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Kimberly Broom - Todd Austin Plan May Wedding



Jamie Broom and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Broom are please to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Ann Broom to Russell Todd Austin, son of Mr and Mrs. Albert and Elanor Austin of Wakefield, Mass. Kim is a 1991 graduate of Gorman High School. She is currently attending Angelo State University and is majoring in Accounting. Todd is a 1975 graduate of Wakefield Memorial High School. Until recently he was enlisted in the United States Air Force and was stationed at Eldorado Air Force Station as a Security Police Officer. He plans to attend Angelo State University. The couple plan to exchange vows on May 22, 1993 at the First Baptist Church in Gorman at 3:00 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Public School Week and Texas School Lunch Week March 1-5

March 1st - 5th is Public School Week and Texas School Lunch Week. You are invited to visit in the classroom and have lunch with your child. A schedule has been set up to accomodate the seating space in the cafeteria for our visitors. Please plan to have lunch with your child on these days:

Monday	Kindergarten, 1st & 5th
Tuesday	2nd & 4th
Wednesday	3rd grade
Thursday	6th grade
Friday	7th thru 12th

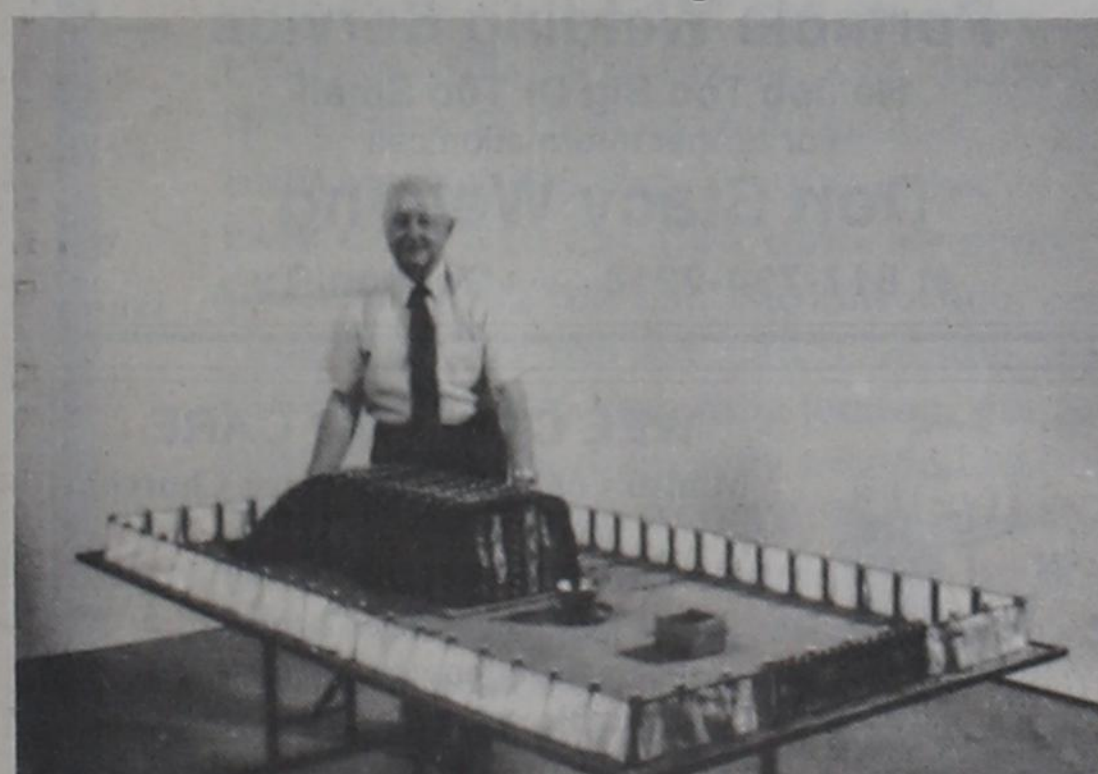
We look forward to your visit and your continued support of our school.

Scoliosis Screaming

The will be a Scoliosis (curvature of the spine) Screening held for students in the 5th and 8th grades on March 11th and 12th at the Gorman I. S. D. by the school nurse. This is a state law that these students be screened. If you want your child screened by your physician please take him/her and bring a doctor's report that they were screened for scoliosis to the nurses's office by March 11th. If no note from your doctor by that date has been turned in, your child will be screened by the school nurse. Students will be asked to wear proper clothing for the screening. Any questions please contact the school at 734-2617.

Thanks,
Marie Chapman
School Nurse

New Hope Baptist To Present "The Tabernacle: God's Royal Palace"



Doug Solsbery will be at New Hope Baptist Church Saturday evening, February 27, from 7 to 9 p.m. and Sunday morning, February 28, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon to present a seminar on "The Tabernacle: God's Royal Palace."

Mr. Solsbery is a layman from Lubbock who has done extensive research on the Old Testament Tabernacle built by Moses during the wilderness wanderings of the children of Israel after they came out of Egypt. He has built a scale model of the Tabernacle including a gold replica of the Ark of the Covenant and all the other furnishings of the Tabernacle. This model will be set up and on display during the course of the seminar. If you have even wondered why God gave so much space in the Old Testament to the details of the construction of the Tabernacle, this seminar will answer those questions. Every article and every aspect of the construction point to the One Who was to come in fulfillment of God's promises to Abraham and the patriarchs of Israel. The Tabernacle in all of its detail present a composite portrait of the Lord Jesus Christ. There will be a free hamburger supper at 6 p.m. on Saturday evening preceding the seminar. The public is invited to attend. A nursery will be provided for children three years of age and younger.

Panthers Defeat Clifton 52 to 45 on Monday Night

The Gorman Panthers defeated Clifton in a practice game played on Monday night at Granbury by the score of 52 to 45. The Panthers jumped out to a 14 to 9 lead in the first quarter, then fell behind 25 to 23 at the halftime intermission. The Bulldogs continued to lead 37 to 35 at the end of the third period. But then the Panthers came back with a great fourth period scoring spree to add 17 points for a 52 to 45 victory. This game was a practice game in preparation for the Panthers' Bi-District Playoff Game scheduled for Friday night at 7:30 against Roby in the Clyde High School gym.

Memorial To Annette Love



Those who knew Annette Marie Love understood her zeal for life, for she always held a special place in her heart when it came to friends and family. Each day she made her presence known whether it was with a vigorous wave in passing on the street or with her effervescent laughter. Walking down the hall at school, her big blue bow bobbing to and fro, she playfully teased with her classmates; however, as she made her way into the classroom, it was obvious that it was time to get to work. But even more powerful than Annette's love for her friends was her adoration for her family. She felt that she had truly been blessed to have a brother who loved her, a mother who devoted her time to her daughter's activities, and a dad she had wrapped around her little finger as she used to say. She wanted people to know she was proud of her family.

In fact, Annette was never afraid to tell people her feelings; however, her main concern was for others, and very rarely did she focus on herself. Her classmates commented that she could always find time to give help to those who needed it, and as a friend, she always gave good advice. While her life was snuffed out at the early age of sixteen, Annette Love's achievements may well exceed those of others who have a full lifetime in which to accomplish them. She was an achiever academically as well as in extracurricular activities, setting an example for all to observe.

Upon entering high school, the boisterous, young teen immediately involved herself in all aspects of Gorman Independent School Dis-

trict. Class officers were chosen, and Annette became Freshman Class Secretary. She was nominated Homecoming Princess as well as Class Favorite for the freshmen class. Organizations such as Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Future Homemakers of America, and Future Farmers of America, played a major role in her life, and she was also elected as an FFA officer during her freshmen year. In addition, Annette took pride and participated in the band, basketball, track, and cheerleading.

Her sophomore year proved to be just as productive. Annette continued in her endeavors with athletics, band, FFA, FHA, and cheerleading, and again, she represented her class by accepting the title of Sophomore Class Secretary. She upheld her nomination of Homecoming Princess for the second year in a row, and during her sophomore year, Annette honored her nomination of Miss Gorman Candidate, sponsored by the Gorman Chamber of Commerce.

More responsibility came as this school year began. Annette was voted Junior Class President and worked diligently along with her classmates meeting goals and deadlines as they planned and prepared for prom. Furthermore, she was elected to the office of treasurer in FFA, and in FHA, she was voted to be the co-social chairperson. Basketball continued to be one of her favorite pastimes, and she looked forward to concert season in band. Moreover, to add to her list of honors, this year Annette was elected Football Sweetheart. She was also voted "Wittiest" by the Gorman student body.

The junior class summed it up when they said that words could not express what she meant to all the people she touched, and it seems the number is infinite. Through her community, her church, her school, and her home, Annette always wanted people to share in her excitement of life and her goal of happiness. She was beautiful, talented, dedicated, and a strong leader. Every word Annette Love spoke, every smile that shone from her eyes and every laugh that echoed through the halls, will be memories of a lifetime for all who knew and loved her.

*Note: Thanks to the students at Gorman High School for their insight and wisdom.

By Kayla Duke

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

We are overwhelmed by all your prayers, your presence, the food, flowers, kind deeds, contributions and love. You have given us courage and inspiration we so desperately need to bear the pain and grief of the loss of Annette.

The Department of Public Safety and Eastland and Ranger emergency units were immediately at her rescue. The volunteer fire departments, the EMT's, dear neighbors and concerned citizens at the scene of the accident worked endlessly trying to free Annette from the wreckage and save her life. We are grateful to all of you. We also want to thank the Eastland Memorial Hospital, hospital staff, and especially Dr. Bob Alexander, for their diligent effort and concern.

A heartfelt thank you to the students and teachers of Gorman I.S.D., Brother Curtis Maness, and the Gorman Church of Christ for

your support and love of Annette through the years. Each and every one of you were special to Annette.

There are no words to express our sincere appreciation to all of you during our grief.

God bless each of you.

Ronnie, Barbara and Kevin Love
Eunice Love
A. T. and Dorothy Nicks
Melrose Jobe
Sherry Jobe
Larry and Joy Campbell and family
—GP—

Keeping Up

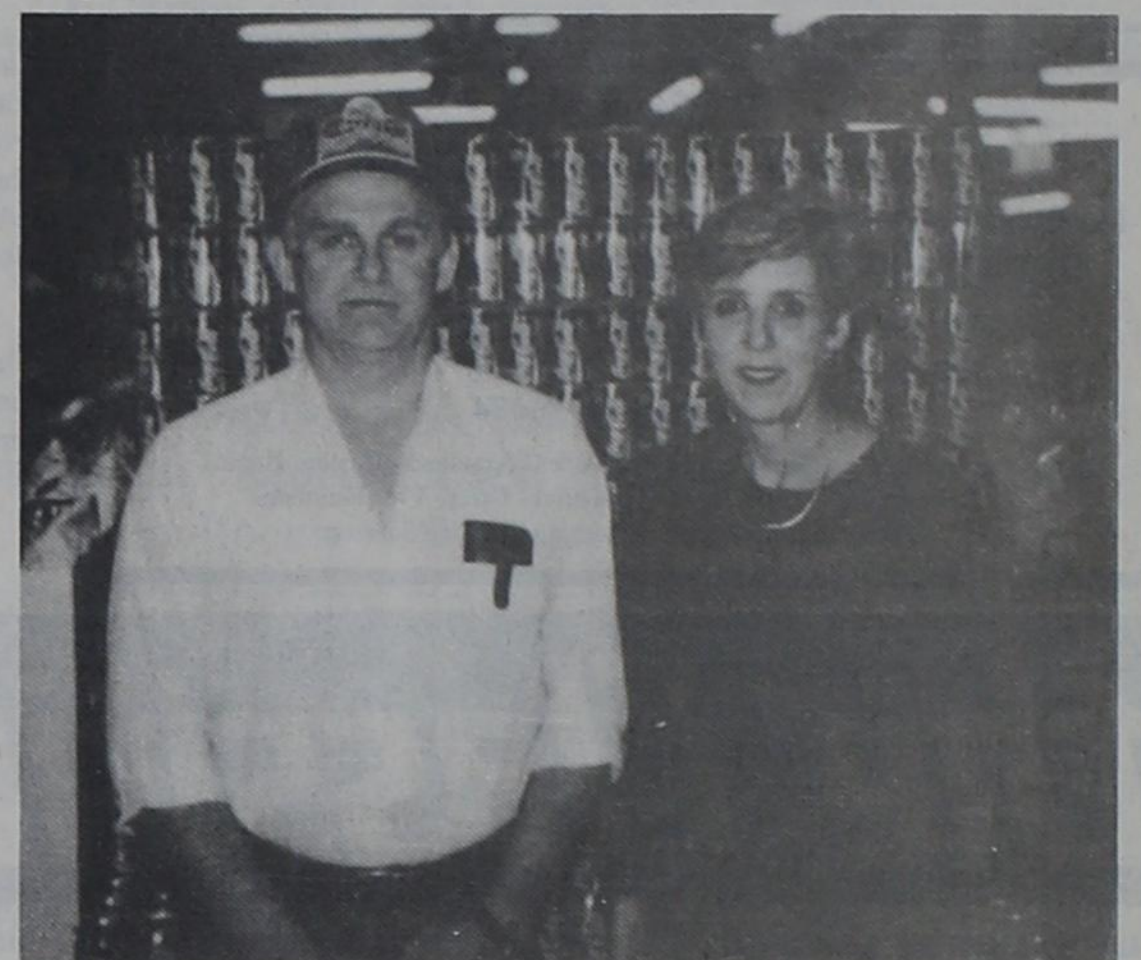
Ina Scitern and Kevin were weekend visitors in Granbury with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Auvenshine and Emily.

NOTE: If you have any visitors please call the Progress and let us put the visitors in the paper. Folks are glad to hear of visitors to see where they live and who they visit. Call 734-2410 and turn in your visitors names and cities.

Panthers To Meet Roby In Bi-District Friday Night

The Gorman Panthers, runner-ups in District 18A, with a 15-9 season mark, will meet Roby, district champions with a 20-6 record, in Bi-District action on Friday night at 7:30 p.m. in the Clyde Gym. Make plans now to go to Clyde and support the Panthers.

B&D Foods To Hold Grand Opening March 2-13



Donnie and Barbara Finley of Bangs will hold a grand opening of B&D Foods with two weeks of specials and drawings, beginning March 2nd and continuing through March 13th. The Finleys purchased the former Sav-On-Foods and began operation on January 3rd.

They are veteran grocery merchants, having operated a grocery business in Bangs for the past 23 years. They stated they "will spend as much time in Gorman as possible and that the people in this area have been wonderful to them since taking over the store, and that they find the present employees to be the best".

Tommy Curb will be store manager and Tim Martin, market manager. Other loyal employees are Jo Leonard, Ruthie Porter, Kristen

Ervin, Jessica Espinoza, Joe Foster and Freddie Huff.

The Finleys want to be a part of the community and will appreciate suggestions for improving the store.

The store is now stocked to capacity and many improvements have been made throughout the store and is continuing to be made.

The grand opening will feature many bargains, plus there will be eight \$50 grocery shopping sprees held on Friday and Saturday, March 5th and 6th and Friday and Saturday, March 12th and 13th.

Free Dr. Pepper and 3 hot dogs for \$1 will be special on Saturday, the 5th and Free Cokes and Sausage on a stick for \$1 on Saturday, the 13th.

We welcome Donnie and Barbara to our city and wish them the best in their endeavors in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Barker To Mark 50th Anniversary



John F. and Sylvia Barker of Granbury will be honored at a reception at Christian Life Center of Acton United Methodist Church on March 6th from 2 to 4 p.m. in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. The event will be hosted by their children, Michaelyn Park of Palo Alto, Ca., and Brent Barker of Plano, and grandchildren.

They were married on March 6, 1943 in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. She was originally Sylvia Rodgers (sister of Dr. Verle Rodgers) of Gorman. His was originally from Whitney, Texas. The couple lived in Gorman over 20 years. John F. retired from Administrator / Nursing Home and Sylvia retired as Activity Director / Nursing Home.

The couple have 4 grandchildren. They are members of the Acton United Methodist Church and also members of the Masonic Lodge. John was a former local hospital anesthetist, lab and X-ray Technician also Adm. of De Leon Hospital. Sylvia one a local Beauty Shop and in the 60's organized the volunteer program in Oklahoma that was the fore runner of the Activity Program as we know it today in the Nursing Homes. They worked together in over 16 nursing homes in Oklahoma and Texas. Sylvia's grandfather, W. M. David, was one of the builders of the First United Methodist Church of Gorman.

Special Thanks To Tom and Connie Birdsong

The City of Gorman will be expanding their sewer treatment facilities in order to better serve the community. This is being made possible in part through a Gift of Land from Tom and Connie Birdsong.

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Services For Loretta Shook Held Wednesday

Loretta Tuder Shook, 58, of Carbon, passed away Sunday, February 21 at her home.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Eastside Baptist Church with the Rev. Jerry Speer officiating. Burial was in the Alameda Cemetery, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

Mrs. Shook was born in Ranger and lived in McCamey until returning to Ranger in 1951. She moved to Carbon in the early 1970s. She was employed by Northview Development Center for more than 10 years.

Survivors include her husband, Grady Shook of Ranger; one daughter, Debra Haley of Conroe; one son, Grady Cordel Shook of Carbon; her father, Homer Tuder of Eastland; two sisters, Marie Riter of Wichita Falls and Kathryn Styles of Newport, Tenn.; three grandchildren and a nephew, Bill Stephens of Eastland.

—GP—

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation to each and every one of you for your prayers, love and concern. For the pretty cards you sent and for those of you who came to see me while I was in the hospital in Stephenville and Fort Worth.

A special thank you to my brother, Dale, and wife, Bess, for their kind help. I am now home and doing pretty well.

Again thanks for caring.

Don Curb
Cindy and William

Zummer Attends Women's Training

Gerry Zummer, Director of District 8 Extension Homemakers Association attended Women's Legislative Days in Austin on February 15 and 16, where she participated in three workshops selected from 28 sessions. Her choices were Gender Equity, Children's Health and Wellness and Punishment Standards: Will They Fly? A reception was held at the Four Seasons Hotel on the evening of the 15th so women could meet the Legislators from different areas of the state.

Gerry also attended a Family Community Leadership Training Program on the evening of the 15th and continuing through the morning of the 17th. Family Community Leadership (FCL) is a statewide edu-

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: M O N N I E WHITTINGTON, MATTIE KINNEBREW, MAUDE CROSSLEY, CLAUDE O. WILD, A. J. JOHNSON, MACK B. HUME, HELEN HUME, MRS. FRED SEALE, DAVID J. HUME, MATTIE STARK, ZORA QUINN, FRANCIS RALSTON YOUNG, GRAYDON M. HOUGH, WORTHAM DAVENPORT and HARBURT DAVENPORT and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said MONIE WHITTINGTON, MATTIE KINNEBREW, MAUDE CROSSLEY, CLAUDE O. WILD, A. J. JOHNSON, MACK B. HUME, HELEN HUME, MRS. FRED SEALE, DAVID J. HUME, MATTIE STARK, ZORA QUINN, FRANCIS RALSTON YOUNG, GRAYDON M. HOUGH, WORTHAM DAVENPORT and HARBURT DAVENPORT, Defendants, Greetings:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Court-house thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22 day of March A. D. 1993, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 18th day of November A.D. 1992, in this cause, numbered 35,202 on the docket of said court and styled Gene M. Snow, whose address is 5719 Airport Freeway, Fort Worth, Texas 76117, Plaintiff, vs. Monnie Whittington, et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:*
Petition for appointment of a receiver under Article 64,091, Texas Civic Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil, gas and mineral lease covering all of Defendant's interest in the oil, gas and other minerals in, on or under 80 acres, more or less, and being the East one-half of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 7, Block 4, H. & T.C. Ry. Co. Survey, Abstract No. 298, Eastland County, Texas.

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 A.M. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, that day being 22 day of March, 1993, a default judgement may be taken against you.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Bill Mears, Clerk of the 91st District Court(s) of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under by hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 5th day of February A.D. 1993.

Bill Mears, Clerk
91st District Court, 100 W. Main, Eastland, Eastland County, Texas
By (s) Dixie Long, Deputy.
4-3-4 C.

Memorial Fund To Honor Joyce Dennis

There has been a memorial fund set up at Citizens State Bank in Gorman to honor Norma Joyce Dennis, recently deceased, with the proceeds to go to the Oakland Cemetery Association.

Joyce was well known in this community and many others and was loved by everyone who knew her. She was a kind, caring and very unselfish person.

We know she would be very pleased for the love and kindness being given to her memory.

All gifts will be acknowledged with a personal message to the donor. Contributions may be made directly to the bank to The Joyce Dennis Memorial Fund or it may be sent to: Opal V. Burton, Secretary, Rt. 3 Box 159A, Gorman 76454.

cation program of the Texas Extension Homemakers Association and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It trains women to be more effective in volunteer and elected positions of service in their communities.

Program topics included networking, teamwork, leading groups, and conflict management. This is a program that will be introduced later in our county to give individuals an opportunity to help their communities as well as personal growth for themselves at home, on the job, or as a volunteer.

Ruth Cantrell Buried Friday

Ruth McKinzie Cantrell, 67, passed away Wednesday, February 17th at her home.

Services were held at 1:30 p. m. Friday at First Baptist Church of Ranger with the Rev. Bill Owens officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

Mrs. Cantrell was born in Eastland and graduated from Ranger High School in 1842. She worked for Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association in Gorman for two years and then for Civil Aeronautics Administration in Fort Worth and San Antonio for five years.

Later, she was employed by several car dealerships before returning to Ranger in 1959 and started working for Smith Bros. Chevrolet in Gorman, retiring in 1989.

Cantrell had been a member of the First Baptist Church in Ranger and Order of the Eastern Star Chapter No. 275.

Survivors include her husband, O. L. Cantrell, of Ranger; a daughter, Donna (Mrs. James) McDonald of Ranger; a son, Dixon McKenzie of Houston; and five grandchildren, Michele, Melissa and Jason McDonald and Samantha and Amanda McKenzie.

She was preceded in death by one brother.

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LEGAL NOTICE
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City Of Gorman - Ordinance #231

An Ordinance forbidding parking on Highway 6 at Highway intersections in and through the City of Gorman, Texas.

The above Ordinance will be read and approved at the next Commission meeting on February 18th. 2-2-25

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- 1991 Buick Century 4-Dr, fully loaded, 8,700 miles
- 1992 Chev. Corsica 4 dr V6, fully loaded, 10,000 miles
- 1989 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, fully loaded, 59,000
- 1990 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, 30,000 miles
- 1991 Pontiac Grand AM LE 2-Dr., cruise, tilt, 18,000 miles
- 1989 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, loaded, 46,000 miles
- 1991 Chev Lumina 4-Dr, fully loaded, 14,000 miles
- 1984 Mercury Marquis 4-Dr, 64,000 actual miles
- 1986 Pontiac 6000 STE 4-Dr, Fully loaded, very clean
- 1987 Dodge Omni, good economical work car
- 1989 Chevrolet Corsica, 4-Dr, 30,000 miles
- 1988 Buick Regal, 2-Dr, 37,000 miles
- 1990 Pontiac Grand Am 4-Dr, 32,000 miles
- 1987 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 2-Dr, 52,000 miles
- 1986 Oldsmobile Delta 88, 2-Dr, 42,000 miles
- 1985 Buick LeSabre Ltd. 4dr, 54,000 actual miles, loaded
- 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
- 1992 Cadillac Sedan Deville, fully loaded, 13,000 miles

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- 1991 Ford Explorer, 2WD, loaded, only 45,000 miles
- 1992 Ford Aerostar van, air, automatic, 48,000 miles
- 1987 GMC 1/2 ton, LWB, auto, V8, 52,000 miles, nice
- 1991 Chev 3/4 ton, X-cab, 4x4, 56,000 miles
- 1988 Chev 1 ton cab & chassis, automatic, 60,000 miles
- 1990 Chev 1/2 ton, V8, automatic, 23,000 miles
- 1988 Chev 3/4 ton Suburban, 49,000 miles, a RV Special
- 1990 Chev. Conversion Suburban, loaded, 49,000 miles
- 1992 Dodge Dakota Club Cab 4x4 V6, 17,000 miles
- 1990 Chev Crew Cab Silverado, flatbed, loaded, 39,000 miles
- 1991 Chev. S10 LT Blazer, 4dr, fully loaded, 22,000 miles
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- 1987 Nissan Pathfinder XEV6, very clean
- 1991 Chev. S10, 4cyl 5-speed, 48,000 miles
- 1989 AmeriCoach Motor Home, 22,000 miles, very clean
- 1991 Chev. S10 Blazer, 2-dr, fully loaded, 28,000 miles
- 1991 Jeep Cherokee 4-dr, 4 Wheel drive, 12,000 miles
- 1991 Chev. S10, V6, Auto. trans., 18,000 actual miles
- 1991 Chev. 1/2 ton EXT Cab Silverado, loaded, 16,000 miles
- 1990 Chevrolet S10 Blazer, 4x4, 33,000 miles
- 1988 Chev. El Camino, fully loaded
- 1989 Mazda SR5 Pup, 32,000 miles
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Actions of the Gorman City Commission Meeting

The Gorman City Commission met in a regular meeting on February 4th with Mayor Pro-Tem John Rice, and Commissioners Howard Hagood, Ann Maxfield, and Johnny Smith present.

Absent was Jack Simpson.

Others present were Clyde Carter, Gene Foster, Chief Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lamb.

The meeting opened at 6:08 p. m.

Howard Hagood made the motion, seconded by Ann Maxfield, to accept the minutes as read, changing the word "notified" to "checked" in paragraph 7. Motion carried 3-0.

Ann Maxfield made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to accept the bills for payment as reported. Motion carried 3-0.

Chief Simpson gave his report. Judge V. O. Huff and Glenn Scitern were absent.

The first reading of Ordinance No. 321 Restrictive Parking on Hwy. 6 was conducted.

Upon reading the resolution for Upper Leon River MWD Improvements, Howard Hagood made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to improve the resolution. Motion carried.

The Drug Awareness Program was tabled for the next meeting until cost figures could be provided.

Howard Hagood made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to adjust bills presented to the commission due to meter malfunction. Motion carried 3-0.

Ann Maxfield made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to purchase a hi-ban radio to be installed in the pumper truck for a cost of

\$439.30. Motion carried 3-0.

Debra Clark, notary public, swore in the new patrolman, Clyde D. Carter.

Ann Maxfield made the motion, seconded by Johnny Smith, to send Debra Clark to the 9-1-1 Workshop at the West Central Texas Council of Governments in Abilene on February 17th. Motion carried 3-0.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:08 p. m.

SCHOOL MENU

BREAKFAST

Monday - Rice, toast, juice and milk.

Tuesday - Cereal, toast, juice and milk.

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

Thursday - Oatmeal, toast, juice and milk.

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

LUNCH

Monday - Taco Salad, lettuce,

grated cheese, ranch beans, spanish rice, peaches, sugar cookies and milk.

Tuesday - Sliced turkey, cream potatoes, green beans, gravy, hot rolls, cake and milk.

Wednesday - Meatloaf, scalloped potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, honey and milk.

Thursday - Fish nuggets, macaroni and cheese, glazed carrots, tartar sauce, hot rolls, apple and milk.

Friday - Hamburgers, cheese, all the trimmings, french fries, ice cream and milk.



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CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

The Newcomb Band will bring the entertainment for the February birthday party on Thursday, the 25th at 2 p. m. Honorees are Annie Hale, Ora Mae Atchison, Nancy Holloway, Stella Thurman, Mae Quinn and Marion Dennis. There will be refreshments and guests are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ross visited Ola Walker.

On Saturday morning at 10 a. m. Bro. Joe O'Neal came and played church service tapes for 11 residents.

Those visiting Cynthia Earles were Faye Huff, Sheryl and Christina Everton, Zena Simpson, Ann Siver, Qurisha Cleborn of Arlington.

On Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Rev. Ron Carroll of Forst Baptist Church taught the Sunday school lesson for 13 residents.

Bro. Joe O'Neal visited Jess Roberts, Eulon Perry, Jr. Fairbetter, Orvil Boyd, Garland Perry, Homer Wood, S. D. Gilmore, Marion Dennis Cody and Pauline Love, Hillery Seay and Bill Simmons.

At 2:30 p. m. Sunday those coming from the Kokomo Baptist Church were Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, Jimmy Little, Joe O'Neal, Nancy Hendricks, Wanda Rainey, Johnnie B. Griffith, Hope Joiner, Denzel and Fay Ables.

Denzel and Fay Ables visited Ora Mae Atchison, Nancy Holloway, Effie Mae Brown, Ruby Vandergriff.

On Sunday at 4 p. m. those coming from the Gorman Church of Christ were Bro. and Mrs. Curtis Maness, Bud and Dee Smithy, Janda, Tracey and Billy Taylor, Clara Mae Frossard Dora Faye Brewer, Floydene Gilbert, Zena Simpson and Mendy and Ashley Laminack.

Those visiting Veno and Annie Hale were Jimmy Little and Faye and Denzel Ables.

Dorothy Roberts gave Cynthia Earles a new permanent on Monday.

Hope Joiner visited Lois Buchanan Ollie Eaves, Era Fraley and Annie

and Veno Hale.

On Monday morning Joy led us in number games and word games. We used 110 words starting with the letter F. Eight residents played.

Those visiting Gertie Leeper were Lois Cates of Moran, Deanna Tedford and children of Bedford, Frances Sanders, Norma Tedford, Robert Sanders, Nellie Lucky and Betty Sanders.

At 2 p. m. Nancy Hendricks and Orene Hallmark came for bingo. Winners were Gertie Leeper, S. D. Gilmore, Emma Shugart, Jess Hallmark, Iola Johnson, Ina Mae Tarrance, Effie Mae Brown, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Garnet Adams, Dorothy Beatty, Ruby Vandergriff and Era Whitehurst.

L. D. Holliday returned from the De Leon Hospital on Monday. Some of his guests were Truitt and Ruby Lee Norris, Marjorie Lasater of Carbon, Bill and Bessie Holliday of Throckmorton, Odell Bethany of De Leon, A. V. Seay, Nancy Hendricks, Joe O'Neal, Mayvis Lasater, Opal Hoolliday, Frankie Jo Shipman, Rev. Ron Carroll, Grace Townley, Georgie Faye Skaggs, Edna Joyce Brinegar, and Truman Gregory of Eastland.

At 2:30 on Monday Joy read stories and led exercises for 8 residents.

Those visiting Marie Welch were David Price, Darrell Price, Donna and Joshua Price of Cisco, Carroll and Leta Hogan.

On Tuesday morning Betty Duke came and played the keyboard for 14 residents. Elsie Duke was a guest.

Varona Taylor enjoyed a Valentine party at Pauline Allens on Sunday. Other guests were Brad, Paula, Megan, Scotty and Kevin Lewis, Bonnie Cox, Billy, Janda, Tracey and Steve Taylor and Joanna and Julia Fisk.

We are sorry to report Mae Quinn is a patient in the De Leon Hospital.

Those visiting Laverne Kennedy

were Kenneth Sears, Dorothy Sears, Lorene Beatty of Proctor.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Carol Rae, Kristin and Kirk Ervin of Desdemona, Carrie Daniels, Joe O'Neal and Mayvis Lasater.

At 2 p. m. on Thursday we played residents rights bingo with Joy and 11 residents.

Those visiting Lorene Jay were Mayvis Lasater, Hope Joiner and Brent Lasater.

At 6:30 on Thursday we were honored to have the Weeks Kids Band. Those coming were Robert, Brandy, Rebekah and Bonnie Weeks Jr. Trice, Raymond and Vivian Hart, Eunice Love, Tammy, Clint, Tecia, Skylar Jones and Joy Campbell.

Those visiting Homer Wood were Norman and Velsei Rawson of Cisco, Shawn and Sterling McCaulley and Daisy Slaton.

On Friday morning at 10 a. m. those coming for the musical were Raymond and Vivian Hart, Dewey and Tola Bailey, and Joe O'Neal was a guest.

Lenis Rice and Ina Reynolds visited Iola Johnson on Friday.

Nancy Hendricks, Lenis Rice and Irene Hallmark helped with bingo. Players were Ruby Vandergriff, Jess Hallmark, Emma Shugart, S. D. Gilmore, Iola Johnson, Gertie Leeper Dorothy Beatty, Era Fraley, Ina Mae Tarrance, Era Whitehurst, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Ola Walker and Ora Mae Atchison.

We appreciated the delicious mustard greens Lucille Broom brought.

Those visiting Cleo Clement and Mae Quinn were Dwayne and Michele Clement of Dallas, Sue Seaton, Archie and Georgie Faye Skaggs.

On Tuesday at 2:30 those coming for singing were Melba Frasier, L. C. Landers, Joe O'Neal, Billie Stacy, Dorothy Light, Irene Hallmark, Nancy Hendricks, Wanda Rainey, Faye and Denzel Ables, Ernestine Campbell, Ethel Weaver, Archie and Georgie Faye Skaggs, Ava Rodgers, Joy Campbell, Joanne Williams, Lonnie Paul Ables and Berneice Rodgers.

Faye and Denzel Ables visited Lovenia Blair, Judy Phillips, Ora Mae Atchison, Ollie Eaves, Ola Walker, Lois Buchanan and Erta Whitehurst.

On Wednesday morning Rev. L. C. Landers of Gorman Family Bible Church brought the devotional for 10 residents.

Verl and Gary Hallmark of Brownwood and Irene Hallmark visited Jess Hallmark.

On Wednesday at 2 p. m. Nancy Hendricks and Irene Hallmark came for bingo. Residents playing were Effie Mae Brown, Jess Hallmark, S. D. Gilmore, Jess Roberts, Ruby Vandergriff, Iola Johnson, Garnet Adams, Cynthia Earles, Varona Taylor, Veno Hale, Ora Mae Atchison, Era Fraley, Ola Walker and Era Whitehurst.

Those visiting Era Fraley were

KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

The sandstorm that blew through here on Sunday just about covered us up for awhile. The wind was quite strong for several hours.

The special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning was rendered by Joe and Glynda Bond, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Jimmy Little, and Leona Wilson, with Wynelle Brown at the piano. Visitors were Anita Cates and Tracy, who have recently moved to the

Garland and Gladys Fraley, George, Donna, Travis and Amy Fraley, Nadine Simmons, Laneta, Chelsea and Matthew Herron, Louise Rich, Betty Montgomery, Allie Torres and Nathan, Modena Wilson of De Leon, Harvey Fenwick of Abilene and Fay McClearen of Dublin.

At 2:30 Joy read stories and did exercises for 8 residents.

Rhoda Burney visited Dorothy Beatty and Gertie Leeper.

At 10 a. m. on Thursday we played shuffleboard with Joy and 7 residents.

Those visiting Emma Shugart and S. D. Gilmore were Dixie Pack of Desdemona, Joe O'Neal and Modess Burgess.

Kokomo area, Jerry and Shelly Hamilton of Wichita Falls and Cleo Duncan of Flatwood.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Loretta (Mrs. Grady) Shook who passed away on Sunday.

Delmon and Joyce Eaves and Clifford and Doris Graham of Monahans visited last Tuesday in Stephenville with Jimmie and Vonita Evott and her daughter, Linda Singleton of Waco, who was visiting in the Evott home.

Those visiting with Hope Joiner were David and Sandra Joiner of Bakersfield, Calif., Vic Joiner of Dallas, Ennis Joiner of Gorman, Lucille Joiner of Stephenville, and Billie Jeanne Grisham of De Leon.

Anna Laura Clearman visited during the weekend with her sister and brother-in-law, Edna and Pete Sudduth in Winters, and with Jamie and Ann Clearman at Ovalo.

Larry and Betty Strube visited with Glenn and Zelda Jordan on Friday night.

Berneice Rodgers visited at Carbon on Sunday with Billie Stacy and they attended the 95th birthday celebration for Mr. Robert Tucker.

PVT. BOBBY R. BRINSON COMPLETES INFANTRY TRAINING IN GEORGIA

Fort Benning, Ga. — Pvt. Bobby R. Brinson has completed training at the U. S. Army Infantry School here.

During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapons infantrymen and as indirect-fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad.

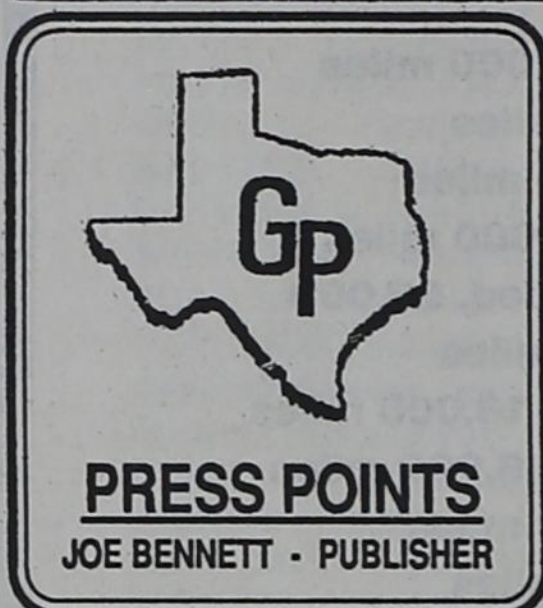
Instructions included weapons qualifications, tactics, patrolling, land mine warfare, field and combat operations.

The soldier is the son of Clyde and Shirley Brinson of De Leon.

His wife, Shenel, is the daughter of Ricky and Janet Mathis of Dublin. He is a 1990 graduate of De Leon High School.

Larry and Paula Morrow of Plains have been visiting with J. L. and Naoma Morrow and Paul and Imogene Norris. J. L. has been in the Eastland Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Our get well wishes go to Sandra Snider, who has been in Parkland Hospital in Dallas for a few days. Her parents, Danny and Dianne Snider, report that she is doing better now. We hope that she will be able to come home very soon.



—J—

Congratulations to the Panthers on making the playoffs this season. They have tried hard and have played some great basketball. We wish them the best in their Bi-District Playoff game against Roby in the Clyde High School gym this Friday night at 7:30. The winner will advance to the regional playoff bracket.

—J—

Received the following letter on Thursday from Bill Fairbetter of Abilene:

Joe,
Please get the enclosed check to someone who can use it for the Charlie Garrett Memorial Library.

Thanks for your help.
Bill Fairbetter
Thanks for the nice donation, Bill (Manning). I am sure it will be used in a very worthwhile project for the

library.

—J—
The annual Benefit Basketball and Volleyball Games of the Gorman Lions Club has been scheduled for Thursday, April 1st. There will be men's basketball with the Lions and Faculty facing the "Outsiders". Also there will be volleyball games with the ladies participating. The games will begin at 7 p. m. in the school gym.

Also the Gorman Lions will be serving their "Famous" Lion Burgers beginning at 5:30 p. m. in the school cafeteria. You can get a hamburger, chips and tea for the small fee of \$2. Also there will be a concession stand operating in the gym during the activities with the usual great goodies for you to enjoy.

The CJC Wrangler Belles will perform some of their routines during the evening and the Cub Scouts will hold their popular Pine Derby with miniature gravity-powered cars running heat races on ramps. Folks really enjoyed this type of racing in a recent event.

The proceeds from this annual event goes toward the worthy projects that the Lions Club participates in each year.

So come on out a little early, enjoy some of those great "Lion Burgers" and then go on over to the gym and enjoy an evening of great entertainment.

Cost of admission to the benefit games will be by donation only.

—J—
Noticed where the County Commissioners have voted to do some improvement at the intersection of 2214 and 571 (Ranger Road).

The commissioners voted to provide right-of-way to widen the farm-to-market road. Emergency funds are being sought to install flashing lights, and there will be pavement markings with "Stop Ahead" warning signs on the pavement. Plans call for a flashing beacon and a wider roadway at the location.

I guess the petitions that have been circulated since the death of Annette Love in an accident on Feb. 7 have proved to be fruitful with the actions of the commissioners.

It is a very, very dangerous intersection as it is now.

—J—

Noticed that the Panthers have been listed in eighth place in the rankings in baseball, with Eula in tenth position. Sure was funny on Tuesday when I noticed that Brownwood and Eula were the only area teams being mentioned in the Abilene Reporter-News in an article while their rankings showed Gorman in the eighth place position. Reckon we are considered as being in the area?

—J—
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DESDEMONA NEWS

VONNIE GUTHERY - PHONE 758-2665

First Baptist Church of Desdemona had average attendance last Sunday. Special music by Nell Ragland, with Karen Eaves at the piano. Visitors for the Sunday morning services were Bob and Mary (Lee) Ragland of Lovington, N.M. and Clarence Ragland of Gorman.

Bernard and Ann Keith returned home on Sunday evening after spending several weeks in Mission on vacation. They reported a good time.

Visiting with Neta Morrow Gee in Ranger on Sunday, Feb. 21st to help celebrate her 91st birthday were her two daughters, Frances Gee Friday of Fort Worth and Shirley Gee of Fort Worth, and her sister, Bill and Bobbie Morrow Adams of Fort Worth. The Gee and Morrow families were former residents of Desdemona. Neta's late husband, Frank Gee, helped to build the First Baptist Church in October of 1921.

Courtney Thiebaud of White Oak

visited the past weekend with his parents, Glyn and Alpha Thiebaud, and to celebrate Courtney's 52nd birthday. His mom baked a cake with lots of T.L.C.

Desdemona Monthly Musical will be Saturday, February 27th at the Community Center. Come early to enjoy supper at the concession stand. Bring your friends for an enjoyable evening.

Philip and Donna Lewis, Mindy Keck, Misty Wortham, Lisa Rainey, April Walton, Amber Presley, Grant Walston, Tim Fox and Kirk Ervin, all of Desdemona, and Shane Stone and Jr. Gerth, all of De Leon attended the "Teenage Lock-In" last weekend in Abilene.

"Happy Birthday" wishes Thursday, February 25th to our niece, Jody Wilcoxson Walston, and to our friend, Bobbie McKillip from Pug and Vonnie Guthery.

Clarence Ragland of Gorman celebrated his 97th birthday on Saturday February 13th with a luncheon for him at the Gorman Hotel Apartments where he resides. Elwood Ragland of Desdemona attended the luncheon for his Dad.

Nell Ragland and her father, Jim Grimshaw, visited the past week in Clovis, Portales and Elida, N.M. with brothers, sisters and in-laws. They visited Fitzhugh Grimshaw, Dee and Emma Mae Saddler, also visited brothers and sisters and in-laws of the late Nona Grimshaw, who are F. D. and Eva Rogers, Temple and Vera Rogers, Arvin and Evelyn Rogers, Jim and Cordelia Chilton, Melvin and Vera Baker and several nieces and nephews in the area. They reported a good visit with everyone.

Bro. L. C. and Mary Lou Landers will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, March 13th with a reception at the Desdemona First Baptist Church Annex hosted by their children, Don, Ronnie, Clifton and families. L. C. and Mary Lou moved back to Desdemona to retire and we are proud to have them in our community.

Paul Moore and Susan Clark will say their wedding vows on Saturday, March 13th at the Highland Baptist Church at 2 p. m. Parents are Larry and Gay Moore of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Clark of Cisco. "Congratulations" goes out to the couple.

Desdemona Annual Homecoming and School Reunion will be the second Saturday in August. Addresses of former students, teachers and friends are needed for the mailing list. Also help is needed to keep a list of the deceased (since last August) for the memorial list which is printed each year on the program. Vonnie Guthery, secretary, is asking for your help.

Desdemona First Baptist Church

Steps taken to make dangerous roadway safer

By MAYBELLE TROUT
Correspondent

EASTLAND — A dangerous stretch of highway that has taken the lives of several people and injured many more in southeast Eastland County is getting attention in hopes of making it safer.

County commissioners Monday voted to provide right-of-way to widen the farm-to-market intersection of 2214 and 571. The latest accident at the intersection

will receive a Texas State Historical Marker soon. Plans are being made for an all day celebration. If you are a former member of this church and would like to receive an invitation for this, please send your address to the Desdemona Historical Committee Secretary, Vonnie Guthery, P. O. Box 187, Desdemona, TX 76445.

J. J. Clark of Gorman won fifth place with her Berkshire Hog last weekend in the San Antonio Livestock Show. J. J. is the granddaughter of Jack and Nell Ridens of Desdemona.

took the life of Annette Love, 16. She was killed Feb. 7 in a two-vehicle collision.

Ken Lyerla, Precinct 1 commissioner, said emergency funds are being sought to install flashing lights. Temporary safety measures include highlighting pavement markings and painting "Stop Ahead" warning signs on the pavement.

Eventually the roadway will be widened and a flashing beacon will be installed.

In other business Monday, District Clerk Bill Mears was authorized to place trust funds in a tax pool with the state treasurer's office. Mears said the money should earn \$11,000 to \$12,000 more per year because of higher interest.

Commissioners also voted to move Carbon's Precinct 6 voting site after proper notification has been made. The site will be moved from the school cafeteria to the community center.

Commissioners also awarded a bid to Government Record Ser-

vice of Dallas to recreate deed record books in the County Clerk's office.

The firm will charge \$486 per book.

Commissioner Regie Pittman reported that the Eastland County Jail will be inspected March 4.



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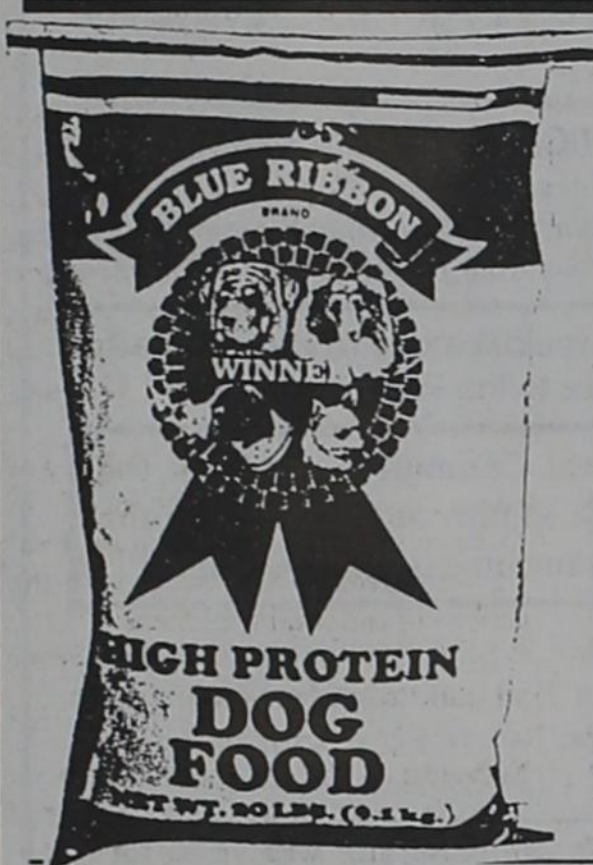
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CARBON NEWS

Church service was well attended Sunday at the Baptist Church. Bro. Keith Henson's message was on "The Wages of Sin is Death, But the Gift of God is Eternal Life through Jesus Christ our Lord." Romans 6th

chapter. Carroll and Elizabeth Sandlin were in Weatherford and Springtown on Thursday on business and visiting relatives. Maxine Morgan and Billie Stacy

Panther Baseball Schedule

March 2	Perrin	Here	4:30
March 9	Gordon	There	4:30
March 23	Gordon	Here	4:30
March 25-27	Ranger Tournament	TBA	TBA
March 30	Rising Star	Here	5:00
April 2	Cisco	Here	4:30
April 5	Bangs J. V.	There	4:30
April 20	Cisco	There	4:30
April 23	Baird	There	5:00*
April 27	Rising Star	There	5:00*
April 30	Eula	Here	5:00*
May 4	Baird	Here	5:00*
May 7	Rising Star	Here	5:00*
May 11	Eula	There	5:00*

* Denotes District Games

Coach - Eddie Pettit

Phone 817-734-2843 (H) - 817-734-2614 (School)

GHS in MARCH

- 1-5 Houston Stock Show
- 5-6 Regional FHA Meeting - DFW Airport
- 11 TAAS Writing - Grades 4-8-10 - Exit Level
- 15-19 SPRING BREAK
- 22 FFA Appreciation Supper
- 23 Eighth Grade County Career Day
- 25 FHA Banquet
- Jr. High & Elementary UIL Meet - Cross Plains
- 27 Gorman Jr. High Invitational Track Meet
- 29 Jr. High & Elementary UIL Meet - Cross Plains
- 30 High School UIL Literary Meet - Baird
- 31 Jr. High & High School Cheerleader Tryouts

AUCTION

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were in Abilene Friday evening attending the Sing Song '93 for ACU. Delana Stacy was a member of the Sing Song.

Wallace McDaniel of Clyde visited his mother, R. Lee McDaniel, over the weekend.

There was a large crowd attending the birthday party for Mr. Robert Tucker at the Community Center on Sunday afternoon. He was 95 years old and looking good. We wish him many more happy birthdays.

Little Aaron Sandlins eye surgery was postponed due to an infection. It has been rescheduled for March 2nd in Fort Worth.

Don Guy and cousin, Joan of Austin, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy, Dorothy Jackson visited with them also.

Visiting Billie Stacy over the weekend were her sisters, Ima Brown, Ava and Berneice Rodgers. They went shopping in Brownwood on Saturday.

Bobby and Linda Higgins of Houston spent last weekend with his mother, Myrtle Higgins.

Kathryn and Freddy Coburn of San Angelo came by for her mother Friday and they all went to visit Melissa and Steve Killen at Mesquite over the weekend. The Killens have just moved into their new home.

Congratulations goes to Corey Pack for making the President's List at CJC. He is the son of Ronnie and Jeanna Pack, and grandson of Wanda (and the late Victor) Pack, and Paul and Imogene Norris, all of Carbon.

Despite a small turn out for the business meeting at the community center Friday night, many good ideas were discussed for future and pending projects.

For the next several months the second Monday night of the month has been designated for business meetings at 7 p. m.

Those present voted to accept the proposal from the Eastland County Commissioners Court to relocate the public polling place for Carbon Precinct No. 6 to the Community Center.

Reports from various committees reflected that everyone is working hard. The most exciting news came as a proposed kitchen addition was announced and a fund was started with a \$250.00 pledge from Eastland National Bank.

The next workday is scheduled for March 6th with a business meeting scheduled for March 8th. See you there!

The Carbon Community Center wishes to express our appreciation and thanks to the Methodist Conference for the generous gift of the beautiful church building. It is a landmark and the community hopes to restore it as much as possible. The response of the community has been tremendous. For each contribution of labor, time and money, we are grateful.

There are many needs yet to be met and much work to be done. There is, therefore, enough for all former Carbon students and interested citizens to share in.

All correspondence may be sent to Carbon Community Center, Box 616, Carbon, TX 76435. There are many former Carbon students whose addresses we do not have, but would certainly appreciate receiving them.

Edna Smith Class Enjoys Party

On February 16th the Edna Smith Sunday School Class met in the home of Geraldine Wright. She had her home beautifully decorated for cup-home beautifully decorated for Valentine with red hearts, cupid and balloons everywhere. From her large lace-covered bar she served a wonderful meal of sandwiches, salads, crackers, chips and dips. A beautiful heart-shaped cake, also iced heart-shaped cookies, with coffee, apple cider and hot chocolate. Beth Welch asked the blessing on the meal.

Louise Brown called the business meeting to order. Minutes were read and all officers made their reports.

Louise made a report on the need in Brazil for the gospel to be preached. Frankie Jo made a motion that our class make a special offering each Sunday to send Bro. Ron Carroll in March. Geraldine seconded the motion and it carried.

Anna made a motion to give \$30 to a Y-Teen Girl to go to Waco in March with Bonnie seconding and the motion carried.

Martha Rainey brought a very good devotional from a book by Corrie Ten Boon, a Bible study on love, because Martha said it was for Valentine. She read from John 1:1-14. She emphasized the importance of studying the Bible of prayer before reading and daily reading.

Geraldine dismissed the meeting in prayer.

We exchanged our homemade Valentines. Some have such talent. Estelle Erwin had a birthday. We presented her with many useful gifts.

Time to say goodnight to Louise Brown, Estelle Erwin, Beth Welch, Anna Rush, Frankie Jo Shipman, Bonnie Croft, Gladys Chambliss, Geraldine Wright and Martha Rainey, our guest.

Desdemona First Baptist Historical Marker Approved

The Texas State Historical Commission has approved the application for a Texas State Historical "Subject Marker" for the Desdemona First Baptist Church. Although the marker has been approved, there are several steps of procedure before the marker will be finished and ready for setting.

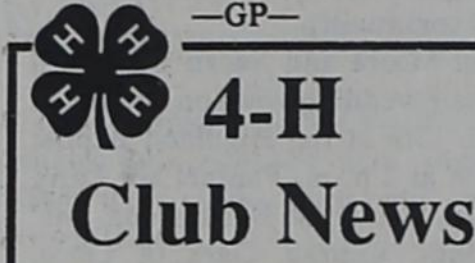
A dedication date will be announced, upon arrival of the marker and ceremony plans can be made. This announcement came from Vonnie Keith Guthery, historian appointed by the First Baptist Church to research and make application for the marker. Guthery said she was "really excited about this - my first marker". Our area of Texas has so much history and it should be preserved.

Guthery has expressed her sincere "thanks" to the ones who helped with information about the church. All church records are being presented by Guthery and they will be on display on the celebration day that will be planned as soon as possible.

Desdemona First Baptist Church is the oldest church organization in Eastland County. It all began in June, 1872 when Bro. Johnnie Northcutt gathered his flock together under a large oak tree in the east bank of Hog Creek.

The present church building was built in October, 1921, soon after the Boom began to run its course in Desdemona. Better known as "Hogtown", Desdemona has much history to share. Cost of the present church building in 1921 was \$2500.00 and it was built by Tip Ross, contractor. It is still a beautiful building and a landmark for everyone to enjoy.

You are invited to attend Sunday school and church services every Sunday and prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.



4-H SCHOLARSHIPS DUE

4-Hers planning to submit applications for 4-H Scholarships are reminded that these are due prior to **March 15th** in the County Extension office.

UPCOMING DATES

February 26 - 4-H Clothing Lock-In at Breckenridge Ag Barn from 6 to 10 p. m.

February 27 - 4-H Clothing Workshop & Consumer Tour in Abilene from 1 to 4 p. m.

March 11 - Fashion Show entries due.

March 15 - 4-H County Fashion Show at Daughtery Street Church of Christ, across from hospital in Eastland. Judging from 5:30 to 6:30 with public showing at 7 p. m.

March 20-21 - 4-H Adult SpecTra State 4-H Center.

March 22 - Eastland County 4-H Council meets at 4:30 p. m. at Eastland National Bank.

March 27 - District 8 4-H Fashion Show at Gatesville.

March 27-28 - 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Training at State 4-H Center.

March 29 - County 4-H Contests at 6:30 p. m. at Cisco National Bank.

April 3 - District 4-H Leader & Council Workshop in Hamilton.

Odie Brightwell and Willa Dean Ormsby spent last week in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Brightwell and Jerry Ormsby.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST

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A Scholarship Fund has been established by the students at Gorman Independent School District in loving memory of Annette Marie Love, who lost her life in a tragic accident on February 7th. Donations may be made to Citizens State Bank, P. O. Box 519, Gorman, Texas 76454 or Gorman ISD, P. O. Box 8 Gorman.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. If you would like to make a donation in memory of or In Honor of someone, please send to Box 501, Gorman, or Citizens State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

25TH INFANTRY DIVISION ASSOCIATION - Announcing the 44th Annual Reunion-Convention, August 5-8, 1993, in Louisville, KY, for Veterans who served in the division during WWII, Occupation of Japan, Korea, Viet-Nam, Operation Desert Storm, and in Peacetime. For more information on the reunion and association, contact Andy Ansell, R. D. #1 Box 336, Acme, PA 15610.

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1993 WILL DO ODD JOBS OF ANY KIND. CALL 734-2497, 758-2660 OR 734-2504.

The Gorman P. T. O. meets the third Wednesday of each month in the Elementary Library at 3:30 p.m. All Interested persons are invited to attend.

NOTICE OF INTEREST!

The Gorman Panther Spirit Club will meet every 2nd Thursday of the Month in the High School Library at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited.

OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES - PAT CORNWELL, R.N. Blood Pressure 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 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Canterbury Villa of Gorman would like to remind everyone that Blood Pressure Checks are free to the Public at anytime.

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

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. Roscoe Reeves, Jr., Master, 734-2812 - Phillip Osborne, Secretary - 734-2807.

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. - Sandra Osborne, Worthy Matron - 734-2807 and Phillip Osborne, Worthy Patron 734-2807.

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 MARCH 17TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

March is National Peanut Month

Great goobers! March is National Peanut Month. That time set aside each year to celebrate the delicious, nutritious great American peanut. It's baseball, the circus and all-around fun packed in a little legume with big nutritional benefits.

Did you know that peanuts are not nuts at all? They are part of the pea, bean and lentil family and offer the advantages of good protein, vitamins minerals and fiber. Peanuts have all of this while being naturally cholesterol-free.

Many American moms are looking back to peanuts as a nutritious snack for their children since the calories contained are "loaded"--the kind that can easily be turned to energy--versus those that are termed "empty calories" in other snacks.

But the main thing about peanuts is that they taste great. Whether they are oil roasted, dry roasted, oven roasted, boiled, blanched or raw, there's nothing like the taste of peanuts. America's number one

sandwich spread is peanut butter, accounting for about half of the U. S. production of the crop. It has been reported that one of President Bill Clinton's favorite sandwiches is peanut butter and banana, just like another famous American, Elvis Presley.

Peanuts and chocolate are the country's favorite flavor combination in candy and confections, too. Among the top ten best selling chocolate candies, the top three, and six of the ten, contain peanuts.

According to the National Peanut Council in Alexandria, Va., we Americans consume 12 pounds of peanuts (farmer stock basis) per person each year. That is up some 20 percent from a decade ago. Peanuts are the 17th most valuable cash crop in the U. S. with a farm value of about \$3 billion.

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