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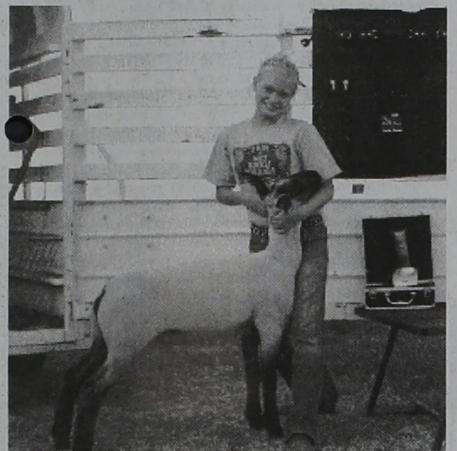
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MADISON WARREN SHOWS AT THE TJLA BELT BUCKLE BONANZA



Madison Warren spent the 4th of July in Waco at the Belt Buckle Bonanza, The "Granddaddy of the jackpot shows". Madison showed lambs both on Friday and Saturday, placing lambs each day. Also on Friday she was Champion Junior Showmanship. She received an embroidered clothes bag and set of Oster clippers. Madison is a member of the Texas Junior Livestock Association.

They're Here!! "Recipes and Remembrances" Rebel Inspired, 500 recipes with notes and stories. Many dating back to the 1800's. The local order of the Confederate Rose, Cactus Rose Chapter 23, compiled the book for the SCV Camp 1904. Price is \$ 20 each. More info inside this issue of the progress.

hank You!!

I would like to Thank so many people for their support during the Miss Gorman competition. It is truly a Community Event and could not have been possible without the tremendous backing

of everyone in you first of all man Chamber of sponsoring me. I to have been and privileged to in the upcoming you to everyone hamburbger purchased cakes bake sales, to money in the businesses and to raffle tickets. A you to my friends with me to sell sat with me at who helped with friendship. my parents, my my family who



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hard helping to get everything ready for all the fund raising events it were held. Most of all, thank you to this Community who not ly supported me but all the Miss and Little Miss contestants. The Miss Gorman competition taught me community involvement and in return it gives so much back to our town. I was so excited to represent Gorman in 1997 as Little Miss Gorman and I look forward once again in having that honor, as your 2008-2009 Miss Gorman.

> Thank You! Kimi Seaton, Miss Gorman

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"The Redeemed" travel and sing Country Gospel Music. The Redeemed sing almost every weekend some where in Texas or Louisiana.

The Redeemed will be singing in the area in Desdemona, Texas. If you live in the area or just passing through just come on out if you have never heard this Group, now is your chance. The fun will begin at 5:30 with visiting, volleyball, horseshoes, and then the goodies will start at singing at around 7:00 p.m. Dr. Dan and The Bandaide will also be singing that night. The admission will be FREE so bring the whole family. The Redeemed was formed in October of 2006 as a ministry to present the gospel of Jesus Christ through Southern Gospel Music.

We began our ministry singing in Local churches, but God had a plan. We began traveling on many pathways the Lord laid out before us. Now we travel all across Texas and Louisiana. The Redeemed minister in their local Community as well as other states. We have been on several radio stations and have been on TV on Channel 17 - Gods Learning Channel

The Redeemed members are Sherry Elmore, Tim Elmore, Karan Hail, Lee Hail, Bonnie Williams and Elton McCoy. If you see one of these groups members ask them about their Country Gospel Music Group.

They recorded their first CD in 2007 and entitled it, "At recorded their second CD in 2008 and entitled it, "Redeemed".

For more information or to reserve you a seat - call

'The Redeemed' Camp On The Road At Gorman FUMC



The Gorman Methodist Church partnered with Abundant Life Impact Ministries and Glen Lake Camp and Retreat Center to bring the camp experience to Gorman.

The children had an opportunity for Bible stories, worship, recreation, arts and crafts, and tons of fun during the 3 day camp experience. The camp was open to all kids in 1st through 6th grade.

We want to thank directors and all the counselors from Glen Lake for all the hard work in putting on a great camp here in Gorman.

Texas Star Gardeners Learn **About Roses in the Texas Landscape**

Roses in the Texas Landscape was the topic of the program by Patsy Clark at a recent meeting of the Texas Star Gardeners. The event was hosted by Patsy and her mother, Lavelle Crawley of Gorman and included tours of their properties. The presentation featured the use of native plant materials for lawns and gardens from her own experience with references from author and Horticulturist Neil Sperry, well known gardening expert. Information included the advantages of the various types of roses in the home landscape. She also spoke from information developed by Dr. William Welch, Professor and Extension Horti culturist. Caro Boswell also presented each Home With Redeemed". They attendee information on "own-root propagation" for the older native

> The next program for the Texas Star Gardeners will be held on Thursday, July 17 at 10:00AM at the home of Deann Powell, 318 South Third Street in Gorman. All interested persons are welcome.



Seated, L-R: Mary Kirk, Linda Gibbs, Betty Huff, Lavelle Crowley, Caro Boswell, Joy Rogers. Standing, L-R: Elaine Pogue, Karen Guthrie, Sandra Osbourne, Kathi Williams, Deann Powell, Patsy Clark, Gail Clayton and Kay Craddock. Not pictured, Carolyn Gilbert.

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Durward Webb Honored With Surprise Birthday Party Durward Webb was honored with a surprise 80th birthday party on Saturday, June 28 at the home of Donald and Marcia Hale of Carbon.

A barbeque lunch was served along with a birthday cake by Marcia's Creations, made by Marcia Hale, and other desserts made by his granddaughters. He was presented with a scrapbook of his life, made by his daughters. His grandchildren honored him with DQ coffee money for a year and the great grandchildren gave him a huge coffee mug. Other meaningful gifts were also given. The family enjoyed a "Papa" trivial game, created by his grandsons, where it was learned by all in attendance that the family doesn't know as much about him as first thought. All his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren attended. In attendance were Donald, Marcia and Brandon Hale of Carbon; Leisa Jobe of Athens; Durward and Shelia Webb of Fort Worth; Scott, Stephanie and Nate Catoe of Fort Worth; Chris, Susan and Carson Webb of Houston; Travis, Melissa and Trevor Walston of Fort Worth; Dan and Sarah Webb of Granbury; a niece, Claudia and Leah Lovett of Abilene and a special guest Durward's sister, Bobbie Lovett of Abilene.

VBS!! July 14 thu 18 - 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

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Proceeds from Sales will be used by the local Sons of Confederate Veterans for the Gary Clayton Scholarship Fund and Civil War Memorials. Cory Clark of Gorman was the recipent of this year's \$500 Scholarship.

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Gorman City Minutes

JULY 3, 2008

The Gorman City Commission met on the above date. Those present were Mayor Robert Ervin, Commissioners Nathan Files, Charlie Torrez, and Cliffa Vaughn. Joe Casey was late arriving. Others present were Emmett Lasater, Glenn Scitern, Barbara Fenley, and Josh Nichols.

Mayor Ervin called the meeting to order @ 5:45 p.m. Cliffa made the motion to approve the minutes as read. Charlie made a second. Motion carried 3-0.

Charlie made the motion to approve the bills for payment. Nathan made a second. Motion carried 3-0.

No one was present under citizens In Put.

Under new and old business for all costs of surveying and deed, Billy and Sherry Thornton can have the easement / alley way between their property and the Inspection Service. Robert spoke to Darrell @ the Inspection Service and they were not interested in gaining their ½ of the alley way.

Josh Nichols was present to meet the Commission. He is a possible candidate to go to the Police academy. The City is considering paying the cost to put him through the academy, with the stipulation that he will sign a contract to stay with the City for no less than three years. There will be more details and information needed before this is final.

No action on quitclaim deed on Hall and Scurry.

At 6:25 p.m. Nathan made the motion to go into Executive session. Joe made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

At 6:55 p.m. Nathan made the motion to adjourn from Executive session and return to Regular Open session. Joe made a second. Motion carried 4-0.

There being no further business for discussion, Cliffa made the motion to adjourn with a second from Charlie, motion carried, time was 7:00 p.m.

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613 A, 3-2 Brick Home, carport, barn, wells & tanks, creek

& hunting, partial minerals & royalities \$2,025,000 [wwo2] 455 A, wells & tanks, creek, tree covered hills, wildlife cover, hunting, Hwy.6 frontage \$1,912,000 (RSO1) 320±A, on Turkey Creek, FM 2247 frontage, spring creek

wildlife cover, tanks, well, hunting, minerals \$880,000 [ET01] 250±A, on Copperas Creek, 150 wooded, 100 coastal, lake, cabin, rural water \$850,000 REDUCED \$795,000 [LB01] 243 A, reservoir & wells, irrigation pit, highway frontage, cultivation, costal, native pasture \$2,500 per acre [ABO1] 236± A, wells & tanks, rolling terrain, minerals available,

hunting \$2,195 per acre [DS02] - UNDER CONTRACT 231 A, on Leon River, wells, pecan trees, hunting, minerals available \$751,530 REDUCED \$665,280 [DK01]

150 A, rolling terrain, minerals \$442,500 [LOO1] - SOLD 100 A, approx. 95 A of costal, 5 A wooded, Located about /2 mile off Hwy.36 \$275,000 [JW01] - <u>SOLD</u>

90 A, 4-3 Brick Home, fireplace, game room, RV shed, well & tank, minerals neg. \$392,500 [BE01] - UNDER CONTRACT 81 A, Pecan Orchard, approx. 900 improved variety trees, underground drip irrigation, 9 wells \$405,000 [REMO1]

52 A, 4-3 Brick Home, carport, wells & tanks, corrals, barns \$250,000 REDUCED \$239,500 [LP01] 51 A, with highway frontage, spring creek and hunting 182,000 [RP01]

45 A, 7 irrigation wells & pit, buried mainline w/risers, mineral available \$2,750 per Acre [NF01]

30 A, 3-21/2 Custom Built Home, garage, porch, RV shed & shop, barn, wells & tanks, Hwy.16 frontage \$450,000 [DB01] 25.6 A, 4-21/2 Brick Home, garage, carport, storage buildings, water well & tanks \$210,000 [JB03]

24.5 A, on Flat Creek, with water well, native pasture, close to highway \$98,000 [MP01] - SOLD 20 A, excellent home site, costal, rural water supply

available, hunting, minerals negotiable \$75,000 [WMO1] 15±A, 3-2 Double Wide, water well, carport, covered porch, storage buildings, near Proctor Lake \$115,000 [LR02]

8.6 A, 3-2 Frame Home, water well, above ground pool with deck, horse barn \$129,900 [KI01] 81/2 A, 3-2 Metal Frame Home, near Lake Proctor, shop, wells,

underground sprinkler \$265,000 REDUCED \$235,000 [JT02 5 A, 4-2 Brick Home, metal roof, carport, storage buildings, pecan trees, wells & tanks \$120,000 [WK01] RESIDENCES & HOME SITES

3-21/2 Custom Brick Home, approx. 1.4 acre, 3 car garage, rural water, paved drive, storage building \$297,500 [DVLO1] 4.73 A w/4-3 Remodeled Brick Home, additional recreational room, water well \$149,900 [RH02]

3-2 Double Wide, screened porch, workshop, wells, 2 large lots and older frame home \$135,000 [JA02] 3-2 Frame Home, 2.5 Acres, wood burning stove, carport, rural water, well, shop \$137,500 REDUCED \$99,900 [cco3]

2-11/2 Frame Home, garage, storage building \$75,000 [ST01] 3-2 Doublewide, 2/car carport, on 3+ lots \$70,000 [LK01] 2-1 Frame Home, 2.3 A, screened porch \$55,000 [GB02] ...

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NEW: Desdemona, 66.98A., great deer/turkey hunting, 1/2 heavily wooded creek bottom 50' elev. Change. Nice creek, excellent location for a lake. Good recreational place \$4,250.00 per A.

tion, large trees. \$59,900.

NEW: Gorman 12A., more or less, CR frontage, pond, mesquite cover. \$2,500 A. 15A north of Gorman: Sandy land, 2 water wells, county road on 2 sides, nice location for pond. \$3,000A.

NEW: 17A N/E Gorman, 10A wooded, nice large oak trees, electric meter, country location, great place for a new home! \$3,500 A. NEW: 38 A M/L south Gorman: Fronts FM 679, about 10 A. large Pecan Trees,

nice location for pond, good fences, sandy land. \$2,500 Acre 40 A m/l, south Gorman, pasture, fenced, small cabin, water well, small pond,

elec., sandy soil, paved road. \$2,750 acre. NEW: 77A Sipe Springs, deer, turkey & 2 stocked ponds, Live and Post Oak, mineral rights: Insulated 30x40 steel Bldg., a/C, 7 living quarters. Nice Getaway! \$3,250 A.

49.83 A. west Gorman, large etc., an editional pilding spots, country water/elec. available, fenced, ponds, barnicoral, great nuning, pretty place! \$2,900 ACRE NEW: 80A s/e Gorman, app. 30 a coastal, 7 - 8 wells, reservoir, good fences, elec., good soil, nice pond site. Will Divide \$2,500 per 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. \$2,950.00 A. NEW: 156 A. Carbon, 1/2 wooded - 1/2 fields, deer, turkey, 3 ponds, nice 2 - 2 mh, central a/C, barn, corral, county water. \$4,000 acre.

179 A. south of Gorman: Part wooded, part old fields, deer & hogs, 2 nice ponds, sandy soil, elec., several water wells, condition is unknown. \$2,350.00

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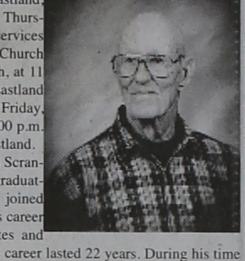
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George Brittian Hull

EASTLAND - George Brittian (George B.) Hull, 87, of Eastland, joined the angels in heaven on Thursday, July 03, 2008. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Eastland on Saturday, July 6th, at 11 a.m. Burial followed in the Eastland City Cemetery. Visitation was Friday, July 4th, from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Edwards Funeral Home in Eastland.

George B. was born in Scranton, TX on May 1, 1921. After graduating from school in Scranton he joined the military and began a glorious career that would take him to 48 states and



across the ocean to England. His career lasted 22 years. During his time in the service George B. would be honorably discharged 6 times and receive 7 commendations. He was first stationed at Ft. Wolters in Mineral Wells, TX and soon moved to Rhode Island; from there he was taken to England. His primary job was to unload the bombs being used in the war. He was married to Ada Levine in 1945 in England. After the war he was brought back to New Mexico and soon moved to Dallas where he worked as a concrete contractor for several years. He eventually moved back to Eastland and worked for Texas Electric for 32 years. George B. was a man of God, a good man, who stated that his

word was his bond along with his name and a handshake. He was a member of the Mangum Baptist Church for 55 years. He helped build Lake Leon Baptist and Gunsight Baptist church. He was licensed to preach at Midway Baptist Church in the 1950's. His kindness and generosity was known to all who knew him. He was an avid collector of arrowhe barbed wire and date nails. His collections and life in the service been a subject for many a high school student to write about, sit and listen with admiration and amazement.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Memphis Lee and Carrie Horn Hull and 2 brothers, Ben and Sam Hull.

Survivors include his wife of 32 years, Wanda Hull; children, Rosemary Graham & Stuart of Waterlooville, Hampshire, England, Carol Brittain of Eastland, Garrett (Tater) Webb & wife Tina of Weatherford. Don Hull & wife Ruby of Gorman, Thomas Hull & wife Virginia of Blanket; step-children, Sue Henderson of Houston, Bill Angus & wife Edna of Houston, Jean Bowen & husband Don of Carrollton; grandchildren, Megan and Trent Brittain of Eastland, Nicole Webb of Eastland, Amy Lopez & husband Ray of Ranger, James and Lonnie Hull Doyle of Temple, Ralph & Becky Hull Battreal of Kempner, Kenneth & Michelle Hull of Blanket, Heather Hindmarsh and Sharon Higgins, both of Hampshire, England; great-grandchildren, Kelton Webb of Eastland, Taylor Ovalle and Kaylynn Lopez both of Ranger, Matthew and Christina Doyle of Mexia, Daniel Doyle of Temple, Amber and Brandon Hull of Brownwood, Tracy Hull of Blanket, Leon & Jason Hindmarsh and Rebecca & John Higgins all of Hampshire, England.

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Location: 119 W. Roberts

Time: Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 11:30-1:00 each day Everyone is welcome, it is primarily for high school teens down to toddlers but anyone needing a lunch is welcome. This program will run through the duration of the summer.

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The students are all between the ages of 15 and 18 years, are English-speaking, have their own spending money, carry accident and health insurance, and are anxious to share their cultural experiences with their new American families. Pacific Intercultural Exchange currently has programs to match almost every family's needs, ranging in length from a semester to a full academic year, where the students attend local high schools.

P.I.E. area representatives match students with host families by finding common interests and lifestyles through an informal in-home meeting Prospective host families are able to review student applications and select the perfect match. As there are no "typical" host families, P.I.E. can fit student into just about any situation, whether it is a single parent, a childless couple, a retired couple or a large family. Families who host for P.I.E. are also eligible to claim a \$50.00 per month charitable contribution deduction on their itemized tax returns for each month they host a sponsored student

For the upcoming programs, P.I.E. has students from Germany, the Former Soviet Republics, Venezuela, Brazil, Korea, Mexico, China and many other countries. P.I.E. is also participating in two special government-funded programs to bring scholarship students from the newly independent states of the former Soviet Union as well as predominantly Islamic countries such as Yemen, Syria, Jordan, Morocco, Kuwait, Irag and Qatar to the United States. P.I.E. is a non-profit educational organization that has sponsored more than 25,000 students from 45 countries since its founding in 1975 The organization is designated by the United States Department of State and is listed by the Council on Standards for International Educational Trave (CSIET), certifying that the organization complies with the standards set forth in CSIET's Standards for International Educational Travel Programs.

P.I.E. Executive Director John Doty encourages families to contact the program immediately, as it will allow the proper time for the students and hosts to get to know one another before they actually meet for the first time

Area families interested in learning more about student exchange or arranging for a meeting with a community representative may call P.I.E. toll-free at 1-888-PIE-USA1. The agency also has travel/study abroad program opportunities for American high school students as well as possibilities for community volunteers to assist and work with area host families, students and school.

Accepting Bids

Gorman ISD is currently accepting bids for fuel and fuel products for the 2008-2009 school year. All bid proposals are due in the superintendent's office by 3:00 pm July 14, 2008.

Gorman ISD is currently accepting bids for the milk products for the 2008-2009 school year. All bids for milk products are due in my office by July 14, 2008.

> Gorman ISD Attn: David K. Perry P. O. Box 8 Gorman, TX 76454

If you have questions concerning the bidding process or products required, please contact the superintendent's office.

TSU Spring

Commencement Held

Tarleton State University's Spring Commencement was held May 9-10, 2008. The following undergraduate students have satisfactory met the university's requirements for their individual degree programs and have been awarded their diplomas.

Desdemona

Romelia Escobar Garcia, BS in Mathematics

Gorman

Lacy Nicole Howard, BA in English Margarito Sanchez, BBA in Interdisciplinary Business

EASTLAND COUNTY ELECTED OFFICIALS 09 BUDGETED SALARIES

SALARY INCREASES FOR ELECTED EASTLAND COUNTY OFFICIALS FOR THE

	CURRENT	MILEAGE	CELL PHONE	2009	2007 MILEAGE	CELL PHONE .	
OFFICE HELD	SALARY	ALLOWANCE	ALLOWANCE	BUDGET	ALLOWANCE	ALLOWANCE	INCREASE
COUNTY JUDGE ¹	78,739.59			78591.78			1852.19
COUNTY CLERK '	32,432.02			33404.98			972.98
DISTRICT CLERK	32,432.02			33404.98			972.9
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PCT. #1	32.432.02	1,800.00		33404.98	2100.00		1272.96
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PCT. #2	32,432.02	1,800.00		33404.98	2100 00		1272.96
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PCT. #4	32,432.02	1,800.00		33404.98	2100.00		1272.90
COUNTY TREASURER	32,432.02			33404.98			972.96
TAX ASSESSOR	32.432.02			33404.98			972.96
COUNTY SHERIFF	36,684.48		468.00	37785.01		468.00	1100.53
CONSTABLE PCT. #1	18,179.59	4,000.00	*	18724.98	6000.00		2545.31
CONSTABLE PCT, #2	10.827.29	2,500.00		11152.11	3000.00		824.8
CONSTABLE PCT. #4	10,827.29	1,650.00		11152 11	1650.00		324,83
COMMISSIONER PCT. #1	32,432.02			33404.98			972.90
COMMISSIONER PCT. #2	32,432.02			33404.98			972.9
COMMISSIONER PCT. #3	32,432.02			33404.98			972.96
COMMISSIONER PCT. #4	32,432.02			33404.98			972.96

Food

(NU) - Here is one U.S. Farm-Raised Catfish recipe that will make a grilled dish better than anything that comes on a bun:

Grilled Catfish Over Mixed Greens -- Serves Four

4 U.S. Farm-Raised Catfish fillets (4-6 oz each) 1 1/2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar

1/2 teaspoon salt

4 cups mixed salad greens, washed and dried

1/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil 3 teaspoons dried tarragon

1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper 4 ounces white mushrooms, thinly sliced

Place fillets on a shallow plate. Mix olive oil, vinegar, tarragon, salt and pepper in a small bowl until well blended. Pour two-thirds of the marinade over the Catfish. Cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate for 30 minutes to marinate. Reserve the remaining marinade to use as salad dressing.

Prepare a grill or preheat the broiler to 500 degrees Fahrenheit. Place Catfish fillets on an oiled grill rack or broiler pan rack. Grill or broil four inches from the heat source for two to three minutes on

each side or until fish flakes easily. Remove and allow to cool slightly. Serve warm. Toss salad greens, mushrooms and the reserved marinade in a large bowl. Top with grilled Catfish. In the time it takes to read this ad, we can precisely scan your heart.



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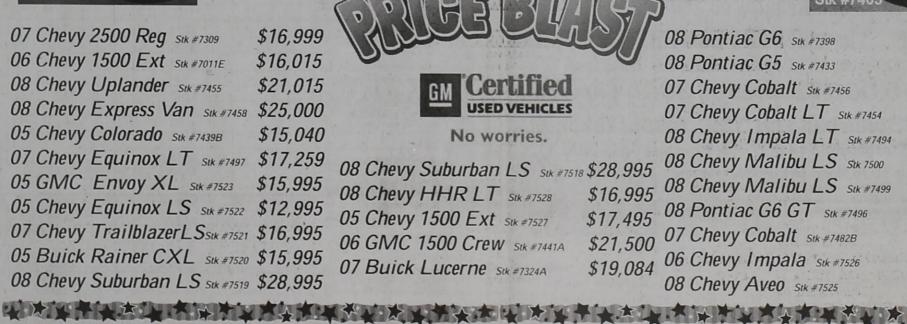
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07 Chevy Cobalt Stk #7456	\$14,230
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08 Chevy Impala LT SIK #7494	\$17,354
08 Chevy Malibu LS SIK 7500	\$16,284
08 Chevy Malibu LS Sik #7499	\$16,209
08 Pontiac G6 GT SIK #7496	\$19,229
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03 Chevy 1500 Reg SIK #7368A	\$11,950	01 Chevy Suburban SIK #7380A		02 Buick Lesabre SIK #7445A	\$6,970
05 Cadillac CTS Stk #7495	\$22,059	03 Ford Windstar SIK #7404A	\$5,610	06 Pontiac Grand Prix Stk #7452A	\$9,335
05 Chevy 1500 Crew Suk #7373B	\$18,274			ALL PRICES	S PLUS TT&L

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Senior Citizens News By Carol Ward

We had a nice gathering of 30 people again on the 2nd of July for our weekly dinner. Our meeting is held every Wednesday at 11:30 and we all bring a dish or \$3.00 dollars. Bro. Frank Shirley gave the blessing for us all. It was so good to see him and Beth again looking well. She had been to M.D. Anderson and received a good report. We do miss them when not here.

The Medway Home Health ladies were here to check our BP and BS from De Leon. We surely do appreciate them for doing us this favor. They come every 1st Wednesday of the month. I neglected to get their names, must remember next month. Thanks ladies for being here and stay and eat next time.

We all signed a card for Lindon Shipman in the passing of his brother Eldon. It has been a hard year for Lindon, but we have all been there, so can surely sympathise. It so good to see him at our diners and playing games.

Raymond Hattox announced they had moved Frankie Stacy to the Gorman Nursing Home. Those of you can visit more often mow that she is close by. I had never met the Twins but wish I had. Heard many good stories about them here in Gorman.

Winston Brown's brother Gene was here to eat with us and visit. He is from Del Rio, wow, what a hot place! Guess he enjoys living there. It was good to talk and meet with him at our dinner.

I really enjoyed having Lil Brudnak here with us, had been awhile. Hopefully she can return and be with us more often. She is a fun gal and would make a good PR person in her son's office. A smiling face up front.

My family and I traveled to Brownwood on the 5th of July for my Great Grandson's 6th Birthday. He had the works, Pinata, which was fun for the big kids, also cake, ice cream and punch. We also enjoyed a BBQ meal, some brought and some homemade. I can hardly believe that Jaydon Ward is growing so fast and will enter 1st grade this next semester. Time goes by to fast, especially as we age.

We missed several of our regulars at this dinner, Ruthie Porter, Ima Brown, Geraldene Wright, Ann Maxfield and Ann Laminack. Hope to see you next time. If all would come at once we would really have a crowd! I'm still praying that Anne Fay Foster can be back with us someday. She is much improved.

We played games at the Hotel Lobby on the 3rd. There were 16 in attendance! All had a good time. It was good to have Ruth Rodgers with us and Aileen Garrett also. Its a much nicer ambiance than the Center. We played Spinner, 88's and 42. I especially enjoyed playing 42. We really don't get to very often. Bernice Hewson was with us for awhile, then had to go rest. She had Carpel Tunnel surgery the day before, so know her wrist was hurting. Sure would be good if we had that many come every week.

We enjoyed pizza which Ruth brought, also sandwiches, melon and the usual snacks. Really had a good supper for all to enjoy!

Hope all is well and see you next time, Carol.

Happenings At FBC!!

Independence! Our entire service was a fantastic celebration of our Fourth of July Independence Day - One Nation Under God!

Mark your calendars:

July 28th to 31st - Boys and Girls Mission Camp - Camp is near, if God leads you to "Send a Kid to Camp" please bring your donations by our Church Office.

August 2nd – Youth Dept. and Camp Fundraiser – Huge Garage Sale at FBC Gorman.

Bro. Barry opened our service with prayer and announcements.

Kelly Johnson directed the order of service; Corey Clark played Jesus and read from II Chronicles, Aaron Keith played the Soldier and read a poem (What the Pledge of Allegiance Means), lastly JC Whitten played the Disciple and read a poem (What the Christian Flag Means to Me).

Liz Caraway's Children Sermon: For 232 years God has given a special task to children to keep God in America. Liz and the Children led the congregation in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Chil-

Songs and videos stirred our spirits. The congregation sang several songs. Special music was performed by Sammye Mauney (People Need the Lord) and Gary Mauney (God Bless the USA). The videos were as follows:

1) Battle of the Hymn Republic - the Statue of Liberty has never shined brighter, and the Truth Marches On!

2) I Pledge My Allegiance – what the stars and stripes mean.

3) Interview with the Chaplain from the Pentagon after 911 - being a Chaplain is a symbol to allow God to guide direct and lift up Jesus to be glorified.

4) A Few Good Men - all of the service men and women in the congregation were recognized. 5) God in America Again - Jesus gave us the right to freedom. We love this land.

Jesus is our only hope!!! Happy Birthday USA!!! God Bless America!!! Our Worship Service begins at 11:00AM on Sunday mornings - please come and join us! Also, our Worship Service is broadcast on the radio - 88.7FM.

Remember: God loves you like no one else! Email us at fbcgorman@hotmail.com

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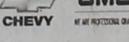
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Desdemona News Desdemona Ladies Monthly Social will be held on Monday, July 14th at The Community

Center School Building. Make plans to arrive by 9 a.m. Visitors are invited to attend.

Jackie Wells of the School Hill Community is having some health problems at this time. Please remember him with your cards and prayers. There are other in our Community on the sick list and they need your prayers too.

This reporter received a recent phone call from a former resident, Calvin Lewis. He attended school in Desdemona. Calvin plans to attend the Annual Homecoming on Saturday, August 9th. Also his sister, Janet Lewis plans to attend Homecoming. Their parents are the late Harlin and Virginia (Rodriquez) Lewis. It is always good to hear from Ex-Students.

Visitors during the weekend with "Humpy" and Betty Duke were Ronda (Duke) James and daughter, Emily of Whitney; Risa (Duke) Ashley of Midlothian; Elise and Katie Duke of Stephenville.

Desdemona Homecoming and School Reunion will be held on Saturday, August 9th at the "Ole School Building". Morning program will begin at 10 a.m. In the School gym. Noon meal will be catered. Contact your former classmates and make plans to attend. Please contact this reporter if you have a change of address at P. O. Box 187, Desdemona, Tx 76445. Invitations will be mailed this coming week and correct addresses are needed. Thank You.

"Wall of Memories" is made of rose colored bricks - each one having names of formers students, parents and friends. This lovely brick wall is placed in the entrance hall of the "Ole" school building. Please contact this reporter to place your order of a Memory Brick (\$30.00 each). Need your orders soon, so they can be placed in the wall before Homecoming, as time is short on this. This reporter printed her brick like this: Vonnie Guthery, "Coon" Keith, Class of 1951.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Eldon Shipman, 82 of Marshall, TX. Services were held June 27, 2008 with burial in Andrews Cemetery. He was born September 4, 1925 to the late Mason and Audella (Hogg) Shipman. Survivors include a sister, Lavonna Sharp of Gorman; two broth ers, Neldon Shipman and wife, Billie of Desdemona; Lindon Shipman of Gorman; three daughters, one son and other family members. The Shipman Family are former residents of Desdemona where all their children attended school.

Have a "Great Day", Vonnie.

Customer Notice

Comanche County Telephone Company, Inc. (the Company) has filed a request with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) seeking approval to implement a minor rate change to the following services: the monthly 1-Party Local Exchange Access Line rates for residence and business customers; the business Rotary Service and PBX Trunk rates; and Directory Assistance Service charges. The Company also proposes to eliminate the (3) three-call monthly allowance for local Directory Assistance calls. In addition, the Company proposes to add a new service description for clarification regarding its Rotary/Multi-Line Hunt Service in Section 5 and offer a new Caller ID Service-Calling Name and Number Delivery in Section 5A, Local Exchange Tariff.

In the Company's Long Distance Message Telecommunications Service Tariff, the intraLATA Operator Service Charges are being increased. In addition, the Company removed the obsolete Service Charges for Operator, Station-to-Station, Collect, Fully Automated, and Billed to Third Number, Fully Automated, that are no longer offered by the Company's Operator Service Provider, as well as, the duplicated Service Charges for local and intraLATA Directory Assistance Service provided for customers in Section 5, Miscellaneous Services, Local Exchange Tariff.

The proposed effective date for the minor rate change is October 1, 2008 for all exchanges served by the Company. The estimated annual revenue increase recognized by the Company is \$79,199.58 for the first year of service, which is 2.56% of the Company's gross annual intrastate

Current and proposed rates are:

Local Excha	ange Tariff		
Residence Monthly Access Line Rates - Section 1	Current Rates	Proposed Rates	
All Exchanges - 1 Party	\$10.56	\$11.60	
Business Monthly Access Line Rates - Section 1	410.30	911.52	
All Exchanges - 1 Party	\$15.51	\$17.05	
Rotary Service	\$21.75	\$23.93	
PBX Trunk	\$21.75	\$23.93	
Miscellaneous Services - Section 5	Current Rates	Proposed Rates	
Local and intraf.ATA direct dialed DA	\$0.30	\$1.50	
Local and intraLATA direct dialed DA, alternately billed	\$0.60	\$2.25	
Elimination of 3-free call allowance per month for local and intraLATA DA, direct dialed	\$0.00	\$1,50	

Long Distance Message Telecommunications Service Tariff					
Two-Point OS/DA Service Charges – Section 2	Current Rates	Proposed Rates			
Station-to-Station					
Calling Card					
Non-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.50			
Semi-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.00			
Fully Automated	\$0.40	\$2.50			
Collect					
Non-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.95			
Semi-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.00			
# Fully Automated	\$1.15	\$0.00			
Billed to Third Number	9				
Non-Automated	\$1.15	\$4.95			
Semi-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.95			
# Fully Automated	\$1.15	\$0.00			
Sent Paid					
Non-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.95			
Semi-Automated	\$1.15	\$3.95			
Person-to-Person Service					
Non-Automated	\$2.80	\$8.95			
Semi-Automated	\$2.80	\$8.95			
Other Services					
Line Status Verification	\$1.35	\$6.00			
Busy Interrupt	52.20	\$7.00			

Obsolete services no longer provided by the Company's Operator Services Provider, AT&T Texas Persons with questions or who want more information on this application may contact the Company at 6100 Hwy 16, De Leon, TX 76444 or call (254) 893-2003 during normal business hours. A complete copy of the application is available for inspection at the address listed above. The Commission has assigned Tariff Control Number 35777 to this application. Persons who wish to formally participate in the Commission's proceedings concerning this application, or who wish to express their comments concerning this application should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Office of Customer Protection, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call the Public Utility Commission's Office of Customer Protection at (512) 936-7120 or, toll free, at (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the commission at (512) 936-7136 or reach the Commission's toll free number through Relay Texas at (800) 735-2988.

Requests to participate in the proceedings and comments should reach the Commission no later than August 30, 2008. If the Commission receives a complaint(s) relating to this application signed by the lesser of 5% or 1,500 of the affected local service customers to which this application applies by August 30, 2008, the application will be docketed. The 5% limitation will be calculated based upon the total number of customers of record as of the calendar month preceding the Commission's receipt of the complaint(s).