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PANTHERS TO MEET BRYSON IN BI-DISTRICT FRIDAY

Panthers Defeat The Bears 21-7 For Perfect 5-0 District 14-A Season Record



1990 DISTRICT CHAMPS - (l to r front row) Dudley McCarty - Coach, Marty McCormick, Rajee Patel, Kris Scitern, Chago Landa, and Mario Rodriguez; (l to r second row) Doug Shanafelt - Coach; Jason Ditmore, Christian Clark, Robert Darley, Noah Landa, Jeremy Ditmore, Kenneth Rainey, Edditt Pettit - Coach; (l to r third row) Dustin Rogers, Kevin Hirst, Don Stacy, Jade Warren, Chris Laminack, Corey Pack, Larry Nabors - Head Coach; (l to r back row) Matt Jones, Stephen Scitern, James Carroll, Shane Caraway, Jonray Childers, and Justin Underwood.



1990 PANTHER CHEERLEADERS AND MASCOTS - (l to r) Kathy White, Cari Daniels - Mascot; Jana Norris, Annette Love, Andrea Files - Little Mascot; Jill Rainey and Mandy Wilcoxson.

GAME STATISTICS

Gorman	Baird
19	7
55-349	28-97
31	14
2 of 5	1 of 10
2	1
2	0
1 for 19	3 for 27
10 for 90	8 for 75

The Gorman Panthers went into this final regular season game with a season record of 7-2 and an unblemished 4-0 District 14A mark, but were in a position that they had to win this game to assure themselves of a play-off berth. And assure themselves they did, as they took control of the game from the start and with the exception of a kickoff return, and one late drive the Big Red Defense held the Bears at bay all night. They allowed only 3 first downs the first half and limited the Bears to only 4 first downs in the last half. The Panthers racked up a 13-0 halftime score and then scored 8 more points in the third quarter to ice a 21 to 7 win to advance to the Bi-District Playoff this Friday night against the Bryson Cowboys at Ram Stadium in Mineral Wells at 7:30 p. m.

The Panthers were a little shook up on their first possession, losing the ball on a fumble, but held the Bears and took over on their own 20 after the punt. On the first play Jason Ditmore took the handoff and scooted 33 yards behind some great blocks up front. The following a 5 yard gain, Jason ran for 13 more and a first down at the 30. On the next play a run got 2 yards, then Kevin Hirst raced for 28 yards on a keeper for the score with 6:26 left. The blocking up front was just great. Kevin kicked the point after and Gorman was out front 7-0.

The Panthers came back for another drive after an interception by Stephen Scitern at the Panther 28. They scored in 12 plays with Jason Ditmore getting the final 5 yards on a run with 10:30 left in the second. The drive featured a 22 yard pass to Stephen Scitern; a 15 yard scamper by Hirst and a 10 yard run by

Stephen Scitern. The kick for point failed and the score was 13-0 at the half. Then following the halftime activities at which both the Baird and Gorman Panthers Marching Bands put on a great show for the fans, the Panthers held the Bears on their first possession and got the ball at the Gorman 40. From there they went the distance in 12 plays with Kevin Hirst getting the final yard for the score with 2:53 left in the third. The drive featured runs of 8 and 7 yards for first downs by Stephen Scitern and a 7 yard run for a first by Matt Jones. A pass to Stephen Scitern added the two pointer and the score stood at 21 to 0.

Then the Panther bubble seemed to burst for a fleeting moment, as Jason Fox took the following kickoff on his own 15 and raced 85 yards for a score to put Baird back in the game with 2:43 left in the third. Russell Manion kicked the point after and the score stood at 21-7.

Then the Panthers were held on their next drive and had to punt for the first (and only) time in the game. The Bears then took the ball on their own 47 and moved to the Gorman 10 with the help of a Panther penalty. But the Bears were caught holding and got a 10 yard penalty, then had two incomplete passes, a 5 yard penalty, and then had an incomplete pass to kill the drive.

From there the Panthers took the ball and moved right down the field to the Baird 13 before losing the ball on an interception at the Baird 13.

Again the Big Red defense was called upon to hold the Bears and they did the job and took the ball

over on downs at the Baird 36. Gorman then ran out the clock for the victory, and the District Title for District 14A with a perfect 5-0 record.

The Big Red defense did a superb job against the Bears, allowing them only 97 yards rushing and only one completion out of 10 pass tries, while intercepting two passes (one by Stephen Scitern and one by Jade Warren). The defense was led by Justin Underwood, Dustin Rogers, Jade Warren, Kenneth Rainey, with the entire defense really playing great ball.

Jason Ditmore led the Panthers on the ground with 124 yards on 19 carries. Kevin Hirst had 121 on 13 keepers, but had one long run called back by a penalty. Stephen Scitern had 61 yards on 12 tries. Matt Jones got 52 yards on 10 trips. Cory Pack carried one time for 1 yard.

The win over Baird put the Panthers in the Bi-District Playoff against the Bryson Cowboys at Ram Stadium in Mineral Wells this Friday night at 7:30 p. m. The Cowboys advanced to the playoff spot with a convincing 22-0 win over Alford last week. They have a great offensive attack and have been really tough on defense. But so has the Big Red Defense been tough on the opposing teams, and we look for them to repeat their outstanding defensive performance at Mineral Wells on Friday night.

Gorman will be the visiting team this week. So lets follow them to the playoff game and support them all the way!

Go Get 'Em Big Red!

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Brett Ashley Named Chief of Police; Two Policemen Hired

Interim Chief of Police Brett Ashley was named Chief of Police of the City of Gorman by City Commissioners in a called meeting on Friday. He has served as interim chief since November first when Cecil Funderburgh resigned and accepted the chief of police position in Eastland.

The Commission also hired two new policemen: David Lowell Smothers and James Duane Herron of Eastland.

Herron, 29, is single and is a graduate of the Police Academy at Tarleton State University. He has served in the Sheriff's Department in Tom Green County at San Angelo and the Winters Police Department.

Smothers, 29, comes to Gorman from Pecos where he was employed by the Reeves County Sheriff's Department. He previously served as police officer and acting chief of police at Santa Anna. He is a graduate of the West Central Texas Law Enforcement Academy. He and his wife, Pam, have two children.

Both men come highly recommended and will move to Gorman within the next few days.

Reception Sunday Honors Cecil Funderburgh Family

The reception on Sunday afternoon honoring the Cecil Funderburgh family was well attended by friends. The new fire hall was filled to overflowing during the two hour come and go reception period, wishing them well in their new home and position.

The reception was hosted by the Volunteer Fire Department who presented Cecil with a plaque which read: "In appreciation, Cecil and Ann Funderburgh, from the Citizens of Gorman and surrounding area for the many deeds performed beyond the call of duty. We express our sincere thanks and appreciation. Presented November 11, 1990.

From your friends in the Gorman area."

This family will be greatly missed in Gorman and they have the best wishes of many citizens who wish them well in their new home in Eastland.

—GP—

FHA Open House Slated For Tonight

The Gorman Future Homemakers of America classes will hold open house Thursday, November 15th from 7 to 8:30 p. m. in the Homemaking Cottage.

There will be many Christmas craft displays. Some made by the classes of Future Homemakers of America and some by people of the area.

Everyone is invited to come and browse.

Terry Kent of Merkel visited during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kent. On his return home, he visited in Abilene with his uncle, Leroy Kent, who is in an Anilene hospital recuperating from surgery.

Desdemona Thanksgiving Supper Set Saturday

Desdemona's annual Thanksgiving Supper will be held Saturday, November 17th at the Community Center.

The community is justly proud to have this supper through the years, as it all began in 1946 when a supper was given for all the returning soldiers of World War II.

Everyone is invited, and all proceeds will go to help with repairs on the Community Center.

—GP—

Final Rites For Bertha W. Thomas Held Monday

Bertha W. Thomas, 85, passed away Thursday, November 8th in the De Leon Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Monday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Gerald Cox officiating, assisted by the Rev. Ron Carroll. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thomas was born in Uvalde, had lived in Gorman 54 years, was a homemaker, and a member of First Baptist Church. She was the widow of Buford G. Thomas.

Survivors include three daughters, Joy Lafern Grisham of Lake Hacasu City, Ariz., Mildred Roberts of Gorman and Gaynell Hicks of Covina Calif.; two brothers, Willie Wolfenbarger of Gorman and Doyle Wolfenbarger of Sundown; two sisters, Velma Clement of Cisco and Dale Cogburn of De Leon; nine grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

WITH FRIENDS

Tommye Haile and Erin Klappenbach returned last week from Little Rock where they attended the wedding and reception of Michele Rodgers and David Cochran. Michele is the daughter of Gerry Haile Rodgers of Little Rock and Joe Rodgers of Oklahoma City.

First Baptist To Host Community Thanksgiving Service Sunday

The First Baptist Church will be hosting the Annual Community Thanksgiving Service on Sunday, November 17th at 6:30 p. m.

Churches of the Ministerial Alliance include First Baptist, First United Methodist, Congregational Methodist, New Hope Baptist, Kokomo Baptist and First United Pentecostal Church.

Members from each church will present special music. Dale Curb will give the Thanksgiving message.

Everyone in the community are invited to attend the service.

new policemen so that Gorman will have a full force of officers for the protection of our city and its citizens.

We hope this situation has finally been resolved and that we can all get back to doing the necessary things that need to be done for the betterment of our community.

—J—

The date has been set for Santa Claus to visit the children of Gorman to hear their wishes for Christmas. The date will be Saturday, December 15th and the time will be 2 p. m. Sav-On-Foods of Gorman has again volunteered to furnish the candy for Santa to give to the children. There will be more on this as time goes on.

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Basketball season is now underway and we hope to have a complete schedule soon for publication. The students are looking forward to the season and the enjoyment of playing the games.

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And remember to smile - - because God Loves You!

—GP—

printed on Tuesday instead of the usual Wednesday printing time.

With the politicking over with it seems things are kinda returning to "normal" again. With the dirty politics going on during the campaigning most folks were sure ready to vote and get it over with. Now all those elected officials needs to get together and do whatever is best for the "majority" of the people of Texas, and the nation.

With most folks so unsure of what is (and will) happen in the Dessert (Shield) Operation, things are looking real tough and the people of our country don't really know what to expect in the future. This is a disgrace when the world can be held at bay while some "nut" is trying to become king of the world.

Most folks hope that a solution will be found for the situation soon and that our men can come home from that God forsaken place.

—J—

The Panthers are really rolling along with the District 14A Championship under their belts and with the Bi-District Playoff game this Friday night against the Bryson Cowboys at Ram Stadium in Mineral Wells. All the local fans are planning to follow the Panthers to Mineral Wells and lend them all the support we can.

The Panthers will not have the services of Matt Jones this week due to breaking his big toe in last week's championship game with Baird. Matt will be sorely missed, but the Panthers have some very good players to fill in for him. And we know they will be trying extra hard to have a great game for the Panthers.

Game time at Mineral Wells will be 7:30 p. m.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!

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I think most folks are happy that the City Commission has hired the

—J—
 The weatherman has really been cooperating with the peanut farmers of the area the past several days as the sunshine and dry conditions has made it ideal for peanut harvesting. The rainy weather we received earlier had really hurt the peanut crop and peanut growers were ready for some beautiful harvesting weather. And the weatherman has promised more sunny weather at least for a few more days. Lets hope it continues until all the peanuts are in.
 The crop is not going to be as good as was thought earlier as the moisture we received at "the wrong time" sure did hurt the prospects a lot. A very good crop is still expected but with less moisture a few weeks ago, the crop would have been great deal better. And with the added bonuses on peanuts at this time that sure would have made a difference in the total poundage and amount of income from the crop.
 But let's just thank the Good Lord for the blessings He has sent our way and be happy with what we have.
 —J—
 And speaking of giving thanks, with the holidays coming up next week, we will be publishing the paper a day earlier so folks will receive the paper by Thanksgiving Day. All news items, advertising, etc. needs to be in by Monday afternoon so we can get the paper

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The annual Thanksgiving Supper at the Kokomo Baptist Church was held in the fellowship hall on Sunday night with turkey and dressing and all the trimmings, plus so many delicious deserts, hot rolls and iced tea.

The tables were beautifully decorated with fall colored leaves, berries and persimmons.

Joe Bond voiced the prayer of thanks for the food and all the blessings that God has bestowed upon us.

The choir gathered around the piano and sang several selections following the good food and fellowship.

The Sunday night service at the Kokomo Baptist Church on November 18th will be dismissed so the members may attend the Community Thanksgiving Service at the First Baptist Church in Gorman at 6:30 p. m.

Gary Browning, Helen and Woodrow Browning, Glynda and Joe Bond, Leona Wilson, J. L. Morrow and Oren Webb rendered the special music at the Sunday morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist going to the Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Gorman for the church services on Sunday afternoon were Bro. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Nancy Hendricks, Hope Joiner and Woodrow Browning.

Don Nicholas of Eastland will be the Gideon Speaker at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning, Nov. 18. He will also render the special music.

Bro. Clarence Wilson is attending the Texas Baptist Convention in

Houston this week.

Donna and Lesley Gatlin of Amarillo visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning and Gary from Wednesday until Sunday morning.

Mrs. Oren Webb enjoyed a visit with Mr. and Mrs. David Porter, Scarlett, Amanda and Sarah at Round Rock.

Jimmy Dean and Wilda Rodgers of Midlothian visited from Friday night until Sunday morning with Mrs. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

Kevin Rodgers of Brownwood came by for a lunch visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Berneice Rodgers, on Tuesday.

Visitors with Nancy Hendricks were Mrs. Charles Rodgers, Glorie Lee Ervin, Hope Joiner and Ruth Bryant.

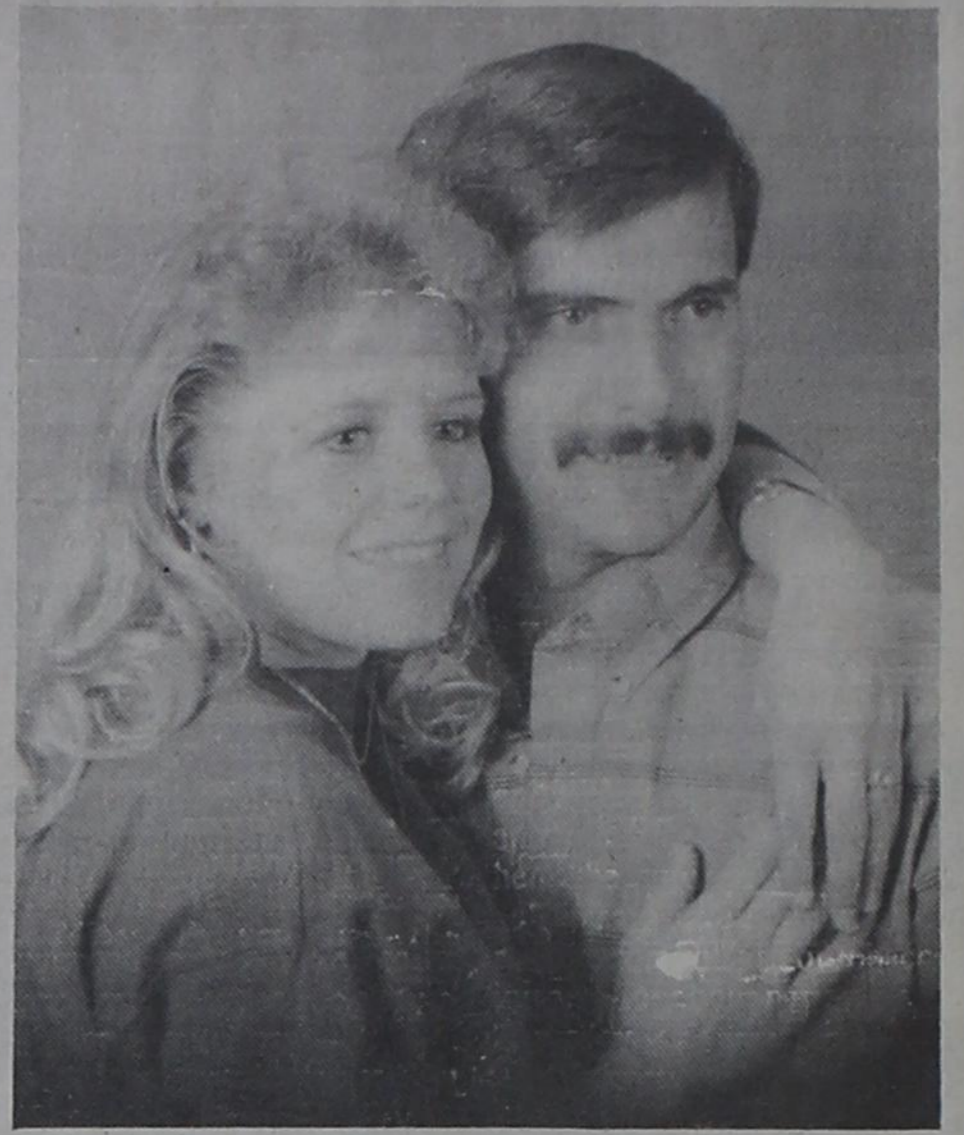
Nancy Hendricks and Bro. Joe O'Neal visited with Daisy Wood at Eastland on Monday.

Rick and Pat Fuller of Dallas visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller. They all visited with Christi and Wayne Eston at Abilene on Saturday. Wayne was a patient in Hendricks Medical Center, having a bout with pneumonia. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Glenn and Zelda Jordan enjoyed a visit in De Leon on Saturday night with Kenneth, Linda and William Whitley, and going to Stephenville for the evening meal.

We had quite a scare just after leaving our house after we crossed the bridge, when two deer crossed the road in front of us, and one stopped causing us to have to go toward the ditch to miss him. We got by, barely bumping him, so no damage was done, except to our nervous system. Another deer darted out from the side of the road before we got to Stephenville, but turned back before getting on the highway. So be on the watch, for the deer are moving now, and can dart out in front of you so quickly.

Charla Little and Danny Burgess Announce Engagment



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little wishes to announce the engagement of their daughter Charla Dean Little to Danny Lynn Burgess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess. The bride-elect graduated from Gorman High School and is currently employed by Citizens State Bank.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Gorman High School and Tarleton State University with a Ag Business degree. He is currently engaged in farming and an active Auctioneer.

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Karen Eaves and Angela Creed were in Abilene over the weekend to attend "Christmas in November" at the Civic Center.
Denese Ingles and Dwayne Reichter of Abilene, Dan Ingles and Albert Ingles of Fort Worth visited over the weekend with Ev and Oleta Wade.
Alta Mae Wilcoxson of Odessa visited the past weekend with her son, Randall and Cheryl Wilcoxson.
Odessa Johnson and daughter, Billie (Abernathy) Shipman of Alvin, visited in Desdemona with Evah Sparkman and friends.

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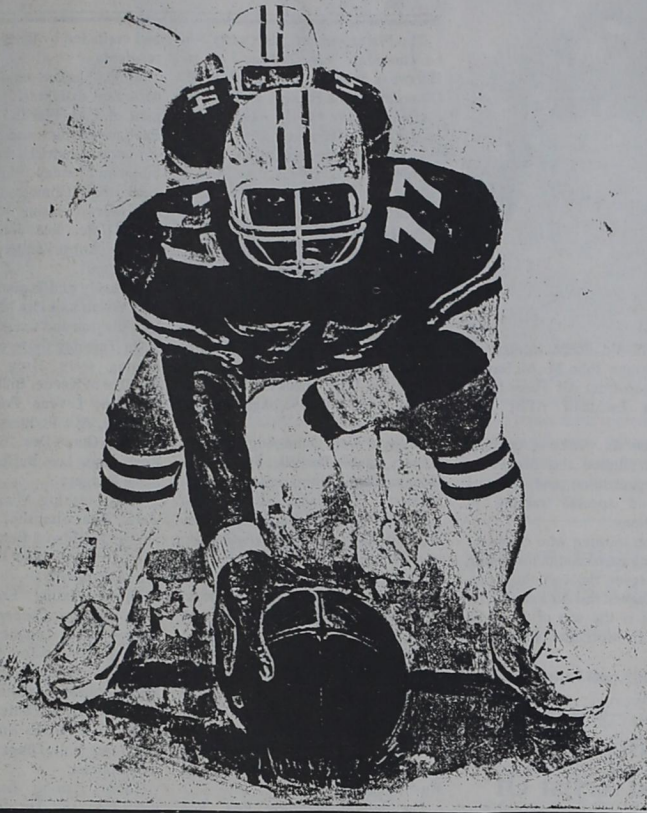


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PANTHER SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 7	Gorman 35 - Perrin 12		
Sept. 14	Cisco 32 - Gorman 14		
Sept. 21	Gorman 43 - Ranger 9		
Sept. 28	Gorman 34 - Hico 7		
Oct. 6	Santa Anna 34 - Gorman 7		
Oct. 12	Gorman 44 - Tolar 29		
Oct. 19	Gorman 42 - Cross Plains 24		
Oct. 26	Gorman 28 - Rising Star 14		
Nov. 2	Gorman 42 - Santo 14		
Nov. 9	Gorman 21 - Baird 7		

**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.
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.
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61	KENNETH RAINEY	G/DE	170	SOPH.
64	DUSTIN ROGERS	T/DE	185	SR.
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	JADE WARREN	T/DB	160	SOPH.
80	CHAGO LANDA	SE/DB	135	SR.
81	JAMES CARROLL	SE/DB	165	SR.
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

HIGH SCHOOL COACH: Larry Nabors - Athletic Coordinator & Head

ASSISTANT COACHES: Dudley McCarty, Doug Shanafelt, Eddie Pettit

SUPERINTENDENT: G. W. Maxfield

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Bill Sandlin

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL: Elementary Principal

BAND DIRECTOR: Lisa Laminack

DRUM MAJOR: Renee Rainey

TWIRLERS: Angela Treadway, Edith Torres, Connie Rone

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Asbestos Surveillance Report At School Released

The Gorman School District completed its six-month surveillance of the asbestos containing materials and found that the material was undistributed and there was not any evidence of any deterioration or damage of these materials.

A report has been sent to the Texas Association of School Boards and the Texas Department of Health.

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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Miss Faye Ables spent Saturday night with Wanda Ballinger in Desdemona.

Mrs. Keith Whitt visited in Dallas Friday through Sunday with her children, Tomasine and Eddie Payne.

Visiting last Monday with Mrs. Gladys Dennis were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Frasier of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Craddock of Sundown were visitors this week with Mrs. Alvin Lasater and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hudson and her mother, Mrs. Modell Crawley.

Kokomo E.H. Club Meets In Mrs. Odis Rodgers Home

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club met in the lovely home of Mrs. Odis Rodgers on Monday, November 12 at 2 p. m. for a regular monthly meeting. President, Naoma Morrow, presided and asked Ava

Business Alliance Expresses Thanks For Your Support

The Business Alliance wants to thank all those who donated candy, money, gift certificates, pencils and other items for our "Goodie Bags" that were handed out at our Spook Parade.

We want to thank Brett Ashley for the reflector stickers and thanks to all who helped put the stickers on the "Spooks". We also appreciate Brett leading our parade.

Last, but not least, we want to thank all who participated in the parade and those who came to watch.

Without each and everyone of you, we would not have been able to have had our "Spook Parade."

Rodgers to led the clubs theme, creed and prayer.

Berneice Rodgers gave the devotional, Psalms 23. Wynelle Brown voiced the oral prayer.

Roll call was answered by "Little Things I Forget to Remember". Nancy Hendricks read the minutes and gave the treasurer's report. They were approved.

Naoma Morrow gave the council report, stating that the club had sent \$100 to the Rehab Center in Abilene.

Plans were finalized for the upcoming Eastland Rotary Club banquet which will be held December 3rd at the Kokomo Community Center.

For the program, books, "Micro-wave Cooking Energy Efficient" and "Holiday Open House Favorites" were passed out and read and enjoyed by all.

The club proudly announces the Club Woman of the Year is Mrs. Naoma Morrow. Mrs. Morrow has worked hard for the club and is certainly deserving of the honor.

Mrs. Rodgers used the Thanksgiving theme and served delicious refreshments of cup cakes, pumpkin bread, chips, candy corn, orange, fruit congealed salad with iced soda water.

Those enjoying the meeting were Velma Bennett, Ava Rodgers, Nancy Hendricks, Wynelle Brown, Naoma Morrow and the gracious hostess, Berneice Rodgers.

John McDaniel Completes USAF Basic Training



Army and Air Force Hometown News — Airman John M. McDaniel has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland AFB, San Antonio.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

McDaniel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. McDaniel of Route 1, Carbon.

He is a 1990 graduate of Carbon High School.

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Caro Boswell Named Artist Of The Month

The De Leon Art Association selected Caro Boswell of Gorman as Artist of the Month for November.

When Caro's husband retired they moved from Fort Worth to their ranch near Gorman. For the past five years they have enjoyed the rural life.

Caro has always appreciated art and over the years has worked with several instructors including John Stone, Dan Brown and Donna Gibson. Her art education began with watercolors. Later she became fascinated with oil painting but returned to watercolor, the medium in which she is presently working.

Being one of the art association's most enthusiastic members, Caro is always happy to be involved in all its activities. She had served in various office positions and is currently serving as president of the group.

Some of her work is displayed in the Freedom Bank in De Leon.

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CJC Band and Belles Prepare For Macy's Parade

The Cisco Junior College Band and Wrangler Belles from Cisco will represent Texas and the Southwest in the 1990 Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York City on November 22. The CJC group will be among the featured presentations in the annual parade and it will be their sixth appearance in the spectacular event.

The band and Belles' performance in the New York parade will mark their ninth national television appearance in recent years. Besides five previous Macy's parades - in 1971, 1973, 1977, 1981 and 1984 - they have also made three trips to Washington, D. C. and one foreign excursion to Villa Hermosa, Tabasco,

CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

The November birthday party will be Thursday, Nov. 29th at 2 p. m. Honorees are Dorothy Burns, S. D. Gilmore, Burma Hickey, Robert McClellan, Minnie Dupuy, Lonzo Coffman and Irene Hebert.

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the party.

Lois Marie McDaniels of Cleburne Ima Lee Fair of Stephenville visited Ruby Vandergriff.

A BIG THANK YOU

We would like to thank all the big and little spooks that came to our spook house. We appreciate Mrs. Deane Christian for allowing us to use the home. Also we are grateful for all the residents for helping and giving the little spooks "Trick and Treat" stuff. About 95 bags of candy were used.

Helpers were John-Angie; Tona-Gloria; Mable-Darrell; Stacy-Amy; Deanna-Tina; Edith-Louise; Rhonda-Kenny; Joan-Janet; Judy-Jenny; Frances-Betty; Bill-Katherine; Stacy Nadean; Cathy-Tola; Fravis-George, and Donna.

Those visiting Veno and Annie Hale were Jimmy and Mamie Little, Verl Hallmark, David Moore of Brownwood.

On Saturday we enjoyed having Rev. Joyce Dennis and Rev. Joe O'Neal coming and bringing church services.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were Ora Lee Lawrence, Nell Scott, Eunice Love, Sue Seaton, Clara Rich, Anna Rush, Inez Rogers.

On Sunday morning Rev. Ron Carroll came and taught Sunday school for 9 residents.

Derrell Dickey of Mesquite, Jerry Dupuy of The Dominion Republic, Sylvia Bridgeport, Odell Dupuy, Walter Goodwin and Rufus Goodwin of Comanche.

At 2:30 on Sunday coming from the First Baptist Church were Rev. Ron Carroll, Era Maupin, Leland Warren Anna Rush, Connie Hall, Frankie Jo Shipman, Louise Hall, Ruby Lee Kinser and Wanda Stacy.

Visiting Berta Poyner were Lovena K. Fonville, James and Ruby Lee Kinser, Doyle Poyner, Patsy Locke, Anna Rush.

Truitt Coffman and Leland Warren visited Lonzo Coffman.

BERTHA THOMAS BURIED

We regret the passing of Bertha Thomas, widow of Rev. Bruce Thomas on Nov. 8 at De Leon Hospital.

Mrs. Thomas was a 6 year resident of Canterbury.

A complete obituary appears elsewhere in this issue.

At 4 p. m. on Sunday those from the Church of Christ were Bro. Curtis Maness, Bro. T. A. Grice, Dora Faye Brewer, Nettie Denton, Dee Smithey, Lorene Foster, Janda and Tracey Taylor, Cecil and Christine Self, Zina Simpson, Floydene Gilbert and Juanita Files.

Bill, Molly and Amber Fairbetter of Abilene visited Junior Fairbetter.

On Monday morning Betty Sanders led exercises for 11 residents.

Faye Huff and small child, Anita Franklin of Ranger visited Cynthia Earles and Nellie Morgan.

On Tuesday morning we had arts

Mexico to participate in their Festival of development.

Director of the CJC Band is Mr. Bill Swinney and Wrangler Belle Director is Ms. Debbie Baker.

The CJC Band and Belles may be seen in the NBC Television coverage of the Macy's Parade between 8 and 11 Central Standard Time.

and crafts led by Betty Sanders for 9 residents.

Emma Shugart enjoyed an outing with her daughter, Maurine Coleman of Fort Worth. They went to Eastland, Ranger and Strawn.

Nancy Hendricks helped us with bingo on Monday. Winners were Ida Lewis, S. D. Gilmore, Cynthia Earles Ora Mae Atchison, Minnie Dupuy, Vena Hale, Iola Johnson, Garnet Adams, Ruby Vandergriff and Emma Shugart.

Chesley and Barbara Atchison of Fort Worth took Ora Mae Atchison to visit Clayton and Carrie Cook.

On Tuesday those coming for the singing were Greg and Denton Brunker of Keene, Billie Stacy, Anita Franklin, Lovena Fonville, Velma Bennett, Ava Rodgers, Nancy Hendricks, Oma Dee Garrett, Anna Rush, Ima Lee Burleson and Berneice Rodgers.

Those visiting Minnie Brightwell were Zina Simpson, Audrey Nell Smith, Jerald and Betty Hale, Willadean Ormsby, Dale Brightwell and Odie Brightwell.

Those visiting Era Whitehurst were Jimmy Cooper of Odessa, Eunice Love, Eugene Morris, Inez Rogers, Bob and Tommy Dunnwell.

Those visiting Clara Raich were Rhoda Burney, Agatha Nance, Eunice Love, Jewel Whitley, Anna Rush, Louise Rich, Edith Underhill, Wilda and Terry Holt, Lougene Morris and Inez Rogers.

Those visiting Lorene Duggan were Bob and Lucille Simmons of Breckenridge, Joy, and Amanda Cook of Burnet, Frances Overstreet of Abernathy, Clydell, Vada and Grant Lewis of Desdemona, Ed Duggan of Garland, Marie and Maurice Simmons of Brownwood, Karen Stephen of Stephenville, Russell and Harriet Duggan, Wayne and Mary Vincent, Johnnie McGilvary, Dee and Bud Smithey, Scythia Alldredge, Zina Simpson, Era Maupin, Calara Rich, Iola Johnson and Odie Brightwell.

On Wednesday Bro. Ron Carroll brought the devotional for 21 residents.

Those visiting Lorene Jay were Wanda Stacy, Gladys Chambliss, Tola Bailey, Dora Faye Brewer, Anna Rush, Mayvis Lasater, Jean Lasater.

Wednesday bingo winners were Iola Johnson, S. D. Gilmore, Ida Lewis, Ora Mae Atchison, Cythia Earles, Veno Hale, Garnett Adams and Ruby Vandergriff.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Virgil Skaggs of Abilene, Eunice Love, Wanda Stacy and Rev. Ron Carroll.

Those visiting Dorothy Beaty and Gertie Leeper were Nettie Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sanders, Rhoda Burney, Effie Turner, Jonell Torrez, Terry, Donna and Ethan Tedford, Dorothy Pool, Norma Redford, Ruby Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Tracey Taylor and Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stran Thomas and Bertie Alexander, Shirley Lucky, Ilene, Lois and Vernon Cates, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, Frances Sanders and Leanie Whittiker.

Bertha Gregory and Nancy Hendricks came on Friday for bingo. Winners were Emma Shugart, Veno Hale, Iola Johnson, Ruby Vandergriff, S. D. Gilmore, Nancy Holloway Ida Lewis, Ora Mae Atchison, Cynthia Earles, Gertie Leeper, Garnet Adams and Minnie Dupuy.

We are sorry to report Rudolph Haile, Jess Roberts and Harley Rawls are all in the hospital.

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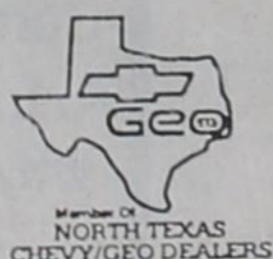
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1. Cash only no credit cards or charging allowed.
2. Proof of purchase from other pharmacy, (i.e. recent receipt, recent price list, or recent quote from store)
3. No third party plans will be allowed.

To get your prescriptions refilled under this offer, bring in your old prescription bottle and proof of price and ask our pharmacist to call the other store for a copy and fill your prescription with our price guarantee.

We are able to make this offer with the assistance of a supplier and will at the end of the three months reevaluate the offer and if successful continue the plan.

Sincerely,

/s/ George Simmons



With School starting, everyone is preparing to make this 1990-1991 school year great, and the Gorman F.H.A. is no exception. The FHA recently attended a local area Leadership Training Conference, held at De Leon High School. F.H.A. members were given the opportunity to attend sessions in order to teach them more about their responsibilities and new ideas for making their chapter great. Attending this conference were: (l to r) Michael Hampton, Annette Love, Mandy Wilcoxson, Michelle Thackerson, Shawnda Burgess, Sharla Clark, Renee Rainey, Kim Broom, Stephanie Jobe, Shanda Hanifan, Connie Rone, Angela Treadway, Cheri Eaves, and Lucretia Frasier. Sponsor attending the conference was Mrs. Ellen Gressett.

CUBS DEFEATED BY BAIRD 14-8 IN SEASON CLOSING GAME

The Gorman Cubs were defeated in their last game of the season against the Baird Bears.

Baird scored twice in the 1st quarter, with Jason Rich, Marco Herrera, and Jace Underwood making some outstanding fumble recoveries.

In the second quarter, with 3:56 left on the clock, Don Mauney scored for the Cubs, making the score at halftime 14-8.

The halftime activities included a Spirit Dance by the Cub Cheerleaders.

The teams were dead-locked for the remaining part of the game causing the final score to be 14-8, Baird's favor.

Coach Eddie Pettit felt the Cubs had an overall good season. We played hard all year and never quit. Melissa Clark
Pep Squad Captain

Junior High Boys and Girls Start Basketball

The Junior Basketball season started Monday, November 12th in Lingleville with the Girls winning by the score of 38 to 17. The Boys were defeated by a score of 52 to 23.

Come on out and show your support to the Junior High basketball players as they continue to improve.

Floy Simmons Laid To Rest On Sunday

Floy Simmons, 90, of Odessa, passed away Sunday, November 10 in an Odessa hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Carbon Restland Cemetery with Gary Montgomery officiating, directed by Bakker Funeral Home in Eastland.

Mrs. Simmons had been a resident of the Carbon area until moving to Odessa in 1978. She was a homemaker, a Baptist and the widow of Tom Simmons.

Survivors include two sons, Bob Simmons of Hennessey, Okla., and Bill of Gordon; a stepson, Charles Owensby of Dayton, Tenn.; three daughters, Noma Lea Spradling of Eastland, Juanell Standridge of Midland and Pat Winchell of Odessa; 15 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

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Crimestoppers Crime of Month

The Eastland County Crimestoppers Crime of the Month is a burglary of a building in Cisco.

The Thrift Mart Grocery located at 1010 Avenue E. in Cisco, was burglarized between 10:45 p. m. Thursday, October 4 and 6:48 a. m. Friday, October 5th.

Person or persons unknown entered the store by breaking out a large glass window located behind some cold drink boxes in front of the store. An undetermined amount of money was removed from the safe. The safe had not been pried on or forced open.

Up to \$1,000.00 may be paid by crime stoppers for information leading to the arrest and indictment of person or persons responsible for these and/or other felony crimes in Eastland County.

To report on this or other crimes to the Eastland County Crimestoppers call 629-TIPS.

Remember, you do not have to give your name to make a report

FARM AND GARDENS

By David L. Tunmire - County Extension Agent

HANDBOOK FOR ORGANIC MARKETING NOW AVAILABLE

Organic gardening continues to gain interest. Now may not be gardening season, but it is time to prepare for next year's crop if you are thinking organic.

Organic produce growers who have had trouble finding markets for their products may find useful a new handbook, "A Guide to Marketing Organic Produce," just published by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"The handbook should define markets for the producer where they can sell their products and for what price," said Dr. Charles Hall, coordinator of the handbook and Extension Service economist in horticultural marketing at Texas A&M University.

The handbook gives an in-depth look at the important areas involved in successfully marketing organic foods.

An entire marketing plan for

organic products is detailed. Market alternatives, contact personnel (brokers, wholesale buyers), crops with the most potential, price trends and merchandising methods are a few of the topics discussed.

"The handbook presents a realistic picture of market needs," said Hall. A section on the history of the successes in organic farming provides the reader with useful facts and figures on its market potential.

The handbook also list people, organizations and periodicals that can provide additional information on organic farming around the country.

A three-ring binder with dividing sections makes the handbook durable and easy to use. It can be

purchased for \$15 by sending a check or money order to: Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Dept. of Agricultural Economics, College Station, TX 77843-2124, Attn: Dr. Charles R. Hall.

SOIL TESTING TIME AT HOME

Now is a good time to have a soil analysis performed for your home lawn or garden site. A regular analysis conducted through the Texas Agricultural Extension Service Soil Testing Laboratory will cost \$10. This analysis will include analysis for pH, nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, calcium magnesium, sodium, sulphur and salinity.

Sample bags and information sheet for a soil analysis is available at the county extension office. Complete instructions on taking soil samples and shipping information is included on the information sheet.

Take time now to determine your lawn or garden fertility needs for next year.

Plan Now To Enter County Pecan Show Set December 6 - 7

Plans are now finalized for the 38th Annual Eastland County Pecan Show December 6th and 7th at the county courthouse lobby. Entries must be at the county extension office by 4 p. m. Wednesday, December 5th. The office is located in the basement of the courthouse.

Each entry must have at least 43 nuts of the same variety. Bring the nuts in a paper sack marked with owners name, address, phone number and variety if known.

All pecans entered in the show must have been grown in 1990 by the person showing them. Each grower is limited to one entry of each improved or papershell variety. No limit on the number of seedling or native entries one grower may enter. There will also be a class for the largest pecans and smallest pecans.

Plaques will be awarded for the champion and rosettes for the reserve champion in the commercial, classic and native divisions. Ribbons will be awarded for the first three placing entries in each class. Plaques and ribbons are courtesy of Eastland County Pecan Growers Association and Texas Pecan Growers Association.

You'll also want to get out your favorite recipe using pecans and prepare it for the Pecan Bake Show on Thursday, December 6th. Entries must be made by 11 a. m. in the Courthouse Lobby. Pecan Bake Show rules are available at the county extension office.

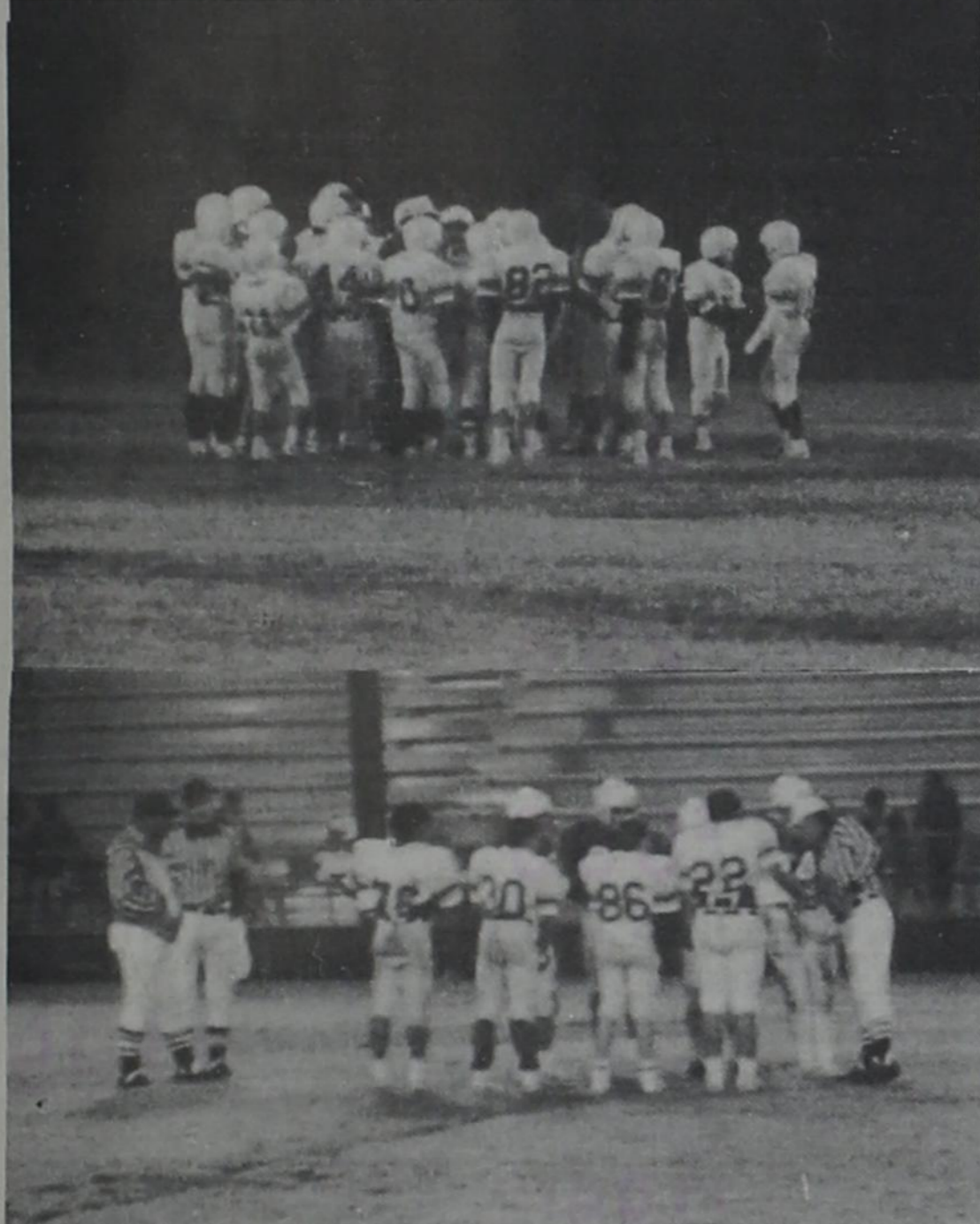
The pecan show is being organized by the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association, Eastland Chamber of Commerce and Eastland County Extension Program Council Pecan Committee.



CAKE BAKED IN HONOR OF PANTHERS - Sharla Clark and Kim Broom are shown with the cake baked by the FHA girls in honor of the Panthers. The cake was served at the pep rally held Friday afternoon.

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14 Diamond
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7 Diamond
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