

CITIZEN OF THE WEEK AT LAWNDALE

Our Citizen for the week at Lawndale is Daniel Boatwright.

He was born to Dick and Maggie Boatwright, June 21, 1890 in Texas. He had one brother John Boatwright and one sister, Leoman Boat Pittman, both deceased.

Mr. Boatwright was on the police force in Arizona for several years. He married Pearl Reed March 14, 1909 in Eastland County. His wife died in 1949. He has one son, Daniel (deceased). Two daughters, Violet Illey of Carbon and Pearl Tipton of Tyler. He has nine grandchildren. He is

LAST RITES FOR HALLIE CLARK ON FRIDAY

Hallie Pool Cook, 69, of Desdemona, was dead on arrival at De Leon Hospital at 12:45 p. m. Wednesday, June 2, 1976 after suffering an apparent heart attack at home.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Friday in Desdemona Baptist Church with the Rev. L. C. Landers, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Comanche Cemetery, under direction of Nowlin Funeral Home of De Leon.

Born May 24, 1907, in Lafayette County, Miss., she had lived in the Desdemona area several years. She was a retired Fort Worth police matron and a Baptist.

She married Charlie Thomas Cook March 12, 1927, in Desdemona. He died Sept. 11, 1969.

Survivors include three brothers, Weaver Pool of Bossier City, La., Grover of Okla. City and E. J. of Perryton; a sister, Dora Parant of Rising Star, and several nieces and nephews.

a Methodist. He came to Lawndale from Carbon February 2, 1976.

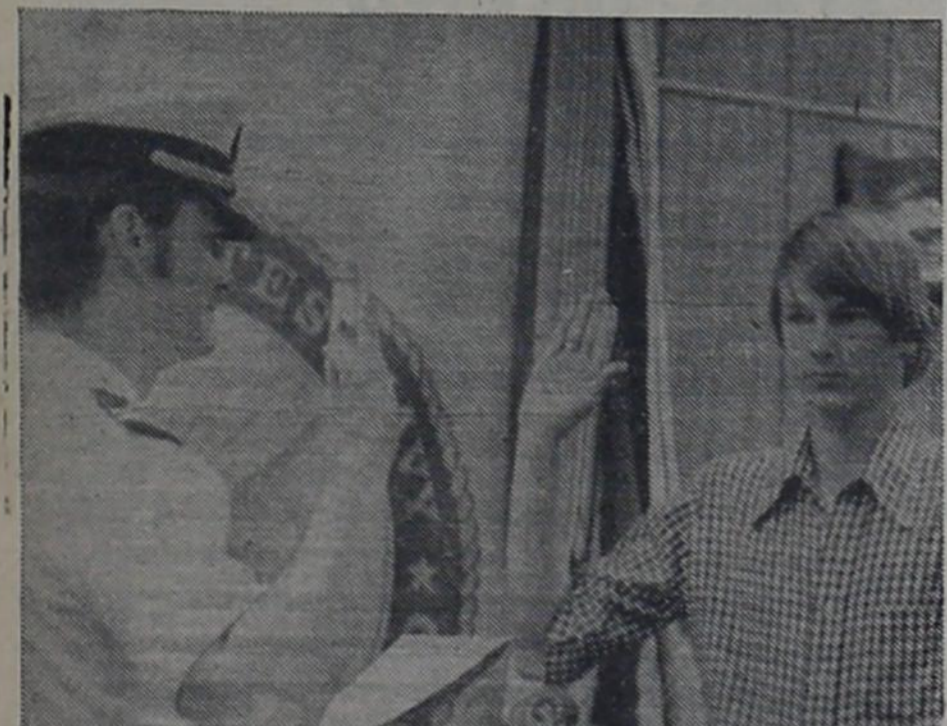
Gorman Men Join Navy

Three members of the 1976 Graduating Class of GHS have enlisted in the delay entry program for the U. S. Navy. This program enables a man to enlist and have his active duty date delayed for up to nine months.

These men are:



RICHARD KLAPPENBACH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Klappenbach of Houston and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Haile of Gorman;



MICHAEL KEITH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Keith of Gorman.



GERALD TROUTMAN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Troutman of Gorman, will attend basic training at San Diego under the buddy program. After graduation and a two week leave to visit friends they will attend technical school.

Klappenbach will report to Great Lakes, Illinois to train as an operation specialist. He will learn to use radar systems to track and plot ships, aircraft and missiles.

Keith and Troutman will report to Memphis to study overhaul and maintenance of aircraft engines. These men will report to San Diego for training on the 6th of July.



SERVICES FOR ELMER J. STACY ON SUNDAY

Elmer J. Stacy, 54, of Fort Worth, died Friday, June 4, 1976 in Fort Worth.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with the Bill Wilson, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in the Oakland Cemetery.

Born July 29, 1921, in Eastland County, he retired from the Air Force after World War II. He married Minnie Lee Ormsby July 4, 1942, in Cisco.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Mike of Lewisville and Dennis of San Antonio; his mother, Maude Stacy of Gorman; three brothers, Buddy of Desdemona, Edward of Carbon and Carl of Gorman; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Leonard Williams, Charles Morgan, Tim Stacy, Scott Stacy, Terry Stacy and Charlton Stacy. Floyd Joiner was an honorary pallbearer.

'76 Senior Class Donates \$100 To Tennis Court Fund

The Gorman Senior Class of 1976 has donated \$100.00 to the school. This money will be used to start a fund to build a tennis court for the school and community.

The seniors decided to make this gift after returning from their trip to Houston.

While in Houston they visited the Johnson Space Center, Astro World, the Battleship Texas, and the San Jacinto Monument.

Sponsors for the trip were Mrs. Iris Smith, Jack Harrison and Milton Jensen.

LAST RITES FOR FORREST TAYLOR FRIDAY

Forrest Taylor, 84, died at 1:25 a. m., June 3, 1976 in Blackwell Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with Rev. Leo Brooks, pastor of New Hope Baptist No. 3 Church officiating. Burial was in Gorman Cemetery.

Born October 19, 1901 in Clarksville, Texas. He married Vera Maupin November 9, 1925 in Gorman. He was a retired oil field pumper and had lived at Lawndale Home for the past two years.

Survivors are his wife, 2 sons, Charles and James of Caddo; one daughter, Mrs. Les Georgia Strawn of Comanche, Texas; 2 brothers, Albert of Gorman and Paul of Eastland; one sister, Mrs. Rena Parker of Gorman. Also 9 grandchildren and 4 pallbearers — were Charles, great-grandchildren, Ricky and Billy Taylor, Hershel Strawn, Wayne Haile and Doyle Poyner.

MIKE FONTENOT PATIENT IN HARRIS HOSPITAL

Mike Fontenot of Sidney and a brother of Mrs. Douglas Foster has been transferred from the Stephenville Hospital to Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. Mike was injured approximately three weeks ago in an auto accident. He was recovering and had been taken home, but had to be returned to the hospital and his condition became more grave and he was transferred to Harris Hospital.

Friends of Mike may send get well cards to him at the hospital. He was a student in Gorman Schools prior to moving to Sidney.

JP&L Co. Opens; To Show Film

The Jesus Power & Light Company, a non-denominational Christian establishment for area young people, opened Saturday night. A large number of people came to eat pizza and enjoy fellowship, and the evening, highlighted by speaker, Gary Elliston, was very successful.

Through the rest of the summer the JP&L Co., which is located at the Gorman Fire Hall, will be open each Friday night instead of Saturday.

This Friday a color motion picture, "The Secret of Loving", will be shown. This film is a Christian look at sex, love and dating. For more information see the advertisement elsewhere in this issue of the Gorman Progress.

Everyone connected with the JP&L Co. would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves for being last week's adult sponsors, and to invite all area youth to come this Friday night and share in fun and fellowship.

T. C. WYLIE BURIED ON SATURDAY

T. C. Wylie, 73, of Ranger, died at 1:05 a. m. Thursday, May 28, 1976 at Ranger General Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church in Ranger with Rev. Jack Hopkins, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Born Dec. 19, 1902, at Pearly, he married Johnnie Mae Leazer Oct. 9, 1926 at Glen Rose. He moved to Ranger in 1943 from Gorman, where he owned and operated the Gorman Progress newspaper.

He was also the retired owner and operator of Ranger Peanut Co. for 28 years. He was a member of First Baptist Church; a member of Ranger Masonic Lodge, Moslah Temple in Fort Worth; of Cross Timbers Shrine Club, past president and member of Southwest Peanut Shellers Assn., and past board member of the Ranger Hospital District.

Survivors include his wife; a son, John H. of Ranger; a daughter, Mrs. Ben (Barbara) Williams of Albuquerque, N. M.; two brothers, W. B. of Dallas and Rex P. of Phoenix, Ariz.; six grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Gorman Scouts at Camp Gibbons

Camping season began June 1 with a 4-day staff training period at Camp Billy Gibbons located on Brady Creek in San Saba County for Boy Scouts of America. Leaders began arriving Sunday afternoon June 6 for the first period of the three week camping season.

Scouts from Gorman Lions Club Troop 38 attending June 6-12 week are Bill Townley, Andy Kinser, Raymond Bond and Mark Watson.

Activities in camp will include swimming, boating and canoeing, in Brady Creek, rifle safety training, and marksmanship, archery, nature and cooking, campfires, conservation, camp making, vesper worship service and fishing is always good at Brady Creek. Visitors night is on Thursday each week.

GORMAN 4-H CLUB TO MEET IN JULY

The Gorman 4-H Club will meet sometime in July for a party and election of officers for the coming year.

The date and time will be announced later.

The Gorman Club and the entire Eastland County 4-H family welcomes the Philip Osborne family with 4-H members Kathi and Phil to the county organization. They come to us from Indiana where they were 4-H members and leaders.

Revis Laminack and Clint Tucker Fifth In State

Revis Laminack of Gorman and Clint Tucker of Carbon, Eastland County 4-H Club members, placed Fifth in the State Agronomy competition held June 2 at Texas A&M University. There were only five points difference in the 5th and 1st place winner.

Clint, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker of Carbon, is a sophomore in Carbon Schools, and Revis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Laminack of Gorman, is a senior in Gorman High School.

Mrs. Bobby Tucker, Carbon 4-H Adult leader, accompanied the boys to College Station.

Roadrunners Nip Hodges Pecan In Softball Action

Monday evening the Roadrunners of the Little League Softball League won their third game of the season over the Hodges Pecan team from De Leon by the score of 22-7.

Runs were scored by Terri Keith 2, Stacy Slampa 1, Randa Mehaffey 3, Robin Broom 3, Mary Perez 4, Lisa Foster 1, Missie Phillips 1, and Jimmie Needham 1. Others playing were Veronica Knight and Beckie Underwood.

Winning for the Roadrunners was Robin Broom. The team is sponsored by 7-11 Grocery.

Carolyn Gilbert Appointed to State Extension Post

College Station — In order to carry out more in-depth educational programs at the Texas 4-H Center at Brownwood, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service has added an assistant 4-H and youth specialist to its staff.

The new specialist is Carolyn Gilbert, whose appointment was effective May 16. She had served as Brown County Extension Agent for the past three years.

Ms. Gilbert taught home economics in the Gorman Schools for six months before joining the Extension Service. She holds the rank of captain in the Air Force Reserve.

The newly appointed specialist is a native of Gorman, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert, and has a B.S. degree in vocational home economics from Abilene Christian University where she was on the Dean's Honor Roll and was elected to membership in Alpha Chi and Alpha Psi Omega.

KELLY BUCHANAN HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan of Lawn honored their son, Kelly, with a party at their home on his 8th birthday, Sunday, May 30th. The Bicentennial theme was used in decorations. The Birthday cake, baked by Mrs. D. F. Eaves, was decorated with a flag depicting the 13 stars of the original colonies, and held 6 miniature American flags in place of candles. The napkins, plates and cups were in the red, white and blue colors. Birthday cake and cold drinks were served and party favors were little party packs for the awdhosstugattttt v guests to take home with them.

Special guests were Kelly's brother, Yancy, and their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks of Kokomo and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan of Bradshaw.

The grandparents also attended the commencement of the VBS at the First Baptist Church in Lawn on Sunday evening.

Next time: "So Great Salvation . . . Spoken . . . Confirmed."

Bill Wilson, Minister Church of Christ

Mr. and Mrs. David West, Michelle and Melissa of Prescott, Arizona spent the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John West.

They also visited a few days in San Antonio, Austin and in Farmington, N. M. with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Collins on their return trip home.

Rites For J. C. Caraway on Tuesday

J. C. (Jake) Caraway, 62, of Gorman died at 11:30 p. m. Sunday, June 6, 1976 in Abilene.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with Rev. Archie Robinson of Eula Trinity Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Simpson Cemetery.

Born Dec. 15, 1913, in Gorman, he married Rozell Lasater Dec. 19, 1936, in Eastland. He was a member of Primitive Baptist Church, where he was a deacon.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Charles (Bo) of Gorman; a daughter, Katherine Scitern of Gorman; a brother, Ernest of Lubbock; three sisters, Lora Graham of Eastland, Velma Manning of Salinas, Calif., and Emma Overstreet of Calif.; and six grand children.

Pallbearers were John Caraway, Lester Wayne Caraway, Bobby Caraway, Jerry Lasater, Ronnie Lasater and Emmett Lasater.

The Scriptures Speak

They . . . With One Accord In One Place

"And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place." Acts 2:1.

With this statement, Luke described the situation at Jerusalem just prior to the coming of the Holy Spirit of Pentecost. Peter explained that the Holy Spirit's arrival was, "that which was spoken by the prophet, Joe; and it shall come to pass . . . I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh" (Acts 2:17).

Today, many people are confused over who was baptized with the Holy Spirit on Pentecost. There are four scriptural proofs which explain clearly that only the apostles were baptized with the Spirit in Acts 2:1-4:

1. Only the apostles received the "promise of the Father" that, "ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence" (Acts 1:4-5).

2. Only the apostles were the "they" who "gave forth their lots" (Acts 1:26) and thus were the "they" who "were all with one accord in one place" on Pentecost (Acts 2:1).

3. Only the apostles were the "men of Galilee" mentioned in Acts 1:11, and only the apostles were the "Galileans" who spoke "with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance" (Acts 2:4,7).

4. Only the apostles (the "eleven" plus Peter) were defended by Peter against drunkenness (Acts 2:14-15) for speaking "with other tongues."

But Joe's prophesy quoted by Peter was, "I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh" (Acts 2:17). The Jews received the baptism of the Holy Spirit in the persons of the apostles on Pentecost. The Gentiles received the baptism of the Holy Spirit in the persons of Cornelius and "his kinsmen" later at Caesarea (Acts 10:24,44-45).

After being baptized with the Holy Spirit, Cornelius and his kinsmen were commanded "to be baptized (in water) in the name of the Lord" (Acts 10:47-48).

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Concerned Citizens Are Circulating Petition

The Auxiliary Chapter of Blackwell Hospital is circulating a petition to be sent to our political leaders and Elected officials of the State of Texas and the Federal Government of the United States in regard to Public Law 93:641

Terri Patterson and Brad Moon To Wed Tuesday

Terri Patterson and Brad Moon will exchange wedding vows Tuesday, June 15, at 7:00 p. m. in First United Methodist Church in Gorman.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and the reception immediately following the wedding to be held in Fellowship Hall.

"DEALING" With David

Today, I want to start right off with an unusual statement and then attempt to defend it. The statement is this: "I believe that Christianity is a very misunderstood religion by most Christians." Many Christians seem to think that their "conversion" experience was supposed to be a cure all and that our witness, therefore, to the rest of the world is that "we've been saved" and now no longer have any serious problems. Then when the rainy days come, and we don't feel so Christian, we think, "Oh my, I mustn't let anyone know I'm feeling down or that I'm sick and tired of being a Christian today, so I'd better fake it." The result is, we have churches full of outwardly smiling faces, who inwardly are hurting, and crying out for someone to help. We think we must keep up our appearance, or no one will believe we're Christians.

My friends, conversion doesn't mean we've arrived, and are supposed to be perfect. It simply means we've started the journey, and God is now sharing our experiences, and that we are no longer alone. Our personal conflicts and temptations are still real. We are just starting to share life with God, and in return, He is giving us His character that can never be taken away. Knowing this, we can feel free to take off our masks and be honest. We can feel free to be discouraged where we're discouraged, and encouraged when we're encouraged. We can feel free to be ourselves in Christ. To keep on trying to be what others expect us by keeping up our appearance, without ever coming to real personhood will lead to insanity. The truth is, the harder we try to please everyone, the more certain it is we will please no one.

What is the witness of the Christian Church to be anyway, that we've arrived and achieved perfection? No. We are to say, "look, we are here because we have acknowledged we cannot make it on our own. We need God's grace and forgiveness. We are sick people in need of a physician. We have not arrived, we have only started. We have found in Christ someone who has given us real hope of being different. Won't you join us?"

David Currie

Donna and Jan Cozart are visiting in Fort Worth with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Plowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mauney have returned home from a visit at Summerville Lake with Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Mouney and in Houston where they attended the graduation of their granddaughter, Linda Mauney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mauney, held in Sam Houston Coliseum.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker spent the weekend in Tyler with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart and family.

and the Texas Health Planning and Development Act, House Bill 2164 passed in 1974 which are in conflict with the goals of the health care field for controlling costs and offering all Americans quality health care in small rural hospitals. If you wish to sign your name to this petition you may do so at the Progress office or with any of the Auxiliary members.

A personal letter to our elected officials will be sent beneficial also. Names of persons to write have been published in the last three issues of the Progress.

Little Bit Country Dance Nets \$134

The Little Bit of Country dance sponsored by Mr. Gentry and the musicians of Little Bit of Country FFA band, composed of Darrell Swanner, Brent Foster, Tony Ripley and Gary Mauney was a huge success with approximately 150 people attending. Half the gate receipts, \$134, was donated to the Little League Baseball Park.

The dance was held May 28 in Birdsong Warehouse.

The Little Bit of Country will be going to State Competition in July.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ratchels visited in Fort Worth last week with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Joe Payton and grandsons, Jay and Jerre. They attended the graduation of their grandson, Jerre. He was among 501 seniors at Western Hills High School.

Mrs. Jean Rachels of Comanche also attended the graduation of her nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Russell Stephanie and Everman and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Russell of Winnie, N. M. and Laurea and Winnie Savage of Everman and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fairbetter and Dana visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter and Milton, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Whit Russell.

Mrs. M. E. Foster and Becky Darley visited Mark Fontenot in Harris Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kennedy of De Leon visited Monday with Mrs. Ruby Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Stinnett and Mrs. Lola Lyda and J. H. were supper guests of Mrs. Gladys Chambless Monday night.

Mrs. Neal Gurlin, Bud and Richard of Michigan, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Aletha Yarbrough, while Mr. Gurlin is job hunting, following his retirement from the USAF.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Higginbottom and Amanda have returned from a visit in Odessa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parker. Mr. Parker underwent back surgery on Tuesday of last week and is reported recovering nicely.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The regular monthly musical will be held at Kokomo Community Center on Friday night, June 11, 8 p. m.

The City Commission will meet Thursday, June 17th at the City Office.

Kokomo HD Club will meet on Monday at 2 p. m. at the Community Center.

The Riding Clubs of Eastland County will have a Playday June 13 at 2 p. m. at the County Sheriff's Posse Arena. All trophy and high point trophy.

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FOR SALE - Whole Grain Flower, Yellow Corn Meal, Sesame Seed, Wheat Germ, Grandola Wheat Bran, Sea Salt and natural food supplements. Available each Monday and Friday. Mrs. Melva Love, Rt. 1, Ranger, 647-1045. 4-6-10p

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NOTICE OF BIDS
The Gorman Independent School Board will receive bids on a 1946 Army Truck and a Table Saw. Bids can be made separate or together. Bids will be opened at 8 p. m. June 15, 1976. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

WANTED - Baby Coons, eyes open with about 1/8 inch eye teeth, \$15 each; box Turtles; collard Lizards, \$1 each. Most Snakes \$1 a foot. Higginbottoms, Box 291, Cross Plains, Texas, 817-725-2350. 6-6-13p

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FOR SALE OR TRADE - 5 Room House with Bath in Gorman. One block off Desdemona Hwy. 734-2751. 4-8fnc

School Hill News

By Mrs. Bill Riddell

Had some very scary weather this last week. A tornado skipped across our place and hovered in the air above our house and our neighbor's, Renia Hogg. We all looked plum through the eye of it. We got a good rain and some hail. Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Hogg were visiting one day this week in Wichita Falls.

We helped Jane and Tommy Musick move to a different place in Lingleville over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner Rice and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. James Mac Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Clell Bays, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brown, Larry and Donna Brown, all of Lingleville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Staude and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moon and family, had a big fishing trip on the Rio Grande. They had about fifty stops due to car trouble. Then

PORCH SALE: Sat. June, 12 9: a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Camping equipment, Coleman tent 10 foot x 10 ft., Propaine stove & tank, ice chest. Car top luggage and Antique dresser. Brandon Place Unit No. 22. 1-6-10c

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they decided they'd caught enough eight to sixteen pound fish for a fish fry, but when they pulled their box out they had none, due to a loose board the fish were getting out as fast as they were caught. Then poor Joe couldn't get any rest. He had to constantly walk the frog, and itroaked every step. All in all, they reported a good time, that is, most of them did. A few were ill from loosing so much sleep from the frogs misery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eddle man of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Elston and girls of Lingleville, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elston, Eddie and Eddie Ray Johnson, and Tena Riddell enjoyed fishing and swimming at the lake Monday.

(Editor's Note: Sorry about no news last week Oma Lee,

CARBON NEWS

By VELMA HASTINGS

NOTICE To Carbon Water Dept. Customers: Mr. Adams, who attends to the water dept. business has moved to Eastland and has a new phone number. If you need to get in touch with him for any reason you may call 629-8220.

We are glad to welcome Mrs. Mabel Payne home from an extended stay in an Odessa hospital and visiting with her children. She is doing fine but the "Pony Express" didn't get the news to us until early Thursday morning).

now. Vacation Bible School closed with commencement exercises Sunday evening. They reported a good school with an average of fifty pupils and workers for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cook of Abilene visited their grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Maness, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd of Cisco were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston on Saturday.

Miss Jo Ann Been and Larry Lindsey of Devine spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been. Others visiting during the week and on Sunday were Mrs. Alma Lynn McGinty of Plains, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson of Bartlesville, Okla.,

Mr. and Mrs. Don Massengale and Rebecca, Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze of Eastland; J. E. Black, Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, daughter and niece of Seminole; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines and Mrs. Vinia Henson of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clower, Keith and Wendy of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant and Candie part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines Friday.

Roy McAlister of Blum and Mrs. Eules Cooper of Rising Star were afternoon visitors of Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield on Tuesday.

Lavada Jackson leaves Abilene with a group of Summer

CARD OF THANKS
To our many, many friends and relatives we can never say thank you enough for your many acts of love and kindnesses shown to us at the passing of our loved one, Elmer J. Stacy. We appreciate it so very much. Our thanks to Kim and Era for being so nice and understanding. To Bro. Bill Wilson for his comforting words, and for the use of the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Chrst, we are so grateful.
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Desdemona News

By VONNIE GUTHERY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Connell of Sundown spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthery. Henry worked for Mobil here several years ago.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Mrs. Hollis (Pool) Cook as she was laid to rest Friday in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hughes of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shipman of Farmington, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill Sunday.

Mrs. Dorothy Greenhaw visited five days in Grand Junction Colorado where she attended College Baseball Tournament. Ranger Jr. College, coached by Jack Allen, took 3rd place in the playoffs.

Roy Neal Taylor, son of

Love Acres News

By: Mrs. Bernice Haynes

Mrs. Dwayne McDaniel, John and Shona Lee of Carbon, visited friends here recently. They formally lived here.

Mrs. Mary Fisher is moving to Corpus Christi next week to be near her daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Butler and son visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bethurun of River Oaks, Ft. Worth on Sunday.

Mrs. Highsmith attended the Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary of the Ronnie Highsmiths in Ranger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Box Jr. of Hobbs, N. M., visited Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor of Wink is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Baker.

KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. T. D. Whitehorn of Eastland will be the guest preacher at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday, June 13. Bro. Whitehorn's wife is the former Lavelle Craighead, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Craighead of Carbon, and they are both former residents of this area. Everyone is invited to come and worship with us.

Bro. Bob Watson will be away for the weekend to officiate at a wedding in Madison.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers, Kim and Jonna visited with Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers, Kevis, Jason and Corby of Brownwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rasco of Andrews visited during the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, and with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasco in Gorman.

The Glenn Jordans were visiting with the Nelsons and

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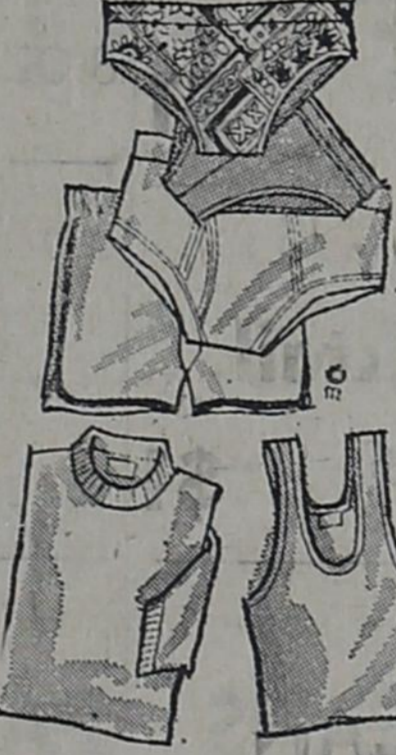


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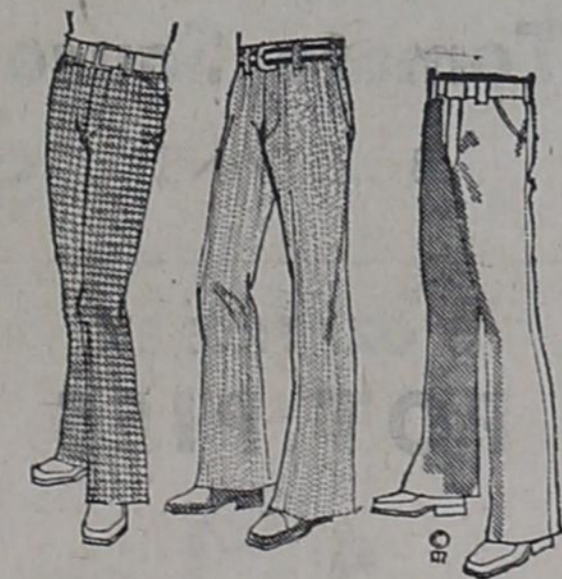
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Lawndale News

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Bernice Rodgers, Anna Billy Stacy of Carbon, Ava Rodgers, all of Gorman, visited Mary Timmons and Lilly Boney.

Virgie Whitfield visited the home.

Billy and Jennifer Stacy visited the home and Mary Timmons.

Joe O'Neal of Kokomo visited Martha Norris and other residents in the home.

Mae and Betty Greer of Farmers Branch, Texas visited Ila Pulley.

Dana Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. De Lyn Hodges of Post, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harper.

Ima Thompson and Velma Joyner of Cisco, Aletha Yarborough and Betty Urling Gorman visited Elizabeth Simmons.

Debbie and Julia Stacy of Carbon visited Lexie Wright. Naomi Morrow visited Thelma Higginbottom.

Lila Smith, Ballenger, Texas and Ina Mae Torrance of Gorman visited Cora Richmond.

Lynna Mangum, Adalene Mangum and Kim Mangum of Pryor, Okla. and Marsha Newburg and Kristi Dawn of Page, Okla. visited Leslie Leach.

Terry Kent, Shepherd AFB, Wichita Falls and Lonnie Bennett visited Alma Vann.

Mary Cagle of Eastland visited Mary Overstreet.

Members of the First Baptist Church came for worship at 2:30 Sunday.

Sunday afternoon the Church Sunday, 6 P. M. Church of Christ held Worship Service.

We have our activities same time and day of week without something new - so Tuesday is Bingo at 1:30. Usually everybody is out and ready to play at 1 P. M.

Wednesday is Bible Study. Tom Lerner brought the lesson. He brought a guest with him, his little nephew from Abilene.

Thursday is singing night at 7:30 - the lobby was full of residents - had quite a few singers. Hope to get some slides so we can show them on Friday. Our folks have a pretty full week. Some like to play dominoes - others like to visit. Should see some of the double knit spreads. Mrs. Georgie Leonard, Lillie Boney does beautiful work. Cu Belle Jay is crocheting and Afigan. It's very pretty.

Josie McClearen is making Bonnets. Several others sew on machines.

We have a new resident Mrs. Florence Underwood.

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Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill, Desdemona; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sharp, Desdemona; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Majors, Kelfi and Kim, Desdemona; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Appel and Belinda, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pinkerton, Russ, Bryan and Garla, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shipman and David, Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shipman, Farmington, N. M.;

Mrs. Charles Nick, Cindy, Diane and Junior, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shipman,

Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Burl Harper and Jennifer, Mesquite; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gilliam, Michael and Barry, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crumpton and Carla, and Weldon Pinkerton, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Allie Pinkerton, Tammy and Scott, Seagoville; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shirley and Tiffany, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Phipps, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Shipman and Mr. W. M. Shipman, Gorman; and a friend, Albert Johnson of Desdemona also attended.

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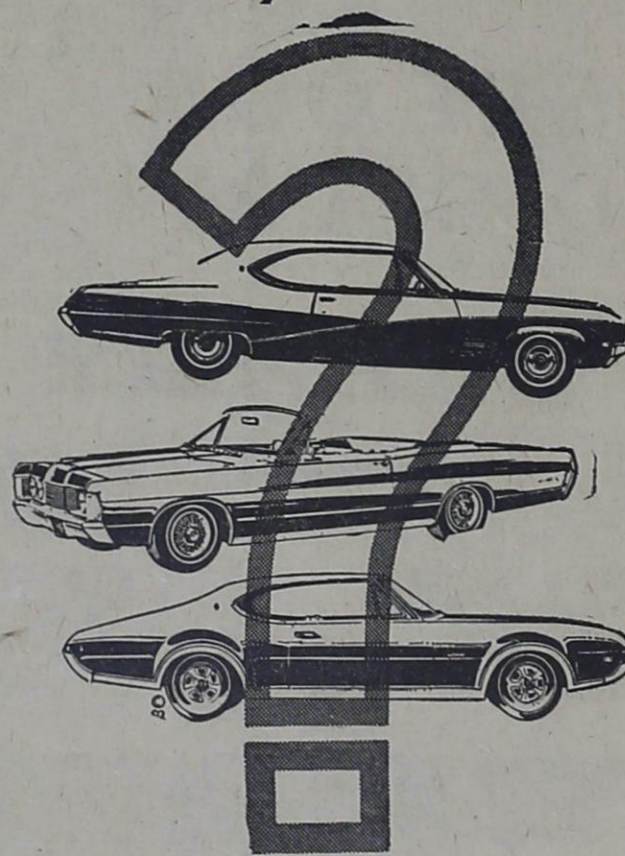
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