



—J—

The weatherman has been cooperating a little better the past couple of weeks. We have had some great weather, along with a little rain here a day or two, which was light and didn't really hurt a thing. In fact, there were a lot of folks who really needed a shower.

The way it looks now our winter is over! Oh, you think so? Well don't bet on it, because according to the old saying, "If it thunders in February, it will freeze on that day in April". Ugh! I hope not.

But I guess we will take whatever comes our way, like it or not!

—J—

We appreciate all the advertisers in this week's issue of the Progress, who have made it possible for us to pay tribute to our farmers and ranchers in the area, who are responsible for our economic well-being. Without these advertisers it would be impossible for us to publish The Gorman Progress. We just want to let the advertisers know we appreciate their support for "Your Hometown Newspaper". Thanks, Ya'll!

—J—

Have received several letters in the past several weeks and decided to publish them:

Dear Editor:

What a pleasant two days we experienced with Gorman's students! The gifted/talented students in the Gorman middle and high schools attended the WINGS Student Seminars at Region 14 Education Service Center in Abilene on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 11 and 12. The students from Gorman school were most courteous and attentive while actively participating with presenters who had given their time and expertise. It is always a pleasure to see young people who value learning and guidance. Be sure to express to these students and their teachers your esteem for their attitudes and hard work.

Sincerely,

Cecelia Boswell
Educational Consultant,
Gifted and Talented
WINGS Coordinator
Vicki Frossard Campbell
WINGS Coordinator

Thanks for the good words about our school students. I have always said that we have some of the greatest young people here that you could not find anywhere else in the world.

Dear Progress staff:

I am home from the nursing home

Panthers Split Games With Bulldogs; Play At Ranger

The Gorman Panthers and the Ranger JV met twice on the ballfield during spring vacation.

On Tuesday, March 16th Gorman defeated the Bulldogs 13-2 at Gorman. Pitchers for Gorman were Genaro Madera and Daniel Sanchez. Madera struck out seven batters, while Sanchez, who pitched the last inning of the five-inning game, struck out the last two batters.

Scoring for the Panthers were Noah Landa, Daniel Sanchez, Jason Ditmore, Steve Taylor, Don Mauney

here and I would like the Gorman Progress again. I didn't have my address changed because I didn't know how long I would be there.

I am enclosing \$12 for a year's sub.

Thank you folks!

Bessie L. Askew, Elgin, Texas
Dear Joe, Lonnie and Herman
Just a short note with my check.

We have been having some of your rain. If it doesn't stop raining in Texas, there won't be a state to visit. Saw all of the pictures of Houston on TV. Sure looked bad. We sure needed the rain and the weather news says another storm is on its way tonight or early tomorrow morning.

I am feeling very good these days. I had a flu shot and guess what I got the flu in January a week later. But I am still clear of cancer which is good.

My best to all of you.

Medadell Williams

Dear sirs:

I am enclosing my check to renew my paper for another year (3-92 to 3-93).

Yours truly,

J. R. Files, LaFeria, Texas

—J—

Let's all turn out for the upcoming Chamber of Commerce Awards Banquet coming up on Thursday, April 2nd. We are getting the "National Peanut Month" issue out a week ahead of the banquet on account of it falling in March, and the date for the banquet had to be set for April 2nd. Anyway, lets all get our tickets as early as possible so we can get a good head count for the caterer. Tickets are on sale at most businesses and places in town.

Well Jake is back now, so I guess the paper will get out real easy this week. If anything was wrong last week blame it on him (Lonnie) because he was up in Colorado skiing while I was here slaving away! Ugh!

—J—

And remember to smile... because
God Loves You!

and Cory Pack. Gorman scored the 13 runs on 12 hits.

Pitchers for Ranger were Huston and Christian. Huston struck out four Panthers and Christian struck out five players. Owens and Abila scored the two runs for Ranger in the fourth inning.

On Friday, March 20th the two teams tied 8-8 in a six-inning game, which was called because of darkness.

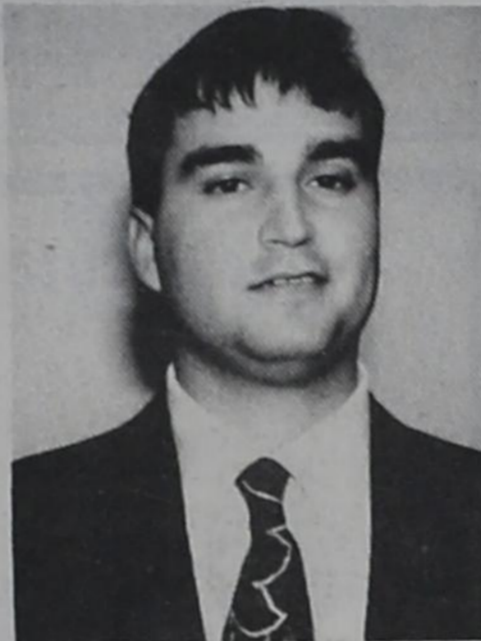
Pitchers for Gorman were Cory Pack, Jason Ditmore, Daniel Sanchez and Genaro Madera. Gorman chalked up 8 hits, while Daniel Sanchez, Noah Landa, Jason Ditmore and Genaro Madera did the scoring.

Pitchers for Ranger were Huston, Lucky and Christian. Scoring for Ranger were Lucky, Abila, Monroe, Christian, Barker and Thomas.

The Panthers are entered in the Ranger Tournament on March 26-28 and will then go to Brock on Tuesday March 31st at 4:30.

—GP—

John Carter To Be Missionary



John Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carter of Gorman, will be a 1992 Baptist Student Union summer missionary in the Asutin Baptist Association.

Carter, a student at Tarleton State University, Stephenville, is one of 127 Texas college students who will share their Christian faith this summer through church and mission related ministries in 17 states and six foreign countries, said Jack Greever of Dallas, director of the Texas Baptist Division of Student Work.

Fellow BSUsers at 136 campuses across the state are raising \$130,000 to support the ministries of the 116 summer missionaries.

Baptist Student Unions are sponsored by the churches of the 2.5-million-member Baptist General Convention of Texas and are supported through the Cooperative Program gifts of about 5,400 churches and missions and through the Baptist associations and individual churches.

Through the Cooperative Program the churches also support the work of about 8,800 missionaries in the U. S. and 122 foreign countries, plus six seminaries, the Radio and Television Commission and other causes.

Cooperative Program gifts also support 23 Texas Baptist educational and benevolent institutions, plus state mission work.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association Organized

We have organized the Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association that has been incorporated by the State of Texas as a non-profit organization in order that we may have a tax-exempt Savings Account for a Permanent Care Fund. We begin with \$32,000 from Arthur and Vesta Bryan Memorial Fund and \$20,000 from Gorman Cemetery Fund. The interest from the Permanent Care Fund goes directly to the Working Fund to pay current operating expenses. The City of Gorman has relinquished all caretaking responsibilities of the cemetery to this association.

All donations, memorials or estate planning should be made to the Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association and specified "Working Fund" or "Permanent Care Fund" as this association will be responsible for all caretaking expenses. "Permanent Care" means these funds can never be used, only the interest goes into the "Working Fund".

Officers elected include five trustees: Chairman Marvin Jones; Lowell Rawls; Tommy Clark; Bruce Hirst and Dale Curb. Secretary is Doris Bryan and treasurer is Mary Waller. Two trustees will be elected in 1993,

Gorman School and City Candidates Signup

Jack Simpson, appointed incumbent mayor, has filed for a full term in that position in the City Election.

John Rice, incumbent, has filed for re-election for Place 2 on the City Commission. Johnny Dorsett has also filed for the Place 2 position.

Johnny Smith is running unopposed for Place 4 on the Commission.

Six people have filed for the three full term positions on the Gorman School Board of Trustees. They are Larry Keith, Bobby Rich, Gene Smith and Becky Laminack, and incumbents Danny Snider and Robert Ervin.

The other incumbent, Glenn Glasson, has filed for a one year unexpired term on the board.

Election day for the city and school elections is Saturday, May 2nd.

—GP—

Gorman ISD To Offer Gifted Education Tests

Gorman ISD will be conducting a program for students with above average potential in academic and creative-productive thinking skills areas in grades K-12 next year. This gifted education program is designed to challenge students to accelerate above and beyond the regular school curriculum.

Anyone wishing to nominate a student believed to be an intellectually and creatively gifted learner is encouraged to come by the Counselor's office or the appropriate school office and complete the necessary forms. Those students nominated will go through a screening procedure which requires special testing. At the time of nomination, parents will be requested to grant permission for this testing.

The deadline for nominations as Friday, March 27th, 1992.

—GP—

NOTE OF THANKS

The Class of 1992 would like to send a Special Thanks to the Masonic Lodge members.

We appreciate your allowing us to cater your 100th anniversary dinner. Your support is greatly appreciated and the money will go toward our senior trip, which helps a lot.

Thanks again,

Class of '92

—GP—

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Rupert M. Buntin, Sr. would like to express our warmest of "Thank You's" to friends all around Gorman who lent a helping hand after the loss of Papa. Also, we appreciate your thoughts to us of your friendship over the years with him and the concern for us now that he is gone.

God bless each one of you.

Sincerely,

Lillian Buntin
Rupert Morris Jr, Carol,
and all Papa's Grandkids

—GP—

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Laverne Clark of Brownwood and Mrs. Dora Priddy of Gustine were visitors Tuesday with the Terry and Tommy Clark families and Estelle Craddock. Also with Dora's daughter, Fonda Ponds, at Texas Peanut Producers Board.

Bob Turner To Speak At Annual Chamber Banquet

The Annual Gorman Chamber of Commerce Banquet, presenting the Agricultural Award, the Community Service Award, and the Academic Achievement Awards, is now upon us. The date has been set for Thursday, April 2 at 7 p. m. in the school gym.

Speaker for this year's event will be Representative Bob Turner of the 64th District.



Rep. Turner is married to the former Ann Gale, and the couple have three sons, Gary W. (29), Sammy R. (27), and Darrell S. (19). He is a Democrat.

Turner attended Liberty University at Lynchburg, Va. (government), U. S. Army Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Ks. He also attended the U. S. Army Officer Advance Leadership Corp. at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

He has been a retail merchant, farmer/rancher, retired Lt. Col. U.

S. Army Reserve (total of 35 years of service), Coleman Development Co. as executive director.

His public service includes being elected Texas House of Representatives, District 65 in Special election of the 72nd Legislative Session, and on committees on cultural and historical resources and science and technology, and a member of Texas Conservative Coalition and Texas Rural Coalition. Community service includes president and member of school board for 17 years, member of Community Justice Council, Chairman of National Rural Health Committee, Delegate to Texas Association of School Boards, past president and vice president of Coleman County Farm Bureau, music director of United Methodist Church, past State Director and vp of Texas Farm Bureau, past president of Coleman Chamber of Commerce, Chairman USDA Advisory Committee on Animal Damage Control, a lifetime member of Texas National Guard Association and U. S. Reserve Officers Association, and Health Care Task Force (appointed by Gov. Richards).

His awards include being named Outstanding Rural Citizen by the Coleman County Chamber of Commerce for 1990, and Honor Cross in Sliver of Federal Republic of Germany in 1989.

His hobbies are hunting, fishing, country western music, reading, travel, meaningful conversation.

Tickets are \$7.50 each and the meal will be catered by Oscar's of Cisco. Tickets are available at the door and from the following: Daryl Hirst, G&H Feed; George Simmons, Gorman Pharmacy; Joe Bennett, Gorman Progress; Tommy Harrison, A. O. Easley Trucks; Brent Lasater, Higginbothams; Theresia Rountree; Fred Rogers; Terry Treadway; Birdsong Peanuts; Foster Floral; Henderson's Quickway; Sunbelt Savings; and Citizens State Bank.

We look forward to seeing you there.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Carbon Cemetery Association will hold its First Annual Springtime Meeting on Saturday, April 4th at 7:00 p.m. at the Carbon School Cafeteria. The meeting will be to conduct general business and elect officers for the coming year. Everyone is cordially invited to attend our meeting as each has a vote in what happens to the Cemetery and it's Association.

METHODIST MISSION HOME, of San Antonio, will conduct an all-day Orientation for prospective adoptive parents at First United Methodist Church, 1928 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas, on Saturday, April 4, 1992, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Advance registration is preferred to ensure availability of space and materials; registration at the door is possible. The cost is \$50.00 per couple. Call now for reservations (512) 696-7021. Come and learn about Open Adoption; you could be a parent sooner than you think!

DESDEMONA MONTHLY MUSICAL will be Saturday, March 28 at the Community Center. All area musicians invited. Concession booth with sandwiches, drinks and homemade pie. Bring your friends for an enjoyable evening.

OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES - PAT CORNWELL, R.N.

Blood Pressure and Blood Sugar Clinic will be held on the Second Wednesday of each month at the Gorman Hotel Apartments and the Third Wednesday of each month at Senior Citizens Center from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

The Gorman Peanut Festival Committee meets on the Second Wednesday of Each Month at 8:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria. Make plans to come to the meeting.

STATED MEETINGS FOR GORMAN MASONIC LODGE NO. 716 ARE SECOND TUESDAYS OF EACH MONTH AT 7:30 P.M. VISITORS ARE MOST WELCOME, AND MEMBERS ARE URGED TO ATTEND. ELWOOD RAGLAND, MASTER 758-2552, HOWARD HAGOOD, SECRETARY 734-2977.

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 and Howard Hagood, Worthy Patron 734-2977.

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 APRIL 15TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

FINAL BASEBALL SIGNUP SET FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 31ST AT 7 P. M. AT SCHOOL CAFETERIA.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

WHEREAS, Texas peanut producers from the High Plains to South Texas harvested a record peanut crop during 1991; and

WHEREAS, the outstanding efforts of our producers ranked Texas second in the nation in peanut production last year; and

WHEREAS, value of Texas peanut production exceeded \$187 million during 1991; and

WHEREAS, exports of Texas peanuts and peanut products generate more than \$20 million for Texas agriculture; and

WHEREAS, Texans consume an average of more than seven pounds of peanuts and peanut products per person every year; and

WHEREAS, peanuts are an excellent source of vegetable protein, have very little sodium and are high in the B vitamins and other nutrients vital to the human diet; and

WHEREAS, the cultivation of peanuts is beneficial to the soil, helping to fortify one of our state's primary natural resources;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that peanut farming is a vital part of Texas agriculture and is important to the economic future of the state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Perry, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, do hereby proclaim March 1992 as

NATIONAL PEANUT MONTH IN TEXAS

and call upon all the citizens of Texas to join in saluting Texas peanut producers and processors and the rich heritage they have contributed to Texas agriculture.

In official recognition, I hereby affix my signature on this 23rd day of March, 1992.

Rick Perry
Rick Perry
Commissioner of Agriculture



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Several things help prevent mildew growth. Provide adequate ventilation throughout the house, especially in enclosed spaces. For example run an electric fan in places that cannot be exposed to outside air easily such as linen and storage closets.

Leave closets and dresser drawers open occasionally to allow moisture to escape. Burning a small electric light bulb in a closed closet will help dry it out. A will heating it with a small, electric heater placed on the floor of the closet. When heating the closet, be sure to follow the directions for safe operation of the heater.

Hang clothes loosely so air can circulate around them. Keep shoes and other articles on shelves, preferably perforated ones, to maintain better air circulation. Be sure things are clean and dry before putting them away.

Dry shower curtains and walls after each shower to reduce moisture in bathrooms. Leave shower curtains open to allow air to circulate in the shower or tub area. Hang wet towels to dry immediately after use or place them in the dryer on air dry to speed drying time and to vent moisture out of the house through the dryer vent.

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Keeping all surfaces clean and dry will help prevent mildew, too. Washing walls, floors, tile, and other hard surfaces with a chlorine bleach solution will get rid of musty odors and prevent mold spores from growing. Use one-half cup to one cup of liquid chlorine bleach to a gallon of water. Use only on surfaces that are safe to bleach. Rinse with clear water and wipe as dry as possible. Fungicidal products also control mildew effectively.

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Tommy B. McCoy Buried Wednesday In Eastland

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Services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at Bakker Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with the Revs. Jom Oglesby and Ronald Bear officiating. Burial was in the Eastland Cemetery.

Mr. McCoy was born in Eastland where he had lived most of his life until moving to Carbon in 1969. He was maintenance engineer for Eastland County for 14 years, retiring in June of 1991. He was a member of the Eastland Church of God. A U. S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict, he served 14 years in the Texas National Guard.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby McCoy of Carbon; three sons, Tommy G. McCoy of Berlin, Germany, Calvin Griffin of Carbon and Dale Griffin of Gorman; two daughters,

Shelly Thetford and Debra England, Larue Gallum of Ranger and Lorine both of Gorman; a brother, Johnny Sharp of Eastland; and 11 grandchildren. McCoy of Eastland; two sisters, Sharp of Eastland; and 11 grandchildren.

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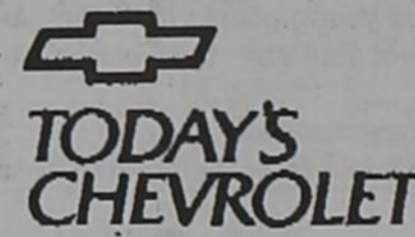
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The Gorman FFA Booster Club is selling 2 lb. packages of fresh sausage for \$5.00. Contact a FFA member today for your sausage.

The Gorman FFA Boosters Club is holding a drawing for one-half beef to be given away on April 4th at Underwood's Farm Auction. The beef is donated by Eastland Auction. Be sure to see a FFA member for your ticket donation.

J. B. Blancet Buried Friday At Oaklawn Cemetery

J. B. Blancet, 73, of Gorman, passed away Thursday, March 19th at his home.

Services were held at 3 p. m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Richard Watson officiating. Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery of Gorman.

Mr. Blancet was born in Waco. He was a member of New Hope Baptist Church and worked for Birdsong Peanuts for 19 years.

Survivors include his wife, Era Lee Blancet of Gorman; a daughter, Donna Oglesby of Granbury; two stepsons, Bill Skiles and Jimmy Skiles, both of Odessa; two stepdaughters, Doris Cisco of Odessa and Joanne Watson of Mansford, Okla.; four brothers, Henry Blancet of Gorman, Virgil of Houston, Clarence of Corsicana and Roy of Stamford; a sister, Ruby May of Crockett; two grandchildren; and numerous step-grandchildren.

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Services For

I. D. Hogan Held Wednesday

I. D. Hogan, 82, of Carbon, passed away Monday, March 23rd in the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Services were held at 10 a. m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Gorman with burial in the Murray Memorial Cemetery near Carbon.

Mr. Hogan worked 20 years as a janitor in the Carbon Independent School District and was a Pentecostal.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Lee Hogan of Carbon; two stepsons, Kenneth Parrigan of Fort Worth and Jimmy Parrigan of Cisco; three stepdaughters, Julia Burgess of Rockwall Nelda Lee of Hattiesburg, Miss., and Martha Beggett of Garland; two sisters, Lula Petree of Eastland and Marie Welch of Cisco; and numerous step-grandchildren, step great-grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

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The State of Texas
The County of Eastland
Gorman Independent School District

TO THE PUBLIC:

Take notice that a hearing will be held before the Board of Trustees in the Gorman Independent School District at the Elementary Building, at 7:00 p.m. on April 6, 1992, for the purpose of considering a Petition for the detachment of certain territory comprising 43,000 acres, more or less, from Eastland Independent School District and annexing it to Gorman Independent School District, which petition was tendered to the Gorman Independent School District Board of Trustees on Monday, March 9, 1992.

For more information, please contact:

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Agriculture Viewpoint

By M. Davy Vestal

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tional Peanut Month than Eastland County, Texas, the peanut capitol of the Southwest.

Peanut producers visited with Texas Dept. of Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry on Monday, March 23rd at the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association in Gorman. Commissioner Perry visited with producers over TDA effort and influences in the peanut marketing segment. The program was coordinated through the Texas Agriculture Extension Service of 'Eastland County.

LIVESTOCK REPORT

Marketings up, placements down and cattle on feed numbers down 8 percent from the previous year should spell b-u-l-l-i-s-h, but it did not. The next Monday's futures market for fed cattle was down, not up! The decline of the futures market, however, was independent of the February Cattle On Feed report. Reported "head-butting" between retailers and packers and packers and feedlots has reduced feedlot marketings in recent weeks. Packers are planning to reduce hours because of operating losses and some plants may be temporarily closed. Weekly feed cattle slaughter will likely be less than 600,000 head for the next month, but many analysts think that's all market-ready supplies can sustain for the next few weeks anyway.

Last fall's low feedlot placements are finally catching up with the market. Fed cattle supplies are smaller, putting pressure on the market for higher cattle and beef prices. Retailers, however, have been reluctant to raise their prices because of major competition from other retailers and warehouse clubs like Sam's. At the same time retailers had been reluctant to reduce the retail price spreads, i.e., profit margins, which would allow wholesale beef and fed cattle prices to increase enough for packers and feedlots to operate within profitable margins. Beginning in January, however, retailers allowed their margins to narrow by 5.5 cents. Consequently, wholesale box beef prices increased some 3 to 4 cents per pound as did fed cattle prices. If this trend continues through April, it is possible that fed cattle prices could again reach the \$80 per hundred-weight level this spring.

As spring approaches, consumer beef demand should increase seasonally. Usually, the increased beef demand will pull retail beef prices up. If retail margins stay constant

wholesale beef and feed cattle prices will also increase. The only problem with this scenario is that retailers will most likely be featuring price specials on pork and chicken, because of the abundant supply of both meats expected this spring. As usual, this spring's market is a tough market to call, but the bets for higher fed cattle prices this spring.

AGRI-CHEMICAL REPORT

The Comanche County Extension Crops Committee is sponsoring a Herbicide Incorporation Demonstration on Friday, March 27th at the

George Bingham Farm near De Leon. This demonstration will show exactly what's happening to herbicide when the farmer incorporates it into the soil. I believe this demonstration will be very beneficial in your decision making process over incorporating herbicides. For more info, call the Eastland or Comanche County Extension office.

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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Marie Friday, Jerry Ray Friday, Treva Green and Bobby and Diane Friday, all of Midland, Peggy and Bobby Ingram of Cisco, Vonceia and Kenneth Snider of Rosebud, Ark. visited with Maggie and Jewel Snider on March 14th and 15th.

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

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- 1-1967 - 4020 J. D. L.P. D.H., Power Shift, 16.8x34
- 1-1980 Big Wheels, Double Hyd. Spinner, L2020 Box, 22" Belt, V653 Detroit, Allison Trans.
- 1-1979 Big Wheels, 55' Booms, 1250 Gal. Tank, De Foo Valve, V653 Detroit, Allison Trans.
- 1-Fertilizer Batch Mixer, Hopper, Conveyor, Scales, Smith Mixer, Elect. Motors, Can Be Viewed by Depot in Gorman, Sold At Sale Site.
- 1-1977 - J. D. 4430, Cab, Air, Quad Range, D.H., 20.8x34.
- 1-1954 - Chevy, 6 Cyl., Twin Hoist, 16' Bed Grain Truck.
- 1-Gleaner Model G, 20' Header, Cab, Air Grain Combine.
- 1-1962 - Chevy, 21' Bed, Twin Hoist, Grain Truck, 6 Cyl.
- 1-1954 - Chevy, 6 Cyl., Twin Hoist, Grain Truck.
- 1951 - Chevy, 6 Cyl., 16' Steel Flatbed.

EQUIPMENT -

- 1-2 Row Wichita Coaster Sprigger.
- 1-3 Bottom Moltboard.
- 1-2 Row Birch Watermelon Planter.
- 1-10' Long Tandem SPT.
- 1-7 Shank Big Ox
- 1-9 Shank Big Ox D.G.W.
- 1-M.F. 680, 5 Bottom 16" Semi Mount Moltboard.
- 2-M.F. 680, 6 Bottom 1-18"-1-16" Semi Mount Moltboards.
- 1-Olive 5 Bottom 16" SPT. New Bottoms.
- 1-White 508, 5 Bottom 16" Semi Mount Moltboards.
- 1-Row J. D. Maxdinger Planter, Rowmarkers, Chain, Booms, G.W.
- 1-4 Row Bush Planter With Fertil. Booms.
- 1-4 Row McClintock Fertilizer With Bushchapters.
- 1-12' MF41 Offset, New Disc.
- 1-11 Shank Bush Hog Chisel G.W. SPT.
- 1-7 Shank Spring Loaded Chisel.
- 1-Deerborn Post Hole Digger.
- 1-9 Shank MF 129 Chisel G.W. SPT.
- 1-19 Shank Moltboard Fold Wing, H.C. Chisel G.W.
- 1-21' J. D. 1100 Field Cut, W. Mulchers G.W. 3 PT. A.C. 10 Disc Onway New 24" disc.
- 1-New 6 Row, Spiral Reels, 1x3 Shanks, Stalkcutter.
- 1-4 Row Spiral Reels 1x3 Shanks, Stalkcutter.
- 1-855, 11 Shank Chisel G.W.
- 1-MF 57 4 Bottom Follower 16" Moltboard.
- 1-Hamby 4x4 Lay Off Rig, 7-1x3 Shanks, G.W. Rowmarkers.
- 1-Fert. Spreader, Double Spinner, PTO Drive, 4 Ton Box.
- 1-Speed King 67X30 PTO Grain Auger.
- 1-21' Field Cut, Folding Wings, Cyls., 4 G.W. 565 SPT.
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- 1-8' Walker, Heavy Front Disc Blade.
- 1-Silver King Squeezes Chute (Clean).
- 1-14 Shank J. D. Chisel, G.W., H.C.
- 1-42-73 Bermuda King Springdigger 42".
- 1-Case 6 Bottom 16" SemiMount Moltboard.
- 1-8 Row Fold Wing, Double 2 1/4 Bar Cut.
- 1-6 Row Stalkcutter S.M.
- 1-4 Row J.D. 71 Flex Planter.
- 1-4 Row J.D. 258 Peanut Planter.
- 1-12' King Tandem SPT.
- 1-5 Row Backler G.W.
- 1-4 Row Stalkcutter.
- 1-4 Row Yl. State Cut. G.W.
- 1-8' Heavy Box Blade S.M. SPT.
- 1-New 8' Box Blade SPT.
- 1-New 10' Box Blade SPT.
- 2-New 6' Box Blades W. Scarifiers.
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- 1-6 Row Lilliston Rolling Cut.
- 1-6 Row A. C. Rolling Cut.
- 1-4 Row Ferguson Cut.
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- 1-Masquila Grubber SPT.
- 1-J. D. 20x7 Model B. Grindmill.
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- 1-30' Krusack Fold Wing Chisel, Hyd. Cyls. Mulcher.
- 1-8' 6 Bottom, 16" On Land Moltboard, New Bottoms.
- 1-Sunflower 16' Fold Wing OFFSET.
- 1-1981 Chevy, 350, 4 Speed, 4 Wheeldrive.
- 1-1976 Chevy, 350, Auto. Trans.
- 1-1967 J. D. 3020, Fenders, S.H., 16.9x38.
- 1-1977 M. F. 1105, Cab, Air, D.H., Multipower 18.4x38.
- 1-1976 J. D. 4230, Cab, Air, D. H. PowerShift 18.4x34.

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- 1-260 J. D. Disc Cutter (Clean).
- 1-2 Wheel Rake SPT. New.
- 1-Ford Side Delivery Rake SPT.
- 1-Tumbulug Round Bale Hauler.
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- 1-303 Long Peanut Combine.
- 1-Regular Peanut Combine Long.
- 1-Paulk 2 Row Inverter.
- 3-Metal 4 Wheel Peanut Trailers.
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- 1-Meda Steel Peanut Trailer, T.A.
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- 3-363 Long Peanut Combine.
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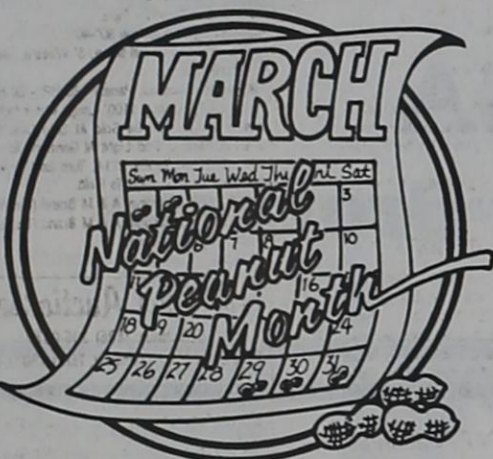
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Police Report For The Month of February

The Chief of Police of Gorman, David Smothers, reported the following for the month of February by his department:

To the Honorable Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Gorman;

During the month of February, 1992 the Gorman Police Dept. issued one traffic citation for failure to yield the right of away;

Arrested or detained eight persons as follows: two P.I., two thefts, 1 D.W.I., one assault and one burglary;

Investigated 32 reports, as follows: two unsecured property, four disturbance calls, 1 wreckless driver, two burglaries, five thefts, seven suspicious vehicles, three prowlers, four accidents, three lost children

SCHOOL MENU

BREAKFAST
Monday - Cheese toast, juice and milk.
and one open door.
Answered 23 calls for assistance, as follows: five public assistance, two emergency messages, three fire calls, two animal control, one dispatch meeting, one funeral escort, five assist other agencies, two medical assist, two welfare concerns.
Vehicle information included:
Beginning mileage 97484
Ending Mileage 99280
Total Mileage 1,796
Fuel Used 182 gals.
Fuel Economy 9.8 mpg.
In maintenance there was one oil change at \$11.00

Tuesday - Muffins, juice and milk.
Wednesday - Eggs, cheese, biscuits, juice and milk.
Thursday - Rice, toast, juice and milk.
Friday - Pancakes, syrup, sausage juice and milk.
LUNCH
Monday - BBQ wieners, macaroni and cheese, green beans, peaches, hot rolls, chocolate chip cookies and milk.
Tuesday - Hamburger steak with cream potatoes, green beans, brown gravy, hot rolls and milk.
Wednesday - Taco salad, cheese, lettuce, ranch beans, apples, tortilla chips, hot sauce and milk.
Thursday - Ham and cheese pitas, salad, corn, pineapple and milk.
Friday - Sloppy Joe's, pickle spears, onions, tater tots, ice cream and milk.

4-H Club News

SIX FLAGS OVER TEXAS "DISCOUNT" TICKETS
Eastland County 4-H is again offering discount tickets to Six Flags this Spring and Summer.
Tickets for the "Early Bird Special" (Feb. 29-April 26) will be offered at \$16.
Regular Daily Tickets (May 1 - end of season) will cost you \$18.25 for a savings of \$6.23 over the regular ticket at the gate.
To purchase tickets, contact the Eastland County Extension Service

office at 629-2222 or come by the office in the Eastland County Courthouse basement.

4H ADULT SPECTRA
Eastland County 4-H leaders will be attending the 1992 4-H Adult Spectra. Spectra provides an excellent opportunity for both adult volunteers and County Extension Agents to learn new things in teaching 4-Hers.

Attending from Eastland County are Mrs. Donna White, Mrs. Nanette Keith and Mrs. Janet Thomas.

4-H COUNTY ROUNDUP CONTEST
County 4-H Roundup Contests are scheduled Tuesday, March 24th at the Rising Star Methodist Church. Contests will begin at 5:30 p. m.
4-Hers needing additional inform-

ation or assistance on contests, may contact the Eastland County Extension Agents.

DISTRICT 8 SPRING WORKSHOP
4-Hers and leaders will be attending the District 8 4-H Spring Workshop on Saturday, March 28th in Hamilton.

Business meeting of the District 4-H Council and District 8 VLAT will be attended by Cathy Thomas, Ricky Agnew, Mrs. Vicki Seay and Fred Keith.

All 4-Hers and parents are invited to attend and participate in the workshops.

To pre-register, contact the Eastland County Extension Service office.

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Larry Kyle Bryant Inducted Into Alpha Chi At Tarleton State

Larry Kyle Bryant, Jr., a Tarleton State University student from Gorman, was one of 59 students from the University inducted during spring semester into the Texas Alpha Kappa Chapter of Alpha Chi, the national honorary scholastic society.

Mr. Bryant is a 1989 graduate of Carbon High School. He is majoring in animal science with a minor in chemistry at TSU and is the son of Larry and Martha Bryant.

Membership in Alpha Chi is limited to the top 10 percent, academically, of the juniore and senior classes. To be eligible, a student must have completed at least 30 credit hours at Tarleton and have at least a 3.61 grade point average.


EXPRESSION OF THANKS
I would like to express my thanks and appreciation to all the citizens of Precinct 5 for their support in the March 10th election.

It is an honor to serve as your Constable. I will continue to work for the people of Precinct 5 to the best of my ability.

Thanks for your support.
Constable Dewey Keesee

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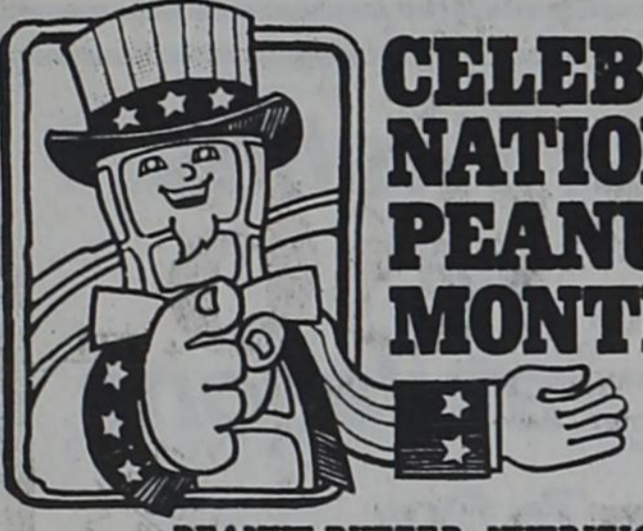
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CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

The March birthday party will be Thursday, March 26th at 2 p. m. in the front lobby. Honorees are Ida Lewis and Lois Buchanan. There will be refreshments and entertainment. Friends and relatives are welcome to attend.

Those visiting Homer Wood were Sterling and Shawn McCauley, Daisy Slaton of Gorman, Sunny Anderson and a friend, John of Abilene, Norman and Velsie Rawson of Cisco.

At 2:30 on Sunday those coming from the First United Methodist Church for church services were Rev. James and Lavelle Haynes, Sue Ann Tarver, Jim and Kay Rice and Velma Bennett.

Those visiting Minnie Brightwell, Stella Thurman and Mary Choate were Willadean Ormsby of Stephenville, Myrna Sue Smith of Plano, Elmer and Audrey Nell Waite, Tommy and Jean Brightwell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brightwell and daughter of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ormsby of Houston, Emma and Odell Bethany of De Leon, Bro. Curtis Maness, Zina Simpson and Odie Brightwell.

At 4 p. m. those coming from the Gorman Church of Christ were Bro. T. A. Grice, Bro. Curtis Maness, Billy, Janda, Tracey and Steve Taylor, Zina Simpson, Bud and Dee Smithy, Dora Faye Brewer, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Lorene Foster, Odie Brightwell, Bertha Gregory, Stella Scott and Floydene Gilbert.

Nell Scott visited her mother, Irene Herbert on Friday.

We sure were sorry that the First Baptist Church had the fire and missed Bro. Ron bringing the Sunday school lesson.

Those visiting Varona Taylor were Billy, Janda, Steve and Tracey Taylor, Bro. Curtis Maness, Bro. T. A. Grice, Zina Simpson, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Floydene Gilbert and Stella Scott.

On Monday morning Joy Campbell led an open discussion for 8 residents and then everyone went to work in the garden.

Those visiting Jess Hallmark were David and Carol Moore, Cindy Comack of Eastland, Clint and Susan Foster of Japan, Jimmy, Vickie and Devin Hallmark of Brownwood, Joe O'Neal and Irene Hallmark and Bonnie Zinc.

MARY STANLEY NEW RESIDENT
The home welcomes Mary Stanley of Carbon as a new resident. She is the widow of George Stanley. Their children are Mrs. Florence Wooley of Burleson, Michael and Jamie Stanley of Carbon, and Bo Stanley of Big Lake. She is retired from Birdsong Peanuts. Some of her recent guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Stanley of Big Lake, Michael and Jamie Stanley of Carbon, and Florence Wooley of Burleson.

Those visiting Emma Shugart and S. D. Gilmore were Dixie Pack of Desdemona, Idell Warren, Modess Burgess and Dee Smithy.

On Monday Irene Hallmark and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Veno Hale, Jess Roberts, Jess Hallmark, Emma Shugart, S. D. Gilmore, Iola Johnson, Gertie Leeper, Henry Rice, Garnet Adams, Cynthia Earles, Ruby Vandergriff, Dorothy Beaty, Ora Mae Atchison, Kevin Scitern and Stephen Patel.

Those visiting Ora Mae Atchison were Ima Lee Burleson of Desdemona, Chessley and Barbara Atchison of Fort Worth.

On Tuesday morning Joy helped and 8 residents made poppori sacht

Tax Credit Available To Low-Income, Working Families

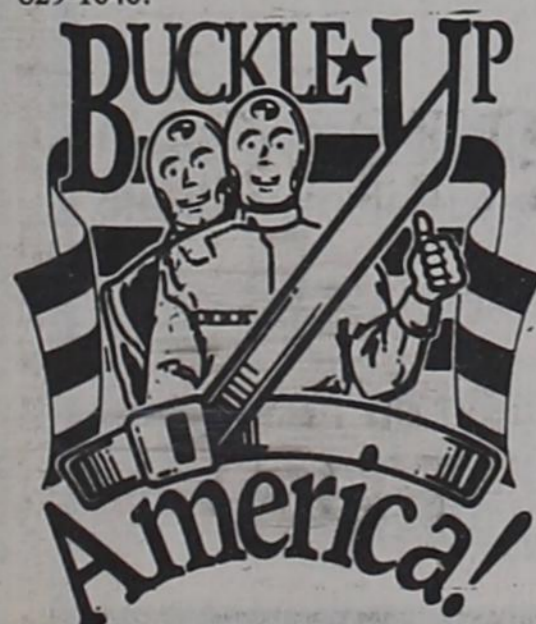
Washington — A tax credit worth as much as \$2,000 is now available to working, widowed parents with at least one child under 16 years old.

"Widowed mothers and fathers with a child at home may be able to apply for a tax refund under the Earned Income Tax Credit provision," said U. S. Sen. Phil Gramm.

"The maximum credit, which is directly refunded to the taxpayer, is \$2,020, and most working families with earnings lower than \$13,000 can qualify for at least \$1,000," he said.

The credit decreases as income rises and is phased out when income exceeds \$21,250.

For more information, taxpayers should contact the Internal Revenue Service directly, toll-free, at 1-800-829-1040.



Bernard and Ann Keith, Robyn Griffith, Raymond Hart, Dewey Bailey, Alpha Mae Andry and Ima Lee Burleson.

Dee Smithy visited Annie and Veno Hale.

Those visiting Gertie Leeper were Effie Mae Jones and Norma Jo Thetford.

THE GORMAN PROGRESS

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The garden is coming along fine so far. There are onions, tomatoes, lettuce, spinach and radishes growing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dunwell visited Era Whitehurst.
On Thursday morning Rev. Dewey

Bailey brought the devotional for 15 residents.

Adele and Stephanie Russell of Everman visited Junior Fairbetter.

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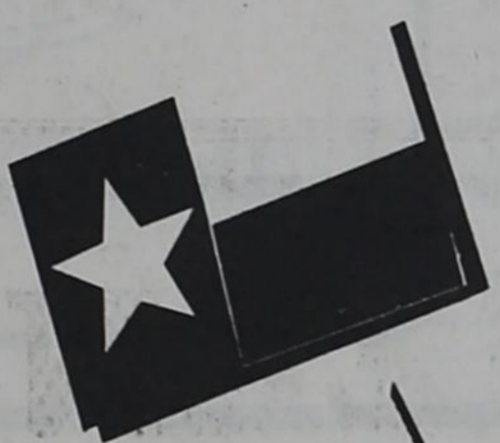
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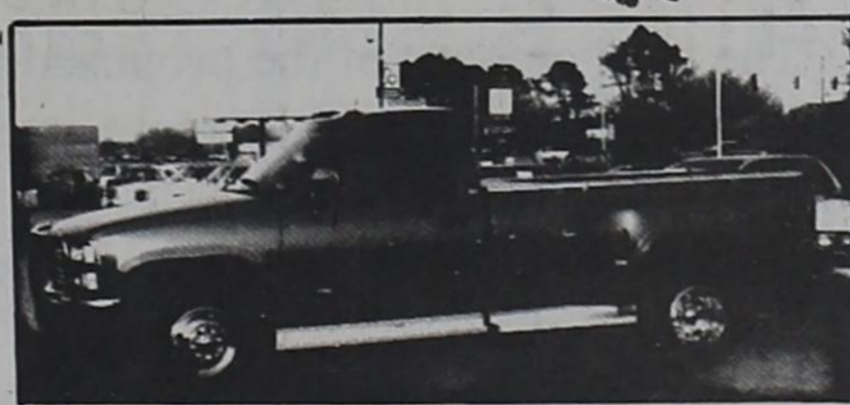
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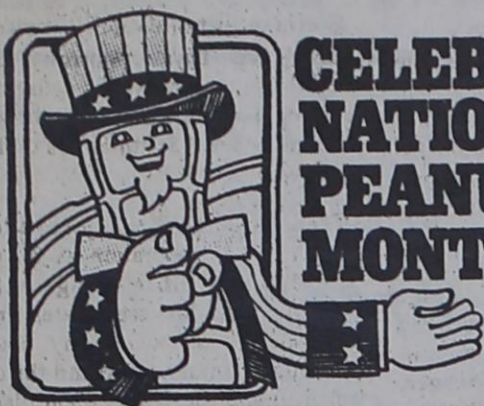
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CARBON NEWS

Bro. Keith Henson brought a very good message Sunday at the Baptist Church on Forgiving and Forgetting. Mrs. Scotty Skiles and son were visitors.

Lora Sledge and R. Lee McDaniel visited Jessie and Coy Mangum last week.

The Widow Ladies Luncheon met in the home of Billie Stacy last week. Those attending were Elizabeth Sandlin, Crickett Walker, Myrtle Higgins, R. Lee McDaniel, Lora Sledge and Dorothy Jackson. We will meet in the home of Elizabeth Sandlin this week.

Little Carly Freed of Dublin spent the week with her grandparents, Earl and Mildred Freed, while she had the chicken pox. Get well soon Carly.

Marc Morgan of Azle spent spring break with his parents, Charles and Maxine Morgan.

David Files of Stephenville spent the weekend with his parents, Brawner and Nell Files.

Our deepest sympathy goes to the McCoy and Griffin families at the passing of Mr. Tommy McCoy of Carbon.

Visiting in the home of R. Lee McDaniel last weekend were Betty Joyner of Austin and Mary McDaniel. Also Mr. and Mrs. David Swartz of Abilene and Wallace McDaniel of Clyde.

It was a joyful time at Arl and

Margie Lasaters when their three granddaughters were on spring break and came to visit. They were Lauren and Melissa Lasater of Arlington and Keesha Lasater of Eastland.

Visiting J. L. and Mary McDaniel and J. C. over the weekend were Betty Joyner of Austin, Jeanette Webb of Crowley, Kenneth McDaniel of Athens and Jeff Hollister of Waco.

Helen Krause and Jerry Wayne spent last week in Odessa with her husband, Wayne. Jerry Wayne is finishing out this school year in Gorman.

Berneice Rodgers and Ima Brown of Gorman visited Billie Stacy Sunday afternoon.

Dale and Tena Walker spent last weekend in San Antonio visiting their son, Dr. Kent and Ginger Walker.

Dorothy Jackson spent the weekend in Midland with her sister-in-law Lou Ann Griffith and family. Bob Jackson also visited with them.

Shanna McDaniel of Tarleton visited her parents, Duane and Nelda, over the weekend.

Leo and Ellene McDaniel of Abilene spent Monday visiting Lee Roy and Pearl McDaniel.

Faye and James Smith and Jo Ann were in Dallas last week for Faye's check-up. She is doing fine, we are glad to report.

DESDEMONA NEWS

By Vonnie Guthery

First Baptist Church had good attendance last Sunday. Special music was rendered by the church choir, led by Elwood Ragland, with Karen Eaves at the piano.

Cozette Wortham (Acteen leader), Misty Wortham, Lisa Rainey and April Walton were in Abilene March 20-22 to attend the Statewide Acteen Impact Meeting at Hardin-Simmons University. They reported a wonderful time.

Larry Clark and Alma Allen of Olney, Beverly Barr of Dallas, Jimmie Schluter of Rhome visited recently with Jesse and Bethel Clark.

Leon and Juarice White of Azle, Hershel and Pat Griffith of Odessa visited Saturday with Bernard and Ann Keith.

David Griffith of Odessa visited the past week with his mother and step-father, Bill and Tami Sanders, and grandparents, Bernard and Ann Keith, and sister, Robyn.

Billy Williams and Chris Johnson of Andrews spent the past week with their grandparents, Bob and Merlene Wisdom.

Heath and Ashley Weaver of Fort Worth spent several days with their grandmother, Dorothy Roberts.

Desdemona Monthly Musical will be Saturday, March 28th at the Community Center. All area musicians are invited. Bring your friends and neighbors for an enjoyable evening. Concession booth with sandwiches, drinks and home made pie will be open.

Mildred Barker of De Leon and granddaughter, Tyler Koeller of San Antonio visited Thursday with Merlene Wisdom.

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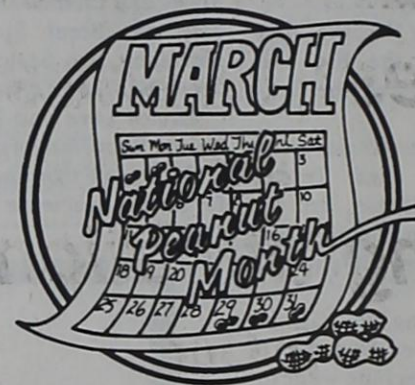
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NOTICE OF HEARING

Eastland County Appraisal District

The Eastland County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for 1993.

The public hearing will be held on April 5, 1992 at 1:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Courtroom of the Eastland County Courthouse, Eastland, Texas.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$ 337,720.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$7,340 or 2.2%.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be eight.

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is eight.

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for inspection at the appraisal district office.

The Eastland County Appraisal District is located on the second floor of the Eastland County Courthouse, Eastland, Texas. The telephone number is 629-8597 in Eastland, Texas.

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KOKOMO NEWS

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The fifth Sunday night singing will be held at the Kokomo Baptist Church this Sunday night, March 29th. The New Hope Baptist Church, First Baptist Church and First United Methodist Church of Gorman will be here, and others are invited to come and worship with us in songs of praise. There will be congregational singing and special music. A time of fellowship with refreshments will be held in the fellowship hall following the service. Everyone is welcome.

"Just A Little Talk With Jesus" was the song so beautifully rendered by James and Jill Little, Leona Wilson, Oren and Norma Webb, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Joe and Glynda Bond and Wynelle Brown, under the direction of Woodrow with Glynda at the piano, at the Sunday morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church. How thankful I am that I can have a little talk with Jesus through prayer each day, and know that He is with me every minute of the day.

Helen and Woodrow Browning, Wanda Rainey, Leona Wilson and Jimmy Little rendered the special music on Sunday night with Glynda Bond at the piano.

Gene Rodgers of Midlothian visited on Sunday with his parents, Cullen and Ava Rodgers, and they all visited in Abilene with Jim Frank Tollison and in Hamlin with Dicie Rodgers. Gene and Cullen went on to Rotan for a visit with a cousin, Erbie Rodgers.

Mrs. Benny (Deanna) Chupp of Houston visited from Monday until Thursday last week with her parents, Cullen and Ava Rodgers, while on spring break from the school where she is secretary. Cullen and Ava visited in Midlothian on Thursday and Friday with the Gene and Jimmy Rodgers families.

La Von Snider of Brownwood spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. Hazel Snider, while on spring break from Howard Payne University where she works in the library. Others visiting them were Kathy Collum of Huckabay on Tuesday, and Lisa Snider of Stephenville spent Thursday night with them. Dwayne, Connie, Sheri and Lisa Snider of Stephenville and Jeanne Park of De Leon were luncheon guests of Mrs. Snider and La Von on

Friday, and Dwayne, Connie and Lisa also visited with them on Saturday. Carrie Frasier visited on Wednesday.

Anna Laura Clearman accompanied Dalton and Anna Lou Myers of Lamesa to Grand Prairie to visit with Ken, Linda and Kendi Clearman, and Wayne and Kyla McIntire of Houston who were also visiting in the Clearman home the weekend of March 14th.

Randy and Deliah Lewis and Chris of Ennis spent Thursday night and Friday with Delmon and Joyce Eaves. Chris remained for an overnight stay with his grandparents on Friday night, and they met his parents, in Cleburne on Saturday at the home of Bill and Paulette Mack, D'Ann, Jamie and Megan, for the birthday party honoring Megan on her third birthday. Joyce made Megan's birthday cake in the theme of "My Little Mermaid". Jo Ann Tubbs of Stephenville, a close friend of Deliah and Paulette, was celebrating her birthday also and Joyce presented her with a birthday cake in the form of a book.

Delores and Anna Lisa Peterson of Houston visited with Delmon and Joyce Eaves and Randy, Deliah and Chris Lewis on Friday. Delores and family were here from Houston for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Neil Eaves, and a brother, Donald.

Lucille Joiner, and Joyce and Charla Bramlett of Stephenville came for a visit with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Bill Joiner on Friday morning.

Nelda, Cody and Jarad Fails of Arlington visited from Sunday until Thursday with Jimmy and Verna Lee Little while the boys were on spring break from school. They also visited with Dora Garrett and Mamie Little, Charles and Carolyn Little and Alan, Shellie and Justin Little.

Ray Neal, Melissa and Emily Little of Eastland and James and Jill Little of Lake Leon visited on Tuesday with Jimmy and Verna Lee and Nelda, Cody and Jarad.

Bill and Glenda Priest of Abilene visited on Monday night with Glenn and Zelda Jordan. They had also visited in Stephenville with his daughters, Daniela and La Donna Priest, who are students at Tarleton State University.

march birthday celebration

The Creager family met at the home of Mrs. Erlene Blakney in Lubbock on Saturday, March 21 for the annual birthday celebration for those who have birthdays in March. They all went to Furr's Cafeteria for the dinner, and then returned to the Blakney home where Erlene served the big birthday cake she had made for the honorees. Those celebrating birthdays were Gladys Morrow, Mildred Campbell, Alma Lee Creager, Naoma Morrow and Mike Blakney. Others present to enjoy the festivities were Lynn Campbell of Levelland, J. L. Morrow of Gorman, Larry and Paula Morrow of Plains, Lance and Layne Morrow of Lubbock, and Gary Browning of Lubbock, Mrs. Sherry Warren, Cameron and Courtney of Ben Wheeler, Texas. Larry and Paula Morrow and J. L.

and Noama Morrow also visited with Larry and Layne Morrow, Gary Browning and Nieves Garcia, who are rooming together and attending Texas Tech and South Plains College at Levelland.

Lenny Morrow didn't get to attend the birthday celebration as he was attending an UIL meeting in San Antonio with his teammates from Plains High School. Lenny placed second in number sense and third in science, and the Plains team placed third in the Sweepstakes. All are sophomores at Plains High School. Our congratulations to Lenny and the team.

J. L. Morrow was in Lubbock on Tuesday for a checkup with his doctor then and got a good report. He won't have to go for another checkup for six months.

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**Senior
Citizens News**
By Mozelle Rhymes

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Skiles of Big

Spring visited Frank and M. L. Skiles on Wednesday.

Anna Rush spent three weeks in Aurora and Denver, Colo. visiting her daughter, Karen Banks and family, and granddaughter, Wendy and family.

T. D. and Wanda Goodwin of

Elida, N. M. spent sometime last week with Bertha Gregory and also visited in Eastland.

Welcome back Anna and Estelle Erwin! Aubrey Wilson is back after two months absence with knee surgery.

Mozelle Rhymes met Beth Anderson in Stephenville Sunday for a visit and shopping.

Derwood Ragland visited the center on Tuesday.

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**School Open
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Public School Week at the Gorman Schools was a huge success. Many parents visited in the classrooms and ate lunch with their children.

We appreciate your participation and hope you enjoyed your visit as much as we enjoyed having you. We invite you to visit at anytime during the school year.

We extend a special thanks to the Gorman Masonic Lodge and the ladies of the Eastern S ar for their donations to our school during Public School Week. Your continued support is always appreciated.

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KEEPING UP

Emily Auvenshine of Granbury and Audrey Johnston of Fort Worth spent Friday night with their uncle and grandparents, Kevin, Gerald and Ina Scitern.

Saturday Nathan Tucker of Desdemona joined them for a visit. Also visiting the Sciterns were Nita and Eddie Auvenshine of Granbury, Amy and Randy Johnston of Fort Worth, Brenda and Steven Tucker of Desdemona, grand-grand Merle Lasater and Marge Hudson of Gorman.

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**D. Paul Duncan
Enrolls In National
Angus Herd
Record Program**

D. Paul Duncan, Eastland, has recently been enrolled in the Angus Herd Improvement Records program of the American Angus Association, reports Richard L. "Dick" Spader, executive vice-president of the national breed registry organization in St. Joseph, Mo.

Angus Herd Improvement Records (AARP) is a comprehensive evaluation program used by registered Angus breeders to help them keep records of reproduction, and growth rate on individual animals. Each year hundreds of Angus breeders use AHIR records to produce more profitable, efficient Angus seedstock.

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- 1991 Olds Calais S 4-Dr

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- 1991 Chev. Corsica 4-Dr, V6, Cruise, Tilt, 13,000 miles
- 1989 Olds Calais 2-Dr, 23,000 actual miles
- 1991 Olds 98 Regency Elite 4-Dr, fully loaded, 8,000 miles
- 1991 Buick Century 4-Dr, fully loaded, 8,700 miles
- 1991 Chev. Cavalier R/S 2-Dr, 11,000 miles
- 1990 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, 30,000 miles
- 1991 Olds Calais 2-Dr., fully loaded, 18,000 miles
- 1991 Pontiac Grand AM LE 2-Dr., cruise, tilt, 18,000 miles
- 1991 Chev. Lumina Euro 4-Dr. fully loaded, 13,000 miles
- 1989 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, loaded, 46,000 miles
- 1991 Chev Lumina 4-Dr, fully loaded, 14,000 miles
- 1991 Chev. Cavalier R/S 4-Dr, 11,000 miles
- 1991 Buick Park Ave. 4-Dr, fully loaded, 10,000 miles
- 1984 Mercury Marquis 4-Dr, 64,000 actual miles
- 1991 Chev. Caprice Demo, fully loaded, 10,000 miles
- 1990 Olds Delta 88 4-Dr, fully loaded, 18,000 miles
- 1987 Dodge Omni, good economical work car
- 1990 Ford Crown Victoria, fully loaded, 11,000 miles
- 1986 Olds Ciera Brghm 2-Dr, very clean, fully loaded
- 1989 Chevrolet Corsica, 4-Dr, 30,000 miles
- 1990 Chev Geo Prizm 4-Dr, good economical car
- 1988 Oldsmobile Ciera, 4-Dr, 62,000 miles
- 1988 Buick Regal, 2-Dr, 37,000 miles
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- 1986 Oldsmobile Delta 88, 2-Dr, 42,000 miles
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- 1986 Buick Skylark 2-Dr, very clean, good school car
- 1985 Chev. Camaro Z28, T-Tops, fully loaded, 38,000 miles
- 1985 Oldsmobile Toronado 2-Dr, one owner
- 1984 Cadillac Seville, very clean
- 1984 Oldsmobile Delta 2-Dr, fully loaded
- 1984 Pontiac Bonneville 4-Dr, good economical work car

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- 1990 Chevrolet S10 Blazer, 4x4, 33,000 miles
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- 1988 Jeep Cherokee Limited, 4 wheel drive, fully loaded
- 1989 Mazda SR5 Pup, 32,000 miles
- 1990 Chev Astro Van, fully loaded, 40,000 miles
- 1989 Chev Suburban, fully loaded, 49,000 miles
- 1990 Chev Suburban, fully loaded, 42,000 miles
- 1989 Chev Astro Van, fully loaded, 42,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. Conversion Suburban, fully loaded, 46,000 miles
- 1989 Ford Aeorstar Extended, fully loaded, 42,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. S10 PUP - V6 Auto., 8,000 miles
- 1989 Chev 1/2 ton Silverado, loaded, 24,000 miles
- 1991 Chev S10 Blazer 4-Dr, fully loaded, 17,000 miles
- 1986 Ford Ranger, economical work truck
- 1988 GMC Suburban, 58,000 miles
- 1987 Chev 1/2 ton Silverado, fully loaded, 32,000 miles
- 1987 Ford, 3/4 ton, 4-wheel drive, XL
- 1990 Chevrolet 1/2 ton, extended cab, loaded, 12,000 miles
- 1990 Chevrolet 3/4 ton 4x4 350 V-8, 4-speed, 46,000 miles
- 1987 Ford Bronco II, fully loaded
- 1986 GMC Suburban, fully loaded, very clean
- 1982 Chevrolet Suburban, fully loaded, very clean
- 1986 Isuzu Trooper II, diesel, 4x4
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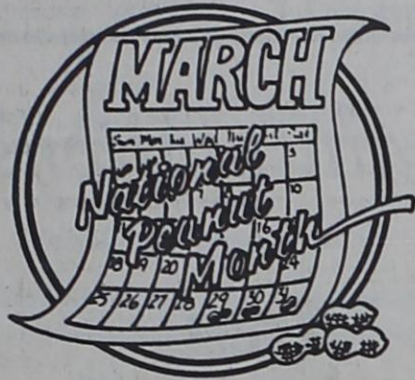
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Winter Of '92 Wettest On Record

One of the wettest Texas winters on record is causing serious problems for agriculture, particularly in Central and North Texas.

And there seems to be no let up in sight. Weather forecasts are calling for another 30 days of cool and wet conditions.

After an unusually soggy 1991 that ended with heavy December flooding in much of the state, 1992 has begun with more of the same.

George Bomar, a meteorologist for the Texas Water Commission and a weather historian, said the 22.73 inches of rain in Austin through

February 5 marks the wettest winter ever, dating since 1856 when records were first kept there.

The previous record, according to University of Texas figures, was 17.81 inches in 1913-1914. Winter is considered the period from December through February for statistical weather purposes.

Austin's current winter total also surpassed any single season since the National Weather Service began keeping records there in 1926, Bomar said. The previous record was the spring of 1957, which brought 21.89 inches of rain to Austin and broke a years-long drought, he said.

With 22 days of winter remaining, San Antonio and Corpus Christi also have set records, and the Dallas and Beaumont areas are approaching new marks.

San Antonio's 23.30-inch rainfall broke a 103-year-old record by almost 9 inches, while Corpus Christi has had 17.98 inches to break a 34-year-old record by more than an inch.

Dallas was one-third of an inch away from its 1944-45 record of 12.48 inches, and Beaumont within an inch of its 9-year-old record of 27.73 inches.

Along with the rain has come a myriad of problems for agriculture. Farmers can't prepare fields for the year's crops, cattle can't graze, and machinery is getting stuck in waterlogged soil. Erosion and other damage is widespread, and young livestock are more susceptible to disease or even drowning.

Even businesses that sell goods to producers are feeling the effects of the two months of heavy rains, say agricultural experts at the Texas A&M University System.

"It's putting a damper on the economy here," said Ronnie Leps, an agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Williamson County, who said one agricultural supplier has seen a 50 percent drop in business after winter rains.

Leps said cotton, corn and even sorghum are likely to be planted late in the county, which could affect yields.

"We had good crops last year and were in position to bank money in 1992, but now we'll have to work real hard to get the crops in," he said.

"Cattle are losing condition because of the rain. Any standing dry grass has no food value at all and we're having to haul feed in to them, but tractors are stuck all over."

Wheat fields across the state are yellowing because of excess moisture. Pastures, wheat fields or oat fields that are growing get trampled under if cattle are released to graze.

Todd Swift, Extension agent in Blanco County in South Central Texas, said much grass is "just cardboard out there now."

Extension agents in West Central Texas and the Upper Coast have reported significant increases in calf fatalities because of increase disease and exposure.

On the Texas High Plains, up to 10 percent of 1991 cotton is still on the stalk because farmers could not harvest it, and 1992 plantings are being delayed.

Even in West Texas, where abnor-

mally high rainfall hasn't caused as many problems as it has elsewhere, there are unusual difficulties. Wet conditions have contributed to more growth of toxic plants like loco weed and rattle weed, forcing rangers to protect livestock by various management practices, said Dr. Alan McGinty, an Extension range specialist in Fort Stockton.

There are a few bright spots. Subsoil moisture is good in the normally dry High Plains, leaving farmers anxious for topsoil to dry so they can plant. Producers there are optimistic about 1992 crops because the need to plant hasn't reached the critical stage it has in parts of Texas farther south, said Dr. James Supak, Extension agronomist in Lubbock.

Swift said the Hill Country is expecting a bumper crop of spring wildflowers, which is a major tourist attraction.

For suffering producers, some relief is available. The U. S. Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service has approved 15 counties, primarily located between the Trinity and Colorado rivers, for the Emergency Conservation Program, which shares the cost of repairs to farmland damaged by natural disasters.

The counties include more than 625,000 acres on 2,865 farms, said Sammy C. Cook, state ASCS conservation program specialist.

Five more counties with nearly 60,000 acres of damage on 375 farms are awaiting final approval in Washington, D. C., Cook said.

Cook said the ASCS emergency program pays about two-thirds of the cost to restore farmland to its pre-disaster condition.

The likelihood of continued wet conditions is strong, said Richard Wynne, a meteorologist with the Southwest Agricultural Weather Service in College Station.

The presence of warmer-than-usual Pacific Ocean currents -- the El Nino effect -- increases moisture across Baja California and into Texas, Wynne said. When cooler air from the Pacific Northwest mixes with the deep layer of moisture, Texas is usually in for heavy or prolonged periods of rain.

"The 30 and 90-day outlooks point to more of the same type of weather -- cool and wet," Wynne said.

Golden To Acquire Assets Of Dothan Oil Mill Company

Atlanta — Golden Peanut Company has agreed in principle to acquire certain assets of Dothan Oil Mill Company, based in Dothan, Ala., according to Michael A. Stimpert, chairman of Golden's management executive committee. The purchase is subject to the approval of Dothan Oil Mill Company stockholders.

"The peanut business has faced some tough times in this economy and many shellers have merged or gone out of business," Stimpert said. "However, opportunities are available for those companies in a position to support the industry. What this acquisition means, simply

Perry Says Texas Goober Crop No Small Peanuts For Farmers

The income that the Texas peanut crop generates is no "small peanuts," Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry said during a news conference promoting March as National Peanut Month at the Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association offices here on Monday.

Peanut farmers' 1991 earnings are expected to reach about \$144 million, Perry said.

"March is National Peanut Month and what better time to note the importance of this crop to Texas," Perry said. "Our farmers produce the second largest harvest in the nation -- just behind Georgia."

In 1991, a record 340,000 tons of peanuts were harvested in Texas, while in 1990, the harvest was about 267,000 tons.

In Eastland County, the peanut industry employs about 700 farmers and another 500 work in taking the peanut to its shelled stage, Perry said.

Statewide, about 8,000 farmers grow peanuts. Another 3,000 individuals work at processing the peanut to the shelled stage. Even more jobs are involved in making candy and peanut butter out of Texas goobers, the commissioner said.

"Processing more peanuts and out other farm commodities in Texas means more jobs for both rural and urban Texans," Perry said.

"According to a recent study of rural mayors, jobs are at the top of their wish lists, and that shouldn't be much of a surprise.

"Increasing the processing of our state's peanuts and other food and fiber by 5 percent would translate into about 30,000 new jobs, could increase income by \$500 million and boost our economy by \$2.5 billion," he said.

The state's top 10 peanut producing counties are Gaines (15 percent of state's production), Comanche (11.9 percent), Frio (7.6 percent), Collingsworth (7 percent), Atascosa (6.9 percent), Eastland (6.6 percent), Haskell (5.2 percent), Wilson (4.9 percent), Mason (2.9 percent) and Erath (2.5 percent), according to the latest information available from the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service.

"Gorman is the Center of Peanut Country in Texas," Perry said, and that he would like to see more peanut processing in Texas. "However, peanuts in this area are ahead of other agricultural products. Too much of our raw products are shipped out for processing and manufacturing.

He said he is "happy to see the inspection service back in operation." He also paid tribute to Mary

put, is that Golden will be better able to serve our customers -- peanut farmers and food processing companies."

"Golden has always assigned a high value to ongoing improvement and customer satisfaction," added Larry J. Lemley, executive vice president for Golden. "Purchasing Dothan Oil Mill increases our ability to provide high quality peanut products to all of our customers. An additional benefit of this acquisition is that Golden is in a sound financial position to invest in both fixed and human resources to respond to the high standards exacted by the food industry."

The Dothan Oil Mill assets to be acquired by Golden include two shelling plants, which are located in Headland, Ala., and Donalsonville, Ga., and several buying points throughout Alabama, Florida and Georgia. Arlington Oil Mills, Inc. of Arlington, Ga., a DOMCo affiliate, is not included in the proposed acquisition.

Golden Executive Vice President James W. Dorsett noted that another key benefit of this acquisition is the company's improved ability to meet the demand of the international marketplace for the high-quality edible peanuts grown by farmers in the United States. Through its affiliation with Alimenta S.A., Golden has access to the international marketing channels necessary to sell U. S. additional peanuts overseas.

Golden Peanut Company, headquartered in Atlanta, buys, shells and markets peanuts worldwide. The company has seven shelling plants, a blanching plant, an oil mill and more than 200 buying stations located throughout the key peanut production regions of the United States.

presented and read the memorandum proclaiming March as National Peanut Month.

Perry, his staff and those attending the news conference, toured the facilities of Birdsong Peanuts.

Bob Hunter, Representative of District 64 was a special guest.

Ross Wilson and Tom Birdsong spoke briefly on the peanut industry prior to the opening of the news conference.

In closing the short meeting, Perry



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Agriculture Viewpoint

By M. Davy Vestal

CONTROLLING AQUATIC VEGETATION

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission voted to approve the use of Triploid grass carp on a permit basis for the control of vegetation in private ponds or tanks.

"The triploid grass carp is not a cure for all aquatic vegetation problems," according to James T. Davis, Fisheries Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. They will eat most submerged vegetation, but like any grazing animal, prefers some plants over others.

For information over regulations and license for use of Triploid grass carp, contact the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission or the Eastland County Extension Service.

COASTAL FERTILIZATION TIPS

For hay production, here are some points to consider:

1. Harvesting and production costs are high, therefore, enough forage must be produced to justify hay harvest.

2. A minimum of 50 to 60 lbs. of actual nitrogen per acre should be applied to those acres fertilized. This may mean fertilizing less acres or reducing the number of applications during the growing season.

3. Timing of the nitrogen applications is extremely important for efficient utilization by the grass. Do Not Apply Too Early. Night temperatures must be consistently above 60 degrees F for bermudagrass to grow rapidly. It may be desirable to remove the early spring flush of growth before applying nitrogen.

4. For soils medium or above in phosphorus and potash, these nutrients may not be needed for one year. A minimum rate of phosphorus and potash can be applied, especially if the total amount of nitrogen for the year is being reduced.

5. Stage of growth at harvest greatly affects the percent or concentration of protein in the grass. For highest protein, harvest hay before it begins to mature. Protein quality necessary to meet specific livestock requirements is determined by production of cows and age of young animals at time forage is to be fed. High yields can be made from the same rate of nitrogen by delaying harvest.

Deciding how to fertilize coastal bermudagrass for grazing only is more difficult than for hay. In most instances a combination of hay and grazing will bring about the most efficient utilization of applied nitrogen.

Where coastal fertilization for grazing is being considered, keep these points in mind:

1. Do not apply nitrogen too early. Allow the spring growth to be grazed off.

2. Controlled or rotational grazing is important to utilize forage efficiently. Animals prefer grazing that portion of a pasture which has been fertilized.

3. Time the nitrogen applications to produce forage when needed.

4. Minimum nitrogen rates should be about the same as for hay. Phosphorus and potash may not be needed unless the soil is very low in these nutrients.

For those producers who have increased livestock numbers, hence high stocking rates by fertilization, the decision may be between reducing livestock numbers and minimum fertilization to support the remaining livestock.



Watershed Damage Tops \$20 Million Mark In Texas

Record-breaking rainfall that began in December has caused more than \$20.5 million damage to the state's watersheds in 55 counties, according to the Soil Conservation Service.

"As we get additional rainfall, we get more damage," said SCS's Gary Westmoreland of Temple. "Because the land is saturated, each rain produces more runoff, and that is what is causing the damage."

About 5 percent is damaged to a degree that poses an immediate threat to life or property, Westmoreland said. But more heavy rains on less damaged watersheds could erode them into the more serious category.

A watershed is an area of land that drains to one central point.

"Watersheds are like bath tubs," Westmoreland said. "The watershed for Galveston Bay includes the entire Trinity and San Jacinto river basins and all the land between, because they drain to a common point."

Westmoreland said SCS personnel in each county have assessed damage as water recedes. Some areas still under water or too muddy to approach have not been examined.

"The damage starts at the Dallas-Fort Worth area and extends thru the Blackland prairies, west to the

Hill Country, east to the post oak region and south to the coast," he said.

The most threatening damage, he said, may be a bridge that is about to collapse, for example, or eroding river banks that could cause homes to be flooded.

Less menacing is damaged land that can wait two to four months for the repairs needed for long-term safety and stability.

Damages to natural resources are among the hardest to repair, said Dr. Bill Harris, soil specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"County or local governments are responsible for repair work on roads, bridges and other transportation conveyances," Harris said. "But much of this damage was on private land and is the responsibility of the landowners."

Harris said logs and other debris have been deposited and gullies have washed across land, for example.

"In some places, top soil has eroded away and will have to be replaced," Harris notes. "Or land may need to be revegetated in order for a farmer to irrigate a crop."

In many places, soil conservation techniques such as terracing were

washed out by heavy and continuous rainfall, he added.

Westmoreland said \$500,000 in designated federal emergency watershed funds were depleted by the end of December for the most critical repairs, such as the emergency evacuation of an elderly couple who were trapped in their home when the only road to the property flooded. Some eroding stream banks were stabilized, also, to prevent several homes from flooding, and the flood-damaged outflow pipe of a sewage treatment plant in Bosque County was repaired.

"The problem is we quickly ran out of money," Westmoreland said. "People have lost property and facilities because there was no money to prevent it."

He said counties and local governments now are faced with trying to find money to make the necessary repairs.

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Fri. Apr. 17	Ranger	There 4:30
Tue. Apr. 21	Huckabay**	There 4:30
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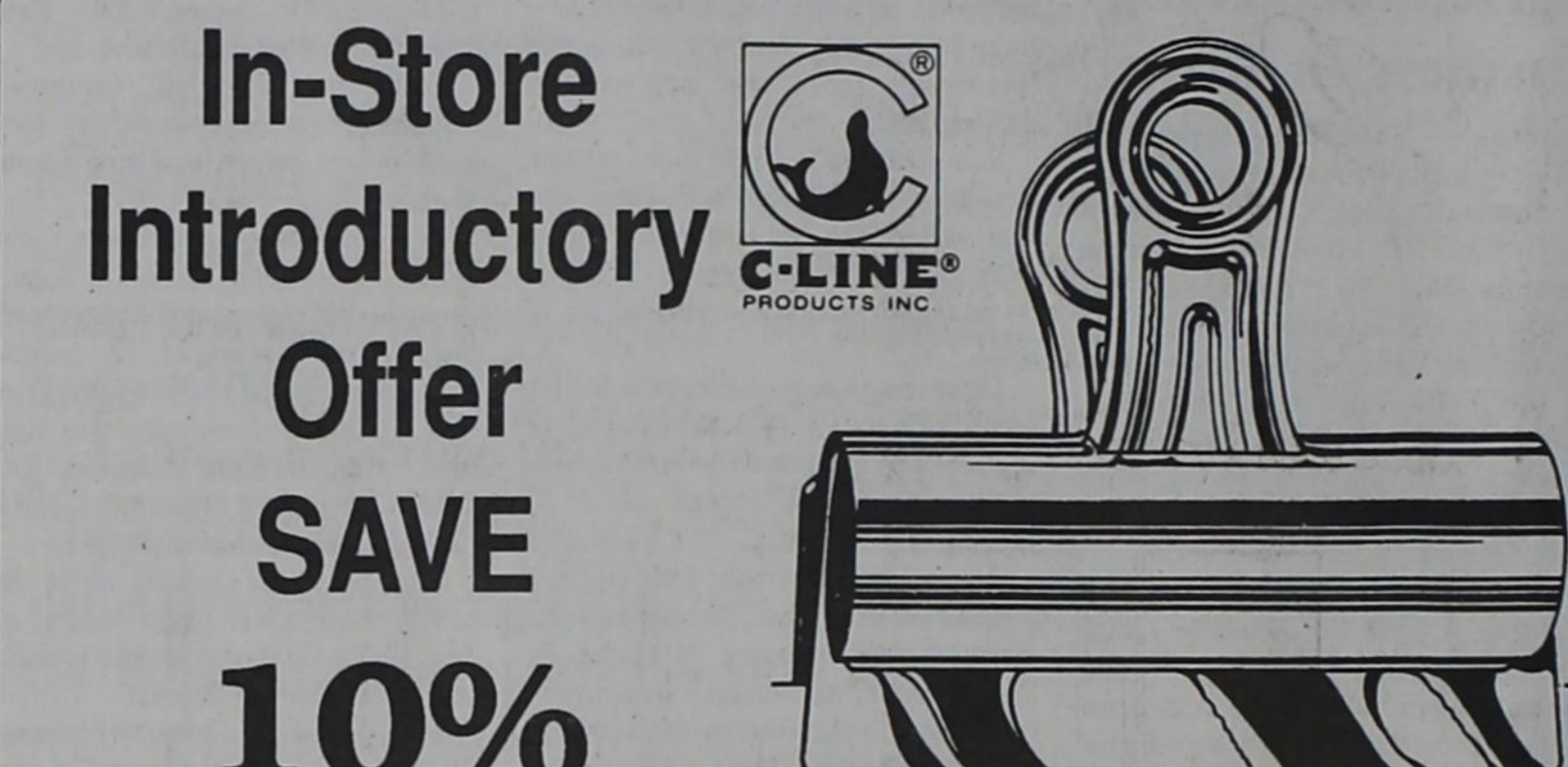
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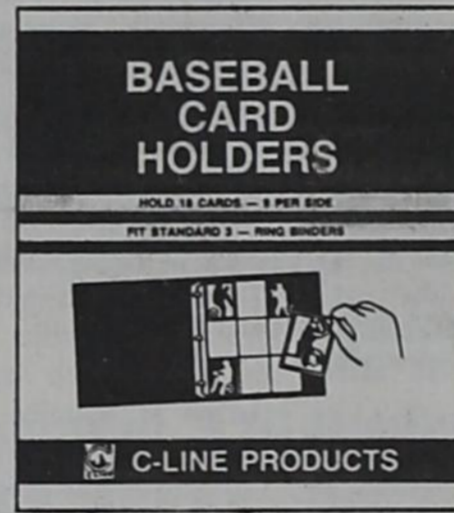
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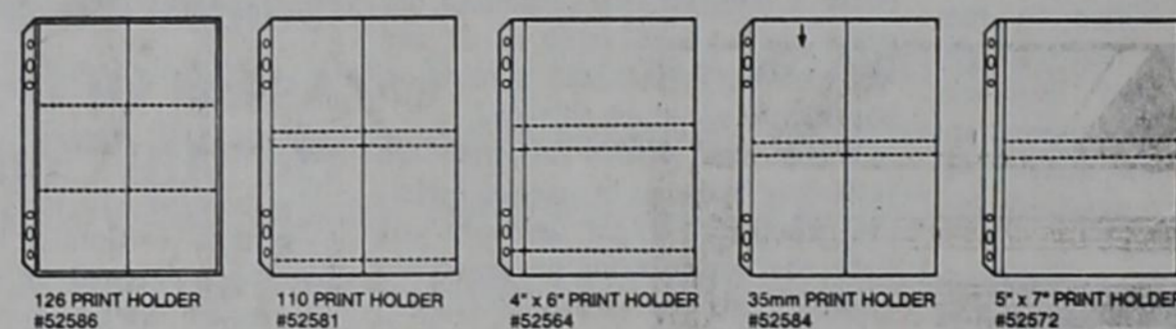
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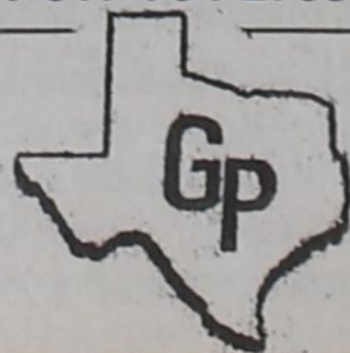
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