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**PRESS POINTS**  
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## Sherry Brumbelow and Brady Conger Wed by Candlelight



Family and friends gathered at First United Methodist Church on September 1 to witness the marriage ceremony of Sherry Lyn Brumbelow and Brady Foster Conger. Celebrating the marriage of their children were the bride's and groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brumbelow of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Baker Conger of Dublin. Also in attendance were the couple's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Currie of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brumbelow of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Mancil Smith of Arlington.

Guests were greeted by the groom's niece, Kristen Smith of Lake Worth, who presided at the registration table. Angie Deviney of Stephenville greeted guests and presented them with gold embossed wedding programs.

Wedding guests were escorted to their seats by ushers Randy Johnson of Dublin, Jeremy White and Brent Johnson of Stephenville. They wore black tuxedos and white roses in their lapels.

Candles were lit by the groom's niece and nephew, Crystal Conger of Springtown and Daniel Conger of Fort Worth. Crystal's tea length gown was of midnight blue iridescent taffeta and Daniel was attired in

had a real good ball club as their victory on Friday night proved.

The Panthers will travel to Hico Friday night to take on the Tigers at 8 p. m. This should be a real good battle as these two teams always get ready for each other in a long lasting rivalry. So let's all follow the Panthers to Hico Friday night and show them that we are behind them all the way!

The Gorman Lions Club have set the date for their Annual Broom and Mop Sale to benefit the Blind. The date will be Saturday, October 20th and sales will be set up at the Senior Citizens Center parking lot and on the sidewalk in front of the building. There will be more details on this later, but the Lions are planning a pre-sale campaign and they will set up a sales point at the Senior Center so folks can come by and pick out the things they need, which will benefit the Blind people who make the merchandise.

We will have more on this later.

In business transacted at the Lions meeting last Tuesday the Club voted to donate \$50 to the Texas Dependent Children's Fund for Christmas presents for Eastland County. They also donated \$25 to \$35 to the Band Boosters toward the purchase of a micro-wave for the concession stand.

Also \$100 dollars toward the purchase of a deep fryer for use in the concession stands. This is where some of the funds the Lions Club raises on their hamburger sales, etc. and donate to civic causes and for eye glasses for needy students in the Gorman Schools.

And remember to smile -- because God Loves You!

a black tuxedo.

The ceremony began as Tori Hall Railsback sang "Doubly Good To You". Wedding selections played on the piano and organ were provided by King Lewis of Stephenville.

The groom, attired in a black full dress tuxedo and wearing a white rose boutonniere escorted his parents and the mother of the bride to their pews. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Brumbelow chose a two piece suit of blue faille. The fitted jacket was fashioned with a bertha collar and peplum over a straight skirt. The groom's mother wore a two piece ensemble of imported indigo linen. The lapels of the loosely fitted jacket were adorned with hand embroidered flowers. The mother's corsages were of phalaenopsis orchids and were accented with pearls. The mothers met at the altar and lit two candles aside the unity candle, signifying the harmony of the two families and in honor of their children.

Wagner's "Wedding March" was played as the minister, Rev. Larry VanZile, groom and his groomsmen took their place at the altar. Serving as best man was Sammy Carter of Springtown. Groomsmen were Todd Taylor of Stephenville, Chuck Degear of Axle, and brothers of the groom, Bobby Conger of Springtown and Brad Conger of Fort Worth. Also serving as junior groomsmen was the bride's brother, Gary Brumbelow of Stephenville. They were attired in black full dress tuxedos and wore a white rose in their lapels.

Processing down the aisle and taking their places at the altar, the bride's attendants wore matching ensembles of midnight blue iridescent taffeta. The fitted bodice with a basque waistline was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, large puffed lantern sleeves and an intermezzo peplum over a fitted tea length skirt.

Each attendant carried a bouquet of white roses surrounding a phalaenopsis orchid accented by sprays of dendrobium orchids and pearls. Attending her sister as matron of honor was Cynthia Brumbelow Lozano of Stephenville. Maid of honor was Kathryn McMillan of Houston. Bridesmaids were Lana Keith Hammon of De Leon, Diana Greenhaw and Holli Glasgow of Stephenville and the bride's cousin, Joanna Higgins of Amarillo served as junior bridesmaid.

Steven Ross, nephew of the groom from Fort Worth, was ring bearer and was attired in a black full dress tuxedo. Strewn the bride's path with rose petals from ivory wicker baskets were Mikah Taylor of Stephenville and Rachel Higgins, cousin of the bride from Amarillo. Each flowergirl was dressed in a ballerina length frock of ivory tissue linen featuring a fitted bodice fashioned with a jeweled neckline, short puffed sleeves and sashed at the waistline.

Escorted to the altar by her father and given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a formal

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## PANTHERS TAME BULLDOGS 43-9; TRAVEL TO TIGER COUNTRY FRIDAY

GAME STATISTICS		
20	First Downs	12
269	Yards Rushing	77
28	Yards Passing	129
2 of 9	Passes Completed	8 of 18
0	Interceptions	1
2	Fumbles Lost	4
3 for 38	Punts, Avg.	5 for 16
9 for 83	Penalties	4 for 30

The Gorman Panthers moved back into the winning column on Friday night when they played host to the Ranger Bulldogs and came away with an overwhelming 43 to 9 victory over the Bulldogs of Class 2A.

Following the initial possession by the Bulldogs, which they moved to the Gorman 15 yard line before being held and forced to kick a field goal by Chavez, the Panther defense did a very good job of stalling the Ranger offense.

On the kickoff the Bulldogs took the ball on their own 38 and moved consistently down the field with a no-huddle offense which seemed to catch the Big Red defense off guard. However, the Panthers stopped the Bulldogs at the 15 and Mike Chavez booted a 25 yard field goal to put the Bulldogs on the board with 3 points with 9:30 left in the first.

The Panthers showed their offensive strength on their initial possession as they took the ball on their own 41 and scored in 7 plays with Cory Pack running it in from 5 yards out with 5:09 left. The drive featured a 20 yard run for a first down by Kevin Hirst on a keeper play. That was followed by a 13 yard run by Mat Jones for another first down. The next three plays netted another first down. Then following another 8 yard gainer, Cory Pack scored the TD. Kevin Hirst added the point after and Gorman was ahead to stay at 7-3.

Then following an exchange of possessions the Panthers took the ball on their own 47 and scored in 7 plays with Jason Ditmore getting the score on a beautiful 34 yard run with 10:02 left in the second period. The drive featured a 17 yard pass to Stephen Scitern to set the Panthers up at the Ranger 34. Hirst kicked the point after and Gorman led 14-3.

Then with 9:37 left in the first half the Bulldogs got the ball on their own 20 and scored in just two plays. Following an incomplete pass, Sean Cockburn found Richard Abila in the open at about the Gorman 35 yard line and he hit him with a pass and he ran the rest of the way to cover the 80 yards for the score. The run for two points failed and the score was 14 to 9.

But the Panthers were not to be denied as they took the kickoff and set up a drive from their own 28 and scored in 8 plays with Stephen Scitern finding running room for an 8 yard scamper for the score with 6:58 left in the half. The drive featured a pass to Jason Ditmore for 11 yards. A 10 yard run by Jason. An 11 yard jaunt by Cory Pack and a 10 yard run by Scitern. Hirst booted the point after and the Panthers led 21 to 9.

Then with 4:18 left on the clock in the first half, Matt Jones capped a 27 yard drive with a 6 yard run for the score. The drive featured a 21 yard scamper by Jason Ditmore to set the Panthers up at the Ranger 6. The kick for pint after failed and Gorman was up 27 to 9.

With just 2:35 left on the clock in the first half the Big Red defense blocked a Bulldog punt in the end zone and the score moved up to 29 to 9 at the half.

Following the intermission, in which the fans enjoyed two fine performances by the Ranger and Gorman bands, the Panthers took the ball on their second possession at their own 44 and scored in 7 plays with Matt Jones again getting the honors from 4 yards out on a run with 4:17 left in the third. The drive featured runs of 13 and 12 yards by Jason Ditmore and a beautiful 19 yard run by Hirst. Hirst then ran for the two pointer and Gorman led 36 to 9.

The Panthers hit the scoreboard one more time with 2:19 left in the third period when the Bulldog punter missed the ball and after kicking it in disgust, Jerry Ditmore alertly picked up the live ball at the Ranger 47 and raced for the score. Hirst added the point after and the score was 43 to 9.

The Big Red defense did a good job against the Bulldogs after the initial drive and held Ranger to low yardage in the final half.

The Bulldogs were hurt by getting

their quarterback injured early in the game.

Jason Ditmore led the Panthers on the ground with 128 yards on 12 carries. Hirst had 46 on 11 keepers. Matt Jones had a good night with 41 yards on 10 tries. Cory Pack had 22 yards on 4 trips. Kris Scitern had 15 on 3 carries.

Abila led Ranger with 39 yards on 12 tries.

This week the Panthers travel to Hico to take on the Tigers. This is

always a real good battle and its expected to be no different this season as the two clubs are always ready for each other. The Tigers lost to a good Rising Star club last Friday night, so they will be trying to get back in the winning bracket this week.

Let's all follow the Big Red to Hico Friday night at 8 p. m. and back them to victory.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!

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## Petition Presented To City Council In Support Of Police

A regular meeting of the City Commission was held at the Senior Citizen on Sept. 20 at 6 p. m. Many businessmen and citizens were present.

Gene Foster presented a petition with 263 names in support of our police and 24 hour protection. The mayor accepted the petition and stated his desire to serve the City and also expressed his concern for the present City finances. All citi-

zens were given the opportunity to ask questions and to voice their opinions.

Water deposits were raised to \$125 for businesses, \$75 for residences, and reconnect fees were raised to \$25. Further rate increases will be discussed in future meetings. BFI will increase its rate by 6 percent on October first.

The next meeting will be held on October 4th.

## Spirit Contest

The Panther Athletic Booster Club is sponsoring a Spirit Contest for the High School Students only, grades 9 thru 12.

The contest consists of window painting in downtown Gorman to show which grade has the most panther spirit.

The deadline for painting is Friday, October 5 at 5:00 p.m. The Booster Club members will choose the winners. The winner will be announced at the Homecoming Pep Rally.

The First Place winner will receive \$15.00 to be given to the whole class. Second Place will receive \$10.00.

The Prize money will be paid by the Athletic Booster Club.

## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks for your love and concern for Hupp during his illness. We do appreciate the many telephone calls, cards and visits and especially for the prayers for him. Knowing you have those who care, make things easier to bear.

God Bless You,  
Hupp and Lottis Morris

## Panther Spirit Club's Coach of The Week

The Panther Athletic Booster Club's Coach of the Week for September 27th game between Gorman and Hico. The Coach for this week is Johnny Scitern.

## Gorman ISD Tax Rate Set At .97683

The Gorman Independent School District Board of Trustees met in regular session on September 10th and set the new tax rate for the school year 1990-91 at .97683.

Local maintenance rate was set at .79973 and the Interest and Sinking Fund rate is now .17710.

/s/ C. E. Jarrett



Burl Luiz - Post Commander from the American Legion Post 471 of De Leon is shown presenting Gorman Fire Department Fire Chief - Gene Foster a check for \$200.00.

The American Legion donated almost \$11,000 in 1989. They donate proceeds from Bingo, Chili Cookoffs, Peach and Melon Festival, Flea Market and other activities.

They donate to three fire departments, Home Delivery Meals, Crime Stoppers, Boy Scouts, Head Start Program, Needy Veterans and other worth while causes.

—J—  
The weatherman has sure helped us with some real nice brisk weather to help cool us down a bit, at least for a few days. It was supposed to warm back up a little, but the cooler weather has been real good. And the showers didn't hurt anything either and should help to mature the peanut crop.

—J—  
We want to hand out a big "Job Well Done" to Joy Rogers who had charge of the Peanut Festival Parade this year, and also to Karen Guthery who handled the pet parade, which folks always enjoy so much. There were a very large number of entries in the parades and folks were commenting on how good the parade was.

So, take a bow, Joy and Karen. You deserve it, because it took a lot of time and work to put things together for the event.

—J—  
In a note from our Carbon correspondent, Dorothy Jackson, this week she stated that she was sorry but she must give up the news gathering. With no school news, and a small amount of church news, it is hard to get much news. She stated that her son, who has resigned his church in Sweetwater, and has no other church as yet, has moved back home with her. With five other people underfoot, needless to say, she said she won't have much time to gather the news.

Dorothy stated that she will try to get you some big news items, like new babies, anniversaries, etc. when they happen, but she will not write her weekly column.

We will miss the Carbon News in the Progress but we understand what Dorothy is talking about. A lot of Gorman folks do not take the time and trouble to turn in their visitors, trips, etc. that should be turned in and it sure hurts the paper if we have no local news to report. So we urge all you folks out there to call or write your news in to the Progress so we can publish news of your visitors, etc.

If someone else over in Carbon will turn in the news, we will sure appreciate hearing from them.

After all, its the local and area news that makes the Progress enjoyable to our readers.

—J—  
In a note from Vance Laminack of Fort Worth, he stated that he missed another Peanut Festival, but he don't want to miss the Progress. He said he would try again next year to hand deliver his renewal check, and to keep up the good work.

—J—  
There were a good number of folks on hand at the City Commission meeting last week in the Senior Citizens Center to speak their piece. A petition was presented to the City Council with 263 names on it in support of 24 hour police protection for Gorman. The council will take this into consideration when they set up the budget. Other things were discussed, such as finances for the cost of city services, etc. All in all it was a very productive meeting.

We think most folks understand that it is taling more money nowadays to pay for the services that we enjoy from the city, and if the funds fall short, taxes will have to be raised to make up the difference, or else we will have to move backwards. And that we do not want to do.

I think some changes can be made in the tax situation to help a great deal and maybe some of the deficit can be taken care of so we can continue to enjoy the services that we have here in Gorman. As we all know - it takes more these days to just keep even with things.

So lets keep this in mind if and when the city commission has to raise more funds to operate our city.

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the Panthers came back to their winning ways on Friday night and defeated the Bulldogs 43 to 9 for the victory. They really showed an enormous amount of improvement from their play against Cisco the previous week. Also the Cisco team



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### Services Held Saturday For Jackie Couger

Jackie Taylor Couger, 28, passed away on Thursday in the Eastland Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday at Cisco Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jim Manning officiating. Burial was in the Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Couger was a lifelong resident of Cisco and was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, Brian Couger of Cisco; three sons, Michael and David Petree, and Matthew Couger, all of Cisco; a daughter, Jazzminde Reeves of Cisco; her mother, Gladys Taylor of Cisco; four brothers, Jerry Taylor of Lutz, Fla., Charles of Fort Worth, Ronnie of Gorman and Cheyenne of Cisco; and two sisters, Darlene Patton and Mary Hollingshead, both of Cisco.

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### Wheels for Life Bike-A-Thon Slated Here For October 6

Vicki Campbell today called on all Gorman residents to join the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital's Wheels For Life Bike-A-Thon slated for October 6th at the Gorman Elementary School.

Volunteer workers and riders are needed for this Bike-A-Thon to raise

### Ila Burfiend Laid To Rest Thursday

Ila M. Burfiend, 82, of Eastland, passed away Wednesday, Sept. 19 in an Eastland nursing home.

Graveside rites were held at 10 a. m. Thursday at Eastland Cemetery with Durwood Webb officiating, directed by Bakker Funeral Home.

Mrs. Burfiend was born in Hylton, where she grew up. She had been a longtime resident of Carbon and Gorman before moving to Eastland in 1978.

She was a homemaker, a member of the Church of Christ and the widow of Fred Burfiend.

Survivors include a stepson, Fred Burfiend, Jr. of Kerrville; a brother, Iland N. Porter of Sweetwater; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

—GP—

### La Gina Fairbetter's Art on Display This Month in Abilene

La Gina Fairbetter's recent works of art are on display this month at the Center for Contemporary Arts in Abilene. Her colorful paintings reflect a new interest, she says, in capturing events that are timeless.

One diptych shows her two sisters spreading a quilt, the sunlight catching the colors of the brilliant patches.

"So many things in our lives are changing, will never be done in the same way again. I want to paint activities that will never change."

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funds for the world-famous research center in its battle against childhood cancer and other catastrophic childhood diseases. "We're looking for riders and helpers who will contribute their time and talent to help children live. We really need lots of riders, since they are the ones who can make this Bike-A-Thon successful," Campbell said.

In the Wheels For Life Bike-A-Thon, riders ask sponsors to make a donation based on each mile completed. All riders turning in money will receive a certificate. Those who

raise \$30 will get a certificate and a special St. Jude T-shirt. When \$75 is raised, the rider receives a barrel tote bag as well as the certificate and T-shirt.

"The real prize, though, is the pride everyone can take in giving children a chance to live a normal life," Campbell said.

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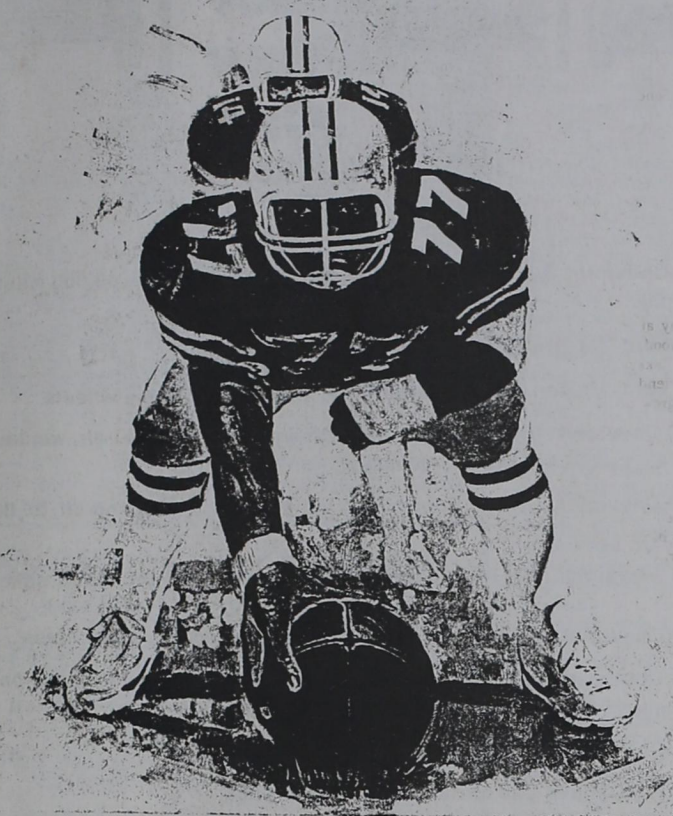
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## PANTHER SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 7	Gorman 35 - Perrin 12		
Sept. 14	Cisco 32 - Gorman 14		
Sept. 21	Gorman 43 - Ranger 9		
Sept. 28	Hico	Hico	8:00
Oct. 6	Santa Anna (Homecoming)	Gorman	8:00
Oct. 12	* Tolar	Gorman	7:30
Oct. 19	* Cross Plains	Cross Plains	7:30
Oct. 26	* Rising Star	Gorman	7:30
Nov. 2	* Santo	Santo	7:30
Nov. 9	* Baird	Gorman	7:30

\* DENOTES DISTRICT GAMES

## JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 20	Ranger 7th Grade	Ranger	6:30
Sept. 27	Hico 7th Grade	Gorman	6:30
Oct. 4	Santa Anna	Santa Anna	6:30
Oct. 11	* Tolar	Tolar	6:30
Oct. 18	* Cross Plains	Gorman	6:30
Oct. 25	* Rising Star	Rising Star	6:30
Nov. 1	* Santo	Gorman	6:30
Nov. 8	* Baird	Baird	6:30

## PANTHER ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POSITION	WEIGHT	CLASS
10	RAJEE PATEL	RB/DB	130	SOPH.
20	CORY PACK	TE/DB	155	JR.
21	STEPHEN SCITERN	RB/DB	165	SR.
22	KEVIN HIRST	QB/DB	192	SR.
24	MARIO RODRIQUEZ	RB/LB	135	FR.
30	JADE WARREN	RB/DB	160	SOPH.
31	FLAVIO HERRERA	RB/DB	135	SOPH.
32	JASON DITMORE	RB/LB	170	JR.
34	KRIS SCITERN	RB/DB	135	SOPH.
42	MATT JONES	RB/LB	180	SR.
44	JEREMY DITMORE	QB/DB	150	SR.
50	JUSTIN UNDERWOOD	C/T	170	SR.
51	MICHAEL HAMPTON	C/LB	140	SR.
55	VERL ERVIN	G/LB	135	SOPH.
61	KENNETH RAINEY	G/DE	170	SOPH.
66	CHRISTIAN CLARK	G/DE	140	SOPH.
70	NOAH LANDA	T/T	170	FR.
71	DON STACY	T/T	262	JR.
72	JONRAY CHILDERS	T/T	200	SOPH.
74	ROBERT DARLEY	T/T	225	JR.
76	DUSTIN ROGERS	T/DE	185	SR.
80	CHAGO LANDA	SE/DB	135	SR.
81	JAMES CARROLL	SE/DB	165	JR.
82	SHANE CARAWAY	TE/DB	145	FR.
84	MARTY McCORMICK	TE/DB	135	JR.
88	CHRIS LAMINACK	G/DB	140	SOPH.

**MANAGERS:** Robert Cox, Benji Cox, Tony Forbus  
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**ASSISTANT COACHES:** Dudley McCarty, Doug Shanafelt, Eddie Pettit  
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 Thursday - French toast, juice and milk.

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 Tuesday - Fajitas, salad, salsa, peach cobbler, Spanish rice and milk.  
 Wednesday - Hamburger steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot Rolls, gravy, cake and milk.

Thursday - Pizza, salad, corn, applesauce and milk.

Friday - BBQ buns, pork-n-beans, french fries, onions, relish, ice cream and milk.

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## CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

On Thursday, Sept. 27 at 2 p. m. Canterbury Villa will honor residents having September birthdays with a party.

Our oldest resident, Bertie Self, turned 101 years old this month. Other resident shaving September birthdays are Ollie Eaves, Homer Wood, Eulon Perry, Judy Beth Phillips, Mattie Tarver, Buddy McClearen, and Ava Mason.

Family and friends are welcome to come share the fun. We have music and refreshments.

On Saturday 50 residents watched the Gorman Peanut Festival Parade as it came by. It was such a pleasure for these clever people to get to see the gala affair and the home appreciates all the efforts put out to make it enjoyable for Canterbury Villa residents and staff.

On Sunday morning Rev. Ron Carroll brought the Sunday school lesson.

We are happy to report Bertie Self is feeling much better. Her daughter, Jean Burns of Fort Worth, came to help care for her. Other guests were Lanita Freeman of Arlington, Frances Overstreet of Abernathy, Joe Barnett of Eastland, Amanda Wilcoxson of Desdemona, Modest Self, Zina Simpson, Nancy Hendricks, Jay and Mary McDaniels and

Elmer and Donnie Mathieson of Carbon, Oma Dee Garrett, Juanita Files, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Bud and Dee Smithey, Bro. Curtis and Neta Maness, Scytha Alldredge, Vera Rodgers, and Cecil and Christine Self.

Those coming for the First United Methodist Church service on Sunday were Rev. James and Lavelle Haynes Ruth Higginbottom, Oma Dee Garrett, Gene Snelson, Velma Bennett and guest, Bro. Joe O'Neal.

Ruby Vandergriff visited her niece Virginia Pack in Stephenville. Also Mildred Sitton and Jean Fisher of Oklahoma City, Margaret Richardson of Wichita Falls. They really had a great time.

Faye Brewer visited Ruby Vandergriff.  
 At 4 p. m. on Sunday those coming from the Church of Christ were Bro. Curtis and Neta Maness, Bro. T. A. Grice, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Floydene Gilbert, Lorene Foster, Nettie Denton, Bud and Dee Smithey Zina Simpson, Juanita Files, Cecil Self, Tracey and Janda Taylor, and Scytha Alldredge.

Those visiting Varona Taylor were Floydene Gilbert, Bro. Curtis and Neta Maness, Juanita Files, Zina Simpson, Billy, Janda, Steve and Tracey Taylor, Bonnie Cox and Pauline Allen.

On Monday morning Betty Sanders had arts and crafts for 8 residents.

Those visiting Cleo Clement and Mae Quinn were Ima Lee Bureson of Desdemona, Bernice Farley of Rock Bluff, Eunice Love of Ranger, Verna and Archie Skaggs, Scytha Alldredge, Wayne and Betty Quinn of Saginaw, Mayvis Lasater and Velma Bennett.

We sure enjoyed having Betty Henderson lead the singing for Dewey Bailey and Raymond Hart.

Visiting Lorene Duggan, Wanda Shoemaker, Jean Tucker, Frances Overstreet, Tommy Overstreet, Dickey Overstreet, Wayne and Mary Vincent, Dee and Bud Smithey, Ed and Mike Duggan, Scytha Alldredge and Murlice Rodgers.

Those visiting Dorothy Beaty and Gertie Leeper were James Lynn Torrez of the USAF, Derrel Dickey of Mesquite, Woodrow Powers of Austin, Sylvia Bridgewater, Lonnie and Grace Turner of Waco, Melcie and Vadie Collins of San Angelo, Lois and Don Cate of Moran, Kerry and Donna Tedford of Fort Worth and Nellie Luckey.

We are happy Gertie Leeper has returned from a Fort Worth hospital.

On Monday Irene West and Nancy Hendricks came to help with bingo. Winners were Dorothy Beaty, Mae Quinn, Gertie Leeper, Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison, S. D. Gilmore Emma Shugart, Ida Lewis, Jess Hallmark, Ruby Vandergriff and Iola Johnson.

Mrs. Marvin Jones of Dublin visited Eulon Perry.

We are happy to report Ollie Eaves and Lonzo Coffman are home from the De Leon Hospital.

Those visiting Minnie Dupuy were Darrell Dickey of Mesquite, Woodrow Powers of Austin, Sylvia Bridgewater and Odell Dupuy.

On Tuesday morning Betty Sanders helped us with painting. Cleo played the piano for Archie Skaggs.

Visiting Jess Hallmark were Gary Hallmark and two friends of Brownwood, Russell and Wilma Cordell and Irene Hallmark.

On Tuesday we had a real good singing. Those coming were Joyce Gilbert of Houston, Billie Stacy of Carbon, Ima Lee Bureson of Desdemona, Willo Rice, Archie Skaggs, Joe O'Neal, Melba Frasier, Oma Dee Garrett, Nancy Hendricks, Velma Bennett, Berneice Rodgers, Betty Sanders and Ava Rodgers.

On Wednesday Willo Rice gave the devotional.

Visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Carol Ervin, Ruth Higginbottom, Joe O'Neal, Joy Rogers, Lavoyle Hirst.

Visiting Ora Mae Atchison were Chessley and Barbara Atchison and Ima Lee Bureson.

We appreciate Ray Sanders popping pop corn for bingo on Wednesday, Gladys Chambless and Nancy Hendricks helped us. Winners were Jess Hallmark, Iola Johnson, Mae Quinn, Veno Hale, Emma Shugart, S. D. Gilmore, Ida Lewis, Cynthia Earles, Gertie Leeper and Ruby Vandergriff.

Those visiting Jack and Inez Rogers were Lennis Rogers, Buddy Rogers, Della Galloway and Eunice Love of Ranger, Kay Hodges of De Leon, Waldene Jones of Dublin, Ima Lee Bureson of Desdemona, Joy and Fred Rogers, Eugene Norris and Nettie Denton, and Mr. and Mrs. Messingee of Ranger.

Rev. C. M. Avery of First United Pentecostal Church brought the devotional on Thursday for 20 residents.

Bertie Poynoy's guests were Lovena K. Fonville, Doyle Poynor, Ruby Lee, James and Olga Kinser, Ima Lee Bureson and Anna Rush.

We were happy to have the Friday morning musicak by Gabe Wright, Raymond Hart and Bernard Keith. Guests were Mrs. Keith, Alpha Mae Andry, Rose Coffman and her daughter, Modell.

Visiting Clara Rich were Jewel Whitley, Delores Rich, Rhoda Burney, Rev. Joe O'Neal, Wilda Hart, Julia Killebrew and sons of Louisiana, Louise Rich, Debbie Torrez, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Couch of San Angelo.

Anna Rush and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. We appreciate the prizes Anna Rush, Ann Maxfield and Nancy Hendricks and Bonnie Croft gave us. Winners were Iola Johnson, Garnet Adams, Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison, S. D. Gilmore, Ruby Vandergriff, Ida Lewis, Jess Hallmark, Mae Quinn, Veno Hale, Dorothy Beaty and Gertie Leeper.



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1989 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Sportside - V8, 5 speed, cruise and tilt, 26,000 miles.

1981 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Silverado SWB - new paint job, good school truck.

1982 Chevrolet Good Times Van - 72,000 actual miles, super clean.

1989 Chevrolet S10 Extended Cab 4x4 - V6 engine, auto. trans., only 21,000 miles.

1976 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Pickup - good work truck.

1985 Ford Super Cab Lariat - good, clean truck.

1983 Ford Ranger Pickup - good economical truck.

1985 Chevrolet 3/4 Ton 4x4 Scottsdale - 350 V8, auto. trans.

1982 Ford Good Times Van - very clean.

1982 Jeep - good hunting vehicle.

1983 Ford 3/4 Ton 4x4 - A/C, auto. trans., good work truck.

1985 Ford 3/4 Ton 4x4 - A/C, 4 speed.

1988 Ford F350 Super Cab Dually XLT Lariat - captain chairs, 460 V8, 5 speed, work horse.

1988 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton SWBase Silverado - fully loaded, only 8,800 miles.

1989 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Silverado Extended Cab - SWB, 350, like new, fully loaded, only 17,000 miles.

1984 Olds. Delta 88 - 2 door, fully loaded.

1979 Ford LTD - 4 door, very clean, good work car.

1988 Chevrolet Beretta GT - V6 engine, cruise and tilt, cassette.

1985 Olds. Toronado - fully loaded, very clean.

**CARS**

1986 Olds. Delta 88 - 2 door, only 37,000 miles.

1988 Buick Regal Limited - 2 door, only 34,000 miles, cruise and tilt.

1987 Chevrolet Monte Carlo - V8 engine, cruise, tilt, only 46,000 miles.

1989 Pontiac Grand Am - 2 door, cruise, tilt, cassette, only 21,000 miles.

1984 Cadillac Seville - fully loaded, all the extras

1983 Cadillac Fleetwood - 4 door, fully loaded.

1984 Pontiac Parisienne - 4 door, fully loaded, 62,000 miles.

1987 Olds. 98 Regency Brougham - fully loaded, only 44,000 miles, extra clean.

1987 Chevrolet Caprice Classic Brougham - fully loaded, extra clean, 51,000 miles.

1987 Olds. 88 Brougham - 4 door, fully loaded, extra clean, 58,000 miles.

1986 Olds. 88 Brougham - 4 door, fully loaded, only 38,000 miles.

1984 Chevrolet Caprice - 4 door, V8 engine, 79,000 miles, cruise, tilt.

1987 Chrysler LeBaron GTS - 4 door, good school car.

1989 Chevrolet Beretta - V6 engine, fully loaded, only 6,600 miles.

1986 Chevrolet Caprice Classic - 4 door, V8, fully loaded, only 53,000 miles.

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**Brumbelow and Conger Wed by Candlelight**

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gown of ivory matt taffeta. The princess line bodice and sweetheart cut underdress was fashioned with ballgown sleeves of shirred fabric forming soft drapes caught with jeweled loops. The bodice of the gown was appliqued with embellished Venise lace rising above the skirt with appliques of matching jeweled lace and attached to a dropped waistline. The cathedral length train flowed from a series of tufted bustles caught with bows and jeweled appliques. The triple finger-length veil of ivory illusion was held by a garland of orange blossoms and pearls.

The bride carried a European styled bouquet of phalaenopsis orchids, white roses, fressia, stephonotis and spray pearls. Following the wedding tradition for something old, the bride wore her grandmother Currie's pearls; her gown was new; she borrowed pearl earrings from a friend, Jenny Payne of Allen; a Chrintening bonnet embroidered with tiny blue flowers was tucked into her bouquet was given to the bride by the groom served as something blue. The bride's father placed into her shoe two pennies minted in the birth years of the bride and groom.

During the ceremony "After All" was played as the bride and groom lit the personalized unity candle signifying their union and in celebration of their families.

A reception attended by family and friends and hosted by the Brumbelows in honor of the bride and groom was held in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the ceremony. The guests were received by the bride and groom and their parents.

The bride's table was skirted with white linen and covered by an antique table cloth of lace applied on net made by the bride's great-grandmother. A large arrangement of fresh flowers centered the table. The bride's cake was five-tiered octagon shaped ivory confection adorned with white roses and orchids.

The groom's table was skirted in white linen and covered with an antique applique cloth of white. Silver appointments were used for serving and the bride's bouquet was displayed in a silver footed bowl on the groom's table which held an octagon shaped chocolate cake surrounded by a ring of fern and baby's breath.

Members of the houseparty were Jeri Lynn McGinnis of De Leon, Terri Caraway Weir and Christi Taylor Chambers of Stephenville, Jennifer Payne of Allen and the bride's cousin, Connie Braudt Higgins of Amarillo. They wore corsages of white roses.

The bride and groom departed for their honeymoon to San Antonio through showers of potpourri and

**Kokomo EH Club Elect New Officers**

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club met in the beautiful home of Anna Laura Clearman on Monday, Sept. 10 at 2 p. m. for the first meeting after summer vacation.

President Naoma Morrow presided with Ava Rodgers leading the club exercises.

Anna Laura Clearman gave the devotional from "Angelo, Angels" from a Billy Graham book.

Roll Call was answered by "My First Day at School".

Johnny B. Griffith voiced the prayer.

Mary Frances Bishop gave the Council report. Plans were made to sell the Extension County Club Books at the Gorman Peanut Festival on Saturday, Sept. 15 from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. A booth would be purchased and club members was to work at given hours. The books are \$5.

Club officers were elected for the coming year as follows:

- President - Naoma Morrow
- Vice President - Ava Rodgers
- Secy.-Reporter - Nancy Hendricks
- Treasurer - Norma Webb
- Council Delegate - Mary Frances Bishop
- Program Chrm. - Johnny B. Griffith
- 4-H Leader - Wynelle Brown
- Phone Chrm. - Berneice Rodgers
- Membership Chairman - Jeanette Bureson
- Parliamentarian - Rosa Aguilar
- Rec. Leader - Velma Bennett

County Extension Agent Janet Thomas gave a very interesting program, "Understanding Depression".

The club will help with the Eastland County Bazaar to be held Oct. 5th and 6th at the auto building in Eastland on Southwest corner of the square. Kokomo will take baked goods and work Friday, October 5 from 1 to 3 p. m.

Mrs. Clearman served delicious refreshments of cheese, crackers, salad plate, chocolate cake, ice

bird seeds thrown by awaiting family and friends bidding them a fond farewell.

The bride is a graduate of Stephenville High School and is pursuing a degree at Tarleton State University. The groom is a graduate of Dublin High School and is also attending Tarleton State University. The couple will make their home in Stephenville.

On the eve of the wedding, the Congers hosted a poolside party and barbeque at their home in Dublin for the bride's family and members of the wedding party.

The bride's grandmother, Marilyn Currie, hosted a bridesmaid luncheon at the Oxford House in Stephenville. Friends in Stephenville and Dublin hosted a display shower on August 5th and a lingerie shower was held in the home of Cynthia Lozano.



**SINGING IN THE 50'S** -- Pictured above is an outstanding popular quartet of the area in the 50's. (l to r) Verna Watson, Florence Richardson, Erin Miers and Archie Skaggs. Juanita Fuller is at the piano.

**DESDEMONA NEWS**

VONNIE GUTHERY - PHONE 758-2665

**ROBERT LEWIS CELEBRATES NINTH BIRTHDAY**

Robert Lewis recently celebrated his ninth birthday with a Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle party.

Helping Robert celebrate his special day were Levi and Kendra Roberts; Bradley Gilmore; Tracy Kennedy; Shawn McCauley; Pam Osborne; Justin, Belinda and Sandra Snider; Bill, Lathy, William, Brandon and Elizabeth Hagood; Howard and Pat Hagood, all of Gorman; Bob Hagood of Brownwood; Alan, Ruthie and Emily Quam of Granbury; Skinnie and Eloise Lewis, Karen and Jim Burleson, Cjris Fox, his parents, Philip and Donna Lewis, and sister, Sarah, all of Desdemona.

Butch and Clint Carter of Stephenville visited Sunday at the First Baptist Church with their great-grandmother, Evah Sparkman.

Vicki Lewis and Zane of Abilene visited the weekend with her parents, Skinnie and Eloise Lewis, and all attended church at First Baptist.

Carr-Melton family reunion will be

**Senior Citizens News**

Mozelle Rhymas

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sherrod and daughter, Dixie of Keller, spent the weekend with her mother, E. J. Whitlock.

Peggy Cauerly of Virginia Beach, Va. visited her aunt, Mozelle Rhymes, Sunday through Tuesday. They visited Mrs. Ruby Wyatt in Sipe Springs on Monday. Peggy also visited Faye Brewer, who was her first grade teacher in the Sipe Springs School.

cream and soft drinks to seven members and guest, Janet Thomas. Reporter - Nancy Hendricks.

held Saturday, October 6th at the Desdemona Community Center. Bring sandwiches and desserts. All family members and friends are invited. Plan to stay after lunch "good family singing".

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Jack Powers, who was buried last Saturday in Vidor. Jack graduated from Desdemona High in 1941. His parents are the late Wylie and Willie Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Pampa are visiting their son, Bobby and Joan Baker. They visited First Baptist Church last Sunday.

Dorothy Roberts visited the weekend in Fort Worth with her daughter, Ulenda and Kevin Weaver and family. Also in Dallas with her son, Jeff Roberts.

Holly Creed celebrated her 18th birthday on Wednesday, September 19th. A family birthday supper was hosted by her mother, Karen Eaves. Other attending were Rachel Armstrong of De Leon; Wayne Eaves; Angela Creed; Sonja and Kandice Martin, and grandparents, Pug and Vonnie Guthery, all of Desdemona.

Raymond and Estelle Lindley, Winford and Elnora Lindley, all of Desdemona, and Ann (Lindley) Miers of De Leon, recently attended a Lindley family reunion in Alabama.

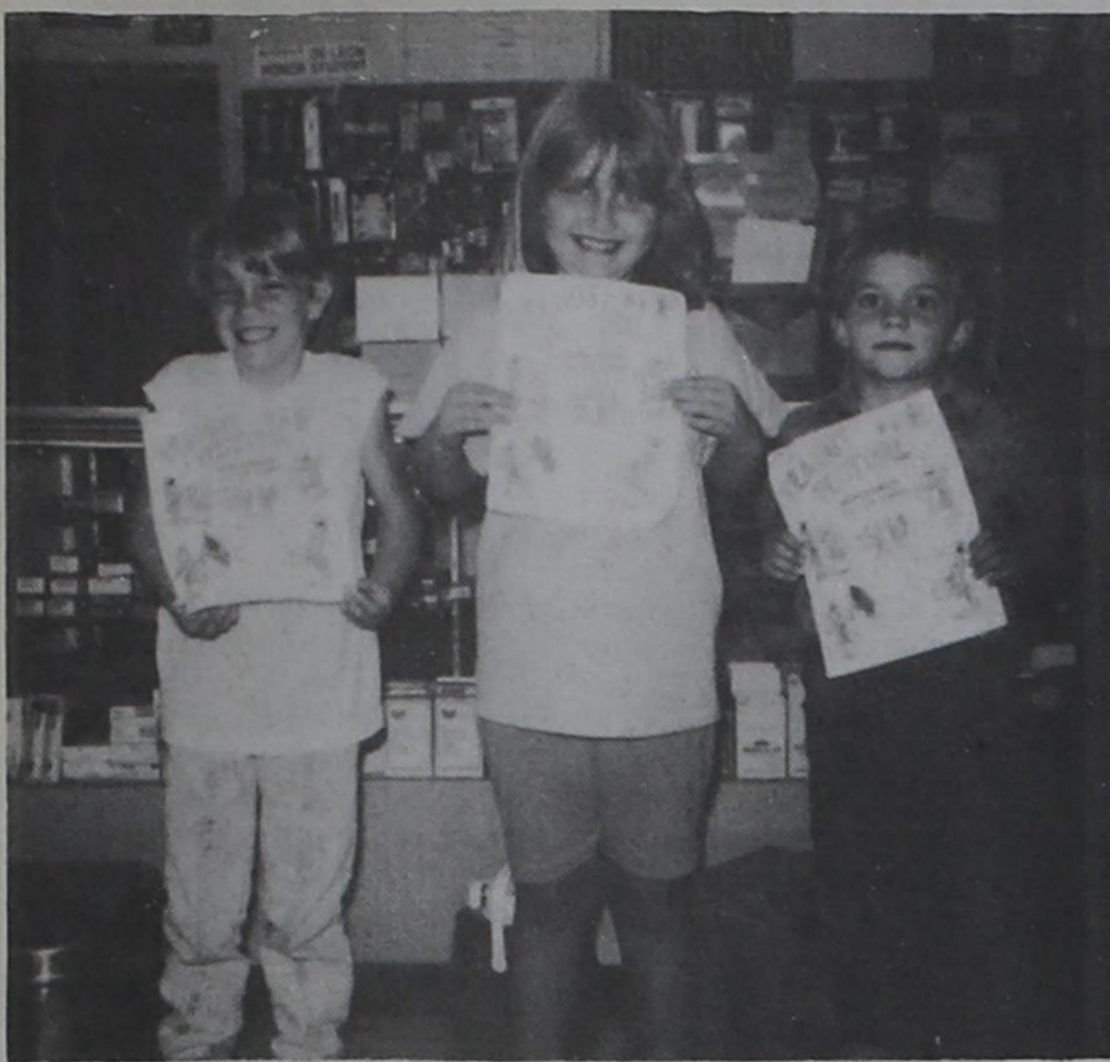
If you have "news" for this column please contact Vonnie Guthery at 758-2665.

Take time out to send cards and notes to the sick and shut-ins in our area. They will enjoy them.

John Cook was buried last week. He was a former resident of Desdemona. We extend sympathy to the families.

Melinda and Selina Buckley were in Collinsville over the weekend to attend a cowboy wedding of her friend.

James Buckley of Newcastle spent Monday night with his brother, Jerry and Pat Buckley.



**COLORING CONTESTS WINNERS** -- (l to r) Mandy Warren - 1st Place - daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Warren; Kim Grant - 2nd Place - daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Montgomery and Christopher Cox - 3rd Place - son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox. Mrs. Smith 1st Grade Class Coloring Contest for Peanut Festival.

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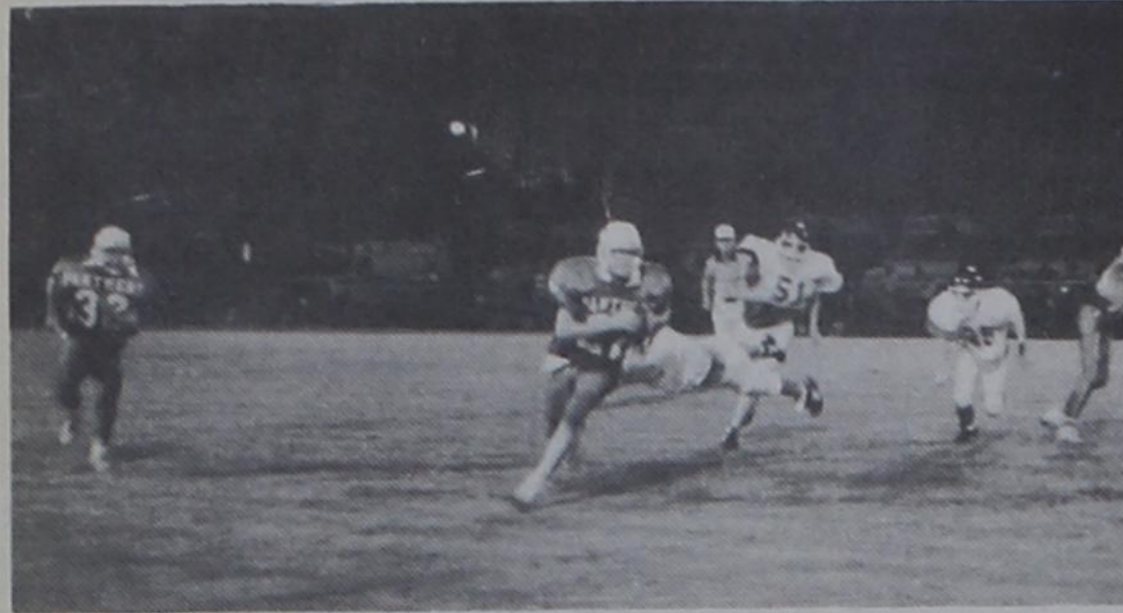
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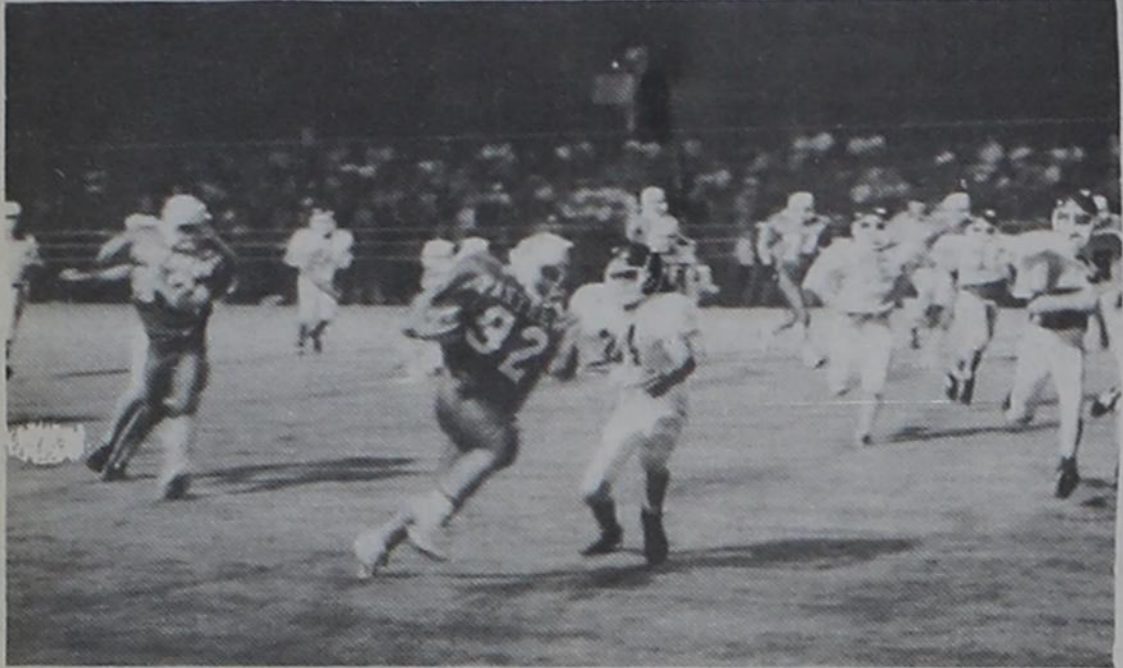
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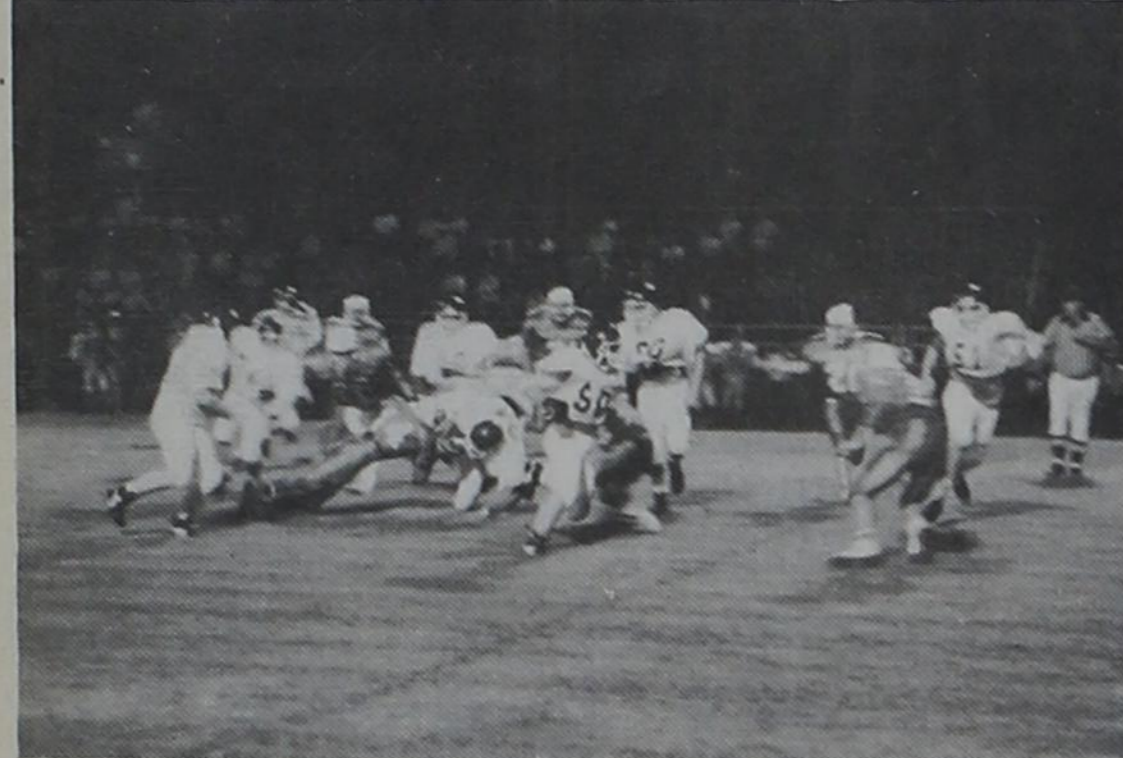
## Football Game Action



**HIRST ON THE MOVE** - Kevin Hirst is shown escaping a Bulldog tackle during game action Friday night. Kevin had help from blocking by Stephen Scitern and the fine offensive line.



**JASON GOING IN FOR SIX** - Jason Ditmore is shown scampering around down the sideline for six points in game action Friday night.



**PANTHER DEFENSE HOLDS BULLDOGS** - The Panther Defensive Unit held the Ranger Bulldogs to only 9 points in game action Friday. Above show is Jeremy Ditmore putting the finishing touches to a Bulldog running play. Others shown are Cory Pack, Don Stacy and Matt Jones.

## PEANUT PRICE SUPPORT LOANS AVAILABLE

Jerry Harris, Chairman of the Texas State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, said all eligible producers may obtain loans on their 1990-crop peanuts.

"Price support loans will be available for warehouse-stored peanuts, and farm-stored additional peanuts, from harvest time through January 31, 1991," Harris said. Loans on farm-stored quota peanuts will be available through March 31, 1991, he said.

The national support price for 1990-crop peanuts is \$631.47 per ton for average quality peanuts and \$149.75 per ton for average quality

additional peanuts.

"Generally, quota peanuts are those peanuts within the farm's poundage quota that are mandated for domestic edible use, or retained for use on the farm," Harris said additional peanuts are peanuts that are placed under loan at the price support rate for additional peanuts, or are marketed through an approved contract for exporting or crushing. "Generally, additional peanuts are peanuts that are produced in excess of a farm's poundage quota," the ASCS official explained.

U. S. peanut production for 1990 was forecast in August at 2.1 million tons, 4.7 percent more than last year. USDA estimates the harvested area at 1.71 million acres, 3.7 percent more than last year and the largest acreage for harvest since 1951.

## Gramm Announces Funding

WASHINGTON — U. S. Senator Phil Gramm has announced the award of \$32.1 million in Comprehensive Improvements Assistance Program grants from the U. S. Department of House and Urban Development.

The funding will be distributed to a large number of cities including area cities of Breckenridge, \$345,069; Brownwood, \$181,800; De Leon, \$783,100; Dublin, \$1,186,425; and Rising Star, \$165,661.

CIAP is a program of the U. S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development. The contract obligates the federal government, through annual contributions, to pay the principal and interest on project notes sold by the local housing authorities over a period of 20 years.

"I am pleased that, once again, we have been able to return some of the money Texans have paid in federal taxes to directly benefit Texans," Gramm said.

## PETTY OFFICER CLAY C. HOWARD SERVING ON USS BIDDLE IN MIDDLE EAST

September 17 (FHTNC) — Navy Petty Officer Third Class Clay C. Howard, son of Mary E. and Wesley A. Howard, Jr. of Eastland, is currently deployed to the Middle East in support of Operation Desert Shield while serving aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Biddle, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

Operation Desert Shield is the largest deployment of U. S. military forces since Vietnam. The operation is in response to Iraq's invasion of Kuwait and threat to Saudi Arabia.

Howard joined the Navy in February, 1990.

## Class of 1940 Reunion Enjoyed

The Class of 1940 of Gorman High School had their 50 year reunion Saturday, Sept. 15 at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. They rode as a group in the Peanut Festival Parade. There were 21 students and their spouses and Coach Chas. Hicks and wife present.

Lunch was catered by Mr. and Mrs. John Mears of De Leon. Coach Hicks was here from 1937 thru 1941.

Entertainment was by Brent Foster. Also everyone told what they had been doing in the last fifty years. It was a great day enjoyed by all attending.

Those present were Coach Chas. and Jean Hicks and Joe Bob and Ruth Browning of Brownwood; B. G. and Fern Alsbrook of Dallas; Jim and Carrie Warren of Fort Worth;

## Senior Citizens Bazaar Slated For October 5 - 6

The annual Eastland County Senior Citizen's Bazaar will be Friday and Saturday, October 5-6. The Bazaar will be held in the "old" Western Auto Building (southwest corner of the square) in Eastland, states Janet Thomas, Eastland Co. Extension Agent.

The Bazaar began in 1967, and has been a big success each year. This year there has been a lot of interest, and a huge turnout is expected states Mrs. Thomas. All seniors are invited to participate one or both days. There will be ample room for everyone!

The Bazaar is once again sponsored by the Eastland County Extension Homemakers Clubs and the Eastland National Bank.

The Bazaar is open to all persons regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, etc.

## Alfred Grice On President's List At TSTI - Sweetwater

Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater has released its honor rolls for the recently completed summer term.

In order to qualify for the President's Honor Roll, students must have a grade point average of 4.0 for the term. For the Dean of Instruction's Honor Roll, students need to have a 3.5 or better GPA.

Alfred Grice of Gorman has been placed on the President's Honor Roll.

The only state-supported, residential technical college in Texas, TSTI offers both associate degrees and certificates in a number of cutting-edge technologies. The Sweetwater campus and its extensions in Abilene and Breckenridge offer 17 programs of study.

The college offers a wide variety of financial aid, as well as working with many sponsoring agencies. For more information, interested people can call toll-free 1-800-592-TSTI.



**PANTHER MASCOT AND LITTLE MASCOT** - Cari Daniels - Mascot is shown holding Andrea Files - Little Mascot during game action Friday night.

## KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN -- PHONE 639-2289

Wasn't the cool weather nice? And another good rain, too. But the forecast sounds as if we are in for some more warm weather for awhile. Guess that is what the peanuts need - warm weather so they can mature better.

It was really good to have Sarah Tuggle able to be in church services at Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Pat and Patsy Collins of Ranger and Leta Hogan of Gorman were there with her. Patsy and Leta and Leona Wilson blessed our hearts with special music with Wynelle Brown at the piano and Glynda Bond at the organ.

Norma Webb brought a mission emphasis on our State Mission offering. And the congregation sang "Happy Birthday" to Johnnie B. Griffith.

Ruth Bryant was a visitor on Sunday night.

Bro. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson attended the anniversary celebration of the Lakeview Baptist Church at San Angelo on Sunday, Sept. 15. Bro. Wilson is a former pastor of the church.

Billie Jeane Grisham of De Leon, Kathy and Shana Skaggs of De Leon, Ennis Joiner and David and Mark Glover of Gorman, Lucille Joiner and Joyce Bramlett of Stephenville, Beverly Gates of Humble, Donald Lee Joiner of Houston and Howard, Barbara and Julie Joiner of Arlington were visitors during the weekend

Earl and Mary Evelyn Baze of Sacramento, Calif.; Earl and Virginia Stone of Granbury; Dr. W. T. and Sara Jo Calhoun of Comanche; Jake Mears and Neill and Nadene Sutton of Austin; Bill and Ruby Jean Pittman of Corpus Christi; M. R. and Bertha Faye Henry of Ozona; Willadean Hennecke of Eastland and Mary Ruth Boothe of Ballinger.

Also Jack Crawley of Odessa; Vernon and Alve Mae Bennett of Crane; D. M. and Vada Collins of San Angelo; Chester and Elizabeth Henderson of Abilene; George and Nell Mason and Graydon and Velda Baze of Gorman.

Four of the class are dead: Vera Mae Craddock, Ruby Lee Williams; Albert Stevens; and John Barbee. Not attending were Bob Hicks, Anna Louise Spence; Billie Jo Hagood, Jessie Lee Dennis, and Eulon Perry.

We could not find Alex Phillips and Rena Gray.

with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Bill Joiner.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks visited in Clyde on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rou Buchanan and Yancy, and Kelly Buchanan of Fort Hood, who was home on a weekend leave.

Berneice Rodgers and Ava Rodgers attended the singing at the Carbon Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon. They also visited with Edward and Billie Stacy.

Sunday night, Sept. 30 is the date for the fifth Sunday singing. Members of the New Hope Baptist Church and the First Baptist Church of Gorman will join us in singing the wonderful gospel songs of praise. It will begin at 7 p. m. Visitors are welcome. Come to sing or just to listen.

## MRS. BERNEICE RODGERS ENJOYS TRIP TO HOUSTON

Those visiting with Berneice Rodgers on Labor Day weekend were Neal, Joyce and Glenn Gilbert of Houston, Bob, Kathy, Kevin, Jason and Corby Rodgers of Brownwood, and John and LaTonne Rodgers of Carbon.

Mrs. Rodgers went home with the Gilberts on Labor Day and enjoyed a two weeks visit. While in Houston she also visited a cousin, Callie Burt and her son and daughter and grandchildren.

One day while Berneice and Joyce were in a Wal-Mart Store they saw Oma Dee Garrett of Gorman and her daughter, Sue Nicholas of Houston, and they all had lunch together and an enjoyable time visiting.

Berneice had a wonderful time visiting with Joyce, Neal and Glenn in their beautiful new home. Their son and daughter-in-law, Steve and Kim Gilbert of San Antonio visited with them on the weekend of Sept. 8-9. Steve and Kim have just returned from a vacation trip to Europe and he is beginning his law career with the Fullbright and Jarwosky Law Firm in San Antonio. He is a graduate of Vanderbilt Law School.

Joyce brought Berneice home on Monday, Sept. 17 and they stopped in Gatesville for a visit with two aunts, Mrs. Fannie Huckabee and Mrs. Annie Timmons in the Hill Top Manor, and also had lunch with cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Timmons. Mrs. Huckabee and Mrs. Annie Timmons are sisters of Berneice's mother, the late Mrs. Mary Timmons.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Bill Hagood, W.M., 734-2724 - Howard Hagood, Sec. 734-2977.

### NEED HELP???

We would like to invite your to join our OPEN NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meetings. Meetings will be held at the old Fire Hall in Gorman at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday nights.

Gorman PTO is accepting Donations for the Louise Rankin Memorial Library. If you would like to make a Donation in Memory of or In Honor of Someone, Please Call Janda Taylor at 734-2497 or 734-2617.

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services on 2nd - 3rd - 4th Sundays. Services begin at 10:30 a.m. Elder Barry Brown, Pastor - Everyone Welcome To Attend.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Ann Jay, Worthy Matron - 734-2733.

**NANCY TROUT WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT WILL BE OCTOBER 17TH.**

### ATTENTION PARENTS AND TEENAGERS!

Do you have questions about your life that you need God's answers to? And Soon? There's to be a Seminar held October 22-27. Interested? Call Joy Campbell for further information. 734-2121.

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church is holding a 3-DAY WEEKEND MEETING Friday - Saturday and Sunday. Services begin Friday night at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday at 10:30 - 2:00 and 7:30 p.m.; the Sunday meeting is set at 10:30 a.m.. Meals will be served.

THE GORMAN PTO voted in it's last meeting to collect Del Monte labels as well as Campbell's labels. The Del Monte labels swing campaign will run thru December. The P.T.O. would appreciate all the help you can give with this project. The labels will be used to purchase sports equipment, such as balls, ropes, etc.

Senior Class will be having a Homecoming Supper, Saturday, October 6th. Serving will begin before Gorman vs. Santa Anna game. The supper consists of Spaghetti, salad, garlic toast, vegetable, dessert and tea. Adults - \$4.50 and Children under 12 - \$2.50. The Supper will be held in the School Cafeteria. Make Plans Now To Attend.

### AMNESTY CLASSES SLATED

There will be Amnesty Class beginning October 2nd at the Gorman High School at 6:00 p.m.



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