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Gorman High Track Teams Place Well In District Meet

The Gorman Track teams did pretty well in the District 10A Track Meet on Thursday in Voss at the Panther Creek Relays, with the Pantherettes placing Fifth and the Panthers coming in at no. 10.

Eden picked up 110 points to outdistance Cross Plains (105 and Baird (94).

Cross Plains and Santa Anna tied for the girls team title with 11 points each.

In the boys events Chris Laminack placed third in the high jump, and the Gorman team won Second in the 400 Meter Relay.

In the girls events Barbie White won first in the high jump with a jump of 5.2'. Barbie also placed Third in the discus with a throw of 81'5". She also won the 100 meter dash with a time of 13.12.

Jana Norris won First in the 400 Meter Run with a time of 1:06.55.

- BOYS**
- 400 relay — 1. Edna, 1:10; 2. Cross Plains, 1:06; 3. Baird, 94; 4. Menard, 69; 5. Santa Anna, 50; 6. May, 42.
- 800 — 1. Raymond Casario, Menard, 10:51.11; 2. Craig McDonald, Rochelle, 11:17.27; 3. Carlyle Albrect, Cross Plains, 11:18.30.
- 1600 relay — 1. Baird, 45.12; 2. Santa Anna, 46.13; 2. Eden, 46.22.
- 3200 — 1. Dale Caffey, Eden, 2:07.24; 2. Rudy Gutierrez, Eden, 2:07.34; 3. Johnny Saucedo, Menard, 2:08.38.
- 110 hurdles — 1. Jody Brown, Cross Plains, 14.52; 2. Phillip Hernandez, Santa Anna, 15.31; 3. Richard Espinoza, Eden, 15.63.
- 100 — 1. Chris Scitern, Gorman, 11.50; 2. Alan Lancaster, May, 11.56; 3. Shannon Hoffman, Eden, 11.58.
- 400 relay — 1. Matthew Meadows, Baird, 52.34; 2. Dale Caffey, Eden, 55.83; 3. Craig Hardy, May, 58.04.
- 800 hurdles — 1. Jody Brown, Cross Plains, 39.37; 2. Phillip Hernandez, Santa Anna, 41.89; 3. Jeff Crumby, Baird, 43.74.
- 3200 — 1. Alan Lancaster, May, 23.25; 2. Shannon Hoffman, Eden, 23.67; 3. Steven Kirkland, Baird, 23.95.

ACTIONS OF THE CITY COMMISSION - MARCH 9

The City Commission of Gorman met in a regular meeting on March 19th with Mayor Jack Simpson and Commissioners Howard Hagood, Johnny Smith, Ann Maxfield and John Rice present. Others present included Chief of Police David Smothers.

Mayor Jack Simpson opened the meeting at 6:07 p. m.

The minutes of the March 5 regular meeting and the March 9 called meeting were read. A motion to approve the minutes of these meetings as read was made by Howard Hagood, seconded by John Rice. Motion carried 4-0.

After a review of the bills by the Commission a motion was made by Ann Maxfield that the bills be approved for payment. Seconded by Johnny Smith, the motion carried 4-0.

Chief Smothers requested the Commission to consider Karen Posey for a reserve officer on the Gorman Police Dept. She will work 16 hours per month to keep her certification valid at no salary cost to the city. A motion was made by Ann Maxfield to use Karen Posey as a reserve officer for the Gorman Police Dept. upon completion of necessary paperwork by Chief Smothers. Seconded by Johnny Smith, the motion carried 4-0.

A discussion was held regarding damage caused to the sewerline at the Church of Christ by the backhoe while being operated by the city crew. Howard Hagood made a motion to pay the plumbing bill for the damage to the sewerline. Seconded by John Rice, the motion carried 4-0.

A motion was made by Howard Hagood that the "Old Fire Hall" be available for use by the Hispanic Mission Group on Wednesday evenings. Seconded by John Rice, the motion carried 4-0.

Ann Maxfield made a motion to pay City of Gorman election workers at a rate of \$5.00 per hour for the City Election to be held Saturday, May 2, 1992. Seconded by Johnny Smith, the motion carried 4-0.

A report on 9-1 listings for the City was discussed. An accurate and complete listing of residents, phone numbers and street addresses will be compiled and completed as soon as possible and submitted to Southwestern Bell in Arlington working in conjunction with Comanche County Telephone Co. Ann Maxfield is working on this project.

A motion was made by Howard Hagood that the meetings of the City Commission be moved in April to the following dates: April 9, 1992 and April 23, 1992. Seconded by Ann Maxfield, the motion carried 4-0.

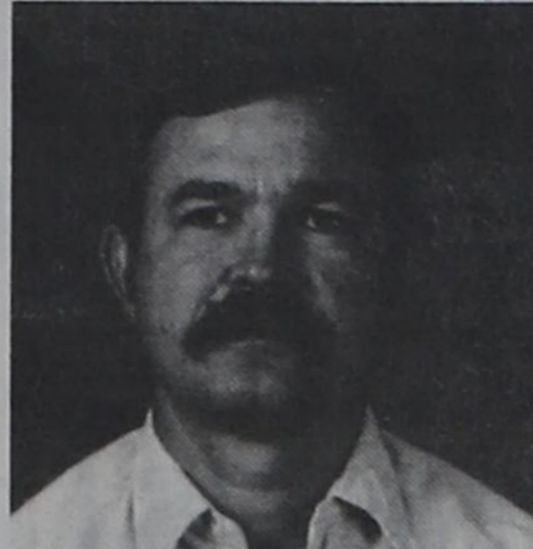
The matter of placing a BFI dumpster at Brandon Place was discussed. The Commission referred this inquiry to Nora Carter, Gorman Housing Authority.

- 1,600 — 1. Rudy Gutierrez, Eden, 4:55.96; 2. Raymond Casario, Menard, 4:56.21; 3. Ethan Rhodes, May, 5:04.85.
- 1,600 relay — 1. Baird, 3:40.31; 2. Cross Plains, 3:41.21; 3. Eden, 3:46.27.
- 500 yard — 1. Curtis Garrett, Panther Creek, 14:0; 2. Todd Harris, Panther Creek, 12:6; 3. Chad Bolton, Panther Creek, 12:0.
- High jump — 1. Michael Cowan, Cross Plains, 6:2; 2. Grady McIver, Santa Anna, 6:0; 3. Chris Laminack, Gorman, 5:10.
- Shot put — 1. Tony Lozano, Eden, 49:2; 2. Colby Walker, Cross Plains, 43:2; 3. Josh Beavers, Baird, 40:9.
- Long jump — 1. Michael Cowan, Cross Plains, 21:1/2; 2. Steve Kirkland, Baird, 21:1; 3. Matthew Meadows, Baird, 20:9/2.
- Discus — 1. Brad Kuykendall, Menard, 144:2/2; 2. Colby Walker, Cross Plains, 135:2/4; 3. Richard Espinoza, Eden, 131:1.
- Triple jump — 1. Clayton Hines, Panther Creek, 40:11; 2. Brandon Smith, Cross Plains, 40:9/2; 3. Alex Escamilla, Menard, 39:9/2.

- GIRLS**
- Team totals — 1. (tie) Cross Plains and Santa Anna, 111; 2. Miles, 85; 4. Eden, 62; 5. Gorman, 58; 6. Baird, 50.
- 3,200 — 1. Connie Steele, Cross Plains, 13:27.52; 2. Kelly Loring, Eden, 14:02.65; 3. Donna Smith, May, 15:16.56.
- 800 relay — 1. Miles, 51.92; 2. Santa Anna, 54.07; 3. Panther Creek, 54.19.
- 100 — 1. Kim Blaylock, Miles, 2:31.86; 2. Marth Saucedo, Menard, 2:39.16; 3. Sandra Bobbe, Santa Anna, 2:52.53.
- 100 hurdles — 1. Christi Beal, Santa Anna, 16:40; 2. Amy Welch, Cross Plains, 16:92; 3. Renee Jagers, Baird, 16:95.
- 100 — 1. Vicki Lee, May, 12:91; 2. Kendra McCowan, Miles, 13:39; 3. Barbie White, Gorman, 13:74.

- 800 relay — 1. Miles, 1:52.48; 2. Santa Anna, 1:52.16; 3. Cross Plains, 2:00.37.
- 400 — 1. Janna Herrera, Gorman, 45.64; 2. Laurie Medders, Eden, 46.40; 3. Tracy Dockery, Eden, 49.62.
- 800 hurdles — 1. Beal, Santa Anna, 48.62; 2. Amy Welch, Cross Plains, 50.84; 3. Leslie Mosler, Miles, 53.82.
- 200 — 1. Lee, May, 27:30; 2. Allison Baze, Eula, 29:52; 3. Sandra Bobbe, Santa Anna, 29:52.
- 1,400 — 1. Connie Steele, Cross Plains, 6:17.36; 2. Kelly Loring, Eden, 6:20.54; 3. Tanya Tischler, May, 7:08.96.
- 400 — 1. Santa Anna, 4:27.57; 2. Eden, 4:31.54; 3. Cross Plains, 4:32.75.
- Shot put — 1. Christi Neinst, Baird, 38:5/2; 2. Amanda Sowell, Cross Plains, 34:9/2; 3. Rhonda Smith, Cross Plains, 32:9/4.
- Discus — 1. Neinst, Baird, 115:3/4; 2. Traci Low, Menard, 103:2; 3. Tiffany Voigt, Baird, 90:7.
- High jump — 1. Barbie White, Gorman, 5:2; 2. Allison Baze, Eula, 5:0; 3. Angel Silvestre, Eden, 5:0.
- Long jump — 1. Tamara Filippen, Cross Plains, 16:7; 2. Kim Blaylock, Miles, 16:2/2; 3. Beal, Santa Anna, 15:5.
- Triple jump — 1. Filippen, Cross Plains, 35:4; 2. Amy Welch, Cross Plains, 34:4; 3. Beal, Santa Anna, 34:0/4.

Gene Smith Issues Statement To Voters



To all patrons of Gorman I.S.D. I am running for a position on the Gorman I.S.D. School Board. I have lived in the Gorman district for the past 10 years. I live with my family in the Kokomo Community. My wife, Cheryl, is a First Grade teacher at Gorman Elementary. My daughter, Marla, is in the 7th grade. I have taught Vocational Agriculture for the past 9 years in the Rising Star I.S.D. I have a B.S. in Agriculture Education and a Masters Degree in Educational Administration. I also have a Texas Certificate in School Administration. I have one reason for running for the School Board; to continue to provide a well rounded, quality education for all children in the Gorman I.S.D. I encourage all parents to take part in their children's education and to support the school.

Gene A. Smith

Gorman Teams Do Well In Junior High District Track Meet

On AApril 10th Gorman hosted the District Junior High Track Meet. The Gorman girls won First place with 222 points and the Gorman boys placed Third with 115 points. Everyone did a great job and was very supportive of each other throughout the season.

- GIRLS RESULTS**
- Long Jump:
1. Mary Campbell, 15'6 1/2"
4. Keri Scitern, 14'4"
6. Lacy Pack, 14'3"
- Triple Jump:
1. Mary Campbell, 29'3 1/2"
6. Keri Scitern, 26' 1/2"
- High Jump:
1. Marlena Guthery, 4'4"
5. Jennifer Scitern, 4'2"
- Shot Put:
4. Alissa Alabi, 23'2"
5. J. J. Clark, 22'6"
6. Sarah Overstreet, 22'1 1/4"
- 2400 Meter Run:
1. Deanna Torres, 10.33.44
3. Jennifer Scitern, 11.19.83
4. Rosa Madera, 12.09.39
- 400 Meter Relay:
1. Gorman, 54.87
- (Team members were Lacy Pack, Keri Scitern, Sabrina Glasson and Mary Campbell)
- 800 Meter Run:
1. Sabrina Glasson, 2.56.89
2. Kristy Holland, 2.58.16
3. April Walton, 3.01.08
- 100 Meter Hurdles:
2. Marla Smith, 18.93

- 100 Meter Dash:
3. Keri Scitern, 13.98
- 800 Meter Relay:
1. Gorman, 2.04.21
- (Team members are Chasta Underwood, Heather Sandlin, Kristy Holland and Keri Scitern).
- 400 Meter Dash:
1. Lacy Pack, 1.04.87
2. Marlena Guthery, 1.10.96
3. Jenny Goode, 1.13.29
- 300 Meter Hurdles:
3. Marla Smith, 54.91
- 200 Meter Dash:
1. Mary Campbell, 29.15
5. Chasta Underwood, 31.03
- 1600 Meter Run:
2. Deanna Torres, 6.53.51
3. April Walton, 7.06.60
4. Jennifer Scitern, 7.19.16
- 1600 Meter Relay:
1. Gorman, 4.35.71
- (Team members are Marla Smith, Mary Campbell, Sabrina Glasson and Lacy Pack).

- BOYS RESULTS**
- Long Jump:
3. Marco Herrera, 16'11"
4. Justin Snider, 15'10 1/4"
- High Jump:
3. Nicholas Guthery, 5'
4. Jason Johnson, 4'10"
- Triple Jump:
2. Nick Guthery, 30'8"
3. Marco Herrera, 30'2"
4. Scott Scitern, 29'11"

- Discus:
2. Justin Snider, 95'7"
6. Jason Rich, 84' 1/2"
- 2400 Meter Run:
1. Justin Snider, 9.16
- 400 Meter Relay:
4. Gorman, 53.67
- (Team members are Jason Johnson, Justin Snider, Nicholas Guthery and Marco Herrera).
- 800 Meter Run:
4. Scott Scitern, 2.34.09
- 100 Meter Dash:
2. Marco Herrera, 12.37
- 400 Meter Dash:
4. Nicholas Guthery, 1.05.08
- 300 Meter Hurdles:
5. Scott Scitern, 56.77
- 200 Meter Dash:
2. Marcus Herrera, 26.09
- 1600 Meter Run:
1. Justin Snider, 5.50.76
6. Anthony Patel, 6.33.34
- 1600 Meter Relay:
4. Gorman, 4.32.19
- (Team members are Jason Johnson, Nicholas Guthery, Jason Posey and Scott Scitern).
- The Gorman Junior High Track Team would like to thank the McCarty's, Coach Pettit, and everyone who supported us throughout the season.
- The Junior High girls would like to give a special thanks to Lupe Torrez for his support and encouragement to them.

SCHOOL MENU

- BREAKFAST**
- Monday - Cereal, toast, fruit and milk.
- Tuesday - Muffins, juice and milk.
- Wednesday - Eggs, bacon, toast, juice and milk.
- Thursday - Doughnuts, juice and milk.
- Friday - Biscuits, sausage, gravy, juice and milk.
- LUNCH**
- Monday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, corn, hot rolls, apple-sauce cake and milk.

- THANKS FROM THE FIREMEN**
- The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department would like to take this means to thank the New Hope Baptist Church and its congregation for their recent donation. It is greatly appreciated and badly needed.
- Gorman Volunteer Fire Dept.
- Tuesday - Chickie nuggets, cream potatoes, green beans, gravy, hot rolls, sugar cookies and milk.
- Wednesday - Ham, baked potatoes, broccoli and cheese, hot rolls, cake and milk.
- Thursday - Pizza, salad, red beans fruit and milk.
- Friday - Hamburgers, cheese, all the trimmings, french fries, ice cream and milk.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

NEEDED — Old Pictures of Desdemona town, school and churches for a Big History Project. Copies will be made of originals and returned soon as possible. All this history will be on display each year at the Annual Desdemona Homecoming and School Reunion which is always the Second Saturday in August. Senc your old photos, old newspaper clippings, etc. to Vonnie Guthery, P. O. Box 187, Desdemona, Tx 76445

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

CUB SCOUT PACK 38 will hold a Bake Sale in front of the Post Office on Saturday, April 25th starting at 8:00 a.m. til ??? Pies, Cakes, and other goodies will be available. The proceeds will be used to buy Badges and other needed items for the pack.

Desdemona Monthly Musical will be Saturday, April 25 at the Community Center. Concession booth will open at 5:30 p.m. with plenty of sandwiches, drinks and home-made pies. Music starts at 6:00 p.m. All area musicians are invited. Bring your friends and neighbors for enjoyable evening.

OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES - PAT CORNWELL, R.N.
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will be held on the Second Wednesday of each month at the Gorman Hotel Apartments and the Third Wednesday of each month at Senior Citizens Center from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

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

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

Gorman PTO is accepting Donations for the Louise Rankin Memorial Library. If you would like to make a Donation in Memory of or In Honor of Someone, Please Call Janda Taylor at 734-2497 or 734-2617

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

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Ann Jay, Worthy Matron - 734-2733 and Howard Hagood, Worthy Patron 734-2977..

NANCY TROUT WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT WILL BE MAY 20TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

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Upper Leon Conservation Awards Presented



CONGRATULATIONS — Leo Williams (left), Director, Upper Leon Soil and Water Conservation District, presents a plaque to Marla Smith of Gorman for winning the Conservation Essay Contest.

Farmers, ranchers and students from Eastland, Comanche and Erath Counties were honored recently for their outstanding conservation work. The awards program was held at Comanche High School. It is sponsored annually by the Upper Leon Soil and Water Conservation District and all the banks within the District. Winners from Eastland County were Wilburn Caudle, E. P. "Skeet" Fambro, Ricky Agnew, Kory Collins and Marla Smith. Marla Smith is a student at Gorman and was the Conservation Essay winner. She is the daughter of Gene and Cheryl Smith.

The Conservation Poster winner was Kory Collins of Rising Star. Her teacher is Shelley Bailey. Kory is the daughter of Herb and Paula Collins.

Child Development Class Invites Kids To Playschool

The Child Development Class at Gorman High School would like to invite all preschool children who will start to Kindergarten next Fall to participate in a Playschool for 2 days from 1:40 to 2:30 during the week of April 27 - May 1.

If you have a child who starts to Kindergarten next fall and would like him/her to attend please contact Ellen Gressett at 734-2946 by April 23. We will then get the necessary information to you.

Ricky Agnew of Cisco High School was recognized for having attended Range Camp at Junction, Texas this past summer. He is the son of Sharon Curtis. The Conservation Farmer winner was Wilburn Caudle of Rising Star. He and his wife, Janell, live just south of Rising Star. Mr. Caudle farms several tracts of peanuts. The Conservation Rancher was E. P. "Skeet" Fambro. Skeet and his wife, Rosemary, live on their ranch which is located on Hwy. 16 in the eastern part of Eastland County. This was the twentieth conservation awards banquet sponsored by the Upper Leon SWCD and the banks in each of the three counties within the conservation district.

CLASSIFIEDS

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SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS BY MOZELLE RHYMES

Visiting Mrs. E. J. Whitlock over the Easter weekend were her children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Don Sherrod of Keller; Curtis and Donna Whitlock, Eric and Brittany of Eastland; Bob and Betty Huff of Big Spring; and Bill and Von Whitlock of Gorman.

Mozelle Rhymes visited Easter Sunday with her daughter, Beth Anderson, Brian, Anthony and Becky Allen in Cransfill Gap.

Frank and M. L. Skiles are special members of our center. They were very active volunteers as long as they were able. M. L. still helps some - and this is why they enjoy the center.

In coming to the Senior Centewr we have the privilege of meeting new friends and some very special people who we would not have met.

We are one big family - and when we lose someone we all lose a part of ourselves. No one is forgotten.

Thank you Lord, for our friends, Frank and M. L. Skiles

CARBON NEWS

There was a large crowd at the Baptist Church Sunday. Bro. Keith Henson brought a very impressive message on the testimony of Simon Peter. He told it as if he was Peter.

There were several visitors: Reba Reeves of Fort Worth; Colleen Lamb of Cisco; Polly Reeves and friend from Austin; the Carruth family from Carbon; the Montie Walker family from Hobbs, N. M.; and Ellen Henson from Breckenridge.

Visiting J. L., Mary and J. C. McDaniel over the weekend were their daughter, Jean and Larry Timaeus; Laura and Fravis of Angleton, their son-in-law, Rodney Timaeus and son, Cris of Tyler.

Peggy, Charlie and Tonya Stephenson of Fort Worth spent Saturday with her parents, Marvin and Gladys Hale.

Crickett Walker enjoyed the weekend visit of her son, Montie and Janice Walker and their daughter, Tammy and Mindy Sue Traver of Hobbs, N. M. Dale and Tena Walker visited with them for Sunday dinner.

Marty and Becky Morgan of Copperas Cove and Marc Morgan and Tonya Broom of Azle spent the weekend with their parents, Charles and Maxine Morgan. Billie Stacy visited them on Sunday.

The Euell Allison's spent part of last week with their son, Alvie and family of Arlington. Ann Lowrie, Nathan and Kimera also visited with her brother and family.

Jennifer Stacy of Eastland visited her parents, Terry and Gayla Stacy, Angela and Bradlee, on Friday. She also visited her grandmother, Billie Stacy.

Visiting Collin and Hazel Campbell over the weekend were their children, Colleen Lamb of Cisco; Reba Reeves and family of Fort Worth; Addie Walker and family of Burkett.

The widow ladies luncheon met with Dorothy Jackson last week, and will meet in the home of R. Lee McDaniel this week.

Mary McDaniel, who lives south of Carbon, has a beautiful yard full of flowers. Her irises of all colors and her poppies are waist high. Her friends, neighbors and grandchildren have selected her for the award of the month for having the most beautiful yard. Mary puts her heart in her yard and garden and it shows.

Mr. Buster Johnson is slowly improving in the Humana Hospital in Abilene. We wish you good luck, Buster.

Hope you had a Blessed Easter.

burglary; three thefts; 4 suspicious vehicles; one child abuse; three prowlers; one inquest; two accidents two lost child reports; and two open door reports.

The dept. answered 41 calls for assistance, including eight public assistance; three emergency messages; five fire calls; one house watch request; one drug investigation; two animal control; five funeral escorts; nine assist other agencies; two medical assist; one welfare concern; two weather watch; and two traffic controls.

On maintenance the beginning mileage was 99448; ending mileage was 102183; total mileage was 2,735; fuel used was 263.2 gals.; Fuel economy was 10.3 mpg. Also two flats were fixed at \$10. and brakes fixed at \$140.32.

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The following report was given by Chief of Police David Smothers, to the City Commission on April 9th:

During the month of March the Gorman Police Dept. issued two citations: 1 for reckless driving and 1 for public intoxication.

1 persons were arrested or detained on one P.I., two thefts, one assault and one burglary.

The dept. investigated 30 reports, including these unsecured property; 4 disturbance calls; two wreckless drivers; two criminal mischief; one

Cliff and Dena Cornelius of Coppell and Jody Cornelius of St. Helen, Mich. visited during the holiday weekend with Mrs. Modell Crawley.

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CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

NANCY HENDRICKS - REPORTING

We are happy to announce the
April birthday party for residents
will be Thursday, April 30th at 2 p.
m.

There will be entertainment and
refreshments. Honorees are Hillery
Seay, Ora Walker, Varona Taylor
and Mary Stanley.

Those visiting Stella Thurman,
Mary Choate and Minnie Brightwell
were Odell and Emma Bethany of De
Leon, Zina Simpson and Odie Bright-
well.

At 2:30 those from the Kokomo
Baptist Church were Jimmy and
Mamie Little, Woodrow and Helen
Browning, Wanda Rainey, Hope
Joiner, Berneice Rodgers and Densel
and Faye Ables.

At 10 a. m. Sunday Rev. Ron
Carroll of First Baptist Church
taught the Sunday school lesson for 6
residents.

Varona Taylor enjoyed an outing
over the weekend at her sisters,
Pauline Allen.

At 4 p. m. those from the Gorman
Church of Christ were Bro. T. A.
Grice, Billy, Janda, Steve and Tracey
Taylor, Bud and Dee Smithy, Odie
Brightwell, Floydene Gilbert, Juan-
ita Files, Zina Simpson and Georgie
and Frankie Stacy.

Nell Scott visited her mother,
Irene Habert on Monday.

On Saturday we had fun flying
kites. Those coming were Faye Huff,
Amanda Perez, Tiffany Perez, Rod-
ney Davis, Jeremy Sanders, Mary
Sanders, Brian Hunt, Shari and
Layne Marlow, Kathy Hunt, Janet
and Derrik Adams, Kathy, Abe and
Chris Tarver, Harold and Channing
Hanzel and Wesley and Chelsea
Herron.

Those visiting Mae Quinn and
Cleo Clement were Bernice Farley of
Rock Bluff, Ima Lee Burleson of
Desdemona, Glen and Shirley Clemen-
t of Lake Leon, Anna Rush, Estelle
Erwin, Lester and Sue Seaton, Mary
White of De Leon and Archie
Skaggs.

On Monday 7 residents boiled and
colored hen eggs for Easter and then
made flower arrangements.

Era Maupin, Frankie Jo Shipman,
Mayvis Lasater visited Ina Mae
Tarrant.

Those visiting Ida Lewis were Joe
O'Neal, Anna Rush, Era Maupin and
Ora Lee Lawrence.

At 2 p. m. on Monday Irene
Hallmark and Nancy Hendricks help-
ed with bingo. Winners were Emma
Shugart, S. D. Gilmore, Cynthia
Earles, Ruby Vandergriff, Veno Hale
Jess Roberts, Jess Hallmark, Iola
Johnson, Henry Rice and Ora Mae
Atchison.

Those visiting Nancy Holloway
were Lonnie Raybourne of Scotland,
Leslie Tonn of Eastland and Anna
Rush.

We sure appreciated the nice
bingo prizes Mrs. Nell Scott gave to
us.

Those visiting Veno and Annie
Hale were Wanda Stacy, Pauline
Allen, Jimmy and Mamie Little and
Anna Rush.

On Tuesday we made Easter
Bunnies for table decorations and
did exercises.

Those visiting Ora Mae Atchison
were Chessley and Barbara Atchison
of Fort Worth, Ima Lee Burleson of
Desdemona, Faye and Densel Ables
and Anna Rush.

Those coming for the Tuesday
afternoon singing were Dixie Pack,
Willo Rice, Ethel Weaver, Ernestine
Campbell, Joe O'Neal, Rev. and
Mrs. L. C. Landers, Melba Frasier,
C. O. Sandlin, Leslie Tonn, Nancy
Hendricks, Annie Faye Foster, Anna
Rush, Archie Skaggs and Joy Camp-
bell.

Annie Faye Foster visited Bud
McClearn, Ida Lewis and Lois
Buchanan.

WINNIE LAVERNE KENNEDY
IS NEW RESIDENT
We are happy to have a new

resident, Mrs. Winnie Laverne Ken-
nedy, a widow from Dublin. She was
self employed and a Baptist. She has
a nephew, Kenneth Sears of Dublin.

Those visiting Hillery Seay were
Clarence Ragland, A. V. Seay and
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Seay and son.

GARLAND PERRY NEW RESIDENT

Garland Perry, who is retired and
has been a Gorman Hotel resident,
has moved to Canterbury Villa. He
has a daughter, Nella Vee Stewart of
Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Campbell,
Ernestine and Lane Campbell and
Ethel Weaver visited Lucille Camp-
bell.

Thank you Mrs. Jimmy Little for
the bingo prizes. We love our bingo
hours.

Those visiting Emma Shugart, S.
D. Gilmore were Idell Warren, Dixie
Pack and Modess Burgess, Anna
Rush.

On Wednesday morning at 10
Willo Rice of Merriman Baptist
Church brought chapel for 7 resi-
dents.

Those visiting Dorothy Beaty were
Joe O'Neal, Garland Perry, Mr. and
Mrs. Benny Cate of Bossier City,
La., Anna Rush, Nettie Denton,
Juanita, Travis and Travis John
Spence of Little Elm.

At 2 p. m. on Wednesday Irene
Hallmark and Nancy Hendricks had
bingo. Winners were Emma Shugart
Ida Lewis, Ora Mae Atchison, Nancy
Holloway, Dorothy Beaty, Garnet
Adams, Ruby Vandergriff, Annie
Hale, Veno Hale, Iola Johnson, Jess
Hallmark, Henry Rice, Cynthia Ear-
les and S. D. Gilmore.

Those visiting Henry Rice were
John and Willo Rice, Billy Joe and
Louise Taylor of Cisco.

We appreciate the magazines
Charlene Richardson gave us for
bingo prizes.

Nancy Hendricks helped with bin-
go on Friday. Winners were Emma
Shugart, S. D. Gilmore, Iola John-
son, Bertie Leeper, Henry Rice,
Cynthia Earles, Ruby Vandergriff,
Ora Mae Atchison, Garnet Adams
and Jess Hallmark.

M. C. and Bo Vandergriff of
Canyon, Mary Ann Barnett of Dick-
inson visited Ruby Vandergriff.

Faye Huff visited Cynthia Earles
on Friday.

Those coming for the Friday
musical were Bernice Farley, Mr.
and Mrs. Bernard Keith, Ray Burns,
Rev. and Mrs. Dewey Bailey, Mr.
and Mrs. Raymond Hart, Alpha Mae
Andry and Joe O'Neal.

Anna Rush visited Judy Phillips,
Era Whitehurst, Cynthia Earles, Ola
Walker, Jess Roberts, Lorene Jay,
Gertie Leeper, Buddy McClearn
and Henry Rice.

On Thursday we had an Easter
egg hunt for residents. Anna Rush
and Velma Bennett helped.

Buddy and Lesa Eaves and Dickey
Eaves and Anna Rush visited Ollie
Eaves.

Dorothy Roberts gave Lorene Jay
a new permanent.

Crime of The Week

Eastland County
Crimestoppers crime of the week
is featuring on the burglary of a
hunting cabin located north of
Cisco. The burglary occurred
sometime between April 5 and
April 10, 1992. Fishing rods, reels,
tackle box, binoculars and a quilt
were stolen. A bobcat skinned
rug, valued at \$350.00 was also
stolen.

If you have information on this
crime or other felony crimes,
please call CRIMESTOPPERS at
620-TIPS where cash rewards up
to \$1,000.00 are paid for informa-
tion leading to the arrest and in-

Porter-Brown Reunion Held April 11th

The Porter-Brown reunion was
held Saturday, April 11 at the Frank
A. Gray Memorial Park at Bass Lake.

J. E. Porter and Euna Porter, with
the help of Loretta Hardin of
Temple, Okla. hosted the reunion of
the descendants of Benjamin Thom-
as Porter and Mattie Porter Brown.

Family members and friends pres-
ent were Sam and Opal Porter,

Americans Invited To National Prayer Day Event At Cisco May 7

Thursday, May 7th marks the 41st
consecutive observance of the Na-
tional Day of Prayer. The National
Day of Prayer Task Force, with
President and Mrs. George Bush as
its honorary chairperson, urges all
Americans to be involved in this
national observance, especially by
setting aside five minutes at noon on
May 7th to pray for our nation.

The First Baptist Church of Cisco
will host the Day of Prayer on May
7th with a coffee from 10:30 to 11 a.
m. followed by a speaker from 11 to
12 noon.

The guest speaker will be Mary
Ann McCloud of Eastland.

You are invited to attend this
National Day of Prayer event.

Jack Clark New Director Of Missions For Cisco Bap. Assn.

Jack Clack is the new director of
Missions for Cisco Baptist Associa-

Lometa; Charlie and Cordelia Hall,
Goldthwaite; Wayne Porter, Hous-
ton; Randy and Doris Baxter, Hous-
ton; Maurice Powell, Mineral Wells;
Albert and Helen Brown, Monroe
and Mary Brown, all of Fort Worth;
Randy and Cathy Call, Lubbock;
Lena Lucille Montgomery, T or C,
N.M.; Richard and Loretta Hardin,
Will and Georgeann, Temple, Okla.;
George and La Nell Epp, Walters,
Okla.; Bob, Wanda, Robb and
Charles Hill, Fort Worth; David and
Gloria Smith, Arlington; J. E., Ima
George, Sandra and Sarah Porter,
Mike and Mary Becerra of Gorman;
Billy and Sherry Thornton, Gorman;
Stanley and Euna Porter, Gorman;
Lovena Kinser, Tim and Kalyn
Porter, all of Gorman; Kenneth and
Jean Underhill, Shaun, Dawn and
Michael McDaniel, Boyd and Linda
Porter, and Winnette Maynard and
Cleo Duncan, all of Eastland; Bob
and Earlene Bloomfield, Farmers
Branch; and Rex Kinser and Anna
Faye Foster, of Gorman.

Ben Porter is the oldest family
member living. Sam Porter is the
oldest member present. Mary Eliza-
beth Becerra was the youngest
present. Lena Lucille Montgomery
travelled the farthest, T or C, N.M.

Everyone enjoyed visiting lost
relatives.

The reunion will be held the
second weekend in April, 1993.

tion. He was elected by the associa-
tion Monday, April 13th at their
mid-year meeting. He began serving
immediately. Jack Redford was the
previous Director of Missions until
his death in August, 1991.

Jack Clack is former pastor of First
Baptist Church, Moran. He and his
wife, Vera, still reside in Moran.
Before moving to Moran in 1985,
they lived in Russelville, Ark. where
he was an industrial chaplain and

one of the vice presidents in the
Human Relations Dept. for Tyson
Foods.

Jack has been in the ministry for
40 years. He has pastored churches
in Gorman, Rising Star, Lometa and
Wilson, Texas and in Lewisville,
Brinkley and Russelville, Ark.

Cisco Baptist Association is com-
posed of 40 Southern Baptist church-
es and missions in Stephens, Shack-
elford and Eastland Counties. The
Cisco Baptist Association office is
located at 109 West 9th, Cisco.

CJC Awards Ceremony Held Monday April 6th

Cisco Junior Collge conducted its annual Awards Ceremony
on Monday, April 6.

Each Spring semester, CJC takes an evening to recognize
and honor those members of the student body who have
proven to be outstanding students and persons.

Students were recognized in several categories which in-
cluded scholastic and extra curricula achievement.

Students received awards from around the area were:

Tonya Caraway - Eastland - Blue Jackets
Who's Who Among Students in American Jr. College
Candace Fischer - Carbon - Co-Recipient Outstanding
Student in English

James Haynes - Gorman - President's List
Lavelle Haynes - Gorman - President's List
Bryan Wood - Gorman - Dean's List
Leslie Wood - Gorman - President's List

Who's Who Among Students in American Jr. College

DESDEMONA NEWS

BY VONNIE GUTHERY

Desdemona First Baptist Church
choir presented a lovely Easter
Cantata entitled "Risen to Save" on
Easter Sunday. The choir was led by
Elwood Ragland with Karen Eaves at
the piano. Bill Sanders was the
narrator. Disciple No. 1 was Scotty
Walton; Disciple No. 2, Tim Fox;
Mary Magdalene, Angela Creed.
Choir members were Lee and Jeanene
Hornback, Ann Keith, Nell Ragland,
Freda Riggs, Dorothy Roberts, Co-
zette Wortham, Helen and Dan
Collum, Tami Sanders, Wayne Eaves
and Joe Wortham.

A soical "Thanks" to Bernard
Keith for taking care of the sound
system and to the First Baptist
Church of Breckenridge for donating
choir robes. There were several
out-of-town visitors for the Easter
morning services.

Easter weekend visitors with Bob
and Merlene Wisdom were her
mother, Eva Williams and aunt, Bill
Holmes of Stephenville; Mildred
Barker of De Leon; Debi Koeller and
family of San Antonio; Ronnie Bark-
er and family of Meridian; Gary and
Linda Barker of Teague; Marsha
Williams, Billy and Chris of An-
drews.

Ulenda, Heath and Ashley Weaver
of Crowley; Emily Horan of Fort
Worth; Shelli Horan of Stephenville;
Jeff Roberts of Dallas; and Debert
and Fay Williams of Stephenville
visited thru the easter weekend with
Dorothy Roberts.

Desdemona Monthly Musical will
be Saturday, April 25th at the
Community Center. The concession
booth will open at 5:30 p. m. with
plenty of sandwiches, drinks and
homemade pies. Music starts at 6 p.
m. All area musicians are invited.
Bring your friends and neighbors for
an enjoyable evening.

Raymond Hart and wife of Ranger
visited Friday evening with Bernard
and Ann Keith.

Gary, Jody, Travis and Grant
Walston, Pug and Vonnice Guthery,
Sonja and Kandice Martin enjoyed
lunch on Easter Sunday with Wayne,
and Karen Eaves, Holly and Angela.
Michelle Wortham of Granbury

dictment of the person or person(s)
responsible.

visited the Easter weekend with her
parents, Joe and Cozette Wortham
and Misty.

Several local ladies and men
worked HARD the past two weeks to
"Remodel" the home ec room at the
old school building. Now the Com-
munity Center. Your help of LABOR
and DONATIONS would be appreci-
ated at any time. Send donations to
this reporter. "Thanks".

NEEDED — Old pictures of
Desdemona - town, school and all
churches for a big history project.
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returned as soos as possible. All of
this history will be on DISPLAY each
year at the Annual Desdemona
Homecoming and School Reunion,
which is always the second Saturday
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KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN -- PHONE 639-2289

I hope Easter Sunday was a very special day for all of you as you worshipped our risen Lord, and then perhaps visited with family and friends.

Sunday was a special day at the Kokomo Baptist Church as it is a time of homecoming for former members. There was a wonderful message from God's word from the pastor, Rev. Clarence Wilson. Three young visitors, Jacob and Kaci Webb and Amanda Porter recited Bible verses, "The Beatitudes" from Mat-

thew Chapter 5. Norma Webb, Wynelle Brown, Leona Wilson, Helen Browning, J. L. Morrow, Jimmy Little, Danny Snider, Oren Webb, Gary Browning and Woodrow Browning, with Wynelle Brown at the piano, rendered the special music.

Visitors were Judy, Scarlett, Amanda and Sarah Porter of Taylor, Jacob and Kaci Webb of Comanche, Freddie and Johnny Shackelford of Liberal, Kans., Gary, Nanetta and Cathy Thompson of Plainview, Scot-

ty, Caye and Zack Mauney of Abilene, Kris, D'Aun, Kristal and Billy Bob Brown and James, Tammy, Wisner Laramie and Shiloh of Nimrod.

Following the Wednesday night service at the Kokomo Baptist there was a birthday party in the fellowship hall honoring the pastor, Bro. Clarence Wilson, who's birthday was on Thursday, April 16, and others who had birthdays in April, Helen Browning, Ava Rodgers and Wynelle Brown. Ice cream, assorted cookies, cold drinks and popcorn were served.

REMEMBER - The annual homecoming and meeting of the Kokomo-Simpson Cemetery Association will be held on Saturday, May 2. The business meeting will begin at 11 a. m. at the tabernacle at the Simpson Cemetery. The time has been changed from 10 to 11 a. m. for the convenience of those who have to come from out of the area. Lunch will be spread at the Community Center at noon.

Paul and Imogene Norris and J. L. and Naoma Morrow visited in Plains last week with Larry, Paula and Lenny Morrow and attended the track meet on Thursday to see Lenny and his teammates run. Plains placed second behind Sudan and will be going to the District meet.

Gary Browning of Texas Tech at Lubbock spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Woodrow and Helen Browning.

Gary and Nanetta Thompson of Plainview and Cathy Thompson of Texas Tech spent the weekend with Mrs. J. C. Clearman.

Joe and Glynda Bond spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Bond of Ballard. Shannon and Brian Bond of Texas A&M met them there for an Easter visit.

Gene and Kay Snider visited with Dale, Kathy and Scott Collum at U. Huckabay on Sunday and attended church services with them at the Huckabay Baptist Church.

Bill and Glenda Priest of Abilene visited with Glenn and Zelda Jordan on Wednesday night.

Christi and Lindsey Eaton of Ovalo and Juanita Fuller enjoyed a weekend trip to Fredericksburg and the Hill Country the weekend of the 11th, touring the Nimitz Museum and the many shops and other points of interest. They also took the bus tour of the LBJ Ranch at Stonewall.

Visitors with Wanda Rainey during the Easter weekend were Don and Sandy Farrow of Brownwood; Lee and Nadine Barnes of Euless; Doug and Carolyn Rainey and Marsha and Kirk of Stephenville; Revis,

Becky, Chris, Mindy and Ashley Laminack, and Renee' Rainey of Gorman and Todd Early of Houston. Inez Goodson of Freer visited last week with her sister, Johnnie B. Griffith.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks visited in Clyde on Sunday afternoon with Sylvia and Kelly Buchanan.

Visitors with Mrs. Hendricks during the past week were Freddie and Johnny Shackelford of Liberal, Kans. Joseph and Linda O'Neal of Austin, Inez Goodson of Freer, Johnnie B. Griffith, Delman and Joyce Eaves. Ruth Bryant and Hope Joiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neal of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Shackelford of Liberal, Kans. visited during the Easter weekend with their dad, Bro. Joe O'Neal. Others visiting in the O'Neal home were Dr. J. O. Jolly and Gel Daeta of Eastland, Fred Smalley and Rev. Vernon of Olden, Bernard and Ann Keith of Desdemona, Rev. and Mrs. Dewey Bailey and Ardith Pittman of Gorman, David Brown, Claude Fuller, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Nancy Hendricks, Anna Laura Clearman and Wanda Rainey.

Those enjoying an Easter get-together and lunch at the Little Cabin at Lake Leon on Sunday were Mrs. Mamie Little, Ima Boles of Clyde, Bart Boles of Austin, Bobby and Mary Jane Little, Earl and Betty Little, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little, James and Jill Little, Charles and Carolyn Little, and Alan and Shellie Little and Justin. Scotty, Caye and Zack Mauney of Abilene visited with Charles and Carolyn Little and other family members on Saturday.

Bob, Kathy, Jason and Corby Rodgers of Brownwood were supper guests of Mrs. Berneice Rodgers on Saturday. Mike Rodgers of Weatherford and John and LaTonne Rodgers of Carbon also visited in the Rodgers home during the past week.

Glenn Jordan visited on Monday with Larry and Betty Strube.

Bro. Clarence Wilson underwent cataract surgery at Stephenville on Monday, and it was reported that everything went fine. We wish him a very speedy recovery.

Claude and Juanita Fuller were in Abilene for Claude's checkup on Monday and while there visited with Vernon and Deon Fields who were at Humana Hospital with her dad, Buster Johnson. Buster is still in ICU, but is reported to be much better. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Glenn and Zelda Jordan visited in Eastland on Sunday afternoon with Dora Garrett, Verna Lasater and Daisy Wood.

Easter visitors with Oren and Norma Webb were David and Judy

911 update: Eastland County addresses are going into computerBy MAYBELLE TROUT
Correspondent

EASTLAND - Post offices in Eastland County are entering new addresses into computers, following the addressing of rural residences for the 911 emergency notification system.

Frank Perez, addressing manager with the Fort Worth Post Office, told county commissioners Monday that most of the information is good, but that there is a problem with some addresses assigned to private roads.

Precinct 1 Commissioner Richard Robinson said mail boxes will remain on county roads.

Private road and building numbers inform 911 dispatchers of the location of people needing assistance, he said, explaining, "This information has nothing to do with mailing addresses."

Commissioners agreed a few corrections must be made before the 911 service begins county-wide May 15.

Eastland Postmaster Venita Roach said some information about the new addresses is confusing, but added that officials "will get the mail delivered."

Perez said each patron on rural routes will receive a letter advising the date that new addresses should be used.

The letter will contain the name and telephone number of someone to contact with questions.

Robinson said he was willing to be the person to call.

In other business, information concerning the county's participation in the National Flood Insurance Program was discussed.

Commissioners seemed concerned about the possibility that the Eastland County Water Supply District may have more authority to enforce ordinances necessary to get flood insurance.

Flood insurance again will be on the agenda for the April 27 meeting.

State Spent \$9,609,245 In 1991 In Eastland Co. On Welfare Programs

The state spent a total of \$9,609,245 last year for major welfare programs in Eastland County, according to Ray L. Dunavant, Regional Administrator for the Texas Department of Human Services.

"Medical assistance had the biggest impact, with \$1,163,535 spent for families and children and \$1,034,448 for the aged and disabled for hospitals, physicians, laboratory, X-ray and other services. Also, \$65,809 was spent for families and children and \$441,348 for the aged and disabled in Eastland County for prescribed medicines. Nursing home costs of approximately \$4,742,432 were paid for aged and disabled residents. Community Care for Aged and Disabled spent \$485,696," Dunavant said.

Food stamps worth \$1,420,544

Porter, Scarlett, Amanda and Sarah of Taylor, Jamie and Teresa Webb, Jeremy, Ciji, and Jantzen of Stephenville and Stacy and Brenda Webb and Jacob and Kaci of Comanche. Judy and the girls remained for a visit until Wednesday of this week.

were issued for the fiscal year which ended August 31, while Aide to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) totaled \$255,393. The food stamps are funded entirely by the federal government, while the department determines eligibility of applicants and issues the food coupons.

The state and federal governments share in the cost of AFDC to families where needy children are deprived of support because of the absence or disability of one or both parents.

In addition to services and assistance to low-income residents of the county, the department extended protective services to 24 abused and neglected children and their parents or caretakers. These services, furnished without regard to family income, were designed to reduce or eliminate danger to children.

There were 61 investigations in adult protective services. These investigations concerned reports of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of elderly or disabled adults.

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- 1991 Chev. Geo Prizm 4-Dr, 11,000 miles
- 1991 Buick Century 4-Dr, fully loaded, 8,700 miles
- 1991 Geo Metro 4-Dr, Automatic, air, 12,000 miles
- 1991 Olds Cutlass Supreme, 2-Dr, fully loaded, 10,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. Lumina 4-Dr, fully loaded, 47,000 miles
- 1992 Olds Delta 88 LS 4-Dr, fully loaded, 8,000 miles
- 1992 Chev. Caprice 4-Dr, Fully loaded, 7,500 miles
- 1990 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, 30,000 miles
- 1991 Olds Calals 2-Dr., fully loaded, 18,000 miles
- 1991 Pontiac Grand AM LE 2-Dr., cruise, tilt, 18,000 miles
- 1989 Olds 98 Regency Brghm 4-Dr, loaded, 46,000 miles
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- 1991 Chev. Cavalier R/S 4-Dr, 11,000 miles
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- 1990 Ford Crown Victoria, fully loaded, 11,000 miles
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- 1989 Chevrolet Corsica, 4-Dr, 30,000 miles
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- 1988 Oldsmobile Ciera, 4-Dr, 62,000 miles
- 1988 Buick Regal, 2-Dr, 37,000 miles
- 1987 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 2-Dr, 52,000 miles
- 1986 Oldsmobile Delta 88, 2-Dr, 42,000 miles
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- 1986 Buick Skylark 2-Dr, very clean, good school car
- 1985 Chev. Camaro Z28, T-Tops, fully loaded, 38,000 miles
- 1985 Oldsmobile Toronado 2-Dr, one owner
- 1984 Cadillac Seville, very clean
- 1984 Oldsmobile Delta 2-Dr, fully loaded
- 1984 Pontiac Bonneville 4-Dr, good economical work car

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- 1990 Chevrolet S10 Blazer, 4x4, 33,000 miles
- 1989 Chev. 1/2 ton Pup 350-V8, cruise, tilt
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- 1989 Mazda SR5 Pup, 32,000 miles
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- 1988 Chev. 1/2 ton Ext. Cab Conversion, 46,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. 3/4 ton, 350-V8, 4 speed, 46,000 miles
- 1989 Chev Astro Van, fully loaded, 42,000 miles
- 1986 Ford 1/2 ton, XLT V8, auto trans., only 67,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. Conversion Suburban, fully loaded, 46,000 miles
- 1989 Ford Aeorstar Extended, fully loaded, 42,000 miles
- 1990 Chev. S10 PUP - V6 Auto., 8,000 miles
- 1989 Chev 1/2 ton Silverado, loaded, 24,000 miles
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- 1986 Ford Ranger, economical work truck
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- 1986 Isuzu Trooper II, diesel, 4x4
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Agriculture Viewpoint

By M. Davy Vestal

PECAN PRODUCTION

Fertility is an important facet in the area of successful pecan production. Essentially two elements need additional application by the producer -- nitrogen and zinc.

Nitrogen applied at the rate of 60 lbs. per acre on native trees and 90 lbs. per acre on improved varieties have proven to be a positive step toward a healthy tree and a quality nut. A split application if 1/2 in early spring and 1/2 after a good crop set has proven to be a very effective approach at proper timing of application.

Pecan trees show zinc deficiency symptoms in every area of Texas. The small leaves and resotted shoot characteristics of zinc deficiency more frequently are found in areas of high soil pH. Adequate zinc will result in production of a large leaf surface.

Foliar treatment is the only effective means of application of zinc in alkaline soils. For optimum tree growth and durability zinc applications should begin in mid-April on young trees and continue every two weeks through mid-August. Older trees should receive at least three applications through the growing season.

With the mild winter and this wet, late winter and spring, pecan growers should be aware of the possibilities of pecan scab fungus problems.

Foliage symptoms include lesions on the lower leaf surface, along the veins or on the leaf peduncle. Leaves are susceptible only during their expansion period.

Unlike leaves, nuts are susceptible from the time they form until a few weeks before harvest. Early infection is visible as small, dark brown to black lesions on the shucks.

Scab can be controlled through an intense fungicide management program.

For more info on Pecan Production contact the Eastland County Extension Service office at 629-1093.

LAWN CARE

Sound research over the past 25 years has helped expose some of the fallacies of lawn care. To help make your lawn care efforts more productive, here are some of the more common fallacies:

FALLACY NO. 1: "Shade is not a problem for a lawn. You can overcome the effects of shade with fertilizer and water." Unfortunately, shade very much is a problem with lawns. Sometimes parts of lawns will be affected for the first time because the tree canopy has become more dense over the years.

The leaf shape and leaf arrangement of grasses are such that they need high light intensities to absorb adequate energy (radiation) to carry on photosynthesis. At low light intensities, even so-called shade-tolerant grasses such as St. Augustine and tall fescue have low levels of photosynthesis activity. As a result, the grasses produce only minimum amounts of the carbohydrates needed for growth. Reserve carbohydrates stored in stem, crowns and rhizomes of grasses are utilized to

produce leaf tissue. In grasses, root growth is secondary to leaf growth and roots suffer when energy (food) reserves are depleted.

Under continuous low light intensities reserve carbohydrates are depleted, roots deteriorate, the leaf blades elongate and enlarge to absorb more light and the growth of the grass (new shoots or runners) slows significantly. Under those conditions any additional stress such as disease, drought or severe cold may kill the grass. As an example, the freeze in December, 1989, killed most of the St. Augustine grass in shaded lawns (unless it was protected from the north wind).

Fertilizer, water or anything else you can put on the lawn will not overcome the effects of shade. Increasing light penetration by thinning trees or removing trees is the only practice that will help the grass.

Grasses differ in their tolerance to shade. Among the warm season grasses, St. Augustine grass is the most shade tolerant. Tall fescue, a cool season turfgrass, will persist under deciduous shade trees where St. Augustine grass dies out. Even though the shade tolerance of the two grasses are similar, tall fescue rejuvenates in late winter and early spring before the tree canopy recovers.

FALLACY NO. 2: "Grass clippings cause thatch." Many people routinely catch and remove grass clippings because they think the clippings are the cause of thatch. Grass clippings produced by mowing consist primarily of leaf blades that readily decompose if left on the lawn. Clippings from lawns that are mowed at least once a week during the growing season contribute very little to thatch. The exception might be on lawns that are excessively fertilized. The abundance of clippings on excessively fertilized lawns can lead to thatch problems.

Thatch consists primarily of plant tissue that is high in lignin (fiber) such as stolons (stems), roots, crowns and leaf sheaths (the lower part of a grass leaf that is not removed by mowing). Those tissues accumulate over time as a function of growth rate. Grasses that produce abundant stolon (or tiller) growth such as the hybrid bermudagrasses, zoysia and bluegrass should be fertilized only moderately to reduce thatch accumulation.

Regular mowing (5 to 6 day intervals) and moderate fertilization reduces potential thatch problems and eliminates the need to remove grass clippings.

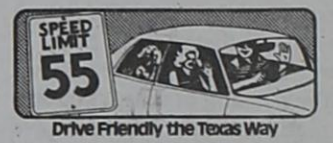
FALLACY NO. 3: "You can mow too often." Some people think that mowing too often wears out the grass. Not true.

The best looking and most functional turfgrass is found on golf greens - sites that are mowed daily. Some, twice daily. The more often grass is mowed at recommended heights, the more dense it becomes, the greater residual leaf area becomes and the less stress the grass suffers. The only things frequent mowing wears out are the people and equipment during the mowing.

Mow your lawn every day and you will have the best-looking lawn in the neighborhood. A more practical schedule, however, would be to mow at 5- to 6-day intervals.

AG FACTS

Texas has the largest number of farms and ranches in the country... 186,000. These operations lead the nation in production of cattle, cotton, sheep and goats, wool and mohair.



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INTS FOR HOMEOWNERS

METAL ROOFING AN ENVIRONMENTALLY SOUND CHOICE

Consumers are bombarded from all directions by companies that claim to have products to help the environment. In the case of metal roofing, however, the facts can speak for themselves. Here are a few:

The dead air space created between the aluminum panels and the roof helps keep attics cool during the summer, and this same insulating space helps keep warm air inside during the winter. That means you save on both your summer and winter energy bills. In addition, aluminum reflects the majority of the sun's rays, so roofing surfaces don't retain as much heat as wood, asphalt shingles, tile or cement. And because an aluminum roof cools more quickly in the evening, your attic also cools, so your air conditioner is not overly burdened by hot air built up in the attic.

Country Cedar Aluminum Shakes and HomeCrest Aluminum Roofing from Alcoa Building Products are two metal roofing products that can make claims that wood, asphalt shingles, tile or cement roofing cannot.

If you've ever had to replace a roof, you know the hassle of tearing off the existing roof--or roofs, in some cases. Not only is it a time-consuming and expensive chore, but think of the landfill space taken up by worthless roofing materials. Because aluminum roofing is lightweight (asphalt composition shingles weigh a minimum of five times as much per square; wood shakes even more), it can be installed directly over the top of many existing roofs. While asphalt is often the roof of choice, experts



Because it is made from a renewable resource, Alcoa aluminum roofing is an ecologically sound investment, and it has a lifetime warranty.

maintain that fiberglass and asphalt shingles thrown into landfills may remain intact for centuries and add to groundwater contamination. Other roofing materials, like cement, occupy even more cubic volume of landfill space.

Aluminum roofing by Alcoa has a lifetime warranty, making it the last roof you'll ever have to install. And it's an ecologically sound investment because it uses a renewable resource. We need to be more conscious of the burdens being placed on the landfills today. This type of roofing addresses that concern.

Not only do homeowners need to be aware of metal roofing's environmental claims, but city planners and

inspectors need to examine the long-term advantages of metal roofing. Many government officials, school corporations and multi-housing planners who are becoming familiar with the properties of standing-seam metal roofing are turning to aluminum shingle roofing for its softer, less institutional look, particularly for schools. In short, it is a permanent, environmentally friendly solution that justifies the economics of the investment. To find out more about the benefits of Alcoa's metal roofing, write to: Alcoa Building Products, Attn: Ed Reed, P.O. Box 716, Sidney, Ohio 45365. Or call 1-800-962-6973 and ask for our new roofing brochures.

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Kokomo EH Club Attends District 8 Meeting

Wynelle Brown, Mary Frances Bishop and Berneice Rodgers attended the District 8 T.E.H.A. club meeting "Explore the Future" on April 6th at the Texas 4-H Center in Brownwood.

At 9:30 a. m. Eastland County Club members registered 161 guests. At 10 a. m. Wynelle Brown gave the credentials report and gave the final credentials report at 2:30 p. m.

Twenty-six club ladies from Eastland County attended and reported a very enjoyable time.

Reporter, Nancy Hendricks
—GP—

Edna Smith Class Goes To K-Bob's

On April 14th the Edna Smith Class went to K-Bob's in Eastland for a fellowship meal and class business meeting. Beth Welch asked the blessing on the meal.

After the meal Louise Brown called the meeting to order. Minutes were read and all officers gave reports. There being no further business, we adjourned with Estelle dismissing in prayer.

Those enjoying the good meal were Beth, Louise, Frankie Jo, Anna, Geraldene, Estelle, Bonnie and Gladys.

—GP—

Children Need Social Security Numbers

Does your child have a Social Security number? If not, you should be aware that Federal law now requires that most children have a Social Security number, according to Glyn Hammons, the Social Security manager in Abilene.

"One of the provisions of the new law," Hammons noted, "is that 1991 tax returns, to be filed by April 15, 1992, show the Social Security number of any child claimed as a dependent who reaches age 1 by the end of this year." Previously, Federal law required a Social Security number for any dependent age 2 or older.

It is easy for a parent to obtain a Social Security number for a child if he or she has not already done so. All the parent has to do is contact the local Social Security office to request a Form SS-5, (Application for a Social Security Card.) It's a simple, one-page form that can be completed in a few minutes.

"A person applying for a number for a child will need to submit evidence of the child's age, identity, and U. S. citizenship or lawful alien status," Hammons stated. "The person also must provide evidence of his or her own identity."

A public birth record may be used as evidence of age and U. S. citizenship for a person born in the United States. Another document to establish identity--such as a medical record or day care record--may be required. If the child was born

Opportunity Knocks Again For Medicare

Anyone who didn't sign up for Part B Medicare medical insurance during the initial enrollment period or anyone who dropped Part B coverage--now has the opportunity to enroll during the annual general enrollment period that runs from January 1 through March 31, according to Glyn Hammons, District Manager in Abilene. Part B medical insurance helps pay for doctor bills, outpatient hospital services, durable medical equipment, and certain other medical items and services not covered by Medicare's Part A hospital insurance.

"Medical insurance protection will begin on July 1 for new enrollees," Hammons said, "regardless of whether they sign up in January, February or March. The basic monthly premium this year is \$31.80. And there is a 10-percent increase in the premium for every year a person could have been enrolled in Part B, but wasn't."

Anyone who waits past March 31 to make a decision will also have to wait until next year to sign up.

If you have questions about the open enrollment period for Part B medical insurance, you can call Social Security's toll-free number 800-888-1770. If you want to sign up for the coverage, contact our Social Security office. The phone number is 698-1360.

It's important to know that there is also a Qualified Medicare Beneficiary program that helps low-income Medicare beneficiaries by paying their Medicare premiums, deductibles and coinsurance. If you think you might be eligible for this program, contact the people at Texas Department of Human Services for more information.

—GP—

Senate Votes To Boost Grants, Loans To Students

Washington — The Senate has approved legislation to expand college grants and loans to middle-income families and at the same time raise new barriers against fraud in the student assistance programs,

outside the U. S., a birth certificate or passport and a U. S. immigration document can be used as evidence of age, identity, and lawful alien status. The application lists examples of documents that can be used.

Once we have examined the documents, we will give them back to the applicant and issue a Social Security card for the child, usually within 2 weeks.

"If you are expecting a baby in the near future, chances are you'll be able to apply for a Social Security card when you're in the hospital," Hammons said.

You can apply for a card for a newborn right in the hospital in Texas.

"We urge all parents to get Social Security numbers for their children before the end of 1991 so that they do not have to worry about this matter when they get ready to file their tax returns in 1992," Hammons said.

Central Texas Opportunities Gets Award

State Representative Bob Turner (D) Voss, has been notified by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs that the award of \$45,488 has been made to Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. for the purpose of weatherizing homes in Brown, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, McCulloch and Runnels Counties. "This grant helps low-income persons reduce their utility bills, conserve energy and enjoy a healthier living environment by having their home weatherized," states Representative Turner. Special priority will be given to assisting those persons who are elderly or handicapped.

This initial grant does not include overcharge funds; however, these funds will be added as soon as they become available. The addition of oil over-charge monies will make it possible to weatherize more dwellings and to fund the Enhanced Weatherization Assistance Program. The Enhanced program was created by the 71st Legislature for the purpose of providing up to \$1,500 per dwelling in additional repair assistance. This program has made possible the weatherization of many units that would not have been economically feasible because of federal limitations on expenditures.

Rep. Turner states further that the weatherization of homes not only benefits residents, but also contributes to the creation of jobs, which is another important consideration in District 65. Please feel free to contact Central Texas Opportunities, P. O. Box 820, Coleman, TX 76834. The phone number is (915) 625-4167. "Also, contact my office in Coleman at (915) 525-3596 and we will help guide you, if you need assistance," concluded Turner.

Gerry Zummer Elected Director

The annual District meeting of District 8 TEHA was held at the 4-H Center in Brownwood on April 6th. District 8 consists of 18 counties in the Central Texas area. Each year three of these counties co-host the event. Co-hosting this year were Eastland, Stephens and Palo Pinto Counties.

The theme for the program was "Exploring The Future of TEHA". Since this is the 500th anniversary of the discovery of America, the hosts used this theme in their decorations for their tables in the dining room as well as the speakers table in the auditorium.

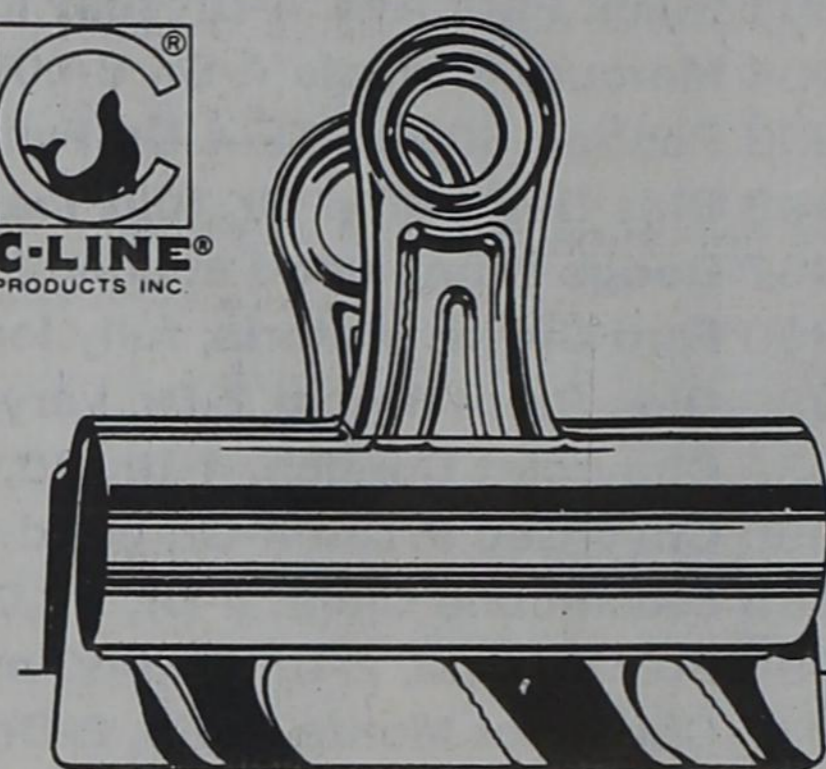
The highlight of the day was the

election of Gerry Zummer as the member of the Eastland County Director of District 8 TEHA. As far as records go, this is a first for a wonderful meeting. Clubs in attendance. All reported a

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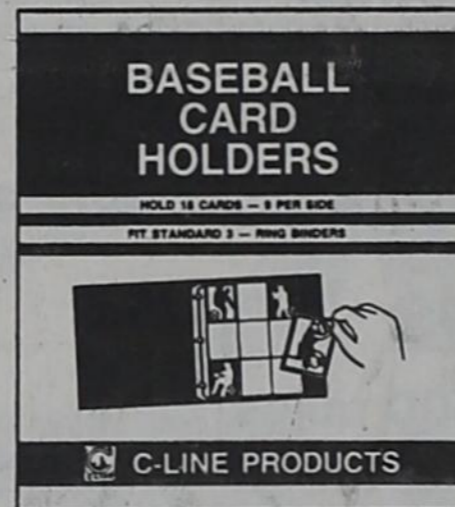
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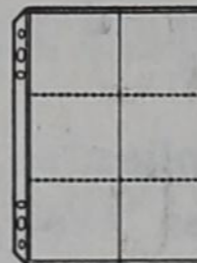
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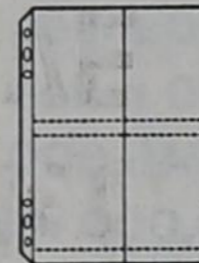
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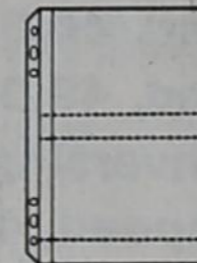
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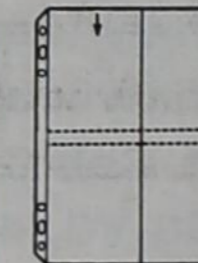
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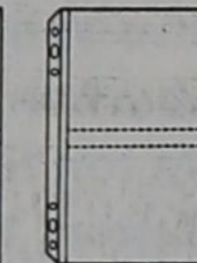
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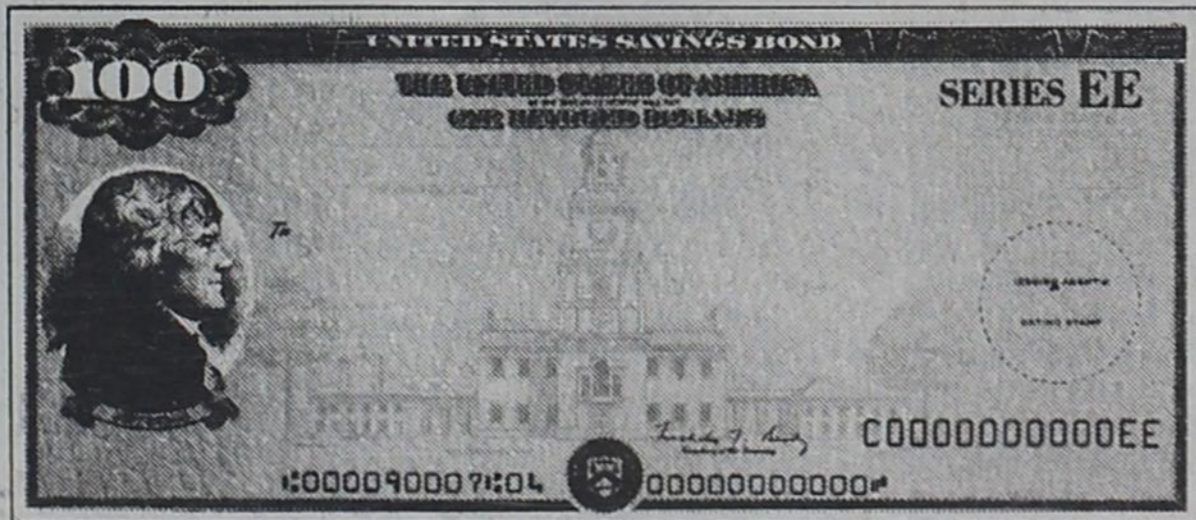
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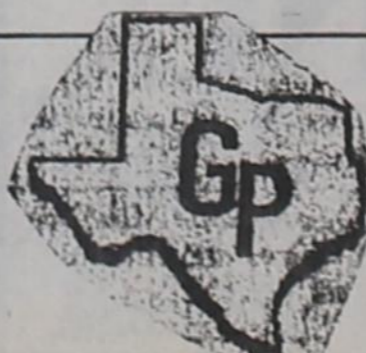
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