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Scam Artists Working In Gorman Area

We have been notified that there is a SCAM Artist at work in the Gorman area against the Social Security receivers offering grants to receipents on social security.

Please be aware of this kind of solicitations. They are strictly scam artists. Please notify your local law enforcement agencies.

You Are Invited To Join Chamber of Commerce

The Chamber of Commerce would like to invite you to become a member of the Chamber and help us with community activities. Each year we participate in the following projects: the County Stock Show, the Annual Chamber Banquet, the Easter Treasure Hunt, the Miss/Little Miss Gorman Contest, annual scholarships for Gorman High graduates, the Peanut Festival, and the Santa Visit each December along with other projects that benefit our community, children, and citizens. Annual dues are as follows;

> Individual - \$20.00 Small Business - \$75.00 Large. Business - \$150

To join you can mail your dues to PO Box 266, Gorman, TX 76454 or call Terry at 734-3171 or George at 734-2859 for more information.

Miss Gorman and Little Miss Continue Their Fundraisers

The Miss and Little Miss Gorman contests are now going strong after the contests began on June 4th. These girls are working very hard. Check

New Hope Baptist Church To Mark 100th Anniversary



Students Named To Spring Distinguished List

The Distinuished Student List for the Spring 2007 semester has been released by Tarleton State University. Dr. Gary Peer, provost and vice president of academic affairs, released the names of the recognized students.

Distinguished students include freshmen and sophomore students who have a minimum 3.25 GPR and no grade lower than a C, and juniors and seniors who have a minimum 3.5 GPR with no grade lower than a C. All must be in good standing with the university.

Those students making the list from Gorman are: Lacy N. Howard,

New Hope Baptist Church will be celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the church's founding on Sunday, June 24, 2007 beginning at 10 a.m.

Organized in the New Hope school house in 1907 with twenty-seven. charter members, the church has continued in ministry for 100 years. Eighteen pastors have served during that time. Three former pastors will be present for the celebration.

Also present will be Lalitha Kamari and Rev. Rufus Kamalakar from Nellore, India. New Hope has been associated with their ministry to the Yanadi tribal people in South India for the last twenty-one years.

The celebration service will begin at 10 a.m. in the church auditorium. Lunch will be served at 12 noon, and hte afternoon service will begin at 2 p.m. and conclude at 4:00 p.m. The New Hope congregation invites you to join with us to "remember His marvelous works that HE has done".

Routine Monitoring Violation (TCR 23/24

City of Gorman, PWS #0670003 failed to collect the required number of bacteriological samples for coliform monitoring of the water distribution system during April, 2007. This monitoring is required by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality's "Drinking Water Standards" and the federal "Sage Drinking Water Act," Public Law 95-523.

Bacteriological samples are used to monitor water quality and indicate if the water is free of coliform bacteria. Our water system is required to submit 2

the paper, and look for notices around town announcing the fund raisers these girls are doing and please support their efforts. Putting your spare change in their cans will help also.

This years contestants are:

Miss Gorman Contestants:

Perla Maldonado-Chamber of Commerce Michaela Burns-- Fire Department Brittany Henderson-- Lion's Club **Miss/Little Miss Gorman Contestants:**

Caitlyn Clark-- Chamber of Commerce

Kelsie Guthery-- Fire Dept.

Makenzie Rainey-- Lion's Club

Fund raising projects are now underway and all the girls have their cans in businesses for donations. Please help support these girls. The contest will run through June 30. All proceeds will go toward community projects. The Chamber supports programs such as the County Stock Show, the Easter Hunt and Halloween project, the Peanut Festival, the Annual Santa Visit, and Economic Development to bring in new businesses.

The pageant will be held at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, June 30, in the high school auditorium.

We appreciate the good job done by our reigning Miss Gorman, Reba Granado, and Little Miss Gorman, Briana Landa. They have represented us well at many area events and parades. Thanks girls!

Gorman FUMC Welcomes New Pastorate Family

Sharon and Bob Bell come to us from Rosebud, Texas, where Sharon was serving as pastor at Rosebud FUMC. We are very happy to welcome them to Gorman. They are looking forward to meeting each of you as time allows them to visit and get acquainted with everyone in the community.

Please help us welcome them on July 1st at a Reception from 2 to 4 p.m. at First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Eastland County To Distribute New Discount Prescript Cards

Eastland County Judge Rex Fields and County Auditor Loretta Key will be at the Gorman Community Center on Thursday, June 21st from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m. distributing the new Discount Prescription Drug cards available to Eastland County residetns and answering questions about the program. The public is invited to attend.

Homemade Tamales For Miss Gorman Candidate Perla Maldonado Sponsored By: Gorman Chamber of Commerce Thursday, June 21 In front of Gorman Pharmacy - 9:00 a.m to ??? 1/2 Doz. - \$3.00 -- Dozen - \$7.00

Angela K. Porter and Kendra L. Swanner.

Students Named To Spring "A" Honor Roll

The 'A' Honor Roll List for the Spring 2007 semester has been released by Tarleton State University. Dr. Gary Peer, provost and vice president of academic affairs, released the names of the recognized students.

Students listed on the 'A' Honor Roll have a 4.0 grade point ratio (GPR) on the 4.0 system and are taking a minimum of 12 credit hours. Those students making the list from Gorman are: John Howard - Applied Science.

First Annual Gorman Softball Camp For Girls Set July 9-13

Signup for the first annual Gorman Softball Camp for Girls - 1st grade thru 8th grade. It will be held July 9th thru July 13th from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the old softball field, by the tennis courts. The price will be \$30.00 per child, and then \$10.00 for every child after the first child is entered. On the last day of camp we will give out awards for participation, however, there will be special awards given for those who stand out in certain areas. We will work on batting, fielding, pitching, catching, and other basic softball fundamentals. This is a good opportunity for young girls to learn the basics of softball and improve their skills in all areas.

For information or to enter a child contact Kendra Swanner at 254-734-5464 or Nikki Keith at 254-485-7181. Registration will start at 3:15 on the 9th.

Scholarships Awarded To '07 GISD Graduates

We appreciate all of the scholarship donors who continually support our students. These scholarships not only provide financial resources, but they also send a statement of support and encouragement to the students striving to further their education. Thanks to all who have contributed to the following scholarships:

G.W. Maxfield Scholarship \$200 Amanda Regian Gorman Lion's Club \$250 K'Ann Howard R.C. Harrington Memorial \$250 Nicole Vaughn Gorman Masonic Lodge \$250 Kaci Seaton Gary Clayton Memorial ~Sons of Confederate Veterans \$500 - Kaci Seaton

Gorman ATPE \$250 Crystal Thackerson Gorman Chapter 443 Order of the Eastern Star \$250 - Nicole Vaughn Army GI Bill \$38,000 Pete Ramirez - \$38,000 David Ibarra Steve Spivey Memorial \$1000 Ty Vaughn Sam Walton Community \$1000 Kristy Carlton Hampton Racing & Paint & Body Shop \$200 Crystal Thackerson Eastland County Retired Teachers Association \$400 - Mindy Keaton Ruth Porter Scholarship \$500 K'Ann Howard Texas Farmer's Union \$500 Kristy Carlton

Gorman Chamber of Commerce Miss Gorman \$500 Kaci Seaton Contestant \$100 K'Ann Howard Contestant \$100 Nicole Vaughn Contestant \$100 Brittany Shirley Gorman Peanut Queen \$250 Rosa Herrera Gorman Peanut Queen \$250 Kaci Seaton Ruth Bryant Scholarship \$500 Kristy Carlton Gorman Achievement Scholarship \$100 Maria Oronia Panhandle Plains \$100 Kristy Carlton First Financial Bank \$100 Amanda Brown PTO Dual Credit \$165 Chance Underwood - Nancy Velasquez Dr. Dan Brudnack EMT \$800 Natasha Sherman Gorman Livestock Raisers \$1000 Chance Underwood

Bacteriological samples each month. Failure to collect all required bacteriological samples is a violation of the monitoring requirements and we are required to notify you of this violation.

If you have any questions regarding this violation, you may contact Glenn Scitern, maintenance supervisor @ 254-734-2317.

High School Academic **Awards Assembly**

The Gorman High School Awards Assembly was held May 15, 2007 to honor the students who have achieved academic success. The assembly included scholarship presentations, community service awards, distinguished graduate awards, UIL awards, and subject area achievement awards. Many scholarship donors presented their scholarships to the senior recipients in person. Since some of the scholarships were not presented at the assembly, the senior scholarships will be listed separately.

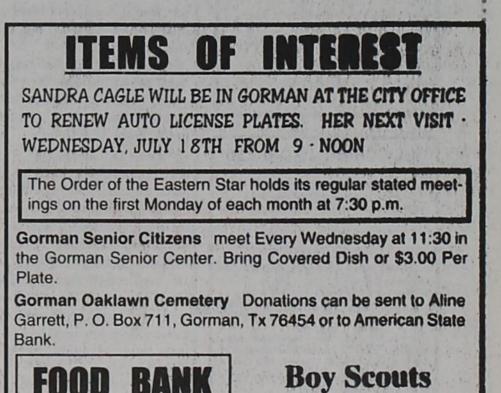
Community Service Awards:

Less than 25 hours certificate: Valerie Longoria - Martin Ramirez Framed Certificate (25-50 hours of service) - Nicole Vaughn Blue Award 5X7 Plaque (50-75 hours of service) - Kimi Seaton Silver Award 5x7 Plaque (75 to 100 hours of service) - Brittany Shirley Gold Award 8X10 Plaque (100 plus hours of service) -

risty Carlton	K'Ann Howard
Esther Cruz	Yhdira Garcia
Ty Vaughn	Brenda Olivares
Maria Oronia	Amanda Regian

Community service awards are based upon completed service forms. These hours are based upon service from April to the following April. Students are encouraged to document uncompensated community service hours. Please pick up a form at the high school or Mrs. Hampton's web site to begin earning hours for next years awards! **Distinguished Graduates:**

Students graduating on the distinguished plan were recognized with a 5x7 plaque .: Kristy Carlton- Rosa Herrera - K'Ann Howard - Brenda Olivares - Maria Oronia - Amanda Regian - Kaci Scaton - Crystal Thackerson



To place an order call Mrs. Maldanado or Miriam Landa at 734-5637 or 631-9366 before Thursday.

CAR WASH AND FAJAITA TACOS For Miss Gorman Candidate Perla Maldonado Sponsored By: Gorman Chamber of Commerce CAR WASH Saturday, June 23 At ASB Parking Lot - 9:00 a.m to ??? \$5.00 minimum - DONATIONS ONLY JITA TACOS urday, June 23 g at 10:00 a.m. to ??? **ASB** Parking Lot

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CJC Theater Renewable \$2500 Matthew Smith Scholarship +books, room and board Tarleton Band Scholarship - \$1500 K'Ann Howard CJC Agriculture Scholarship \$800 Kaci Seaton Angelo State University - CARR Scholarship \$3000 - Crystal Thackerson Angelo State University Band Scholarship \$1200 - Crystal Thackerson Early Graduation Scholarship \$2000 Christen Ranson Eastland County Farm Bureau \$200 Kristy Carlton Alma Johnson Memorial \$500 Rosa Herrera Jack Jackson Memorial \$500 Wade Cariker Glynda Bond Memorial \$100 Brenda Olivares Career Colleges & Schools Of Texas \$1000 Wade Cariker Texas State Valedictorian - Tuition Fee Waiver up to \$4000 -K'Ann Howard FOOD BANK

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

Meeting Week Tuesdays - 6:00 p.m. **Methodist Church**

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.

4-H - Meets Second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall - Amy Wood - 734-2973.

VET Science 4-H Project - 4th Tuesday each Month. Technology Center / Gorman Community Center. Contact Lee or Amy Wood at 254-734-2973.

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. Mark Wilkerson, Master — Pat Moseley, Secretary.

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Special Announcement JUNE 21, 2007

Obituary

Frances Nadine Pittman

Frances Nadine Pittman, age 75 of De Leon passed away on June 27, 2007 at Hendrick Medical Center. Graveside services were held at Wednesday, June 20 at 10 a.m. at De Leon Cemetery, De Leon with Bro. Jackie Auvenshine. There was a memorial service at 4:00 p.m. at Berea Baptist Church in Big Springs officiated by Bro. Gary Higgs. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery.

She was born September 27, 1931 in Stephenville, Tx to the late Johna nd Lula Mae Swanzy Maxwell. She married Dearl Pittman on December 15, 1953 in De Leon.

She was a bookkeeper for Higginbotham's and a bookkeeper for CPA offices in Big Spring. She was a Baptist, and a member of the Berea Baptist Church in Bing Spring. She had lived in De Leon for 15 years, having moved from Big Spring.

Survivors include her husband, Dearl Pittman of De Leon; 3 sons, Randy Pittman and wife, Cindy of Midland, Dale Pittman and wife, Kay of Big Spring and Gale Pittman and wife, Maurine of Big Spring; 1 sister-in-law, Leta Ferm Maxwell of Stephenville; 6 grandchildren: Brandi, Brooke, Brock, Jessica Marie, Jennifer and Desi; 3 great-grandchildren: Cody, Iris, Eric, and 1 due in October; several great nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by 5 brothers: Clinton Maxwell, Calvin Maxwell, Richard Maxwell, Raymond Maxwell and Jack Maxwell.

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ager, Michael Richardson. 4-6-28 C. FOR SALE: Steel Barrels - Call Den

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Named To Dean's **List At SFA**

Rebeca Anne Brewer, nursing major from Carbon, has been named to the Dean's List at Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches for the spring semester.

To be eligible for this honor, a student must be enrolled in 12 or more semester hours and maintain a great point average of at least 3.5

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SUMMER CLEANING

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MAINTENANCE

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Salary based on experience. Contact Kael Joiner email: kaelj@ebaa.com

Location: Eastland Plant 4-7-5 C.

Senior Citizens News

Carol Ward / Ann Maxfield

Another Wednesday and another great meal on June 13th. There were 21 who attended and enjoyed fellowship with one another. We are still looking forward to Carol Ward returning. She is truly missed as she always keeps things running smoothly. Everyone has helped during her absence.

We still have some away on vacation and while some have returned others are leaving on trips. Several of our people are still missing due to health problems. It will be great to have them overcome their illness and be back with us.

Ann Maxfield called the meeting to order due the Zelda Jordan being in Abilene for an appointment with her doctor. Geraldine Wright offerer thanks for our meal. Again the meal was great !! Everyone enjoyed Anna Rush's butter-beans and her wonderful egg custard. We invite you to come and "taste" for yourself.

Just a thought: "Every passing day is one that is gone forever. Make sure it is one in which you have done something for others, especially those who cannot do for themselves".

12th Annual Freedom Festival Set At Rising Star July 4th

The Rising Star Chamber of Commerce will sponsor its 12th Annual Freedom Festival on July 4th at the City Park. Festivities will begin at 10 a.m., the Grand Finale being the Biggest Fireworks Display in the area. Events include: Music, Arts, Crafts, Food, Kids Air Castle for jumping, Freedom Train for rides, Display by The Sons of the Confederacy, Apple Pie Cookoff and Ice Cream Freeze Off. Hot dogs will be available before the firewo

There will be Country and Western Music during the day and 80 proof will entertain after the parade which starts at 6 p.m.

Come join the fun at the City Park, Rising Star, as we celebrate our Freedom and our Country.

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ORDINANCE NO. 2007-03

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GORMAN, TEXAS, DENYING ATMOS EN-ERGY CORP., MIDTEX DIVISION'S REQUEST FOR AN ANNUAL GAS RELI-ABILITY INFRA-STRUCTURE PROGRAM RATE ADJUSTMENT IN THIS MUNICI-PALITY SO THAT THE COMPANY MAY PURSUE A SYSTEM-WIDE ANNUAL GAS RELIABILITY INFRA-STRUCTURE PROGRAM RATE ADJUSTMENT WITH THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS; PPROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; FINDING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH THIS ORDINANCE IS PASSED IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AS REQUIRED BY LAW; AND PROVIDING FOR NO-TICE OF THIS ORDINANCE TO ATMOS ENERGY CORP., MID-TEX DIVISION.

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lator for the math portion.

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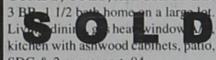
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water well, stg. bldg., paved road. App. 1 acre. \$65,000. \$57,500.

Desdemona, nice 3-2 mfg. home, 1549' LA (CAD), open floor plan, fireplace, beautiful fenced 1 acre, water well, stg. bldg., numerous fruit and pecan trees. \$79,900 \$78,500 NEW: 12.96 A. Gorman, app. 4 A wooded, water well, elec., old septic sys., pecans, nice building site! \$52,500.00 Will Divide.

NEW: 40 A m/l, south Gorman, pasture, fenced, small cabin, water well, small pond, elec., sandy soil, paved road. \$3,150 acre.

NEW: 49.83 A. west Gorman, large oaks, paved road, building spois, county water/elec. available, fenced, ponds, barn/coral, great hunting, pretty place! \$2,900 Acre

100 a west De Leon FM587, 3 - 1 1/ 2 - 2 brick. 1444 sq. ft., C/HA, fireplace, carpeted, some remodeling, 3 ponds, 30a crop land, 35a coastal, some native, fenced, 2 steel corrals, 2 wells, shop building. Nice setup. Mineral Rights \$295,000.00

160 A m/l east Gorman on FM2921: 65 a m/l coastal, 75 a m/l wooded, water well, pond, steel corral, indications show lots deer, turkey and hogs, mineral rights. \$2,900.00 \$2,800.00 A.

NEW: 179 A, south Gorman, part

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795 A, over 100' of elevation changes, tree covered hills and ridges, heavy to medium cover, small lake, 2-ponds, metal bam, mfg home w/awning & deck, excellent hunting and recreational place. [TR01] \$2,750 per acre 328 A, High Fenced Game Ranch, hunting cabin, 5th wheel RV, 3 wells, 6 tanks, Lots of wildlife [RR01] \$1,526,000

184 A, 2-1 frame home, 6 water wells, 2 reservoirs, 3 side roll irrigation systems, 15hp pit pump, 9 acre in pecan orchard, 76 acres in coastal, 55 acres in crop land, rest in native pasture. μκο1] \$524,920
 105 A, 7-waterwells, 3-stock tanks, septic system, corrals, woods, costal, hunting and minerals [TAO1] \$310,750

100 A, water wells, pecan trees, cultivation, native pasture and hunting [SS02] \$215,700

25.6 A, w/4-2½, 2,243sf(CAD) Brick Home, attached garage, carport, storage buildings, water well, 2-stock tanks, costal, large oak trees [JB03] \$250,000 24.5 A, on Flat Creek, with water well, native pasture, close to highway [MP01] \$98,000

UNDER CONTRACT-70 A, w/1,894sf(CAD) 3-2 brick home, [BC01] \$396.500

52 A, w/2,854sf(CAD) 4-3 brick home, carport, 5 water wells, 3 stock tanks, corrals, bams [LP01] \$250,000

51 A, hightway frontage, spring creeks and hunting [RP01] \$193,000
45 A, approx.33 A costal, native pasture, minerals [KJ02] \$135,000
11 A, w/16'x70' mobile home, well, rural water, oak trees [TC01] \$70,000
8.5 A, 1,800sf, 3-2 Metal Frame home, close to Proctor Lake, work shop, pipe & net wire fences, 2-water wells, underground sprinklers. [JT02] \$265,000
5A, 3-2 1600sf Frame Home, above ground pool w/ deck, horse barn, additional approximation of the bar work shop.

acreage available [KJ01] \$159,000

UNDER CONTRACT-3+ A, 1,780sf, 3-2 Mfg Home, rural water, 2-water wells, pecan trees, 660sf commercial bldg., highway frontage [HH01] \$89,500
236±A, 2 wells, 3 tanks, approx. 26A in cultivation, costal, native pasture, rolling terrain, minerals availabvle, hunting [DS02] \$2,195 Per Acre
380±A, 3 wells, 6 tanks, approx. 100 A crop land, remainder in costal bermuda & tilton 85, good fences & cross fences. minerals available [CW01] \$950,000
250±A, 150 wooded, 100 coastal, on Coppereas Creek, lake, stock tanks, butters cable, 25he of page berg for the stock tanks, approxed to the stock tanks.

hunters cabin, 25hp pit pump, hwy. frontage, rural water [LB01] \$850,000243 A, Comanche Co, one reservoir, 14 imigation wells, imigation pit, highway frontage, cultivation, costal, native pasture [AB01] \$2,500 per acre 155 ± A, 3 water wells, 3 stock tanks, approx. 90 A cover, rest in native pasture

[MC02] \$427,075

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150 A, rolling terrain, approx. 90 acres wooded, 4 water wells, irrigation pit, stock tank, excellent deer and turkey hunting. Minerals. [L001] \$442,500
81 A pecan orchard, approx. 900 improved variety trees, underground drip irrigation on, 9 wells [REM01] \$326,000
60 A, stock tank, approx. 13 A wooded, coastal and hunting. µD01] \$165,000
UNDER CONTRACT-3-2 Brick home, 1,638(CAD), 2-car attached garage, 2+ Acres, fireplace, CH/A, 2 storage buildings, storm cellar µB02] \$105,000
3-2,2,086sf(CAD) living area brick home with carport, large shaded lot, fireplace, matching µP01]

metal roof, storage building [wco1] \$105,000 3-2 approx. 1,500sf doublewide, screened porch, workshop, 2 wells, 2 large lots and older frame home [JA02] \$135,000 3-2 frame home, 1,252sf(CAD) living area, Central heat & air, enclosed front porch,

carport, fenced yard, gas fireplace [VM01] \$27,500 **SOLD**—Remodeled 2-1 approx. 1,000sfframe house with fenceed yard, carport, shop, deck [KG01] \$36,500

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KOKOMO NEWS BY ZELDA JORDAN

I hope that everyone had a wonderful time honoring their fathers on Father's Day, and beautiful memories of the fathers who are no longer with us.

Fathers were honored by a special prayer of blessings at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Father's Day. There was a special message about fathers from Joshua 24:1-15 by Bro. Jim Haggard. The father is to be the spiritual leader in the home. There should be a special relationship between a father and child. The special music "Learning To Lean" was so beautifully rendered by Woodrow and Helen Browning with Daryl Hirst at the piano. There were several visitors and we invite you to come and worship with us again.

To continue the study in James, Bro. Haggard's message on Sunday night was from James 1:9-12.

Mark Eaves of Charlotte, NC spent the weekend with his dad, Delmon Eaves and they attended the Eaves Family Reunion in De Leon on Sunday. They also visited with Oren and Norma Webb on Saturday night.

Oren and Norma Webb were at the Big Country Baptist Encampment on Friday and Saturday to help with the Lad and Lassie Children's camp. They worked in the gift shop and said they rally enjoyed it.

Beverley and Bob Phariss of Haskell visited with Betty and Larry Strube.

Jimmy and Verna Lee Little, Nelda Fails of Arlington, Ray Neal and Melissa Little of Eastland and James, Jill, Ashley and Breckley Little met at Mary's Restaurant in Strawn on Saturday night for an early Father's Day dinner. Nelda came on to her parents house for an overnight visit.

Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and Nelda Fails visited with Ima Boles in the Comanche hospital on Sunday afternoon, and also attended the 50th anniversary celebration for Donnie and Nelda Mauney in Gorman. Ima was doing better and was moved back to the nursing home in Gorman on Monday.

Craig Snider of Hollis, OK and Danny and Justin Snider visited with LaVon Snider.

Congratulations to my Great-grandsons, Kody and Ryan Daniell of Abilene on a great little league baseball season. Kody will be playing on the Wylie All-Stars team which will have their first game on June 28th.

Glenda Black of Abilene spent the weekend here with her mother, Zelda Jordan, and they attended the Wharton Family Reunion at Carbon on Saturday.

"Happy Birthday" to my grandson, Joe Miles of Austin today (June 18th).

WHARTON REUNION

What a great time everyone had as the grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren of the late Clint and Susie Wharton met for their annual family reunion at the Carbon Community Center on Saturday, June 16, 2007.

There was a family history display and picture albums to enjoy, and many pictures taken to be added to the albums, along with lots and lots of visiting and a bountiful lunch of delicious food to enjoy.

Those attending were Paul Gothard and Courtney, Sunni and Summerain Gothard of Blackwell, Clay Hawthorne of Athens, Clint Hawthorne of Dallas; Eve Lovell of Bangs, Doris Neill of Brownwood, Sharon Graham of Early, Larry and Betty Strube of Kokomo, Glenda Black of Abilene, Zelda Jordan of Kokomo, Jimmy and Maggie Nelson of Carbon, David and Cassie Brasher of Carbon, Brenda Harrison and Chuck Bull of Cleburne, Kevin, Vanessa and Alex Harrison of Venus and Beau and Rhiannone Harrison of Arlington. We missed those that weren't able to be there this year.

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To: Jean Elaine Williams Bowman, E. Lano Williams, Jr., Trina Nunez, Robert Nunez, Patricia Kehoe Steffan, Robert Kehoe, Jr., Timothy Kehoe, Daniel Kehoe, David Kehoe, Hilos Williams and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said Jean Elaine Williams Bowman, E. Lano Williams, Jr., Trina Nunez, Robert Nunez, Patricia Kehoe Steffan, Robert Kehoe, Jr., Timothy Kehoe, Daniel High, Vivian Ruth Barley Mikulec, Kehoe, David Kehoe, Hilos Williams, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ley Hoff, Greeting: ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to of Eastland County at the Court- appear before the 91st District Court house thereof, in Eastland, Texas," of Eastland County at the Courtby filing a written answer at or be- house thereof, in Eastland, Texas, fore 10 o'clock A.M. on the first by filing a written answer at or be-Monday next after the expiration of fore 10 o'clock A.M. on the first forty-two days from the date of is- Monday next after the expiration of suance of this citation, same being forty-two days from the date of isthe 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to suance of this citation, same being Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 31st day of May, 2007, Plaintiff's Petition filed in said CV074C830, on the docket of said in this cause, numbered court and styled Eddie Lord, Plain- CV0740827, on the docket of said tiff, vs. Jean Elaine Williams Bowman, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature. Parrish, et al Defendants of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, tc execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

NE/4 Section 40, Block 2, ETRR Co. Survey, A-1552, Eastland County, Texas.

within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due

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THE STATE OF TEXAS To: Robert Leveaux Parrish.

the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to this cause, numbered court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Plaintiff, vs. Robert Leveaux

> of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

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RAYMOND AND N/140.5 acres of the E/2 Section 22,

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served.

Lilian D. Barley Arnold, Leota G. Barley High, Vivian Ruth Barley Mikulec, Eulala M. Barley Shipley, L.H. (Lewis) Barley, Jr., Violet T. Barley Hoff and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said Robert Leveaux Parrish, Lilian D. Barley Arnold, Leota G. Barley Eulala M. Barley Shipley, L.H. (Lewis) Barley, Jr., Violet T. Bar-

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU)

A brief statement of the nature

Portions of the NW/4 Section 23, Block 3, H & TC Ry. Co. Survey If this citation is not served A-313, (179.8 Acres).

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same ac-

cording to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs. Witness, KAREN L. MOORE,

Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007.

(s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk 91st District Clerk (SEAL) Eastland County, Texas By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: W. G. BULL and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said W. G. Bull, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, in this cause, numbered CV0740826, on the docket of said court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Plaintiff, vs. W. G. Bull, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

W/58.77 acres of the W/2 of the

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Monty C. Walker, Ruth Little and Jerry C. Walker and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said Monty C. Walker, Ruth Little and Jerry C. Walker, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) **ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to** appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, in this cause, numbered CV0740825, on the docket of said court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Plaintiff, vs. Monty C. Walker, Ruth Little and Jerry C. Walker, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

NW/4 Section 6, Block 3, H & TC RY. Co. Survey, A-271 (167.31 acres).

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, KAREN L. MOORE, Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007. (s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk (SEAL) 91st District Clerk Eastland County, Texas By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Following the Wharton Family Reunion, the family gathered at the Simpson Cemetery at Kokomo for a memorial service for Annie Lucille (Mrs. Garland) Wharton. Mrs. Wharton, 88, died on May 2, 2007 in Fort-Worth, Texas and was cremated.

Dr. Jimmy Nelson officiated at the service at the tabernacle at the cemetery and then Mrs. Wharton's ashes were buried in the family plot next to her husband's grave.

Mrs. Wharton is survived by one daughter, Brenda Ann Harrison, two sons, Larry Don Wharton and Ronald Lee Wharton, several grandchildren, and one brother, Tom Paul Clary.

Pig Tales From Hogtown

Oink! Oink! We had a hugely successful garage sale at the DAC! each of the unknown spouses, heirs, Thank you to all who came. As always, it was fun to see friends and meet new folks.

The two men involved in the wreck north of Comanche last week have ties to Desdemona. We are thankful to learn that Toby Morris and John Fair escaped with only minor injuries in what appeared to be a quite serious accident.

Please remember the Bluegrass Jamfest this Saturday, June 23 at the DAC. The all day jamming is free and the evening concert tickets cost \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children under 12. The concert will feature Jeff & Ann Norris from Quitman, TX, Terry Sanders & friends from Buffalo Springs, TX and the "Southwind" Bluegrass Band from Wichita Falls, TX. Bring your family and friends and musical instruments and jam with us. Then stay to enjoy the concert. There will be a concession stand for lunch and dinner. We are anticipating a great, fun day featuring bluegrass, country and gospel music. Y'all come for lots of toe-tapping music.

See you Saturday in Desdemona.

Thank You

We are very humble at the outpouring of Love that was expressed at Plaintiff's Petition filed in said our 50th Wedding Anniversary party. Thanks for all the cards, telephone calls, gifts and expressions of Love in coming by to say congratulations.

To our children we thank you for such a wonderful party.

God has been good to us in these 50 years. Three wonderful children - Gary, Kelly and Scott, our wonderful daughter-in-laws, Sammye and Plaintiff, vs. Gilda De Ann Massey Caye, 7 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

God Bless You All. -- Donnie and Nelda

Happenings At First Baptist Church

Another beautiful spring day, and another holiday. This time it is Fathers Day. "Father, There Goes Another Sparrow" the subject of Bro. Barry's sermon. Matt. 10:29-31. When one sparrow falls, our Father knows. Falling sparrows are not punishment for our sins; we live under the rule of Grace. The Cross changed everything. The Father helps us bear our burdens and we can triumph over tragedy. He is always there to help us when trouble comes our way.

return as the law directs.

Witness, KAREN L. MOORE, Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007.

(s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk (SEAL) 91st District Clerk Eastland County, Texas

By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy **CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Gilda De Ann Massey Stanbery, Elvin Rex Gray, Howard Calloway, Lucille Keithly, C. M. Seabourn, Norma Jean Seabourn and/or Jennifer Seabourn, Martha C. Womack, Willie Alma Pye and devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said Gilda De Ann Massey Stanbery, Elvin Rex Gray, Howard Calloway, Lucille Keithly, C. M. Seabourn, Norma Jean Seabourn and/or Jennifer Seabourn, Martha C. Womack, Willie Alma Pye, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of Carol Pell forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, in this cause, numbered CV0740829, on the docket of said court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Stanbery, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the natureof this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interestsowned by the Defendants in the following described land:



unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficia-Issued and given under my hand ries, successors and/or assigns of the said RAYMOND AND SHIRLEY BOYD, Greeting:

> YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, in this cause, numbered CV0740828, on the docket of said court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Plaintiff, vs. RAYMOND AND SHIRLEY BOYD, et al Defendants. A brief statement of the nature

of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

NW/4 Section 6, Block 3, H & TC RY Co., Survey A-263 (160 acres).

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, KAREN L. MOORE. Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007.

(s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk 91st District Clerk (SEAL) Eastland County, Texas By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

SW/4 Section 6, Block 3, H & TC Ry Co., Survey A-1597 (168 acres). If this citation is not served

SHIRLEY BOYD and each of the Block 3, H & TC Ry. Co. Survey, A-812.

> If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

> The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

> Witness, KAREN L. MOORE, Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007.

(s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk 91st District Clerk (SEAL) Eastland County, Texas

By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: B. F. Turner, J. C. Wear, Jr., robert H. Wear, Curtis R. Griffin, Dr. Jeffrey Griffin, Thomas L. Griffin, E.T. Hart (Hart Oil Corp.) Callie Ward DeKoster and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said B. F. Turner, J. C. Wear, Jr., robert H. Wear, Curtis R. Griffin, Dr. Jeffrey Griffin, Thomas L. Griffin, E.T. Hart (Hart Oil Corp.) Callie Ward DeKoster Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, in this cause, numbered CV0740823, on the docket of said court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Plaintiff, vs. B. F. Turner, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Sonia I. Bear, or Alberta Simms, Cynthia Pendleton, Lizzie Mounce and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns of the said Sonia I. Bear, or Alberta Simms, Cynthia Pendleton, Lizzie Mounce, Greeting:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) **ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to** appear before the 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of July, A.D., 2007, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of May, 2007, in this cause, numbered CV0740824, on the docket of said court and styled MyClymon, LTD, Plaintiff, vs. Sonia I. Bear, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit Petition for appointment of receiver under Article 64.091, Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, to execute an oil and gas lease on the oil and gas land mineral interests owned by the Defendants in the following described land:

S/2 NW/4 Section 25, Block 3, H & TC Ry. Co. Survey, A-271 (80 acres).

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, KAREN L. MOORE, Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007. (s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk 91st District Clerk (SEAL) Eastland County, Texas By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

Youth plan a trip to Six Flags on June 19. Girl and Boys Mission Camp (Grades 1-6 completed) on July 4-7. Youth Camp (7-12 grade completed) Deposit and Registration due by July 2. WOM meeting at 9:30 a.m. on June 25. Also we will have baptism next Sunday moring.

The Messengers will be singing at the Proctor Baptist Church at 7 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and Sunday morning service.

Wedding Anniversary Celebrating 50 years was held at the Fellowship Hall on Sunday afternoon honoring Donnie and Nelda Mauney. Their children hosted the event.

Children's Musical Theatre Camp June 18 - 23 - 10:00 AM to 2:30 PM

Ages 1st - 112th grade Stephenville, Texas Call Cross Timbers Fine Arts Council for details 254.965.6190 or email ctfac@our-town.com

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Witness, KAREN L. MOORE, Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May, A.D. 2007.

(s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk 91st District Clerk (SEAL) Eastland County, Texas By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

S/2 NW/4 Section 25, Block 3, H & TC Ry. Co. Survey, A-271 (80 acres).

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The officer executing this writ A.D. 2007. shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, KAREN L. MOORE, Clerk of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 31st day of May,

(s) Karen L. Moore, Clerk 91st District Clerk (SEAL) Eastland County, Texas By (s) Linda Merony, Deputy

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THE GORMAN PROGRESS

Heritage Manor News By Ina Smith

We hope everyone had a wonderful Father's Day. On Friday we honored our Fathers with a Root Beer Float social. Everyone shared some things about their father. We recognized our oldest and youngest fathers as well as the one with the most children .All fathers were presented with a gift from Heritage Manor.

Thursday was Flag Day. At noon everyone was presented with a small USA Flag. That afternoon we started off our activity with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the National Anthem then we discussed some facts about the flag. Did you know the flag has been changed 26 times? The last change was made after Hawaii was admitted into the Union in 1959.

Do you know what a vexillogist is? It is someone who is an expert on the history of the flag. We also learned that the flag is only flown over the White House when the President is in Washington, D.C.; it is not displayed when the President is out of town. It is always good to learn something new.

We will have our monthly birthday party on Monday June 25th following our 2:30 gospel singing. Those having birthdays this month are T.D. Whitehorn, Lottie Morris and Myrtle Davidson.

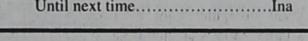
On Sunday, Patty and T.D. Whitehorn's family came and brought lunch and a birthday cake in honor of Father's Day and T.D.'s 90th birthday.

Jeanna Pack of Carbon came and took Imogene home with her and they made jelly and cucumber relish. Visiting with Ima Boles were Bill and Lois Ann Boles of Granbury. Visiting with Lavona Sharp were Jerry Majors and Lynden and Frankie Jo Shipman.

LaVerne and Tommy Carr of Whitney came and took Troy Scitern out to the farm. They also visited with Johnny and JoAnn Scitern. Keri, Kelsi and Nashton Guthery came and visited Troy.

Becky Moore of DeLeon came and visited her mom, Mildred Addy. Larry Barnett of Wylie came and visited with his dad, Arvel Barnett and attended the Father's Day Social. Freddie Rodgers visited with Don Estes.

Visiting with Jelma Smith were Jeff Smith of Eastland, Donald and Pam Smith of Granbury and Johnny and Ina Smith.





Desdemona Monthly Musical will be held on Saturday, June 23 at the Community Center School Building. The concession stand will open at ment. 5:30 p.m. serving sandwiches, homemade pie and drinks. Come early to enjoy supper and have great fellowship with all of the group before the music program begins at 6 p.m. All area musicians, singers and visitors are invited to attend. Bring your friends and neighbors to enjoy the good Country and Western music combined with some Bluegrass music and Gospel singing. Admission is "FREE". "Congratulations" to Neil and Mary Beth Pack as they celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Saturday, June 16, 2007. The anniversary reception was held at the Stockyards Hotel in Fort Worth hosted by their sons, Brett Pack, Keith Pack, Kevin Pack and their families. Neil attended school in Desdemona and graduated with the Class of 1950. "Shorty" Fox, Larry and Guy Moore of Desdemona; Bruce and Renee White, Chelsea and Cory of Stephenville; Paul and Susan Moore, Hagan and Scarlett of Stephenville enjoyed a picnic on Father's Day at the Dublin City Park.



JUNE 21, 2007

DUBLIN

The Gorman City Commission met on the above date. Those present were Mayor Robert Ervin, Commissioners Nathan Files and Joe Casey. Absent were Don Underwood and Charlie Torrez. Others present were Billy Carson, Frank Shirley, and Barbara Fenley.

Joe led the opening prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and the Texas Pledge.

Mayor Ervin called the meeting to order @ 6:05 p.m.

Joe made the motion to approve the minutes of the previous meetings. Nathan made a second. Motion carried.

Nathan made the motion to approve the hills for payment with a second from Joe. Motion carried.

There was discussion about the back hoe. Nathan had talked with Hendershot Equipment, Stephenville, and they were going to come get the back hoe and would get an estimate soon.

Mr. Shirley was present to express his feelings about noise in his neighborhood on Tuesday nights.

Reports were submitted by department heads.

Joe made the motion to accept the resignation of Debra Clark. Debra has worked here for nearly 21 years. Nathan made a second. Motion carried.

Robert presented the annual audit proposal from Cameron Gulley. Nathan made the motion to accept with a second from Joe. Motion carried.

Nathan made the motion to retain attorney Bill Hart to represent the City on obtaining the Key Estate Property. Joe made a second. Motion carried. This property makes up a lot of the City Park area. The owners/heirs have not kept the property up for more than 25 years. The City has been responsible for all of the up keep.

Tacy read the first reading of Ordinance #2007-03, Denying Atmos Energy 's request for an annual gas reliability infrastructure rate adjust-

Saturday, July 7, 2006 (No Sale Friday, July 6) 1:00 P.M. Expecting 1000 - 1200 Head

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Bred Cows - Pairs - Young Bulls - All Cattle Will Be Aged -

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LIVESTOCK AUCTION

"It's A Girl"

"Congratulations" to Rusty and Samantha Duke of Desdemona on the arrival of their baby girl, Cadence Lynn. She was born on Friday, June 15, 2007 at the Harris Methodist Hospital in Stephenville, Texas, weighing 6 lbs. 13 ounces.

Grandparents are Gregg and Cathy Goode of Gorman and Rebecca Park of De Leon. Great grandparents are Deverl and Etna Goode of Cross Plains; Ina Mae Stewart of Lubbock; Ellen Parker of Gorman and Rudolph and Betty Duke of Desdemona.

Ronda James and daughter, Emily of Whitney; Risa Ashley of Waxachaxie visited Father's Day with their parents, Rudolph and Betty Duke in Desdemona.

John Fair spent the past weekend in Temple where he received daily chemo treatments at the V.A. Hospital. His wife, Karen was with him during this time. Get Well wishes to John from family and friends in this area.

Roy Powledge spent the past week with his friends on a "deep sea" fishing trip. He reported a good time.

Lee and Sonja Hornback and son, Justin spent their vacation on a fishing trip near Lampasas.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of George Bagley. He was buried on Thursday, June 14 in the Desdemona Cemetery. His daughter, Pat Koonce and husband Scotty and their family live south of Desdemona.

Friends in Desdemona sends Get Well Wishes to Eddie Lindley and Bobby Baker. They are at home now recovering from recent surgery. Both men were in the Baylor Hospital at the same time.

Remember the sick and shut-ins of our community with your cards and prayers. A "Cheer-Up" card can brighten their day.

Thought for today - "The difference between a genius and stupidity is that a genius has its' limits."

Please contact this reporter with your weekly news. Your help will be appreciated. Thanks and have a nice day, Coon.

4-H News

STEER VALIDATION

Steers to be exhibited in 2007-2008 at Eastland County Show or any major stock show in Texas MUST be validated on June 26, 2007 beginning at 8:30 a.m. sharp. Steer validation will be held at the Moylan Steer Barn on Highway 301 ... 2 1/2 miles north of Eastland.

Validation fee will be \$10.00 per steer. This will be the only day to validate steers in Eastland County. Call Dale Dunlap, County Extension Agent-Ag, if you have any questions.

MARKET LAMB AND GOAT VALIDATION

Joe made the motion, with great hesitation, to agree to accept the lesser rate increase of Allied / BFI rates. Nathan made a second. Motion carried.

After hiring Mr. Scott Perry he worked one day and has not returned . since.

Weather permitting Splash Day will be Saturday June 9, 2007.

There being no further business for discussion. Nathan made the motion to adjourn with a second from Joe. Time was 7:15 p.m.





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In 2007 all market barrows, lambs and goats have to be validated for the State Fair in Dallas. Validation for State Fair animals will be held Tuesday, June 26th at 11:00 a.m. until 12 Noon at the County Show Barn in Eastland. This will be the only day to validate for Dallas.

4-H Star Award Judging, Record Books, Project Forms, Etc. Due

4-H Star Award Judging (Gold Star, Silver Star and Bronze Star, or I DARE YOU) will be held on Thursday, June 28th at 9 a.m. in the Courthouse Conference Room. You may beging setting up your display at 8:00 a.m. Also due on Thursday, June 28th are 4-H Record Books, Project Forms, Rookie, All-Star, Letterman, Honor Roll Forms, 4-H Scrapbooks, All-Around 4-Her Award. These are the forms that you turn in in order to get certificates at the 4-H Banquet.

If you have any questions, please call the Texas Cooperative Extension Office at 254-629-1093 or 629-2222.



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