

# The Deport Times

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## A. M. Aikin Jr. Dies

A. M. Aikin Jr., Texas' longest serving legislator and champion of public education, died Saturday at the age of 76.

Aikin's funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the First United Methodist Church in Paris with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

Aikin was well known in the area, never losing touch with those he grew up with.

He lived at Milton during his school years, going ten grades at the Milton school, and then graduating from Deport High School.

He attended Paris Junior College, and Cumberland University in Lebanon, Tenn. He received his laws degree from there.

Aikin married Welma Morphew, known fondly as "Miss Welma" to all who knew her.

During his forty-six years in the Texas legislature he received honors and awards to numerous to mention.

He was responsible for much of the Farm To Market road legislation, plus working constantly for better schools, hospitals and special programs.

He believed in rural agricultural and rural America and his legislation reflected those feelings.



Nichols Worth

By Nanalee Nichols

How many folks ever wondered why Clarksville St. in Paris didn't go to Clarksville? Instead, Lamar Ave. leads out to Hwy 82, which goes on to Clarksville.

I've always wondered about that, and Russell Grant wandered into the office the other day and explained the situation.

The old road, which was gravel, used to lead from Clarksville St. out into the country, bypassing Reno, which was a one store community, and going to Sylvan, then a thriving little town.

At Sylvan it forked, and one branch ran on the Pattonville, the other to Blossom and hence on through Detroit and to Clarksville.

In other words the road from Clarksville Street actually did lead to Clarksville, if by a roundabout way. There was no road to Reno direct to Paris.

In later years of course the highways were straightened out, paved and traveling became easier, but it signaled the end of a more relaxed, easier going era.

## Patriots Fall To Pirates In Tough Game

By Nanalee Nichols

It may not have been to pleasant a game, the field was wet and the temperature cold, but the Prairiland Patriots had a better game against defending state champions Pittsburg Pirates than some folks might have expected.

The final score of 42-13 didn't show the excellent defensive game played by the Pats, nor the all-out efforts the offense put on.

Things started off badly as the Pirates won the right to the football at the opening and marched down for a score within the first three minutes of the game.

The Patriots had to punt back to the pirates only four

or five plays later as they ran up against a tough Pirate defense.

Once again the Pirates score making it 13-0.

Scoring was on all the Prairiland bunches minds when the Pirates picked up a pass and returned it for a twenty-five yard touchdown which brought groans of despair from the Prairiland side.

The Pats then gritted their teeth and tightened their defense throughout the second quarter, pretty well dominating the game in spite of the size, weight and experience difference between the two teams.

Todd Davis, in for the Pats as quarterback, threw a pass

to Jeff Ballard with only a little time left on the clock before halftime.

Interference helped out the Patriots, and Todd Davis took the ball in for the TD. Norman Alexanders foot put the score at 21-7, which helped hearten the Patriots considerably.

The third quarter saw the Patriots again holding the Pirates back from their desire to score, score and more!

The Patriots then found that the Pitts had fired up again and ran the score to 35-7.

Brad Sessums, with little time left in the fourth quarter, made a fantastic 49 yard run to put the Pats close

to a goal.

With only six seconds left on the clock, Prairiland made a final effort and scored, putting the final score at 42-13.

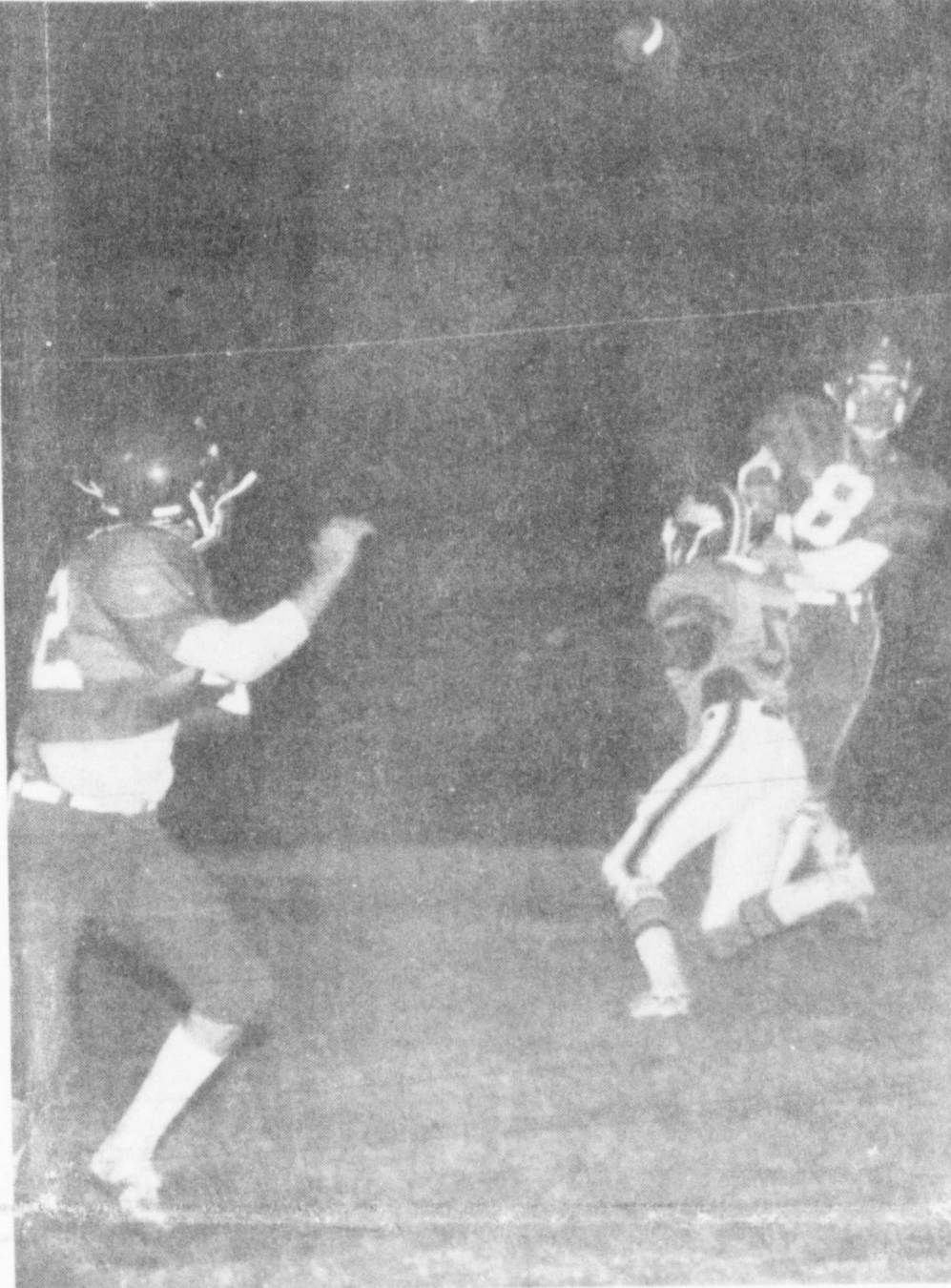
Although the game may have been a defeat, the excellent performance of Todd Davis, Norman Alexander, Brad Sessums, Ronald Nichols and Jeff Ballard, along with the rest of the team went a long way in restoring a sense of confidence and spirit to the Pats. They knew Pittsburg was going to be tough, perhaps the toughest team they would have to play, and they still managed to play a tough, clean game of football.



HEYYYY—shades of the fifties echoed through the halls of Blossom school last Friday, as a Fifties Day was held. Students and teachers alike dressed in scarves, greasy kid stuff and other apparel from the 1950 era. (Staff Photo)



NO IT'S NOT a motorcycle gang from 1950, only some of the Blossom school students and teachers dressed for fifties day last Friday at school. Students and teachers wore circle skirts, sweaters, leather jackets and an assortment of other apparel from that era. (Staff Photo)



PASS FOR YARDAGE—Norman Alexander, Number 8, makes a short pass to Bradley Sessums for some yardage against the Pittsburg Pirate last week. The Pirates defeated the Prairiland Patriots, but not without some stiff opposition. (Staff Photo)

## 250 Attend Minter Reunion

The Minter Homecoming was held on a cold, damp, gray day, but it didn't dampen the spirits of the 250 people who attended.

The oldest person present was Mr. L.L. (Ollie) Jeffus age 87, and the youngest was baby Newton of Houston, granddaughter of Jack and Joyce Ball Horton of Greenville.

The one who traveled the furthest distance to attend was Gordon Woodard who traveled over 900 miles from Kermit, Texas.

Keynote speaker was Charles Ball. Waylon Norrell gave the address and Mrs. Mary Taylor gave the response. All speakers were noted for their excellence. A covered dish luncheon provided food.

Mrs. Faye Woodard led in a sing-song. Mrs. Woodard is 80 years old and the daughter of a former pastor, Rev. Thompson.

People from Dallas, Clarksville, Houston, Ft. Worth, Terrell, Blossom, Bogata, Atlanta and throughout the state at-

tended the reunion.

This was the first reunion Minter had attempted and plans for another several years from now were discussed.

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## Halloween Carnival Slated For Saturday

The Deport PTA is sponsoring a Halloween Carnival on Saturday, October 31 to be kicked off with a Turkey and Dressing supper between 5:00 p.m.

and 7:00 at the School Cafeteria. Prices are \$2.50 for adults and \$1 for children.

Everyone is invited to

come out for an evening of family fun and to let their little "Spooks" enter the costume contest.

The carnival will begin with the Spook Contest at 7:00 in the school gym with the carnival events starting at 7:15.

There will be a variety of booths, concessions, bingo, and an auction, dart games, fish pond, bean bag, grab bag, roulette wheel and needle in a hay stack.

Donations are needed for the bingo prizes and the

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CROSS COUNTRY Runners competed at Mt. Vernon and carried home a First Place Trophy for their efforts. Back row are coach Rita Salters and Coach Ronnie Baker. Second row are L to R: Kim House, Lee Ann Ballard, Tony Burdine, Paula Farmer and Vickie Coursey, kneeling are Michelle Upton and Shiela Morton. (Staff Photo)

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# Obituaries

## Ada Mae Carroll

Ada Mae Carroll, 86, died Thursday in Tucson. Mrs. Carroll was a long time Bisbee resident.

She was born in Mineral Springs, Ark. where she spent many years of her life. She came to Bisbee twenty-five years ago where she has since made her home. She was a long time member of the Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held Monday, Oct. 19 at 2 p.m. in the Dugan Chapel with Larry Rhodes officiating and burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors are two sons, Cleatis Carroll of Bisbee and Niven Carroll of Ft. Smith, Ark., four daughters, Wretha Watkins and Lucille Keegan of Bogata, Thelma Howell and Velma Barkley of Tucson, a sister, Verna Barkley of Slaton, Texas, five grandchildren, twenty-one great grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Carroll lived in and around Bogata for ten years and was the sister of the late W.H.J. Corbell.

Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Keegan attended the services.

## Ola Mae Robertson

Mrs. Ola Mae Robertson died October 24, 1981 at Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Born in Titus County April 17, 1911, she was resident of Rt. 2 Mt. Pleasant.

Services were held today at 3:30 p.m. at Bates-Cooper-Weems Chapel with burial in the Nevils Chapel Cemetery. Officiating were Brothers Harold D. Amerson and Jamie Duncan.

She is survived by her husband W.L. Robertson; a daughter Linza Hobbs of Mt. Pleasant; a son, Walter Gaylon Robertson of Concord, Calif.; seven grandchildren; two sisters Donnie Ford of Dallas and Luena Blalock of Mt. Pleasant; a brother Morris Wilson of Garland; and several nieces. She was a member of Ripley Baptist Church.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
The family of Lee Cawley wishes to express their thanks to each one for the food, flowers and other expressions of sympathy in the loss of our loved one.

## Mrs. Jessie Bryson

Mrs. Jessie B. Bryson, 92, died Friday at 8 a.m. in the Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday in the First United Methodist Church of Bogata with the Rev. Carroll Caddell and Rev. Bob Posey officiating. Interment followed in the Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bryson was born Nov. 9, 1888 in Auburn, Ky., a daughter of Ambler & Mary Elizabeth Hurt Guion. She married Luther Bryson Jan. 1, 1903 in Bogata. He preceded her in death October 25, 1956. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Bogata.

Survivors include two sons, Howard Ed Bryson of Bogata and N.A. Bryson of Dimmit; two daughters, Mrs. Virginia Coleman of Los Gatos, Calif., and Mrs. Nina Fuller of Garland; one sister, Mrs. Charles Motter of Bogata; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

A son, Rayford Bryson, preceded her in death in 1936, and a daughter, Mary Bryson Wood, preceded her in death in 1941.

Pallbearers were grandsons B.M. Mohler, Jerry Wood, Duane, Bill, Charles and Neil Bryson.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Thanks so much for the flowers, gifts, phone calls, visits, prayers and any kindness shown me while I was in the hospital and since I have been at home.  
Martha Wood

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our friends for making our Golden Wedding Anniversary a success. Special thanks to those who helped so much.  
Buddy and Norma Williams and Children

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Our family would like to thank friends for flowers, donations and love shown in the passing of our mother.  
Ada Carroll Family



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\$5 by calling between 8 and 4 on Thursdays. Last week's item was

bathroom tissue. (Staff Photo)

## Joe B. Ladd

Joe Bailey Ladd of Cunningham died at his residence on Monday morning.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at the Grant Funeral Home Chapel in Deport with the Rev. C.G. Renfro officiating.

Burial followed in Mt. Olive Cemetery in Ft. Worth at 3 p.m.

He was born in Lamar County on May 17, 1908, son of John W. Ladd and Molly Reese Ladd.

He was married to Vinnie Wendry August 28, 1932. He is survived by his wife, two sons, John H. and W. Leo Ladd, both of Colleyville, and one daughter, Mrs. Bob Randall also of Colleyville, two sisters, Mrs. Edna Jackson of Ft. Worth and Miss Boma Ladd of Wichita Falls, one brother Taylor Ladd of Cunningham, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Well here I am again thanking everyone for being so nice to me during my last stay in the hospital. I want to thank the good Lord for good folks like you all. It means a lot to know somebody cares. May the good Lord bless each and everyone of you in my prayer. We love you.  
Zelma Wood

## E. C. Chennault

Euel C. Chennault, died Saturday in a Commerce Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Commerce Church of Christ with David Gibson officiating. Interment followed in Meadowbrook Cemetery in Paris under the direction of Jones Funeral Home.

Mr. Chennault was born Nov. 5, 1921, in Blossom, a son of Walter and Flossie Whitworth Chennault. He married Carlene Easton Nov. 29, 1941 in Paris. While living in Paris, he was employed by the A and P Grocery Company. He moved to Commerce in 1959 to become store manager of the A and P Grocery Store there. At the time of his death, he was the owner of the Home Town Grocery in Cumby.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Sharon Cobb of Greenville; three sons, David Chennault of Cumby, Tom Chennault of Greenville and Jimmy Chennault of Commerce; one brother, Bill Chennault of Houston; three sisters, Bertha Ray and Margie Walker, both of Paris and Lillian Bowman of Fort Worth; and three grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one daughter, Judith M. Chennault, in 1965.

Pallbearers were Sam Clark, Leon Walden, Barton Good, Howard Lambert, Julian Harvey and M.J. Hume.

## Fulbright Good Neighbors Meet

Fulbright Good Neighbor Club met October 22, with Mrs. J.J. Kerbow as hostess. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Curtis Hoover, two songs, led by Mrs. Stella Ridens were sung and minutes and financial report was made by the secretary.

Roll call was "Something I Remember About Halloween". The ten minute demonstration the hostess showed some crocheted animals, dolls and dish cloth

holders made by Betty Rodgers. A long legged rag doll made by Stella Ridens, a bread dough dish and a crocheted cup made by the hostess' granddaughter was also shown. The program was on Halloween with several members leading poems. Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned to meet on Nov. 12 at the Community Center for a covered dish luncheon and an auction sale for the benefit of the club.

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends for the cards, flowers, phone calls and visits and for all their prayers while I was hospitalized last week. A special thanks to my sweet little family. God Bless you.  
Nita Simmons

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say thank you to our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and love shown to our family during the loss of our beautiful Dad.  
Wallace Thompson Family

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the ladies of First Baptist Church for the beautiful birthday party they gave our mother, Novella Allen on her 90th birthday, Thursday Oct. 22. May God bless each of you and God bless our mother to have many happy returns of this day.  
Mrs. Lawrence Giusti  
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### CARD OF THANKS

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By Ann Crossland  
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby were Ray and Patti of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard and girls of Quitman, Mrs. Mark Ellison and baby, Sara Eglen Smith and her daughter and two grandchildren of Longview, Vickie Woodall Pickins of Paris and Mrs. Jimmy Barhams of Paris.  
Bill Williams of Sulphur Springs visited his parents Mr. and Ms. Clarence Williams Saturday.

Dalias Dickson of Reno visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Ann and Kent Wright of Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Jones of Windom, W.O. Crossland and Mrs. J.T. Clark of Bonham Friday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harley Staley of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Anderson and Shonda visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Burl

Humphrey of Centerville visited Mr. and Mrs. George Humphrey Friday.  
Ann Crossland spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland of Paris.  
Teena Crawford of Deport spent Friday night with Tonya Case.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alson Porterfield and daughter, Tomara of Weatherford were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilson and other relatives in Paris over the weekend.

**Blossom Notes**

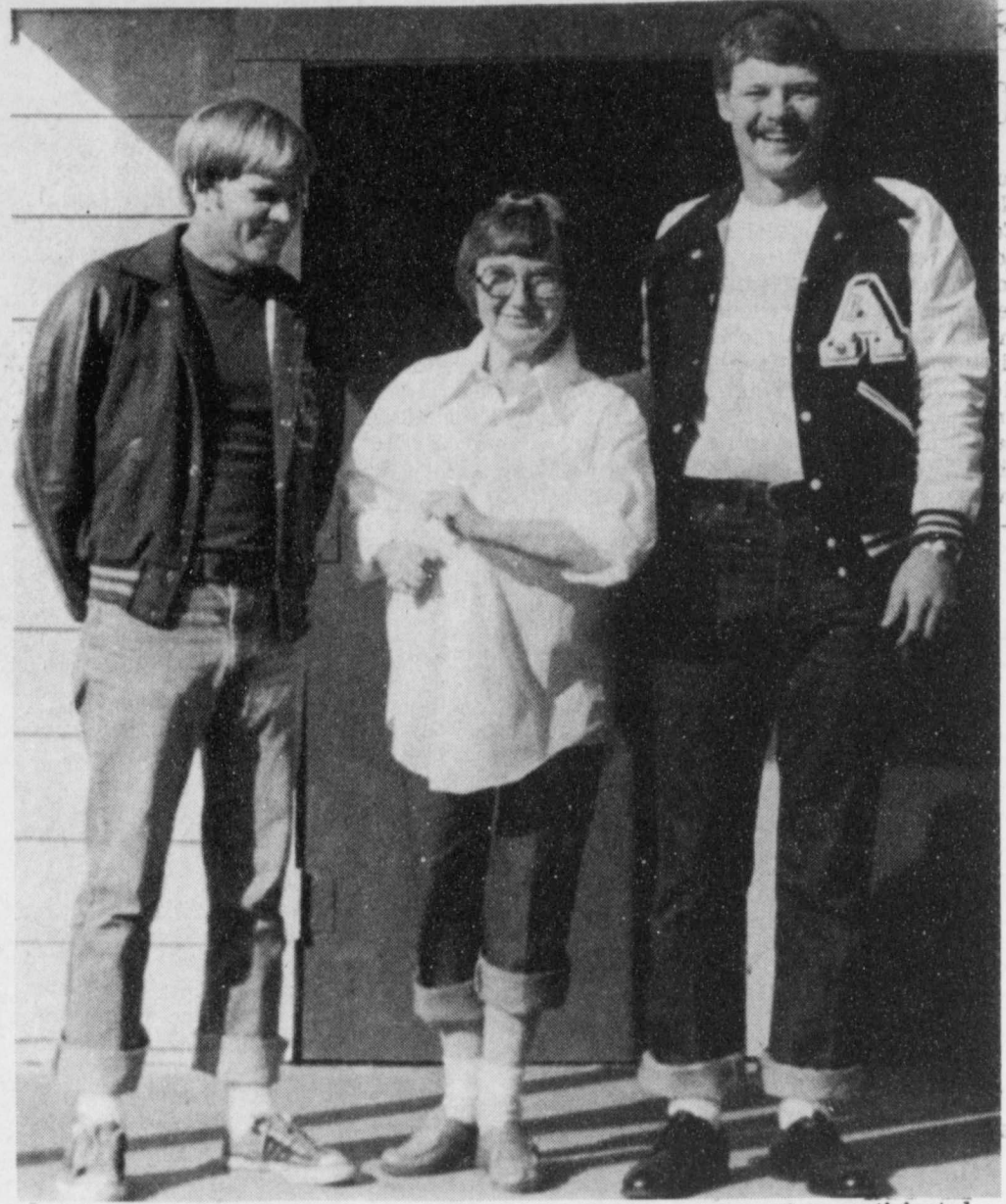
by Mrs. Marvin Bruce  
Mrs. James White, Mrs. Jim Young, Mrs. Alice Rhodes spent Monday and Tuesday of last week in Austin while there visited places of interest in Salado and Georgetown.  
Mrs. M.W. Bruce is finally home after spending 12 weeks and 4 days in the VA hospital in Dallas.

Mrs. Jack Woodard spent Sunday with Mrs. R.T. Nichols.  
Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Dorries and Mr. C.L. Dorries attended the funeral of Mrs. Dorris sister Mrs. Lydia Banks of San Antonio, Texas, in Clovis, New Mexico last Friday. On their way home they spent the night in Blair, Oklahoma with Mr. Dorries

sister Mrs. Arabell Gipson on Friday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson Lisa, Pam and Joanna had lunch with Mr. Johnson's mother Mrs. G.L. Johnson Sunday.



**MARTHA GLOVER** Displays the afghan created by Elizabeth Barnett on which bids are now being taken. The highest bidder will get the afghan, and proceeds will go to the United Methodist Women of Deport as part of their fund raising bazaar which will be held on Saturday, Nov. 7. Crafts, baked goods, books and a variety of things are available at that bazaar. (Staff Photo)



**THESE ARE TEACHERS?** L to R: Randy Dollins, Mary Jane Lowry and Bobby Rater, Blossom school teachers, looked more like high school students from 1950 than anything else as they participated in fifties day at school Friday. (Staff Photo)

**Prairland Honor Roll**

Students making the Prairiland Honor Roll for the first six weeks were: Shelley Webb, Dana Blackburn, Pam Johnson, Melody Hollans, Michelle Klinger, Yvette Briscoe, Marla McDowra, Debbie Thomas, Linda Musgrove, Bobbie McDowra, Kelli Salter, Mallie Burkley, Regina Crawford, Jarvis, Watson, Shandra Record, Lynda Sugg, Sandra Cavender, Tina Moore, Tony Annett, Debra Rozell, Lisa Clement, Joseph Bowrey, John Harris, Laura McIntire, Paula Farmer, Donna Vaughn, Lisa Leonard, Deanna House, Kristi Parsons, Karen Hollowell, Anita Jaynes, Kathy Withers, Tonya Burdine, Gwen Jones, Kanda Barnard Keith Burdine and Rod Eatherly.

**Milton News**

By Mrs. Tully Temple  
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler and Mr. and Mrs. Tully Temple attended the funeral of Maurice Young, of Mesquite at Cooper Wednesday.  
Mrs. James Holt has been attending her mother Mrs. Terry Johnson of Deport at St. Joseph Hospital.  
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Murl Roach and daughter spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Payne Appleby at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Jenkins of Detroit visited Donald and Lynn Day and children Saturday night.  
Mrs. Dea Millspaugh visited Mrs. Johnnie Warren at Deport Saturday.  
John Manly Temple of Plano spent Saturday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tully Temple.  
Mrs. Ruby Wilson and Tony of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee.  
Mrs. Greg Parks, Dale, and Timothy of Faught and

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Holt, Christopher and Renea of Deport were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Holt.  
Mr. and Mrs. Randy Skidmore visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Day and family Friday night.  
Mrs. Dean Millspaugh visited Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Tucker at Clarksville Tuesday.  
Friends here were saddened by the death of A.M. Aikin. He formerly lived here. We extend sympathy to the family.

**Ricky Jaynes In Show Choir At PJC**

Twelve students have been selected for the Show Choir at Paris Junior College, and six are included in the Chamber Singers this fall, according to Richard Benefield, director of vocal music for the college. The two new musical groups were formed this year to replace the PJC Madrigal Singers, Benefield said.  
The Show Choir will perform popular music, Broadway type music and some country and western selections, Benefield explained while the Chamber Singers will sing early English madrigals, vocal chamber music and some other types of classical music. Purpose of the chamber group is to give music majors an opportunity to sing serious music in a small ensemble, while the Show Choir is for any student interested in theater, music or dance. The show group's purpose is to entertain the public.  
Students in the Show Choir

are Sandra Berry, Mela Dee Elliott, Jay Evers, Karen Jesett, Billy Rosson, and Jeff Wanger, all of Paris, Ricky Jaynes of Blossom, Fradonna Duren of Clarksville, Annette Owens of Detroit, David Hartzog of Harlingen, Chuck Koehler of Carrollton and Mark Langston of Kermit, Texas. The group will give performances for organizations this fall and will have a public show in the spring, Benefield said.

Included in the Chamber Singers are Paul Joe, Marti Jordan, Karen Marshall, Kevin Shorey, all of Paris, Miss Jewett and Hartzog. The group's first public performance will be a program of Christmas music on Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. in the DeShong Chapel. Two more voices will be added to the group next semester.

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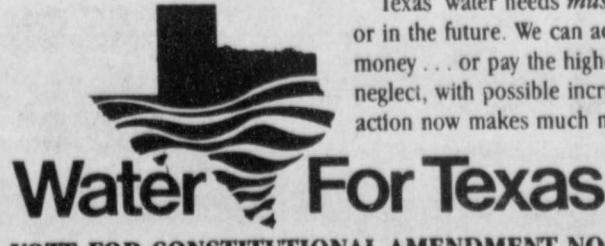
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Films and other audio-visual materials available to the public schools from Region VIII Education Service Center will be shown to parents and other interested citizens during a one-day review session set for Friday, October 30, 1981.  
This media review is scheduled for 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the center, 100 North Riddle Street, Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

The Region VIII media materials inventory includes instructional films and other audio-visual presentations.

**Workshop Set For Oct. 30**

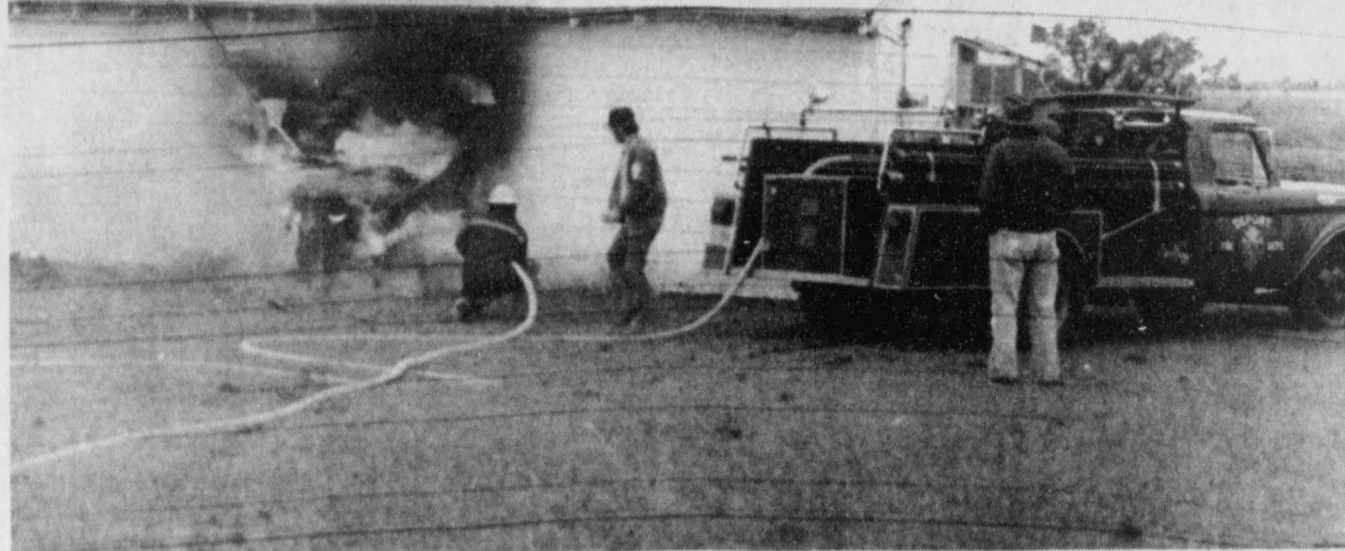
A workshop for teachers of visually impaired students has been scheduled October 30, 1981 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Region VIII Education Service Center in Mt. Pleasant.  
All parents and teachers of visually impaired students are invited to attend the workshop entitled "Environmental Modifications and Optical Aids for Visually Impaired Students."

Due to limited enrollment anyone interested in attending the workshop should contact Darlyn Copeland at the Region VIII Education Service Center in Mt. Pleasant. Phone 214-572-6676.

have a nice weekend...

### Secretarial Refresher Course Scheduled

A secretarial refresher course is scheduled to begin November 2, at Paris Junior College, according to June Jones, director of continuing education. The secretarial refresher course will include instruction in basic principles of secretarial practice, the role of the professional secretary, personal qualities, typing ability, use of the telephone, management of records and handling details of meetings. Ernestine Morris, who holds a business degree from East Texas State University, will teach the course on Mondays from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. Fee for eight lessons will be \$30 and reservations for the course should be made by paying the fees in advance in the PJC continuing education office, Alford Center.



**FIRE**—Deport Volunteer Fire Department put out a burning refrigeration unit at the back of H.A. Shipp's Grocery Monday morning. The building sustained heavy smoke damage and some structural damage. (Staff Photo)

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**By Sondra Martin**  
Visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ballard were Jack Pettit of Pattonville, Brad Coe of Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard, Teresa and Chrystal of Quitman; Mrs. Gaye Ellison and baby Erin of Mineola; Mrs. Roy Ballard of Port Neches and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ballard, Ginnifer and Rayn of Gladewater; also Dawson Ballard of Camp Maxey.

Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone were Friday visitors of Melburn Tucker at the Cheery Street Annex, later Mrs. Stone visited Mrs. Sarah Sbrédick of Paris.

Mrs. Alvin Harris was a Monday visitor of Mrs. Mary Stone. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris visited Mrs. Allie Mae Malone and Mrs. Fannie Poteet at the Deport Nursing Home.

Ninety-seven were in attendance at Bethel Baptist Sunday school with several others arriving for church services. A baptismal service was observed after the preaching hour with two candidates being baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement were Friday evening visitors of her mother, Mrs. Betty Williams at the Bogata Nursing Home. Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper were Sunday supper guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Phillips, Lindy Jo

and Bonnie Sue of Lone Star. Mr. and Mrs. Marlin McDowra of Pattonville were Saturday evening visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and family had a weiner roast Saturday in Powderly. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Silas Clement, Mike Clement and daughter, Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. David Redus and Dava. Curtis Skidmore spent this week in West Virginia with the Spencer Construction Company where they will be constructing a Flex-O-Lite plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ballard of Port Neches spent the weekend with his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard.



**Dear Editor:**  
The Minter Homecoming Committee would like to express their heart felt thanks for all the cooperation we have received in our efforts to make the homecoming a success.

It succeeded beyond our expectations and without the help of many people and the news media would not have done so.

Many Thanks  
Mrs. Walker Develin  
Mrs. Don Norrell  
Elvis Wright

### SCHOOL Menu

DEPORT SCHOOL MENU  
NOVEMBER 2-6  
MONDAY

**BREAKFAST**  
Cinnamon toast  
Juice, milk  
**LUNCH**  
Bolonga & cheese sandwiches  
Pickle slices  
Chips  
Dessert  
Milk

**TUESDAY**  
**BREAKFAST**  
Donuts  
Juice, milk  
**LUNCH**  
Corney dogs  
Beans  
Potato salad  
Dessert  
Milk

**WEDNESDAY**  
**BREAKFAST**  
Cereal  
Juice, milk  
**LUNCH**  
Creamed potatoes  
Green beans  
Dessert  
Milk

**THURSDAY**  
**BREAKFAST**  
Breakfast  
Cinnamon rolls  
Juice, milk  
**LUNCH**  
Ranch style beans  
Salad  
Dessert  
milk

**FRIDAY**  
**BREAKFAST**  
Cereal  
Juice, milk  
**LUNCH**  
Hamburgers  
Chips  
Ice cream  
Milk

### Clardy News

Dennis and Nita Johnson along with friends from Paris spent Saturday at the State Fair in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone were Saturday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin and Kyle were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin and Paul of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ballard were Wednesday evening visitors of their son Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ballard of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone visited Mr. and Mrs. Harve Tucker of Mt. Olive Tuesday. Mr. Stone accompanied Mr. Tucker to the doctor.

Mrs. Roy Ballard of Port Neches was a Saturday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hancock, Kenny and Mary Ann visited Mr. and Mrs. Delma Gibbs and family of Detroit, and attended the birthday party for Joe Glen Gibbs Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harris, Carolyn, Melinda, and Stephen visited his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris during the week.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard was a visitor of Mrs. Ruby Hudson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Slaton of Halesboro were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Stones.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Shelby of Cooper were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard. They all attended the homecoming at the Minter church.

Tony Lewis spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodges of Rugby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement were Saturday evening visitors of his sister, Mrs. Peggy Evans of Paris.

Mrs. Agvin Ballard attended the homecoming at Minter Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. David Skidmore were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore.

### Parsons Chosen Student Of The Month



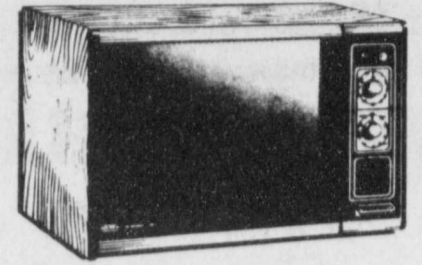
Kristi Parsons

Kristi Parsons, the 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons of Pattonville, was chosen Student of the Month for September by the faculty and Student Council members.

In school, she is active in volleyball, basketball, cheerleading, Beta Club, FHA, Choral Club, Musket Staff, and Student Council. She was also chosen 1981 Homecoming Queen and is a Senior Class favorite.

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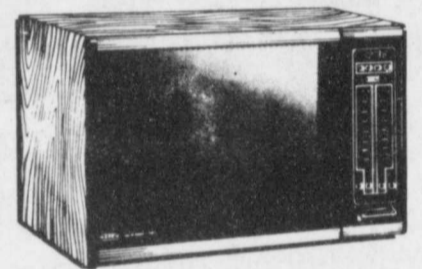
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### Mrs. Allen Celebrates 90th Birthday

Mrs. Nowella Allen of Rt. 1 Blossom celebrated her 90th birthday with two parties in her honor. Eighty-eight members of her family met at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Proctor of McKinney, Texas on October 18. Folks came from many states and she received many beautiful

gifts. The Ruth Class of First Baptist Church of Blossom with Edna Helms and Hailey Johnson and Vivian Helm as hostesses gave her a surprise party on October 22, at her home. The guests were Lucille Godwin, Ruby Crawford, Ruby Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stewart,

Geneva Giusti, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chabburn, Norma May, Joquitta Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Sasser, Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Hinsley. Others sending gifts but unable to attend were Mrs. Mary Dobbs and Elva Hefferman. and the hostesses Mrs. Vivian Helm, Mrs. Hailey Johnson and Ms Edna Helms.

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### 42 Club Meets

Mrs. Lowell Campbell was hostess to the Friday 42 Club. Mrs. Bob Carrell and Mrs. Worth Baker were guests of the club. Mrs. Baker won high score for the guests and Mrs. Raymond Highnight and Mrs. Ben Warren were member high winners. Mrs. Campbell served a salad plate at the conclusion of the games. Mrs. George Fuller will be hostess for the November 13 meeting.



**BARRY BALLARD** blocks a Pittsburg ball carrier in an action packed game last Friday night. The Pirates defeated Prairiland 42-13, but the Patriots still played good defense. (Staff Photo)

### Deport Locals

By Rena Nobles  
Visiting the Elvis Wrights and attending the Minter homecoming were Mr. and Mrs. E.K. Haskins from Hollis, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Wright and son Allan Wright from Mansfield, La.  
Mrs. Mary Norman of Edmond, Okla. is here attending her mother Mrs. Mamie Rhodes who underwent surgery in St. Joseph Hospital in Paris. Mrs. Fay Neal of Sherman was here several days but returned home the first of the week.  
Mrs. Bob Read had as luncheon guests last Tuesday Mrs. Raymond Hendrix and Mrs. Earl Hendrix of Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. J.T. Hawkins and Mrs. B. Martin of DeKalb celebrating her sisters birthday. Mrs. Raymond Hendrix, Mrs. Ernestine Thompson and Mr. Read were present also.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffin were in Mt. Pleasant Saturday October 24 attending the wedding of her grand-niece, Jan Galbreath to Tommy Scott of Midland in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Marshall and Kevin of Arlington came home with the Griffins visiting with them Saturday night and Sunday.  
Mrs. Alice Westbrook was called Saturday of the death of her son Deryl Westbrook in Salt Lake City, Utah. Mrs. Pat Linden of Irving came for her and they left Sunday to attend funeral services. Visiting Mrs. S.A. Williamson Saturday from Baytown were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey and daughter Mrs. Ann Dutton and her children, Phyllis and Solomon Dutton.

### Cruise Reunion Held Sunday

The Cruise reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cruise Sunday. Attending were Mrs. Ben Cruise, Mrs. Linda Henderson, Jimmy Don and Angela, Mrs. Betty Sharp and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clayton, Tonya and Sherrie, and Abel Hernandez, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gorman and Shawn Paul and Mrs. Elizabeth Gorman of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Ladell Cruise, Selena and Candi of Quinlan; Mr. and Mrs. James Cruise and James Boyd and Scott Watlhall of Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and Adrian and Crystal and C.D. Haskell of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fox and Michael.  
Mrs. Alice Westbrook was called Saturday of the death

### Deport Nursing Home Locals

Mr. Sam Kinsey of Bonham visited Thursday with Mrs. Myrtle Hulett. Mrs. Zona Moore, Mrs. Georgia Temple, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nobles. Mrs. John Porter of Blossom visited recently with Mrs. Maudie Baxter. Joe Ben Henderson and Johnny Mack of Dallas visited recently with Mrs. Omie Henderson. Mrs. O.S. Jackson of Paris visited her husband Mr. Odie Jackson on Monday. Lilly Kelley and Thelma Kelley of Paris visited on Monday with William Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Northam and Lucille Nash of Paris visited their mother Mrs. Zelpha Anderson on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Branum of Paris visited on Monday with Mr. Earl Branum.

Visitors during the week of Allie Malone and Onetta Ray were Mrs. Harry Ray, Mrs. Melvin Webb, Michael and Serina and Susan McDowry. Rev. Ralph Brown, Rev. C.R. Walker and wife visited recently with Mrs. Elnora Nash.

Mrs. Johnny Dawson and Mrs. J.E. Mayes visited Mr. Jeff Mayes on Saturday.

Billy Joe Francis and Lowell Francis visited Corene Moore and Lee Ella Francis on Sunday afternoon and watched the Dallas football game. Burl Kincaid and Virginia joined the party later.

Mr. Leon Whitsell of Paris visited friends at the nursing home. Elizabeth Barnett of

Paris, Mrs. Don Allen of Blossom visited Mrs. Jessie Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Griffin of Sulphur Springs visited on Sunday with their mother Mrs. Jessie Griffin. Jodie Harden of Cunningham and Mrs. O'Neal of Cunningham visited recently with Jessie Griffin.

Mrs. Bertha Boren of East Post Oak visited on Friday with Mrs. Maudie Baxter.

Mrs. Deliah Kilgore of Deport visited on Wednesday with Mrs. Maudie Baxter. Norma Schrader and Loyce West of Clarksville visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Rozella Bell.

Mrs. Marshall Bailey of Deport visited recently with Mrs. Allie Mae Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Malone and Debra Williams of Paris and Tony Malone and Mrs. Sue Malone of Deport visited on Sunday with Mrs. Allie Malone and Mrs. Zona Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris of Clardy visited recently with his sister Allie Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and daughter of Deport visited on Wednesday with Mrs. Maudie Baxter. Mutt Harvey of Pattonville visited Mrs. Zona Moore.

Mr. Charles Harvey of Deport visited his grandmother Mrs. Zona Moore.

### Rozell Gives Presentation

Debra Rozell, a Prairiland senior, gave a slide presentation to the Deport Junior High students October 7. She entertainingly told of her tour of Washington, D.C. last summer under the sponsorship of Texas Rural Electrification Association. All of the teachers and students enjoyed the program, arranged by Mrs. Davis, history teacher.

### Presbyterian Hold Meeting

Presbyterian Women met Monday afternoon at the church with eight present. Mrs. Farris Read brought devotion using John 4:7-12. After reports and other business Mrs. George Fuller continued the Mission lesson from "In Every Person Who Hopes" by James and Margaret Goff. She presented Missionaries and churches of Latin America with all present taking part. Names and places from yearbook for prayer were read by Mrs. Rena Nobles and prayer offered for them and retired Missionaries. The group was dismissed with Mizpah benediction.

Parachutist (caught in a tree): I was trying to set a record. Farmer: Well, you sure did, son. You're now the first man in these parts who'll climb down a tree without having to climb up it first.

BRAD HUDSON of Deport, killed an eight point buck on Sunday October 18 at 4:30 p.m. while hunting on the Kenneth Pirtle property, located near Johtown. This was Hudson's first bow and arrow killed deer, which he downed with a 25 yard shot.

### WMU Meets

First Baptist WMU met Monday October 26, at the church. Six ladies attended. The meeting was called to order by the president Mary Geer.

The program "Home Grown Christianity in the Middle East" was given. Those on the program were Johnnie Warren, Maureen Bryson, Edith Crawford, Linnie Bailey and Mary Geer.

The call to prayer was given by Virgie Wright and the missionaries having birthdays were given. Maureen Bryson offered prayer for these. Meeting was dismissed by Linnie Bailey.

### UMW Meets

The regular meeting of the Deport United Methodist Women was held in the Fellowship Hall at the church on October 26, 1981. Mrs. Ruth Cheatham, vice president, presided with 12 members present.

Routine business was followed by the review by Mrs. Johne Clayton of a portion of a book by W. Phillip Keller entitled "A Layman's Look at the Lord's Prayer".

A sandwich and dessert plate was served by the hostess, Mrs. Bocky Norman.

The next meeting will be on November 3, Mrs. Linda Noblin will be hostess.



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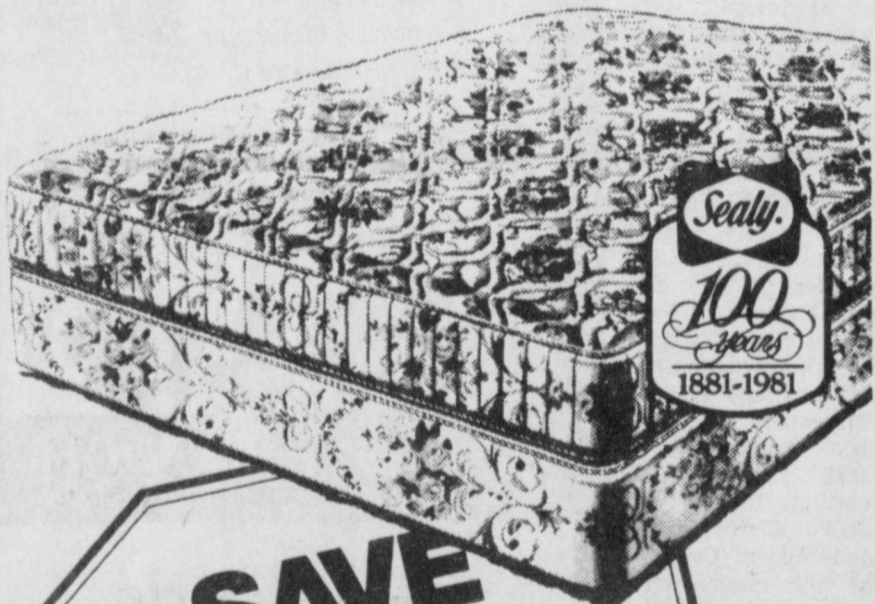
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## Blossom Girls Among Nursing Graduates

Twenty-one students received certificates of graduation recently for completion of a 10-week nurse's aide training program at Paris Junior College, according to Nancy Jackson, facilitator for allied health programs. Opal Dangerfield, director of nursing at Pleasant Grove Nursing Home, gave the address for the graduation ceremonies Oct. 12 at PJC.

Those who completed the training included Doris Adams, Teresa Alexander and Neva Baker of Paris, Barbara Bass of Roxton, Joyce Blackwell, Jody Campbell, Eddie Cooper, Janice Duty, Rhonda Fulbright, Johnnie Guenther, Bonnie Jones, Shirley Kirkpatrick, Gary Lane and Kay Luppe of Paris, Betty Mack of Brookston, Shekila McCarty of Detroit, Debbie Milton, Glenda Reed and Debra Rose of Paris, Suzette Williams of Blossom and Becky Yarbrough of Commerce. Three students, Deloris Ainsworth of Paris, Sandra Deverell of Blossom and Marian Russell of Clarksville, were recognized for completing the theory portion of the program.

Bobby R. Walters, vice-president of instructional affairs at PJC, introduced the guest speaker, and certificates were presented by Patricia Taylor, CETA director for Lamar County. Other on the program were Mrs. Jackson, Joann Gribble, chairman of health occupations for PJC, Betty Clifton and Janet Phillips, instructors in the nurse's aide program.

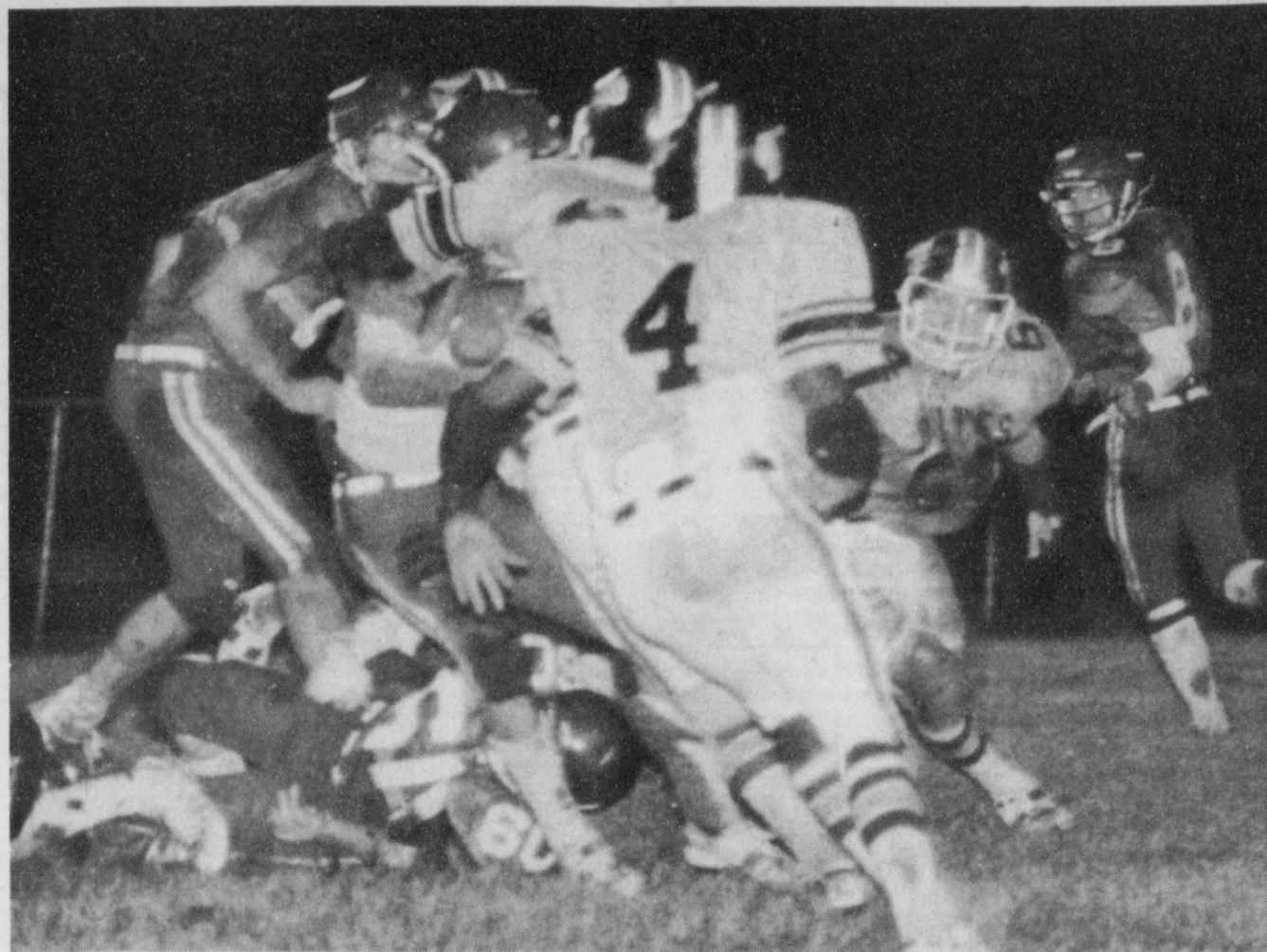
Agencies cooperating with Paris Junior College in

sponsoring the training program are CETA Manpower, Texas Rehabilitation Commission, Texas Employment Commission, Department of Human Resources and Texas Education Agency.

### SCHOOL Lunch Menu

- LUNCH MENU NOVEMBER 2-6**
- MONDAY**  
Meatballs & spaghetti  
Salad  
Corn  
Dessert  
Bread  
Milk
- TUESDAY**  
Beef fingers  
Beans  
Cream Potatoes & gravy  
Salad  
Dessert  
Bread  
Milk
- WEDNESDAY**  
Chicken fried steak  
Cream potatoes  
Green beans  
Salad  
Rolls  
Milk
- THURSDAY**  
Sloppy Joe's  
Lettuce & tomatoes  
Dessert  
Milk
- FRIDAY**  
Hot dogs  
Chili & cheese  
Chips  
Ice cream  
Milk

have a nice weekend..



DEFENSIVE ACTION— heavier Pittsburg Pirates Patriots getting in some excellent blocks and tackles. (Staff Photo)

## Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt  
The community was saddened by the death of Joe Ladd, who died of a heart attack early Monday morning. Members of the Baptist Church with their pastor Rev. and Mrs. G.C. Renfro had supper at the church Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Burl Dean Watson of Houston have bought the house owned by Mr. and Mrs. George Newberry and will be moving soon. The

Newberry's will move to Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hoover of Denison spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers. Mrs. Melba Baker underwent surgery last Thursday at the McCuiston Hospital. Mrs. Dorothy Dean Baker of Longview and Mrs. Mike Hawkes Bryan and Alice of Marshall spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Fletcher of Texarkana and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and Gaylia Lee of Hooks were Sunday visitors and they all attended the Minter Homecoming. Mrs. Dale Smyers and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris and Harry Slusher were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher. Mr. and Mrs. Perry D. Ashford of Dallas spent the weekend with Mrs. Allie Rees. On Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Buddy Taylor, Mrs. Rees, and Mrs. Ashford visited Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kelson of Naples and Mr. and Mrs. Paula Johnston of Lone Star. Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Smith and family of Deport were Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonzo Smith. Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper made a business trip to Goree Wednesday. Mrs. Charles Baker and Jenessia and Mrs. Neal Baker and Stephanie at-

tended the program presented by the choir and Rev. Randall Childress from the Boswell Retardation Center in Sanitorium, Miss. at the Lone Star Methodist Church. Mrs. William Cooper visited Mrs. Dan Barnard Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes visited Charles B. Pynes of Paris Saturday. Darrell W. Smith of Irving spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alfonzo Smith. Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper, Deryl Cooper, Nikki Cooper and Andy Smith were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brit Phillips of Lone Star. They attended the program rendered by the choir and Rev. Randall Childress of the Boswell Retardation Center in Sanitorium, Miss. at the Lone Star Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashford of Troy spent Friday night and Saturday night with Rob Ashford. Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Fowler with Mr. and Mrs. Muri Roach and Mrs. Ross Warren of Deport were sight seeing in different points in Arkansas, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Slusher of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher. Mrs. Ida Deshong has received word of the death of Lester White of Abilene on Aug. 19 He was a former resident. Mr. and Mrs. Tom White of

Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baker and Shannon of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis and family of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. James Mooney of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and Jenissa and Donovan and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Baker and family visited Otto Baker Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashford of Troy spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers. Several from here attended the Minter homecoming Sunday. Nikki Cooper visited Nanalee Nichols Thursday night. Mrs. Eulas Ashford and Mrs. Gladys O'Neal of Amarillo visited Mrs. Ida Deshong Thursday.

**Foster Elected To Ark-Tex**  
Deport Mayor Charles Foster, Lamar County Judge Brady Fisher, Red River County Judge Connie Sullivan, and Paris Mayor Pro-Tem Walter Williams were re-elected to the Executive Committee of the Ark-Rex Council of Governments at the COG's quarterly board meeting held recently at the Hopkins County Civic Center in Sulohur Springs. The Executive Committee meets monthly and serves as the COG's policy-making body, subject to the actions of the ATCOG Board of Directors.

## Jack Nelson Elected Young Farmers Position

Jack Nelson of Paris has been elected president of the Area VI Young Farmers organization. Area VI Nelson said this week, includes 20 counties in Northeast Texas.

Nelson is a graduate of Paris High School and holds a bachelor of science degree from Texas A&M University. In addition to the local and area Young Farmers organization, he is active in various organizations including the Lamar County Dairy Committee, the Texas Jersey Cattle Club, the Chamber of Commerce of Lamar County Ag Committee, and the Paris High School Vocational Agriculture Advisory Committee. He is 30 years old and describes himself as employed in a family dairy operation, Nelson's Jersey Dairy.

Other officers of the area Young Farmers organization with whom Nelson will serve include Andy Phillips of Mt. Pleasant, first Vice-President; and vice presidents Rickey Shipp of Big Sandy, Dwight Alexander of Sulphur Springs and Andy Wright of Sulphur Bluff. The meeting at which officers were elected was hosted by the Cumby Young Farmers organization, Nelson said. He said he will, as area president, work with vocational agriculture departments to establish new Young Farmer chapters and encourage existing ones to participate in area and state activities. Nelson said Area VI activities during his presidency

### CONSUMER CHECKLIST

**BRASS CLEANER**  
Hot vinegar and salt or a piece of lemon dipped in salt will remove most of the corrosion on brass and copper. If the item to be cleaned is small and there is no other material on it that will be damaged by hot water, you can boil the piece in water, vinegar and salt or washing soda and water.

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LUNCH TIME—the Blossom senior citizens hold a pot luck lunch every third Thursday of each month. Everyone brings a dish of food from home, and entertainment is included. Everyone is welcome to come and participate. (Staff Photo by Amanda Barker)

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<b>SYRUP</b> Blackburns Crystal White 32 oz. Bottle <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>BEANS</b> Bush Pinto 15 oz. Can <b>3/\$1</b>	<b>PEAS</b> Bush Fresh Blackeye 15 oz. Can <b>3/\$1</b>	<b>CABBAGE</b> Fresh Green Lb. <b>12¢</b>
<b>MILK</b> Bordens Santa Maria Homo. Gallon <b>\$1.99</b>	<b>CHEESE BALLS</b> Planters 5 oz. Can <b>89¢</b>	<b>SPAGHETTI</b> Showboat In Tomato Sauce 14 oz. Can <b>3/\$1</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Maryland Club Lb. Can <b>\$1.89</b>
<b>BUTTERMILK</b> Bordens 1/2 Gal. Ctn. <b>79¢</b>	<b>SWEET POTATOES</b> Fresh Lb. <b>39¢</b>	<b>LUNCHEON MEAT</b> Treet 12 oz. Can <b>\$1.39</b>	<b>WHOLE FRYERS</b> USDA Grade-A Lb. <b>53¢</b>
<b>TISSUE</b> Hi-Dri Bathroom 4 Roll Pkg. <b>89¢</b>	<b>GROUND BEEF</b> Fresh Lean Lb. <b>\$1.49</b>	<b>BOLOGNA</b> Market Sliced All-Meat Lb. <b>\$1.59</b>	<b>POTATOES</b> US No. 1 Russet 10 Lb. Bag <b>\$1.89</b>
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<b>INSTANT COFFEE</b> Folgers 10 oz. Jar <b>\$3.99</b>	<b>SAUSAGE</b> Praits Summer Lb. <b>\$1.59</b>	<b>CALF LIVER</b> Fresh Lb. <b>79¢</b>	<b>Menu Ideas</b>
<b>DR. PEPPER</b> Refreshing 12 oz. Cans <b>6/\$1.69</b>	<b>PORK CHOPS</b> Center-Cut Lb. <b>\$1.99</b>	<b>PORK CHOPS</b> First Cut Lb. <b>\$1.69</b>	

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