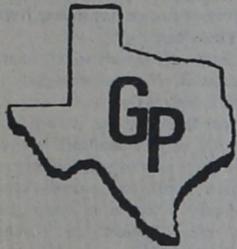
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Press Points
Joe Bennett, Publisher

—J—

From all indications it looks like we will be blessed with a little more rain... that is if the weathermen are correct. It looked like it would rain on Wednesday morning before press time, and if the forecasts are correct it should rain some for a couple of days then clear up for the weekend maybe.

—J—

I received another one of those letters from "A Concerned Citizen" the other day concerning an establishment in the City of Gorman. It was stated in the letter that it probably would not appear in the paper, and that statement is sure correct. We do not print letters of this type in the paper, particularly if they are not signed by the person sending them in. We do not run any type of statements that are liable or slanderous. That's the way we get our neck chopped off, and I don't need any more scars on my neck thank you.

I would suggest to this person who wrote the letter to send a copy of same to the establishment they were speaking of in the letter. I am sure they would like to know the points that you were trying to make in the letter... and probably they would appreciate your criticism, constructive or otherwise, and maybe it would help them in future decisions they must make for the good of the establishment. Most business places have to be operated as a business or they won't be open long. That is every business except the Progress, and if it wasn't for the fine folks around here we wouldn't be able to operate anyway.

I would again remind folks about the letters to the editor and remind them that we will not publish same if they are slanderous or liable.

—J—

Noticed the following statement in an item sent to me the other day and thought I would include it in the column.

1985 PEANUT PROGRAM. The Commodity Credit Corporation is requesting comments on the 1985 peanut program. Comments should be sent by January 28, 1985 to Commodity Analyst Division, 3741-South Building, P. O. Box 2415, Washington, D. C. 20013. Phone 202-447-5953. Copies of the request and proposed determinations are available from the TFB Research and Education Department. (The Federal Register, Dec. 12, 1984, pp 48344-48346).

—J—

It seems as though the weather is not cooperating with the firemen in getting their new building completed. About all it likes now is the concrete drives in front of the building and a small sidewalk. But the firemen say the weather is holding it up. Maybe the weather will clear out in a couple of days and then the forms can be set and the concrete poured. The building is nice and we will have some pictures as soon as the finishing touches are completed.

Noticed that the bank is putting in an entrance for the handicapped and adding a handicapped parking space on the north side of the building.

—J—

Most of the peanuts are in now with the exception of those who have been held up due to the bad weather coming at the wrong time. It seems that the irrigated peanut farmers might have been hurt more than some of the others because the bad weather came at the time when the irrigated peanuts had to be harvested, and it was critical that they be harvested at that time. Some of the dryland peanuts, particularly the runners, were probably better off because of the moisture and it helped on the completion end of the crop. So all you can say is that some did and some didn't, it just depended on where your crop was and what stage of maturity the crop was harvested at.

—J—

Well I guess everyone has lucked out and received their income tax forms by now and are looking forward to getting their tax returns

Nina Skiles Awarded The Employee of Month



First National Bank announced it's Employee of the Month was Nina Skiles. Nina works in our Note Department and has been at the Bank for 6 years. She is married to Ron and has lived in Gorman for 16 years. The First National Bank is proud to have Nina as one of its employees.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express a sincere "thank you" for the many acts of love and kindness shown us during the illness and loss of our loved one, Anita Ashworth.

The flowers, memorial contributions, food, cards, phone calls, visits, and prayers were all greatly appreciated.

A special thanks to Dr. D and N completed and sending in that money that they thought they didn't owe. Ugh! Oh, well just think, if you didn't help keep up the government, who would?

—J—

And remember to smile - because God Loves You!

and the entire staff of Blackwell Hospital for the tender loving care given mother during the past few months.

Thanks, also, to the staff of Higginbotham Funeral Home for their thoughtfulness and consideration, to Juanita Fuller and Martha Rainey for the beautiful music, and to Richard Watson for his words of comfort.

May God bless each and everyone of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Frasier and Christi

Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Lawson
—GP—

CARD OF THANKS

Once again we are thankful for the kind people of Gorman for their

GORMAN PTO TO SPONSOR JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

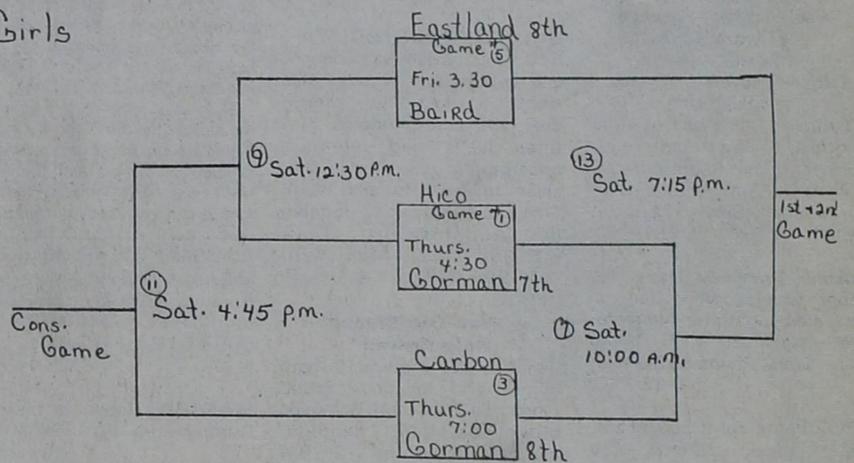
The Gorman PTO is sponsoring a Junior High Basketball Tournament on January 10, 11, 12. Games will begin at 4:30 on Thursday afternoon and conclude on Saturday night. The teams entered in the Tournament are Gorman,

Eastland 7th, Eastland 8th, Baird, Hico and Carbon.

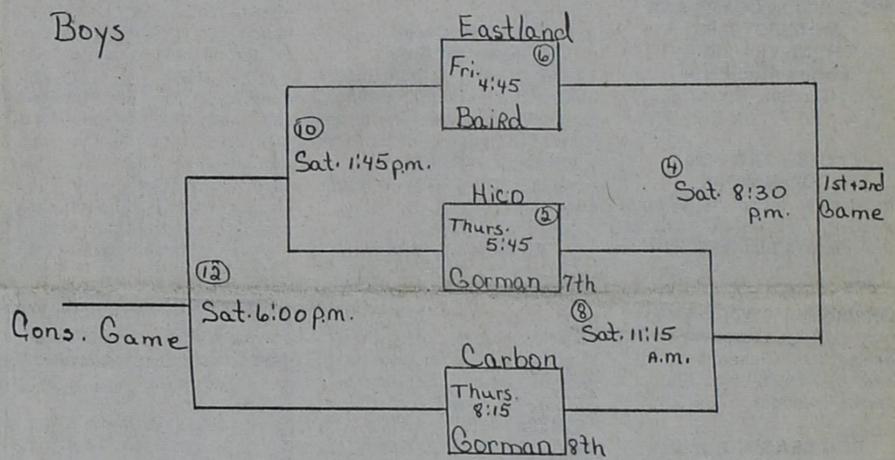
Girls begin the tournament with Hico playing Gorman 7th at 4:30 p.m. following by Hico Boys playing Gorman 7th Boys in the 2 game at 5:45 p.m. then Carbon Girls playing Gor-

man 8th Girls in game 3 beginning at 7:00, in game 4 - Carbon Boys plays Gorman 8th Boys at 8:15 ; in game 5 Eastland 8th plays Baird on Friday at 3:30 and in game 6 Eastland Boys play Baird Boys at 4:45 on Friday.

Girls



Boys



many kindnesses to my family and I during my recent illness. For the prayers, visits, food, cards and all the kind words. To each and every one we thank you.

Sue Keese and family
—GP—

GORMAN JR. HI BASKETBALL

The Gorman Jr. Hi. Girls defeated Carbon Girls in game action by a score 34 to 14.

Scoring for Gorman was Tonya Caraway with 8 points, Amy Scitern with 8 points, Dara Miears with 6 points, Nikki Warren with 6 points, Tiffany Stephens with 4 points, Kim Sharp with 2 points.

Scoring for Carbon were Redfearn with 5 points, Whitson with 7 points, McCoy with 2 points.

The Gorman Girls will play Sidney here next Monday night.

Gorman Jr. Hi. Boys defeated the Carbon Boys by a score of 38 to 19.

Scoring for Gorman was Michael Ables with 12 points, Craig Gryder with 8 points, Ronson Childers with 6 points, Lance Sharp with 4 points, Orear Herrera with 4 points, John Carter and Gary Browning each had 2 points.

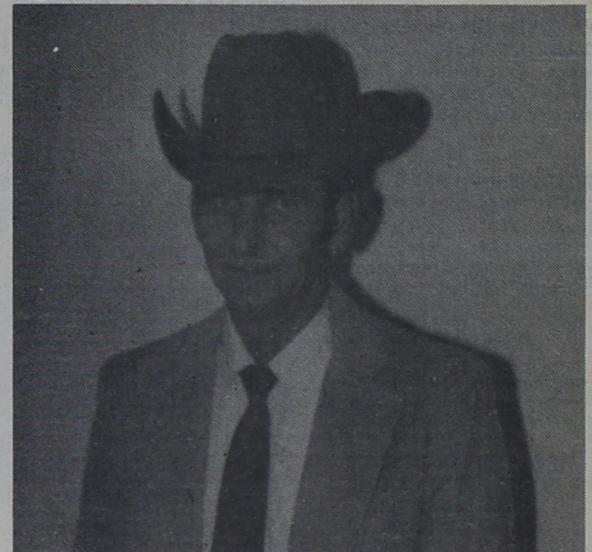
Scoring for Carbon were Norris with 6 points, Thackerson with 6 points, Ray with 4 points, and Cagle and Mortimer each scoring 1 point.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their many expressions of love and sympathy during the illness and death of our mother Emma K. Love.

The beautiful flowers and the delicious food delivered to the house and we want to extend a personal thank you also to the ladies of the Church of Christ who prepared and

DON UNDERWOOD SWORN IN AS NEW SHERIFF JANUARY 1



EASTLAND COUNTY Sheriff Don Underwood and his deputies were sworn in to take over their duties as of 12:01 a.m. Tuesday, January 1, 1985. Several citizens and friends attended the ceremony, as did some state law enforcement officers. Cake and coffee was served to the attendance and congratulations and best wishes were offered to the new Sheriff and his new staff. Members of Don's staff are: JERRY HEFLIN - Chief Deputy Sheriff; H. T. FILLINGIM III - Deputy Sheriff; GENE RUSSELL - Jail Administrator and Deputy; and BETTY WEBB - Clerk and Matron.

All of us at the Gorman Progress send a big Congrats to Don and his staff.

THANK YOU

Thank you to the Golobos for hosting Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus at their home during the Christmas Holidays. "It made their day" for my sons to greet Mr. and Mrs. Claus and give their list for Santa.

Thanks again for not only our sons but for many other children you made happy during the holidays.

The Jim Guthery's

each of you.

Frances Sanders
Edith Almand

ITEMS OF INTEREST

PREPARED CHILDBIRTH CLASSES will begin on Tuesday, January 15th at 7 p.m. at Blackwell Hospital. Classes will be held one night a week for six weeks.

Aerobics Class at First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 4:30 p.m. Classes will be taught by Betty Montgomery, an Aerobics Coordinator. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

THE GIBBS FAMILY, a gospel singing group from Dublin, will be featured at the First United Methodist Church on Sunday, January 13th at the Morning Services.

Following the Services, Lunch will be served by the Methodist Youth group. They charge for lunch will be by donation. Come by Sunday and eat with us.

Recertification for Commodities has been reset for Wednesday, January 16th at the Senior Citizens Center from 1:00 p.m. til 4:00 p.m.

Commodities will be distributed on Tuesday, January 22nd at the Senior Citizens Center from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

South Eastland County Hospital District Board of Directors will have its Regular Monthly meeting on the 4th Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at Blackwell Hospital.

Gorman City Commissioners will meet the First and Third Thursdays at 8:00 a.m. at the City Hall.

Gorman Housing Authority Board will meet the Second Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the Assembly Room of High Rise Apartments.

Crimestoppers will meet the First Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.

A Musical will be held the Second Friday night of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Hall.

Woman's Auxiliary of Blackwell Hospital meet First Tuesday of every month at the Senior Citizens Center at 2:00 p.m.

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets First Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Monthly 4-H Meetings will be held the Second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

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By Vonnie Guthery

Ladies monthly Social will be Monday, Jan. 14 in the home of Helen Depive.

Melvin Abernathy is at home and doing better after several days in the De Leon Hospital with pneumonia.

Our local Feed Mill Cafe is in the process of a "new face lift" - Come in to see it is the invitation from owner, Neil Pogue.

Congratulations to the new grandparents, Winford and Elnora Lindley. Their new grandson, Joshua Ross was born Dec. 31, 1984 in

THE MISSING MAN
Ex. 22:30 - "I sought for a man among them, that should make up the hedge, and stand in the gap before me for the land, that I should not destroy it; but I found none."

Suppose it was the last game of the season for the Little Leaguers. Suppose a number of boys was away at camp and on vacation. The coach was having a hard time getting nine men in uniform. It came time for the

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Abilene. His parents are Jim and Kelli Carruth and brother Cory of Ranger.

Bill and Helen Collum and boys and Annie Callum visited with Bill and Pat Satterfield in Weatherford on Sunday, Dec. 30.

Christmas Day dinner was enjoyed in the home of Bill and Helen Collum, Terry and Dan. Those attending were Elaine Skinner and her sister of Gorman, Annie Callum, Dale and Kathy Callum.

game. Suppose only eight boys and the coach were there. Hurried calls were made in an attempt to find one more boy. Finally, the team that should have won the pennant had to forfeit - they were short one man.

God is looking for a man. He sees a church, a community, a nation, a world plunging toward destruction. He looks for one man to stand in the gap, to make up the hedge. One man could be the difference between life and loss. What if one man cannot be found?

A call comes to every Christian to be God's man. In the midst of the conflict between right and wrong, good and evil, it may be safer and easier to hide; more comfortable to stay out of the battle. But who knows, you may be the man. You may be the difference between forfeit or winning the pennant, between life and loss. Don't disappoint God; Don't disappoint His church; Don't disappoint the world which needs you! Be God's man today. "I sought for a man among them." Is God seeking you to be faithful in 1985?

Let us pray in these days that Christmas everywhere will have the courage to stand up for God and be counted.

We cordially invite you to worship with us at the First Baptist Church, Gorman, Sermons for next Sunday: A.M. - Mark 6:17-20 - "Wanting to Go to Heaven, But Liking the Way of Hell." P.M. - Hebrews 9:16-28 - "Without the Shedding of Blood, No Remission."

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A: The policy must be read to see what notice the company requires before it is liable to the insured. The company may insist that since you did not report the accident in time, they were not able to investigate.

The courts hold fairly strictly against insurance companies in this sort of disagreement. Your company will have to pay unless they can prove they were harmed in some way by your failure to report immediately to the police.

Q: When can an individual under normal conditions and circumstances carry a firearm? Can I carry a firearm from one county to another?

A: A rifle with a barrel length greater than 16 inches or a shotgun with a barrel length greater than 18 inches may be generally carried except at a school, polling place, or court. A handgun may not be carried on or about your person unless you are:

1. Working in the armed forces or for a prison;
2. On your own property;
3. Traveling (generally from your residence to another county);
4. Hunting, fishing or target shooting;
5. A peace officer;
6. A licensed security officer in uniform at work.

A convicted felon may not possess a firearm except at home. No one may possess explosives, machine guns, sawed-off firearms, silencers, switch-

blades, brass knuckles, armor piercing ammunition or tear gas.

Q: After 31 years of marriage and five children, my husband has now left me for another woman. I have no money, no job qualifications and no high school education. I can't afford a lawyer and I need to know if there is any way I can get any money from him. Please help me.

A: Some attorneys are willing to accept cases in which the other party is ordered to pay the fees.

If your family income is very low, Legal Aid may be available in your county. There are also groups of lawyers who have offered to take a certain number of cases a year at no charge, but again, these lawyers are reached through Legal Aid.

Q: My husband and I are elderly. We have no children and no will. If one of us dies, can someone come in and take away our property?

A: If you die without leaving any surviving parents, children, brothers or sisters, all your property goes to your spouse.

If either of you leaves brothers or sisters, they will take a share of the estate, with the balance to the surviving spouse. These brothers and sisters would have a claim to property, but would not be able to force the survivor out of the homestead.

You can prevent these disputes and uncertainties by writing wills. Also, persons of your age should give Power of Attorney to a younger person to care for your estate in case you become ill.

Send your questions to "You and the Law," State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, 78711. Answers may appear in columns in hypothetical terms; personal answers not possible.

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WEDNESDAY LADIES CLASS	10:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY EVENING	7:00 a.m.

JUST DESSERTS

With the holiday season a pleasant memory, eating patterns regain both the virtue of moderation and the boredom of routine.

Gone for another year are the visions of sugarplums, the groaning boards creaking under the weight of Christmas goodies in glorious excess.

Whether traditional or contemporary, plum pudding or wickedly rich chocolate truffles, the desserts of the season were certainly irresistible, inevitably fattening, the stuff which dreams are made on.

And, January 1st, for so many people the line of demarcation, often means days or weeks of "making up" for joyful hours of overeating. In other words, dieting. But dieting is too often boring, hence short-lived, hence unsuccessful.

If you have a craving for sweets that's stimulated, not fulfilled, by holiday-time binges, a lean January can be a depressing prospect, to say the least.

The trick, therefore, is not to progress from feast directly to famine, but to compromise by making dieting interesting.

Intersperse treats with all the cottage cheese, tuna packed in water and hard-boiled eggs.

Create a series of special occasions — perhaps confined to weekend evenings — which warrant a full, if carefully prepared and calorie-counted, meal, featuring a series of tempting, yet lean courses, followed by a satisfying, light-feeling (though certainly not calorie-light) dessert.

It's a way of carrying the Christmas spirit into the New Year, while maintaining a sense of moderation and, for many people, a sensible approach to feasting and fasting makes all the difference when trying to shed a few rapidly-gained pounds.

Fresh fruits are the basis for many sophisticated and flavorful desserts. Apples, pears and a variety of citrus fruits are all available during the winter months, and can provide inspiration for show-stopping

desserts that, while still satisfying, do not leave diners feeling over-stuffed.

Pears Poached in White Wine, which is reproduced below, is a recipe created by Julia Child for her television series and cookbook entitled *Julia Child & More Company* (Ballantine Books). Both easy-to-make and divine to eat, it's an ideal way of bringing European-style elegance to the American table.

PEARS POACHED IN WHITE WINE
Compote de poires au vin blanc

The Poaching Syrup for Raw Fruits:

The proportions of sugar to liquid for poaching raw fruits are 6 tablespoons per cup of liquid, which makes 1 1/2 cups sugar per quart (6 Tb per 1/4 L; 3 1/2 dL per L).

For 6 pears of the Anjou, Bartlett, Comice size

- 3 cups (3/4 L) dry white wine or dry white French Vermouth
- 1 cup (1/4 L) water
- The zest (yellow part of peel) of 1 lemon, and 4 Tb of its juice
- 1 stick of 1/2 tsp powdered cinnamon
- 1 1/2 cups (3/4 dL) sugar
- 6 firm ripe unblemished pears

If you are to poach the pears whole, as for this recipe (rather than halved or quartered as in many other recipes), you may not have enough liquid for 6 large pears to be submerged; in that case, either poach them in 2 batches or make more poaching syrup according to the proportions noted.

Choose a saucepan that will be large enough to hold the pears submerged in the syrup, place the syrup ingredients in the pan, and bring to the simmer; simmer 5 minutes (to bring out the various flavors into the liquid), then remove from heat.

One by one, with an apple corer or grapefruit knife, core the pears from the bottom — however, you may leave them uncored if you wish. Peel the pear neatly

and drop at once into the syrup to prevent discoloration. When all pears are done, bring just to the simmer and maintain liquid at the not-quite-simmer for 8 to 10 minutes, until pears are tender through when pierced with the sharp point of a small knife. (Careful not to boil them, since that can break them apart.) When done, cover pan and leave the pears to absorb the flavors of the syrup for 20 minutes, or until you are ready to use them.

• May be done several days in advance; cover and refrigerate them.

From *Cooking with Bon Appetit: Light Desserts* come the following two recipes for Apple-Apricot Soufflé and Chocolate-Orange Mousse. Both find their inspiration in the pairing of traditional favorites in lighter-than-air form.

APPLE-APRICOT SOUFFLÉ
2 servings

- Butter and sugar
- 1 large tart apple (8 ounces), peeled, cored and thinly sliced
- 1 tablespoon apricot preserves
- 1 teaspoon water
- Pinch of cinnamon
- 2 tablespoons sugar, or more
- 1 egg yolk
- 1 tablespoon all purpose flour
- 1/4 cup milk, scalded
- 1 tablespoon dark rum
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 egg whites, room temperature
- Pinch of salt
- Powdered sugar (garnish)

Generously butter two 1-cup soufflé dishes and sprinkle with sugar.

Combine apple, apricot preserves, water and cinnamon in heavy small saucepan. Cover and cook over medium-low heat until mixture forms thick puree, 20 to 25 minutes. Cool.

Preheat oven to 425°F. Combine 2 tablespoons sugar, yolk and flour in medium

saucepan and whisk to blend. Stir in hot milk. Bring to boil over medium heat, stirring constantly. Reduce heat and simmer gently 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and blend in rum, butter and vanilla. Fold in apple. Add sugar if necessary.

Beat whites with salt in medium bowl until stiff. Fold 1/4 of whites into apple mixture, then gently fold in remaining whites. Divide soufflé mixture between prepared dishes. Bake until puffed and browned, about 10 to 15 minutes. Immediately sift powdered sugar lightly over top and serve.

CHOCOLATE-ORANGE MOUSSE
6 servings

- 6 medium navel oranges or other thick-skinned oranges
- 6 ounces unsweetened chocolate
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons fresh orange juice
- 2 tablespoons orange liqueur
- 2 teaspoons grated orange peel
- 6 egg yolks, beaten
- 6 egg whites, room temperature
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 cup whipping cream

With sharp knife, slice off upper 1/3 of each orange. Remove pulp from larger sections and reserve for another use.

Melt chocolate in top of double boiler over simmering, not boiling, water. Immediately stir in 1 cup sugar. Blend in orange juice, liqueur and peel. Stir in yolks and mix thoroughly. Allow mixture to cool.

In separate bowl, beat whites until soft peaks form. Gradually add remaining 1/2 cup sugar and beat until stiff and glossy. Gently fold into chocolate mixture. Whip cream and fold into mixture. Spoon into orange shells and chill at least 2 hours or overnight.

In old Siam, it was considered bad luck if the king could not stand on one foot during a special three-hour ceremony.

In an ancient custom in Samarkand, whichever warrior could hit a gold coin with an arrow could be king for one day.

W.C. Stokes, Ruby, Jimmy and Ashley Self all of Odessa came by on Friday after they had been to Dallas for Ashley to see the doctor. She is doing pretty good. They had been to Dallas on Monday too.

Renia Hoggs family enjoyed supper with her last Sunday night. Those attending were F.D., Janie, Dee Dee and Diane Hogg; Sherri Lewis; Junior Hogg; Deanna, Steve and Chase Nolan; Scotty Hogg all of Stephenville; Ricky and Lexie Hogg.

Patsy and J.C. Moon enjoyed supper on Sunday with Jay Moon of Stephenville. All the rest of the family were there too.

Once we went on a trip and had a bunch of bananas. William took a bite just as we drove into a long tunnel. When he asked if I'd tasted the bananas I said "No". He said, "Well don't touch them. I took one bite and went blind."

J.C. and Patsy Moon had all their children and their families for supper last Monday night.

Jane, Tommy and Luke Musick, Leslie Riddell, Mike Hurst and Elvin Markham all of Stephenville, Tena and Jimmy Dennington of De Lean, William and I enjoyed supper on Monday night with Jeane, Will and Niki Grimshaw. Leslie, Mike and Elvin spent Wednesday in Waco visiting with Mikes parents.

The Johnsons all had supper on Saturday night with Eddy Johnson and family of Ft. Worth.

William went to the circus to get a job once. They took him to the lions cage and told him to watch. A girl came out into the cage and waved her cape. The lion came up licked her elbow and rolled over twice. They asked William if he could do that He said, "I sure can, but first you've gotta get that lion out of there."

I spent a few days with Jan, Tommy and Luke Musick of Stephenville. We went with Jane on Thursday to see her doctor in Ft. Worth.

PARTY HONORS KEYSERS ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

Several church friends of Leslie and Mary Keyser surprised them with a New Year's Eve Party on the occasion of their 56 Wedding Anniversary.

Anticipating the inclement weather Pauline Dennis sent nut-divinity and little cakes by an elf.

It may be news to some that Mary spends her daytime hours keeping house and caring for Leslie in a wheel chair. That is why Velma Bennett came early to arrange for the serving of punch and cookies brought in by guests on arrival.

Tommye Hail ladeled punch during the momentes of greeting and congratulations.

Bro. Raulins Richter accompanied with his guitar lead those present in singing hymns and several popular selections.

The day slipped into night as all the New Year's Good Wishes were said by the above mentioned and Shiloh and Rawlin Richter Jr., Shannon Warren, Theresa Parker, Oma D. and Charley Garrett, Ruth and Edgar Higginbottom, Lucretia and Milton Fairbetter Jr.

"Feeling is the hardest thing in the world to put into words."
Jack London

WEEK OF JAN. 9

William and I wish to announce the birth of our fourth grandchild. Jane, Tommy and Luke Musick have a new baby girl, Sara Kate. She was born on Dec. 31. I stayed with Luke and Tommy until Thursday.

Jane told Tommy she was sick so he went to ginning around and she told him there wasn't any hurry to go. After awhile Tommy rushed in and said, "You can sit here all day if you want to but I'm going to the hospital."

Luke says they better start finding a home for the baby. That it will be harder to give away than the pups were.

Lee Jernigan of Proctor Lake was visiting on Friday night with Ricky and Lexie Hogg.

Jay Musick told me the other day that he was working at the feed mill mixing feed and lost his billfold. Later they sent the feed out and one truckload of it went to Tommy (Jay's son). When Jay's son-in-law started running the auger to push it out of the truck it pretty soon pushed out Jay's driving licence and a twenty dollar bill. He still hasn't found the rest of the money or the billfold but it may come with the next load. Talk about luck.

One of my neighbors was worried that her husband was too dependant on her. "Why", she said, "He even wants me to buy his under wear". I asked her "How much does he want for them?"

Junior Hogg of Stephenville was visiting on Wednesday night with Renia Hogg.

When I dropped on the bed the other day, very tired, one of the grandkids said, "We'd better give her mouth to mouth suffocation."

Junior Huffman of Euless was visiting on Monday with Nona Huffman.

I've been sick all week. William said he knew I was sick when he heard me threaten to give the cat a red pepper enema if she didn't stay out of my way.

—GP—



BREAKFAST

Monday-Dry cereal, juice and milk.

Tuesday-Buttered Rice, juice and milk.

Wednesday-Rolls, sausage, honey juice and milk.

Thursday-Oatmeal, juice and milk.

Friday-Pancakes, juice and milk.

LUNCH

Monday-Hamburger with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, butter, honey and milk.

Tuesday-Spaghetti with meat balls lettuce and tomato salad, buttered corn, rolls, honey and milk.

Wednesday-Macaroni and cheese, pinto beans, spinach, cornbread, Jello and milk.

Thursday-Baked chicken, sliced new poatoes, English peas, rolls, honey and milk.

Friday-Hot dogs with chili, french fries, pears, ice cream and milk.

—GP—

Only the inner wood of ebony is dark colored. The outerwood, or sapwood, is white, grayish-white or pinkish-white.

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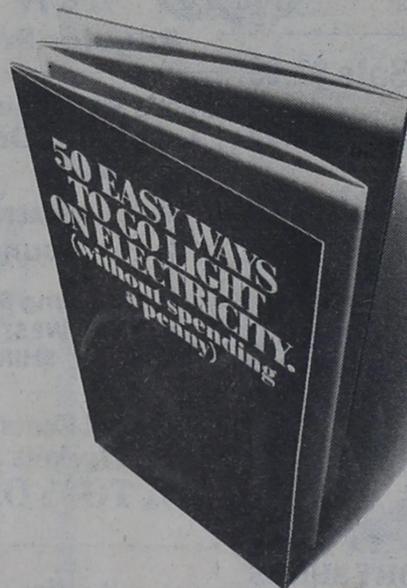
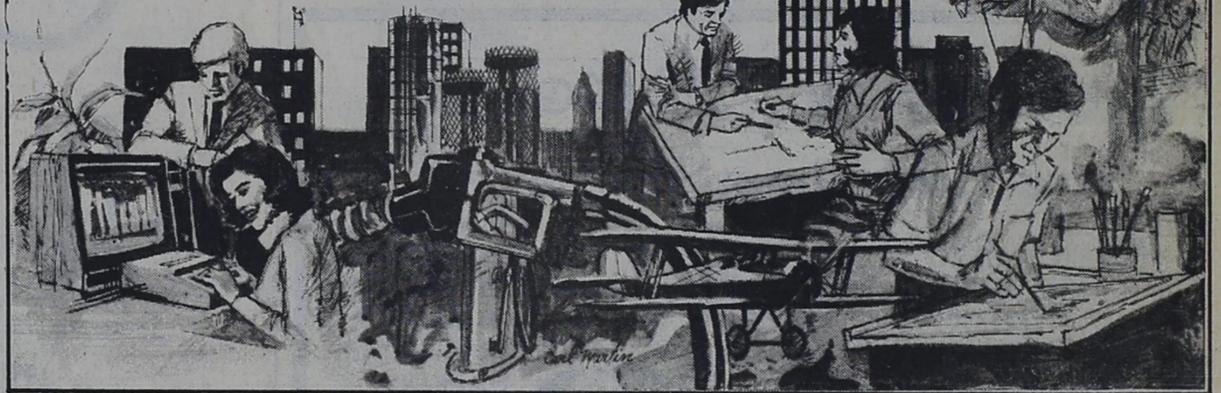
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Sandy Dunigan - Mart Tucker to Pledge Vows January 19 - Dover, Ok.



Mr. and Mrs. Odell Dunigan of Dover, Oklahoma wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandy, to Mart Tucker of Kingfisher, Oklahoma.

Mart is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker of Carbon. The Ceremony will be held on January 19, at the Dover Baptist Church in Dover, Oklahoma.

Sandy is a graduate of Dover High School and Mart is a graduate of Carbon High School. Both are employed by Leamco Services of Hennessey, Oklahoma. They will make their home in Kingfisher, Oklahoma.

CARBON NEWS

By Mrs. Velma Hastings

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WEEK OF JAN. 9

Walter J. Greer of Manhattan, Kansas, was a visitor with his mother Mrs. Mabel Greer during the holidays.

Holiday visitors with Mrs. Pearl Snell were Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Snell, Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Snell and Michael of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Snell, Leslie and Jason of Grandbury; William and James Snell of Texas University, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Snell, Mmes. Leola Fillyow and Doris Bennett of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Whitson and family spent Christmas and New Year's Holidays with relatives in Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and family were New Year's day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell.

Mrs. Dorothy Jackson spent the holidays with her children Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jackson and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Tucker and family of Sweetwater.

Visiting Mrs. Myrtle Maness on Christmas Day were Charles and Gwen Patterson, Kippie, Kim, Dusty and Tracey, Bobbie and Jackie Patterson, Twana and Tony, George and Kerri Patterson, Ron, Twana and Josh, Becky Clark, Bob McCoy, Jeff Wilson, David McCoy, Cody Clark, Gary and Kathy Petree, Josh and Emilie, James Leslie Petree, Mark Cook, Rick and Molly Buller and Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Lee Patterson family of Breckenridge.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Creckett Walker were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ussery, Weslaco; Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Ussery and Tori, Covington, Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer of Edcouch; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Walker, Odessa; Kent Walker, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Monte Walker, Hobbs New Mexico; Mrs. Fay Mika, Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mika, Amarillo; Bob Collins, Waco; Joe Collins, Garland.

In Basketball last week Carbon hosted Strawn. We don't have the scores but Carbon boys won their game. The girls lost theirs. Cathy Files was high point girl with 12 points.

The holiday season is almost over and will be over when this is read. Weather has cooperated fairly well with celebrators. On Saturday night Carolers were performing in town up and down our streets. Very enjoyable. Thank you, singers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield of Baittesville visited Mrs. F.J. Stubblefield and the Mack Stubblefields the week before Christmas.

Mrs. Jewel Crow visited her sister Mrs. Velma Harris of Sweetwater last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ande Paulk of Sierra Blanca spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan and family.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stubblefield, Brian and Brent of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rowell, Heather and Heath of Dumas.

David Files enjoyed holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Browner Files. David is from Fort Bennington, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McCollum of El Paso visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Files also visiting in the home during holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Files and Buddy of Granbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hays and Travis, Miss Sherry Hallford and Mrs. Jewell Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cavanaugh and family of Perkins, Oklahoma.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sherl Taylor on Christmas weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Howard neeb and family of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Neeb and family; Mrs. Laurie Stallcup and Ellen of Windthorst; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neeb of Fort Stockton; Mr. and Mrs. Monty Neeb and family of Stephenville; Mrs.

Theola Neeb of Cross Plains; Ricky Taylor and Miss Kelly Calhoun of Comanche.

Alvin Johnson of Fort Stockton visited relatives here during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coburn, Melissa and Chad of Fredricksburg spent last week with Mrs. Elizabeth Sandlin, the Bill Sandlins and the Jim Sandlins, also, Carroll Sandlin of Lubbock visited the Sandlins during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ford of Arlington one day last week.

Fred Green and son Zane of Houston spent Christmas Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhyne and girls also visited us during this weekend.

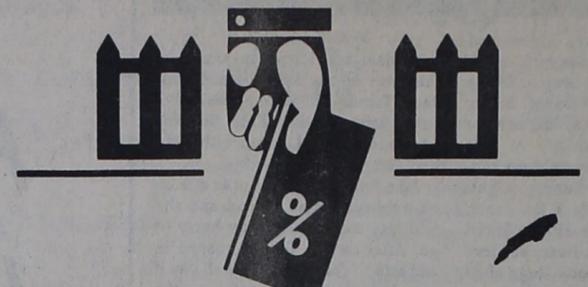
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hives celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary on Saturday evening. Helping them to celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCurry and families of Houston; Jack Black of Brady and his grandson Gregg Syler of Robert Lee; Mrs. Eunice Lasater; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neal Baze; Mr. and Mrs. T.G. Jackson and family and Miss Patricia Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ragland and Rebecca of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Norman Boggs of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been of Carbon.

Mrs. Dorothy Jackson spent Christmas with her children and families Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jackson and family of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Tucker and family of Sweetwater.

—GP—

LOCAL NEWS

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simmons during the Christmas and New Year holidays were their children, Gene and Nadean Simmons, Jimmy and Jerry, Laneta and Rick Brinegar of Gorman, Rocky and Vickie Lewis, Travis and Tommy of Dublin, Ronnie Duke and friend Pam of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Collins of Eastland, and Carol Jean Collins-Hurni of Baltimore, Maryland. Early Christmas visitors were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Duke of Odessa.



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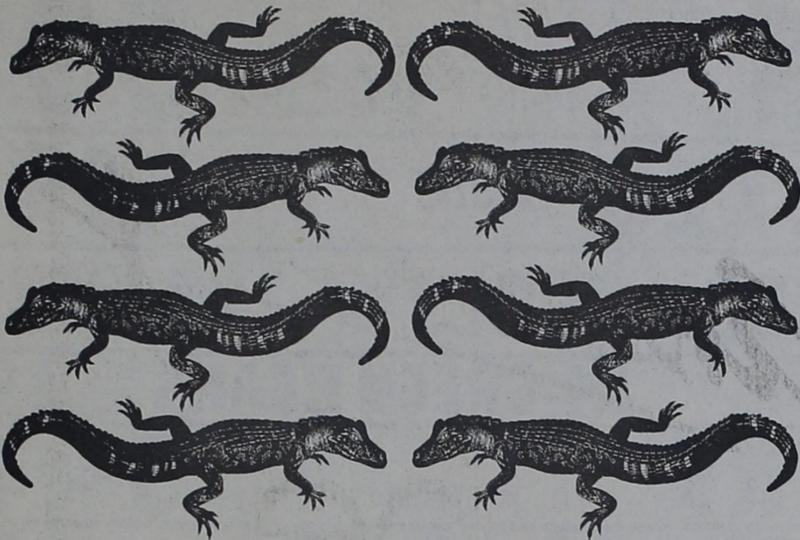
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Answer: Third alligator from top, right hand column (only three toes on right front foot, and left front foot missing)

Alligator Awfuls



What do you get when you cross an onion with an alligator? An alligator with watery eyes.

What is a sick alligator called?
An illigator.

What does an alligator eat after its teeth are pulled?
The dentist.

How do you stay two jumps ahead of an alligator? Play checkers with him.

Customer: I'd like to buy some alligator shoes.
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What do you give an alligator that needs help? Gator-Ade®.

What do alligators that go to the movies have to do? They have to pay to get in like everybody else.

What do alligators do when they lose their tails? They go to a retail store.

What color is an alligator's hiccup? Purple.

Who wears a black mask and rides a white horse through the swamp? The Lone Alligator.

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MAKE A ZOO TO CHEW

VANILLA DOUGH

1 cup butter
1 1/4 cups sugar
2 eggs
2 teaspoons vanilla

3 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

CHOCOLATE DOUGH

1 1/4 cups butter
1 1/4 cups confectioners' sugar
2 eggs
6 tablespoons cocoa

2 tablespoons oil
3 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon baking soda

To make the vanilla dough, put the butter, sugar, eggs, and vanilla in a medium-sized bowl. Mix them all together until creamy. Then add the flour, salt, nutmeg, and baking soda and mix for about a minute. Wrap the dough in waxed paper and put it in the freezer until it is firm, but not frozen (about 3 hours).

To make the chocolate dough, mix the butter, sugar, and eggs together. In a separate bowl combine the cocoa and oil, then add gradually to the first mixture. Finally add the flour, salt, and baking soda and mix for a minute. Put the dough in the freezer until firm.

When the two batches of dough become firm, take some of each kind out of the freezer. Form your animals on an ungreased cookie sheet. You can cut the dough into shapes or squeeze and shape it with your hands.

Bake the "zoo" for 10 minutes at 400° F. Then chew the critters up.



GORMAN CARE CENTER

BY MICKEY AND TAMMY

If you haven't made a New Year's resolution - make one now and volunteer your extra time to the Care Center.

We're starting a new year with a new activities director and some new volunteers. We are 2 new volunteers at the center. We help Beth plan and carry out activities. Like every Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. we have Bingo.

There will be singing on Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m.

The residents have sure missed all of you, since the weather has been bad.

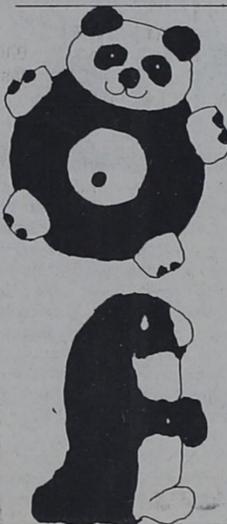
We are having a musical every 3rd Monday at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend!

We celebrate Birthdays on the last Thursday of each month at 2:00 p.m. This year with your help we can start a grandparent adoption program. If you would like more information call Beth at Gorman Care Center between 9:00 and 12:00 a.m. at 734-2202 Mon.-Fri.

We need more volunteers to help us out with these activities. If you could just come for about an hour or so a week it would sure make a difference at Gorman Care.

We need all volunteers, previous, present and potential to call Beth and get good things going again.

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89TH Annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show Parade To Be Held January 19

The All-Western Parade which heralds the start of the 89th annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show has been scheduled to begin at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, through downtown Fort Worth.

Show dates for this year's Stock Show are Jan. 23 through Feb. 3, and will include 23 performances of World's Original Indoor Rodeo in Will Rogers Coliseum.

Entries for the parade are being accepted through the show's Special Events Department. Staying with the all western theme, participants are marching bands, riding clubs and horse-drawn vehicles, maybe sponsored by area merchants and businesses. Motorized vehicles are disallowed from participation.

Plaques are awarded for the most outstanding riding clubs and horse-drawn vehicles, in addition to awards for the entry traveling the farthest distance, the most colorful, and the

entry which best displays the Western Heritage theme.

To date, 36 riding clubs, 38 horse-drawn vehicles and 15 bands have entered. Lineup will again be in the Tandy Parking Center, northwest of Henderson and Belknap Streets.

Tickets for the 23 performances of the Stock Show Rodeo are on sale daily, including Sunday, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. in the Will Rogers Coliseum Box Office.

Weekday matinees Monday thru Friday, including the new performance at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, are priced at \$6 each. Monday through Thursday nights are \$8, and Friday nights and all weekend performances are \$10.

Mail orders should specify the performance desired, and include \$1 extra per order for return postage and handling. Orders by mail should be sent to P.O. Box 150, Fort Worth, TX 76101.

TFB SAYS PESTICIDE REGULATIONS UNNECESSARY

WACO - Texas Farm Bureau President S.M. True said that although the final pesticide regulations "appear to be more workable and do show improvement, our organization still maintains that the regulations are unreasonable and definitely unnecessary."

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower on Dec. 21 announced the final regulations which will go into effect Jan. 21.

In a letter to 35 agricultural groups which opposed the proposals first announced in October, True said the final draft completes Hightower's "first move to wean farmers and ranchers from using agricultural chemicals."

True told the agriculture groups that "we must maintain our unity on this issue as the Commissioner has full authority to implement these or more restrictive regulations."

In his letter, the TFB President praised the efforts of those who opposed the first-announced regulations in five hearings around Texas in November.

"Credit is due and congratulations are in order for the many farmers and ranchers and others who pleaded their case so effectively against the unreasonable regulations. Your leadership and your organization's

efforts were most helpful in obtaining the beneficial changes," True said.

"The final draft is very different from the first copy which was 'bootlegged' from the Texas Department of Agriculture back in August.

"We were going against great odds in opposing an agency which already had its mind made up when we began our efforts in August," he said.

True said that the Texas Farm Bureau convention delegates in November left no doubt of how they felt about such regulations. The 1410 delegates, representing the 317,575 member families of the Texas Farm Bureau, approved the following resolution:

"We support legislation which would remove the authority of the Texas Commissioner of Agriculture to make arbitrary decisions concerning agricultural chemicals."

True said the Texas Farm Bureau from the beginning opposed the regulations because "the need for such regulations had not been sufficiently documented, the Texas Department of Agriculture currently has ample authority to prevent pesticide abuse, and the end result would be needless burden and added cost to farmers and ranchers who are already in an economic squeeze."

REHAB 1985, TO BE TELEVISED JANUARY 12

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center's 15th annual telecast, Rehab '85, will be aired January 12 from 7 p.m. to 2 a.m. Rex Allen and Shari Lewis will host this fast-paced 7-hour television production which will feature a number of top entertainers including for the first time Dick Van Dyke, Shelley Long (from "Cheers") and The Judds.

Other talent will be Bill and Susan Hayes (formerly Doug and Julie of "Days of Our Lives"); Susan now appears on "The Young and the Restless"; Grandpa Jones, Ken Curtis ("Festus"), Rex Allen, Jr. and Arizona.

Also, Helen O'Connell, Anacani, Arthur Duncan, The Otwell Twins, Patsy Weaver (The Young and the Restless), Andre Landzaat (formerly on "General Hospital"), Pat Buttram, Pedro Gonzalez-Gonzalez, Mac Wiseman, Sammi Smith, Jimmy Weldon and Webster Webfoot. Also, Roy Rogers, Jr., Montie

Montana, Maines Brothers Band, The Nelsons, Wade Ray, Bali Folklori, Scotty Ousley and The Lone Star Travelers, James Drury and Pat Patterson and the Rehab '85 Orchestra.

Bids will be accepted on more than \$100,000 worth of items donated for the Rehab '85 Auction Board.

The "County Kin" program will involve young people making house to house appeals. Supplies for this may be picked up at Town & Country Food Stores in your area, or your local "Country Kin" headquarters.

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center is a private, non-profit, outpatient treatment and diagnostic complex with facilities in Abilene and San Angelo. The Center will serve more than 10,000 handicapped children and adults this year, without charge.

Tickets for the show, which originates from the Abilene Civic Center, will be \$7 each and doors will open at 6 p.m.

Carl G. Thomason Services Held Sunday Dec. 23

Carl G. (Punk) Thomason, 76, a former Missouri Pacific Railroad man, died Dec. 22 1984 in Valley Baptist Medical Center.

He was born in Hico, was a member of the Gorman Class of '25, previously lived in Kingsville and moved to Harlingen 25 years ago.

Chapel services were held Sunday Dec. 23, at 10:00 a.m. by the Rev. Jerry Peters in Buck Ashcraft Funeral Home chapel. Burial was at 3 p.m. in Resthaven Cemetery in Kingsville.

He is survived by the wife, Mrs. Ursula Thomason of Harlingen; a brother, Robert L. Thomason; and several nephews.

Mr. Thomason was a member of the First Christian Church and Deacon Emeritus of the First Christian Church of Harlingen. He was past master San Benito Lodge No. 1064 A.F. & A.M.; past high priest San Benito Council; past commander Kingsville Commandery; and a member of K.Y.C.H. and past district deputy Grand High Priest.

He had been a Mo-Pac Railroad employee since 1920 retiring in 1971; secretary-treasurer of B.M.W.E. No.

2754 for several years; past member of Mo-Pac System Federation, Executive Board St. Louis, Mo.; past chairman R.R. Hospital; past president of A.A.R.P. No. 1036 of Harlingen; past president of Chaparral Society and president of Stroke Recovery Club.

Pallbearers were A.J. Woehl, Bob Veale, Joe G. Garza, Sid Pinkston, Tom Dillard and Charles Crate.

Gracie Alexander Laid To Rest

Gracie Frances Alexander, 86, of Gorman, formerly of Weinert, died Thursday at Gorman Care Center. Graveside services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at Johnson Memorial Cemetery in Munday, directed by McCauley-Smith Funeral Home of Munday.

Born Sept. 15, 1898, in Cleburne, she married Richard William Alexander April 27, 1919, in Weinert. She moved to Gorman from Midland in August 1983. She was a member of Foursquare Church in Midland.

Survivors include two daughters, Frances Sanders of Gorman and Edith Almand of Midland; a brother, Lewis Young of Kermit; a sister, Inez Price of Lubbock; 10 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren. Grandsons were pallbearers.

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KOKOMO NEWS

By Mrs. Zelda Jordan Phone 639-2289

Wasn't the snow a beautiful sight? We received about 4 inches of snow here on New Year's night. No one can paint a picture as beautiful as God does when it snows.
 Woodrow and Helen Browning, with Glynda Bond at the organ, rendered the special music at the Sunday morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Scotty Mauney of Gorman and David and Joe Little were visitors.

Ricky, Judy, Jennifer and Brad Rodgers of Bay City visited during the Christmas holidays with her mother and brother, Mrs. June Hawkins and Matt and grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Bennett. They also visited in Eastland with her dad, A.G. Crosby and grandmother, Mrs. A.H. Crosby.
 Jack Wheeler and friend, Greg Miles, of Dallas visited with Mrs. Hazel Snider and family on Christ-

mas Day.
 Mrs. Hazel Snider and La Von Snider visited with Mrs. Esther Jumper in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene on Saturday and she was much improved. Gene and Kay Snider visited with Mrs. Snider and La Von on New Year's Evening and Ted and Charlotte Snider visited with them on Thursday night. Mrs. Hazel Snider visited with Mrs. Lon Snider at the Gorman Care Center on Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rasco of Andrews and R.A. Nelson of Lamesa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson at Carbon and Mrs. Ollie Nelson at The Gorman Care Center, on Christmas. Gary and Cassie also visited with Mrs. Frank Rasco in Gorman.

Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson, Tena, Travis and Teresa of Jiminez, Mexico visited during the New Year's holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson.
 Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Clearman visited in Winters on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sudduth. They also visited in Lawn with Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Clearman and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clearman.
 Bill and Wynelle Brown, Claude and Juanita Fuller and Nancy Hendricks were supper guests of Glenn and Zelda Jordan on New Year's Eve.
 Several from Kokomo attended the New Year's Eve singing at the New Hope Baptist Church.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan attended

the "Battle of Songs" in Fort Worth on Saturday night.
 The Glenn Jordans ate lunch on Sunday with Nancy Hendricks.
 THE KOKOMO EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB will meet in

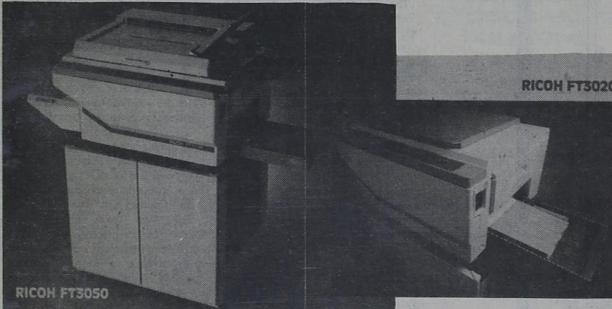
the home of Mrs. Bill Brown at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 14. The Eastland County Extension Agent, Mrs. Janet Thomas, will give the program on "Cooking - Eating Light". Visitors are always welcome.



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