By Nanalee Nichols

Perhaps readers may recall the tale I told about the country banking problems my brother had a few weeks ago?

Well, he called the other afternoon with further additions to their

In fact, I began to think he was making it up, but no, other employees at the bank and some customers confirmed that my brother had not lost his mind or taken to exaggerations.

It seems that in addition to the daily tribe of guineas, and the almost daily perusal of turkeys the bank received a visit from five peacocks.

That's right, those blue - green and brilliant fowl with such gorgeous plumage and nasty tempers.

They were pecking on the glass and walking through the drive through window!

The next day, there was a sheep on the front steps when the employees went to open the front door!

Apparently, word of the Critter Credit branch is spreading, and more creatures are coming by.

Hugh says that he's having a little problem with the peacocks, though. They are terribly vain creatures, and aren't taking the news that they are not a good loan risk just because they have longer tailfeathers than most birds very well! He swears they are stridently refusing to leave until they can get something more than chicken feed! Just as firmly, he insists that he doesn't loan money on the basis of vanity.

A few human customers have cast nervous glances at the hovering, shrieking peacocks that are picketing the bank, no doubt contemplating getting the AAFTP (you know, the American Association for the Fair Treatment of Peafowl) in to force the bank to make them a substantial loan to build a peacock entertainment palace which will feature mir-

rors and nothing else. The sheep, if you will pardon the expression, left as meek as a lamb!

So proceeds the saga of the animal oriented banking institute.

I wonder what will appear next!

Department **Presents Plaques**

The Deport Volunteer Fire Department met Monday night to have a barbecued brisket and chicken meal after their regular meeting.

Fire Chief Duane Glover and Secretary Charles Foster were honored with plaques commending them for heir many years of dedication to the department. President Dana Norman prsented the awards. Between the two men they have almost 100 years of service!

Also dedicated was a plaque honoring all the past and present fire Chiefs since the fire department was organized.

The chiefs are: E.O. Thompson, Tom Ferguson, Otis Westbrook, "Red" Weaver, Delbert Norman and Duane Glover. Room was left to add additional Fire Chiefs as time goes

Special guest was Randy Boren and the banker, Alan Kimberly. After the meal assistant drill maser Eric Pearson drilled new mem-

bers on the use of air packs.

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Fire Fanned The Flames Of Fear In Past History

By Nanalee Nichols

Everyone fears losing their home to fire. Fire is non-discriminatory. Wealthy or poor, insured or un-insured, when the flames lay claim to a structure it knows no difference.

But the fears about fire that people today have are nothing to compared to those of long ago.

Fire from the past were fearsome, indeed. When one structure burned it almost certainly took another, or even several others, with it.

The earliest attempts at fire fighting were bucket brigades. Anyone who has ever watched flames roaring and consuming a building even under the deluge of water from several fire trucks can imagine how futile lines of people drawing water from a well bucket by bucket and throwing it on the flames would be!

Whole business districts were wiped out because of a fire that began in some single location.

A street of houses might be destroyed, while whole miles of countryside would be ravaged by grass fires.

Around the turn of the century local communites began to get Fire Wagons, which were copper tanks holding chemicals to smother a fire

These wagons were pulled by horses or mules, and the tanks were fixed on pivots. When inverted they mixed soda, water and acid, creating a foam. Two or three hundred feet of hose enabled firemen to reach the flames.

The horses or mules were always harnessed, and usually belonged to someone with a livery or transfer

In larger towns the fire department actually owned their own animals.

Although primitive by today's standards, the chemical wagon prevented many a conflagration. Larger towns frequently could

afford steam pumper wagons, which replaced the chemical wagons. Most volunteer departments never owned a steam pumper.

In the late 20's and early 30's fire departments began purchasing pumper trucks. These became practical when water systems were installed in towns.

While the pumper trucks have become larger, the equipment more "high-tech" and the skills required of volunteers more demanding, one thing hasn't changed.

The volunteer fire department is constantly raising money to keep their equipment functioning and at it's best.

Without updating their equipment, and training, fire fighting would never have progressed beyond the bucket brigade

Through the years they have made real progress against the ravages of fire. While the newspaper clippings from long ago record home after home

lost, it is a fairly rare occurance now.

No longer does a structure fire automatically mean that several other houses will catch and be destroyed Indeed, buildings that are only a few feet away from a blaze can now be saved from damage

When electricity replaced kerosene, and ovens and stoves replaced wood cook stoves the number of fires reduced, too.

Grass fires used to ignite wooden houses, while that is a rare occurance these days. Almost any grass fire can be extinguished by the fire department before it claims a home.

Certified fire departments keep home owners and business owner's insurance rates down, too, a fact seldom considered.

One thing is certain. A volunteer fire department is no better than the people who man the equipment.

No matter how modern the truck, or how much water it can pump per minute, without those volunteers who man the hoses and handle the equipment, no fire would ever be put out!

Yes, fire fighting has changed. Homes have changed.

Insurance rates have sky rocketed. But one thing hasn't. That's the quality of dedication that each and every volunteer fireman has to have

to serve. Fire no longer inspires the sheer horror of by gone days. And that is largely because of the volunteer fire department.



the letter was attached clippings from could be bought for 59¢ a square a paper she thinks was 1943. She said yard. that she looked forward to my column every week and thaught that I Jewelry. They had mens diamond might could use the clippings to help rings for \$50.00 and wedding rings with my article. I told her that I could use all the help I could get!

There was an ad for saddle-oxford shoes. The store was called Ayres. The shoes were on sale for \$3.49 a pair. They had blue bonnet batiste for sale for 29¢ a yard. They also had Brentwood Dresses on sale for \$1.98

There was an ad from Whites. They had solid walnut coffee table for \$12.95. They had Kroehler Rest Rockers for \$37.50. They also had an article about them opening a new linolium department. The Challenge

A few days ago I recieved a letter Quality Felt Base was 49¢ a sqare from Mrs. Maureen Richardson. In yard. Also Pabco Stainless Sheen

There was also an ad from House for \$9.95 a piece.

I found an article a mothers day program to be held at the 22nd Street USO Club. The soldiers had planned a Mother's Day program for the mother's of soldiers who would not be able to come home for Mother's

She sent an article listing articles that were needed by the Red Cross to help the servicemen of the war. They said that anyone who had these things that they had to be in useable condi-

Williams Hired As **New Band Director**

Tim Williams has been selected as calendar for 1991-92 and a list of the new band director at Prairiland High School. He has been a band director for 15 years, most recently at %-A school Waco High School, and before that Arp. Williams was hired after Joe Watson's resignation as band director. Watson had been hired earlier in the summer.

The Prairiland Band adopted a salary schedule for custodial pay, which included a 5 % increase, the

The board selected an insurance carrier, which is Combined Insurance Carrier Associates and voted to contributed \$160 per month to employees portion of the plan.

Minutes were read and approved, tax report heard, approved budget amendments to the 1990-91 budget and approved payment of bills.

The board heard from Mark Robinett, legal counsel for Robert Rater, Doris Stidham and Barbara Harrington concerning career ladder placement.

The board voted to grant a hearing for the review of the career ladder. They adopted a teacher appraisal

The board set a fee of \$20 for students who must attend Saturday school because of poor attendance. The fee will be required to be paid

upon arrival each Saturday. They amended sick leave policy.

The cafeteria meal prices were set the same as last year. \$1 for lunch, 40 cents for reduced

price meals and breakfast is 50 cents regular and 30 cents reduced price. The dyslexia program as presented

by Scottish Rites Hospital was a dopted to assist regular education students who are having learning difficulties. It will be put into effect this year.

The resignation of Randy Dollins was accepted. He will be going to North Lamar as a counseler. Charlie Whitten was hired as girl's

basketball coach at Blossom and Junior High Football, and PE coach. Hiring was all subject to board confirmation.

Canvassing of the County Eduction Board election held August 10 was done.



morning. The Deport Volunteer

IN APPRECIATION-Duane Glover, (left) and Charles Foster (right) were presented with

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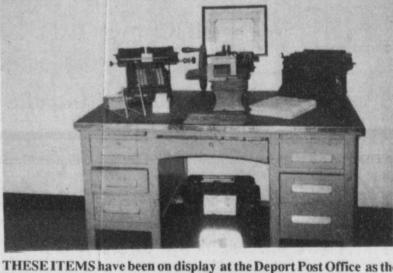
many years of dedicated service to the Deport Volunteer Fire Department at the Department's supper Monday night. present-

The Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham will have a weekend revival Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. and on Sunday at 10 a.m. Speaker will be Peggy White of Artesia, NM.

ing the awards was Dana Norman. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

back and engine did suffer

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THESE ITEMS have been on display at the Deport Post Office as the Postal Department celebrated its 20th anniversary as a Service instead of a Government Department, since the items shown above: 2

Scudder Blanks Giants After 51-Day Hiatus

Scott Scudder, Cincinnati Red I told Jeff Reed, the catcher, to point pitcher, blanked the New York Giants recently, coming back to the mound from a 51-day hiatus as a result of shoulder tendinitis.

Scudder gave up four hits, struck out three and walked one as the Reds got consecutive shut-outs for the first time since May 18-19 of last season.

"I've never been hurt before, so I didn't know what to expect," said Scudder, who threw 71 pitches. "It's been so long since I'd been out there.

me in the right direction to throw."

Norm Charlton pitched three innings and Ted Power finished the six-hitter.

Cincinnati has won just 12 of its last 37 games, but sent the Giants to consecutive shutout losses for the first time since April, 1988.

Scudder is a Prairiland High School graduate and the son of Bill and Sue Scudder of Blossom.



NETTIE YODER is surrounded by 95 cinnamon rolls taken hot from the oven. She is

sharing recipes this week in Country Cooking. (Staff Photo by Gerrie Bankhead)

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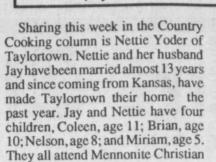
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Country Cooking



Fellowship at Broadway. Nettie's hobbies are reading, cooking, sewing, gardening, canning, knitting, crochet, embroidery and

One of her favorite authors is James Dobson, and she also enjoys educational books. Nettie tries to walk 3 1/ 2 miles every day. She has a walking partner, Melody Holland, who keeps her going.

Casseroles and traditional foods are her favorites. She bakes all her bread and is known for her famous cinnamon rolls which she is sharing with you. If you would like to purchase some, just call her. They are

Nettie learned to cook as a youngster and she still uses a lot of her mom's basic ideas and adapts them to suit her family's style. She first started making cinnamon rolls at age 12.

Mix water, milk, sugar, salt, eggs and

butter in large mixing bowl. In a sepa-

rate bowl, mix yeast with several cups flour. Add to the mixture and mix well. Add the rest of the flour and mix well. Cover and let rise til double. Punch

down and let rise til double again. Punch

down and roll out, a half of the dough at

a time, on a floured surface; spread with

1/4 cup melted butter, sprinkle liberally

with cinnamon and 2 cups of brown

sugar. Roll up and slice. Place rolls on

greased cookie sheet, let rise til they look a little puffy. Bake 20 minutes at

350. As soon as they are baked, glaze

2 lbs. powdered sugar Makes approximately 4 1/2 dozen large

Taco Cornbread

1 cup warm water

4 cups warm milk

cup melted butter

4 Tbls. instant yeast

1/2 cup melted butter 1/3 cup brown sugar

rolls. Can be frozen.

l large chopped onion Fry in large skillet and add:

pkgs, taco seasoning

3 cups chopped tomatoes 4 cups cooked pinto beans

2 lbs. hamburger

cheese (optional)

9x11 baking pan.

3/4 cup cornmeal 3/4 cup flour

1/8 cup sugar

Combread topping:

1/2 teas, vanilla

cup milk

1 cup sugar 4 teas. salt

8 eggs

She sews all her family's clothes. She also makes lots of baby quilts for gifts and makes large quilts which she sells to a lady in Paris who in turn sells them all over the nation.

In canning all her fruits and vegetables, Nettie thinks green beans are the easiest. She began naming all the different foods she prepares each year and I said, "Hey, stop, I want to share this with the readers." She cans English peas, carrots, corn, beets, kraut, pickles, tomato juice, tomatoes, pizza sauce, taco sauce, ketchup, barbeque sauce, hot peppers, okra, blackberries, applesauce, etc. If you ever need a recipe for canning, just call her.

Her Banana Nut Cake recipe came from her mom, Mrs. Harley Beachy of Kansas. This cake is good with our without frosting. Both the Taco Combread and Amish Meatballs and Potatoes recipes came from friends

Mrs. John Rater wants a recipe for orange slice cake. Also, we are looking for the recipe for Almond Joy Cake.

If you've enjoyed the article, request a recipe or have a recipe to share or suggest a feature, please call 652-6032 or write Rt. 1, Box 67A, Deport, TX 75435.



By Nettie Yoder 3/4 tsp. soda 3/4 tsp. baking soda

Mix and spread evenly over meat and bean mixture. Bake at 350 for 30 minutes or til combread is done. Serve with additional taco sauce as desired Banana Nut Cake

1/2 cup shortening 1/2 cups sugar

1/2 cup buttermilk tsp. vanilla cup mashed bananas

cups flour 2 tsp. baking powder 1/2 tsp. baking soda

2 cup chopped pecans

Cream sugar and shortening. Add ggs, buttermilk, vanilla and bananas. Mix well. Add remaining ingredients and mix well. Pour into well greased and floured 9x11 pan. Bake 30 minutes at 350. Delicious with or without frost-

Amish Meatballs and Potatoes

1 1/2 lb. ground beef 1/2 cup chopped onion 3/4 cup bread crumbs

egg 1/2 tsp. salt

1/8 tsp. pepper 1 tsp. Worchestershire sauce 1/2 cup milk

Mix all ingredients thoroughly. Shape into balls the size of walnuts and brown in 1/4 cup hot fat or salad oil. Remove meat and stir into fat:

1/4 cup flour Mix well and simmer 5 minutes. Pour in

1/2 tsp. pepper 1 tsp. paprika Stir in 2 3/4 cups milk

Return meat to gravy. Cook 10 minutes and add 8 medium potatoes, boiled and cut up. Cook another 5 to 10 minutes.

Obituaries Ruby Lee Clement

Dies August 16

Cemetery in Minter.

Pentecostal Church.

Jason Ladd Baker.

August 13.

Cemetery.

Ruby Lee Clement, 72, of Cun-

ningham, died Friday, August 16 at Cherry Street Manor in Paris. Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, August 18 at Gene Roden's

Sons Chapel with the Rev. Weldon

Allen and the Rev. Bob Myre offici-

ating. Interment was in Woodard

Mrs. Clement was born July 19.

1919 in Cunningham to Wesley and

Ivy Black Rhodes. She married Her-

man Clement, who died May 16.

1981. She was a member of the United

Clement of Cunningham; and an aunt,

Frankie Archibald of Cunningham.

Jeff Kennedy, Heath Kennedy,

Scooter Bills, Jesse Ray Cochran and

Andrew Paul Cooper

Andrew Paul Cooper, 80, of Blos-

Services were held Thursday,

som died at Deport Nursing Home

August 15 at Fry and Gibbs Funeral

Home with burial in Knights of Honor

Born February 6, 1911 at Whitesboro, he was a son of E.J.

Cooper and Ettie Ann Chisholm. He

lived in West Texas for sevral years

and worked for Good Pasture Grain

Co. there before moving to Blossom.

He married Willie Geneva Wilson

August 1, 1969. She preceded him in

Mr. Cooper was a retired security

Surviving are three daughters,

Virginia Lee Gibson of Dallas, Pat

Rozell of Blossom and Neva Spencer

of Athens; three sons, Tony Turk of

Blossom, Frank Tull of Seabrook and

James Cooper of Pattonville; 23

grandchildren; 21 great-grandchil-

dren; five sisters, Opal Ogden of

Lamesa, Myrtle Ross of Dallas,

Geneva Cain of Lubbock, Mildred

Tesauro of Upland, CA and Vanita

Hamilton of Tahoka; and a brother,

A brother, Truitt Cooper, preceded

Noel Cooper of Lamesa.

him in death.

guard at St. Joseph's Hospital and a member of the Fellowship Baptist

death on April 1, 1990.

Church in Blossom.

Dies August 13

Survivors include a daughter, Lisa

Bearers were Bobby Ray Kennedy,

Dorothy Kincaid Dies August 16

Mrs. Dorothy Virginia Kincaid, 70, of Deport, died Friday, August 16 in Medical City Hospital in Dallas.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, August 18 at the Faith Baptist Church in Deport with the Rev. C.G. Renfro and Rev. Jerry Moore officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under the direction of Grant Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kincaid was born June 13, 1921 in Arthur City to Lee and Lee Ella Booth Francis. She married Burrell Kincaid on May 28, 1938 in

She worked in the Deport School cafeteria for more than 20 years and was a long time employee of Dr. Hale Glover's Medical Clinic. She was a member of the Faith Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Burrell, of Deport; sons Burrell Dean and Jerry Don Kincaid of Deport; daughters Georgia Ann Hoskins and Joan Elizabeth Bishop of paris an Dorothy Irene Nichols of Minter; 13 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Leonard "Shooter" Dabney Dies In Ruidoso, NM

Leonard B. "Shooter" Dabney, 72, of Haskell, formerly of Rochester, died Wednesday morning in Ruidoso, NM at the hospital after a heart attack. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Church of Christ in Rochester with John Greeson, Rule pastor officiating. Burial followed in Rochester Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

He was born September 11, 1918 in Rochester to the late James Henry and Lena Bell Dabney.

He was a retired restaurant supply salesman. He wrote a weekly column for the Twin Cities Newspaper in Rochester. He married Anita Culver on July 27, 1989 in Haskell. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a member of the Church of Christ. He was preceded in death by his

parents; one daughter, Susan Dabney Fink; one sister, Crystalina Rush; and three brothers, Luther, Deck and Truman Dabney.

Survivors include his wife, Anita of the home; one grandson, Jay Hancock of Bogata; and several nieces and nephews.

Card of Thanks

family of M.E. Roach says thank

our time of sorrow. A special thanks

to the nurses at Red River Haven and

St. Michael's paramedics for their

wonderful help, to Rev. Allen Phillips and Rev. Bill Pirtle, Gayle Roach,

Teresa White, Debbie and Mary Pirtle

for the beautiful service, and to Jim

and Tim Wood for their help and

Card of Thanks

concern. May God bless each one.

With hearts full of gratitude, the

Card of Thanks

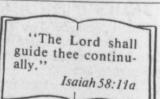
We wish to thank those who sent you to the many friends and relatives and served food, sent flowers, gave for all the food, flowers, cards, calls, contributions to the cemetery and prayers and words of comfort during other things. Also thanks to Bro. Benny Cogburn for such a consoling message and to James Wood for his kindness. God bless you all.

In Christian love. **Roy Gibson Family**

Card of Thanks

For all the beautiful show of love and friendship in our loss, we thank you. For hugs, prayers, calls, cards, donations, food and flowers, for the beautiful service by Bro. Bob Bush and the Masons and James Wood and staff. We love you all.

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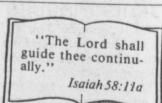
We, the family of Beth Ann Temple

Randle, wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many lovely acts of sympathy you have given us at this tragic time in our lives.

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Michele Renee La Fonte and Grelinda Torrison of Pasadena, Terri

gory Glen Jones were married July 20 at six o'clock in the evening at the First United Methodist Church in Pasadena by the Rev. W.A. Miller and the Rev. Glen Renfro. A reception followed at Bay Oaks Country Club with music provided by Mike La Touche. The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at Vickers Inn in LaPorte on the eve of the

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Micky Dominy of asadena and Larry Edmond La Fonte

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray Jones of Rockwall and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Isbell of Deport.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was escorted by her father. She chose a designer gown of white silk satin and embroidered lace. The gown featured a fitted basque bodice of beaded lace that rose to a Sabrina neckline with long tapered sleeves worn on the shoulder, with a lace tiered effect on the front of the skirt and down the train. The full skirt was floor length in the front cascading into cathedral train with double bows. To compliment her gown, she chose tiara attached to a full pouff with scattered pearls and fingertip illusion

Susan Shipp of Houston served as Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were Karen Diller of Friendswood, Me-

Shelby-Brakebill

Engagement Told
Jackie and Paula Shelby of Blossom and

Dunn, sister of the groom of Tyler, Michelle Gardovsky, sister of the bride of Angleton and Robin Bond, Kristi McElheney and Melodie Smith, all of Dallas. Courtney Swint served as junior bridesmaid. Flower girl was

Loyd Earley of Irving served as Best Man. Groomsmen were Joshua and Jonathan Jones, brothers of the groom of Rockwall, Blake White of Dallas, Chris Calzone of Houston, Terri Qualls of Lewisville, Wendell Brown of Rockwall and Jeff Latture of Carrollton. Brian La Fonte, brother of the bride, served as junior groomsman. Ushers were Ron Berry and Brad

Members of the houseparty were Sarah Lynn Bracken, Martha Godfrey, Kristen Kunckl and Jennifer Marshall.

The bride graduated magna cum laude in 1988 from Baylor University with a degree in finance and marketing and is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha. Michele is currently employed by Prudential Capital Corporation as a Financial Analyst.

The groom is a 1989 graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University where he majored in history. He is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon. Greg is currently employed by American Airlines as an Installations Special-

Following a Caribbean cruise, the couple will reside in Irving.

som and Geraldine Shelby, also of

The prospective bridegroom is a

1988 honor graduate of Paris High

School and a 1991 graduate of Paris

Junior College. He is currently em-

ployed as a salesman at Cavenders

Boot City in Austin. He is the grand-

son of Elmerene Taylor of Paris and

p.m. Saturday, October 19 in a semi-

formal ceremony at the Blossom

The couple will be married at 7

Louis Brakebill of Idabel, OK.

Church of the Nazarene.



Mrs. Gregory Glen Jones

Van Der Wilt-Van Der Schaaf Engagement Announced Arlin and Beverly Van Der Wilt of formal ceremony at the Powderly

Arthur City announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kimberly Mae, to Thomas E. Van Der Schaaf, son of Merril and Marilyn Van Der Schaaf of Pattonville.

The couple will be married at 7 p.m. Friday, August 30 in a semi-

Baptist Church. The bride-elect's father wil officiate.

Miss Van Der Wilt is a 1989 graduate of North Lamar High School and is employed at Sandwich, Etc.

Her fiance is a 1988 graduate of Prairiland High School and is employed at T&K Inc.

Nicole Boehler Celebrates 6th Birthday

Nicole Boehler celebrated her sixth birthday on July 27 with a swim party at the Best Western in Paris. The theme was "Little Mermaid" and ice cream and cold drinks were served.

Attending were William, Cathy and Cody Boehler, Mike and Debbie Boswell, her grandmother, Mrs. June

Smith, Mary and Brittany Harris, Danae Peterson, Chris and Whitney Turner, Stephanie and Jessica Cox, Greg Griffin, Megan Boswell, Katie and Mark Watson and Katie Cannon. Everyone had a good time and she received many nice gifts.

School Break-In Is Crime Of The Week

During the night of Monday, August 5, an unknown suspect or suspects broke into one of the separate buildings on the north side of the T.G. Givens Elementary School in Paris. Taken during the crime was a Sears 220 voltair conditioner, valued at over \$1,000 and the door was damaged where entry was made into the building

You may earn up to \$1,000 in cash by calling Crime Stoppers by August 19 with information that leads to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for this crime.

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Prairiland High School and has attended Paris Junior College. She plans to further her education at the University of Texas majoring in human services. She is currently employed at Margo's in Paris as assistant man-

som announce the engagement and

approaching marriage of their daugh-

ter, Jeri, to Chad Glen Brakebill, son

of Ted and Liala Brakebill of Paris.

Miss Shelby is a 1988 graduate of

ager. She is the granddaughter of Junior and Pauline Weddle of Blos-9.0%*

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PJC Fall Registration Scheduled

Registration for the fall semester 8:30 and noon on Friday, August 23. at Paris Junior College will begin Wednesday, August 21 and continue through noon Friday, August 23 in the Learning Center. Classes start Monday, August 26.

Sophomores will register August

Freshman registration will be August 22.

All students may register between

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So World I wish you would sort of look after him.. Take him by the hand and teach him things he will have to know. But do it gently, if you

He will have to learn, I know, that all men are not just, that all men are not true. But teach him also that for every scoundrel there is a hero...that for every crooked politician there is a great and dedicated leader...teach him that for every enemy there is a friend.

Steer him away from envy, if you can...and teach him the secret of quiet laughter.

In school, World, teach him it is far more honorable to fail than to cheat...teach him to have faith in his own ideas, even if everyone says they are wrong..teach him to be gentle with gentle people and tough with tough people.

Try to give my son the strength not to follow the crowd when everyone is getting on the bandwagon..teach him to listen to all men..but teach him also to filter all he hears on a screen of truth and take just the good that siphons through

Teach him, if you can, how to laugh when he's sad...teach him there is no shame in tears...teach him there can be glory in failure and

Treat him gentley, World, if you can, but don't coddle him...because only the test of fire makes fine steel let him have the courage to be impatient...let him have the patience to be brave.

Let him be no man's man...teach him always to have sublime faith in himself...because then he will always have sublime faith in mankind.

This is quite an order, World, but see what you can do...He's such a nice little fellow..HE's MY SON.

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News

Sue Gibbs of Detroit, Della and Jacob Blanton of Sims visited Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beard of Memphis, TN were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone Wednesday.

Jason Anderson of Faris, Bill and Annette Newberry of McKinney, Yvette are spending a few days with Dorothy Anderson.

Joe Glen Gibbs of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Wednes-

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clement are building a new home in Jennings.

Sunday, Bobby, Glenda and Dustin Clement of Jennings, Charlotte Muecke of Wolfe City ate lunch with Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement. Mildred Stone visited Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gibson, Tammie and Kimberly of Pattonville went to Red River, NM on vacation last

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and Louise Clement visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn of Deport Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griffin of Sumner visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement Wednesday.

Minnie Pearl Crews of Clardy is in Irving visiting he sister, Myrtle Her-Mrs. Era Rader of Clardy visited

Mrs. Ruby Sullivan at Forest Hill. They attended a 42 party at Forest Hill Saturday night.

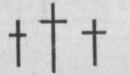
Charles Kennedy left Wednesday to attend college in Weatherford, OK. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Kennedy of Clardy.

Births-

Pam and Brent Hyde announce the arrival of Christopher Brent, born August 7. Grandparents are Lenora Bonds of Garland, Roger Bonds of Farmersville and Otis Hyde of Blossom. He has a sister, Mandy.

Rhonda and Richard Burchinal announce the arrival of Kaci Lynn, born August 16. Grandparents are Raymond and Linda Spencer of Clarksville and John and Marsha Burchinal of Blossom. The baby joins sister Candice.

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PRCA Rodeo To Open Aug. 29 In Paris

In cooperation with Winn-Dixie, rodeo fans will be treated to PRCA rodeo in Paris, Texas on August 29-30-31.

The three-day Dyson-Glass Dodge Ram Tough Rodeo will be held at the Paris Rodeo & Horse Club Arena on the Lamar County Fairgrounds at 8:00 p.m. nightly, running concurrently with the Red River Valley Fair, which begins on August 24 and continues through September 1.

The rodeo is offering \$750.00 in added money to each of the six championship events in professional rodeo and will be featuring Quail Dobbs as the specialty performer.

On Thursday night, August 29, it's Family Night at the rodeo, with all tickets 1/2 price. On Friday night, August 30, it's Ladies Night. All escorted ladies over 16-years of age

Tuesday, August 27

Wednesday, August 28 (Livestock Barn)

(Exhibit Center)

(Coliseum)

(Building B)

(Exhibit Center)

(Outdoor Stage) (Coliseum)

(Building B) (Behind Stock Barn)

(Rodeo Arena)

(Coliseum)

(Ballfield)

(Building B)

(Stage Area)

(Building B)

(Exhibit Center)

(Outdoor Stage)

(Rodeo Arena)

Livestock Barn)

Sunday, September 1

(Coliseum)

Friday, August 30

will be admitted free. On Saturday evening, a Special

Rodeo performance will be held at 7:30 p.m., preceding the third and final performance of the rodeo. These special rodeos give handicapped or impaired youth the opportunity of meeting real rodeo cowboys on a 1on-1 basis, in addition to trying their hand at "rodeoing". Everyone is invited to come early and see this special rodeo, it will definitely be something to remember.

In addition to these nightly specials, a calf scramble will be held for the youngsters during each performance of the rodeo. The winner will receive a savings bond.

A Grand Entry will be held each evening and all grand entry riders will be given 1/2 price tickets to that particular rodeo performance for participating in the pre-rodeo festivi-

The Paris rodeo is sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys As-

sociation. In 1990, 754 PRCA rodeos were held in 42 states within the United States and four of the 10 Canadian provinces. Prize money at rodeos sanctioned by the PRCA grew from \$9,936,760 in 1980 to \$18,163,063 in 1990. The National Finals Rodeo held in Las Vegas, Nevada was attended by 171,369 people in 1990. Paris, Texas is one stop on the way to the 1991 NFR for nearly 10,000 PRCA members.

Advance tickets are available in Paris at McDougall Olds-Cadillac: Cavender's Western Store; Jeff's Mens Store; and Terry's Furniture Ticket prices are: adults, \$5.00 ad vance, \$6.00 at the gate; children, \$3.00 advance, \$4.00 at the gate. All box seats are \$7.00 each.

For more information, please call 1-903-785-2522.

A list of the week-long events is listed below.

Saturday, August 24 Check in Baked Goods/Set up Commercial Exhibits, Camival, Food Concessions./Check in Creative Arts, 4-6 p.m.

Tuesday, August 27
(Livestock Barn)
"Check in Pet Show, 6:30 p.m. Show at 7 p.m. Kiddie Class Check in, 7:30, Show at 8 /Children's Barnyard, open at 6 p.m. Commercial Exhibits Open, 6-10 p.m. (Outdoor Stage)
(Coliseum)

Check in Junior Poultry & Rabbits, 4-6 p.m. Show at 6:30

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Commercial Exhibits Open at 6 p.m. Commercial Exhibits Open, 6-10 p.m. Commercial Exhibits Open, 6-10 p.m. Gospel Music, sponsored by McCuistion RMC Basketball Contest Events Community Exhibits open, 6-10 p.m.

Check in Open Branham, Brangus, Hereford, Charolais, Angus and all other breeds, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Children's Barnyard open at 6 p.m. Senior Citizens Olympics, 12-4 p.m./Carnival Opens, 6 p.m. Commercial Exhibits open, 6-10 p.m.
The Jet Creek Band, 8 p.m.
Basketball Contested Event

Community Exhibits open, 6-10 p.m. Tug of War, 7 p.m.

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Thursday, August 29
(Livestock Bam)Check in Open, Simmental, Simbrah & Limousin, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Show at 7 p.m./Camival opens, 6 p.m./ Barnyard Opens, 6 (Exhibit Center)
(Outdoor Stage)
(Building B)

Basketball Contested Events

Bobby Floyd & The Quintet, 8 p.m.
Community Exhibits open, 6-10 p.m.
Basketball Contested Events PRCA Rodeo, 8 p.m. Check in Junior Breeding Sheep, 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Show at 8 p.m. /Children's Barnyard open, 6 p.m./Camival open, 6 p.m. Commercial Exhibits open, 6 p.m.

(Exhibit Center) Bluegrass Music, Simply Gospel & Lonesome Ridge (Outdoor Stage) Community Exhibits open, 6-10 p.m. Basketball Contested Events (Building B) PRCA Rodeo, 8 p.m. (Rodeo Arena) Chili Cook off Check In Hot Air Balloon Display & Rides

Horse Show Checkin, 8:30 a.m. Club Lamb Checkin, noon to 6 p.m. Show at 6 p.m. Children's Barnyard open, 9 a.m./Carnival opens Commercial Exhibits open, 1-11 p.m. (Exhibit Center) Baseball Collectable Show open, 1-11 p.m. 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament (Tractor Pull Area) Billy Swain & Lighting Ridge Band, 8 p.m. Outdoor Stage) Wheel Barrel Races, Back Seat Driving Contests, 3 p.m. Special Olympics Rodeo, 7:30 p.m. PRCA Rodeo, 8 p.m.

Junior Dairy Check in, 7 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Show at 9 a.m./Junior Beef Check in, 7 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Show after Dairy show.

Open Breeding Sheep Show check in by noon. Show at 2 p.m. Children's Barnyard opens/Carnival opens Basketball Tournament Bingo, 5:30 p.m., Commercial Exhibits open, 4-10 p.m. Creative Arts check out, 4-6 p.m. Robert Joe Vandygriff & Angie Diamond Hot Air Balloons Display & Rides

Daily activities include: remote control car club exhibits; remote control airplane club exhibits; Campbell Kids; Jan-Kay Educational Zoo; Billy Roy's One Man Band; Yoyo the Clown; antique tractor exhibit.

Holly Westbrook Celebrates Third Birthday Holly Westbrook of Blossom cele-rated her third birthday with a party Ward, Emily and Angie Whipple, Cecelia Bradley, Stephen, Ethan and

brated her third birthday with a party Saturday at her home. The theme for the party was

"Winnie the Pooh".

Those attending were Kathy, Cody and Timothy Henry, DeeDee, Cigie and Callie Gifford, Vickie, Samantha and Nicole Luna and Thomas

Mary Tilery, Rose and Carlos Westbrook, Jaclyn Himes, Elizabeth, Emily and Justin Benton, Paulette and Morgan Burchinal and Ronnie, Roxanne, Lance and Holly

Pattonville News

Grace Fendley of Blossom, Jimmie King and Ethel Epps of Fulbright, Thelma Shelby of Deport, Shirley and Eldon Miller of Paris, Jo Salter, Gwen Hoover, Heather, Heath and Holly of Pittsburg visited Mrs. Vada Mae Hoover over the weekend.

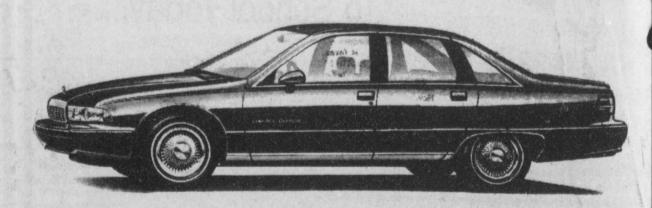
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Home News

Mrs. Irene Walker and Buelah

Shipp visited Mrs. Johnnie Warren

on Sunday. Mrs. Lucy Fowler of Cunningham visited on Monday.

Ty Merritt of Paris and Mrs. Marvin Gibbs visited Miss Brodie Bell and

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cook of Slabtown visited Mr. and Mrs. Nick

Mrs. Mary Francis Waldrep and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Holley of

Clarksville and Mrs. Joann Fowler of Sherman were Sunday visitors of Mrs.

Mrs. Beula Shipp and Irene Walker visited Mrs. Edna Bell this week.

Virginia Gibbs, Edith Fuller, Irene Walker, Beulah Shipp, Floy Sparks,

Dorthea McDowra and Jessie Crawford were this week's visitors of

The VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post

Employees and residents of the

nursing home wish Mrs. Bertie Fos-

3990 visited Monday for the celebra-

tion of Senior Citizens Month.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barnett.

ter a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Doris Norwood last week.

Hensley on Saturday.

Rosa Holley.



SENIOR CITIZENS MONTH was celebrated at Deport Nursing Home on Monday when the VFW Ladies Auxiliary of Post 3990 in Blossom came to the home and served the residents

ice cream, cookies and punch. Ladies from the Post were Natalie Ray, Dorothy Raper, Cindy Pilip, Margaret Hunold and Katie Armstrong. Everyone enjoyed the treats and games of

Veterans Sought By Paris Post #30

A concerted search is on for former soldiers, airmen, sailors, marines and coastguardsmen and WWII Merchant Marines who served with honor in WWII, WWI, Korea, Viet Nam, Desert Shield, Desert Storm, Persian Gulf from Lamar, Delta, Red River, Fannin, Hunt, Hopkins, Franklin, Raines and Titus Counties or from Southeastern Oklahoma.

The American Legion Post 30 authors and sponsors the WWII G.I. Bill that has benefited all veterans and programs up through and including the Agent Orange controversy.

Post 30 members from WWI were primarily responsible for Camp Veterans Hospitals, public schools. Maxey location in Lamar County.

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Prairiland Volleyball Schedule

23 North Lamar T 4:00 9, JV, V
27 Bonham H 5:30 9, JV, V
30-31 Texas High Tourney T TBA V

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The American Legion is conducting this search for participants in the above conflicts to insure the peace and to promote patriotism among young folks by sponsoring educational scholarships, boys baseball

programs, boys state and the family support groups for dependents of the people who need helpin filing claims for entitlements. Although many programs are spon-

sored, funded, promoted and maintained by the American Legion, it also provides local regular meetings and local social activities for the community by volunteer service to

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Catch The Fever!!

By Frankye Sessums

the Ladies Auxiliary, Mrs. Floy

Sparks and Mrs. Dorthea

McDowra volunteered their

services for the celebration.

(Staff Photo)

Volleyball at Prairiland this year will be an action-packed sport, to say the least. For all of you who thought volleyball was a boring non-spectator sport, you've only to see the Lady Patriots play to change your mind about this highly competitive game. Where in past years athletes began playing volleyball as freshmen, the high school will now be fed by a junior high program. This can only strengthen our already solid program. The junior high programs will be coached by two knowledgeable coaches, Johnny Hatcher at Deport and Donett Lyon at Blossom.

Because of church league competitions, weekly camps during the summer and a growing interest in teh sport, the youth in our area are beginning to sho wimmense improvement. Plus, our young team is realizing and learning that volleyball is a sport that not only challenges the body but also fever.

The Lady Patriots are coming on strong and havee even learned 3 offenses and a basic defense equipped with particularly intimidating blocking skills. I am especially pleased with the overall progress of the entire squad from freshman level through varsity. With the junior high program getting a start this year, a promising future seems inevitable.

If you are one of those people who has never seen a volleyball game or thought volleyball was a slow, boring sport, a challenge is issued to you. Come out and support the Lady Patriots' volleyball teams. If you're not impressed by the talent an dhustle you see, then just think of the boost you will give these young athletes when they see fans in the stands because your support is always deeply appreciated. Who knows? You, once exposed, just might catch volleyball

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Lamar County V.F.W. & Ladies Auxiliary Has Bike Program

Lite-a-Bike program August 10 at the Post Home in Reno. This is a national V.F.W. and Auxiliary safety program sponsored to help maintain

safety in the comunity.

The V.F.W. 3990 Boy Scouts an their leaders helping were Master Ray Kerrer, with scours Clayton Kerrer, Raymond Griffey, Jeremy Stephens, Jason Donahue. V.F.W. girls were

The Lamar County V.F.W. and Molly Jean Smith, president; Abby Ladies Auxiliary Post 3990 held a Smith and Crystal Brown, safety chairman, Pat Friday and Co. Chairman Shirley Smith were over the

> Bicycles were inspected and ribbons an certificates were given to 19 children. Twenty-five bicycles were taped and safety literature was given out. Watermelon and refreshments were served.



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1987 Chevrolet S-10 Blazer (Blue/Silver)

1987 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton PU (Red) 1987 Chevrolet S-10 EL PU (Blue)

1986 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Silverado PU (Gray)

1985 Chevrolet Suburban 4x4 (Blue) 1984 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton PU (Red/White)

1990 Ford 3/4 Ton PU (Dark Red)

1990 Ford F150 XL PU (Gray)

1990 Ford 1/2 Ton PU (Dk. Blue)

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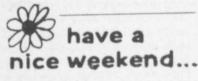
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MYSTERY! Kenneth Vickers found a board with an inscription while tearing down the old Quentin house where the new city park will be located. The inscription reads,"Tell my grandchildren you saw this. August 6,1929 R.L. Everhart" Mr. Vickers would like to locate the family of Mr. Everhart. Please contact the newspaper office or Mr. Vickers.(Staff phot by Denise Wood)



AMBERTRAMMELL enjoyed the first day of school at Blossom this year on the monkey bars during recess. She is a student in Mrs. Tammie Bailey's kindergarten class. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



Armyworms Lamar County

Area forage producers as well as homeowners should be aware that Armyworms have arrived in the Red River Valley and that they pose a serious threat to forage crops if left unchecked. The appearance of the foracious eating worms has been expected for sometime as the cooler and wetter than normal weather pattern of the last two weeks were ideal for the development of Armyworms.

The favorite target initially for the worm will be the well managed pastured, meadows, lawns and turf areas. However, they will eat forage plants that are not lush as well as peanuts, cowpeas, alfalfa and a number of others!

The moth of the Armyworm is an intelligent creature and has the ability to deposit the eggs in an area that will have soe of the best plant mate-

rial for the worm to feed. This is why one should look for Armyworms in fertilized pastures and meadows.

March

When checking a given area for Armyworms, look for a grayish appearing cast to the plants. However, in the advanced stage where worms have been feeding for a few days, most of the foliage will have been stripped form the plants in areas. When serious outbreaks of the insect occur, the larvae exhaust thethe food supply and begin crawling, literally by the thousands, seeking more plants

The worms are easily controlled by one of three insecticides-Sevin, Dibron or Parathion. There is a 15day wait where Parathion is used, and dairy cows should not graze where Dibron is used.

Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt The Pathway Church of God of

Paris spent Saturday at Musgrove's

Flying M Ranch. Zarinska Musgrove honored Lezlie

ers can expect lower

Fendley with a surprise birthday party at the Flying M Ranch Sunday with 35 guests attending. Sam Whitney and Dona Boatright

of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne of hagansport, John David Bell of Paris and Arthur Shipp of Sulphur Bluff visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers last

Sympathy is extended to the family of Ruby Lee Clement who died last Friday.

Denise Bell, Staci and Hannah visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Monday.

Erbert D. Hume of Paris had Sunday dinner with Milow Hume and Stasha. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith of

Bogata, Mrs. Cleo Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Martin, Mrs. Edith Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frierson of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson, Geneva Norwood and Jenita Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Kennedy attended the funeral of Mrs. Angie Thomas of Corpus Christi in Ft. Worth Saturday. She was the daughter of the late Bill Perry and Janice Smith Perry of Ft. Worth, formerly of Cunningham.

Mrs. Roy Powers attended a bridal shower at the Barbara Young home in Pattonville Saturday, honoring Leanne Anderson, bride-elect of Danny Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hughes of Houston spent Monday until Tuesday afternoon with Berniece Bled-

Brandi Hall of Pattonville and Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Musgrove, Stoney and Charity had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Musgrove Sunday.

Ruby Holbert of Lubbock and Emma Lois Harrison of Paris visited Berniece Bledsoe Tuedsay.

Velma Cox returned home Sunday after spending two weeks visiting Morris Cox of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cox and family of Alvarado, Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor, Vera Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fedder

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson, Geneva Norwood with Mrs. Edith Smith and Mr and Mrs. Gene Frierson of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Norman of Edmond Ok spent Frday night with Elsie Roddy of Electra. Larry Bell of Paris, Hannah and

Staci Bell and Shanna Williams of Reno visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler of

Pattonville and Carol Dorsey and Jennifer had Sunday lunch with Mrs. Lucy Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Phillips of terson, Jonna Shea and Jenna Rhea had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pittsburg visited Berniece Bledsoe McKnight on Sunday. Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Jane O'Neal honored Karla

Palmer and Andrea Palmer of Bogata, O'Neal Drinnon and David Jackson with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson and Janee and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Drinnon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buford Guthrie of Talco had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Monday.

Ruby Holbert of Lubbock and Emma Lois Harrison of Paris visited Mrs. Ethel Marshall and Berniece Wyatt and other friends Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Black and daughter of Paris had lunch with Mrs. Delsa Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Tuesday. Darold Norwood of Paris visited

day afternoon. Virginia Bell of Paris, Denise Bel, Stacy and Hannah visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman

Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Morrison of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pat-

Sain Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis of

Omaha spent the weekend with Mrs.

Delphia Malone. Ethel Cooper and Erick Barrios of Paris had supper with Mrs. Della Howe Sunday night.

Kelly Anderson of Bogata spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Anderson. Constable Randy Boren of Patton-

ville visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Musgrove Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols of

Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer lorwood Saturday night. Billie R. Pirtle of Bogata and Mary H. Whitney took their grandchildren, Brandon and Kami Hudson of Deport and Chance Whitney to Lake

Cypress Springs Wednesday for a

picnic and swimming party. Robbie Fleming of Reno visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitne visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday night.

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King Of The Cowboys, Ty Murray, Is On A Roll

year old kid to make \$213, 772 in a year doing what he loves most? It's not unnatural when the kid is Ty Murray of Stephenville, TX and when the things he loves most are riding horses and bulls.

At age 21, young Ty Murray is the undisputed king of professional rodeo, and two years ago, at age 19, he became the youngest cowboy in the history of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association to win the orld All Around Championship. Like many other professional ro-

deo cowboys, Murray began Finals Rodeo in three events: bare-"rodeoing" at a very young age, he climbed on his first calf when he was two. And like many rodeo cowboys, Murray set a goal for himself to be the best rodeo cowboy in the world, and for the past two years, he has proven himself as just that.

In 1990, Murray stretched the record for season earnings to \$213,772, erasing the 1986 mark set by 3-time All Around Champion Lewis Feild of Elk Ridge, Utah, by some \$47,000.00.

He qualified for the 1990 National

back riding, saddle bronc riding and bull riding, a fete not equaled sincd 1973 when Larry Mahan competed in Oklahoma City, OK in those same three events. Murray won \$72,817 at the 1990 NFR.

At the conclusion of the 1990 NFR, Murray quipped, "Last year at this time I was the happiest kid in the world, and I did a lot better this year than I did last year. So I'm happy." And he has made a lot of rodeo fans happy who have seen him do what he loves best, rodeo!

The age of adult spectators ranged



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Who Goes To Rodeos?

According to a recent PRCA study, professional rodeo reaches an attractive cross section of the U.S. popula-More than 88% of professional

rodeo spectators own their own homes. They have spent an average of 15 years at their current residence and as many women as men enjoy professional rodeo competition.

And rodeo fans and competitors alike have proven loyal to PRCA's sponsors' products. Did you know that 95.4% of rodeo

say they wear it regularly. More than a quarter of the survey respondents had purchased a western hat within 30 days of the poll. Nearly

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More than 19% of those surveyed said they intend to buy a new car or light truck within a year. The National Automobile Dealers Association predicts that 7.5% of the U.S.

population 18 and older will purchase new light vehicles this year. Rodeo fans attended an average of 9.76 rodeos in 1989 and an average of

86.4% regularly follow professional rodeo standings an news. Some 97.5% said they watch rodeo on television, 98% would like to see more rodeo telecasts and 96.5%

would attend a rodeo even if it was broadcast on television. Occupationally, 28.2% of the persons surveyed are professionals; 17.8% are in technical/trade related areas; 12.8% are in agricultural fields; 12.1% are homemakers; 6.2% are in

sales; with 14% in other fields.

Educationally, 47.2% of the persons surveyed attended college; 34.2% have a high school degree, 9.4% have some high school education and 9.2% attended graduate

from: 30.9%, 50 and over; 25.7%, 40 to 49 years old; 22.4%, 30 to 39 years old; and 21%, 29 and under.



lation is 45 million.

Cattle Feeders Shown Glimmer Of Hope For Quarter

By Paul D. Payne

The July 13 state quarterly "Cattle. on Feed" report indicated there were 9.43 million head of cattle on feed July 1. This number is 8% more than a year ago and amounts to the highest number in 13 years. This was one of the points beef producers heard at the monthly beef cattle marketing breakfast held Tuesday morning.

Dr. Ernie Davis, Livestock Marketing Economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, appeared on the marketing video viewed at the breakfast and shared some numbers that appear to indicate that beef cattle herd expansion has really

begun. Among these indicators was a 4% decrease in June heifer slaughter and an 11% drop in cow slaughter. If this trend continues there would be more mature cows on the farm producing more calves.

At local markets we already have seen over the last few weeks a significant drop in prices received for stocker cattle. This reflects the 70 and 71 cents being paid for slaughter steers coming out of the feed lots.

So, unless the numbers are wrong, beef producers can expect lower prices over the next few weeks.



Deport School August 26-30 Monday

Breakfast: Peanut butter and cinnamon toast Juice, milk Lunch: Tater tot casserole Blackeyed peas Macaroni and cheese Dessert

Tuesday

Breakfast: Doughnuts Juice Milk Lunch: Pizza French fries Catsup Fruit

Milk

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Wednesday

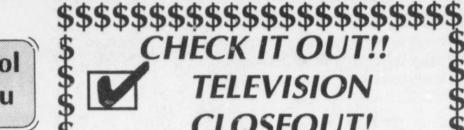
Breakfast: Cereal Trail mix Juice Milk Lunch: Barbeque chicken Mixed vegetables Creamed potatoes Bread

Thursday

Breakfast: Trail mix, sweet rolls Juice, milk Pinto beans and ground meat Macaroni and tomatoes Spinach Combread Milk

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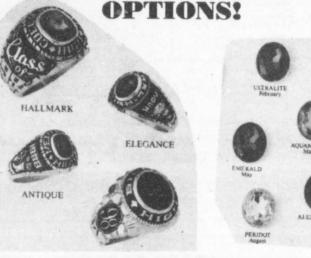
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Wednesday Breakfast:

Cereal Nuts Juice, milk Lunch: Baked chicken Creamed potatoes Green beans Rolls, honey, butter Milk

Thursday Breakfast: Cinnamon roll

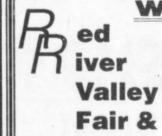
Juice, milk Lunch: Nachos with meat and cheese Sauce Green salad Chili beans

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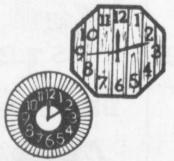
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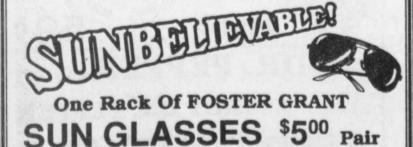
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"Castrophe"

By "Shooter Dabney"

few days in Bogata with my 13-year old grandson. This kind of adventure will either kill you or change your life for ever more. Now it's not that I don't love that cotton-picking, growing kid, but I'l! guarantee you that it's different than the quiet life we live in Haskell. My grandson lives with his other granddad and grandmother and I'll tell you folks I have admiration for their patience and stamina. I know they aren't young chickens although they aren't my age, but there's no way these two give in to age.

Jay, that's my grandson's name, is tuitored with his school studies by these two people and his grades are great. Not straight A's, but who would expect that with a granddad by thename of "Shooter".

Jay is an exceptional athlete, "According to two Granddads," this is said without prejudice. Jay plays first base, pitcher and in my generation what was known as hind catcher, which brings on the following story.

The first game, in fact, both games we attended were played in Mt. Vernon. This part I hate to write about. Our grandson's team lost 21-8. Both grandads agreed on our way

home it sure wasn't our grandson's fault, but we would win the next one. Here we were again, back in Mt.

Vernon, and another team to play. It so happened Jay had called his girlfriend to see him play, she sat on the

WOW, my wife and I just spent a bleachers, not far from us and I must say my grandson knew how to pick a real cutie.

OK, it's game time. Jay had been picked to be the pitcher. Ever try pitching to the batter when you are looking toward the bleachers? Quickly, it was 14-7, their favor. OK, the coach made a change. The catcher was made pitcher, and of all things, iny grandson was made catcher, a position he had never played. This game took on an aspect of an accident fixing to happen. Both granddads, both grandmothers screamed support. Jay took one more glance at his girlfriend, then squatted down behind the batter. The umpire called "Batter Up." Then bedlam.

My grandson jumped off the ground about three foot high, reached down and came out with what looked like a plastic glass. Now this did get the attention of everyone, including his girlfriend. Coaches and players tried to shield him from the crowd while unbottoning his uniform to replace the protector cup. I glanced at his girlfriend, she was in tears. Laughter that is. Grandmothers hiding their face in their hands. Granddads stunned.

OK, so we lost 21-8, but I'm proud. Proud my grandboy won first in the comedy division. Hang in there, Grandson, Granddad knew that danged thing pinched something, somewhere.

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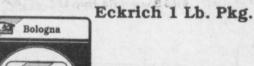
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FOR SALE: 4-14" chrome wheels and tires for Chevy and Ford with fair tires, \$125.00. Call 652-4631. MA 8-22

FOR SALE: 1982 GMC van, silver and black. Call 632-5532. MA 8-22

FOR SALE: 1981 Pontiac Grand Prix, \$1,000; 1976 Ford Pinto, \$550; both have new engines. Call 632-4462 or 632-5935.

FOR SALE: 1980 Ford, 1 ton dually, 400 engine, 4-speed, chrome headache rack, tool box, running boards, good condition, \$3,000.652-2931. MA 9-5

FOR SALE: 1983 Chevrolet Camaro, \$1750. Call 632-5716, leave message. MA 9-5

Farm Supplies & Equipment

FOR SALE: Vermeer 605 C hay baler. Baled lots of hay, but been cared for. Call 652-5823 or 652-4205. MAnc

FOR SALE: 1957 Ford Jubilee tractor with some farm equipment. \$3,000 firm. Call 652-4564 after 5 p.m. MA tfcnc

FOR SALE: Ford planter and Ford cultivator. Call 632-5499. MA 8-22 SKAGGS AUTO PARTS now has new

632-5878. MA 8-22 BIG, ROUND hay bales for sale. Dallas grass, Lespedeza and Bermudagrass

equipment to make hydraulic hoses for all

your farming and industrial needs. Call

mixed. Call Dan Jenkins, 632-4106 or Bruce Terrell, 632-4263. MA 8-22 Services

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PORTABLE WELDING, pipe fencing,

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Terry Burchinal. tfc nc **ELECTRICAL WORK-Small or large** jobs. Rewiring, repair or new construction. 21 years experience. Also do carpenter work. Ronnie Burns, 632-4456.

ALL TYPES OF carpentry, painting and roofing. Experienced and dependable. Call Terry Brown, 652-9805, evening or night. MA tfc

LAWN MOWING, free estimates. Call Danny Brown, 632-5911. MA tfc

TOMMY'S BARBEQUE--We do catering and custom smoking. Also we serve mighty good food. Highway 82 East, Reno. Call 785-2808. MA tfc

BOGATA BARBER SHOP will be open Tuesday thru Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. MA tfc

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LEWIS CARPET & PAINT-Carpet layed, repaired and restretched, general painting, interior and exterior. Call 632-4815. MA 8-22

WINDJAMMER-Highway 271 & FM 71, Talco, TX is serving breakfast, lunch and dinner specials, 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday-Friday, Saturday 6 a.m.-2 p.m. and Sunday for breakfast. Call 379-9951 or 379-5411. Call-ins welcome. Motel rooms available. MA tfc

Help Wanted

ASSEMBLERS: Excellent income, easy work assembling products at home. C.S.T. 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. M-SA. INFO. 1-504-646-1700 DEPT. P4024.

WANTED-Responsible adult who enjoys children to keep 10-month old. My home or yours. Hours vary. Please contact JoAnn Hanes at 632-4710. 8-

RED RIVER HAVEN Nursing Home needs nurses aides to work the 11 p.m.-7 a.m. shift and part time help for different shifts. Call Jo for more information, 903/632-5295. MA 8-30

NEED LADIES TO WORK in homes for the elderly. Must have car and be willing to stay away from home 7 days on, 7 days off. Good pay. Compaion Sitter Service. Contact Billie, 903/632-4207. No calls after 4 p.m. 9-5

Sales

CONSIDERING SELLING? One piece or complete estate. Call Auctions Unlimited, (903) 632-5831. You'll be glad you did. Professional courteous service. References available. Bobby Simmons, TX Lic. 9804. MA tfc

MOVING SALE: Toys, kids and adults clothing, furniture, baby items, hardware and miscellaneous. Friday and Saturday, August 23-24. Fulbright, FM 410 and FM 41 intersection. Betty Woodall. 8-22

GARAGE SALE: Thursday and Friday, Aug. 22-23. 620 Milton-Minter Road, across from Roger Allen. 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. 8-22

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, starting at 9 a.m. Clothes, large and small sizes; books; pictures; and lots of miscellaneous. Hwy. 909 to St. John St., Bogata, foliow signs. 8-22

Pets FOR SALE: Australian Shepherd puppies, born 5-6-91. Obedience training begun. Call 785-4548, 8-12 or 632-4985, leave message. MA 8-22

FREE PUPPIES: Toy Collie puppies. Call 632-5257. MA 8-30

FOR SALE: Two full-blood Blue Heeler female puppies, \$30 each; 1984 Dodge pickup, consderably low mileage, one owner, good condition. Call Roy Roberts, 652-4125. MA 9-5

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A Dear, Precious Little Friend has left this world of sin. She lived her life especially for ones she loved so dear. Always so pleasant, kind and sweet, our time with her was pleasantly spent She is gone, but not so far away, for if we live the life she did, We will be able to meet her again. May the blessings of life be with her family's loved ones, friends and neighbors. Dedicated to Burrell Kincaid & Family

From A Friend

Milton News

By Mattylu Upchurch Visiting John Manley Temple Sunday were his daughter and grandsons, Rachelle Casey, Bryan and Blair of Carrollton.

Callie Carrasco of San Antonio spent this week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall.

The family of George and Nell Wolfe gathered at their home recently to celebrate the anniversarys of George and Nell on August 9 and David and Angie Wolf on August 15. Mr. and Mrs. David Hobbs and

son of Dallas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hobbs. Mrs. Jimmy Barker of Naples,

Florida visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall Tuesday. Mrs. Barber is the former Sue Books.

Mr. and Mrs Bill Upchurch were in Dallas Monday and visited their daughter, Billie Goheen.

Having dinner with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt Sunday to celebrate their granddaughter's birthday, Renea Holt, were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Holt. Renea and Chris, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Parks and Tim, Dale Williams, Cindy McCloud and Terry Johnson,

Joyce Wilson, Evelyn Roach and Dorothy Holt attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Lee (Barbie) Johnson in Antlers, OK on Wednesday.

Joyce Wilson of Craig visited her sister, Dorothy Holt, Monday.

Charles Bybee of Rockwall visited his mother, Elizabeth Walker on

"A fanatic is one who can't change his mind and won't -Winston Churchill change the subject.

Notice of Effective Tax Rate (for use by most taxing units) Property Tax Rates in CITY OF DEPORT

1991 property tax rates for City of Deport. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

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Last year's tax rate:	\$ 33,966.45
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 33,300.45
Last year's debt taxes	\$
Last year's total taxes	\$ 33,966.45
Last year's tax base	\$9,170,209
Last year's total tax rate	\$
This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes	\$ 33,910.89
(after subtracting taxes on lost property)	
This year's adjusted tax base	\$8,975,495
(after subtracting value of new property)	2770 (6100
This year's effective tay rate	.3778 /\$100

=	This year's effective tax rate	\$.3778 /\$100
	the first year a city or county collects the additional sa le its first adjustment last year:)	iles tax it mus	
-	Sales tax adjustment rate	\$	/\$100
=	Effective tax rate	\$	/\$100
×	1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	s	.3891 /\$100
	This year's rollback tax rate: Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	s _33	,910.89
÷	This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 8,9	75,495
=	This year's effective operating rate	\$.3778 /\$100
-	.72 for school district (or zero)	\$	-0-
× +	1.08 (or add \$.08 for schools) = this year's maximum operating rate This year's debt rate	\$ \$	-0- /\$100 -0- /\$100
(A :	school district must insert the following lines)		
=	This year's rollback rate before adjustment	\$	/\$100
+	Rate to recoup lost revenue	\$	/\$100
=	Adjusted rollback rate	\$	/\$100
=	This year's rollback rate	\$.4080 /\$100

-	ity or county that collects the additional sale this year) must insert the following lines:)	es tax (including one that colle	cts the tax for the first
	Sales tax adjustment rate	\$	/\$100
=	Rollback tax rate	2	/\$100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Balance

Principal or

Type of Property Tax Fund

GENERAL FUND \$4,297.99

SCHEDULE B: 1991 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
N/A				-0-

Total required for 1991 debt service	-0-
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A	-0-
- Excess collections last year	-0-
= Total to be paid from taxes in 1991	-0-
+ 'Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 95% of its taxes in 1991	-0-
= Total Debt Service Levy	-0-

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Lamar County Appraisal District

Name of person preparing this notice ____ Carol Wade

Title Assessor/Collector Date prepared ____ 8-13-91



NEW ROOF-the Junior High School (old Deport High School)

is getting a new roof. The roof has been leaking for some time,

and the new covering should prevent this. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Deport Locals

By Kathy Guess

Saundra Baser of Midlothian visited her parents, Deverle and Doris Elmore and other relatives over the weekend. Anibal (A-nee-bo) Erruda, a foreign exchange student from Brazil, who lives in Dallas, came with her to visit former classmates. They graduated from Prairiland in 1983. Anibal has returned to the United States to get his masters degree. During his stay here he lived with Doug and Rita Salter, who now live in Denton. When Anibal returns to college in January, he will again live with them.

Deport friends were notified of the death of a former football coach and teacher in the Deport school system, L.L. (Happy Jack) Morris, who died August 15 in Dallas where he had

resided for a number of years. Dewayne and Pat Ham of White Oak, Russell, Teri, Erica and Eston Ham of West and Leon and Ellen Tuck of Bogata visited the Ernest

Ham family on Sunday.

Megan and Derik Burks of Reno spent Thursday with their grandparents, Kenneth and Janette Burks.

Our community extends deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Burrell Kincaid. She will be missed by all he dear friends and family.

We also extend our deepest sympathy to the family of M.E. Roach of

Goldie Watson of Texarkana visited her brother, Uvalda Landrum and family of Paris over the week-

Lou Shepherd of Oklahoma City, Ok. and Mildred Dollins of Alva, Oklahoma, visited Thursday through Tuesday with their sister, Mrs. John H. Moore of Deport.

Jamey Slaton of Lake Creek spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slaton.

Having supper Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slaton to celebrate Renea's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Holt, Chris and Renea.

Visiting Raymond and Edith Crawford Friday were his brother, FRank and Lillie Crawford and sister, Mrs. Winnie Steele of Leona and niece, Dorothy Crawford Bedford.

Visiting Russell and Pat Crawford was her sister, Kay Zackary of Mesquite, she also visited her mother, Mrs. Eunice Ervin.

Thomas and Nanalee Nichols, Jeff Jeffus, Dicky, Jayne, Jeff and NeLeigh King spent the weekend at Beaver's Bend and canoed down the Mountain Fork River.

Hugh and Vicki Jeffus visited with Mike and June Everhart and attended a rod run in Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shelby of Cooper visited the L.C. Ballards Sunday.

Mrs. Vivian Bullard of Ft. Worth spent Saturday and Sunday with he brother in Blossom.

Barry Ballard and baby of Greenville spent Saturday with his parents, the Joe Ballards of Deport.

Clyde Bankhead of Cunningham visited Joe Ballard on Friday.

Deport Housing Authority News

By Mary Westbrook Mavis Sowards visited her sister,

Clarice Vaughan and children Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barnes in Vidor on the way to Houston to take Tanna Burchinal, their granddaughter, home. They stayed for her fourth birthday on August 11 and returned home the 12th.

Lindsey Wright spent Friday night with her grandmother, Mildred Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks and

Ina and Nina Sparks attended a birthday party for Leah Boren Saturday

Ruby Dee Blevins of Pattonville, Wes Winters and friend of Huntsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks

Saturday and Sunday.

Corene Taylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bell of Sulphur Springs last

Betty Jackson of Paris visited Carrie Bennett Sunday. They attended the funeral of Mrs. Virginia Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Barnard and Alpha Barnard attended a birthday party for Seth Barnard Sunday at Culbertson Park. Seth was five years

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy and son of Cuthand visited Mrs. Mamie Kennedy Sunday.

Mae Storm visited her brothers and their families, Elmer and Earl Williams of Arlington and also visited Lynda Post of Temple.

Plaque Put Up In Harvey B Tuesday. Park For "Red"

Deport has lost it's town dog, but those who miss him were determined that "Red" wouldn't be forgotten.

Donations (and they were many) were accepted and a plaque is being installed on one of the park benchs under in the down town park area that reads "In Memory of RED, Who Served As Deport's Town Dog for Many Years. Died August 1991".

This small brass plaque will serve to remind all those who miss him of his loyalty and boisterous good na-

BIRTH .ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Laura Frances is the name given the daughter born July 25 at Baylor Hospital in Dallas to Sammy and Deniece LaRue. Grandparents are John and Rena Good and Herman and Faye LaRue of Deport. Greatgrandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willie LaRue of Paris.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank the people of Deport for what they did for Edward Friday.

Many thanks to Gail and Charles Langston and Lee Ann Graham. We appreciate everything every-

one did. The Glasgow Family

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