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**Press Points** Joe Bennett, Publisher

Most of the conversations around here the past week have been about he unbearable heat that folks have been suffering through. The folks around here would give their eye teeth for a cool front (maybe a blue norther) and a good rain storm with about a couple of inches of badly needed rain for those old peanut vines that are suffering from the hot, dry weather.

The weatherman doesn't give us much of a chance for any showers any time soon, so we may be in for a long dry spell. Lord we hope not!

Saw a copy of a law school catalog on Tuesday night that I just had to mention in this weeks column.

Ken Good of the Cowles-Thompson Law Firm of Tyler was honored by being on the front cover of the Texas Tech University Law School Catalog for 1989-90. He was the brief writer for the National Moot Court Competition team which placed third in the entire nation. But more important than that was the fact that Ken's brief was picked as the number one brief for the nation.

Ken is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Good of Gorman, and by the way, Ken is a graduate of Gorman High School. And if that's bragging, so be it. Great job, Ken!

-J-A good number of folks around here are smack dab in the middle of making all the preparations for the upcoming Peanut Festival, which will be held on Saturday, September 16th. There is so much work to do and too few folks to get it all done. So if you have any spare time at all and would like to get involved in this most important project for Gorman, please contact Gerald Scitern or one of the members of the Business Alliance.

Received the following letter last week and wanted to get it in this week: Dear Joe.

—J—

Enclosed is my check for a renewal of the Progress for a year. I am sorry that I waited so long. I have missed some issues as a result. If there is any way possible, I would like to have a copy of the issue telling about my parents (Cody and Pauline Love) entering Canterbury Villa there. They are so very happy to be there among friends of long standing and relatives.

I am hoping that I can come to Homecoming this year. It has been several years since we were able to be there. We are hoping to make it sort of a "mini" family reunion, since several family members will be

I really enjoy the Progress so much. It recalls many fond memories of childhood days and teenage years.

My husband is on staff in the Pastoral Care Division of First Baptist Church of Houston. I work as administrative assistant in First Baptist's Westview Mission Church Planting Center. We both love our work with all of the challenges it presents. We have lived in Houston a little over five years now.

I hope to be able to see you at Homecoming. Keep up the good

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Lipps Thanks for the good words (and the renewal) Mary Ann. Hope you continue to enjoy the paper many more years. Cody and Pauline seem to really be enjoying living at Canterbury Villa. Hope you received the copy we sent you about them.

Have noticed that folks are continuing to clean up and get things ready for the Festival. Just keep it up and we will have a beautiful city for folks

coming to our Peanut Festival. The different clubs and organizations of Gorman are getting together tonight (Thursday) to put up the streamers and decorations in preparation for the upcoming big event. Everyone seems to be getting in the swing of things to insure that we have a very successful festival again this year. Keep up the great work!

The Panthers open the 1989 season this Friday night at Perrin

# John and Leona Allen Celebrate 50th Anniversary



John and Leona Allen were honored with a celebration on their 50th Wedding Anniversary at the Golden Corral in Stephenville at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, September 2nd.

Hosting the happy ocassion were their children and grandchildren Jim and Nell Shane, James and Jo Norris, Howard Shane, Sarah Shane and Jana and Jodi Norris.

Mr. Allen was born June 1, 1920 in Lipan and Mrs. Allen was born March 24, 1921 in Cisco.

The couple met on a blind date at Desdemon and were married at the Methodist Church parsonage in Desdemona and they have lived in Desdemona all their married life.

Mr. Allen is a semi-retired farmer and rancher, he was previously a carpenter for 30 years.

Mrs. Allen is a housewife and they are members of the First Baptist Church in Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Clymer, Adam and Seth of Conroe spent the weekend with Mrs. Pauline Dennis. Nancy Hendricks of Kokomo also visited during the weekend.

Mrs. Wade Craddock of Ranger was a visitor on Wednesday with the Alvin Lasaters.

against the Pirates. The Panther fans are looking forward to a great season by our Big Red. And with the enthusiasm and determination that the Panthers have exhibited so far, they will have that great season. So follow the Panthers to Perrin Friday night and give them your unlimited support.

Go Big Red!

And remember to smile - - because God Loves You!

# **Services For Troy Johnson** Set Today at 2:30

Troy Johnson, 68, of Gorman, passed away on Tuesday, September 5th at the De Leon Hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. today (thursday) at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Darrell Dossey officiating, assisted by the Rev. Ron Carroll. Burial will be in the Oaklawn Cemetery of Gorman.

A complete obituary will be published next week.

-GP-Merle Smith of Eastland spent last week with her sister, Gladys Cham-

# ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Jewell Cemetery Association will meet Saturday, September 9, 1989 at 10:00 a.m. at the Diary Queen in Gorman. All interested parties aare urged to attend.

There will be a 4-H Meeting on Monday night, September 11th at 7:30 p.m. at the School Cafeteria. All interested persons are urged to attend. SENIOR DANCE at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park, September 9th, from 9:00 p.m. to

1 a.m. - T.J.'s Light and Sound will provide the music. \$5 per couple and \$3 for . . . . . . . . . . The Panther Athletic Booster Club will meet each Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

in the High School Auditorium. The film from the previous game will be shown. Membership is \$5.00 per individual or \$10 per family. Join the Booster Club and help boost the Panthers.

**NEED HELP???** 

We would like to invite you to join our OPEN NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meetings. Meetings will be held at the old fire hall in Gorman at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday nights.

Changed Lives Come About Through A.A. And Al-Anon Meetings at 8 P.M. on Monday and Thursday at 506 Sipe Springs Road, Old Agriculture Building, De Leon, Texas. For further information call 639-2311.

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services on 2nd - 3rd - 4th Sundays, Services begin at 10:30 a.m. Elder Barry Brown, Pastor - Everyone Welcome To At-

In conjunction with the Peanut Festival on September 16, 1989, we will have an informal dedication of the Gorman Public Library. At this time the family of Charlie Garrett will be present and the name of our Library will be officially changed to the Charlie Garrett Memorial Library.

We thought it quite appropriate to celebrate this occasion on a day of community celebration such as the Peanut Festival. Charlie was very much aware of the need for community and always contributed untirelessly to Gorman, particularly in the field of education.

The library will be open from 12:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. Please come by to look over our library, share some refreshments, and just enjoy the celebration of Charlie's life and the many "gifts" he gave us.

Ida Chandler Librarian

# PANTHERS OPEN SEASON FRIDAY NIGHT AT PERRIN

The Gorman Panthers of 1989 will hit the field this Friday night in the opening game of the season against the Perrin Pirates at Perrin.

The Panthers are going into the season with one win and one loss in their scrimmage games with Tolar and Early. They defeated the Rattlers 3 to 1 and lost to a large Early team in a close one by a two to one

There are 10 seniors listed on the roster this year for Coach Larry Nabors and his staff. There are 5 juniors, 6 sophomores and 11 fresh-

Kevin Hirst has been running the quarterback spot in the new set up of Coach Nabors. Cory Pack is the back-up quarterback. Backs listed on the lineup include Brandon Gilmore, Joe Rodgers, Jason Ditmore, Chuck Fonville, Gary Browning, Rajee Patel, Jade Warren, and Kris Scitern, who received a broken arm in the

scrimmage at Tolar, and Chris Lebredo.

Ends listed on the roster are Stephen Scitern, Chad Campbell, Jeremy Ditmore, James Carroll, Mark Simmons, and William Rainey. Justin Underwood and Todd

Brown are at the center position. Robby Hand, Brian Lasater, Rodney Ford, Chris Laminack, Kenneth

Rainey and Verl Ervin are the guards. Tackles listed are Lewis Reynolds, John Carter, Jonray Childers, Robert Darley, and Joshua Evans, with Justin Underwood, Rodney Ford,

Robert Darley, Richard Brown, and Joshua Evans listed as defensive tackles. Lasater, Christian Clark, Chad Campbell, John Carter, Chris Lebredo and James Carroll listed as

Lewis Reynolds, Jonray Childers,

Linebackers listed are Joe Rodgers

Gary Browning, Chuck Fonville, Todd Brown, Kenneth Rainey, and Verl Ervin.

Defensive backs listed include Kevin Hirst, Cory Pack, Rajee Patel, Kris Scitern, Brandon Gilmore, Jason Ditmore, Jade Warren, Jeremy Ditmore, Robby Hand, Chris Laminack, Stephen Scitern and Mark Simmons.

Steve Taylor is the manager this

Dudley McCarty, Doug Shanafelt, and Eddie Pettit are assistant coaches for football.

The Panthers are looking forward to the season opener at Perrin and the Big Red fans are urged to follow the Panthers to Perrin Friday night. The Perrin team is very good this year and are expected to do well in their district. The fans are really looking forward to a good season for the Panthers this year.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!

# PEANUT FESTIVAL PLANS **NOW BEING FINALIZED**

defensive ends.

According to reports from all Peanut Festival chairpersons, plans for the big day on Saturday, September 16th are falling right into place.

Many floats have been entered in the parade, slated for 11 a. m. There will also be a pet parade featuring pets and decorated bicycles.

The Semior Citizens will elect a King and Queen, who will ride in the parade.

Fun games and food booths, and arts and crafts booths will be open after the parade.

A free street dance will begin at 9 p. m. featuring the Bandera Band.

The Lions Club will be serving their famous "Lion Burgers" and sausage-on-a-stick and cold drinks. The Senior Citizens will serve stew, cornbread and cobbler in the Senior Citizens Center.

The Peanut Cook-Off will also be held in the Senior Citizens Center. Gorman PTO will serve ice cream. The Park Association will be selling hot dogs, and there will be other food booths open.

There will be entertainment for folks to enjoy throughout the day, including the Old Fashioned Western Shootout and musical programs, and the Gorman Red Hots gymnastic group will perform during the afternoon. This group is very popular in these parts and folks always enjoy seeing them perform.

Street decorations are to be put up this week in preparation for the big

Anyone wanting to help with the festival in any way may contact Gerald Scitern, 1989 Peanut Festival Chairman.

The Charlie Garrett Memorial Library Fund now has a total of \$80.00.

The full cost of the plaque and other items total \$700. We appreciate the support, as Mr. Garrett always supported his city.

Those contributing to the fund this week were Tommye Haile, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Green and Dorothy Hatcher. Please join these in supporting this cause.

Refreshments will be served from 12 noon till 3 p. m. on Saturday, September 16th, during the Peanut Festival to celebrate the memorial.

Donations may be given at the City Hall, P. O. Box 236, Gorman 76454. -GP-

# **Peanut Festival Parade Plans Are** In Full Swing

Hey you kids! It's almost time for the Annual Peanut Festival and the ever-popular Pet Parade. Start getting your entry ready right now!

Here is a list of the three

categories: 1. Pet.

2. Costumes

3. Bicycles.

Your entries do not have to pertain to peanuts. There will be a first, second and third place ribbon given in each

category. EVERYONE will receive a participation ribbon. We will have our very own judges from De Leon. They have lots of experience with children and we

assure you that your child WILL BE NOTICED! Judging will start at 10 a. m. at the Texas-Federal Inspection building. We will begin there and can stop at

Mom, please take time and fix your child up. Let's make this the best parade ever!

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If you have any questions, call Karen Guthery, 2575 or Varonica Seaton at 639-2255.

Come and join in the Pet Parade!

# -GP-

Monday - Peanut butter, syrup, toast, juice and milk.

Tuesday - Oatmeal, raisin bread, milk and juice.

Wednesday - Eggs, toast, jelly, milk and juice.

Thursday - Cheese toast, bacon, milk and juice. Friday - 2 pancakes, sausage,

syrup, milk and juice. LUNCH Monday - Fish nuggets, nacaronni

and cheese, peas and carrots, pear halves, hot rolls, brownies and milk. Tuesday - Bar-b-q wieners, cream-

ed potatoes, spinach, peaches, cornbread, peanut butter bars and milk. Wednesday - Sausage and pepper-

late chip cookies and milk. Thursday - Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, fried okra, hot rolls, Jello

oni pizza, tossed salad, corn, choco-

with whipped topping and milk. Friday - Sloppy Joe's, tater tots,

onions, pickle spears, ice cream and milk.

# Class of 1954 To **Hold Reunion At** Homecoming

The Class of 1954 is planning to have a reunion in conjunction with the Gorman Homecoming on October 27th.

We need the names and addresses of all members. If you have any of them, please send them to: Frances Warren, Rt. 1, Box 60, Gorman 76454, or call 734-2036 (8 a. m. to 4 p. m., Monday thru Friday) or 734-2725 weekends and after 5 p. m. on weekdays.

Please help us out! We want to have a great reunion! -GP-

# **Restoration Revival** Ministries to Host **Gospel Singing Sat.**

The Restoration Revival Ministries will host a Southern Country Gospel Singing at 7 p. m. Saturday at the Old Fire Hall.

Rose Mary and Richard Dennis and friends invite and welcome everyone to attend. There is no admission charge.

# Second Friday **Night Musical** Set Sept.

The regular monthly second Friday Night Musical will be held at the old fire hall on Friday, September

The concession stand will open at 6 p. m. with sandwiches, pie and drinks. The musical program will. begin at 7 p. m.

All area musicians are invited to participate and visitors are always welcome.

#### -GP-CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the prayers, flowers and words of comfort to us during the loss of our loved one, Earl Bloyd.

A special thanks to Rev. Richard Watson for his message of comfort and to all who expressed sympathy in any way. Mary Fair

and the family of Earl Bloyd lived in California.

# Charlie Robert Shugart Laid To **Rest Monday**

Services for Charlie Robert Shugart, 69, of Mineral Wells, were held at 2 p. m. Monday, September 4 at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel in Gorman with the Rev. Ron Carroll officiating. Burial was in the Simpson Cemetery.

He passed away Saturday, Sep tember 2 in Mineral Wells.

Born in Eastland County, he was a retired plumber and a U. S. Army veteran of WWII. He was a Baptist. Survivors include a son, Jewell

Shugart of San Diego, CA.; three sisters, Willie Belyeu of Breckenridge and Laura Snider and Sally Frasier, both of Gorman; and three brothers, Alfred Shugart of Gorman, Dalton of Tyler and Lewis of Mineola.

# -GP-

The Kokomo Extension Homemakers Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Ava Rodgers on Monday, September 11th at 2 p. m.

County Extension Agent Janet Thomas will give the program, "Growing Old."

visitors are welcome. Nancy Hendricks, Reporter

-GP-WE GOOFED!

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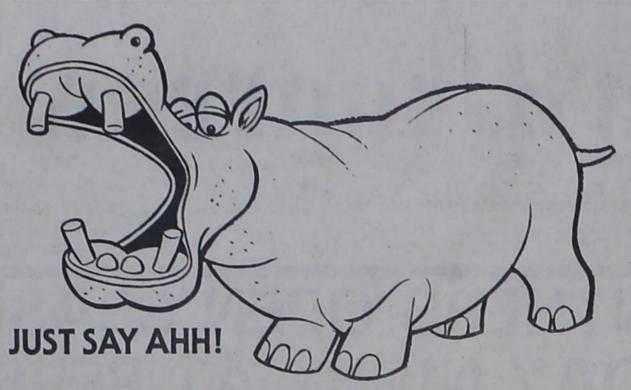
Members are urged to attend and

brought in last week by Gene Snider was processed at A. E. Smith Peanut Warehouse and Dryers. Our apologies for this omission in last week's Progress.

-GP-

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McMullen of Melrose, N. M. visited his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Williams, over the weekend. Also visiting were Dan and Jo, Christy and Brent Carey of Mesquite, and Maxine Frasier of De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maris of La Habra, CA. were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parker. The Marises are long-time friends and neighbors of the Parkers when they



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Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on Monday and Wednesday, September 18 and 20 from 6 to 10 p. m. The class will meet in room 3 of Schaefer Hall.

Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment fees must be paid no later than 3 p. m. on September 18th. Students must attend both nights of class. No late registration fees will be accept-

For more info contact Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567, Ext. 122.

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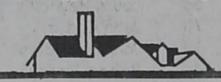
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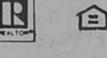
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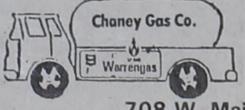
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# **DESDEMONA**

Desdemona First Baptist Church will begin a revival on Sunday, September 10th through September 17th with the new pastor, Bro. Joe Wortham, as the speaker. Services will be at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

Nailon Hanson of Dallas passed away last Friday. He attended school in Desdemona and was at the annual homecoming nearly every year.

Aunt Edna Koonce of De Leon will celebrate her 100th birthday on Sunay, September 10th with a reception at the De Leon F&M Bank Hospitality Room from 3 to 5 p. m. Hosted by all her neices and nephews, all friends and relatives are invited. No gofts please.

Kenneth and Beverly Pair of San Antonio, and Doyle and Opal Pair of Stephenville recently visited with Evah Sparkman.

Ladies Monthly Social will be held Monday, September 11th at the local cafe. Visitors are welcome. Dorothy Roberts is reported doing

fine following surgery at Harris Hospital in Fort Worth last Wednes-

-GP-

## PHILLIP R. TILLY COMMANDING BATTALION AT FORT HOOD

Army and Air Force Hometown News - Capt. Philip R. Tilly has assumed command of 1st Company, 32nd Armor Battalion at Fort Hood,

Tilly is the grandson of Mrs. Clyde C. Tilly, Sr. of De Leon, and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tilly of Zephyr.

His wife, Alice, is the daughter of William and Alice Beaven of Louisville, Ky.

The captain is a 1978 graduate of Doss High School in Louisville, and a 1982 graduate of the University of Kentucky, Lexington.





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# **CARBON NEWS**

**Dorothy Jackson** 

dry. People are being warned not to

get out in the heat and over work,

and to drink lots of fluids. A good

rain would help all problems. Each

day you can see the crops wither up a

little more, and some farmers are

Sunday night after the worship

service, the Baptist Church called

Bro. Donnie Auvenshine of Abilene

to serve as interim pastor until we

Wednesday night, Sept. 13th, 6:30 to

8 p. m. All children are invited to

Pioneer Day will be Sept. 17th,

and lots of special plans are being

made. Make plans now to attend for

a full day of fellowship, worship

The last figure on the enrollment

at the Carbon Schools is 109. That

sounds mighty good. The students

sure have a nice clean building to

spend the next school year in. We all

are really proud of all the volunteer

workers who have spent lots of hours

at the school in order for the students

to have a good atmosphere in which

September 7th the Carbon Wol-

verines will travel to Brookesmith to

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to do their learning.

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come.

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their daughter, Mrs. Coleen Lamb of As Charlie, a former weatherman, Cisco, attended the goat cook-off in would say, same song, second verse. But I think its about the third or Brady Saturday, Sept. 2. fourth verse. Anyway its still hot and Jonna Rodgers received a good

> report after her knee surgery and continues to improve daily. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDaniel

> visited Charles McDaniel of Olney on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ande Paulk of Imperial visited her parents, the

Charles Morgans, and other relatives over the weekend. Billy Mathis of Arlington visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Allison over the

holidays. He also visited other The childrens program will begin relatives. Monty and Jenise Walker, Tawny and Mindy Tabor of Ruidoso, N. M., Lila Ussery of Weslaco, Beth Mercer

> Greer of Plano visited Cricket Walk-Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Allison and family of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Shane Lowrie and son / Wilson visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E.

of Ed-Couch, and Mr. and Mrs. T. G.

Allison. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby

Taylor, Caleb and Katy of Senora. Visiting Dorothy Jackson were Dale, Nancy, Danell, Michael and Joshua Jackson of Sweetwater, and Emelea Mandeville and two grandsons of Arlington.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniel and J. C. were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDaniel of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Webb, Jr. and sons of Crowley, and Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell and Mrs. Mike Joiner and sons of Austin.



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# **GORMAN PANTHERS**

## PERRIN PIRATES

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## FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME			
Sept. 8	Perrin	Perrin	8:00			
Sept. 15	Cisco	Cisco	8:00			
Sept. 22	Bangs	Bangs	8:00			
Sept. 29	Santo	Gorman	8:00			
Oct. 6	Santa Anna	Gorman	8:00			
Oct. 13	*Rising Star	Gorman	7:30			
Oct. 20	*Cross Plains	Cross Plains	7:30			
Oct. 27	*Lommta (Homecoming)	Gorman	7:30			
	Parent's Night					
Nov. 3	*Hico	Gorman	7:30			
Nov. 10	*Evant	Evant	7:30			
JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE						
DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME			
Sept. 21	Bangs (7th Grade)	Gorman	6:30			
Sept. 28	Santo	Santo	6:30			
Oct. 5	Santa Anna	Santa Anna	6:30			
Oct. 12	*Rising Star	Rising Star	6:30			
Oct. 19	*Cross Plains	Gorman	6:30			
Oct. 26	*Lometa	Lometa	6:30			
Nov. 2	*Hico	Hico	6:30			
Nov. 9	*Evant	Gorman	6:30			
	* Denotes District Game					

## PANTHER ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.	Class
10	Kevin Hirst	QB/DB	180	JR.
11	Joe Rodgers	RB/LB	170	SR.
12	William Rainey	SE/DE	118	FR.
20	Cory Pack	QB/DB	141	SOPH.
22	Rajee Patel	RB/DB	118	FR.
23	Kris Scitern	RB/DB	128	FR.
24	Gary Browning	RB/LB	164	SR.
30	Chuck Fonville	RB/LB	152	SR.
31	Brandon Gilmore	RB/LB	157	SR.
37	Jason Ditmore	RB/LB	152	SOPH.
40	Jade Warren	RB/DB	142	FR.
44	Chad Campbell	TE/DE	181	SR.
45	Jeremy Ditmore	S€/DB	138	JR.
50	Justin Underwood	C/T	170	JR.
51	Todd Brown	C/LB	170	SOPH.
55	Rodney Ford	G/T	150	FR.
60	Robby Hand	G/DB	162	SR.
61	Chris Laminack	G/DB	120	FR.
62	Kenneth Rainey	G/LB	158	FR.
63	Brian Lasater	G/D€	178	SR.
66	Lewis Reynolds	T/T	241	SOPH.
70	John Carter	T/DE	171	SR.
72	Jonray Childers	T/T	192	FR.
74	Robert Darley	T/T	213	SOPH.
75	Richard Brown	T/T	190	SR.
76	Joshua Evans	T/T	204	FR.
78	Verl Ervin	G/LB	125	FR.
80	Christian Clark	S€/D€	118	FR.
82	Chris Lebredo	RB/D€	145	SOPH.
84	Stephen Scitern	S€/DB	154	JR.
86	James Carroll	TE/DE	154	JR.
88	Mark Simmons	S€/DB	138	SR.

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BILL SANDLIN High School Principal

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LISA CANADY



## VARSITY

Cuccurcuneus					
Julie Casey	Sr./H				
Nikki Warren	Sr.				
Jana Norris	Soph.				
Mandy Wilcoxson	Soph.				
Kathy White	Fr.				
Tiffany Stephens	Sr./M				
Kristin Gibbs	Mascot				

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Glenn and Zelda Jordan and their

children and grandchildren, Glenda,

Roddy, Joe and Sheri Miles, Robert,

Diane and B. J. Miles, all of Abilene,

and Jesame Taylor of Tye, and Ted,

Cindy and Kyle Jordan of Portales,

N. M.; Jamie and Wanda Lewallen

and their daughter, Jayma Lewallen

of Floydada; Laverne and Jess Winn

of Muleshoe and their son, Jim,

Kathy, Maeghan and Justin of

Lubbock, and a daughter, Judy,

hanse and Jacie Bruns of Lubbock;

Barbara and Bo Bell of Denver City;

an aunt and cousin, Mrs. Lillie Mae

Brandon and Wynelle Bishop of

Arvel and Etta Lewallen of Lub-

bock and their family were unable to

attend due to illness in the family.

They were missed, as were the other

neices and nephews who were

Friends coming by sometime dur-

ing the weekend for a visit were

Nancy Hendricks, Joan (Bryant)

Foster of De Leon, Orval Treadway

of New Hope community, Clifford

and Lurline Nelson of Carbon and

Some who attended enjoyed fish-

This was the first reunion without

our dad, Jim Lewallen, who passed

away on May 4 this year. Our

mother, Lois Lewallen, passed away

on June 18, 1983. The reunion has

been held on the Labor Day weekend

since 1983 to honor Daddy, who's

birthday was Sept. 1. We had plans

for his 85th birthday this year, but

the Lord thought it best to call him

home, but we feel that he and

mother were smiling down on us as

we were together. We felt their

The reunion will be on Memorial

The air conditioner at the Kokomo

Day weekend in Lubbock next year.

Community Center was stolen some-

time Wednesday night or early

Thursday morning. It was there on

Wednesday, but was missing Thurs-

day morning about 8:30 when we

went to clean the building for the

reunion. The sheriff's department

was called to investigate. The air

conditioner was new, having been

installed about six weeks or so ago.

The motor from the old air condition-

er was stolen near the end of

summer last year. We wonder if the

kind to loan us the use of an air

conditioner for the day of the

reunion. Delmon Eaves and Jerry

Graham put it up on Sunday morning

and took it down on Sunday after-

noon. We really appreciate good

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist

Church on Sunday were Joyce Gilbert of Oklahoma City, Deanna

Chupp of Houston and Kevin Fuller

Kerry, Paula, Adam and Seth Clymer of Conroe were Labor Day weekend visitors with Nancy Hen-

Nancy Hendricks visited in Clyde on Labor Day with Roy, Sylvia and Yancy Buchanan and Kelly Buchanan, who was on weekend leave from

Fort Hood, Texas. Nancy also visited with Daisy Wood at Eastland Mon-

Christopher Lewis, along with his parents, Randy and Deliah Lewis of Ennis, made his first visit to the home of his grandparents, Delmon and Joyce Eaves, during the Labor

Day weekend. Others visiting in the

Eaves home to see Christopher were Neil and Verda Eaves and Donald Eaves of the Mangum Community, Norma Webb, Zelda Jordan, Juanita and Christi Graham, Paulette, D'Ann, Jamie and Megan Black of

Deliah and Christopher Lewis and

Joyce Eaves visited with J. C. and Anna Laura Clearman on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers

spent Wednesday and Thursday

visiting in Midlothian with the

Jimmy Rodgers and Gene Rodgers

Benny and Deanna Chupp of

Neal, Joyce and Glenn Gilbert of

Oklahoma City, John, LaTonne and

Jonna Rodgers of Carbon, and their

granddaughter, Julieann White of

Graham, Bob, Kathy, Jason, Corby and Kevin Rodgers of Brownwood, Mike Rodgers and Ima Brown of Gorman were visiting with Mrs.

Berneice Rodgers during the Labor

Joan Foster of De Leon visited

Jeff, Veronica and Kaci Seaton

vacationed at the Sulphur Springs

Camp on the Colorado River near Bend from Wednesday until Friday last week. They also visited with Mr.

and Mrs. Frank Brinegar, Larry and

Labor Day weekend visitors with Mrs. Carrie Frasier were Benny, Glenn and Barbara Frasier and their grandchildren, Benny Ray and Ramy Allison of Eldorado, Eddie and Diane

Frasier, Tammy and Tonya of Iraan,

Bryan and Tina Chalk and April of

San Angelo and some friends of San Angelo, and Lindell Fields. Monday and Tuesday visitors were Miller Ray

and Bertha Faye Henry of Ozona.

with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Bryant

Houston visited during the weekend

with Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

friends like that.

of Abilene.

day evening.

Cleburne.

families.

Day weekend.

on Sunday afternoon.

Elizabeth at Goldthwaite.

dricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Graham were

same person or persons took both.

Ronnie Murphy of Gorman.

ing and dove hunting while here.

unable to attend.

## **KOKOMO NEWS**

By Mrs. Zelda Jordan

Phone 639-2289

I HOPE EVERYONE HAD A I hope that everyone had a safe and enjoyable Labor Day holiday weekend. We had a really great time hosting our family reunion.

LEWALLEN REUNION Glenn and Zelda Jordan were hosts for the annual Lewallen family reunion during the Labor Day week-

end. There was a hamburger cookout at the Jordan home on Saturday night and dinner at the Kokomo Community Center on Sunday, Sept. 3. Zelda was presented a beautifully decorated birthday cake, baked by her daughter, Glenda Miles, in honor fo her birthday on Sept. 7.

Those attending were the hosts,



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September 8th



## **ASCS NEWS**

1990 WHEAT PROGRAM

Provisions of the 1990 Wheat Program include:

Target price of \$4. per bushel; weighted national loan rate before reduction of \$2.44 and \$1.95 after reduction; 5 percent acreage reduction requirement and an ACR requirement of 5.26 percent of the planted and CU payment acreage; the 0/92 provisions will apply; No paid land diversion.

Signup will begin January 16,

HOLIDAY NOTICE

The ASCS office will be closed Monday, Sept. 4 in observance of

They also visited with their mother, Mrs. Alice Snider, in a De Leon

nursing home. CREAGER REUNION

The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the late Scott and Lydia Creager met for their annual family reunion at the Recreation Center in Lamesa on Saturday, Sept. 2.

Those attending were Gladys Morrow of Levelland, her daughter, Erlene Blakney of Lubbock, Alma Lee Creager of Levelland, Lynn and Mildred Campbell of Levelland and their sons, Ronnie and Sharon Campbell and their grandsons, Set and Jeremy Campbell of Denver, Colo., and Bob and Sharon Campbell and Cody of Levelland; the late Earl and Elsie Creager's children, Earl, Jr. and Marilyn Creager of Hobbs, N. M. and Jerry and Carolyn Creager of Pecos and their son and wife, Kelly and Becky Creager and two children of Kermit; the late Joe and Freda Clayton's children, Scotty and Inez Clayton and Roy of O'Donnell and Nan Martin, Katie and Aimee of Spur; J. L. and Naoma Morrow of Gorman and their son, Larry and Paula Morrow, Lance, Layne and Lenny of Plains.

Earl Morrow of Stephenville visited with the J. L. Morrows on Tuesday.

Rev. Marion Fonville and his brother of Dallas visited with friends here on Thursday night and Friday and got in a little dove hunting.

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Mark and Delores Peterson of Houston are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Anna Lisa, on September 3. She weighed 6 pounds and 8 ounces.

She was welcomed home by two brothers, Marshall and Tony.

Neil and Verda Eaves of the Mangum Community, near Eastland, are the maternal grandparents.

**FALL PEANUT QUOTA** 

TRANSFERS - Transferring Farm -

A fall peanut quota transfer can be approved only if the transferring farm planted a sufficient acreage to produce the full effective quota on the farm.

The amount of quota pounds that can be received is limited to the estimated ungraded pounds yet to be marketed plus the graded Seg. 1 peanuts less the quota balance on

the marketing card for the receiving

- Receiving Farm -

A fall transfer to cover peanuts

that grade Seg. 2 or 3 may never be made after the peanuts are graded. - County Office Listing -

The ASCS is maintaining a list for producers to indicate their need to transfer quota or receive quota under the fall transfer provisions.



## ATTENTION, KIDS!! SEE YOU THIS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

First United Methodist Church of Gorman is reforming their Youth Sunday School classes after the summer break. Especially for pre-school through 2nd grade and 3rd through 6th grades. Sunday School begins at 10:00 a.m. Special awards will be given for perfect attendance. Then stay for Worship Services at 11:00 a.m.

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NANCY HENDRICKS, REPORTER

On Thursday, August 31st at 2 p. m. the Kokomo EH Club came to help with the monthly birthday party at Canterbury Villa.

Billie Stacy, Willo Rice, Cleo Clement and Veno Hale took turns at the piano, which was really enjoyed by all.

Honorees were Cleo Clement, Lorene Jay and Jess Hallmark. They received gifts from Anna Rush, First Baptist Church, Church of Christ, Methodist Church and Velma Bennett.

Those furnishing the birthday cakes were Anna Rush, Ava Rodgers Mayvis Lasater, Esther Bolt, and Velma Bennett. What a nice thing to do!

Fifteen rersidents enjoyed the birthday party with guests, Velma Bennett, Berneice Rodgers, Nancy Hendricks, Ima Brown, Mayvis Lasater, Willo Rice, Jr. Fairbetter, Tommye Haile, Shirley Clement, Anna Rush, Eva Grice, Billie Stacy and Wanda Stacy.

**BERTIE SELF WILL BE 100** 

Bertie Self will celebrate her 100th birthday on Saturday, September 9th from 2 to 4 p. m. at Canterbury Villa. The home and family requests all relatives and friends to attend the occasion.

Bertie will be on KRBC's "Today" show on Friday morning, sometime between 8 and 9 a. m. on Sept. 8th. No gifts please!

On Sunday morning Bro. Ron Carroll of the First Baptist Church brought the Sunday school lesson. 14 residents attended.

At 2:30 R. Lee McDaniel, Ike Whitson amd Carol Sandlin of the Carbon Baptist Church brought our church services. Cleo Clement played the piano.

Those from the Gorman Church of Christ coming at 4:30 were Bro. Curtis Maness, Bro. T. A. Grice,

Dora Faye Brewer, Juanita Files, Purnia Faye Smith, Jessie Lee Jones, Sytha Alldredge, Georgie and Frankie Stacy, Dee and Bud Smithey Zina Simpson, Cecil Self, Billy, Janda, Steve and Tracey Taylor, Billy Earl and Frances Simpson and Floydene Gilbert.

Those visiting Cody and Pauline Love were Dorothy Roberts, Carol, Kristin and Kirk Ervin of Desdemona, Ray Russell of Daingerfield, Anette Love and three girlfriends of Ranger, Ross Wilson, Sytha Alldredge, Mae Quinn, Ora Mae Atchison, Mayvis Lasater, Irene West, Stella Rider of Austin, Opal Mauney, Dee Smithey, Nancy Hendricks and Joe O'Neal.

Willo Rice brought our Wednesday morning devotional.

Bro. C. M. Avery brought the Thursday devotional.

Those visiting Berta Poynor were Tiny and Bert Frasier of De Leon, Mayvis Lasater, Emma Shugart, Olga Kinser, Bro. Joe O'Neal, Bro. Ron Carroll, Veno Hale and Lois Ann Watson.

We were all so sad that Mr. Bill will not be with us any more. Last Wednesday was his last day as activity director at the home.

We are all so happy to have Mrs. Wanda Stacy as our new activity director. Wanda had been here before, so we know she is good.

Mrs. Stacy is the wife of Vick Stacy and they have the following children, Tommy and Jeff Ashuberaner, Cole and Amber, Jeffery Tidwell of U.S. Navy, Don and Sarah Stacy. Welcome to Canterbury Villa!

**RUBY PULLIG NEW RESIDENT** 

We are happy to have Ruby Pullig to come and live with us. Ruby is a retired secretary of Pioneer Gas Co. She has a daughter, Virginia, and her husband, Earl Stone, Jr. of Granbury, two grandsons, Lee and

Randy Stone of Fort Worth, and three great-grandchildren.

Those coming for the Tuesday singing were Willo Rice, Melba Frasier, Anna Rush, Estelle Erwin, Joe O'Neal, Nancy Hendricks, Velma Bennett, Leland Warren, Berneice Rodgers, Ima Brown, Cricket Walker, R. Lee McDaniel, Billie Stacy and Elizabeth Sandlin.

Wednesday bingo winners were Ora Mae Atchison, Ruby Vandergriff Iola Johnson, Garnett Adams, S. D. Gilmore, and Jess Roberts had the black out card.

Bingo winners on Friday were Harley Rawls, Ruby Vandergriff, Dee Gilmore, Garnett Adams, Mae Quinn, and Veno Hale. Helpers were Gladys Chambless, Lenis Rice and Nancy Hendricks.

Those visiting Ruby Pullig were Ima Brown, Frankie Jo Shipman, Berneice Rodgers, Ava Rodgers, Billie Stacy, Nancy Hendricks and Velma Bennett.

Visiting Iola Johnson were Lenis Rice abd Ina Reynolds of Carbon.

Chesley and Barbara Atchison of Fort Worth came and took his mother, Ora Mae Atchison, to De Leon for an outing.

Dee Gilmore said he went home for the weekend and visited with Durward and Idell Warren and Modess Burgess.

Those visiting Ruby Vandergriff were Mary Fair of Indian Mountain and Jo Russell and Sytha Alldredge.

On Monday at 2 p. m. we had bingo. Helpers were Irene West, Anna Rush and Nancy Hendricks. Winners were Mae Quinn, Iola Johnson, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Garnett Adams and Harley Rawls.

Those visiting Annie and Veno Hale were Jinny and Mamie Little of Eastland, Bobby and Mary Jane Little of Kokomo, Iola Johnson, Cynthia Earles, Anna Rush, Archie Skaggs and Zina Simpson.

Those visiting Cleo Clement and Mae Quinn were Elsie Robinett of Rock Bluff, Dwayne and Georgie Clement of Dallas, Michelle Clement of Austin, Glen and Shirley Clement of Lake Leon, Wayne and Betty Ouinn of Saginaw, David Moore, Sue, Veronica and Kaci Seaton.

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Gabe Wright visited his brother, Leroy Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Overstreet visited Roy Kinser.

Those visiting Cynthia Earles were Marlena and Emerald Guthery, Wanda Stacy, Mrs. Billy Taylor, Dixie Pack, Oma Mae Hughes, Nancy Holloway, Faye and Freddie Huff and Kristin Everton.

On Tuesday morning Wanda Stacy brought the devotional. 14 residents were present.

Those visiting Orville Boud were Butch, Sherry and Amanda Boyd of Abilene, Jack and Lou Boyd of Desdemona, Don and Nathalee Loudermilk of Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Haynes visited Bernice Haynes.

-GP-

One golf course in Africa includes in its ground rules a free drop for a ball that lands in a hippo footprint.

EASTLAND COUNTY JR. LEADERS TO MEET SEPT. 9

The Eastland County 4-H Junior Leaders Association will meet Saturday, September 9th at the RU Electric Reddy Room in Eastland from 7 to 8:30 p. m.

The 4-H Recreation Team is in charge of the program.

Plans will be made for some important activities coming up this fall. All eligible 4-H'ers who are 13 years of age and older, and who have been in 4-H two years, are urged to attend.

EASTLAND SR. 4-H CLUB

TO MEET IN EASTLAND SEPT. 12 The Eastland Sr. 4-H Club will be

12th, from 7 to 8 p. m. in the TU Electric Reddy Room in Eastland.

Mrs. Rhonda Eckert, a new resident of Eastland, will present a program on "Taking Advantage of 4-H Opportunities". Rhonda is a former 4-H member from Gillespie County, (Fredericksburg). Her many 4-H accomplishments include: 4-H Houston Scholarship winner (\$8,000) IFYE Exchange 4-H'er to England, and attended 4-H Congress.

meeting on Tuesday, September

Youth in grades 7-12 are invited to join this club. Parents are invited and urged to attend to learn more of 4-H Opportunities.

WEST TEXAS FAIR THIS WEEK

The West Texas Fair opens up this coming week and many Eastland County 4-H'ers will be on "hand" with their animal projects.

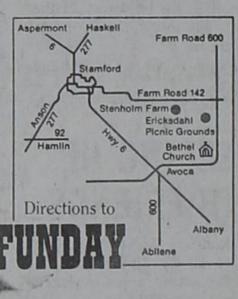
Best wishes and good luck to all.



# September 9 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. \$10 per person

FUNDay is an oldfashioned political picnic with all the fixin's and fresh watermelon.

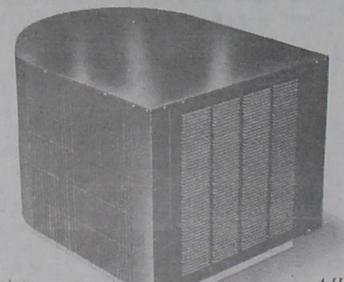
Cindy and Charlie are home to see everyone, and Charlie brings colleagues from Washington to see the 17th District that he's so proud to represent.



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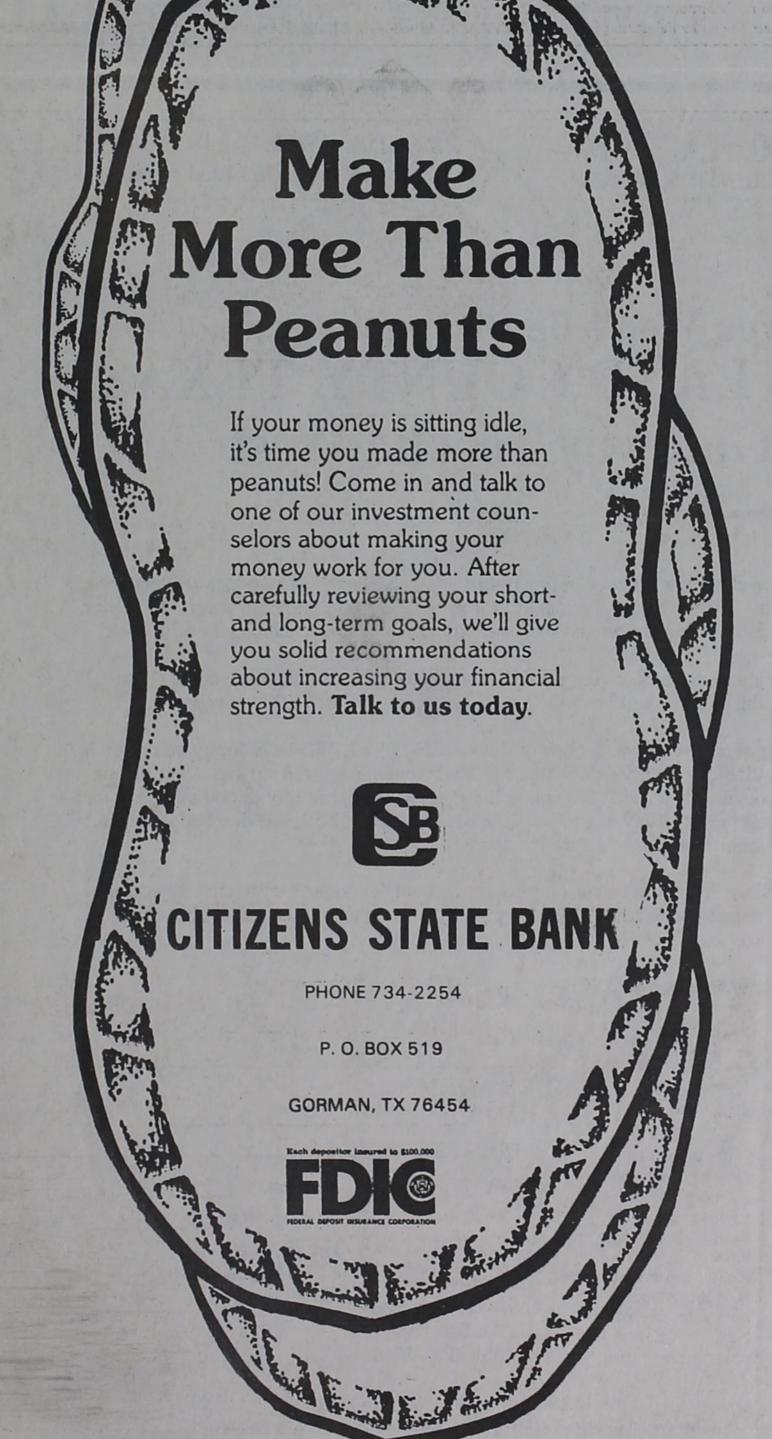
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Senator Bob Glasgow (D-Stephenville) has been notified by the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division, that Eastland County has been awarded three grants.

The grants are as follows: \$3,502.00 for DA's Management System; \$4.090.00 District Clerk's Management System; \$3,502.00 for Sheriff's Management System.

"I commend the citizens of Eastland County," stated Senator Glasgow, "in their continued effort to improve the safety and well-being of every individual in this area." -GP-

# **Eastland Unit of Cancer Society** Meets Aug. 28th

The American Cancer Society, Eastland Unit, started another year of activities on August 28th.

Some annual figures are: total contributions for the county, \$14,740 with \$340 from children. "Send a Mouse to College \$593 from memorials, with most in memory of cancer victims. All was given to erase and prevent cancer.

The Eastland Unit must stay active in the county to keep the services available for county patients such as hospital beds, wheelchairs, oxygen, colostomy bags, etc. Also motel rooms made available for the patient and a family member near the hospital while taking treatments.

To anyone concerned about cancer you are needed. Your ideas, your time, one to one and a half hours once a month. To be aware of the needs and help soread the word how to fight cancer.

Join us at K-Bob's on October 2nd at 6:30 p. m.

Letty Craddock, Secretary -GP-

# **KEEPING UP** WITH FRIENDS

Terry Kent of Merkel spent the holiday weekend with his parents, Bert and Doris Kent, and also visited other relatives and friends.

Visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snelson were friends, Mable and Wayne Brown of Mission and relatives, Margaret Erin a nd Katy Trantham of Lubbock and Rutha and Jason Snelson of Alvin.

Kay Ann Craddock of PLano was a weekend visitor with her mother, Estelle Craddock.

Visiting over the Labor Day holiday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday were Sandy, Debbie and Melissa Sanders of Odessa, Glenn, Gloria and Sabrina Glasson of Gorman and Mrs. Ruth Sanders and Louise Waller of De Leon. -GP-

# **Gramm Wants** Columbian Drug Lords Caught and Tried

WASHINGTON — A worldwide manhunt is now underway to bring Colombia's worst deug lords to justice in the United States, says U. S. Sen. Phil Gramm.

"Our Justice Department has named the 12 international drug kingpins that it most wants to bring to trial," Gramm noted, referring to a public list of "most-wanted" Colombians that includes leaders of the two major Colombian cocaine cartels and a former Colombian police officer who officials say tried to gun down two U. S. drug enforcement agents.

The senator praised Attorney General Dick Thornburgh for enlisting the aid of the Colombian government and Interpol, a worldwide network of law enforcement agencies, in launching a crackdown against the world's most notorious drug traffickers.

"Eighty combian drug traffickcis - thugs who are directly responsible for feeding drugs to American children — are under criminal indictment in the United States," Gramm said. "Their cases have been stalled since the Colombian Supreme Court bowed to the power of the drug cartels in 1987 and overturned its extradiction treaty with the United States."

"Fortunately, Colombia is now reacting to the assassination of presidential candidateLuis Carlos Galan and has instituted emergency measures to allow the immediate resumption of extraditions," Gramm said.

Those on the "Dozen Most Wanted" are eight alleged Medellin cartel leaders, including Jose Ivan Duarte Acero, 37, a former Colombian police officer who has been identified as a gunman responsible for the attempt-

# Major Carolyn Gilbert **Ends Active Duty With** Air Force

Major Carolyn Gilbert has recently returned from active duty with the Office of the Directorate of Information Management and Administration in the Pentagon, Washington, D.C. Major Gilbert is an Air Force Reservist with the 301 Tactical Fighter Wing at Carswell AFB, Texas, where she is Chief of Information Management.

During her tour, she worked with the Assistant for War and Mobilization Maters in the Plans Branch of the Office of Information Management and Administration. While in Washington, she also attended the Armed Forces Staff Colleges' Joint Planning Course at the Department of Defense Computer Institute at the Washington Navy Yard.

Major Gilbert is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert of Gorman.

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# FOLEY & STENHOLM TO HOLD NEWS **CONFERENCE - DYESS**

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Tom Foley, the Speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives, will join Congressman Charles W. Stenholm (D-TX) at a news conference at 5:15 p. m. on September 8, 1989 at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene.

Stenholm has invited the top leader of the House of Representatives as well as Democratic Congressional members Barbara Kennelly (CT), Mike Parker (MI), and Bill Sarpalius (TX) to tour the military facility and observe its importance in the Nation's overall defense. Dyess currently houses the B-1B, C-130, and KC-135 aircraft.

Speaker Foley is successor to Jim Wright in the highest office of the House of Representatives.

All press representatives interested in attending the news conference need to contact Major Mary Beth Kilgore, Dyess Public Affairs Officer at (915) 696-2561 for clearance and location instructions.

Biographical information on the four visiting Representatives as well as Congressman Stenholm is enclos-

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# **Applying For Social Security Benefits**

If you plan to retire before reaching 65, you should apply for Social Security benefits no later than the last day of the month you want the benefits to begin. The reason is that benefits payable for the months before you reach 65 can start no earlier than the month in which you apply. However, a widow or widower who is under 65 can apply during the month after the worker's death and still receive a benefit for the month of death.

A person who applies for Social Security retirement or survivors benefits after 65 can receive back payments for up to 6 months before the month the application is filed, but not before 65. The best way to assure that payments will be received on time is to apply 3 months before you want the benefit payments to begin.

The application for benefits can be expedited if you bring to the office your Social Security number card; proof of age; a marriage certificate if the application is for spouse's, widow's, or widower's benefits; children's birth certificates; and W-2 form for the past year.

A person applying for disability benefits should have the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of doctors, hospitals, or clinics at which he or she was treated.

A person applying for benefits as a dependent parent should bring proof that he or she was being supported by the worker.

ed murder of two U. S. Drug Enforcement Administration agents. Also on the list are the reputed leaders of the Cali cartel.



# The Gordon Spot

Crystal Wilbanks, Extension Agent-Agriculture, has been promoted to Program Leader Extension Agent-Agriculture in Culberson County as of September 1. She has been an agent here in Eastland County for the last three and one-half years. Crystal was the first female to serve as assistant agricultural agent in Eastland County and will be the first female to serve as a program leader Extension agent in agriculture in Texas. Other women have served as assistant agents in other counties but none before Crystal have ever been promoted to the program leader position in Texas. This means she will be responsible for the adult educational program as well as the youth and 4-H programs.

During her time in Eastland County, Crystal proved to be a very capable, competent, and professional Extension Agent. She loves people and quickly gains their respect. She is being promoted to her new position because she earned it. Crystal approached every job with enthusiasm and never asked to be excused from a job because it was too difficult. She will be an excellent Extension Agent and we wish her well as she takes on a new challenge.

A new agent will not be hired here in Eastland County until January 1. During the meantime we ask for your understanding and assistance as we try to continue the programs as planned for the rest of this year. Several volunteer 4-H leaders have promised to give special assistance to our 4-H program.

Two Eastland County Commissioners are selling Amdro, a widely used imported fire ant bait. This is a part of the Texas Department of Agriculture effort to control the ants in infested counties. We have agreed to assist by having some of the bait available in the Extension office.

The control results with Amdro range from 10 to 90 percent, depending on how and when the insecticide is applied. It will be more effective if people understand the life cycle and habits of the fire ants.

For one thing, the worker ants sterile females - live only about four weeks. They spend the first two weeks of their lives in the mound foraging and gathering food. They are most active foraging in the early morning and late evening.

When you apply Amdro, scatter only a little in a clean area around the mound. This should be done in early morning or late evening so that it will be immediately picked up by foraging ants and they will begin moving the bait into the mound. Never put the bait on top of the mound or on wet ground.

If the bait is applied during the heat of the day, it will remain there for several hours. The oil in the bait becomes rancid and inattractive to

the ants. If you apply too much, some of it will remain on the ground too long and again become rancid. You like your food clean and fresh, so do the ants.

Products like Amdro, which kill worker ants that ingest it, may take a period of about four or five weeks to render a mound inactive.

Other fire ant baits contain insect growth regulators, such as Logic, Affirm and Prodrone.

These do not affect the worker

population. Instead, these render the queen incapable of egg production. This may take several months for the treated mound to disappear.

Then, there are mound treatment products that come in forms of granules, drenches, and powders such as Orthene, Dursban and Diazinon that kill on contact with the insecticide. All methods are effective if applied correctly. However, it is almost impossible to get 100 percent control using any product or method.



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