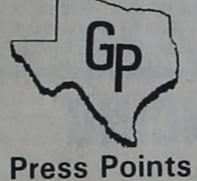
The Gorman Progress

"SERVING GORMAN FOR OVER 86 YEARS" 25° (Tax Included) APRIL 30, 1987 GORMAN, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS 76454 NUMBER THIRTEEN



Joe Bennett, Publisher

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First of all I regret to report that our correspondent from Carbon, Velma Hastings, is retiring fron writing the Carbon News and we cannot thank her enough for her many years of untiring duty in reporting the Carbon happenings for the Progress. She did a great job and we will surely miss her writing the column.

At the present time we do not have anyone in mind for gathering and writing up the news from Carbon. So if anyone is interested in doing this for us, we would really appreciate hearing from you. Oh, the pay ain't so awfully great, but just look at the great prestige it will bring you. Seriously, though, we are trying to secure someone to help us report the Carbon news happenings, and if you know anyone who might volunteer to do this for us we would sure like to find that person. Just call the Progress at 734-2410 and we will sign you up.



DONATION TO FIRE DEPARTMENT - Mrs. Berniece Rodgers (left), Treasurer of Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club is shown presenting a \$100.00 donation to Jack Harrison Fire Chief of Gorman Volunteer Fire Department and Gene Foster Fire Marshall. Mrs. Wynelle Brown, President of the Kokomo Extension Homemakers club, also made a \$100.00 Donation to the Carbon Fire Department and the West Texas Rehab Center. The club holds a Benefit supper in February especially for these causes.

CITY WIDE CLEAN-UP WEEK

This is clean up week for the city of Gorman and everyone is urged to clean garages, storage houses and anything around your place that needs to be hauled to the dump site.

Please call the city office to notify them when your rubbish is ready to be picked up. Clean up week is April 27 to May 3.

Everyone is urged to cooperate with the city officials in their efforts to get the extra heavy rubbish hauled. This is a once-a-year occasion when large items are hauled to the dump.

SIGNUP FOR **GIRLS SOFTBALL** UNDERWAY

Girls, ages 9-12, if you have not signed up to play softball this summer, I encourage you to do so today. We are trying to get enough 9-12 year old girls to have two teams from Gorman. This way we will not have to go out of town to play. We still need several girls. Notice - this is for girls fast pitch softball. We will not be playing hard ball or with the boys. Several girls signed up to play last year, but we did not have a team . . . So girls, this is your chance to play.





GROUP OF WINNERS IN THE DRAWINGS HELD SATURDAY



Again we want to thank Velma for her outstanding devotion to the Carbon folks for writing up the news. We love you, Velma!

Noticed in the Abilene Reporter News the other day that the Panthers had been moved up to Fifth in the State Baseball standings. The Panthers got off to a slow start this year on account of having to play teams in higher classifications, but now they have settled down a great deal and are playing the real fine baseball that they are capable of playing. We wish them the best the rest of the season and look for them to go a long way in baseball this season.

J We have secured a few pictures of the Easter Tradin Days Event in Gorman and have included them in this issue. We thank Brent Lasater for getting the photos to us so we could print them. The Business Alliance worked real hard preparing and staging the tradin days event. Great job ya'll.

-J-About all you hear on the tube or read in the paper these days in about some religious group doing this bad thing or that. This is a disgrace to the good old fundamental Christians and it sure does give religion a bad name. However, this stuff that's going on doesn't have a thing to do with the real, true Christian beliefs. These groups just thrive on getting folks to send in their hard-earned dollars to give someone a big fat salary, or for some outlandish style of living that doesn't have a thing at all to do with real religion. Uhg! What next.

Let's all hope and pray that this kind of stuff will come to an end and folks can go on with their real day-by-day Christian beliefs.

-J-

And remember to smile - - because God Loves You!

HOMEMAKERS CLASS MEETS

The Homemakers Class of First Baptist Church met in the home of Iris Preston for their April business and fellowship meeting, with Euna Porter as co-hostess. Elaine Skinner lead our opening prayer after which we enjoyed a delicious salad supper. Minutes were read and approved. Mayvis Lasater read financial report and Billie Bennett gave the secretary report in absence of Juanita Fuller. We then discussed new officers and teachers for our new Sunday School year. Billie Bennett brought a very good devotional on "How to by Happy" reading 1st John 1:1-7. which tells us clearly that God is the one who brings us happiness, and He teaches us how to be truly happy. She read a poem from one of Helen Steiner Rice's book on a recipe for happiness. We all enjoyed the devotional very much and were dismissed in prayer by Ora Lee Lawrence. Attending were Elaine Skinner, Lula Vermillion, Frances Sanders, Mayvis Lasater, Billie Bennett, Venia Kinser and Irene West, and Iris and Euna.

BASEBALL NEWS PANTHER BASEBALL TEAM WINS TWO MORE GAMES

The Panther baseball team won over a highly rated Abilene Junior Varsity team that were 18-0 coming into the game last Friday by a 9 to 6 score and were really ready to play.

In the first Scott Gressett got a hit bringing in Craig Gryder. Lance Sharp hit a homer bringing in Randall Gibbs and Scott Gressett. Then Rocson Childers hit a home run bringing in Miguel Pacheco.

In the second inning Lance Sharp hit his second homer bringing in Craig Gryder.

In the fourth Ronson Childers walked in on the pitchers balk.

Then in action on Tuesday the Panthers defeated Graford by a 5 to 3 margin.

In the first Scott Gressett had a hit bringing in Craig Gryder. In the second Ronson Childers had a hit bringing in Miguel Pacheco.

In the fourth Don Rodgers hit a home run, and in the fifth Miguel had a hit bringing in Scott Gressett. Then Miguel stole home for the final score.

-GP-Edna Smith Sunday School Class Meets

The Edna Smith Sunday School Class held their regular business meeting in the home of Louise Brown on April 21st.

Gearldene Wright asked the blessing on our supper of all kinds of salads, dips and chips, iced tea, coffe and lemon dessert.

President Louise Brown opened the business meeting with discussion and comments on our upcoming lay renewal. Minutes were read, reports given. Plans were made for a Kendrick's outing with picnic lunch soon.

Hazel Smith brought the devotional on Easter. Giving the story of the Palm tree, then read a poem, an "Easter Wish". Then reading from Rev. 1:9-18 giving the title Christ is Alive. Louise closed with prayer. Those present were: Hazel Smith, Gearldene Wright, Gladys Chamb-

Rock Bluff Annual Singing Slated May 3

The annual allday singing at the Rock Bluff Baptist Church will be held Saturday, May 3. Singing will begin at 10 a.m. with basket lunch served at noon. Singing will continue after lunch until approximately 4 p.m.

If you like good gospel singing, come and sing with us. Everyone welcome.

THANK YOU

We would like to thank each of you for the flowers, cards and gifts on our Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hallmark

NEWS ABOUT OUR SENIOR CITIZENS

Charlie and Oma Dee had their daughter, Sue Nicholas and her! husband, their son, J.T. and Judy Garrett, grandchildren, Jeff and Kim Nicholas and Kim's friend, Kevin Albrett visiting during Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Hicks from Brownwood visited Don Moorman Sunday afternoon.

Bill and Helen Chandler had guests from Copperas Cove over the weekend, Mary Louise Clements and Mozelle McAlla.

Gerry and Mechelle Rodgers visited with Murtice Rodgers and the F.R. Hailes over the weekend.

Iris Preston spent the weekend visiting with her son and family in Crawley.

Bertha Gregory has returned from an extended trip to Austin, and Phoenix, Arizona. While in Austin, Wanda and her mother toured the dogwood trails in East Texas and visited Ricky Goodwin's family. While in Phoenix, visited the H.J. Gregorys and had a very interesting trip to San Diego and other points on the West Coast.

Ima Lee spent a few days at her son's in Mexia, Roy Jack Burleson's family.

Jimmy Evatt from Stephenville visited and ate lunch on Tuesday.

If you are interested in playing, you may call Ina Scitern, 734-2720 or any of the baseball commissioners. -GP-

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank our friends and relatives for the prayers, cards, telephone calls, food and flowers during the illness and death of our loved one, Erma Eaves.

We would also like to thank the ladies of the Kokomo Baptist Church and the other ladies of the community for lunch.

May God bless each of you is our prayer.

Verna Laminack and family Virda Mae Norris and family Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Brown and family Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Eaves and family Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves and family -GP-

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot adequately express the gratitude we feel for the many expressions of care, concern and sympathy which were expressed to us during the illness and death of our loved one, Honnoll Watson.

The love that has been manifested through prayer, visits, flowers, cards, food, acts of kindness, music, words of consolation and the presence of so many at the funeral service has been such an encouragement to us.

To Nelda Keith, Bessie Shupp, Lisa Cornwell and Pat Cornwell, we publicly express our special appreciation for the excellence of professional care they provided Honnoll.

The Family of Honnoll Watson



Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bennett and Mrs. and Gary Mathis of Olden and Terry Kent of Abilene were in El Paso during the weekend for a State Bowling Tournament and a visit to Juarez, Mexico for a break from As it was in the days

EASTER BUNNY WITH ONE OF THE YOUNGSTERS PRESENT

Regional UIL Competition Results

Stacy Slampa placed 4th in the Shorthand at the Regional UIL competition in Abilene Saturday. This is the first time ever for a Gorman student not to qualify for State competition.

Bobbie Wilcoxson placed 5th in Prose Interpretation in the UIL competition.

Sipe Springs **Musical Slated**

There will be a musical at the Sipe Springs Community Center beginning at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 2nd.

We invite everyone to attend and a special welcome to all musicians.

A Celebration of Mother E

I can picture her face

Desdemona Musical Saturday Night

A musical will be held at the Desdemona Community Center, Saturday, May 2, beginning at 6 p.m. A concession stand will be open for refreshments. All proceeds will be used for the improvements on the center.

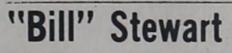
Desdemona To Hold Auction and **Barbeque Dinner**

An auction will be held at the Desdemona Community Center, Saturday, May 16, beginning at 10 a.m. with a break at noon for a barbecue dinner, and the auction will continue after lunch. The dinner will be \$5 per plate. All proceeds will be used toward the renovation of the community center.

SCHOOL MENU BREAKFAST

Mon.--toast, jelly, juice, milk Tue .-- cereal, juice, milk Wed.--rice, juice, milk Thur .-- toast, bacon, honey, juice,

less and Louise Brown.



William R. "Bill" Stewart, 63, died Saturday at a Comanche hospital. Services were at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the Comanche Funeral Home Capel with the Rev. Sherl Taylor and Sam Randolph officiating. Burial was in the Gardens of Memory Cemetery.

Born in Gorman, he was a longtime Comanche resident.

He was a financial supervisor for Gulf Oil and a member of the Presbyterian Church.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his mother. Macy Stewart of Comanche; two sisters, Mary Dell Stewart and Jo (Mrs. W.T.) Calhoun, both of Comanche: and two nieces, Kelly Taylor and Sid Calhoun.

the action. A good time was enjoyed by all

ITEM OF INTEREST

WEAVER CEMETERY WORKING DAY - will be Tuesday, May 5th. There will be a basket lunch at noon.

OLIVER SPRINGS ANNUAL CEMETERY WORKING will be held Friday, May 1. All interested persons are urged to attend. * * * * * * * * *

OAKLAND CEMETERY ASSOCIATION will meet Saturday, May 2 at the cemetery for a business meeting. If interested in the cemtery, please come.

Game Day and Luncheon at Lone Cedar Country Club, Friday, May 1st at 10:00 a.m.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

On Wednesday, May 6 from 8:30 to 3:30 Bring immunization records and birth certificate in the New Elementary Building.

When the family was young And she was strong: Stitching quilts, spinning yard, Helping Papa Tidy farm; Playing piano, putting up jam, All-day-singings-and-dinners-on the ground: Hearing tall tales grandkids can tell; Drawing the water up out of the well; Churning milk, baking cakes; Eradicating chicken snakes.

When I think of that time I see a woman in her prime Doing everything she could To make some hard times good. She was, to the childre, a guiding light To a grandchild - pure delight!

Age could drain the strength and vigor, Time could slow the wit and humor, And deather could take the spark from her eye. But who she is will never die.

Dr. Lyn Eaves Laminack

milk

Fri.--pancakes, syrup, juice, milk LUNCH

Mon.--salmon patties, pork ? beans, spinach, cornbread, chocolate pudding, milk

Tue .-- beef patties with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, cherry cobbler, milk

Wed .-- chili pack, pinto beans, fried okra, crackers, peaches, milk

Thur .-- chicken nuggets, gravy, au gratin potatoes, carrots, rolls, honey, milk

Fri.--hot dogs, chili, cheese, tater tots, ice cream, milk

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Joe Rodgers and her daughter, Mrs. Michelle Kane of Littlerock, Arkansas, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F.R. Haile. Mrs. Erin Klappenbach of Houston is here for a visit with the Hailes.



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UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MEET

The United Methodist Women met at the church Monday, April 27 at 2:30.

President Ruby Acrea opened the meeting with prayer. Lucretia Fairbetter gave the devotional. She always gives us a very inspiring devotional. Bobbie Brown gave the program on Christian Social Involvement and the Politics of Religious Intolerance. She told of the seminar that Betty Friedan spoke about that was sponsored by the many different churches. The speakers were concerned about the political activity and religious tolerance in our society. She told about several others that spoke at the meeting. Stan Hasty of the Baptist Committee and Mary Jane Patterson of the Presbyterian Church spoke on personal freedom. It was a very good program we all

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3-5-14 C.

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PORCH SALE: Five Family,



Remember Saturday night, May 2nd will be the musical at the Desdemona Community Center, beginning at 6 p.m. This is a

needed to hear. At the close of the program Pres. Ruby Acrea had a short business meeting. We made plans for the Methodist Church to sponsor a party Thursday night for the Senior Class of Gorman High School. Mildred Whitt, chairman of the committee of local church activities, will have charge of the party. Don Moorman, treasurer, gave a report of money spent this year. At the close of the meeting and benediction, delicious sandwiches, lime vegetable salad, ice cream and cookies and drinks were served by the hostess, Mrs. Bobbie Brown to those present: Mrs. Ester Bolt, Helen Chandler, Velma Bennett, Theresa Parker, Don Moorman, Ruth Higginbottom, Pauline Dennis, Ruby Acrea, and Lucretia Fairbetter.

BACK YARD SALE: Yellow two story house by school Bus Barn, Saturday, starts at 9:00. Girls clothing, toys, miscellaneous items. 1-4-30 c.

monthlay musical and will be the 1st Saturday of each month. Concession stand with sandwiches, pie and drinks. Visitors are welcome.

Kyle, son of Buckshot and Betty Lewis, will be in Old Mexico all week with the Cisco Jr. College Band.

John and Betty Webb spent Easter holidays in Big Spring with their son, Johnny Webb and family.

Lora (Riggs) Jones of Hawley and Ruby Lee (Riggs) Hathaway of De Leon visited Sunday at the First Baptist Church.

Thanks to everyone who helped in any way with the outsiders volleyball tournament this past weekend at the Desdemona Community Center.

Floyd and Louise Morton of Anton, grandparents of Kay and Steve Keith of Comanche, and Mack and Nelda Keith of Gorman all attended church on Easter Sunday at First Baptist Church in Desdemona.

Debert and Faye Williams of Kermit visited Easter weekend with his sister, Dorothy Roberts and attended church at First Baptist.

Rob and Jane Guthery of Irving were in Odessa last Monday to attend the funeral of Stacey Bailey, son of Walt and Daphne Bailey, and grandson of Otis Goforth. Stacey was killed in a car wreck. Otis was a former resident of Desdemona.

Bernard and Ann Keith returned home Sunday evening after a 10-day vacation with their son, Brad Keith, who attends Temple University in Chattanooga, Tennessee. They toured Nashville and saw the "Nashville Now Show". Reported a good trip but glad to be home.

Coy and Teresa Clayton lost their home and everything in it by fire on Saturday night, April 18. A shower was given for them on Sunday at the First Baptist Annex Building.

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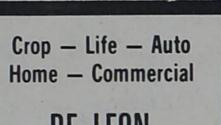
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KOKOMO NEWS By Mrs. Zelda Jordan Phone 639-2289

Wynelle Brown, Mary Frances Bishop and Ima Lee Fair of the Kokomo Extension Homema k e r s Club, attended the District 8 Texas Extension Homemakers Association Meeting held April 23 at Glen Lake Methodist Camp at Glen Rose. They reported an educational, fun filled day.

The Kokomo-Simpson Cemetery wroking and association meeting and Homecoming will be held at Kokomo on Saturday, May 2. Basket lunches will be spread at the noon hour in the Kokomo Community Center. The cemetery association meeting will begin at 1 p. m. Every interested person is invited to attend.

Those visitong with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow during the past weekend were Mrs. Willis Morrow of Levelland, Mrs. Earlene Blakney of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Tipp McCollum of Trion, Ga., Mrs. Katie Quintrell of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Mrs. Bobby Evans of Summerville, Ga. They all attended the Morrow family reunion Friday through Sunday at the family center in Stephen-ville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Norris, Jana and Lodi, were visitors at the. Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Earl Morrow was a visitor on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Clearman at Ovala, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clearman at Lawn and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sudduth at Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clearman of Lawn, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Clearman of Lamesa visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman on Thursday

and they all attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Erma Eaves.

Wynelle Brown, Verna Lee Little, Nancy Hendricks, Zelda Jordan, Berneice Rodgers and Lurline Nelson were among those attending the bridal brunch for Miss Alice Ann Allison, bride-elect of Shane Lowrie, on Saturday morning in the home of Mrs. Tena Walker at Carbon.

Lindsey Eaton of Lawn is visiting this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller.

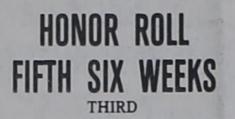
KYLE BRANDON JORDAN CELEBRATES FIRST BIRTHDAY

Kyle Brandon Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jordan of Portales, N M.* and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan, celebrated his first birthday on Saturday, April 25th. Glenn Jordan was in Portales last week on business and visited with Ted, Cindy and Kyle, and helped Kyle celebrate his birthday a few days early, as he had to return home on Friday.

Mr. Jim Lewallen, who had been visiting with the Glenn Jordans, accompanied Glenn to Denver City for a visit with the D. C. Bells. Glenn also stopped for a brief visit with a sister-in-law, Laverne Winn, at the ASCS office in Muleshoe on his return trip home on Friday morning. JOE MILES FIRST IN STREET

STOCK AT ABILENE SPEEDWAY

Joe Miles placed third in hie heat and third in the "A" feature of the street stock car races at the Abilene Speedway on Saturday night, April 25, and in doing so did some of the best driving that he has ever done. Because of his placing in the heat race he had to start the feature race near the end of the 22-car lineup in



A Nic Burleson Kim Campbell Barbra Gibbs Justin Snider Deanna Torres

A-B Misty Battenfield Tom Bynum Erica Hogan Jason Rich Jennifer Scitern Jennifer Torrez Keri Wright

FOURTH

Kirk Ervin Diana Glover Don Mauney **Rachel Reeves** Jeremy Sanders Linda Swanner A-B Melissa Clark Jennifer Eaves Jeanna Grice Missy Jobe Amparo Madera Mandy Rice

FIFTH A John Stephens

the race.

Joe is currently in first place in the season's point standings in the street stock car races at the speedway. He drives a Ford Mustang.

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Joe is the 17 year old son of Roddy and Glenda Miles of Abilene, and the grandson of Glenn and Zelda Jordan. The Jordans soent Saturday night with the Miles family and attended the races.

A-B	EIGHTH	Tracy Smith
Noah Landa	A	Michael Warren
Annette Love	A-B	Ronnie Wilcoxen
Gloria Madera		Joni Williams
	Kim Broom	Jeff Greene
Connie Rone SIXTH	Sharla Clark	ELEVENTH
	Kevin Hirst	A
A Nachu Cartar	Chago Landa	Scott Campbell
Neely Carter	Stephen Scitern	Scott Gressett
Angela Treadway A-B	NINTH	A-B
Stephanie Bryant	A	Shane Burgess
Jonray Childers	Gary Browning	Tommy Curb
Christian Clark	April Daniels	Edith de la Torre
Cheri Eaves	Brian Lasater	Kathy Dixon
Lucretia Frasier		Randall Gibbs
Flavio Herrera	A-B	Christian Henry
Jill Rainey	Richard Brown	Ruth Hudgins
William Rainey	John Carter	Trina Keesee
Daniel Reeves	Julie Casey	Cuca Landa
Kris Scitern	Joe Foster	Wayne Murray
	Christi Frasier	Don Rodgers
Edith Torres	Brandon Gilmore	Teresa Taylor
Kathy White	Oscar Herrera	Molly Vaughn
SEVENTH	Nikki Warren	Julie Williams
A A	TENTH	TWELFTH
Cesar Escalante	A	А
Eli Evans	Tresa Hutson	Stacy Slampa
nest rr	4.17	A-B
A-B	A-B	Tim Dennis
Shawnda Burgess	Susan Carmack	David Gibbs
Andy Cariker	Ronson Childers	Lance Jones
Marty McCormick	Joe Flores	Graciela Landa
Renee Rainey	Craig Gryder	Armando Ramirez
Sylvia Ramirez	Kevin Love	Jennifer Simmons
Lewis Reynolds	Jay McCormick	Mike Snider -
Rachel Ripley	Dara Miears	Toby Snider
Steve Taylor	Shane Morrow	Bobby Wilcoxen
Jana Norris	Shiloh Richter	Glenn Burgess
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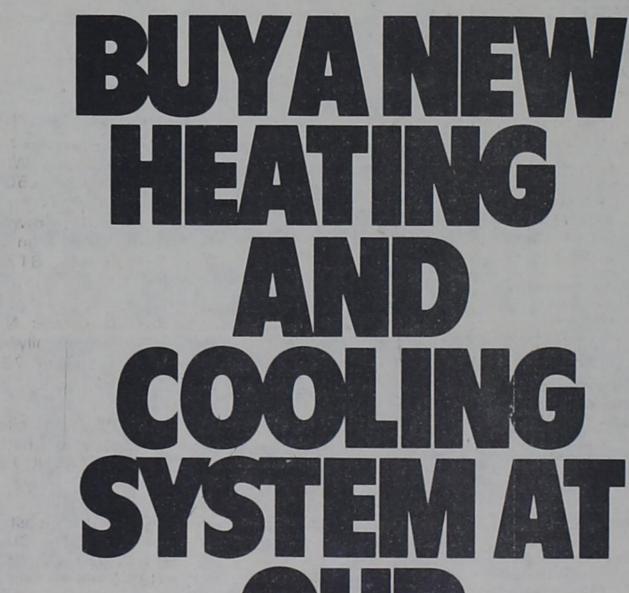
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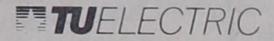
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CITY CHIT CHAT

By Mayor Charlie L. Garrett

The City Commission met on Thursday evening with the mayor and all commissioners present. Others present were Mrs. Brinegar, Mr. Funderburgh and Mr. Jack Harrison.

You remember that I mentioned last week that we might be forced to make some changes at the landfill. After discussing our problems there and what could be done to correct the situation, we are making some changes. Effective as of May 4, the landfill gate will be locked except on Saturdays from 12 noon to 6 p.m. There will be someone on duty at the gate during these hours to show where trash is to be dumped. In fee at present will be \$2 for a pickup or small trailer load and \$5 for a

will understand why we are forced to do this and will cooperate with us in the matter.

We voted to take a survey to determine if we had enough low to moderate income families to qualify for a Community Development Grant. The survey should be started within a short time. It will not show a family income, but will be checked to show if it is above or below the figure that has been established by the Federal Government as the determining amound according to family size. The Chamber of Commerce has agreed to help in this survey. There will be no way of connecting family name with income as the name will not appear on the form. I hope that everyone will cooperate in the survey because it is the only way that we can determine our needs. The first leg of the surbey will be everything south of Roberts Street, since the area in which we need improvement in the

fogging machine to control mosquitoes. It has been ordered and should be here within ten days. We hope to get an early start on the little rascals this year and maybe they won't get



THE GORMAN PROGRESS APRIL 30, 1987

Loyd Jackson, 82, former Eastland County Commissioner, died Friday at a Ranger hospital.

Services were at 10 a.m. Monday at the emple Baptist Church in Odessa with the Rev. Jerry Thorpe officiating. Burial was in Sunset Memorial Gardens in Odessa, directed by Frank W. Wilson Funeral Directors of Odessa.

Born in Crews, he moved to Carbon 24 years ago.

He was a retired self-employed building contractor and the former owner of L&H Grocery in Carbon.

Survivors include his wife, Helen

Final Rites Held Monday Services for Fannie Mae (Mrs.

Fannie Mae Nunn

H.L.) Nunn, 79, were at 11 a.m. Monday at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel in Big Spring with the Rev. Guy White officiating. Burial was in the Coahoma Cemetery.

She died Friday at an El Paso hospital.

Born in Gorman, she moved to the Coahoma area more than 60 years ago.

help. There will be entertainment She was a member of the First



Baptist Church and the widow of Herman Nunn.

Survivors include two sisters. Mrs. Donald Swope of Lindale and Mrs. Alliene Gregg of Big Spring; and several nieces and nephew, including two nieces, Barbara Miller and Bette Dixon, both of El Paso.

Please remember the birthday

party for residents having April

birthdays will be Thursday April 30,

at 2 p.m. The Kokomo Extension

Homemakers Club will come and

WITH FRIENDS

Visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Jarrett were Trevor Robertson of Arlington, Glenda Beth and Bob Poe of Bedford, Alma Taylor of De Leon and Steve Watson of Houston.

CANTERBURY VILLA OF GORMAN

and refreshments. Our honorees are Ethel Harrell, Sadie Russell, Lennie Smith, Ola Walker and Roy Kinser. We welcome relatives and friends of the residents.

There will be a country and western musical at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 30. Everyone is invited. We really have some good music.

We welcome a new resident, G.O. Boyd, husband of Emma Doyle Boyd, who was already a resident. They have two sons and families, Jack Boyd of Desdemona and Butch Boyd of Abilene.

We welcome Alice Burleson home from the De Leon Hospital and hope she continues to be well.

We are sorry to report Lennie Smith is still a patient in the Ranger Hospital. Hurry and get well--we miss you.

Visiting with Berta Poynor were her cousins, Gretchen White of Abilene and Webb Bentley of Van Nuys, California.

We sure enjoyed the Roland SMith tapes Velma Bennett brought and played for us. We look forward to Velma's visits.

Lenis Rice of Carbon visited her sister, Iola Johnson.

We had Easter church services Sunday. At 2:30 Rev. Rawlyn Richter, Oma Dee Garrett, Velma Bennett, Bill and Helen Chandler, Lucretia and Junior Fairbetter came for the worship services.

At 4 p.m. members of the Church of Christ coming were Bro. T.A. Grice, Allie Mae George, Lorene Foster, Dora Faye Brewer, Georgie and Frankie Stacey, Cula Palmer, Scytha Alldredge, Zena Simpson, Greg, Kathy, Jeannie, Samantha and Jana Good, Floydean Gilbert, Robert Cindy and David Moore. Mrs. Ima Boles of Clyde and Mamie Little of Eastland visited Annie and Veno Hale Saturday. Visiting with Berta Poynor were Dude Stokes and son of Brownwood, Eunice Love of Ranger, Bro. Ron Carroll, Mayvis Lasater, Nettie Denton, Bro. Marion Dennis, James and Ruby Lee Kinser. Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Hamilton of Mineral Wells, LaJoyce Bailey of Abilene visited Doc Hamilton. Lois Chambless of Comanche, Jean Jackson of Eastland visited Ola Walker on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Rich Robertson of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Ima Lee Fair of Ranger visited Ruby Vandergriff on Sunday. Nan Haynes of Duster visited her aunt, Bernice Haynes on Saturday. Faye Huff visited Cynthia Earles on Sunday. Irene West and Nancy Hendricks helped us play bingo Monday at 1:30 p.m. Winners were game 1, Ola Walker; game 2, Ruby Vandergriff; game 3, Berta Poynor. We had two blackouts, Berta Poynor and Garnett Adams. We appreciated Mrs. Buryl Rodgers furnishing the prizes. On Monday at 7 p.m. we had our regular 3rd Monday country and western musical. The weather was stormy but we had a good musical anyway. Present were Carroll and Leta Hogan, Velma Bennett, Hillary and A.V. Seay, Josie Flores, W.D. and Iola Bailey, Estell Dickey, Raymond and Virgina Hart of Ranger. The Canterbury Villa volunteers met at 1:45 p.m. on Tuesday, April 21 at the Dairy Queen. President Willo Rice presided. Plans were made to meet in the home of Velma Bennett on Monday, April 27th at 2 p.m. to decide on gifts for Canterbury Villa residents. Eight members were present. At 2:30 on Tuesday we had a real good singing. Those coming were Dorothy Roberts, Melbe Frasier, Willo rice, Lucretia Fairbetter, Velma Bennett, Nancy Hendricks, Mary Kiser, Junior Fairbetter, Estell Dickey and Oma Dee Garrett.

Laura Bell Hunt and daughter-inlaw, Debra Hunt, of Ft. Worth visited their aunt, Jessie Lemley on Tuesday.

Joe Poteet gave Mary Emerson and Garnett Adams permanents.

We are sorry to report Alice Burleson is in the De Leon Hospital and Lennie Smith is in the Ranger Hospital. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Gladys Chambless, Hazel Smith and Nancy Hendricks helped with bingo. Winners were Cynthia Earles for the first game, Jess Roberts, second game, Doc Hamilton, third game and Veno Hale had the black out card.

On Thursday at 1:30 p.m. M.L. Skiles and Irene West helped with bingo. Winners were game 1, Garnett Adams; game 2, Bernice Haynes; game 3, Grace Skiles. Bernice Haynes blacked out.