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The weatherman is cooperating with most of the farmers with sunshine and dryer weather. However some peanut growers are needing moisture to dig their crops or they are having to irrigate to dig. This weather this year has really been crazy. We've had all kinds it seems. It seems as though it has been too wet or too dry, to cold or too hot. A nutty season.

The farmers are reporting short crops this year because of the peanuts not maturing good. Again it first depends on the area you are in. Most are going ahead with harvesting and just getting what they can.

There was a large group of Exes at Homecoming this year. The Exes Association has done a great job of planning and doing everything they could to make the homecoming great for the Exes. We will try to get all the information for the paper. Jake is gone this week, so things are a little (?) out of whack. So if we haven't gotten all the news, etc. in the paper, blame Jake!

The work is nearing completion in the curb and drainage project on Hwy. 6. I hear that there is more work to come and we will have more on this later, but for now the workers are cleaning up the project and laveling the ground around the curbs.

Have received some letters recently. Here they are:

Gatesville is great! We are delighted with our house under 10 minutes to Scott & White Clinic and hospital, Wal Mart, HEB (they are building a new "Super Store"). Miss lots of Gorman folks But medical facilities are wonderful. Sold the Toyota, farm and Fisher St. house.

Peggy Sutton Here's my renewal for the "Progress" for another year! Dorothy J. Ainsworth Santee, Ca-92072

Dear Joe and Employees. We look forward each week of the arrival of the Progress with the ones I correspond when the Progress finishes the news. Some I don't place - really interested in Heritage manor as I have several close friends there - Sept. 1, 1990 was when I left Gorman 6 years - really time has passed so quickly - really have enjoyed being with Gary and Madeline, they are so good to me.

This is Heather's second year at A.M. - Pam has a beautiful Daughter born 8-26.

I think of Gorman so much, was such a wonderful place to live. I couldn't come without all. Love and Best Wishes

Flossie Dear Sir:

Enclosed is my check for \$10.00. Please send me The Gorman Progress for a year or however long the \$10.00 will cover.

My husband and I own some land near Gorman and plan to retire to that area in a few years. I hope The Gorman Progress will keep us up to date on the comings and goings of the area ntil we can be there. Sincerely,

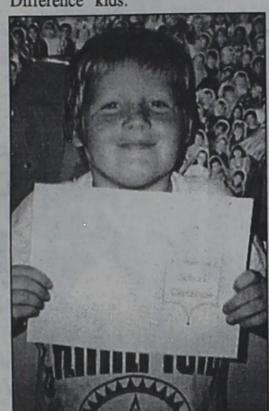
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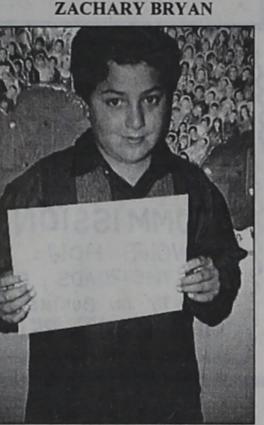
The Panthers are improving week by week and playing some good football. They go to Santa Anna this week in another District 8 A game. So Let's all follow the Panthers to Santa Anna and boost them to a win. Give them all your support.

A lot of folks have been trying to clean up and fix up around their homes. places. This sure does make our city look better to visitors as well as locals. So lets all get busy and clean up around our God Loves You!!

"Make A Difference James New Day" October 26th

October 26th is "Make A Differnce Day." Maxfield Elementary School will be recognizing students who through their kindness to others are "Make A Difference" kids.





JOE LANDA

This six weeks our students chosen were Zachary Bryan and Joe Landa. We will be recognizing "Make A Difference" kids throughout the year.

Who's Who Among Americas Teachers In 1996

Lake Forest, IL-A select group of America's teachers are being honored by their toughest critics...their former students, in the fourth edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers 1996.

All of the 120,000 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, or The National Deans List, publications which recognize 5 % of our nation's high school and college students respectively. Paul Krouse, publisher of Who's Who Among America's Teachers said, "there is no greater honor teachers can receive than to be recognized by their former students for their excellence and dedication. In this publication we clearlt have the best teachers in America selected by the best students".

The students were requested to nominate teachers who "made a difference in their lives" by helping to shape their values, inspiring interest in a particular subject and/or challenging them to strive for excellence. Many of the students commented on the enthusiasm and knowledge their teachers demonstrated in the classroom, and many praised their teachers for their ability to relate to youngsters on a personal as well as a professional level. One student wrote about her teacher saying,"she made education something pleasurable, instead of a dreadful ordeal, by letting me spread my wings and showing me the best way to fly."

Local educators honored in Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996 include.....Eastland--Miears, Judy Brown, Eastland HS, Gorman --Wilson, Vicki Vineyard, Gorman HS

And remember to smile - - because

Candidate For Commissioner



James New, Candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct 3 of Eastland County seeks your support and vote to be elected to that position at the general election on November 5, 1996.

James has been married to Jean, Owner and operator of the Palace Drug store in Rising Star, for 43 years. They have two children, Paula Tatum of Abilene and Jason of Rising Star. They are members of the First Baptist Church where he has served on several committees such as Sunday School Superintendent, Finance Committee and Pulpit Committee and is currently serving on the building and grounds committee, is a Church trustee and asssistant sunday school teacher. He is owner of the Jaden Co. a dirt contracting company which has been in business for 19 years.

James first moved to rising Star in 1943, and graduated from Rising Star High School in 1959. He also graduated from Odessa College in 1959 with a degree of Associate of Science in Business Administration and majored in accounting. He also studied at Howard Payne University for 1 year majoring in accounting and studied business law.

James served in the U.S. Army during the Korean conflict as a radar machanic. His work experience after that included: Assistant branch manager for a large finance co., Warehousing foreman, Office manager and Head of an accounting department. For 10 years prior to moving back to Rising Star he worked as Warehouse foreman for El Paso Products Co. and then as head of Purchasing and Materials Warehousing department for the company that puchased the plant. He left that and went into a partnership in a home building and remodeling co. for about two years before accepting a job in Rock Springs, Wyoming as Office manager administrator. Due to the school situation there he and his family moved back to Rising Star in 1976 when He started the dirt contracting business. He owns a farm in the Sipe Spings area and a small place in East-

James has been interested in local governments for many years and feels the commissioners should work more closely with other factions to help improve Eastland County as a whole and the cities within the county, especially those in their precincts. It is the job of the county commissioners to manage the business and financial affairs of the entire county and not just that of their precinct. It is, however, the responsibility and duty of the precinct commissioner to properly maintain and keep in good repair all county roads and bridges of his particular precinct. With precinct 3 being primarily a rural community and with roads and bridges being one of the largest single items of the county budget they command and deserve to receive the highest priority. James states that the dozer part of his business requires him to travel over many of the county roads and that even though the roads in precinct 3 are of a pretty good repair there is a need for lots of improvement and with his experience with heavy equipment and dirt work for the last 19 years qualifies him for the part of the commissioners job.

With the county budget being

Panthers To Travel To Santa Anna Friday

GAME AT A GLANCE

Lometa Gorman 20 First Downs 48/440 Rushes/Yards 35/49 13 Passing Yards Passes Completed 8 of 19 2 of 7 Interceptions Fumble Lost Punts/Avg. 4 for 19 6/40 Penalties 2/25

The Gorman Panthers thrilled a large homecoming crowd on Friday night as they scored on their first four possessions and never looked back as they downed the Lometa Hornets 52 to 8 at Brogdon Field.

The first score came on a drive of 63 yards on nine plays with Adon Rodriquez getting the score from 6 yds. out with 7:36 left in the first period. The drive featured runs of 3, 10 and 13 by Margarito Sanchez and a 17 yard run by Jeremy Bryan for a fist down. Kris Carlton kicked the punt after and the panthers were on their way witha 7-0 lead.

The Panthers added another score on their next possession as they took the ball on their own 17 and went the distance in 8 plays with Jeremy Bryan going the final 4 yards with 49 seconds left in the first. The drive featured three first down runs of 6, 31 and 30 by Sanchez who racked up 163 yards in the fist half, the kick for point failed and Gorman was up 13-

Then with 8:12 left in the second period the Panthers added another sure as they took the ball on their own 15 and scored in 8 plays with Sanchez racing in for the sure from 12 yards out. The drive featured 5

and 40 yardfirst down runby Sanchez and a beautiful 23 yard scamper by Bryan to set Gorman up at the Lometa 12. Bryan added the 2

The Big Red defense then got the ball on the Lometa one after the center snapped the ball over the head of the punter and he was tackled on the one. From there Reece Clark took it in on a quarterback keeper with 6:00 left in the half. Carlton kicked the point after and Gorman led 28-0.

pointer on a run to up the score to 21-

The Gorman Panthers Baird performed their usual halftime show in a pre-game show so the halftime could be spent with homecoming activities. They did a great job.

During halftime Mary Campbell named Homecoming Queen, Miriam Sanchez was chosen as Band Sweetheart.

The Panthers came back after intermission and held the Hornets on their possession. The Panthers got the ball on the Hornet 42 and served in just three plays with the help of a 15 yard penalty on Lometa. Bryan got the final 21 yards with 9:49 left in the third. Carlton kicked the point after and Gorman was up 35-0.

Following the Panthers score, the Hornets came back with their first scoring drive going 50 yards in 10 plays with Rocky Schlegel catching a 10 yard pass from Will Dickison for the score with 5:38 left in the third. the drive featured a 7 yard pass to Joe Miller and a 16 yard pass to Charles Smith. The 2 point play was good as James Hill caught a pass for the 2 points and the score was 35-8.

Gorman answered right back as they go the ball on their own 30 and scored in four plays with Bryan getting the final 25 yards on a thrilling run with 3:02 left in the third. The drive featured a beautiful 40 yard scamper by Rodriquez and a 19 yarder by Bryan. The Panthers overcame penalties of 10 and 5 on the dirve. Carlton booted the point after and Gorman was 42-8.

The Panthers reserves took over at this point and got a drive going from the Hornet 22 and scored in just 2 plays with Reece Clark getting the final 19 with .04 left in the third. Carlton kicked the point after and Gorman led 49-8.

Carlton added three points with a 23 yard field goal on the next Panther possession to make the final score 52 to 8.

Sanchez led the Panthers with 203 yards on 14 carries. Bryan had 146 on 14 tries. Rodriquez got 48 on three runs. Clark had 14 on 5 keepers. Blake Guthery had 11 yards on one carry. Cory Besser got 8 on three tries. Leslie Wood got 4 on 3 tries A.J. Torrez had 11 on 2 carries and Petree had 3 yards on 3 tries.

The Big Red defense did a great job holding the Hornets to 49 yards on the ground and 66 yards in the air. They will really have to have a great game this Friday night when they travel to Santa Anna for a crucial District 8 A game. The Mountaineers are fresh off a win over Rising Star and will be a tough opponent for the Big Red. So let's all follow the Panthers to Santa Anna and back them to Victory.

Go Get 'Em Big Red!!

Willing Workers Class Meets With Mrs. Billie Bennett

Willing Workers Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met on Tuesday at noon in the lovely home of Jack and Billie Bennett on October 8 for our regular business meeting and fellowship. We always enjoy our time together. Most of our class members have been together for many years and

feel like Family in Gods Kingdom. It is such a blessing to have Frankie Joe Shipman for our Teacher and Jana Grice as her assistant. She attended our meeting, also our Pastor Bro. Craig Rhoten and wife Linda. Bro. Craig brought our devotional reading, several scriptures and admonished each of us as older members to be an encouragement to our younger ladies and our new Christians. It is good to know that there is still things as the older ones can to do forgive and encourage others.

Those enjoying this time of fellowship were Mayvis Lasater, Grace Townley, Lavenia Sherrod, Annie Faye Foster, Euna Porter, and Irene West, and our hostess Billie Bennett.

Our honored guests were Bro, Craig and Linda, Mrs. Hanes, and Jana Grice. We missed Wynelle Browning as

they were out of town to be with her daughter who is ill. We pray that they will have a safe trip home. We were dismissed in prayer by Jana Grice.

approximately \$3.5 million it is one of the largest business in the county and we need someone that is qualified and desires to more effectively manage our county's business.

His education and experience in General and Cost accounting, Finance, Office management and business management will be a great asset in helping improve the management of county business. He feels that he is the most qualified for the job of County Commissioner.

James states that in addition to more effectively managing county business as it is now being run that he desires to and will work with any City Government, Organization, Association or Development Committee for the growth and betterment of our cities and county.

This is your opportunity as voting citizens of precinct 3 to make the difference.

VOTE FOR JAMES NEW FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

SS Trust Funds Growing Long-Term Problems

The Social Security trust funds are solvent for more than three decades into the future, according to the 1996 annual board trustees report. The 1996 report reflects little change from the boad of trustees reports for the past two years. commissioner Chater has noted, how ever, that contrary to what many people believe, SS would not be "broke" in 2029. "While there are long-range financing problems for SS," Commissioner Chater said, "there is also ample time to discuss alternatives and to find a resolution that has the full fupport of the American people.

Mae Bell Scott **Laid To Rest**

De Leon-- Mae Bell Scott, 92, died Friday in Arlington. Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Nowlin Funeral Home Chapel with Kenneth Wilson officiating. Burial will be in the Gardens of Memory near Comanche.

Mrs. Scott was born in Comanche County and lived in De Leon most of her life. She was a homemaker. She was a member of Primitive Baptist Church and was the widow of R.E. "Bob" Scott, whom she married in 1926 in Comanche.

Survivors include one son, Burl Dean Scott of Bedford; one daughter, Nell MeNeil of Conroe; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION GENERAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD NOVEMBER 5TH - AVAILABLE TO ALL REG-ISTERED VOTERS-EARLY VOTING AT GORMAN CITY HALL - OCTOBER 16TH - 9 TIL 12:00

OCTOBER IS "RETURN YOUR OVERDUE BOOKS FREE MONTH: AT THE CHARLIE GARRETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY.

Charlie Garrett Memorial Library - Is Open Monday - Wednesday - Thursday and Friday from 3 - 5 p.m. and Tuesdays from 3 to 5:30 p.m. Anyone interested in attending a Storytime for Preschoolers call Dawn at 734-2435.

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 Box 501, Gorman, or Citizens State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

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. Howard Hagood, Worshipful Master — Roscoe Reeves, Secretary.

SPOOK HOUSE AND CARNIVAL - American Legion Post 471 will host a Halloween Spook House and Carnival on Oct. 20th at the Legion Hall on Hwy. 6 in De Leon. There will be a variety of games pumpkin carving contest, (bring carved pumpkin from home), Costume contest, and pool contest. \$3.00 admission charge and the bar will be closed. (No alcolholic beverages sold on the 20th.)

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Gene Grisham, Worthy Matron - 893-6777 and John Grisham, Worthy Patron 893-6777.



Kindergarten -Mrs. Brown - Jordan Perry Mrs. Reeves - Emily Lewis First Grade -

Mrs. Burleson - Mary Powell

Mrs. Smith - Tecia Jones Second Grade -Mrs. Lasater - Amanda Region Mrs. Curlee - Kristy Carlton



Pre-Kindergarten -Mrs. Taylor A.M. Class - Shawn Kitchens; P.M. class- Jonathan Flores.

Flu Shots To Be Given On Oct. 22

Girling Health Care Inc. is offering Flu Shots on Tues. October 22, 1996 at Gorman Elementary in the Conference Room from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Medicare Part B covers 100% of the cost. Anyone desiring the shots will need to bring their Medicare Card so the billing to Medicare can be completed at the site. Those without Medicare Part B may pay \$10.00 for the injection.

Public Information Sheets about the shots will be handed out at the site, and a release form will be signed by anyone receiving the shot.

The Girling Health Care Nurses will Not be able to administer the flu shot if there is a serious allergy to eggs, chickens, or feathers. If you have ever had a serious reacton afterreceiving a flu shot vaccinaton, have had paralysis from the Guillian-Barre syndrome, or are possibly pregnant, the nurses will not be able to administer the shot. If you currently have a serious illness or are on antibiotics or anticoagulants or currently have had an infection or neurological problem, the shot will not be administered. Consult your physician if you are in any of the above categories.



Third Grade -Mrs. Caraway - Cindy Lopez Mrs. Spivey - Summer Olvera Fourth Grade -Mrs. Good - Clint Jones Mrs. McCarty D.J. Brown

Mrs. Hampton - Shari Marlow Mrs. Lewis - Enrique Landa

Mrs. Clay -Kalyn Porter

Mrs. Snider - Casondra Cooper

Fifth Grade -

Sixth Grade -

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CONSIDER the Possibilities! Spacious 2 Br, 1 Bath, 2 Grg. Frame on quiet street! Some renovation! \$16,500.

60 ACRES and 2-1-2 Frame; renovated; edge of Gorman. Barn, shed, shop. \$50,000. 100 ACRES, m/l - W. of Duster; 35 A. Cult.: 2 Tanks: Good Hunting! \$600 per A. Please Call For Other Offerings!



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FREE KITTENS: Call Tracy Spivey at 817to 12:00 on Saturday. 1 - 10 - 17 C 734-2964 after 5 p.m. 1-10-10 C.

WANTED TO BUY - Dryer in good LOST: Red Limousine Horned Bull - 1,000 Lbs. and thin. 2 miles south of Gorman on Duster Road. Call 817-893-2917.

2-10-17 C.



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EASTLAND, TX 76448 90 ACRES Northeast of Carbon on Hwy. 2526. 27.5 acres in cultivation.

Nice big trees, good deer hunting. 5 ACRES North of Gorman with older 3 bedrm., 1 bath fram home. Nice fireplace, large pecan trees around homesite, old barn, metal shed, nice garden spot. Super location. Must see this one! 41.599 ACRES North of Gorman. Close

to town; great location for homesite. Approx. 35 acres in young pecan trees. 2 water wells with drip irrigation system. Lots of potential!! 300 ACRES East of Gorman. Some

cultivation, native pasture, mesquite and oak. Fenced, 2 water wells, 3 stock tanks. Peanut Quota. Some minerals, good deer and turkey hunting!

GREATLOCATION-Close to school. 2 bdrm, I bath frame. Carport, storage

CHECK IT OUT! 2 bdrm, 1 bath with Large kitchen, sunroom and big trees on

194.6 ACRES East of Gorman, Some cultivation, brush. Fenced, 2 stock tanks, peanut quota. Good Hunting!!

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ACRES with 2 BR, 1 bath frame only 3 miles n Shw st of Gorn n. Mostly cropland except home site. Co-Op water, peanut quota, pecan and fruit trees. 155.3 ACRES - South of Desdemona. Some cultivation, coastal, native pasture. Irrigation wells, stock tanks, perimeter and cross fencing. Peanut quota;

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83 A. App. - 30 A. Coastal, 12 Pecans, 20x50 Building, 3 wells, corrals, timber, 3 miles out - \$60,000.

120 A. M/L, lots of timber, good hunting ode of niobilem me, rough and rugged, small creek, oil wells -\$550.00 per Acre.

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CARBON NEWS

Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday were Jake Donaldson of Andrews Glenn and Joy Donaldson of New Mexico Terry and Vicki Sallee of Carbon. We were gald to see Pat, Truitt and Rodney Spruill back with us. We welcome all visitors.

The Golden Exes really had a wonderful day Saturday at the Carbon Community center. A large crowd attended and the food was delicious.

Visiting with Elizabeth Sandlin Friday afternoon was Joan Foster Moseley of Buchanan Dam. Joan lived

Look Who's New It's A Girl!!

Jimmie Turner Jr. and Laura Carter of Gorman are happy to announce the arrival of their new daughter.

Emilee Elizabeth Annette Turner born Oct. 2, 1996 at 8:29 a.m. weighing 6 lbs. and 8 oz. and 19 inches long, at Eastland Memorial Hospital.

She is welcomed by her big brother Miles Allan Turner of Gorman. A big sister Vanessa Carter of Glen Rose. Paternal Grandparents, Jimmie and Glenna Turner of Gorman. Maternal Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O Dell Carter of Glen Rose. Paternal Great Grandparents are Georgia Ervin and the late Miles Ervin and the late Johnnie Turner and Nellie (Turner) Lucky.Six Aunts Katherine Brown, Gloria Murphy, Kristina Turner, and Brenda Gibbs all of Gorman. Gwen Ervin of Carbon. and Sandra Carter of Sherman.Six uncles, Jonny Ervin of Carbon, Eddie Murphy, Don Brown and Blaine Gibbs of Gorman, David Carter of Glen Rose. and Marlin Carter of Marlin.

Political

Announcements

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The Gorman Progress is authorized to make the following political announcement, subject to the action of the General Election - November 5, 1996.

91st District Judge: SAUL PULLMAN STEVEN R. HEROD (Incumbent

County Commissioner: Pct. 3: L. T. OWENS (Incumbent) JAMES NEW

Eastland County Sheriff: WAYNE BRADFORD (Democrat) DARRELL M. SHIPMAN (Republican)

Tax Assessor - Collector: SANDRA CAGLE

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Freddie Coburn of San Angelo. Charles and Maxine Morgan spent last week visiting Marty and Tara Morgan of Briggs and then on to Imperial to visit Marla, Ande, Andrea, and Austan Paulk over the weekend.

Truman and Wanda Bryants guests over the weekend were Jake Donaldson of Andrews, Glenn and Joy Donaldson of New Mexico and Vernon and Phyllis Wright of Eastland.

Jenoise and Euell Allison traveled to Gatesville Saturday to attend the Mayberry family re-union. Jenoise

grandmother Lovell was a Mayberry. Most of the people there they had never met before. It was a great opportunity to be with them and it didn't take long to get to know their relatives.

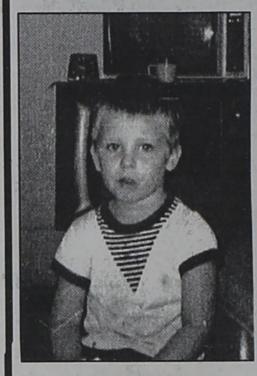
Visiting them Saturday night were Carl and Lottie Mayberry of Pittsburg, Lewis and Jill Hollywood and Kira of Eastland, and Wynelle Brown of Carbon. R Lee McDaniel joined them for breakfast Sunday morning.

The peanuts are really coming in, but the crop is not so good this time. Maybe they will get better. We hope. We extend our deepest sympathy

to Rev. Jimmy Maples and family at the death of his mother last week. Peggy and Charlie Stephenson vis-

ited her mother Gladys Hale over the

Gladys Hale visited Willie Hines who is in the Valley View Nursing home in Eastland. Willie is real sick, we hope she gets better soon.



Happy Birthday **T.C.!**

Love, Your Family & Friends

A "NEW" MAN JAMES NEW

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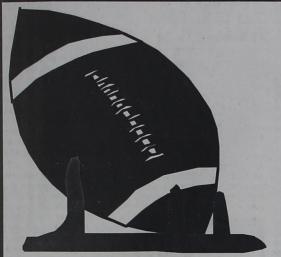
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GORMAN 12 - WATER VALLEY 12 Sept. 6 MILLSAP 26 - GORMAN 15 Sept. 13 Sept. 20 RANGER 30 – GORMAN 6 Sept. 27 *GORMAN 47 – EVANT 27 Oct. 4 **CROSS PLAINS 14 - GORMAN 7 GORMAN 52 - LOMETA 8** Oct. 11 Oct. 18 *Santa Anna 7:30 7:30 Oct. 25 *Baird Here Nov. 1 7:30 *Rising Star

PANTHER JV SCHEDULE **OPPONENT** DATE PLACE TIME

Open Date

Nov. 8

Oct. 17	Santa Anna	Here	7:30
Oct. 24	Baird	There	7:30
Oct. 31	Rising Star	Here	7:30
Nov. 7	Santa Anna	Here	7:30

JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE DATE **OPPONENT** PLACE

Oct. 17	Santa Anna	Here	6:00
Oct. 24	Baird	There	6:00
Oct. 31	Rising Star	Here	6:00
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10	REESE CLARK	170	QB-LB	JR.
11	MARGARITO SANCHEZ	170	RB-LB	SOPH.
12	ERIC MADERA	130	QB-DB	FR.
20	AARON PETREE	. 120	RB-LB	SOPH.
21	ADAN RODRIGUEZ	135	RB-DB	SR.
22	JEREMY BRYAN	165	RB-LB	JR.
24	LESLIE WOOD	150	QB-DB	SOPH.
26	ROBERT SEATON	130	SE-LB	SOPH.
30	CORY BESSER	135	RB-LB	FR.
31	BRADLEY GILMORE	110	RB-DB	FR.
32	ROBERT GRISSOM	185	RB-LB	FR.
33	CISCO MADERA	145	RB-DB	SOPH.
34	BLAKE GUTHERY	160	TE-LB	SOPH.
36	JOHN IBARRA	110	RB-DB	SR.
40	BRIAN SIMPSON	110	SE-DB	SOPH.
41	CLAY SANDLIN	140	SE-DB	JR.
44	MARK CAMPBELL	110	RB-LB	FR.
50	CORY CARRUTH	155	OL-LB	SOPH.
51	KRIS CARLTON	245	OL-DE	SR.
52	ISREAL RODRIGUEZ	150	OL-DE	SR.
55	ALLEN BRADSHAW	235	OL-DL	SOPH.
60	WILLIAM CURB	160	OL-DL	FR.
61	CY CYPHER	175	OL-DE	SOPH.
62	JAMIE GILDER	235	OL-DL	SR.
64	KEITH GRUMBLES	165	OL-DL	SOPH.
65	WILLIE GRUMBLES	195	OL-DE	SOPH.
70	JACE UNDERWOOD	250	OL-DL	SR.
71	COLE SANDLIN	190	OL-DL	FR.
72	LONNIE GRUMBLES	185	OL-DL	SR.
74	ROBERT SEXTON	220	OL-DL	SOPH.
75	CODY MAUPIN	130	OL-DE	FR.
76	SHANNON MAUNEY	225	OL-LB	JR.
77	ZACK BURNS	140	OL-DL	FR.
80	BUBBA HAGOOD	185	TE-DE	FR.
81	CHRIS SCHORLING	165	SE-DB	SR.
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First Grade - Mrs. Smith

A - Nicole Cogburn, Reba Granado, Kennon Hornback, Tecia Jones, Aaron Keith, Kristi Landa, Kendra Lewis, Brianna Prutsman, Brittany Rainey.

A-B - Corey Clark, Mike Dickerson, Trey Holdman, Carrie Thetford

Second Grade - Mrs. Lasater

A - Kari Bond, Macon Norris, Amanda Regian, Kaci Seaton, Chance Underwood.

A-B -David Aldridge, Rosa Herrera, David Ibarra, Michael Marin, Brenda Olvares, Tristan Prutsman, Leland Rainey, Rejinaldo Sanchez.

Second Grade - Mrs. Curlee A - Kristy Carlton, Tylan Long, Lydia Madera, Tiffany Perez, Brittany Shirley, Matthew Smith.

A-B - Amanda Brown, Wade Cariker, Elise Duke, Aaron Swafford, Orlando Rodriguez, Crystal Thackerson.

Third Grade - Mrs. Caraway A - Nikki Keith, Cindy Lopez, Kia McCarty, Sterling MaCauley,



7TH & 8TH GRADE HONOR STUDENTS

Distinguished Honor Roll - 7th Treadway

Honor Roll - Jacob Johnson, Michael Lynch, Cory Streiff, Mandy Warren Distinguished Honor Roll - 8th Mark Glover, Krissy Roberts

Honor Roll - Michael Foster, Emerald Jamie Maupin, Reagan Rhoton, Keith Guthery, T.J. Jay, Josh Johnson, Anita Lobo, Irma Lopez, Christina Mauney, Beatriz Ramirez, Kendra Roberts, Casey Simpson, Cody Simpson, Matt Swanner, Kristina Turner



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MENU

BREAKFAST

Monday - Cereal, Fruit, Juice, Milk. Tuesday - Oatmeal, Toast, Jelly, Juice,

Wednesday - Egg, Toast, Jelly, Juice,

Milk. Thursday - Rice, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk.

Friday - Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice,

LUNCH

Monday - Ham or Turkey Sandwich, Pork -n- Beans, Lettuce, Tomato, Pineapple, Cookie, Milk.

Tuesday - Fish, Green Beans, Corn, Peaches, Cake, Hot Rolls, Milk. Wednesday - Bean Burrito, Salad, Spinach Rice, Apple, Cookie, Milk. Thursday - Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Salad, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Cake, Milk.

Friday - Steak Fingers, Cream Potatoes, Green Beans, Gravy, Hot Rolls, Peach Crisp, Milk.

Samantha, Regian, Clayton Graham. A-B - Keri Campbell, Armando Giles, Gary Green, Steban Leal, Amber Lewis, James Perez, Sandra Lara.

Third - Grade - Mrs. Spivey A - Nathan Ritter, Summer Olvera, Zachary Bryan, Timothy Patel.

A-B - Justin Willey, Sharla Perez, Amber Ervin, Krista Brown, Kevin Lewis, Gerry Mendoza, Kendra Swanner, Seth Harley.

Fourth Grade - Mrs. Good A - Ashlee Hornback, Clint Jones, Scotty Lewis.

A-B - Gil Cochrane, Hector DeLaTorre, Kim Ibarra, Tai Rhoades, Adam Spivey.

Fourth Grade - Mrs. McCarty A -D.J. Brown

A-B - Rachel Granado, Elizabeth Hipolito, Frances Lewis, Dillon Macbeth, Johnny O'Connor, Hunter

Fifth Grade - Mrs. Clay A-B - Holly Abbe, David Earles, Andrea Files, Kalyn Porter Fifth Grade - Mrs. Snider

A -Casondra Cooper. A-B - Jose Caldera, Marcie Davis, Clarrisa McGlothlin, Lydia Royster, Crystal Williams.

SixthGrade - Mrs. Hampton A - Kendra Dickerson, Shari Marlow A-B - Dylan Cogburn, Kristina Everton, Brian Hunt, Russell Jay, Joe Landa, Jacob McCullough, Natasha Ritter, Dawn Roberts, Sean

Rountree, Carrie Shipps. Sixth Grade - Mrs. Lewis A - Derrik Adams, Tana Goode, Ryan Keller, Sarah Lewis, Enrique Landa

A-B - Josh Bridges, Sherry Carlton, Mary Landa, Mayra Lopez, Rolando

Carbon Class of '45

It was a fun time when the Carbon High School Class of 1945 met for a class reunion on Friday, October 11, 1996 at 6:00 p.m. at Jordan's Steak House in Eastland. Everyone had a very enjoyable time as they visited, looked at yearbooks, scrapbooks, and grandchildren's pictures, and caught up on the happenings in our lives since

our meeting on June 30, 1995. Billy Wayne Stephenson brought a copy of a grocery ad from his dad, Ben Stephenson's grocery store in the year 1945, with prices almost unbelievable. Our children and grandchildren would probably never believe that prices could be that low. But wages weren't very high back then either.

Wayne Eaves served as Master of Ceremonies, and Dwain Jackson gave the invocation. The meal was served buffet style.

Classmates attending were Billie Jo (CRawley) craddock of Sundown, Waida Lea(Fields) Kelley of Graham, Clarice (Gregg) and John Cuningham of Midland, Harvey Lynn and Myrttle Weaver of Junction, Zelda (Lewallen) Jordan of Gorman, Frankie (Broom) and Bill Eakin of Eastland, S.L. and Helen Craighead of Odessa, Jonell (Wyatt) Jackson of Carbon, Ray and Juanita (Norris) Broom of Eastland, Billy Wayne and Joan Stephenson of Chandler, Arizona., Jack and Betty Lyerla of Eastland, Dwain and Doc Jackson of Fort Stockton, and Wayne Eaves of Desdemona.

Everyone had such a good time they voted to meet again in October, 1997.

All attended the Carbon Golden Exes Meeting at the Carbon Community Center on Saturday, Oct. 12, where they were one of the honored classes along with the 1946 class who were observing their 50th year. There was no Golden Exes Meeting in 1995 due to the Carbon School Reunion held in July, 1995. Another classmate, Jo Beth Allen of Memphis, TX. joined us for the activities at Carbon on Saturday.

We missed those who weren't there and hope that they can be with us next year.

Cross Plains Paint And Palette Twenty Third Annual Art Show November 2nd & 3rd 1996

The Paint and Palette Club cordially invites you to enter our twentythird annual art show. The artist work will be on display for public viewing, Saurday November 2nd from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Sunday, November 3rd from 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Cross Plains Community Center on Beech Street. The cash awards ceremony and drawing for the door prize will be at 3:30p.m. Sunday.

REGISTRATION

Paintings will be accepted for registration at the Community Center on Beech St. directly north of Muli-Purpose Center, Friday November 1 from 2p.m. to 6p.m.

A 3:00 registration fee for adults will be required for each entry with a limit of 5 entries. Each adult may enter the Mini-painting division, size 6x8 canvas for a \$1.00 fee per entry. A \$3.00 registration fee for Chil-

dren will be required for each entry, with a limit of four entries.

Size 24x36 canvas or less accepted. Any Painting previously shown at Cross

TAAS and TEAMS Test To Be Taken

> October 22 - 24 The TAAS and TEAMS tests will be offered this Ocotober at Gorman High School. By state law, student who are now enrolled in high school must pass all sections of the test in order to receive a high school diploma.

Anyone in the community who has completed all graduation requirements except for passing the TEAMS or TAAS

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Persons who have not finished high school and who are interested in obtaining their diplomas, must fulfill the requirments for graduation that were in effect when their class graduated. Therefore if the TAAS was not required for a person's class it would not be required today. Texas Tech also has a correspondence program enabling a person to receive a high school diploma through correspondence courses. For more information on any of these areas contact Linday Glover, GHS Counselor.

It's Time For A Change.

Truth & Documentation: Lawyer/Legislator John Cook's Liberal Voting Record On Crime.

John Cook Voted Against Tougher Gang Laws

RV=Recorded Vote HJ=House Journal

John Cook Voted Against Letting Police Departments Share Information On Gang Suspects and Gang Activity. (Documentation: 74nd Legislature: HB 327, RV#83, House Journal page 847.)

John Cook Voted <u>Against</u> Drug Free & Weapon Free School Zones

John Cook Voted Against Drug Free/Weapon Free School Zones. (Documentation: 73rd Legislature: SB 16, RV#561.)

John Cook Voted To <u>Let State Felons Out-of-Jail</u> Regardless of Prior Criminal Record

John Cook Voted To Let State Felons Out of Jail Even If The Judge Felt Additional Crimes Could Be Committed Because of A Prior Criminal Record.

(Documentation: 74nd Legislature: HB 2727, RV#134, HJ page 1052.)

John Cook Voted <u>Against</u> Trying Juvenile Felons As Adults

John Cook Voted Against Trying Juvenile Felons Over The Age of 14 As Adults (Documentation: 74nd Legislature: HB 327, RV#81, HJ page 833.)

John Cook Voted Against Victim Restitution

John Cook Voted Against Making Criminals Pay Restitution To The Victims of Crime; Instead Cook Favored Paying The Criminal Defense Lawyers and Courts Before The Victims Received Restitution. (Documentation: 72nd Legislature: SB 1407, RV#400, HJ page 1917.)

John Cook Voted Against Prison Tents

John Cook Voted Against Requiring the Texas Attorney General to Appeal Liberal and Ridiculous Federal Court Rulings Which Held That Prison Tents Were "Cruel & Unusual Punishment." (Documentation: 73rd Legislature: HB 1116, RV#108, HJ page 872.)

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KOKOMO FCE CLUB MEMBERS ATTEND MINI CONVENTION

The annual "mini" convention of the Eastland County Family, Community and Education Clubs was hosted by the Pleasant Hill FCE in the fellowship hall of the Cisco Church of Christ on Monday, October 14, 1996.

Those from the Kokomo FCE Club attending were Frances Bishop, Johnnie B. Griffith, Zelda Jordan, Naoma Morrow and Norma Webb.

Ann Larkin of the Pleasant Hill Club welcomed everyone and led the club creed and prayer. Tammy Belyeu, Eastland County FCE Chairman, introduced Gerry Zummer of the Morton Valley FCE Club who has recently been elected state Vice-President for Programs at the State FCE Convention that she attended in Cincinnati, Ohio this past summer.

Other speakers were Rachel Wakefield of the Olden FCE CLub, Arleta Shirey of the Pleasant Hill FCE Club, Tammy Belyeu of the Morton Valley FCE Club Ann Larkin of the Pleasant Hill Club and Eastland County agent, Janet Thomas, all reporting on their trip to Tyler to the state FCE Convention in Septmber. The reports on the workshops attended were very interesting and informative.

Frances Bishop of the Kokomo FCE Club gave a report on the county 4-H Banquet held on October 12. The Gold Star winners, Tommy Seay of the Olden 4-H Club and Rachel Bush of the Rising Star Club were presented saving bonds from the FCE Clubs.

The rooms and tables were beautifully decorated in Halloween theme

KOKOMO NEWS

ZELDA JORDAN PHONE 639-2289

We've just been having gorgeous weather. We better enjoy it as the weatherman forecasts a cold spell for the end of the week.

Robert Spaulding of Mesquite, Karen Patterson of Breckenridge and Sylvia Buchanan of DeSoto were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. "Happy Birthday" was sung to Sylvia whos birthday was Sunday and to Mrs. Hope Joiner whos birthday is Oct. 16.

The special music was rendered by the choir; Aletha Burgess, Karen Patterson, Leona Wilson, Norma Webb, Kay Snider, Helen Browning, Wynelle Brown, Jimmy Little, Oren Webb, Joe Bond and Woodrow Browning, with Wynelle at the piano.

Those from the Kokomo Church going to the Heritage Manor in Gorman on Sunday afternoon for the church

joyed following the meeting. Arleta Shirey gave the prayer of thanks for the bontiful meal and the opportunity for the fellowship together.

Other events for the FCE clubs will be the "Holiday Frills" on November 23, Eastland County Pecan Show on December 5 and the FCE club Christservice were Bro. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Jimmy Little, Johnnie B. Griffith, Naoma Marrow, Anna Laura Clearman, Zelda Jordan and a visitor, Ima Boles of Clyde. Mrs. Halcomb of Heritage Manor played the piano for the song service.

Mrs. Hope Joiner visited her sisters, Jewel Huddleston, Amber Craddock and Hazel Roberts in Comanche.

Randy and Deliah Lewis, Christopher and Jonathan of Ennis and Mark and Margaret Eaves and Preston of Mansfield visited during the weekend with their parents, Delmon and Joyce Eaves and attended the Gorman Homecoming activities, and the reunion of the classes 1977 through 1982.

Stacy and Brenda Webb of Comanche attended the Gorman Football game on Friday night. Stacy was a member of the Gorman State Football Chamat the Homecoming game. Stacy's parents, Oren and Norma Webb attended the game and had a visit with Stacy and Brenda. The Stacy Webbs also attended the 1977 to 1982 class reunion at the Gorman Gym on Saturday night.

Jimmy and Verna Little on Sunday. James, Ashley and Breckley Little World War II. All of the proceeds will

visited with them on Sunday night. Billie Jo Craddock of Sundown and William Whitley of De Leon visited with Zelda Jordan. Billie and Zelda attended the Carbon Class of '45 reunion at Eastland and the Golden Exes

Jim and Maggie Nelson, Gladys and Alexis Nelson of Bowie and Teresa and Quintin Findley who have just

DESDEMONA NEWS

VONNIE GUTHERY PHONE 75802665

Desdemona Community Center will have a large "Garage Sale" on Friday, November 1st and Saturday, November 2nd in the school gym. Hours will be 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. If you would like to make donations to this sale- please contact Louise Maltby 758-2673 or Vonnie Guthery 758-2665. Your help will be appreciated. All of the proceeds will go to the community funds for needed repairs and insurance on the school building.

Desdemona annual Thankgiving pion Team of 1976, who were honored Supper will be Saturday November 9th in the school gym. Serving begins at 6:00 p.m. All of the food is cooked and donated by the ladies of our community. Make plans to attend for a good home-cooked meal. This Thanksgiving Supper has been an annual affair since 1945 when the community gave Ima Boles of Clyde visited with a Welcome Home supper for the returning soldiers (men and women) of go into the Community funds.

Sonny Stroud of De Leon and his parents, Glyn and Alpha Thiebaud visited this week-end in Mesquite with Lewis and Vicki Thiebaud and family.

Dorothy Roberts visited this weekend in Fort Worth with her daughter Ulenda Weaver and family.

Pat Cummings and Pat Buckley visited the week-end in Freer with friends.

Agatha Lee Hendrickson of Willmington, North Carolina visited several days with her mother, Agatha (Genoway) Nance.

"Congratulations" to Moody and Hazel (Riggs) Koonce of Desdemona who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, October 13 at the First Baptist Church Annex in Desdemona with a nice reception hosted by their family. Moody was in the Class of 1943 and Hazel gratuated with the Class of 1945 from Desdemona High School. They have one moved back to Texas from Arizona were visiting with the Clifford Nelsons and Cassie Nelson during the weekend.

Christi Eaton of Ovalo visited during the weekend with her mother, Juanita Fuller, and attended the Gorman Homecoming activities. Nancy Hendricks, Sylvia Buchanan of De Soto and Chad Eaton of Cisco visited with Juanita on Sunday evening.

Sylvia Buchanan of De Soto visited with her mothe, Namcy Hendricks while on vacation this week. Don and Lani O'Neill also visited with Nancy and Kelly Buchanan of Giddings and Tina Billingsley of Stephenville also visited with them and joined in the celebration of Sylvias birthday, which was on Sunday, Oct. 13. Sylvia, Don, and Lani and Nancy also attended the Gorman School Homecoming.

Karen Patterson of Breckenridge visited during the weekend with her parents, Earl and Betty Little.

son, Rickey Koonce of Morgan Mills and three grand-daughters, Christal Cogburn, Courtney Koonce and Chandrta Koonce all of Desdemona. A great grandson, Zack Cogburn of Desde-

"Congratulations" to Joe David church annex. Grimshaw son of Jay and Helen GRimshaw and Tricia Ann Dold daughter of

Dwight and Pat Dold all of Desdemona. Their wedding will be on Saturday, October 19,1996 at the First Baptist Church in Desdemona at 7:30 p.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. A reception will follow at the

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Remember the sick and shut-ins in your area with your cards and prayers.

REFLECTIONS ON TIME

There was a time long ago When as a child it always seemed My imagination knew no bounds And time was measured in my dreams.

Christmas came but once a year And childhood wishes would never appear It seemed that time would never pass Yet these special times would come at last.

As time passed on to later years Different fancies would appear The fairer face, the warm embrace and wistful glance Did in deed, my life enhance.

Then time would take another turn Life's plan I was soon to learn No longer could I advoid the task Of seeking answers to questions asked.

And time assumed a torrid place The realities of life I had to face The children grew and left the nest Those were the times I remembered best.

But when the younger were all gone And my wife and I were left alone The silent house and emptiness A mute tribute to our lives so blessed.

It takes time to be a neighbor And time to be a friend It takes time for wisdom to be gained And time for hearts to mend.

Theres a time for everything under the sun Time for laughter, love and fun A time for all things to end and start A time to reflect and grieve As friends and loved ones depart.

Yet time can be our enemy Or it may be our friend When our journey's almost over Or the prime of life begins.

But what is time when it's time to leave And our lives in retrospect we see We must give our thanks for time received For time is lost in eternity.

--Poem written by Leo Williams Class of 1945-Desdemona High School Poem submitted by Vonnie Guthery-Desdemona

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THE ADMINISTRATOR

Lets all welcome the cooler weather, fall is definately in the air, what a beautiful season.

Everyone at the Nursing Center are

Thanks again to all of our volunteers for the wonderful work they are doing, and for their faithfulness to this facility and to our residents. May God Bless each and every one of you.

Until we meet again may God hold you in the palm of his hand. --- Dean Christian McNeill.

The Birdsong party will be Thursday, October 31 at 2:00 p.m. Residents being honored are Cynthia Earles, Ozella Pulley, Lois Cartwright, Skinny Le- liland. wis, and Leotis Meadows. There will be entertainment and refreshments. Hallmark, Russell Cordell, Durwood Guests and relatives are welcome to

On Saturday afternoon those coming from the "Abundant Life" church were John and Charlotte Howard Jr., ern had Arts and Crafts for residents. Trey Howard, Lacy Howard, K'Ann Howard, Lana Howard, Lara Howard, Paula and Bonnie Williams. Residents were Ruby Nowlin, Patty Whitehorn, Vaona Taylor, Jack and Mildred Bellows, Veno and Annie Hale, Cynthia Earles, Ollie Halcomb, Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore, Inez Rogers, Ava Rodgers, Ora Mae Atchison and Dorothy Beaty

Some of Rubye Jones guests were Johnny, Vickie, Seth, Josh and Tyler Johnson, Julie, Cameron, and Cory Clark, Corkey and Jerry Brown, Ima Lee Burleson of Desdemona, Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant.

On Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. Bro. Brent Lasater of First Baptist Church came and taught the Sunday School lesson for Cynthia Earles, Veno Hale, Ollie Halcomb, S.D. Gilmore, Nowlins guests were John and Chris Effie Mae Brown and Ora Mae Atchison.

On Thursday, Waldene Jones of

On Sunday at 2:30 p.m. those coming from the First Baptist Church were Bro. Craig and Linda Rhaton, Juanita Fuller, Della Galloway, Frankie Joe Shipman, Cory Hines, and Loise Hall. Guests were Pat Graham, Rev. Whitehorn, and Chris Funderburk. Residents were Cynthia Earles, S.D. Gilmore, of Merriman Baptist Church gave the Jack and Mildred Bellows, Ola Walker, Rubye Jones, Ruby Nowlin, Inez Rogers, Ora Mae Atchison, Patty Whitehorn, Veno Hale, Effie Mae Brown, Ollie Halcomb.

Darrell and Pat Graham visited Jack and Mildred Bellows.

Some of Patty Whitehorns guests were Rev. T.D. Whitehorn, Marie Cook, Mary Estes, Ina Reynolds of Carleon, Chris and John Funderburk of De Leon, Nancy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

On Friday morning Ina Scitern had Bingo for Veno Hale, Leotis Meadows, Cynthia Earles, Jack and Mildred Bellows, Patty Whitehorn, Inez Rodgers, Ollie Hakcomb, Rubye Jones, Ora Mae Atchison, Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore and Varona Taylor.

Some of Ora Mae Atchisons guests were Edie Nichols of Stephenville, Ima Lee Burleson, Georgie Iley of Desdemona, Chesley Atchison, Della Galloway, Eunice Love, Mayvis Lasater and Vollie Watson.

On Friday afternnon Ina Sciern had "Horse Racing" for Veno Hale, S.D. Gilmore, Iola Johnson, Inez Rogers, Ollie Halcomb and Effie Mae Brown.

Some of Cynthia Earles guests were Jerry Brown, Rubye Jones, Fay Huff, Jessie Woasley, Dorothy Roberts, Pat and Howanrd Hagood, Durwood Webb, David Halcomb, Nancy Hendricks, Veno Hale, and Ruth Bryant.

We sure appreciated the nice magozine Mrs. Juanita Files gave the

Some of Skinnie Lewis guests were Ima Lee Burleson, Georgie Iley, Eloise Lewis, Jim and Karen Burleson, Dorothy Roberts, Eva Sparkman, Lorene Koonce, Philip, Donna, Robert and Sara Lewis.

On Monday Ruth Miner entertained Ora Mae Atchison, Levenia Blair, Jack and Mildred Bellows, Effie Maerown, Cynthia Earles, Ollie Halcomb, S.D. Gilmore, Veno Hale, Iola Johnson, and Inez Rogers.

Some of Mary Williams guests were Anna Rush, Estelle Ervin, Inez Reynolds of Carbon, Fred and Mary McMullen of Melrose. N.M. Chris Funderburk and Maxine Frasier of De Leon, Howard and Pat Hagood, Ruth Bryant, Nancy Hendricks, Mayvis

Lasater, and Eunice Love. On Monday afternoon Ina Scitern had bingo for Iola Johnson, Veno Hale, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Varona Taylor, Ora Mae Atchison, Inez comb, Nettie Euna Denton. Rogers, Ollie Halcomb, Varona Tay-

Some of S.D. Gilmores guests were sater. Ann Warren of Dallas, Idell Warren, Modess Burgess, Gary, Ann, Sonya Burgess, Rachi Roberts, Howard and Pat Hagood, Durwood Webb, Effie

Mae Brown, Loise Hollywood, and Alpha Mae Andry.

Some of Georgie Whitlock and Sylvia Hodges guests were Dorothy Roberts, Lorene Koonce, Eva Sparkman, Eloise Lewis, Dionchia Dennis, Roy Whitlock, Jackie Whitlock of Desdemona, Rosetta Carlton, Don and Wilma Holder.

On Tuesday morning Betty Duke really enjoying the change of seasons. of Desdemona came and played the When Ina is decorating, all join in to electric keyboard and sang for Annie Hale, Skinnie Lewis, Veno Hale, Ora Mae Atchison, Dorothy Beaty, Ava Rogers, S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Ollie Halcomb, Sybil Urban, Varona Taylor, Rubye Jones, and Inez Rogers.

> Some of Ava Rogers guests were Billie stacy, R.L. McDaniel, Ruth Knowles, Elizabeth Sandlin of Carbon, Ima Brown, Jana Grice, Mayvis Lasater, Durwood Webb, Annie Faye Foster, Ruth Bryant, Nancy Hendricks, Juanita Fuller, Jolene Gal-

Visiting Jess Hallmark were Irene Webb, Verl and Nikki Hallmark, Jimmy and Vicki Hallmark of Brownwood, Frankie Joe Shipman.

On Wednesday afternoon Ina Scit-Halloween Posters were painted.

isiting Ozella Pulley were Lowell and Bena Pulley of Roswell, New Mexico and Frankie Joe Shipman and Jolene Galliland.

Cecil and Ann Funderburg of Eastland and Debby Hogan visited Lois Cartwright.

On Tuesday those coming for the Sing- A- Long wre Della Galloway, Ernestine Campbell, Weaver, Marjorie Treadway, Nancy Hendricks, Estelle Ervin, Anna Rush, Daisy Slaton, Billie Stacy, Ruth Knowles, R.L. McDaniels, Alpha Mae Andry, and Vennie K. Sherrod. Residents were Dorothy Beaty, Veno Hale, Iola Johnson, Inez Rogers, Varona Taylor, Rubye Jones, Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore, and Ava Rogers.

Some of Patty Whitehorn and Ruby Funderburk of De Leon, Rev. L.D. Whitehorn, Mary Estes and Marie Cook Dublin visited her brother, Eulon Perry. of Carbon, Eunice Love, Mayvis La-

> Some of Volita Richardsons guests were FRankie Joe Shipman, Jo Etheridge, Marei Cook, Mayvis Lasater, Anna Rush, Estelle Ervin, Nancy Hendricks, and Ruth Bryant.

> On Wednesdat mroning Willo Rice devotonal for S.D. Gilmore, Effie Mae Brown, Ora Mae Atchison, Inez Rogers, Veno Hale, and Ollie Halcomb.

> Some of Travis Smiths guests were Lowell and Bena Pulley of Roswell, New Mexico, Jolene Gilliland, Durwood Webb, Chris Shupp of DeLeon, Barbara Smith, Wynogene Smith, Howard and Pat Hagood.

> Visiting Veno and Annie Hale were Alpha Mae Andry, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Frankie Joe Shipman, Howard and Pat Hagood.

Some of Effie Mae Browns guests were Mary Ficklen of Desdemona, Lowell and Bena Pulley of Roswell, New Mexico, Lose Hollywood, Howard and Pat Hagood, Idell Warren, Modess Burgess and Ann Warren of

Evette Meadows of De Leon visited her mother Leotis Meadows.

On Thursday morning Ina Scitern had Arts and Crafts for Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison, Veno Hale and Inez Rogers.

Some of Inez Rogers guests were Buddy Rogers of Ranger, Della Galloway, Ima Lee Burleson, Velma Carr, Howard and Pat Hagood, Chris Funderburk of De Leon, and Vollie Watson of Desdemona, and Jolene Gulli-

On Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p.m., Mrs. Mary Ficklen of Desdemona came and read from the "Bounty of Texas" by R.A. Hill. She made delicious Orange Coke and Cheese Puff Cookies to Effie Mae Brown, S.D. Gilmore Veno Hale, Ola Walker, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, Varona Taylor, Cynthia Earles, Ora Mae Atchison and Dorothy Beaty.

Some of Varona Taylors guests were Billy and Janda Taylor and Bonnie

Some of Buck Fosters guests were Joan Merdock of De Leon, Rachel and Becky Smith of Rising Star, Martha Russell, Sara and Jennifer Overstreet, Ron and Pam Childress, Buster Brown, Durwood Webb, Mayvis Lasater, Vennie K. Sherrod, Arlton Smith and Stella Smith.

Visiting Vadis Phelps were Elnora Lindley of Desdemona, Mitzi McGaha and Fay Tucker of Carbon, Kelly Carruth of Ranger.

Visiting Ollie Hakcomb and Dorothy Beaty were David and Denna Hal-

Those visiting Loene Joy were Mayvis Lasater, Brent and Jean La-

Visiting Ina Mae Tarrance were Frankie Joe Shipman, Anna Rush, Estelle Ervin, Namcy Hendricks and Ruth Bryant.

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