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Bass Lake Clean-Up **Day Postponed**

May 1st dawned gray, cloudy, cool and windy after much rain and storms the night before—NOT the day for our Bass Lake clean-up.

The crew started calling early—consensus was to call it off! There will better days. Some of us went out and worked anyhow--raked, bagged leaves, put some paint on a picnic table, the grass is mowed, flags flying.

New volunteers continue to show an interest in our project. Watch for an announcement of our next Bass Lake Clean-Up Day. For more information or to lend your support call Suzan Lipson at 734-4305.

Gorman Senior Travel Club Car Wash

Gorman Senior Travel Club will be having a car wash Saturday, May 8th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the American State Bank. Minimum donation of \$5.00. If you need your car picked up, please call Melinda at 734-3311 or 734-5712.

Thank you.

Family Day at **Carbon Christian Camp**

The Southern Baptist of Texas Convention is hosting "Family Day at Carbon Christian Camp" on Saturday, May 8, 2004, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Everyone is disability assistance to invited. All activities and entertainment are free of children with special charge. Bring your whole family for a day of fun.

Carbon Christian Camp, 515 E. Anthracite St, Carbon, Texas. There will be games, contests, inflatables for children, youth, and adults. Beginning at 10 a.m.— gram is free to eligible hourly Gospel Music Concerts in the Gym with Shiloh children. Quartet, Wes James, Randy Fair Family and The Calvary Singers. Noon—Free Barbecue Lunch. 1:30 p.m.—Youth Praise and Worship Rally in the auditorium. 3:00 p.m.—Closing Worship Service with Evangelist, Bill Britt.

For more information, contact Jody Forbus at 254-639-2560.

Annual Fish Sale Upper Leon Soil and Water Conservation District

The Upper Leon Soil and Water Conservation District is now taking orders for its annual spring fish sale. Orders may be placed in Comanche, Eastland, and Stephenville at the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) offices located in the USDA buildings.

Delivery will be Saturday, May 29, 2004, 12:00 noon at the Comanche Chamber of Commerce at the East End covered shed at 100 Indian Creek Drive, Highway 67/377 west in Comanche and delivery for Eastland at 3:00 p.m. at the USDA building, 403 Pogue Avenue, Eastland.

Species available for sale this year are: Bluegill, Hybrid Bream, Minnows, Red Ear, Largemouth Bass, Catfish, and Crappie. Also available will be Grass Carp that will require a permit, and Blue Cat in a limited supply.

According to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, each person that orders Grass Carp must file an application for a permit to stock Triploid Grass Carp prior to stocking. You must have a permit before you can pick up the Grass Carp. The NRCS offices will have application forms available.

To guarantee safe transport of fish from delivery site to landowner pond, PLEASE SUPPLY PAPER FEED SACKS. Bags supplied at the time of pick-up will be \$.50 each. We will bag 50 small or 25 large catfish per bag unless landowner requests smaller amounts. Minnows will be bagged two (2) pounds per bag.

Office phone numbers for NRCS are: Comanche--325-356-5186, ext. 3—Ted Simpson; Eastland—254-629-1480, ext 3-Daryl Eckart; Stephenville-254-965-3213, ext. 3—Tony Huffman.

Head Start Program Free

Head Start is now accepting applications for the 2004-2005 school year. For appointment, call Deleon at 254-893-

Head Start was developed in 1965 for low-income families as part of President Johnson's "War on Poverty." Our Head Start Centers in Baird, Ballinger, Brownwood, Cisco, Clyde, Deleon, Eastland, Ranger, and Winters are one classroom centers that enroll 17 to 20 children depending on child/ staff ratio.

The Head Start program offers two nutritious meals a day plus a snack with menus monitored by a nutritionist, dental and medical screens to assist in maintaining child's health and assistance in dental/medical needs, needs, and family assistance when needed.

The Head Start pro-

Gorman General Election May 15

The City of Gorman General Election will be conducted Saturday May 15,

Voting will be from 7:00 a.m. through 7:00 p.m. at the Gorman City Office. This is the building which joins the Gorman Community Center.

Those running for office are: for Mayor will be incumbent Robert Ervin, and Cliffa Vaughn. Running for Commissioner Place #2 are Incumbent Adam Hampton and Charlie Torrez, Jr, Place #4 unopposed incumbent Joe Casey.

Laminack, Dodd, Deel and Vaughn **Attend TMCN Network Luncheon**



Attending the TMCN Network Luncheon in Clyde last Friday were EDC Board member Becky Laminack, Lisa Deel, EDC Director Lori Dodd, and Cliffa Vaughn. The ladies traveled to Clyde to participate in a network luncheon that included 9 area rural towns plus Abilene and the Texas Workforce System. Ten "hot topics" of the up-coming Legislative session were discussed and prioritized. This information will be combined with the information gathered at the four previous luncheons from the area. The results will then be sent to Austin by the Texas Midwest Community Network and discussed with our elected officials.

Gorman High School Art Show

The Gorman High School National Art Honor Society will be holding an art show on May 10, 2004 in the High School Library at 6:00 p.m. The show will present the artwork of the NAHS members. The National Art Honor Society will be providing refreshments and everyone is invited to attend. Please come and show your support of these deserving students.



Photo Courtesy of Justin Snider

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Monthly Men's Prayer Breakfast - Third Wednesday each month at 7:00 a.m. at First United Methodist Church. Various community Men's Groups will be hosting the breakfast.

4-H - Meets Second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Daryl Hirst, Master — Bob Wilkerson, Secretary.

LIBRARY — Charlie Garrett Memorial Library will be open

Monday thru Friday from 3 to 5 p.m.

FOOD

New Hours - 10 to 11:00 a.m. Second Thursday

WEIGHT WATCHERS MEETING — The Weight Watchers Meeting will be held at Gorman Hotel on Wednesdays. Weighin begins at 5:00 p.m. and meeting begins at 5:30 p.m.

Oakland Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. Donations can be sent to Oakland Cemetery Association, 503 N. Fisher, Gorman, Tx 76454, or American State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS — Blood Pressure Checks by Heritage Manor of Gorman. Every Wednesday at Senior Citizens at 11:00 a.m. Other week at Gorman Hotel at 10:30 a.m.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated

meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. If you would like to make a

donation in memory of or In Honor of someone, please send to Aline Garrett, P O Box 711, Gorman, Texas 76454, or American State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

SANDRA CAGLE WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT - JUNE 19TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

Obituary

Ruby Underwood

Services for Ruby Underwood, of Walters, OK was Saturday, April 17, 2004 at the Hart-Wyatt Funeral Chapel with Rev. Wayne Morrow officiating. Burial was in the Walters Cemetery.

(Whitley) Adams on May 7, 1917 in Comanche County and departed this life on April 14, 2004 in Lawton, Oklahoma at the age of 86 years, 11 months and 7 days.

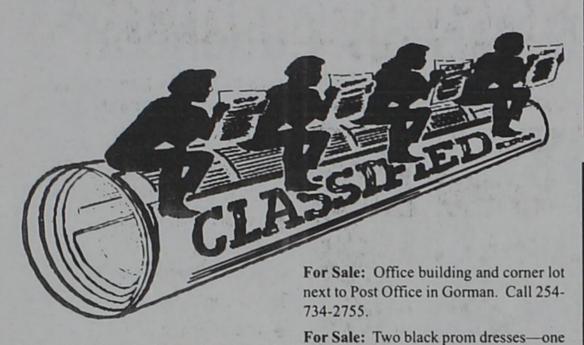
Ruby grew up at Sipe Springs. She married L.D. Underwood on May 19, 1934 at Durant, OK. To this union two children were born. They made their home in Comanche County area where they were engaged in farming and Ruby also worked many years as a nursing assis-

They moved to Lawton in 1975 before moving to Walters, OK in 1976. Ruby has made her home at McMahon-Tomlison Nursing Center since 1998.

She was preceded in death by her husband on February 28, 1990, and a son, Larry, on February 21, 1999, a great grandson Donnie Morrow, 4 brothers and 4 sisters.

Through the years, Ruby was a member of the Church of Christ and enjoying quilting and gardening.

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Grace and Don Morrow of Lawton, OK; daughter-in-law Fay Underwood of Frederick, OK; 11 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, 6 great-great grandchildren, and her special family at McMahon-Tomlison Nursing Center; other relatives and many friends.



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We want to apologize for leaving out these people out from the last week paper. We want to send a thank you to the Carbon Community Baptist Church for your donation for the candles that lit up our luminarias, the use of the church for our teams rummage sale 4343. anduse of the tables. Also a thank you to the bands that gave us great entertainment that night, The Jesus Ruby Mae Underwood was born to William Scott and Mary Lee Posse Band, Daryl Hirst and Brenda Thomas, and The Zionisty. To Grandpas Tool Shed for the use of the portapottys, Clyde Hamilton for the use of the trailer for our stage. If we have left anyone out we are truly sorry. Thank you to everyone that came out and helped make this a great event.

> Valerie Hampton and Michelle Byrd American Cancer Society Volunteer

Thank You

FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the newly formed Desdemona Activity Center, we wish to thank everyone, especially the ladies, who worked so hard to make the garage sale a success. We would also like to thank those who made donations and those who purchased items.

Directors

Desdemona Activity Center

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YARD SALE: Saturday, May 8th at 8:30 a.m. - Camping/Fishing Supplies/Tents, TV/DVD Combo, Kids Chairs and Clothing, and Lots of Miscellaneous Items. 2 Miles East On Hwy. 8 then turn left on FM571 towards Ranger, Follow Signs.

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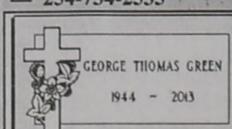
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The 8th grade class is having a garage sale on May 15th at Vicki Brown's house, 102 S. Ector. The garage sale will be from 7:00 am till they are sold out!! Come by and support the 8th grade class. All proceeds will go toward the 8th grade promotion on May 27th.

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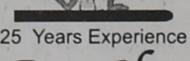
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Homecoming

AndCemetery Meeting

It was a cold windy day, but still a large crowd attended the Kokomo-Simpson Cemetery Association Meeting and Homecoming on Saturday, May 1, 2004. The meeting was moved to the Kokomo Community Center because it was so cold at the Cemetery.

Delmon Eaves called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m. Wayne Eaves gave the invocation. The financial report was given by the treasurer, Norma Webb and approved as given. The secretary, Zelda Jordan, read the minutes of last year's meeting and they were approved as read.

The Simpson Cemetery has been surveyed, and a map printed. This was explained to the crowd and everyone was asked to look at the map to see if any corrections needed to be made in spelling of names, etc. There was discussion about where the map should be put. A motion was made, seconded and carried to put it in a frame and put it on the east side of the Tabernacle.

It was reported that six new benches had been purchased to be used at the tabernacle.

members.

thanks for the food that of program.

There was lots of good at the tables and had a friends and neighbors. land, Jamie and Ann and Betty on Saturday af them until they took her During the lunch time, was the youngest; and Mr. Houston came the see everyone of you. fartherest to attend.

Edgar Reynolds of Gor- Church came to a close on man, Jerry Shugart of Wednesday night. Bro. Gorman, Rhea Crawley Ron Bostic preached wonand Patrick and Amanda derful messages from Crawley of Arlington, God's word and the sing-Covis and Pauline ing was beautiful. There Crawley of Arlington, was special music by Daryl Larry and Betty Strube of Hirst and Brenda Thomas, Kokomo, Sheri, Ryan, Helen and Woodrow Kody and Emily Daniell Browning, Ruby Lee and Glenda Black of

Martha Wood and Abilene, Zelda Jordan of Patsy Collins were re- Kokomo, Donald Eaves of elected as committee Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McFalls of Houston, Pat Midland were recent visi- visited several days last think that anyone could There being no further and Patsy Collins of Eastbusiness the meeting was land, Martha Wood of Caradjourned at 11:45. J. C. bon, Virda Mae Norris and Donaldson gave the bene- Ann Smith of Fort Worth, diction, and prayer of Clifford and Doris Graham visited last Sunday with Eastland, Nolan

we would be enjoying as L.Treadway of Snyder, Ken we continued with the and Mary Rogers of East-Homecoming part of the land and Jake Donaldson Sherry and Stephen of Please put him on your cept him as our Savior and of Eastland.

Clearman of Ovalo,

Mr. Covis Crawley, 85, of Mallory May and Ima Arlington was recognized Brown of Gorman, Norma as the oldest person at- Webb of Kokomo and tending; Emily Jordan Delmon Eaves of Kokomo. Daniell, 17 months, If I have omitted anyone I daughter of Sheri and apologize. Sometimes folks Wade Daniell of Abilene get busy visiting and fail to sign the registration and Mrs. Bill McFall of book. We were happy to

The revival services at Those attending were: the Kokomo Baptist Kinser, and Billy Joe Dennis, and Bro. Bostic.

There were many visitors from several surrounding communities, and we were so thankful you came to worship with us, and pray that you received a blessing for having been there.

There was a fellowship with homemade ice cream and cookies and cold drinks on Wednesday night following the service. And there was great entertainment when "Clifton Clower" (aka Ron Bostic) told his stories and sang several songs to the delight of everyone. What wonderful Christian fellowship we had.

The special music on Sunday morning, May 2, was rendered by the choir: Kay Snider, Aletha Burgess, Norma Webb, Ruby Lee Kinser, Helen Browning, Oren Webb, Jimmy Little, Joe Bond and little granddaughter Raegan Bond, and Woodrow Browning with Glynda Bond at the piano. Visitors were Raegan Bond of Copperas Cove and Haley and Chelsea Buckley of Desdemona. Haley and Chelsea were visiting with grandparents, Durwood and Aletha Bur-

Glenda Black, Sheri, Ryan, Kody and Emily Daniell of Abilene visited with Zelda Jordan and attended the Homecoming and Cemetery meeting on Saturday.

Deliah and Jon Lewis of Ennis visited during the

Ken and Janie Riley of

Gary and Margie Bragg at Comanche and with their daughter and son-in-law, is doing some better. Jesus Christ when we ac-Brownwood who were also prayer list. Also, Nancy Hendricks visiting in Comanche. food to enjoy as friends of Kokomo, Wayne Eaves Beverly and Bob Phariss of and neighbors went of Desdemona, Mary Webb Haskell visited with Larry ited Shannon, Stephanie through the buffet line of Cisco, Sylvia Hendricks and Betty on Wednesday and Raegan Bond at Copand found a place to sit Buchanan of Kokomo, and had lunch with them, peras Cove and Raegan Phyllis Wright of Eastland, Bill and Gladiola McFall of came home with them on good time visiting with Rozelle Caraway of East- Houston visited with Larry Friday and visited with

Mae Norris and Ann Smith meeting. Alvis and Bonnie afternoon. of Fort Worth visited with Scitern visited with Larry them on Saturday after- and Betty on Saturday night.

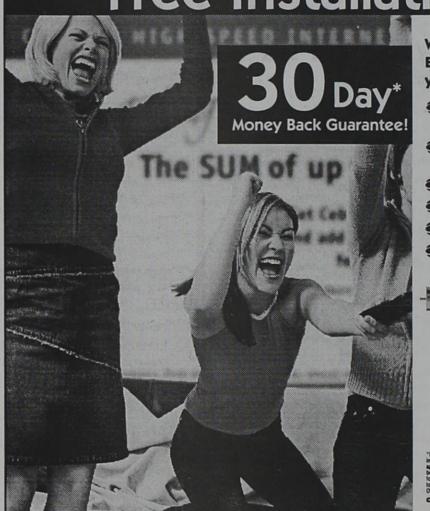
tors with Johnnie B. week with his brother, sit through the movie Larry and Betty Strube Hospital in Bryan follow- his Son suffer such a

Joe and Glynda also vis-

weekend with Delmon ternoon after the Home- to meet her parents in and Joyce Eaves. Virda coming and Cemetery Goldthwaite on Sunday

> Several from Kokomo attended the showing of "The Passion of The Joe and Glynda Bond Christ" in Eastland. I don't Louis Bond who was seri- without realizing just how ously ill in St. Joseph's much God loved us to let ing surgery, and with his tragic death on the cross wife Ellen. They report for our sins, that we might that he is still very ill, but have eternal life through Lord. Do you know Him as your Savior? I pray that you do. But if you don't, I pray that you will come to know Him very soon.





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Heritage Manor News By Nancy Hendricks

Writing Your Story

No matter what else you are doing-From cradle days through to the end-You're writing your life's secret story; Each day sees another page penned.

Each month ends a thirty-page chapter, Each year means the end of a part, And never an act is misstated, Nor ever a wish from the heart.

Each day when you wake the book opens Revealing a page clean and white, What thoughts and what words and what actions Will cover its surface by night?

God leaves that to you—you're the writer, And never one word shall grow dim 'Til some day you write the word "Finis," And give back your life book to Him.

Some guests were James and Mary Jesse of Abilene, Johnnie B. Griffith of Lake Leon, Ann Warren, Sylvia Estes, and Marie Cook of Carbon.

On Sunday morning, those coming from the First Baptist Church for Sunday School were Bobby Rich, Vicki Seay and Tootie Campbell. Bobby Rich taught the Sunday School lesson, "The Returning King. How Can I Be Ready When Jesus Comes Again?" Background passage Matthew 24:36-44 and 1 Thessalonians 4:13-19. Key Bible Verse Matthew 24.44. Howard and Pat Hagood were guests. Twenty-two residents were present.

Recent visitors were Jewel Dean Morris and Bonnie D. Stewart of DeLeon, Lyndon and Shelly Morgan of Garland, Becky Smith of Cross Plains, Lonnie and Edith Grumbles, Annie Fay Foster, Pam Childers and Daral Grumbles of DeLeon.

Residents which to say "Get Well quickly and come back and play the piano" to Willo Rice who recently had surgery.

Some guests were Maudie Husband, Bobby and Peggy Ingram of Cisco, Garry Lynn Owens of Abilene, Lee and Sue Pettigrew of Desdemona, Larry and DeLinda Snider, Diana Snider, Mary Ann Alexander of

Sunday afternoon those coming from the Church of Christ were Bro. Larry Stogsdill, Nathan Files, Dubbie Truitt, Don Underwood and Bud Smithey. Several residents attended.

Some visitors were Bonnie Croft of Lake Leon, Tisha and Daniel Grice of Stephenville, Max and Janice Grice of Brownfield, Irene West, Tootie Campbell, and Kenneth Good.

Monday morning residents were lined up to greet Karen Guthery for each one's special hair fixing.

Recent visitors were Daryl Belyue, Jeanie Taylor, Kathy Taylor of Ft. Worth, Bessie Shupp, Carla Matthews, Freddie Sadberry, and Christi Claude of DeLeon, Denver Rainey, Kayla Buras, Bricie Shupp, Howard and Pat Hagood.

On Monday morning, Pat Graham, Judy Kilbrew and Jason Kilbrew and Ina Smith had bingo for nine residents.

Some guests were Maxine Frasier of DeLeon, Lynn Warren of Carlsbad, NM, Voncille Warren, Larry Stogsdill, Durward Webb, Howard and Pat Hagood, Jo Carey of Midlothian, Daisy Slaton, Peggy Brooks of Merkel.

On Monday afternoon those coming for the Monday Gospel Singing were Billy Joe Dennis, Ruby Lee Kinser, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Daisy Slaton, Ernestine Campbell, Bobby and Joan Baker, Ann Warren

Desdemona News By Vonnie Guthery

Jack and Nell Ridens of Desdemona were in Bonisay, Florida last week to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, Judge Helms. They visited with Nell's sister, Ruth Helms, for awhile before returning home.

Dorothy Roberts spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in Fort Worth with her granddaughter, Heather Caddell and children Kelsey and Cameron.

P.E. "Shorty" Fox of Desdemona celebrated his birthday on Sunday, May 2, with his family. Those attending were Larry and Gay Moore of Desdemona; Bruce and Renee White and children Chelsea and Cory of Stephenville; Paul and Susan Moore and children Hagan and Scarlett of Lingleville; Frances Lanham of Blanket. They enjoyed lunch together in Stephenville.

Zelma Forrest Sharp is having some health problems. Our thoughts and prayers are with her at this time. Zelma graduated from Desdemona High School with the Class of 1943.

Lois Walston was moved to the Stephenville Mulberry Manor Rest Home. Her son, Gary Walston and wife Jody live in Desdemona.

Dixie Pack spent all day Monday in Abilene visiting with her friends, Edith, Pauline and their mother, Velda. They play cards, dominoes and go shopping and enjoy lunch together.

Geneva (Lewis) Foreman of Stephenville is slowly improving from recent brain surgery. Get Well wishes from all her friends in Desdemona. Geneva graduated with the Class of 1952 from Desdemona High School.

Alton and Cleta (Clark) Coffman of Ranger will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, May 8, 2004, 2-4 p.m. at the Bullock School House located 3 1/2 miles north of Ranger on 717 Caddo Highway. Their two daughters will host the reception. Family and friends are invited to attend. No gifts please. Cleta is a former resident of Desdemona where she attended school and graduated with the Class of 1946. "Congratulations" to this great couple.

A Mother is always on your side—With loving heart open wide— Through all your days, your joys or tears—Her love is constant thru the

"Happy Mother's Day."

Beating The "Low-Carb Blahs"

(NAPSA)-The recent controversy swirling around the appropriate amount of saturated fat in low-carb diets such as Atkins has led many consumers to look for creative ways to reduce fat intake without compromising their lowcarb diet. At the same time, many dieters are developing a case of the "low-carb blahs" as they adhere to a strict regimen that offers limited food options. A recent survey by Kellogg's

Morningstar Farms highlights the significance of this shift, showing that the combination of low-carb foods coupled with reduced fat was important to more than half (56 percent) of low-carb dieters. Women (60 percent) were more likely than their male counterparts (50 percent) to point out that food that is both low-fat and low-carb would help them keep up with a diet like Atkins, South Beach or the Zone. "There are a number of reasons

to be concerned about the longterm health implications of diets that are high in saturated fat," said Ruth Lahmayer, M.S., R.D. and nutrition expert. "And, there's mounting evidence that con-sumers following many of today's popular low-carb diets often fail due to a lack of varied options. Consider this low-carb recipe for an Italian Frittata.

ITALIAN FRITTATA

2 cartons (8 oz) Morningstar

Farms Better 'n Eggs tablespoon fat-free milk

a teaspoon black pepper

1/4 cup chopped red pepper

¹/_H teaspoon garlic powder ¹/₄ teaspoon leaf oregano 1/s teaspoon salt



Variety can be the virtual tow truck for consumers stuck in a low carb rut.

1/4 cup chopped broccoli flowerets

4 ounces Morningstar

Farms breakfast links, crumbled

1/4 cup alfalfa sprouts

1/4 cup sliced mushrooms 2 ounces (1/2 cup) shredded fat-free cheddar cheese

Cooking spray

1. Combine first six ingredi-

ents in small mixing bowl; beat well. Set aside. 2. Saute red peppers, broc-coli and breakfast links in

medium saucepan coated with cooking spray. Remove mix-ture from pan and set aside.

3. Add egg mixture to sauce-pan and cook over low heat until set. Top with cooked vegetable mixture, alfalfa sprouts and mushrooms. Sprinkle with cheese. Cover tightly and let stand for 3-5 minutes until

cheese melts. For more information about Morningstar Farms foods, visit www.morningstarfarms.com.

and Nancy Hendricks. The quartet Ruby Lee Kinser, Billy Joe, Woodrow and Helen sang specials. There were thirteen residents present.

Some guests were Bud and Dee Smithey, Carol Ward, Mary Webb, Jordan Scitern, Bobby and Joan Baker of Desdemona, Kris Smith, Thomas Hurd, Stormy Hurd, Denzie Murphy, James and Ruby Lee Kinser. On Tuesday morning, Betty Duke of Desdemona came and played the

electric keyboard. There were eleven residents attending. Some visitors were Kelly Henderson of Garland, E.G. and Nancy

Henderson, C.J. Henderson of Abilene, Vicki Seay,

On Tuesday residents sure had fun making 'Shake and Make' ice cream. The weather was just right to enjoy a bowl of homemade ice cream. Visiting were Don Landers of Springtown, Dorothy Roberts of

Desdemona, Glen and Nancy Lawless, Jerry Majors and Leta Loudermilk of DeLeon, Lendon and Frankie Jo Shipman.

Wednesday morning, Rev. Bill Campbell of First Baptist Church taught the Bible study. Text was Mark 1:2-17, subject was "Proper Patriotism."

A resident voiced the closing prayer. Twelve residents were present. Some guests were John and Georgia Ann Hopper of Dallas, Amber

Scitern, Stanley Porter, Henry Lenz of Carbon. A large group of residents enjoyed "Crazy Bingo" with Ina Smith on Wednesday afternoon.

Visiting were Lucy Joiner, Joyce Bramlett of Stephenville, Billie Jean Grisham, Shana, Taylor Hope and Alyssa Mahan of DeLeon, Ennis and Nina Joiner, Robert and Becky Moore, Emily Green, Randy and Leslie Green of DeLeon.

On Thursday morning, residents enjoyed the game 'Horse Racing' with Ina Smith.

Some visitors were Rodney and Vicki Roberts of Stephenville, Kennard and Doylena Roberts of Gustine, Winston Brown, Bo and Anna Lee Roberts, Shaylor Roberts, Kendra Roberts, Levi Roberts, and Shannon Rob-

Resident Council was Thursday.

Some visitors were Judy and Jason Kilebrew of DeLeon, Roy and Charlotte Johnson of Desdemona, Paul and Pat Johnson of Lubbock, Clyde and DeSha Johnson of Stephenville.

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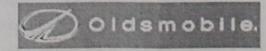


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