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JUNE 23, 1988

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NUMBER TWENTY-ONE

MISS GORMAN AND LITTLE MISS GORMAN CROWNED



1988 Miss Gorman - Shannon Warren and the 1988 Little Miss Gorman - Jessie Hagood



Kevin Hirst and Sharla Clark



Don Rodgers and Kim Sharp



Joe Rodgers and April Daniels



Chuck Fonville and Shannon Warren

On Saturday, June 19th a new Miss Gorman and Little Miss Gorman were crowned at the annual pageant at the school auditorium before a number of parents, relatives and friends.

Miss Gorman for 1988 is Shannon Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Warren. Shannon represented the Gorman Business Alliance.

Little Miss Gorman for 1988 is Jessie Hagood, daughter of Shelby Hagood and Bill Hagood. Jessie represented the Lion's Club.

First runner-up in the Miss Gorman event was April Daniels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daniels. April represented the Lion's Club. Second runner-up was Sharla Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Clark. Sharla represented the Chamber of Commerce. Third runner-up was Kim Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Sharp. Kim represented the Fire Department.

First runner-up in the Little Miss Gorman event was Kristin Gibbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Gibbs. Kristin represented the Frank Gray Park Ass'n. Second runner-up ws Kristina Tbrner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Turner. Kristina represented the Gorman Business Alliance. Third runner-up was Kaci Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Webb. Kaci represented the Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club.

Receiving participant trophies were: Christina Mauney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mauney. Christina represented the 4-H & FFA Booster Club. Kendra Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bimbo Roberts. Kendra represented the Chamber of Commerce. Emerald Guthery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Guthery. Emerald represented the Fire Department.

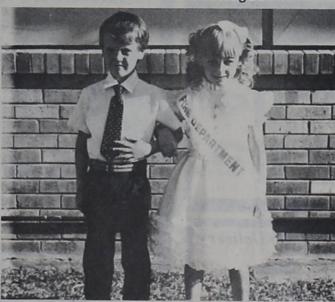
A grand total of \$4,153.49 was raised by these candidates during the month long contest, with a total of \$3,152.83 being raised by the Miss Gorman Candidates and \$1,000.66 being raised by the Little Miss Gorman Candidates.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to congratulate all of the candidates as they are all winners in our book. Proceeds from the contest will purchase a new sound system for the gym. We appreciate the candidates and their sponsors for all of the hard work and the time spent on the contests.

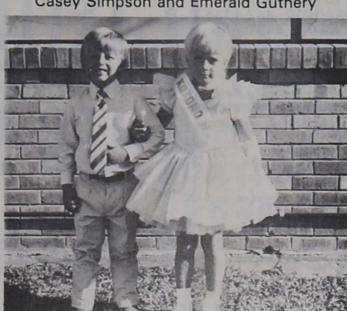
The Chamber would also like to thank our 1987 Miss Gorman, Nikki Warren and our 1987 Little Miss Gorman, Tiffany Troutman for representing Gorman this past year. They both did a super job.



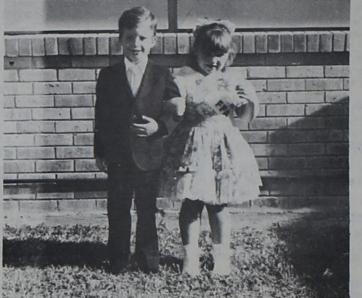
Bubba and Jessie Hagood



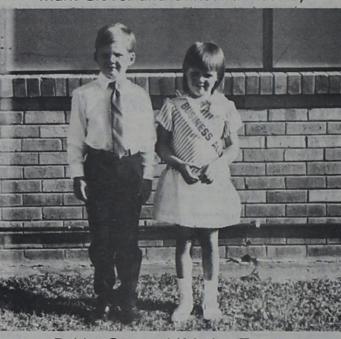
Casey Simpson and Emerald Guthery



Laramie Keith and Kaci Webb



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4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Saturday, June 25th from 8 to 3 at Doris Bryans. Adult and childrens clothes, linens, appliances, Toys and much more. No Early

next weeks paper.

will pass them on:

I pray you can read this but I have a diabetic problem with my hands which makes it very difficult. Anyway, Cody and I are showing our ages, but with the kids help still live

PLANS BEING FINALIZED FOR JULY FOURTH CELEBRATION

The Frank A. Gray Park Association members are finalizing plans for the big all-day July 4th celebration at the Frank A. Gray Memorial Park on Monday, July 4th.

A very important meeting will be held at the Senior Citizens Center on Thursday, June 23rd at 7:30 p. m. All park association officers, board members, and committee members need to be present. All others interested in the success of the celebration are urged to attend.

All committees have been busy planning a full day of activities for young and old.

The usual turtle races and frog jumping contests will be held, so boys and girls plan now to locate your frogs and turtles. The ever popular balloon and bubble gum, sack race, three legged race, water melon and tobacco spitting contests will be held, also broad jump, egg toss, tug of war and a dunking pond for all ages will be an interesting attraction.

There will be volleyball games and games of dominoes and 42 tournament - for the old youth and adults.

A bboth will be open for face painting for the younger group.

A beef barbecue dinner will be catered by John Miears of De Leon. Lemonade, soft drinks, iced tea, snow cones, cobbler and baked goods will be for sale throughout the

A grand musical program is

planned with many different groups performing beginning at 2 p. m.

Activities will begin at 10 a. m. with the raising of the flag and the National Anthem. Mayor Graydon Baze will be the guest speaker.

A large fireworks display will be at dark, climaxing the fun-filled day. It promises to be a great day for the entire family, so come and join in the celebration.

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4-H and FFA Booster Club Community Calendar is in need of your name or anniversary to be included on the calendar. The cost to have your name placed on the calendar is 25° per name. Contact Lana Sharp at 758-2238 or Darlene Hampton at 734-2983. Do your part to help the Booster Club make this calendar succeed.

The Beattie School Reunion will be held Saturday, June 25th at De Leon City Hall, from 4:00 p.m. til 10:00 p.m. Sandwich Supper will be served at 7:00 p.m. Everyone bring sandwiches and cookies. Drinks and ice will be furnished. Everyone Welcome.

Desdemona Community Center Monthly Musical will be Saturday night, June 25th. Plenty to eat in the Concession Stand. All Area Musicians are invited, friends and neighbors too.

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Be sure and read the Sav-On-Food ad in this weeks issue. They have some good specials. Check it over and then tell Randall and the others that you saw their ad in the Progress. We'll appreciate it. —J—

Received a couple of letters and Dear Joe;

PS. Her birthday is June 18. They

alone with a 13 year old dog. Bob's

I am sending a check for a sub for

Mary Ann's birthday. She expressed

a wish to get the Progress. Her

address is Mrs. Mary Ann Lipps,

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Mozelle Rhymes

Ima Lee Burleson accompanied her granddaughter, Julia and Toby Morris, to Six Flags. They met another granddaughter, Kathy Thompson of Texarkana, Bonnie Burleson and Connie Phillips and children of Mexia.

Jessie Lee Jones anbd Purnia Faye Smith visited last week in Houston with Jessie Lee's son, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eison and her granddaughter, Lea Ann. They also visited with their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Sellers, while there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning and Lottie Morris spent Saturday afternoon with Joe Bob and Ruth Brown-

The Rev. Bruner will be pastor for the Gorman and Laurel Street United Methodist Church of Dublin.

Born in Evansville, Indiana, he entered the ministry in 1946 at Bisbee, Arizona. He served in the Central Texas Conference from 1965 to 1968. He also served in the North Texas Conference from 1068 to 1975, before returning to the Central Texas Conference in 1975 until the present. He served in the U. S. Army from 1945 to 1948 and served in the U.S. Air Force from 1955 to 1963.

Rev. Bruner received his BA degree from Franklin College of Indiana in 1954. He also did graduate study in Psychology and Education at the University of Arizona in Tucson. He received his Master of Theology at Perkins School of Theology at SMU in 1968. He taught elementary school and special education in Tucson. He was married to Nell Wilson Reed McLean on September 15, 1956 in Wichita Falls. The couple have two daughters: Patricia Nell McLean Daves of Cedar Hill and Mary Jane McLean Jackson of Johnson City, Tenn.; and four grandchildren, Mark Jackson of Austin, Paul Daves of Cedar Hill, Michelle Daves Pena of Cedar Hill, and Scott Jackson of Johnson City, Tenn.; and also one greatgrandson, Joseph Lee Pena of Cedar Hill.

The Bruners come to Gorman from

Bro. Bruner replaces Bro. Rawlyn Richter and family who have moved to Stephenville.

We welcome this new family to

Ozella Pulley and **Bill Barr Honored By Methodists**

Ozells Pulley and Bill Parr were recognized at the Sunday, June 12 worship service at the First United Methodist Church as members of longest standing in the church.

Both joined the church on the third Sunday, June 16, 1916. They have been continuous members for

They were presented certificates of recognition by Rev. Rawlyn Richter. The recently printed church history book was dedicated to Ozella

Other members of long standing in the church were Ruth Higginbottom, 67 years; Wilbur Shell, 66 years; Pauline Dennis, 65 years,

Dean Kirk, 64 years, R. C. Mehaffey, 57 years, Harold Mehaffey, 56 years; James Jobe, 54 years; Velma Bennett, 53 years; and Billy Fred Jeffs, 50 years.

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ing in Brwonwood.

Visiting in the home of Anna Rush last week were her brother, Ralph Neves, wife, Betty and granddaughter, Tracy of Davenport, Iowa.

Anna Rush and Estelle Erwin were in Roby on Saturday to attend the funeral of Anna's sister-in-law, Ethel

We welcomed Norman and Nell Bruner on Tuesday. He is the new pastor for the United Methodist Church of Gorman. It was a pleasure to have them and Ron Carroll of the First Baptist, Curtis and Nita Maness of the Churcg of Christ, Marion and Anne Dennis, Joyce dennis of the Congregational Methodist, Richard, Connie, Rachel and Leah of New Hope Baptist. All ministers and their families are always welcome at the

It was good to have Nona Bond (and her fresh greens) back. We miss each one when they are absent.

We are planning a house warming for Anna Rush on Monday, June 27th at 7 p. m. Everyone is invited. A money tree is being "Grown" at the

Father Day

Celebration

Enjoyed At Park

On Sunday, June 19, Fathers Day

All the fathers sat under the shade

and relaxed (the ladies did the

cooking). It is nice out there and

The crowd was down for the day.

and Neva Robertson, Donnie and

Nelda Mauney, Billy Fred and Mary

Jeffs, Howard and Pat Hagood, Gary

Sammie, Don, Shannon and Chris-

tina Mauney, Kelly Johnson, Bill

and Kathy Hagood, Brandon Powell,

Tona Warren Brenda Morris, all of

visited in the Center Tuesday after-

noon. He was trying to find a post

card about Texas.

Dale Warner of Baltimore, Md.

Those in attendance were Cecil

everyone had a great time.

was celebrated at Frank A. Gray

Memorial Park by the Cecil Robert-

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

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Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lasater, Lori and Whitney of Eastland, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clement of Dallas visited Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter and Mrs. J. A. Clement.

Mozelle Boucher, Maichael Boucher, Teresa, Diana, Bobby and Heather Marcus, Ricky, Amy, Crystal and Joshua Troutman, Terrye and Tony Nickel, all of Stephenville; Bud and Marlene Jeffs of Lohn; Philip, Donna, Robert and Sarah Lewis of Desdemona; Bob Hagood of Brown-

All had a good time and looking forward to the reunion planned for July 4th weekend.

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Bro. Melvin Fields of Proctor preached at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday for Bro. Clarence Wilson, who was on vacation. Mrs. Fields and their grandson, Scott Dalina of Oklahoma accompanied Bro. Fields to Kokomo for both services. Cody Fails of Arlington was also a visitor.

Mrs. Mamie Little was able to be back in church on Sunday after being out for awhile following eye surgery. Bro. Fields read a poem dedicated

to all fathers in the congregation to honor them on Father's Day. Rosa Aguilar of Eastland was

visiting with Nancy Hendricks on Saturday afternoon.

Nancy Hendricks visited in Clyde on Sunday afternoon with Roy, Sylvia, Kelly and Yancey Buchanan.

Our sincere sympathy to the family of Dale Gilmore of Gorman, who passed away last week. He was the uncle of Durwood Burgess of our community.

BIRTHDAY SUPPER HONORS JOE MILES AND MARY MILES

Joe Miles and his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Miles, shared honors on Friday night when his parents, Glenda and Roddy Miles, honored them with a birthday supper in their home on Rt. 4, Abilene. Joe's birthday was Saturday, June 18 and Mrs. Miles' birthday was on Wednesday, June 15.

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cream. The birthday cake was baked and beautifully decorated by Joe's sister, Sheri Miles, and had the inscription "Happy Birthday" Ah-Ma and Joe. The cake was decorated

with blue flowers and blue candles. Those helping Joe and Mrs. Miles celebrate were Robert and Diane Miles, Brent Carter, Joyce and Glenn Carter, and Debbie Carter and a friend, Angie of Hodges, J. J. Taylor of Tye, Glenn and Zelda Jordan of Kokomo and Roddy, Glenda and Sheri Miles.

Joe celebrated his 19th birthday further on Saturday night by winning first place in his heat and the trophy dash and second in the feature race at the Abilene Speedway in the street stock car races.

Robert Miles had tough luck on Saturday night, getting his car sandwiched between other cars and it had to be taken from the track.

On Saturday, Glenda and Sheri Miles and Zelda Jordan attended the birthday celebration honoring Mrs. Mary Miles at the University Inn retirement home. Matt Marsh, music director at the Southside Baptist Church in Abilene, entertained the group with old time favorite songs. Anna Danley, pianist of the church, accompanied him on the piano. The birthday cake, decorated in pink and white, was served with punch to the residents of the University Inn and guests attending the party.

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NANCY HENDRICKS, Reporter

We regret the passing of Alma Herrera, 20, sister of Hilda Lara,

nurses aide at Canterbury. Alma died on Monday, June 13 at her home in Gorman. Burial was in the Gorman Cemetery.

The home extends sympathy to Hilda and the other loved ones.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday were Rev. Clarence and Cynthia Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow, Mrs. Odis Rodgers, Woodrow Browning, Mrs. Cullen Rodgers, Mrs. Albert Hendricks, Mrs. Bill Joiner, Mrs. Bill Brown and Jimmy Little.

At 4 p. m. members of the Church of Christ were Bro. Curtis and Nita Maness, Bro. T. A. Grice, Dora Fav Brewer, Lorene Foster, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Scytha Alldredge, Dee Smithey, Janda Taylor, Jenny, Samantha and Tana Goode, Gene Falls, Floydene Gilbert and Juanita Files.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burleson of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris of Carbon visited Alice Burle-

Waldene Jones of Dublin visited her brother, Eulon Perry on Wednes-

We are happy to report Lonnie Capers is home from the Eastland Hospital and Gussie Ragland has returned from the De Leon Hospital.

Lonnie Raybourne of Scotland visited his aunt, Nancy Holloway. While here he took Nancy and

ing spent Father's Day in Abilene with Gary and Donna Gatlin.

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total firmness. Torsion module foundation Cynthia Earles for an outing to De Leon.

Mrs. Bill Brown and R. Lee McDaniels of Carbon visited Edna Morgan.

Lilly Mae Prentiss visited her sister, Bernice Haynes. Also Billie and Ann Haynes visited Bernice and Judy Phillips.

Bro. Joe O'Neal brought the devotional on Tuesday.

At 2:30 p. m. on Tuesday coming for the singing were Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona, Billie Stacy and R. Lee McDaniels of Carbon, Hillary Seay, Joe O'Neal, Lucretia Fairbetter, Bruce Thomas, Velma Bennett, Oma Dee Garrett, Junior Fairbetter, Nina Joiner, Nancy Hendricks, Bernice Rodgers, Melba Frasier and Ava Rodgers.

Visiting with Cynthia Earles were Fave Huff, Oma Mae Hughes of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haynes of De Leon, Lilly Mae Prentiss of Whitney and Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona.

Ruby Vandergriffs guests were Lois Marie Daniels of Ruidoso, Virginia Pack of Stephenville, Dora Faye Brewer and Bertha Gregory.

Richard Kinser of Eastland, Maudie Aston, Bro. Marion Dennis, Gertie Leeper, Delma Maupin and Lela Dell Bennett visited Berta Poynor.

Willo Rice gace the Bible study on Wednesday.

Visiting with Harley and Wilma Rawls were Bobby Burleson of Stephenville, Jack Emerson of Fort Worth, Roy Rawls of Austin, Patsy Locke of Burleson, Lowell Rawls, Paula Lewis and Kevin, Mayvis Lasater, Gladys Chambless and Hazel Smith.

Ina Reynolds of Carbon and Lenis Rice visited their sister, Iola John-

Jimmy Little, Iola Johnson, Alice Burleson, Cynthia Earles visited Veno and Annie Hale.

Brent Lasater and his niece, Jean Ann Lewis, visited Lorene Jay on Wednesday.

Irene West came on Monday to help us with bingo. Winners were Lonzo Coffman, Nancy Holloway and

Cynthia Earles. On Wednesday morning Gladys Chambless, Hazel Smith and Nancy Hendricks helped. Winners were Iola Johnson, Edna Morgan, Berta Poynor, and Iola Johnson had black-

On Thursday at 1:30 p. m. Trey Hogan of Albany, Pam Osborne, Irene West and Nancy Hendricks came and helped with bingo. Winners were Berta Poynor, Alice Burleson, Jess Roberts, Edna Morgan and Veno Hale had blackout.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Wright took Leroy Wright to the Wright reunion at De Leon on June 5th. Leroy really

DESDEMONA

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Father's Day was observed Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Desdemona. All the fathers present sang the "Old Rugged Cross" for the special music.

Vicki Harris and Zane of Eastland visited Sunday with her parents, Skinnie and Eloise Lewis, and attended church with them.

Desdemona Community Center monthly musical will be Saturday night, June 25th. Plenty to eat in the concession stand. All area musicians are invited, and friends and neighbors, too.

Jim Grimshaw is in the Dublin Hospital with pneumonia. We send get well wishes out to him and others in our community on the sick list.

enjoyed the outing and getting to see his relatives. About 75 were present.

On Thursday night the musical was really great. Those coming were Paul and Imogene Norris, Brooks Gilbert, Turitt and Ruby Lee Norris of Carbon, Pete and De Alva Rodgers of Eastland, Marshall and Dottie Reeves of Dublin, Archie and Georgie Faye Skaggs, Donnie Parker Nancy Hendricks, Alpha Mae Andry, Aubrey Wilson, Loyd and Bobbie Glasson, Bert Witt, Leta and Carroll Hogan and Hillary Seay and Brent Hallmark of Stephenville.

Those visiting Delma Maupin were her sister, Ruth Booth of Ballinger, A niece, Joyce of San Angelo, Donnie Self of Big Spring, James and Barbara Williams of Kearnes, Benton Echols of Desde-

Elmer Rachels Last Rites Slated Thursday

Elmer Rachel was born on May 17, 1895 to Johnnie and Annie Rachel of Sipe Springs. Mr. Rachel passed away on Monday, June 20th, 1988 at 1:20 p. m. at North Hill Medical Center. He had been in bad health for the past three years.

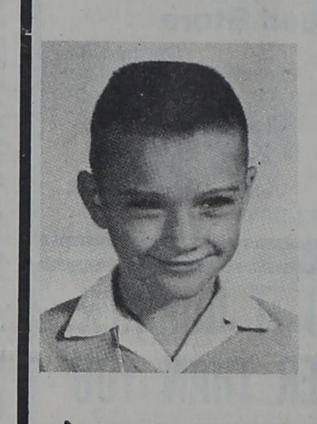
Mr. Rachel was a World War I veteran. He lived in Gorman for many years before moving to Bedford, Texas five years ago.

Mr. Rachel is survived by his wife, Ruby of Bedford; a son, Jimmy Rachel of Bedford; and a daughter, Bobbie Payton of Fort Worth; three grandsons, Jay Rachel of Arlington, Jay Payton of Dallas and Jerre Payton of Fort Worth; three greatgrandchildren, Jeremiah, Jonathan and Katie Payton, all of Fort Worth; a brother, Jean Rachel of Sidney; two sisters, Ima Wright of Dallas and Lillian Cox of Brownwood; a cousin, Johnnie Landreth of Gorman; and a host of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters and 4 brothers. Burial will be in the Greenwood Cemetery in Fort Worth at 3:30 p. m. Thursday, June 23.

mona, Billie Stacy of Carbon, Iris Smith, Stella Scott, Gladys Chambless, Hazel Smith, Alfred and Mary

Grice. Leta Hogan, social activity director attended a big country chapter of Rehabilitation and Social Directors in Abilene June 6. The meeting was very informative with Ann Turner, R. A. Consultant, speaking. Dr. Everett Kopp gave a very educational and informative message on health care.



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