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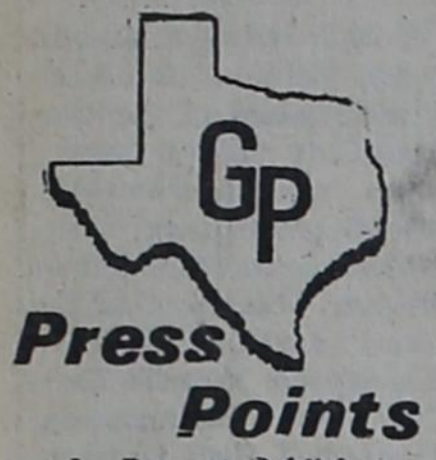
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Press Points

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Well the Big Weekend looms before us with that extra day in the weekend for folks to get out and enjoy the cool outdoors and all the water sports and soak up some sun. The big weekend in Gorman will be the Annual Fourth of July Celebration which will be held at Frank Gray Park on Saturday, July 3 with an all-day activities program planned. The Day's activities will get underway at 10 a.m. and will climax with a fireworks display at 9:30. There will be all kinds of games for all ages to enjoy and a concession stand will be open all during the activities for folks to recuperate with all those delicious goodies to rebuild your strength. A barbecue plate will be served with brisket and sausage and potato salad and beans and trimmings, along with all the other goodies folks to enjoy.

There will be musical entertainment during the day. There will be a charge of 25c for each game entered. Ribbons will be awarded to the winners.

The Park Association, the sponsor for the event, will be accepting membership dues of \$1.00 per person per year will be accepted at the concession stand. All proceeds will go for improvements at the park.

The Park Association has put forth much time and effort on this year's event and we urge all of you to go out and enjoy the day.

Well the gang at the shop should be happy for a couple of days or so this weekend as the wife and I will be leaving for parts unknown for a little recuperation and relaxation. So it may be a little hard to get anything done with the "boss" gone. But I guess they can handle it because they always do whether I'm around or not. We should be back in time to help get the paper out.

Let's all enjoy the holidays but keep in mind the "safe and sane" idea and be alert at all times and then we can enjoy a good July 4th and be alive to remember it.

And remember to smile because God Loves You!

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JULY 4th FAMILY FUN FAIR IN STEPHENVILLE
A July Fourth Family Fun Fair will be held Monday July 5 in the Stephenville Park. Activities will begin at 1:00 p.m.

Puppet show will be held at 1:30 p.m. There will be an exhibition horse show and Armadillo races will be held every hour and also a tug of war tournament also a greased pig race.

There will be Free Food booths, an art display, and free prizes of a calf, money and a smoker.

Governor Bill Clements, Tom Landry and Eddie Chiles and past president of Baylor University Abner McCall will make a brief stop at the park at 1:30 p.m.

A fire works display will be held at 9:00 p.m.

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PAT DURAN INTERNS FOR SENATOR BENTSEN
Washington, D.C. - Pat Duran, a Denton resident, is serving as an intern in Senator Lloyd Bentsen's Washington office this summer.

Duran, a senior at North Texas State University, is majoring in political science. "In the short term I've learned alot. Sometimes things don't actually operate in government the way you might imagine. I've been surprised many times already," Duran explained.

"Washington is a great city and just being here is a

The Homer Park's Honored On Fifieth

An open house was held June 6, 1982 honoring Homer and Bertha (Conway) Park at their home in Gorman, Texas on their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Their actual anniversary is Sept. 13th.

The Celebration was hosted by their daughters, Nancy Porter, Burleson, Texas and Bettie Richards, Stillwater, Maine.

Guests were served punch and a three tiered cake decorated in white roses and gold leaves. Decorations were Blue and White streamers and bells.

There were 36 guests, including many friends and relatives. Relatives attending from out of town were: Teresa (Pingree) and Bill Swanger, Center, Texas; Nancy (Park), Benton, Bryan and Scott Porter, Burleson, Tex; Bettie (Park) and Allan Richards, Stillwater, Maine; Howard Conway, Dallas Tex; David Conway, Everman, Texas; Gayle, Judy and Sarah Conway, Irving, Tex.; Faye (Conway) Lynch, Weatherford Tex.; Jean (Rodgers) Lewis, Dallas Texas. The party was enjoyed by all.

Winfrey -- Bledsoe To Pledge Vows



Mr. and Mrs. James Winfrey wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris Diann, to Gary Glenn Bledsoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bledsoe of Carbon, Texas. The wedding will be held at the Methodist Church in Carbon on July 24, 1982 at 1:00 p.m. All friends invited to attend.

DESDEMONA EASTERN STAR INSTALLS OFFICERS

The Desdemona Order of the Eastern Star Assisting in the installation were: Helen Chandler - installing officer; Sandra Osborne - installing marshal; Lottie Morris - installing Chaplain; Bill Chandler - installing, secretary of Dublin; Hazel Bassett - installing organist of De Leon; and Elvy Wade installing Senteniel of Desdemona.

Officers installed were: Dorothy Greenhaw - Worthy Matron; John Grisham - Worthy Patron; Lavonna Owen - Associate Matron; Elwood Ragland - Associate Patron; Nell Ragland - Associate Conductress

EASTLAND COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS INSTALL OFFICERS

The Eastland County Unit of the National and State Retired Teachers met in Gorman on June 14 with twenty-seven members present. Refreshments were served by the retired teachers of Gorman. After refreshments were served the business session was held.

After the business was completed, the new officers of the Unit were installed by Charlie L. Garrett, the outgoing president. New officers installed were Clara Simer of Olden as president, Bernice Carter of Cisco as first vice-president, Ruby Lee Pirkle of Cisco as second vice-president, Laura Harbin of Eastland and secretary, and Loretta Morris of Eastland as treasurer. Serving on various committees will be Charlie L. Garrett of Gorman Frances Freeman of Ranger, LaRue Broussard of Eastland and Ruth Higginbottom of Gorman.

The next meeting of the Unit will be in Carbon on September 13, 1982 at 2:30 p.m. All retired teachers of the county should plan now to join and be ready to help start the new year off in September.

learning experience in itself. Working for Senator Bentsen will give me the opportunity to experience what I've studied for the last few years political systems," he added. Duran is the son of Mr. Charles Duran of Glen Rose, and Mrs. Jo Duran of Henderson. They formerly lived in Gorman and were owners of First National Bank.

The Floyd Gilbert's To Mark Fiftieth

Mr. and Mrs. J. Floyd Gilbert of Gorman will be honored on their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a reception from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. July 4th at the Church of Christ in Gorman.

Their children are Floydene Gilbert of Gorman, Neal Gilbert of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Carolyn Gilbert of San Angelo, and John Gilbert of De Leon. There are four grandchildren.

The two were married on June 30, 1932 in Stephenville. A native of Gorman, she is the former Lucille Underwood; her husband is a native of Carbon. They have lived in Gorman for 36 years.

He is retired from Texas Sash and Door of Fort Worth, and she was a teacher in Carbon before her marriage. Both are members of the Church of Christ.

All friends and relatives are invited to share in the joy of this occasion. No gifts please.

GORMAN LEAGUE CANISTER SALES NET \$960.75

We have completed our sales of "Henco Products" and we have a winning team.

The "Cubs" coached by Greg Skiles and Ronald Skiles have won the trip to Arlington Stadium. The trip is scheduled for the later part of July. All hats go off to this team for selling \$763.00.

The "Blues" came in second coached by Bimbo Roberts and Jim Rodgers. They sold a total of \$616.75. The "A's" came in third coached by D.L. Bowery and Lanny Hand a total of \$582.00. The

"Reds" came in fourth coach ed Jerry Gibbs and Donnie Geyder a total of \$166.00.

We would like to thank all the boys and their families along with coaches, relatives and our community for supporting the Gorman Leagues.

We thank you for purchasing these products which enable us to purchase equipment, uniforms, work on the field, and all miscellaneous items that have to be carried out in order to have a season. Gorman has come a long way and we have you to thank.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday were:

- Lorena Clark Gorman
- Ella Garrett Carbon
- J. D. Rodgers Gorman
- Naomi Rodgers Gorman
- Debra Lee Gorman
- Eliza Maxey Gorman
- Inez Daniels Gorman
- Milton Forrest Gorman
- Jessie Lemley Gorman
- Marie Cook Gorman
- Willie Barrett Gorman

Patients Dismissed on June 23:

- Keith Clark Gorman
- Marie Cook Gorman

June 24:

- Lee Ann Wilson Gorman
- Belinda Peters Gorman
- Ester Perez Gorman
- Oliver Teel Gorman
- June Mayfield Gorman

June 25:

- Effie Crews Gorman
- Effie Childers Gorman
- Bertha Thomas Gorman

June 26:

- Don Curb Gorman
- Emma Gregg Gorman
- Margaret Coble Gorman
- Tommy Rose Gorman

June 28:

- Mary Turner Gorman
- Don Curb Gorman
- Roy Kinser Gorman
- Evelyn Yardley Gorman

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CLARK REUNION HELD AT DESDEMONA

The Descendants of the Late C. C. and Eliza Jane Clark met June 26th & 27th at the Desdemona School Gym for their annual Family Reunion. Lots of visiting, looking at pictures and plenty of good food.

L. E. "Compound" Clark is the only living child of the C. C. Clark family. Many people know and love him. He has lived in Desdemona for 63 years and raised his children there. He is 83 years old now and we hope to see him again in 1983 at the Reunion.

Jennifer and Scott Scitern of Eastland, Otis, Melva, Zandra and Michael Jordan, of Eastland, Wesley, Tammy and Sabrina Collins of Olden, Gerald, Ina, Brenda, Nita, Amy and Kevin Scitern of Gorman, A. J. and Dorothy Goates of Cisco, Robert, Reta and Robbie and Ronna Goates of Hobbs, New Mexico, Annett and Tray Dickerson of Comanche, Cillard and Laverne Hodge of Rising Star, Mary, Richard, Tammy and Jennifer, Willard's daughter and children, Louis and Nettie Hodge, Percela of Louisiana, their son and wife.

TOWN TO OBSERVE MONDAY JULY 5 AS HOLIDAY

The Chamber of Commerce is observing Monday, July 5, as the Independence Day holiday, rather than Saturday July 3 as previously announced. Most surrounding towns are closing on Monday. Stores will be closed on Monday July 5 in Gorman.

Chamber of Commerce Directors GP

GRANT TOWN RIDING CLUB SET PLAYDAY

The Gran Town Riding Club will have a Jackpot Playday Sunday, July 11, 1982 in Mingus, Texas to make up the one postponed on Sunday, June 27, 1982. If it does not rain on Sunday July 25, 1982 the club will have the regular monthly playday at Mingus.

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GOLDEN AGE CLUB ENJOY FANDANGLE

One chartered bus carrying 46 people enjoyed an evening in Albany, June 24th. Highlights of the trip were the parade, exhibits, the barbeque and of course, the fandangle. It was a good trip and we were all pleased that we had missed the rain when we arrived home at 12:45 A.M.

Those attending were:

- Jessie & Bether Clark, of Desdemona, Larry, Alice & Mollie Clark, of Olney Tex., Bill & Ometa Clark, of Desdemona, Gary, Linda, Karen Kelly & Kim Clark, of Clyde Tex., Larry Lewis, Abilene, Tex., Casey & Lois Meazell I, Eastland Tex., Casey Meazell II, Eastland Tex., Joe & Linda Nelson, Eastland Tex., Eva Lynn & Clark Brooks and baby of Eastland, Texas, Ray Leemaster didn't get where he lives, Billie and Debra Tedford of Eastland, Texas, Charlie and Velma Jackson, Tyler Tex., Rodney Martha, Justin and Teena Jackson, Tyler Tex., Eddie & Ettoy Bryant, Cisco Tex., Dorothy Patsy & Kimberley Chance of Dimmitt, Texas, Sussie & Jenda Leigh Penam Eastland, Texas and Earl and Winnie Fread Scitern, Alpina Ark., Trumie Clark, Kilgore Tex., Earl Clark, Kilgore Tex., Idell Gutchinson, Okla. Joe, Mary, Clint, Puger & Nolan Clark, Tatum Tex., Edna Clark Pettigrent Dallas Tex., Jim Linda & Jimmy Lynn Wilson, Arlington Tex., Marsha Fletcher, Arlington Tex., James Jennifer & Cody White, Ranger Tex., James & Agnes rushing, Ranger Tex., Donald, Wilma, Carolyn, Sherry, Donald Jr. Holder, Desdemona Tex., Coy Scitern, Dinnie Tex., Debbie, Blevin & Pete Divine

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JULY FOURTH CELEBRATION SET FOR SATURDAY



Get ready, Get set, and Go to the Fourth of July Picnic Celebration, Sat. July 3 beginning at 10:00 a.m. at Frank Gray Park (Bass Lake). There is a full day of activities planned for everyone.

The opening ceremony will begin the day with the playing of the Star Spangled Banner; the raising of the flag; and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Games planned for the day will begin at approximately 10:30 a.m. There will be a break in the games for lunch from 12:00 noon till 1:30 p.m. There will be a 25 cents charge per person for each game entered. The games

planned are: Frog Race, Turtle Race, Bubble Gum Blowing Contest, Balloon Race, Spoon Race, Sack Race, Three-Legged Race, Tobacco Spitting Contest, Egg Toss, Just for Fun Course, and Tug of War. Kids be sure and get your frogs and turtles and bring them to the races.

Beginning at 6:00 p.m. there will be a musical with people from this area bringing us a variety of music from gospel to country and western.

At 9:30 p.m. the day's activities will conclude with a fireworks display. A concession stand will be set up serving a brisket or

sausage plate with potato salad, beans and the trimmings. Sandwiches, pie, ice cream, snow cones, soft drinks, tea and lemonade will also be served throughout the day.

The Park Association's membership dues of \$1.00 per person per year will be accepted at the concession stand. All proceeds from the day's activities will be used on improvements for the Park.

Make plans now to bring your family out to Frank Gray Park for a fun-filled day on Sat., July 3. You wouldn't want to miss it!

Girls Place Third In Cisco Tournament

The Gorman Girls Softball Team placed 3rd in the Cisco Tournament held at Cisco June 24, 25, 26. Brenda Scitern was chosen All Tournament Pitcher and Tam Anderson was chosen All Tournament Left Fielder. Girls Playing for Gorman: Brenda Scitern, Terri Keith, Angela Carr, Charla Little, Nita Scitern, Stacey Slampa, Tam Anderson, Michelle Carr, Holly Burleson, Kristi Odell, Kayla Odell, Michaelann Silva, Annie Silva, Laura Carter. Coaches: Ina & Gerald Scitern, Bob Slampa



Our thanks to Johnny and Kay Watson for sponsoring our team in the Cisco Tournament. The trophy will be on display in their business, Cent Tex Real Estate window for a period of time.

ALL TOURNAMENT WINNERS — Brenda Scitern, (left) is shown with the trophy she received at the Cisco Softball Tournament. She was chosen All Tournament Pitcher. Tam Anderson was chosen All Tournament Left Fielder. She is shown with the Third Place Trophy, they won in the Tournament. They competed with eight teams from Eastland, Cisco and Ranger.

STAMFORD ART SALE TO BENEFIT WTRC

A Collector's Preview of works by 36 western artists is scheduled for June 29th on the eve of the 52nd annual Texas Cowboy Reunion.

Presented by the Stamford Art Foundation as a benefit for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, the event begins at 7 p.m. in the John Selmon Memorial Gallery. Sale time is 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$30 each and include a reception and chuch wagon dinner. Reservations may be made by calling 773-3614 and tickets

Tex., Henry Scitern, Gorman Tex., Alvis Bonnie & La Veda Scitern, Gorman Tex., John and Troy Scitern of Gorman, Texas Faye Gaeta of Eastland, Laverne Carr of Stephenville, Rollo and Louise Tinkler of Abilene, Gene, Carolyn, and Joe Foster of Gorman, R. P. Hooper of Desdemona.

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will be available at the door.

An additional feature this year will be a special quarter horse and art auction at 9 p.m. Artists participating will be Wayne Baize, Terry Gilbreth, H.C. Zachry, Jim

Hamilton and Tom Ryan. Quarter horses from the King Ranch, Bill Reed, J.E. Red Flow, Spencer Baize, W.T. Waggoner estate and Wedeking-Stevenson will be sold.

Items of Interest

City Commission will meet Thursday July 1 at 8:00 a.m. at City Hall.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1982 MAIL WILL NO LONGER BE BOXED ON SUNDAYS AND HOLLIDAYS.

POSTMASTER
Gorman Chapter 443, O.E.S. meets the 1st Monday each month at 7:30 P.M.

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

Fire Department will meet Monday July 5.

Lions Club will meet Tuesday July 6 at the School Cafeteria.

All business house will be closed on Monday, July 5 in observance of Independence Day. There will be no rural mail delivery or window service at the Post Office.

Gorman High School Band has World's Best Chocolate Candy for sale. Call 734-2521.

Woman's Auxillary of Blackwell Hospital meets first Tuesday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center at 3:00 P.M.

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KOKOMO NEWS

By Zelda Jordan

The Lord has really blessed us with plenty of rain. Sometimes we think that it is more than plenty - when it rains everyday or so and keeps the fields too wet to get into to finish planting the peanuts. There is good in it too. The tanks are full, and the pastures are doing well with all the moisture. Sheri Miles of Abilene, Sheri and Lisa Snider of

Stephenville were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. There were several visitors at the Vacation Bible School Commencement and Program on Sunday night.

Alisa Burgess of Granbury visited last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. Erich Arnold and attended the Vacation Bible School at Kokomo. Allisa's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Burgess visited here with the Burgesses and Arnolds during the past two weekends and attended the Bible School Program on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks after the VBS program at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday night.

Mrs. Claude Fuller visited in Abilene on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaton, Chad and Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and Mrs. Dora Garrett, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark and Amy of San Angelo spent several days last week on vacation in Oklahoma and Missouri. Others visiting in Mrs. Garrett's home after their return home were Debra Hallmark, Wayne, Becky and LeeVi of San Angelo, Ray Neal and Melissa Little of Lake Leon.

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FOR SALE: CUSTOM Bales, Dan Snider, 734-2993. 3-7-8 P.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark and family of San Angelo and Mrs. Dora Garrett were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hallmark on Saturday night at Eastland.

Sheri Miles of Abilene spent Friday night with Kathy Eberhardt of Austin, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett at Lake Leon, and a cousin, Neal Anderson of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Lance, Layne and Lenny, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little, Charla and Alan and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess, Angela and Glenn vacationed in Ruidose, N.M. during the weekend and went through the Carlsbad Caverns enroute home on Monday.

Mr. Blanton Clearman of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman visited on Thursday in Kaufman with Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Creager.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider, Kathy and Mike vacationed last week in Nashville, Tennessee at Opry Land and the Grand Ole Opry. One of the highlights was seeing Roy Clark.

Sheri and Lisa Snider of Stephenville spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. C. L. Snider. Others visiting with Mrs. Snider during the weekend were La Von Snider of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snider of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Snider, Justin, and Belinda of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider, Kathy and Mike and Mrs. Esther Mae Jumper of Graham. Mrs. Jumper visited until Monday afternoon.

Mrs. D. F. Eaves, Deliah Eaves of Eastland, Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Sheri Miles, spent Monday shopping in Abilene. Matt Hawkins accompanied them to Abilene, where he joined a

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CRADDOCK REUNION HELD AT KENDRICK AMPHITHEATRE

The descendants of the late Alford and Virgie Craddock held the annual family reunion at Kendrick Amphitheater guest house on Saturday and Sunday June 26 and 27.

Several families arrived as early as Friday afternoon. Mr. Mrs. Wade Craddock were hosts this year for the family gathering.

Those arriving Friday night were Mr. Mrs. Snooks Craddock of Sundown and Mr. Mrs. Ralph Hudson and Patricia and Amy Scitern of Gorman and Mr. Mrs. Joe Craddock of Sundown and their children, Mr. Mrs. Bill Craddock, Zack and Britney of Canyon and Mr. Mrs. Bobby McCoghen, Melissa and Amanda of Amarillo.

Those arriving early Saturday morning were Mr. Mrs. Alvin Lasater of Kokomo and their daughter, Mr. Mrs. Gerald Scitern Brenda, Anita Amy and Kevin of Gorman; Mrs. Bishop Craddock of Comanche and her children Mr. Mrs. David Alden Craddock of Weatherford; and Mr. Mrs. David Bush, David-

group for a camping trip to Lake Brownwood this week. Mrs. Roddy Miles joined them for lunch. Sheri spent last week here with grandparents, the Glenn Jordans.

die, and Barbara Jo of Gustine; Mrs. Estelle Craddock of Gorman and her daughter, Kay Ann Craddock of Richardson.

The weekend was spent in visiting, making pictures, playing games viewing family picture albums and scrap books.

Friends visiting Friday and guests Saturday for lunch were members of the Gorman Girls Softball team who's coaches were Mr. Mrs. Gerald Scitern. Assistant coaches Mr. Mrs. Robert Slampa. Members of the team were Terri Keith, Angela and Michelle Carr, Charla Little, Tam Anderson, Kristi Odell, Holly Burleson, Michaelann and Annie Silva. Friends were Bud Jeffs and Steve Slampa. Brenda and Anita Scitern were also members of the soft ball team.

Mr. Mrs. Snooks Craddock will be host for the family reunion next year.



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CARBON NEWS

By Mrs. Bob Hasting
639-2517

We are still having plenty of rain and hot weather.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns visited their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wooly and family of Gladewater and all visited Mrs. Fannie Smith and children of Dyersburg, Tennessee.

Visiting Mrs. Ina Parten on Sunday were son and family Mr. and Mrs. Jowes Partere of Cisco.

Weedend visitors of Mrs. Lova Abbott were Mr. and Mrs. Don Jordon, Vicki, Sandra, Gene and Donna of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Parson and Kathy Horton of Everman; Mr. and

Mrs. Bill Tuckers of Abilene.

Mrs. Mabel Payne has returned home after an extended visit with her children in Las Cruces, New Mexico and Odessa.

Mrs. Bobby Taylor and Caleb of Duncan, Oklahoma visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant last week. Also visiting in the home were Don Donaldson of Houston and Dawn Donaldson of Bryan during the weedend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhyne, Wayne and Cindy of Big Spring spent the weedend with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings.

GORMAN CARE CENTER JETTIE DANIELS

On the sixteenth, Miss Ware, Brought our Bible Study. It was her first time to be with us, but she will be back every third Wednesday.

She brought a very good message and we're proud she came our way.

We had 19 residents present and four visitors. The 23rd. Richard Watson brought us a very good message, which was enjoyed by 17 residents and two visitors. He has every second Wednesday, But did us the honor of being with us on the 23rd.

Due to illness in my family I was not here last Tuesday, so we did not have bingo, but today is that time again and we'll have Bingo, the 29th.

Not many out for singing. Thanks to those who came. We need more singers. Would appreciate each of you very much. Our residents look forward to seeing you and visiting with you on these nights. When your'e present they know they have'n't been forgotten. To feel forgotten is a very terrible feeling. Have you ever been in that kind of a spot? We sure hope not.

Thursday the 24th. was birthday time again. Those

College is president of the JUCCO World Series this year.

Mrs. Debirt Williams of Kermit and Mr. Mrs. Kevin Weaver and family of Waco visited the week-end with Dorothy Roberts and Jeff.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Denison and family of Fort Worth visited the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Denison.

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NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Craddock of Sundown are visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. Roy Crawley and with the Craddock families.

Visitors Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday of Throckmorton and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Holliday, Lori and Matt of Montana.

Mrs. L. M. Wooten and James attended the 16th annual seminar of the Christ For The National Alliance, June 15 through June 19 and the Bible Camp in Hot Springs, Arkansas, June 22 through June 27. On the return trip home they visited an uncle, K. F. Smith in Atlanta, Texas.

having Birthday's were: Minnie Bennett, Ninnie Kirk Lillian Capers and Lon Snider.

The Ladies recieved pink Carnation, and Mr. Snider recieved handkerchiefs.

The ladies from Kokomo, did the serving to every one, and we thank them very much. They are very faithful at helping on this day and are appreciated very much.

Billie Stacey, played the piano and played old songs that our residents love very much, also sang several songs.

Every one seemed to have a very good time. Had 22 residents present.

Thanks very much to Billie we enjoyed your playing very much.

DESDEMONA NEWS

By Vonnie Gutherv

A "big" community fish fry was held Saturday nite at the roping arena. Fish was furnished by Eddie Lindley, "Humpty" Duke and Windford Lindley. Lots of good food and fellowship was enjoyed by all. We hope they try this again real soon.

"Rusty" Duke of Florida is visiting his grandparents, "Humpty" and Betty Duke for the summer.

Dixie Pack took Louise Merrill to Abilene last Monday for a 6 wks. check-up and she got a good report.

Diana Greenhaw of Stephenville (grand-daughter of Dorothy and Bill Green-

haw) had the misfortune of a bad cut on her leg recently which required several stitches. But she is doing fine now.

Dorothy Greenhaw and her sister, Faye Walls of Stephenville, visited recently with their brother Elmer Lee Anderson in Aztec, New Mexico. After spending several days there-Dorothy joined her daughter and son-in-law, Sinda and Jack Allen in Grand Junction, Colorado at the National Junior College Baseball World Series while Faye visited her two sons in Durango, Colorado. Jack Allen of Ranger Junior

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Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas, effective July 27, 1982, unless otherwise determined by the Commission.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 13.4 percent increase in the company's intrastate revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas. The Commission staff has contended in the past that all rates are subject to change as a result of Southwestern Bell's rate application.

Notice to El Paso Area Customers

Effective January 1, 1982, Southwestern Bell adopted the Mountain States tariffs in effect for El Paso County. Southwestern Bell proposes to merge the separate El Paso tariffs with its tariffs applicable to the rest of Texas. The resulting new rate schedule is on file with the PUC and the El Paso area municipalities served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection at our El Paso business office.

Notice to Customers of Other Telephone Companies

The filing includes, but is not limited to, proposals to increase rates for interexchange private line and foreign exchange (FX) service. Changes in such rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies because such companies provide interexchange private line and foreign exchange service in accordance with rates specified in Southwestern Bell's tariffs. While Southwestern Bell has proposed no increase in long distance rates, any change in those rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies.

Aviso Público

Southwestern Bell, en conformidad a las reglas del Public Utility Commission (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) de Texas, por la presente hace saber su intención de establecer un nuevo arancel para servicio de teléfono en Texas con vigencia a partir del 27 de julio, 1982, a menos que la Comisión haga otra determinación.

Se espera que el nuevo arancel que se ha solicitado rendirá un aumento de 13.4 por ciento en los ingresos intraestatales de la compañía.

Una copia completa del nuevo arancel se ha archivado en las oficinas del Public Utility Commission en Austin, Texas, al igual que en cada municipalidad afectada y servida por Southwestern Bell, y cada una de las oficinas de la compañía para negocios con el público en Texas tiene una copia para lectura pública. En el pasado, la Comisión ha sostenido que toda tarifa está sujeta a cambios que resulten de la manera en la cual Southwestern Bell aplique sus tarifas.

Aviso a Clientes en la Región de El Paso

Con vigencia a partir del 1o de enero de 1982, Southwestern Bell ha adoptado las tarifas de Mountain States efectivas en el condado de El Paso. Southwestern Bell propone unir las tarifas de El Paso con sus otras tarifas que se aplican al resto de Texas. El nuevo arancel que resulta de ésta unión se ha archivado en la Comisión de Servicios Públicos (Public Utility Commission), al igual que en las municipalidades de la región de El Paso servidas por Southwestern Bell, y está disponible para inspección pública en nuestras oficinas de El Paso.

Aviso a los Clientes de Otras Compañías de Teléfono

El registro incluye, pero no se limita a, propuestas para aumentar las tarifas para servicio de línea privada entre centrales telefónicas (interexchange private line) y servicio de central telefónica extranjera (foreign exchange FX). Cambios en dichas tarifas de servicio también afectarían a clientes de otras compañías de teléfono porque dichas compañías proveen los servicios ya mencionados en conformidad a tarifas especificadas por Southwestern Bell. Aunque Southwestern Bell no ha propuesto un aumento en las tarifas para larga distancia, cualquier cambio en las mismas también afectaría a los clientes de otras compañías de teléfono.

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SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

"MEMORIES"
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When I was about 11 years old, I was having tooth ache so bad, I could not hoe cotton. So one Sunday eve, it was hurting. Dad called Dr. Ott Earnest at Kokomo. We

went down there and he pulled the tooth. Did not hurt much. It was bleeding a little.

The next morning Dad called me. I answered him one call was, all that was necessary as I knew he meant it. I did not get up. He came to get me out of bed. I have bled thru mattress and onto the floor; too week to raise up. He put me on another bed and told Mom to

wash blood off my face and bathe head in cool water. He went to phone and called Doctor. He said he had horse already saddled and would be there in 15 minutes. He arrived with horse in a run. Put something in my mouth that seared it over. Tho it tasted sweet. It stopped the bleeding. He said I was what you call a free bleeder.

Mama propped me up in bed. So I have a whole weeks vacation from the cotton patch.

After that spell I had two spells with nose bleeding pretty bad. Just too blame mean, I suppose.

I remember I has helping Dad put a sheet iron roof on barn at Flatwood, putting on last strip, he was holding it standing on the ground with a piece of lumber. I was inside under roof on ladder, holding to the very end of hammer handle and about the second lick the hammer

slipped out of my hand. It hit Dad square in the forehead. He staggered and I could not keep from smiling. He picked up the hammer and drew back and said "if you crack another smile, I will knock you off of there." You know I believed he meant it. Tho I laughed afterwards.

Back to Dr. Ott Earnest, he had an appendix operation and did not survive. What a pity to lose such a young dedicated man to his profession. Tho it happens so many times in life.

It is so embarrassing to me that I cannot recognize people. Please do not think that I

just want to ignore you. That is for from the truth. Sight is so precious. I know. For I have fought the best way there is and have spent thousands of dollars to keep what little sight I have.

I remember about 1908 they were trying to vote Texas dry. There was a big meeting at Bass Lake. Carrie Nations was there. She carried a hatchet with her at all times. She would go out in front of Saloons and make speeches against Saloons. If they tried to stop her she would go in the saloon and use hatchet on those whiskey bottles.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Mrs. Willie (McGough) William, born at McGough Springs, 97 years ago. I have know her since Childhood. Her father, Uncle Bill McGough was the first white settler in Eastland Co. in 1855. Settled at those Springs. I have told about the fight with the Indians where the McGough retreated to my home place and fought off Indians till night fall then went to Ellison Springs. The time where Jimmy's Dad was shot and crippled for life. Then next night to Desdemona, where several were killed.

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I remember one fall, we were picking cotton for Mr. Ottwell and Guy McGough was picking too, all at once while we were eating our noon meal in the field, Guy started running as fast as he could. I asked him what was the matter. He said he was trotting his taters down. He ran out of water until the boss brought some back off the wagon after lunch. Such is life. Never a dull moment. In those days there was no unemployment. Everyone had a job, no overtime. Payment.

We are about ready to balance our books for the first half of 82. I hope they will equal out. Even for a change.

Take it easy and go swimming if you can find any water.

Good Luck to you all as you get ready to bid June good-bye.

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- Do not use air conditioner unless absolutely necessary.
- Keep your thermostat set no lower than 80° in the summer. Use ceiling or oscillating fans to circulate the air.
- Check your air conditioner filters each month to see if they need cleaning or changing. And make sure that the outside unit is free of grass, leaves and trash.
- When leaving home, turn off air conditioning. If away for two days or more, turn off water heater.
- If you have a dishwasher, set water heater to 140°; otherwise, set temperature to 120° or lower.
- Use scrap insulation to plug air leaks in attic, around fireplace dampers and window air conditioners.
- Repair water leaks in pipes and faucets, and seal air duct leaks.
- Use drapes, blinds, shades, awnings or plants to block sunlight.
- Try to minimize traffic through outside doors.
- Economize in the kitchen. Plan meals so several dishes can be cooked in the oven at the same time.
- Save when you do laundry. Wash and dry only full loads of clothes.

Energy Conservation Measures

These home installations and modifications require an investment, but may return their cost to you in the form of savings on utility bills.

- Caulk and weatherstrip around doors and windows to reduce air leaks.
- Add insulation to ceilings, walls and floors.
- Insulate ducts, especially in the attic.
- Insulate hot water pipes in attic.
- Install insulation blankets on water heaters, especially in garage or basement.
- Investigate cost-effectiveness of storm doors and windows.
- Add solar-reflecting materials to doors and windows on east/west exposures.
- Install a clock thermostat to automatically set air conditioner and heating unit to desired temperature. Even when you're away from home, the clock thermostat can control your air conditioner for more economical operation.
- Investigate replacing your central air conditioner, especially if unit is more than five years old, with a new unit that has a Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating (SEER) of at least 8.5.



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