OUR 80TH YEAR OF SERVICE

GORMAN, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS 76454



PRESS POINTS JOE BENNETT, Publisher

—J— It seems that the striking workers in Poland have finally begun to make a little headway after things have gotten progressively worse for the country as a whole nd now the so-called leaders ave agreed to a few concessions to try and get things going again. However, the strikers are still holding out for some of the demands that have not been met as yet. They are still holding out for their personal rights and here is where the Communist controlled country is not

thing will go to pieces. We wish the people of Poland the best in their efforts to secure their personal rights and freedoms that every individual deserves. Hang in there for your

willing to give in yet. But I

think if they keep holdibg out

the government will have to

do something or else every-

The moisture stiuation in this area has not changed and becomes worse with each passing day. The peanut crop seems to be doomed as far as the dryland peanuts are concerned. And if the rain doesn't come soon, then all the irrigation water will be gone also as the water level has dropped tremendously due to the lack of rain. Some of the peanuts are already dead in the field and all the crops as well as the pastureland seems to be doomed unless and until the rains come.

Each day that passes sees more towns and cities in Texas curtailing the use of water as their reservors and lakes are running dry. Maybe the Good Lord will see fit to bring the rains before the old earth burns up. We are sure he has a plan for us and we seek his blessings and guidance in all that we do.

The Panthers sure looked good Friday night in the scrimmage with the Tolar Rattlers. The Rattlers had a pretty good defensive team, but their offense lacked the power to move the ball against the Big Red defense. Either they were weak on offense or the Panthers did a great job on defense. We now that the defense will be bugh but we will find out in the scrimmage this Friday night at Newcastle just how

strong it really is. I noticed in the Harris Rating book that we received this week that the Panthers are picked fourth in the State and are predicted to get to the semi-finals in the playoffs. But polls don't win games and lets not count our chickens until the hatch for we have a real tough schedule this season and after the first three or four games we will be able to tell just how potent the Panthers really are. We perdict that the Big Red will go a long way this season but lets take them one game at a time.

There have been a few more players report for practice this week and we will have a complete lineup as soon as it is available to us. We plan to take pictures this week if all works out and if it does we will publish a team picture next week. In the meantime we wish the Panthers the best in the scrimmage this Friday night at Newcastle.

We are glad to hear the report of the completion of the Senior Citizens Center building. The final touches are being done this week in preparation of the opening on September 3rd. There has been a lot of hard work put forth by a number of volunteer workers to get this job done and we should all be deeply grateful to these volunteer workers for their unselfish efforts to complete this project. There are a few who have done "LOTS" for

SENIOR CITIZENS

The new Senior Citizens Building is to be honored on its opening by holding a program on September 3, There are still many things

that we hope to be able to do the building in furture years, but we will have it ready for used on this date.

The food will still be brought from Ranger for the time being, but we hope some day to have the kitchen completed so that we can do our own cooking and serving

The Little Chapel-in-the

-Woods at Texas Woman's

University was the setting of

the cnalelight ceremony for E

Geraldine Leilani Pittman

and Victor Rendon at 8:00

p.m. July 16, 1980. The

double ring ceremony was

performed by Rev. Grady

Moore of Central Baptist

Church in Denton under a

greeenery covered archway

decorated with whie bows

and candlelabras on both

sides. The little chapel was

decoarated with white Spring

flowers, ferns, and white

The bride is the daughter

of Lilia Espinosa Pittman of

Gorman, Texas and Samuel

Forrest of Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania. The groom is

the son of Mrs. Virginia

Rendon of Robstown, Texas

The bride wore a tradition-

al white bridal gown. The

fitted bodice was of imported

English lace and the Queen

Anne neckline was beaded

with seed pearls. The waist

line was overlayed with Eng-

lish lace in a peplum and the

bouffant skirt was trimmed

with ruffled lace cascading in

a chapel length train. Her

chapel length viel was of

English net in bridal lace and

the headpiece was of white

silk roses cascaded with seed

pearls made by her mother.

She carried a bouquet of

mixed carnations, daises

and baby's breath with an

orchid in the center. Some-

thing new was her wedding

gown and garter belt and

something old was a wide

solid gold wedding band with

Philippine designs belonging

to her grandmother Adelina

Espinosa of San Franciso,

California. She was escorted

to the altar by her step-

father Murl E. Pittman. He

wore a Barong Tagalog - an

embroidered Filipino formal

Viviane Pittman of the U.

S. Air Force and sister of the

bride was the maid of honor.

She wore a floor length white

dress embridered with pink

flowers with butterfly

sleeves. She carried a small

bouquet of silk and ribbon

flowers and jeweled box with

13 coins on a laced satin

pillow. Debbie Sue Samson

of Enfield, Connecticut and

the project and we want them

to know we appreciate them.

The Lord has blessed Gor-

man with the finest people in

the world and we thank him

-J-

because God Loves You!

And remember to smile - -

for that.

and the late M. Rendon.

wedding bows.

Pittman - Rendon

Read Vows In Denton

The program tor this opening will start at about 10:45 with music furnished by Mr. Roland Smith. After the music at about 11:15 I will give a special welcome to visitors that we will have and to our own people. We have invited representatives from the West Central Texas Central Council of Governments and our County Commissioner, representatives from Ranger Junior College, and all the city commissioners and their wifes. We hope to have a big day and open the Center with

cousin of the bride and

Bessie Macgarity of Abilene

were the bridesmiads. They

wore a two-piece floor length

pink eyelet dress with bell

sleeves and a bright sash

shaped the waist. They wore

flowers on their hair and pink

Hawaiian leis. They carried a

bouquet of dainty roses made

of silk and ribbon materials.

The bridesmaids dresses,

bouquet and leis were made

Yvonne Rodriguez of Dal-

las was the flower girl. She

wore a floor length baby pink

dress overlayed with eyelet

and puff sleeves. Her hair

was adorned with pink roses.

She carried a white basket

with pink roses. Joel Paul

Pittman brother of the bride

was the ring bearer. He

carried a white satin heart-

shaped laced pillow with

white rose and nosegay at-

piece suit with ruffled white

shirt and a white carnation

butonniere. Arturo Yglesia of

Dallas served as best man.

Groomsmen were Paul Del

Rosario of Dallas served as

best man. Groomsmen were

Paul Del Rosario of Dallas

and Eddy Williams of Lub-

bock. Pablo Lopez of Dallas

played the pre-nuptial and

The bride's mother wore a

white formal Filipino dress

with butterfly sleeves and

embroidered with purple

flowers. She wore orientl

amethyst jewelry rimed with

diamonds. The groom's mo-

ther wore a pink dress with

The reception was held at

the bride's parents home in

Denton. Carol del Rosario

and Ester Hernandez both of

Dallas ushered the guests.

Mrs. Celma Millar, food ad-

ministrator of Texas Wo-

man's University prepared

the three tiered wedding

cake. It was decorated with

pink roses and small doves

carrying wedding rings.

Traditional bride and groom

was the decoration on the

top. The table was covered

with pink cloth overlayed

with white lace tablecloth.

The centerpiece was of two

white bells held by cupids.

Floral and table decorations

followed the pink and white

punch was served by

Carmine Emesioche of Mic-

ronesia and Jo George of

Illinois. Filipino and Chinese

dishes prepared by Gigi Del

Rosario were also served to

the guests. The Arturo

Yglesia Orhestra provided

the reception music. Out of

Trophical

color scheme.

matching corsarge.

wedding ceremonial music.

The groom wore a three

by the bride's mother.

a bang. It can't be done unless all of the Senior Citizens of the community turn out to make it so. Any person who is 60 years of age and whose spouse is 60 is eligible to take part in the program. We want all of you to come on out and help fill the building. All of you that have been coming come and bring eligible person with you. There is no set charge for a meal, but if you can make a donation at each

Now on this occassion, we MUST know how many to prepare for. Those who attend on Agusut 27 will indicate if they will attend. All who are not there on August 27 and plan to come MUST call in and report not later that 9:00 a.m. on September 2 so that we can let Ranger know how many to prepare for. If you are still uncertain at that time, call by 8:30 Wednesday and we may still get your name in. Call 734-2617 or 734-2927.

This is going to be one of the highlights of the year for our Senior Citizens, PLEASE make plans to come. We will discuss some of the things that you will want to be going other than having a meal. -GP-

LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A BOY

Terry and Linda Weaver of Midlothian announce the arrival of their son, John Ross, born at 5:29 p.m. August 5, 1980 in Methodist Hospital in Dallas. He weighed 7 pounds and 13 ounces and measured 20 inches tall.

He was welcomed by a sister, Catherine Lauren age 2. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rodgers of Midlothian and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Weaver of Midlothian.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Lasater of Gorman. Mrs. Lucy Lasater and Mrs. J. C. Timmons are great-greatgrandmothers. John Ross is the first grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rodgers and grandson for Cullen and Ava Rodgers, and Hulon and Mavis Lasater. -GP-

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Patients listed in Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday

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Patients Dismissed August 23: Ellen Hice Eastland Isreal Sondoval

August 25: Mollie Medford Carbon

August 26: Hope Hughes Gorman Alvie Smithey Gorman Ina Merle Lasater Gorman Lois Morris Gorman town guest were Abilene, Connecticut, Dallas, Decatur, Lubbock, New Jersey and Robstown. Students from TWU and NTSU also

attended the wedding. The bride graduated from high school at Saint Joseph School and attended the Far Eastern University in Manilla, Philippines. She finished with a B.S. Ed Degree at Texas Woman's University. The groom graduated from Robstown High School and a B.S. in Music Degree at North Texas State University. The newlyweds are at home in New York.

LABOR DAY PICNIC PLANNED

There will be a picnic on Labor Day, September 1 starting at 10:30 a.m. at Frank A Gray Park (Bass Lake). A leisurely day is planned, so everyone be sure and make plans to be there.

Activities will begin with the raising of the flag and playing of the Star Spangled Banner at 10:30 a.m. Games planned are a Frog Race, so kids catch those frogs again; Barrell Walk; Sack Race; Three-legged Race; Egg Toss; Dominos and Volleyball will be played. There will be no charge for entering the games. There will also be entertainment during the

Bring a picnic lunch for the family and everyone will try to eat at 12:00 noon. At 2:30 p.m. there will be a watermelon slicing.

A concession stand will be available. Anyone wishing to donate sandwiches, cakes, cakes, cookies, brownies, etc., may do so. Everything is appreciated. If you need your snacks picked up call Doris Bryan at 2640 or Bea O'Neal at 2781.

Please bring your chairs and card tables if possible. Don't plan to be out of town because you will miss a lot of fun at the Labor Day Picnic. See you there.

By Charlie L. Garrett, Mayor The City Commission met in regular session on August 21 with the Mayor and all commissioners present except Mr. Cordell. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The renewal of the contract with McCreary & Huey for the collection of deliquent taxes was discussed and tabled until the next meet-

Plans were made to top coat main street possibly all the way from the traffic light to the stop sign in the front of the school. We may do others if we can get the right price and have time before cold weather sets in. We have hauled crushed rock and have put it on two streets at this time and will be continuing to haul more and do some other streets with rock and/or gravel. We hope to begin to get out streets in better condition as fast as possible. We have had some requests to have some streets completely paved. If citizens along any unpaved streets are interested in paving and helping to pay for the paving along their frontage, contact the City Office and leave you name and we will get back to you.

We had four to meet with the Equalization Board to ask about the tax increase. We appreciate them coming and I want you to know that any citizen is always welcome to attend any meeting of the Commission, and if they have some item they wish to have on the agenda to be discussed, if they will notify the secretary by closing time on Friday prior to the first and third Thursday, it will be put on the agenda and discussed.

There have been some questions raised about the audit report that appeared in the paper about a reported unappropriated surplus of \$301,682.41. This item shows excess of revenue over expenditures plus the assets from the last years report. During the year we did take in \$26,976.65 more than we had expected to take in and did have a surplus of \$55,576 on hand at the close of the year, but since that time we have bought a landfill machine for \$35,000.00. I know that the story has been told that we have "Broke the City" in the building of the Senior Citizens building, which is not true, as you can see from the above figures. Yes we have spent some

PANTHERS TO The Gorman Panthers of The Big Red scored on two

AUGUST 28, 1980

1980 will travel to Newcastle this Friday night for a 7 p. m. scrimmage game. This will be a good test for the Panthers in preparation for the upcoming tough schedule they face this season.

The Big Red dominated the scrimmage with Tolar last Friday evening as the Panther defense completely shut down the Tolar offense. Also the Panther offense looked good at times and great at others. The costly fumble bug bit the Panthers on a couple of occasions and stalled long drives.

drives and one pass interception while on defense. They also looked good against the Tolar goal line defense and scored a few times at this point in the scrimmage.

The Big Red defense is anchored up front with a heavier line than last year and the entire team is a little larger also compared to last season. In a poll received this week the Panthers are picked no less than fourth in the State and are predicted to go as far as the semi-finals. This sure sounds good, but lets not jump too high off the

Classes for the 1980-81 school year began Monday August 25 with regular classes in High School and Elementary.

Elementary grades registered 248 students with Kindergarten 29; First Grade 24; Second Grade 28; Third Grade 38; Fourth Grade 20; Fifth Grade 30; Sixth Grade 28; Seventh Grade 27 and eight Grade 24.

High School enrolled 95 with the Senior Class regisClass with 20.

Classes are in the process of electing officers. Classes and activities will get into full swing following the Labor Day Holiday on Monday September 1.

register next week.

tering 18 students, Junior Class with 32, Sophomore Class with 25 and Freshman

Enrollement is up 29 students over last year and more students are expected to

Acrea - Wood Vows Say In Lubbock



Sheryl Lyn Acrea and Craig Harris Wood exchanged vows in an 11:00 a.m. service on Saturday August 23 in the First United Methodist Church of Lubbock, Texas. The Rev. Dr. Sam Nader officiated.

Kay Acrea, sister of the bride; and Kama Wood sister of the groom were honor attendants for the bride. Mike and Gary Wood, also honor attendants were brothers of the groom.

The bride wore a dress made of Peare de soie with an empire waistline and a bodice covered with seed pearls and sequins. the gown also had a Queen Anne neckline, Juliet cap, Bishop sleeves and a cathedrallength train. The gown was trimined in Chantilly lace.

The bride is currently a Design Communications major at Texas Tech University and the groom also attends

Revenue Sharing money on the project but the bulk of it has been with Federal Grant of \$20,000 that we received along with gifts from citizens of over \$2,000 plus several hundred hours of donated labor. I personally feel that this is a worthly project and one that will be used and enjoyed for a long time by our senior citizens.

Finally, I want to personally thank each and everyone who helped by donating money to buy tables, chairs and paint or any other item. Without this we could not have opened at this time. I also want to thank all who have worked many long hours without pay to help get it completed

Tech as a Pre-Veterinary student.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Acrea of Denver. Granparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Acrea of Gorman, and the late Vervia Everitt of Brownwood. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood of El Paso. Granparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wood of

The couple will live in Lubbock after a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N. M.

Stephenville and Mr. and

Mrs. Edgar Sturdivant of El

ground until we see what the Panthers can do in their first three or four games. Then we can start to see how good the Big Red really are.

NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT

We think that the Panther team will be a real fine club this year and if a couple of positions can be filled the Big Red could be a top contender in Class A.

A few more players have reported for workouts this week and this will help the Panthers as far as depth is concerned, and will be a. great benefit if it will allow some of the players to rest some during the course of the game.

The season will get underway on Friday, September 5 when the Panthers travel to Hico to take on the Tigers. It has been a long while since the Panthers have played the Tigers and they have always had a good rivalry with the Panthers. So we look for a fine, tough opening game which could be a good yardstick for measuring the tough ness of the Panthers for this season.

Don't forget the scrimmage date is Friday at 7 p. m. at Newcastle. -GP-

Tomasine Davis of Commerce visited last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitt.

CITY — SCHOOLS TO TAKE HOLIDAY

The business firms, Post Office, Bank and School will be closed Monday September 1 in observance of Labor Day.

This is one of seven holidays set by the Chamber of Commerce as legal city holidays.

Mail will be dispatched at the Post Office, however, there will be no rural route or window service.

-GP-

THANKS TO FIRE DEPARTMENT

A special thanks to the Gorman Volunteer Fire Department for their quick action in extinguishing the grass fire at my home Saturday. Without their assistance the loss could have been much greater. Their unselfish service is deeply appreciated. Also thanks to Cliff Jarrett in reporting the fire. Dr. Susan Callaway

-GP-

LOOK WHO'S NEW IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lee Shipman of Round Rock announce the arrival of their son, David Michael, born at 9:20 a.m. Friday August 15, 1980 in St. David's Hospital in Austin. He weighed eight pounds and 13 ounces and measured 191/2 inches tall.

He was welcomed by a brother Jeffery and sister Jenny and maternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. James Moore of Rule and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Shipman of Gorman.

Lions Club will meet Tuesday

Monday September 1 Town and School Holiday.

City Commission will meet Thursday September 4 at 8:00 p.m.

Hospital Auxiliary will meet Tuesday September 2 at 3:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church.

Church of Christ at Rucker urges all Church of Christ people to meet with them each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Charles Marsh of Arlington preaches every 2nd Sunday and Johnny Snow of Abilene preaches every 4th Sunday.

Girls Scouts Junior and Cadettes will meet each Tuesday at 3:45 p.m. at the First united Methodist Church in Fellowship Hall.

September 2 at noon at the band hall.

The Half Century Club of De

Leon will hold a dance at the City Hall Friday August 29, 7:00 to 11:00 p.m. The Country Four of Brownwood will provide the music.

Gorman High School Homecoming Saturday, October 4.

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KOKOMO NEWS by Zelda Jordan

Great blessings were ours during the revival at the Kokomo Baptist Church last week. Bro. Ralph Heichman of Luling really blessed our hearts with the preaching from God's Holy Word and

LABOR DAY WEEKEND GARAGE SALE: Use this last bit of holiday free time to complete your children's school wardrobe from our wide selection of gently worn clothing; some items new. Also men and women's clothing, shoes, books, cookware, dishes, linens, a triple dresser and lots of misc. items. 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday and Sunday, Monday August 29 thru September 1 at 707 S. Lamar in De Leon. 1-8-28 C.

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our hearts were thrilled by

There were many visitors during the week from De Leon, New Hope, Gorman, Winters and Amarillo, Lake Leon and the Kokomo area and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Pitcher of Los Angeles, Calif.

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Eric Campbell of Alvarado and Dale, Allen and Mark Farmer, C. Ray Smith and Chris Hester all of the Lasybrook Baptist Church in Houston were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Wayne Eaves. Bro. Ralph Heickman, Bro. and Mrs. Bob Watson, Daryl hirst and family had meals and fellowship with several of the families in Kokomo Throughout the

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Pitcher of Los Angeles, Calif. were visitors this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McNeely. The McNeelys spent last Monday night and Tuesday in Dallas with their daughter Colleen Harris and her children Karen and Doug Larkins and Michael Harris of Lincoln, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Alberts Hendricks' brother-in-law, Mr. Buck Wheeler of Carlsbad, N.M. is critically ill in a Carlasbad Hospital. Mrs. Vernon Fields spent

the weekend in Morgan Mill with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nachtigall, Taylor and Trevis. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jor-

day spent the weekend in Denver City with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bell and family and attended the 25th Wedding Anniversary reception honoring the Bells (B) and Barbara) on Saturday night at the fellowship hall of the Assembly of God Church in Denver City. The recepafternoon. tion was hosted by the child-Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan also visited in Abilene ren of Mr. and Mrs. Bell, with Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Lanette and Steve Leasure of Miles, Joe, Sheri, and Ro-Amarillo and Jamie Bell of

the home. Others of the

family visiting in the Bell

home and attending the re-

ception were Mr. and Mrs.

Jim Lewallen, Mr. and Mrs.

Jamie Lewallen, Mr. and

Mrs. Bill Wier and Mr. and

Mrs. Ted Jordan, all of Floy-

dada, Mrs. Jess Winn of

Muleshoe and Mr. Bell's

brother-in-law, Pete of Hous-

ton. Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Lewallen of Odessa, Mrs.

Lois Lewallen and Mr. A. R.

Lewallen of Brady spent

Friday night in Floydada

with their brother, Mr. and

Mrs. Jim Lewallen and visit-

ed in the Bell home in

Denver City on Saturday

Mrs. D. F. Eaves took Mrs. Erma Eaves to Stephenville on Sunday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith and family of Fort Worth. Mrs. Erma Eaves will be visiting for a few days with the Smiths, Mrs. Virda Mae Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Norris of Fort Worth.

Aletha Kay Yarbrough has returned from a vacation and visit with her daughter, Mrs. Betty Gurling and family in Chicago, Ill. Letha reports she had a grand time and really enjoyed the cool rainey weather.

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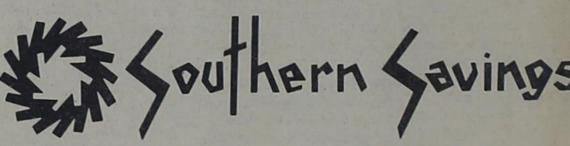
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Army. While on assignment, they traveled to Honolulu, Japan, and over parts of South Korea, mostly Seoul, Takeyewon and Uijongbu.

In Korea, they were furnsihed with a Korean driver and interpreter. They found the Korean people most helpful, friendly and anxious to help. The food was a little spicey, but enjoyable. The Korean people love Americans and would stop and want to talk and ask questions and watch the work.

The Hicks have also been on assignment to Germany and will be making trips to Germany, Korea, Pannama and various places in the U.S. for Kentron Intl. who has the contract with the Armed Forces.

Mr. Hicks was responsible for writing various Outside Plant Engineering Manuals now being used by Armed Forces. (The manuals dealing with Outside Plant Telephone Engineering).

Kenneth is the son of Mrs.

Isla Hicks of Comanche, Texas and Gaynell is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. B.G. Thomas of Gorman, Texas and formerly of Comanche, Texas.

MR. AND MRS. LUKE PALMER HONORED WITH SURPRISE

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ANNIVERSARY PARTY Mr. and Mrs. Luke Palmer were honored with a surprise 50th Anniversary party Saturday Aug. 16. Members of the Church of Christ, friends and neighbors were host for the happy ocassion held in the Fellowship Hall of the Church.

The beautiful three tiered wedding cake was baked and decorated by Jessie Lee Eison and Joyce Eaves. Gold accents were featured in all decorations throughout the

Mrs. Palmer, the former Cula Bingham, and Luke were married August 23, 1930 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Underwood. They have lived in the Gorman area all their married life. They were farmers in the Indian Mt. community for 34 yrs., before moving to a farm on the Desdemona Hwy. They have lived in Gorman for the past

The Palmers are semi-retired. She is employed part time at Lawndale Home and he is employed in the fall by Smith Dryers and Peanut Warehouse. They keep a vegetable and flower garden and are active members of the Church

Attending the special ocassion was a son Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palmer, Ken and Jeff of Garland. Their other son Roy George Palmer and his wife and two sons were unable to attend.

DESDEMONA NEWS

By Vonnie Guthery

Mrs. C. L. Smith, Lori and Stacy of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Creek of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Conner, Mrs. Bill Jackson of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Tucker and boys of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mathis of Lake Proctor visited Bob and Dolores Tucker and boys the past week.

Visiting the past weekend with Rim and Dixie Pack were their son, Lelan, Lou Ann, Katie and Keli Pack of Lubbock. Dixie found out what a Grandma is for as they kept the girls while Lelan and wife visited in Fort Worth.

Ricky, Tenia and Christal Koonce and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pair of Stephenville enjoyed a vacation recently in Colorado.

Rob Guthery and family of Irving and Hillary and A. V. Seav of Gorman had Sunday dinner with Nannie Guthery.

Annie Collum visited past week in Tatum, New Mexico with her mother, Mrs. Lula Visiting the weekend with

Elbert and Abbie Lindley was his daughter, Gail Lindlev and son. Jewel McMasters of Ste-

phenville and Louise McMasters visited the weekend in Duncan, Oklahoma with a nephew, L. A. McMasters and family.

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NEWS CARBON

by Mrs. Bob Hasting 639-2517

School began Monday morning in Carbon. A good number of parents attended the opening exercises and help get students and teachers off to a good start. There are two new teachers this year. Mrs. Pollinack of Eastland will teach the first and second grades and Mrs. Karen Hughes will teach the third and fourth grades.

Mrs. Charline Meranger and grandsons Mike and Craig Gryder of Odessa spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hagan, Denise and Dennnis attended the Hagan family reunion in Cisco during the weekend. John Mark Hagan was speaker at the Sunday morning worship service.

Visiting in the home of Mr. . and Mrs. John Rodgers and Jonna on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff White of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Clydell Lewis and Grant of Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kimmell attended the Kimmell family reunion near

Proctor Lake last weekend. On August 14, the City Council met with the Mayor Tim Webb and 3 council member present. Mayor Webb presided. Motion by Loyd Jackson second by Bess Green to accept the minutes

Motion by Truman Bryant, seconded by L. Jackson to give B. L. Hays permission to put his meter and Don House's meter on record as Briar Patch Trailer Park. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Bess Green, seconded by L. Jackson to appoint Velma Hastings as City Tax Assessor-Collector and City Secretary. Carried Motion by T. Bryant, sec-

conded by L. Jackson to appoint Collin Campbell, Jim Hogan and Roy Skinner as board of Equalization carried Motion by T. Bryant, sec-

onded by Bess Green to appoint Elizabeth Harris to fill the unexpired term of Guy Peel as council member. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Turman Bryant, seconded by Bess Green to pay bills.

Motion by Truman Bryant, seconded by L. Jackson to have one meter each house. carried 3-0.

motion by Loyd Jackson, seconded by Bess Green to

Mr. and Mrs. Billy McMillan and grandchildren Kelly and Mitzi of Shreveport, Louisiana, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McMillan last

Mrs. Elaine Robertson and son Larry, and Mrs. Jerold Jackson of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Petree last

Marion Chaney of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. James Kimmell during the week-

Eastland Sets New Test Site

EASTLAND - Litton Oil Corp. of Albany has staked lo-___ cation for a test eight miles southeast of Eastland in East-

Drillsite for No. 2 Lowrance is 330 feet from north and west lines of Lot 15, Harvey Kendrick Survey, A-340. Proposed depth is 5,000 feet.

Litton will drill No. 6 Dunbar 1 mile east of Eastland to a depth of 3,000 feet. Drillsite is 3,697 feet from north and 583 feet from east lines of John House Survey 18, A-159.

Mary Ann Morgan of Denton is visiting this week with

her great grandmother, Mrs. Jolene Gilliland. Also visiting Jolene is a granddaugh-The Palmers lost a son, Jimmy ter, Melissa Kay Henry of Edward, in 1942 in a train accident Fort Worth. in Gorman.

GORMAN PROGRESS, AUGUST 28, 1980

is 2,800 feet.

Ramco Resources of Gorman has staked a wildcat reentry location five miles north of Gorman.

No. 1 Pullman-Wilks is 2,310 feet from north and 550 feet from west lines of Section 10, Block 1, H&TC Survey, A-893. Proposed depth is 3,250 feet.

The well was originally drilled June 14 of this year by Ramco as Mari-Angel #1. It was plugged June 22.

Jed K. Giles of Cisco, has staked location for No. 1 H.E. Park et al 31/2 miles south of Cisco. Drillsite is 1,170 feet from south and 810 feet from

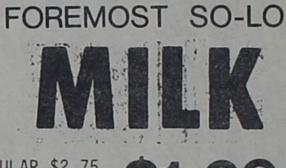
east lines of Section 83, Block 3, H&TC Survey. Proposed depth is 700 feet.

Clyde Houston of Abilene has staked location for a test in the Foster (Marble Falls) Field of Eastland County 2 miles east of Romney.

No. 1 Lane is 467 feet from north and 1,090 feet from east lines of Section 35, Block 3, H&TC Survey. Proposed depth is 3,250 feet.

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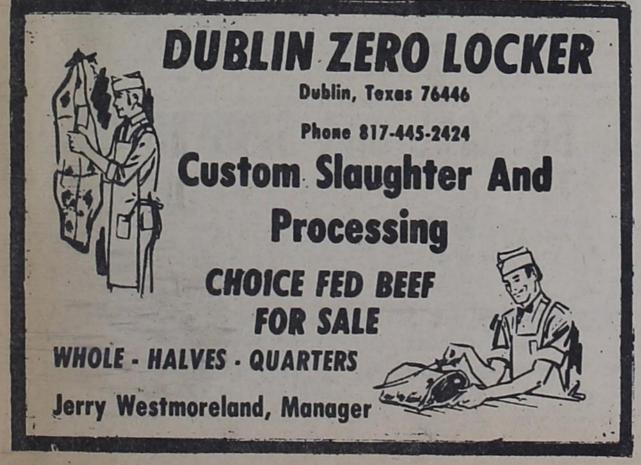
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