Old Flo, the matriarch of Gombe, is dead

JUST a year ago, Sunday Times readers were thrilled by the account of Flo, the old chimp matriarch of the Gombe Stream Research Center, and her famous rite of passage that marked the end of her life. Now, it appears that Flo has passed away, bringing to an end a chapter in the history of chimpanzee research.

Flo was known for her strength and wisdom, and her death is a great loss to the scientific community. She was a symbol of endurance and perseverance, and her legacy will continue to inspire future generations of researchers.

With Flo's passing, the Gombe Stream Research Center will have to adapt to a new phase in their work. The challenge will be to maintain the same level of commitment and dedication to the study of chimpanzees that Flo embodied.

Flo's death is a reminder of the fragility of life and the importance of cherishing every moment. It is a poignant reminder of the need for continued support for chimpanzee research and conservation efforts.

The loss of Flo is a personal tragedy for many of those who knew her, but it is also a lesson in the value of human connection and the importance of preserving the natural world.

Flo's legacy will live on, not just in the pages of the scientific literature, but in the hearts and minds of those who were fortunate enough to know her. She will always be remembered as a symbol of the resilience and dignity of the chimpanzees of Gombe.

The BBC introduces Big Brother

By Tony Geraghty

GRAFITICATION has come after a long wait for the people who shed a tear when Children's Hour—LOVE was broadcast on radio.

Auntie Kristine, et al.—disappeared from the radio schedules. Last night they heard the good news that the new Sunday afternoon children's programme on BBC National Radio's new series for children, Big Brother, has been given a fifth series. The series had come to an end after a successful run.

Radio has come a long way since then, and the BBC's future looks bright. The new programme is called Children's Hour, and it is being hosted by a children's competition winner called 'Mother' and a young girl called 'Little Sister'. The programme features songs and stories, and is broadcast at 4pm on Saturdays.

The programme has been well received by its target audience, and it has been praised for its quality and content. The BBC is proud to be able to offer this programme to its young listeners, and it is hopeful that it will continue to be successful in the future.