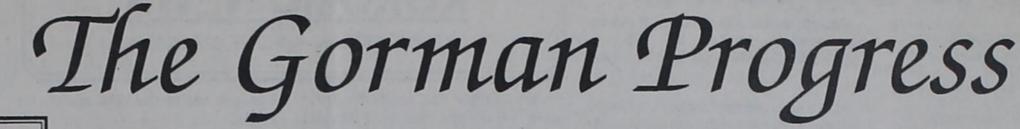
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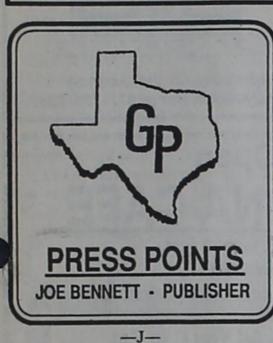




Gorman, Eastland County, Texas 76454

FEBRUARY 1, 1990

NUMBER ONE



Sure have been hearing some good comments on the looks of the Progress the past couple of weeks since we started setting ads, etc. on our new computer machine. We sure do like to use the new machine and we think it will really make "your newspaper" a much better looking paper as time goes along and we get more accustomed to using the machine. We do thank you for the fine comments and we will continue to do our best to make the Progress an outstanding newspaper that everyone will enjoy.

J

The weatherman has really hit us with a lot of different types of weather the past week or so. One day it will be "summer" and the next day it will be more like "winter". The trouble is we never know what kind of weather we are going to have

GORMAN TEAMS WIN TWO GAMES; HOST MAY FRIDAY NIGHT

The Gorman High School basketball teams continued their winning ways on January 26 and 30th as they both won to stay in the District 23A race.

In action on Friday night the Pantherettes won by a large margin over the Carbon girls 84 to 28.

Jana Norris led the Pantherettes with 28 points. Tiffany Stephens hit for 18 and Tonya Caraway had 14. Whitson led Carbon with 12.

This win gave the Pantherettes a 16-6 season mark and a 5-2 district record.

In the boys action the Panthers overwhelmed the Wolverines by a 98 to 41 score. Lance Sharp led Gorman with 26. Brandon Gilmore and Chad Campbell each had 12. Moody led Carbon with 19 and Warren had 16.

This win kept the Panthers undefeated in District 23A action and puts them at 15-6 on the season.

Carl Howard **Cole Laid To Rest Sunday**

In Tuesday night's play the Pantherettes defeated the Rising Star girls 44 to 35. Gorman had two good quarters of scoring, 13 in the second and 16 in the final period to insure the win.

The win gives the Pantherettes a 17-6 record and a 6-2 district mark.

Tiffany Stephens led the Pantherettes with 17 points. Jana Norris hit 13, and Tonya Caraway had 10.

In the boys game the Panthers had to come back in overtime to defeat the Wildcats 47 to 46. The Panthers jumped out to a 14 to 5 lead in the first quarter, but were outscored 16 to 11 in the second, and 14 to 8 in the third, before coming back with 13 points in the fourth. A free throw won the game for the Panthers.

Lance Sharp led the Panthers with 14. Evans led Rising Star with 14.

This victory clinched the District 23A title for the Panthers with two games to go. The season mark is now 16-6.

The Gorman teams will host May on Friday night at 6:30 and will wind up the regular season on Tuesday night when they host Sidney.

-GP-

Fire Tuesday Destroys Carl Howard Cole, age 65, of Gutierrez Mobile Home

EXHIBITORS SHOW WELL IN LOCAL LIVESTOCK SHOW

The Gorman 4-H and FFA project show was held on Saturday, January 20th at the school show barn building. Dane Gressett was the judge and there were 68 hogs, 20 lambs, 10 pens of chickens and 11 breeding rabbits being exhibited some very enthusiastic show project hopefuls.

LAMBS

Fine Wool: /. Don Mauney, Champion; 2. Rachel Smith, Reserve Champion.

Fine Wool Cross: 1. Don Mauney, Champion; 2. Nikki Warren, Reserve Champion; and 3. Scott Scitern.

Southdown: 1. Jennifer Scitern, Champion.

Medium Wool- Lightweight: 1. Shane Caraway; 2. Scott Scitern; 3. Jennifer Scitern; 4. Heather Sandlin; 5. Christian Clark; and 6. Stephen Scitern.

Heavyweight: 1. Nikki Warren; 2. Tanya Caraway; 3. Shannon Mauney; 4. Nikki Warren; 5. Shane Caraway; 6. Annette Love; 7. Annette Love; 8. Heather Sandlin.

The Champion Medium Wool exhibitor was Nikki Warren. The Reserve Champion was Shane Caraway.

The Lamb Jr. Showmanship Award was won by Shane Caraway

Heavyweight: 1. Kevin Hirst; 2. Shannon Mauney; 3. Reece Clark; 4. Clay Sandlin; 5. Chris Laminack.

Champion Cross honors went to Kevin Hirst and Reserve Champion Cross winner was Shannon Mauney.

Grand Champion Barrow honors went to Tiffany Stephens, and Reserve Grand Champion Barrow winer was Chuck Fonville.

Jr. Showmanship was won by John Mart Stephens. Sr. Showmanship was awarded to Kevin Hirst, and Sr.

Breeding Gilt Showmanship honors went to Tonya Caraway.

note of appreciation

We want to thank Birdsong Peanuts for the peanut hulls; Larry Nabors (Athletic Director) for help in weighing of the animals; and the Booster Club.

We also would like to thank the people who bought tickets on the 50 gallons of gasoline we gave away. Larry Nabors won the gasoline drawing.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE TO OTE IS FEBRUARY 13TH

The deadline for filing to become a legal voter in the forthcoming 1990 elections is Tuesday, February 13th.

Persons desiring a voter registration card may make application in person at the Assessor-Collectors Office in the County Courthouse in

Eastland, or by mail prior to the February 13th deadline.

If you vated last year and have not received your voter registration card call Nancy Trout at 817-629-1564.

Some people have not received new cards due to a computer mix-up.

Sarah Hendricks Tuggle **Receives Texas Century Certificate**

each day. One thing for sure, though - - the wind will be blowing I betcha!

The fine mnisture we received recently has just about all been sucked up by the strong winds we have had.

So I guess its time to order another nice general rain for the area. _J_

We received a couple of notes recently:

Hello Yu'all:

Here is my subscription the good old Gorman paper. I sure have lost a lot of my old school buddies and the Progress is the only way I can keep in touch.

Thank you and keep it coming.

Sid Mason, Ehrenberg, Ariz. Please renew the paper for another year. Enjoyed the paper so much. Keeping up with our Gorman friends.

Fatine Dillinder, Breckenridge We appreciate the renewals and hope ya'll keep on enjoying the Progress.

There is quite a lot of remodeling going on in Gorman.

Have you passed by the A. O. Easley office lately? They have been busy with a new building project and things are really looking good. The rock front on the building looks real great.

There are some homes being renovated and remodeled and we will try and get some information on these as they go along.

Keep up the good work folks. Lets all pitch in and help "Our Town" to look more beautiful and pleasant.

-J-Congratulations to all the exhibitors and winners in the Gorman 4-H and FFA Project Show. All the exhibitors did a fantastic job and deserve all the praise we can give them. We have the greatest bunch of youngsters in the entire world right here in Gorman. Let's give all them a big pat on the back and give them our support in all they do. _J_

And remember to smile - - because God Loves You! -GP-

Bill Miears Seeks Office of 91st

Gorman passed away the afternoon of January 24, 1990 while visiting his parents in Kalamazoo, Mich.

He was born on February 23, 1924 in Kalamazoo, and on his 17th birthday, he joined the U.S. Navy. He was aboard the USS Curtiss during the bombing of Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941. While stationed at Corpus Christi he met and married Wanda Lee Thurman in April of 1946 and soon after they moved to Kalamazoo, Mich. After an honorable discharge in April of 1947, he remained in the reserves until recalled to active duty December 25, 1951. His second honorable discharge followed in May 1952 as a result of the injuries received during his service. He was a member of the **Disabled American Veterans.**

Mr. Cole worked for National Waterlift for 11 years before going to work for Continental Can Co. in St. Joseph, Mich. He retired after 26 years. He was a lifetime member of the United Steel Workers of America and was also a member of the Civil Air Patrol and a private pilot for over 20 years. After his retirement from Continental Can, Carl and Wanda moved back to her hometown of Gorman, Texas in 1986. Once settled he opened the Gorman Machine Shop in 1987.

Mr. Cole is survived by his wife, Wanda of Gorman; a son, Dale H. Cole and wife, Karen of Elkhart, Ind.; a daughter, Joy L. Cole and grandson, Joseph M. Colpetzer of Gorman; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Cole; and a sister, Mrs. Leta Schoenals of Kalamazoo; a nephew, Marvin (Skip) Schoenhals of Michigan; one neice, Mrs. Carol Doublestein of Kentwood, Mich.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with burial in the Gorman Cemetery.

Memorials were made to the Gorman Fire Department. -GP-

Ruth Pugliese Hart Seeks Re-Election As County Treasurer

Ruth Pugliese Hart has authorized this newspaper to announce that she will be seeking re-election as Eastland County Treasurer in the upcom-

A heavy fire almost totally destroyed the Juan Gutierrez mobile home on Winkler Street on Tuesday with the entire interior being very heavily damaged, as well as some heavy structural damage.

The family lost all their belongings in the fire as they were unable to save anything from the home.

The firemen responded to the fire call extremely quick put the fire in the mobile home spread so fast that the firemen could not extinguish it before it took its toll of everything inside.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Sullivan Mauney wishes to express our deepest gratitude for the kindness that was shown during our recent loss. We want to thank especially the women who prepared and served the wonderful meal and Bro. Ron Carroll for his comforting message.

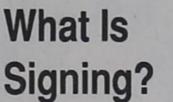
The prayers, cards and flowers will always be remembered. -GP-

CARD OF THANKS

We of the family of Carl Howard Cole want to express our heartfelt thanks to all of our family and friends. Your love and support have meant more to us than you can ever know. Our special appreciation for all the many food dishes, and the hugs that came with them; for the many beautiful floral arrangements; to Dr. Maria Trinidad for her support for each of us; to Juanita Fuller and Hershell Cordell for the music and songs; to Ray Daniels and his staff; to our very special pallbearers; for the beautiful playing of taps; to the five pilots who paid such a meaningful tribute to our Carl; to our police force; and to Rev. Ron Carroll for his love and support.

To all of you, our love and thank you.

> Wanda Cole Joy Cole Dale Cole and Karen Joe Colpetzer Leta Schoenhals -GP-



and the Lamb Senior Showmanship Award went to Nikki Warren. CHICKENS

1. Jason Rich, Champion; 2. Janice Glover, Reserve Champion; 3. Jennifer Scitern; 4. Diana Glover; 5. Scott Scitern; 6. Ashley Rich; 7. Stephen Scitern; 8. Tonya Caraway; 9. Shane Caraway; 10. Justin Underwood.

The Jr. Showmanship was won by Janice Glover, and the Sr. Showmanship Award went to Stephen Scitern. RABBITS

Does: 1. Shanda Hannifan, Champion; 2. Rachel Mayfield, Reserve Champion; 3. Christina Mauney; 4. Pam Osborne; 5. Jennifer Torres; 6. Adam Torres; 7. Ashley Rich.

The Jr. Showmanship was won by Christina Mauney, and the Sr. Showmanship went to Shanda Hannifan.

Bucks: 1. Shanda Hannifan took Champion honors; 2. Melissa Mayfield, Reserve Champion; 3. Christina Mauney; 4. Blake Guthery; 5. Ashley Rich; 6. Pam Osborne.

HOGS Breeding Gilts: 1. Jason Rich, Champ; 2. Ashley Laminack, Reserve Champ; 3. Mark Glover; 4. Shannon Mauney; 5. Chris Laminack; 6. Cole Sandlin; 7. Oscar Herrera; 8. Mindy Laminack; 9.

Janice Glover; 10. J. J. Clark. Jr. Showmanship honors went to Shane Caraway, and Michael Hamp-

ton took Sr. Championship honors. MARKET HOGS

Berkshire: 1. Tiffany Stephens, Champ; 2. J. J. Clark, Reserve Champ; 3. J. J. Clark.

Poland: 1. Justin Underwood, Champ and 2. Joe Rodgers, Reserve Champ.

Spots: 1. Tonya Caraway, Champ; 2. Tiffany Stephens, Reserve Champion; 3. Samantha Stephens; 4. Shane Caraway; 5. Janice Glover; 6. Shane Caraway.

Chesters: 1. Chris won Champion honors; 2. Ashley Laminack, Reserve Champ; 3. Mindy Laminack; 4. Samantha Stephens; 5. Ronald Majors; 6. John Mart Stephens; 7. Tommy Trevino; 8. Donald Majors; 9. Donald Majors.

Duroc — Lightweight: 1. Jennifer Scitern; 2. Kevin Hirst; 3. Donald Majors; 4. Reece Clark; 5. Ronald Majors; 6. Donald Majors.

Heavyweight: 1. Brian Mayfield;



CERTIFICATE HONOREE -- Sarah Hendricks Tuggle, 92, is shown with her neices and nephews (left to right) Carol Norris Skinner, Patsy Norris Collins, Leta Norris Hogan and Gary Dewayne Norris.

On November 16, 1989, Sarah Hendricks Tuggle was honored by the Texas Department of Agriculture when she was presented the Family Land Heritage Certificate by Commissioner of Agriculture Jim Hightower in Austin.

Sarah now owns the Hendricks Ranch in the Kokomo community that was founded by her late parents, S. F. and R. A. Hendricks, in 1887, and has been in the family for over 100 years. Sarah and her husband, Lum Tuggle, still live there.

Samuel Farris Hendricks was born in 1855 at Forney, Texas. His mother died when he was nine months old. His father, Albert Hrndricks, was then married to Sarah Watson, a widow with four children. They moved to Gladewater when Samuel was 14.

His father died in 1869. His stepmother remarried.

When Samuel Hendricks was 17, he left home to make his way in the world, which was hard with no relatives in Texas to turn to. He went to Denton in 1875 to work for John Y. Yates, and in 1879 he married Rachel Ann Yates, the daughter of John Y. and Tibathy Yates.

They owned an 80 acre farm in Collin County. He took a job in Denton in 1884. A child's disease hit Denton killing nearly all the children. Two sons died in infancy and the disease took two daughters, one eighteen months old and one three years old. Jim Hendricks was age for Jim was to travel.

Mr. Hendricks sold the family farm, and with a team and covered wagon they headed for Abilene, Texas. In January 1887, when they got to a rock well near a bridge south of Eastland, they camped because of a blizzard.

went back to Collin County, got his horses and cattle, and moved into the home at Kokomo

After moving to this area, Jim soon got well. There were six other children born here. One baby girl died in 1890. The Hendricks children were Jim, Jennie, Jess, Dollie, June and Sarah.

Mr. Hendricks raised horses, mules, hogs and cotton for market. He was one of the first to grow peanuts in the community. Goober peas, as they were known then were a family job, with plowing done by horse and mule team. To get ready to plant, the sacks of peanuts were emptied on sheets. They had to pick out sticks before the seeds could be planted. All the kids had to hoe peanuts. At digging time peanuts were plowed up using the team. The family shook them by hand and stacked them with nuts inside. When they were dry enough they were hauled and stacked. Mr. Hendricks would cut and haul wood for the old steam thrasher. After Thrashing, the sacks of nuts were dried in the sun until dry enough to sell.

During the depression, Mr. Hendricks sold his peanuts for twentyfive cents per bushel.

Mr. Hendricks passed away on June 8, 1937 and Mrs. Hendricks passed away June 3, 1949. Sarah is the lone survivor of the Hendricks children and has lived on the ranch all her life.

Accompanying Sarah to Austin to five. The doctor said the only chance receive the Heritage Award were some of her many neices and nephews, Mrs. Patsy Norris Collins o Ranger, Mrs. Leta Norris Hogan of Gorman, Mrs. Carol Norris Skinner of Midland, Gary Norris of Carbon, Bill Collins of Watauga, and Brad Collins of Ranger.

District Clerk

I am seeking the office of 91st. District Clerk in the upcoming Democratic Primary on March 13th.

Following three years of employment in the District Clerk's office as a deputy, I feel I am qualified to handle the complex and demanding duties with the current upgraded computer system for record keeping and information. I have the knowledge and experience to manage and operate this office in an orderly and efficient manner.

I was born in Texas and raised in Gorman. After graduation from Gorman High School, I attended Cisco Junior College for 2 years, then graduated from Sam Houston State University with a degree in communications. I am married and my wife and I have four children, ranging in age from 7 to 18 years of age. My wife is a teacher at Eastland High School and our children attend the Eastland Public Schools.

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ing Democratic Primary of March 13, 1990.

Ruth stated that she will be publishing her statement for re-election as Treasurer at a later date and is asking for the voters support of her candidacy in the March 13th election.

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KEEPING UP

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pittman of Plano and Mrs. Pat Morgan and friend of Abilene were visitors Saturday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ardith Pittman.

I was employed as a Senior Merchandise Buyer for the J. C. Penney Co. in San Antonio beofre moving back to Gorman ten years ago to raise our children in a more peaceful and friendly environment.

I seek your vote and influence in the March 13th primary.

I will be making my statement to the voters at a later date.

What is "signing"? Signing is a language that uses manual symbols to represent ideas and concepts. The term is generally used to describe the language used by deaf people.

Do you have a hearing problem or know someone who does? Now is the time to learn sign language.

Have you always wished you could learn another language? Now you can! Just join our newly formed sign language class.

Cheryl Gonzales from Cisco is our instructor. We will meet at 7 p. m. each Monday night.

It is never too late to join if you are unable to join right now, but want to join later that is fine.

Our next class will be Monday night, February 5 at 7 p. m. at the home of Marilyn and Jimmy Warren. For more information please call Ina Scitern at 734-2720 or 734-3110. See you Monday!

2. Stephen Scitern; 3. Kevin Hirst; 4. Jason Rich; 5. Diana Glover; 6. Shannon Mauney.

Champion Duroc honors went to Brian Mayfield and Reserve Champion was Stephen Scitern.

York: 1. Kevin Hirst, Champ; 2. Janice Glover, Reserve Champ; 3. Don Mauney.

Hampshire - Lightweight: 1. Mindy Laminack; 2. Jennifer Scitern; 3. Scott Scitern; 4. Shane Caraway; 5. Stephen Scitern; 6. Jason Rich; 7. J. J. Clark; and 8. Tonya Caraway.

Heavyweight: 1. Chuck Fonville; 2. Shane Caraway; 3. Justin Underwood; 4. Ashley Laminack; 5. John Mart Stephens; 6. Joe Rodgers; 7. Michael Hampton.

Champion Hampshire was Chuck Fonville, and Reserve Champ Hampshire was Mindy Laminack.

Cross - Lightweight: 1. Tonya Caraway; 2. Stephen Scitern; 3. Chris Laminack; 4. Reece Clark; 5. Scott Scitern; 6. Jason Rich.

Mr. Hendricks bought a farm in the Kokomo Community from J. D. Wright, and he and his neighbors was the son of Jim Hendricks.

The late Albert Hendricks of the Kokomo Community was a nephew of Sarah Hendricks Tuggle. Albert

SENIOR CLASS OF '90 TO HOLD TALENT SHOW AT HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM SAT. FEB 3RD MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND

BAND BOOSTERS Meeting will be held on Thursday, Feb. 1st in the Band Hall at 7:00 p.m. All Band Parents are urged to attend.

LADIES GAME DAY

will be held on Friday, February 2nd at 10:00 a.m. at Lone Cedar Country Club at Lake Leon

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YARD SALE: Thursday, Friday, and Saturday - 423 Love Acres -- Clothes, Lots of Miscellaneous. Stuffed Animals. 1-2-1P.

ART CLASSES: Classes beginnin February 12th in Gorman. Daytime and night classes for Youth and Adults. Drawing, color and oil. Call LaVelle Jobe - 817-734-2965 or 817-734-2973. 2-2-8C

HELP WANTED: ATTENTION - HIRING! Governmentjobs - your area. Many immediate openings without waiting list or test. \$17,840 - \$69,485. Call 1-602-838-8885. EXT. R-4507. 3-2-15 P.

FRONT PORCH SALE: Satallite Dish complete. Saddles, Tools, and Lot smore across from Little League Ball Park at Vernon Ables. Friday from 12 noon and Saturday. February 2nd and 3rd. 1TC

FREE: Bassett Hound to good home. Grown Female. Larry Campbell - 734-2-2-8 c. 2121.

FOR SALE: Peanut Dryers - one Four hole - One Eight hole. Call 817-734-2385 **FEBRUARY 1, 1990**

KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN -- PHONE 639-2289

The weather has seemed a little more wintry-like the past several days with the temperatures in the twentys in the mornings, and the wind blowing quite briskly at times. Ima Boles of Clyde and Lisa Snider

of Stephenville were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Lisa Snider of Stephenville and Belinda Snider of Gorman visited with their grandmother and aunt, Mrs. C. L. Snider and La Von Snider during the weekend.

Donald Lee and Nita Joiner of Houston visited with Mrs. Bill Joiner during the weekend. They visited in Stephenville on Saturday with Joyce Bramlett and family. Joyce was injured in an auto accident rcently in Stephenville and suffered a concussion and bruises. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Sylvia Buchanan of Clyde visited with her mother, Mrs. Albert Hendricks, on Thursday. Other visitors with Mrs. Hendricks during the week were Martha and Wilbourne Wood of Carbon, Daisy Wood of Eastland, Jimmy and Marjorie Hendricks and Mandy Hitt of Eastland, Doris Bradshaw of Gorman, Anna Laura Clearman, John and Troy Scitern and Bro. Joe O'Neal.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw went to Clyde on Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Yancy. Mrs. Joe Buchanan of Tuscols was also visiting with the Buchanans and they all attended the basketball game on Friday night to see Yancy play ball.

"Attention": EARN MONEY WATCHING TVI (1) 602-838-8885 Ext. TV-4507" 3-2-15 P.

FOR SALE: Square bale Coastal Hay -Call Tommy at 734-2819. 1-2-1 c Yancy is one of the high scorers for Clyde.

Ima Boles of Clyde spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mamie Little.

John and La Tonne Rodgers of Carbon and little granddaughter, Julie Ann White of Graham were suooer guests of Mrs. Berneice Rodgers on Friday night.

Kenneth and William Whitley of De Leon visited with the Glenn Jordans on Saturday.

MORROW BROTHERS SCORE HIGH AT UIL MEET

The Plaions High School team were the sweepstakes winner at the UIL Meet held in Andrews on Saturday, January 20. Lance Morrow, senior, and Layne Morrow, junior, were high point scorers in their classes. The Plains team was also the sweepstakes winner in the UIL Meet on January 13, with Lance winning the high point individual honors. The teams were entered in science, mathematics, calculator, number sense, and physics. The Plains teams have taken the sweepstakes in the last four UIL Meets they have entered.

Lance and Layne are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow of Plains, and the grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris of Kokomo, and former students at the Gorman Schools.



Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dennis of Abilene were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kellogg. Mr. Kellogg is a patient in the De Leon Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow visited from Thursday until Sunday in Plains with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Lance, Layne and Lenny. They attended the basketball tournament. Lenny, an eighth grader, is a member of the Plains Jr, High team. They won the finals at the tournament on Saturday night.

They all attended the high school

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see Lance and Layne play ball. Palins won the game. Gladys Morrow, Alma Lee Creager and Mildred and Jiggs Campbell, all of Levelland, also attended the ball games and visited with the Morrows and Norrises.

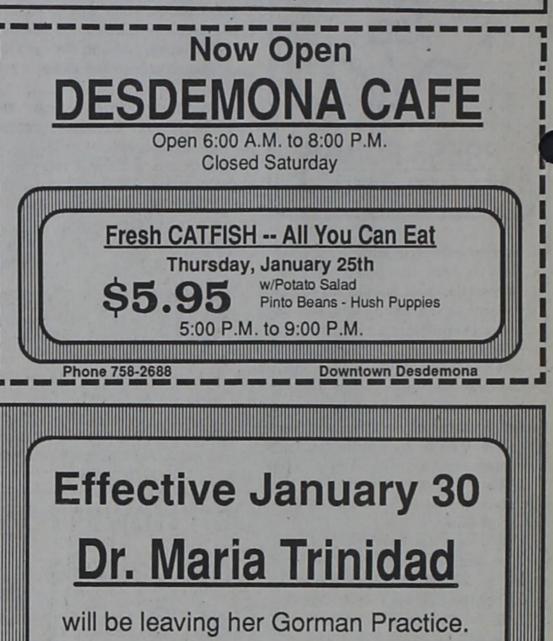
basketball game on Friday night to

Our congratulations to the Plains teams and to Lance, Layne and Lenny.

Permanent care cemetery lots Marble, granite & bonze vases.



Dorothy Johnson is our new representative for the Gorman Area. If you need Dorothy, you may reach her at 817-734-2367.







DESDEMONA NEWS

VONNIE GUTHERY - PHONE 758-2665

Residents who were honored for having January birthdays were Emma Shugart, Bertha Thomas, Iola Johnson, Wayne Forrest, Pauline Love and A. B. (Buddy) Eaves and Gracie Hamilton.

The party was on Thursday at 2 p. m. The Kokomo EH Club came and helped serve.

There were gifts from the First Baptist Church, Methodist Church, Church of Christ. The home gave beautiful bud vases. Mozelle Rhymes, Jolene Gilliland, Velma Bennett and Dorothy Roberts made birthday cakes served with punch.

Billie Stacy entertained with piano selections, followed by Hershell Cordell singing and playing on his

First Baptist Church of Desde-

mona had a very special service last

Sunday. It was "Baptist Men's Day"

- all the men of the church were

leaders during the service on Sunday

morning and night. Steve Nance led

the music with Karen Eaves at the

piano (could not find a man to play

the piano). To start the morning

service all the men sang "Victory in

Jesus". Bro. Joe Wortham with his

guitar and Philip Lewis on the violin

played and sang "I'll Fly Away".

Wadw Seals of Fort Worth and B. F.

guitar. Guests were Berneice Rodgers, Velma Bennett, Nancy Hendricks, Jolene Gilliland, Billie Stacy, Ina Reynolds, Lenis Rice, Dixie Pack, Anita Franklin, Sylvia Buchanan, Mozelle Rhymes, Anna Rush, Odell Dupuy, Hershell Cordell and Joann Fraley.

Those visiting Minnie Dupuy were Estelle Stephens of Carbon, Walter Goodwin and Rufus Goodwin.

On Monday Anna Rush and Nancu Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Junior Fairbetter, Ruby Vandergriff, Lucretia Fairbetter, Lorene Jay, Veno Hale, Wilma Rawls, Dee Gilmore.

Fonville played their guitars and

sang "Because He Lives". Others on

the morning program with their

testimonies were J. J. Grimshaw,

Glyn Thiebaud, Wayne Eaves and

Bro. L. C. Landers closed the service

The evening service leaders were

Gerald Ragland, who sand "What A

Difference" with his mother, Nell

Ragland at the piano, and testimon-

ies from Pug Guthery, Moody

Koonce and Elwood Ragland, who

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.

Final 3 Days

with his message.

On Wednesday Bro. Ron Carroll

brought the devotional to 8 residents.

Those visiting Berta Poynor were Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona, Bert and Tiny Frasier of De leon, Richard Kinser of Eastland, Joe O'Neal, Lavena Fonville, Doyle Poynor, Anna Rush, Olga, James and Ruby Lee Kinser.

Visiting Lucretia and Junior Fairbetter were Adele and Stephanie Russell og Everman, Bill, Molly and Amber Fairbetter of Abilene.

R. Lee McDaniel of Carbon visited her mother, Edna Morgan.

On Wednesday Thelda May Turner had the Bible study for 7 residents.

Rosa Bennett, Barbara Tucker, Faye Brewer and Dixie Pack visited Cynthia Earles.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were Ora Lee Lawrence, Mrs. Fairbetter and Junior, Molly Fairbetter of Abilene and Doyle Poynor.

Bro. Ron Carroll and wife and Bro. James and Lavelle Havnes visited Mary Jobe.

On Monday Nancy Hendricks was here for bingo. Winners were Cynthia Earles, Veno Hale, Ruben McClellan, Ora Mae Atchison, Dee Gilmore, Ida Lewis, Iola Johnson, Mary Jobe and Ruby Vandergriff.

Chesley and Barbara Atchison of Fort Worth took Ora Mae Atchison to the farm for lunch on Saturday. Mrs. Atchison enjoyed talking to her

closed the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Seals of Fort Worth spent the weekend with B. F. and Chrys Fonville and they all attended the Desdemona Monthly Musical last Saturday night at the Community Center.

"Congratulations" to Clydell and Vada (Mull) Lewis, who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Janaury 8, 1990. They have two children, La Tonne Rodgers of Carbon and Grant Lewis of Desdemona, two granddaughters, Kim Cauthern and Jonna Rodgers and one great-granddaughter, Julie Ann Cauthern.

Our Thought for today - Don't let your mind become so busy that your

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grandchildren, Dr. and Mrs. Chesley Royce Atchison and little Jessie on the phone long distance from Arizona.

Jewel Whitley of Dublin, Wilda Holt of De Leon and Stella Rider visited Clara Rich.

We are sure happy to report Emma Shugart is home from the Harris Hospital in Fort Worth.

Those visiting Lorene Duggan wereChuck Heggedahl of Floodwood Nickie and Margaret Duggan of Waxahachie, Johnnie McGilvary of Lewisville, Frances Overstreet of Abernathy, Maurie and Marie Shipman, Wayne and Mary Vincent of Brownwood, Tobe and Alice Varner of Fort Stockton, Christine Self, Bud and Dee Smithey, Stella Rider, Scytha Alldredge and Murtice Rodgers.

Those coming for the Tuesday singing were Oma Dee Garrett, Ima Lee Burleson, Lovena Fonville, Lucretia and Junior Fairbetter, Dorothy Roberts, Billie Stacy, R. Lee McDaniels, Berneice Rodgers, Anna Rush, Nancy Hendricks, Cullen and Ava Rodgers, Lavelle Rodgers, Estell Erwin, Melba Frasier and Velma Bennett.

On Friday Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Mary Jobe, Wilma Rawls, Cynthia Earles, Dee Gilmore, Ora Mae Atchison, Iola Johnson, Ida Lewis, Junior Fairbetter, Minnie Dupuy and Garnet Adams.

On Thursday morning Rev. C. M. Avery brought the church services for 18 residents.

We are sorry to report Ernest Weaver is a patient in the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

On Saturday Bro. Joe O'Neal brought the Bible study to 14 residents.

Agatha Nance of Desdemona visited Berta Poynor, Veno Hale and Cynthia Earles.

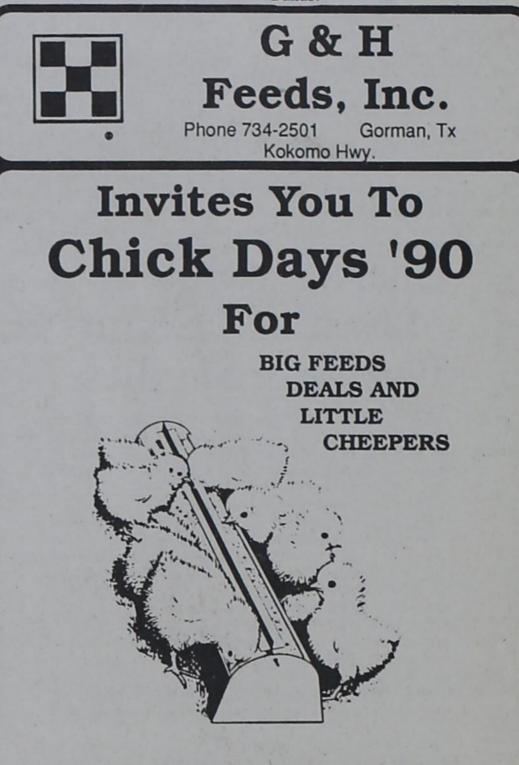
At 2:30 p. m. those from the Methodist Church having services were Rev. and Mrs. James Haynes, Sue Ann Tarver, Jean Snelson, Ruth Higginbottom, Velma Bennett, Tommye Haile, Oma Dee Garrett, Lucre-

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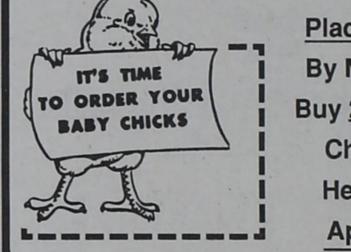
Freeman of Dallas, Bill, Charlene, Lesa and Travis Daniels of Arlington Cecilia and Mandy Wilcoxson of Desdemona, Bobby and Jean Burns of Fort Worth, Christine and Cecil Self, Vera Rodgers, Billy Self, Modess Self, Zina Simpson, Bud and Dee Smithey, Billy and Janda Taylor Juanita Files, Frankie and Georgie

Stacy, Barbara Tucker, Rosa Bennett Dora Faye Brewer, Bro. and Mrs. Curtis Maness, Cynthia Earles and Veno Hale.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Carol, Kirt, and Kris Ervin and Lana Sharp of Desdemona and Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Files of Dallas.



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heart can't respond. Abilene. **KEEPING UP** WITH FRIENDS

Ted and Rita Higginbottom of Seminole were guests of his parents, Edgar and Ruth Higginbottom, who accompanied them to Fort Worth to attend the Farm and Ranch Awards Luncheon given by the Star Telegram and the officials of the Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show. Ted was the recipient of a plaque for the "Best Peanut Farmer" of the State of Texas. They also attended the show and rodeo.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Higginbottom were her brother, Judge and Mrs. Weldon Kirk of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Rogers of Santo and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rogers of Cisco.

tia and Junior Fairbetter, Bill and Molly Fairbetter and daughter of At 4 p. m. coming from the

Gorman Church of Christ were Bro. and Mrs. Curtis Maness, Janda and Tracey Taylor, Bud and Dee Smithey Zina Simpson, Juanita Files, Christine Self, Modess Self, Vera Rodgers Floydene Gilbert, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Dorfe Faye Brewer, Lorene Foster, Allie Mae George.

Those visiting Varona Taylor were Bro. Curtis and Neta Maness, Dee Smithey, Juanita Files, Zina Simpson, Dora Faye Brewer, Billy, Janda, Steve and Tracey Taylor, Pauline Allen and Bonnie Cox.

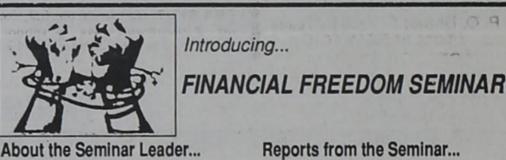
Bro. Ron Carroll taught the Sunday School lesson on Sunday morning to 6 residents.

Those visiting Bertie Self were Leo and Eline McDaniel of Abilene, R. Lee McDaniel, Elmer and Donnie Ruth Mathison of Carbon, Joe Barnett of Eastland, Laneta Rodgers of Arlington and her friend, Dave

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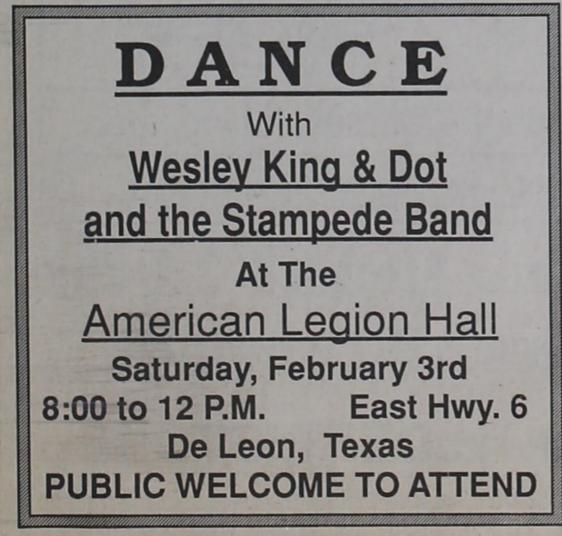
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KELLI COOK NAMED TO WHO'S WHO AT BAYLOR UNIVERSITY

Kelli Cook, daughter of Wallace and Julia Cook of De Leon, and granddaughter of Archie and Georgie Faye Skaggs of Gorman, was one of 70 students recently named to Who's Who Scholars at Baylor University.

Kelli was selected from more than 400 candidates. She will receive a certificate for her outstanding performance at an awards ceremony later this spring.

She is a financial services and real estate major and a graduate of De Leon High. -GP-

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Kay Ann Craddock of Plano spent the weekend with her mother, Estelle Craddock.

Charter member of Eastland County Farm Bureau dies

RANGER - Graveside services for Myrta (Mrs. Join) Love, 87, a charter member of the Eastland County Farm Bureau, will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Alameda Cemetery with Curtis Maness officiating, directed by Edwards Funeral Home of Ranger.

She died Friday at a local nursing home.

Mrs. Love was born in Jayton, graduated from Jayton High School and attended the University of Texas. She taught in Mingus and Chaney and she and her late husband, John Love, were charter members of the Eastland County Farm Bureau in 1939. Mrs. Love was elected the first secretary-treasurer.

She was a member of the 1920 Club in Ranger, served one term as president of the Eastland County Federation of Women's Clubs and was appointed to the Rural Area Development Board for Eastland County. She was a member of the Mesquite and Rusk Street Church of Christ and the Home Demonstration Club.

Survivors include a daughter, Loresta Veale of Ranger; two sisters, Byrta Maxie (Mrs. Harris) Eastham of Midland and Minnie Dell Smith of Elgin; and three grandchildren.

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Free Income Tax Assistance Available

Free income tax assistance will be available for area residents during February, March and April through the tax-aide program of the American Association of Retired Persons.

Volunteer counselors, trained by Internal Revenue Service certified instructors, will be staffing a counseling site in the Gorman Senior Citizens Center from February 1 through April 15, 1990.

Walter Knowlden, Associate District Coordinator for the Central Texas area of the AARP Tax-Aide Program, said the service is designed to help older persons and also taxpayers who are unable to afford professional advice and to help them understand income tax forms and to

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become familiar with special benefit available.

According to Mr. Knowlden, pas experience has indicated that man older persons are unaware of specia benefits they are entitled to clair and are paying more than they an required to pay, some may not eve be required to file a return becaus of limited income.

Taxpayers using the service nee to bring copies of their previou years returns and their forms for th current year. They should also bring with them all their W-2 and W-2 forms, along with all their 109 forms regarding income received including their SSA1099 form from Social Security. They should als have all their receipts of expenses such as medical bills, prescription drugs, medical insurance for possi ble medical deductions. They wi also need to bring receipts of taxes mortgage interest and charitabl contributions paid during the year s all taxable deductions can be ap plied.

If you would like assistance please call the Gorman Senior Citizens Center at 734-296 for an appointment.

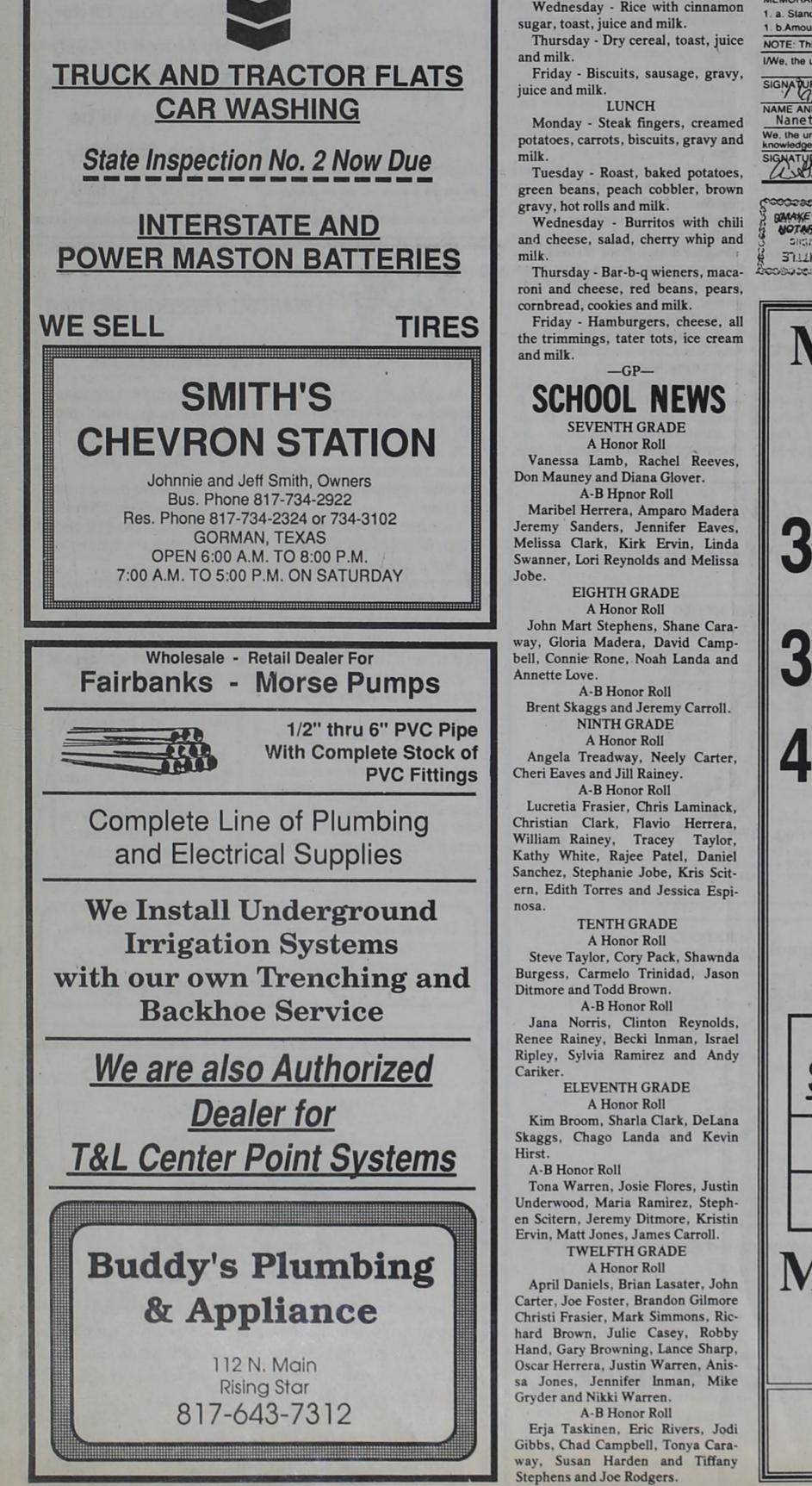
Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Baze hav returned from a trip through New Mexico, Arizona and California. Mr and Mrs. Earl Baze and Mr. an Mrs. Jim Forkum of Sacramento me them at Pismo Beach for two weeks While there they visited the Ol Mission in San Kuis Obispo, the toured the Randolph Hearst Castle the Danish town of Solvang and many other interesting sights.

On their return trip they visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bennett of Crane.

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