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Late Summer Rain Has Kept Area From Some Drought Woes

From the KickingHorse River in Alberta to the Guadalupe near San Antonio, there's a world of difference.

Against the advice of an expert, I persuaded Thomas and friends Dicky and Jayne King to make our annual Labor Day trip a trek down to the Guadalupe for rafting.

I knew good and well there weren't going to be any big rapids, or major whitewater, but thought it would be good experience.

It was, in more ways than one! It's a long drive down, but the view from our little deck made up for it. The Guadalupe winds through the Texas hill country in pristine beauty, surrounded by cliffs of limestone, live oak and pecan trees and blessed with clear water.

We began our Guadalupe raft trip with a lot less ceremony than our Canadian one...no wet suits, no instructions, just a zip-bagged map and "have fun"...

We toted our raft down to the water's edge, pitched it in and began to paddle. Our first little rapid we maneuvered through quite well...what with hollering to "paddle on the left, backpaddle, now straight forward" we zipped right on through. There really isn't much difference between the front of a raft and the back, after all, so the fact we went over backwards is of little consequence!

We saw lots of wild life that day. Not the four legged kind, however. As the day progressed the tubers appeared. Tubers are the most common folks on the Guadalupe. A tuber down there isn't a root vegetable. Usually, but not always, a tuber is a student from one of the several universities in the area.

They float on inner tubes with no other power than the current and their hands, down the icy water for hours, usually in groups of four or five, occasionally in a tube-cluster of twenty or so.

These kids all had one thing in common...that was an ice chest wedged in a separate inner tube, and inside the ice chest was a liberal supply of some form of alcoholic beverage. In case they didn't bring enough, "food alley" had stops for them to resupply themselves!

By the middle of the afternoon they were...How to put this delicately?...soused. That's the only word for it. They were still cheerful, polite, courteous and no problem to anyone except themselves. They gave vent to gails of laughter and an occasional howl or "YeeHa", but other than that continued merrily on their way.

Late in the afternoon they began to sing. Surprisingly, they sang quite well.

The songs ranged from chants, to current favorites, but were mostly fraternity or sorority songs. Sometimes indelicate, sometimes poignant, they echoed up and down the river in astonishing harmony!

After our own five hour trip we headed back to the cabin, avoiding going after dark on the simple principal that all those people who had spent their day drinking had gotten off the river and into a vehicle! The roads down in that neck of the woods are narrow and twisting, and we didn't want any part of that.

The next morning we tried inflatable canoes and tiny rafts instead of a single big raft.

One of the young men working at the raft company helped us carry the things down the hill to the water.

Now Dicky and Jayne spent five years at the University of Texas, and we were talking about the singing we had heard the day before.

Dicky made the comment to the young man that "I don't remember any of those songs while we were at the university". Cheerfully, the boy replied "Well, I guess that really makes you an old turkey, right?"

Without further ado he deposited his end of the canoe and trotted up the hill with a wave!

We learned a lot that day, we managed the little rapids with more skill than 99 percent of the people on the river.

We gave tows to exhausted tubers, pulled a few rafts off the rocks in shallow water, and had to be towed off once or twice ourselves. We

Abundant late-summer rainfall and cooler temperatures have given a fall-like tinge to the air. Area residents complain that their yards need mowing every week because of the late summer rains, but perhaps don't realize how fortunate this area has been this summer.

Places around Dallas that usually receive about 25 inches of rain by the end of August, find themselves with

only 14 inches, while the entire mid-western states have to count corn, almost their only crop, a total loss.

July was the wettest one on recent record, with weekly to bi-weekly thunderstorms sweeping the Northeastern portion of Texas. If one missed, in a few days another would usually "hit", providing much-needed moisture to crops and hay, reservoirs and timber.

A hay crop disastrously short the first cutting has been boosted locally by the late July and August rains. This should help alleviate some of the shortage, but by no means, all. Again, this has been a local advantage for Northeast Texas.

Cattle prices, which would have dropped locally as they have in dryer areas, have remained high because of the late rains.

Pasture which was short has managed to recuperate some due to the abundance of moisture.

Several days of solid-gray skies and slow rain gave the appearance of fall weather, too. These areas covered most of the eastern half of the state, while the western portion of the state remained dry, as did the southern portion.

Soybeans and milo were light in weight because of the early drought,

but would have been much worse without the late rains.

Cotton, generally, is looking good. The later cotton is actually better than the early cotton, since earlier cotton lost much of its blooms.

Cooler weather has been providing welcome relief from the heat, and it is doubtful that this summer will furnish 100° temperatures again.

Cotton farmers, right in the middle of stripping their crops, hope now for a dry spell in which to harvest.



IN FOR THE KILL! This cropduster zooms in to chemically kill cotton as harvest goes

into full swing. The crop is generally much better than was anticipated earlier in the year,

due to late summer rains that filled bolls on out. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)



M.L. SLATON of Deport brought in the first bale of cotton for the last two years, Nancy Gresham of the Blackland

Prairie Gin reports, and this year Slaton brought in the first 72 bales! The area cotton crop looks like a bumper crop with

the exception of bad weather or a price crash. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

Margie Skidmore Wins First Football Contest

This week's first place winner in the first football contest for the season is Margie Skidmore of Deport, who missed only four games and said Prairiland would win 24-6. Margie won \$12.00 for the first place prize.

Winnign second was Mark Mitchell of Deport, who missed four games and said Prairiland would win 20-0. Mark won \$7.00 for second place.

Winning third was Jimmy Joe Young of Pattonville, who missed six games and said Prairiland would win 14-6. Third place paid \$5.00 to Young.

Other near misses were Danny Billy of Deport who missed six games and said Prairiland would win 21-7.

Reba Mitchell of Deport missed six games also and said Prairiland would win 21-6. Lee King of Bogata missed six games and said Prairiland would win 33-6. Frank McGee of Talco mixed six games and said Prairiland would win 28-0.

Last week's winners were: Prairiland 9-Rivercrest 7; L.A. Raiders, Pittsburg, LSU, Fannindel, Arizona, Miami, FL, Seattle, Chicago, San Francisco, Denison, Cooper, North Texas, Georgia, New England, Clemson, Baylor, James Bowie, Commerce and Florida.

Come on and join the fun. Try your hand at football.

Girl Scouts Organizing

The Girl Scouts are currently conducting a membership drive in Deport. Area schools are being surveyed for girls who are interested in becoming Girl Scouts. Adult leadership is also being recruited.

"Volunteers are needed," said Priscilla Merriman, field executive with the Red River Valley Council. "We have girls who want to participate,

but without leaders, we can't have a troop," she said.

She also said that trainings, handbooks and other materials needed to work with a troop are provided by the council.

For more information, contact Cindy Talley, local volunteer chairman, at 652-2954.

Cub Scout Pack 19 To Hold Annual Rally

Deport Cub Scout Pack 19 will hold its annual rally on Thursday, September 8 at 7:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Deport. Boys in the first through fifth grades are

eligible to join. Anyone interested in helping the Cub Scout program is urged to attend this meeting. For more information, contact Billie Lois Keys at 652-4262.

Arson Crime Of Week

This week Lamar County Crime Stoppers is seeking help in solving the Santa Fe Railroad that destroyed a railroad tressel located 1/4 mile south of the 1000 block of West Washington. The fire was reported at 12:51 a.m. August 25.

The cost of replacement is estimated at over \$50,000.00.

Crime Stoppers is offering up to \$1,000 in cash rewards this week for information that leads to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for this crime.

Call Crime Stoppers at 785-TIPS.

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People N Things

learned a little about reading the water..

We learned not to come on Labor Day if we wanted back-to-nature quiet.

But most of all, we watched the college-age groups as they drank and sang their way down the Guadalupe.

And while they were secure in their youth, invincible with that blind faith that only the young have, we realized just how fast the time passes..

College lies a long way in the past for us all...yet the time has gone by so very, very fast.

We've all learned basic lessons during those years, lessons those students haven't had the chance to learn yet.

We had a great time, and watch-

ing those youngsters was part of it.

I wouldn't trade with them for anything in the world.

We may be "old turkeys" and the songs may have changed, but the lessons and the things they have to face aren't going to be any easier for them than they were for us.

We still have a world of things to learn as we continued from pre-forty to post-forty, and on into the next decades. But we're "Old enough to know our limitations, and Young enough to exceed them!"

For many of those students, happily living the high life right now, there are some mighty rocky rapids to be negotiated in the future! I for one, simply wish them well, and am grateful to have that portion of my life safely survived!

The Taylortown Fire Department will have a meeting on Monday, September 12 at 8 p.m. A covered dish supper will be held before the meeting.



PRAIRILAND FOOTBALL Coaching Staff for 1988 consists of John Talley, Bill Scudder,

Rick Johnson, Murray Riddles, Jim Chambers (Head Coach)

and Dan Harris. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
Rev. Orlando Reyes of Ft. Worth was the guest speaker at the Life Tabernacle Church Sunday.
Everyone is invited to attend the singing at the Life Tabernacle Church Saturday night at 7 p.m. A special group from the Hayseed Stephen Church from Weatherford will be guest singers.
Mr. and Mrs. James Jones of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood and Berniece Wyatt Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Oats honored her mother, Mrs. Geneva Norwood with a birthday supper Monday night. Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Norwood and family, Gene Norwood, Brandon and Georjeana Oats and the honoree.
Terry Davis of Omaha spent the weekend with Mrs. Delphia Malone.
Mr. and Mrs. Blake Bonham of Direct visited Mrs. Glenna Norrell Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Royce Vickers of Pattonville and Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Anderson spent the weekend at their cabin on Bob Sandlin Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Polk of Dallas were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson.
Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers spent from Saturday until Monday with his daughter, Ruby and Sam Hoover of Denison and attended the celebration of Mr. Powers' 91st birthday and the family reunion. All of his children were present and majority of his grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present.
Mrs. Ethel Cooper of Reno spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Della Howe.
Friends of Mrs. Glenna Norrell will be glad to know she has been dismissed from St. Joseph's Hospital. Wish her speedy recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris and David Bell of Reno and Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Creamer of Milton were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong.
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pressley, Dona and Deann were in Ft. Towson, OK Monday to celebrate Deann's 6th birthday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orel Bennett.
Eugene Hume of Hagansport vis-

ited Milow Hume and Stasha Sunday afternoon.
Everyone is invited to a miscellaneous shower Tuesday night, Sept. 20 at Life Tabernacle Church fellowship hall honoring Sandra Kay McGee of Mt. Pleasant, bride-elect of Allen Pressley at 7 p.m. The couple will be married October 15 at College Church of Christ in Paris.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas of Joliet Saturday.
Regina Newman and Sue Pynes of Paris visited Mrs. Loretta Pynes Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barnett and Shannon and Mr. and Mrs. Brett Shannon and family of Eules visited Mrs. Fred Allen Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne of Hagansport visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Tuesday.
Mrs. Leonard Cruise attended the Cherry reunion at Cooper Sunday.
Everyone is invited to a cradle shower for Mrs. Stacey Musgrove Monday night, Sept. 12 at the Fellowship Hall of Life Tabernacle Church at 7 p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Malone and family of Vasco and Mrs. Shirley Crews of Paris visited Mrs. Delphia Malone Sunday.
Mrs. Jane O'Neal spent Tuesday and Wednesday on business in Arlington.
Ladell Cruise and Justin of Quinlan visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cruise Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Blossom visited Mrs. Fred Allen Wednesday.
Mrs. Lucy Fowler visited Mr. and Mrs. Murl Roach of Deport Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Silas Taylor of Enid, OK visited Mrs. George Taylor Sunday night.
Ruth Chipman was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Devlin.
Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Davis of Lakeview, LA spent from Monday until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Fowler.
Weldon Hume and Paul of Paris visited Milow Hume and Stasha Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Willie J. Fowler and Mrs. Edwin Davis of Lakeview, LA visited Mrs. Fred Allen Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buford Guthrie of Talco visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain

Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny e and family of Clarksville spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney.
Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Davis of Lakeview, LA Johnnie Warren of Deport and Mrs. Lucy Fowler visited Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Davis of Paris Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler of Pattonville, Carol Dorsey and Jennifer visited Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Fowler Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood, Cindy White, Mr. and Mrs. Talma Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Coe, Tracy Norwood and a friend of Sulphur Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Norwood and family enjoyed a barbecue supper at the Bob Sandlin Lake Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Norman of Edmond, OK spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson.
Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy visited Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Norwood and Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood over the weekend.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each one of our friends who called, who visited, sent flowers, cards and their prayers for me while I was in McCuiston Hospital.
With love and good wishes.
Willie Devlin

Deer Hunters Information Available

Deer hunters and landowners who sell deer leases should be interested in a new booklet entitled The Texas Deer Lease.
Steve R. Smith, district conservationist for the USDA Soil Conservation Service at Clarksville, said single copies are available for \$1.00 for Texas residents from the Real Estate Center-SC, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843-2115.
"Every year as deer season approaches, we receive questions about deer leasing," Smith said. "This booklet is an excellent guide for people to use to avoid misunderstanding about what to expect from a deer lease."
The SCS at Clarksville gives technical assistance to landowners and operators through the local Red River County Soil and Water Conservation District.

By Betty Rodgers
Mr. and Mrs. John Erb of Tracy, CA visited Mr. and Mrs. Clovis VanDeaver from Thursday until Saturday. Clovis and John had not seen each other since 1946. They had spent six months together in the Navy Hospital at Corona, CA. They have corresponded each Christmas since then, not realizing that they might meet again. It was a time of renewing acquaintances and catching up on events that have taken place in their lives since then.

Fulbright News

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kelly of Paris visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow.
Monte Rodgers visited this weekend in Ft. Worth with Gaylon Cremeen and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cremeen.
Harold Epps of Mt. Vernon and Vernie Lee Ward of Bogata were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Ethel Epps.
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mosher of Dallas spent the weekend at their trailer home and visited with Mrs. Ethel Hill.

Betty Rodgers visited with Jodi Crawford of Shady Grove Sunday.
Mrs. Georgia Ann Garrett of Dallas was a visitor of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swint Jr. this weekend.
Mrs. Ethel Epps visited her sister, Verna Ward of Bogata Monday.
Faye Gandy's visitors this week were Marion Mitchell, Rene Embrey, Linda Embrey, Ray Embrey and Jerome Luke of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Norwood of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker, Melissa and Monte Rodgers. Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Gerner of Dallas came Thursday and had dinner and spent the night. They were enroute to Branson, MO to attend the Loretta Lynn Show and visit other places of interest over the Labor Day weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Embrey were in Dallas, OK Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. David Atterberry and attended the prison rodeo that night.
Mr. and Mrs. Rene Embrey spent from Wednesday to Friday at their home in Dallas visiting their son, Dana.
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cremeen of Ft. Worth spent Friday night and Saturday here at their home.
Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker were Karen Baker of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Woods of The Colony, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hill of Paris, Mrs. Eva Coleman of Clarksville, Mrs. Pauline Garmon, Mrs. Tessie Chandler of Detroit and Miss Ruby Chandler.
Mrs. Worth Baker and Karen visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powell of Bogata on Monday.

Obituaries

Thomas F. Skidmore Dies September 4

Thomas F. Skidmore, 80, of Bagwell, died Sunday, September 4 in McCuiston Medical Center.
Services were scheduled for 3 p.m. Monday, September 5 in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home. Burial was in Manchester Cemetery with the Rev. A.B. Kellam officiating.
Mr. Skidmore was born October 10, 1907 in Red River County. He was a Baptist.
Surviving are his wife, Bessie; three daughters, Edna Ohl of Paris, Nellie Smith of Manchester and Lou Presley of Manchester; one sister, Willie Mae Topping of Bogata; three brothers, Jess Skidmore of Bagwell, Jim Skidmore of Bogata and John Skidmore of Sherman; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Mack Leon Black Dies September 6

Mack Leon Black, age 73, died Tuesday, September 6 in Titus County Hospital. He was born April 2, 1915 in Titus County. He is survived by his wife, Charline of Talco; two sons and daughters-in-law, Butch and Harrolyn Black of Garland, Danny and Carol Black of Joliet; three daughters and sons-in-laws, Jackie and Bobby Crowley of Mt. Pleasant, Faye and Bill Purdue of Kilgore, Maxine and Frankie Harrell of Garland; 12 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren.
Services were held Thursday, Sept. 8 at Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home in Mt. Pleasant at 10 a.m. Bro. Johnny Mack Brown and Bro. Gary House officiated with burial in Bannion Cemetery.

James L. Cato Dies August 29

James Louis Cato, 87, born August 27, 1901 in Franklin County, died at 6 a.m. Monday, August 29 at his home in Talco. He had been retired 15 years from his ranching business and was a long time member of the Talco Church of Christ.
Mr. Cato is survived by his wife, Edith Cato of Talco; two daughters, Marguerite Dismuke of Grand Prairie and Christelle Cato of Talco; three grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. B.L. Gieger of Burkburnett.
Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, August 31 at the Talco Church of Christ with Jamie Duncan and Lon Jones officiating. Burial was in Talco Cemetery.

W.T. Williams Dies September 6

W.T. (Buddy) Williams, 78, of Bogata, died Tuesday, September 6 at Red General Hospital.
Services were held Wednesday, Sept. 7 at 2:30 p.m. at the Cuthand Methodist Church with burial in Cuthand Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.
Mr. Williams was born February 4, 1910 in Red River County, a son of Tom and Dodie Byrd Williams. On Sept. 11, 1937, he married Lillian Sheffield. He was a retired truck driver and farmer.
Surviving are his wife; one son, Doyce Williams of Mesquite; three brothers, Carl Williams of Bogata, George Williams of Cedar Hill and Irvin Williams of Bogata; two sisters, Opal Lampard of Bogata and Lucy Mae Hough of Ore City; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

DEAR GRANDMOTHER RIDENS

Sometimes I really can't believe that you are gone away. I guess I thought that you would always stay. To be there for me whenever I'd call, to help solve my problems, both large and small. It's so hard for me to justify the how, the when and finally the why. Such a violent accident doesn't match how your life was spent. I guess there's never a good time to let go, but why now I just don't know.

I do know the time you spent with us here is filled with memories both precious and dear. I graduated from college because of you. Your constant faith got me through. I'd be ready to quit, then I'd hear you say, "I'm going to Odessa to see my granddaughter graduate from college someday." And come you did. Wild horses couldn't keep you away, you were right here on my graduation day.

You never had a doubt that I'd make it through even though myself, I had a doubt or two. But all the time and work was made worthwhile, when in cap and gown I walked down that aisle. You sat and watched as I took my place with pride in your eyes and a smile on your face. For grand-daddy and Fulbright and that little church we've both cared, and with your passing I guess in a way you've been spared from any more pain and grief to bear because without you, there is nothing left there. But it won't ever be gone completely when I can close my eyes and see, not the way it is now, but the way it used to be.

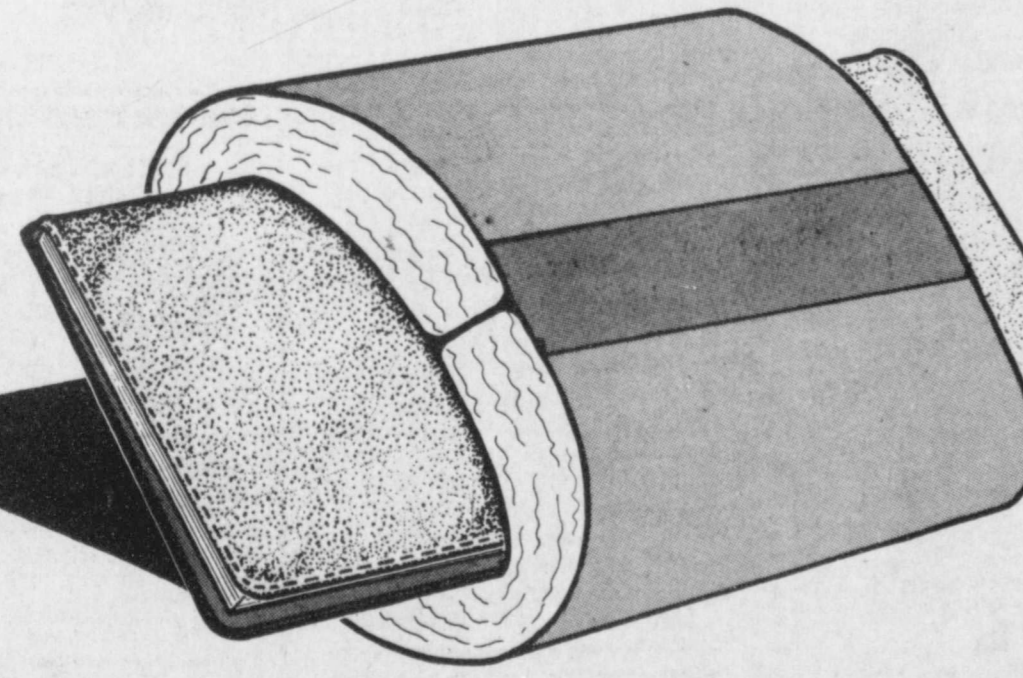
"Rock of Ages" rings through the night and seems to accompany the lighting bug's flight. Sitting in the yard in the evenings and playing until we dropped, Granddaddy turning the crank on the ice cream freezer with me or Judy perched on top. Gathering vegetables from the garden or bowing at a table for Granddaddy to pray--these memories will always be there to make my day.

Time can never erase from my mind all the people so good and kind. The people that played such a meaningful part in making me who I am today in my heart. I have loved you so much for so long in the past, even though you are gone from me, that love will still last. I will miss you always, and I will wish you were here, but whenever I need you, a fond memory will be near.

I am sorry for myself that you are no longer around, but I know today in Heaven a new "angel" can be found. You are reunited with loved ones and the Lord, I guess in a way our loss is their reward.

I Love You,
I Will Always Love You,
Kathy Kay

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Everyone Invited To Meetings

Everyone is invited to attend the regular monthly meeting of the Red River County Genealogical Society on Monday, September 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Red River County Public Library.
The program will be by Skipper Steeley of Paris, who will review his new book that will be printed soon.
The regular meetings will be held the second Monday night of each month. The next meeting will be on October 12.

"He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life."
John 5:24b

Have A Nice Weekend

American Viewpoints



True eloquence consists in saying all that is necessary, and nothing but what is necessary.
La Rochefoucauld

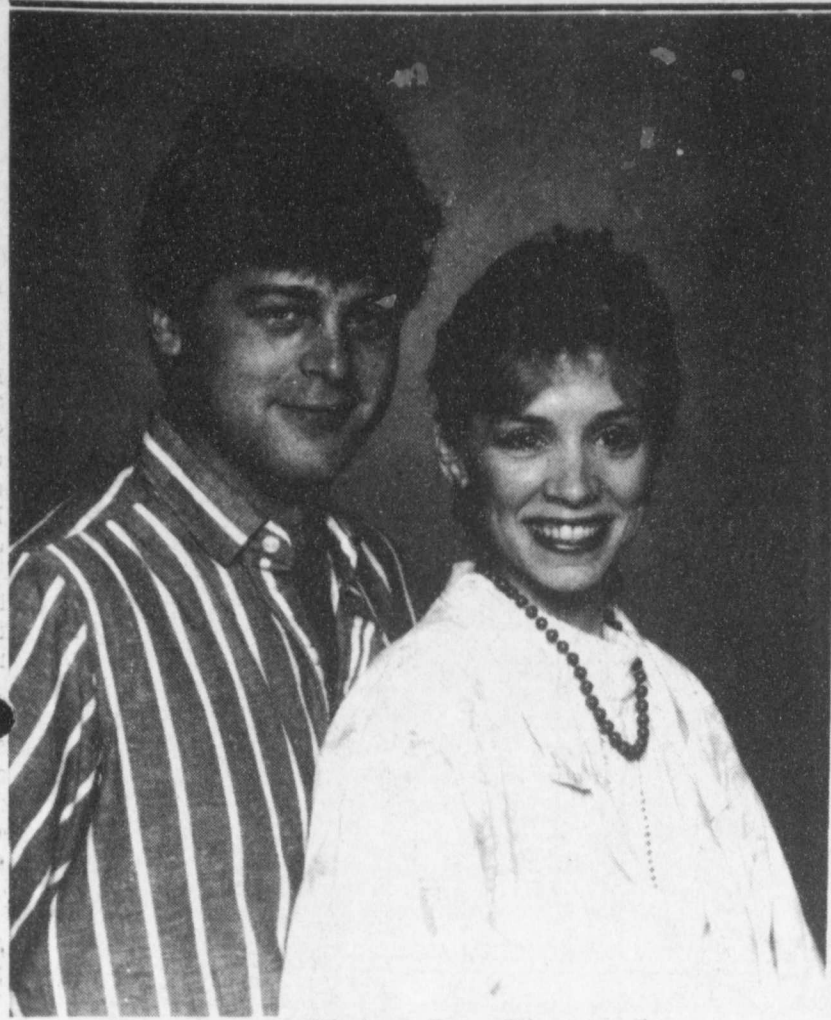
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Kimberly Dawn Wagner and Thomas Kent Weiberg

Weiberg-Wagner Set Date To Exchange Vows

Kimberly Dawn Wagner and Thomas Kent Weiberg will be married in a semi-formal, double-ring ceremony on Saturday, September 17 at 2 p.m. at DeShogn Chapel in Paris. The Rev. George E. Griffin, grandfather of the bride, will officiate.

Miss Wagner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Couch. She is a 1983 graduate of Prairiland High School and attended Paris Junior College and is employed at Phylly-

Slaton Insurance Agency. Mr. Weiberg is the son of Tom Weiberg of Rochester, Minnesota and Ms. Linda Weiberg of Mazeppa, Minnesota. He is a 1982 graduate of Mazeppa High School and a 1984 graduate of Paris Junior College. He is employed by Office Equipment Center.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception immediately following.



DEPORT VOLUNTEER Fire Chief Duane Glover accepts a \$50.00 check from Kenneth

Jeffery of Contel Telephone as a donation for their fire-fighting efforts. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

By Mrs. Virgie Ballard
A.G. Ballard was ill in a Paris hospital part of last week. Mike and Janie are sporting a new car since last week.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard was ill in McCuiston Hospital last week after suffering a spell of heart failure. She is better now.

All school children began another year of school last week.

Tony Ballard of San Antonio and Pete Farmer of Paris enjoyed some dove hunting last week.

Mary Stone and Jenny Hatcher have been suffering with back problems. We hope they are better now.

Lewis and Louise Clement spent part of last week in Houston as her sister, Mrs. Mildred Humphrey underwent surgery in Houston. We hope she is better now.

Fred Skidmore of Jennings with Mrs. Alma Skidmore and Katy Allred of Paris and several other family members spent several days this week with a relative, Mrs. Annie of Washington.

Michelle Emmons, formerly of Clardy, of Sulphur Springs, with her mother, Mrs. Kay Emmons and Loretta and Mike, received several scholarships in her high school years and took band and music. She then went to Abilene and began school there at Hardin Simmons University. She plans to major in Social Work and Psychology. She spent 10 weeks in Buffalo, NY this summer, sponsored by Southern Baptist Home Mission Board, worked in the youth department and was secretary of Frontier Baptist Assoc. office. She enjoyed her summer but returned home to be ready to return to college on August 14 at Hardin Simmons. She has many friends in the Pattonville and Clardy area who wish her much success.

Church services were attended by a large crowd Sunday with several visitors, Mrs. Kay Kennedy, accompanied by Mrs. Judy Pomroy, sang a beautiful song for the service. Bro. L.C. Stout rendered the message and two decisions were made.

Everyone is glad to hear that Mrs. Virgie Ballard is improving in McCuiston Hospital. Mrs. Mary Stone visited her Friday morning. Her children and families have been attending her. Mrs. Stone finished writing the Clardy News for her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hatcher were in Commerce Saturday to attend the funeral of a long-time friend, Lon Morris.

Michelle Emmons and brother of Sulphur Springs spent two nights with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone. They visited friends in Paris and Pattonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stout and children of Beckville spent the weekend with their parents, Bro. and Mrs. L.C. Stout and other relatives and attended church at Bethel Baptist Sunday.

Mrs. Glenna Norrell of Minter who was a patient at McCuiston Hospital for several days, returned home Thursday. Mrs. Era Rader who stays part time with Mrs. Norrell, visited her Tuesday.

The following visited Alvis Glen Ballard last week while he was ill, Mr. Kelley, Melvin Bryant, Bro. and

Mrs. L.C. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone and several others. He is doing better and attended church Sunday.

Mrs. Della Blanton of Detroit visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Glen Ballard Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hancock and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hancock at Brookston last week.

The 60th wedding anniversary of R.R. (Rant) Stone and Myrtle Tucker Stone was attended by a large crowd of relatives and friends at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Stone in Clardy from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, September 4. Another son, Gary Don Stone and wife, Ann, and Keith Stone were all hosts for the occasion. The honored couple received several gifts and cards and the occasion was enjoyed by all. Pictures were taken of the celebration.

Fred Skidmore was surprised by friends of the area on his 60th birthday with a birthday cake and supper. He was surprised and enjoyed it very much. He took his first airplane trip to Seattle, Washington, along with his mother, Mrs. Alma Skidmore, age 82, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coe and Mrs. Bill Allred. They went to visit a relative, Mrs. Annie East, 89 years old. They are enjoying their trip.

J.C. Pomroy of Paris visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Pomroy Sunday.

The following teachers from Jennings, Clardy and Marvins returned to their places in their respective schools for the 1988-89 school year which began September 1. They are Johnnie Hatcher of Deport, Mark Hudson, Norris Ballard, Elaine Ballard, Paris, also Donna Dunn, Judy Pomroy, Kristi Berry, Pris, Charles Price, Blossom, Mr. Charles Price works an office clerk in Paris and Mrs. Elaine Ballard.

The Clardy, Plainview and Tollette school reunion that has been held for several years annually on the first Saturday night in September was held September 3 with only 7 people attending. They enjoyed a supper and visit but decided to close the occasion as there was little interest.

David Harris and Stephen and Brittany visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris were honored with a barbeque supper and all the trimmings at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Clement in Blossom Sunday night, honoring the Harris' 57th wedding anniversary. Others attending were Mikel Clement and Kelly, Dava Redus, Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and family, Melinda Harris and friend, Jessie. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

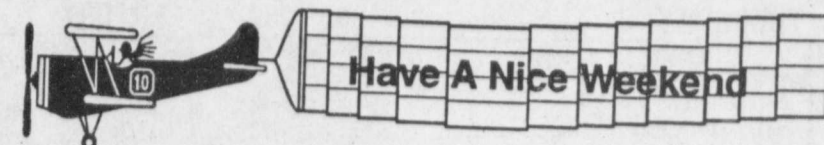
Macy Scout of Paris spent Friday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Stout.

Alpha Russell, Mrs. Nelda Harrell attended a revival in Paris last week at the New Hope Baptist Church under a brush arbor.

Mrs. Mary Stone visited Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Rex Allen and daughter, Peggy in Blossom.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Glen Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Tolbert McKnight and wife, Lorene

Sugg McKnight, Sunday afternoon were born and raised in Clady. We wish them many more good years of life.



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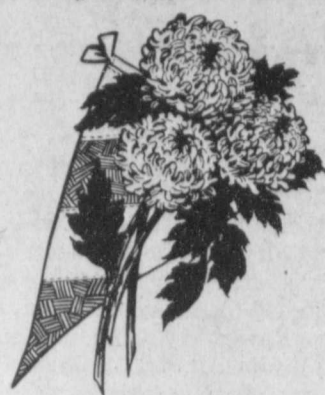
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Prairiland Outguns Rebels

By Gary House
An outweighted, outmanned Prairiland defensive unit illustrated that truth Friday night, while the offensive unit made the most of their limited scoring opportunities in the second

quarter to earn a narrow 9-7 victory over their southern rivals, the Rivercrest Rebels.
The night started fearfully for the Patriots. After being stymied in their initial possession, they watched the

Rivercrest offensive unit march nearly 70-yards for a touchdown. The Rebels were propelled by the running of senior tailback Lafayette Scooter Brown, who raced for a 34-yard gain on the first play from scrimmage. Powerful fullback Marcus Savage assisted in the Rebel drive, and on the tenth play, senior quarterback Bradley Woods darted around left end on a keeper to score at the 4:49 mark in the first quarter. Jeremy Abshire added the point after. At this point, it appeared, the Rebels would romp.

But in the second quarter, the Patriot offense came alive. Quarterback Martin Babb executed the option well, and a pass to Wade Sparks on a fake field goal attempt was good for 12 yards to sustain the drive. From the Rebel eleven, senior Jack Kindle, who would emerge as the game's hero, booted a 28-yard field goal with 1:18 left in the period.

The ensuing kickoff saw Kindle squib the ball down the right sideline where it was recovered by Wade Sparks on the Rebel 34-yard line. Aided by two major penalties, the Patriots managed to score on a three-yard drive by Babb with only 18 seconds remaining in the half. A two-point conversion attempt failed, but the Pats had scratched out a 9-7 lead they would tenaciously cling to for the balance of the game.

The Patriot offense could do little in the second half, indeed 80 of the 140 total yards came in that bonanza in the second quarter. Babb rushed for 39 yards, while Sparks added 36 and Trevor Upchurch accounted for 33. Babb also completed two passes for 24 yards. The Patriot cause was helped by Rebel miscues, as the Rebels committed nine infractions for 90 penalty yards. The Patriot defense was forced to play virtually the entire second half of the game together to turn the Rebels away from paydirt at least three times. The most crucial stand was on the final play of the game. The Rebels had driven from their own 13-yard line, following a towering punt, to the Patriot thirteen.

Coach Jim Chambers called consecutive time-outs to prepare for the forthcoming game-winning field goal attempt from the toe of Woods. Timing his leap perfectly, Jack Kindle met the solidly kicked spiral with his chest to give the Patriots the ball, and the victory, with only eight seconds left.

This week, the Patriots will engage in their home opener against Class A Bells.

Carl and JaLynda Mitchell of Deport announce the arrival of their daughter, Jo Lyna Danbri, born August 26 and weighing 8 lb. 6 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballard of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell of Orla and the late Joanna Mitchell of Hugo, OK. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Ballard of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coker of Klondike and the late G.C. Doolin of Klondike. Great-grandfather is J.E. Anderson of Klondike. She joins a brother, Dakota Mitchell.

Pattonville News

By Ann Wright

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby this week were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard and Chrystal of Quitman, Teresa Gamble and Ashley of The Colony, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pickens and children of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Woodall of Clardy, Sue Shelton, Ellen Weaver and her mother, Mrs. Chennault of Paris, Mrs. Steve Ladd, Wilma Wheeler of Faught, Edna Towers of Shady Grove, Maurine Bryant, Ruby D. Blevins and Frances Anderson.

Visitors of Mrs. Curtis Hoover this week were David Hoover of Pittsburg, Grace Fendley of Blossom and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Miller of Paris.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappell this week were Mike Simmons an dfriend, James of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. D. Betenbough and Mr. and Mrs. Don Betenbough and grandchildren of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig received a phoen call Saturday night from Mr. and Mrs. Danny Ray Craig and fam-

ily of Kenneshaw, GA.

LaVanda Merritt and girls of Clardy, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craig and family of Blossom visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craig, Kaleb and Kayla of Blossom Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Eads of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Kent Wright and Brandon. Louise Crossland and Annette accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Eads of Ft. Worth to see their sister, Bonnie Banta of New Boston Saturday, who was recently dismissed from St. Michael's Hospital after surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Annette, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Eads of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland, Michael and David of Reno Saturday evening.

Kent and Brandon Wright attended the Wright reunion Saturday in Deport.

Milton News

By Lillian Upchurch

Kelly Haley and daughter Devin of McKinney visited their grandmother, Mildred Millspaugh over the weekend.

H.R. and Lillian Upchurch returned Monday from a 10-day trip to Michigan and Missouri. They visited relatives and friends in Michigan. In Missouri they visited Lillian's mother, Laura McBride and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murray and children of Doniphan. On Sunday they had a visit rom their aunts and uncles in the Doniphan area.

Kay Parks, Timothy and Dale Williams Faught and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny olt, Chrispher and Rea had lunc Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt.

Mrs. Mattylu Upchurch visited Ann Ford of Paris Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Whitten of Honey Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Richey and son of Alexandria, LA visited last week with her sister, Mrs. Edna Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hobbs attended the annual Hobbs homecoming Sunday at the Deport Legion Hall in Deport. More than 50 people attended. The homecoming was for descendants of George W. Hobbs, great-grandfather of Conrad Hobbs.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dawson of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Franklin of Lewisville, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pettit of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Pettit, Ashley and Britany of Red Oak.

Kay Parks, Timothy, Dorothy Holt and Renea Holt visited Dorothy's father, Terry Johnson, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall attended the wedding of their grandson, Grady Pettit Friday.

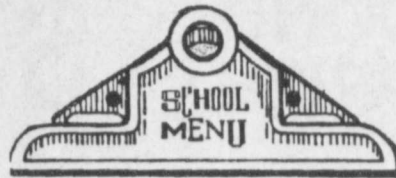
Brock McDowra Celebrates Sixth Birthday

Brock McDowra celebrated his sixth birthday on Saturday, September 3, with a party at his home. Everyone enjoyed playing games and a good time was had by all.

Guests were Keith, Ammie and Justin McDowra, Mathew Basinger,

Jared Bullard, Michael Mazy, Aunt Donnie, Brandon and Tiffany McGill, Aunt Sue-Sue, Chris, Pamela and Nicholas McDowra.

Refreshments of dinosaur cake, strawberry coke and yabba-dabbadoo bars were served to the guests.



Deport School Menu Sept. 12-16 Monday

Enchiladas with chili and cheese
Cookies
Bread
Milk

Tuesday

Chili dogs
French fries
Catsup
Pickle slices
Cookies
Milk

Wednesday

Steak fingers
Mixed vegetables
Creamed potatoes
Butter and honey
Hot rolls
Milk

Thursday

Soup, vegetable beef and chicken noodle
Pimento and cheese and peanut butter and honey sandwiches
Milk

Friday

Taco salad
Salad cheese, chips
Fruit
Bread
Milk



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Deport Housing Authority News

By Lelia Westbrook and Mary Westbrook

Ms. Lucille Cline attended a school reunion at Powderly over the weekend. Her niece, Mrs. Marie Lowe Downy and husband of Oklahoma City, Ok and nephew, Dr. Lowe and wife, Billie Cathereen of Kilgore and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lowe of Durant, OK.

Mrs. Gera Johnson spent the weekend with her son, Max Johnson and family in Plano.

Susan McDowra, Pamela Sue and Nicholas visited Dorthea McDowra Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Reggie McDowra, Pamela Sue, Christopher and Nicholas ate supper with Dorthea Thursday night. Dorthea spent Friday with Ms. Ann McKinney at Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy and daughters, Pam, and two daughters and Kristy and two daughters of Commerce spent Monday with Ms. Mamie Kennedy. Ruth Ann Allen of Milton visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Snooky Lawler of Lewisville spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Beulah Shipp.

Sonny and Jan Hurst of Carrollton spent the weekend with her mother, Willie Mae Speir.

Mrs. Carrie Bennett visited her daughter in Paris Wednesday. They visited Mrs. Gean Bennett in Dallas and went shopping while there.

Haney Takes Over At Atlanta Security Savings

Joanne Haney, the new manager of the Atlanta branch of Security Savings and Loan is a people person. "I'm happy to be here and have the opportunity to meet new people," said Haney, who took over after former manager David Walls decided to return to coaching.



Mrs. Joanne Haney

Have A Pleasant Weekend

"I was in the last branch for five years and met all of those people. This is my first time going into a new area as a manager."

Although she lives in Wake Village Haney said she feels she knows many people in Atlanta already, her husband has been a mail carrier here for three and a half years.

"As many times as he speaks of the people here, I may not know them by face, but I know the name," she said.

And knowing the customers is important in the savings and loan business, she said.

Recognizing everyone who comes in the savings and loan makes it easier to prevent such things as bad checks.

Before working for Security, Haney said she worked in banking for six or seven years. Besides Security's Texas Boulevard branch, she said she has also worked at the main office.

"Loans are new to me, I worked in savings and checking," she said. Although loans are limited right now, she said she wants to continue serving the customers here.

"Transactionwise, this branch holds up real well. It is one of the more active branches," she said.

Mrs. Haney is the daughter of Babe and Estelle Chesshire.

Deport Locals

By Lelia Westbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ham's daughter, Mrs. Kathy Bruno and their great-grandson, Michael Coke of Shreveport, LA, names were omitted from the list that attended the Ham's 60th anniversary.

Craig and Kim Carroll and daughter, Katie of Norman, Ok spent Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carroll.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carroll were Mr. and Mrs. Olan D. Gable of Mineola and Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Weaver of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hammond of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Westbrook of DeKalb visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Westbrook Sunday night. Mrs. Bertha Nation and Sam Nation of Paris visited them Sunday.

Pamela Dunsmore of Mesquite spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Vickers of Bogata visited them Sunday afternoon.

Luanne Sparks visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Sparks and other relatives over the Labor Day weekend.

Donnie, Dawne and David Darden ate dinner with J.A. and Juanita Sparks.

Here to celebrate Elvis and Pauline Wright's 58th wedding anniversary and Elvis' birthday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Taylor of Enid, OK, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Wright of Mansfield, LA; also present were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wright and Lindsey of Pine Bluff, AR, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Low and Trey of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wright of San Angelo, Mrs. Butch Packsandt of Mansfield, LA, Delbert Haskins of Irving and Mrs. Shirley Rody of Houston. The group went to Paris Sunday for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haney of Wake Village spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chesshire. Ms. Mavis Soward had lunch with them also.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ferrell Hobbs of Norman, OK visited Ms. Purnia Haydock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McAllister of Paris visited Purnia Haydock on Monday.

Mike Jones of Irving and Bill Bonner of Dallas visited Mike's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Alsbrook Monday. Patsy and Waylon Norrell were supper guests of Doug and Goldie Alsbrook Monday.

Inogene Wilson of Paris and Venice Wilson of Bryson were after-

noon guests. Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy brought her mother, Francis Franklin, home after spending 10 days with them.

Mrs. Paul Crawford, the former Mary Hill, of Forrest Chapel and daughter, Linda Graves of Plano visited the Walker Devlins.

Dicky and Jayne King, NeLeigh and Jeff and Thomas and Nanalee Nichols spent four days on the Guadalupe River near New Braunfels rafting.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hignight had their grandson, Craig Carrell and wife, Kim and baby, Katie, over the Labor Day holiday. They arrived Thursday and stayed until Sunday afternoon. They are from Norman, OK.

Mrs. Linnie Bailey visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bailey of Reno Friday night.

Mrs. Mildred Holbert of Bakersfield, CA is visiting Mrs. Linnie Bailey this week.

Brian, Becky, Brent and Brittany Burks of Mabank and Brad, Cindy and Meagan Burks of Reno spent the weekend with their parents, Kenneth and Janette Burks.

Local winners in the photography division of the Red River Valley Fair and Exposition held this year for the first time were: Elisa Proctor, Grand Prize, adult and first prize and second, adult black and white division. Amanda Gordon, first place in youth division, black and white; Brenda Moreland, participant in color, youth division. Nanalee Nichols was chairman of the photography division.

Reep's Furniture donated the Grand Prizes.

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Deport Nursing Home News

Gladys Brownley of Pickton and Bonnie Bryan of Blossom visited their mother, Mrs. Otis Boyer.

Mr. and Mrs. LaFon Darrow of Clarksville visited Mrs. Mary Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blessingame and children of Detroit taught Bible study on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hattie Hobbs of Milton visited Tully Temple.

Marshall Dunigan, Ernest Perry, Ben Taylor, Ed York and Fannie Belle Guest went for a ride to Detroit.

A bake sale was held Friday afternoon. The money is being used for the senior games in Austin.

Margaret Ortez and Modesta Scott of Clarksville visited LaVerne Osborne on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Davis of Princeton, LA, Mrs. Lucy Fowler of Cunningham and Johnnie Warren of Deport visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Davis of Paris. Visiting Johnnie Warren on Sun-

day was Bocky and Mandi Norman, Irene Walker and Margie Roach of Deport.

Mrs. Helen Giboney of Detroit and Mrs. Nancy Harris of Dallas visited Inez Luttrell.

Charlie Lee Elliot of Paris visited Stella Hayes.

A surprise birthday party was given September 3 for Geneva Currin. Her children were hosts at the party. Those attending were David Currin and Brandon of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quick and girls, Mr. and Mrs. William Currin and girls, and George Currin, all of Mesquite, Claude Currin of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Edwards of Pattonville, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Freeman and Gina of Deport and Ashley and Robert Ensor of Pattonville. Cake and homemade ice cream were enjoyed by everyone.

George Hancock of Bogata visited Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Shannon on Monday.

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