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The Gorman Frogress

Gorman, Eastland County, Texas 76454

Wilkins Named Peanut **Festival Queen**

During the contest held Saturday night in the Gorman High School Auditorium Madelyn Wilkins was crowned Miss Peanut Festival Queen. Madelyn was crowned by Miss Tiffany Troutman, the reigning Miss Peanut Festival Queen. She received a \$250 Scholarship and a trophy with rose bouquet. Kristen Gibbs was named First Runner Up. Mandy Warren and Ashley Jenkins received participation awards. Ashley Jenkins received an \$50 Savings Bond for Most Tickets Sold.

Peanut Queen Contestants **Honored With Tea**

Contestants in the Peanut Queen Contest were honored at a Tea at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday in the Gorman Hotel Apartments Living Room.

The girls were interviewed by the Judges for the Pageant Saturday night. Judges were E. H. Henderson of Eastland; Norman Webb of Kokomo and Brent Sutherland of Goldthwaite.

Mothers of the contestants were guests. They were: Kristen Gibbs and her mother, Brenda; Mandy Warren and her mother, Tacy; Madelyn Wilkins and her mother, Shelia and Ashley Jenkins and her mother, Kathy.

Veronica Seaton was Contestant Coordinator.

Veronica Seaton, Caro Boswell, Ellen Gressett, Ann Maxfield, Mary Katherine Dickey, granddaughter of Caro and Juanita Fuller were hostesses for the Tea.



Miss Tiffany Troutman 1997-98 Peanut Queen



Miss Mandy Warren



MISS MADELYN WILKINS - 1998-99 PEANUT QUEEN



TAP DANCE — Marissa Gillen, Kimmy Seaton, Brittany Van Dusen and Shawna Kitchens entertained the crowd as the contestants were preparing for their speech competition. These girls performed "Animal Cracker in my Soup.



First Runner Up Miss Kristen Gibbs



Miss Ashley Jenkins

Thank You

On behalf of the Peanut Festival Committee I would like to thank everyone who pitched in and made this year's festival a success. A big thanks to all pulling together and making the day fun. A special thanks to goes to the following: Emmitt Lasater and TU Electric and Lone Star Gas for donating the Grill. Sid and Pam Waynick and LVI for loaning the cattle panels for the Quilt Show. Denver Rainey for the use of his trailer for our stage. Dublin Dr. Pepper for the use of their Dr. Pepper Wagon and for donating Dr. Pepper and Diet Dr. Pepper. Gorman ISD for the use of the Auditorium for our Peanut Queen Contest. Gorman Hotel Apartments for allowing us to have our Queen's Tea in their facility. Birdsong Peanuts and American State Bank for donating our Drink Cups.

To all who entertained for us in spite of the weather conditions.

Thank you - Deann Powell - President - Peanut Festival Committee

Panthers Edge Hounds 16-14; **Travel To Albany Friday**

GAME AT A GLANCE Throckmorton Gorman 12 First Downs 13 41/169 36/189 Rushes/Yds. Passing Yards 2 of 7 Passes Completed 5 of 14 Interceptions 4/34 4/31 Punts - Avg. 2/1 Fumbles/Lost 4.30 Penalties

The Gorman Panthers hosted the Throckmorton Greyhounds in the home opener on Friday night in a drizzling rain and came out with a 16 to 14 win over the favored Greyhounds. The Panthers got the win despite being on the short end of the total yard statistics 240 to 217.

Gorman scored on their second possession when they took the ball on their own 5 yard line and went the distance in 7 plays with Robert Seaton catching a TD pass from Cody Foster for 16 yards with 5:44 left in the first period. The drive featured long runs of 21 by Margarito Sanchez and 20 by Dathan Wright. Following a 15 yard penalty on the Hounds to the 13, Foster hit Seaton for the score. The point after was good by Richard Svarovsky and the Panthers were up 7-0.

Two possessions later the Hounds evened the score when they got the ball on their own 24 and scored in 13 plays with Justin Ash getting the final 2 yards with 6:41 left in the half. Nick Rankin booted the point after and the score was

Then just before the halftime the Big Red Defense recovered a fumble on the Greyhound 11 and Richard Svarovsky kicked a 20 yard field goal as time ran out in the first half to make the score 10 to 7.

Despite the rain both the Gorman Panther Marching Band and the Greyhound Band turned in fine routines.

After playing on even terms through the third period the Greyhounds took the ball on their own 42 and scored in 9 plays with Josh Dormier getting the final 6 yards with just 2:15 left to play. Rankin kicked the point after and Throckmorton led 14 to 10.

Some thought that this score had gave the win to the Greyhounds but the Fighting Panthers had other ideas as they returned the kickoff to their own 37 and from there they scored in 6 plays with Cody Foster getting the final yard on a quarterback keeper with just 40 seconds left. The drive featured a fantastic 40 yard scamper by Sanchez to set Gorman up at the Greyhound 22. Following runs of 1, 1 and 15 yard run for a first down at the one, Foster hit paydirt. Svarovsky missed the point after and the score was Gorman 16 to 14 with only 40 seconds left. The Hounds get the ball on their own 33 but failed to move the ball before time ran out.

Margarito Sanchez led the Panthers with 141 yards on 17 carries. Blake Guthery had 30 on 12 tries. Dathan Wright got 15 yards on 4 trips. Foster had a minus 7 on 4 tries.

The Big Red Defense was led by Blake Guthery and received Honorable Mention in the Abilene Reporter News on Defense. The entire defense did a great job of stopping the Hounds.

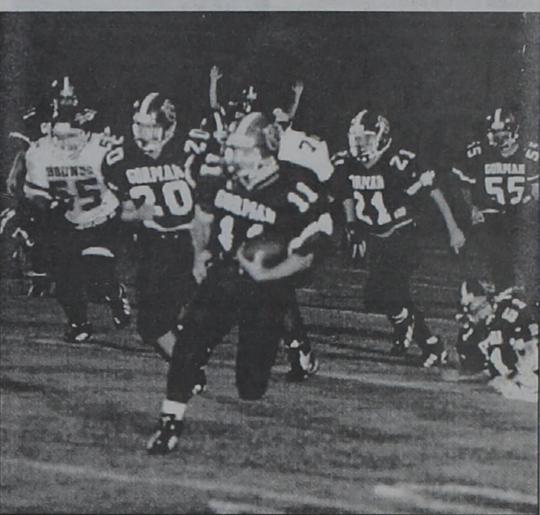
The Panthers will travel to Albany on Friday night for a 8 p.m. game. The Big Red Defense will really have to be up again for this one as the Lions have a fine ball club. But if they continue their outstanding play the Panthers have a good chance to win again.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!!!

Senior Class To Garage Sale Saturday

The Senior Class would like to Thank everyone who bought Fajitas from us at the Peanut Festival. The Seniors would also like to announce that this Thursday at the JV Football Game we will be having a Bake Sale and on Saturday, September 19 we will have a Garage Sale at the Fruit Stand of Hwy. 6 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We hope to see you there! Thank you for all your support.

See All the Parade Pictures - Bake Off Pictures - Quilt Show Pictures & Miscellaneous Pictures Inside.



GOING FOR THE FIRST — Margarito Sanchez is shown gaining yardage for the first down in game action friday night. Shown with Sanchez is Wood, Madera, Cypher and Sheppard.



WRIGHT SCAMPERING — Dathan Wright is shown trying to break free from a Hound tackler during game action Friday. Blocking for Wright is Leslie Wood, Margarito Sanchez and other unidentified Panthers.



PANTHER DEFENSE — Blake Guthery led the Panther Defense in game action Friday. Helping him stop a Hound runner was Mike Torres, John Paul Sheppard and Dathan Wright

Goaches Gorner

This past week turned out to be a good one for all of the Junior High and High School Football Teams. On Thursday night the Junior High, and Junior Varsity teams traveled to Throckmorton to take on their Junior High, and Junior Varsity Teams. The Junior High team came out of their scrimmage tied, and the Junior Varsity won by a score of 19-0. Scoring for the Junior High Boys was Roland Torres, and Sean Rountree. In the Junior Varsity game quarterback Ben Longoria hit three different receivers for touchdowns. Receiving Ben's passes were T. J. Jay, Michael Lynch, and Erick Park. On Friday night the Varsity played a very good Throckmorton, and came out on top 16-14. This game turned out to be a nail bitter for fans as well as the coach.

I can't say enough about the effort our varsity team gave last Friday night. They really have a burning desire to be successful. When you have kids like that the coaching part is easy.

This week will be a real test for our football programs as we prepare for our games with the Teams from Albany. They have a tradition rich program, and we will have to ready to play well. Their varsity team is 2-0 with wins over Dublin and Cisco. They have a very potent passing style of offense that we will have to contain to be successful. I am sure our boys will be ready to give another great effort and hopefully come home with another victory. Game time for the Thursday night games will be 6:00 p.m. for the Junior High, and 7:30 p.m. for the Junior Varsity.

I made a mistake last week in giving the time of our Spirit Club meeting. Our meetings will continue to be held on Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria. Speaking of the Spirit Club, I would like to thank all of those involved in working at the Spirit Club table during last weeks home game. I understand that a lot of t-shirts, and memberships were sold. If you would like to purchase a t-shirt or become a member you can contact Scott Sheppard or any spirit club member. I would like to encourage everyone to be a member of the spirit club. It is an organization that helps all of the athletic programs at Gorman I.S.D.

Our next home volleyball game will be Tuesday, September 22nd when we will host Evant. Game time will be at 5:00 p.m. These girls was really worked hard this year, and are hoping for a spot in the playoffs at the end of the regular season. Come on out to their next home game, and let these girls know that you are behind them 100%

Hope to see you in the stands when we line up to play Evant in volleyball, or tee it up to play Albany in football.

Minutes Of City Council Meeting

MEETING HELD SEPT. 3RD

The City of Gorman met in regular session with the following present: Mayor Jack Simpson, Commissioners: Judy Morris, Robert Ervin, Donnie Rodgers and Kenneth Good. Others present were Gaylord Battenfield, Elania Lingle, Estelle Craddock and Laurie Dodd.

The meeting was called to order at 5:05 p.m.

Judy made a motion to approve the minutes with spelling corrections and to add that no further action was taken after executive session. Kenneth made a second and the motion carried 4-0.

Donnie made a motion to approve the bills for payment with a second from Robert. Motion carried 4-0.

The two clean-up ordinance were put into abeyance.

Tacy read the 1998 tax rate ordi-

nance. This was the first reading. No action was taken on the Thomas

Seay property. The mayor will make another offer of \$1600. Kenneth made a motion to buy the

new water bill software that Bill Miears suggested. Judy made a second. The motion carried 4-0.

No action was taken on the rent house property.

Gaylord was present to give a maintenance report. Judge Cordell and the Chief of Police, Ken Wheeler had their reports placed in the commissioner's folders.

New and old business the commission discussed the franchise tax on Friendship cable. Donnie made the motion to opt not to start collecting the 2% franchise tax until Jan. 1, 1999. Judy made a second and the motion carried 4-0.

Laurie Dodd was present to inquire about the economic development program in Gorman. She told the commission that she had three years experience with the Decatur Main Street Program. She expressed an interest in the civic/economic development in

Kenneth made a motion to go into executive session with a second from Judy. The motion carried 4-0. The time was 5:55 p.m.

from executive session with a second from Judy. Time was 6:30 p.m. Judy made a motion to go back into

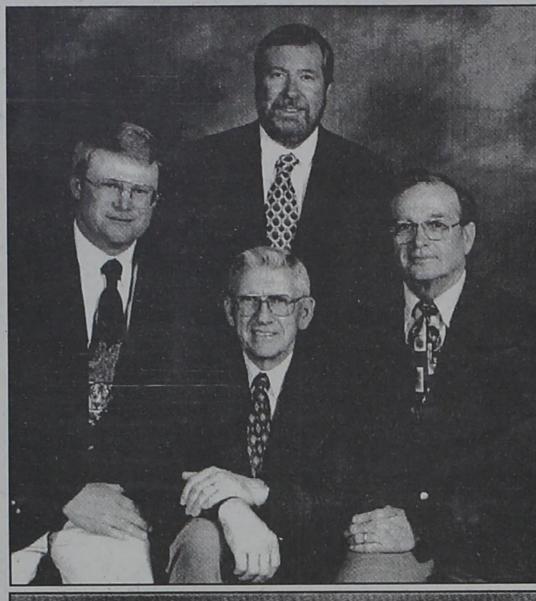
Kenneth made a motion to adjourn

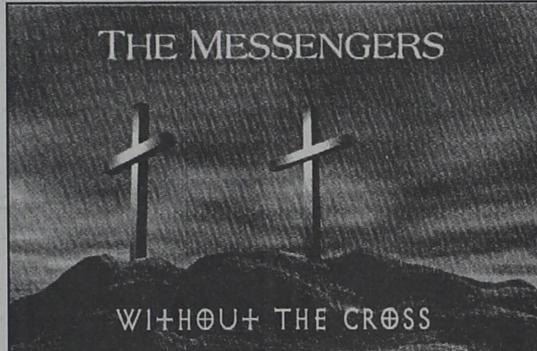
regular session with a second from Robert. Motion carried 4-0.

Kenneth made a motion to pay Abel and Ken overtime for the work that was put in due to covering for chief due to sick leave and annual leave. Donnie made a second and the motion carried 4-0. Further information and regulations on police overtime and sick/annual leave will be reviewed.

put in the needed gasket on the water Gaylord reported that H2S would tower and also paint a section that was

The Messengers New Release Without the Cross





Gorman's local Christian singing sensation, The Messengers, have announced the release of their new cassette and CD called "Without the Cross" which goes on sale September 15th. This new release contains 14 brand new songs written and produced by Tommy Clark. This talented quartet will lift your spirits and leave you searching for the rewind button.

You can pick up your copy at the following locations: American State Bank, City Grocery, Farley & Seaton Farm Supply, Clark Building Supply, Eastco Fuel, First Baptist Church in Gorman, and Cook Insurance Agency in De Leon. The cassettes are \$10 each and CD's are \$14 each. If you would like to order by mail, send your request to: The Messengers P.O. Box 279 Gorman, Tx. 76454. Please enclose \$1 for shipping and handling for each CD or cassette.

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5:55 p.m.

by Sheriff's Dept.

the football game.

Unable to locate anything.

St. Unknown disposition.

8:00 p.m.

2:23 a.m.

9-12-98

9-13-98

Subjects advised.

9-14-98

ricades placed.

Officer Drozeski received a call ref;

MHMR requesting help on Upton St.

sponded. One subject transported by

Sheriff's Dept. One subject transported

Officer Drozeski worked security at

Officer Saldana responded to a call

ref; prowler or animal on CR 321.

12:26 p.m. Officer Drozeski responded

to a call ref; blocked driveway on Coke

1:49 a.m. Officer Saldana responded

to a call ref; subjects in motorized

wheelcharis on Hwy 8. Subjects ad-

2:00 p.m. Officer Drozeski responded

to a call ref; child custody/civil matter.

7:27 p.m. Officer Drozeski responded

10:02 p.m. Officer Drozeski responded

to a call ref; hole in street at Lexington

and Crsent. Workers notificed and bar-

to a call ref; civil matter. Advised.

Judy made a motion to adjourn with a second from Robert. Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER'S REPORT

MONTH OF AUGUST

- 11 calls placed to City Office. 1 call placed to Eastland Dispatch
- 16 dogs running at large
- 16 animals picked up by ACO
- 5 animals claimed by owners
- 8 dogs/cats euthanized by vet
- 4 animal license issued
- \$76 collected for licenses issued.
- \$63 paid to veterinarian for services rendered.

POLICE REPORT

By Chief of Police-Ken Wheeler Weekly report covering calls for the week of Sept. 7th through Sept. 14th, 1998. This is a lsit of calls received through the Eastland County Dispatch and does not include calls received through City Hall or drop-ins.

9-08-98 11:36 p.m. Officer Drozeski received a call in ref: house watch. Will close patrol.

9-09-98

3:54 p.m.

Chief Wheeler responded to a call ref; major accident on the corner of Fisher and Hamilton. First responders were notified and arrived. One subject transported by private vehicle. Report taken.

9-11-98 12:52 p.m.

Chief Wheeler received a call ref; subject needing MHMR. MHMR notified.

POLITICAL **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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Any political advertising reflecting adversely upon the character of a person will be refused.

The Gorman Progress is authorized to make the following political announcement, subject to the action of theGeneral Electionon Nov. 3, 1998.

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Zora McPherson Laid to Rest

Zora Alice McPherson, 85, of Granbury was laid to rest Wednesday, September 16, 1998 in the DeLeon Cemetery. Services were held at 10:00 a.m. at East Ridge Baptist Church in Granbury and a service was held at the Nowlin Funeral Home Chapel at 4:00 p.m. Bob Underwood officiated.

Zora was born July 19, 1913 in Comanche County to John A. and Ethel Rogers Andress. Both parents are deceased. She married Everett L. McPherson in Houston, Texas on December 23, 1961. She was a dressmaker and a member of East Ridge Baptist Church in Granbury. She lived in Granbury since 1986, coming from Arlington. She passed away at her residence in Granbury on Sunday, Sept. 13th.

Survivors include: Husband, Everett McPherson of Granbury: One sone, Marion R. "Bob" Morgan of Burleson; One daughter, Bonita Solomon of Granbury; One brother Weldon Andress of De Leon; One sister, Esta Lee Johnson of De Leon; 10 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one brother, Garland Andress and one sister, Ima Medford.

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Peanut Festival Parade More Pictures of Winning Floats In Next Week's Paper As Space Permits



First Place Civic Floats - Boy Scouts



Second Place Civic Float - Young Bull Riders



Third Place Civic Float - Post Oak Gun Club



First Place - Service Floats - FFA



Second Place - Service Floats - Miss and Little Miss Gorman



Third Place - Service Floats - Peanut Queen

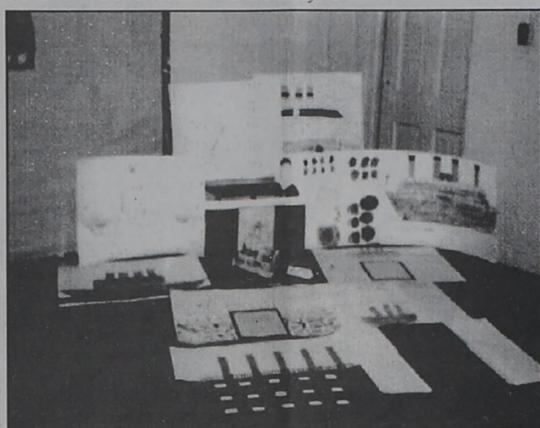


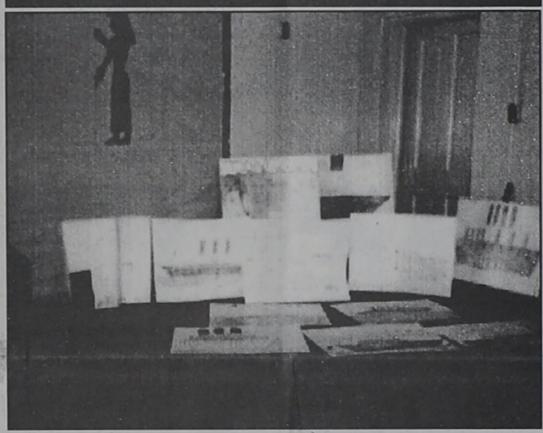
Horse Riders Group First Place - Appache Ranch Second Place - J Bar Ranch Sporting Cowboy - Lloyd Glasson Oldest Rider - Winnie Hines of De Leon - 87 Youngest Rider - Carrie Shipps - 13

School News



Elementary students attended an assembly Tuesday presented by author Joe Lark. They really enjoyed the assembly and were able to participate with Mr. Lark in clapping, snapping and drumming to the music. Shown are Mr. Joe Lark and Shandyman.





The 6th grade class gave a presentation about the titanic during their ocean unit in Ms. Forbus' class. Shown here are their visual aides used High School Golden Exes meet for their annual Reunion at the Carbon Commuin their presentations.

Begining Sept. 22nd, Maxfield Elementary will be hosting a storytime for children not yet in school. Storytimes will be held every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. in the Elementary Library. Please bring your children and enjoy this

The word phrase of the week is "Happiness and Success" which means to feel good about who you are and what you do.

Mrs. Campbell will kick off Positive Action with an assembly, Friday morn-

ing at 9 a.m. in the auditorium. School will dismiss and busses run at 1 p.m. Monday, Sept. 21st.

The JV game will be here Thursday night. Junior High plays at 6:30 and the

JV game starts at 7:30. At all home football games, there will be a designated student area in the bleachers. All students not sitting with parents are to sit in this area. Students

will be directed to stay in the bleachers and not be running around. ICU Being Positive Top Ten--1) We are proud that our children are in Maxfield Elementary. For the dedication, love and patience of the teacehrs. We know that

change is good for a better future. Thank you for all.---Estrada Family

2) Seth let me borrow his pen.--Nikki

3) I saw Cory help pick up Amber's box that spilled.--Zachary

4) Josh Cox picked up some trash on the playground without anyone asking him to do it. That's great, Josh!--Mrs. Good

5) I saw a big brother help a little brother clean up his mess. -- Tim P. 6) The 3A class did a great job of writing sentences in your Wednesday

paragraph on your 3 favorite pets.--Mrs. Caraway

7) I'm glad that teachers make kids feel good about themselves .-- David 8) Scotty Martin helped Randy W. and PeeWee Ryon tie his shoes .-- Mrs.

Every Friday we designate as a characteristic day. Last Friday was "Kind Day", we are dectectives looking for people who are kind to others.--Ms. Taylor

10) ICU Aaron Keith! Being a very sensitive caring individual with a sweet attitude and a genuine concern for others who are down or hurt. I watched you in class one day console a friend who was upset and frustrated, and you told him everything would be OK. You made him feel better, and that made

me feel good. you're quite a young man!--Your teacher, Mrs. Spivey. Quote of the week-- "Investing in education pays handsome dividends for everyone. Our children are an asset, not a liability, to America."--Hugh Price, President, National Urban League.

KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN - PHONE 254-639-2289

Saturday was a cool, cloudy day with a mist of rain most all day. Just enough to keep me, and probably others, from going to the Peanut Festival in Gorman. I hope that they had a good festival for those who braved the messy weather.

The special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning was rendered by the choir: Kay Snider, Leona Wilson, Norma Webb, Helen Browning, Daryl Hirst, Oren Webb, Jimmy Little and Woodrow Browning with Helen at the piano. Visitors for the morning service were Aline Garrett of Gorman, Grant Burgess of Granbury, Glenn and Donna Burgess and Reba of Pleasanton, and Ben Wilcoxen. "Happy Birthday" was sung to Deane McNeill. Norma Webb gave a Mission Emphasis encouraging us to pray and give generously to our State Mission Offering this month.

Remember, the annual church picnic of the Kokomo Baptist Church will be held on Saturday, Sept. 19 at the Kokomo picnic grounds. All members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome. There will be barbecue brisket with all the trimmings. Members are to brings salads, pickles, onions or slaw. There will be games to play and a good time to be had by all as we enjoy the fellowship with one another. We will be looking for you. Activities will begin about 4:00 p.m.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist Church going to Heritage Manor in Gorman on Sunday afternoon for the church service were Bro. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Woodrow and Helen Browning, jimmy Little, Johnnie B. Griffith, Nancy Hendricks, Hope Joiner and Zelda Jordan and a visitor, Ruth Bryant. Leona Wilson, Helen and Woodrow Browning and Jimmy Little

rendered the special music.

Joe and Glynda Bond went to Copperas Cove on Sunday to help their son, Shannon, celebrate his birthday. A belated "Happy Birthday" to Shannon.

Those visiting with Durwood and Aletha Burgess on Sunday were Billy, Sheryl and Grant Burgess of Granbury, Dan, Angela, Chelsea and Haley Buckley of Desdemona, Dan and Charla Burgess, Glenn, Donna Burgess and Reba of Pleasanton, Ben Wilcoxen and Aline Garrett of Gorman.

Durwood and Aletha Burgess visited on Sunday evening with Gary Echols who is a patient in Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene and his wife Lavenia. Also visiting the Echols were Billy Earl and Francis Simpson of Gorman and J.O. and Gaynell Jackson of Hobbs, NM. and Durwood and Aletha enjoyed a visit with them also.

Zelda Jordan enjoyed lunch with a friend, Frankie Eakin in Eastland on Wednesday.

Barbara and Bo Bell of Denver City visited from Thursday night until Saturday with her sister, Zelda Jordan.

Jamie and Ann Clearman of Lawn, Nanetta Thompson of Plainview and Kelvin, Kristi, Kade and Kaylee Whitehurst of Tuscola visited during the weekend with their mother and grandmother, Anna Laura Clearman.

Doris Bradshaw of Gorman, Ruth Bryant and Hope Joiner visited with Nancy Hendricks.

We wish a speedy recovery to Zane Mauney who received facial injuries in a car accident on Friday. Zane is the son of Scotty and Caye Mauney of Santo and the grandson of Charles and Carolyn Little of our community and Donnie and Nelda Mauney of Gorman. Zane was riding with his baby-sitter when the accident happened.

Carbon High School Class of 1945 to Meet October 2nd

The Carbon High School Class of 1945 will meet for an Reunion on Friday evening, October 2, 1998 at 5:30 p.m. at Jordan's Steak House in Eastland. All Classmates are urged to attend and family and friends are welcome. The meal will be Dutch Treat. Come, have a good time with school classmates on Friday night, and then plan to attend the Golden Exes Reunion in Carbon on Saturday, October 3rd.

Carbon High School Golden **Exes To Meet October 3rd**

There will be excitement in the air on Saturday, October 3rd as the Carbon nity Center. Everyone is invited, and the classes from 1948 and earlier are especially urged to attend.

The Class of 1948 will be honored this year. We are expecting a large repre-

sentation of this class. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m., and the business meeting will begin at

11:00 a.m. A catered lunch will be served at noon at a cost of \$7.50 per plate. Please send your money for the meal no later than September 26th to Zelda Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 139, Gorman, Texas 76454. You may pick up your tickets when you register. Please make checks payable to Carbon Golden Exes.

Meet us in Carbon on Saturday, October 3rd, for a wonderful time of visiting with old school friends. We will be looking for you.

Sharing With **Brother Bob**

By Bob Beeman

I love it when people help me look on the bright side. My friends at Heritage Manor pointed out the fact that the mosquitoes are almost nonexistent this summer. This is not where we started our discussion. We started talking about flies. The idea came to me that morning at the Gorman Progress office where Elania was thumb tacking up some fly tape to combat the fly infestation (like in an Old Testament real Moses plague). We, at Heritage Manor, agreed the fly plague was a sign of rain (and it did, right on the Peanut Festival).

We got to sharing ideas and methods on how to get rid of flies. Dorothy Beaty's brother would catch them with his hand. That didn't work real well so her parents would smoke the house with sulfur. A.V. Seay would put up fly strip/tape by the Till next time, Brother Bob door, but you had to be careful or it

would catch you in the face. S.D. Gilmore would lay out sheets of fly paper and supplement that with a homemade swatter. Some sprayed with DDT type chemicals.

Since there are just so many ways to swat flies, we moved to other pests. Blue bugs on chickens was the next worst. Spray, picking off by hand, nothing worked good. Lice were bad but ticks were worse. Jack just pulled them off and scratched the scab 'till it went away. He bragged that if he ever got the seven year itch, he could scratch it out in five years. Others used a hot iron, alcohol, and/or lit eigarettes to convince the tick to let go. Bed bugs came next. They would sneak out of hiding and bite you, then dart back into the mattress and rehide.



First Place Duchess Cars - Eastland Chamber of Commerce



Second Place Duchess Cars - Rising Star Chamber of Commerce

Quilt Show Results

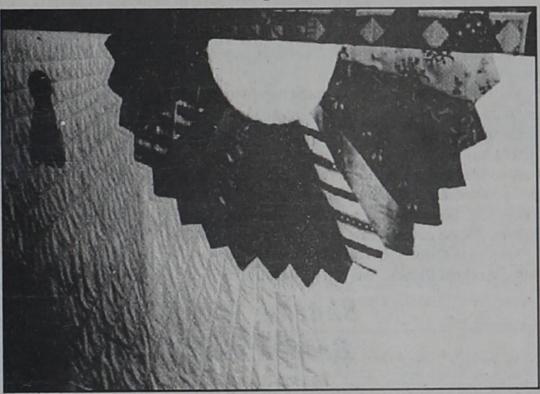
This year's Peanut Festival Quilt Show was a great success. We had 37 entries with quilts coming from Gorman, De Leon, Carbon, Desdemona, and Rising Star. A Special Thanks goes to LVI and Sid and Pam Waynick for the use of the Cattle Panels which always makes great displays. Thanks to all who entered quilts and to all who helped. This years winners are:



Best of Show - Ruby Lee Kinser



Most Outstanding -- Edna Powell



Most Original - Avie Taylor



Most Creative -- Dessie Fronterhouse

First Place Quilt Done - Earlene Burge

Machine Applique'/Stand Quilted - 1st - Laverne Hutton Oldest Quilt - 1st - Laverne Hutton - 1931; 2nd - Lena Fairbee late 1930 early

1940's; and 2nd - Martha Harrington - 1941.

Wall Hangings - 1st - Dessie Fronterhouse, 2nd - Colleen Stockman; 3rd -Laverne Hutton; and 4th - Laverne Hutton.

Baby Quilts - 1st - Ellen Gressett; 2nd - Ellene Gressett; 3rd - Jessie Woolsey

and 4th - Vada Bihn. Miscellaneous - Pillow - 1st - Laverne Hutton; Baby Quilt - 1st - Murial Gomez

Hand Pieced / Hand Quilted - 1st - Jeannie Dorsett; 2nd - Jessie Woolsey; 3rd - Dessie Fronterhouse and 4th - Lavena Sherrod

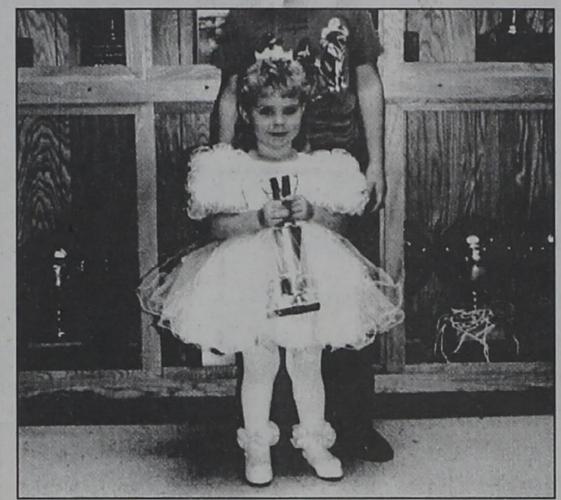
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Beautiful Baby Contest Cook Off Results

The Gorman Livestock Raisers Association would like to thank everyone who participated in any way to make our Beautiful Baby Contest such a success. Thank you babies and parents especially. Julia Espinoza won \$100 in groceries ZJ's Steakhouse for helping make this year such a success. from Bob's Grocery. Jeff Burkhart won the \$100 in groceries from City Grocery. This year's overall winners were Mikayla Krause and Rylan Laminack. bons. Each of these winners received an \$50.00 Savings Bond.



GIRLS NEWBORN TO 1 YEAR - First Place - Mikayla Krause; Second Place - Vanessa Longoria and Third Place - Kourtney Seaton. BOYS NEWBORN TO 1 YEAR - First Place - Rylan Laminack.



TWO YEAR OLD DIVISION - Girls - First Place - Shyann Rainey (Not Pictured) - THREE YEAR OLD DIVISION - Girls - First Place - Viridiana Maldonado.



TWO YEAR OLD DIVISION - Boys First Place - Sheldon Fenley FOUR YEAR OLD DIVISION - Boys First Place - Jonathan Fenley

SEPTEMBER 25TH — On September 25th - Red and Blue Day will be held to show your spirit for the Panthers. Wear Red and Blue on Friday, September 25th, Everyone is encouraged to participate in this endeavor.

MASTER'S DEGREE - On Saturday, September 26th the Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 will hold a Masters Degree. The Meal will begin at 6:30 p.m. with the Degree beginning at 7:30 p.m. All Master Masons are urged to attend.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC -- Every 3rd Wednesday at Gorman Community Center from 10:30 to 11:30. Sponsored by CMS Health Care.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Oleta Moseley, Worthy Matron and Pat Moseley, Worthy Patron.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. If you would like to make a donation in memory of or In Honor of someone, please send to Rt. 3 Box 121A, or Security State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. C. Pat Moseley, Worshipful Master — Roscoe Reeves, Secretary.

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services Every Sundays. Services begin at 10:30 a.m. Barry Brown, Pastor - 1st and 3rd Sundays; Elder Dale Majors - 2nd Sunday - Everyone Welcome To Attend.

SANDRA CAGLE WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT WILL BE SEPTEMBER 16TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

Carbon Classes of 1942 and 1943 - Class Reunions

The Carbon High School Class of 1942 and 43 will meet for their Fifty-sixth and Fifty-fifth years, respectively. The Reunion will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, October 2 at Jordan's Steakouse in Eastland. If you were ever in these classes, you are invited and urged to attend. We're looking forward to seeing

Goober Gourmet

The Goober Gourmet Cook Off had thirty-three entries, covering most of the categories, but not age divisions. The Cook Off committee wants to again thank

We had 14 first place ribbons, 7 second place ribbons, and 5 third place rib-

We want to give a Special Thanks to Ellen Gressett and Lila Pearl Mehaffey for judging the event and also to all who entered their favorite recipes.

Nell Alldredge of Eastland was the winner of the \$50 cash prize given by ZJ's Steakhouse for the Best of Show entry.

We plan on publishing all first place winning entries in next week's Gorman Progress. All entries will be included in the Peanut Festival Cookbook that will



Nell Alldredge -- Best of Show Winner

CHOCOLATE ANGEL FOOD CAKE

Sift together 3 times:

be published in the near future.

3/4 cup cake flour

1/4 cup cocoa 3/4 cup sugar

Set aside.

Beat on high speed until foamy:

1 1/2 cups egg whites (room temperature)

1 1/2 teaspoons cream of tartar

1/4 teaspoon salt Gradually add:

Fold in:

3/4 cup sugar. Beat until holds stiff peaks. DO NOT under beat

1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla

1/2 teaspoon coconut flavoring Fold in flour mixture, a little at a time, until it dissappears.

Push Batter into ungreased tube pan and gently cut through batter for air bubbles.

Bake 30 to 35 minutes at 375 degrees. Invert pan until cake is cold. Remove from pan.

Icing

Melt over hot water:

3 oz. Chocolate chips

1/3 cup powdered sugar

1 teaspoon vanilla

Add:

2 tablespoons margarine 2/3 cup peanut butter

Beat until smooth. Drizzle over cake and sprinkle with chopped roasted peanuts.





Some of the entries at the Goober Gourmet Cook Off

Gene Snider Wins Polaris ATV At Peanut Festival

Gene Snider won the Polaris Explorer 300 4X4 given away by the Gorman Chamber of Commerce during the Gorman Peanut Festival. The drawing for the polaris was held in cooperation with Ken's Cycle of Eastland.

Mabel Perez Wins TV At Peanut Festival

Mabel Perez won the Color TV given away at the Peanut Festival by the Lions Club. The TV was donated by Gary Shirley of Shirley Air Conditioning.



FOOTBALL

GORMAN PANTHERS

ALBANY LIONS

Friday, Sept. 18 - 8:00 p.m. - Lion Stadium

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Gene Shackelford	33	ROBERT SEATON	140	SE-DB	SR.
	34	BLAKE GUTHERY	170	FB-LB	SR.
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Doug Bowden	50	JOSH JOHNSON	190	OT-DT	SOPH
Joug Downell	51	MIKE TORRES	170	OG-LB	SOPH
ND DIRECTOR:	52	ALLEN BRADSHAW	265	OT-DT	SR.
	55	JOHN PAUL SHEPPARD	190	OC-DE	JR.
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24	KEITH TREADWAY	130	WB-LB	FR.
26	ERICK PARK	160	FB-LB	SOPH.
30	JOSH LONGORIA	140	RB-DB	SOPH.
31	ROBERT GRANADO	165	FB-LB	FR.
32	MICHAEL LYNCH	145	SE-DB	FR.
34	ZACH SANDERS	140	TE-LB	FR.
36	CHRIS COX	120	WB-DB	FR.
41	RANCE PORTER	125	SE-LB	FR.
42	WES WILKINS	125	WB-DB	FR.
55	BILLY GRISSOM	150	OC-LB	FR.
60	BOBBY COX	150	OG-DE	SOPH.
62	RANDALL DELATORRE	220	OT-DT	FR.
64	ROBERT ABBOTT	160	OT-DT	FR.
65	CHRIS DODD	180	OT-DE	FR.
66	JACKSON COOPER	200	OT-DT	SOPH.
71	JOSEPH DUVALL	155	OG-DE	SOPH.
74	CORY STREIFF	135	OC-LB	FR.
76	ENRIQUE MADERA	150	OG-DT	FR.
77	BRUCE SHEPPARD	220	OT-DT	FR.
80	TJJAY	125	TE-DB	SOPH.
82	TERRY PEREZ	115	WB-DB	SOPH.

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Atchison were Buddy Rogers, Fred

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Rainey Reunion at Desdemona Com-

munity Center on Saturday and Sun-

day. She saw her children, grandchil-

dren and great-grandchildren and many

Alpha Mae Andry and Eunice Love.

demona came and read from the book

"Texas Tears and Texas Sunshine", the

life of Fannie Davis Veale who lived

in Palo Pinto in the early days. She

served chocolate cake and chocolate

chip ice cream to S.D. Gilmore, Ollie

Halcomb, Ava Rodgers, Patty

Whitehorn, Jack Bellows, A. V Seay,

Inez Rogers and guest Nancy

Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

Visiting Veno and Annie Hale were

On Thursday Mary Ficklen of Des-

Sarah Ann Mize attended the

Stephenville and Eunice Love.

friends.

By Nancy Hendricks

A Note From The Administrator

Sitting on the patio of my sister, Connie Hammitt's in Cimaron, NM at 65 degrees at 8:00 p.m. I thought of everyone in Gorman, Texas. The reason being my sister was complaining about it being so warm on this Sunday evening. Continue to pray for rain. Remember that Labor Day was established because of the hard work done by those the age of the residents in the nursing home. We need to continually honor this age of individuals. They need and deserve this respect. Come and visit us at the nursing home.

Sorry to report Cynthia Earles is in the DeLeon Hospital. Mildred Bellows is in the Eastland Hospital. Get well wishes to these fine ladies!

The next birthday party will be Thursday, Sept. 24th at 1:30 p.m. Stella Files will be honored. There will be refreshments and entertainment. Guests are welcome.

Some of Dorothy Beaty and Ollie Halcomb's guests were Richard and Denna Halcomb, Jonell Torres and Nettie Denton.

We are happy to report Modess Burgess is home from the De Leon Hospital.

On Sunday morning Harold and Beth Welch came and taught the Sunday School lesson for Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Jack Bellows, Inez Rogers, A.V. Seay, Patty Whitehorn and Frankie Jarrett.

Some of Ava Rodgers guests were Joyce Gilbert, Benny and Dianna Shupp of Houston, John and LaTonne Rodgers of Carbon, Jim and Wilda Rodgers, Linda and Terry Weaver of Midlothian, Rodney and Ruth Spencer of San Antonio, Ima Brown, Fay Tucker, Eunice Love, Jana Grice, Mayvis Lasater, Ruth Bryant and Nancy Hendricks.

Those coming for the church services on Sunday from First Baptist Church were Bro. Craig and Linda Rhoton, Jeff Seaton, Anna Rush, Nina Joiner, Juanita Fuller and Loiuise Hall. Guests were Pat Graham, Gena Euley, Chad Euley, Jake Euley, Jamison Armstrong and Della Galloway. Residents were Mildred Bellows, Iola Johnson, Myrtle Hale, Patty Whitehorn, Ora Mae Atchison, Ollie Halcomb, Cynthia Earles, A.V. Seay, Veno Hale and Inez Rogers.

Visiting Rubye Jones were Jerry Brown, Vicki Johnson, James and Martha Sue Wiseman of Graham, Carolyn Ramsey of Ft. Worth and Eunice Love.

On Monday those coming for the sing-a-long were Ruby Lee Kinser, Ernestine Campbell, Kiri Campbell, Alpha Mae Andrey, Marjorie Treadway, Donnie Ruth Mathison, Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, and Clifton Jarrett. Residents were Iola Johnson, Frankie Jarrett, Patty Whitehorn, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers, Jack Bellows and Ora Mae Atchison.

Some of Modess Burgess and S.D. Gilmore's guests were Joyce Pence, Sam Pence of Granbury, Don Johnson of Weatherford, Grant Burgess, Gary and Ann Burgess, Daisy Slaton, Eunice Love, Durwood and Aletha Burgess.

Visiting A.V. Seay and Myrtle Hale were Jonell Torres, Nettie Denton, Debra Caraway, Vickie Seay, Thurman and Sallie Hale, Argie and Margie Hale of De Leon, Gerald and Betty Ann Hale of Brownwood, Eunice Love, Linda Glover, Joyce Gilbert of Houston and Ima Brown.

On Tuesday morning Betty Duke of Desdemona came and played the electric keyboard and led singing for Ora Mae Atchison, A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers, Myrtle Hale, Dorothy Beaty, Ollie Halcomb, Frankie Jarrett and Jack Bellows. Guests were Clifton Jarrett, Jonell Torres, Nettie Denton and Debra Caraway.

Some of Hazel Wisdom and Stella Files' guests were Cole Still and Lisa Still of Azle, Bob and Merlene Wisdom, Leo and Eloise Williams, Linda Barker, Ken and Pat Kincannon and Eunice Love.

It was finger picking good time

Tuesday when residents got to shell peas for Wednesday's lunch. Residents were S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers and Dorothy

Visiting Bea O'Neal were Michelle Miller, Gena Rone, Eunice Love, Nancy Hendricks and Lavoyce Hirst.

Gorman sixth grade students came on Tuesday and visited everyone and gave residents handmade cards, "A Little Ray of Sunshine" and brightened up their day. Mrs. Nikki Forbus, class 6B, presented her students who were: D.J. Brown, Martha Cruz, Amanda Davis, Ariana Giles, Michael Grissom, Carlos Herrera, Elizabeth Hipolito, Ashlee Hornback, Scott Lewis, Jonathan O'Connor, hank Rainey, Luis Ramirez, and Adriana Ramirez. Mrs. Latricia Hampton, class 6A students were: Jennifer Blaylock, Kyle Broom, Gil Cochrane, Heather DeLaTorre, Rachel Granada, Casandra Grumbles, Kimberly Iborra, Clint Jones, Ivan Madera, April Perez, Cecilia Raygaza, Diviity Sanders, Adam Spivey, Blake Turner, Juan Martinez, Ryan Wright, Amanda Hair and Frances Lewis.

Some of Rubye Jones and Vadis Phelps' guests were Vicki Johnson, Jerry Brown, James and Martha Sue Wiseman of Graham, Carolyn Ramsey of Ft. Worth, Fay Tucker, Mitzi McGaha, Kelly Carruth, Birdie Hogan, Elnora Lindley and Eunice Love.

Visiting Frankie Jarrett and Patty Whitehorn were Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, Marie Cook, Ina Reynolds of Carbon, Clifton Jarrett, Kay Watson, Mark Watson, Donnie Mathison, Eunice Love, Trevor Robertson of Kerrville, Joyce Rodgers of Houston and Ima

Karen Guthery gave Ava Rodgers a .

Visiting Jack and Mildred Bellows were Danny and Sally Bellows of Dallas, Lucille Manor of Dennison, Marilyn Dusek of Ark., Juanita Hardin of Quitman, Gena Earley, Chad Earley, Jake Earley, Jamison Armstrong and Darrell and Pat Graham.

Residents enjoyed the black-eyed peas given by Mr. and Mrs. Troyat

Visiting Bill Hannah were Jonathan and LuAnne Van Dusen, Tiffany, Colton, Blake and Brittany.

On Wednesday morning Bro. Scott Sheppherd of Church of Christ brought the devotional for Iola Johnson, Ora Mae Atchison, Stella Files, Veno Hale, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers, Jack Bellows, Ollie Halcomb, Patty Whitehorn, S.D. Gilmore, Frankie Jarrett and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Voleta Richardson and Ina Mae ATarrance were Jo Etheredge, Audrey Pond, Eunice Love, Nancy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

The canteloupes and watermelons were delicious that Mr. and Mrs. Gary Burgess donated.

Visiting Velma Bennett and Sara Ann Mize were Ruth Coutorie, Debra Caraway, Roxanna Scitern, Nelda Keith, Eunice Love, Icy Munn, Lisa Janeck, Nancy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

On Wednesday afternoon Bro. Bob Beeman came for a free-for-al discussion about days gone by. Present were Dorothy Beaty, Ollie Halcomb, A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers, Jack Bellows, Veno Hale, Frankie Jarrett and Patty Whitehorn.

Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Fair fo Stephenville, Eunice Love and Mayvis Lasater visited Ruby Vandergriff and Ola Walker.

Those enjoying watermelon slicing on Wednesday were A.V. Seay, Dorothy Beaty, Ollie Halcomb, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers, Jack Bellows, Veno Hale, Patty Whitehorn, Frankie Jarrett, Stella Files, Iola Johnson, and Ora Mae Atchison.

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Some of Mary Williams' guests were Lovoyce Hirst, Maxine Frasier, Anna Rush, Vickie Sanders, Alene Garrett, Ina Reynolds.

On Thursday Ina Smith had bingo for Ora Mae Atchison, Veno Hale, Sarah Ann Mize, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, Patty Whitehorn, S.D. Gilmore, Jack and Mildred Bellows, A.V. Seay, Iola Johnson, Ruby Vandergriff.

Eunice Love and Mayvis Lasater visited Irene Heathington.

Some of Ed Johnson and Frank Skiles' guest were Gaylord Battenfield, Gerald McClearen, Eddie Murphy, Clifton Jarrett, Hank Rainey, Dale Johnson, Mayvis Lasater, Fay Johnson, M.L. Skiles, Ron and Nina Skiles, Opal Roberts of Proctor, Peggy Spruill and granddaughter.

Visting Iola Johnson and Varona Taylor were Ina Reynolds, Della Galloway, Billy and Janda Taylor and Bonnie Cox.

Karen Guthery gave A.V. Seay a new permanent.

On Friday afternoon Ina Smith had indoor basebal games for Jack and Mildred Bellows, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, A.V. Seav, Ruby Vandergriff and S.D. Gilmore.

Visiting Cynthia Earles, and Sibyl Urban were V.O. Huff, Mayvis Lasater. Eunice Love, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth

Bryant, Don and Nell Sherman of Eastland, Fay, Brenda Kay, David Lynn and Jerry Don Earles.



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