



PRESS POINTS

JOE BENNETT, Publisher

Gorman received a hard blow on Friday when this publisher got the word that the town of Gorman had been refused a branch office of a savings and loan by State Commissioner Alvis J. Vandygriff. Folks here were sure that we would at least be approved for one of the applications that had been sought by Olney Savings and Stephenville Savings & Loan. However, such was not the case as the Commissioner did not see fit to allow us the pleasure of growth and the privilege he had granted to other towns no further from a savings and loan office than we are who now have the privilege of service in their town. This is a pure case of discrimination as we should have the same rights as other towns.

Let me urge you to contact Mr. Vandygriff and our representatives and senators in Austin and Washington and let them know of your displeasure by the unjust decision. Names and addresses appear in another article on this page. Either write or call these men.

It seems every time that Gorman has the opportunity to grow and expand, someone or something always stands in the way and we do not stand up and voice our disapproval. I think if we shout long and loud enough, then something can be done to turn the tide in our favor. We allow a small number of people to run everything in our country and town when we should have the stamina to stand up and be counted and run our own business. So let's let Mr. Vandygriff and our representatives in Austin and Washington know that we do not appreciate this type of discrimination. We talked to both savings and loan offices and they were expecting to get approval to build an office in Gorman. They were just as disappointed as all of us were when the news broke. In the conversations these folks stated how many folks in our community were already customers of their firms and that they were looking forward to making it possible for us to have the privilege of a branch office in our town for the convenience of both old and new patrons. But they were refused this opportunity. Some of these days Gorman will grow and expand despite the few who always seem to stand in the way of growth for our town. Maybe they will lose their influence or otherwise eventually disappear from the scene. With the fine folks we have in this area it is a shame that we are not allowed to expand and grow. The next time you have an opportunity to stand up for our town please do so, as it is your right and privilege.

The farmers are now busy preparing their land in preparation of the planting season. The moisture that we have been blessed with by the Good Lord has sure raised the hopes of most folks in our area as to the prospects of this year's crops. Most of the stock tanks in our area are full and the lakes have gotten a lot of much needed rain. We should all give thanks to our God for the blessings we receive.

Sure was proud to hear of the success of our youth at the Regional track events and also in the U.I.L. competition. Congratulations to the winners and we are rooting for you in the State Events. The boys Regional track events will be held this weekend and we are anticipating that we will have some representatives in the boys State track events also. Again we say congratulations

Burleson - Jay Repeat Vows



Cynthia Lea Burleson and Robert Joe Jay of Gorman were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony at seven p.m. Friday, April 6, in the First Baptist Church of Gorman.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burleson and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Lewis all of Desdemona.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman L. Jay of Gorman.

Officiating at the ceremony was Rev. Darrell Dossy, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Gorman.

The Candlelite ceremony was held before an arch of greenery which held white wedding bells and blue bows. Blue bows marked the family pews.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an empire waist formal gown made by her mother. The gown was made of white bridal satin with a sheer overlay of mermaid organza. The sweetheart neckline and bodice were bordered with Belgium lace motifs and seed pearls. The back bodice dipped to a low waistline falling into a Capel-length train. Lace encircled the dress hemline and train forming a mid arrangement of rose motifs and seed pearls at the center front panel. Seed pearls accented the lace motifs.

The long gathered sleeves were sheer mermaid ending with painted cuffs repeating the lace motifs and seed pearls.

For a job well done!

There is a good deal of activity at the hospital this week as some remodeling and updating is underway by the firm that the hospital board has entered into an agreement with. It is our understanding that the firm is working real hard to secure a doctor or doctors for the hospital and it is anticipated that a couple of doctors will be secured soon.

Sure am glad that the Lions Club and the City have joined together in a clean up campaign for our town. The clean up has been set for Saturday, May 5th and if you have any trash to be hauled off or empty lot that need to be mowed please call the City Office or get in touch with one of these Lions who are on the committee: James Mears, Gene Foster or Ron McCormick at the bank. Lets all really pitch in and do a real clean up job as this club and city officials and employees are putting forth a concerted effort to make this clean up campaign the best ever. Give them your support and help.

We have devoted a full page on this project elsewhere in this issue.

We are looking forward to some announcements of expansion and growth in Gorman soon and we hope and pray that it will happen.

Remember to smile because God Loves You!

MISS GORMAN ENTRIES



LORI FILES

The Gorman Panther Athletic Booster Club has chosen Lori Ann Files as their candidate for the Miss Gorman Pageant. Lori, 15, a freshman in Gorman High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Simmons. Lori is a member of the basketball team, track, having reached district competition. She is also a member of Future Homemakers of America.

Her hobbies are cooking, swimming, horseback riding and sewing.

The Booster Club urges you to vote for Lori. Votes are 1 cent each and all monies derived from the pageant will be used for the Community Swimming Pool.



RUTH ANN HAGOOD

The Gorman Lions Club has chosen Ruth Hagood as their candidate for the Miss Gorman Pageant. Ruthie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hagood of Gorman.

Ruthie is 17 years old and an active member of the Junior Class at Gorman High School. This year she is serving as class president. President of the FHA Chapter, runs track, plays basketball, active in UIL Contests. She is active in 4-H, past president, this year she is serving as the local club reporter, Treasurer of 4-H County Council. She is active

in an arrangement of blue and yellow carnations accented with baby's breath held in a crystal and silver epergne.

The three tiered brides' cake was fashioned with cascading blue roses supported with collars and topped with white satin wedding bells.

The grooms table was covered with a beige cut work cloth. The chocolate grooms cake was decorated with cream colored roses, silver leaves, and silver wedding bands. The centerpiece was of yellow carnations. Silver coffee service and appointments completed the table.

Other members of the wedding party were Vicki Brown, Susan Snider, Terrye Jeffs, Julia Iley and Lori Files.

A rehearsal dinner prepared and hosted by the grooms parents, was held in their home.

For going away the bride chose a blue sheer dress of ciano and white accessories.

The bride is a junior at Gorman High School and is employed at Jay's Grocery and Market. The bride groom is a freshman at Ranger Junior College and is employed by Jay Brother's. After a short wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will live in Gorman.

CITY WIDE CLEAN-UP MAY 5

Spring time is here and in the best of American tradition the people of Gorman are preparing for a City Wide "SPRING CLEANING" SATURDAY MAY 5.

"SPRING CLEANING IS SPONSORED BY THE LIONS CLUB along with the City and other civic groups to help clean up and beautify our town.

Everyone is urged to clean your property, garages and yards, business places. If you need brush hauled or vacant lots cleaned contact the Lions Club, James Mears, Ron McCormick, Gene Foster or City Hall, between now and May 4th.

This is an all out effort for all properties to be cleaned, residential and business.

Everyone is urged to begin now and get your rubbish ready to be hauled.

Lets all try to make Gorman a clean and beautiful place to live in.

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THANK YOU

I would like to express my appreciation to everyone who voted for me in the School Board Election and to reassure you that I will support issues that will be beneficial to our School System.

Thank you, Wesley Warren

in the Baptist Church.

All proceeds of the Miss Gorman Pageant go to the Swimming Pool Fund. So for only a penny a vote you can help the community and support a pretty young lady win a contest. Cast your vote for RUTHIE!



TERRYE JEFFS

The Woman's Study Club has chosen Terrye Jeffs as their candidate in the Miss Gorman Pageant. Terrye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Jeffs of Route 1 Gorman. She is a Sophomore in Gorman High School and was chosen Freshman Favorite, vice president for Sophomore Class, Freshman and Sophomore Princess for Homecoming. She plays basketball and track. She is Girl Vice President County Council, a member of the livestock judging team, Meats Judging and Method Demonstration and is a member of the First Baptist Church.

The club invites everyone to vote for Terrye. Monies derived from votes and projects will go to the Swimming Pool Fund.



BEVERLY UNDERWOOD

The Gorman Riding and Roping Club is sponsoring Beverly Underwood as their candidate for the Miss Gorman Pageant. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Underwood of Gorman.

Beverly, 15, is a freshman in Gorman High School

GORMAN REFUSED RIGHT OF SAVINGS & LOAN SERVICES

Folks in this town and surrounding communities are ready to go to arms after hearing of the refusal of the State Commissioner Alvis J. Vandygriff to approve one of the two applications that was before him for the Stephenville Savings & Loan or Olney Savings to open branch offices in Gorman. This is pure discrimination as far as the citizens of Gorman are concerned. A large number of our citizens are, and have been for years, doing business with both these fine establishments but have had to drive the distance necessary to transact their business. And when we had the

opportunity to have one or both of these fine firms locate here Mr. Vandygriff refused to approve them. We would like to know why you did not approve at least one of these applications. We could understand both not being approved, but not to approve either one was a real slap in the face for Gorman and surrounding area.

I sincerely urge every citizen in this town and community to write or call Mr. Vandygriff and express your personal thoughts on his decision to refuse us a privilege that a lot of towns not even our size enjoy. Express your thanks to him for the slap in the face. Just when

our town has an opportunity to grow it seems someone or something always comes along to knock it down. There is an awful lot of politics played in this type of thing and some influential people either here or some other surrounding town who enjoy the privilege of having a savings and loan office in their town have evidently put pressure in the right spot at the right time.

Now it is time for ALL the folks in Gorman and the surrounding area to stand up and let the State Commissioner and our representatives in Austin and Washington know that we don't appreciate being discriminated against on a decision of this importance to the growth and prosperity of our town and area. You are urged to write or otherwise contact all of our representatives in Austin in both the House and Senate and also in Washington. Joe Hanna's address is House of Representatives, Austin, Texas 78711. Senator Ton Creighton, Mineral Wells, Texas 76067. Charles Stenholm, Congressman, 17th Texas District, 1610 Longworth Office Bldg., Washington, D. C. 20515. Lloyd Bentsen, U. S. Senator, Senate Post Office, Washington, D. C. 20510, and John Tower U. S. Senator, Senate Post Office, Washington, D. C. 20510.

Tell these men of your thoughts and feelings on the matter and urge their support in influencing a change in the decision of Mr. Vandygriff. They can help us if enough respond to them.

If the decision had been the right one, then the people of Gorman could have had the same privileges afforded the other towns which have been granted the opportunity of having a branch office of a savings and loan in their town.

So, if you are one of the numerous folks in this community who were totally disappointed with the decision, then let the folks in Austin and Washington know your thoughts.

Calendar Of Events

All men interested in a soft ball team, meet Friday April 27 at 6:00 p.m. at the Little League Field.

Lions Club will meet Tuesday May 1 at noon at the Band Hall.

City Commission will meet Thursday May 3 at 8:00 a.m. at the City Hall.

Desdemona cemetery working will be held Saturday, April 28. Bring lunch and attend meeting.

Howard Cemetery Working will be held Friday, April 28.

Oliver Springs Cemetery Working will be held Friday May 4th. Bring tools to work the grounds.

Nancy Trout, Eastland Co. Tax Assessor-Collector announces the opening of a sub-station in Gorman at Smith Brothers Chevrolet for renewal of car and truck license. Mrs. Ruth McKenzie was appointed deputy.

Girls Scouts Junior and Cadettes will meet each Tuesday at 3:45 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Fellowship Hall.

Gorman Chapter 443 O.F.S. meets the first Monday each month at 7:30 P. M.

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Thompson - Jordan Plan Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson, of Littlefield, formerly of Spade, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Marie, to Ted D. Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan of Gorman, Texas.

Cindy graduated from Spade High School and is currently employed with Lubbock Sash and Door Company in Lubbock. Ted was a graduate of Gorman High School and Tarleton State University, in Stephenville with a B.S. Degree in Agriculture Education. He is the Manager of The Federal Land Bank Association of Floydada.

The couple plan to be married Saturday June 9, at 6:00 P.M. in the Chapel of The First Baptist Church in Littlefield. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

REMINDER

If you haven't signed your homestead exemption for Gorman Independent School District. Do so now. Deadline is April 30, 1979. Applications are at the Tax Office in the Elementary School Building.

their representative in the Miss Gorman Pageant.

Kelly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Mauney, a junior in Gorman High School where she was a member of the Panther Marching Band, her freshman year. She has been a member of the FHA Club three years, has played basketball two years, served as cheerleader two years, and served as Panther Mascot her sophomore year and has been elected a cheerleader for the new school year.

She was elected Friendliest Girl her Freshman, Sophomore and Junior years, voted Class Favorite her Freshman and Sophomore years. She was also chosen Band Sweetheart and FFA Sweetheart her Freshman year.

Kelly has served as class officer for three years and won second in UIL District typing competition this year. She holds down an after school job at Southwestern Peanut Growers Association. Her hobbies are horseback riding and swimming.

Kelly asks for your vote to be Miss Gorman. Votes are 1 cent each. All proceeds will go in the Community Swimming Pool.



KELLY MAUNEY

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department have chosen Kelly Mauney as

MAYOR PROCLAIMS CLEAN UP WEEK APRIL 30 - MAY 5

Mayor Charlie L. Garrett officially proclaimed the week of April 30 through May 5 for Gorman's annual CLEAN-UP, PAINT-UP, and FIX-UP CAMPAIGN and urged every citizen to participate in the program. The proclamation was as follows:

WHEREAS, the general health and welfare of our citizens depends upon wholesome surroundings arising from clean conditions, and
 WHEREAS, the lives and property of our citizens can be endangered by fire and accidents caused by cluttered conditions in our homes, businesses, public places, streets, and alleys and
 WHEREAS, a clean and beautiful city shows that the citizens have pride in their community, and
 WHEREAS, unity of every citizen in the community is required to clean-up and present a city that we would all be proud to show.
 THEREFORE, I, Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor of the City of Gorman, do hereby designate the week of April 30 through May 5 as CLEAN-UP WEEK and respectfully call upon all departments of the City, all business places, civic clubs, the school, the churches, boys and girls clubs and all of our people in general to take an active part in supporting the Lions Club in this City wide program to help insure the success of the program. It all depends on YOU.

Dated this 19th day of April, A.D. 1979.

Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor
 City of Gorman

CARBON YOUTH NAMED CONSERVATION POSTER WINNERS

The Upper Leon Soil and Water Conservation District recently presented awards to winners in a poster contest sponsored by the District. Those receiving ribbons from Carbon were students in Ms. Oma Mae Hughes' third and fourth grades. From the third grade were: 1st - Mike Norris son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Norris; 2nd - Sylvia Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hamilton; 3rd - Jimmy Willtrout, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Willtrout; 4th - Darla May, daughter of Mrs. Shirley May; 5th - Retha Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams.

Fourth grade winners were: 1st - Ann Rich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rich; 2nd - Josh Mehaffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Linda Mehaffey; 3rd - Cody Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wells, Jr.; 4th - Jonna Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers; and 5th - Susie Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry

Bryant.

The Upper Leon SWCD annually sponsors a poster contest. All students in the third and fourth grade within the District were eligible to enter. This year, nine of the 13 schools in the District were represented with a total of 103 posters.

First through 5th place ribbons are awarded to each grade in every school. From the winning entries, one poster is selected as over-all winner and forwarded to regional competition. Kathy Choate, a fourth grade stu-

Mrs. Velma Hastings

Carbon News

The menu for the School Cafeteria for next week April 30 thru May 4th:

BREAKFAST
MONDAY — Bacon, toast, jelly, juice and milk.
TUESDAY — Dry cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Sweet rolls and juice and milk.
THURSDAY — Scrambled eggs, sausage, toast, jelly, juice and milk.
FRIDAY — Dry cereal, fruit, milk.

LUNCH
MONDAY — Barbecued wieners, pork and beans, mixed vegetables, rolls and butter, cookies and milk.
TUESDAY — Chicken fried turkey, green beans, buttered rice and gravy, rolls and butter, lemon pudding cake, and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Pinto beans, carrots, macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, cornbread, butter, fruit and milk.
THURSDAY — Beef and tomatoes, English peas, salad, cornbread, butter, mart and Rudy cake, milk.
FRIDAY — Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, cookies and milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan returned home Friday from Abilene. Mr. Hogan is recuperating from surgery he had at Hendricks Memorial hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stocks and Mrs. Faye Walsh of Springtown spent Tuesday with Mrs. Mollie Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold

dent from Cisco was the 1979 over-all winner. Kathy was presented a plaque at the Seventh Annual Conservation Awards Banquet held at PAR at Lake Proctor in February.

Johnson of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Mrs. Bessie Morris.

Wayne and Kent Walker of Odessa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Walker.

Visiting Mrs. Ona Rogers during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Rogers of Fredricksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Huddleston, Larry and Marilyn of Hoshua and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rogers of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hogan of Sillsbee visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan during the weekend. Others visiting on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Kinard and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. John Hull and family of Brownwood, Mrs. Kay Warren of Stephenville, Larry Jackson, Bob Hogan and Mrs. Shirley May and children of Carbon.

Mrs. Mollie Medford spent Sunday with Mrs. Elna Gilbert of Gorman.

Visiting Mrs. Ruth Craighead Sunday evening were her grandson and family Mr. and Mrs. Bob Craighead of Saudi Arabia, also Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Ivey of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Cook of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Petree of Glenrose visited the Jim Hogan's Monday afternoon.

—GP—

NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Craddock of Sundown are vacationing at Lake Leon this week and visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawley and with his family, the Craddock, Lasaters, Hudson and Sciterns.

SENIOR CITIZENS

MY!MY! Such terrible weather that April has spawned. Killer Tornadoes. Massive floods to our country. They loss in property is so large and the loss of lives in so many places. We should thank our God tht all of these catastrophes have missed our part of the country up until now. Let us keep on hoping that we are that lucky. The hail has also been very destructive in many places.

Our rains have all been so nice and gentle. The pastures, gardens and orchards are so wonderful.

The trip for Senior Citizens for Tuesday sure sounds interesting. My, how I wish I was able to make that trip. Tho my vision is just too bad. S I wish you all the best of luck and a pleasant nice day for that ride.

The poke trail is traveled very heavy now. You see that helps cut the grocery bill a little at times.

Tennessee came in from Houston the last of the week. Youknow he waddled just like a duck. He was slightly web footed from those showers there.

The Office Gang is going fairly well right now. Some fishing going one. Tho the big one always manages to elude or get away. I wonder why? You can believe was those players tell you at the games. It reminds me of some of the members on Capital Hill. I just wonder if vance ever read or heard the

Pledge of Allegiance in his entire life. It reminds me?

yesterday as I was reading the Obituaries in the Reporter. I saw the name of Elmer Jobe of Abilen. I had to pause a moment in silence. You see I met him at Ft. Sam Houston in August 1917. There were eight men in our tent and we were tent mates until May 1918. That brought back so many memories of those days being so close together. Of the eight men there are just Earl Harwell of Merkel and I left. Earl lost an eye in France and he is practically blind. He is five yers older than I am. you know it brought home to me that old final "Bugle Call" is coming.

i have heard as other tent mates passed on tho this one seemed to shock me more than the others. You see our beds were just two feet apart for over eight months.

I remember when an old man, we called him "Dad" (He said Daily Oklahomaian) came by in June of 1918 and he as yelling "yanks win First Battle, Cantigny" up until then the Yanks were the other troops.

At that Battle the Yanks shelled the (BLANK) out of the Germans and the Yanks advanced just behind the barrage and were in the German Trenches before they recognized it. The Yanks drove them back and breached their lives and held their gains. The Germans were not used to that. It was

GORMAN STUDENTS WIN POSTER CONTEST

The Upper Leon Soil and Water Conservation District recently presented awards to winners in a poster contest sponsored by the District. Students from Gorman receiving ribbons were third grade children in Mrs. Boland's class. 1st Place - Molly Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn; 2nd Place Kristi Cordell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Cordell; 3rd Place - Becky Cordell, daughter of Wilma and Russell Cordell; 4th - Miguel Pacheco, son of Maria Elena Pacheco.

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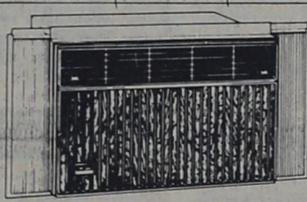
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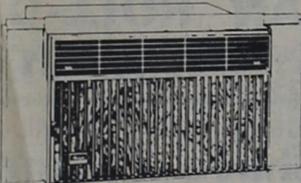
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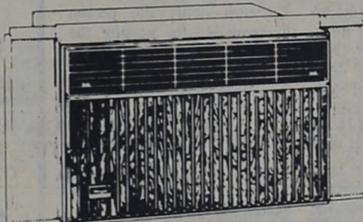
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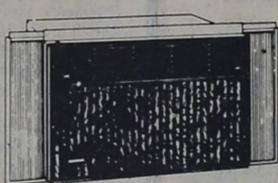
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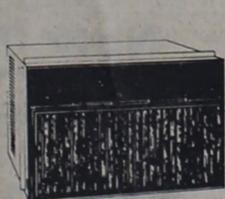
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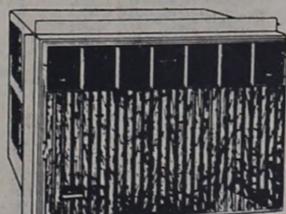
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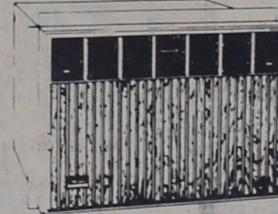


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Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Dukes of Comanche, Route 5, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rita Elaine, to Ronnie Auvenshine, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Auvenshine of De Leon. The wedding date is May 12. The rites will be read at the Sidney Baptist Church at 7:00 P.M.

-GP-

Many of the artificial flies used by fishermen resemble May flies which fish eat greedily.



It's time to turn clocks forward one hour, Daylight Savings Time begins at 2:00 a.m., Sunday April 29.

To be on the safe side for getting to church on time Sunday, be sure and turn you clock and watches up one hour before retiring on Saturday night.

You will gain that hour of lost sleep back next October when we will turn clocks back one hour.

Smith - Blevins Wed



Miss Cricket Smith and Ray Blevins were married in Houston April 19, 1979. Mrs. Blevins is the former Cricket Smith of Gorman. She attended Gorman High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith of Houston and the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.C. True of Gorman. Ray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murray of Gorman. The bridegroom attended Gorman High School. The couple will make their home in Houston where Ray is employed by Landmark Homes.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the personell of Leasure Lodge in Eastland and Lawndale Home in Gorman for the good care given our loved one John Arnold. Also thanks to those who sent flowers, cards and memorials and to Friends and members of the Methodist Church in Gorman and Desdemona for the food served in the Gorman Church Fellowship Hall for members of the family and the food brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Learzar. Your thoughtfulness and expressions of sympathy was greatly appreciated.

The family of John and Helen Arnold

OZELLA PULLEY TO GIVE BOOK REVIEW

Ozella Pulley will give a book review for the Senior Citizens at the noon hour Wednesday May 2 at 11:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church. This will be an interesting program, as Miss Pulley gives such delightful reviews.

More participants are needed in the senior citizens program. All eligible persons are invited to come each Wednesday for the good food and fellowship with friends and neighbors.

For reservations call Mrs. Jolene Gilliland, 734-2927.

CITY CHIT CHAT

By **Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor**
The Gorman City Commission met on April 19 with all Commissioners and the Mayor present. City employees present were Edna Brinegar, Robert Ervin and Pat Ingram. Other present were Gene Foster and George Hollifield.

The report on the landfill hearing was discussed and Robert was instructed to have the Soil Conservation take samples at the land fill to test the soil for clay so that the comments on the reports could be answered.

A resolution was approved that the Commission go on record as favoring the continuation of the Tri Regional Health Center.

Mr. Hollifield met with the Commission to discuss the final arrangements on the purchase of the theater building. After he had presented the legal papers that were necessary, the Commission approved the purchase of the building. The Commission made this purchase for two reasons, one was to protect the City Hall from any deterioration that might be caused by this structure, but the main reason was for the purpose to create a place for the Aging American Program so that the current program could be extended. We know that it will take a lot of work and money to complete the project and we feel that it will take several years to put it in the condition that we now plan. It would be available for other activities as well as the Aging American Program. We have made application for a Federal Grant to help renovate the building. We hope to have good news on this within a few months.

Gene Foster met with the Commission to discuss a date for a City Wide Clean-up that will be sponsored mainly by the Lions Club with the City. They have a committee working out plans for the program. The main day for the clean-up will be Saturday, May 5 but you will find a proclamation elsewhere on this. During the week the city will pick up any trash that you have in containers at the regular pick up place. They City will start hauling brush

NEWS

Mrs. James Mears and her mother, Mrs. O.C. Gregory of Lake Leon visited several days last week in Austin with Mr. and Mrs. T.D. Goodwin in their new home.

Ruby Bennett, Velma Bennett of Gorman and Mrs. Pearl Snell of Carbon visited Saturday in Eastland with Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Bennett and their son Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynn Bennett, Terry and Latricia of Odessa. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Claearacne McCulla.

Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Shipman had all their family home over the weekend for the first time in years. Those here were Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Shipman, Jeff and Jenny of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shipman and Amy of Round Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Harper, Jennifer, Melissa and Melinda, Mr. and Mrs. David Moore, Bobby and Arron, Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Burleson of De Leon.

Mrs. L.D. Holliday visited Saturday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Norris in Valley View Lodge in Eastland and with Mrs. Rozell Caraway.

Marie Revels of Lascaster, California arrived this week to make her home with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Revels. She is inrolled in the eighth grade in Gorman Schools.

and large objects on Friday, May 4. You will find another story by the Lions on the clean up in this issue. They hope to get the help of all clubs and citizens in the community. We want everyone to PITCH IN and CLEAN UP.

The Election returns were canvassed and Ted Higginbottom and Hershell Cordell was declared elected to the Commission for a two year term. They were given the oath of office and appreciation was expressed to Mr. Todd for his service and Mr. Cordell was welcomed on the Commission. I will be acting as City Manager for the next two months. If you have a problem, call me or call the city office and leave word for me to contact you.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

The Gorman Chamber of Commerce met Thursday April 12, in a regular meeting. The Chamber of Commerce is initiating a Miss Gorman Pageant. Local clubs will sponsor a candidate of their choice. All proceeds will go to the Swimming Pool Fund. There will also be a Bar-Bpue at the gym on the night of the coronation. The contest will run from April 18 to May 18 at 12:00 noon. Voting will be counted as 1 cent per vote. The results will be posted each Thursday. Final results will be posted Friday May 18, at 5:00 p.m. Bar-B-Cue will be served from 6:30 to 7:30, Friday May 18 and the Coronation program will begin at 8:00. Tickets will be \$3.50. Please plan to attend.

The Lions Club and Chamber of Commerce jointly have adopted guidelines and priorities on the sign.

the are as follows:
"POLICY ON SIGN"

I. The purpose of the sign is to publicize events or activities that concern the local community as a whole. The sign is not to be used for advertising or private business or enterprises.

A. Priorities
1. Chamber of Commerce and Lions's Club Activities
2. School Activities
3. Civic Activities
4. Church Revivals and Vacation Bible School
B. Length of time tht messages will be lift on sign and conflicting messages will be left up to the discretion of the Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber will have final say in all matters concerning the sign.

C. During freezing temperatures, letters should not be put up or taken down because the letters and sign can be easily damaged.
II. The Sec./Mgr. of the Camber of Commerce should be notified 24 hours in advance of posting message on

the sign. The Sec./Mgr. will in turn notify the person responsible for posting the message on the sign.
A. The message will not be more than 17 spaces per line and not over 5 lines.

Listed below are businesses' and individuals who are current members of the Chamber of Commerce. They strongly support your town. Members are invited to attend Directors meetings held the second Thursday of each month at 9:00 A.M. at City Hall. We encourage business and individuals to become members of the Gorman Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are:
Gorman Insurance Company
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Lone Star Gas
Foster Floral
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Louise and Ray Rankin
Kenneth Lewis
Mary Revels
Ann and G.W. Maxfield
E.G. Henderson
Graydon Baze
Kay Watson
Joe Bennett
Estelle Craddock
D.E. Mauney
Wayne Eaves
E.R. Arnold, Jr.
Moelle Rhymes
Velma Bennett
Charlie Garrett

METHODIST CHURCH ENTERTAINS SENIOR CLASS

The First United Methodist Church entertained the 1979 Graduating Senior Class of Gorman High School with dinner Tuesday evening.

The Event was held in Fellowship Hall of the Church at 6:30 p.m. The dinner tables were beautifully decorated in an Italian theme, with many candles lighting the decorations. In keeping with the occasion mortarboard caps and diplomas marked the place settings.

Menu consisted of Italian Spaghetti, tossed green salad, garlic french bread, brownies and ice tea.

Assisting with the serving was Mary Revels, Ruby Acree, Tommye Haile and Don Moorman. Invocation was given by Ruby Acree.

Enough silk cloth to make a dress may take the filament from 1,700 to 2,000 silk-worm cocoons.

LADIES GAME DAY SET AT LONE CEDAR

"The next 'Ladies Game Day' at Lone Cedar Country Club will be Friday, May 4th starting at 10 a.m. All sorts of games will be played and prizes offered in each game. Also a door prize and a surprise gift to the lucky person. Lunch will be served at noon and play resumed. Bingo will be played and prizes again offered. Bridge players will play with the same partner all day. Make your plans now to attend this growing, popular affair."

Special guest was Dwaine Brown, Senior Class Sponsor, and Mrs. Brown. Everyone had a good time and expressed their thanks to the hostesses as they said good night.

Marilyn Harrison and Gene Snelson were on the decorating committee, food committee served the food. The annual event is sponsored by the women of the church.

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BY
LETA
HOGAN

Lawndale News

Those visiting friends and loved ones in our home last week were:

Alpha Andry visited her mother Mrs. Clara Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Collins of Eastland visited his mother Mrs. Clara Collins.

Bryan L. Hays and family of Carbon visited Mrs. Nancy Holloway.

Carolyn and Delwyn Hodges and family visited Luther Harper.

Aletha Kay Yarbrough visited Elizabeth Simmons.

Lorene Foster visited in our home.

Susan Tarrance visited the Hughes.

Annis Lasater visited Lucy Lasater and Georgia Leonard.

Mabel Wood and Barbara Tucker of Gorman visited in our home.

Clyde and Lee Barbee of Eastland visited her mother Lexie Wright.

Cecil and Rena Robertson of Odessa visited her mother Lexie.

Mr. and Mrs. R.N. Watts of Dallas visited his dad Nattie Watts.

WICHITA FALLS TORNADO APRIL 10, 1979 By Helen True

Gorman residents, if you haven't thanked God that our town and area was spared from the tornados that danced around our community last Tuesday night, then it might be time to start. I had elderly relatives in Wichita Falls and their home was located right in the middle of the largest area hit, as it was shown on TV Wednesday morning. I couldn't learn anything and could not get through to them so I went to Wichita Falls Wednesday morning. Our family was blessed. There were homes within 4 to 6 blocks surrounding them that were destroyed, but their home and possessions, as well as their lives, were all right. They had no lights or water, no TV, no paper and they had friends who had lost their lives and/or possessions, but they were otherwise fine.

I have never seen such utter and complete devastation in my life. You could drive for miles and see nothing but complete destruction. It looked like it had been bombed. All our local papers and TV stations have shown pictures but none can capture even a fraction of the horror that was there. What was once rows of flourishing businesses looked like something that had been abandoned years ago and left to the elements to destroy. Complete subdivisions of what was once nice frame homes were reduced to piles of rubble with only an occasional wall or two remaining. One kitchen had been destroyed but the dishes were still neatly stacked in the cabinet. Not only had they lost their homes and possessions, many had their jobs destroyed and their only transportation smashed as well. Still, as they dug through what was once their homes, they smiled and you could see an occasional laugh. Many openly cried. One old man, perhaps in his 70's or 80's, sat cross-legged on the edge of his own particular pile of rubble and just stared.

We took a few pictures. We didn't take any more because we felt it was an intrusion on other people's private misery. We asked one lady, sitting outside on what was left of her things, if we might take a picture of what once was a beautiful, very expensive brick home. She told us yes and thanked us for asking, saying others had been taking pictures of it all day and only a few had asked.

asked. The Progress is trying to print these pictures for you to see, if they will print all right.

I would like to take this opportunity to personally thank the men of Gorman who were out until the we hours of the morning Tuesday night spotting and watching menacing clouds around us. If they had spotted anything of harm we would have been warned and perhaps saved because of their vigilance. I listened to them on my CB radio and it was indeed a comfort to hear. We are so lucky!

-GP-

Jesus many questions to temp him.

There is an eternal reward for those who leave all to follow Jesus. Thank You Brother Luke for a very interesting lesson. We enjoyed it very much.

Thursday night at 7 p.m. our Gospel Singers came to entertain us. Our group wasn't very large because of other activities in town, but they were good. Maybe before long we will be coming regularly again.

those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Collins; Marion and Annie Denis; Wandy Rainey; Mary Revels; Jessie and Donnie Parker; Joyce Dennis & Jettie Daniels. Thanks to all of you for coming. We look forward to seeing you this Thursday night.

the Carbon Baptist Church came Sunday afternoon for our 2 p.m. service. Rev. Smith's subject was: Refreshing God's Memory; Isaiah - Chapter 38 - Verse 3. Thank you Bro. Smith and your congregation. We love you.

The Church of Christ of

KOKOMO EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB HAS 4-H PROGRAM

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club met at the Kokomo Community Center on Monday April 16 at 2:00 p.m. Mrs. Odie Rodgers and Mrs. J.L. Morrow were hostesses.

Mrs. Glenn Jordan presided and Mrs. Morrow led the opening exercises. Six members answered roll call.

Mrs. Rodgers gave the council report, and a short program on "Arthritis - The symptoms, need for seeking medical care and advice from your doctor, and the need to avoid the quack advertisements of gadgets to cure arthritis". There is no known cure for arthritis, only relief with proper medication and therapy prescribed from your

Gorman came at 5 p.m. to give their service. Rev. Conley is pastor but Rev. McCreary - Assistant Pastor brought the message. His subject was John - Chapter 15 - Verse 22.

Thank both of you pastors and your congregation. We love you.

family doctor. It was a very informative program.

The Kokomo Club will join the other five clubs in the country for their Annual Spring Fun Day on May 2 with a covered dish luncheon at the Nimrod Community Center and a tour of the adobe home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Childress in the Cottonwood Community in the afternoon.

It was a our privilege to have Assistant Eastland County Extension Agent Miss Trudy Bird, Mrs. Charles Little, a 4-H adult leader and six 4-H'ers from Kokomo who are all members of the Gorman 4-H Club to give us a program. Miss Bird explained the structure of 4-H work in Eastland County through the different organizations. They are 4-H and Youth Subcommittee, County 4-H Council, 4-H Clubs, Organizational Leaders, Project Groups and Project Group Leaders, County 4-H Adult Leaders Association, 4-H Members and Parents and the involvement of the Community in supporting the 4-H Clubs.

4-H members Angela Burgess, Glenn Burgess, Shannon Caraway, Charla Little, Allen Scitern, Rebecca Scitern and Mrs. Charles Little, filling in for daughter Caye Little, all told of their projects, showing trophies and ribbons won. Many of them were from the recent Eastland County Livestock Show.

We at Kokomo are well aware of how hard these youngsters work and are very proud of their accomplishments.

Miss Caye Little was chosen to be our candidate in the Miss Gorman Pageant. Votes will be 1 cent each and the money will go to the Gorman Swimming Pool Fund.

The refreshment table was covered with a green cloth and was centered with a beautiful bouquet of bluebonnets in a white vase carrying out the 4-H colors of green and white. Mrs. J.C. Clearman gave the thanks for the refreshments. Assorted cookies, chips and dips, pickles, peanut and red punch was served to Trudy Bird, Mrs. Charles Little, the

OIL NEWS

EASTLAND - European Southwest Co. of Houston will drill No. 1 Vera Rodgers as a proposed 3,600-foot wildcat in the Gorman (Ranger) Field two miles north of Gorman.

Drill site is 467 feet from the north and 2,173 feet from the east lines of Section 5, Block 1, H&TC Survey.

EASTLAND - Santex Oil Co. of Arlington will drill No. 7 Rodgers as a proposed 3,400-foot wildcat in the Carbon (Caddo) Field three miles west of Gorman.

The venture is located on a 700-acre lease.

It spots 1,212 feet from the south and 3,388 feet from the east lines of George Miller Survey, A-378.

4-H members and other visitors Mrs. Bo Caraway and Tonya, Mrs. E.V. Carter of Herford, Miss Mary Hunt of Eastland, who is training in Eastland County and will soon be going to Hamilton County as Extension Agent, and members Mmes. J.C. Clearman, Albert Hendricks, Glenn Jordan, Cullen Rodgers, J.L. Morrow and Odie Rodgers.

GORMAN TRACK AND UIL STUDENTS QUALIFY FOR STATE

In the Girls Region II-B Track and Field Meet at McMurry College in Abilene Friday and Saturday, Sarah Porter placed second in the Shot Put. Amy Warren qualified for state in the High Jump. She was entered in the 440 and had a time of 65.23 for fourth place.

Melinda Harrington placed First in University Interscholastic League, Region 2 Conference B in competition held Saturday at McMurry College in Abilene. Melinda will go to state competition in two weeks. Placing Third in Short Hand was Vonne Rodgers.

Ruthie Hagood placed Third in Editorial Writing.

A regular field project was staked two miles northeast of Eastland as Modern Exploration Inc. of Sherman No. 1 Morton.

The planned 1,500-foot venture is located on a 100-acre lease.

Drill site is 1,170 feet from the south and 2,050 feet from the west lines of W. Lyman Survey, A-381.

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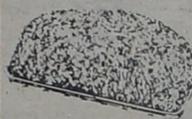
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DESDEMONA NEWS

BY VONNIE GUTHERY

Visiting recently George and Anna Brazell was their daughter, Elizabeth of Austin, Martha Kumley and daughter of Lubbock.

Johnnie Koonce is recovering from eye surgery. Report she is doing fine.

Bro. Balderree of Ranger filled the pulpit Sunday at First Baptist Church while our pastor Bro. Landers was away on vacation. Bro. Bal-

derree was a former pastor here in 1938. Our church enjoyed Bro. and Mrs. Balderree as visitors. They were dinner guests of Moody and Hazel Koonce.

Desdemona Cemetery Working will be Friday 27th. Come, bring lunch and attend meetings at noon.

Howard Cemetery working will be Saturday 28th. Make plans to attend both.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Thiebaud of Dublin visited his brother, Glyn and Alpha Thiebaud and attended church at First Baptist Sunday night.

Bob and Flo Burleson of Stephenville visited her parents Lonnie and Zelma Williamson on Sunday.

Visiting with Abbie Ash over the weekend were Richard Lane of Grapevine, Glen Lane of Austin, Ruby Dillard and Willbourn Ash of De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rainey are the proud parents of a new baby boy born

By Oma Lee Riddell

SCHOOL HILL

Connie, Melani, and Wade Armstrong of Highland visited on Thursday with J.C. and Patsy Moon and family. Connie played hospital all day. The first thing she did was to put a bandage on a cow. Now you talk about a job, now that is one, especially if the cow is in a foul

Saturday at Stephenville Hospital. Grandparents are Jiggs and Winnie Rainey.

mood to start with. Brad said he kept looking for a ribbon to be tied in their hair. He said he couldn't get the milkers on one cow on account of the large bandage. He stopped her when he found on prepped for surgery. He now has a large sign out "no visitors please!" Joe and Joey Staude went on a fishing trip this week with a group from Lingleville and I haven't heard what they caught, but I bet it wasn't fish.

Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Moore have moved into our community. We welcome you.

Patsy Moon and girls and Leslie Riddell went to Arlington to Six Flags Over Texas early Friday morning with a group from the Baptist Church of Lingleville. Guess Six Flags won't be the same, and I know that I won't. Our young son got home at 5 o'clock the next morning. Poor Brother Lanny had to get in touch with lots of parents and do lots of ex-

CARBON YOUTH TO ATTEND BASKETBALL CAMP AT RJC

Sammi Mehaffey and Sherry Lynn Halford of Carbon have been accepted in the Southwest Basketball Camp at Ranger Jr. College. This camp is directed by Ron Butler, Basketball Coach at Ranger Junior College.

This is the eleventh annual camp and the fastest growing camp in the Southwest. The camp is for girls of high school, junior varsity, junior high, and younger. Over

plaining. The water-pump went out in Ft. Worth. They borrowed a bus in Ft. Worth and finally got them all home.

Visitors with Ralph and Aline Elston this week were Rodger and Joan Elston of Lingleville, Charles and Mir-tle Elston of Huckaby.

Visitors with us this week were Fermon Wyche of Stephenville, Tommy Musick of Lingleville, Jack Blackwell of Ranger, Jerry and Jeff Buckley of Desdemona, Jeane, Will and Niki Grimshaw of Howard Community, Bill Greer and Chuch Botik of Dublin.

7,000 campers have attended these camps.

The primary purpose of the camp is to teach new skills, fundamentals, and improve the individual abilities of each girl. Along with these ideas, the camp will also stress the ideals of good sportsmanship, leadership, and good citizenship.

Again, this camp will feature some of the state's top high school and college



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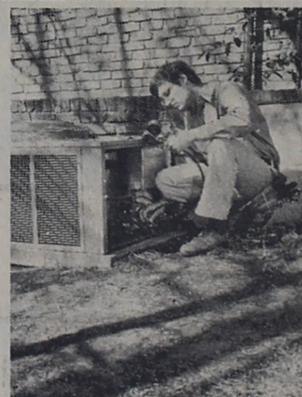
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Wigley - Warren Repeat Vows



Pamela Joan Wigley from Casper, Wyoming and George Rodney Warren were united in the sacrament of holy matrimony during a double ring ceremony, Saturday, March 24, 1979 at 10 a.m. in St. Elizabeth Catholic Church in Lubbock, Texas.

Parents of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Wigley and Mr. and Mrs. George Warren preceded down the aisle escorting their children to the altar. "The Wedding Song" was played as the parents greeted and gave the bride and groom to each other.

Father Joe James preceded over the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Behnke supplied the music for the wedding with the accompaniment of a guitar.

Miss Kimberly Bruner, niece of the bride, led the processional carrying the bouquet to be presented to the Virgin Mary at the end of the ceremony. She was followed by Miss Natalie Bruner, niece of the bride, and Mr. Jerry Brent Dillard, bridesmaid and groomsmen. Following this couple were Miss Amy Warren and Mr. Douglas Warren, sister and brother of the groom also bridesmaid and groomsmen. Mrs. Dianne Bruner, sister of the bride, fulfilled the duty of Matron of Honor. Escorting Mrs. Bruner was Mr. Mike Robertson, cousin of the groom, the Best Man.

Each bridesmaid and the Matron of Honor wore outfits co-ordinating with the colors of the wedding which were dusty rose and burgundy. They each carried bouquets of pink carnations, white roses, dusty rose tinted daisies and babies breath.

Mr. Curtis Warren, brother of the groom, served as usher for the wedding. Miss Melissa Warren, sister of the groom, attended the guest book and served at the reception. Miss Tona Lee Warren, sister of the groom, was the flower girl. She and Melissa were dressed like the bridesmaids.

Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Robertson grandparents of the groom attended along with Mr. Leland Warren, the groom's other grandfather. Mothers of the bride and groom wore dresses of dusty rose complimented with orchid corsages.

The groom wore a black suit with a light blue pin stripes highlighted with a boutonniere containing two off white rose buds accompanied by babies breath.

The bride wore an ivory gown of candle light silken organza designed by Queenfit of New York. The molded bodice featured a softly ruffled wedding band collar, and bib style yoke fashioned of antique duny lace. Long candlestick sleeves made from matching antique lace

were sheered to a narrow ruffled cuff. Seed pearls in a scalloped pattern embellished both the yoke and the sleeves.

The princess style skirt fell to floor length, and was swept to back fullness forming chapel length train. Venise lace appliques accented the skirt and train. A beautiful flounce of wide antique duny lace encircled the entire skirt and train for a look of old fashioned beauty.

The brides' veil was caught to a lace carved camelot capulet. The silk illusion veiling was completely edged in antique duny lace, and fell to fingertip length. She carried a bouquet of white roses, pink and white carnations, daisies and babies breath.

The couple read their own personally composed vows to each other. After the giving of the rings Mr. Curtis Warren preceded with two wedding candles down the aisle. The couple took the two candles and lit their marriage candle as a sign of their unity.

The couple presented chalice of wine at the ceremony during communion. After communion a time of meditation followed. During this time a slide presentation of the couples activities during their engagement were accompanied by the song, "For Baby (For Bobbie)" by John Denver.

At the very end of the ceremony Miss Kimberly Bruner brought the bouquet for the Virgin Mary. The bride presented the bouquet to the statue of the Virgin and prayed for guidance and blessing in her marriage.

Following the ceremony the reception was held around the enclosed pool at the Hilton Hotel. The area complemented the reception with lush green foliage.

The wedding cake consisted of three layer in the center. Each layer connects by crystal pillars. The second layer was connected by a trellace leading down to a fourth layer at the side. From this fourth layer another trellace lead down to a heart shaped layer. Bridal miniatures were placed on the trellaces. The Bridesmaids and Matron of Honor served the cake along with mints, peanuts, coffee, fruit punch and champagne punch.

The brides garter was caught by Mr. Ricky Troutman. The bouquet was caught by Mary Ellen Gerhart.

The bride and groom will be leaving on their honeymoon May 14th. They will be spending their time on the beaches of Hawaii. Afterwards they will continue their education at Texas Tech university. They are in residence at #One Place Apts. in Lubbock, Texas.

Mrs. Warren is currently

N. Pilgrim Caye Little Laid To Rest In Gorman Pageant

STEPHENVILLE — Norma Susie Pilgrim, 84, of Dumas, mother of a Desdemona woman, died at 9:20 p.m. Tuesday April 10, 1979 in a Dumas Hospital. Grave-side services were at 2 p.m. Friday in Alameda Cemetery.

Born January 1, 1895, in Mississippi, she had lived at Dumas since 1943.

Survivors include four daughters, Renia Hogg of Desdemona, Clara Williams of Anchorage, Alaska, Darvella Scroggins of Big Lake and Ezeia Pilgrim of Dumas; six sons, Clinton of Jacksboro, Bob of Eureka, Calif., Elsie and Wardrey, both of Eastland, J.D. and Ronnie, both of Dumas; a brother, Lonzo Melton of Eastland; 26 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren.

—GP—

TRIP PLANNED FOR THE GOLDEN AGE CLUB

The First National Bank's Golden Age Club has an exciting trip planned for Tuesday, April 24th. If you are a member of the Club or interested in becoming a member, come by the bank on April 19th or 20th to sign up for this trip.

We are going on a steamship ride. Yes sir, the "Brazos Queen". Consequently, our trip takes us to Waco and the Brazos River. We will have lunch at the Waterworks Restaurant, where there are many other interesting things to see.

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Betty Henderson
—GP—

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks and appreciation to Dr. Jennifer and the staff at Blackwell Hospital for the excellent care and kindness that Gloria Kay received while a patient there. Also our thanks to friends and relatives for their visits and cards. We have a wonderful hospital. Our hospital has one of the nicest and sweetest group of nurses and kitchen employees. We love you all. You hold a very special place in our hearts and our prayers.

May God Bless Each And Everyone of You in a Special Way
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undergraduate student at Texas Tech, majoring in Animal Science. Mr. Rodney Warren has a Bachelor's in Ag Education from Texas Tech. Currently he is a graduate assistant at TTU while working on his Master's in Ag Education.



THE KOKOMO EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB AND THE KOKOMO COMMUNITY CLUB have chosen the lovely MISS CAYE LITTLE to be their candidate in the Miss Gorman Pageant. Caye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little of Kokomo. The two clubs will co-sponsor Caye as the same people are involved in both clubs.

Caye is 15 and a freshman in Gorman High School where she serves as class secretary, plays basketball and runs track. She is a member of the Gorman 4-H Club, participates in rodeos and served as the Gorman Riding Club Sweetheart last year. She is a member of the Kokomo Baptist Church and is a member of the Acteens and works in Vacation Bible School.

We invite all Caye's friends to vote for her. Votes are 1c each and the money will go to the Gorman Swimming Pool Fund.

1979-1980 CHEERLEADERS ELECTED

Judges from Cisco Jr. College selected the following girls as Cheerleaders for next year. Amy Warren, head, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Warren; Kelly Mauney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Mauney; Ruth Hagood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hagood; Bethany Gibbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gibbs; and Beverly Underwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troyat Underwood. Amy, Kelly, and Ruth will be seniors. Bethany, a junior and Beverly a sophomore. The student body selected Susan Snider to the Panther Mascot for next year. Susan will be a junior and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Snider.

CORRECTION

We regret the error made in the vote count of the Hospital Board of Directors published in last weeks paper. The number of votes cast for Berenice Jeffs was 131 and not 168 as was reported.

KOKOMO BAPTIST CHURCH SETS REVIVAL

Rev. Jack Stephens of Chilton will be evangelist for revival services at Kokomo First Baptist Church April 22 thru April 29.

Rev. Stephens has served as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Chilton for the past seven years. He is a graduate of Baylor University, Southwestern Baptist Theology Seminary in Fort Worth.

Woodrow Browning music director will serve as song leader and his wife Helen will serve as pianist and Glenda Bond as organist.

Sunday services will be at 6:00 p.m. and weekday services at 7:30 p.m.
Rev. Bob Watson, pastor invites you to attend and the congregation will welcome your presence.
—GP—
Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G.E. Bennett Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G.F. Bennett of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bennett of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little of Albany and Mrs. Sharon Jones, Kathy and Chris of Austin.

Boys Qualifiers Meet Set for Rising Star

RISING STAR — A track meet for boys who have qualified for regional meets will be held in Rising Star Friday. Entries may be called to Frank Gray or Billy Rankin at 817-643-3251. A fee of \$1.75 will be charged per boy per event. A coaches meeting is set for noon, with field events starting at 1 p.m. and preliminaries in the running events at 3

p.m. The finals begin 15 minutes following the final prelim.

Teams already entered are Hamlin, Christoval, Lometa, Evant, Santa Anna, Talpa-Centennial, Gorman, Blanket, May, Bronte and Rising Star. Thirty-five schools competed last year.



BOYS REGIONAL QUALIFIERS — (l to r): Tim Swanner, Jimmie Johnson, Clint Tucker, Blaine Gibbs, Charles White and Bob Hagood. AND Bob Hagood. The Boys Regional Track Meet will be held April 26 and 27 in Abilene.

Patricia Hirst - James Wade, Jr. Set Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bruce Hirst announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Patricia Ann to Mr. James Gordon Wade, Jr. of Holliday and son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon Wade, Sr. of Sunset.

Vows will be read June 23, 1979 in the First United Methodist Church of Bridgeport at 7:00 p.m.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend the

wedding and reception to be held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Gorman High School and Tarleton State University and is now teaching in Bridgeport. The prospective groom is a graduate of Bowis High School and Texas A&M University. He is now employed by Kapelski and Baxter Accountants in Wichita Falls.

—GP—

FREE FISH FRY THURSDAY

Brown's Feed will host a free fish fry Thursday April 19 at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Gym.

Smith Douglas chemical and fertilizer are sponsors of the supper. Everyone is invited.

—GP—

DR. JOHN FOSTER TO GIVE RABIES SHOTS AT KOKOMO

Dr. John Foster, veterinarian from Ranger will be at the Kokomo Community Center on Thursday April 19 from 5 to 7 p.m. to give rabies shots to pets. All persons in the area are urged to bring their pets for these shots.

—GP—

JAMES MIEARS NAMED PRESIDENT OF HOSPITAL BOARD

The South Eastland County Hospital Board of Directors met in regular session Monday April 15 at 7:00 P.M. The Board canvassed the votes and approved the results of the April 7th Election of Four Hospital Board Directors. Those continuing in office were Howard Hagood, Claude Fuller, and James Miears. Berneice Jeffs was elected to fill a vacancy on the board and will be sworn in at the next meeting.

Other action was to elect officers for the coming year: James Miears was elected President; Claude Fuller, Vice President; Berneice Jeffs, Secretary and Ron McCormick as financial advisor to the board.

The Board would like to take this opportunity to express their gratitude to all citizens of the District for their patience and support in the past few weeks. James Miears reports that all phases of the transition from Board Control to Small Hospital Associates, Inc. is going smoothly and we anticipate no problems. Doctors are being actively sought, and good news should be announced shortly in this area. We will keep you informed as significant developments occur.

—GP—

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett of Weatherford visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ruby Bennett. Other visitors were Velma Bennett and Lennie Montgomery.

LAWMEN BANQUET MAY 12

A year ago, Candidate Charles Stenholm was a visitor.

Saturday, May 12, Congressman Charles Stenholm will be the guest of honor and featured speaker at the Sixth Annual Eastland County Law Enforcement Association Appreciation Banquet, President Kenneth Rose has announced.

The event will be held at Siebert Elementary School and tickets will go on sale throughout the county Friday at \$5.50 each.

Vance Godby will be caterer for the event.

Congressman Omar Burleson, now retired, was guest of honor and speaker last year. He will be specially invited to attend this banquet, it is reported.

Congressman Stenholm since taking office in January

CUB SCOUTS WIN FIRST PLACE



Gorman Cub Scouts Pack #38 sponsored by the First United Methodist Church won First Place, blue ribbon at the Annual Scout-A-Rama in Brownwood, April 7.

Members of the Pack are Sam Brinegar, Ricky Gray Morrison, Ronson Childers, Don Rodgers, Joey Beatty, Cance Jones, Danny Barnett, Doug Webb, Scott Campbell, Scott Gressett, Tommy Scott Curb, Clay Savage, Mike Snider, Michael Burns, Toby Snider, Mike Snider, Michael Ables, Rodney Helmath, Shannon Bond; Members not show are Michael Burns and Doug Webb.

Cub Master Mike Savage stated that the young men worked very hard and were proud of their trophy. He had the opportunity to meet new friends and to see other Scouts ideas and exhibits. It was a great show and we all loved it very much.

Savage further stated that he was proud of the youth he works with and they are to be commended on their ticket sales, by selling 260 tickets. Some of the youth received special prizes for the large number of tickets sold. This could not have been achieved and the goal would not have been reached without the help and support of the community.

He expressed thanks to everyone who supported the Scouts and to the Den Leaders for their time and effort they give to the Scouts.

Girls Track Team To Enter Regional Meet



REGIONAL QUALIFIERS — Gorman Track Girls show above who won their events in the District Meet and will be entered in the Regional Track Meet are (l to r) Beverly Underwood, Carmon Longoria, Amy Warren, Sarah Porter, Melinda Harrington, Caye Little and Terrye Jeffs.

In 18B District contest held in Rising Star April. Gorman placed second with 89 points.

Sarah Jane Porter place First in Shot Put with 32.5 1/2 inches.

Carmon Longoria place Second in Discus with a distance of 86.3 1/2 inches.

Amy Warren won First Place in High Jump with a record of 5 feet.

Gorman place Second in the 440 relay with a time of 54.72. Members of the relay team are Terri Jeffs, Caye Little, Beverly Underwood and Melinda Harrington.

Melinda Harrington placed Second in the 440 Dash with a time of 63.15 and Beverly Underwood placed Second in the 220 Dash with a time of 29.60. Melinda Harrington placed first in the 100 yard dash.

All the track team will go to Regional contest to be held in Abilene Friday April 20.

UIL Students will compete in the Regional Competition on April 20 and 21 in Abilene.

—GP—

Easter weekend visitors with Mrs. M.H. Fairbetter and Milton Jr. were her daughter, Mrs. Wade Russell and Stephanie of Everman and sister Mrs. Vivian Scott and her son Park of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapman of Rolling Meadow, Texas.

has been named to important Congressional Committees, including the House Agriculture Committee and the House Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. He serves on the investigations subcommittee on the Post Office and on cotton, dairy and poultry, livestock and grains and oilseeds and rice on subcommittees.

Awards to be presented at the banquet will include a Citizen's Award to be made by the County Law Enforcement Association, and the annual Lamen's Award given each year by Eastland Co. Newspaper.

BAKE SALE SATURDAY

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club and Kokomo Community Club will hold a bake sale on Saturday April 21, beginning at 8:30 a.m. near the Post Office in Gorman. There will be lots of goodies and the proceeds will be voted for our candidate, Caye Little in the Miss Gorman Pageant. Monies from the sale will be used for the Gorman Community Swimming Pool.

—GP—
Mrs. Onie Anderson of Stephenville visited last Friday with Mrs. Frank Dean.

Calendar Of Events

Oliver Springs Cemetery Working will be held Friday May 4th. Bring tools to work the grounds.

Gorman Riding and Roping Club will hold a Playday practice Sunday April 22, beginning at 2:00 P. M. Everyone is invited to attend and participate.

Dr. John Foster of Ranger will give rabies shots to animals on Friday April 20 at the Carbon Farm Supply in Carbon. He will be at the store from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Nancy Trout, Eastland Co. Tax Assessor-Collector announces the opening of a sub-station in Gorman at Smith Brothers Chevrolet for renewal of car and truck license. Mrs. Ruth McKenzie was appointed deputy.

Girls Scouts Junior and Cadettes will meet each Tuesday at 3:45 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Fellowship Hall.

Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets the first Monday each month at 7:30 P. M.

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

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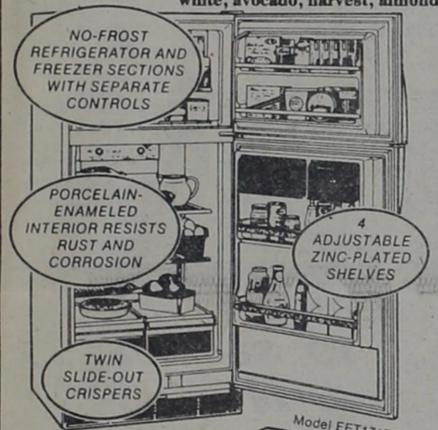
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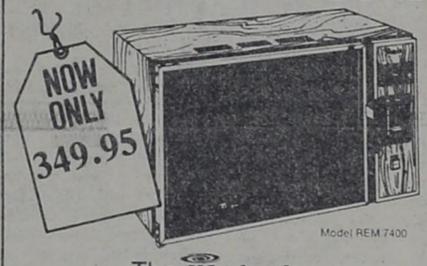
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KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

Sunday was a beautiful Easter Day, and Kokomo Baptist Church was filled to worship our risen Lord. Easter is always a time of Homecoming at Kokomo and there were many visitors there to be with parents and grandparents. Bro. and Mrs. Bob Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Browning, with Mrs. Joe Bond at the organ, rendered the special music.

Following the service there was an egg hunt for the youngsters while friends and relatives visited.

Mrs. Woodrow Browning, Bro. and Mrs. Bob Watson and J.D. McNeely rendered the special music on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Neal of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Pyeatt of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan, Kelly and Yancy of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mearse of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal and Mrs. W.A. O'Neal of Gorman were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks during the Easter weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Campbell and Mrs. Alma Lee Greager of Levelland visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Morrow and they all enjoyed a trip to the Enchanted Rock and points of interest in Fredericksburg on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rodgers and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Weaver and Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean Rodgers, Keith, Bruce, Bart and Rebecca all of Midlothian, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Spencer, Allan and Andrea of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Chupp, Leslie and Pam of Houston, Mrs. Lois Rodgers of Victoria and Mrs. Mary Timmons of Gorman were Easter visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Mr. Jim Jordan were dinner guests of Mrs. Ollie Nelson at Gorman on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark, Debby and Amy and Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Kent of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little, Ray Neal and James and Mr. and Mrs. John Lasater of De Leon were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cozart of Eastland were Friday night visitors with the Garretts and Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Holliday of Gorman were visiting with them on Monday.

Mrs. Colleen Harris of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. McNeely.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert, Steve and Glenn of Hobbs, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Terry Lowry of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers, Kim and Jonna of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers, Kevin and Jason and Corby of Brownwood and Mike Rodgers of Proctor were Easter visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark and Robbie and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Jung and Cara La Ra of Comfort were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers, Charles and Tammy, Mr. and Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Rodgers visited on Sunday in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rodgers and family. Harold had to be re-admitted to the hospital suffering from injuries suffered in an accident recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E.V. Carter of Hereford are spending some time here at their farm cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fields, Michael and Caylea of Livingston, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nachtigall and Taylor of Perrin were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and Lindell.

Mrs. Ben Rollins came home from the hospital on Thursday, and was feeling real well.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Elver Everton were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stewart, Melissa and Marie of Bogalusa, La., Mr. Don Everton and Lee of Decatur, Kathy Everton, Mr. and Mrs. Finia Johnson and Darla Sadler of Eastland, Luna Lee Everton of Grand Prairie, Edna Everton of Eastland, Bill Neill of

Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Burns of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Owens of Rising Star, R.J. Crawley, Mrs. Mamie Little, Mrs. W.F. Bryant and Mrs. Hoyt Bryant. Cecil Everton was ill with a bad cold and unable to visit in the Everton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan spent the weekend in Floydada with Ted Jordan

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Leazer attended Easter Church service at the Assembly of God Church with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen. Others attending the Easter family reunion were Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Bell and Jamie of Denver City, Lanette Bell and Steve Leazer of Amarillo, Mrs. Laverne Winn, Audree Barnes, Mrs. Judy Burns, Chanse and Jacie all of Muleshoe, Jayma Lewallen and Cindy Thompson of Lubbock. The Glenn Jordans, Jamie Lewallens, D.C. Bells and Jamie and Lanette Bell and Steve

We cordially invite the public to worship with us during the revival at the Kokomo Baptist Church April 22 to April 29 with services at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Sundays and 7:30 p.m. on Week days. Bro. Jack Stevens, pastor of First Baptist Church of Chil-ton will be the evangelist. Woodrow Browning will lead the music and Mrs. Browning will be at the piano and Mrs. Joe Bond at the organ.

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DESDEMONA NEWS

BY VONNIE GUTHERY

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Thiebaud of Dublin visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Thiebaud Sunday.

Ulenda Weaver and family of Waco visited her mother, Dorothy Roberts and Jeff. Dorthy had foot surgery Tuesday in Fort Worth - is home now and reported doing fine.

Emma Loe Isabell of Mesquite and Sallie Browning of

De Leon Rest Home visited Nannie Guthery recently.

Others in hospitals now are Clyde Johnson in Fort Worth; and Mike Bailey in Veterans in Dallas.

First Baptist had several visitors for Easter Sunday services.

Floyd and Myrtie Moore have been on sick list past week, but reported doing better.

Rev. Elza Williamson of Waco spent Friday night with his brother Lonnie and Zelma Williamson.

Sharing a Easter picnic and a couple of egg hunts with the Bill Greenhaw's Sunday were: Morris, Doris, Diana and Brandon Greenhaw of Stephenville and Moody and Hazel Koonce.

Visiting with Bill and Helen Collum and boys Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Murph and daughters of Snyder. They all enjoyed fishing and a picnic lunch.

Weekend visitors with Mr.

NEWS

Easter Week visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Baze were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Baze, Milessa, Jarad and Alesia of Grayford.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ragland, Terri and Jerry of Andrews visited Sunday

and Mrs. C.E. Ragland were their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ragland, Terri and Gary of Andrews; Gary Ragland of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean Ragland, Jennifer and Jerry of Eastland; and Miss Terri Beal of Andrews.

night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hudson and Patricia. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern were hosts Sunday noon for a family get together covered dish dinner. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ragland, Terri and Jerry of Andrews; Gary Ragland of Abilene and Miss Terri Beal of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hudson and Patricia of Kokomo; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lasater, Lori and Whitney of Eastland; Wade Craddock of Cheany; Mrs. Amber Craddock of Comanche; Kay Ann Craddock of Richardson and Estelle Craddock of Gorman.

Mrs. Johnny Gray and Jennie of Richardson spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. Ruth Dunn. They attended the Stephenville Country Opry in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holliday of Normange, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Holliday. On Thursday they visited in Woodson with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders of Dallas

School Menu

BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Rice, toast, juice and milk.
TUESDAY - Sweet rolls, juice and milk.
WEDNESDAY - TOAST* JUICE AND MILK.
THURSDAY - Dry Cereal, milk and juice.
FRIDAY - Bacon and eggs, toast, milk and juice.

visited the Holidays on Sunday, also Mrs. Rachel Johnson of Gorman and Sronda Roper of Lake Leon.

Visitors with D.R. Clark Saturday were his children Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clark, Jeffrey and Milessa of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Clark and Robby of Comfort, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Clark, Sharl and Christian David and grand daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jung and Cara La Ra of Comfort, also Kay and Estelle Craddock, Lorena Clark and Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield. The D.L. Clarks and Jungs also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers. And the Tommy Clarks visited with Mrs. Roy Parker.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Meat loaf, blackeyed peas, squash, bread and gingerbread.
TUESDAY - Stew, lettuce and pears, cornbread, cake and milk.
WEDNESDAY - Pimento cheese sandwiches, vegetable soup, Jello and cookies, and milk.
THURSDAY - Roast beef, gravy, rice, English peas, carrots, hot rolls and pudd-

ing.
FRIDAY - Burritos, cheese and chili, salad, french fries, fruit, crackers and milk.

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