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JULY 23, 1987

1967 CLASS REUNION HELD SATURDAY



Bottom Row: Jack Harrison Jackie Harrison; Second Row: Robert Reeves, Billy Taylor, Robert Ervin, Ray Edwards, Dewayne Snider, James Jay; Third Row: Jane (Collins) Besselaar, Elizabeth (Parr) Welch, Vicki (Frossard) Campbell, Carolyn (Clark) George, Cecilia (Self) Wilcoxson, Sarah Jo Wright, Mrs. E. C. Bramlett (teacher), LaVerne (Scitern) Carr, Margaret (Reeves) Wilson, Mrs. Dora Faye Brewer (teacher), Carole (Rankin) Ervin

The Class of '67 Gorman High School held their 20th. year reunion. Saturday, July 18, 1987. Class members met in the school cafeteria for coffee, registration and visiting at 10:00 a.m.

At 11:00 a.m., Jack Harrison led everyone on a tour of the school facilities. Everyone enjoyed seeing all of the new buildings and improvements which have been made recently.

At 12:00, a delicious BBQ lunch was catered by John Miears, of DeLeon. Everyone enjoyed visiting and renewing old acquaintances.

At 1:15 all class members their families, and former teachers, gathered in front of the new elementary school for picture-making. Group pictures were made by Bill Miears.

Then at 1:30 p.m. everyone met in the cafeteria for the program. Dwayne Snider was in charge of the program and had prepared a very interesting game of "1967 Trivia".

Mrs. Bramlett had prepared a quiz of "fill-in-the-years" beginning with first grade through 12th grade, trying to remember all the past superintendents and principals. (These being from 1955-1967.) This part of the program and the '67 Trivia was really enjoyable.

Then each class member introduced their families and told about their various occupations and activities.

Those in attendance included: Ray Edwards, of Ft. Worth. Ray is a letter carrier for the U.S. Postal Service; Margaret (Reeve) Wilson of Ralley Mills. Margaret has a daughter Dawn, age 15 and a son Craig 9. She works as a receptionist for a law firm in Waco; Dwayne and Connie Snyder, Stephenville. He has a daughter Sheri age 12 and Lisa age 8. Dwayne is a Math Professor at Tarleton State University; Carole Rae (Rankin) Ervin, Gorman. She has a daughter, Kristin age 14 and son Kirk, age 10. She is a homemaker and works hanging wallpaper for the public; Carolyn (Clark) George, DeLeon. She has a daughter Ginger, age 12 and a son Greg age, 14. She is a homemaker and works part-time for the DeLeon Free Press; Elizabeth (Parr) and Doyle Welch, DeLeon. She has two daughters Melissa age 9, and Allison age 5. Elizabeth is a former school teacher and a homemaker; Vicki (Frossard) and James Campbell of Abilene. A daughter Katie age 9 and a son Reese, age 6. Vicki is a homemaker and works part-time for Master Floor Systems, Inc.; Billy and Janda Taylor, Gorman. A son Steve age 14, and daughter Tracey age 12. Billy is a Park-Ranger at Proctor Lake; James and Ann Jay, Gorman; sons T.J. age 4 and James Russell, 2 James is in insurance business; Jane (Collins) Besselaar, Cross Plains daughters De Anna age 9, Donna, age 7 and Marie, 8 months. Jane is a nurse at Humana Hospital, Abilene; Cecilia (Self) Wilcoxson, Gorman. She has a son Jeff, age 17 and a daughter Mandy age 13. She is a secretary for Birdsong Peanuts; Sarah Jo Wright of Blackwell. Sarah teaches special education for the Blackwell School System; Robert and Kathy Ervin of Gorman, son, Veri, age 12. Robert works for Comanche Co. Telephone; Jackie and Cheryl Harrison, Irving, and two daughters, Karissa age 6 and Amber age 3. Jackie is in retail sales in Irving.; Robert and Evonne Reeves,

Waxahachie, and two children, Robin age 8 and Ryan age 4. Robert is part owner of a cabinet Co.; Laverne (Scitern) Carr, Stephenville, She has two sons Bradley age 18, and Mickey age 15. LaVerne works at Olney Savings.

Former teachers attending were: Mrs. Evelyn Bramlett, Stephenville, who was our 2nd. grade teacher, Mrs. Dora Fay Brewer, Gorman our 5th grade teacher, Mr. Charlie Garrett who was superintendent of schools. Jack and Irene Harrison, Gorman, (Jack was always there whenever anyone needed help); Ruby Lee and James Kinser, Gorman, Ruby Lee was School Secretary during our school days and is now Home-Ec Teacher at Gorman.

Others attending were friends. Lana (Stacy) Sharp and daughter Laci, Varona Taylor and Clara Mae Frossard, all of Gorman. We were so glad to have all of these visitors help us enjoy the day.

A former coach and teacher Mr. John Felts, San Saba, called to wish everyone well and to express regrets for not being able to attend.

Several priceless awards were given: The one with the most children was Jane (Collins) Besselaar. She has three daughters. She received a bottle of Geritol. Jane also received the prize for having the youngest child - an 8mo. old daughter. For this honor she was awarded a box of "Wet ones". Then Jane received a bottle of "Grecian Formula #16" for being the one with the most gray hair.

LaVerne (Scitern) Carr received the award for having the oldest child, a son age 18.

Dwayne Snider received the award for changing the least. His prize was a mirror.

Robert Reeves, of Waxahachie received the award for traveling the farthest. His gift was a box of "Preparation H".

Everyone agreed that the ones who had also changed the least were the teachers. They still looked as youthful as ever.

A letter was read from Don Burkhalter, of Florida who is a Major in the Airforce. Don has four children and has lived in several states and plans to retire in the near future.

Also, letters were read from: Mrs. Grace Nix, Longview, and Mrs. Annie May Wright, Gorman, who were unable to attend.

There were 48 in attendance and everyone had a wonderful time. Other members of the graduating class not able to attend were: Christy Storey, Brenda (Bryant) Warren, Robert Hunt, Jimmy Legg, Jimmie Dee (Belyeu) Johnson, Susan Young, Buddy Eaves, Bennie Gail (Peveo) Rahe, Charles Ann (Jenkins) Espinoza, Linda (Perez) Estes, and Tommy Clark.

We would also like to thank the Gorman Schools for the use of the LUNCHROOM and School facilities.

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PEANUT GROWERS MEETING HERE THURSDAY

A Peanut Growers meeting will be held Thursday at 8:30 p.m. in the school Cafeteria.

Wayne Eaves will lead the discussion on new market concept resulting in higher prices for the farmer.

All peanut growers are urged to attend.

PEANUT GROWERS TO MEET IN DE LEON JULY 31

The 50th Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association will be held at DeLeon on Friday, July 31. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. and will be conducted in the City Hall Auditorium. James Neal, SWPGA President said, "The meeting will be over by just after noon, but we have scheduled a program that we believe will be worth your time—aside from being there to help us celebrate the 50-year anniversary of our association."

Mr. Dallas Smith, Director of the USDA's Tobacco and Peanut Division, Washington, D.C. will be a featured speaker on the program. Mr. Larry Meyers, SWPGA legislative consultant will report on up to the minute agricultural and farm program developments in Washington. Dr. Ed Colburn, Peanut Extension Agronomist from Texas A&M University, will report on peanut production items of current interest.

Also featured on the program will be John Wright, Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of the First State Bank, Abilene. Wright served in key management positions with the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association prior to being named vice president of the Abilene bank in 1954. He is a distinguished member of the Texas banking industry and continues to be a dynamic civic leader in Abilene and West Texas. In 1967 he was named the outstanding citizen of Abilene. James Neal of Pearsall, SWPGA President, said it is particularly fitting that John Wright be a part of our 50th Anniversary program.

Bob Green and Ross Wilson will provide brief reports on the SWPGA operation last year.

SWPGA has been serving peanut growers of the Southwest since 1937.

In the early years the Association assisted the U.S. Department of Agriculture in price stabilization programs implemented by the diversion of planted acres. A few years later in 1941 when the peanut price support program was enacted by Congress the Association's function was shifted to price support activities including making price support loans available to producers as well as CCC record keeping and diversion of surplus peanuts. The USDA has traditionally utilized 3 area grower associations to carry out the field and supervisory functions of the peanut price support program. The Southwest peanut producing area includes all states west of the Mississippi River in which peanuts are produced. The major states are Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico, but the states of California, Arizona, Arkansas and Louisiana are also included.

SWPGA's functions also include a number of non-price support activities. A major function in this category is its participation in legislative activity relative to the federal price support program. The Association has been especially active in farm bill activity for the past 20 years.

The Association President has extended an invitation to all peanut producers, buyers, warehousemen, agribusiness and business interests to join association personnel in De Leon on July 31 to help us recognize the Association's Golden Anniversary and to receive farm program updates from some of the nation's outstanding leaders. Neal urged that all producers in the Central Texas area make every effort to attend the meeting and that all county and local peanut grower groups in the Southwest be represented at the meeting. The Association President said he expected the meeting to be concluded by noon or shortly thereafter.

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GORMAN MASONIC LODGE HOLDS INSTALLATION

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. and A.M. held an Installation of Officers July 18. District Deputy Grand Master Bill Whitten of Masonic District No. 65 of Granbury served as Installing Officer and B.J. Richmond of Granbury served as Installing Marshal. Officers installed for the ensuing year were: Worshipful Master - Philip Osborne, Treasurer - Cecil Robertson, Secretary - Howard Hagood, Chaplain - Jim White, Junior Deacon - Walter Goodwin, Senior Steward - Ardith Pittman, and Tyler - Bill Chandler.

A good fellowship was enjoyed with 32 Masons, families, and friends. The Gorman order of Eastern Star helped prepare and serve the meal before the meeting.

PEANUT FESTIVAL TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 19

Gerald Scitern, Peanut Festival Chairman, has announced the Annual Peanut Festival will be held September 19.

The festival committee invite all people of the area to join in on the revival of the Gorman Peanut Festival. Last year was the first time the festival has been held in approximately 30 years.

If your business, club or organization is interested (and we hope you are) in having an entry in the parade, your entry must be in by September 18.

There will be several categories: 1) floats; 2) cars; 3) decorated bicycles and three wheelers; 4) pet parade; 5) riding clubs; 6) individual horse riders; 7) costumes.

Trophies or ribbons will be awarded in the first three places in each category. Entries may be submitted to Brent Lasater at (817) 734-2310 or Gerald Scitern, Box 28, Gorman, Texas 76454.

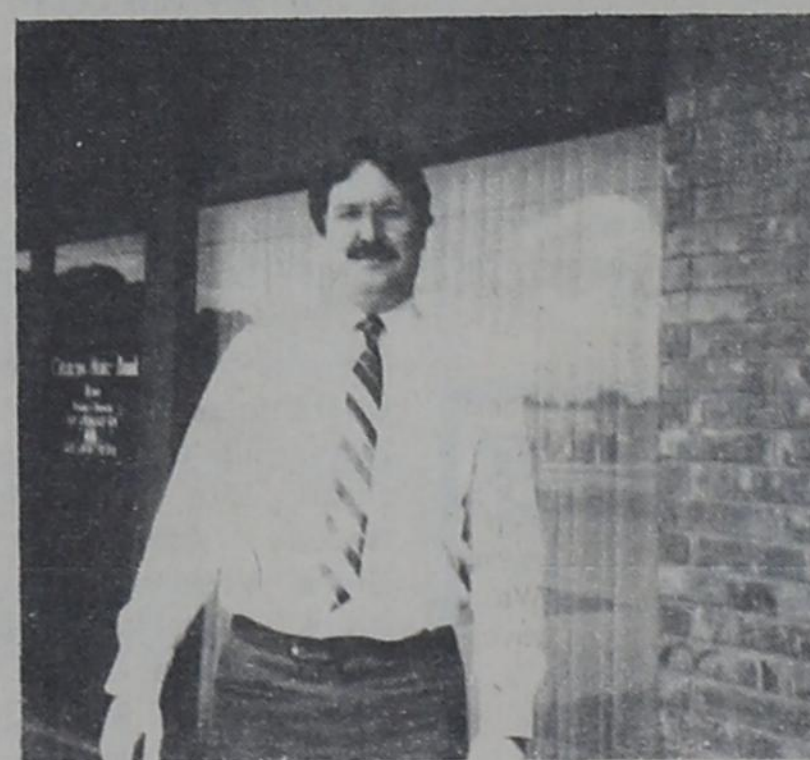
Following the parade at 10 a.m., festival booths will be open. You may have a commercial, food booth or game booth or all three. Booth choices must be turned in by first come-first serve basis. This is to eliminate any two booths of the same type. This, however, does not apply for each booth space and an additional \$5 if electricity is required. Call Gerald Scitern for reservations at (817) 734-2720 or (817)968-6572 or report your entry by mail to Gorman Business Alliance, Box 28, Gorman, Texas 76454.

There will be events taking place all during the day. A Peanut Baking Contest is planned. All baked entries are to be baked at home and brought to the festival for judging. Peanut games for all ages and a fiddling contest will be held. The day of activities will end with a street dance beginning at 8 p.m., featuring the country and western band "Bandera".

The Business Alliance organized a great Peanut Festival last year and their goal is to have a greater one this year. They need the help and cooperation of everyone to reach their goal.

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NEW VICE PRESIDENT NAMED AT CITIZENS STATE BANK



John May of Brownwood, Texas has been named Vice President of Citizens State Bank. He comes from Lake Country National Bank of Burnet, Texas where he served as Vice President.

May's primary duty will be as loan officer. He has had valuable experience in that area having served in that capacity at Farmer's and Merchant's Bank of De Leon and First Comanche Bank of Comanche, Texas.

John is married to the former Lisa Howey and they have two children, Zachary and Kelcey. Lisa is employed by Howey Enterprises of Brownwood, Texas.

Citizens State Bank is pleased to have this addition to our staff and would like to invite everyone to come by the bank and get acquainted with Mr. May.

THE SEARCH IS ON

The Eastland County History Book Committee is searching for the perfect book cover design and title for the Eastland County history book now being assembled. If you have an idea, please make a drawing and submit it.

Also, the Committee is gathering general history of all Eastland County Communities and towns. Your help is needed in recalling this history. This includes churches, businesses, schools, organizations, hospitals, events, landmarks, etc. Pictures, too.

Please write down your memories in your own words and turn them in to Roy Smith in Eastland or Ann Jay in Gorman. Without your help, some important facts of our history will not be included in the book, and may be lost forever.

SPENCER-PANNES ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Noel Spencer announce the engagement of their daughter, Andrea Ruth to Mr. Peter Christopher Pannes, son of Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Pannes of Norwood, Massachusetts.

Miss Spencer is a May graduate of The University of Texas at Austin with a degree in Marketing. Her fiancé is a graduate of Arizona State University with a degree in Purchasing.

Andrea is the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Spencer of De Leon.

An August 29th wedding is planned at Trinity Baptist Church in San Antonio, Texas.

DR. CARL BAUGH SPEAKER FOR NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH THURSDAY

Dr. Carl Baugh, director of Creation Evidences Museum at Glen Rose, Texas, will be speaking at New Hope Baptist Church of Gorman on Thursday, July 23, at 7 p.m.

Dr. Baugh's work along the Paluxy River has become internationally recognized among scientists. Significant archaeological discoveries have been documented by Dr. Baugh and teams of scientists from throughout the United States, Europe and Australia which add to the growing scientific evidence supporting the Biblical creation model of man's origin.

The most recent discovery on June 16 of this year has caught the attention of major news media and has resulted in a visit from the National Geographic Society to the excavation site at Glen Rose.

That discovery was of a trilobite, a human tooth, and dinosaur tracks all in the same stratum of sedimentary rock. By evolutionary reasoning, this is an impossibility since the evolutionary model demands that trilobites were extinct hundreds of millions of years before dinosaurs appeared and dinosaurs were extinct before man appeared. The fossil evidence on the Paluxy River proves that they, in fact, existed together.

Some eminent scientists have stated that the evidence unearthed by Dr. Baugh and his colleagues will force the scientific community to take another look at what has been promoted by evolutionists in our day. It is hard incontrovertible evidence that does not fit the evolutionary model.

Dr. Baugh will be bringing some of the fossils that have been unearthed in the Paluxy excavations and will be explaining their significance in his presentation at New Hope on July 23rd.

The public is invited. There will be no admission charge. A nursery will be provided.

LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A GIRL

Jeremy Britt Troutman proudly announces the arrival of his sister, Nikki Leigh, July 13, 1987. Nikki weighed 7lb. 8oz. and is 19 1/2" long. She was born in the Clifton Hospital. Proud parents are Jerry and Cyndi Troutman of Whitney.

Maternal grandparents are Glenn and Eva Sue Johnson.

Paternal grandparents are Sue and Dick Troutman.

Maternal great grandmothers, Odell Johnson, Sidney and Lavell

We also need your family histories. Roy Smith estimates that approximately 700 histories have been turned in. If you have any questions in the Gorman area call Ann Jay at 734-2733 or Kay Henry. Last deadline for family histories is August!

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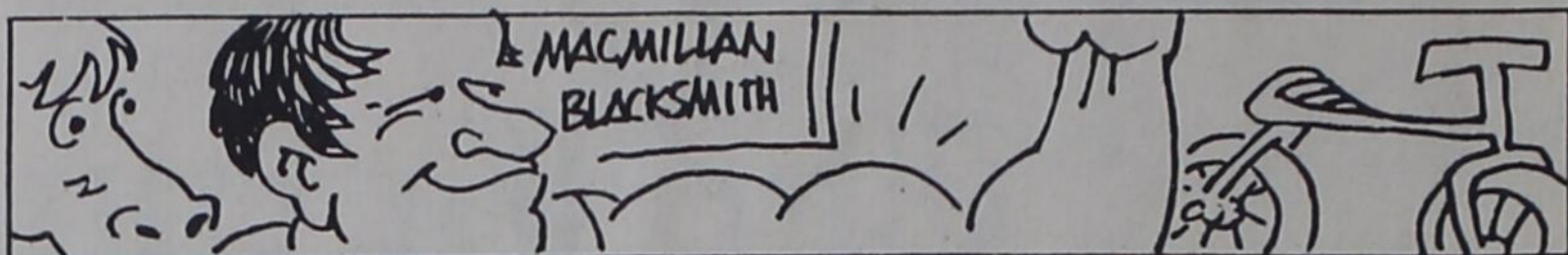
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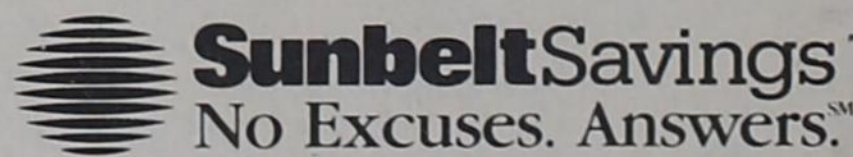
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—GP—

WORD of GOD

Old Testament

I will be his father, and he shall be my son. If he commit iniquity, I will chasten him with the rod of men, and with the stripes of the children of men:

II Samuel 7:14

As a dog returneth to his vomit, so a fool returneth to his folly.

Proverbs 26:11

WORD of GOD

Verily I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatsoever ye shall loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.

Again I say unto you, That if two of you shall agree on earth as touching any thing that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father which is in heaven.

For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.

Matthew 18:18-20

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Steve (Lindye) Brogden and Manda Lee of Fort Worth; Mrs. Eddie Raley of Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Mansfield of Glenrose visited Tuesday with "Coach" and Hallie Beth William. Kara Brown of Anchorage Alaska returned home Wednesday following a two weeks visit with her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Wright. Kara attended vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church last week.

Joe Collins of Wylie spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Mears.

Mrs. Marvin Nix arrived Wednesday for an extended visit with Agnes Hodge.

Weekend visitors with Gladys Dennis were Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bickford and Kathy of Houston, Rev. and Mrs. J.B. Hamilton of Garland. Mrs. Dennis returned home on Friday from a visit in Garland with her son Rev. J.B. Hamilton.

SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

Ron, Nina, Frank and M.L. Skiles went to Ft. Worth, Saturday to see E.J. Whitlock, who is in the Medical Plaza Hospital.

Bill Fairbetter of Abilene, Lucretia Fairbetter and Milton Jr. were in Boyd, Texas on Sunday afternoon attending the 70th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fairbetter.

Anna Rush and Leland Warren with her sons Russell and Hershell Cordell attended the funeral of Anna's Brother in Roscoe Friday of last week. Estelle Ervin also attended. Bertha Gregory spent the weekend in Gatesville with her sister Amy Helms.

Charlie and Oma Dee Garrett had their daughter, Sue, their son, Chuck and J.T. and wife and their children, Jason Lee, Darli, Jason Wayne and Jermy over the weekend for the Garrett reunion which they all attended in Carbon on Sunday.

Mozelle Rhymes visited with her aunt, Ethel Brown in Pioneer, Monday and helped celebrate Mrs. Brown's 90th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rider of Andrews visited with Hupp and Lottie Morris Sunday.

W.C. and Winnell Browning, Hupp and Lottie Morris were in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Elwyn Atchison and Yvonne of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Chessley Atchison of Ft. Worth and Dr. and Mrs. Chessley Royce Atchison of Stephenville, Visited Ora Mae Atchison on Saturday.

Murtice Rodgers has returned from a weeks visit in Odessa and Fort Stockton with her children, Gary and Lavenia Echols, Tobb and Alice Varner

SCHOOL HILL COMMUNITY

Oma Lee Riddell

Hurry and get Well, Bennetts! Cheryl Warlick, Leslie Riddell, Tim Goetze, Tommy and Jane Musick and Family, Tena and Jimmy Dennington and I were in Ft. Worth last Saturday.

Quite a crowd attended Tena's pink and blue shower on Sunday afternoon. She received many nice and useful gifts.

J.C. and Patsy Moon, Connie and Roger Armstrong and family, Becky and Jackson Boen and daughter, Tammy and Randy Merriman and Family returned home after two weeks in Colorado. They reported having a good time.

Norma Parks was visiting one day this week with Lisa Wilcoxon.

Saw Irene Huffman in the store. She said Bill isn't doing too good, but is able to get around with a walker. He broke his hip about three months ago. Hope you're soon feeling much better, Bill.

Danah Ruth and Digger Proctor of Freer spent last weekend with Blake and Delilah Morrison and other relatives here.

William told a friend, "I once had a beard like yours, but I cut it off." The friend said, "I once had a face like Yours so I grew a beard."

William went to Ft. Worth, walked into the lobby of a big hotel. He saw there an ugly, bent old woman walk into one of the little rooms with the sliding doors on it. A light flashed up above this room and about a minute later door opened and a beautiful young woman stepped out. "By Golle!" said William, "If I'd a knowed about this, I'd have brung the old lady along."

—GP—

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DESDEMONA NEWS

Phone 758 2665

By Vonnie Gutery

Saturday, August 1st is the monthly Musical at the Desdemona Community Center. Concession stand with sandwiches, pie and drinks. Visitors are welcome.

"Birthday Card Shower" for Billye Richards on Sunday, July 26th. Her address is 955 North Stephens, Stephenville Texas 76401. Billye graduated from Desdemona High School and would enjoy hearing from all her friends and neighbors.

Desdemona Homecoming and School Reunion will be Saturday, August 8th. Program begins at 10:00 a.m. Make plans to attend.

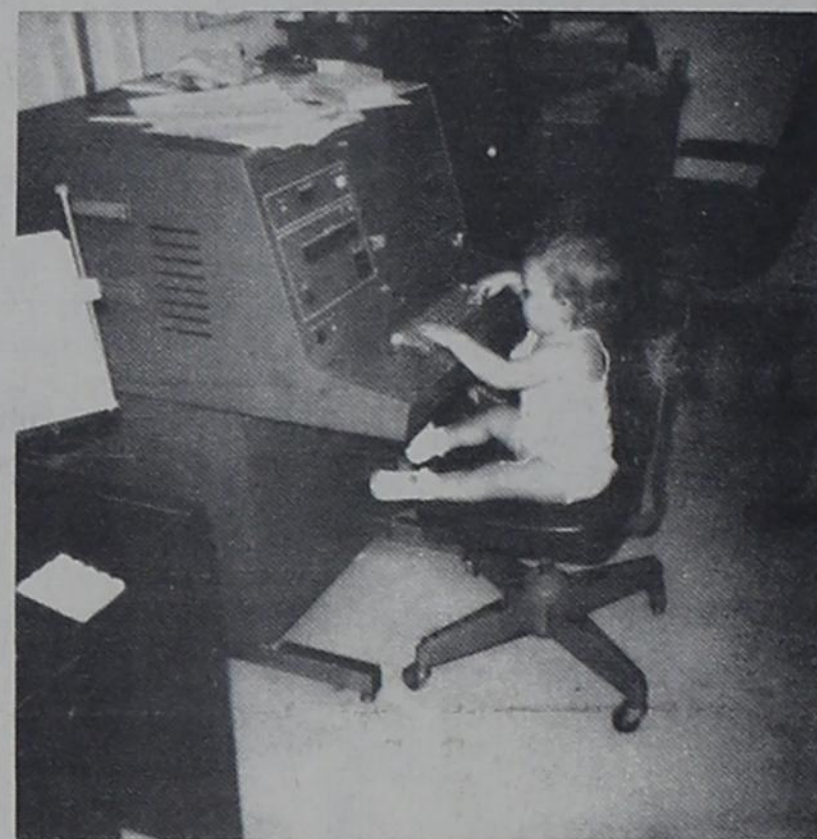
Andy and Becky Blackburn and Jamie Dix of Odessa visited Monday and Tuesday with Bernard, Ann and Brad Keith. These are classmates of Brad's from Odessa High School. They all attended Six Flags in Arlington on Tuesday.

Phillip, Donna, Robert and Sarah Lewis spent the 4th of July in Granbury, attending the parade and boating on the lake. Then on 5th they left for South Padre Island stopping in San Antonio on the way. Vacationing with the Lewis were Alan and Ruthie Quam; Greg and Brenda Warren and Jonathan of Granbury. They all returned home on July 13th. Reported a good time but glad to be home.

"Thanks" to all the men for their volunteer work last week putting a new Metal roof on the East end wing of the Desdemona Community Center. Plans are to put a new roof on the West end wing soon as funds are available.

Melinda Hall and Pat Buckley just returned from a vacation to Colorado. They reported a very fun trip and cold, cold weather. While there, they camped with Pat's Daddy, Jack Williams of Kermit and Pat's two sisters, Mary Jo Lamerand and family of Kermit, and Bonnie Joiner and family of Midland. Last night in camp everyone enjoyed a big trout fish fry.

—GP—



SURPRISE!

What's Up PaPa? Please hurry home. We miss you. I Love You, Jacquelynn

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- Old Tamale Cart (Iron Wheels)

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- 2 - Large Dressing Mirrors
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- Shoe Store Stool
- Shoe Store Mirror
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KOKOMO NEWS

By Mrs. Zelda Jordan
Phone 639-2289

Glynda Bond of Gail rendered the special music on the organ at the Sunday morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Other visitors were Joe, Shannon and Brian Bond of Gail, The Doug Adkins family of Dallas, Kristal Brown of Carbon, Keri Scitern and LaDawn Little.

Woodrow and Helen Browning, Leona Wilson, Jimmy Little and J.L. Morrow rendered the special music at the Sunday evening service at the Kokomo Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Morrow visited with Larry, Paula, Lance, Layne and Lenny in Plains on July 9 and 10 and attended Layne's All Star Little League tournament at Brownfield. Layne's team had victories over Levland and Post before losing to Brownfield's team in the tournament.

On Saturday the Morrrows attended the S.W. Creager Family Reunion at Levland. Paula, Lance, Layne and Lenny came home with the Morrrows on Sunday for a visit with them and Paula's parents, Paul and Imogene Norris and other relatives and friends.

Paul and Imogene Norris, Paula, Lance, Layne and Lenny Morrow of Plains, Jeanna, Cory and Lacy Pack of Carbon, Randy, Lisa, T.J., Rebecca and Travis Lewis of Stephenville. Wanda and Victor Pack of Carbon, Rickie, Marla, Trevor and Mitsi Pack of Carbon enjoyed an outing on the Colorado River near Bend from Wednesday until Sunday this past week. Paula returned home on Sunday, and Lance, Layne and Lenny remained for an extended visit.

Lance Morrow visited with Gary Browning on Sunday evening.

Earl Morrow of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Morrow on Wednesday.

Ken and Linda Clearman, Kyla and Kendi of Missouri City and Mary Jo and Kami Leonard of Canadian were visitors during the past week with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Clearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoy of Plano visited on Sunday with Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Chad and Lindsey Eaton are visiting this week with their grandparents, Claude and Juanita Fuller.

Glenn and Zelda Jordan were in Abilene during the weekend to visit with Roddy, Glenda, Joe and Sheri Miles, and Robert and Diane Miles. Glenn, Joyce and Brent Carter of Hawley also visited in the Miles home on Saturday night before they all attended the stock races at the Abilene Speedway. Glenn Jordan, who's birthday was on Monday, July 20, celebrated early by driving Robert's car in the mud laps at the speedway on Saturday night before the racing got underway, and really enjoyed it. Joe Miles placed third in his heat and in the A feature race and Robert Miles placed fourth in his heat, but had fuel line trouble in the feature race so he had to pull out of the race.

It was a privilege to attend church services on Sunday morning at the Tye Baptist Church and hear Glenda sing in the choir. A birthday dinner honoring Glenn Jordan was enjoyed in the Miles home at noon on Sunday.

The Jimmy Hampton family of Gorman attended the car races at the Abilene Speedway on Saturday night to see her brother, Gary McGinn of Rising Star race. Gary placed third in his heat.

Our prayers and get well wishes go to Joe and Lonnie Bennett. We hope they are both recovering well from their recent surgeries. We miss them at the Progress office, but think the back-up crew are doing a good job, while Joe and Lonnie have to be away.

THE GORDON SPOT

Pecan trees in Eastland County look better than they have in many years, especially the native trees. The rainfall that they received last fall and continuing in late spring and early summer has really stimulated heavy growth on many of these trees.

It seems that the insects are taking advantage of the good foliage and are helping themselves to a good meal. In this column last week I discussed the webworms and walnut caterpillars. These leaf eaters are continuing to do damage to pecan trees.

This past week the yellow pecan aphids or "honeydew" aphids began their population explosion. These sucking insects build to high populations in mid-summer in most years. After feeding in large numbers for about 2-3 weeks their population usually falls off just as quickly as it appears.

Most commercial pecan growers do not control the yellow aphids because their presence do not cause

RITES HELD WEDNESDAY FOR ALGIA THOMPSON

Algia Thompson, 92, died Monday at a local nursing home.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Lacy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. James Gillespie officiating. Burial was in Ramsey Cemetery.

Born in Matador, she was a longtime Stephenville resident. She was a homemaker, a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and the widow of Aaron "Mage" Thompson.

Survivors include a son, Coy E. Thompson of Phoenix, Ariz.; a brother, Cecil Robertson of Gorman; two sisters, Winnie Keller of Mineral Wells and Hazel Cason of Fort Worth; 13 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

—GP—

RITE FOR HAZEL DECKER'S SISTER HELD FRIDAY

Mrs. T.W. Fox, 69, passed away Thursday, July 16, 1987 in an Arlington hospital. Funeral was at 3:00 P.M. Saturday, June, 18, 1987 at Indian Creek Baptist Church in Grand Prairie. Burial was at South Park Cemetery, Grand Prairie, Tex.

Mrs. Fox was born in Gorman on Fe. 18, 1918 and married T.W. Fox in 1935 in Eastland. He predeceased her in death in May of 1986. Mrs. Fox has lived in Grand Prairie since 1940 and was a member of the Baptist Church there. She was a licensed vocational nurse.

She is survived by a daughter; Mrs. Joe Bob (Bonnie Ruth) Whitman of Temple, one son, Dr. Donald Wayne Fox, a prominent physician, of Arlington, three sisters, Hazel Decker of Gorman, Mary Lou Gilbert of Albany, Ga. and Frankie Davidson of Grand Prairie, one brother Eddie Robinette of Albany, Ga. and an uncle Albert Byrd of DeLeon and six grandchildren.

—GP—

GLADYS USSERY SEALE

Gladys Ussery Seale, 77, of Carbon, died Thursday at Eastland Memorial Hospital. Services were at 11 a.m. Saturday at Carbon United Methodist Church in Carbon with the Rev. Luther Helm officiating. Burial was in Murray Cemetery, directed by Bakker Funeral Home.

Born in Eastland County, she was a longtime resident. She was a homemaker and member of the Carbon United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Sidney Seale of Carbon; two daughters, Sarita Hogan and Sidney Barfoot, both of Dallas; a brother, I.W. Ussery of Eastland; a sister, LaRue Broussard of Eastland; and four grandchildren. Memorials may be made to the Carbon United Methodist Church.

great harm. But, its a different story for the yard tree owner. The honeydew or sugar water secreted by the aphids cause real problems to those who park cars or set under the pecan trees.

The greatest damage to the tree is caused by sooty mold which grows on the honeydew. Sooty mold is a fungus that is everywhere in the environment. Under high humidity the fungus mold grows on the honeydew to form a dark gray to black covering over the upper leaf surface. This effectively blocks the sunlight from the leaf, reducing photosynthetic activity. Leaves make food for all parts of the tree. Without the normal function of leaves all other parts of the tree suffer. This means losses to both nuts, and to next years crop in the form of reduced carbohydrates available for storage in roots, limbs and buds.

CITY CHIT CHAT BY

Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor

I hope that you have noticed the new parking stripes downtown. They are finished in one block and may be completed in the second block by the time you read this. They were striped in the block where the City Hall is on Monday and measured off in the next block.

The stripes are painted at a more acute angle with the street so that you may back out without backing across the street. This will be much safer and hopefully will prevent some accidents in backing. In order to make the backing safer, if it going to be necessary that you park between the stripes so that you will back out more parallel with the street. Please cooperate on your parking. If you try it, I think you will like it.

There is another advantage to the angle we have used in that it will be almost impossible to turn across the street in a block and park on the opposite side of the street. This is a violation of a city ordinance, and again for your safety and that of other people, please do not turn across the street in between intersections.

While I am on safety, I would like to mention a few things that I have observed in traffic. There are a great number of drivers who do not STOP at a STOP sign. These signs mean that you come to a complete stop and then go, if the way is safe. I also observe drivers cutting corners on left turns. One of the worst is where FM road 8 intersects Hw. 6. Coming off highway 6, so many drivers swing way to the left and enter Farm Road 8 way beyond the center line. All of the roadway on the right side of the road, to the stop line painted across the street, belongs to the drivers on Farm Road 8. Please let them have it.

There are some who still do not stop at the red light. Please observe this and cross Highway 6 only if the way is clear, after you stop. When on the highway, slow down for the yellow light and be prepared to stop if necessary. The life you save may be your own.

—GP—

BROTHER OF ANNA RUSH BURIED FRIDAY

Kenneth C. "Bill" Neves, 64, of Sweetwater, died Wednesday, July 15, at a Sweetwater hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at McCoy Funeral Home Chapel of Memories with the Rev. F.E. Healer officiating. Burial was in Roscoe Cemetery in Roscoe with military rites.

Born in Roby, he was a longtime Roscoe resident. He was a retired truck driver and a member of the Baptist church. A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and was a past member of the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel Neves of Roscoe; his mother, Faye Neves of Roby; a daughter, Teresa Thomas of Spring; two sons, Ernest Neves of El Paso and Norman Neves of Snyder; four brothers, Talmage Neves, Guymon Neves, and Calvin Neves, all of Roby, and Ralph C. Neves of Davenport, Iowa; two sisters, Anna Rush of Gorman and Ina Faye Sutton of Roby; and nine grandchildren.

GRAHAM - WARREN FAMILY REUNION SET FOR JULY 25-26

The Graham and Warren families will hold their annual reunion in the De Leon City Hall on July 25 and 26.

In addition to the families residing in Texas it is anticipated that a large group from Mississippi will attend.

GOLDEN PEANUT MAKE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

The Golden Peanut processing facilities located in Comanche County are among the facilities expected to receive major capital improvements in a new program announced this week by Gaylord O. Coan, president of Golden Peanut Company. The peanut handling company has developed a company-wide program expected to make its operations more efficient, and to better serve the needs of both peanut growers and peanut customers.

The plans include a major capital improvement program which will center on the company's plant at Comyn and which will allow the DeLeon operation to specialize in buying, reworking and storage.

In addition to the production efficiencies gained from the restructuring and modernization program, one of the major thrusts is a move toward the latest technology in bulk handling. "A lot of large manufacturers in the U.S. are moving toward bulk handling," noted Mike Stimpert, Golden Peanut's Vice President for Operations. "When it comes to serving customers for peanuts, we want to be ahead of the trends."

The company will also install equipment in a number of plants aimed at improving peanut processing efficiency and product quality.

Golden Peanut has 9 peanut processing plants located in the three major U.S. production areas.

—GP—

CANTERBURY VILLA NEWS

Please, please, Joe and Lonnie hurry and get well. Everyone at Canterbury Villa send get well wishes.

Just a reminder that Thursday, July 30, 2 p.m. will be the residents birthday party. The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club and Orvil and Jenny Newcomb will come and help. This is a once a month thing for our residents. Their families and friends may come and share the birthday cake, punch and good time. The honorees being honored this month are Eliza Maxey, Orville Boyd, Velma Hamilton, George Bennett, Berta Poyner, Alice Bursleson, Jessie Lemley and Lonnie Capers.

We were proud to have our regular church services Sunday. Coming from the Kokomo Baptist at 2:30 p.m. were Rev. Clarence Wilson, Rev. Joe O'Neal, Hope Joiner, Cynthia and Lowell Wilson, Lavelle Rodgers, Wynelle Brown, Bernice Rodgers and two guests, Jr. Fairbetter and Ethel Lovell of Carbon. Rev. Terry Moffett of Desdemona also visited.

At 4 p.m. those from the Gorman Church of Christ were Bro. T.A. Grice, Dora Faye Brewer, Allie Mae George, Floy Morrison, Lorene Foster, Frankie Stacey, Jessie Lee Jones, Dee Smithey, Sella Scott, Iris Smith, Cynthia Alldredge, Zena Simpson, Janda Taylor, Floydean Gilbert, and Gregg Goode.

CANTERBURY VILLA HONORS LOUISE RICH

Canterbury Villa proudly presents Mrs. Louise Rich, "Employee of the Month". Mrs. Rich is a dedicated nurses aide, takes good care of our residents and is very friendly and nice to relatives and visitors. She has been with Canterbury Villa for 10 years, is married to Marvin Rich and has four married children. She received the honor by popular vote of the employees of Canterbury Villa.

Terry Wayne Salone of Temple and Faye Huff and Delma Maupin visited Cynthia Earles.

Harold Schkade, Blessing and Jacob of Albany visited Carroll and Leta Hogan.

Visiting with Berta Poyner were



Shown above are Gorman 4-H Club Members who recently presented program for the Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club at Kokomo Community Center. Bottom Row l to r: Scott, Jennifer Scitern, Shannon Mauney, Don Mauney, Michelle Hampton, Shane Caraway, Michael Hampton, Stephen Scitern and LaTonya Caraway.

Leaders of the group are Sammye Mauney and Fannie Underwood. The Club members are proud of the 4-H members and their leaders and look forward to the programs they present each year.

Ruth Susee, Hobbs, New Mexico; Gretchen White, Abilene; Jeff Bentley, San Diego, Calif.; Bro. Joe O'Neal, Olga Kinser, Mayvis Lasater, Bro. Marion Dennis, Anna Faye Foster, James Kinser and Floy Morrison.

Lenis Rice of Carbon visited Lola Johnson.

Ruby Vandergriff went to Weatherford to visit her sister, Lois Taylor.

Mrs. Bill Brown, R. Lee McDaniel, Nelda McDaniel and Ethel Lovall of Carbon visited Edna Morgan on Sunday.

Edward and Billie Stacey, Stella Scott, Nelda McDaniel, R. Lee McDaniel of Carbon, Julia Wilder and Mackey of Arligton, Johnny Warren of Eastland and Floy Morrison visited Maude Stacey.

On Monday M.L. Skiles, Irene West and Nancy Hendricks came and helped with bingo. Winners were game 1, Cynthia Earles and Bernice Haynes; game 2, Grace Skiles; game 3, Doc Hamilton. Charlotte O'Neal had the black out card.

Wednesday, Nancy Hendricks helped us. Our winners were game 1, Grace Skiles and Veno Hale; game 2, Cynthia Earles; game 3, Lola Johnson. Veno Hale had the black out card.

Mrs. Marcus McKee and Rebecca of Sidney and Mrs. Sid Johnson visited in the home on Wednesday.

At 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Mrs. Dorothy Reynolds of Cross Plains came and brought us many beautiful songs accompanied by Willo Rice. Mrs. Rice brought the Wednesday afternoon Bible Study.

We enjoyed our singing very much on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Those coming were Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona, Billie, Stacey and Babe Norris of Carbon, Willo Rice, Velma Bennett, Oma Dee Garrett, Nancy Hendricks, Linda Hodges, Melba Frasier, Estell Dickey and Junior Fairbetter.

Irene West and Nancy Hendricks helped us with bingo on Thursday at 1:30. Winners were game 1, Berta Poyner; game 2, Veno Hale and Edna Morgan; game 3, Jess Roberts. Lola Johnson had the blackout card.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loudermilk of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd of Desdemona visited G.O. and Emma Doyle Boyd.

KIRK FAMILY REUNION

The descendants of George and Minnie Bell Kirk held the family reunion July 5th at the Fire Hall in Gorman.

Some 65 members attended the days activities.

Those present were: Dorothy and Troy Johnson of Gorman Roy Johnson and Chris of Desdemona; Sue and Wesley Spivey, Steve and Tracey Spivey of Gorman; Edrie Mae Kirk, Fort Worth; J. Carrol Hare, Billy Joe and Evelyn and Cathy Hare, De Leon; Ward A. and Lavonda Lewis, Talpa; Jim and Diane Gilmore and Mark, Austin; Kelly Wyllys and Justin of Austin; Laura and Billy Zvonek, Austin; Boyd Porter; Jean and Kenneth Underhill all of Eastland; Gladys Dennis, Gorman; Claudie Mae and Clarence Arends, Janice and Holden Weeks, Jessie Lee and E.P. Duke, Shirley Moore, Tamra and Tonya all of Odessa; Ronnie Duke, Dallas; Ruth and Edgar Higginbottom, Gorman; Lorene Reese, Baird; Rodney and Jan White, North Richland Hills; Greg and Elana White, Baird; Doyle and Audrey Baker, Abilene; Homer and Rena Kirk; Linda and Dannie Woolridge, Mae, Christian, Holly and Danial of Eastland; Mildred and Herman Bennett of Gorman; G.W. and Emily Gilmore, Fayetteville, Ark.; Johanna and Lynn Smith, Hot Spring, Ark.; Mrs. Dorothy Ayers and Betty Gilbert of Austin; Margaret Buckner, Fort Worth; Edmon and Nelda Duke, Velma Bennett and Virgie Dennis all of Gorman.

—GP—

CORRECTION

Our appologies to Merle Lasater and Faye Dorsett for the misplaced pictures of their birthday celebration that appeared in last weeks issue of the Progress. The error happened at the printers in Stephenville. We are sorry for any inconveniences this may have caused.

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JACOB HODGES CELEBRATES 1ST BIRTHDAY

Robert and Cherie Hodges of DeLeon hosted a birthday party for their one year old son Jacob, at the Gorman Swimming Pool July 5th.

Lots of swimming, cake and punch were enjoyed by approximately 25 guests and a big "Thank You" goes out to the many nice gifts Jacob received.

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