

Locals To Participate In Paris Rodeo

By Nanalee Nichols
Well, folks, it has happened again. School time has sneaked up on us once more. Probably it sneaked a little faster this time because we took a vacation, and haven't had our minds on things just lately.

But since this is the sixth time that I have witnessed the opening of school from the vantage point of the newspaper business, one would think that it wouldn't just rear up so suddenly...but it always does. School time is a good, happy time here at the papers...it means a lot more work...but a lot more pleasure too. It means lining up rows of smiling kids...something we always enjoy. It means sports, admittedly not the major doings of professional athletes, but rather the achievements of local youngsters, known by face and name.

It means scholastic awards and achievements, again, perhaps not the type that make the front page of a major newspaper, but worth a whole world of pride to those youngsters, parents and relatives and friends who can see the results of achievement on the pages of their local paper.

So why does something so important always catch me unawares?

It would seem that somewhere in the back of my mind is the idea that summertime will continue on forever...perhaps it is some child like lingering from summer vacations when it was myself that was forced to drop hot weather pursuits and return to desks and books. I freely admit that that was not always my favorite past time.

But now it will soon be the time when instead of having to struggle to find pictures, we will have to struggle to fit them all in. (A welcome change, I might add.)

Ball games will claim every Friday night, and the mileage on vehicles will mount up.

But no one here is complaining! We are, instead, finally waking up to the fact that school is actually about to commence...and we are gearing up and getting strobes, cameras and extra personnel ready to go...as we prepare ourselves for the resumption of the educational process!

The gates of action swung open at 8 p.m. Wednesday, August 3 for the opening performance of the Paris Championship Rodeo, sponsored by the Paris Rodeo and Horse Club.

With pre-rodeo festivities already underway, the queen crowning and street dance on the square in the downtown area, and a gigantic rodeo parade on Wednesday afternoon, the arena floor for four performances of the best rodeo action to be found anywhere.

This year's version of the rodeo has attracted past champion, current champions and title threats of the Central States Rodeo Association, because of the lucrative prize money being offered, \$500 per event, and also because of the added attraction, a trip for two to Acapulco for the All-Around winner at this year's rodeo, courtesy of the Paris Rodeo and Horse Club and Odyssey Travel Agency in Paris.

Among champion contestants entered are Jack Foreman of Bixby,

Oklahoma, former All-Around and Calf Roping Champion; Paul Lee Foreman, cousin to Jack, of Barnsdale, Oklahoma, Team Roping Champion; Jim Martin of Canadian,

Texas, three times Bareback Riding Champion; Mike Hemann of Miami, Oklahoma, Saddle Bronc Riding champion; Carolyn Rose of McAlester, Oklahoma, former Barrel Racing Champion; Kelly Allred Ray of Lavaca, Arkansas, three times Barrel Racing Champion and current leader in point standings for 1983; and Gary Hiner of Cuthand, Texas, 1981 Bull Riding Champion and current leader in bull riding standings for 1983.

With a total of 400 contestants entered in the seven championship events, a number of local people have signed up for the tough competition.

Local entries include Tracy Norwood, Scotty Norwood and Ricky Norwood, along with Brit Skidmore, all from the

Deport area and Mike

Fenner and Kenny Dearman of the Bogata area.

Ten ladies are entered in the queen and princess contests for the 1983 rodeo, including several from the area. They are, in the princess division: Mendy Norwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood of Cunningham; Georjeana Oats, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Oats of Cunningham; Donna Kay Presley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Presley of Cunningham.

Queen contestants include Klarissa Keys, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Keys of Deport; Kristi Bankhead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bankhead of Cunningham; Kenda Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen of Deport; Darlene Brooks, daughter of Doyle and Nancy Brooks of Bogata. The queen and princess will be crowned at the opening performance of the Paris rodeo on Wednesday.

Thursday, (tonight) is ladies night at the rodeo, all escorted ladies being ad-

mitted free, and senior citizens night, those over 65 holding a general admission ticket will be admitted free.

Friday, Ronald McDonald will be present to judge a clown look-alike contest. All participants under 12 years of age who come to the rodeo dressed as a clown, will be admitted free. The children's faces will be painted from 12 noon until 6 p.m. that day at McDonald's in Paris. Each participant will receive a gift certificate from McDonald's.

Wing Ranch Rodeo Company of Bogata will be furnishing the livestock again this year for the rodeo.

As previously advertised, the bull No. 4, K-Bob, possibly the rankest bull in the world of rodeo today, owned by the Wing Ranch,

was scheduled to compete during the Paris rodeo. However, the bull had eye surgery only last week, and his owners, Jerald and Joan

Smith, felt that he was not physically up to competing.

Though the bull may be on hand for the rodeo festivities, it will be only in a celebrity capacity, and will be introduced during the bull riding at each performance.

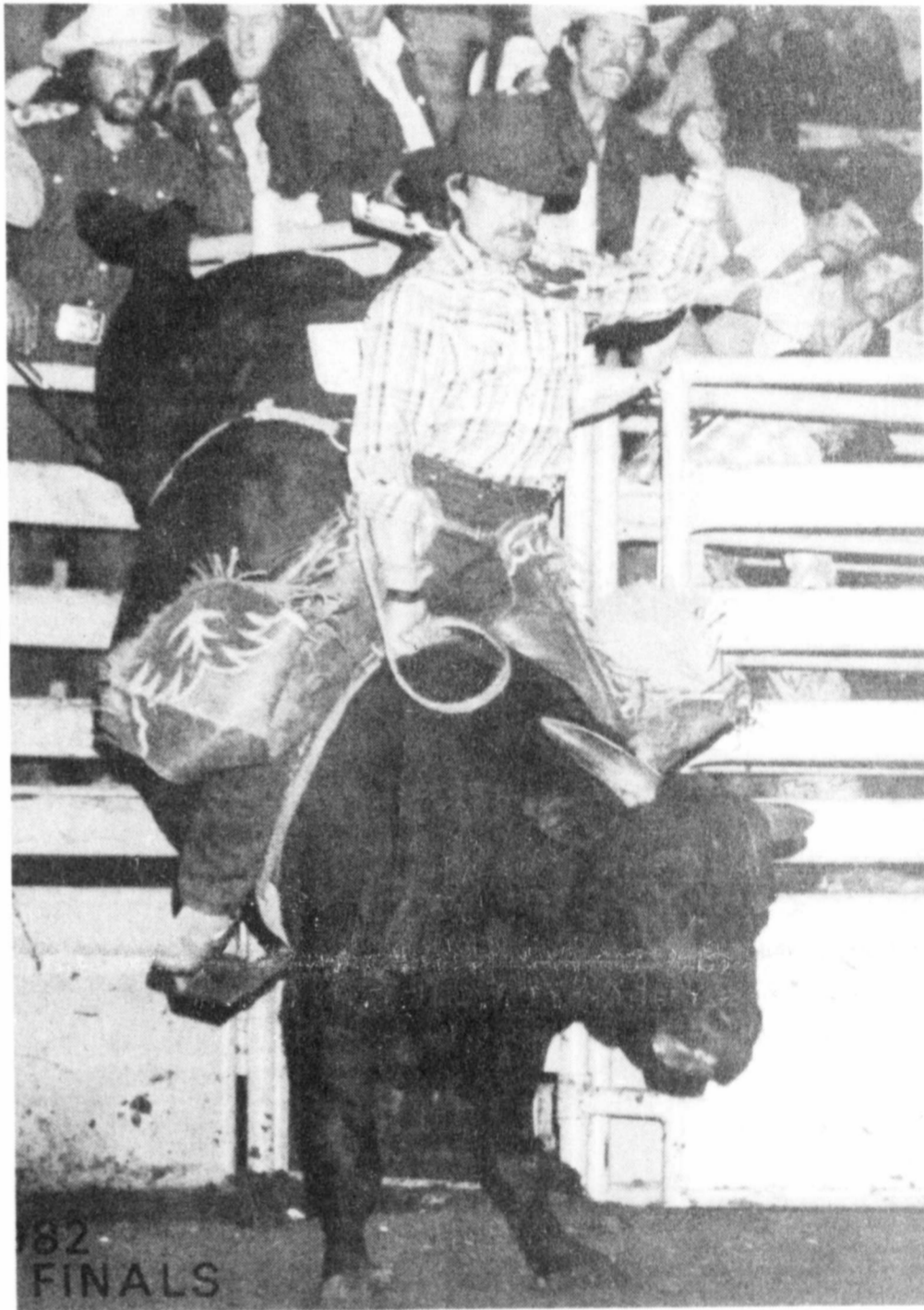
Tickets are on sale at Young's Western Wear, Cavender's Western Wear, Brand's Western Wear and Glass Implements in Paris. Prices are \$2.50 for general admission, \$3 for reserve seats and \$4 for box seats.

Editor's Quote Book

It is the folly of the world, constantly, which confounds its wisdom.



PARADE—The Faith Baptist Church of Deport held a parade last Friday afternoon, complete with fire truck, bike riders and streamer decorated cars. The church is holding vacation bible school classes throughout this week, beginning at 6:30 each evening. (Staff Photo)



CURRENT CHAMP—Gary Hiner of Cuthand, Texas currently leads the bull riding championship in the Central States Rodeo Association. Hiner won the title in 1981 and leads Steve Gann of Oologah,

Oklahoma by a narrow margin for the 1983 crown. Hiner will be seeing rodeo action this week during the 24th annual Paris Rodeo and Horse Club Rodeo. Performances begin at 8:00 p.m. each evening, through Saturday.

People and Things

The PATTONVILLE COMMUNITY CENTER will have their monthly COVERED DISH SUPPER at 6 p.m. and BINGO following at 7 p.m. EVERYONE IS INVITED to come and bring a covered dish for an evening of FUN....

SHAWN WOODALL, eleven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Woodall, won in events held Saturday, July 30 at the PARIS PLAY DAY. He placed second in HALTER, second in WESTERN PLEASURE, and first in barrels, flags and poles....

The DEPORT COMMUNITY Birthday Calendar for 1984 is currently being worked on...Mrs. Berniece Wyatt, Cunningham, Jane Swint, Fulbright, Ruth Chipman, Minter, Lucille Couch at the Deport Nursing Home and Melba Ladd, Nina Sparks and Regina Webb and Pam and Rena Good of Deport are all available to take birthdays and anniversaries. The DEADLINE is September 1....

The FULBRIGHT COMMUNITY ICE CREAM SUPPER will be held on Thursday night, August 11...everyone is invited to come and bring an FREEZER of your FAVORITE ICE CREAM and join in the FELLOWSHIP....

The Seven Oaks HOUSE OF PRAYER will conduct services Saturday, Sunday and Wednesday of each week at 7 p.m. throughout the summer. The church, located west of Deport on Hwy. 271, wishes to extend an INVITATION to everyone....

Board Gives Tentative Approval To Budget

The Prairiland School Board held a special called meeting last Thursday, July 28, for the purpose of reviewing and tentatively approving the 1983-84 budget.

The final budget hearing will be held on August 8.

A slight increase over last year's expenses of 3.1 percent is expected. The new budget is estimated at \$1,972,384, not including the reconstruction projects currently going on at the two elementary schools.

The board also heard a report that the construction is now ninety percent complete at Blossom and Deport Elementary Schools, and that the carpenters, contractors and architects say that the buildings will be ready for school children to attend classes on August 19, as planned.

Bids were accepted for various school lunch needs, the bid for milk going to Cabell's, bread to Mrs. Baird's Bread Company. Carpeting for the new

facilities was assigned to AAA Carpet, having the lowest bid, and Stone Air Conditioning was awarded the contract for Deport Elementary School, while Paris Air Conditioning won the bid for Blossom Elementary.

Keystone Insurance Company was selected to provide the school insurance.

On August 16, there will be yet another meeting, at which time the board will review how the money was spent during the 1982-83 school year.

Local Youngsters Do Well In 4-H Placements

By Paul D. Payne
The record books of Danny Ballard, Lynda Sugg and Scott Galyon have placed first in district competition in their particular project area and will not enter statewide competition. The 4-H members are from the Delmar, Prairiland and Roxton Clubs respectively.

Gardening-Horticulture is the project area for Prairiland's Lynda Sugg. Miss Sugg has gained valuable experience from her project work over the past three years. The family's full pantry and deep freezer are proof of her 4-H project success. She has also served as president of

her club and has participated in a variety of 4-H activities in her club and county.

In all, 19 club books from Lamar County competed in district. Three junior members also received first place but record books from juniors do not advance beyond district level. Laniece Gillie in sheep, David Cannedy in automotive and Brian Payne in agriculture were the top juniors.

Other results in the senior division were as follows: second place, Keith Preston in dairy and Michael Bright in swine; third place, Shane Welch in rabbits and Wendy Milford in leadership. Other junior division

placements were Kenneth Kelley, Cherie Bright and Kris Parker, second; Sharon Cannedy, third; Shannon Welch, fourth; Jamie Irwin and Roslyn Rodgers, fifth.

Michelle Thomas and Shawn Taylor, Lamar County 4-H Horse Club members, adequately represented the county last week at the Texas 4-H Horse Show held in Waco. Miss Thomas placed eighth in the tough barrel race.

Her grade mare placed sixth in halter, and she made the finals in the stake race. Shawn Taylor's registered mare placed sixth in her halter class. Shawn's two year old futurity horse placed 11th in halter and 10th in western pleasure.



HAPPY GROUP—these youngsters were some of the children who had a good time at Vacation Bible School all this week at the Blossom First Baptist Church. Crafts, puppet shows, singing and Bible education and refreshments highlighted the week. Commencement services were scheduled for Friday night at 7 p.m. (Staff Photo by Sandra Ayers)

Class Of 1953 To Hold 30 Year Reunion

The graduating class of 1953 from East Lamar High School will hold its 30 year class reunion on Sunday, August 14 at the Pattonville Community Center from 2 to 4 p.m.

If you can think of anyone in your class, try and get them to come. All are asked to bring cokes to drink, the

ice and cups will be provided.



Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were Avis Nelson, Mrs. Bob Embrey and Melissa Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Alley had guests over the weekend from Roysse City and Pecan Gap.

Mrs. Ben Cole entered St. Joseph Hospital Tuesday and underwent minor surgery on Friday morning to relocate her pace maker. Mrs. Elbert Dean Crabb of Round Rock is here attending her along with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Embrey.

Arthur Fisher and daughter, Anita, vacationed in Galveston a few days last week.

Bob Pettit of Clarksville has had a mobile home moved in beside Worth Baker's for his son, Scott Pettit and his new wife, Deloyce, formerly of Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward are visiting their daughter at Lake Texhoma.

Bob Embrey attended a seminar in Sulphur Springs Monday and Tuesday to prepare for his test with the R.R.C.

Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson went to Temple Sunday and he is to undergo surgery this week.

Mrs. Fay LaRue and Melissa visited with Betty Rodgers, Melissa and Monte, least Tuesday afternoon. Sonny Roberts of Bogata was a visitor also.

Sharon Embrey and her fiancée of McAlester, Okla. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Embrey and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy. They are both students in pharmacy school.

William Epps of Mt. Vernon visited last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Epps. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Epps and daughters of Mt. Vernon visited Friday. Verma Lee Ward and Nell Sims of Clarksville visited on Saturday and Mrs. Billy Quarles and Mrs. Jane Parker of Paris were visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Johnny Kelly of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kerbow Monday afternoon.

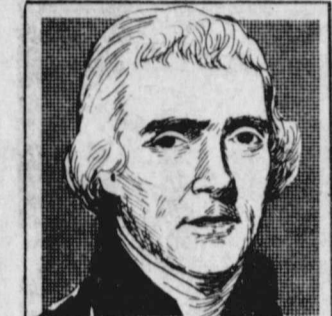
Mrs. Travis King and William Epps of Mt. Vernon

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bishop of Annona Monday.

Jeff King spent the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis King of Fulbright while their parents were on vacation.

Dick, Jayne, Jeff and NeLeigh King spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Travis King.

American Viewpoints



The happiest moments my heart knows are those in which it is pouring forth its affections to a few esteemed characters.

—Thomas Jefferson

Geriatrics by Paul Norris & Lyle Swigart



Rugby Birthday Club Meets

The birthdays of Mmes. Lee, Maudie Lee, Naomi Watson, Vashti Hood and the hostess. Visitors were Estell Chesshire, Mavis Chesshire of Deport, Mary Parker and Nelda Jane Williams of Bogata.

A get well card was signed to send to Mrs. Don Nolan, the former Gerie Morgan of Austin who had surgery recently.

The next meeting will be the first Saturday in October with Mrs. Canfield.

Bus To Nashville Will Take Locals On Tour

Wayne Huffman and The Sellers Family are chartering two Trailways buses to Nashville, Tenn. on Oct. 6-8.

The tour will include tickets to the National

Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
The Bible school closed Friday with a program held Saturday night at the community center, followed by a community singing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper honored Brit Phillips with a birthday supper Sunday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith of Palestine.

Mrs. Brit Phillips, Lindy and Bonnie of Lone Star, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper of Clardy, Mrs. Bonnie Betterton and Kraig of Paris, Deryl Cooper and Chris Chipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen Monday night.

Mrs. George Taylor and Mrs. Joe Oats visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson of Reno Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen with Ricky Shannon of Sylvan spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shannon and Linda of Eulless and attended the wedding of Randy Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Allen, and Dana Teers Saturday afternoon in Irving. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. John L. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bell of Arlington.

Dorothy Lollar of Paris spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams.

Talma Norwood of Lamar Point was a Friday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Deryl Cooper spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith of Palestine.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie of Talco, Matt and Stephen Guthrie of Jones Creek spent Thursday with Mrs. Ida Deshong.

Mrs. Clyde Bankhead is a patient in McCuiston Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashford of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Perry D. Ashford of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Holder of Temple visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Wednesday.

Terry Davis of Omaha spent last week with Ron Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. James Donham of Roxton visited Mrs. Ida Deshong Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler and Melanie of Pattonville spent Sunday

afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher and Harry Slusher visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hall of Annona Sunday.

Mrs. Pete McKnight honored Mrs. Clyde E. Bankhead with a cradle shower Tuesday night.

Talma, Danny and Darold Norwood of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Randall of Ft. Worth were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hughes of Houston spent Tuesday until Thursday with Berniece Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes honored Dorothy Dean Baker of Longview on her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pynes of Paris on their recent marriage at their home Wednesday. Attending were Kaye Enox, Dennis N. Pynes and Darwin Pynes of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Gifford, Brandon, Fair Shae and Trae of Deport, Mrs. Mike Hawks, Brian and Alacia of Marshall and Mrs. Dennis Bazhaw, James, Regina and Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kelsoe of Naples, Corrie Johnston of Daingerfield, Mr. and Mrs. Fern Rees and Lisa of Crossroads, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Taylor, Justin and Jenifer of Milton and Mrs. Allie Rees were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Phillips and Paul of Abilene visited Berniece Bledsoe Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain of Talco spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ida Deshong.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashford of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Perry D. Ashford of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Holder of Temple visited Rob Ashford and Mrs. Allie Rees Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Davis of Omaha spent Friday night with Mrs. Delphia Malone. L.D. Malone of Vasco and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Crews of Paris were Sunday visitors.

Jenifer Williams of Bardstown and Mrs. Charles B. Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Poe and Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Graham of Paris visited Mr.

and Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain visited Mrs. Ida Deshong Monday. Mrs. Goldie Brown of Blessing returned home with them after spending three weeks with Mrs. Deshong.

Kraig Betterton of Paris spent last week with Deryl Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and Gaylia of Hooks visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes Sunday.

Mrs. Allie Rees and Mrs. Buddy Taylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Fern Rees of Crossroads Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gates of Gilmer were Sunday dinner guests of Berniece Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Deshong Tuesday night.

THOUGHT FOR FOOD

By GOULD CROOK

- Refrigerator Dills
- 20 or 22 firm fresh cucumbers, 3 1/2 inches long
- 3 tbsps. white vinegar
- 3 cloves garlic, peeled
- 2 tsp. mixed pickling spices
- 1 tsp. mustard seed
- 3 bay leaves
- 3 bunches fresh dill
- 1/4 cup pickling salt
- 3 pints water

Wash and drain cucumbers and pack lengthwise in three hot, sterilized quart jars. Add 1/2 of the garlic, spices, mustard seed, bay leaves and dill to each jar. Make brine of salt and water, heat to a boil and pour over cucumbers to within 1/2 inch of top. Seal immediately. Store in refrigerator one week and use within the next week or two. Makes three quarts.



Wife: That's a terrible picture of me. It makes me look as fat as a horse. Husband: You should have thought of that before you had it taken, dear.

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TISSUE Charmin Bathroom 4 Rolls 99¢	CATSUP White Swan 32 oz. Bottle 99¢	MACARONI & CHEESE Kraft - Dinner 7 1/4 oz. Box 2/69¢	DR. PEPPER 6 Pack Cans \$1.49	DR. PEPPER 2 Liter 99¢
	PORK & BEANS Van Camp 16 oz. Can 2/79¢			

Clardy News

By Sondra Martin
Word was received that Roy Ballard of Port Neches died Saturday night. Relatives include Alvis Glenn, Alvin and Roland Ballard. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harris, Carolyn, Melinda and Steven with Michelle Emmons enjoyed a trip to Six Flags Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement with Mrs. Orada Watts of Paris enjoyed a fish supper Friday night in honor of Mrs. Watts birthday.

Mrs. Doris Ballard was a Friday afternoon visitor of Mrs. Shelby Coker of Paris.

Mrs. Mary Stone and daughters, Mrs. Robbie Skidmore, Mrs. Barbara Allen and Mrs. Judy Pomroy all spent the day Thursday shopping in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ballard was in Arkansas part of last week for the funeral of her cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson have returned home after spending time at Pat Mayse Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and family spent Tuesday through Saturday at Lake Cypress Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris spent Thursday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard were Friday visitors of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eudy of Cunningham.

Charlotte Muecke of Wolfe City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement.

Mrs. Bertie Hadaway and Mrs. Reva Hadaway of Kilgore spent Friday night with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone.

Norris Ballard spent part of this week in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris were visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pomroy of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. David Redus and Dava of Blossom and to be with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Clement of Longview who were there.

Mrs. Harris was also a visitor of Mrs. Virgie Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard and Chrystal of Quitman and Erin Ellison of Mineola visited the Alvin Ballard's last Monday.

Several students around the area have been attending band practice at Prairiland since last week.

Mrs. Robbie Skidmore and Mrs. Judy Pomroy were hostesses for a pink and blue shower at the Skidmore home for Mrs. Melanie Lollar Tuesday. A large crowd attended. She received several nice and useful gifts. Punch and cookies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shelby of Cooper were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Dority and children of Paris were Saturday visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Short, also Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barker of Lamar Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin and Sondra were Saturday visitors of her mother, Mrs. Lucille Webster of Paris.

Jana Pomroy spent a few days last week with Lee Ann Binnion of Shady Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers of Minter were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris.

Mrs. Nadine Price of Paris visited last Friday in the Norris Ballard home.

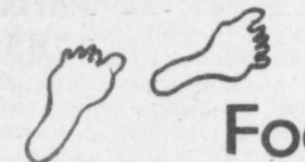
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Skidmore were in Paris last week for medical check ups.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone were Sunday visitors of Albert Stansell at St. Joseph Hospital, who is seriously ill and E.K. Gunn who is a patient there. They were also visitors of Mrs. Estelle Stone in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ulyess Ray Butler of Paris.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard was a Depart visitor Saturday morning.



"Of course, I'll get it for you, darling... Stand away, while I kick the window in!"



Footprints From The Past

By John W. Hood
The older you get, the more you remember about things that happened when you were a youngster and a teenager. I can remember some of the things that I did and saw that seem like they were just yesterday. One of them happened when I was a young man and had been out to some party. I was spending the night with a friend and he was the kind that got embarrassed very easily and was never sure of himself when he was around older women or young girls.

To get on with what I was telling, we had been somewhere on a Saturday night in the fall of the year and when we returned to his home, he got the idea somehow that one of his older brothers had gotten married and that he and his new wife were spending the night at his house and he was too embarrassed to go on in the house and go to bed. So he decided he would spend the night in the cotton wagon that was parked out in the field. He said that the wagon had a sheet over it and if it did happen to rain, we would be under cover and wouldn't get wet. Well, I was tired and sleepy and just a little under the weather, so I let him talk me into sleeping in the wagon. Believe me, it was a very uncomfortable night because it was hot in that wagon. That was just one of the many things that we got into together.

I had not been married but just a little while when this friend of mine, another friend and my younger brother all went to Paris one day when it had been raining and we couldn't work. It was just before Christmas and all the stores were full of Christmas shoppers.

The one friend was just as crazy as I was and he was ready for anything so he and I made it up to just see how country we could be. We went into Kresses 5 & 10 cent store for our first stop and they had a revolving Christmas tree, so we stood and looked and pointed at the tree until we had everyone in the store looking at us like we had lost our minds.

We had lost my brother and my bashful friend a long time ago. When we finally caught up with them, they would not walk down the street with us until we promised to behave.

Well, we were good little boys until we got to the J.C. Penny store and the way that they sent their sales up to the cashier was that the cashier was on the second floor and they would put the sales slips and money into a container and sent it to the cashier by pulling a string and the container with the sales slip would go up to the cashier.

Well, we went in and when the salesperson wanted to know if they could help us, we told them that we had just come in to see the little cars run up and down the wire. Just about that time, some of the sales people sent a sale up to the cashier and my friend and I just started to jump up and down and holler for my brother and our friend to look at the little cars. Of course, everyone in the store started to look at us and laugh and that is when my brother and friend left us like they had never seen us. It was a long time before we could get them to go back to Paris with us.

We created a lot of fun in those days and sometimes it was not too funny to some, but we meant no harm and was just feeling good and having some laughs.



FIRST BAPTIST Church in Blossom was busy with Vacation Bible School

this week. The youngsters studied the Bible, did crafts and

projects, and generally had an enjoyable and educational time. (Staff Photo by Sandra Ayers)

Pattonville Extension Homemakers Meet

The Pattonville Extension Homemakers met recently in the home of chairman, Mrs. Juanita Russell.

Mrs. Russell opened the meeting with all repeating the club prayer.

Brenda Currin gave the devotional program entitled "God Arms Around Us". Carmon Eudy voiced the prayer.

Mrs. Russell had charge of the recreation program, "Nicknames", which the nicknames were matched to the right state. She also read a poem entitled "I Do Not Ask" by Dennis Cavanaugh.

Roll call was answered by five members. During the business session, Brenda Currin was elected nominee to council for the state T.E.H.A. meeting in Lubbock in September.

Mrs. L.P. Chapman from the Urban Club explained the fair list of rules to the club. She also gave a

program on making chimes out of little plastic cups and beads. Each member made a chime.

The hostess served refreshments to five members and one guest, Mrs. L.P. Chapman. Mrs. Chapman won the hostess gift.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Carmon Eudy of Pattonville on September 14, 1983.

Travel Fabrics

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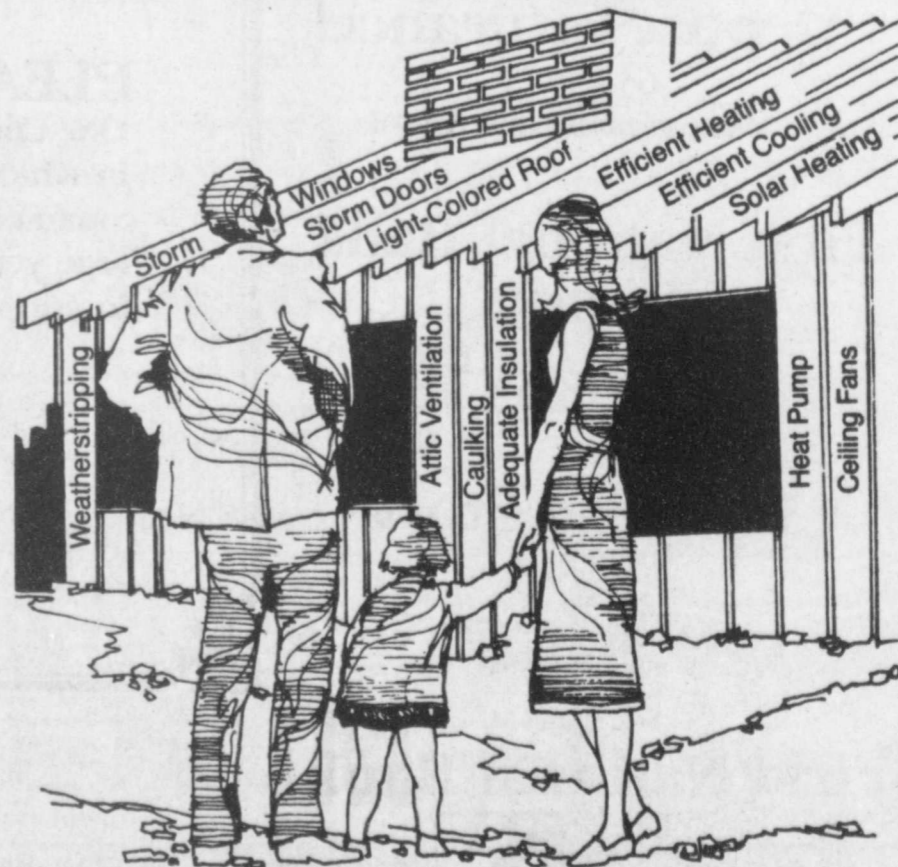
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Wildflower Newsletter Has Unusual Offer

The Texas Wildflower Newsletter, now close into entering its eighth year, is a unique quarterly publication: it is the only magazine devoted exclusively to wildflower and native plant propagation and uses...and each issue offers free wildflower seeds to its subscribers.

Currently, subscribers can get a package for only the postage...of scarified Bluebonnet seeds, enough to sow 100 square feet.

Since it was first published in the centennial year of 1976, the Newsletter has distributed an estimated 10,000 packages of free seeds. Many of the wildflower seeds are rare; some are so uncommon they are available only to Newsletter subscribers and no other.

One offering earlier this year was seeds of a plant...a giant white Allium...si new that it had not yet been assigned its botanical name.

The Newsletter is a venture of Carroll Abbott, the pioneer commercial collector of Texas wildflower seeds and plants, and the magazine has acirculation all over the United States and some foreign countries.

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Although Abbott was stricken with lung cancer last year, he resolutely kept plugging away and has now brought his magazine back on the proper production schedule. His illness caused him to form an advisory board which guarantees continued publication.

The Newsletter has received the Golden Quill award for horticultural excellence from the Men's Garden Clubs of America.

The current issue features a story on the Yuccas of

Texas by Benny Simpson, renowned native plant expert with the Texas A&M research center at Dallas, and an article by Edith Bettinger on the 10 rules for successfully starting wildflower seeds indoors. It also gives details on how to join the endangered plant rescue effort and when to expect the publication of Wildflowers of Texas and the Southwest, a new book in the Audubon guidebook series.

PJC To Offer Drafting Degree

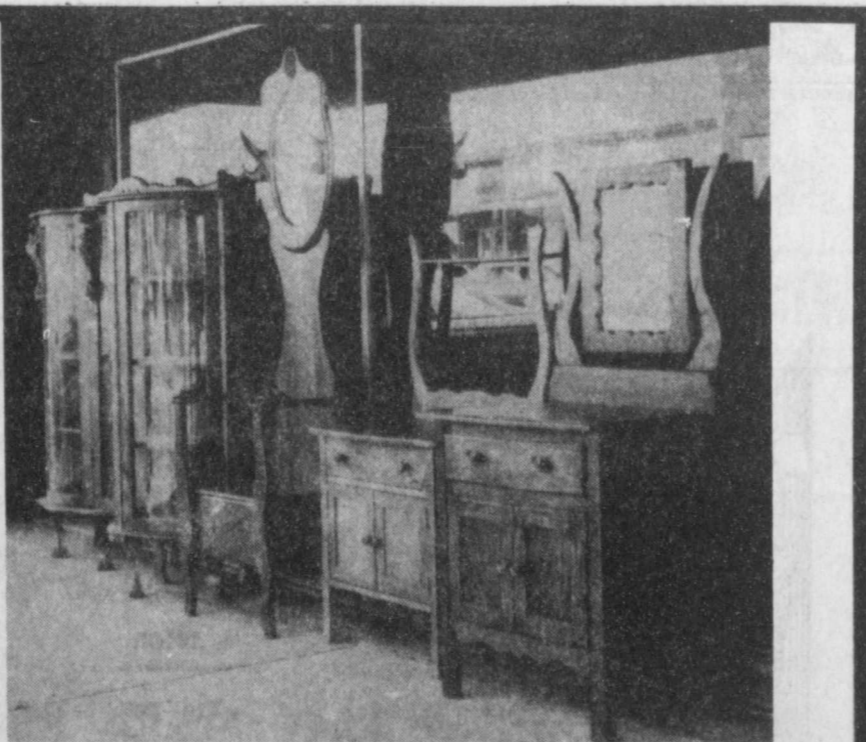
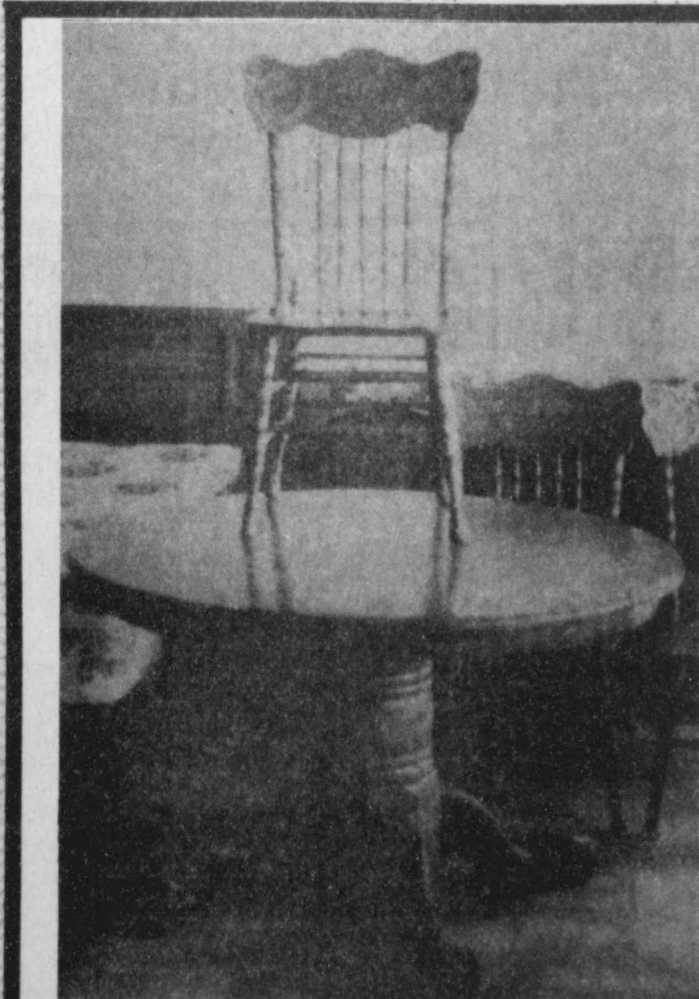
This fall, Paris Junior College will offer the associate of applied science degree in drafting and design technology on the campus of ETSU at Commerce, said Dr. Harley Davis, dean of applied sciences instruction for PJC.

The two year program is open to persons over 18 years of age who meet the admission requirements of PJC, and the curriculum taught at ETSU will be the same as for the PJC campus. Classes will be scheduled for day and evening students.

Courses to be offered by PJC at Commerce this fall are engineering drawing, topographic drawing, electronic drawing, basic mathematics and

metrication. ETSU courses included in the program this fall will be introduction to college composition, problems of communication, and Texas the federal system and the nation. Complete schedules of courses and times may be obtained at PJC in the counseling department, Rheudasil Learning Center.

Registration will be in the Industry and Technology Building at ETSU on Thursday, August 27 from 1 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, August 27 from 9 to noon. More information may be obtained by calling the PJC applied sciences office at 785-7661, extension 248.



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Our Churches work constantly to make our area a better place in which to live and rear our children. Our ministers and the community-minded men and women represented on this page urge you to attend the Church of your choice each week and to support its good works.



"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

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Blossom Locals

By Mrs. Marvin Bruce
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bruce were in Dallas Friday for Mr. Bruce to see his cardiologist.

Mr. and Mrs. James East and grandchildren of Tyler visited Mrs. East's mother, Mrs. R.T. Nichols over the weekend.

Mrs. Ione Woodard and Mrs. Lorene Kruger of Quinlan visited Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Nichols Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett drove to Longview to take their granddaughter, Kimberly Garrett, home after she spent two weeks with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garrett, Jamillynn, Mrs. Edna Cunningham of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett visited Harbor Village on the Grand Lake of the Cherokee Indians near Grove, Okla. last Thursday. They visited a museum sponsored by the Jones Freight Lines. A nice time was reported by all.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert White Sunday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Earl White and children of Paris.

Mrs. Susie Canaday of Norwich, Ks. and Mrs. Charlie Cochran of Wilson, Okla. spent the week with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Finney.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Finney of Dallas spent their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Finney.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Secrest and daughter and two grandchildren of Carlsbad, N.M. visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Finney.

Mrs. Dorothy Jo Myers of Novis came Wednesday and took her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Finney out for a drive, they had lunch at Furr's Cafeteria.

Mrs. Mable Parker visited her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. John Shores Friday night and Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Shand of the Red Oak community Saturday night.

Shelia Sanders spend Sunday night with Mrs. Mable Parker.

Mrs. Mable Parker attended the Farris reunion Sunday at the Blossom Community Center.

Orville Allen of Garland had lunch with his mother, Mrs. B.F. Allen Saturday. Visiting Mrs. Allen was her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman and daughter of Keller. They also visited Mrs. Allen Saturday.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Harvey Heffernan Sr. is in the hospital. Hope she will soon be up and about again. Also Mrs. Ruby Ray was sick all last week at home and Mrs. Pat Helms was on the sick list last week. Mrs. Joe Monk has not been able to be out and about much this week.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. H.L. Skidmore over the weekend were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Skidmore and Kelly Kay of Hobbs, N.M., Heather and Jason Skidmore of Paris and her brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Skidmore of Paris and Mrs. Skidmore's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoover and grandchildren of Pattonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scudder, Scott, Amy and Jan are on vacation this week in Arlington. While there they will go to the Ranger game and Six Flags and other parts of interest there.

Mrs. Ethel Jackson visited her sister, Iris Crawford in the Athens area last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginal Crawford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Steel of Leonard.



PUPPETS—a daily puppet show presenting a Bible Story was one of the highlights at Bible School at the First Baptist Church in Blossom this week. Rich Merrill of Paris was the puppet master who donated his performances to please the youngsters attending. (Staff Photo by Sandra Ayers)

Your Horoscope Guide

For The Week Of Aug. 7 to Aug. 13
By GINA, Copley News Service

ARIES: (March 21 to April 19 — Also Aries Ascendant) — You have lots of inventive, original ideas that you want to express. If you meet opposition, maintain calm and don't get involved in power struggles. Changes in finances may require that you alter your spending habits.

TAURUS: (April 20 to May 20 — Also Taurus Ascendant) — The accent is on your home and activities there — the outside world seems less inviting. It's an excellent time to begin buying, selling, remodeling or building additions to your home. The current market value of your house may surprise you.

GEMINI: (May 21 to June 22 — Also Gemini Ascendant) — You could be seeking ways to increase your income and get helpful suggestions from close kin. Find ways to use your mind and communicative skills — you can make it pay off in hard cash! Put your thoughts and ideas on paper.

CANCER: (June 21 to July 22 — Also Cancer Ascendant) — Make your move and start big projects now — what you begin at this time can be lasting and important to you. Start a financial program that makes your money work for you. Investment in large, powerful enterprise is favored.

LEO: (July 23 to Aug. 22 — Also Leo Ascendant) — Energy is high and you're filled with a sense of adventure. Get out and about to meet people and make contacts. Push forward toward your own personal goals and interests. The opposite sex finds you especially attractive now.

VIRGO: (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 — Also Virgo Ascendant) — You may be very unhappy with your current home environment and seriously contemplating a move. Discuss your needs diplomatically with mate or partner. Obstacles you encounter only motivate you to fight harder for your desires.

LIBRA: (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 — Also Libra Ascendant) — It's a time when you want to get away from the "rat race," withdraw and do something personally creative. Routine bores you and you may feel heavy job pressures. This is not the time to sign contracts or make important job commitments.

SCORPIO: (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 — Also Scorpio Ascendant) — You're in the spotlight and promotions or honors come your way. Responsible performance in the past pays off for you now. New opportunities and new beginnings in your career are possible. Announce your plans or ideas.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 — Also Sagittarius Ascendant) — Some of you may be leaving one job to enter a new career phase. Don't "burn any bridges" — leave with friendly good will. Travel, meeting new, interesting and important people may involve you in politics or publishing.

CAPRICORN: (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 — Also Capricorn Ascendant) — You can express your independence and make starts in new career directions now. Clear up past mistakes in your finances and adopt a fresh approach to investment and budget matters. Cooperate with those in authority.

AQUARIUS: (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 — Also Aquarius Ascendant) — Take a seat on the sidelines and let others take the lead. Go over financial reports, contracts and insurance matters carefully to get all the facts. Spend more time with mate or partner and express your loving concern.

PISCES: (Feb. 19 to March 20 — Also Pisces Ascendant) — Social life may be active and you could overindulge in food or drink. If weight becomes a problem seek sound medical advice for a diet regimen. If traveling at this time, do so with a companion who will take care of the details.

Blossom Housing Happenings

Purney McClain from Clarksville visited Dorothy Wilson Saturday night. Dorothy talked to her brother, Drury Cole in Ft. Worth. He is out of the hospital and at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Stone and baby from Clardy visited Georgia Clark Saturday.

Prentice Rodgers from Pattonville visited his aunt, Leona McDowell Wednesday and Virginia Stewart visited her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vickers from Detroit visited Lottie Vickers and Aileen Herron Sunday.

Ruby Dickerson spent the weekend in Sulphur Springs with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Dennis. They went to Dallas shopping Saturday.

Lorene Kruger from Quitman visited her sister, Ione Woodard over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnston and Chad visited Aileen Herron Sunday night. Gladys Aubrey and son from Sulphur Springs visited her mother, Otis Boyer Saturday.

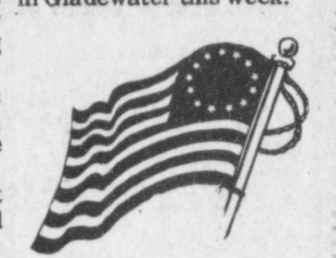
Lloyd Sessum visited his mother, Ethel Sessum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lee and Johnnie from Post Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bates of Reno had lunch with their mother, Rhoda Lee Sunday.

Johnny Vermillion from Grand Prairie spent two weeks with his grandmother, Ethel Sessum. He returned to his home last Thursday.

Mrs. Edna Albertson returned home Sunday from visiting the Navajo Indian reservation at Ft. Desiance, Az., New Mexico, the Grand Canyon and Oklahoma. She went with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and children.

Marine Bradley is visiting in Gladewater this week.



have a nice weekend

Blossom Churches Hold Joint Worship Services

Last Sunday evening, the regular fifth Sunday joint worship services were conducted in Blossom.

The Blossom First Methodist Church was host for the evening.

A variety of songs presented by the Youth Choir, Adult Choir Bell Choir and soloists provided an inspirational beginning for the services.

Rev. Tom Littlejohn, Blossom First Baptist

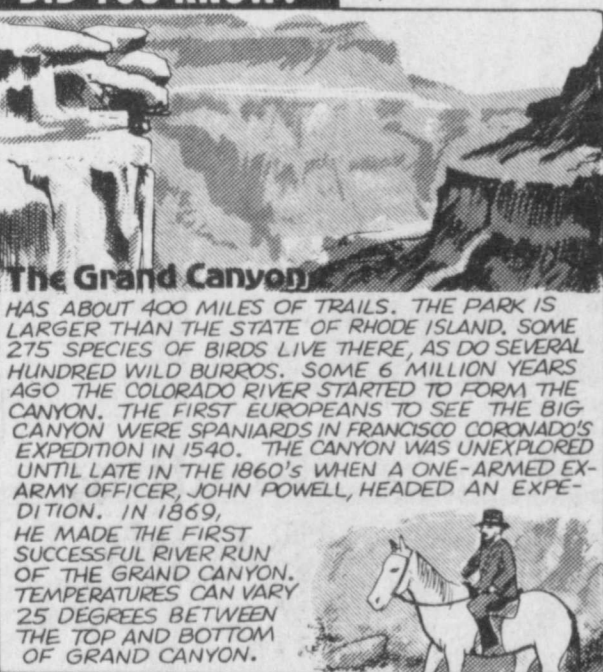
minister, gave the welcome and announcements. Rev. L.J. Strickland of the Blossom Nazarene Church gave the united treasurer report.

Rev. Jerry Putnam of the host church gave the message from Psalms. Rev. James Scwage of Oak Hill Baptist closed in prayer.

Refreshments were served in the fellowship hall after services for all those present.

DID YOU KNOW?

By Janice



The Grand Canyon
HAS ABOUT 400 MILES OF TRAILS. THE PARK IS LARGER THAN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND. SOME 275 SPECIES OF BIRDS LIVE THERE, AS DO SEVERAL HUNDRED WILD BURROS. SOME 6 MILLION YEARS AGO THE COLORADO RIVER STARTED TO FORM THE CANYON. THE FIRST EUROPEANS TO SEE THE BIG CANYON WERE SPANIARDS IN FRANCISCO CORONADO'S EXPEDITION IN 1540. THE CANYON WAS UNEXPLORED UNTIL LATE IN THE 1860'S WHEN A ONE-ARMED EX-ARMY OFFICER, JOHN POWELL, HEADED AN EXPEDITION. IN 1869, HE MADE THE FIRST SUCCESSFUL RIVER RUN OF THE GRAND CANYON. TEMPERATURES CAN VARY 25 DEGREES BETWEEN THE TOP AND BOTTOM OF GRAND CANYON.

BIRTHS

Lesley Kay is the name given to a daughter born July 20 to Donny and Sheila McHam. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Baughn of Blossom and Mrs. Annie McHam of Hugo, Okla.

Matthew Royce is the name given to a son born July 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davidson. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Chambless of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilmore of Sherman Oaks, Ca. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Clyde Lunsford of Blossom.

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East Post Oak News

By Mrs. Howard Crawford
 Joe Tow and Charlotte Morton of Paris were married last Saturday night in the patio of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tow of Reno. The setting was flanked with beautiful potted flowers, periwinkle, petunia and silk flowers.

Bro. Glenn Vickers of the Calvary Methodist Church read the ceremony. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Babb and Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Babb of Tomball, Mr. and Mrs. James Prunty and children,

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martinez and children of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Pee Wee Evers of Texarkana and a host of friends and relatives.

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MIMOSA—A common tree throughout the south, is at the height of its blooming time right now. The graceful trees

produce a powder-puff like bloom tinged pink during the last of summer. Although sometimes considered a

"messy" tree because of their bean pods and falling blooms, in the northern states they are treasured because of

their frailty during cold weather. (Staff Photo)

Pattonville News

By Ann Crossland
 —Jacqueline Herrold of Hesston, Ks., Jack Short of Pattonville, Irene Moore of Sulphur Springs and Sarah Rainey of Bogata visited Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys last week.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carter this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Carter and family of Reno, Agnes Miller of Blossom and Mr. and Mrs. Chet James of Reno.

Everett and Zealon Humphreys of Sun Ray are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys.

Gussie and Eddie Shelby of Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys

Sunday. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Ann this week were Kent Wright of Deport, Kyle Dickson of Reno, John Cleaver of Paris, L.C. Stout and Clayton Bogard of Pattonville.

Kyle Dickson of Reno visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland and Annette Sunday.

Elnora Bryant of Greenville and Helen Wilburn of Avery visited Mrs. Norman McIntire this week.

Buster Crossland has been dismissed from St. Joseph Hospital.

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Being stranded by the highway during rush hour or any hour is definitely not cool. But many people will find themselves in that situation if they don't practice some preventative maintenance for their cars during this season of blazing summer suns.

As C.D. Glass of Glass Auto Parts, a Green Light Auto Parts Store points out, "Most people neglect car care until something breaks down. Since people are keeping their cars longer, these older cars need regular maintenance."

The cooling system, which keeps the engine from overheating, is a good place to start. Check the radiator, when the engine is cold, to

make sure the cap is in good shape and the spring is firm. The radiator should be filled with a 50-50 mixture of water and antifreeze, which should be changed annually. To remove rust from the radiator, flush it with a radiator cleaner and water before refilling. A rust inhibitor makes a good additive.

A dirty engine can impair performance. Try a spray engine cleaner to dissolve accumulated grime. Many people overlook engine hoses and belts. If your car is over four years old, these parts could need replacing. Test belts for proper tension and general condition. Replace spongy or cracked hoses.

Before you pull out of the driveway on a long trip, take a stroll around your car. In the front, check to be certain the signals and headlights are working, both high and low beam. In the rear, look at the brake lights. When the car is cold, shake the tail pipe to determine that it's securely connected. Inspect the tires for uneven wear or worn tread.

Your driveway could yield clues to your car's condition. The location and color of fluid under the car could signal parts to check. Black or dark brown liquid is engine oil or rear axle fluid; automatic transmission fluid has a red tint, while antifreeze is greenish. Clear water is condensation from

the air conditioning, there's no problem there. Preventative maintenance extends to the car's body, too. Vinyl roofs take a beating any time of year, but they're especially vulnerable to a blazing sun. Products are available that clean, protect and mend vinyl roofs. They will improve the appearance and extend the life. Velour and vinyl interiors can also benefit from a thorough cleaning.

"Follow these suggestions, and you'll be sure to keep your cool during the hot months ahead," Glass added.

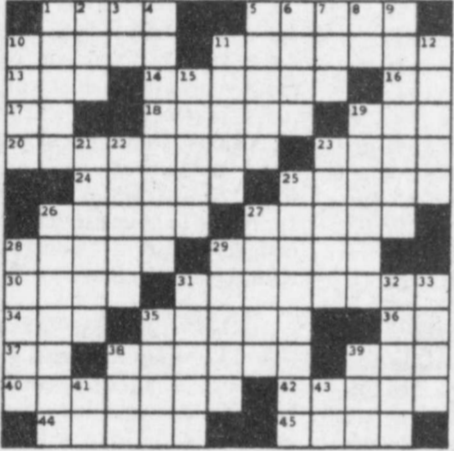
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ROUNDING THE BARRELS—Cindy Hiner of Cuthand, Texas, member of the Central States Rodeo Association, will be entered in the cowgirls barrel racing competition during the

Paris Rodeo held this week. The Paris rodeo drew upwards of 400

contestants from a seven state area for this year's spectacular.



One evening Jones was discovered by Brown trying to push a horse on to his front doorstep.

"I say, old man, do give me a hand," he pleaded, and Brown, wondering, did so. "Now," continued Jones, "let's get him up the stairs and into the bathroom."

After a lot of struggling, they got the horse safely installed, and Jones closed the door on him.

"What's all this about?" asked Brown, puzzled.

"I'll tell you," said Jones. "I've got a brother-in-law living with me and he knows everything. When he goes in the bathroom tomorrow morning he'll shout down: 'Hey, there's a horse in the bathroom,' and for the first time I'll be able to shout back: 'Yes, I know!'"



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Came the dawn: the ex-drunk opened his eyes and there stood his wife glaring at him.

"Why, what's the matter dear?"

"You were drunk last night."

"Why darling, I was nothing of the sort."

"Well, if you weren't who put the adhesive tape all over the bathroom mirror?"

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Mrs. Maurice Chappell, John, Shannon and Katy Belle Chappell and Mrs. Clyde Chappell visited Miss Mary Mathews.

Mrs. James D. Cagle visited her grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Williamson.

Mrs. Linda Smith and Starla from Ryeleigh visited Fannie and Fannie Belle Guest.

Sam Kinsey of Bonham visited Myrtle Hulett, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nobles, Jack Bell and Georgia Temple on Thursday.

Buddy and Helen Northam visited Zelpha Anderson on Thursday.

Mrs. John Porter from Blossom visited Maudie Baxter.

Dorothy and Gene Rader of Paris visited her mother, Mrs. Gerda Hendley.

Jessie Anderson visited Zelpha Anderson, Margaret Bolton and Clarence Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griffin returned Friday to their home in Abilene after being here to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Jessie Griffin and to visit her mother, Mrs. W.L. Philley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin and Kimberly of Mesquite came Wednesday to visit Mrs. W.L. Philley and to attend funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Griffin.

Visitors of Mrs. Myrtle Hulett were Mrs. Oneta Coyle of Weatherford, Mrs. Joyce Sturdevant and Mrs. Louise Sturdevant of Mineral Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hulett of LaPorte.

JoAnn Bush visited her father, Maxwell Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Day of Sylvan visited her mother, Mrs. Julia Wadley.

Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Jones of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Grant White of Paris visited

Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Shannon on Sunday.

Leona Gage visited Margaret Bolton and Maudie Baxter.

Mrs. Charlie Boren visited

Children and grandchildren of Edna Bell gathered Saturday for a family reunion. The occasion honored Lt. Col. Roger S. Cannon, his wife, Patricia, children Cheryl and Carlo, who left August 2 for a three year tour of duty with the U.S. Air Force in Germany.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Cannon, John Cannon, Vhea and Derrick; David Cannon, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cannon of Terrell; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stewart and Paul Jr. of

Mrs. Maudie Baxter and Margaret Bolton.

Johny and Melva Temple of Irving, Irene Gordon of Reno, Tina and Ryan Gordon of Paris and Jana

Plano; Mrs. Tim Walker, Nathan and David of Garland; Don Bell of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Strickland, Phillip and Amy; Dana Norman and Amanda; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb, Dena

Gordon of Reno visited Mrs. Georgia Temple on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bullington of Tyler and Lucille Nash of Paris visited

and Andrew; Mr. and Mrs. Mac Webb and Mrs. Bell.

The evening meal was served at the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church. Picture making and reminiscing made for an enjoyable get together.

Zelpha Anderson. Glen Shelton of Honey Grove visited his mother-in-law, Mrs. Jeffie Box.

CONSUMER CHECKLIST



Paint Peels
To prevent paint from peeling off concrete floors or sheet metal, put a coat of vinegar on it before you paint. When painting ornate wrought iron use a smooth piece of sponge. When it gets tacky, discard it and use a fresh one.



NIKKI WOOD-BERRY—is another eighth grade student working this summer at the Blossom School, helping with the remodeling process. Nikki is in one of the classrooms that renovation is being completed for the fall school term. (Staff Photo)

King Family Reunion Held Saturday

On Saturday, July 30, four generations of the late Henry Clay and Amy Teague King were represented at a reunion held at the American Legion Hall in Deport.

The Kings moved to the Milton community in the late 1890's from Jackson County, Tennessee. They resided there until their deaths. They were the parents of nine children, all of whom are deceased. They day was spent in much reminiscing, showing pictures, taking pictures and visitation. At noon a meal was catered by Parson Catering Service of Paris.

There were nine living grandchildren, five of whom were present. As was the widow, Mrs. Elaine Kinsey, wife of Loyd Kinsey, deceased.

Grandchildren present were Mrs. Buster (Lola King) Comer of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Van (Gladys King) Murphy of Paris, Mrs. Doris King West of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Ben (Thelma Ladd) Warren and Carlos Ladd of Deport.

The great-grandchildren represented were Mrs. Jim (Mary Paul Hutchison)

Craft, Mrs. Ned (Jennie Swint) Hurley and Paul Leland Walker, all of Dallas, Mrs. Ben (Ruth Nobles) Hoffpauer of Gainesville, Jim Kinsey of Newton, Mass., Richard Nobles of Houston, Mrs. Gary (Carole Swing) Nixon and Fred Swint Jr. of Deport.

Great-great-grandchildren were Kevin and Debbie Craft of Dallas, Raymond Gary Nixon, Paul Nixon, LaNell Nixon Lane and Fred Swint III of Deport, Mrs. John (Susan Swint) Fossett of Paris and Sam Kinsey of Newton, Mass. The one great-great-great-granddaughter, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Nixon was Gina Lane.

Others present were Jim Craft, Mrs. Paul Leland Walker and Ned Hurley of Dallas, Lynn Kieling and Van Murphy of Paris, Sammie Kinsey of Bonham, Ben Hoffpauer of Gainesville, Miss Ada Hawkins of Oklahoma City, Mary Marta Nixon of Colorado, Gary Nixon and Mrs. Fred Swint, Jr. of Deport.

Weekly Agricultural Briefs

By Paul Payne

Most cotton fields in Lamar County are experiencing a heavy boll weevil problem at the present time. If the insect is to be controlled, a producer must soon make the decision to use control measures or forget about it.

The overwintered boll weevil population has been extremely high in our area this spring; however, the first generation of F-1 weevils are beginning to emerge and they do pose a problem.

The decision to treat or not to treat is one that each producer must make. Most fields have received two or three early insecticide applications for fleahoppers and early insect control. Some of this early planted cotton has upwards of a quarter of a bale of cotton set already. With all of the rainfall received, most of this cotton has the potential of producing a bale or more per acre if an insect control is carried out.

Entomologist with Texas A&M University tells us that we must first control the weevil and worry about controlling worm problems if they occur. To break the newly emerging weevil problem will require at least three insecticide applications applied three to five days apart.

Methyl is being recommended because it is a cheaper and quicker kill. It will take out the beneficials and may lead to a worm problem, but there are chemicals on the market today that will control the

worms that was not available a few years ago.

If one decides to control the boll weevil, then you need to control the newly hatched weevils. They will be red in color when they first hatch out. The feeding puncture squares will be characterized by yellow droppings inside the back of the squares.

Timing of the application is important. Inspect the squares on the ground to get a better idea of hatch date. As a general rule, it takes from 14 to 20 days for the weevil to hatch once the square falls onto the ground.

The Extension Service is attempting to aid cotton producers through the current insect situation. If you need assistance, call on your agent.

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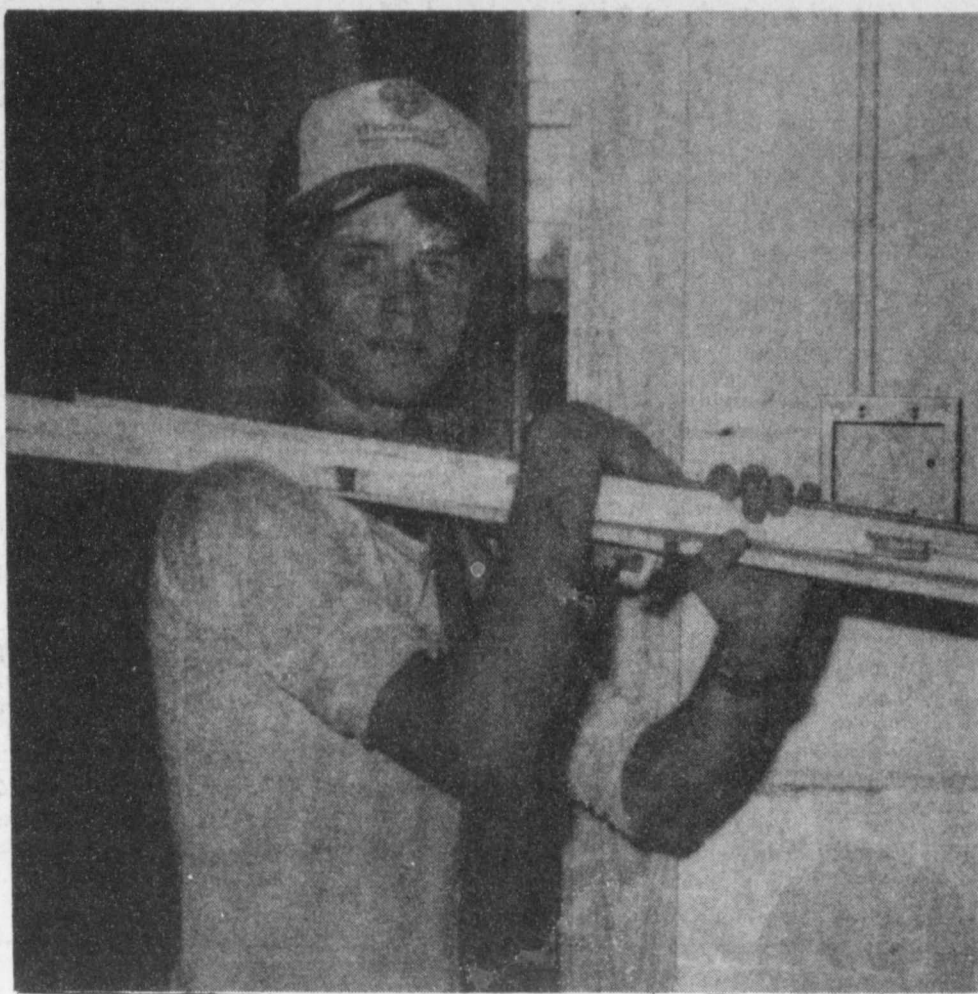
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Deport Locals

DID YOU KNOW? *By Jarvis*



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EDDIE THOMPSON, an eighth grader at Blossom School, lends a helping hand to the workers during remodeling at the school this summer. (Staff Photo)

Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday



Weekly Agricultural Update

By Paul D. Payne

Texas soybean producers are encouraged to enter the Texas Soybean Yield Contest sponsored by the Texas Soybean Association and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The yield contest is open to all soybean producers in the state and entries should be made prior to September 1. Entry information is available from your County Agricultural agent.

The top producer in the state will receive 20 gallons of Treflan plus a trip. Details of the trip to be announced later.

Each entrant must grow at least 50 acres of soybeans but as little as five acres can be designated for the contest. The area designated must be measured by a county contest committee appointed by the County Crops Committee. It must be a one block and convenient to measure.

Additional contest information and entry blanks are available from our office in the County Courthouse.

Area farmers interested in milo and corn production will want to go on the tour Friday, August 5 in Delta County. The tour will make six stops to inspect milo and corn result demonstrations.

The first stop will be at Gary Thompson's farm to inspect 11 milo varieties. This will be at 8 a.m. His place is located south of Lake Creek on FM 198.

The second stop will be at L.D. Malone's to evaluate the use of Temik 15 G and on control of chinch bugs and aphids.

From there the tour will proceed to Mike Rushing's farm near Klondike for a look at his 15 variety corn demonstration. Robert Wright's milo variety demonstration and Don Cauley's milo insect control demonstration will be the last two stops. Both of these are located in northwest Delta County.

The final stop will be at the Delta County Civic Center for Ernie's Barbecue. The tour is being put on by the Delta County Crops Committee.

It is basically a case of the "poor getting poorer" as farmers continue to come out on the short end of the stick. According to the latest figures, the American farmer gets only 28 cents on every dollar spent on food in 1982.

The situation for 1983 does not look any different as the marketing cost of food is expected to increase from four to seven percent while the farm value of food increases from one to four percent.

Did you know that it takes on the average one cord of wood to make 2,700 copies of The Paris News or for that matter, 4,384,000 postage stamps?

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THOUGHT FOR FOOD


By GOULD CROOK

Squash Fritters
2 cups grated raw summer squash
¼ cup finely chopped onion
Pepper to taste
2 tsp. sugar
½ tsp. salt
6 tbsp. flour
2 eggs, beaten
1 tbsp. melted margarine

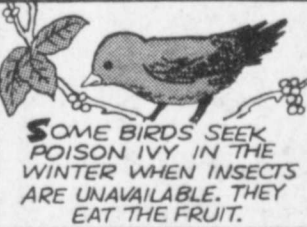
Combine first six ingredients. Stir eggs into squash mixture. Add margarine. Drop fritter batter by tablespoons onto greased skillet or skillet. Cook until delicate brown; turn and brown on other side. Serve immediately. Serves 6.

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DID YOU KNOW?



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These rate changes are designed to increase gross intrastate revenues by approximately 12.4% per year.

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GARAGE SALE—Friday and Saturday, 514 S. Main, Bogata. 8-4

GARAGE SALE—Clothes, shoes, furniture and lots of miscellaneous items. Hwy. 271 S., Bogata. Jerry Gray residence. 8-4

FOUR FAMILY Garage Sale—Old bank building, Bogata. Friday from 7 to 6, Saturday from 7 to noon. Clothing, small appliances, etc. 8-4

THREE FAMILY Garage Sale—Saturday from 8 to 4. Gary Morgan residence on Monroe Street, Deport. No sales prior to Saturday. 8-4

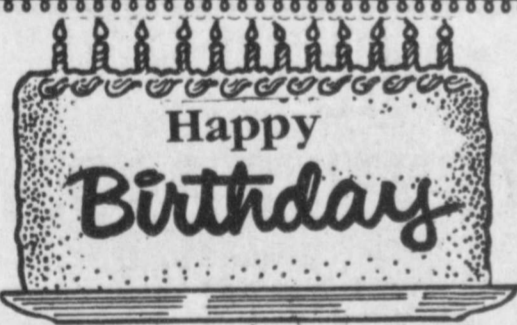
TWO FAMILY Garage Sale—Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. under the big tree, north of the bank, downtown Deport. No sale if raining. 8-4

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Nancy Denny, Bogata
August 6
Kathy Whittle Guess, Deport
Paulye Coker, Paris
Agnes Williams, Bogata
J.L. Williams, Bogata
Docie Duffie, Bogata

August 7
Shawn Henley, Mt. Pleasant
Shane Geese, Bogata
Billy Adams, Deport
Jo Bryant, Deport
Pete Hulen, Sulphur Springs
August 8
Kimberly Slyter
Amy Watkins
Ada Phifer, Eunice, N.M.
August 9
Danny White, Paris
Hoover Day, Paris
Patsy Watis, Talco
August 10
Vera Grogan, Bogata

August 4
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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lankford, Bogata
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Jimmy and Lottie Bond
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August 6
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August 8
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4H IN FOCUS
By Paul D. Payne
The County Achievement Program for Lamar County 4-H members will be held on October 3 in the Community Exhibits Building at the fairgrounds in Paris.
The program will honor 4-h members for achieving excellence in all areas of project work and to recognize adult leaders for dedicated service. Planning the event is a blue ribbon committee from the County 4-H Council headed by Danny Ballard and includes Missy Payne, Shane Welch, Gina Malone, Michael Bright and Mrs. Gene Starks, adult leader.
At a recent council meeting the group discussed plans for observing National 4-H Week in addition to the achievement program. The council will be looking at all mass media methods to reach the youth in the county. They will tell the 4-H story on KPLT's 'Inside Paris' talk show on October 4 and Rudy Dockray's television Farm Program on October 6.
Seventy-five years in 4-H will be the theme for the council's educational exhibit at the Red River Valley Fair and Exposition. Members of this committee are Wendy Milford, Rhonda Houston, Cherie Bright and Mrs. Robert Milford.
Another fall 4-H activity will be the annual 4-H Pumpkin Festival that is held during the last week of October prior to Halloween. Anita Starks, Kristi Mashburn, Dale Williams and Mrs. Bill Chipman are

Obituaries
Connie M. Pascall Dies At Age 59
Connie M. Pascall of Blossom died at St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday, July 26.
Graveside services were held Thursday, July 28 at 10:30 a.m. in Evergreen Cemetery with the Rev. Eugene Adams officiating. Burial followed under the direction of Gene Roden's Sons Funeral Home.
Pascall was born Feb. 23, 1924 in Lamar County, a child of Ernest and Elizabeth Milsap Kitchens.
Surviving are five sons, Jerry Parker, Joe Neal Parker of Lubbock, Bobby Dale Parker and Ernest Parker, both of Paris and Jeff Pascall of Blossom; three daughters, Pat Upchurch of Blossom, Peggy Wasson and Jackie Bramlett, both of Paris; six sisters, Mrs. Elmer Hicks,
planning on a spooky time for 4-H members.
Four-H members in this area are invited to participate in the Delta County 4-H Jackpot Calf Roping Contest on July 16. There is a division of Junior Breakaway Roping and Senior Tie Down. The age of the contestant is of January 1, 1983. Contestants must be 4-H club members and an entry fee of \$15 should be mailed by July 14. Entry information is available from your County Extension Agent.
CARD OF THANKS
I would like to express my thanks to everyone for the cards, flowers and many visits while I was in the hospital. Your kindness, and devotion mean more to me than you can ever know.
Beulah Shipp
CARD OF THANKS
The family of Jessie Griffin wishes to express appreciation for the loving support of all the friends and relatives throughout her illness and at the time of her death. We are so grateful for those of you who helped brighten her days while she was in the nursing home. May God bless each of you.
Sybil Evans, James Griffin and Jack Griffin.
CARD OF THANKS
The family of James T. Lorance extends a thank you for the prayers, flowers and food. A special thanks to Dr. Miller, Bro. Barnett, Clarence Watts and Mr. Carroll for caring of the loss of our husband, father and grandfather. May God bless each of you in a special way.
CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank everyone for their many acts of kindness when my mother passed away. May God bless you.
The Family of Myrtle Jackson



COMPLETION—After a business meeting last Monday night, several of the Blossom Volunteer

Firemen stayed on to try and complete the new fire station. (Staff Photo by Sandra Ayers)

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Fly Fever Season Is Approaching

By Paul D. Payne
Fly Fever season cannot be too far off as hot weather settles in the Red River Valley area. This disease of cattle is more correctly termed Anaplasmosis, and it does have the potential of costing area cattlemen thousands of dollars.

The disease first appeared in cattle herds in our area of the state about twenty years ago and cases have been reported annually since that time. It can be devastating to a herd if control measures are not taken.

The disease is caused by a small parasite that destroys red blood cells in cattle. The parasite is carried by infected cattle and is transmitted by horseflies, ticks, mosquitoes and man. Horseflies are the main culprit in our area and they have appeared for the first time this summer. Entomologists tell us that there could be a serious horsefly population this summer and that is not good

news. First signs of the disease can be abortion and small, weak calves. As the disease progresses, animals become weak, separate from the herds and refuse to eat. Others may become overly alert, belligerent and even charge.

Other signs to watch for are pink to yellowing of tissue around the eye, inside the nose, vulva or teats. This is due to anemia.

The animals themselves serve as a carrier even though it will never show signs of having the disease. The horsefly and other carriers carry the disease from the carrier animal to other animals within the herd and to adjoining herds. It is believed that the time period from animal to animal must be a very short period, (minutes at the most).

Most cattlemen feed a low level Aureomycin supplement to their herds. The feeding period should begin about a month prior to the start of the fly season. This is necessary to get the proper build up in the animals systems of the medication.

Another treatment is vaccination. There is not total agreement among people in the know about vaccination. There have been some side effects where the vaccine has been used in previous years. However, it is my opinion that where a cattle producer cannot use aureomycin and has Fly Fever in his herd, there is no other alternative to vaccination.

It could be too late this year for cattlemen to begin aureomycin feeding or vaccination since it will take about a month for animals to build up immunity. On the other hand, one of these may be the only option available.

Penny Edwards Qualifies For Junior Olympics For Second Year

Penny Edwards, a senior in the upcoming 1983-84 Prairiland school year, does it again! Edwards, who is a three year veteran of the Junior Olympic's program, has qualified to go to Nationals her second year in a row.

Ms. Edwards, who qualified seventh in the national meet held in Lincoln, Nebraska last year,

will travel the 26-31 to an indoor meet held at Duke's University in Durham, N.C. Ms. Edwards will be competing against other athletes from all over the U.S.

Ms. Edwards attended an area meet held in Dallas, where she received a third place award in the discus and a second place finish in the shot. Ms. Edwards'

showing in the shot qualified her for regionals, which were held in Lafayette, Louisiana. She again took a second place finish. "The same girl that beat me in Dallas beat me in Lafayette," Edwards said. "I had her beat through most of the competition, but she got me on the second throw of the finals."

Edwards, who has been

averaging in distances between 38 and 39 feet, has set her goals toward next year's state. "There will almost always be somebody better than you. If I didn't have that extra drive to push me along, I would lose interest in something that I love to do," Edwards concluded.

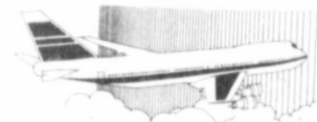


ENGLISH? Dicky King, and two Scottish tourists found that giving and taking directions may not

always be easy, even though both parties are supposedly speaking the same language. Accents

and expressions vary widely, and it was only through the extreme friendliness and patience

of many people that communication was achieved! (Staff Photo)



Travel In Britain Proves English Not Always English!

By Nanalee Nichols
—All too often in life, it seems that the dreams we pick as special, don't pan out when they actually take place. And then, sometimes, they actually exceed expectations.

That, for us at least, was the case when we finally took a long-dreamed of, long-saved-for, trip to Great Britain.

This is a travel story, of sorts, aimed at the fact that since almost all of us have one or more ancestors from England, Scotland or Wales, perhaps an account of some of the differences, and similarities, of our overseas relatives might be of interest to readers.

Upon arriving at Gatwick Airport near London, my husband and I, along with another couple, rented an auto, and not realizing just how brave we were being, set out to learn to drive on the left hand side of the road...but then, that will make another story.

The most obvious dif-

ference we noticed, of course, was that although all of us were supposed to be speaking English, somewhere upon the path there have been some rather serious divergences!

It required all our attention to decipher what a Britan has to say...and then we noticed that even with our "drawing" Texas speech, they were having to concentrate quite as hard to understand us!

Some of the basic language differences were ones most people have probably heard before...petrol instead of gasoline, lift instead of elevator. But, how about the fact that the first floor is actually our second floor...the first floor being ground floor?

While eating seafood (a messy business at times) we asked the waitress for extra napkins. She simply stared blankly at us. We asked once more...and moce more got an uncomprehending look...then we resorted to

that ultimate, basic means of communication...pointing to the crumpled napkins. "Oh," she exclaimed, "you want more servettes."

Trucks are lorries, baby buggies (which are the huge, spring hung, old-fashioned kind) are prams...and diapers are nappies.

While asking for road directions...something we did VERY often...we learned that we were to "carry on" and "vary to the left...or right!"

Translated that means to

Judge Fisher Hands

Down Convictions

Lamar County Judge Brady Fisher's regular court docket has resulted in the following convictions for this past week: driving motor vehicle while intoxicated-two; theft-two; marijuana-one; criminal mischief-one; evading arrest-one; transporting liquor-one; criminal trespass-one; driving motor vehicle while under in-

fluence of drugs-one; selling liquor in dry area-one; unlawfully possessing beer for sale in dry area-two; unlawfully selling beer in dry area-one.

The following cases were set for the August jury docket: theft-one; making alcohol available to minor-one.

But all in all, due largely to the friendly, helpful attitude of everyone we encountered, we had a lot of fun, and very few problems.

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These steaks are dark in color due to oxidation, but they are still good to use in a day or two or to rewrap and freeze.

Other good beef buys are ground beef, chuck and sirloin tip roast. In the pork section, ham is one of the best buys, as well as Boston butt and picnics.

The best overall meat buy is liver. Beef liver, which costs more than pork liver, is running about 30 cents per serving.

High prices are still the rule for fresh fruits and vegetables. And, as in previous weeks, the best buys are in the frozen and canned food sections.

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