May . 5. 1983

Kristi Holland Finalist

In 1983 Miss National

Miss Kristi Holland,

age 10, granddaughter of

Geraldine R. Zummer of

Arlington, Texas and

great-granddaughter of

Desdemona, Texas has

been selected as a finalist

in the 1983 MISS TEXAS

NATIONAL PRE-TEEN

PAGEANT to be held at

the AMFAC HOTEL,

Dallas, Texas on

September 3, 1983. The

MISS TEXAS NATION-

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GEANT is the official

State finals for the MISS

NATIONAL PRE-TEEN

PAGEANT to be held in

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Pre-Teen Pageant

NUMBER TWELVE OUR 83RD YEAR OF SERVICE



Press Points Joe Bennett, Publisher

J All the folks in this area are really happy over the wonderful rain that the Good d blessed us with on Inday. Also us folks in the immediate area are very thankful that the Lord spared us the damaging hail that folks to the south and east were hit with.

-J-Poor ole Edmon Duke is right in the middle of a big "Honey Do" project that Nelda has decided he must do to make her happy, and of course, poor ole Edmon is working so very, very hard to get the project completed. I bet she has even set a deadline for him to finish the job. We can sympathize with you Edmon. Those wives sure can be mean to us men. _J_

We received the following from the Environmental Resources and Environmental Council and thought it was a most newsworthy article for our readers.



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be preaching at the Gospel Meeting at the Church of Christ May 2 through Sunday May 8.

Sunday services will be at 10:00 a.m. Sunday morning and 6:00 p.m. Sunday evening. Other services will be held at 7:30 p.m. each evening.

Mr. Hall will be remembered as a former preacher at the Church. Everyone is invited to attend any or all of these services.

-GP-LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A BOY

Mr. Mrs. Gary Neil of Hamlin announce the arrival of their son, Trace Allen, born at 2:00 p.m. Saturday April 30, 1983 in Hamlin Memorial Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and

four ounces. Maternal grand parents are Mr. Mrs. Robert Pharris of Wink and Paternal grand parents are Mr. Mrs. Doc Neil of Hamlin. Mrs. Roy Crawley of Gorman is maternal great grandmother and Ottis Pharris of Breckenridge is paternal great grand fath-

er. November, 1983 and is af--GPfiliated with the Miss Navisitors in the nome of Mir Mrs. Wade Craddock Sunday were Mr. Mrs. Snooks Craddock of Sundown, Mr. Mrs. Ralph Hudson and Estelle Craddock of Gorman. deposit law is that Texas already has the best voluntary recycling program in the nation. Last year, we recycled in excess of 73% of all aluminum cans sold, and another 26 million pounds of glass. Those percentages are quickly approaching the recycling percentages in forced deposit states. But while Texas consumers are MAKING money recycling those states are paying for it. So the next time you hear about how forced deposits are going to clean up TEXare going to clean up Texas, HANG ON TO YOUR WAL-LET. AND THINK ABOUT HOW MUCH WE HAVE TO LOSE. _J_ We have an article elsewhere in this issue of the new directors and officers at First National Bank of Gorman. We are very proud od our bank and are very glad to have the bank being headed by local folks that are interested in our community and in making the bank the best anywhere. The bank is planning an open house soon, so



GORMAN, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS 76454

NEW OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS NATIONAL BANK FIRST NAMED AT Phillip Harrison

The comptroller of the Currency, on April 6, 1983, allowed the change in Control of ownership of the First National Bank, Gorman, Texas.

The New Stockholders and Directors are: T.L. Jay, Jr., Chairman W.F. Jay Bill Harrison

4-H Club News

The Eastland County 4-H Round-Up was held April the 7th at several different locations across the county and involved 20 Eastland County 4-Hers.

Method demonstrations were conducted at the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland. This event involved four 4-Hers in three demonstrations and they were Warren Parson in Safety, Travis Parson in Companion Animals and Karmen and Jay Hall in Sheep Production. Dr. Bill Jackson, the 4-H & Youth Specialist for the Texas A&M Extension Service, was the judge.

At the Williams dairy near Lake Leon four Eastland 4-Hers judged dairy cattle. These 4-Hers judged one class of Holstein heifers and

Jerry Warren Ron McCormick Mike McCormick Officers and employees of the Bank are: Mike McCormick, President Ron McCormick, Executive -Vice President Butch Crudgington, Vice President Peggy Singleton, -Vice President Freda Riggs, Cashier Sue Seaton, Asst. Cashier Shirley Eaves, -**Executive Secretary** Nina Skiles

Jerry Jackson Mary Waller Debra Mix Shirley Daniels Zelma Sharp Amy Troutman Kathy Stuard Sussanne Rankin Kay Henry

Carol Sisco

Delores Tucker -GP-**Kristy Barnett To Study Abroad**

Gorman Students Take Top Honors At State UIL Meet

Gorman Student, Toby Cordell, won a Third Consecutive First Place UIL Title in as many years, Saturday during the State Competition in Austin by taking First Place on Prose Interpretation.

Debra Swanner place First in Class A Typing at the State Meet and Tracy Dossey, place Second in Class A Shorthand.

Gorman had three of the five Big Country High School Students, who won First or Second Place in the State University Interscholastic League Literary meet.

This record speaks highly of the type of Instructors and Students we have in Gorman High School.

Congratulations to these students and their teachers.

Jack Wilson Laid To Rest

Friday

Jack Wilson, 56, of De Leon, a retired farmer, was dead on arrival at De Leon Hospital about 8:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 27, following a heart attack. Services was at 10:00 a.m. at Nowlin Funeral Home.

Aaron Flowers officiated. Burial was at Sand Hill Cemetery.

Born December 16, 1926, in the Duster Community, he

FUND STARTED FOR FAYE **McCLEAREN**

A fund for Faye McClearen has been estabilshed at First National Bank for the purpose of assiting her in replacing her household goods and clothing which was destroyed last week in a fire when her home burned. Contributions may be made at First National Bank to the Faye McClearen Fire Fund.

-GP-

CARD OF THANKS We would like to thank Dr. N. Aguila, the nurses and hospital staff for their care and to friends and family for the cards, visits, and flowers while Verl was in

the hospital. Robert, Kathey and Verl Ervin

married Modena Fraley, October 28, 1947, in Breckendridge. He was a veteran of World War II and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Kenneth of De Leon and Bill of Breckenridge; a daughter, Nita Gonzalez of De Leon; two brother Doyle Wayne of South Korea and Roy of Hobbs, N.M.; four sisters, Lorene Phillips, Grace Carlton and Johnny Seckinger, all of De Leon, and O'Dean Gilchrest of Penwell; and six grandchil-

dren. -GP-

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank each and officers for the Coming every one of you for the year. cards, telephone calls, visits, All members and food and most of all the parents are urged to atprayers for us during tend. Velma's stay in the hospital. -GP-May God Bless Each Of You **TO THE FRIENDS** Velma & Earney Todd **OF RESSIE MOSELEY** -GP-Our sincere Thanks LVN Registeration and Appreciation for the many kindnesses shown Set at CJC during the last rites for Pre-testing for the Cisco our Mother. Junior College August, 1983 We were reminded Licensed Vocational Nursing again that there really is Program in Cisco will be held not place like home, Tuesday, May 10 at 8:30 especially when "Home" a.m. in the nursing classhappens to be in Gorman. room located in the Vocation-The Ressie al I building. Moseley Family Prospective students must Zelma Lee Perry be at least 17 years of age Rae Leazar and must be in good physical Verl Burton and mental health. Students **Robbie Mehaffey** must be high 'school gradu--GP-

GORMAN RECEIVES ONE AND HALF INCHES OF RAINFALL Thunder storms early

Monday morning dumped 11/2 inches of percipitation on the city of Gor-

man. Gorman was more fortunate than our De Leon neighbors who received a large hail storm. They also received over two inches of precipitation.

Some areas in the Gorman area received less moisture and others received more.

-GP-

4-H CLUB NEWS Gorman 4-H Club will

meet Monday, May 9, 7:30 at the First United Methodist Church.

This will be our last

meeting for the school

year. We will elect our

THE ONE THING THE FORCED DEPOSIT LAW IS SURE TO CLEAN OUT IS YOU POCKETBOOK

A legislative bill has been introduced that will have a great impact on the consumers of Texas. It will require you pay a deposit on returnable containers. We urge you to let you Texas legislator know how you feel about this costly legislation by letter of phone call. If you need further information the Texas Resource and Environmental Council who oppose this type of legislation will be happy to work with you.

An active group in Texas are working for passage of forced deposit law which they state will end Texas' litter problem. We want you to know that the only thing this law will really clean is your pocketbook.

HERE's WHY . . . with the forced deposit law, YOU'LL HAVE TO PAY AT LEAST 5c IN DEPOSIT FOR EVERY **3EER OR SOFT DRINK you** buy in glass, plastic or aluminum containers.

To get your deposit back, OU'LL HAVE TO SPEND MORE GAS AND MORE TIME. Because the forced deposit law requires you to return your empty containers to the store where you bought them or to another store that sells THE PAR-**TICULAR BRAND OF BEV-**ERAGE YOU BOUGHT. And before you get your deposit back, chances are YOU'LL HAVE TO WAIT IN LINE TO GET ALL YOUR CANS AND BOTTLES COUNTED

But that's just the beginning. THE GROCER'S HANDLING COST OF CANS AND BOTTLES WILL VIR-TUALLY EXPLODE. First, the store needs someone to count and refund all deposits. Then, all those containers must be sorted by brand name for collection. While the piles of unwashed containers are waiting for pickup, THEY COULD AT-TRACT HORDES OF RO-DENTS AND PESTS, when the trucks from each distributor arrive, the containers must be recounted and checked for brand consistency.

be on the lookout for the ad announcing the big event. -J-

Congratulations to our students participating in UIL. Toby and Debra won first places and Tracy took second place after tying first place but had the misfortune of turning her paper in second, and, therefore was named second place winner. -J-

And remember to smile - because God Loves You!

In Loving Memory of Cecil Collins

Husband, father, brother, friend, But most of all a Christian man.

whole life long.

tional Teen-Ager, now in its 12th year.

The winner of the State pageant will receive a cash award, crown, banner and round-trip flight to the National Pegeant to compete with other State Winners for the title of MISS NATIONAL PRE-TEEN of 1983. Contestants will be judged on interview, poise-personality, appearance and talent.

Miss Holland is being sponsored by Big State Distributing of Dallas, Texas.

Her hobbies include dance, voice, piano, musical theatre, competitive roller skating, soccer, and baseball. -GP-

Monthly Musical Friday, May 13

The Monthly Musical will be held at the Fire Hall at 7:00 p.m. Friday, May 13.

A wholesome family entertainment. Musicians are invited to participate in the program. A food booth will be available for refreshments.

Everyone is invited. -GP-

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

My thanks to Joe Bennett for his liberal contribution toward the expence of the All Awards Banquet. His generosity was greatly appreciated. Also to Henderson's Quickway Grocery, The First National Bank and Gorman Pharmacy for their assistance with ticket sales.

J.W. Maxfield Superintendent

A quiet man, with faith so strong, He went about doing good to others his two classes of mature Holstwo classes of mature Holstein cows. The 4-Hers judging were Stacey Slampa, Rebecca Scitern, Becky Underwood and Terry Davies.

Twelve 4-Hers judged livestock starting with sheep at Dicky Burgess' in Carbon. These 4-Hers judged one class of market lambs and one on breeding sheep. Next the 4-Hers moved to the John Kidd ranch were they judged two classes of Angus heifers. The last stop was at Don Laminacks east of Gorman where they judged one class of breeding gilts and one class of market hogs. The 4-H livestock judges were Howard Lawrence, Toby and Stephanie Long, Lee DeLong, Derrick White, Stacey Green, Brian Bailey, Ricky and Darla Cagle, Glenn Burgess, Shane Burgess, Stephen Slampa and Noble Laminack.

The 4-Hers and the Extension office would like at this time to thank some of the 4-H leaders who helped us out. These leaders are Robert Slampa, Leo Williams, Dicky Burgess, John Kidd, Don Laminack, Ronnie Cagle and Dr. Bill Jackson. Without adult support educational programs like this couldn't happen. Thank-you. -GP-

5TH 6WKS HONOR ROLL SR.

A Toby Cordell Dane Gressett **Diane Fischer**

AB **Tracy Dossey** Phil Osborne Dee Dee Rodgers Laneta Simmons **Rodney Reese** Veronica Kight **Richard Summers**

JR A

Alfie Pino Kristi Odell



Kristy Barnett, 20 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barnett of Gorman will depart from Houston on May 14, 1983 to fly to Italy. She will join the Study-Abroad Program sponsored by the Texas A&M University. This

group of aproximately 25 students and 6 professors will be lead by Dean Candida Luzes, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts. The accredited courses being offered are History of Art, Classical Home. Archaology, English, Management and others. The

group will fly to Amsterdam, Holland where they will stay overnight to tour this city. much. Then they will fly to Milan,

Italy. From here they will travel to La Poggerina, where they will live in a converted monastery for 7 weeks. Classes will be held

on Monday through Wednesday, then there will be planned tours on Thursday days. and Friday. The students are

free on the weekends for local touring or getting acquainted with the people of this cultural center of Italy.

Some of the major cities to be toured are Pisa, Rome, Genoa, Venice, Assisi, Vesuvius, Pompeii, Naples, The Amalfi Coast, Vinci (birthplace of Leonardo di Vinci) and the Independent Country of San Marino. During these tours they will visit museums, art galeries, cathedrals, gardens, plazas, and ancient Grecian ruins.

This group will return to the States on July 4th, Kristy is a sophomore student at the Texas A&M University, majoring in Business Administration. She has enjoyed the opportunity of doing some modeling in connection with the Hospitality Modeling Team and freelance photograplay modeling. She is employed by the University as secretary to Dr. Thomas Hilde, head of the Geodynamics Dept. Kristy is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John West of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett of Eastland. -GP-**CARD OF THANKS** I want to thank Dr. L. Aguila and all the nurses and hospital staff for the care they gave while I was in the Blackwell Hospital. They were all wonderful. Thanks to my friends and loved ones for the flowers, gifts, cards and visits. I will always remember you kindness. Mary Choate

KOKOMO HOME EXTENSION CLUB HOST PARTY

The Kokomo Home Extension Club went to Gorman Care Center at 2:00 P.M. Thursday April 28 to honor the residents having April birthdays.

Ladies honored were Mmes. Vera Taylor, Sadie Russell, Lennie Smith and Minnie Allen. Each lady was presented a pink Carnation in a greeen bud Vase by the

The Star Bright Band from **Rising Star entertained with** many lovely number which every one enjoyed very

Birthday cake, punch, diet cake and diet Dr. Peppers were served after the Birthday song - Mrs. Velma Bennett made the diet cake.

These parties are held the last Thursday in the Month to honor that Months birth-

Those serving were Mmes J.L. Morrow, Nancy Hendricks, Velma Bennett, Tona Sharpp and Jettie Daniels. -GP-

LOOK WHO'S NEW IT"S A GIRL

Jonny and Arlette Ervin of Gorman wish to announce the arrival of their daughter, Chassi Le Keesha Ervin. Born at 2:35 P.M. on May 2, 1983 at Stephenville General Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 2 oz. and was 22 inches long. Maternal grandmother is

Sue Mathews of De Leon. Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis of Gorman.

Maternal great great grandparents are Mr. and

ates or have successfully taken the GED examination establishing high school equivalency.

For full information, interested persons (male 10 female) may contact Gerald Bint, Vocational Dean or Wanda Wheatley, program instructor at (817) 442-2567.

-GP-

Ressie Moseley Services Held April 27

Mrs. Ressie Moseley, formerly of Gorman, died in Arlington, April 25, 1983. Funeral services were held at 9:30 a.m. April 27 at Williamsburg Funeral Home in Arlington.

Graveside services were held at 4:00 p.m. in Gorman Cemtery.

Mrs. Moseley was a long time resident of Gorman and had lived in Arlington for many years.

Survivors are her daughters, Zelma Lee Perry, Rae Leazar, Verl Burton and Robbie Mehaffey.

Kokomo and Simpson **Cemetery To Hold** Working May 14

Saturday, May 14, 1983 is the day for the annual KOKOMO and SIMP-SON Cemetery Working.

Basket lunches will be spread at the Kokomo Community Building at 12:00 noon and the annual business meeting of the Cemtery Association

Please try to join us this designated day, spread lunch together and enjoy fellowship as only KOKOMO folks do.

-GP-

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sanders of Odessa visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Holliday. Mrs. Terry Clark and children visited in the home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Bell and Jolene visited recently with Mrs. Velma Bennett.

will be at 1:00 p.m.

It's cumbersome process. And costly.

Because unlike our voluntary recycling system that pays for itself, and PAYS **TEXAS CONSUMERS OVER** \$20 MILLION A YEAR, the forced deposit law will result in higher prices. In fact, **PRICES IN FORCED DEPO-**SIT STATES PROVE THAT ALL THE COSTS GET PASS-ED ALONG TO THE CON-SUMER. The real irony of the forced

Cecil was a giving man, not just his money but his time as well How many people did his life touch who could ever tell?

Like the pebble dropped in water, the ripples going on and on, God reaps the harvest of the seed that this man has sewn.

Did he struggle when Death came knocking at his door? No, he surrendered his will and said, "Praise the Lord, forever morel'

Though his time has ended here on earth, The treasures he left behind, love and peace are jewels of great worth.

So beloved and friends, grieve not for this fine Christian man, For he waits with our Lord to greet us when we get to that Heavenly land. Debra Swanner

AB Gina Burger **Eddie Pettit** Mark Swanner Michael Silva

SOPH. A

AB Lisa Foster **Russ Gressett** Angie Plaunty Arcelia Ramariz Stephen Slampa Kathrine Turner Charla Little

FRESH. AB

Randy Anderson Danny Barnett Virginia Leonard Tammy Campbell Janie Flores Rhett Harrison

Mrs. Marvin Lewis of Gorman and Mr. Bill Maynard of Rising Star.

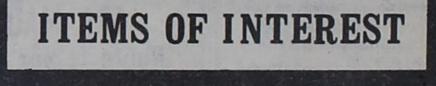
Maternal Aunt is Cindy Mathews of De Leon.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Turner of Gorman.

Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M.G. Ervin of Gorman. And Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucky of Ranger.

Paternal great great grandmother is Mrs. Lela Clark of Gorman. Paternal uncle is Jimmie Turner Jr. of Gorman. Paternal aunts are Kathrine, Gloria and Kristina Turner of Gorman.

Chassi makes five generations in the Clark, Maynard and Lewis families. She also makes four generations in the Ervin and Lucky families.



Chamber of Commerce School Board will meet will meet Thursday, May 12 at 9:00 a.m. at City Hall.

A musical will be held each

Gorman Chapter 443

at 7:30 P.M.

Q.E.S. meets the 1st

second Friday night at 7 p.

m. The public is invited to

Monday each month

Woman's Auxiliary of

Blackwell Hospital meets

first Tuesday of each

month at the Senior

Citizens Center at 3:00

attend.

P.M.

Monday, May 9.

Carbon School Board will meet Monday, May o

The Gorman City Commission will meet Monday, May 9 instead of Thursday, May 5th.

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd

Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.



FOR RENT: Two spaces for mobile homes. Call Jolene Gilliland 734-2927 Home - store, 734-2840 or Kay Henry, 734-2255 1-13-FNC. office.

FOR SALE: One registered Appaloosa horse has been trained. Keith Whitt, 734-2015. 4-5-5 C.

RCG LEASING, INC. Medical Speciality Southside of square Eastland, 629-8052

Buy or lease Walkers, Wheelchairs, Hospital Beds, Oxygen, etc. Medicare Approved -Free Deliveries. 1-27-fnc

FOR SALE: Recently remodeled house, 893-6630 \$10,000. 4-21-FNC.

FOR SALE: Suziki Dirt Bike, Good condition, \$300, 817-734-2613.

4-21-FNC. FOR SALE: 50x120 lot on the edge of Gorman city limits. Call 734-2379 or 4-28 FNC. 734-2777.

FOR SALE: Cute brick home, 5 blocks from downtown De Leon. 1100 sq. ft. Big lot, New roof and carpet, \$18,000.00 Take some trade. Call 734-2371. 4-5-19 C.

LOST: Six Yerling heifers, all branded. Any information appreciated. Call 734-2049. 3-5-19 P.

HOME IMPROVEMENT REAL ESTATE: 88 acres, lots of pavement, trees, Coastal, peanut land, \$700 Acre. 40 to 85 acres all Coastal, 1 tank, near pavement, Pretty home site, \$800 per acre. Good terms.

25 Acres. Most all good cultivation. Some trees, \$800 acre. All located within five miles of Gor-

man. **COGBURN REALTY** De Leon 893-6666

2-17-FNC. TWO FAMILY GAR-AGE SALE: Friday and Saturday at home of Paul Murry on Hwy. 6 East. Dishes, children and adult clothes, 2 column speakers, Microwave Over, Riding Lawn mower, and many misc. 1-5-5 C. items.

HOME MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION All Types of Concrete Cemetery curbing & slabs

Roofing, Floor Covering and etc. Call Cisco, 442-3105. 4-5-12 P.

TWO FAMILY CAR **PORT SALE:** Friday and Saturday at the home of McCormick. Pam Dresser, and bedstead, 2 twin beds, Children and adult clothes. Many misc. items.

893-2104. 1-5-5 C. 1-5-5 C. Fraley.

WELCOME

THE GORMAN PROGRESS MAY 5, 1983

CARBON NEWS By Mrs. Bob Hasting 639-2517

O.R. (Babe) Mitchel, a former Carbon resident, passed away late Saturday in a Seymour hospital. Funeral service was held Tuesday in McCauley - Smith Funeral Home. Burial was in Munday, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Barton of Azle visited Mrs. Ellen Petree last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith returned home Friday after a ten day visit with their son Dennis Smith of Orlando, Florida.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines were Mrs. Ruth Speer, Port Neches; Mrs. Berniece Hines of New Orleans, Louisiana; Mrs. Sue Popham of Stillwater, Oklahoma; Mrs. Minnie Dugger of Temple.

Wayne Walker of Odessa spent the weekend with his mother Mrs. Cricket Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stennett of Bryson an-

CAROUSEL New Mother's Day gifts and cards. Also graduation gifts. We will be open all day Saturday, May 7 for your Mother's day shopping. 1-5-5 C.

FOR SALE: 1973 Chevrolet 1/2 ton, four wheel drive, 350 engine, automatic with air and lock out hubs. 1977 Chevrolet, 1/2 ton, 4

nounced the arrival of a daughter Rebecca Lyn on Monday April 25. She has two sisters Delisa and Amanda to welcome her. Also her maternal granmother Mrs. Lois Harle of Carbon and paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Harle of Cisco.

Mr and Mrs. James Smith and Jo Ann accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C.N. Reubeu of Weatherford to Fairfield Bay, Arkansas for a short vacation last week. Visisting Mrs. Elizabeth

Sandlin during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Charles

LEGAL NOTICE Effective May 6, 1983, the

Gorman Landfill will be locked each day except Friday. Friday it will be open from 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 and from 1:00 to 5:00. During this time there will be an attendant on duty to supervise the landfill. All citizesn of Gorman who pay a trash fee will be allowed to dump at no charge, in most cases. Those not paying a trash fee will be charged a minimum fee of \$3.00 for any dump up to and including a pickup load. For loads above a pick-up the charge will be \$6.00 per load. Additional charges may be made for dumping roofing and such types of material

from construction jobs.

Thank you for observing



won game three and the

Week before last winners

Last Thursday was our

were: Lonzo Coffman, Ollie

Nelson, They were the lucky

winners of the entire game.

Birthday Party for April.

Those having birthdays

were: Vera Taylor, Sadie

Russell, Lennie Smith and

Minnie Allen. They all

received a beautiful carna-

The flower for April, how-

ever is the, Sweet Pea. The

Birthstone for April is a,

Diamond. As the saying

goes, A diamond is a girls

For our entertainment, we

had the Rising Star Senior

Citizens Band, and believe

me when I say they are realy

good, Because they are, just

ask any one of your friends

up here and they will tell you

tion in a bud vase.

best friend.

Oscar Carr.

Black Out game.

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Everyone here was very thankful for the nice rain, as was all the farmers. Sorry some places had hail, truly hope it didn't damage things to much.

Last week's bingo winners were: Jesse Roberts, Ollie Nelson, Oscar Carr, Lonzo Sandlin and Mrs. Dora Sandlin of Springtown and Carol Sandlin of Lubbock.

Visistors with Mrs. Lois Harle on Sunday were her son J.R. Harle and children of Springtown; Her daughter Mrs. Doris Harle and children of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Girtz Anginette and Jason, Abilene spent part of this week with Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hale visitted their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stephenson and Tonya of Fort Worth part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Mary Smith of Haskel on Saturday. Mrs. Rosetta Hagan accompanied her sister Mrs. Delores McCullock and the Cisco Wrangler Belles of Cisco on their trip to Washington, D.C. part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhyne and girls of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings during the weekend.

DESDEMONA NEWS

month will be a Cosmetic Demonstration by: Gloria Glasson, on the 13th. which is a Friday, at 10:a.m.

Everyone is coridaly invited to attend.

We are still having Singing on Thursday Nights at 7:P.M. Hope you'll be with us on these nights as we do indeed need you.

The smallest deed is betterthan the greatest intention.

'77 Chevrolet Caprice 4door, cruise, tilt, electric windows, doors and seats, a real good car.

'76 Buick LeSabre Landau, Some one really took care of this one. As clean as the day it was driven off the show room floor.

'76 Bonneville Pontiac. 4door. A real good car bought new here in De Leon.

'78 Ford Courier PU. A little rough but lots of miles left in it.

'78 El Camino PU. Good looking, good running ca standard with transmission.

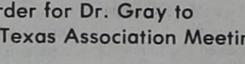
Pitt's Cars 204 E. Pecan - 893-6650 **DE LEON, TEXAS**

the same. Our resident of The London underground the month of April, was is the world's largest Our special event for this subway system. It covers a distance of 252 miles.

****** NOTICE

> The Family Denistry Office of DR. JIM GRAY

will be closed Friday, May 6, in order for Dr. Gray to attend the Texas Association Meeting.



Box 41, Morgan Mill, Texas. License No. TXS102-1265 and No. TXS110-5119. 1-5-5 C. FOR SALE: Long formal, size 5, yellow. Excellent condition worn only one

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May 7th at 11:00 a.m.

Tractors, Loaders, Culti-

vators, Chisels, Welders,

Trailers, Equipment

Trailers, Pickup and

other items. Consign-

835-4317. Sale conducted

by L.L. Auction Service,

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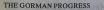
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welcome,

time. A boys Blue Suit, size 8, slim, good condition. Mrs. Tommy Clark,

> YARD SALE: Thursday and Friday starting at 9:00 a.m. Several families clothes, toys, household items. At the home of Era 1-5-5 C.









MAY 5, 1983 **Hopkins County Youth Receive** Rural Heroism

Award Award Eleven-year-old Chris Wilhite and his ten-year-old sister Any of Saltillo (Hog-kins County) received the 1983 Rural Heroism Award here today for their rolter who severely mangled his right arm in a farm accident last June. The presentation was

right arm in a farm accident last June. The presentation was made by Millard Shivers, awards chairman of the Tex-as farm and Ranch Safety Council, during the annual meeting of the Texas/South-western Safety Conference and Exposition. Ben Bull-ard, assistant director of the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department, is the council president. Two other nominees, Mrs. Paul For of Desdemona (Easthand Councily) and John Henshall of Beeville (Bee County), received hoorable mention.

Henshall of Beevule tock County), received honorable mention. Mrs. Fox probably saved the life of her husband when he jumped on a funaway tractor and stopped it, after the man had been knocked unconscious by a tree he was pulling down with the trac-tor. Henshall used a front-end loader to lift a tractor which had overtuned on a co-worker, Leroy Robbins, as the two were excavating dirt to build some terraces. Last June 23, Steve Wil-hite, 30, was working with a hay baler on his 160-acre dairy farm near Saltillo in norhteast Texas when he slipped, pinning his right tard in the rollers of the baler.

Responding to Wilhite's cry for help, Chris and Amy came running from a nearby

Minnie Bryan

MINIME Bryan RANGER - Minnie Bryan, 85, of Ranger, died at 4:45 am. Tuesday, May 3, 1983 at the Western Manor Nurs-ing Home after a long illness. Services will be 2:30 p.m. Thursday at First Christian Church in Ranger. Officiating will be James t Evergreen Cometery, un-er the direction of Edward's uneral Home. She was born Dec. 13 units

Evergance the direction of Edward-aeral Home. She was born Dec. 12, 1897, Valley Springs, Ark. She me to Texas when she was and married Lawrence ryan on June § 1951, in Gor-an. They owned and oper-ied restaurants for 30 years, cluding Porky Pig. El Ran-be and Bryan's Cafe. She was preceded in death by a

son, Herman, in 1958. She was a member of the First Church of Christ since the 1930s. Survivors include her hus-band; three sons, Eual of Odessa, Buford of Covington, Ky. and Raymon of Ranger:

oband; three sons, E Odessa, Buford of Cov Ky., and Raymon of F a daughter, Vera Bell lestine; three brothers, Hampton of Gorman, of De Leon, and Cheste pton of Houston; a Mrs. Virgie Mauney of man; five grandchildr swen great-trandchildr

Mrs. C.O. Gregory visited in Lampkin Friday and Satur-day with her brother Martin Geye and neice Freddie Sills. A sister Amy Helms of Gatesville visited with the families and all attended the Lampkin Cemetery working.

boyini. J.W. McKay, who lives fare Mount Vernon, has in agreement with the hospital three to use his helioopter to to gatients in selectories constraints. All the selectories the selectories of the top arking of the selectories of arking developments. All the selectories of the back mangel darm, be-the back mangel darm, be-the



Sale Begins Friday, May 7 and We will be Open On Saturday, all day and Sunday Afternoon, May 8th. Sale will continue until all merchandise is sold. Last day May 28

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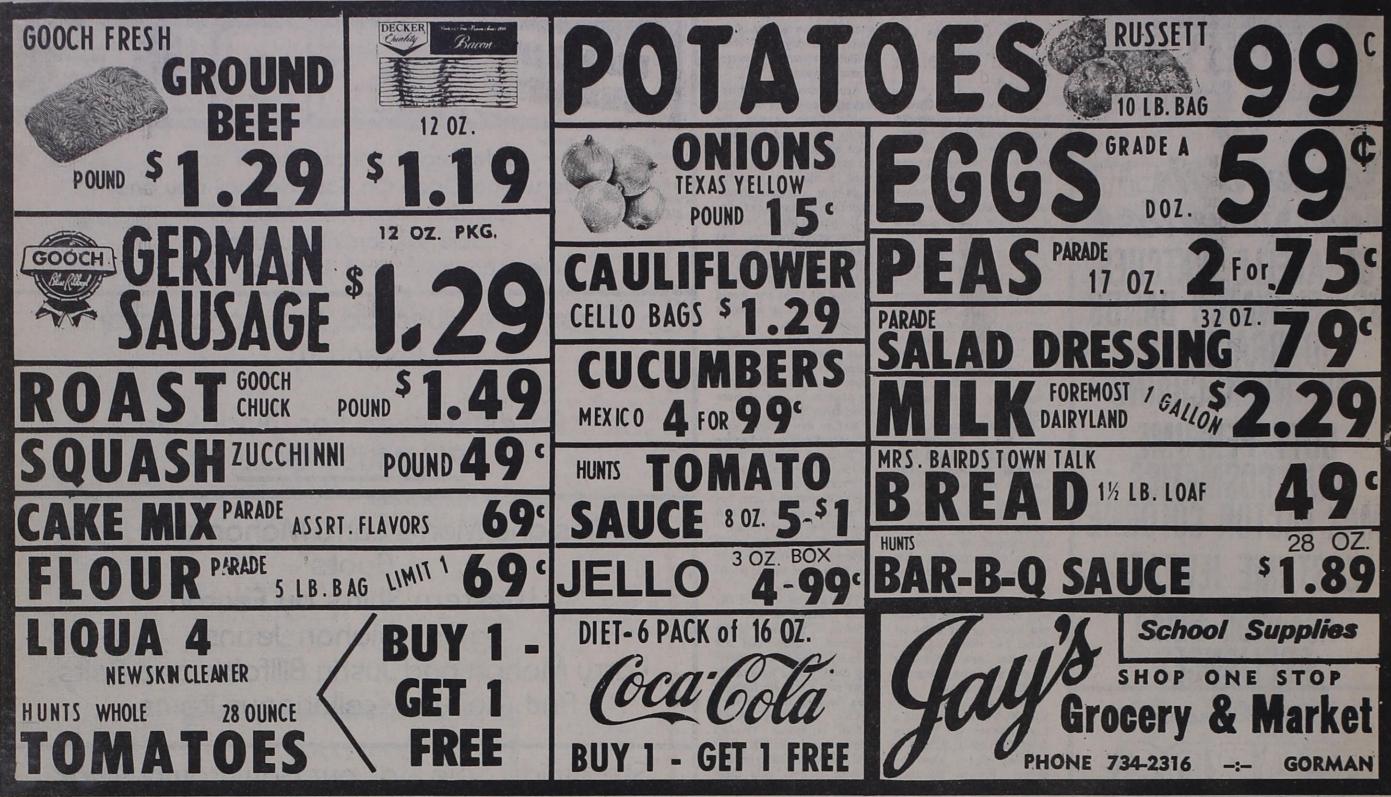
Storewide Sale - at our downtown Store and our Trailer or Tent Sale on Hwy. 6,



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THE GORMAN PROGRESS

KOKOMO NEWS By Zelda Jordan

A much needed rain fell in the community on Monday morning. Reports were from .2 to .6 of an inch. As far as I've heard, there was no hail in the community.

Maxfield back home for Sunday morning services at the

visitor on Sunday night.

Anna Laura Clearman, her sisters, Jessie McCaffety of Amarillo and Edna Sudduth of Winters and Mrs. Sudduth's daughters, Joyce It was nice to have Mel Choate of Abilene and Pat Page and daughters, Becky and Connie of Merkel were

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and Mrs. Sudduth before returning to her home in Amarillo.

Blanton Clearman of Lamesa visited in the J.C. Clearman home last week. Jim Joiner, of McCamey a

brother of Bill Joiner, was buried at McCamey on Saturday, April 30. Mrs. Bill Joiner, and Pete Joiner of Gorman, Gearldean Singleton, Mrs. Freda Joiner and Ray Joiner of De Leon attended the funeral service for Mr. Joiner. Sincere sympathy to the Joiner family. Funeral services for Mrs.

Lee Nabors were held at De Leon on Monday. She was a gram, "Super Snackers".

Lake Brownwood, I.G. Wharton of Fort Worth and Clifford and Lurline Nelson of Carbon were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Crawley during the weekend.

Mrs. Gothard, Mrs. Hawthorne and Mr. and Mrs. Lovell also visited with the Glenn Jordans and the Clifford Nelsons.

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club will meet in the home of Mrs. J. C. Clearman on Monday, May 9, 1983 at 2:00 P.M. Mrs. Clearman will give the pro-

TDH Requires Students To Have Immunizations

birthday.

to 12 years.

of age.

Mumps immunization

Rubella immunization

given after the child's 1st

birthday, and up to 17 years

A Physician's Verification

after the 1st birthday, and up

The Texas Department of Public Health requires that all students enrolled in Texas schools have the following immunizations before entering school: 3 DPT shots, plus one

booster shot given after the child's 4th birthday. 3 Oral Polio immuniza-

of Measles/Mumps Illness tions, plus a booster after the child's 4th birthday. school.

in school are urged to conmust be on record with their tact their school principal or school nurse to determ A Tetanus/Diphtheria the immunization needs of booster shot is required

every 10 years.

the child's record.

record is up to date.

The TDH will not accept

ting so large that the school

officials are within their

rights not to enroll a student

until his/her immunization

All parents with children

their child or children before the 1983-84 school year.

the year that the immuniza-Mr. and Mrs. Cliff tion was given, the month, Cornileus of Dallas visited day and year are required on over the weekend with her mother Mrs. Roy Crawley With the influx of out-ofand sister Mr. and Mrs. state students coming into Snooks Craddock of Sun-Texas, our schools are get-

down.

The term "Hallmark" originates from the practice of jewelers in Goldsmiths' Hall in London who put a seal on their gold and silver products to certify value. The human body is built around a frame containing 206 bones. The whole works is linked together

Kokomo Baptist Church, and also his dad, Mr. Jud Maxfield of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. George McKelvy of Lake Leon and Alissa Burgess of Granbury. Wordene Hawthorne of Dallas was a

start

among those enjoying the Washington, D.C. - Virginia Tour with the Cisco Junior College Band and Wrangler Belles last week. Jessie McCaffety has been visiting with Mrs. Clearman

Eastland County Bowling Center Eastland, Texas

LEAGUES WILL BE FORMING ON:

Monday Afternoon Ladies	May 9 - 1:30
Monday Night Mens	May 9 - 7:00
Tuesday Night Ladies	May 10 - 7:00
Wednesay Night Ladies	May 11 - 7:00
Thursday Morning Ladies	May 12 - 9:30
Thursday Night Couples	May 12 - 6:00
Thursday Night Late Mens	May 12 - 8:00

Leagues will be forming to see how many persons are interested in each of these leagues.

MEETINGS AT BOWLING CENTER

cousin to Mrs. W.F. Bryant and Mrs. Bill Joiner. Our sincere sympathy to them. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoy and Robin of Plano visited during the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W.A. O'Neal

and with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Mrs. Claude Fuller spent last week in Abilene caring for grandchildren, Chad and Lindsay Eaton while their parents, Wayne and Christi Eaton were on a trip to

Hawaii. Verna Lasater of Eastland spent Friday night and Saturday with Dora Garrett. Others visiting in the Garrett home on Saturday were Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and James Little and Cody Fails of Abilene.

Edrie Gothard of O'Brien, Wordene Hawthorne of Dallas, Buddy and Lila Lovell of

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