Press Points

Joe Bennett, Publisher

—J— If the paper doesn't look exactly right this week, then blame Lonnie, 'cause he took off the last of the week and has not returned. He is taking his "vacation" in the hospital with a visit with Dr. L. He has been in the hospital since Friday but was expected to be out Thursday or Friday if all goes well. Naturally he would return to work after paper is printed. So if the paper is messed

up this week, don't blame old Joe, cause it's really Lonnie's fault. -J-

week, we didn't get to attend the All Awards Ban- this fall. Her interests inquet on Tuesday night. clude riding horses and Guess this is the first one competing in Junior we have missed as far as I Rodeos. Marla also enjoys remember. Hope the crowd playing soccer and played was good because the youth this spring on the Gorman of our town and school deserve all the praise we can give for excelling in academics, sports, band and all other activities of the school.

Also I missed the opportunity to devour some more of that good food. Makes me hungry just thinking about it.

We received a report on Tuesday afternoon from Bill Miears that they expect to have the swimming pool open on May 25th if all goes well. There is a lot of wprk and preparation necessary, but they hope that things will be completed by the 25th when they plan to open the pool. The kids will be looking forward to the pool opening after school is out the week before.

-J-Also don't forget the Friday Night Musical this Friday night at the Fire Hall at 7 p. m. There will be lots od good music and food, along with a plenty of goof fellowship.

The weather around here seems to be getting dryer by the day with no rainfall in the forecast for the immediate future. Things are in the critical stage in these parts as far as moisture is concerned for the farmers. Most have put down fertilizer and chemicals but there is certainly not enough moisture to even think of planting possibilities. Sure hope the Good Lord blesses us with rain soon. Otherwise there may not be any planting around here.

Don't forget the Bean Supper Thursday night at the school cafeteria beginning at 6 and serving continuing thru 8:30 p. m. Beans, cornbread, pickles, onions, cobbler and iced tea will be the event to raise funds for their Miss Gorman candidate, the proceeds of which will go to the renovation fund for the fire hall building. So go out and enjoy the bean supper and at the same time help support the fund. Mama will enjoy the night off from cooking as well.

Voting was fairly good for the May Primary on Saturday. The election for Constable was so close, 371 to 365, that there will be a recount. Encumbent L. T. Owens edged out Albert Lawrence by only 41 votes. Don Underwood out-polled his two opponents in the Sheriff's race by a margin eliminating a run-off.

AND LITTLE MISS CONTESTANTS



MARLA SMITH Candidate for Kokomo Community Club

The Kokomo Community Club is sponsoring Marla Smith for Little Miss Gorman. Marla is the 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith of Gorman. She all the works out and the is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Roane of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe K. Smith of McKinney. Mrs. Leola Alderman of Eastland is her greatgrandmother.

With Lonnie out this Marla will be entering Kindergarten in Gorman Little Pistols Soccer Team.

-GP-



JULIE BROWN Candidate for CofC

Representing the Chamber of Commerce is Julie Brown daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Brown. Julie is 15, and a sophomore at Gorman High School. She was cheeleader in grades seven, eight and freshman year. Also her freshmen year she was voted Freshmen favorite and represented the freshmen class as princess for homecoming. She will be one of the cheerleaders for the Panthers for the 84-85 season. Julie's hobbies are sewing and cooking.

Kokomo-Simpson **Cemetery Meeting** And Homecoming Set Saturday May 12

Saturday, May 12 is the day for the annual KOKO-MO and SIMPSON Cemetery meeting and homecoming.

Basket lunches will be spread at the Kokomo Community Center at 12:00 noon and the annual business meeting of the Cemetery Association will be at 1:00 p.m.

Everyone interested is invited to join us on this served. The Chamber of designated day, spread fellowship with friends, neighbors, and relatives.

Cemetery Association Committee Zelda Jordan, Secretary

-GP-

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express my thanks to our friends, neighbors and relatives for the cards, flowers and food sent to our home during my recent months of illness and surgery.

Especially do we thank each one for your prayers. I have been wonderfully blessed by words of encouragement and your prayers. Thank you so

Faye Overstreet and family

And remember to smile -- because God Loves You!



SOMMER CLARK Candidate for Lions Club

Sommer Leigh Clark, age 4, is happy to represent the Gorman Lions Club in the Little Miss Gorman Pageant. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Clark. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Clark. She has one sister, Sharla, and one brother, Christian. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murray of Gorman and Mr. Ray Blevins of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Sommer enjoys playing with her kitten and going swimming and skating. She loves dressing up and going to church. Her favorite color is blue.

-GP-



sponsored by the Gorman Fire Department is 5 years Treadway. She has a big sister, Angela and a baby brother, Keith. She attends

and Mrs. Norman Park of Kellogg of Gorman. De Leon, Mr. and Mrs.



Candidate for Lions Club Lisa Foster, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster, si being sponsored by the Lion's Club. Lisa is the granddaughter of Mr. Henry Scitern and Mrs. Lorene Foster. Lisa is seventeen years

LISA FOSTER

old and will be a senior next year at Gorman High. Lisa has been a cheerleader all four years, class officer three years, FHA member and officer for three years, 1984 Football Sweetheart, voted Friendliest, the current Lion's Club Sweetheart, U.I.L. Typing, received the Chamber of Commerce award of highest ranking student three years and is also in band. Her hobbies are swimming, skiing, listening to music and reading.

−GP− CITY SETS DATE FOR CLEAN UP

In the Commission meeting last week, the City Commission set the dates of June 1 through June 9 as a time for the annual clean up of our town. I am sure that if you have

driven around over town, you will agree that we need lots of cleaning up done.Your City Commission urges you to take a look us clean up our town. All over town you will find abandoned autos, ice boxes, air conditioners, and just lots of plain junk. It would help our town so much if this type of property could be cleaned up.

Think about this, then act. We will make some kind of arrangements for the dumping of your trash at the landfill. We will also have city trucks available for hauling as we have in the past. If you have trash that you need the City to haul, get it in some kind of condition where it can be loaded and call the City office and tell what you have. We will try to help you in disposing of this

MELISSA HENRY Candidate for Gorman Fire Department Melissa Henry, is the

daughter of Mrs. Kay Henry of Gorman and Mrs. and Mrs. James B. Henry of Grand Prairie, Texas. She is seventeen years old and presently a junior at Gorman High School. She is a candidate for Miss Gorman sponsored by the Gorman Fire Department.

Melissa is active in the High School Band and the Gorman FHA Chapter. She was elected FHA Vice President for the 84-85 school year. Melissa was also selected as Assistant Drum Major for the next school year. She was also a U.I.L. participant in Ready Writing. Melissa's many interests and hobbies include: swimming, horseback riding, listening to music, and

> —GP— YOUTH CENTER **BAKE SALE**

Come one - Come all! To the Youth Center Bake Sale, When - Sat. May 12th. - What Time - 8:00 till all the goodies are sold.

Come and support the Youth Center. You can help your own child have a place and will be the secretary for

We are announcing the Clean Up well ahead of the time so that all of us will trash ready to go to the landfill when the time comes. In addition to cleaning up trash, what about mowing tall weeds and grass around your place? Weeds and grass left un mowed can be very unsightly as well as a health hazard. It is a good place for the breeding on insects and can become a fire

Why don't we all get with it now and lets have our town ship shape by June

.hazard in dry weather.

Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor



merce candidate for Little Miss Gorman is chasta Lee' old. She is the daughter of Ann Underwood, daughter Mr. and Mrs. Windell of Bill and Tami Underwood. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Underwood and Mr. and Mission Friends and loves Mrs. Billy Earl Simpson. to ride her bicycle. She will Her great-grandparents be entering Kindergarten are: Mrs. Willie Broom of Dublin, Mrs. Zena Simpson Grandparents are Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Ruth Reeves

She enjoys taking care of Orval Treadway of Gorman. her flower and vegetable gardens, helping her dad, playing dress-up, and ridalso enjoys loving and playing with her dog Peg.

Chasta would like to take ial Hospital. this time to give her thanks to the Chamber of Commerce for sponsoring her in the Little Miss Gorman

-GP-



CHARLA LITTLE Candidate for Kokomo Community Club

Charla is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Collins of Carbon and Mrs. Mamie Little of Lake Leon. She is the present Miss Kokomo who is sponsored by the Kokomo Community Club and the Kokomo H.P. Club.

Charla is the sixteen Charla is sixteen years old and will be a senior at Gorman High School. She is a member of the Kokomo Bapt. Church, Gorman 4-H Club, F.H.A., Pep Squad, plays on the varsity basketball team she was honored with being named on the 1st team all-district, and runs on the track team, class officer for two years 1983-84 homecoming princess, presently the F.F.A. sweetheart, served as F.H.A. officer for two years

junior year. Her hobbies are: basketball, baseball, horseback riding, skiing, swimming. have time to get our proper- She also shows steers, ty cleaned and have our lambs, hogs, and chickens all at the local show and some major shows. -GP-

JIM GRAY AND FAMILY ATTENDED TEXAS DENTAL MEETING

Dr. Jim Gray and family attended the annual Texas Dental Association in San Antonio May 4th and 5th. At a special luncheon

hosted by the Texas Dental Association Dr. Gray received a Life Membership to the Texas Dental Asso-

ber of the American Dental ciety.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICES SLATED FOR SUNDAY

Sunday, May 13, 1984

7:30 P.M.

Ruby Lee Kinser

Darrell Dossey

Processional

"Coronation March" - Meyerbeer

Pastor, First Baptist Church

Lisa Foster, Melissa Henry, Arcelia Ramirez,

Paula Gibson, Russ Gressett, Jeff Ripley

Bob Watson Pastor, Kokomo Baptist Church

Richard Watson

Ruby Lee Kinser

Pastor, New Hope Baptist Church

"Vienna March" - Schrammel

Services Held Monday

ing her three-wheeler. She of Gorman, a retired nurse, fair amount of interest and official. It will be up in the died at 4:21 p.m. Thursday some very closely contested morning before the results 3, 1984 at Eastland Memor- races.

and memorial services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at Higginbotham Funeral Home, Odell Carter, Church of Christ minister, officiated.

Comanche County, she married Roscoe Reeves in June 1936 in Eastland County. He died April 27, 1973. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons. Roscoe Jr. of Gorman and Charles C. of Richmond, Va.; three brothers, Bill Haynes of Gorman and John Haynes and Roy Haynes, both of California; and six grandchildren. -GP-

PONY LEAGUE TO OPEN **SEASON MAY 14** AT CARBON

The Gorman league baseball team will open their 1984 season at Carbon May 14, at 8:00 P.M. The first home game will be Saturday May 19 against the Cisco Panthers. Game time is 8:00 P.M.

Gorman returns seven starters from last years team. The boys have been practicing for the last three weeks and are considered by many to be one of the top teams in the league this

Gorman is a member of the Tri-Cities-League which has teams from Eastland. Ranger, Carbon, Cisco, Rising Star and Gorman. All these teams are members of the Texas Teenage League.

Members of the 1984 Gorman Cardinals are Toby Snider, Sam Brinegar, Alan Little, Tommy Curb, Scott Campbell, Scott Gressett, Ricky Morrison, Randall Michael Warren, Larry 'at the District Office. Murphy, Miguel Pacheco, ders and Larry Morrow.

with your attendance at at 2:00 P.M. their games. -GP-

CARD OF THANKS

my sincere thanks to the cards, phone calls, and the visits while I was in the hospital.

Dale G. Gilmore

Association, the Dallas Cafeteria. County Dental Society and

RECOUNT REQUESTED

The May Primary Elec- at 9. Following the recount Ruth Haynes Reeves, 73, tion on Saturday showed a the election can be declared

In the election for Con- known. The body was cremated stable of Precinct 5 encumbent Dewey Keesee edged out challenger Brent Foster by a margin of only 6 votes. Keesee polled a total of 371 votes and Foster had 365. The count was so close that Born July 23, 1910, in Brent has asked for a recount.

> IN the first returns it appeared that the margin was 41 votes. However, after all the absentee votes had been added, the count dropped to a margin of 6

The recount will be held at the Courthouse in Eastland on Saturday morning of the recount will be

In the election for Commissioner of Precinct 3, the encumbent L. T. Owens out-polled the challenger Albert Lawrence by a margin of only 41 votes.

In the Sheriff's race Don Underwood received a sufficient majority of the votes to win over two candidates and eliminate a possible

Underwood won out over second place vote getter, encumbent Johnnie Morren and third place man, Albert Biggs.

We will have the results of the recount in next week's paper.

Lions Club Set Rummage Sale Date

The Gorman Lions Club are sponsoring a Giant that you wish to donate to Rummage Sale on Saturday, May 19 at the Watermelon Shed. All proceeds will go to their Miss Gorman candidate to benefit the renovation fund for the fire hall.

PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Gorman will hold a Revenue Sharing Budget Hearing with the regular budget Hearing on May 17, 1984. The hearing will be held during the regular Commission Meeting in City Hall at 2:00 P.M. All interested citizens

are urged to attend.

If you have any items the Lions Club for the sale, please call 734-2420 or 734-2410 and the Lions will pick up your items.

The Lions will appreciate your donations of items to make this sale a success as it will go for a worthwhile

-GP-

ANNOUNCEMENTS Gorman City Commission will meet the first and third Thursday at 2:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Gorman Lions Club will meet Tuesday, May 15th at noon in the Band Hall.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

NOTICE — Anyone interest in joining a weight watchers class in De Leon call Jewell Kimmell 893-2183 or Beth Kea 893-6406 or Charlene Gilchrest 842-5852.

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around your place and re- to go, stay off the streets the coming senior year, Gibbs, Don Rodgers, Joe South Eastland County Hospital District Board will Commerce is sponsoring lunch together and enjoy solve now that you will help and you know where they named most athletic her Rodgers, Ronson Childers, meet the Third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

> and Clay Savage. Coaches A Musical will be held the Second Friday night of are Daryl Hirst, Ron Chil- each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Hall.

> The team invites you to Woman's Auxiliary of Blackwell Hospital meet first come out and support them Tuesday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center

Gorman Lodge 716 AF&AM stated meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. Members urg-I would like to express ed to attend. Visitors welcome.

Doctors and for the many Gorman Chapter 443 O.E.S. meets First Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

> 4-H and FFA Booster Club will meet the Third Monday of each month at 8:00 p.m. at the School

is board certified by the Monthly 4-H Meetings will me held the second Mon-Dr. Gray is also a mem- American Orthodontic So- day of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

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> The city will hold two public meetings to obtain information regarding desirable projects. The first meeting will be held on May 15, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. in the Senior Center offices at 118 S. Kent St., Gorman, at which time citizens may participate in the selection of a project.

A second meeting will be held on May 29, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. in the Senior Center to discuss the project selected for applica-

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all the goodies are gone.
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REMEMBER - Saturday, May 12th, is time for the KOKOMO - SIMPSON TION MEETING AND HOMECOMING. Basket lunches will be spread in the Kokomo Community Center at 12:00 noon and

the business meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m. We heard some wonderful messages from God's Word preached by Bro. James Bond during the revival at the Kokomo Baptist Church, and all the music was a blessing to us. Special music on Tuesday night was rendered by Ike Whitson and Rosetta Hagan of Carbon. Glynda Bond rendered the special music on Wednesday night with organ selections. Jimmy Little and Wynelle Brown rendered the special music on Thursday night and Friday night's special music was by a quartet, Albert Hendricks, Helen and Woodrow Browning to us. Special family and seven other couples of Cristoval, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham of McAlester, Mr. and Mrs. Betty Spann of Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Eaves attended church services on Sunday morning at First Baptist Church in Kermit.

Mrs. Dora Garrett visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and their little granddaughter, Emily Little, who was spending tist Church, and all the

Club will have a bake sale on Friday morning, May 11, in the Lander's Nut House in Gorman beginning at 8:00 a.m. Proceeds will go to the support of Kokomo's candidate for Gorman, Charla

Bro. Joe and Thelma

Terice. They all attended the wedding of Melinda Kisiah and Dom Smith on Saturday night. The Rod-gers returned home on

Little attended the Battle of Songs in Fort Worth on

Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert
Hendricks and Sylvia Buchanan of Clyde were in Houston for Albert's treatment at M.D. Anderson

candidate for Miss Gor- your support for Charla and our candidate for the Little Miss Gorman, Marla Smith. Their containers will be placed around town for your contributions. The money will all go to the Miss Gorman pageant and the Youth Center Fund.

KOKOMO NEWS

Nancy were Wilbourne and Martha Wood and Daisy Wood of Carbon, Angela Chambers of Wylie, Ester Bolt and Pualine Dennis of -GP-Gorman, Blanton Clearman of Lamesa, L.D. Holliday of Gorman, Lum Tuggle of Eastland, J.C. Clearman, Glenn Jordan and Mrs. Bill Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Eaves and Jo Ann Tubbs of Eastland spent the weekend in ing time. We are very Kermit with Deliah Eaves grateful for those that sent and Nancy Carter. They all attended a barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham in Mona-

Don O'Neal while in Hous-

ton. Visitors during the

past week with Albert and

hans on Saturday. Others

visiting and enjoying the barbecue were the Gra-ham's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tuxhorn and

family and seven other couples of Cristoval, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham of

Mrs. Dora Garrett visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and their little granddaughter, Emily Little, who was spending the afternoon with her grandparents. Emily is the daughter of Ray Neal and Melissa Little

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Glenn of Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Lisa Morrow and Kristen of El

tian University and the

Carbon and Mr. and Mrs.

Mike Rodgers also attend-

Steve Gilbert has been

visiting with his grandparents, Mrs. Odis Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd

Melissa Little.

and Woodrow Browning and Bro. Bob Watson with Glynda Bond at the piano. THE Kokomo Extension

Paso were visitors here with Mrs. Odis Rodgers, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert and Floydene and they were all in Abilene Little. O'Neal returned home on Saturday. They had been in Odessa for the past few attend Steve Gilbert's grad-Odessa for the past few weeks where Bro. Joe un- uation from Abilene Chrisderwent back surgery. Their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mearse brought them John Rodgers and Jonna of home. We're glad they are back home, and we wish Bro. Je continued improve- ed the graduation on Sun-

Cullen and Ava Rodgers spent Friday night in San antonio with Rodney and Ruth Spencer and Allen and Ava and Rodney and Ruth went on to Kingsville on Saturday for a visit with Cullen's sister, Mrs. Lois Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Kisiah, Melinda, Melissa and Justin, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brock, Mrs. and Mrs. Allen Brock, Mrs. Danny Chamrade and

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came to our newborn baby

Christopher. It is then that

we count the blessings our

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us. We realize that He has

given us the loving family

and friends that met our

every need during this try-

flowers, food, kept our 2

yr. old Nickolaus and gave

us comfort. And we are

even more thankful for the

many prayers that were offered in our behalf. We

are so grateful that our

Lord had returned this new

little life to us. He is now

home from the Ft. Worth

Childrens Hospital and is in

good health. Dearest

friends, we thank our Lord

Gene and Johnnie Barnett

Sunday visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church were Faith Ballard of East-

land, Jill Lowrance of Morton Valley, Chad Eaton of Burnet, Modess Burgess of Gorman, Alissa and Grant Lane Burgess of Granbury. Steve Gilbert was a visitor on Sunday night.

The Glenn Jordans were visiting with the Hen Jack-

visiting with the Hep Jack-sons of Carbon on Sunday

Ted Jordan and a friend

George of Munday visited briefly on Saturday with his dad, Glenn Jordan, while

on a business trip to Cisco. Mrs. Frankie Jarrett and

Mrs. Lavelle Rodgers spent Friday night in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie

Robertson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rod-

gers, Kevin, Jason and Corby and Deanna Greer of Brownwood were supper guests of Mrs. Odis Rod-

Alissa and Grant Burgess

of Granbury visited during

the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Burgess.

gers on Saturday night.

afternoon.

for your love and concern. Craig and Susan Spruill

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cers are a part of the nation wide police force, and

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ed as National Police week in recognization of all police officers in the Nation, I

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occasion.

R.O. Baze was born in Lamesa, but moved to Gorman when quite young, in August 1939. He finished High School there, and went right into the Navy in World War II. He was a Gunner's Mate, Seaman First Class, and served on a Destroyer, D.D. 367, U.S.S. Lamson. This ship the South Pacific, patrolling and directing planes.

After the war, Baze en-P.T.O. They invited the rolled in Hardin-Simmons, and earned his first Degree Independent School Dis-

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Social Studies. He then Elementary. taught at Olden for two

went to various places in he remained in Ranger, teacher, a "Migrant teachteaching for seven years, er", who works with chil-Principal for two years. He and a full time music was then hired by Eastland teacher.

participate in this special there in 1952, and B.S. in trict, and came to Siebert

and serving as Elementary dren of seasonal workers,

Baze states, "to provide instruction which gives dation for the upper grades years I have stressed phonics-have put a lot of importance in reading."

Mr. Baze and his wife, Meredith have a home on South Seaman St. Meredith Baze works as an office aide in the Superintendent's office at the High School, and also as an office aide at Siebert Elementary. The couple have a son, David, who lives with his wife, Leisa, in Oklahoma City. David, a graduate of Texas A&M, sells, installs and Oil Field Supply Company.

At the time he began as years and Carbon for two, Principal, the Siebert Elebut studied each summer mentary building was only for a Master's Degree in a year old. There were 404 Education at North Texas pupils and 15 teachers at State University, Denton. the school. Now there are He was awarded this de- 540 students and 28 teachgree in 1956, and was then ers, with 10 part-time or hired for the Ranger School full-time aides. Among these are resource teach-For the next nine years ers, speech and a reading

> "My hope has been," these children a good founand any University they wish to attend. Through the

MAY 10, 1984

DESDEMONA NEWS

By Mrs. Vonnie Guthery Phone 758-2665

Mrs. Essie Owens Rob-The ladies Monthly soerts of Warren, Rhode cial will be Monday, May Island was buried Monday 14th in the local cafe. in Desdemona Cemetery. Hosted by Dorothy Tidwell She was a former resident and Clyde Paul. Visitors are of Desdemona. Her daughter, Helen Louise Owens Bottleho also lives in War-**FARM FINANCIAL**

ren. Our sympathy goes out ACCOUNTING SHORT to this family. **COURSE TAUGHT** Melvin Abernathy re-**DURING MAY**

Farm financial accounting will be taught in a short course during May reports County Extension Agent DeMarquis Gordon. The short course will be on four Thursday nights in May beginning on May 10. Dr. Ashley Lovell, Extension Service Economist, will teach the record keeping. Each session will be from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. in the Eastland County Farm Bureau Conference Room, located on Highway 80 East

welcome.

Gordon invites everyone who is interested in learning more about farm financial records to attend one or

in Eastland.

THE GORMAN PROGRESS

Angelo hospital.

Mrs. Annie Collum.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Brown of Longview and Aunt Red Seaton of Marshall visited the week-end with Jerry and Pat Buckley.

"Congratulations" to the Seniors of '84 from our town. Graduating from De Leon High is Jeff Roberts, Son of Dorothy Roberts -

Page Four mains a patient in the San Jeff Lindley, son of Eddie and Linda Lindley - Johnny Mr. and Mrs. Bill Satter- Lewis, son of Harlan and field of Saginaw visited the Judy Lewis - Larry Page, week-end with her mother, son of Lacy and Gwen Page. Those from Lingleville High are Renee Moore, daughter of Larry and Gay Moore - Jack Rainey son of Kenneth Rainey and Irene Barfield. From Gorman High is Royce Ridens, son of Jack and Nell Ridens.

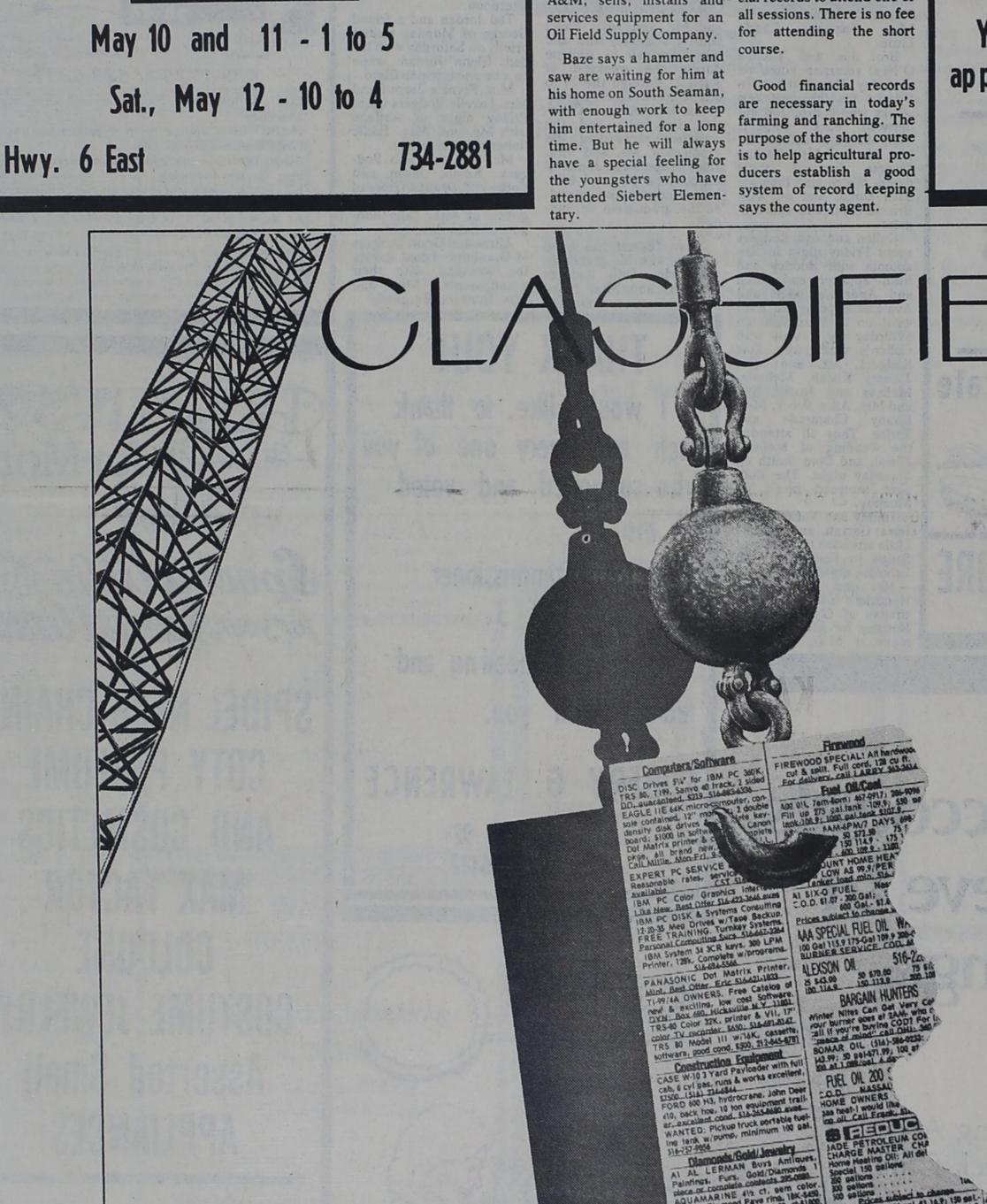
Victor Cemetery Working will be Saturday, May 26th make plans to attend bring a basket lunch.

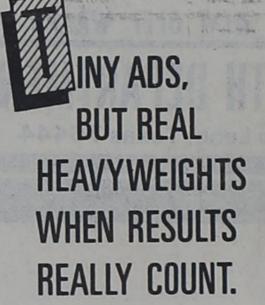
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By Mrs. Velma Hastings

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Mrs. Lois Harle visited weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Walt Stennett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harle and family of Bryson during the Tuscola; Mr. and Mrs.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jackson last week were Mrs. Allen Jackson of

FOR SPECIAL MOMS

639-2517

Steve Philen and family of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Fowler were visitors on Sunday morning worship at Carbon Church of Christ.

Mrs. Carol Skinner of Midland spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Guy of Tyler visited Mrs. Ruth Reese on Saturday.

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SCHOOL HILL NEWS

By Mrs. Oma Lee Riddell

We will be starting on Tuesday May 8th. playing senior citizens baseball again - Can't wait - We all enjoy it. Our old boys won last year - May be on the

wedding shower at the Lingleville lunch room at 2 p.m. on May 12th. for Becky Moon and Jackson

Buster Johnson spent Sunday woth Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields of Kokomo.

Visiting Mrs. Pearl Snell during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Snell and children of Granbury; Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snell and Annette of Gorman: Mr. and Mrs. Truman Snell, Mmes Leola Fillyaw and Doris Bennett of Eastland and all attended the Alameda Cemetery meeting on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Welsh of Gorman Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parrigan, Deanna and Dorisa of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. I.D. Hogan Sunday afternoon.

Visiting Mrs. Lona Abbott during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Horton, Flecia and Susan of Burleson, Mrs. Sheila Turner, Mary, Sandra and Teresa of Springtown and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Parson of Everman. -GP-

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank those who sent cards, letters, made phone calls, visits and prayers. While I was in Odessa for twelve days and two weeks in the Nursing Home.

GORMAN CARE CENTER

NATIONAL NURSING HOME WEEK BEGINS ON SUNDAY THE 13th. GOES TO THE 19th.

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HOPE TO SEE YOU THEN, AT GORMAN CARE CENTER.

Renia Hogg and her family have enjoyed a family reunion this week at the lake. Claralien Williams of Alaska, joined them.

Jeane, Will and Niki bottom of the totem pole Grimshaw, Tena and Jimthis year though - Hope my Dennington all of De Leon, Leslie Riddell of Ste-Everyone is invited to a phenville, William and I all had dinner on Sunday with Jane, Tommy and Luke Musick of Stephenville.

I hear they're really cutting down at the White House. Ronald wont let Nancy buy anything but Caviar Helper. They said she asked him one day what he thought of Red China. He said, "Well, I guess it's okay as long as you use a white cloth.

-GP-

4-H JR. LEADERS ASSOCIATION

4-H Jr. Leaders Association officially began April 29th, 1984. The association has 8 members who are outstanding 4-h'ers from the age of 13-19 years old. Leadership has always been an important part of the 4-H program. Now with this new organization emphasising leadership skills and practices, Eastland 4-H'ers have a more important future as "Adolescents of Today and Leaders of Tomorrow."

The organization helps older 4-H'ers learn the rationale that every persons needs during his lifetime to have control of his/her own personal life, provide leadership as parents and in families and provide leadership in groups. Also learn to be a good follower and group member. The development of these skills will enhance a young person's ability to function in all groups in which he or she is a member all through

Our President is Jerry Long 14 year old, Vice-President Stephanie Long 13 yr. old and Secretary/Treasurer is Jami Long a 17 yr. old 4-H'er. Congratulations to all these 4-H'ers. Other members of this organization are: Barbara Majors, Shannon Caraway, Phillip Allen, Amy McDonald and Lee Lewis.

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Final Rites For Mrs. Harris

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Services for Mrs. Tom (Lorraine) Harris, 75, of Eastland, who died at 5:44 p.m. May 1 at Eastland Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness, will be at 2 Funeral Home.

The Rev. Eric McKinney, Eastland Cemetery.

17, 1908, in Eastland, she brother, Robert J. Cox of was a 1925 graduate of Arlington; a sister, Mrs. Eastland High School and Cecil B. Graham of Eastattended North Texas State land; seven grandchildren; University. She married and four greatgrandchil-Tom Harris June 9, 1928, in dren.

LOCAL NEWS Mr. and Mrs. E.P. Duke of Odess spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simmons.

Fort Worth. She lived in Gorman for 12 years and has been a resident of Eastland since 1952. She p.m. Thursday at Bakker was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her pastor of First United husband; two sons, Jack of Methodist Church offici- Eastland and John Tom of ated. Burial will be at Florence, Mont.; a daughter, Mrs. Janie Johnson of Born Larraine Cox Oct. San Bernardino, Calif.; a

Visiting with Mrs. Gladys Dennis on the weekend were. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bickford and Cathy from Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Oley Duke of Odessa.

Visiting with Claude and Barbara Tucker over thw week end were their children James Tucker of Odessa Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker of Odessa, also visitng were Claude sister Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Box of Sulphur La. And Barbara sisters Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Teakell of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Collins of Eastland and their daughters Mr. and Mrs. Jim Darr Zack and Anthoney of Clyde and Jean of Mexico City. They also visited with Rosa Bennett.

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KAYLA ODELL GRADUATES FROM RJC

WITH HIGHEST HONORS Kayla Odell of Gorman received an Associate of Arts degree with Highest Honors from Ranger Junior College during commencement ceremonies May 4. Kayla, the daughter of Mrs. Sandra Warren, is a 1982 graduate of Gorma High School, where sh Valedictorian an voted Most Likely to Su ceed.

with Highest Honors, a student must compile a perfect 4.0 grade point average on all college work completed. "Kayla to maintain straight-A average while still finding time to be active in many extra-curricular activities. She is truly exceptional," states Ranger Junior College Dean of Instruction Leonard Maru-

Kayla's honors at RJC great pride.

THE GORMAN PROGRESS

TSU COMMENCEMENT

EXERCISES MAY 13 A record 351 candidates will receive degrees at two commencement exercises on the Tarleton State University campus May 13. Degrees will be awarded 55 graduate students at a 1 include membership in Phi Theta Kappa, the national junior college academic

honor fraternity, and selection to Who's Who Among Students in American In order to be graduated Junior Colleges. She was recently named a recipient of the Summer Scholarship to Howard Payne University from the Douglas

Kayla also found time to star in the college's recent production of Neil Simon's The Good Doctor. She is an outstanding young woman MAY 10, 1984

p.m. exercise in the Clyde Wells Fine Arts Center with 275 undergraduate and 21 associate degrees in nursing to be awarded in a 3 p.m. commencement in Wisdom Gymnasium.

Dr. Ronald Bradberry, professor of Education and former department head, will be speaker for the early commencement with C.H. Maguire, Jr., president of Stephenville Band & Trust Company and a distinguished alumnus of Tarleton, to speak at the 3 p.m. Thomas H. Birdsong and

Mrs. Patricia Brown, of Stephenville, and Ben Hud-MacArthur Academy of son of Fort Worth will be invested on the TSU Presi-In addition to the honors dent's Commission at the 1 and activities noted above, p.m. exercise. Birdsong is executive vice president Birdsong Peanuts, Mrs. Brown is a Tarleton graduate and president of Freer in whom Gorman may take Hospital, Inc., and Hudson is president and associate

CJC SUMMER CLASSES TO BEGIN JUNE 5

Summer classes at Cisco Junior College will begin

editor of Quarter Horse Track and Thoroughbred Track magazines. The three will join 32 members of the commission who serve as an advisory board for the university.

Clyde H. Wells, former Tarleton student and member of the Board of Regents of the Texas A&M University, will receive a resolution of commendation from the 68th session of the Texas Legislature. The resolution will be presented by State Representative Bruce Gibson.

Special awards to be 2212. presented during the commencement exercises include the Piper Professor Award to Dr. Timothy L. and general manager of Flinn, the Outstanding School Teacher Award to Stanley Miller of Stephenville, and the TSU Distinguished Teaching Award.

June 5 at all locations.

Students may register from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on the following dates and locations: Cisco campus, Monday, June 4 in the Registrar's office; Clyde campus, Wednesday, May 30 and Thursday, May 31; Abilene campus, Wednesday, May 30 and Thursday, May 31.

The Cisco and Clyde campuses offer both day and night classes. The Abilene campus will offer night classes only.

For more information call the appropriate campus at one of the following numbers: Cisco - (817) 442-2567; Clyde - (915) 893-5976; Abilene - (915) 698-

JOHN SHEPARD ELECTED TO **MEMBERSHIP IN** AMERICAN ANGUS

ASSOCIATION Shepards Angus Farm. John Shepard, Gorman, Texas, has been elected to membership in the American Angus Association, reports Dick Spader, executive vice-president of the national organization with headquarters in St. Joseph,

Missouri. The American Angus Association, with some 38,000 active life and junior members, is the largest beef cattle registry association in the world. Its computerized records include detailed information on nearly 10

9 EASTLAND **PARTICIPANTS IN DISTRICT 8 4-H** ROUNDUP

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8 4-H Roundup in Stephenville. The 4-H'ers competed with 18 other counties in the district. In the "Share the Fun" acts. Eastland 4-H'ers were: Tracy Maynard, Cathy Thomas, Marsha Crenwelge, Albany Sargent, Kyle Sargent, Kori Lewis, Missy Little, Natalie Stevens, Monica Harbin receiving third place.

In judging contest we had 11 participants. The Sr. Livestock Team won 2nd and Jr. Livestock Team placed 1st. The Sr. Livestock Team will be going to State June 5-6. The Jr. Dairy Team and Sr. Dairy Team won 3rd place.

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Guaranteed Income Account

\$500 minimum balance. Rate increases by 1/4 of 1% for opening balance above \$25,000 or 1/2 of 1% for \$50,000 or

Individual Retirement Account

\$100 opening minimum. Plexible terms from 1 to 2 years, additions permitted without extending maturity date

Tax Deferred Certificate

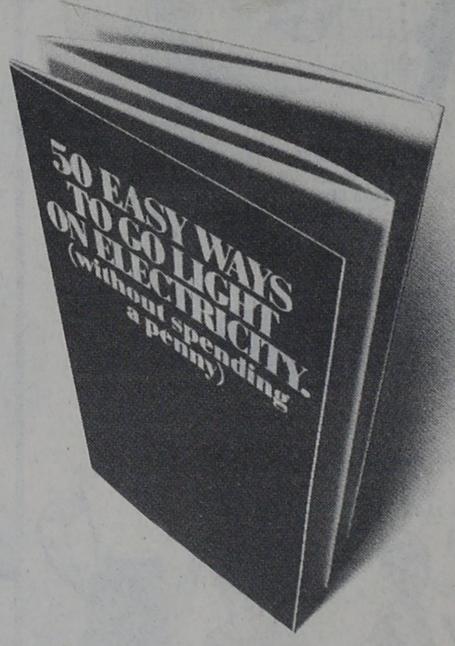
11.50%

balance Interest at maturity only in one year Substantial penalty for early withdrawal of



SunbeltSavings

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