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This will be Parents Night and the pre-game activities will begin at 6:45 p. m. so the introductions will be completed before game time.

NOVEMBER 8, 1990

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NUMBER FORTY-ONE

County Voters Favor Miers For District Clerk

Voters of Eastland County went to the polls in large numbers on Tuesday's General Election and chose Bill Miers as their District Clerk by a margin of 2,881 to 1,562.

In other races the Gorman voters, totaling 405 votes, gave Ann Richards 208 votes and Williams 165. In the Ag Commissioner race Gorman voters chose Rick Perry by a 239 to 148 margin over Jim Hightower, the incumbent.

Sipe Springs Benefit Fish Fry Slated For Nov. 12

The Annual Fish Fry Benefit for the Sipe Springs Volunteer Fire Department has been slated for Monday, November 12th from 6 to 9 p. m. at Cook's Fish Barn.

The fish fry will be "All You Can Eat" for \$6.50 per plate and proceeds will benefit the Sipe Springs Volunteer Fire Department.

PTO Fall Festival Is Huge Success

The Fall Festival on October 27th, sponsored by the Gorman PTO, was a huge success. It seemed those that attended really enjoyed themselves.

The Gorman PTO appreciates the community participation in the event and would like to thank Birdsong Peanuts for the use of their bingo game.

Thanks also to the parents who sent cold drinks and those who worked in the booths.

We are now well on our way to being able to purchase a portable TV, stand and VCR for the elementary school.

RECEPTION HONORING FUNDERBURG FAMILY SET FOR NOVEMBER 11

The people of the Gorman community have planned a reception honoring the Cecil Funderburgh family on Sunday, November 11th from 2 to 4 p. m. in the New Fire Station.

The reception is being held in appreciation for what this family has meant to the people of our community and for the outstanding dedication and performance of duty by Cecil while serving as police chief in Gorman.

There will be refreshments of cookies, coffee and cold drinks served. Anyone wishing to donate to the reception may contact a Gorman Volunteer Fireman, sponsors of the reception.

Last Rites For Julia Belgau Held

Julia Pittman Belgau, 48, of Fort Worth and formerly of Gorman, passed away Monday at a San Antonio medical center after a sudden illness.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church in Gorman with the Rev. Paul Miller, Ron Carroll and Richard Watson officiating.

Mrs. Belgau was born in Little Rock, Ark., was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church in White Settlement.

Survivors include her husband, Steve A. Belgau of Fort Worth; three sons, David Revels of Rowlett, Steven of Socseca, Spain, and Ken of Fort Worth; a daughter, Marie Curb of Gorman; a stepson, Stephen Belgau of Northridge, Calif.; her parents, Ardeeth and Arline Pittman of Gorman; a sister, Jane Anderson of Larned, Kans.; and five grandchildren.

In the State Treasurer's race Vicki Hightower carried the Gorman vote over Kay Hutchison by a 199 to 180 count.

Vardie Huff received 288 votes for Justice of the Peace of Precinct 5.

Gorman voters supported Proposition I by a margin of 164 for and 98 against.

In the State balloting Ann Richards was elected Texas Governor by a 51 to 49 percent margin. Hutchison defeated Vicki Hightower in a closely contested race.

Eastland County voters turned out in heavy numbers with more than 4400 total votes.

Ann Richards, by winning the Governors race, is the first woman governor in Texas in 58 years.

District Cross Country Meet Held in Baird

The Junior High and High School Cross Country Meet was held at Baird recently. Here are the results:

- JUNIOR HIGH BOYS
1. Jimmy Lee, Cross Plains
2. Eric Wilson, Baird
3. Walt Tollet, Baird
4. Tom Bynum, Gorman
5. Juan de la Torre, Gorman
6. Michael Singleton, Gorman
7. Dale Mason, Baird
8. Jeremy Sanders, Baird
9. Jason Johnson, Gorman
10. Rusty Crane, Baird
11. Jason Trevino, Gorman
12. R. J. Colvo, Baird
13. Bennie Owens, Baird
14. Hank Foy, Baird
15. Jason Warren, Gorman
16. T. J. Kersey, Baird

The Gorman boys won first place and Baird second.

- JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS
1. JENNIFER Scitern, Gorman
2. Rachel Simpson, Gorman
3. Amparol Madera, Gorman
4. Rachel Reeves, Gorman
5. Lacy Pack, Gorman
6. Jennifer Eaves, Gorman
7. Staci White, Baird
8. Darby Morton, Baird
9. Kristi Bell, Baird
10. Amanda Jones, Baird
11. Sharon Fairris, Baird
12. Tana Waldrop, Baird
13. Christi Brown, Baird
14. Heather Jones, Baird
15. Raven Reynolds, Baird

Gorman placed first and Baird second.

- HIGH SCHOOL BOYS
1. Tonya Steele, Cross Plains
2. Connie Steele, Cross Plains
3. Jana Norris, Gorman
4. Sylvia Ramirez, Gorman
5. Felomia Martinez, Moran
6. Jessica Espinosa, Gorman
7. Robin Milner, Baird
8. Stacey Kersey, Baird
9. Connie Rone, Gorman
10. Courtney Holland, Baird
11. Chrissie Smedley, Baird
12. Michelle Abernathy, Baird

Baird took first place and Gorman second.

- HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS
1. Jeffrey Martinez, Moran
2. Jason Fox, Baird
3. Carlile Albrecht, Cross Plains
4. Jeromie Martinez, Cross Plains
5. Andy Cariker, Gorman
6. Matthew Cerda, Baird
7. David Gonzales, Baird
8. Chad LeFevre, Baird
9. Neely Carter, Gorman
10. Steve Taylor, Gorman
11. John Rodriguez, Baird
12. Matthew Meadows, Baird

Baird took first place honors and Gorman placed second.

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to express a sincere thank you for the many acts of love and kindness shown us during the loss of our loved ones, Jerry Poynor and Ava Poynor Mason. The flowers, memorial contributions, food, cards, phone calls, visits and prayers were all greatly appreciated. Thanks also to the staff of Higginbotham Funeral Home and Greenwood Funeral Home for their sincere thoughtfulness and consideration and to the ministers for their words of comfort. May God bless each and every one of you. Era Poynor Maupin and families

Cecil Robertson Presented Golden Trowel Award

Gorman Masonic Lodge held an open meeting Saturday, October 20, to honor Brother Cecil H. Robertson with the Golden Trowel Award. After an opening prayer, WM of the lodge, William Hagood, welcomed everyone and introduced Brother Jack Locke of Lake Leon.

"In appreciation to Brother Cecil H. Robertson for his 44 years of faithful and loyal service to Gorman Lodge No. 716, who having served as Worshipful Master 4 times, as District Deputy Grand Master and as a lodge officer for 30 consecutive years, who quietly goes about his work in the lodge, never drawing attention to himself or his deeds, having taken upon himself the task of regularly checking the lodge building and noting any needs or repairs, reporting them to the lodge and many times taking care of the lodge's needs at his own expense, being a teacher of the ritual, a worked in degree teams, and giving of himself and his time to the lodge however and whenever he can, and after being nominated by a committee of past masters to receive this award, and after a unanimous vote of the members of the lodge on that nomination, it is an honor and privilege for Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons to present the Golden Trowel Award, the highest award a lodge can bestow upon one of its members, to Brother Cecil H. Robertson as a token of our love, esteem and appreciation for him and his many years of service to this lodge."

Following the presentation, Cecil reflected on his years with the lodge, and several short talks were made by some 55 members and guests in attendance. Cecil introduced members of his family that were present, including his wife, Neva, four daughters, son-in-law, grandsons, granddaughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. There were several out-of-town guests in attendance who surprised Cecil, including J. W. "Pete" Ramsey of Palacios, and a lifelong friend from Lingleville. After a closing prayer, the guests then retired from the lodge room and proceeded to the dining hall for refreshments of a lovely and delicious cake prepared and decorated by Joyce Eaves for the occasion, punch and coffee.

In Masonry, the trowel is a symbolic tool which is used to spread the cement of brotherly love and affection.

Athletic Booster Club Coaches Of The Week

The Panther Athletic Booster Club's Coaches of the Week are Jerrell Burleson - Jr. High Coach; Ronnie Pack - High School Coach.

Jana Norris Competes In Cross Country Meet



Jana Norris represented Gorman High School in the Region IIA Cross Country Meet held at the University of Texas at Arlington.

The top ten finishers in each category advance to the State Cross Country Meet. Jana finished 17th. Her time was 13:55. The Steele sisters of Cross Plains advanced to the state meet. Tonya claimed third place in individual race with a time of 13:10 while Connie was fifth with 13:24. Jana is the daughter of James and Jo Norris.

Panthers Skin The Wildcats 42-14; Host Baird In Close District Race

GAME STATISTICS table with columns for Gorman and Santo, including stats for First Downs, Yards Rushing, Yards Passing, Passes Completed, Interceptions, Fumbles Lost, Punts, and Penalties.

The Gorman Panthers took the opening kickoff and moved to a quick touchdown to set the theme for the game against the Wildcats at Santo on Friday night, and were never tested as they raced to a 42-0 halftime lead, then coasted the last half to a 42-14 win.

Gorman ran the kickoff back to the Panther 37. On the first play Jason Ditmore took the handoff, broke free and raced for 30 yards. Later in the drive Stephen Scitern ran for 12 yards and a first down. Then Jason added another first down on an 11 yards run, before Kevin Hirst went the final 8 yards for the score with 9:56 left in the period.

After a couple of exchanges of possession the Panthers took the ball on their own 5 yards line and went the distance in six plays. Following a 3 yard run, Hirst ran for 11 yards and a first down. Then the Panthers were hit with a holding penalty. Hirst then passed to Jason Ditmore for 15 yards and a first down. On the next play Stephen Scitern ran for 12 yards and another first. At this point Hirst found Ditmore open again and hit him for a 19 yard first down gain to the 36. From there Stephen Scitern took the handoff and raced 36 yards for the score with 2:46 left in the first. Hirst added the point after and Gorman was up 14-0.

Then in the second quarter the Panthers got the ball on a Wildcat fumble with Jade Warren recovering for the Big Red defense. On the first play the Panthers gained 5. Jason ran for 8 yards and a first down, and then Matt Jones got loose on one of his three huge yardage runs for 32 yards and the TD with 9:30 left. The drive covered 46 yards in just three plays. Hirst added the PAT and Gorman was up 21-0.

After holding the Wildcats on the next possession, the Panthers got the ball at their own 25 and went 75 yards in just four plays. On the first handoff, Jason went 15 yards. Then Matt Jones got another of his big runs, going 50 yards to the Santo 10. After a 4 yard run, Jones then went the final 6 yards with 7:30 left. Hirst added the point after and Gorman led 28-0.

After a couple of possessions by each team, the Panthers took the ball on their own 40 and started another scoring drive. On the first handoff Rajee Patel went for 14 yards. Then two runs added 6 more yards before Jason got loose again for 29 yards and a first down. Matt Jones then ran for 15 more yards to the Santo one. Then reserve quarterback Jeremy Ditmore got the TD on a keeper with just 35 seconds left in the half. Again Hirst converted the point after and Gorman led 35 to 0.

In the third quarter Santo moved to the Panther 12 before being held to a field goal try.

The Panthers then took the ball at their own 20 and scored in 7 plays with Stephen Scitern getting the final 3 yards on a run with 3:11 left in the period. The drive featured a 47 yard scamper by Matt Jones and an 8 yard run by Rajee Patel to set Gorman up at the Santo 3. Hirst added the point after and Gorman was up 42 to 0.

Santo got on the board with 7:16 left in the game on a 47 yard pass and run by Keith Gibbs, following an interception by the Wildcats on the Panther 41. Santo got a 10 yard penalty. Then following a run of 4 yards, Gibbs scored. A pass try for two points failed and Gorman led 42-6.

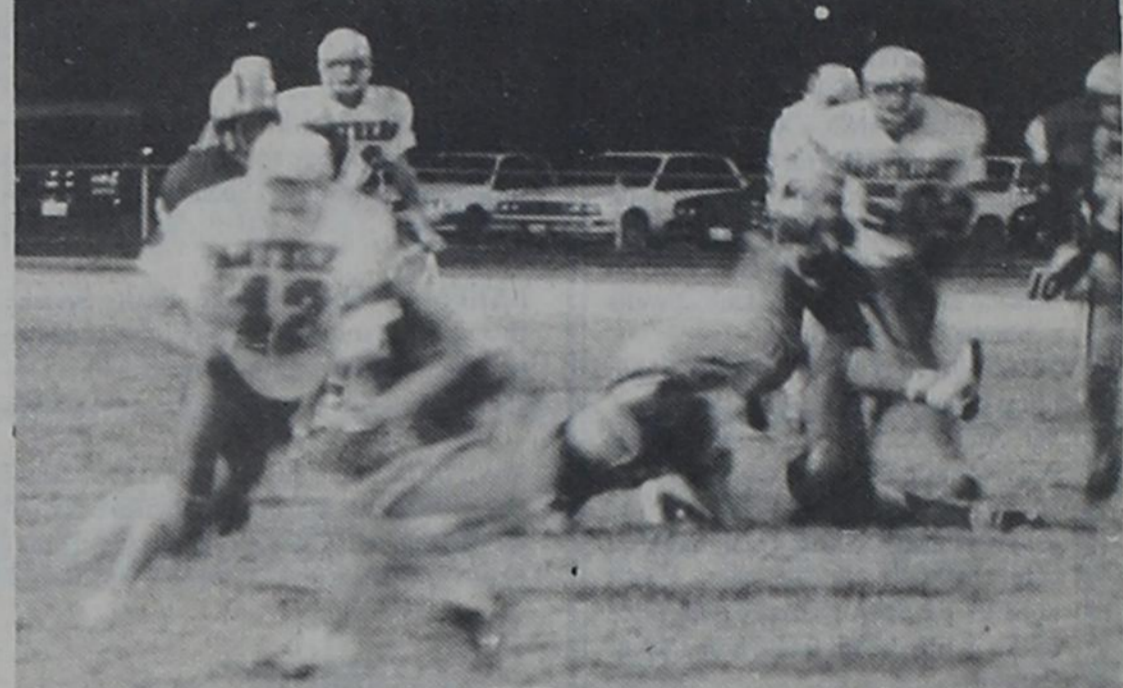
Then with 3:38 left the Wildcats got another score on a 1 yard run by Brad Bryant. The score was set up by two first down passes and an 11 yard run to the Gorman 1. A pass to Gibbs added the two pointer and the final score was 42-14.

Gorman's Big Red Defense really did the job on the Wildcats, allowing only 1 first down in the first half. Justin Underwood, Robert Darley, Jeremy and Jason Ditmore, Matt Jones and Stephen Scitern were among the entire defense playing real tough defense. But really, the whole "crew" on defense did a great job.

Matt Jones led the Panthers with 154 yards on just 9 carries. Jason Ditmore got 122 on 11 tries. Stephen Scitern ran for 85 yards on 7 totes.

Rajee Patel had 57 on 12 trips. Hirst got 9 on 3 keepers. Kris Scitern carried 4 times for 8. Jeremy Ditmore had 5 yards on 3 keepers, and Cory Pack got 1 yard on two tries.

The win over Santo sets up the big showdown this Friday night with the Panthers hosting the Baird Bears. The Panthers are standing at 4-0 in District 14A, with the Bears and Rising Star Wildcats tied for second place with 3-1 marks. The Bears will be trying to knock the Panthers out of the top spot and secure a playoff berth, so the Big Red defense will be tested severely in this annual battle.



TOP YARDAGE GAINER - Matt Jones is shown breaking a tackle by a Wildcat in game action Friday night. Also pictured are Justin Underwood, Robert Darley, and other Panthers.



SECOND STRING RUNNING BACK - Rajee Patel is shown following a block by Kris Scitern during game action Friday night. Also shown are Jeremy Ditmore, Dustin Rogers, Kenneth Rainey and others.

Fifth Grade Halloween Pumpkin Head Contest

The fifth grade class of Gorman Elementary made a Halloween art project. The project included making a pumpkin head or body. These pumpkin characters were judged Halloween morning. The characters looked great. The judging was based on originality, creativity, design and for costume (art work).

We had pumpkin characters like: scarecrow, baseball player, football player, Peter Pan, Jason, rodeo clown, farmer and pirate.

The winner was Kaycee Gilmore. She created a full body witch. She

received five dollars and a pumpkin candle.

Second place went to Janice Glover. She made a baby in a bassinet. She received three dollars.

Third place was won by Aaron Grice. He created Bart Simpson. He received two dollars.

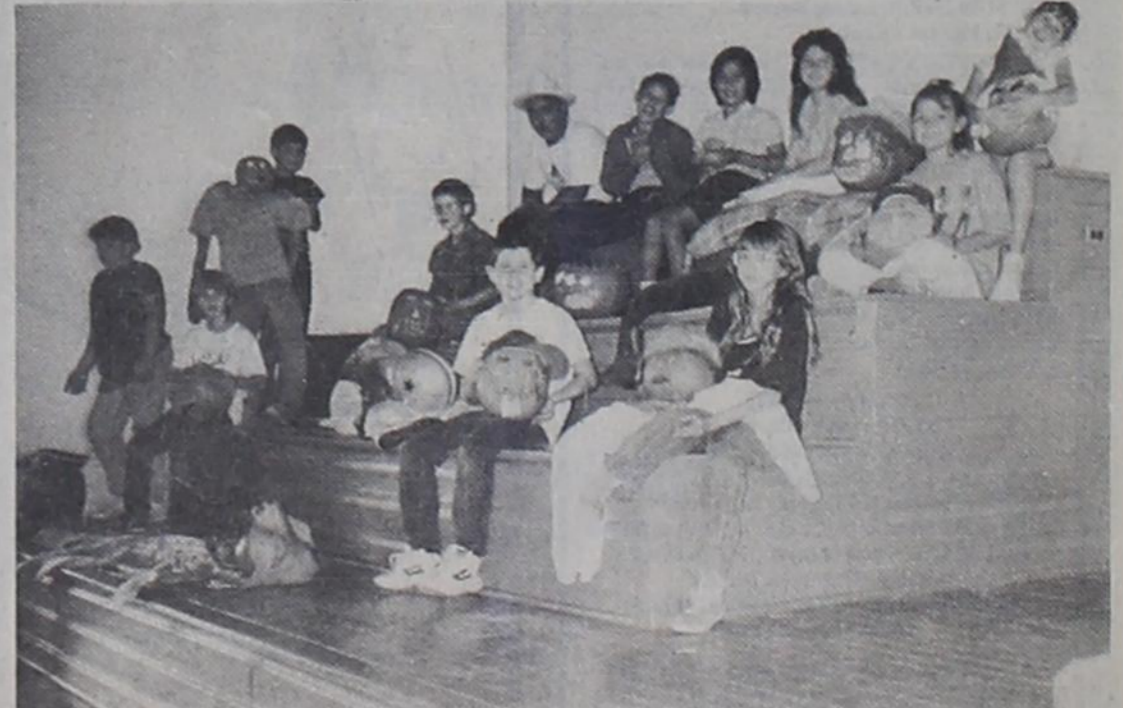
Honorable mention went to Sarah Reeves. She received one dollar.

All winners received a Halloween pen and pencil. Everyone put a lot of hard work into their projects, but had fun fixing them.

Janice Glover, Class Secretary



CLASS WINNERS - Shown above is Kaycee Gilmore, Janice Glover, Aaron Grice and Sarah Reeves.



CLASS PARTICIPANTS - Shown above is the Fifth Grade Class during the Contest for the Best Pumpkin Head. Several of the students had put several hours of work on their pumpkins.

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We had a touch of winter on Saturday night and Sunday with the cold wind and rain. About an inch of and a half of rain here. And the weatherman forecasts more of the same the next few days.

DESDEMONA NEWS
VONNIE GUTHERY

Ladies Monthly Social will be Monday, November 12th in the home of Nethel Clark. It is a Thanksgiving luncheon. Bring a covered dish for the meal. Visitors are welcome.

A birthday celebration on Saturday, November 10th from 2 to 4 p. m. for L. E. "Compound" Clark at his home. He will be 91 years "young". So remember him with your cards and visits.

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in Abilene was the guest preacher at the morning services at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday. Other visitors were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crawford and his sister, Corey Crawford of Midland.

Lance Morrow of Texas A&M spent Thursday night with his grandparents, Mr. and J. L. Morrow, and had breakfast on Friday morning with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris, before going on to Plains for a visit during the weekend with his parents and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Layne and Lenny. He visited with the Morrrows and Norrises here on Sunday enroute back to A&M.

Charles and Myrtle Elston of Huckabay visited with J. L. and Naoma Morrow on Friday.

Rev. Marion Fonville of Houston spent Monday night with the J. L. Morrrows.

Nancy Hendricks visited with Daisy Wood at Eastland. They report that Mrs. Wood's son, Wilbourne Wood, is doing well following open heart by-pass surgery in Humana Hospital in Abilene last week. He hopes to be home soon. Another son of Mrs. Daisy Wood, Gene Wood of Odessa, recently underwent open heart surgery in Odessa. He is doing fine. We wish Gene and Wilbourne a very speedy recovery.

Richard, Teresa, Taylor and Trevis Nachtigall of Morgan Mill spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell.

Ted, Cindy, Kyle and Kayla Jordan of Portales, N. M. visited from Friday night until Monday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. This was Kayla's first visit to her grandparents home at Kokomo. Ted and Glenn went deer hunting on Saturday morning, but didn't even see a deer, and the cold rainy weather discouraged any further hunting. Glenda Miles of Abilene and Sheri Miles of Texas Tech at Lubbock came for a visit on Saturday. All but Grandma and Kayla went to the tank for some fishing, but the fish didn't think that it was a good day for biting.

Nancy Hendricks and Clifford and Lurline Nelson visited in the Jordan home on Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks reports that her grandson, Kelly Buchanan, received his first word from home since arriving in Saudi Arabia, from a letter mailed at Gorman, and the first letter from him was received by his grandmother, Mrs. Hendricks, at

Gorman. Kelly says Hi to everyone at Gorman and Kokomo.

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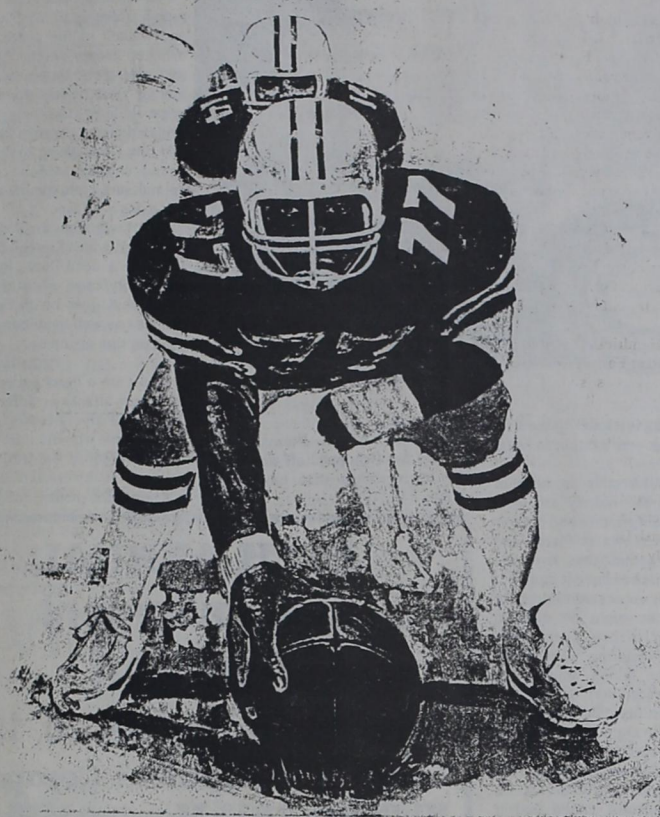
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DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 7	Gorman 35 - Perrin 12		
Sept. 14	Cisco 32 - Gorman 14		
Sept. 21	Gorman 43 - Ranger 9		
Sept. 28	Gorman 34 - Hico 7		
Oct. 6	Santa Anna 34 - Gorman 7		
Oct. 12	Gorman 44 - Tolar 29		
Oct. 19	Gorman 42 - Cross Plains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

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JIM PARKER NAMED LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR

The Texas Municipal League (TML), representing over 940 Texas cities and over 13,000 local officials, named State Representative Jim Parker (D-Comanche) as its Legislator of the Year at the TML Annual Conference in Corpus Christi Oct. 25-27.

The award was unprecedented in that it was given a year during which the state legislature did not meet in regular session. TML normally make a Legislator of the Year presentation following each regular session to outstanding members of the House

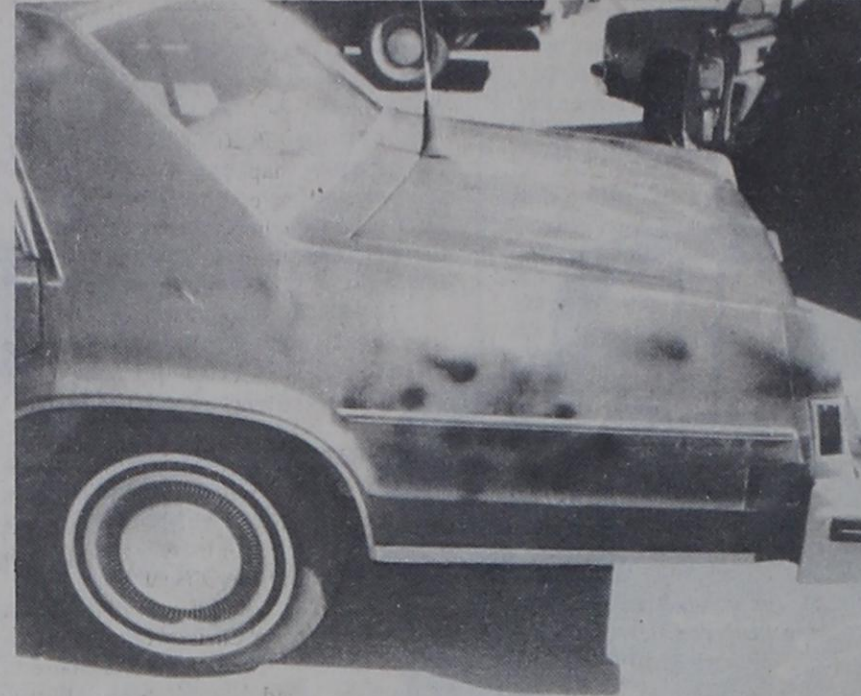
of Representatives and the Texas Senate. However, in appreciation of the work Representative Parker did during special sessions on legislation limiting the personal liability of all public officials, the League made the award in an "off-year."

The bill would have limited the individual liability of public servants if the action giving rise to a claim was within the scope of their official duties. Governments across the country are experiencing a crisis in hiring and retaining qualified employees because public employees

face unlimited personal liability for doing their jobs. After passing the House overwhelmingly, the bill died in the Senate on the final day of the last special session.

TML President Joan Baker (Mayor Pro Tem of Lubbock) said in making the award that Rep. Parker "...is a true and great friend to Texas cities and all public employees in the state and we can never thank him enough for the work he did." Rep. Parker said he plans to refile the legislation as soon as possible for consideration in the next session, which begins in January 1991. "Like General Douglas MacArthur, 'I shall return,'" said Parker.

VANDALISM IS REPORTED AT BRANDON PLACE APTS.



The following is a letter to the City of Gorman that was brought to us on Monday:

We read and hear in the news of places where the elderly are mistreated in nursing homes and in their homes by their own children, and there is a law against that. Even the government tries to have it stopped, and the elderly are scared to death of the things that might be done to them if they tell of their experiences.

So, I am wondering what might happen to me telling about what I have experienced here where I pay my rent and utility bills like anyone else. Halloween night my old car was painted with spray paint, with bad words painted on it, and eggs were mixed with paint on it. The natural paint is completely ruined and it looks awful. But I guess the brats of Gorman have gotten a real kick out of it. I wasn't the only one who got it, but everyone is scared of being burned out or something. My car was the only one with the words painted on it. Some had shaving cream and soap, toilet paper and the easy things to get cleaned up on them, except mine. Just try to get spray paint off and see what it takes

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Visiting recently with the L. D. Hollidays were Don and Nancy Alcorn and baby, Jennifer of Abilene and Gene Folsom of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schuman and Jacquelynn of Eastland visited with her parents, the Joe Bennetts on Sunday.

to do the job.

And that's not all. I may as well get my head chopped off for telling the other things that have been done.

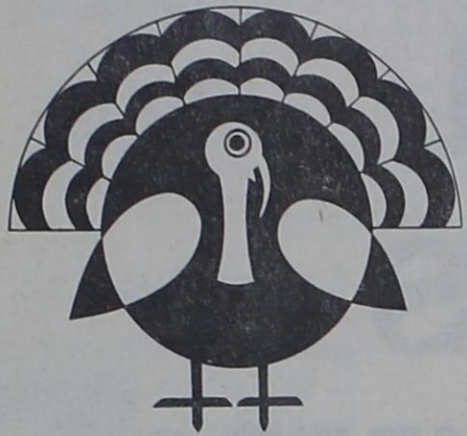
I have had fire crackers thrown at my front door and dead frogs put on the hood of my car, and have even had bicycles run on my porch and skateboards run all over the place. Well, sir, I could just go on and on, but just one more thing before I stop.

Not too long back there was a boy rode his bike up to my place, got off and walked to the porch. He then urinated on my porch. And when I told him to go home and tell his mother what he had done, he said, gripe old lady! And the smaller boys urinated on my car tires like a dog. I told one I was going to call the dog pound and he said he wasn't an animal, and I told him he was acting like a dog.

Now I will stop, for if this gets in the paper, which I intend for it to do, I will be a dead duck. But at least some will know about the elderly abuse that goes on in the housing complex as well as nursing homes. I will e'en sign my name.

Retha Leatherwood

And I am a heart patient and had two heart attacks at different times. Also I will give a reward to anyone that tells me who did this. But I have to have proof of the truth. I want a paint job on my car and can't pay for it. Look at the picture and think!



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CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

CYNTHIA EARLES HONORED

On Oct. 28th at 1:30 p. m. Jim, Qurisha and Amy Cliborne, Vardie and Faye Huff honored Cynthia Earles with a birthday party. They had party hats, plates, cups and napkins on a blue linen table cloth with a pink carnation and ivy centerpiece given by the Clibornes. Nancy Hendricks gave Cynthia a pink corsage.

Velma Bennett and Ava Rodgers decorated the "Happy Birthday Cake" served with pink punch.

Cynthia enjoyed opening her many pretty and useful gifts after the happy birthday song.

Veno Hale and Velma Bennett entertained.

Guests were the Clibornes, Huffs, Velma, Nancy, Veno and Era Whitehurst, Ola Walker, Minnie Dupuy, Odell Dupuy, James and Ruby Lee Kinser, Dorothy Beaty, Jr. Fairbetter, Ruby Vandergriff, Eulon Perry, Garnet Adams, Nancy Holloway,

Berta Poyner, Emma Shugart, S. D. Gilmore, Nellie Morgan, Orvil Boyd, Robert McClellan, Gloria Murphy, Faye Brewer and May Fry.

Berta Poyner's guests were James and Ruby Lee Kinser, Joe O'Neal, Doyle Poyner and Lovena K. Fonville.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were Ora Lee Lawrence, Sue Seaton, Joe O'Neal, Eunice Love, A. V. Seay, and Georgie Faye Skaggs.

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

Those visiting Bertie Leeper were Frances Overstreet, Jeannie Whitson, Norma Tedford, Joe O'Neal, Bob Sanders, Tola Bailey, Terry and Donna Tedford, Gary Strain and Eunice Love.

On Saturday Bro. Joe O'Neal and Rev. Joyce Dennis came and brought

the church services for 21 residents.

Visiting Clara Rich were Debbie Torrez, Louise Rich, Joe O'Neal, Eunice Love, Wilda and Terry Holt.

Rev. Ron Carroll taught the Sunday school lesson to 9 residents at 10 a. m.

LIZZIE JACKSON NEW RESIDENT

We are happy to have Mrs. Lizzie Jackson to come make her home with us and hope she will be happy.

Her children are J. O. and Gaynell Jackson of Hobbs, N. M. Margaret and Cleve Sloan of Hurst, Annette and Bobby Ward of Dublin, Jack and Deb Jackson of Gorman, Jeanette and Don Duncan of Yukon, Oklahoma.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Eunice Love, Lavoyce Hirst, Carole Ervin, Kathy, Bradley and Kaycee Gilmore, Willa Dean Ormsby and Joe O'Neal.

On Sunday at 4 p. m. coming from the Church of Christ were Bro. T. A. Grice, Bro. Curtis and Neta Maness, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Purnia Faye Smith, Frances Overstreet, Murtrice Rodgers, Dee and Bud Smithy, Allie Mae George, Lorene Foster, Nettie Denton, Floydene Gilbert, Juanita Files, Tracey and Janda Taylor, Cathy and Jennie Goode and Tiffany Troutman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Claiborne and Amy of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Huff visited Cynthia Earles.

On Monday morning Betty Sanders taught us arts and crafts.

Those visiting Varona Taylor were Curtis and Neta Maness, Cathy and Jennie Goode, Dora Faye Brewer, Janda and Tracey Taylor and Juanita Files.

On Monday May Fry and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Bertie Leeper, Ida Lewis, Lola Johnson, Garnet Adams, S. D. Gilmore, Emma Shugart, Ruby Vandergriff, Veno Hale, Ola Walker, Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison and Dorothy Beaty.

Visiting Minnie Brightwell were Odie Brightwell, Dale Brightwell, Willa Dean Ormsby of Stephenville, Betty Ann Hale of Brownwood, Zina

FARM AND GARDENS

By David L. Tunmire - County Extension Agent

HUNTING SEASON MEANS FIREARM SAFETY

Hunting season is here again.

Simpson and Audrey Nell Smith.

On Tuesday we had a resident meeting and elected Ora Mae Atchison as Resident of the Month and Emma Shugart as secretary.

Those visiting Ora Mae Atchison were Quida Joyce and Kacey Gartman, Tiffany Nowlin, Ima Lee Burleson and Chessley and Barbara Atchison.

Those coming for Tuesday singing were Melba Frasier, Lovena Fonville Billie Stacy, Anna Rush, Nancy Hendricks, Velma Bennett, Ava Rodgers, Odie Brightwell, Bernice Rodgers and Anita Franklin.

Billie Stacy made stuffed toys "Ferdinand and Daisy" and brought them to show all the residents.

Audrey Nell Smith of Hurst, Willa Deam Ormsby of Stephenville, Odell and Emma Bethany of De Leon, Tommy Brightwell of Hurst, Juanita Files, Bud and Dee Smithy, Curtis and Neta Maness visited Stella Thurman and Mary Choate.

Visiting Mae Quinn and Cleo Clement were Elsie Robinett of Rock Bluff, Ima Lee Burleson of Desdemona, Glen and Shirley Clement of Lake Leon, Wayne and Betty Quinn of Saginaw, Marie White of De Leon, Archie and Georgie Faye Skaggs, Mayvis Lasater, Sue Seaton, Veronica and Kaci Seaton, Barry, Sherry and Carson McMatch.

On Wednesday Willo Rice brought the devotional for 11 residents.

Anita Franklin and Jane Blacklock of Ranger visited Gracie Hamilton.

Irene West and Nancy Hendricks came on Wednesday for bingo. Winners were S. D. Gilmore, Emma Shugart, Ruby Vandergriff, Bertie Leeper, Ida Lewis, Veno Hale, Garnet Adams, Ora Mae Atchison, Nancy Holloway and Cynthia Earles.

On Thursday Bro. C. M. Avery of First Pentecostal Church had 19 residents for the devotional. He then visited everyone else.

We are sorry to report Berta Thomas, Jess Roberts and Harley Rawls are patients in different hospitals. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Bertha Gregory brought bananas for bingo on Friday. Nancy Hendricks and Berta helped. Winners were Ida Lewis, S. D. Gilmore, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Lola Johnson, Junior Fairbetter, Garnet Adams, Ruby Vandergriff and Ora Mae Atchison.

JEFFREY L. GREENE COMPLETES BASIC JET ENGINE COURSE

Navy Airman Apprentice Jeffrey L. Greene, son of Lyle F. Greene of De Leon, has completed the Aviation Machinist's Mate Basic Jet Engine Course.

During the five-week course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Naval Air Station Memphis, Millington, Tenn., Greene received introductory instructions on the characteristics and operating principles of jet engines. His studies included engine lubrication, ignition and fuel systems. He also studied the procedures for refueling and defueling aircraft, for removal and installation of aircraft engines and for the operation of aircraft ground handling equipment.

He is a 1988 graduate of Gorman High School.

—GP—

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CUBS DEFEATED BY WILDCATS 22-6; TRAVEL TO BAIRD FOR LAST GAME

On Thursday, November 1, the Gorman Cubs played their last home game of the season against the Santo Wildcats.

In the first quarter, the Wildcats scored, making the score by the second quarter 7 to 0.

The Wildcats scored again in the second quarter. The Cubs also made it to the goal line, but the play was called back. By halftime, the score

was 17-0.

The halftime activities included a spirit dance by the Cub Cheerleaders and the Gorman pep squad also performed for the spectators later in the game.

The Wildcats scored again in the third quarter, but, in the last quarter the Cubs came through for a touchdown by Don Mauney.

The Wildcats then scored again, making the final score 22-6.

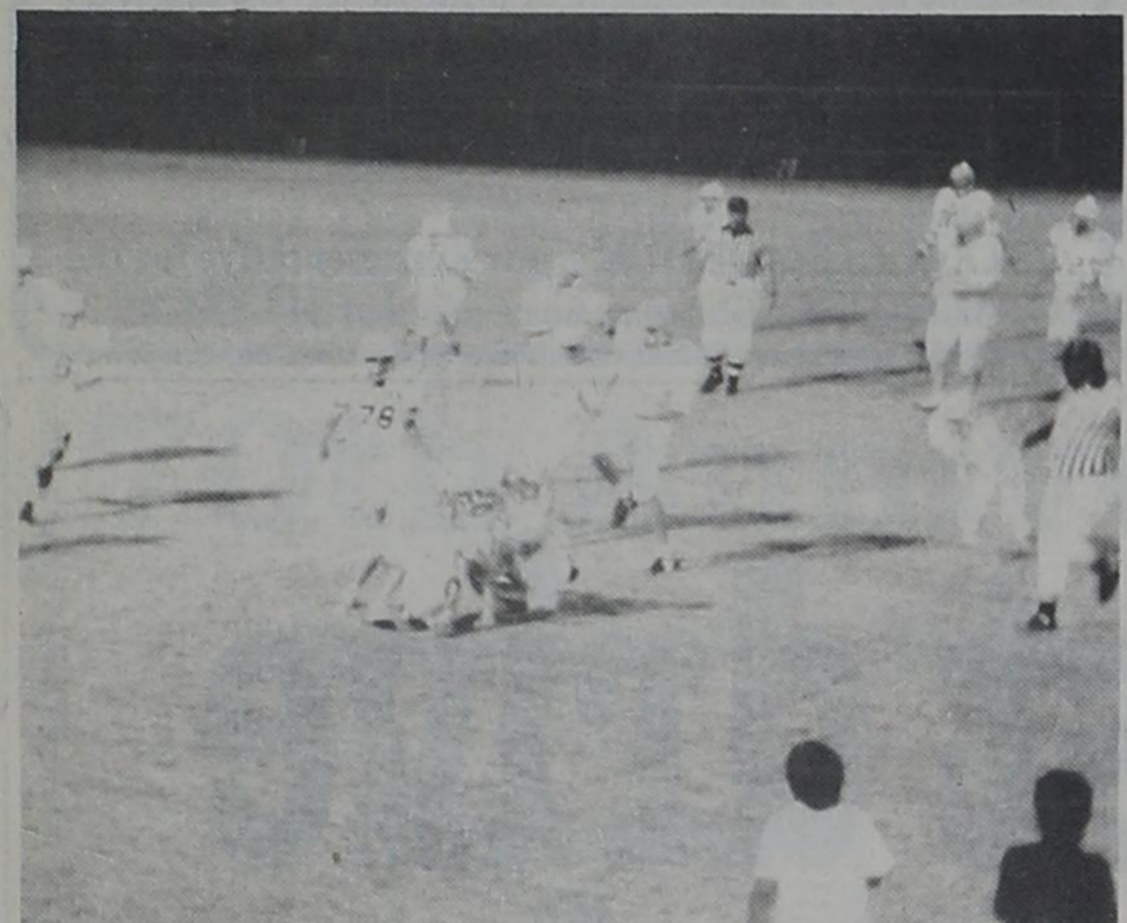
Coach Eddie Pettit said, "we made a few mistakes that cost us a couple of touchdowns, but other than that, we played pretty good."

The Cubs final game of the season will be played at Baird on Thursday, November 8th against the Bears. So come on out and cheer them on!

—GP—
Melissa Clark, Pep Squad Captain



CUB DEFENSIVE ACTION - Cub Defense is shown stopping Santo runner for a short gain. On the tackle are #22 Don Mauney, #83 John Ibarra, #76 Juan De la Torre. In pursuit #54 Jace Underwood, and #24 Ronald Majors.



CUBS ON THE MOVE - #22 Don Mauney is shown carrying the ball for short yardage in game action Thursday. Also shown blocking are #78 Marco Herrera and #72 Chris Holland.

A New Daughter For Richard and Suzie Patterson

Heather Paige Patterson was born at 5:04 p. m. Tuesday, October 16th at Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene. She weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces and measured 19 inches.

Richard and Suzie Patterson of Albany are the proud parents. Paternal grandparents are Joe Bob and Billy Patterson of Albany, and Jack and Nell Ridens of Desdemona are the maternal grandparents. Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Dave Ridens of Seminole.

—GP—

SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

Mozelle Rhymes

Anna Rush and Leland Warren attended the "Bean Fest Festival" in Mt. View, Arkansas last week. They report a good time, lots of hillbilly country and gospel music and lots of pretty fall colors. They also visited with Anna's granddaughter, Amy, in Rogers, Ark.

Ron and Mary Ann Prewitt of Fort Worth visited his mother, Muriel Prewitt, on Sunday.

Edgar and Ruth Higginbottom visited Byron and Fern Rogers in Santo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning and Gary visited Donna, Gary and Lesley Gatlin in Amarillo over the weekend. They reported a very enjoyable visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huff of Big Spring visited with E. J. Whitlock and M. L. and Frank Skiles in the hospital in De Leon this past weekend.

Our Thanksgiving Dinner and Program will be held Wednesday, November 14th. Please make reservations on or before Monday, Nov. 12th. Call 734-2966.

—GP—

Kokomo EH Club To Meet In Rodgers Home

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Berneice Rodgers on Monday, November 12th at 2 p. m.

The program chairman will give the program, "Microwaving for the Holidays".

Members are urged to be present and guests are welcome.

Nancy Hendricks, Reporter
—GP—

Gorman Ex-Student In Play Cast At Tarleton State

Vengeance and spite are the themes of "Medea", the ancient Greek tragedy by Euripides, which is to be presented Thursday thru Saturday, Nov. 8-9-10 in the Clyde H. Wells Fine Arts Center on the campus of Tarleton State University.

Presented by the Tarleton Players, the cast of the drama includes TSU student Cody Wayne Murra, a sophomore Theatre major from Gorman. Cody Wayne is the son of Paul and Terry Murray.

Performances will begin nightly at 7:30 in the Theater of the Fine Arts Center with a 2 p. m. matinee also scheduled for Saturday. Ticket info is available by calling 817-968-9634 weekdays.

—GP—

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Bill and Johnnie Bell of Duncanville, Mr. and Mrs. Denman Stanfield of Harlingen, and Bob and Lottie Broom of Monahans visited the Stanley Porters over the weekend.

Jessica Bryan Wins First Place In Coloring Contest



Jessica Bryan won the first place award in the Halloween Coloring Contest at Wal-Mart for the 2-3 age group.

She is the daughter of Harvey and Tammy Bryan of Gorman.

We congratulate Jessica on her accomplishment.

SCHOOL MENU

BREAKFAST

Monday - Oatmeal, cinnamon toast, juice and milk.

Tuesday - Eggs, bacon, toast, juice and milk.

Wednesday - Cheese toast, juice and milk.

Thursday - Rice with cinnamon and sugar, toast, juice and milk.

Friday - Biscuits, gravy, sausage, juice and milk.

LUNCH

Monday - Chicken nuggets, buttered potatoes, peas, pears, hot rolls, honey and milk.

Tuesday - Hamburger steak, gravy creamed potatoes, green beans, bananas, hot rolls and milk.

Wednesday - Taco salad, cheese, lettuce, Ranch Style Beans, tortilla chips, Jello, hot sauce and milk.

Thursday - Fish, macaroni and cheese, carrots, fruit cocktail, cookies, hot rolls and milk.

Friday - Sloppy Joe's, french fries, pickle spears, onions, ice cream and milk.

—GP—

Tiffany Stephens Begins Studies At Steno Institute

Tiffany Stephens of Gorman has recently begun studies at Stenograph Institute of Texas, toward becoming a certified, professional court reporter. Tiffany, a graduate of Gorman High School, is the daughter of Rodney and Linda Stephens.

While enrolled in Stenograph Institute, Tiffany will be taking courses in machine shorthand (stenotype) methods in order to take oral testimony verbatim at speeds up to 225 words per minute at 98 percent accuracy. Extensive coursework in medical and legal terminology, English grammar, and typing will also be part of the program.

—GP—

Fire Destroys Vacant Home Near Carbon

A large vacant house southeast of Carbon burned to the ground about 5:30 p. m. Sunday.

Collin Campbell, Carbon fire chief said flames were shooting from the roof and windows when he and several volunteers arrived at the site about three-fourths of a mile off Texas Hwy. 6.

Campbell said the prefabricated, 6-room house was owned by a man named Koonce, but he stated that he did not know where the owner lived.

No utilities were connected to the house, and the cause of the fire has not been determined, he said.

Neighbors saw the blaze and reported the fire, Campbell said.

—GP—

Leadership Retreat For Jr. 4-H Members

Eastland County 4-Hers will be attending the 1990 Leadership Retreat for Junior 4-H members at the State 4-H Center on November 17-18. The theme of the retreat is "4-Hers - Can Do Kids!". This will be an excellent opportunity for junior 4-H members, ages 11-13 to learn numerous basic personal skills and leadership techniques.

Accepted to attend the retreat are Nicki Cozart, Ranger; Jessica Keith and Jennifer Tinkler of Olden; Hannah Nicks of Cisco; and Melody Fisher, Kirby Bush, Robin Griffin, and Amy Collins, all of Rising Star. Adult chaperone from Eastland County who will be attending is Mrs. Fred Keith of Olden.



SCENE FROM HALLOWEEN SPOOK PARADE - Shown above are several spooks and unidentified monsters gathering in Downtown Gorman for the Halloween Spook Parade held yearly by the Gorman Business Alliance to hand out reflectors so that the children can be seen better at night.



TRYING TO HELP WITH THE KICKING - The Panther Cheerleaders shown above are trying to help the Panther kicking unit from the sideline during game action. Jana Norris and Mandy Wilcoxson are holding up Panther Mascot Cari Daniels.

Residents Urged To Watch For Scam Operations

Eastland Police officers are warning area residents to watch for several possible scam operations offering big money prizes in return for payments of cash.

A Georgia firm has reportedly contacted a local resident by telephone and informed the person that he was a top winner and had won \$25,000.00 but before it could be paid the senior citizen would have to send the firm \$798.00. When the man replied that he didn't have that much, he was informed that he could send in a little over \$500.00 and receive \$2,500.00. Another younger man was told that for \$3,999.00 he would get the top prize of \$15,000.

Based on the information given by the senior citizen and the investigation by the Eastland Police Dept., this is nothing more than a scam, said Criminal District Attorney Emory Walton. He said the matter came to light when a concerned citizen called Walton who immediately contacted Eastland Police Chief Lyndall Underwood and newly appointed Chief Cecil Funderburgh.

Walton said that everyone should be alert to possible fraud and scams such as unscrupulous door to door and telephone peddlers of all kinds of get rich schemes and house repairs such as roofs, painting foundation, etc., and insurance agents. He mentioned that one of the worst scams he had observed was an insurance scam for over \$40,000.00 that an elderly couple lost in Eastland County about three years ago.

Cisco Junior To Host Big Country FFA Leadership

Cisco Junior College will host the Big Country FFA Leadership contest on Tuesday, November 13th.

Approximately 600 agriculture high school students and teachers will participate throughout the day in seven contest areas which include Greenhand Chapter Conducting, Greenhand Farm Skills, Chapter Farmer Chapter Conducting, Chapter Farmer Farm Skills, Farm Radio, Extemporaneous Speaking, and Greenhand.

Towns that will be attending from the Big Country District are Coleman Clyde, Wylie, Winters, Ballinger, Miles, Baird, Novice, Merkel, Eula, Cross Plains, Cisco, Jim Ned, Bangs, Mozelle, Abilene, Talpa, Cooper, Trent, and Santa Anna.

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Defensive Driving Course Set At CJC November 12-14

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on November 12 and 14, (Monday and Wednesday) from 6 to 10 p. m. The class will meet in Room 3 of Schaefer Hall. Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment fee must be paid by 3 p. m. on Monday, November 12.

Students must complete both nites of the course in order to receive certification. Students must bring a valid drivers license to class.

For more info contact Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567, Ext. 122.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Jay and Rae Leazer of Arlington and Frank and Sue Leazer of Laguna Park spent Saturday with their sister, Muriel Prewitt.

FISH FRY

November 12th

6 P.M. til 9 P.M.

Cook's Fish Barn

ALL YOU CAN EAT

\$6.50

Proceeds Benefit
SIPE SPRINGS VOL.
FIRE DEPARTMENT
- Ya'all Come -

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 you 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.

THE GORMAN PTO voted to collect Del Monte labels as well as Campbell's labels. The Del Monte label 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.

Don't Forget the 2nd Friday Night Musical at the Old Gorman Fire Hall. Concession stand opens at 6:00 p.m. Come on and Eat and Get the Music Started. Have Fun.

Free Troop Support Ribbons Compliments of Foster Floral. Just come in and ask for one. This ribbon is the official symbol of support of U.S. Troops in Operation Desert Shield.

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 NOVEMBER 21ST.