# **Nichols**

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#### By Nanalee Nichols Christmas has come and gone once more, leaving fluttering icicles hanging on discarded trees, empty boxes, wrapping paper in disarray, and another set of memories to add to the store of family gatherings.

Many folks say that they feel a let down, something of a disappointment when it comes time to take down the tree, and pack away the decorations again. For me, packing up the decorations is as special as putting them on the tree.

Each one is labeled with the year it was bought, where at (we buy an ornament for each vacation), or, if it was a gift, who gave it and when. Each is nestled in it's own original box, and some of those boxes are pretty weather worn by now.

There is a special feeling that packing these ornaments away so carefully is a promise for next year...and the year after that.

Instead of disappointment, it is a time to place faith in another Christmas arriving, that another joyous holiday time will come, and that once again each piece of tissue paper will reveal halfforgotten treasures with memories surrounding

Think about the memories surrounding the ornaments on your tree...aren't there some bought when the kids were little? One that was purchased on the spur of the moment in a shop somewhere?

Not just tree ornaments. but wreaths, household decorations, a multitude of other things, connected with the season store up memories that usually don't resurface until they are revealed each Christmas season.

Also while the tree ornaments are being taken down and packed away is a good time to ponder New Year's, it's upcoming promises and worries.

The Christmas season is ending, the New Year is approaching, and with it is always a little fear, a little worry about what the future brings...but the best way to cope with that is recall all the good past Christmas seasons, the New Years that made good years.

So look forward to the new year, take a deep breath, and plunge right in! Happy New Year, everyone.

To Shiver Or Sunbathe, That's The Question? inter Weather Causes Problems

weather has shifted around cording to upcoming are having difficulty because weather forecasts, is going to continue to do so.

The weather over the past range to the higher thirties. Bright sunshine, heavy deluge, gentle drizzle, cold rains that were almost icy have characterized the outdoors.

gone, fortunately without predictions for ice are still in ground. the offing.

A problem to shoppers and a torment to housekeepers, agriculturists.

Some winter wheat was letting up, and no bedding or possible for November or

Wheat stands just planted printed, it will probably be washed by the enormous obsolete. That's how fast rains that fell on them, and ranchers planning on this area lately, and ac- grazing winter wheat stands

down to the knees in the soil.

Cattle have suffered from few weeks has ranged from the violent temperature in the low eighty degree changes. Being warm one day, and then suddenly cold during the night has been standards. Another problem doing anything about it. Predictions of ice, sleet has been loss of hay, and snow have come and especially when fed in large round bales, due to cattle materializing so far, but tromping it into the rotten

Many ranchers feel that the mud has posed more which has also contributed to community one visits. serious problems for cattle suffering more this winter.

Calf crops are down some, never put in, due to the and cattle must be watched heavy rains that set in with carefully during calving their winter cultivation season to prevent calves ground breaking has been drowning in creeks and pools that are overflowing.

This week's rainfall,

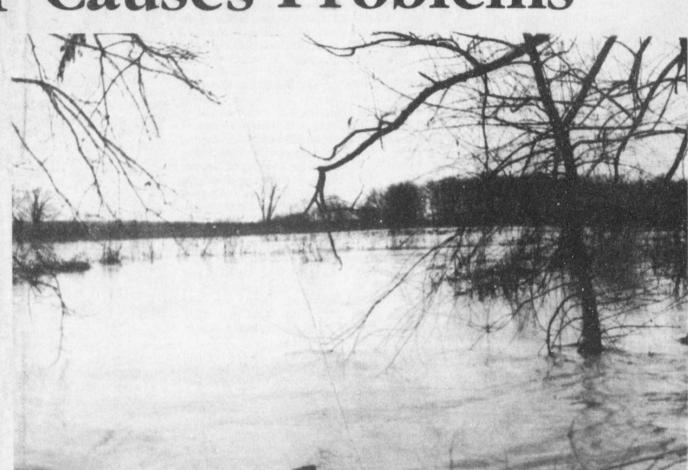
By the time that this is in November were heavily saturated ground, has resulted in some flooding.

> Area creeks have been out of banks, low-land pastures have been flooded and some their cattle are bogging people have reported cattle stranded for short periods of time by swollen ditches or

> County roads are far from detrimental to livestock. in good condition, and Few ranchers report their weather conditions have livestock as being up to usual prevented road crews from

> A jaunt to Main Street shows what appears to be vehicles of almost all one color...black mud, brown the wet spring resulted in mud or sand colored hay of less than best quality, mud. according to which

> > Farmers have hopes of a spell of dry weather which will allow them to tend to duties, but so far, the weathermen hold out little



HIGH WATER near Blossom resulted in

flooded pastures and impassable roads in some

places. Already saturated ground has caused the

recent rains to run off at a rapid pace. (Staff Photo)



DESTROYED-The home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris McCarty of Deport was totally destroyed by fire Monday morning as Deport and Pattonville

firemen arrived to find the fire had too big a head start for them to control. The McCarty's were not home when the fire

started, apparently by lightning. The house was located about a mile west of Deport on Hwy. 271. (Staff Photo)

Arraignment was ap-

parently expected when all

THIS 1974 FORD pickup

was heavily damaged after plunging off into the

creek known as Lake

reports were complete.

#### East Lamar Holds Reunion The East Lamar School Pomroy, 1955, Paris; Margaret Salter Fowler.

Exes held a reunion Sunday Reginald and Barbara 1964, Pattonville; Ronny at the Pattonville Community Center.

the most recent graduate a

1968 graduate. The class of 1964 had the largest number of exstudents in attendance.

husbands and wives were: Mrs. Elizabeth Bell, teacher; Mary Helen Salter, teacher; Norris Ballard, 1960; Elaine Ballard, 1962 from Pattonville; Judy Pomroy, 1964, Clardy; Pomroy, 1963, Bobby Clardy; Linda Stevens, 1961, Reno; Marilyn Bolton, 1962, Paris; Mary Lou Coe, 1952, Paris; Clayton Skidmore, 1949, Pattonville; Mark Hudson, 1967, Coleen; Ronnie Wise, 1967, Paris; Sandra Eagleston Anderson, 1968, Texas City; J.C.

1954, Victoria; Barbara Kansas., Anderson, 1964, Monroe;

McDowra, 1953, Pattonville; Landers, 1964, Arlington; Mickey McDowra, Garland; Danny Craig, 1965, Ken-Approximately 50 people Buddy McDowra, 1954, nesaw, Georgia; Baena were in attendance with Paris; Marlin McDowra, Stamford, 1965, Grand Clayton Skidmore, a 1949 1957, Pattonville; Lafaun Prairie; Reva Stout, 1958, graduate, as the oldest and McDowra Orfan, Levelland; Clardy; Sandy Skidmore, Jimmie McDowra, 1952, 1965, Paris; Jacqueline Paris; Georgia Skidmore, Short, 1960, Heasgon,

### Attending with their Several Area Students Receive Degrees At ETSU

Several area students have graduated from East Texas Pirtle received her BS. State University December 17.

Darline Maddox has missioner for senior colleges received her BBA and and universities. Sharon Annette Ramsey her

From Pattonville, Keith Dewayne McDowra received his BS and Velma Jean Day Sawyer received her BA.

In Bogata, Kathy Lynn on The students heard an address from Dr. Lawrence From Blossom, Patty K. Pettit, associate com-



# High Speed Chase Ends Near Sylvan

in both a Lamar County spotting them. Sheriff's Deputy car and a

deputies were making a deputies, to avoid collision, routine sweep through the also wound up in the field. roadside park just west of At press time, details as to Pattonville when a man why the man, an adult white

The chase ended after a vehicle belonging to a long time on the Sylvan road, suspect becoming stuck in a when the suspect failed to muddy field Tuesday night. navigate a corner and ended Lamar County Sheriff's up in a field. Sheriff's

A highspeed chase ended immediately took off upon male, had fled were not gone in speeds in excess of available, and he had not yet 100 miles per hour during the been arraigned.

The Sheriff's department reported that the suspect had

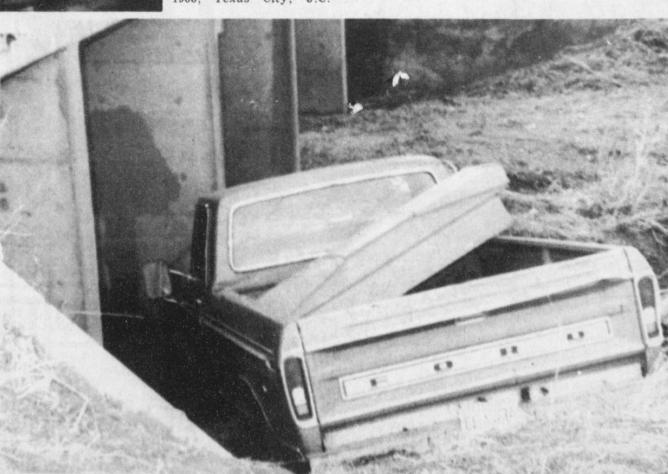


Dear Mrs. Nichols, Please renew my subscription of the Deport Times. I love to get my hometown paper, just like a letter. I can keep up

old Deport High.

I enjoy the Nichols Worth and John Hood footprints from the past. Thank you,

Drain between Deport and Bogata last Thursday morning. Oscar Kyle of Johntown, age 83, was not injured in the accident. with school friends from the The vehicle, barely visible from traffic on Hwy. 271, was spotted by Donald Crawford of Deport, who called the Highway Patrol. (Staff



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# Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt of Monday his condition is Cooper. slightly improved. He is a

Methodist Church. Rinehart of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Phillips and Paul of Abilene and Mrs. Addie Phillips of Paris spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Berniece Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Porterfield of Dallas spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Daulty Bell.

Friday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper and Deryl were Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Betterton and Kraig of El Paso, Mr. and Clardy, Mr. and Mrs. Andy and Mrs. William Cooper. Smith of Shady Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Brit Phillips, Lindy Jo and Bonnie Sue of Lone

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker, Donoven and Jenissa spent Friday with Mr. and and family of Bogata, Mr. Mrs. Weldon Smith of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gaylord and Lecel of Baytown, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cox and family of Alvarado and Morris Cox of weekend with Mrs. Velma Cox. Marlin Fenn and Neal Baker and family. Berniece Wyatt were Sunday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Smith and family of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith and boys of Blossom, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goley and Cynthia of Paris, Mr. and of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cherry and boys of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and children of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Henderson of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Farrow of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfonzo Smith during the Christmas holidays.

Berniece Wyatt with Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Parks of dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gifford of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon

Smith of Bogata, Mr. and Friends were sorry to Mrs. Andy Smith of Shady learn of the serious illness of Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis. He underwent Britt Phillips, Lindy Jo and brain surgery in an Bonnie spent Saturday with Oklahoma City hospital. As Mr. and Mrs. William

Davy Jo Williams of former pastor of the Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Williams and Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mr. and Mrs. Mike Williams and Jennifer and Mrs. Ethel Marshall were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell King and family and Chad Cleer of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Owen and family were Friday dinner guests of Mrs. Lillian King.

Herring Frank Fulbright was a Thursday Mrs. Ricky Cooper of night supper guest of Mr.

Visiting during holidays with Otto Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Danny were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byers an family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom White of Mesquite, Lamar Point, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis and Mrs. Ronnie Baker and Phillip Walker and son of Shannon of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mooney of Paris, Cramer and baby of Paris, Dorothy D. Baker of Longview, Mrs. Mike Pam Johnson of Blossom, Hawkes and children of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Norwood, Frankie Norwood, Waxahachie spent the Charlie Baker, Donoven and Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Nor-Jenessia and Mr. and Mrs. wood and baby, James

> Roddy of Blossom, Mr. and Billy R. Oats, Brandon and Mrs. Billy R. Oats, Brandon Georjeana, Duane Allen of and Georjeanna and Mrs. Nashville, Tenn., Mr. and George Taylor were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Christi and sister, Kathy of J. Oats Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Rees Mrs. Paul Johnston, Kasey Rees of Crossroads. and Carrie of Daingerfield,

Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylia of Hooks and Mr. and Dennis Bazhaw, Jamie, Mrs. Mike Hawkes and

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Regina and Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Gifford and family of Deport, Buddy Pynes, Darwin and Dennis of Paris, Mrs. Edna Earle Pearson and Mrs. Iva Cohea of Dallas.

Sugg Lynda Saturday night with Jalynda Ballard of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edwards of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. David Jaco and family and Mrs. William Dobbs of Clardy visited Mrs. Delcia Wilson during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper with Lindy Jo and Bonnie Phillips of Lone Star visited Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sugg Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy spent the holidays at their home here and had as Christmas Eve supper guests: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Matura of Katy, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood Norwood of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Talma Norwood of Ronnie White and sons of Bonham, Mr. and Mrs. Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Michelle Thomas of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Norwood, Rodney, Tracy Mr. and Mrs. Talma and Mendy, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Tim Burks of Corpus

Bullard. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mrs. Grant Smith and Gene and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelsoe of Naples, Mr. and Tubbs of Crossroads, Mr. Mrs. Buddy Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kelsoe of and Mrs. Leslie Taylor and Naples, Mr. and Mrs. Roy family were Sunday dinner Dalby of Lone Star, Mr. and guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fern

Having Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Taylor with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis and family of Milton, and Bazhaw were Mrs. Iva Mrs. Allie Rees were Cohea and Mrs. Edna Earle Saturday supper guests of Pearson of Dallas, Dorothy Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Taylor. Dean Baker of Longview, Friday dinner guests of Buddy Pynes, Lisa and Deport were Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes Darwin of Paris, Mr. and were Dorothy Baker of Mrs. Wayne Moore and

family of Marshall. Stephanie Jaco of Paris is and Mrs. Mike Fowler, spending the week with Mrs. Christy and Mandy of Delcia Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Slusher spent the holidays Fowler and Melanie of visiting their children. Steve Pattonville, Duane Allen and Slusher and daughter Keri of children of Hendersonville, Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackie Slusher and Taylor, Whitaker, Mandy and Kent, Mr. and Mrs. E.C. McLaughlin, Kasey and and Mrs. Martha Al Shane, Mr. and Mrs. Burney Ghareeb, Millie and Mike of Milstead, Joyce and Lesa of Princeton, La., Mrs. Ross Burkburnett.

Mrs., LaVeta McMurray Roach of Deport. spent the holidays visiting and family of Garland.

as guests for Christmas Claudell Malone Carolyn Cochran, David and Mrs. Berchie Norman. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. C.L. Malone and Nita night supper guests. and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert, Jeffery Chrystal. Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Betterton Timmy Malone of Paris of El Paso.

were Sunday night visitors.

Dorothy Longview and Mr. and Mrs. guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes.

the week with his grand- and Mr. and Mrs. Terry mother, Mrs. Edna Earle Pearson of Dallas.

and Mrs. Norman Sain of Kelley of Reno during the Talco and Mrs. Goldie holidays. Brown of Bloomington were Saturday dinner guests of Norwood had as visitors Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs.

visited Rupert Sugg in Winters and Stephanie Cherry Street Manor and Parnell of Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Taylor at her

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson Winters and family of Saturday were Mrs. Berchie Pattonville.

and Mrs. Delano Dunlap, Sylvan, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Hooks, Mrs. Coy Billingsley

**POTATOES** 

Steve, Jim and Pam, Mr. Mesquite, Carol Dorsey of Rev. and Mrs. E.E. Davis Warren and Mrs. Murl

Mrs. Ida Deshong visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stanfield her mother, Mrs. Mae Posey in the nursing home in Mt. Mrs. Delphia Malone had Pleasant.

Saturday guests of Mr. and dinner: Mrs. Jo Gordon of Mrs. Odis Watson were Mr. Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Eugene Norwood, of Frankie Norwood, Mr. and Whitesboro, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Scotty Norwood and L.D. Malone, Deann, Julie daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy and Lynn of Vasco, Mr. and R. Oats, Brandon and Mrs. Charles Davis, Terry Georjeana, Mr. and Mrs. and Jeff of Omaha, Mr. and Johnnie Musgrove and Mrs. Charles Malone, Mr. Zarinska, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. J.D. Crews, Mr. Stacy Norwood, Mr. and and Mrs. Danny Malone of Mrs. Dean Watson, Jarvis, Paris, Mrs. Ruby Ailes, Mrs. Deanna, Brad and Bruce and

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor Frank Malone, Terry, Rod spent Thursday until Sunday and Gina, Mr. and Mrs. with Mrs. Jackie Clinton of Carroll W. Malone, Lisa, Wolfe City. Mr. and Mrs. Barry and Jamie, Mr. and Leslie Taylor and family of Mrs. Virgil Sugg, Stephen, Milton and Mr. and Mrs. Lynda and Kathy, Mr. and Buddy Taylor were Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith and are spending the week with

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Taylor Mr. and Mrs. Dennis of Enid, Ok. spent the Pynes attended the Cowboy holidays with their parents, football game in Dallas Mrs. Harold Taylor of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Wright of Minter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Mike Hawkes and family of visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marshall were Sunday Hoover of Denison; Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Floyd of Bonham, Mrs. Katy Belle Chappell, Clifton Bazhaw is spending Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Whitney Legate of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Rab Skidmore of Mrs. Ida Deshong with Mr. Deport and Mrs. Christene

Mr. and Mrs. James James Winters and Rickey, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sugg Mr. and Mrs. Wallasce Mrs. Terry Legate of Paris, Michelle Thomas of Deport Friday supper guests of and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby

Norman of Paris, Mr. and Holiday visitors with Mr. Mrs. Delbert Norman, Dana and Mrs. Fred Allen were Norman and daughter, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Sammy Strickland and Dallas, Fred Jr. Allen of children of Deport, Mr. and Richland Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Johnny Musgrove and David Lawson of Alpine, Mr. Zarinska, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Bob Allen and John Stacy Musgrove, Mr. and C, and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mrs. Dean Watson, Jarvis, Fry of Blossom, Pam Allen Deana, Brad and Bruce, Mr. of Tulsa, Ok., Bob Allen II of and Mrs. Scotty Norwood Commerce, Kim Allen of

and Dee of Hendersonville. Tenn., Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Davis, Mrs. Martha Al Ghareeb, Millie and Mike of Lee Allen and grandchildren in of Deport and Mrs. Gary Cook of Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Allen of Ft. Worth, Randy and Valerie Allen and Dana Teers of

Abilene. Gary Allen of Ft. Worth. Randy and Valerie Allen and Dana Teers of Abilene rendered special music at the Baptist Church Sunday

morning. Rev. Charles Sourels and Mrs. Sourels from Chattanooga, Tenn., preached for the United Pentecostal Church in Cunningham last Sunday. Sunday night, Rev. Steve Green and his wife from Austin brought the message at the Pentecostal Church.

# Bewley of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Allen, Jamie Luanne Sparks Receives **Doctorate Degree**

Luanne Sparks received a Princeton, La., Mrs. Jesse Doctor of Education degree Educational ministration from East Huddleston of Bogata, Myra Texas State University in exercises commencement Friday, December 17.

> The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Sparks of Deport and granddaughter of Mrs. A.L. Webster of Bogata, she is a 1971 graduate of Prairiland High School. In 1973 she received an Associate of Science degree from Paris Junior College. From East Texas State University, she received a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1974 with majors in English and History. In 1976 she received a Master of Education degree in Special Education from the same



Luanne Sparks

institution.

Sparks is Ad-Dr. ministrative Assistant in Christian Education at the Church on the Rock in Rock-

# **Fulbright News**

By Betty Rodgers

Kerbow and Mr. and Mrs. Beckville, Mrs. Alice Har-Otis Massey had lunch diman of Beckville, Mr. and Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Epps and Mrs. Charlie Tidwell and family of Mt. Vernon.

Friday morning in Mc- Baker were their daughter, Cuistion Medical Center. Karen Baker of Dallas, Mr. Services were held at the and Mrs. Gene Baker and Deport Funeral Home Mrs. Ruby Baker of Paris. Chapel Sunday at 2 p.m. with interment in Bethel Shuford of Port Neches came Cemetery at Fulbright. She was a long time resident of the community and sym- Travis King. Others visiting pathy is extended to the

Mrs. Bernice Thomas of Boyd, Bill Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and visitors of Betty, Melissa and Monte Rodgers and Wayne Roberts.

Betty Rodgers and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rodgers at Bogata Nursing Home Wednesday.

Mrs. Travis King and Mrs. Ethel Epps attended a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Neita Dinneson of Post Oak last week.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker were Mike Baker of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Baker and Beth Ann of Deer Park, Jack Walton Kenner of Odessa and Lacy Roddell of Mineral

Mr. and Mrs. Travis King had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Osburn of Paris on Sunday and attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kelly.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Ethel Epps were Mr. and daughter and Mrs. Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mrs. Troy Epps of Hooks, Shannon and Linda of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Epps and Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Fowler Euless, Jim Shannon of boys of Texarkana, Mr. and had as holiday visitors Mr. Hurst, Rick Shannon of Mrs. Al Epps and family of

of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Christmas day with Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Charles Epps and Dana of Mrs. Leonard Massey.

Having Christmas dinner Mrs. Arthur Fisher died with Mr. and Mrs. Worth

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thursday and stayed until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. were Mr. and Mrs. Joel Webb of Port Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Duane King and Kala, David Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle King and Amanda were holiday family, Mr. and Mrs. Randy For Spring Osburn, Mary and Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Dick King, Jeffery and NeLeigh, all of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Kerry King and Jeremy of

> mas eve guests. Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were Sharon Embrey Weatherford, Janey Hughes of Mt. Pleasant, Obie Wright

Mt. Pleasant were Christ-

of Waco and Stacy Embrey. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward have returned home after visiting relatives in Dallas and Lake Texhoma.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Stella Ridens were Mrs. Jack Kenner and Jack Walton of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddell and Lacy of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Ridens of Denton, Mrs. Roddell of Paris and Mrs. Johnnye Clayton of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis King and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Shuford spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Kerry. King of Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Verna Ward and Mrs.

Ethel Epps ate dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mc-Farland and Casey of Sulphur Springs visited Mrs. Sue Wolfe, Tracy and

Waylan during the holidays. Charles, William and Harold Epps had lunch Monday with their mother, Mrs. Ethel Epps and then went on to Altus, Okla. to attend the funeral of Mrs. Epps brother-in-law, Dean Sims. Miss Ruby Chandler is back home after being a patient for a few days in Clarksville General

# Registration (4) Semester Set At PJC

Hospital.

Registration for the spring semester at Paris Junior College is scheduled Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 5-7, in the Rheudasil Learning Center on campus, said Max Mabry, director of counseling.

Students may register from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, and an evening enrollment is planned for 6 p.m. Thursday. Those registering must bring their transcripts or have them on file at the college, Mabry

The campus will re-open after the holidays on Monday, Jan. 3, and the first day of spring classes will be Monday, Jan. 10. Schedules of spring courses are available at PJC.



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# **Deport Locals**

Philley visited with Mr. and Jana and Kimberly in Raymond Crawford were Beam

Nacogdoches. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griffin brought Mrs. Philley and Miss Philley home and visited with his mother, Mrs. Jessie Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hignight accompanied Mrs. Jewel Hood and Mrs. Bonnie Thompson of Bogata and spent Christmas with her daughter and family, Sue and Craig Carrell and Mr. and Mrs. Reg Freemeyer in Norman, Ok

Guests for the Christmas holiday at Marvin and Lucille Couch's were Zora and Weldon Murphy, Dildy and Kevin Couch, Wanda, Larry, Tab Hughes and Leslie, Boyce, Eva Blake, Toni Bryan, Gena Flenniken, Jimmy and Cindy Ballard, Terry and Vickie Allen, all of Paris, Wayne, Sandra, Wayne II, Kim of Pattonville, Murael Roy of Blossom, Mike, Amy and Sue Kunkel of Longview and Amanda Houston of Alto, Mrs. Julia Kargl of Dallas Tx., Jimmy and Sherri were weekend guests of Mr.

nd

Mrs. Robert Griffin, Robbie, holidays with Mr. and Mrs. them for Christmas Day. Mesquite over Christmas. Prentice and Jo Crawford of Other guests were Mr. and Benbrook, Russell and Pat Mrs. Jack Griffin, Mrs. and Christy of Euless and Phyllis Horn, Kristina Horn Tim Grant, Lori and Larry Mansfield, La., Mr. and Mrs. and Tommy McAlister from Stewart of Euless. Others Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. attending for Christmas Enid, Ok., and Delbert

of dinner were Ricky and Anita Rhodes, Ronda, Ryan of Hurst, Virginia and Dwayne Rhodes, Mike and Mark Rhodes of Paris, Shirley and John, Cliff, Darrin Gifford, Donald and Sue, Stephanie, Teena Crawford, Larry Crawford, Mrs. Crawford received a call from her brother, Troy Smith in Covina, Ca. wishing her a Merry Christmas and

Happy New Year. Maurine Bryson spent the holiday weekend with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bryson in Denison and attending the wedding of her granddaughter, Martha to Oran Herrington of Krebbs,

Buck and Ann Roberts spent the holiday with their son and family, Chief Bill Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kunkel and family of Houston, Mrs.

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Mrs. W.L. Philley and Lois Hearn of Mobile, Alabama. and Mrs. Ben Warren. Mr Spending Christmas and Mrs. Carlos Ladd joined

Visiting the Elvis Wrights over the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Kerry E. Wright and Allen from Silas Taylor and Larry of Haskins of Irving.

Dr. Bob Carrell of Norman, Oklahoma spent from Thursday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Devlin spent the weekend in Austin with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ledford

Christmas holiday visitors with Mrs. Ross Warren were Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Davis, Mrs. Martha Al Ghareeb and Mike and Millie of Princeton, La., Mrs. Carol Dorsey of Dallas and Mrs. W.J. Fowler of Cunningham.

Dorothea McDowra had her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren for Christmas dinner Sunday. Present were Reginald and Barbara McDowra and Thomas, Buddy and Peggy McDowra of Pariw, Mickey and Carolyn McDowra, Kristy, Michael and Jennifer of Garland, Reggie, Susan and Chris McDowra of Deport, Keith, Amy and Brock McDowra of Pattonville, Diane Moore, Jeff and Sandy Moore and children, Timothy and Misty of Paris. This was the first Christmas with Chris, Brock and Misty. Mr. and Mrs. Mickey McDowra returned

Visiting over the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bailey were Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Bumgarner of New Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bailey of Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blevins of Pattonville, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gordon, Mandy and Marty and Mike Bailey, all of Longview.

home on Tuesday afternoon.

Last Thursday, Dec. 23 the following visited Mrs. Frank Malone at the nursing home to exchange Christmas gifts: Mr. and Mrs. Reginald McDowra and Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Malone and Tony, Debra Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Reggie McDowra and Chris, Mr. and Mrs. Keith McDowra and Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy

On Friday Dec 24 visiting in the home of Reginald McDowra and Thomas were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Reggie McDowra and Chris, Mr. and Mrs. Keith McDowra and Brock and Santa Claus.

Visiting Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W.R. McDowra were Mr. and Mrs. Mickey McDowra and children of

Mappy Vew Year





BIG STOCKING-David Perry of Cunningham grins proudly at the huge stocking he won in a drawing at Frank Rhoades Grocery in

Deport last Friday. He is shown with store owner Frank Rhoades besides the big stocking full of toys, candy and other

### East Post Oak News

By Mrs. Howard Crawford

and Mrs. Danny Babb and Kristy of Mesquite. family of Tomball.

Those who visited Mr. and Mr. James Crawford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Crawford and family of Dallas, Mrs. Marie and Greg Wood of Direct, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Babb and family of Tomball, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tow and Joe of Paris, Roy Martines and and Mrs. Danny Babb and dinner. family of Tomball.

Christmas is over and Visiting Mr. and Mrs. everyone is wished a Happy James Crawford Sunday and Prosperous New Year. were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Those who had dinner on Crawford and family, Mrs. Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Marie and Greg Wood of Howard Crawford were Mr. Direct, Mr. and Mrs. Danny and Mrs. Ben Tow and Joe, Babb and family, Mr. and Ben Tow of Austin and Mrs. Howard Crawford, Mr. children of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tow and Joe, and Mrs. James Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Foster Regina and Tracy, Mr. and and family of Mt. Olive, Mr. Mrs. Gary Crawford and Mrs. James Prunty and Dereck of Dallas, Mr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mrs. Steven Foster of Reno, Martinez and family, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. James Prunty and Mrs. Oscar Ford of and Tom of Arlington, Mr. Brookston, Miss Charolett and Mrs. Roy Martines and Martin of Paris, Ben Tow of family of Greenville, Mr. Austin, Heath, Coby and

### Clardy News

Relatives here had word Houston, Texas. last week that Roy Ballard of Port Neches was critically ill in a Houston Hospital.

Ballard spent their 55th

# Wright-Low Exchange Vows

Wright, daughter of Mr. and of Pine Bluff and Paul Knapp guest book Mrs. Kerry Wright of of Mansfield. Mansfield was united in Matrimony on Saturday, Eugene Wright and Allan short wedding trip to San December 18, 1982 at six Wright, brothers of the Antonio, Texas, after which o'clock in the evening to bride, who also served as they will be at home in groomsmen. William Richardson Low, Jr., son of Mrs. Jean Low and William R. Low, Sr.,

both of Houston, Texas, in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church, Lowrey home in Mansfield. United Methodist Church of Mansfield. occasion. The Rev. Charles Hum-

phreys, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

music was Nuptial provided by Mrs. Bob Livingston who sang "O Perfect Love" and "The arrangement of fruit. Prayer'', companied by Stuart Heard, organist.

For her wedding, the bride chose a gown of ivory organza featuring a ruffled Queen Anne collar and scoop neckline accented with chantilly lace and seed pearls. Full lace sleeves complimented the gown which also had an empire waistline. The full organza skirt was decorated by layers of lace at the hemline which flowed from a peak in the front and were met in the back by a matching panel to form a chapel length train.

Complimenting the gown was a white Cavalier bridal hat of Schfilli lace and seed pearls with an illusion back puff that extended to chapel length.

The bride carried a bouquet consisting of a cascade of silk white rose buds, stepanotis, touches of burgundy sweetheart roses and complimented with lace edging. She was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Eugene Wright, sister-in-law to the bride of Pine Bluff, Ark. served as matron of honor.

Bridesmaids were Sheila Hill of Pine Bluff, Ark; Sheila Richardson of Houston; and Margi Low, sister of the groom of The groom's attendants

were Jeff Low, his brother, of Houston as Best Man. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Groomsmen were Eugene Wright of Pine Bluff, Ark., wedding anniversary at Allan Wright of Mansfield family of Greenville, Mr. home Friday with a family and Tim Kenefick of Pasadena, Ca., brother-inlaw to the groom

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the given by Mrs. Bill Lowrey which was decorated with plants and greenery for the hosted by William R. Low,

The bride's table was Mansfield. centered with white gladiolus and pink carnations in candelabra while the groom's table was adorned with

Assisting at the reception Ballard Friday. were Mrs. Randy Pearson, cutting the bride's cake and Morris serving the coffee. Hershel Stone.

Miss Judy Michelle Ushers were Mike Lawson Joe'l Odom presided over the

Following the reception, Lighting the candles were the couple departed for a

Houston.

The Bridal Brunch was Fellowship Hall of the First and Mrs. Boy Church in the The Rehearsal Dinner was

# Sr. at the Old Church Inn in

Clardy News

Tony Ballard of Alva, Ok. an and Johnny Garrett of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin

Amber Short of Paris, Dana Dority and Jana Jennifer Brown serving Pomroy spent Thursday punch. Debbie Kruger cut night with their grandthe groom's cake with Cindy parents, Mr. and Mrs.





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# Clardy News

**By Sondra Martin** 

A daughter was born Christmas day to Boyce and Ginger Stone of Denton. She was named Jennifer Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Stone of Clardy and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reves of Blossom.

Attending a Christmas Peralta, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby

and Mrs. Hershel Stone Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen of Blossom, Brad Allen of Dallas, Tammy, Paula and Shellie Pomroy of Arlington, J.C. Pomroy of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skidmore and Paul, Ciro

Pomroy, Kristi and Jana, Libby Jones of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Short. The ladies brought covered dishes and all enjoyed turkey and the trimmings. Pictures taken. Another daughter, Mrs. Neva Dillard of Duncanville called to say they cancelled their visit due to the weather.

home for Christmas with Mr. Mark Ellison and Erin of and Mrs. Alvin Ballard. Mineola, Mr. and Mrs. Robin

They were Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Ballard and Kriss of Camp Maxey, Rev. and Mrs. Kirk Ballard and Bill Purvis of Paris, Mjr. and Mrs. Tony Ballard of Alva, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ballard and children of Gladewater, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard and Chrystal of Quitman, Ballard The Ballard children were Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs.

display of fireworks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin, Sondra and Kyle were held at the home of Mr. and Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Alvin Harris. Mrs. Lucille Webster of Paris. Others attending were Mrs. Edna Tallant and Mary of Tigertown. The Martins were afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodges of

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Parham and girls of Monroe, Conn. and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eggleston, Jennifer and Rebecca of Texas City are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Clement of Tyler, Mrs. Betty Williams of Bogata, Mrs. Peggy Evans of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Abbott and Kim were Christmas Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goley and family of Crosbyton, Charlotte Muecke, Jimmy and Charlie of Wolfe City, John and Cindy Muecke of Waxahachie, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clement and Dustin of POaris and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Stone, Jeff and Brad spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement

Several attended the East Lamar School reunion for the ex-students at the Pattonville Community Center Sunday.

Christmas dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Hatcher of Marvin. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hatcher and Debbie, Melanie Hatcher and Ashley, and Mrs. Bobby Pomroy, Kristi and Jana, and Mrs. Mark Dusenberry, John and Shannon and Marvin Lee of Dallas. Pictures were taken and gifts exchanged.

Melburn Tucker of Cherry Street Annex had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Stone, Jeff and Brad. Ricky and Kaye Cooper

spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodges of Rugby.

Dennis and Nita Johnson spent the Christmas holiday with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hobbs of Richardson.

Christmas eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard were Mr. and Mrs. Delma Gibbs Della Danita Joe Glen and David of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hanna of Bonham, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballard, Amy and Kelli and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hancock, Kenny Mary Ann and Daniel.

Bainham Skidmore spent

Saurfrain of Emerson. All his father, Mr. and Mrs. enjoyed the supper, tree and Curtis Skidmore and exchanging of gifts and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore.

Christmas eve dinner was

Christmas eve dinner was held at the home of Mr. and lMrs. Alvin Harris. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Clement of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. David Redus and Dava of Blossom and Mike Clement and Kelly of Rockwall.

Johnny Stout and Yvonne pictures taken. were Mr. and Mrs. Roy of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. last Tuesday evening. Marlin McDowra, Jeff and Mjr. and Mrs. Tony and girls of Connecticut, Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell of was in Clardy last Tuesday Ben Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. evening shredding the Norris Ragsdill of Allen and pasture of his grandparents, Tammy Stout of Denton.

with relatives in Dallas.

Hudson and son of Sulphur of Mr. and Mrs. Roy An-Springs, Mrs. Ruby Hudson derson. of Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. the tree at the home of Mr. Jennings. Mr. and Mrs. supper at their home Mark Hudson and boys of Thursday. Attending were Killeen arrived Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skidmore and other children of Mrs. Alma Skidmore of Paris enjoyed the tree and get together at her home Christmas Eve.

Weekend visitors of the Gene Martin family were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowman and Mrs. Lucille Webster of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin and Hayden and Mrs. Donna Herring and Aubrey of Bogata.

Pam Lewis and Tony of Paris spent part of the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Abbott and Kim spent Christmas day with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Abbott of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Stone attended a Christmas Eve supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen of Blossom. Others present were Brad Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Johnson and Brandy of Dallas, Mrs. Pug Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Don Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and Toni, all of Blossom.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Slaton of Halesboro were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper spent Christmas Eve night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper and Deryl of Cunningham. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Brit Phillips and girls of Lone Star, Andy and Nikki Smith of Marvin and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Betterton and Kraig of El Paso.

David Skidmore, Ray Martin and Guy have returned from a deer hunt in Uvalde. David killed an 11 point deer.

Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard were Christmas dinner DEPORT GIFT SUB

Mrs. Barney Scott to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Preston and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Follis.

Mrs. Norris Ballard, Amy Short, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky and Kelly

the Christmas holidays.

Christmas. His birthday is served. Gifts were ex-Dec. 27. Attending were Mr. changed and Mrs. Alvin Harris, Mr. Mrs. Tim Ash of Paris and Sunday. David Waggoner of Reno. Christmas day dinner Cake, ice cream and soft guests of Mr. and Mrs. drinks were served and

Mrs. Syrena Ingram of Anderson, Pam Lewis and Biardstown and Mrs. Lena Tony, Mitchell Stout, and Miller of Reno visited Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. S.C. Short, all Ruby Hudson of Jennings

Marla of Pattonville, Mr. Ballard of Alva, Ok. spent and Mrs. Steve Eggleston last Monday night and and girls of Texas City, Mr. Tuesday with his parents, and Mrs. Dudley Parham Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ballard. Carey Eatherly of Paris

the Sam Skidmores. Mrs. Alpha Russell of Mrs. Nora McDowra and Jennings spent Christmas Marla of Pattonville and Tammy Stout of Denton Mr. and Mrs. William were visitors Christmas eve

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brad Hudson and son of Clement left Saturday to Deport enjoyed supper and visit her relatives in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel and Mrs. Pete Hudson of Stone had a pre-cChristmas

Ballard of Tyler and Randy Christmas and Sunday with guests of their son, Mr. and Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth-Dority, Dana, James and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Stone Ken, Bennie Short, Pat and boys were visitors of Mr. Miller and son, Amber Short, and Mrs. Boyce Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Gon-Jennifer of Denton during zales and grandson of California, Audie Dudley and Steven Harris was honored Elbert Boren. Turkey with on his eighth birthday all the trimmings were

> Brad Allen of Dallas has and Mrs. Silas Clement of been visiting his parents, Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and Michael Sherewood and other relatives since family of Windom, Mr. and Thursday. He returned home

Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Stone were visitors last week of Mrs. Mattie Tucker who is a patient at St. Joseph Hospital.

#### Senior Citizens Meet At Center

The Senior Citizens met at the Community Center Wednesday, Dec. 22 for their regular meeting. There were 34 present.

Jo Ricketson, Shirley Hatley of Paris was present to help with the drawing for the afghan and Terri Smith was the winner. The afghan was donated to the center to raise money to tune the piano and other improvements for the Blossom Community Center.

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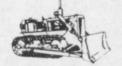
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#### Charlie Ewing Dies In Arkansas

Charlie Ewing, 78, of Harold Ewing of Shreveport, Smackover, Ark., died La.; four daughters, Mrs. in Camden, Arkansas. He was a retired oil field pumper for Kerr-McGee Oil Company.

Services were held Tuesday, Dec. 28 at the Joyce City Baptist Church in Smackover at 2 p.m. with interment there under the direction of Young's Funeral Home of El Dorado, Ark.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Celma Ewing of Smackover; three sons, Charles Lee Ewing and Bogata. Tommy Dale Ewing of Smackover and James

McNeil, Ark., Mrs. Michael Reeves of Bentley, La., and Mrs. Wayne Darkhimer of Camden, Ark; twenty grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; three brothers, Bill Ewing of Bogata, Clarence L. Ewing of Smackover and Jeff ewing of Talco: two sisters, Mrs. Mary Lee McLennon and Mrs. Herman Belcher of

Winston Waller of Emerson,

Ark., Mrs. Robert Looney of

#### Beulah Elmore Dies In California

passed away Dec. 21 at Red Vallejo. Bud Hospital. She was a

passed away in 1960. Services were held in grandchildren. Vallejo Thursday, Dec. 23

Mrs. Buelah Elmore of under the direction of Clearlake Oaks, California Wiggins Funeral Home in

Survivors are a daughter, member of the Bible Baptist Mrs. Pauline Harvey of Church, Vallejo, California. Clearlake Oaks, Calif.; She was born in Paris on brothers Elvis Wright of September 4, 1902 a daughter Minter and Milton A. Wright of Joe and Laura Ona Cass of Clarksville; one sister, Wright. She married Lee Mrs. Wilma Bell of Cen-Elmore on Dec. 21, 1919. terville, Tx.; a daughter They moved from Minter to Mrs. Ruby Lee Gear passed Vallejo in 1944. Mr. Elmore away in 1969. She has six grandchildren and 14 great-

### **Tommy Lowery Dies Sunday**

died at his home Sunday, Dec. 26.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 28 in the First Baptist Church at Bogata with the Rev. Bob Posey officiating and burial in Bogata Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Lowrey was born June 16, 1914 in Rosalie, a son of Robert and Gracie Smith Lowrey

Surviving are one son, Wayne Thomas Lowrey of Bogata; two daughters, Mrs. Liz Wells of Joaquin, La.; and Mrs. Pamela Brown of Bogata; three brothers, Marvin Lowrey of Bogata, Johnny Lowrey of Bogata and Walter Lowrey of Bonham; four sisters, Mrs.

Tommy Lowrey of Bogata Springs, Mrs. Mary Combest of Dallas and Mrs. Thelma Slaton of Mesquite and Mrs. Bessie Boss of Kemp; and eight grandchildren.

### Morell Carder Dies Wednesday

Dec. 22 at 11:30 a.m. at Baylor Hospital, Dallas.

Services were held Friday, Dec. 24 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Ladonia with the Rev. Bob Posey of Bogata and Bill Jennings officiating. Burial was in Ladonia Cemetery by Delta Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carder was born June 9, 1917 a daughter of employed by Sherwood Thomas of Pecan Gap. Millie Fincher of Balch Medical Industry in Com-

Mrs. Morell Carder, 65, of merce. She had lived in Ladonia, died Wednesday, Ladonia for 23 years. In 1939 she married Edsel Ford Carder who died Dec. 31,

Carder of Copeville; one daughter, Delores Robinson of Commerce; two brothers, Z.W. Trout of Bonham and James Trout of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Leon Simmons and Mrs. B.F. Green, both of Bonham; her mother, Mrs. Z.O. Trout and Josie Josie Trout of Bogata and Herrage Trout. She was one grandchild, Cindy

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FOR SALE-1982 Chevrolet pickup, Silverado, loaded. 16 foot utility trailer. 214-784-7152 after 1 p.m. MA 1-6

FOR SALE-Firewood, \$30 per rick, \$60 per cord, you haul. \$75 per cord delivered in Blossom, Deport, Pattonville area. Call 982-5805 or 652-2931. MA tfc

FOR DRAFTING Service, House Plans and commercial buildings, see James Weeden, 632-4214. MA 1-13

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FOR SALE-Lounge chair, good condition, \$60. 632-4102. MA 1-6

FOR SALE-4-year old white horse. 632-5903, Bogata. MA 12-30

FOR SALE-1977 3/4 ton Chevrolet pickup. Automatic, air, \$1750.00. Deport 652-2266. MA 12-30 FOR SALE-Caramel

Popcorn, call Jane Glass, decorated cans or refills. 632-4425. MA 12-30 LOST LADIES GOLD Seiko

watch. Reward offered, 632-5855, Bogata. MA 12-30

FOR SALE-Young Simmental bulls, \$600-\$700 each. Call 632-4201. MA tfc

HAPPY HOLIDAYS to everyone from Mitchell's 271 Shamrock. MA 1-6

#### Mrs. Ann Fisher Dies Friday Mrs. Ann Fisher of Carron Herring of Bogata,

Fulbright died in McCuistion Medical Center at 3 a.m. Friday, Dec. 24.

Services were held Sunday, Dec. 26 at 2 p.m. at Grant Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Bethel Cemetery at Fulbright. Mrs. Fisher was born April

29, 1929 in Cooper a daughter of Sam and Ida Mae Shaffer Skinner She is survived by her

husband, Arthur; one son, Stanley Smith of Muskogee, Okla.; daughters, Mrs.

VIV nave a nice weekend .. Surviving are a son, Eddie

> When extra ice cubes are needed for punches, or ice buckets at parties, use muffin tins instead of buying new ice cube trays. The big ice cubes will last longer.

Mrs. Linda Williams of

Johntown, Mrs. Patricia

Buckley of Blossom, Mrs.

Kathey Furr of Mt. Pleasant,

Mrs. Pam Weaver of Paris

and Anita Fisher of

Fulbright; two step-

daughters, Mrs. J.C. (Reba)

Dees of Paris and Mrs. Bob

(Barbara Ann) England of

Arlington; three brothers,

Duane Skinner of San An-

tonio, Bill Skinner of San

Angelo and Larry Wayne

Skinner of Cooper; two

sisters, Linda Sue Dean of

Concord, Calif. and Rita

Clay of San Antonio and

eight grandchildren.

### CARD OF THANKS

**CARD OF THANKS** We wish to thank you all for the cards, food, flowers, transportation to the hospital and all the many other wonderful acts of kindness shown us during William's illness. Thank you so very much.

William and Ann Evans

**CARD OF THANKS** The family of Mrs. Pearl Smith would like to thank those who sent flowers, food, called or showed us any kindness in the loss of our loved one.

**CARD OF THANKS** you loved me. I love you all. Mary Westbrook

#### **THOUGHT FOR** FOOD BY GOULD CROOK

### Cheddar Tuna Sandwich

1 can (61/2 oz.) tuna,

drained and flaked 1/4 cup chopped pimiento-stuffed olives

2 tablespoons chopped onion 1/3 cup dairy sour cream

1/2 teaspoon prepared mustard 4 slices whole wheat

bread, toasted and buttered

4 slices Cheddar cheese Combine tuna, olives and

onion. Combine sour cream want to thank everyone and mustard; toss with tuna for all the kind words and mixture. Spread bread with showing me in every way tuna mixture. Top each sandwich with a slice of cheese. Broil until cheese melts, about 2-3 minutes. Serve immediately.

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# Pattonville News

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ellison and Erin of Mineola, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Ballard of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard and Chrystal of Quitman, Teresa Ballard of Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Woodall, Anna, Priscilla of Clardy, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Priest and Toni of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bryant

and Patti of Greenville. John Bryant of Irving visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and Mike had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B.P. Lowry of Ft. Worth Saturday, There were 30 people present.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland and Annette visited Mr. and family of Ft. Worth Satur-

Visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappell were T.J. Betenbough, Jim and Annie of Commerce and Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Betenbough of Pattonville.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappell were Mrs. Dewitt Simmons of Ft. Smith, Ark., Mike Simmons and Vickey Harris of Dallas. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs.

George Humphreys this week were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Locke of Bonham and Miss Stacie Dollins of They also Emerson. received phone calls.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilson attended a Christmas dinner at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Slayden and family

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland visited W.O. Crossland and Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. George Walker and J.T. Clark of Bonham Saturday.

Christmas eve supper Mr. and Mrs. Buster guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crossland, Ann and Mike Buster Crossland and Ann visited Ruby Ray of Blossom were Mr. and Mrs. Willie

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By Ann Crossland

Crossland and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland and Annette and Kent Wright of

Christmas eve supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carter were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Carter and family of Reno and Chet James of Paris, Mae and Terry McDowra and James Carter of Pattonville.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carter were Agnes Miller of Blossom, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks of Pattonville, Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Pierce of Powderly and Bill Day of Shady Grove.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys were Odis Littlefield of Hagansport and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shelby of Cooper.

Ann Crossland had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wright and Kent of Deport.

Friday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons, Greg, Mark and Kristy were Bobby and Judy Ellington, Randy, Rusty and Ronnie of League City, Doug Winters of College Station, Wendy Jetton of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Winters, Kip and Wes, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Jeff McDowra.

Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons, Greg, Mark and Kristi were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Duke and Bret of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Nowell and Rusty of Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Roberts, Mrs. Irene Parsons, Mrs. Marcy Campbell and Johnny and Lisa McClain and Wendy Jetton of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roberts of Sanders

Cove and Jeff McDowra. Christmas eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Winters, Doug, Kip and Wes were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Byous of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, Adam and Erin of Plano, Mike Sparks of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ellington and sons of League City, Wendy Jetton of Paris, Ina and Nina Sparks of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Mr. and Mrs.

Keith Parsons and family. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby

Winters and family and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons and They were celebrating their since 1960.

60th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Bolton is Mrs. Sparks' family attended a reception sister. All eight of their for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer brothers and sisters were Bolton of Cooper on Sunday. together for the first time

## Deport Nursing Home News

Mrs. Dean Wright and Mrs. Cora Braly visited Mrs. Gertrude Tidwell and Julia Wadley on Thursday.

Sandra Kincaid and Kris Kincaid of Mt. Vernon visited James Thomas. Mrs. John Porter of

Blossem visited Mrs. Maudie Baxter. James and Maurice Wilson

visited Don Vail. Charles Dillard visited Herbert Tuck and Sonny Patterson

Harley and Angie Byores of Richardson visited Allie Malone Stanley Smallwood of

Dallas visited Gertrude Williamson. Leon and Ellen Tuck visited Herbert Tuck.

Mrs. Dorothy Henry and daughter of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Henry of Winnsboro and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Denton of Sulphur Springs were guests of Annie

Mrs. Alice Dunham visited Rhoda Oliver on Monday. Mrs. Raymond Hoover, Belle Day, Sallie Scott, Ruby Blevins and Cecil Carter of Pattonville visited friends of

the home. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cockrell and Mrs. Sid Grant of Hurst visited Sid Grant and Mattie Ellen Dickson. Mrs. Julia Wadley spent Christmas at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Day. Helen Northam and Lucille Nash visited from Paris with their mother, Zelpha Anderson on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Carleton of Olathe, Kansas and Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Cummins of Lufkin visited Mr. M.E.

Dorothy and Gene Rader Paris with Jeffie Box. visited from Paris on Christmas day with Mrs. Gerda Hendley.

Butch and Sue Sunday Williamson.

Pat Wadley, Patti and Charles of Willis visited Gerturde Williams.

Santa Claus visited on Monday. He brought gifts for the residents. The Brownies and Girl Scouts presented the program.

Blossom Church of God presented a Christmas program on Tuesday.

Visitors of Mrs. Edd Moore and Tommy and Peggy Malone of Paris, Cecil Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Fowler of Maud, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and Gaylia of Hooks, Sarah Broderick of Bogata, Myrtle Gibson of Detroit and Mutt and Odell Harvey of Milton, Jessie Griffin enjoyed

Christmas with all of her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lange and children of Lewisville, Mr. and Mrs. James Betterton and daughter of Paris, Ada Betterton of Deport visited Christmas day with Mrs. Mildred Spears.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Myers of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Westbrooks and Brnea of DeKalb and Mrs. Shirley Phillpot of Detroit, Mrs. Bertha Boren visited during the Christmas holiday with Mrs. Maudie Baxter.

Mrs. Carolyn Olson of Houston spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Shannon. They visited friends and family. They had Christmas dinner at the home of L.N. Shannon of Paris. They visited at George Hancock's on Saturday.

Mary Catherine Sawyer and daughter visited from

Lois Bell and Estelle Patton of Paris visited Jeffie Box.

Glen Shelton of Honey visited Mrs. Gerturde Grove visited his mother-inlaw. Mrs. Jeffie Box.

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Sincere **Best Wishes** For 1983

Wishing each of you a prosperous New Year filled with health and happiness. I am anxiously looking forward to serving you in the months

MYRA NELL WILSON District Clerk



My Thanks To Each Of You

As we face the challenges of the New Year, may God grant us the strength. the dedication, and the guidance to follow His will for our lives.

**BRADY FISHER County Judge Lamar County** 





I Wish You The Best In 1983

This bright new year heralds a new decade. Let us greet it with new committment to reason, compassion, justice and all things which heal, enrich and uplift the human spirit.

HENRY BRASWELL District Judge

6th Judicial District



Wishing All Of You The Best In The **Coming Year PETE PATTERSON** State Representative District 9

I am looking forward to serving you as your County Attorney in the coming year. I appreciate the support you have given me in the past and ask for your continued support for good law enforcement.

> **TOM WELLS** County Attorney



May The **New Year Hold Happiness** For Each Of You

During the coming year, it will be my pleasure to serve you, and may I thank each of you for your continued cooperation

JOHN WILLIAMS Assessor-Collector Ot Taxes



My Sincere **New Year Wish** 

is for one and all to have a healthy, prosperous 1983 I am truly grateful for the confidence you have placed in me as your commissioner, and am looking forward to serving you in the coming year

JIMMIE SPARKS Commissioner

Precinct 1



**Your Friends In Public Service** Wish You The Best In The New Year

