Fishermen are fishermen the world over. They are devoted. On vacation in Ireland recently my cousin Medora, who is as dedicated a fisherperson as ever lived, would spot people fishing and immediately have to go talk to them, asking what they were fishing for, what they were fishing with and all those questions fisherpeople are bound to ask.

We came up with some extra time on our trip, and told Robert, our driver/guide, that it would be nice if Medora could go fishing. We were in his home town of Killarney, and in no time at all he had arranged for us all to go out in a "clinker" a twenty-four foot wooden boat with an outboard motor, run by Fergus O'Donehugh.

Now my husband, Thomas is just not a fisherman. He had made jokes all afternoon about having to go fishing. It's not his thing, but he does enjoy being on the water.

I guess the attitude must have shown, for he sat in the boat as we trolled, engrossed in the absolutely breathtaking scenery around us, his rod and reel upside down, his attention to the process absolutely

Every now and again the brake on the reel would come loose, either because he bumped it or because it was faulty. Line would begin to pay out, and he would try to reel it in, only to find that since it was upside down he was letting out more line. Fergus would take the rod, fix the situation and hand it back to Thomas.

This happened two or three times, and on the last timeFergus said "you are a very, very bad fisherman!" Medora, Thomas and conapsed in laughter. In fact, we laughed so hard that I think the poor man became a little embarassed, and blushed, blurting out "Well, he had to be told, he had to be told"

This provoked even more laughter from the three of us.

Finally, I managed to choke out "you don't understand, there's a second verse to that statement". "What's that?" he asked,

puzzled. "He doesn't CARE!" I chortled. The look on this poor man's face was priceless. Stunned amazement sprinkled with pure

confusion best describes it. Thomas happily relenquished his fishing gear, and gave himself up to the total joy of the boat ride sans the pretense of fishing.

Our friendly boatman kept sneaking glances at my husband. And I realized that he was like my cousin...like all fishermen...he couldn't understand Thomas. Not like to fish? Not care about doing it right? Not even WANT to catch anything? I believe in the ten commandments of fishing, that this is probably listed as the first

and worst sin of all. But, sin or no sin, we had a good time, no one caught a thing, and if he ever is challenged about fishing in Ireland he can always act like a true fisherman....and make something up! Best of all, I suspect that in the pubs of Killarney there is a fishing guide he can regale his listeners with tales of a totally inept Texan who (gasps of horror) didn't even care whether he caught a fish or not!

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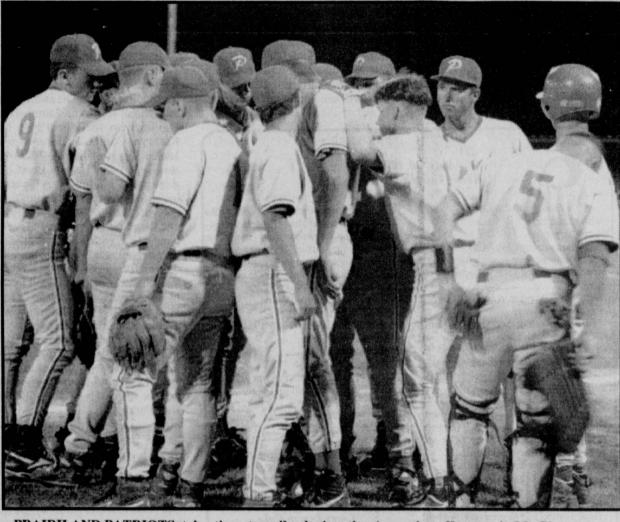
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# Deport Times

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DEPORT, LAMAR COUNTY, TEXAS

Thursday, May 30, 1996



PRAIRILAND PATRIOTS take time to rally during the Area play-off game in Mt. Pleasant against Harmony. The boys were defeated in a heartbreaking game 2-3. The boys have had an outstanding year and are looking forward to a great year next year. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



FLAG PLACEMENT- volunteers put flags on the graves of veterans at Highland Cemetery Saturday morning . From left are, Pinky Griffin, Dan Barnard, Richard Nance, Charles Foster, Thomas Nichols, Carlos Ladd.

# Gospel meeting begins May 31

Bob Baker, minister of the Pattonville Church of Christ has announced commencement of a gospel meeting on May 31, and continuing through

Johnny Ramsey will be the guest

evangelist for the 7:30 p.m. nightly

On Sunday, June 2, Bible class will be held at 9:30 a.m. and the morning service at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

### Life Tabernacle Holding "Election Campaign" during June & July

There will be an "Election Campaign" at Life Tabernacle Church in

Cunningham during June and July. Organizers of the event say that There is an election going on in heaven. Satan voted against you, Jesus voted for you and you cast the deciding vote". The Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham wil be having a election campaign for children and teenagers on Wedneday nights from 7:00 until 8:30 p.m. during the month s of June and July. Each night campaign promises will be studied, fun activities will be played, refreshments will be served, door prizes will be given away and the grand prize will be "Life Eternal in Heaven" if you cast your vote for Jesus. Runner up will get a \$100 shopping spree at Wal Mart with attendance counting as your chance to win. Bring a friend and join in the fun at Life Tabernacle Churhe in Cunningham for the Campaign Election of 1996.

# Rhodes family reunion set for June 9

The Rhodes Family reunion will be held June 9 at the Deport American Legion Building. All family members are invited to attend.



# **Highland Cemetery** donation received

Highland Cemetery has received the following donation:

In memory of Mrs. Will Gifford and Mrs. H.O. Hignight from Grady and Jane Hignight.



Saturday, June 8

The annual Fulbright School Reunion will be held from 11:00 a.m. until 2:30 P.M. at the Rocking W Bar-B-Oue in Paris. Lunch will be served from the menu. All former students are invited to attend.

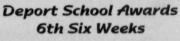
Sunday, June 9 The annual Fulbright Homecoming will be held at the Fulbright Community Center.

The Walker and Parks Reunion will held this Sunday, June 2 at the Deport American Legion in Deport. There will be dinner and visiting. Anyone wishing to come is welcome.

The Deport Baseball lAssociation is planning a picture day to take team and individual photos for all teams, both boys and girls on Saturday, June 8 beginning at 8:00 a.m.

Please call Chad Barnes to schedule and appointment for your team at 652-4909

According to Mrs. Graves, summer homemaking classes start on June 4. For more information, call Sandra Graves at 652-5681 or 982-6233.



Junior High Best All Around Girl: Bren Screws

John Semple

.Lisa Corso

Citizenship: .. Jennifer Mathews-Stoney Musgrove Toni Clarkson-Stanley Cox Brandi Patterson-Chance Whitney Most Improved: Tera Winters-Johnny Farmer Stephanie Wolf-Matt Larkin

Best All Around Boy: Matt Cavender

Leadership: Brad Barrentine

Sportsmanship: Brandi Patterson

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Math, Reading, Language, Spelling, So-

Reading	Tara Black
Social Studies	Tara Black
English	Tara Black
Highest Overall	Tara Black
Math	
Spelling	Timothy Cox
Science	

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Good Attendance

Hunter Burris, Anthonie Haggood, P;aige Martin, Jerrika McKee, Justin Parker, Tyler Renfro, Lisa Barnes, Joshua Walker, Tenessa Brown, Trista Harper, Matthew McCool, Kalee Graham, Amanda Mathews, Christopher Parker, A.J. Syrus, Caralyn Corso, Weston Drinnon, Kacy Mitchell, Tommy Wallace, Shane Wilson, Brittany Filkins, Chase Greer, Hunter Hoffman, Jay Curt McKee, Marty Anderson, Adam Ball, Christopher Farmer, Stephen Norman, Jace Short, Brandon Wright, Randy Boren, Brent Burden, Timothy Lemmen, James Mazy, Johnna Patterson, Jessica Winters, Rachelle Yarbrough, Aron Arasmith, Michael Frenzel, Angela HInes, Amanda Nichols, Raychel Sherrill, Heather Barnes, Chance Crawford, Angela Gnerer, Danielle Syrus, Cassie Arrasmith, Donovan Jackson, Casey Elliot, Brittney Harris, Brenton Norwood, Nikki Wilson, Chance Bankhead, Kami Hudson, Lucas Miller, Stoney Musgrove, Joshua Williams, Tera Winters, Kelli Clarkson, Melinda Corso, Johnny Farmer, Rebecca Hamm, Mary Lemmen, Kayli Sugg, Lacy Vincil, D.J. Watkins, Ryan Brook, Lacey Gresham, Kyle Malone, Renee Moreland, Jennifer Dorsey, Leslie Gordon, Donnie Larkin, Aaron Murdock, Drew Riddles, Brad Barrentine, MAtthew Basinger, Cody Boehler, Lisa Corso, Brandi Patterson, Elizabeth Ramirez, Matthew Cavender, Michael Mazy, Brock McDowra.

# Milton homecoming to be held June 2

The annual homecoming will be held Sunday June 2,1996 at Milton under the trees in front of the cemetery. There will be an alternate place in case of rain. Everyone is invited to bring their lawn chairs and a picnic lunch to be spread at the noon hour and enjoy visiting with family and

friends.

Those who are interested in doing a history of Milton are encouraged to bring a copy of your family history with you. There will be a short business meeting for the cemetery in the afternoon.

# Volleyball Camp set for Deport Classes of 1955-June 3-7 at Prairiland

Frankye Sessums will sponsor a Volleyball Camp at Prairiland High School June 3 through June 7th.

The camp is for 6th, 7th and 8th graders, and will be held daily from 9:00 a.m. until 12 noon.

The cost is \$50 for each student. To enroll in the volleyball camp call

# Methodist VBS begins June 7 in Deport

Remember, Vacation Bible School at the Methodist Church in Deport will be held June 3 through June 7 from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m.

All youngsters are invited, and the theme this year will be "Come Follow Jesus".

Blossom has set their ciy-wide garage sale for Saturday, June 8. The sale is being arranged as an annual event and will be held on the second Saturday of June each year. For more information contact Mary Lee.

# 56-57 to hold reunion

The Classes of Deport High School 1955-56-57 will have a reunion on Saturday, June 1, 1996 at the Deport American Legion Building in Deport. Everyone invited to attend.

Picnic lunch will be served at noon.

# Malone, Jopes, Phipps reunion slated

The Malone, Jopes and Phipps reunion is scheduled ofr Sunday, June 2, at the Malone Ranch Lake near Vasco inDelta County.

For more information call 903-785-1592 or 652-3183 or 395-4371.

# CARRELL **EDITOR'S QUOTES**

For all your days prepare, And meet them ever alike: When you are the anvil, bear: When you are the hammer, strike Edwin Markham



BESSIE GARRETT is the featured Cook of the Week this week. She is a Blossom resident and is pictured here with the cookbook that was handed down to her from her mother, the late Lillie Mae Smith. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

# NOTICE OF RATE CHANGE REQUEST

For Texas-New Mexico Power Company customers within the State of Texas, the Company announces that it has filed, on May 2, 1996, an Application for Approval and Statement of Intent for Transition Plan in accordance with the regulations of the Public Utility Commission of Texas. The effective date of such change is June 10, 1996. All classes of customers receiving service from Texas-New Mexico Power Company will be affected by said proposed rates. TNP serves approximately 170,000 customers in Texas. The proposed rates, for all of TNP's Texas operations, will not increase gross revenues to the Company over adjusted test year revenues.

The purpose of this filing is to obtain approval for TNP's transition plan, known as Community Choice, which will address potential stranded costs and increasing competition in the electric utility industry. Community Choice is comprised of the following three major elements:

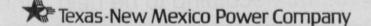
(1) Effective Aggregation of Small Electric Loads. Community Choice aggregates electric service customers at the community level for the purpose of purchasing bulk electric energy. This approach to aggregating customers will provide residential and small commercial customers some of the same buying power that large commercial and industrial customers likely will enjoy in a competitive environment.

(2) An Opportunity to Recover Stranded Costs. During a five-year transition period (1997 - 2001), in which TNP will implement Community Choice, TNP will have the opportunity to reduce the so-called "stranded costs" associated with TNP One, TNP's generating plant. TNP's stranded costs are the difference between what it costs TNP to produce electric energy and what a customer is willing to pay for electric energy in a competitive environment. Rates, including charges associated with fuel and purchased power, will remain constant during this five-year period at 1995 levels. TNP will use normal depreciation, depreciation shifting, and any fuel or purchased power savings to reduce the capital cost of TNP One. In addition, Community Choice will include a mechanism for of TNP One.

(3) A Commitment to Provide Customer Choice. Beginning on January 1, 2002, TNP's customers will have the opportunity to choose their suppliers of bulk electric energy and energy-related services. Customers will be able to choose which company provides these services to them, while TNP will continue to provide transmission and distribution services.

A complete copy of the requested rate filing package is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas. You may inspect a copy of the filing during normal business hours at the business office of Texas-New Mexico Power Company in your area.

Persons who wish to intervene in or comment upon these proceedings should notify the commission as soon as possible, as an intervention deadline will be imposed. A request to intervene or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission's Consumer Affairs Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 for text telephone. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is 45 days after the date the application was filed with the commission.



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# Country Cooking



By Liz Irwin



Bessie Garrett of Blossom is our featured Cook this week. She lives in Blossom with her husband, Tom. They are members of the Blossom Church of Christ and Mr. Garrett is retired from Lamar County Electric.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett enjoy visiting with the senior citizens at the center at City Hall. Until recently, they enjoyed going down visitng and having a nice hot meal at lunch. With the budget cuts from the government, Blossom senior citizens no longer enjoy this bit of priviledge. They still meet at the center to play dominoes and games and occasionally will go into Paris, "dutch treat" and enjoy a meal out or do a "pot luck" meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett have two sons. Paul and Sue Garrett and their children Jamilyn and Curtis. Curtis is married to Christi and they have a son Landon. Jerry and Patty live at Lake Tawokani and they have a son Chad and daughter Kim Redditt.

Chad is married to Melissa and they live in Paris. Kim is married to Clay and they live in Ft. Worth.

I got to know Mrs. Garrett by visiting with her each Monday for the newspaper. I enjoy these visits and through these, we share the "comings and goings" of our families and friends. She is a dear lady and a delight to know.

The recipes that she is sharing are some from a recipe book that was given to her by her late mother, Lillie Mae Smith. She cherishes the book and it is always on the lookout for new recipes.

She is giving us her recipes for Orange Pound Cake, Peanut Butter Cookies, "Grand"s Strawberry Shortcake, Upside Down Cobbler, Pecan Pie, "Beer" Bisquits and Tangy Lemon Cake. They all sound delicious and thanks for sharing them with us Mrs. Garrett.

We will see you in the kitchen!

May 30, 1996 Bessie Garrett-Blossom



Orange Pound Cake white cake mix

/4 cup sugar small box orange jello Add 3/4 cup oil and 3/4 cup orange juice. Add 4 eggs one at a time. Bake at 350 degrees or 50

cing: I cup powdered sugar

4 cup orange juice Turn cake out and take fork to punch noles in cake while hot. Pour icing over hot cake and let cool

**Peanut Butter Cookies** cup sugar

cup peanut butter

Roll to the size of an english walnut nd bake at 350 degrees for 9 minutes. 'Grands'" Strawberry Shortcake can Grand's Pillsbury bisquits tablespoons melted margarine

-5 tablespoon sugar cups strawberries & blueberries cup whipped cream

Heat oven to 375 degrees and dip both sides of bisquits in butter and then sugar. Bake for 13-17 minutes or until brown. To serve split and layer with berries and cream. Serves 8.

Upside Down Cobbler cup flour cup sugar teaspoon baking powder 1/2 teaspoon salt 3/4 cup milk

I cube margarine

Mix dry ingredients and add milk Mix and form thick batter. Melt margarine in deep casserole dish and pour bater into margarine. Empty desired fruit(add sugar to taste and if using apples add I cup liquid). Bake at 375 degrees for 45 minutes. Serves 6

Pecan Pie l cup Karo syeup 4 tablespoons sugar

l teaspoon vanilla

I cup chopped pecans Mix in order given. Pour in unbaked pie shell and bake until set for around 30 minutes at 350 degrees

"Beer" Bisquits 4 cups Bisquick 2 tablespoons sugar

1 can(12 ounces) room temperature beer Heat oven at 400 degrees and mix al ingredients vigorously for 1/2 minute Fill 24 hot greased muffin cups 2/3 full

Bake for 15 minutes. Tangy Lemon Cake

Cream 1 stick margarine with 1 tea spoon vanilla. Blend with 1/4 cup sugar Sift together 2-1/2 cup cake flour, 1-1/2 teaspoon soda and 1-1/2 teaspoon salt Add alternately with 1-1/2 cup buttermilk; beating after each addition. Beat 4 egg whites until stiff peaks and gradually add 1/4 cup sugar. Fold into cake mixture and cook for 30 minutes in 350 degree oven. Makes 2-9 inch cakes or 1 bundt cake.

# Fulbright School Reunion and Fulbright Homecoming planned

The annual Fulbright School Reunion will be held on June 8, from 11:00 A.M. until 2:30 P.M. at the Rocking W Bar-B-Que in Paris. Lunch will be served from the menu. Any former student of the Fulbright School is invited to attend.

On June 9, the annual Fulbright Homecoming will be held at the Fulbright Community Center.

The purpose of psychology is to give us a completely different idea of the things we know best.

-Paul Valéry

# Bogata Rodeo set, **Princess** contest now open

The Bogata Rodeo Association has announced that the dates for the annual Bogata Rodeo are June 27, 28 and 29th.

all girls, ages 5-9 interested in being Rodeo Princess please contact Donna Langford at 632-5358 or Robbie Marshall at 632-4500. The last day to enter is May 20th, so don't

# **Hunter Safety** course June 10

Donnie McHam of Blossom will be instructing a Hunter Safety Course on Monday, June 10, Tuesday, June 11, Thursday, June 13 and Friday, June 14 at the Deport School. The course will begin each night at 6:00

Everyone needs to pre-register to enable the instructors to have sufficient materials on hand. The fee for the courase is \$5 with all monies going to the State of Texas.

For more information contact Donnie McHam at 903-982-6893, Greg Williford, game warden at 903-737-9846 or Randy Clarkson.

# Mrs. Thelma Davis dies May 24

Mrs. Thelma Harper Davis, age 92 of Talco, died Friday, May 24 in East Texas Medical Center, Clarksville.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, May 26 in Bogata United Methodist Church with Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Bridges Chapel Cemetery, Titus County, under the direction of Wood Funeral Homes of Bogata.

Mrs. Davis was born August 24, 1903 in Talco, a daughter of Samuel R. and Sally Kirk Harper. She married James A. Davis February 21, 1925 in Mt. Pleasant. He preceded her in death July 27, 1995. She and Mr. Davis lived in the West Texas oil field areas, Archer City, Olney and Megargel for the first 15 years of their marriage. They returned to Talco in 1939 and lived there for the remainder of the years, except for 1942, which they spent in Bogata. Mrs. Davis had been a resident of Red River Healthcare Center since 1991.

She was a member of the Talco Eastern Star, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Kirk family reunion and the Bogata United Methodist Church. She and Mr. Davis had three children, James Harper Davis, who died in 1944, Mary Kathryn Cotten of Johntown and Janice Davis of Dallas. She is also survived by a son-in-law, Dan Cotten; three grandchildren, Larry Cotten and his wife, Jeri of Frisco, Danny Cotten and wife Carla of Salt Lake City, utah and Lisa Cotten Graham and her husband, Rick, of Midland; a niece and two nephews; nine great-grandchildren and two great-great-granddaughters. She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Huey and Gilbert Harper and two sisters, Cathie Smelser and Maggie Barnard.

Bearers were cousins. The family requests memorials be made to your favorite charity, the Bridges Chapel Cemetery Association or Talco Ex-students Scholarship Fund.

# Card Of Thanks

I would like to thank all my friends and relatives who stood by me during the time I was at Titus County Memorial Hospital and at Mother Francis Hospital at Tyler. Thanks for the food and flowers and donations that have been brought in since I came home Sunday.

I would like to especially thank First Responders for attending me and keeping me alive until I was transported to Titus County Memorial. There are not enough words to express my gratitude.

Thank you I love you, **Charlotte Crow** 

# **Area students** on honors list

The following students have been named to the Academic Merit list for the spring 1996 semester at Northeast Texas Community College. To be named to this list, a student must have been enrolled in between seven and eleven hours and achieved a grade point average of at least 3.75. Students from this area on the list are from Deport; Donna Miller, James Hall from Tálco, Christye Bolen of Avery and Jennifer L. Conway and Travis D. Faulkner of Clarksville.

The following students have been named to the Academic Honors List for the Spring 1996 semester at Northeast Texas Community College. Those Named to this list must have a grade point average of 3.5 or greater and must have been enrolled for 12 or more semester hours. Area students on this list are John T. Grantham and Clayton R. Huddleston of Bogata, Clifton C. Caddell and Mandy M. Mabry of Clarksville and Richard T. Legg of Paris.

# Delma McEachern dies May 27

**Obituaries** 

Delma McEachern, age 85 of Clarksville died Monday, May 27 in

Regency Nursing Center, Clarksville, Services were held Wednesday, May 29 at 10:30 a.m. at the First Baptist Church, Clarksville with Rev. Karl Bush and Rev. Jerry Gibson oficiating. Burial followed in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. McEachern was born in Comanche County, Texas on May 28, 1910, a daughter of Elbert John and Minta Jane Dunlap Woods. The McEachern family moved to Red River County in 1964 from Crosby County. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Clarksv ille and a Past Matron of Clarksville Order of the Eastern Star #662. She was preceded in death by her husband, ynus McEachern in 1985, a son in 1930 and a daughter in 1958.

Surviving are a daughter and her husband, Donna and Bob Cornelius of Bagwell; grandchildren Bobby Cornelius of Clarksville, Jimmy Cornelius of Abilene, Shirley Taylor of The Colony, Linda Vandeaver of Clarksville and Kathie Roseberry of New Boston and 11 great-grandchil-

# James "Ricky" Collins dies May 22

James "Ricky" Collins of Bagwell died Wednesday, May 22 at East Texas Medical Center, Clarksville.

Clarksville Funeral Home conducted graveside services at 5:30 p.m. Friday, May 24 at Blanton Creek Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Clara Coble Collins; two sons, John Hawley of Bagwell and Ernest Hawley of Bagwell; two daughters, Clara Beasley of Sacramento, Ca and Polly Nailling of Bagwell; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

# Card of Thanks

My family would like to thank everyone for their constant encouragement, caring, compassion and love during the illness and loss of our loved one. We were lifted up and carried by the grace of God. Thank you, Rev. Bob Bush, Dr. McLeod, Hospice Chaplain and friend and to the Cypress Basin Hospice. Thank you for knowing the way. Barbara and Charlie Smith, Donnie and Charlie Lewis, Frances and Neil Rozell and their families, our words will never be enough, thank you. God blessed us with all of you. To the James Wood family, thank you for your desire to help make this last memory a beautiful and blessed one for our family. To the Methodist Church choir, to everyone who sent food, flowers, cards and made donations, you let us know we were not alone.

God bless you. The Ernest Croy Family

# Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank each and everyone for the flowers, food, donations, prayers and your support during our time of sorrow for our mother and grandmother, Sue Hudson. Special thanks to all the nurses who worked North Hall at Red River Healthcare Center, also the people in the kitchen there. Your help was greatly appreciated in helping Sue through her last days. Special thanks to the Wood family and Brother Don Shovan for the lovely service. An extra special thanks to our brother, Winifred, for singing.

Winifred and LaVerne Hudson, their children, Philip Hudson and Linda Lawson Mary E. Colflesh her children, Larry Ripley and Eddie Colflesh,

Virgil and Mary Alice Hudson

and their children, Lisa Jacobs, Mark Hudson and Kyle Hudson.

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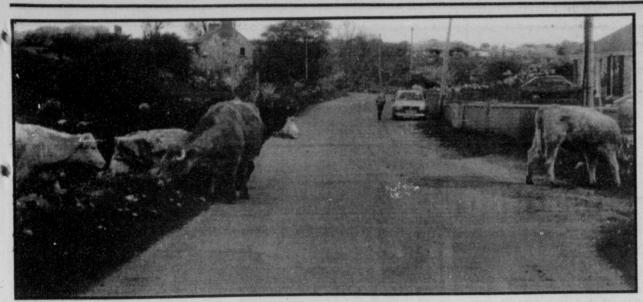
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# Return to Ireland better than before!



By Nanalee Nichols For those who ask repeatedly for our vacation escapades, here they are. We're glad you asked, and hope you enjoy them!

My cousin, Medora Ann, wanted to go on vacation with us this year, and we wanted her to come along. So, back in February we began to put our heads together and try to figure out where we could go that would be lots of fun.

I wanted to go to Spain, early in March, but neither she nor my husband were overwhelmed by that idea. We tossed Greece around, decided that was too expensive, and finally began to toy with the idea of returning to Ireland, since we missed two days of our original tour, loved the country, and Medora had never been. At first it seemed that this trip

would be ill-fated. We had trouble getting airline seats at a reasonable price on the dates we could all go. Then, only three weeks before our trip we received notice that the tour had been cancelled! That left us in a fix, since we couldn't change the airfare dates, but somethings do turn out for the best. We managed to contact a company in New York which specialize in Irish tours and ended up with a mini van and a driver just for the three of us. Yes, it cost more, but not that much more since we decided to stay in bed and breakfasts instead of hotels. What a fortunate choice that turned out to be for us all!

Let me announce to the world that for the first time in five years we didn't miss a connecting flight, didn't have any bags come up missing and didn't have mechanical trouble on the plane! How nice it was to breeze to Atlanta, connect with my cousin (who was coming in from Tulsa, Oklahoma) and stroll on board a plane for the long overseas flight.

We arrived on time at Shannon airport, to be met my Robert Downing, our driver/guide for the entire

trip.
Tired as we were, since none of us slept on the plane, we still knew to stay up so that we could get adjusted.

We stopped at Dromoland Castle now an expensive and beautiful hotel. The grounds were gorgeous, with people out shooting skeet, archery, playing golf or rowing the lake. The price for a night's stay was way, way to rich for our blood, of course.

We went to the Cliffs of Moher, and stood in the wind in awe as the cliffs soared 700 feet straight up from the sea. Waves crashed far below, sea birds plaintively punctuated the sound of harp music, coming from a young woman seated on the hill above us.

We watched as a group of teenagers lay done on their stomachs and wiggled to the edge of the cliffs to peer over, then wormed their way backwards to get up.

We traveled the narrow country roads to the village of Doolin and had lunch at O'Connors, a pub lunch that would set the standard for the rest of the trip. After that we drove to the Burrens, a rocky "moonscape" that defies description. Strangely, there are two kinds of plants there on this barren land that draws botanists from all over the world...artic plants and tropical plants! Below the naked rock there are caves, and we went through one, Alwee Cave. There were wallows in the mud with bones of the Irish Brown Bear, which has been extinct for 1500 years! The animals used to hibernate in the cave.

Frozen falls of stone tumble in grandeur down the walls of the cave, and tiny straws of mineral deposits. A lighted waterfall throws crystal droplets into the air, sliding down, down into an invisible, but hearable

We checked in to our bed and breakfast that night, Riverdale Farmhouse. Medora and Thomas went to bed quite early, being exhausted. As usual, I was tired, but not sleepy.

I sat in the sitting room with Mary Fitzgerald, our hostess, drinking hot tea and getting to know this friendly woman. She has two boys and one girl. The family farms, mostly beef cattle, she says the regulations for dairy cattle are too strict for small farmers.

I asked her about volunteer lire departments, and she said that they have them just as we do here in rural areas. They have an additional duty in Doolin, though, and that is cliff and water rescue. It hit me that this must be an additional function of most volunteer fire departments all round the coast of an island country like Ireland. Shortly after that I discovered my little dragon ring, which I had made many years ago, was gone, apparently having come off my finger when I put my hand in my pocket and then pulled it back out. Mrs. Fitzgerald, the folks at the pubs& our guide were all very helpful in looking for it, but it didn't turn

trip, to find a Celtic ring to replace it!

That night, Thomas and I were cold, not adjusted to the temperatures of an Irish May, and allergic to the nice wool blankets that would have kept us warm!

Since energy is so expensive, the radiators go off about 10:30 each night, in all the bed and breakfasts. No matter, though, those big Irish breakfasts warm one up quickly enough!

After bidding our friendly hostess good-bye we headed down the road to Galway, travelling all the way around Galway Bay . Gorgeous scenery beckoned on every side. Sunlit bays invited one to stop and stay a little, soaring mountains reached up to the sky in benediction. Along the sides of the roads miles and miles of sturdy rock fences separated cattle and sheep, lots from gardens while the myriad shades of green shone round about.

We stopped for cattle in the road once, and kids came to run them back into their pasture, smiling and wav-

We went to the Connemara marble factory, and it was nice to be able to see the beautiful colors, rose and green, black and greys. The stone is almost mined out now, and only small objects are made from the famous marble. The factory has been in the family for generations.

We shopped outside of Galway in place called Standu'n which featured beautiful handmade things. Once more we were impressed by the two nicest things about the Republic of Ireland....the friendly people and the quality of their gifts, souvenirs and goods. Finding something stamped 'Made in Taiwan or "China" is difficult. Instead the label says which county in Ireland the are made, a welcome change.

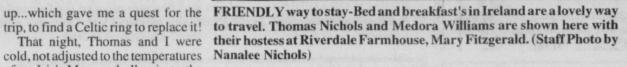
We also began to realize that in Robert we had a terasure....his driving skills, efficiency and patience with our endless questions was priceless. If he didn't always know how to take our silliness, we figured he would soon learn...and he did, soon joining in the jokes with us!

Next week we'll explore some new territory, and tell you how we munched our way across Ireland, enjoying some superb food and playing havoc with my diet!

# Sessums named to USAA roll

The United States Achievement Academy announced today that Breah Sessums has been recognized for academic achievement as a United States National Honor Roll Award winner.

Breah attends Prairiland High School and will appear in the USAA official yearbok which is published



# Kincaid annual reunion is well attended

The family of the late Bud and Lola Kincaid held their reunion May 26 at the Deport School cafeteria. There were 58 present.

Those attending from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grinstead; Pamela Haden and son Allen Adams; Jack Glen and Wanda Sue Grinstead and James Glen Grinstead from Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jr. Kincaid from Dennison; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kincaid; Kathy Mayfield and Amy from Kaufman; Dorothy Helen Kincaid from Grand Prairie; Kay Ward from Arlington; Lura Gann; Lorene Kilgore; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Helm with children Jeremy, Josh and Brandon; Mr. and Mrs. bobby Kincaid and children Daniel, Kimberly and Kayla; Cheryl Brook and Whitney

from Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Robert C Johnson and sons Allen and Larry from Pattonville; Mrs. Debbie Smith and son Jace Short from Post Oak; Mr. and Mrs.. Stanley Cavender and son Zach from Powderly; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ed Cavender and sons Matt and Cody from Marvin; Burrell Kincaid and Mr. and Mrs. bob Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Talley; Mrs. Cindy Sugg and son Ashley; Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Dean Kincaid and Amy; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Kincaid and Kelly, Richard Kilgore.

Weldon Murphy from Paris was a

visiting and taking pictures. We hope to see everyone here again

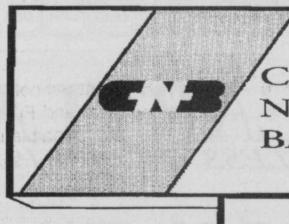
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> > In Pursuit Of Happiness

As the pursuit of happiness goes on continually for most people, the goal of true happiness is rarely achieved. It appears within reach in the next set of circumstances, in the next item purchased, in the next person with whom some type of relationship is established. Then the bubble bursts, and the fact dawns that what we had held with so much promise for happiness is proven again to be fallible, earthly, and thus

As we consider another factor in the pursuit of true happiness, look at \*Rule No. 3: Learn to say, "I love you." The Bible has told us all along that there is a principle which is a foundational principle for true happiness. Jesus said, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And a second is like unto it, you shall love your neighbor as yourself' (Matthew 22:37-39).

When people don't or won't love God and other people, they don't have the slightest chance of finding true happiness. Love, in the highest sense, is concern for the ultimate good of the other person. That kind of love is sacrificial, not self-centered. Jesus, the Son of God, showed us the ultimate love when He gave His life on the cross to save sinners. He gave His all for all! He was, in effect, telling us,

Be more like Jesus. Tell someone today that you love him or her, and mean it! When other people become important, Rule No. 3 is not hard to practice. Jim Wilson, Minister

Sixth Street Church of Christ, Tucumcari, New Mexico \*Rule No. 3 - Taken from Climb Happiness Hill, by Alan Bryan. (No. 19. Previous articles are available upon request. Just call 903-982-5667.)



EIGHTH GRADERS from Deport and Blossom enjoyed the fun and festivities at their dance after graduation ceremonies in the Prairiland cafeteria last Thursday night. The students are looking forward to a great freshman year! (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

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son or persons responsible for com-

mitting the following felony crime.

At 2:45 on Saturday afternoon May

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Ave. in Paris. The suspect grabbed

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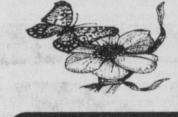
this or any other felony crime, please call Crime Stoppers. If Crime Stoppers receives that information by JUNE 3rd, an arrest and indictment is made of those persons responsible, Crime Stoppers

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# Crime Stoppers seventh annual rodeo to be held June 7-8

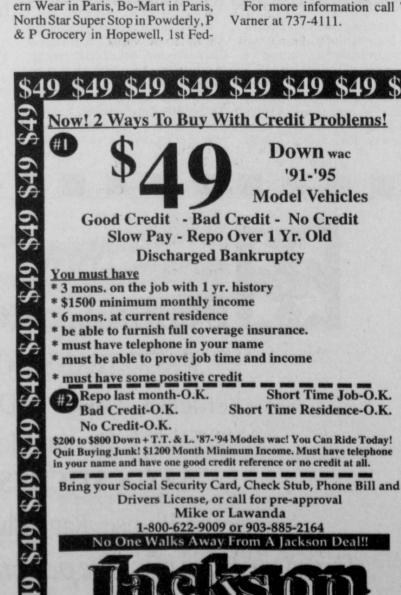
The Lamar County Crime Stop- eral Saving and Loan, Waga Bag #3 pers will hold their seventh annual All Police Rodeo on Friday, June 7 and Saturday, June 8 beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Paris Rodeo and Horse Clube Arena, Lamar County Fairgrounds. Advance tickets will be \$4.00. At the gate tickets will be \$5.00. Children under 12 will be free. Tickets will be available at the Paris Police Department, Cavender's Western Wear in Paris, Bo-Mart in Paris,

in Blossom and Lamar County Sheriff's Office.

All proceeds will go to fund/benefit Lamar County Crime Stoppers.

The full 12 event rodeo will feature Mike Grigsby and Tridens Prairie. All contestants are full time peace officers.

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# **Fulbright News**

By Betty Rodgers 652-6051

Jimmy King visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kyle King of Reno for supper. Duane and Bobbye King of Paris were there, too.

Sandy Campbell had an arts and crafts booth at teh Paris Art Fair.

Betty Rodgers had a good visit Sunday with Jodi and Dee Newberry of Shady Grove.

Monte and Shelley Rodgers met Betty Rodgers and Melissa Arriaga at Sirloin Stockade for dinner Friday evening.

Congratulations to Kane Peek for graduating from Prairiland High School Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Duane King of Paris and Mrs. Kyle King of Reno spent Wednesday with Jimmy King.

Randy Osburn and girls of Midlothian and Kay Osburn of Paris came for Jimmy King Saturday afternoon. Jimmy and Kay attended graduation exercises at North Lamar High School Saturday night. nicole King was a graduate.

# VFW/Auxiliary to hold Service

The VFW and Ladies Auxiliary to Post 3990 want to invite the community to a Traditional Memorial Day Service starting at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 30th.

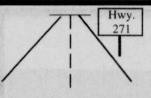
This is the day set aside by Congress as the day we remembr our fallen heros, those veterans that have answered the last call. To allow for a four day weekend that day has been forgotten. The purpose for the day forgotten or never known by our young people. People get together for picnics and family outings to the lake. HOw many take the time to pause and remember the reason we have memorial day. To remember and give thanks to those brave men and women that went to war to protect this great country that we live in and our way of life?

This weekend is over, people have gone back to work. Those that have heildren at home, are retired or on vacation that owuld like to come out and have your faith in this country renewed, and good comradeship are invited out for a traditonal memborial day service and meal afterward. All VFW membrs, their families and neighbors are invited. The memorial service will be a 11 a.m. The meal provided by the post and ladies auxiliary will be at 12 nooon.

light a candle, place a cemetery flag, say a prayer.



"WE ARE THE WORLD" was led by several of the Prairiland FHA students at the recent FFA banquet. Pictured is Brent Brown, Claudia Trammell, Jennifer Beaty, Stacy Bangs, Dustin May, Amanda Rogers, Angie Garner and Jason Draper. (Staff Photo by Jan Tyson)



# Pattonville News

By Peggy Gentry 652-2244 and By Barbara McDowra 652-9723

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilson's visitors last week were James and Dorothy Cunningham, S.C. Short and Martha Porterfield. Betty Slayden had dinner with the Wilsons on Sunday.

Jan and Kent Richey and Josh of Corsicana and Susan Richey of Rusk spent the weekend with their parents, Dorothy and Jerry Richey.

Amie and Keith McDowra spent the weekend in Sherman for their anniversary.

Heather and Jason Moree of Arlington visited with her grandparents, Jan and Harold Tomblin this

ents, Jan and Harold Tomblin this weekend.

Jake Merritt spent the weekend with his grandparents, Joyce and

James Merritt. On Sunday, Leta Scott and Rufus Merritt had dinner with Joyce and James. Frances and Raymond Hoover visited with Myrle Morris in McCuistion

Hospital Sunday.

Marilyn and Bill Hearron of Shreveport spent the weekend with their daughter and her family, Katy and Thomas Crossland and Cody. Michael Crossland bought a new four wheeler and he and Lisa Baker and Kathy and Thomas spent Saturday four wheeling at the Sulphur River.

Rita and Randall Cox spent Saturday in Granbury visiting with friends.

Margaret and T.J. Fowler's Sunday dinner guests were Lucy Fowler, Carol and Jennifer Dorsey, Barbara and Del Dunlap and Colt Moore. Colt spent the weekend with his grandparents while his parents, Melanie and Ricky Moore were on a trip to Branson, MO.

Terry, Debra, Brandyn and Tanner Williams of Dallas visited with Terry's parents, Bernice and Jim Bell this weekend. Also visiting was their son, Ricky Williams of Louisville. Ricky played the drums for the Broadway Junction Band while he was in.

Mickey Keener spent sunday with Ruby and Bill Blevins. Melba Walker and Ashley Keener visited with them Friday. Alice Bumgarner spent the weekend with them.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs.. James Day this weekend were Calvin Day, Joe Day and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Burke.

Greg and Connie Parsons and Allison of Whitehouse spent the weekend with Peggy and Keith Parsons. Monday Keith and Peggy went to a cook out and swimming party at Kristi and Randy Boren's. Last Monday Peggy attended a retired teachers' luncheon at PJC.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland visited with Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Bogard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shelton, Ann and Dewayne Long and Bryan and Ashlie and John David Shelton spent the weekend at Cooper Lake.

Peggy and don Gentry and Penny and Greg Skidmore played golf Monday at Pine Hills Golf Course and had lunch at El Chico.

James Van Deaver left for

Cuernavaca, Morales, Mexico Saturday where he will take a refresher course in Advanced Spanish for one month. He teaches Spanish at Chisum. Stacy Skidmore, granddaughter of

Floyd and Lucille Tully, won 2nd place in barrel racing and 2nd place in Pole bending Saturday at Mt. Pleasant. They attended the Garrett family reunion in Blossom Sunday.

Memorial Day guests of Judy and

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Calvin Day were Kathy and Kyle Dickson and children, Lisa Edwards and children, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley O'Brien and Steven, Bob Mitchell, James Day and Robert and John Sawyer. After lunch Calvin and John Mark Semple enjoyed fishing. Judy Day took lunch to Leslie Ruth Stell Sunday. An end-of-school hot dog party as given to the members of the Shady Grove Youth Group Sunday under the Tabernacle of the church. John Mark Semple visited his uncle, bob Day on Saturday. Tiffany Webb of Deport was a guest also.

Brock and Justin McDowra spent the weekend with their grandmother, Barbara McDowra. Barbara attended her granddaughter, )am McDowra's baseball game Tuesday night and her grandsons Nick and Jacob McDowra's baseball game Wednesday night. Barbara also attended her grandson, Brock McDowra's grade school graduation.

Congratulations to all the graduates!

Pam McNabb will celebrate her birthday on Friday May 31st.

Pattonville Community Center and Volunteer Fire Department had their monthly business meeting Tuesday night. Plans for the July 4th celebration were discussed. The Center and Fire Department will have their July 4th on June 29th. There will be more information for the picnic at a later date.

The Volunteer Fire Department will have a meeting Monday, June 3rd.

Randall Cox sat in with his steel guitar with the Broadway Junction Band at the Center's last dance.

# Remember Power Cords Near Water Can Turn Deadly.

They strike when you least expect it—dangerous electrical hazards in and around lakes, pools, ponds and showers. So it's important that you always be alert when using electricity near water. This summer be sure to keep radios and other appliances safely away from the water's edge. And never try to retrieve or unplug anything connected to a power cord once it has fallen into the water. Remember, the mixture of electricity, water and you can be deadly. To learn more about preventing electrical accidents, call or visit your local Texas-New Mexico Power Company office. Make sure your relaxing day by the water doesn't turn into something scary.



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# Cunningham News

By Jane O'Neal 652-6062

Barbara Dunlap of Mesquite spent from Wednesday to Friday with her mother Lucy Fowler.

Delano and Barbara Dunlap spent the weekend at their home here.

Barbara and Delano Dunlap, Carol and Jennifer Dorsey and Lucy Fowler attended a fish fry at the home of T.J. and Margaret Fowler on Sunday

The Cunningham Baptist Church enjoyed Memorial Day lunch together in their Fellowship hall following Sunday morning services.

Andrew Bazhaw spent Friday afternoon with Lorette Pynes.

Sue and Lorette Pynes were in Hooks on Monday to attend the funeral services of Wayne Moore who was a brother-in-law of Lorette.

Clyde and Bobbye Slusher were in Arlington on Monday to visit Jim and DeAnn Carver and to attend the graduation of their daughter, Courtney. The graduation was held at the TCU Coli-

While in Arlington Clyde and Bobbye Slusher visited Steve and Keri Slusher.

Charles Taylor is recuperating at home in Paris following a stay in the hospital. He is reported doing better.

A few days ago, carol Jean and Davie Joe Williams and Lou Hatfield took Ethel Marshal to Sulphur Springs to attend a birthday celebration for Aza (Chance) Hill, who is a cousin of Ethel's. She celebrated 100 years of

age. Near 100 people attended.

Jonathan Arnold spent the weekend with Charles and Carol Jean

David and Kathy Jackson of Overland Park, Kansas spent the holiday weekend with Murray and Sue Jack-

Sunday, Murray and Sue Jackson, David and Kathy Jackson, Annie Barber of Paris, Michael Deming of Talco, Karla Smith, Andrea, Kara and Aaron Palmer, and Dwayne, Lisa, O'Neal and Weston Drinnon had lunch with Jane O'Neal. They then went to Paris to Sue and Murray's where they enjoyed the afternoon swimming and cooked hamburgers and hot dogs for supper.

Last Thursday, Jane O'Neal attended the McCuistion Regional Medical Center Auxiliary awards luncheon at the Paris Golf and Country Club. She received a pin in recognition of 100 hours volunteer work.

On Monday, Ollie Ruth, Carl Buford and June Gutherie had lunch with Mr.and Mrs. Norman Sain.

Virginia and Larry Bell visited Mr.and Mrs. Norman Sain on Wednesday morning. That afternoon Mary Briscoe of Reno visited with

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain visited in Johntown with Mr. and Mrs. George Green and Mr. and Mrs. D.C.

Thomas on Friday Conard and Delores Norwood of Shelly Ladd.

Katy spent the holiday weekend at their home here.

James and Pat Norwood, Todd, Mendy, Laci and Kelby Cole spent the holidays at their lake home on Bob Sandlin.

Having Sunday lunch with Geneva Norwood were; Billy Ray, Neva, Brandon and Georjeana Oats, Frankie, Julie, Logan, Layton and Caleb Norwood, Scottie, Treda, Amber and Spur Norwood.

Logan Norwood was honored on Sunday afternoon with a party for his

Gerrie and Chance Bankhead and George and Maureen Richardson of Paris went with the Amtour group led by Jo Ricketson to Dallas Saturday. They attended the Biblical Historical Arts Museum.

Clyde, Gerrie and Chance Bankhead, Christi Callihan, Jerrod and Susan Bankhead, George and Maureen Richardson and Gene and Joe Cavender spent Sunday night and Monday at their homes on lake Bob

Visiting Velma Cox on Tuesday afternoon were, Walker and Willie, Devlin and the Bumgardner sisters, Fay, Jewel, Bonnie and Janet. They were former residents of the area.

Velma Cox spent Sunday with Dora Hester of Paris.

Shelby Kennedy and Carolyn Ladd spent Sunday night in Rockwall with

# Allen tops 18AA All-District team

Zachery Allen, senior catcher from Prairiland topped the 18AA All-district team by being named MVP. Newcomer of the Year was Damon Williams of Cooper, Freshman of the Year Blake Jones of Honey Grove and T.J. Termin of Chisum and Coach of the Year Rodney Rainey of Coo-

First team members also being named Pitcher-junior Jeremy Day, sophomore Mike Yaross both of Prairiland and Paul David Phipps junior of Cooper. Catcher-Andy Spear senior Chisum and Blake Cunningham senior Honey Grove. Ist base-Jason Rainey junior Cooper. 2nd base-Marcus Wood junior Chisum. 3rd base-Brad Thomas sophomore Como-Pickton and Eric Martin junior Rivercrest. Short Stop-Quinn Sessums sophomoe Prairiland.

Outfield-Michael Murphy senior Prairiland, Clint Gage junior Rivercrest, Detrick Hearn junior Chisum and Chris Collard sophomore Cooper. Designated Hitter-Chris Malone junior Prairiland. Utility-Josh Odom senior Honey Grove.

Named to the second team was

Pitcher-Ryan Cope sophomore Chisum, Josh Tribble junior Chisum and A.J. Lee senior Rivercrest. Catcher-Victor Pearsall senior Como Pickton, and David Calvin sophomore Cooper. 1st base-Chance Allison senior Chisum. 2nd base-Shane Sepulveda senior Cooper. 3rd base-David Ford sophomore

Short Stop-Eric layton senior Chisum. Outfield-Joe Cochran junior Chisum, Chris Pearsall junior Como Pickton, Juan Torres senior Rivercrest and Cody Bettes senior Cooper. Designated Hitter-Josh Belcher senior Rivercrest and Jeremy Rogers junior Chisum. Utility-Jody Nolan sophomore Rivercrest and Zach Smith junior Como Pickton.

Honorable Mention went to Todd James, Cass Titsworth, Rhett Fendley all of Prairiland; Richard Wallace Chisum; Shawn Fox Honey Grove; Jared Brumley and Jeremy Tallant Como Pickton; Jared Guest, Michael Deming and Jason Freelan of Rivercrest; Sean Renfro, Shane LaRue and Blake Randle of Cooper.

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Special "Get Well's" this week to James Boyd and Jenny Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett attended the Garrett Reunion at the Blossom Cafeteria on Sunday, May 26. There

were around 40 people attending.

Minnie Lee Shands visited with Viola Brendle of the Medical Plaza Nursing Home this week.

The Patriots did a great job this season. There was a great turnout at the game Thursday night!

The Deport and Blossom 8th graders held their graduation party at the Prairiland High School cafeteria. They all had a great time.

Bessie Allen spent the week in Little Elm visiting her family Ronnie, Patricia, Adam and Lance Northam. She also atteened the graduation of her grandson Adam. He was in the top 10 of his class and the ceremony was held at TWU.

Randle and Sue Clarkson enjoyed lunch with their children Randy Clarkson and family and Rhett Clarkson and family Monday.

Judy and Robin Peiper of Hydro, Oklahoma attended the graduation ceremony for Charity Barber at the Love Civic Center from the Aca-

demic Achievement School. Dale Halyard of Bogata the guest speaker. Also graduating was Stormi Parker

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Jim Weddle of Denton spent Saturday night with Jr. and Pauline Weddle. They attended the chuck wagon races at Idabel on Saturday along with Angela and Scott Shannon, Laci, Lesa and Lori and Shelia

Teri Moody and Blake of Cleveland, Tennessee are here visiting family and friends and to attend the wedding of Steven Weddle.

Ryan Ballard of Gilmer and Chris Dowster of Longview spent from Monday to Thursday with Mary Jane

Mary Jane Lowry attended the last meeting of the year of the George Washington Stell Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas on Saturday at the Paris Golf and Country Club.

Ruby Crawford enjoyed lunch on Monday with Jana and Chuck Lemire and Marie and Annae all of Paris.

Congratulations to Buford Cleveland. He was announced as the award winner of the "Golden Trowel" for his years of service to the Masonery. He was presented this award at a special meeting on Saturday night by Rev. E. R. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cleveland also received phone calls from Paul Cleveland of Shawnee, Oklahoma and Kenneh Cleveland of New York. Also visiting them over the weekend was Ronnie and Linda Cleveland of Tarpley.

Visiting Louise Preston recently was her two sisters Dorothy Whitted of Santa Fe, New Mexico and Charlene Greenwald of Albuquerque and also a cousin Juanita Crownover of Las Lunas, New Mexico.

# **Deport Nursing Home News**

By JaLynda Mitchell

Freddy Burden came and taught Tuesday Bible Study. Wednesday we had a cookout on the back porch. We had hot dogs, chips and brownies. It was such a nice day for it too. Thursday we replenished our birdfeeders so the birds won't go hungry. In the afternoon we had cooking class so we wouldn't go hungry. We made finger food and peanut butter and and syrup with graham crackers. Fridya we had Bible Study with several helping with the lesson. Bill and Barbara Biggerstaff shared a Bill and Gloria Gaither gospel tape with us while we also enjoyed popcorn.

Sunday David Ham brought the Sunday School lesson while Tim and Tina Skidmore and L.C. Stout provide the music.

Monday the Ladies Auxiliary Post 3990 of Reno provided the bingo gifts. They also distributed American Flags to our residents to honor Memorial Day. The volunteers that helped were Sara Mazy, Minda Corso and Nannie Bell Ham.

We would like to welcome Kathryn Capmpbell and Gilbert Marshall.

We would like to welcome back Nna Hale and John Edwards from the

hospital. Jessie Marie Woodard visited Fay Woodard.

Ronnie Wright visited Raymond

Visitors of Johnnie Warren were Mr. and Mrs. Otha Cook of Tulsa, Ok. Joyce Wilson, Evelyn Roach, Lucy Fowler, Barbara Dunlap, Nora Appleby, Beth Ann Roach, Danbri and Dakota Mitchell, Martha Shannon of Euless, Bob Allen, Dorothy Holt and Alic eBumgarner.

Mary Matthews was visited by Sue Hart, Inez Luttrell and Margaret Whitley.

Carl Maddux's visitors were Winnie Bunch, Mary Richardson, Jean Plunkett and Kathryn Maddux.

Visiting George Powell were Carl Allen, Sue Hart, Geneva Weaver, Mildred Howard.

Edith Franklin was visited by Rickey and Mary Ann Franklin, Steven K. and Patsy Ward.

Earl Barnett visited Earlene Bar-

Dorothy Holt and Joyce Wilson visited their father Terry Johnson. Lloyd Moore's visitors were Rita Sinesh, Patsy Sagle, Jim and Linda

Visitors of Jewel Smith were Earl Sr., Clista, Heather, Felica, and Earl Jr. Filkins, Cleo Neighbors and daughter, Gertie Marshall, Dale Smith, Letris Stewart, Lawanda Cherry, Sue Goley, Askmo and Annie Laura Smith, Donald Ray and Dynetta Smith, Larry and Shirley

Haskell. Reecie Kelsey, Martha Glover, Betsy and Peyton Chapman and

David Glover visited Brodie Bell. Joyce Love of Ft. Worth and William Geer visited David Geer.

Frankie Archilbald's visitors were Betty Roznosky, Jeanette Saunders, Maydelle DeVincente Juanita Oats and Robin Mithcell.

Visiting LEna Powell were Geneva Weaver, Carl Allen, Sue Hart and Janie Martin.

bonnie Johnsons' visitors were Jim and Sharon Johnson, Bryan, Kathy and Brookelynn Johnson, Kristi

Johnson and Daniel Deanda. Jo Wrenn was visited by Pam, Keyle shovan, Danbri Mitchell, Chance Crawford, Amanda Middle-

ton, Dorothy Holt and Joyce Wilson. Barbara and Fred Biggerstaff visited Don O'Dea.

Pat Talley visited Betty Gardner. Russell Grant's visitors were Joe and Betty Buford of Florida, Steve and Ilene Grant of Laguna Hills, Ca. Nancy and Christna Murphy.

Visitors of Milow Hume were Lindsey and Ina Ward, Stasha Hume,

Lleen George, and Wldon Hume. Miriam Shannon was visited by Wayne and Faye Caviness and Nell Gardner.

Amanda Middleton and Angie

Wolf visited Betty Middleton. Johnnie and Virige McLemore's visitors were John McLemore, Harrell McLemore and Mack McLemore.

Visiting Sara Gilmer were Dewey and Marline Thomas, Weldon and Joyce Smith, Don Suzann, Kyle, Ashley and Lauren Shovan and Sarena Owens.

Billie Sawyer's visitors were Mary, Slater and Vicki Sawyer.

Nina Hale and Clarence Ham were visited by Wanda Bradley, Nann Bell Ham and Nell Shull.

John and Betty Beall visited John Edwards.

Grace Griffin was visited by Wynell Gilbreath, J.A. and Joyce Marshall.

Visitors of Ola Gardner were Joyce and Royce Cooley, Mabel Harvey, Vicki and Slater Sawyer, Tiffany WEbb, Nell and Angie Gardner, Jean Morrison, Misti Fields, Inee Bolton, J.D. Melton, Sawyer, Clint, Michelle and Chandler Cooley, Suzan Golden and Girls and Mary Sawyer.

Harold Norris' visitors were Richard McElyea, Linda Higgenbotham, Ema Willard, Roxanne Westbrooke, Primary and Junior Group. They also sang some songs too.

We would like to extend our syjpathy to the family and friends of Lloyd Moore.

We would like to recognize our Veterans: John Edwards, Milow Hume, John Rodgers, Clarence Ham Russell Grant, Harold Norris, Carl Gilbert, Lloyd Moore, Carl Maddux Raymond Wright.

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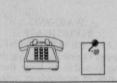
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**VEHICLES** 



Deport Housing Authority News

By Mary Westbrook 652-3605

Dr. Glover gave the devotional in the gazebo y May 6. Those present were Alpha Barnard, Mary Westbrook, Carrie Bennett, Thelma Shelby, Eunice Ervin, Juanita Primm, Mavis Sowards, Glenn Cutshall and Claude Burks.

Tuesday craft meeting was May 21 in the gazebo. We have started working on a tulip memory quilt. Taking part were Mary Westbrook, Juanita Primm, Thelma Shelby, Lucille Morgan, Floy Sparks, Mary Johnson, Mae Storm, Mildred Wright, Maud Webb, Eunice Ervin and Lisa

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grinstead and family visited Carrie Bennett Sunday along with other relatives.

On May 14 bingo party and birth-days were celebrated. Those present were Maud Webb, Mary Johnson, Floy Sparks, Mae Storm, Mildred Wright, Francis Franklin, Lucille Morgan, Alpha Barnard, Juanita Prim, Eunice Ervin, Betty Andrews, Lisa Johnson, Allen Johnson. Betty Anderews won first place, Mary Johnson won second and Lucille Morgan won third place playing

Mary Westbrook attended the Marcum homecoming in Milton on Sunday. They enjoyed the day and had lunch in Paris at Furr's.

Mae Storm visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Langston and family in Blossom over the weekend.







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# **Deport Locals**

By Barbara Crawford CALL 652-4205

Hattie Keel, age 78, cousin of Ruth O'Brien, had triple bypass surgery in Nashville, TN on May 21.

Ruth O'Brien visited her brother, Hammond Day in Parker on Wednesday, also visiting Betty and Hammond was their daughter, Jane White and great-grandson, Dalton Lee White.

Stanley and Ruth O'Brien attended the dance recitals of their granddaughters, Rachael, Stephanie and Julie in Los Colinas Saturday and Sunday. They are the children of Dr. Stephen O'Brien of Euless and Dr. Francys O'Brien of Bedford.

Ruth and Stanley O'Brien spent the memorial day weekend at their home in Shady Grov e.

Dr. Stephen O'Brien of Euless was in Paris on business and visited his parents, Ruth and Stanley O'Brien over the weekend.

Brandy Lee McAnally graduated f4rom Poteet High School in Mesquite on May 25. She is the daughte of Greg McAnally of Bonham and Charlotte O'Brien of Mesquite.

The Baumgardner sisters, Fay Pearson, Jewell Wilson, Bonnie and Janette Suits of Dallas and Velma Cox of Cunningham visited the Walker Devlins of Minter last week.

Reba Temple spent the weekend in Pottsboro and Dallas visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hickman and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Temple. On Monday they attended commencement for MacArthur High School in Irving. Nicole Temple, a member of the class, si the daughter of Bruce Temple and the granddaughter of Reba Temple.

Mac and Regina Webb attended graduation for their grandson, Andrew Webb at North Lamar Middle School on Friday. Also attending were his parents, Tom and Brenda Webb and Kay and John Davis, Dena and Robert Nelms, Drew, Chance and David Walker.

Tommie Cannon of Dallas spent several days last week with Mac and Regina Webb and Bocky Norman. She visited friends at Deport Nursing

Visiting Jimmie and Yuba Sparks were Kathleen Foreman of Dell City, Bill and Dana Dennis of Denver, CO, Fred and Alta Fangio, Lisa

Specials MAY 30-JUNE 5

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Hughes and Tiffany, Brittany Bean, Ernie and Rita Sparks. They ate at the Fish Fry on Friday and had dinner Sunday with Ernie and Rita Sparks of

Buddy and Nancy Freeman of Hazelwood, MS and Benny and Joyce Freeman of Paris visited their sister, Colleen adn Mervin Slaton last Fri-

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Westbrook of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Westbrook and David of Houston visited their sister, Artie Westbrook, over the weekend.

Margie Parks of Paris took her mother in law, Mary Parks, to the doctor on Friday

Rusty Crawford, Chad, Broc and Kelcie of Euless visited his parents, Russell and Pat Crawford.

Virginia McGill Damron of Dallas visited friends in Deport last Thursday and brought flowers for her parents graves, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McGill.

Brent McGill, son of Kenny and Amron McGill, grandson of Gaylon and Mexine McGill of Daingerfield, graduated as salutatorian of his class at Daingerfield High School.

Michael Hullett of Lubbock graduated from nursing school and will be working in the intensive care unit at the hospital. He is married and has one son. He is the son of Kenneth and Patsy McGill Hulett of Lubbock and the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Hullett and the late Mr. and Mrs. Pat McGill of Deport.

Visiting Travis and Pat Talley over the weekend were her brother, Melvin and Virginia Kincaid, her niece Kathy and Amy Mayfield and friend Ashley of Kaufman and James and Wanda Sue Grinstead of Dallas. They were here to atend the Kincaid reunion Sunday. Other visitors were Debbie Smith and Jace Short of Post Oak, Donald and Ruth Wear and granddaughter, Kelsey Preston of Paris and Tuffy Talley.

Travis and Pat Talley received word of the death of James Romines of Lawton, OK last week. He was a longtime friend of theirs and he and his family had visited them about a month ago. He was a former resident of this area.

Thelma Shelby spent the weekend in Leonard visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huntington and Emily. While there they attended the commencement graduation of Amy Daugherty at Grayson County Community College Saturday afternoon. She is a graduate of Pottsboro High School. A;so attending was Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson of Garland.

Thomad and Nanalee Nichols and Dicky, Jayne and NeLeigh king had dinner Saturday night in Paris at Rio Verde restaurant.

Thomas and Nanalee Nichols visited Sam and Margie Rice of the Dimple community Monday.

Donny, Dawne and David Darden had Thomas and Nanalee Nichols as supper guests Monday night.

Members contributed to the anmile region will receive dental service. 2) The Multi-Cultural Child Development Center in Santa Rosa, CA: homeless families, single parents, parents in college of training Greenville MS: will provide an out-Women's Health in Haiti. 5) In El Project Vida will develop a Demonstration Day Care Center. This center will provide training opportunities and child care.

Jessie Marie Woodard directed the Bible study on the life of "Ester, A Woman of Courage."

Main Street

The meeting adjourned with the Mizpah benediction. Refreshments were served by the

Milton News By Mattylu Upchurch



Helen Temple and Charlie Turner were in Temple for a bowling tournament for the weekend of May 18th.

Kenneth Harold and Ruth Ann Allen had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dockery of Reno Monday night. Jennifer Taylor spent Saturday night with Amy Hicks of Cunning-

Darrell Farris of Greenville and Mary and Eran Yoder, Nathan and Shasta had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Talley Sunday. They also celebrated Darrell's birthday.

Phil Casey and Blair of Carrollton spent Friday and Saturday with John Manley Temple.

Allen Dale and Stacy Huddleston attended the graduation of Lindsay Wright and Zachrey Allen at Prairieland High School Friday night.

D.M. and Oleta Floyd of Longview visited Mr. and Mrs. James Holt Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turner, Michael and Matt of Bonham spent Memorial Day with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner.

Hattie Hobbs of Paris and grandson Jason of Rowlett visited Helen Temple Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee and other members of their church in Post Oak helped Frank's Aunt Rodha Lee celebrate her 95th birthday Sunday with a party at a nursing home in Paris.

Justin Taylor, Jeremy Day and Carey Longston camped out Saturday night at the canyon in Cunning-

Word has been received of the death of Wayne Moore of Hooks. Wayne was formerly from this area and the brother of the late Odel Harvey. Our sympathy to the family.

Sheldon and An Lee met friends Ron Marshall of Austin and Decon Lewis of Houston who were in Paris area on business for lunch Thursday.

Tom Hoover of Louisville had dinner with Bob and Buena Marshall Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Stacy and Allen Dale Huddleston had dinner with Leslie and Paula

**Taylor Sunday** Eran and Mary Yoder and family were in Mt. Pleasant Saturday for a

baseball game. The family of Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Dodson of Dallas spent the weekend at the Dodson home in Minter. Those visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Franklin of Louisville, Linda Real of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dodson of Ft. Worth, Paul Dodson and friend Mary of Coppell and Tom and Christie Hoover of Louisville.

Helen Temple went with her sister Hattie Hobbs of Paris to take Jason Hobbs back home to Rowlett after spending the week with his grandmother, Hattie.

Mr. and Mrs. Eran Yoder and Family attended the Junior High and High School Graduations Thursday and Friday nights and Prairieland High School.

Candace Yaross of Fulbright spent Friday night with the Leslie Taylor

Mary and Jeff Lyda of Nederland were weekend guests of Harvey and Benita Legate and attended the Jr. High Graduation of Elizabeth Ramirez Thursday night.

Milton Homecoming will be held June 2nd . Everyone bring a picnic lunch to be spread at the lunch hour. There will be a business meeting after lunch.

# **VFW Post** begins poppy sales

The VFW Post 3990 and its Ladies Auxiliary announced that their annual Buddy Poppy sale wil be May 29, 30 and 31st. Members of the VFW, the auxiliary and Junior Girls unit will be seen around town in their yellow and red aprons selling buddy

poppies.
VFW organized the first nationawide distribution of poppies ever conducted by a veterans organization in May, 1922. From the begging, the Buddy Poppy project of the VFW has received the endorsement and cooperation of the Director of the Veterans Administration and the support of administrators and medical officers of government hospitals. All Presidents since Warren G. Harding (1921-1923) have conveyed to the nationa at large, endorsement and recognition of this VFW effort.

majority of proceeds derived from each sale conducted by VFW Posts and their Ladies is retained locally to provide for veteran services and welfare. The minimal assessment (cost of Buddy Poppies) to the VFW Posts provides financial assistance in maintaining state and national veteran's rehabilitation and service programs and partialy supports the VFW National Home for widows and orphans of veterans.

Buddy Poppy proceeds represent no profit to any VFW unit. All money contributed by the public for Buddy Poppies is used in the cause of local veterans welfare or for the well-being of their needy dependents and the orphans of veterans.

When you see the bright yellow and red buddy poppy aprons and the red popies remember the disabled and aged veterans and reach into your pockets and give freely, just as those veterans once gave so freely of themselves for this country.



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