

Prairiland Defeats Sulphur Springs 62 - 58

By Paul Lyles
The Prairiland Patriots had not been having trouble scoring points on any team this year. But the last two games against McKinney and Hugo, the Pats could not break the forty-point barrier. The Patriots had not looked like the same team that broke out of the starting blocks with a 10-2 record.

a score of 62-58. The Patriots avenged an earlier one point loss suffered to the Wildcats. The win upped the Pats season mark to 11-5.

The Pats led all the way until the Wildcats caught them in the fourth quarter to tie the game with :48 left. However, Prairiland was equal to the task and made free throws while the Wildcats failed to score the rest of the game.

The Patriots, who were without the services of Jeff Griffin, were off to the races early in the first quarter as

they jumped out to a 10-2 lead. Outside shooting from Calvin Williams and Joe Smith played a big role in the scoring spurt. But the Wildcats slowed down the Patriots and cut the lead to 12-10 at the end of the quarter.

With Prairiland leading 16-12 in the second quarter, the Pats put together six straight points. Free throws by Williams and Smith and a tip-in by Mike Connot gave the Patriots a 22-12 advantage with 4:27 left in the first half. Prairiland took a

28-21 lead into the intermission.

The game remained status quo for the most part of the third quarter. Smith stayed hot as he hit three jump shots in the last three minutes of the third quarter. The Wildcats were only able to gain one point on the Pats as Prairiland still led 44-38 going into the final quarter.

Sulphur Springs made their move on the Patriots in the last quarter as they made a three point play to cut the lead to 47-46 with 4:46 remaining. Smith,

Williams and Connot scored the next eleven points for Prairiland, giving them a 58-54 edge with 1:20 left. Sulphur Springs' Craig Higginbotham made two free throws after Scott Scudder fouled out and then Henry Turner tied the game for the Wildcats with :43 left.

Heath Kennedy and Smith made single free throws to put the Patriots up by two with less than seconds left on the clock. Todd Davis iced the game for the Pats with two clutch free throws to give them their margin of victory.

Smith, Williams and Daavis led the Patriots scoring attack with 18, 17 and 10 points. The Patriot JV lost to Sulphur Springs, 55-34. Jerrod Bankhead and Aubrey Allen had 10 points each for the junior varsity Patriots.

The Lady Patriots got off to a very promising start Friday night as they soundly defeated the Mt. Vernon Tigerettes by a score of 48-21. The win moved their season record to 11-6 and their 13-AAA record to 1-0.

Prairiland never was challenged as they jumped

to an early 19-3 lead and coasted to a 30-12 halftime lead. The Lady Pats slowed down in the second half, but still outscored the Tigerettes 18-9.

Anita Jaynes and Donna Vaughn both scored 12 points to lead the Prairiland squad. Lee Ann Ballard chipped in eight points, also.

Both Patriot teams will host Pittsburg on Friday night. Both games are important and both teams need your fan support.

Friday's game will be the first district contest for the boys.

On Monday night, the Patriots lost a heartbreaker to the West Lamar Leopards by a score of 73-72. The Pats saw a huge first half lead dwindle in the second half. Prairiland had the ball and the last chance to win the game, but they could not score before time ran out.

Scott Scudder, who was a perfect 13 of 13 from the foul line, led the Patriots in scoring with 27 points. Todd Davis, Jeff Griffin, and Joe Smith, followed up Scudder's performance with 14, 13 and 12 points respectively.



Nichols Worth

By: Nanalee Nichols

Now that we have all survived the "great cold spell of 1983" things are a little better in our neck of the woods.

Most of the broken water pipes have been fixed, most of the bruises obtained from skidding along the ice have faded.

But consider the actual affects of such a cold spell. Most farmers are fantasizing about Johnson grass rhizomes rotting to jelly in the frozen earth. And alongside the grass roots will be millions of insects and insect eggs!

And they are right, of course, lots of weeds and lots of insects will have frozen during our unusual cold spell.

But when spring comes (and that's not as long as it seems) there will still be plenty of little green weeds and plenty of voracious bugs!

Look around at the world right now. The sight of anything green besides a little wheat and evergreen trees is impossible.

Everything is bare, stark and dead. The trees haven't a shred of last summer's leaf left, the grass, which usually has a little winter

green in it, is yellow and brown.

But when spring comes, the yearly miracle will occur. From somewhere, deep within a seemingly dead tree, shrub or root, bursting green will appear.

At first it will be apparent only as the tiniest trace of yellow-green tint, and then, almost overnight, the whole world will burst forth into spring.

It's a nice thing to be able to contemplate right now, when it seems as if nothing survives anywhere.

And somehow I believe that we appreciate the spring, and the green, green summer that follows, a whole lot more than folks who live where it is always summer can.

If we never saw the beauty that can be winter, nor suffered from the biting winds, there wouldn't be that very special feeling when spring comes.

So take a look around and remember, it's all just resting up, making it through the cold in anticipation for what will come, no matter how cold it gets!

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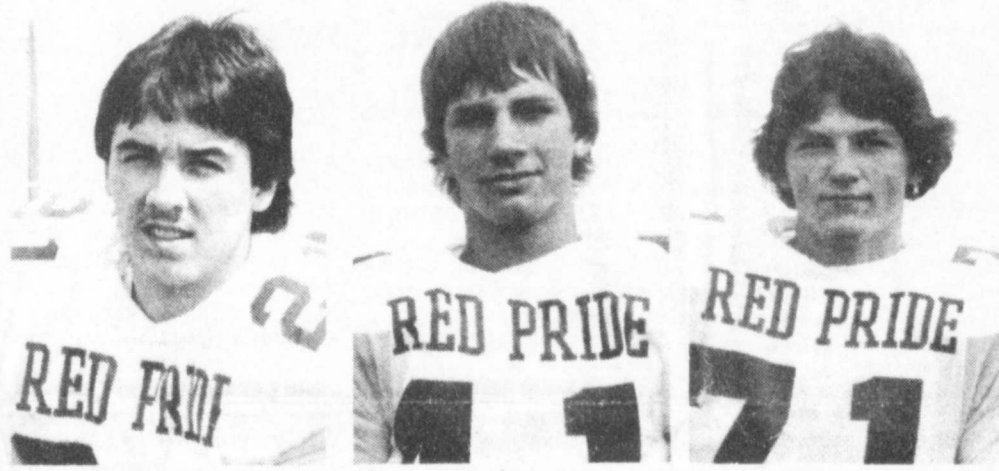
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Prairiland's Gifford, On Red River Valley Defensive Team

Darrin Gifford of the Prairiland Patriot football team, was named to the prestigious All Red River Valley defensive football team recently.

Gifford, a fierce 5-10, 160 pounder, was selected the Patriots' most valuable player for the second straight year.

Receiving honorable mention on the team are Robert Berry, offensive defensive tackle and Mike Connot, running back.



Darrin Gifford

Mike Connot

Robert Berry

School Board Changes Elementary Colors

The Prairiland School Board met in regular session Monday night, January 9.

The Board decided to change the school colors of both elementary schools to correspond with the original school colors of blue and white trimmed

with red. The mascot for the entire school system will be the patriot.

Band Booster Club president, Jerry Gillie, met with the board pertaining to the band uniforms.

In other matters, the school board extended Leslie Taylor's contract for

three years and extended Dr. Nash's contract for two years. The board accepted the resignation of football coach, Chet James.

The supplemental tax roll was approved by the board.

The minutes and financial statement were approved before the Board adjourned.

Hall Announces Candidacy

Congressman Sam B. Hall, Jr., who has represented the First Congressional District of Texas for seven and one-half years in the U.S. House of Representatives, announced recently that he will be a candidate for re-election to the House.

Congressman Hall, a Democrat from Marshall, currently serves on three House Committees: Judiciary, Veterans Affairs and Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control. He is Chairman of the Judiciary Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations, which has wide ranging jurisdiction over federal agency matters such as regulatory reform.

A lifelong resident of Harrison County, Congressman Hall was first

elected to the House of Representatives in 1976 following the death of Congressman Wright Patman, and re-elected in 1978, 1980 and 1982.

"Public service is one of the greatest honors that can

come to a person, and public service means mutual trust and faith between the voter and the elected public servant. With this in mind, I am asking the voters of the First Congressional District of Texas to continue to allow me to serve them in Congress for two more years," Congressman Hall said.



Congressman Sam B. Hall, Jr.

Cheese Distribution Set For January 18

Distribution for government cheese has been scheduled for Wednesday, January 18 at the maintenance building of the

Deport Housing Authority, Third and Bebil Street.

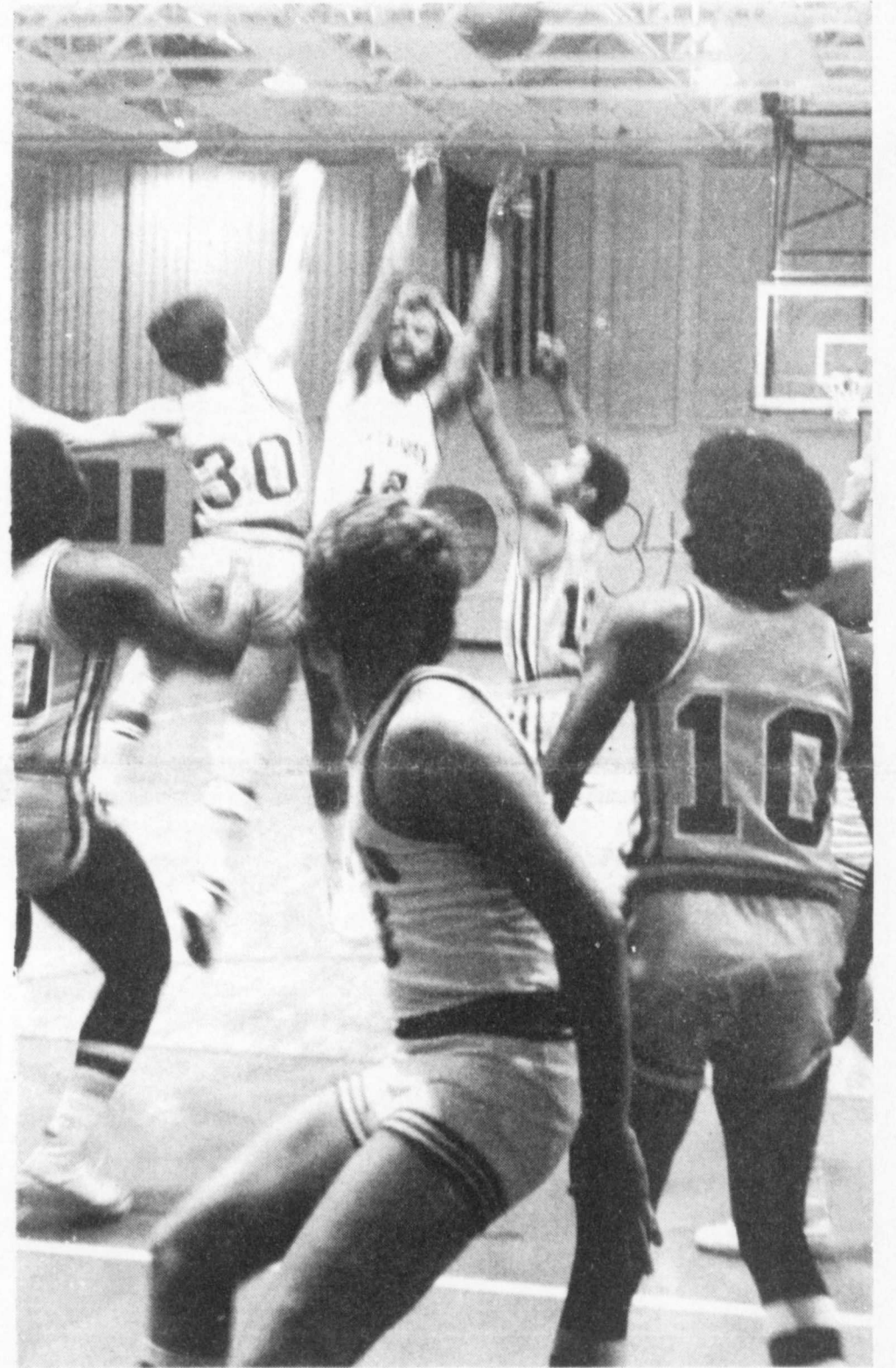
Hours for the distribution are from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

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ACTION-Prairiland's Joe Smith tips the ball towards teammate Todd

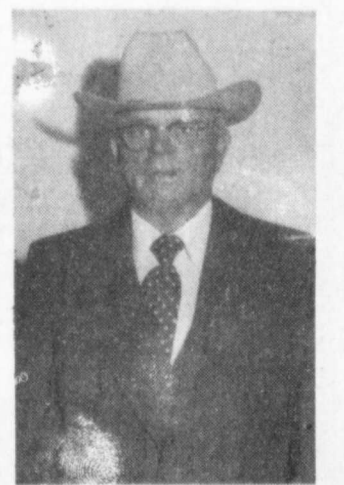
Davis as the Pats took on the West Lamar Leopards, losing by a

heartbreaking one point, 73-72. (Staff Photo by Paul Lyles)

Al Parks Seeking re-Election

Al Parks recently announced his candidacy for Constable, Precinct 1. A native of Deport, Parks

has served as Deputy Sheriff and Constable since 1980 and is seeking his second term of office.



Al Parks

Dean Jones Announces Candidacy

Dean Jones, a retired law enforcement officer, formally announced that he is a candidate for sheriff of Lamar County in the May 5th Democratic primary.

Jones is a former criminal investigator of Sheriff's Department and Chief Investigator of the District Attorney's Office in Baxar County. He was elected Constable of Bexar County and retired in 1981 after serving almost 25 years as constable. He was in the U.S. Air Force during World War II and the Korean Conflict, a military criminal investigator, and chief investigator of the Provost Marshall's office stationed at Lackland AFB in San Antonio before joining the Bexar County Sheriff's Department.

Jones is certified with a permanent license as a Texas peace officer by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education. He is the son of George and Brittie Jones of Paris. He grew up in Lamar County attending public schools in Paris and also Paris Commercial College. Since his retirement from

law enforcement he has been engaged in a real estate business with his wife, Bonnie.

"If elected sheriff, an open door policy to all citizens will be established and maintained. The public will be informed of current crime situations and all activities and changes in department policies which could affect the general

public. I have plans for every phase of the operations of the Sheriff's Department which will be made known during this campaign. One major issue confronting the Sheriff's Department is problems plaguing the county jail. We must comply with required mandatory jail reforms to avoid more than the eight law suits that have already been filed against our county."

"I will cooperate and work with all members of Commissioners' Court, the jail architect and contractor in all phases of jail renovation to meet all necessary legal requirements in the shortest possible time," Jones said.

"I will utilize the professional training and experience that I have received in law enforcement administration, organization of policies and procedures, criminal investigation, and

other elements of county law enforcement to the best of my ability if given the opportunity to serve as Sheriff of our county," Jones concluded.

Editor's Quote Book

People who look down on other people don't end up being looked up to.

Robert Half



Dean Jones

Deport PTA To Meet

The Deport Elementary P.T.A. will meet on Wednesday, January 18 at 3:30 p.m. at the school.

All interested persons are urged to attend. There will be a guest speaker at this meeting.

RODNEY Harrell—Shoots against the West Lamar Leopards Monday night. The Prairiland Patriots

fell to the Leopards by a mere one point in a truly exciting ballgame. (Staff Photo by Paul Lyles)

Lamar County To Receive Block Grant

Lamar County has been awarded \$314,450 by the Texas Department of Community Affairs for road and drainage improvements within the County, according to Mark White, Governor, in a recent letter to Lamar County Judge Brady Fisher.

The State assumed responsibility for the Community Development Program on June 13, 1983, and this grant is among the

first awarded under the annual competition for projects under the Program's Community Development Project Fund. A representative of the Texas Department of Community Affairs will be contacting Judge Fisher to begin execution of the grant agreement.

Governor White thanked Judge Fisher for his efforts on behalf of the citizens of Lamar County.

Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper have received word of the birth of a son, January 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith of Palestine. He has been named Jacob Ray. Grandparents are Mrs. Nona Smith of Marysville, Ca., and Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Betterton of Deport.

Mrs. Allie Rees was dismissed from McCuiston Hospital on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pynes of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Blossom Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clement of Duncanville spent the weekend with Mrs. Ruby Clement and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bell of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Porterfield of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daulty Bell. D.S. McKinney of Kensing visited Mrs. Delphia Malone Wednesday. Roy Eudy of Austin spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eudy. Talma Norwood of Paris and Doris Faulkner of Stephenville spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood and also visited Berniece Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain of Talco spent Thursday with Mrs. Ida Deshong. Harry Slusher spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris.

Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited Mrs. Zoe Temple in McCuiston Hospital and Mr. and Mrs. Max Temple in Medical Plaza Nursing Home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eudy visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Simmons of Paris Saturday. Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris spent Saturday with Mrs. Ida Deshong.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Rees of Cross Roads were Saturday night supper guests of Mrs. Allie Rees.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith of Clarksville spent Friday with Mrs. Ruby Clement.

Roy Eudy of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Perry D. Ashford of Dallas spent From Tuesday until Thursday with Mrs. Allie Rees.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Black, Roy Dean and Jeff of Paris spent Saturday with Mrs. Delcia Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baugh and Buddy Taylor attended funeral services for Luther Reed in Paris Saturday.

Mrs. Virgie Trussell of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Archibald last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cherry of Deport were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonzo Smith.



Various Non-Credit Courses Offered At PJC

Continuing education courses offered at Paris Junior College this month will assist area residents in keeping new year's resolutions such as shaping up, being more relaxed, building cabinets or learning to fly, according to June Jones, director of community services for the college.

Scheduled to begin the week of January 16 are courses in stress management, aerobics or physical fitness, cabinet making and private pilot ground training. Other programs planned in January are a course in building fishing rods, a volunteer management session, financial planning session and an art exhibit.

On January 16, aerobics, physical fitness course will begin at 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. for five Mondays in the PJC Gymnasium. The fee is \$10.

Also on that Monday, a stress management course for those interested in reducing stress through the use of biofeedback instrument training and self-hypnosis will begin. Orientation for this class is set for Monday, January 16 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Rheudasil Learning Center. The other five sessions will be conducted on an individual basis. Fee is \$25.

Cabinet making will begin Thursday, January 19 from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Applied Sciences Annex I at PJC. Classes will be taught on Thursday evenings for 12 weeks. Fee is \$85, and tools needed will be discussed at the first class meeting.

On Thursday, the same day, a private pilot ground school will be held from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the Alford Center 106. Classes will be held on Thursdays for 14 weeks. Fee is \$105 and a student navigational kit must be purchased at the Paris Flight Center. Fees must be paid by January 16 for the class to be taught.

A course in building fishing rods will be taught Monday, January 23 from 7 to 9:30 p.m. and continuing for six Mondays in the Alford Center. Fee is \$25.

One of three financial

planning seminars will be held on Tuesday, January 24 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Alford Center. No fee will be charged for the seminars.

On Thursday, January 26 a volunteer management work session is planned for persons who manage the use of volunteers. The session will begin at 9 a.m. to noon in the Alford Center. No fee is charged for the workshop.

Opening January 29 will be an exhibit of works by Mack Vaughan, former PJC student and professor of art at North Texas State University at Denton. An opening reception for the artist is set for Sunday, January 29 from 2:30 to 4 p.m., and the exhibit will run through February 17.

More information may be obtained by calling 214-785-7661, extension 445 or 447.

FmHa Resumes Emergency Loans

The Farmers Home Administration has resumed making economic emergency loans.

Frank B. Stroud, FmHA County Supervisor, made the announcement.

"Economic Emergency loans are designed for farmers who are in a cost

price squeeze or face other financial difficulty beyond their control," Stroud said.

"In other words, the loans are for a financial emergency rather than a natural disaster such as a drought or flood."

The Economic Emergency or "EE" program was in operation from 1978 to 1981, when it expired. But, Congress re-authorized the program, and it is being reopened by order of a U.S. District Court judge in Washington, D.C., Stroud said.

"Under the program, loans will be available to farmers who are suffering an economic emergency through no fault of their own. They must show that they have tried unsuccessfully to get a loan from another source before coming to FmHA and that they can repay the loan over a period of time, depending on the use of the funds. The funds can be used to finance debts and related uses," Stroud said.

"The interest rate for direct loans will fluctuate with the cost to the government of borrowing money," Stroud said. "The interest rates for guaranteed loans, which are made by commercial lenders and backed by the government, are negotiated between the borrower and lender."

Applications are available at the FmHA County Office located at 312 North Walnut Street, Clarksville, Texas 75426 or P.O. Drawer 1115, Clarksville, Texas 75426.

American Viewpoints



We seem to see our flag unfurled, Our champion waiting in his place - For the last battle of the world, - The Armageddon of the race.
John Greenleaf Whittier



A seal can swim steadily for eight months, sometimes swimming as many as 6,000 miles without once touching land.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
Arthur Fisher has been attending his brother, Fred Fisher of Clarksville, who is seriously ill. Anita Fisher has been staying with Betty Rodgers and children while her father is away.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker, during last week, were Mrs. Jack Kenner of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Coleman of Clarksville and Mrs. Jessie Chandler of Detroit.

Visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powell of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Hughes, Tracy Atterbury of McAlester, Okla., Sharon Embrey of Weatherford, Okla., Stacy Embrey, Kim Anderson of Garland and Jim Embrey.

Richard Gandy, Nancy and Cassandra Dugger attended the wedding of Debbie Ward and Kirk Ingram at the Bogata First Baptist Church and reception at the Fellowship Hall on December 23.

Jodi, Mary and Debbie Crawford and Crystal Francis visited Betty and Melissa Rodgers Sunday afternoon.

Richard Gandy visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor of

Bagwell and Mr. and Mrs. Miriam Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mitchell last week.

Mrs. Jacque Kenner of Odessa was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Stella Ridens last week. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Hub Miller of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker.

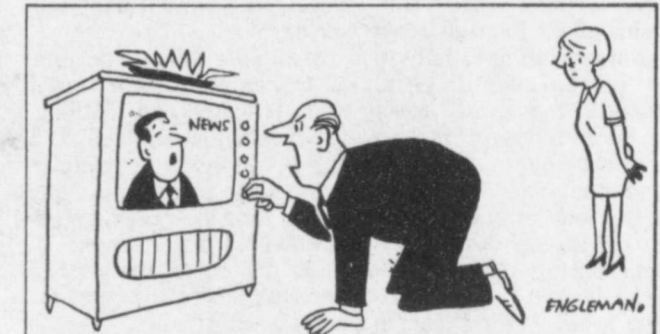
Mrs. Stella Ridens visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Skaggs of Bogata, and at Deport with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Skaggs, Mr. and Mrs. Miriam Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mitchell.

Some of those losing livestock last week due to bad weather were Wayne Roberts, Stacy Embrey, Junior Dugger and Clovis VanDeaver.

Betty and Monte Rodgers attended the Band Booster Club meeting Monday night at Prairiland.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Laura Gifford who passed away last week at the Bogata Nursing Home.

Betty Rodgers visited several patients at McCuiston Hospital last week, along with Jod Crawford and two Deport Nursing Home members.



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Pattonville News

By Ann Crossland

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard of Quitman and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bryant of Shady Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Fletcher of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shappell made a trip to Oklahoma Sunday.

Visitors this week of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carter were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Carter and Stephen of Reno, Agnes Miller of Blossom, Bell Day and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig called Danny Craig and family of Kenneshaw Sunday to wish Daniell a happy birthday.

The Pattonville Baptist Church had good services Sunday.

Katy Winters and Elreida Craig sang the special music Sunday at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig visited Rufus Merritt, Mrs. Clyde Blevins and Dennis Short in McCuiston Hospital last week.

Dan Craig visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Craig of Bogata Sunday.

P.D. Humphreys of Houston and Audrey Gillis of

Bogata visited Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys Saturday.

Mrs. Curtis Hoover is recuperating at home following knee surgery resulting from a fall during the storm. She is being attended by her daughter, Mrs. Ross Meek of Mattoon, Ill.

Visitors of Mrs. Curtis Hoover this past week were Mrs. Jo Barham, Mrs. Molee Huddleston, Mrs. Travis King, Mrs. Yuba Sparks, Duane Sangio, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoover, Mrs. Virgie Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard, Mrs. Virgie Hoover, Mrs. Glenna Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fendley, Floyd Salter, Mr. and Mrs. John Rushing, Cody and Mandy of Bonham, Mrs. Dorothy Richie, Mrs. Margaret Fowler and Melanie, Don Gentry and Mrs. Elois Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Corssland, Travis and Annette visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and Mike of Paris Sunday.

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

Travis Crossland was honored Friday on his birthday with a supper at the

home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Ann. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and Mike of Paris, Mrs. Travis Crossland and Annette, Mrs. Gerald Cobb and Christopher of Paris. Michael Crossland of Paris was sick Sunday, he is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland.

BIRTHS

A son, Jacob Ray Smith, born January 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith of Palestine, weighed 8 lbs. 3 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Cooper of Cunningham and Mrs. Nona Smith of Marysville, California. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Betterton of Deport.

Staci Marie is the name given the daughter born January 4 at McCuiston Medical Center to Craig and Donna Skidmore of Paris. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tully of Pattonville and Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Skidmore of Paris. Great-grandparents are Mrs. J.A. Mears of Blossom and Oscar Scheller of Olton.



Clardy News

By Sondra Martin

Roy Eudy of Bertram was visitor of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ballard and children and Mrs. Lillie Mae Ballard of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ballard last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris are reported ill with flu, also several others in the community.

Cindy Ballard and Amy Milford of Post Oak and Blossom spent last Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hearn of Paris and Ben Holland were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore.

Rufus Merritt is a patient in McCuiston Hospital.

Ricky and Kaye Cooper were visitors last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodges of Rugby.

Mrs. Alvin Ballard was a Depart visitor last Wednesday morning, then she visited Mrs. Ethel Melton of Paris. They enjoyed lunch in town and then drove out to Brookston for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Vickers. Mr. Vickers has been ill.

Bobby Pomroy and Fred Skidmore were in Sulphur Springs Friday for the cattle sale.

Mrs. Ruby Hudson of Jennings and Mrs. Virgie Ballard were in Deport Thursday where Mrs. Hudson had a medical check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ruyle of Taylortown were Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard.

Mrs. Eugene Skidmore spent last Wednesday in Paris on business.

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

Verbie Dodd of Greenville visited the Alvin Ballards Thursday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris last week were

Mrs. Kathy Redus and Dava of Blossom, Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and Steven and Keith Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gentry of Pattonville were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore.

Mrs. Alvin Ballard visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hoover of Pattonville Friday morning.

Beth Baptist Church services were well attended Sunday. The Lord's Supper was observed at the 6 p.m. service, followed by a baptismal service.

Pug Newberry of Reno visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ballard Friday.

Mrs. Ruby Hudson of Jennings had her bathroom fixtures freeze and burst during the bad weather.

Kristi Pomroy, student at PJC, was on the President's honor roll this semester.

Ricky Anderson of Cunningham visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ballard Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper were Wednesday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Cooper and Deryl of Cunningham.

Evette Briscoe, Mrs. Virgie Ballard of Clardy, Mrs. Coaker and daughter Margie of Paris and Mrs. Cal Cantrell of Jefferson Road visited Mrs. Nelda Harrell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hoover of Pattonville.

Mrs. Viola Harris was a visitor last week of Mrs. Mary Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard of Quitman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ballard Sunday evening.

Quintero-Yancey

In an evening ceremony on November 19 in the Broadview Assembly of God Church, Kathy Ann Yancey became the bride of Simon H. Quintero. Officiating was the Rev. Lloyd Taylor of Southwood Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy J. Yancey of Ft. Worth are parents of the bride. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Vincent O. Quintero of Ft. Worth.

Maid of honor was Nancy Hill. Matron of honor was Pam Orona. Jodie Robnett

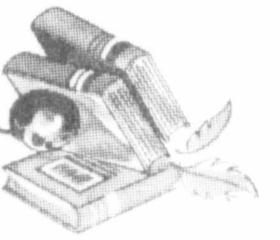
was best man. Ushers were Wally Orona and January Orona was flower girl.

Mrs. Quintero received an associate of arts degree from Tarrant County Junior College. Her husband attended the University of Texas at Arlington. They will live in Ft. Worth.

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall by the bride's parents.

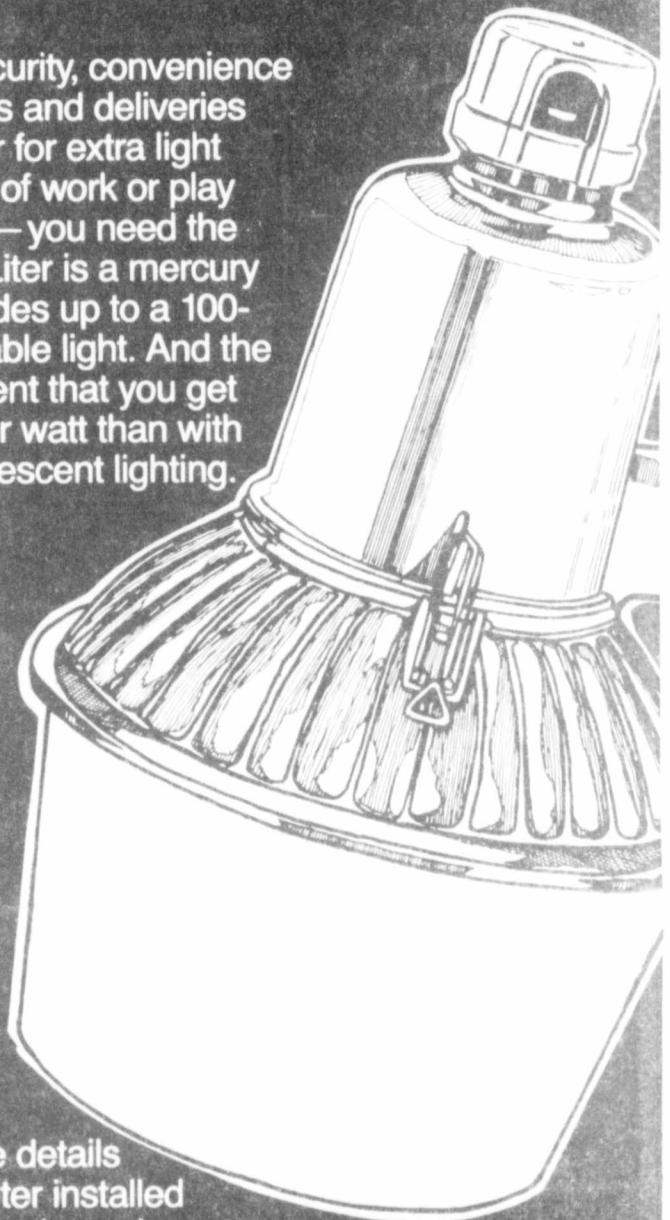
The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mrs. Neal

Yancey of Paris. Attending from Paris were Mrs. James Platt, Neva Yancey, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Trenado, Wendi and Jeremy Trenado, Mrs. Weldon Moss and Marla Moss.



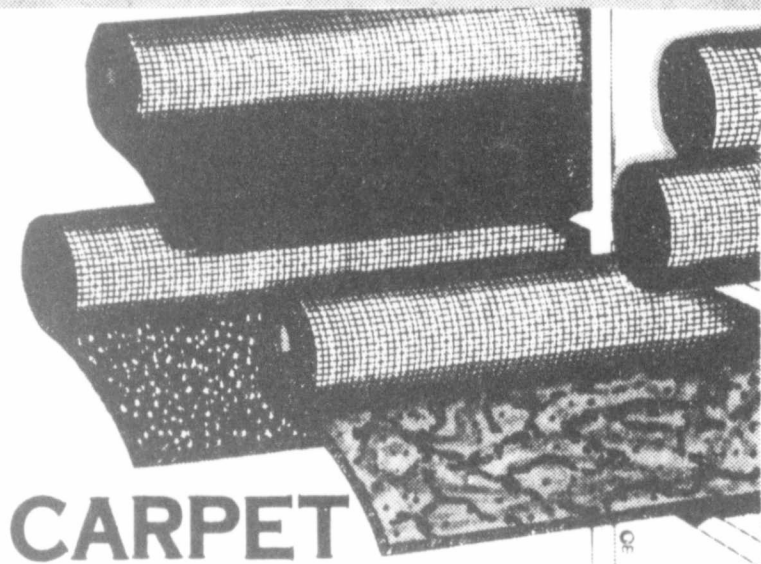
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Area Residents In "Oliver"

Two area residents, James St. John of Blossom and Kim Couch of Pattonville have roles in "Oliver" to be presented by Paris Junior College on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 19-21. The musical will be given at 7:30 p.m. each night and at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the PJC Theater, said Ray Karrer, director. Tickets for the production

are on sale in the College Store at PJC and may be reserved by calling 785-7661, extension 344. Tickets for non student adults are \$4, area students are \$3 and senior citizens with PJC identification cards, and PJC students and staff are free. Group rates may be obtained by calling the PJC drama department.

All tickets are for reserved seats, and they may be picked up at the door.

A classic Charles Dickens tale, "Oliver" was produced for the Broadway stage by David Merrick and Donald Albery. The music, lyrics and book are by Lionel Bart. Cast in the production are PJC students, Crockett Middle School students and some community residents. An orchestra of students and area residents will provide the music.



AMONG CAST members for "Oliver", scheduled by Paris Junior College January 19-21 are two 1983 Prairiland High School graduates, James St. John of Blossom and Kim Couch of Pat-

tonville. St. John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph St. John, plays the undertaker, and Miss Couch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Couch, is an old lady and chorus member.

Girl Scout Cookie Sales Near

It's Girl Scout Cookie time. Girls will be taking orders from January 13 through January 24 and will be delivering cookies February 16 through March 2. Cookies will be selling for \$2.00 a box this year. The money will not be collected until delivery.

According to Georgia Weddle, coordinator of the cookie sale for the Red River Valley Girl Scout Council, the annual Girl Scout Cookie sale is a tradition that dates back to 1933. This year's sale marks the 50th anniversary of this annual event, and it is still the main fund-raiser for the Girl Scouts. "Now, more than ever, Girl Scout activities depend on the proceeds from this annual sale. These proceeds, plus allocations from the United Way, make learning and growing opportunities possible for many girls in our community," said Mrs. Weddle.

Profits from the cookie sale support individual troop activities, community service projects, maintenance and improvement of Camp Gambill, and wider

travel opportunities for older Girl Scouts. Girls who participate in the sale learn to meet the public in a safe and courteous manner, to handle money, to develop a sense of responsibility and to make decisions.

Girl Scouts will have the opportunity to earn up to \$100 in "cookie credit" toward summer camp, day camp or special council events. Other incentives include patches, shoe strings, mugs, stuffed tigers, sun visors, nylon barrel overnight bags, mini-stereo cassette players and 3-speed bicycles. The top salesgirl in the council this year will win a computer. In addition, the top salesgirl in

each of the 18 neighborhoods within the council will receive a canvas tote bag.

Seven varieties of cookies are being offered this year, including the new 50th anniversary medallion. Other favorites include samoas, a vanilla cookie covered with caramel, toasted coconut and chocolate; chocolate chunks; thin mints; do-si-dos, a peanut butter sandwich cookie; trefoils, the old fashioned shortbread; and tagalongs, the peanut butter pattie.

If you have not been contacted by a Girl Scout for your order, you may call the neighborhood cookie chairman in your area, Kay Webb at 652-9085.

Hobby To Visit Paris

Texas Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby will visit Paris on Tuesday, January 17.

Hobby's visit is organized by the Public Affairs Council of the Chamber of Commerce of Lamar County and will center on a 7 a.m. breakfast to be held at the Holiday Inn on Loop 286 East.

The public is invited to attend the buffet breakfast, organizers said. The cost will be \$4.50 per person. Reservations for the event should be made by calling the chamber office at 784-2501.

Since his election as lieutenant governor in 1972, Hobby was picked by his peers to serve as chairman of the National Conference of Lieutenant Governors and as a member of the Executive Committee of the Council of State Governments. He has been re-elected in 1974-1978 and 1982.

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Weekly Ag Update

By Herb Brevard
Recent cold, freezing
temperatures in East Texas
have played havoc with
many agricultural enter-
prises. The total damage
however, may not be
realized for several months,
according to specialists with
the Texas Agricultural
Extension Service.

Many ornamentals and
landscape plants appear to
be heavily damaged. Dwight
Hall, horticulturist, advises
holding off on pruning these
plants until spring.
However, broken and
visually damaged limbs
should be removed now.
When the growing season
begins, all plants or parts of
plants that are dead should
be removed.

Dr. James Robinson,
entomologist, says there is
no way to predict what will
happen to the insect
population. The most im-
portant factor will probably
be a reduction in the
economic damage by insect
pests. The population will
not be as great as normal,
but insects have the ability
to survive in extreme
temperature conditions. A
reduction in population
could mean less pesticides
will be necessary for con-
trol. An improvement in
yields and quality of
produce is also possible.

Robinson says some in-
sects will be weakened or
reduced so that proper use
of insecticides can reduce
the population and economic
impact even further. Many
areas will possibly enjoy a
reprieve from heavy insect
infestations.

Most of the winter forage
has been damaged by the
cold weather, but most of it
should respond with warmer
temperatures. Dr. Sim
Reeves, Jr., agronomist,
says that oats were probably
the heaviest damaged.
Perennial grasses such as
bermudas should have
received only slight
damage.

Obituaries

Jess English Dies At Age 66

Jess English of Rosalie
died Thursday, January 5,
1984 at his home.
Funeral services were
held at 2 p.m. on Saturday,
January 7 at the First
Baptist Church in Bogata
with the Rev. Bill Pirtle
officiating. Burial was in
Rosalie Cemetery by Bogata
Funeral Home.

Mr. English was born
Sept. 22, 1917 in Red River
County, a son of John and
Mattie Whitney English. He
married Opal Davis on
January 23, 1942. He was a
veteran of World War II,
serving in the U.S. Army.
He was a farmer and ran-
cher.

Surviving are his wife; his
mother and stepfather, Mr.
and Mrs. Loren Nichols of
Paris; three sons, John
English, Tim English and
Paul English, all of Bogata;
five daughters, Gail Hinds
of Nashville, Ark., Joyce
Rhodes of Ore City, Rebecca
Martin of Diana, Cary Eudy
of Bogata and June Brantley
of Lone Star; one brother,
Bill English of Talco; a half-
brother, Walter Waldrop of
Paris; two sisters, Minnie
Barnett of Graham and Ollie
Walker of Harper; a half-
sister, Dollie Armstrong of
Paris and 21 grandchildren.

Services were held
Thursday, January 5 at 2
p.m. in the Grant Funeral
Home Chapel with the Rev.
Glenn Renfro officiating.
Burial was in Highland
Cemetery.

Mrs. Gifford was born
April 25, 1901 in Derma,
Miss., a daughter of J.W.
and Hattie Ashford Bet-
terton. She first married
Barney M. Dunn who died in
1922. She later married
Wiley Gifford and he died in
1967.

Surviving are a daughter,
Mrs. Richard L. (Oneita)
Hughes of Fulbright; three
brothers, Marvin T. Bet-
terton, Joe Lee Betterton
and Tilden Betterton, all of
Deport; one sister, Mrs.
Alpha Barnard of Deport;
three grandchildren, five
great-grandchildren and one
great-great grandchild. She
was preceded in death by a
son, James W. Dunn in 1979.

Robert L. Boren Dies Jan. 2

Services for Robert Lee
(Bob) Boren were held
Monday, January 2 in
Means Memorial United
Methodist Church in
Andrews with the Rev.
Milton Jochets officiating.
Burial followed in Denver
City Cemetery under the
direction of Singleton
Funeral Home of Andrews.

Mr. Boren died Saturday,
December 31, 1983 in Per-
man General Hospital
following a heart attack. He
was born August 13, 1908 in
Lamar County and was
married to Mamie Dawson
January 3.

on March 2, 1929 in Grant,
Oklahoma.
He was a member of
Means Memorial Methodist
Church.

Surviving are his wife;
three daughters, Jamie
Dodson of Denver City,
Doris Nelson of Longview
and Kay Paxton of
Brownsville; three sisters,
Maudie Baxter of Deport,
Claudie Mearns of Blossom
and Jessie Gill of Truth or
Consequences, N.M.; two
brothers, Jim Boren of Petty
and Charlie Boren of
Blossom; five grandchildren
and two great-
grandchildren.

Sam Sanders Sr. Dies Jan. 3

Sam P. Sanders Sr., 407
10th N.E., died Tuesday,
January 3, at St Joseph
Hospital.
Funeral services were
held at 1 p.m. Thursday,
January 5, in Gene Roden's
Sons Funeral Home Chapel.
Burial was in Evergreen
Cemetery.

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Thanks to my friends for
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kindnesses shown me and
my family during my recent
illness.
J.L. (Tobe) King

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Thanks to all for the
cards, flowers, food and
each kindness shown me and
my family while I was in the
hospital and since I have
been home.
J.D. Skaggs

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to thank all
of our friends and relatives
for the part each had in the
benefit singing for us.
A special thanks to the
ones who were responsible
for getting it up. We feel
very fortunate to have such
friends as all of you.
Sincerely,
Barbara, Larry and Renea
Wedde

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank everyone
for your help when I broke
my hip and for the cards,
calls and good food since
coming home.
Alma Bussell

Mr. Sanders was born
July 20, 1909 in Moran,
Texas, a son of William C.
and Anna Madge Pettus
Sanders. He married
Christine Lucille Stilwell on
Feb. 23, 1929. She died May
11, 1980. He worked at Swift
Inc. for 33 years where he
was in charge of shipping
and creamery superin-
tendent before retiring. He
also owned and operated a
service station for several
years. He was a deacon of
the First Christian Church.

Surviving are two
daughters, Lillian Taylor of
Bogata and Betty Wise of
Carrollton; two sons, Sam
P. Sanders Jr. of Paris and
Mike Sanders of Dallas; a
sister, Elonia Sims of
Perryton; eight grand-
children Sherrie Boyd of
Bogata and Betty Wise of
Mesquite, Karen Wise of
Austin, Kim and Michelle
Wise of Carrollton, Misty
Taylor of Bogata, and Todd
and Megan Sanders of
Dallas. Also one great
grandchild Lance Taylor of
Mesquite.

CARD OF THANKS

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Special thanks to my uncle
and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Burl
Moore, for the lovely sur-
prise birthday party they
gave me on January 7. Also,
special thanks to my dear
husband, Lee, and all our
wonderful friends that were
present.
God bless each of you.
Joyce Langston

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our
thanks and appreciation to
the Bogata Fire Department
and everyone else for their
brilliant efforts to save our
home and everyone else for
their acts of kindness and
concern.
Clyde and Margaret
Mitchell and families.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank everyone
for your help when I broke
my hip and for the cards,
calls and good food since
coming home.
Alma Bussell

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Deport Nursing Home News

Dorothy and Gene Rader visited with Gerda Hendley.

Mrs. Elsie Pettit visited with friends in the home on Sunday.

Elois Sparks and Floy Sparks visited with Mrs. Bertha Bryan, Allie Malone and Mrs. Margaret Bolton.

Visiting Mrs. Maudie Baxter was Mrs. John Boren and Mary Louise, Mrs. John Porter of Blossom, Mrs. Ned Westbrook of DeKalb and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boren of East Post Oak.

Dalia Dickson and wife of Pattonville Church of Christ visited with friends in the home.

Visiting with Allie Malone was Buddy and Sue Malone of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Keith McDowra and Brock of Pattonville.

Visiting with Julia Wadley was Mrs. Jody Crawford, Debbie and Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Seamon Roach of Paris visited with Mildred Spears on Monday.

Joe Travis Kelsey and wife of Bogata visited with his aunts, John and Brodie Bell.

Charlie Lee Elliott and Mrs. Ann Short visited with their aunt, Stella Hayes.

Visiting with Alex Tucker were A.D. Tucker of Powderly, Steve Tucker of

Garland and Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Shelby of Deport.

Visiting with Onetta Ray were Thomas, Natalie and Herbie Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Webb of Blossom.

Earl Clark and Billy visited with his wife, Mrs. Laura Mae Clark.

Norma Atwood visited her husband, Ed Atwood.

Mrs. Elsie Pettit visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mazy.

Leonard Guest of DeKalb visited with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Guest and sister, Fannie Bell.

Theola Shrader visited with her sister, Mrs. Winnie Chamberlain.

Mattie Adams was visited by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Evelyn Nickerson of Paris.

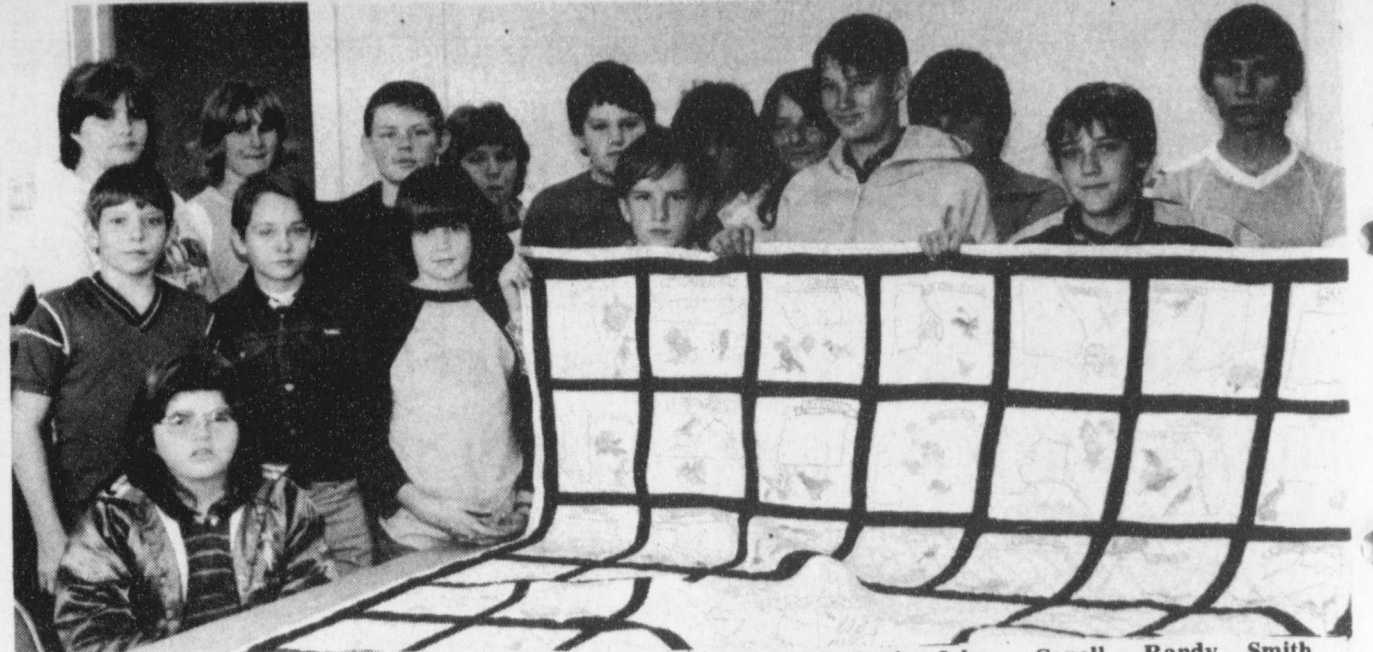
Annie G. Anderson was visited by her cousin, Travis Henry.

Buddy and Helen Northam of Paris visited Mrs. Zelpha Anderson on Wednesday.

Visiting Mrs. Leola McGaskie was Mrs. Obella Thomas of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Johnson of Paris.

Mrs. Inez Luttrell, Cletus Thomas and Maureen Bradley of Blossom visited with their niece, Mary Mathews.

Visiting Margaret Bolton was Jodie Crawford, Debbie and Mary of Shady Grove, Louise Boren, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams of Blossom, Judy and Cathy Day of Pattonville, Dorothy and Cheryl Thomas of Deport, Shannon and Mendy McMikel of Deport and Elsie Pettit of Pattonville.



PLAN A students at Blossom created a quilt of the 50 United States. First row, Tina Gilbreath, Jason Thompson, Harold McClain, Billy Newman, Mike Jaynes. Second row, Steven Irwin, John Branham, Robert Workman, Tate Northam, Shirley Smith, John Capell, Randy Smith. Third row: Ann Nelson, Tina Stover, Nella Matlock and Shawn Irwin. (Staff Photo)

SCHOOL Menu

Deport School Menu
January 16-20

Monday
Breakfast: Hot buttered biscuits, sausage, jelly, orange juice and milk.
Lunch: Ham, pinto beans, macaroni and tomatoes, peanut butter and syrup, bread and milk.

Tuesday
Breakfast: Doughnuts, grape juice and milk.
Lunch: Burritos, french fries, sliced pickles, sugar cookies, bread and milk.

Wednesday
Breakfast: Cereal, milk and orange juice.
Lunch: Barbeque chicken, corn, blackeyed peas, bread and milk.

Thursday
Breakfast: Sweet rolls, grape juice and milk.
Lunch: Soup, vegetable beef, chicken noodle, pimento and cheese sandwiches, milk.

Friday
Breakfast: Bananas, cereal, orange juice and milk.
Lunch: Hot dogs, chili and cheese, onions, chips, sliced peaches, hot dog buns, milk.

Blossom Students Create U.S. Quilt

Plan A students in the Resource Room at Blossom Junior High have created a quilt with the 50 United States.

Each student did research on three states, gave an oral report on their state and learned to spell the name of the state and the capital. The reports were graded on content, neatness, spelling and oral speaking.

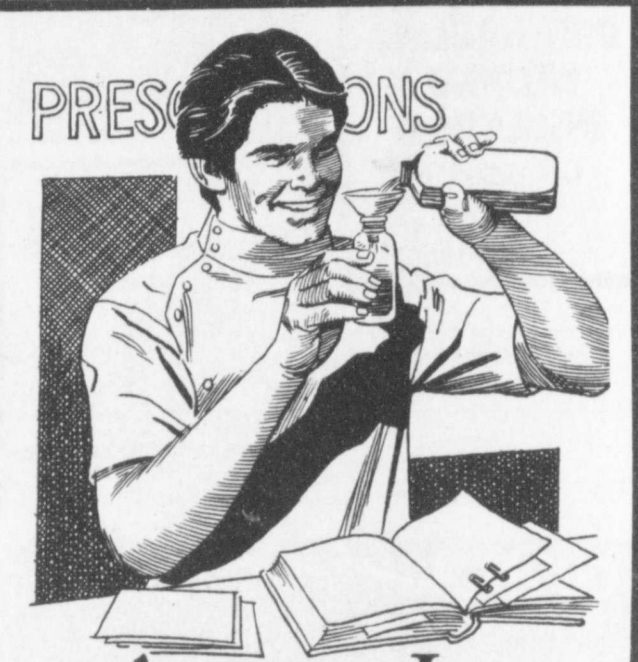
Each report contained the state's bird and flower. Then the students colored a block with fabric crayons containing an outline of the state, the state's bird and flower and a star indicating the location of the state's capital.

These were ironed onto fabric squares. The squares were handed over to Mrs. Virgie Ballard of Clardy who set them together and quilted the quilt. In the center there is a large map of the United States where each student signed their names in the state they researched.

Workers in the Resource Room were Mrs. James Lowry, Mrs. James White and Mrs. Bill Scudder. Students participating were Tina Stover, Nella Matlock, John Capell, Shawn Irwin, Qurshella Schmid, Billy Newman, Michael Jaynes, Harold McClain, Shirley Smith, Kim Nelson, Tina Gilbreath, Randy Smith, Steven Irwin, Bobby Workman, John Branham, Jason Thompson and Tate Northam.

The quilt will be on display in the Resource Room for some time if parents and friends would like to view it.

After Christmas, students will write letters to the Chamber of Commerce at each capital city in the state they researched to gain more up-to-date information to share with the class.



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Deport Locals

By Rena Nobles

Mr. and Mrs. John Temple of Irving spent Saturday night with Mrs. Reba Temple and attended his mother, Mrs. J.W. Temple, ill in McCuiston Hospital. Mrs. Melba Winn of Athens spent the weekend with the Gerald Gordon's and visited her mother.

Dr. and Mrs. W.K. Barnard and Tricia of Dallas spent Friday night with Mrs. Lucia Pearl Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thomas of Antlers, Okla. spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Pearson.

Pat Duane Bailey, son of Marshall and Linnie Bailey of Deport received his Bachelor of Business Administration from ETSU in December. He is a graduate of P.J.C. He retired from the U.S. Air Force in 1974 and is currently employed by Bearings, Inc. as manager of the Paris store.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bailey Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Bumgarner of New Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bailey of Reno.

Amy and Amanda Houston returned home last week after spending a week with their grandparents, Marvin and Lucille Couch.

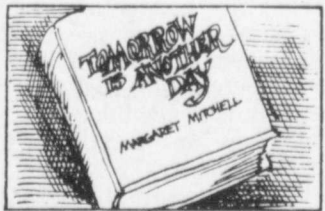
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Devlin and Mrs. Lloyd Williams of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers spent Sunday with the Walker Devlin's.

Lamar County Court Docket

Lamar County Judge Brady Fisher's regular court docket has resulted in the following convictions for this past week: driving motor vehicle while intoxicated-12; theft-one; driving while license suspended-two; telephone harassment-one.

In addition, the following jail sentences were assessed: revocation of probation-one.

The following cases were set for the January jury docket: driving motor vehicle while intoxicated-three; theft-one; criminal trespass-one; traffic appeals-one.



The original title of *Gone with the Wind* was *Tomorrow is Another Day*.

Good News For Taxpayers

The Short Form 1040A is a little longer, the Internal Revenue Service officials say that will be good news for many taxpayers.

The 1983 version of the 1040A has added five lines and a schedule which may be attached if needed. According to the IRS, the new short form becomes a more versatile tax return that will save time and reduce errors for the taxpayers who can use it.

For example, taxpayers claiming the child care credit can now use the 1040A instead of filing the longer Form 1040 and separate schedule that were previously required. Likewise, taxpayers claiming Individual Retirement Arrangement deductions can use the short form.

According to IRS officials, the new 1040A should reduce refund delays caused by errors as well as save time for those who use it. One reason for this is that many taxpayers who previously had to use the 68-line long

form can now do the same job with the 1040A. This not only saves the time of reading through the nonapplicable lines of the 1040 but also reduces the chance of errors caused by wrong line entries.

Taxpayers who filed Form 1040A or 1040EZ last year will automatically receive the same forms in the mail. Other taxpayers can request the 1040A or 1040EZ through the Federal Tax Information number listed in the phone book under U.S. Government.

Loony Laws



In New York City, a woman is prohibited from wearing "body hugging clothing" on the streets.

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