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## Open House Held For Higginbotham Funeral Home



**FUNERAL HOME STAFF** — Greeting visitors at the Open House of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman recently were, from the left, manager Ray Daniels, administrative assistant Carolyn Foster, and president Jim Monshinski. About 100 people attended the event which showcased the recently completed redecorating project at the funeral home.

About 100 people visited the Higginbotham Funeral Home in Gorman during an open house for its refurbished facilities recently, manager Ray Daniels announced.

The funeral home has been completely redecorated with new carpets, couches, love seats, chairs, drapes, and lights, Daniels said. Visitors were given a tour of the facilities by Daniels and administrative assistant Carolyn Foster, then treated to refreshments.

Higginbotham Funeral Home has served this area of Texas over 100 years. It was once located beside the hardware store, but in 1969, the current location was built. Daniels has been the Gorman manager since 1979.

"We were very pleased with the turnout from the community for the open house, and we appreciated all of the kind words about how nice the fu-

neral home looks now," Daniels said. "We are pleased to serve the people of this area, and we want them to have the best facilities possible."

Guests included Jim Moshinski of Comanche, president of the Higginbotham Funeral Homes; Pete Boutross, Marie Franks, and Ron Spruill, of Comanche Funeral Home; Bob and Dee Harrell of the Higginbotham Funeral Home in Cross Plains, Gene and Denise McFarlin of the Higginbotham Funeral Home in Cross Plains, Jim Johnson of Funeral Homes of Texas in Stephenville, and Brent and Brandi Stone of the Higginbotham Bros. General Offices in Comanche.

The open house for the Rising Star location will be Sunday, April 26, from 1 to 3 p.m.

**Primera Iglesia Bautista Le invita a que tenga usted una experiencia con Dios maravillosa e inolvidable durante los dias 16 al 18 de abril y por si empre. En First Baptist Church. A las 7:00 p.m.**

## Gorman Easter Egg Hunt Proves to Be Lots of Fun Again this Year

It is time once again to say thank you to all the wonderful people in Gorman. With out your help we would not have been able to have had such a bountiful Easter Treasure Hunt.

It is impossible to name all the individuals who donated money or candy---I just want to say a special thank you for those who did.

I also want to thank our local police department for marking off the park, for blocking off the streets so they would be safe for the kids and for helping hid the treasures. I would also like to thank Janet Sanders, Derik Adams, Brenda Hammontree, Margie Lasater, and Connie Rone for helping hide all the treasures.

At this time I would like to say a Big Thank you to all the businesses who made a donation--next time you are i one of these businesses tell them how much you appreciate their support: Birdsong Peanuts, Bob's Gro., Boswell Beefmasters, Burgess Service Center, City Gro., City of Gorman, CMS Health Care, Country Cuts, Eastco Fuel, Farley & Seaton Feed, Foster Floral, Frazier Auto, G&H Feed, Gimore Auto, Gold Metal Imports, Gorman Housing Authority, Gorman Pharmacy, Gorman Progress, Hagood Electric, Heritage Manor, Higginbotham Funeral Home, Higginbotham Hardware & Lumber, Marceil Laminack-Mary Kay, Peanut Festival Committee, Miers Butane, Porter's Garage, Roberts Concrete Construction, Security State Bank, Shirley's Air conditioning, Smith's Chevron, The Peanut Hut, Torrez Lawn Service, Underwood Farm Equipment, ZJ's Steak House, Steve Singleton's Plumbing, ConSpec Roofing, The Rancher's Daughter, Wal-Mart-Eastland, Weaver Road Nursery, Cox Auto Racing. If I have left someone out please let me know. Thanks again everyone. I love coming to Gorman.

Mrs. Easter Bunny



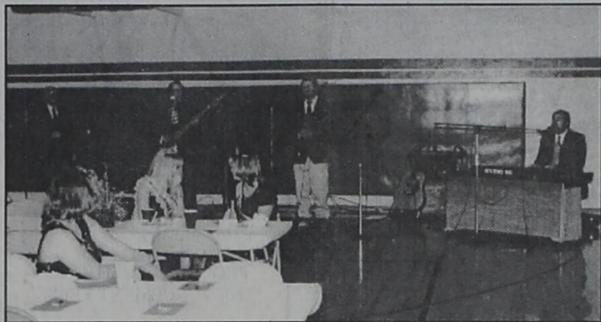
Pictured above are just a few of the many eager egg hunters waiting for the fun to begin at the Gorman Easter Egg Hunt. More pictures are located elsewhere in this issue of the Progress.

You are cordially invite to a birthday celebration honoring ERNEST CURB on his 94th year, Sunday, April 19 at the Gorman Hotel. Everyone is invited. No Gifts Please.

## Durwood and Aletha Burgess -- Fred and Joy Rogers -- Gene Foster Receive Awards At Gorman Chamber Banquet

This year the annual Gorman Chamber of Commerce Banquet was held on Tuesday, April 7th. It was a perfect Spring afternoon when the crowd started gathering for the banquet in the Gorman High School Gymnasium. The night began with a delicious BBQ dinner with all the trimmings and served by the Gorman Livestock Raisers Association.

While everyone was enjoying their meal and friendly conversation, Daryl Hirst, the Master of Ceremonies and Director of the Chamber of Commerce, began the banquet ceremonies by introducing the directors of the Chamber of Commerce; Jonathan VanDusen, Ron Keller, Joe Bennett, Ann Maxfield, Judy Morris and Terry Treadway, secretary. Due to the combined efforts of the directors, the banquet was a huge success.



The festivities started off with music and song from *The Messengers*. This is a local group of men from Gorman consisting of, Tommy Clark, who writes and composes the music for the group, Jeff Seaton, Hershell Cordell, and Glen Clements, whose combined voices and musical talents make their presentation heavenly.

After the crowd was awed by the music of *The Messengers*, Daryl Hirst introduced the Guest Speaker, Shelly Hargrove, of Breckenridge. Shelly presented a slide show and made a brief explanation on The Mainstreet Project which has been presented to the City of Gorman and will be on the ballot in the upcoming election. The Mainstreet Project is about the beautification of the City of Gorman and efforts to attract more business and tourism in this area.



Then on to the presentation of awards. Daryl Hirst presented the Academic Awards first. The Academic Award is presented to high school students in each class who have the highest GPA. The senior class winner was given to Janice Glover, daughter of David and Linda Glover. The junior class winner went to Ruth Reeves, daughter of Roscoe and Mary Reeves. The sophomore class winner went to Madelyn Wilkins, daughter of Shelia Wilkins; The winner in the freshman class was Mark Glover, son of David and Linda Glover.



The 1997 Miss Gorman - Ashley Laminack and Little Miss Gorman - Kimberly Seaton and 1997 Peanut Queen - Tiffany Troutman were also at the banquet

## Gorman One-Act Play To Perform



Gorman High School One-Act Play will present "Of Winners, Losers and Games" at 3:00 P.M. on Sunday, April 19 at the Majestic Theater in Eastland. This play has a combination of absurdity, symbolism, passion and drama set in the realistic yet abstract "game of life." Admission is free and everyone is invited to come enjoy an afternoon at the theater.



The next award presented was the Community Service Award which went to Fred and Joy Rogers. Both, Fred and Joy are life long residents of Gorman and have always been very active in community projects. Joy is a charter member of the Woman's Study Club, served on the Miss Gorman committee, has organized and directed the Gorman Peanut Festival parade and Peanut Queen contest and has been a Chamber of Commerce director. She has worked for the City of Gorman, Birdsong Peanuts, Parnell's Peanuts and is currently employed with Texas Peanut Producers Board.

Fred has made a career of farming, ranching and cattle buying. He has served as a Chamber of Commerce director, member of the Gorman ISD school board, and was on the Board of Directors for Comanche County Telephone for several years. He and Joy are active members of the Church of Christ. They have two children; Sha Penny and Wesley Rogers; five granddaughters and two great-grandsons.



Taking home the Agricultural Award this year was Durwood and Aleta Burgess. The Burgesses have been successful in their agriculture endeavors for more than 40 years. They have seen their farming operation grow to more than 1,000 acres and their ranching operation to 200 head of cattle. Out of all the things they have raised through the years, the ones they are most proud of are the four children they have. Their children are; Billy Burgess, Danny Burgess, Angela Buckley and Glenn Burgess. And of course, adding to that list of things to be proud of are their four grandchildren.

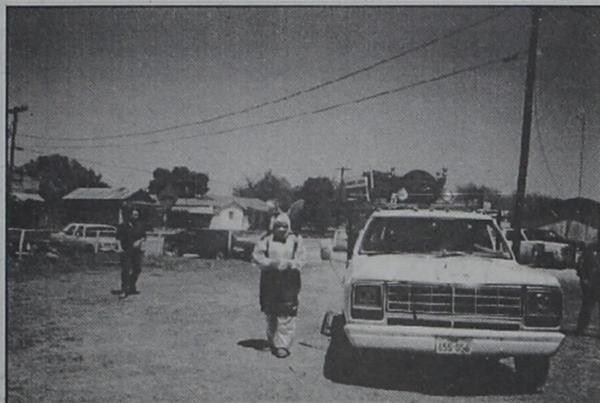


Gene Foster was honored with a Special Recognition Award. Gene and his wife Carolyn are the owners of Foster Floral. They have two children; Lisa Whatley and Joe Foster. Gene was given this award for all the years he has given unselfishly to the community. For more than twenty years he ran the time clock at all the home high school football games. He served on the Peanut Festival Committee and was president one year. He has served as a volunteer fireman for more than twenty five years, serving as fire chief for the last several years. He is a member of the Lions Club, serving as president twice; a director of the Chamber of Commerce and president for several years. Due to health problems earlier this year, Gene had to cut back on some of his responsibilities, but his heart still beats with pride and passion for this community.

**GORMAN  
CLEAN-UP DAY**  
Saturday, April 25

Curb Side Trash Pickup  
of  
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### Easter Bunny Arrives in Hog Town!



Saturday, April 11th was a windy day with wind gusts up to 30 m.p.h., but that didn't stop the Easter Bunny from arriving in Hog Town (Desdemona) via Desdemona Volunteer Fire Department truck, to deliver goodies to the youngsters.

This year's hunt began around 2 o'clock in the afternoon, shortly after the arrival of the Easter Bunny, who apparently swallowed local businessman, Gary Shirley, at least, that is who appeared to be inside the bunny suit!

The children lined up within their age divisions and the hunt was on. It was all over in a matter of minutes. The turnout was greater than expected, but with the help of some last minute donations, everyone gathered plenty of Easter goodies. Then everyone gathered at the prize table to see who had picked up the lucky prize eggs! There were a lot of smiling faces on the little ones who took home some of the prizes which were donated by Shirley's Air conditioning. After the drawing for the tickle-me-bunny, many children made special memories of this Easter event by having their picture taken with the Easter Bunny.

While the crowd slowly dwindled away, cleanup began. Through the endless chatter, I overheard the planning of next year's Easter Hunt begin. Sounds like next year's hunt will be even bigger and better. Look out Gary...I heard someone talking about having someone in a Chicken costume next year!

### Gladys Edwards Services Held Tuesday, April 14

Gladys Edwards, 87, of Eastland passed away Sunday, April, 12, at an Abilene hospital.

Services were Tuesday, April 14, at Bethel Baptist Church with the Rev. Jonathan Guy and Marcus O'Dell officiating. Burial will be in Eastland Cemetery, directed by Bakker Funeral Home.

Mrs. Edwards was born in New Hope, where she lived most of her life. She graduated from Gorman High School and received her nursing license in Canyon in 1961. She was a member of Bethel Baptist Church and was a licensed vocational nurse at Eastland Memorial Hospital for many years. She was the widow of Vic Edwards.

Survivors include two sons, Neal Edwards of Breckenridge and Ray Edwards of Longview; two brothers, Lawrence Wood of Wichita Falls and G.W. Wood of San Antonio; one sister, Mary Ulala Dukes of Hide-Away Lake; four grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

#### KEEPING WITH FRIENDS

Visiting on Easter Sunday in the home of Johnny and Ina Smith were: James and JoAnn Caskey, Kristy, Kacey and John of Venus; Barry, Julie, Hazel, Toby, Aleigha and Chase of Granburg; Jeff and Angie Smith, Vance and Brittney of Eastland; Gary and Jeneva Henning of Alvarado; Missy Sones, Kailey and Darcy; Mary Myers, Ryan, Hollyann and Kiefer; Nita and Eddie Auvenshine, Emily and Ashley all of DeLeon; Brenda and Steve Tucker and Nathan of Desdemona; Amy and Randy Johnston, Audrey, Jaimi and Kinsey of Gorman.

They all enjoyed a hamburger cook-out and lots of visiting.

### New Trees for City Park

On April 19, 1998 at 2:30 p.m. we at Children of the World Foundation will ascend on Gorman City Park in honor of Sue Ann Tarver and plant red oak trees for all the children lost in Waco and Oklahoma City because of man and their weapons of death.

We call upon Gov. George Bush to proclaim April 19th as a day of mourning and contemplation for all man to ponder upon the suffering of all children due to the evils of man and their weapons of death.

We invite all government and civic organizations to come forward on April 19th and plant trees where children play humbling ourselves to a higher power asking forgiveness for what all children have suffered because of the evils of man and their weapons of death.

Children of the World Foundation

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The following people attended: Dwayne & George Clement of Dallas; Toris & Joan Roberts of Cambridge, England; Richard & Liz Porter of Rockwall; Bob and Wanda Hill of Ft. Worth; Carlyn & Dawson Shelton of Mobile, Alabama; Lynda Shelton of Arlington; Wayne & Elaine Porter of Houston; Kenneth & Jean Underhill of Eastland; Boyd Porter of Eastland; Cleo Norris Duncan of Eastland; Imogene Norris of Eastland; Gary Porter of Odessa; Robert (Bob) Porter of San Angelo; Ken & Jenifer Porter and Jacob (new baby) of San Angelo; Clyde

Richard Kinser of Eastland; Sam Porter & Jean Brown of Lometa; Margaret Hoover of Abilene, Roma Jewel Hood of Gorman; Michaelyn Clark of Gorman; Emily Thornton of Gorman; KaLyn Porter & Lydia of Gorman; Sandra Porter of Sabinal; Sarah & Mary Porter of Jesup, GA.; Charlie Hall of Goldthwaite, Ruthie Porter of Gorman; Stanley & Euna Porter of Gorman; J.E. and Ima George Porter of Gorman; and Frances Babbit of Gorman.

There were 42 attending this year. All enjoyed a noon meal. There were lots of visiting. A few sang and played the guitar which was enjoyed by all.

Sam Porter was noted to be the oldest one there at the age of 93 years old. The youngest one there was Jacob Porter, who was 21 days old.

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## John McKeehan Services Held in De Leon Tuesday

John L. McKeehan, 79, of Sipe Springs, passed away Sunday, April 12, 1998 in the De Leon Hospital.

Services were held Tuesday, April 14, 1998 at the First Baptist Church in De Leon with Rev. Jackie Auvenshine officiating. Music was by Shelly Gibson. Burial was in the McKeehan Family Cemetery in Sipe Springs.

Mr. McKeehan was born July 7, 1918 in Cottonwood, Texas. He married Irene Leary on October 17, 1941 in Brownwood, Texas. He was a member of Sidney Baptist Church. He was a farmer/rancher and lived in the Sipe Springs, Comanche area most of his life. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II, received E.A.M.E. Campaign medal, American Defense service Medal, and Good conduct medal.

Survivors include: Irene McKeehan of Sipe Springs; 2 sisters, Jean Miller of Houston and Bailey Elliott of Mator, TX, and a host of nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by 4 brothers: Jim McKeehan, Q.W. McKeehan, Jake McKeehan, and S.P. "Crepe" McKeehan; 5 sisters: Clemmie Curb, Mary Murray, Melrose Orrell, Ethel Elliott and Sue Vannatta.

## Delmar Shugart Laid to Rest Saturday, April 11th

Delmer Shugart, 66, of Granbury, owner and operator of Granbury Printing for 27 years, died Thursday, April 9, 1998 at the Lake Granbury Medical Center.

Mr. Shugart was born February 8, 1932 in Eastland County and married Ernestine Todd on February 15, 1958 in Gorman. He was an Army veteran and served in Korea. He had lived in Granbury 40 years and worked for the Hood County News-Tablet for 13 years before opening his own business. He was a charter member of the Granbury Jaycees and a member of the Optimist Club and Lions Club.

Survivors include his wife, Ernestine Shugart of Granbury; two daughters, Kathy Stembidge of Fort Worth and Darla Gardner of Bowie; mother, Essie Shugart of Granbury; two brothers, Bobby Shugart of Granbury and Jerry Shugart of Clovis, NM; sister, Brenda Kay Martin of Comanche; four grandchildren; and three step grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday, April 11, 1998 at the Granbury Church of Christ. Interment was in Simpson Cemetery in Eastland County.

### KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

L.M., Jean, and James Wooten visited Easter Sunday with Jean's brother Charles and his family of Boyd, Texas.

## Sharing With Brother Bob

By Bob Beeman

Easter! What a happy time. Five out of eleven of my friends at Heritage Manor picked red as their favorite Easter egg color. I guess there was one abstention, because Jack Bellows said he didn't care what color they were if he just got some. Della Galloway felt the same way about Easter candy.

Egg coloring was done in several ways. A.V. Seay used crayons, Veno Hale used paint and a brush, others used wet crepe paper.

To Ava Rodgers it was a time to get a new dress, although new shoes were a different matter, while to Ollie Holcomb it meant a big dinner. Cynthia Earles planted their garden, usually starting on Good Friday.

Veno Hale remembered a saying that "If it rains on Easter Sunday, it will rain on the next seven Sundays." She also remembers an Easter egg hunt when eggs were hidden in the wood pile and a chicken snake argued "finders keepers."

Till Next Time,  
Brother Bob

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to Thank everyone who made donations to our Desdemona Easter Egg Hunt. Without your donations, this hunt would not have been possible.

Also, a great big Easter Bunny Hug to Elania Lingle and her mother, Helen Adams for creating my new suit.

Truly appreciate all those who took time out of their day to volunteer their time to help prepare for the festivities and help in hiding the eggs!

See you next year,  
Desdemona Easter Bunny

### WITH FRIENDS

While attending a birthday celebration this weekend for an uncle of mine, I was talking to my favorite "cousin-in-law" when I learned that a certain "Gormanite" had received injury this weekend.

Seems Mack Keith couldn't find his sons to enlist their help when cutting some calves this weekend. So instead of waiting for some help to arrive, he decided he was still "A young whipper snapper" and he could still do the work of three men, so he proceeded to do the job himself. He did real well for awhile and if there had been any on lookers, they would have thought this man was probably still in his twenties the way he handled himself. That is until...he sliced his hand wide open with his knife!

I inquired, "Did he have to go to the doctor?" The answer, "Heck no! Mack Keith go to the doctor? Ha!...Nope...he just had "Doctor Nelda" patch him back up and went on back to work."

Next time Mack, wait for help to arrive. I'm sure those calves won't mind a bit staying intact just a little longer!

## Dollars & Sense: Management for Beef Quality Workshop

Dollars & Sense, Management for Beef Quality will be held on Friday, April 24, 1998 beginning at 5 p.m. in Brownwood, Texas at the Jordan Cattle Auction Market. Dinner will be provided during the meeting and the workshop and dinner are free of charge.

This program is designed for ranchers and allied business people involved in cow/calf and stocker cattle produc-

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## School Menu

April 20 thru April 24  
Breakfast

MONDAY- Cereal, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk  
TUESDAY-Egg Muffin, juice, milk  
WEDNESDAY-Oatmeal, toast, jelly, juice, milk  
THURSDAY-Scrambled eggs, toast, jelly, juice, milk  
FRIDAY-Biscuits, gravy, sausage, juice, milk

### Lunch

MONDAY-Turkey salad, veg. soup, peaches, crackers, cupcakes, milk  
TUESDAY-Ham, pinto beans, fried okra, apple crisp, corn bread, milk  
WEDNESDAY-Taco salad, refried

### KEEPING WITH FRIENDS

Kay Ann Craddock of Plano and Estelle Craddock of Gorman spent last week in Fredricksburg and with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle L. Clark in Comfort and Dr. and Mrs. Phil Webb and Corby Jung in Kerrville and friends Lavelle Crowley of Comfort and Rita Hall of Kerville and Mary Gotlieb and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Furgerson in Stone-wall and a sister in law Grace Nix of Longview.

beans, salad, spanish rice, jello, milk  
THURSDAY-Ribbets, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, pudding, milk  
FRIDAY-Cheeseburgers, french fries, pineapple, ice cream, milk

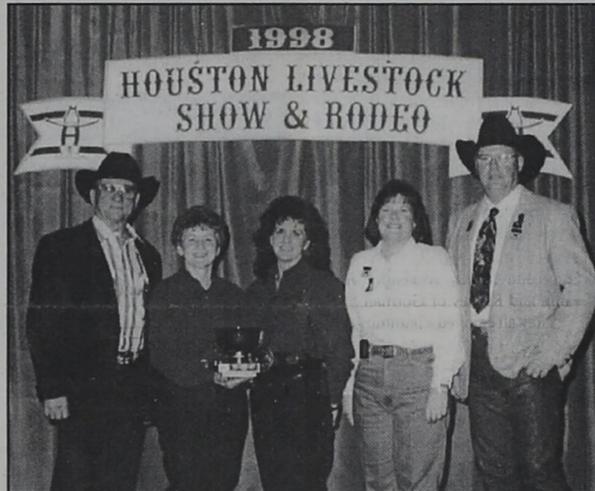
When the air temperature is 85 degrees, it feels like 78 at zero percent humidity, 88 at 50 percent humidity and 108 at 100 percent humidity.



This Braford Bull "Magic" (3/8 Brahman x 5/8 Hereford) won the Champion Senior Bull at the 1998 Houston Livestock Show. His sire Monster (3/4 Brahman x 1/4 Hereford) won 2 Grand Champion Shows in 1988 and 1989. The dam is out of a Ross Wilson bred Knight Ryder. She is from an outstanding lineage.

Nathan and Sandy Files bred and raised this bull. They have been raising Braford cattle for the past 10 years. Their Hereford dams have been purchased from Ross Wilson of Gorman. Monster is the main herd sire used. He is extraordinary and has proven himself by receiving many class winners plus Grand Champion All Breeds heifer in Oklahoma, Reserve Grand Champion heifer in Louisiana in the Jr. Braford Show and Reserve Grand Champion heifer in Texas in the Jr. Braford Show. Several of their more mature cows have been utilized as flush cows producing many remarkable results.

Pictured with Magic are David Simpson and Cory Hall of Diamond S. Ranch in Weatherford. They purchased the bull prior to the show. Breeders: Nathan and Sandy Files of Sabanna Creek Farm and their daughters Darla Gruben of Austin, Natalie Files of Bryan and fitter: Steve Kuhn of Bertram.



Nathan and Sandy Files won the Herdsman Award at the 1998 Houston Livestock Show. This is their third year for the award.

Pictured accepting the award is Sandy Files of Sabanna Creek Farm and Carol Mills from Athen, Texas of Rock Crest Ranch winning second place. Not pictured are Nathan Files and Robert Mills.



The Easter Bunny enjoyed her visit with Nona Bond, who lives in the Gorman Housing Authority. Mrs. Bond is said to be the oldest resident living in Gorman. The Easter Bunny has hiding eggs for Mrs. Bond for the past 102 years.



Now...who is setting who straight? It's Easter, so my vote is with the Bunny! Pictured above is Gorman's Reserve officer, Sandra Ward and the Easter Bunny, Ina Scitem.

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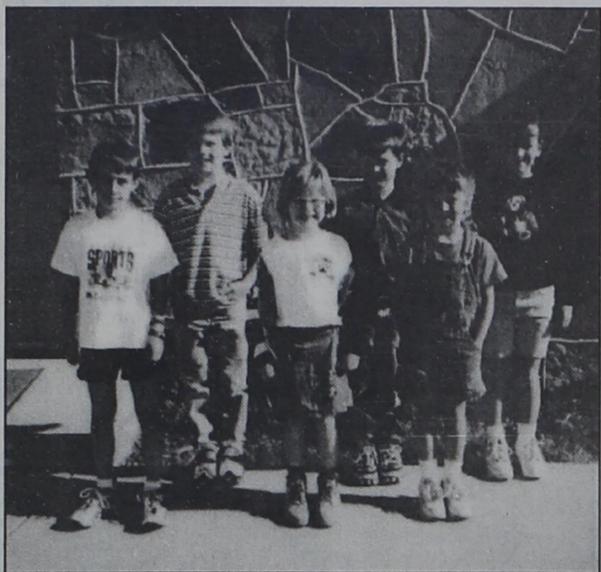


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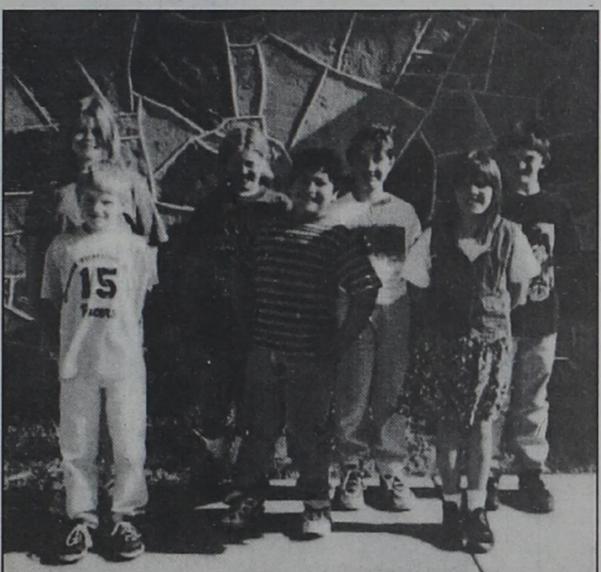
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## Maxfield Elementary Students Compete at District U.I.L.

Maxfield Elementary students competed very well in the District U.I.L. Meet in Evant on Friday, April 13th. Students from second through sixth grades scored 354 points to come in second to the host school Evant. We are very proud of all our students that competed.



SECOND GRADE — Travis Barnett - First - Creative Writing and First - Oral Reading and Fifth - Storytelling; Mike Dickerson - Second - Storytelling; Mary Powell - Third - Creative Writing and Fifth - Oral Reading; Aaron Keith; Megan Lewis; Clarissa Glasson - Second - Oral Reading.



THIRD GRADE — Mathew Smith - First - Storytelling; Kaci Seaton; Michael Marin - Third - Oral Reading; Kristy Carlton - Second - Ready Writing and Fourth - Spelling; Kari Bond - Fifth - Oral Reading and Sixth - Spelling; Natasha Scroggins - Sixth - Storytelling; Chance Underwood - Third - Storytelling and Macon Norris - Second - Spelling and First - Ready Writing (not pictured).



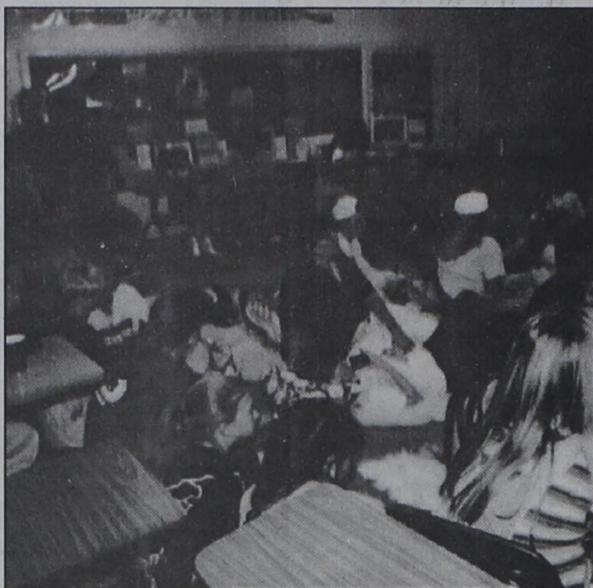
FOURTH GRADE — Cindy Lopez - Second - Spelling and Third - Number Sense and Second Place member of Team - Art Contest; David Wilkins - First - Oral Reading; Kendra Swanner - Sixth - Ready Writing and Fifth - Oral Reading; Kevin Lewis; Sterling McCauley; Mia McCarty - Fifth - Reading Writing and Second Place member of Team - Art Contest; Zachary Bryan - member of Second Place Team - Art Contest.



FIFTH GRADE — Johnny O'Connor; Ivan Madera; Mike Grissom; Cecilia Roygosa - Member of Fifth Place Team - Art Contest; Casandra Grumbles - Sixth - Listening; Ashlee Hornbeck; Luis Ramirez; Hector de la Torre; Kyle Broom; Jennifer Blaylock - Second - Spelling; Scott Lewis - member of Fifth Place Team - Art Contest; Clint Jones - Fourth - Spelling; Martha Cruz - member of Fifth Place Team - Art Contest; Jessica Clark - Fifth - Oral Reading; Ariana Giles; Elizabeth Hipolita; and Rachel Granado.

The Tarantella is a popular folk dance that gets its name from the city of Taranto, Italy. The people there used to dance the Tarantella as a cure for tarantula bites.

## STAR PARTY



The Fifth and Sixth grades have been studying the Solar System. They have visited the Abilene Planetarium and worked on various projects. Their projects have included models of rockets, telescopes, the face on Mars, and planetariums. They finished the solar system unit with a Star Party. The Star Party started with a movie, "Apollo 13", and ended with star gazing at the football field. Many parents and students attended the party. They party was very successful and we appreciate everyone who attended.

### Every Name, Every Knee, Every Tongue

By Dane Gressett  
*"And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those who are in heaven, and on earth, and under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." (Philippines 2:8-11).*

The bible tells us that Jesus Christ was declared the Son of God with power by the resurrection from the dead. His is the name above every name! Someone has said that it is not so important what you know but who you know. It couldn't be truer in this case. Only One has defeated sin, death and the devil. He won the victory on our behalf that we could be saved by faith in His glorious work of redemption.

We learn from the scriptures that atheism is a temporary deception. The bible says that every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. It is true that many

temporarily deny Jesus the love and reverence He deserves. But when He returns in glory in the last day things will be different. Those who know Him and love Him will be overjoyed. Others will flee from His presence but there will be no place to hide. Hell will be full of former atheists.

It is really quite wonderful that God should have such patience and mercy on a sinful race such as ours. His arms and heart of love are open wide to all who through Jesus approach Him in faith. Soon it will be too late. The day of His grace will have come to an end.

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SIXTH GRADE — Marcie Davis; Patricia Rodriguez; Melinda Leal; Kaleb Blaylock - Third - Maps, Charts and Graphs; Jose Caldera - Tie Third - Mathematics; Blake Van Dusen; Crystal Williams; Holly Abbe; Andrea Files - Fourth - Spelling; Casandra Cooper - Fourth - Ready Writing and Fifth - Spelling; Kalyn Porter - Fourth - Oral Reading and Tie Third - Mathematics; and Lydia Royster - Second - Oral Reading.



(NAPS)—The new home page from The American Occupational Therapy Association, <http://www.aota.org> offers free information about health issues.

Travelers can use online information to research and plan a vacation using the U S WEST Dex Internet Yellow Pages online at <http://uswestdex.com>.

To learn about Intel's small business networking products, visit the Web site at [www.intel.com/network/smallbiz/](http://www.intel.com/network/smallbiz/).

The Kraft Interactive Kitchen Web site ([www.kraftfoods.com](http://www.kraftfoods.com)) lets consumers get recipes sent to their personal computers.

Legislation currently being processed could regulate access to information in a way that may adversely affect education. To learn more, visit the Web at [www.hrrc.org](http://www.hrrc.org) or call 1-800-282-8273.

## Johnny Gimble to Appear in Cisco Saturday, April 25th



Cisco Junior College will present "Johnny Gimble and the Texas Swing Legacy" on Saturday, April 25, at 7:30 p.m. The concert will be in the Harrell Fine Arts Auditorium. This program is offered without any charge, but seating is reserved. For the best seats, get your reservations early by calling (254) 442-2567 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Gimble's concert is produced by Texas Folklife Resources, an organization that tries to preserve and promote our heritage of music. In Gimble's case, the style is Texas swing, the style developed by Bob Wills and his Texas Playboys. Johnny Gimble played with Wills and the Playboys for a number of years, beginning in 1949.

Gimble has appeared on television many times on shows such as "Hee Haw," "Nashville Now," and "Austin City Limits." For many years he was the most in demand fiddler in Nashville, and he was named Country Music's Fiddler of the year eight times by the Academy of Country Music.

The concert will be held concurrently with the Cisco Folklife Festival, which will be on the Cisco Junior College campus, Saturday and Sunday, April 25 and 26.

## Supermarkets Help Ensure Tender Beef Through Aging

By The Texas Beef Council—Austin, Texas

More frequent enjoyment of tender beef, the goal of every meat-loving consumer, may be just a question of asking your grocer.

Recent research by Texas A&M University on the tenderness of seven popular retail cuts showed that five of them improved through planned aging by the supermarket. That means consumers who have had a problems with tough beef can ask supermarket meat managers to purchase only properly aged beef to ensure optimum tenderness.

"Aging refers to holding beef at refrigerated temperatures for an extended period of time," said Jeff Savell PhD, section leader of the meat science section at Texas A&M. "The process allows natural enzymatic reactions to take place that maximize the tenderness of beef. In other words, aging make beef better."

The A&M study showed that cuts with the name round in them, ribeyes, T-bones, and some chuck cuts reach optimum tenderness after 12 to 16 days of aging. Aging is done either in the packing plant (dry aging) or after the cuts have been vacuum-packaged (wt aging). Either process has similar results.

Previous studies have shown that beef gets from the packer to the retail meat case in an average of 17 days. That means some beef already has proper aging. However, other beef gets to the retail case in as few as three days. That's far too early for the enzymatic reactions that induce tenderness to occur.

"A customer who has high expectations about tenderness," Savell said, "generally will need a cut that has been aged."

Savell recommends that consumers should ask their supermarket manager to follow proper aging guidelines. If they need more information, ask them to contact the Texas A&M University meat science section at 409-845-3935 or the Texas Beef Council at 512-335-2333.

BEEF AGING GRID		
CUT	AGING RECOMMENDATIONS	COOKING SUGGESTIONS
Top Rounds	16 days	Broil, Roast, Panbroil, Panfry
Bottom Rounds	12 days	Braise, Roast
Shoulder Clods	None	Roast, Braise
Chuck Rolls	12 days	Roast, Braise
Top Sirloins	None	Broil, Panbroil, Panfry, Grill
Shortloins	13 days	Broil, Panbroil, Panfry, Grill
Ribeyes	13 days	Roast, Broil, Panbroil, Panfry, Grill

The first great modern English dictionary, Samuel Johnson's *A Dictionary of the English Language*, in 1775, contained only about 50,000 terms, Noah Webster's *American Dictionary of the English Language* in 1828 included about 75,000. Today's average college dictionary has over 150,000 entries.

## Gorman Students Recognized



These Gorman High School students were honored by the Texas State Board of Education during "Celebration of Educational Excellence" ceremonies held at Tarleton State University. From left are Janice Glover, Sarah Reeves, Ruth Reeves and Samantha Stephens.

By Vonnie Guthery

First Baptist Church of Desdemona had a great Easter Cantata musical titled "Beautiful Savior" presented by the church choir for the Sunday morning service. Narrator-Estelle Lindley, Reader-Pat Buckley, Jerusalem Resident-Ruth Daffron, Pilate-James Riggs, Centurion-Moody Koonce, Soloist-Freda Riggs. Choir members were Nell Ragland, Wilma Faye Iley, Dorothy Roberts, Freda Riggs, Mary Riggs, Bobbi Haggard, Joan Baker, Chansse Lewis, Put Guthery and Wayne Eaves led by choir director with Karen Eaves at the piano. Visitors for morning service were too many to name each one. Evening service was Baptism and Lord's Supper.

Jay and Helen Grimshaw visited on Easter Sunday in Albany with their son, Jim and Dede Grimshaw and children, Tyler and Emily. They all

attended church and the baptist of Tyler.

Bill and Helen Collum visited on Easter Sunday in Huckabay with their son, Dale and Kathy Collum and sons, Scott and Matt. They all attended church and the baptism of Scott.

Bob and Merlene Wisdom visited last weekend in Meridian with their grandson, Garrett and Rachel Barker and children, Morgan and Seth.

Charles and Sara Williams of Granbury visited on Tuesday with his brother, Leo and Eloise Williams.

A corrections due--as in last week's Desdemona News it was stated that "Shorty" Fox had passed away, but it was T.C. "Shorty" Fisher of Ranger. Sorry for this error. "Shorty" Fox is very much alive and going strong in this new Dodge pickup.

Visitors on Easter holiday week-

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I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter worshipping the Lord and visiting with friends and loved ones.

Easter Sunday was a wonderful day at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Daryl Hirst of Gorman rendered the special music. Other visitors were: Cecilia Hirst of Gorman, Kevin Hirst of San Antonio, Christi Barrett of Amarillo, Glenda Preist, Wade, Sheri, Ryan and Kody Daniell of Abilene, Larry, Paula and Layne Morrow of Plains, Lance Morrow of Abilene, Gary Browning and Rebecca Robertson of Graham, Syliva Buchanan of Brazoria, Stacy, Brenda, Jake and Kaci Webb and Brandon Burk of Comanche, James, Jantzen and Chelsea Webb of Glen Rose, Ima Boles of Clyde, Stacy, Ladawn and Alexis Snapp of Denton, Bobby and Mary Jane Little, Nelda, Cody and Jarad Fails of Arlington, Alene Garrett of Gorman, Alissa Bur-

end with Dorothy Roberts were Shawn and Heather Caddell and daughter, Kelsey, Ulenda Weaver, Ashley Weaver and son, Tanner, Mark and Emily Williams and daughter, Kena all of Ft. Worth and Helen Brown of Stephenville. They all attended Easter church services at First Baptist.

Lewis and Vicki Thiebaud and son, Caleb of Mesquite visited his parents, Glyn and Alpha Thiebaud on Easter Sunday and they all enjoyed having lunch with another son, Sonny and Gail Stroud in De Leon.

Kama Vardeman of Hardin Simmons University in Abilene visited Easter Sunday with her grandparents, Albert and Pat Holdman and all attended church at First Baptist.

Lelan Pack of Lubbock and his mother, Dixie Ryon of Desdemona spent several days this past week in Los Angeles, CA, and Hollywood visiting the Universal Studios, Mann's Chinese Theater, NBC Studio for the taping of the Jay Leno program, in Beverly Hills touring homes of the movie stars and going shopping.

gess of Granbury and Karen Patterson of Breckenridge.

Justin Snider was recognized and congratulated for being on the Dean's List at McMurry University at Abilene. Durwood and Aletha were recognized and congratulated for being the recipients of the Agriculture Award at the Gorman Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to the pastor, Bro. Clarence Wilson.

Following a wonderful Ester message by Bro. Wilson, everyone met out in the church yard for an Easter egg hunt for the children and a lot of visiting by the adults. It's always so good to see all the visitors, a lot of them are former members of the church who bring their children and grandchildren for Easter at Kokomo.

It was also great to see the five Little siblings, Ima, Bobby, Jimmy, Earl and Charles in church together. There were twenty two members of the Little family attending the church service.

Stacy, LaDawn and Alexis Snapp of Denton visited during the weekend with her parents, Bobby and Mary Jane Little. Ima Boles of Clyde also visited in the Bobby Little home.

Nelda, Cody, and Jarad Fails of Arlington visited from Thursday night until Sunday with her parents, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little. Others visiting with them were, Ray Neal, Melissa and Emily of Eastland, James, Jill, Ashley and Breckley Little of Lake Leon, Karen Patterson of Breckenridge and Ima Boles of Clyde.

Karen Patterson spent the weekend with her parents, Earl and Betty Little.

James, Jantzen and Chelsea Webb of Glen Rose and Stacy, Brenda, Jake and Kaci Webb of Comanche and

Brandon Burk of Comanche visited during the Easter weekend with their parents and grandparents, Oren and Norma Webb.

Mrs. Alene Garrett of Gorman and Alissa and Aletha Burgess and they along with Billy, Cheryl and Grant Burgess of Granbury, and Danny and Charla Burgess and other members of the Buckley family enjoyed a picnic lunch and Easter egg hunt at the home of Jeff, Angela, Chelsea and Haley Buckley at Desdemona on Sunday.

Mrs. Alene Garrett has recently returned from a three week visit with her sister, Anita Thompson and family in Palo Alto, CA. She flew from DFW airport to San Fancisco and it was her first plane ride. She saw many points of interest while in CA and had a wonderful time. Durwood and Aletha Burgess took her to the airport and met her on her return trip.

Rick and Pat Fuller of Pittsfield, Ill. visited from Tuesday until Thursday with his mother, Juanita Fuller. They had lunch with Christi Eaton in Abilene on Wednesday and met Wesley and Kevin Fuller of Abilene for supper on Wednesday evening.

Juanita Fuller visited with Christi, Wayne and Lindsey at Ovalo on Saturday.

Visiting with Nancy Hendricks were Sylvia Buchanan of Brazoria, Martha Wood of Carbon, Jonell Torrez of Gorman, Zelda Jordan, Ruth Bryant and Hope Joiner.

Glenda Preist, Wade, Sheri, Ryan and Kody Daneil of Abilene spent Easter Sunday with their mother and grandma, Zelda Jordan.

Teresa, Quinton and Samantha Findley and a friend, Chris of Ft. Worth visited during the weekend with her grandfather, Clifford Nelson and with Cassie and David Brasher.

La Von Snider of Brownwood visited from Friday through Monday with her mother, Hazel Snider. They visited with Dale, Kathy, Scott and Matt at Huckabay on Saturday and attended

Matt's birthday party. Dwayne and Lisa Snider of Stephenville visited with them on Saturday afternoon. LaVon and Hazel also visited in Stephenville on Sunday afternoon with Dwayne, Connie, Sheri and Lisa.

**Matt Colum celebrates 4th Birthday**

Dale and Kathy Collum honored their son, Matt with an over night stay in Abilene on Thursday night and a trip to the Abilene Zoo in celebration of his 4th birthday which is April 14.

Matt was also honored with a party at their home in Huckabay on Saturday, April 11. Those attending and helping Matt celebrate were his parents, Dale and Kathy Collum, his brother, Scott Collum, grandparents, Gene and Kay Snider of Kokomo, Bill and Helen Collum of Desdemona, great grandmother Hazel Snider of Kokomo and other relatives Helen and Woodrow Browning, Mike and Crystal Snider, Gary, Donna, Lesley and Melanie Gatlin of Mineral Wells, Terry Collum of Plano and several little friends from Huckabay.

Gene and Kay Snider, Mike and Crystal Snider, Hazel Snider, LaVon Snider, Bill and Helen Collum, Terry Collum, Dan Collum and a friend Melanie attended church services with Dale, Kathy, Scott and Matt Collum on Easter Sunday at the Huckabay Baptist Church and the baptismal service for Scott Collum. All were lunch guests of Dale and Kathy except Mike and Crystal. They had lunch with her mother Shirley Bridges in Eastland.

Hazel and LaVon Snider attended the softball game between Gorman and DeLeon at Gorman on Monday night. Belinda Snider is a member of the Gorman team. She had the misfortune to fall and was injured during the game. We sincerely hope the injuries weren't too serious.

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## ORDINANCE NO. 341

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GORMAN, TEXAS ADOPTING THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF GORMAN, TEXAS, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JUNE 1, 1998 AND ENDING MAY 31, 1999 PROVIDING FOR THE INTRA AND INTER DEPARTMENT AND FUND TRANSFERS; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, notice of a public hearing on the budget for the City of Gorman, Texas for the year 1998 - 1999 has heretofore been published in accordance with the law; and,

WHEREAS, a public hearing was duly held at the time and place as provided for in the notice of such public hearing and all interested persons were given opportunities to be heard on said budget; and,

WHEREAS, it is necessary, at this time, that said budget be adopted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GORMAN, TEXAS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the budget presented by the City Secretary and reviewed during the public hearing is hereby approved and adopted for the fiscal year 1998 - 1999.

Section 2: That the City Secretary can be authorized to make intra and inter department fund transfers during the fiscal year as becomes necessary in order to avoid over expenditure of a particular account only when such authorization is given during a commission meeting.

Section 3: This ordinance shall take effect and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.



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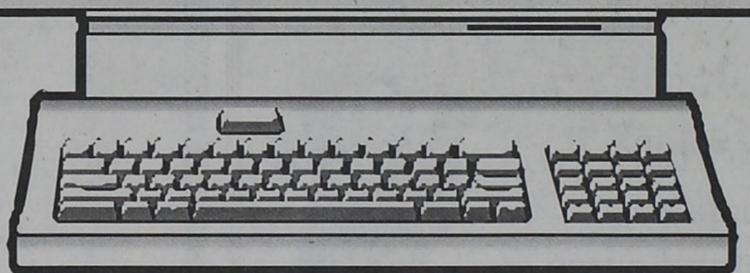
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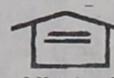


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## HERITAGE MANOR

The next birthday party will be Thursday, April 30 at 1:30 p.m. Honorees are Ola Walker, Ava Rodgers and Varona Taylor. Guests are welcome.

Visiting Sibyl Urban were Don and Nell Sherman of Eastland, Ina Reynolds of Carbon.

Those coming from the Abundant Life Church on Saturday were Rev. John Howard Jr., Tara Howard, K'Ann Howard, Lacy Howard and Lana Howard. Guests were Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, Della Galloway, Ruth Bryant and Nancy Hendricks. Residents were Patty Whitehorn, Velma Bennett, Modess Burgess, Vadis Phelps, Cynthia Earles, Rubye Jones, Varona Taylor, A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers, Ora Mae Atchison, Veno Hale, Ollie Halcomb, Myrtle Hale, Ola Walker, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Some of Maggie Snider and Vadis Phelps guests were Kenneth Snider of Rosebud, Ark., Bobby, Dianna and Dalton Friday, Billy Lee Friday of Midland, Diana Snider, Larry Snider, Jewel Snider, Fay Tucker, Birdie Hogan, Elnora Lindley, Kelley Carruth, Mitzi McGaha, Ruth Bryant and Nancy Hendricks.

On Sunday morning Ora Lee Lowrence came and taught the Sunday School Class for Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, A.V. Seay, Rubye Jones, Iola Johnson, S.D. Gilmore, Ora Mae Atchison and Ollie Halcomb.

Visiting Ruby Vandergriff and Ola Walker were Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Sunday afternoon those coming from First Baptist Church were Brent Lasater, Rev. Craig Rhoton, Ruby Lee Kinser, Barbra Tucker, Velma Grady, Nina Joiner, Frankie Jo Shipman. Guests were Della Galloway and Pat Graham. Residents were Mildred and Jack Bellows, Sarah Mize, patty Whitehorn, Velma Bennett, Inez Rogers, Myrtle Hale, S.D. Gilmore, Cynthia Earles, Irene Heathington and Ollie Halcomb.

Visiting Ed Johnson and Frank Skiles were Fay Johnson, M.L. Skiles, Durwood Burgess, Mayvis Lasater, Ron and Nina Skiles, Howard and Pat Hagood, Greg, Bethany, Jake and Kaycee Skiles of Eunice, N.M.

On Sunday afternoon the Church of Christ adults presented their youth in a sing-a-long. Youth were: Jeremy

Bryan, Ashley Bush, Jennifer Baylock, Caleb Baylock, Mark Baylock Jr., John Paul Sheppard, Bruce Sheppard, Jessica Sheppard, Amber Stewart, Samantha Goode, Tiffany Rogers, Derrick Rogers, Talisha Rogers, Christina Stuart, Joseph Duvall, Mandy Warren, Cody Foster and Jasmine Burns. Adults were Bro. Scott Sheppard Jr. and Ruth Sheppard, Sr., Mark and Carol Baylock Sr., Kathy Goode, Tammy Foster, Fred and Joy Rogers and Gene Foster.

Residents were Ora Mae Atchison, Velma Bennett, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Irene Heathington, Iola Johnson, Veno Hale, A.V. Seay, Myrtle Hale, Inez Rogers, Varona Taylor, Sarah Mize, Cynthia Earles, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Some of Modess Burgess' guests were Lisa Pense of Stephenville, Joyce Pense of Granbury, Gary and Ann Burgess, Durwood and Aletha Burgess, Pat and Howard Hagood.

Visiting Ollie Halcomb and Dorothy Beaty were David and Denna Halcomb, Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Monday those coming for the sing-a-long were Sterling McCauley, Daisy Slaton, Ruby Lee Kiner, Della Galloway, Zeldia Jordan, Marjorie Treadway, Ernestine Campbell, Alpha Mae Andry, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, Joyce Pense and Alpha Mae Andry. Residents were Modess Burgess, S.D. Gilmore, Varona Taylor, Myrtle Hale, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers, Ora Mae Atchison, Velma Bennett, Cynthia Earles, Patty Whitehorn, Veno Hale, Ollie Halcomb, Sarah Mize, Ora Mae Atchison, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Mary Williams were Maxine Frasier, Howard and Pat Hagood, Juanita Files, Mildred Roberts, Ina Reynolds and Bro. Scott Sheppard. Some of Inez Rogers and Ora Mae Atchison's guests were Howard and Pat Hagood, Fred and Joy Rogers, Buddy Roberts, Della Galloway, Chesley Atchison, Edie Nichols, Ima Lee Burleson, Howard and Georgia Ann Iley.

Wanda Cole New Resident Heritage Manor welcomes Wanda Cole, widow of Carl Cole. Mrs. Cole is a retired homemaker and a Baptist. She has one daughter, Joy Cole of Gorman, one son, Dale Cole of Indiana and one grandson, Joseph Colpetzer of Gorman.

Some of her guests have been Jim, Ann and Justin Willey, Joy Cole, Jo-

seph Colpetzer, Clifford Nelson, Maggie Nelson, Posh and Tresa Reynolds of Cisco and Nancy Hendricks.

Some of Myrtle Hale's guests were Argie and Marjorie Hale of DeLeon, Linda, Janice and Diana Glover, Nina Joiner, Mayvis Lasater, Eunice Love, Howard and Pat Hagood.

Virgie Dennis was able to return home after one week stay at Heritage.

Visiting Veno and Annie Hale were Darrell and Pat Graham, Howard and Pat Hagood, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little.

Those coming for the Hogan band concert were Carroll Hogan, Finis and Ann Butler, Denis, Heather and Harrison Nowak, Lloyd Glasson, Alpha Mae Andry, Marshall and Dottie Reeves, Paul and Imogene Norris, Gus and Evelyn Sublett, Buddy Rogers, Frankie Eakin, Lee Carlton, Nancy Hendricks, R Lee McDaniels, Ruth Knowles, Daisy Slaton, Ima Lee Burleson, Alma Dickerson, Wynogene Smith, Howard and Georgie Ann Iley. Residents were Ava Rodgers, Maggie Snider, A.V. Seay, Dorothy Beaty, S.D. Gilmore, Iola Johnson, Velma Bennett, Modess Burgess, Ora Mae Atchison, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Inez Rogers, Ollie Halcomb, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting A.V. Seay were Frank and Ellen Reeves of Clyde, Mayvis Lasater, Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Tuesday afternoon those enjoying crafts were Cynthia Earles, A.V.

Seay, Ollie Halcomb, Modess Burgess and Inez Rogers.

Some of Cynthia Earles' guests were Howard and Pat Hagood, Eunice Love, Alpha Mae Andry, Mayvis Lasater, Ken and Betty Heathington.

On Tuesday morning Betty Duke came and played the keyboard and sang for Modess Burgess, Sarah Mize, Varona Taylor, A.V. Seay, Iola Johnson, Irene Heathington, Myrtle Hale, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Cynthia Earles, Velma Bennett, Ora Mae Atchison, Dorothy Beaty, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting S.D. Gilmore were Durwood Burgess, Joyce Pence, Lisa Pence, Mayvis Lasater, Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Wednesday morning Bro. Scott Sheppard came and had chapel for Ora Mae Atchison, Varona Taylor, Cynthia Earles, Ollie Halcomb, Veno Hale, Irene Heathington, Velma Bennett, Jack Bellows, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers and A.V. Seay.

Visiting Sarah Mize and Velma Bennett were Gladys Fraley, Freddie Sadberry, Fay and Denzel Ables, Mack and Nelda Keith, Bessie Shupp, Ruth Coutorie, Debbie Caroway, Dolly Shupp, Lisa Rainey, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Icy Munn, Howard and Pat Hagood.

Visiting Varona Taylor were Billy and Janda Taylor, Bonnie Cox, Howard and Pat Hagood.

Some of Irene Heathington's guests were Ken and Betty Sue Heathington of Tenn., Howard and Pat Hagood and Nancy Hendricks.

On Wednesday afternoon Rev. Bob Beeman came and the topic of discussion was "How many Easter Eggs did you find as a child", "Your favorite candy and all about Easter". Present were: A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Velma Bennett, Varona Taylor, Cynthia Earles, Jack Bellows, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, Ava Rodgers, and guests Ima Lee Burleson.

Visiting Voleta Richardson were Jo Etheredge, Nancy Hendricks, Eunice Love, Pat and Howard Hagood.

On Thursday Ina Smith had bingo for S.D. Gilmore, Irene Heathington, Cynthia Earles, Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, Ora Mae Atchison, Ava Rodgers, Velma Bennett, Modess Burgess, Ollie Halcomb, Varona Taylor, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Jack and Mildred Bellows were Darrell and Pat Graham, Jake Earley of Ft. Worth, Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Thursday afternoon those attending "Resident's Rights Council" were A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, Cynthia Earles, Velma Bennett, Myrtle Hale, Ollie Halcomb, Ora Mae Atchison, Modess Burgess, Jack Bellows, and Varona Taylor.

Some of Iolda Johnson's guests were Nell Sherman of Eastland, Pat and Howard Hagood, Ina Reynolds and Della Galloway.

Ina Smith, Pat Graham and Joyce Pense had bingo Friday for S.D. Gilmore, Modess Burgess, Ora Mae Atchison, Iola Johnson, Myrtle Hale,

A.V. Seay, Velma Bennett, Ollie Halcomb, Patty Whitehorn, Cynthia

Earles, Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Patty Whitehorn and Rubye Jones were Marie Cook, T.D. Whitehorn, Ina Reynolds, Jerry Brown and Corey Clark.

Friday afternoon crafts were dying Easter eggs for the big hunt. Those enjoying were Modess Burgess, Inez Rogers, Sarah Mize, Velma Bennett, Ollie Halcomb and A.V. Seay.

Visiting Bea O'Neal were Guy and Ann Holt of Austin, Lois Melton of Ranger, Connie Rone, Gene Rone, Eunice Love, Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Monday Ina Smith had bingo for A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, Patty Whitehorn, Ola Walker, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Velma Bennett, Modess Burgess, Sarah Mize, Iola Johnson, Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Hazle Wisdom were Ken and Pat Kincannon of Hico, Bob and Merlene Wisdom, Eloise Williams of Desdemona, Erie Kincannon of College Station, Corine Waldon of Clyde and Audrey Pond.

Karen Guthery gave Velma Bennett a new permanent.

Some of Ava Rodgers' guests were Jim and Wilda Rodgers of Midlothian, Howard and Pat Hagood, Jana Grice, Ima Brown, Ruth Bryant, Nancy Hendricks, Mayvis Lasater and Ken and Betty Sue Heathington.

Visiting Stella Files were Rooney, Juanita Files, Pat and Howard Hagood.

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