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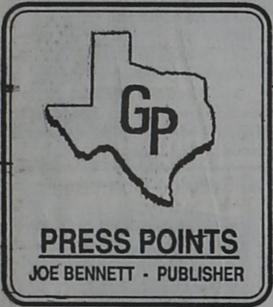
JUNE 21, 1990

NUMBER TWENTY-ONE



### 1990 Playschool

Front row: Enrique Landa, Jr.; Joel Espinoza; Sara Lewis; Joe Landa; Russell Jay; and Sherry Carlton. Back row: Jessica Espinoza, Stephanie Jobe, Myra Lopez, Crystal Ibarra, Wesley Brinegar, Shari Marlow, Patrick Rone, John Anthony Ramirez, and Ruby Lee Kinser, Homemaking Teacher.



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Well things have calmed down a bit here following the playoff game in Austin. The Panthers were defeated in the semi-final by a fine D'Hanis team and missed the finals. However, the Panthers have no reason to hang their heads because they have represented Gorman and their school in the most outstanding way. And folks around here couldn't be any prouder of our Panthers. We thank them for the outstanding effort this season, as well as all other seasons leading up to this one.

Panthers we're proud of you!

—J—

Received a couple of letters recently: Hello Joe and All

Hope this finds everyone OK and doing fine. Mother and I are doing OK. Am sending money for another year of the Progress. We sure do enjoy our paper and keeping up with people and events in and around Gorman.

That sure was some rain you received. Aunt Pauline at De Leon said they received 24 inches. It is a shame the oil spill accident occurred, but I know people will clean up and recover from it.

Mother said hello and tell everyone hello for her. She is doing OK. She will be 83 this August 5th. Laverne and her family live in Temple City, CA. and are doing OK. Barbara and family live in Kansas City, Mo. They are all OK. Jimmy Don and family live in Huntsville, Ala. and are also doing OK. Again hello to everyone.

Ken Ezzell and Mable Murphy Enclosed is a check for another year of good news from back home.

Enjoy it so much! Lucy B. Holloway, Arlington

Dear Joe:

Enclosed is a check in payment for the renewal of the Progress. Still enjoy reading the paper and especially the Canterbury Villa News.

Thank you, Gerry Walker

—J—
Wasn't it fantastic the way folks in this area got behind our Panthers in support of their participation in the Class A State Tournament. It was just marvelous, and we know for sure that the Panthers and those connected with them deeply appreciate all the fine support of their "Home Folks".

\_J\_ lost folks are our

Most folks are curious about the building being moved in next door to the Texas Peanut Producers Board.

This is expected to be the future home of the Artistic Beauty Salon.
Lisa decided to get her own building and to locate it on the highway.

Work is progressing on getting the building ready to move in soon.

And remember to smile - - because
God Loves You!



ANOTHER DONATION - George Simmons (left) of the Gorman Fire Department is shown receiving a \$200 donation from Earl McGill, of American Legion Post 471.

# American Legion Smith-Heath Post 471 Makes Donations From Bingo Funds

American Legion Smith-Heath Post 471 makes several donations from Bingo Funds to area organizations totalling \$800.00. The Post donations were to these organizations: \$100.00 - Boys Scouts Comanche Counsel; \$200.00 - De Leon-Volunteer Fire Department; \$200.00 - Gorman Volunteer Fire Department; \$100.00 - Sipes Springs Volunteer Fire Department; \$100.00 - Comanche County Crime Stoppers; and \$100.00 Senior Citizens - De Leon for Delivery of Meals.

According to Commander Butl Lutz these donations could not be made without the support of our local Bingo held on every Tuesday night at the Legion Hall.

# ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Sipe Springs Volunteer Fire Department will hold their 2nd Annual Barbeque on Saturday, June 23rd at 6:30 p.m. at the Masonic Lodge building. All you can Eat for only \$5.00 each. There will also be live music.

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Bill Clark, W.M., 734-2429 - Howard Hagood, Sec. 734-2977.

SWIMMING LESSONS - PHONE 734-2053 5 YEARS OLD OR OLDER - \$30 FOR 2 WEEKS JUNE 25TH THRU JULY 6TH 2 WEEKS MON. THRU FRI. - GORMAN CITY POOL

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services on 2nd - 3rd - 4th Sundays. Services begin at 10:30 a.m. Elder Barry Brown, Pastor - Everyone Welcome To Attend.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Ann Jay, Worthy Matron - 734-2171.

Senior Car Wash will be Saturday, June 23rd at Citizen State Bank from 9:00 a.m. til??? Cars will be \$8; Pickups - \$10; Vans and Surburbans - \$15.

The Water will be turned off most of the day Thursday, June 28th at about 8 a.m. in the morning. The City crew will be installing new equipment required by the State. They would like to thank you for your cooperation and patience.

## CITY TO CANVAS CITIZENS ON SEWER DISPOSAL EFFORT

The City of Gorman will soon canvas the residential sections of the city. This survey could prove most beneficial to the residents as well as the city. Efforts to obtain a grant to fund the cost of bringing our waste disposal system in compliance with the state and federal regulations is in process.

This grant would provide the major funding and greatly alter any foreseeable tax increase.

Your cooperation regarding this survey will be greatly appreciated by city officials.

# Last Rites For A. C. "Ike" Hall Held Thursday

Archie Clyde "Ike" Hall, 78, of Gorman, passed away on Wednesday, June 6 in the De Leon Hospital.

Services were held at 3 p. m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ruben J. Packer officiating. Burial was in the De Leon Cemetery.

Mr. Hall was born in Kaufman and moved to Gorman 10 years ago. He was a U. S. Army veteran of WWII. He was a Baptist and a plumber.

Survivors include his wife, Louise Hall of Gorman; a son, Robert Louis Hall of Livingston; four daughters, Linda June Poteet of Kemp, Donna Louise Brandstetter of Brownwood, and Betty Katherine Minter and Brenda Jean Utley, both of Arlington; two brothers, George Hall of De Leon and Vernon of Odessa; 12 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

# Amy Scitern and Randy Thompson To Pledge Nuptials

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Amy De'An to Randy Lynn Thompson grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Thompson of Gorman.

A July 20th Wedding is planned

# Services For Neil B. Eaves Held On Friday

Neil Bartlett Eaves, 68, of Carbon, passed away Tuesday, June 5 in a Houston hospital.

Houston hospital.

Services were held at 10 a. m.

Friday at Edwards Funeral Home
Chapel with Wayne Eaves officiating
with burial in the Simpson Cemetery
near Kokomo.

Mr. Eaves was born at Kokomo in Eastland County. He attended public school in Gorman and was a 1940 graduate of Carbon High School.

He attended Tarleton State University for two years before enlisting in the U. S. Navy during WWII. After his discharge he attended Texas A&M University, graduating in 1948.

He was retired from Farmers Home Administration, having worked in Eastland, Comanche, Callahan, Stonewall, Parker and Baylor counties. He was an active member of N.A.R.F.E. Chapter 555 in Eastland County as well as a member of Mangum Baptist Church. He had

been an active rancher since 1950.

Survivors include his wife, Verda
Jean Spurlen Eaves of Carbon; two
sons, Kenneth Neil Eaves of Santa
Fe, Texas, and Donald Lester Eaves
of Carbon; a daughter, Dolores Jean
Peterson of Cypress; three sisters,
Verda Mae Norris of Fort Worth and
Verna Laminack and Louise Brown,
both of Lake Jackson; a brother,
Delmon Fred Eaves of Gorman; and
fibe grandchildren.

—GP—

# KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Jack Bishop and Julie of Eastland were visitors on Sunday with Mrs. Pauline Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lasater and Whitney of Eastland visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Merle Lasater.

# Only One Week Remains In Miss and Little Miss Gorman

Only one more week remains of the 1990 Miss Gorman and Little Miss Gorman Contests. Fund raising projects are underway and the girls have cans in area businesses for donations. Please help the girls of your choice.

All monies must be turned in by noon on Saturday, June 30. All proceeds from these contests will be used by the Chamber to support and improve our community.

The Miss Gorman and Little Miss Gorman Pageant will be held Saturday, June 30th at 7 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Winners will be announced at that time and crowning will be done by our 1989 Miss Gorman, Tiffany Stephens, and our

Little Miss, Mandy Warren.

Our Miss Gorman candidates for this year are: Leslie Bryant - Business Alliance Tonya Caraway - Gorman Lions Club

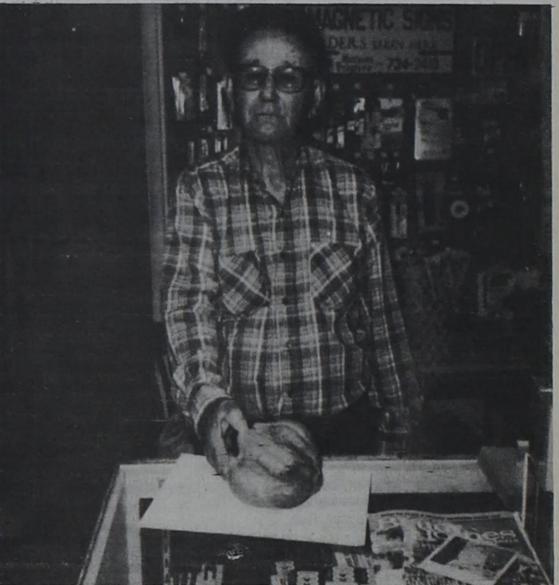
Jana Norris - Gorman Fire Dept.

Kristin Ervin - Chamber of

Our Little Miss candidates wre: Kristina Everton - 4-H & FFA Club Tana Goode - Gorman Lions Club Shari Marlow - Gorman Fire Dept. Dawn Roberts - Chamber of

Commerce Jessica Snell - Business Alliance

Let's all get involved in these contests and help make it a success for our community and your favorite



TRIPLE CUCUMBER -- A. C. Shugart is shown displaying a home grown triple cucumber weighing 1 1/2 pounds. The seed was purchased locally but the did not know the brand name of the Cucumber.



# Gorman Red Hots Attend State Meet At Snyder, Texas

The Gorman Red Hots attended the State Meet at Snyder, Texas on May 12th. There were over 900 competitors. Here is how the team placed!

Back Row - Andrew Tarver, Sabrina Glasson - 10th; Jennifer Scitern - 7th; Allison Treadway - 1st; Ruth Reeves, Belinda Snider; Front Row - Robert Lewis 10th; Dustin Lee, Kalyn Porter, Sarah Lewis, Mandy Warren; Not pictured Jackson Worsham - 2nd.



MARY CAMPBELL - left - attended the Advanced State Meet in Levelland on May 21st. There were around 400 competitiors. Mary placed 12th in her group with a score of 35.6.

I would like to thank the people of Gorman for being so supportive of the Gorman Red Hots. The team has always enjoyed participating in the activities that the town has sponsored. I would also

like to thank the School for allowing us to use the gym to practice in. The space gave the children the room they needed to advance in their skills. I am sorry to say that we will not be having class in Gorman anymore, but the children will continue to take and they will still go by the Red Hot team name. The children will also still want to participate in the town activities because they will still be a positive representative of Gorman. Thank you again for the support and the recognition you have given us it will not be forgotten.

Thank You Gorman, Michelle Gibson

FOR SALE: Bank Repo - 2 bedroom, 2 bath home, behind Bob's Grocery. Terms to qualified buyer. Contact John at Citizens State Bank, 734-2254. 12-8-fnc.

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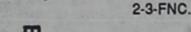
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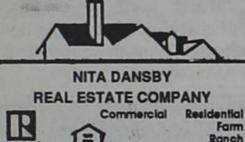
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**CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS** 

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

Th June birthday party will be Thursday, June 28 at 2 p. m. Honorees are Bernice Haynes, Clara Rich, Ruby Vandergriff and Dessie

On Saturday, Bro. Joe O'Neal and Bill Wilkerson from Lake Leon came for the devotional. There were 15 residents present.

Idell Warren and Modess Burgess visited with S. Dee Gilmore.

Bro. John Shepherd came at 10 a. m. and taught the Sunday School lesson for 7 residents.

On Sunday Varona Taylor enjoyed getting to go to her sister's, Pauline Allen. Other guests were Paula and Megan Lewis, Bonnie Cox, Billy, Janda, Steve and Tracey Taylor.

At 2:30 p. m. Sunday those from the Komomo Baptist Church were Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Hope Joiner, Nancy Hendricks and Jimmy Little.

We really appreciate all the nice bingo prizes Mrs. Lydia Warren gave us and are enjoying them so much.

Those coming from the Gorman Church of Christ at 4 p. m. Sunday were Bro. Curtis Maness, Janda and Tracey Taylor, Kathy, Samantha, Jenny amd Tana Goode, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Lorene Foster, Allie Mae George, Christine Self, Zina Simpson, Bud and Dee Smithey and Floydene Gilbert.

Those visiting Bertie Self were

### **CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and relatives for your love and concern since my accident. For your prayers, cards and letters, phone calls, flowers, food and visits. We are most grateful.

God bless each of you. Ruby and Wilburn Overstreet

Recent visitors with the L. D.

Hollidays were Ruth Sanders and Louis Waller of De eon and Bro. and Mrs. Marion Dennis of Gorman. Visiting on Saturday with Mrs.

Gladys Dennis were Anita Hamilton and daughters, Linda Calvon of San Antonio and Betty Gaston of Dallas. WORK WANTED: Would like to mow

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FOUR FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 2 blocks East of School on Fifth Street. Appliances, baby clothes, refrigerator and some furniture. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Starts at 8:00 til ??? 1-6-21 C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dave Freeman of Arlington, Joe Barnett of Eastland, R. Lee McDaniels of Carbon, Dee Smithey, Juanita Files, Ava Rodgers Nancy Hendricks, Frances Overstreet, Vera Rodgers, Zina Simpson and Cecil and Christine Self.

We had 14 for chapel on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Loudermilk of De Leon visited Orvil Boyd.

On Monday Irene West helped with bingo. Winners were Ruby Vandergriff, Veno Hale, Ora Mae Atchison, S. Dee Gilmore, Harley Rawls, Emma Shugart, Cynthia Earles, Iola Johnson and Ida Lewis.

Those visiting Lonzo Coffman were Richard Kinser of Eastland, Reece Rodgers and Gene Ellison of Ranger and Truitt Coffman.

On Tuesday afternoon those coming for singing were Billie Stacy and R. Lee McDaniel of Carbon, Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona, Velma Bennett, Nancy Hendricks, Willo Rice, Anna Rush, Lovena K. Fonville, Berneice Rodgers, Frankie Jo Shipman, Ava Rodgers, Opal Mauney, Joe O'Neal and Estelle Dickey.

Those visiting Berta Poynor were Anna Rush, Lovena Fonville, Olga Kinser and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Frasier of De leon.

Mamie and Jimmy Little visited Veno and Annie Hale.

We appreciate the Trivia Bible given to us by Bill and Mary Ann Lipps. The Lipps are the daughter and son-in-law of Cody and Pauline Love. Lavoyce Hirst and Carole Ervin visited the Loves.

Those visiting Clara Rich were Wilda and Terry Holt and Delores Rich of De Leon, Jewel Whitley of Dublin, Janie Graham, Betty Montgomery, Frances Overstreet, Scytha Alldredge, Dee Smithey and Mayvis

We are sorry to report Mae Quinn, Roy Kinser and Bill Simmons are all in the hospital.

Derrell Dickey of Mesquite, Rufus Goodwin of Comanche, Vera Spruill of De leon, Sylvia Bridgewater and Odell Dupuy visited Minnie Dupuy.

Dorothy Roberts gave Garnet Adams a new permanent.

Ruth Bryant visited Veno and Anie Hale and Emma Shugart.

On Wednesday morning we aere happy to have Jennifer Torrez play the piano for us before Bible study. We had 20 residents and guests.

On Wednesday Gladys Chambless and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Dee Gilmore, Ruby Vandergriff, Garnet Adams,. Cynthia Earles, Iola Johnson, Emma Shugart, Ora Mae Atchison, Ida Lewis.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were Irene West and Peggy, Joe O'Neal, Ora Lee Lawrence and Anna Rsuh.

Those visiting Ora Mae Atchison were Chessley and Barbara Atchison of Fort Worth, Ouida Joyce and Chris Gartman, Tiffany and Casey of Big Spring, Oris and Mattie Seale of Dimmitt.

We sure enjoyed having the Newcomb Band come and play for us Thursday.

Those visiting Lorene Duggan were Verna Laminack of Lake Jackson, Allen and Virginia Heggadahl of Floodwood, Minn., Murtice Rodgers Bud and Dee Smithey, Frances Overstreet and Scytha Alldredge.

Anna Rush helped with bingo on Friday. Winners were Ora Mae Atchison, Ruby Vandergriff, Cynthia Earles, Jess Hallmark, Mae Quinn, Dee Gilmore, Emma Shugart, Garnet Adams and Veno Hale.

Ina Reynolds and Lenis Rice of Carbon visited Iola Johnson.

Faye Huff visited Cynthia Earles. Jim Rider of Los Angeles, Cailf., Frances Overstreet of Abernathy, Johnny Gilhary of Granbury, Kristen Ervin visited Cody and Pauline Love.

Emma Shugart received a phone call that Lee Ann Shugart of Strawn had open heart surgery. Lee Ann is Emma's granddaughter. Dewey Bailey and Mrs. Bailey

played music and sang for 21 residents and 5 visitors on Friday.

David Goodwin of Elida, N. M., Odell Dupuy, Sylvia Bridgewater, Walter Goodwin and Rufus Goodwin visited Minnie Dupuy.

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James Morgan, District Judge of the 220th District Court, and District Deputy Grand Master of the 72nd Masonic District from De leon, gave a very informative and interesting talk on the history of Masonry and the Masons who have played a major role in shaping Texas and U. S. History.

The Citizenship Scholarship Awards were then presented to one student from each class from Gorman High School by Sandra Osborne Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star. The students who were presented with certificates for these awards were: Angela Treadway, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Windell Treadway; Cory Pack, sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pack; and Brian Lasater, senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Lasater. Junior recipient, Kevin Hirst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Hirst, was unable to attend due to the baseball playoffs. The students were nominated by teachers and then approved by the Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star, who asked teachers to niminate students who exhibited outstanding moral character, good manners, courtesy, respect, promptness, consistency, friendliness, students with good attendance records, students who were well-disciplined, students who got their homework in on time, students who gave the most of themselves and tried the hardest

## Crimestoppers Crime of the Month

The Eastland County Crimestopper's crime of the month is a burglary of a habitation that occurred between 9 and 11 p. m. on April 29, 1990. The location of the residence is 604 Ash, Cisco, Texas. The

each day, and, in general, just well-rounded overall good students.

Worshipful Master pro-tem of the Gorman Masonic Lodge, Bill Hagood presented a Mirabeau B. Lamar Medal to an outstanding student and senior, April Daniels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daniels, and to an outstanding teacher in Gorman Public Schools, Mrs. Rowena Wilson, for their outstanding personal achievements in education. April won the Citizenship Scholarship Award her sophomore and junior years. Mirabeau B. Lamar was an outstanding Mason and the second President of the Republic of Texas. He was instrumental in getting legislation passed to fund Texas schools and colleges and was nicknamed the "Father of Texas Education".

A beautifully decorated cake with the honorees names on it and other refreshments were served after the presentation ceremony to 34 members, guests and family members of the recipients.

The ladies of the Eastern Star and members of the Gorman Masonic Lodge would like to congratulate these students, Mrs. Wilson and their families for their achievements. The Masons and Eastern Star have made it an annual project to award these scholarships and Lamar medals, and look forward to awarding them to the fine students and faculty members of the Gorman Public School system each year.



40TH ANNIVERSARY -- On Saturday, March 10, 1990 the sons of Jim and Peggy Jarrett honored them with a reception at La Hacienda Recreation Center in celebration of their 40th Anniversary. Jarrett, a graduate of Texas A&M University, was born and raised in Hidalgo County. He started the ag department at Sharyland High School in 1951 and retired in 1986 after 35 years of teaching there. Mrs. Jarrett, a graduate of The University of Texas, was born in Comanche County, Texas, and taught English 20 years at Sharyland High School before retirement. They were married March 10, 1950 in Weslaco. They have five sons and five grandchildren.

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### JAMES L. TORREZ ENLISTS IN AF DELAYED ENLISTMENT PLAN

James L. Torrez, a resident of Gorman, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Torrez, enlisted in the Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program on June 18, according to Sergeant Juan Guerra, Air Force Recruiter, in Brownwood.

James, a 1986 graduate of Gorman High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on February 14, 1991. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course at Lackland AFB, San Antonio, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the mechanic career field.

He will be earning credits toward an Associate Degree in Applied Sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

burglary took place while the owner was away from home.

Taken in the burglary were 1) .25 automatic blue steel pistol made in Germany; 2) 1 box of 25 shells for a .25 automatic; 3) 5 boxes of assorted jewelry; 4) 3 Kennedy Silver Dollars; 5) 1 Susan B. Anthony Dollar; 6) 1 dancing lady half dollar from 1942; 7) 1 wedding set with 5 diamond cluster that looks like a flower; 8) 1 white gold wedding set with 3 diamonds in band, engagement ring with 1 large diamond in center and two diamonds on either side. Total taken is approximately \$1,425.00.

Up to \$1,000.00 may be paid by Crimestoppers for information leading to the arrest and indictments of

CARBON

NEWS

Dorothy Jackson 639-2540

Is it ever hot and dry! It has not

reached 100 yet at my house, but it's

been close. Oh, what I would give for

a good rain. Some farmers are still

waiting for the rain to plant peanuts.

I did see a little lightning one night

in the distance, but the cloud never

It seems fathers are not given the

same recognition as mothers. We

honor our mothers in all kinds of

ways, but when its Fathers Day, we

DESDEMONA

**NEWS** 

**VONNIE GUTHERY** 

PHONE 75802665

LAST WEEK'S NEWS

the family of Troy McKillip, age 59,

who was killed in a tractor accident

on June 7 in Breckenridge while

working for Oryx Energy Company.

Survivors are his wife, Bobbie Col-

well McKillip of Desdemona; three

sons, Jerry McKillip of San Diego,

Calif., Mark McKillip of De Leon,

and Kenneth McKillip of Stephen-

ville; a daughter, Carolyn Rogers of

Desdemona; his parents, Lawrence

and Esther McKillip of De Leon; a

brother, Truman McKillip of Bovina;

two sisters, Lueta Clark of Clovis, N.

M. and Ima Jean Stone of Marble

the week with their grandmother,

Dorothy Roberts, and attended Vaca-

tion Bible School at First Baptist

THIS WEEK'S NEWS

ing a blue grass festival. Their friends, Dennis and Alene Cotten of

Sonja and Kandice Martin visited

David Griffith of Odessa is visiting

the week in Millsap with their daddy,

his mother, Tami and Bill Sanders,

and grandparents, Bernard and Ann

First Baptist Church reported a

good Vacation Bible School this past

week. Thanks to all those who

This reporter received a letter

from Gerald Langdon - he said to tell

all his friends "Hello" and he plans

to attend the Homecoming on Aug-

ust 11th. Gerald is pastor of North

Side Baptist Church in Uvalde. His

address is 1812 Park, 78801. Gerald

graduated in 1945 from DHS.

attended and to all the workers.

Springtown went with them.

Bernard and Ann Keith spent the past week in Waldron, Ark. attend-

Heath and Ashley Weaver spent

Falls, and nine grandchildren.

Church.

Eddie Martin.

Keith.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to

reached our area.

THE GORMAN PROGRESS

JUNE 21, 1990

# GISD Students Score Higher Than

Gorman Elementary and High School students outscored their peers across the state in passing the TEAMS test, school board members learned Monday night.

Linda Glover, school counselor and guidance coordinator, reported that the TEAMS scores were very good this year. In all areas of mathematics, reading and writing at grades 3, 5, 7 and 9 GISD students exceeded the statewide average percent of mastery. The written compositions also received the highest scores Gorman has ever received in grades 7 and 9.

Scores were also reported as scaled scores. A 700 scaled score is required for passing. 999 is the highest scaled score. Individual student results were mailed to the parents of students who took the test.

The following chart indicates the percentage of students demonstrating total mastery in a subject area as well as the average scaled score. Numbers in parentheses are the statewide scores that may be used for comparison.

person or persons responsible for this crime or other frlony crimes in Eastland County.

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

just slightly mention them. I would like to say congratulations to all fathers of our land.

Visitors in the Ethel Lovell home Friday were her sister, Mrs. Ione Bownds of Eastland; her son, Berry Bounds of Claif.; her daughter, Mrs. Davis Pylant of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Greenwood and Mrs. Pearl Greenwood of Cross Plains; Mrs. Wynelle Brown of Lake Leon; Jenoise and Euell Allison of Gorman: and R. Lee McDaniel of Carbon.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell this weekend were Mrs. Reba Reeves of Fort Worth; Mrs. Addie Walker and family of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry of Comanche visited Bro. George and Margie Weeks on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken McDaniel of Athens and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Joiner and sons of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniel and J. C. over the weekend.

Mrs. Linda Neely of Midland visited her parents, Heppy and Jonell Jackson, last week.

I visited with my parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy, Sunday. I visited with my aunt, Allene Boen of De Leon, on Friday afternoon.

Schools are out and vacations are in full swing. All of you out on the roads please be careful. We want each of you home again.

The weatherman is warning people about getting too hot. Please stay out of the heat if possible. If you must be out take the necessary precautions to prevent a heat stroke.

### TEAMS RESULTS (Grades 3,5,7,9)

Scaled Score

**Texas Average Teams** 

1990 MATHEMATICS READING WRITING Statewide Gorman Statewide Gorman Statewide Gorman GRADE 3 (91) 88 798 (77) (779) % Mastery Scaled Score GRADE 5 % Mastery (90) (87)(803) (82) (785) 829 Scaled Score (89) ( 86) (792) % Mastery (91) Scaled Score 917 (835)

(86)

GORMAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

The California Achievement Test Scores were also reported to the board. The achievement tests measure skills in reading, language and mathematics and then derive a total test score. Unlike the TEAMS which is a pass-fail test, CAT compares students' scores with those of other students across the nation in a rank order manner. Gorman students scored above the national average in all but two areas of the test.

Board members also learned that the ACT and SAT scores were higher this year than they have been in a number of years. The ACT and SAT are College Entrance Examinations. The local average of the ACT was 20.5. The 1989 national average was

20. The local average of the SAT was 868. The 1989 national average was

82 747

(70) (750)

( 82) (796)

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# **KEEPING UP**

Visitors in the home of Graydon and Velda Baze during the Father's Day weekend included Joe Baze of Eula, Bill Baze, Paulette, D'Ann, Jamie and Megan Black of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Don Underwood of Crane, Lyndall, Sybil, Jady and Jody Underwood of Eastland, Greg, Dawn and Jessica Underwood of Clifton, Daryl Underwood of Stephenville, and Brent, Tammy, Jason and Cody Foster of Gorman.

# 6/14/90

I went to the grave yard today, not because I felt an obligation to do so but because I was they only one here.

I looked at the mound of dirt and heard the sound of the wind as it disturbed the silence. I beheld the artifical flowers sitting behind the temperory grave market. I even picked a lonely wild daisy and placed it within the flower vase.

I stood there for several moments, wondering why I did not feed sad - and then I realized that only the wild daisy had ever lived here.

My Mother had somewhere to go and she had to travel light, so she left all her unnecessary baggage here, everything she wouldn't need.

But, she took a part of me.

Memories such as redbirds move me but not as much as a wild turkey in a tree. Or a large stalk of polk salad.

The next time I come to the grave yard, I will shed a tear, not for my Mother but for the little wild daisy.

Jimmie Don

# Heartbeat

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Joe Williams **Director of Public Works** 

## **Services For Robby Robinson Held on Tuesday**

Robby Robinson, 42, of Eastland, passed away at a Fort Worth hospital on Sunday, following a long illness.

Services were held on Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. at First Baptist Church in Ranger woth the Revs. Jerry Speer, Robert Jeffress and Bill Owens officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery, directed by Edwards Funeral Home of Ranger.

Mr. Robinson was born in Ranger and was a 1965 graduate of Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College. He received his bachelors and masters degrees from Texas Tech in zoology.

He had been an instructor at Cisco Junior College for the past 19 years. He was an adoptive parent for the Lady Wrangler basketball team.

He was a member of CJC Teachers Association, a board member of Eastland County Child Protective Services and past president of Eastland County Tech Alumni Associa-

He was a member of First Baptist Church, where he taught Sunday School in the college and career class.

Survivors include his wife, Debora Newton Robinson of Eastland; a daughter, Jordan Robinson of Eastland; his father, R. V. Robinson of Ranger; a brother, Jim Robinson of Desdemona; and a sister, Ann (Mrs. Fred) Cross of Snyder. -GP-

## **Last Rites For** Laurine Gwynn **Nelson Held**

Laurine Gwynn Nelson, 64, of Abilene, passed away Sunday at her

Services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Calvary Baptist Church with the Revs. Robert C. Frey, her son-in-law, and Wayne Oglesby officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park, directed by Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home.

Mrs. Nelson was born in the Nolan commnuity in Nolan County and had lived in Abilene most of her life. She was a homemaker and a retired babysitter.

She was a member of Calvary

Baptist Church. Survivors include her husband, Ewing S. Nelson of Abilene; a daughter, Sandra Darlene Frey of Millersburg, Mo.; two sons, Alva Lynn Nelson and Danny Eli Nelson, both of Abilene; her mother, Maggie Olivia Ferguson of Eula; a brother, J. T. Faulkner of Calif.; three sisters, Thelma Jean Davis of Throckmorton, Freida Ann Fisher of Gorman and

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# Robert Wade Powell Named **Outstanding Young Man of America**

The Board of Advisors for the Outstanding Young Men of America awards program announced recently that Robert Wade Powell of Gorman has been selected for inclusion in the 1989 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

Now in its 27th year, the OYMA program is designed to honor and encourage exceptional young men between the ages of 21 and 40 who have distinguished themselves in many fields of endeavor, such as service to the community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments, and civic and political participation. Achievements in these areas are the result of dedication, responsibility, and a drive for excellence - qualities which deserve to be recognized and re-

The man listed, along with fellow OYMA nominees throughout North America, were selected after 150,000 nominations were received from politial leaders, University and College officials, clergymen, business leaders, as well as from various civic groups and community organizations. Each young man will be represented by his biographical entry in this prestigious annual awards

# **Senior Citizens**

News Mozelle Rhymes

Marie Cook visited recently with Weldon Cook and familt in Snyder and also Lyndall Cook and attended her granddaughters wedding shower. Visiting with her is her son, Jerry Cook from Ennis.

Clara Thompson, Roberta Harrell and daughter from Roswell, N. M. visited with James and Eula Lee Miears and Bertha Gregory.

David and Wanda Goodwin from Elida, N. M. were visiting friends ing. The white linen embroidered and relatives in Gorman over the and relatives in Gorman. During the weekend Bertha Gregory joined them for the Mehaffey reunion in Salado.

Ryan Preston and family visited with his mother, Iris Preston, over the weekend.

Mac and Sue Nicholas, Gene Guy and Oma Dee Garrett visited Oma Dee and Gene's sister and niece in Hoxie, Kans. from June 2 thru June

Richard Stephens, regional manager, and Martha Rainey. local manager for Sunbelt Savings, ate with us Tuesday. Sunbelt furnished the meat for our covered dish dinner.

Doris Laverne Lane of Eula; nine grandchildren; a great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

publication.

Our Board of Advisors and Editors salute all those honored as Outstanding Young Men of America. We take great pride in bringing their accomplishments to the attention of the American public. -GP-

# Kokomo E. H. Club **Meets In Griffith** Home

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club met in the lovely home of Johnnie B. Griffith on Monday, June 11 at 2 p. m. for a regular

President Naoma Morrow presided and asked Ava Rodgers to led the clubs theme, creed and prayer.

Roll call was answered by "My Favorite Flower and Color" by nine members and one guest.

Nancy Hendricks, secretary, read the minutes. Norma Webb, treasurer gave her report. They were approv-

The club voted to send \$25 to go on the quilt that has been made for the 4-H members.

Plans were made for some members to attend the 1990 County 4-H Fashion Show to be held Tuesday, June 19 at 6 p. m. at the Eastland Womans Club in Eastland. The reception is at 5 p. m.

There will be a quilt show at Blanket on July 14 from 9 a. m. to 5

July 14 from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Interested club members plan to

The annual E. H. Club and Community Club ice cream supper will be held August 15th at the Kokomo Community Center.

Wynelle Brown asked the blesstable cloth and napkins, silver and crystal table with refreshments of wheat thins, toasted wheats, dips, pickles, green salad plate, ice cream, cake and cold drinks.

Members all exchanged stories about their grandchildren for the progra, "Keeping the Grand in Grandparenting."

Club members enjoying the gala affair were Norma Webb, Dorothy Mims, Wynelle Brown, Jeanette Burreson, Ava Rodgers, Nancy Hendricks, Velma Bennett, Anna Laura Clearman, Naoma Morrow and hostess, Johnnie B. Griffith.

One guest, Our Little Miss Kokomo, was also present.

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Nancy Hemdricks, Reporter

# **KOKOMO NEWS**

**ZELDA JORDAN** PHONE 639-2289

Aren't we thankful for air conditioning while the temperature hovers around the 100 degree mark? There isn't much we can do about the yards, gardens and crops burning up, unless you have plenty of water for them. We don't, and our intentions for having plenty of good fresh vegetables just may not materialize.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning were Jim, Wilda and Becky Rodgers of Midlothian and Betty Little.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of Neil Eaves, who passed away on Tuesday, June 12, and was buried in the Simpson Cemetery following funeral services at the Edwards Funeral Home in Eastland on Friday. Neil was a brother of Delmon F. Eaves and a former resident of Kokomo.

Mark Eaves of Arlington and Randy, Deliah and Christopher Lewis of Ennis came for their uncle Neil's funeral and visited with their parents, Delmon and Joyce Eaves. Deliah and Christopher remained for a visit until Tuesday, and Delmon and Joyce carried them home and remained for an overnight visit. Verna Laminack of Lake Jackson also visited in the Eaves home and attended her brother, Neil's funeral. The children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peak Neil, Almos Neill of Brownfield J. B. Neill and Billie Jean (Tooter) Bingham of Lamesa and Al and Jo Ann Ballard of Midland attended Neil's funeral and visited in the D. F. Eaves home.

A very large crowd of relatives and friends attended the funeral of Neil Eaves, but I don't have a list of

A lot of them had attended the Eaves family reunion on Sunday, June 10 at the Kokomo Community Center. They reported they had a wonderful time and lots of good food.

Ruth and Rodney Spencer of Boerne, Jim, Wilda and Becky Rodgers of Midlothian, Bruce Rodgers of Fort Worth and Berneice Rodgers were visitors with Cullen and Ava Rodgers during the week-

Mrs. George (Yvonne) Hoover of Ontario, Ca., Bro. Joe O'Neal, Valeta Richardson and Ruth Bryant visited with Nancy Hendricks.

Joe and Barbara Fields and children, Michael, Caylea, Lisa and Falyn of Bryan visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields, and Lindell during their vacation. Richard and Teresa Nachtigall and Taylor and Trevis of Morgan Miil also visited with them. Lisa remained for a visit with the Nachtigalls and attended church camp at the Lake Brownwood Christian Camp with Teresa and Taylor last week.

Dwayne Snider of Stephenville and his mother, Mrs. Hazel Snider, visited the church camp at Lake Brownwood on Monday night for a supper visit with Connie and Lisa Snider and Belinda Snider.

Roddy, Glenda and Sheri Miles of Abilene had Father's Day dinner with her parents, Glenn and Zelda Jordan.

Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson and Teresa of Obregon, Mexico were visiting last week with their son, Travis Nelson, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Danley of Fort Worth. Travis accompanied his parents back to Mexico for a visit before he leaves later this month for the U. S. Air Force. Teresa remained in Fort Worth with her sister and brother-inlaw, Tena and Gary Danley, so she might take drivers-ed this summer.

Stacy and Brenda Webb, Jacob and Kaci of Comanche and David and Judy Porter, Scarlett, Amanda and Sarah of Round Rock spent Father's Day with their parents, Oren and Norma Webb, and it was also a birthday celebration for Oren who's birthday was June 16. They all attended Jacob's little league baseball game in Comanche on Saturday night. Jacob plays catcher for the "Cowboys" team and he hit a home run in Saturday's game which they won 12 to 4. Congratulations to Jacob and his team. Scarlett and Amanda remained for a visit this week with their grandparents.

Cody and Jarad Fails of Arlington and Emily Little of Eastland spent Saturday night with their grandparents, the Jimmy Littles. -GP-

#### **FATHER's DAY GATHERING** HONORS EDGAR HIGGINBOTTOM

For a Father's Day celebration Mr. and Mrs. Ted Higginbottom, Amanda and Andrea of Seminole came for a visit in the Edgar Higginbottom home. They attended church at the First United Methodist Church, then hosted a dinner at The Texas Branding Iron Restaurant to honor Edgar, who received many gifts and cards. Ted had to return home Sunday but Rita, Andrea and Amanda remained for a few days.

Other guests of Edgar and Ruth were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Odell Kirk of Pasadena; and a former 1935 first grade student of Ruth's, the former Colleen Gentry an ther husband of San Bernadino, Calif.

# BASEBALL **NEWS**

Things are in full swing at Peanut

Monday night was T-Ball and Little Girls Softball. In the first game Bob's Grocery (green) played Rountree Insurance (blue) in an exciting game of T-Ball. Then in Little Girls Softball Higginbothams (blue) team played Gorman Milling (purple). Talk about exciting: The final score was Gorman Milling 16 and Higginbothams 6.

Refreshments were served to team players compliments of Sunbelt Savings. "Thanks" to Sunbelt and Martha Rainey.

Tuesday night was Pee Wee and Little League. First in Pee Wee Brown's Feed Store (red) played H&R Block (blue) and won 8 to 5. Then G&H Feed (blue) and De Leon First State Bank (black) played a great game with the blue team winning 14 to 4.

Thursday we will have a Pony League game - Gorman vs. Cisco.

Friday night it will be Pee Wee Red vs. Blue at 6:00 and Little League Black vs. Green at 7:30.

We will be serving our delicious hamburgers, so come on out and have a great time at Peanut Park!

By Jackie Mayfield

-GP-

### **Estelle Erwin** Hosts Edna **Smith Class**

The Edna Smith Sunday School Class met on June 12 for their regular meeting in the home of Anna Rush, hosted by Estelle Erwin.

As usual the many different and good salads along with chips, dips and pickles were served with coffee or tea. Frankie Jo asked the bless-

The business meeting was opened with prayer by Bonnie Croft. Minutes were read and all officers reports were made. New business was the discussion of the final four, which is First Baptist Church's plans for community-wide visitation.

Gladys Chambless brought the devotional by reading several topics with their reference to the scriptures from "Our Daily Bread".

Connie Hall dismissed with pray-

It was Leta Richardson's birthday, and at this time she opened her gifts and passed them around for viewing.

Then dessert was served and good nights were said to Hazel Smith, Geraldene Wright, Connie Hall, Gladys Chambless, Bonnie Croft, Leta Richardson, Beth Welch, Anna Rush, Louise Brown, Frankie Jo Shipman and hostess Estelle Erwin. -GP-

### Seaman Recruit Jeanette Greene -**USS Frank Cable**

May 24 (FHTNC)-Navy Seaman Recruit Jeanette L. Greene, daughter of Lyle F. Greene of Brownwood, and step-daughter of Mary J. Greene of De Leon, recently reported for duty aboard the submarine tender USS Frank Cable, homeported in

### Robert O. Marshall Laid To Rest June 12th

Robert Q. Marshall, 84, of Granbury, passed away June 12 in Hood County General Hospital in Gran-

Graveside rites were held at 2 p. m. June 15 in Holly Hills Memorial Park, Granbury, with Danny Mann, Jr., West Freeway Church of Christ, and Rev. Hiriam Johnson, First Methodist Church of Granbury, of-

He was a retired self-employed carpenter and a member of First United Methodist Church.

He was a longtime resident of the Gorman area.

Survivors include his wife, Una Maye Marshall; two sons, Robert Dean Marshall of Fort Worth and Henry Doyle Marshall of Ramona, Calif.; one daughter, Joy Marshall Jones of Fort Worth; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and two brothers, James Cecil Marshall of Lawton, Okla., and Luther Marshall of San Antonio.

### -GP-Homemakers Class Meets In Fellowship Hall

The Homemakers Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met in Fellowship Hall for their regular monthly business meeting and fellowship with Arlene Pittman and Irene West as hostesses.

We all enjoyed a delicious, cool salad supper with chiffon cake and banana pudding with fresh strawberries and tea.

All reports were given and accep-

We were happy to have Euna Porter back with us. She has not been well for awhile.

We discussed our meeting at the Hotel on June 21st.

We voted to pay \$25 to help send a girl to camp. We also decided to eat out in July

at our new restaurant, the Texas Branding Iron. Mayvis Lasater brought our devotional on prayer: the need for ue to

pray for each other every day. The Power of Prayer is with us every day if we only believe and practice the power of prayer. Those enjoying this evening were

Bonnie Watkins, Bea O'Neal, Mayvis Lasater, Annie Fave Foster, Billie Bennett, Euna Porter, Ora Lee Lawrence, Iris Preston, and the hostesses, Arlene Pittman and Irene We also voted to have our meeting

in Fellowship Hall in the future.

We were dismissed by joining hands and hearts and repeating The Lords Prayer in unison. -GP-

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

James, Joetta and Jacquelynn Schuman of Eastland visited with her parents, Joe and Maxine Bennett on Sunday.

Mrs. Wade Craddock, Jr. and Cheryl of Las Cruces, N. M. and Mrs. Letty Craddock of Ranger were visitors with the Gerald Sciterns and Merle Lasater, Marg Hudson and Estelle Craddock.

Charleston, S. C.

A 1989 graduate of Hogman High School, she joined the Navy in July,



Ag report

J.T. Smith

# Eastland accepts hay bale donations early for auction

Hay bale donations are being accepted early by the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association for a hay show and auction on

The proceeds will be applied to debt retirement and improvement

of facilities at the county show grounds. Hay is something Eastland County has a lot of, especially after the recent rains - one of the wettest springs ever in Eastland County. The hay will be used for the annual Eastland County Hay Show,

then auctioned off. It will benefit the 100-by-200-foot building where youngsters have their livestock show and other events are held. Any who have seen the facility, and remember the old barn, realize what a fine addition it is to Eastland County.

Charles Hutto, longtime Eastland ag teacher, said the building was constructed "just before the oil business went belly up." And oil, like agriculture, is vital to Eastland County.

"Since that time, we have had the dickens trying to pay for our annual note on the building," Hutto said. "We have had team pennings, chili suppers and so on, trying to make ends meet.'

David Humiston of H&R Feeds in Ranger, the livestock association president, came up with the idea of using Eastland County's high-quality hay as a fund-raiser.

"It is a joint effort and will be in connection with our Eastland County Hay Show," Hutto said, "and should increase the number of Don Brinkley is chairman of the committee to raise funds through

the hay project. Anyone who knows Brinkley realizes what a dedicated individual he is. "We will solicit donations of bales of hay from hay producers from

the county - and we are not restrictive - anywhere else," Hutto-Members will even pick up the hay at the farmer's request and haul it in for storage out of the weather.

"Invest in the future - our young people - by donating generously bales of hay, round or square, to the Livestock Raisers Association," Hutto urged. For details, contact your school's ag teacher, county agent, feed

store or other ag supply store. "We need your help," Hutto said.

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