

Texas Unemployment Figures Show Drop

The Texas jobless rate plummeted to 4.8 percent in June as the economy rallied from a double blow of Mexican peso devaluation and lethargic energy production, prompting the lowest unemployment in about three years, federal officials said Friday.

About 98,000 Texans found work in June and state unemployment reached a full three percentage points below the 7.8 percent level of

June 1983, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The June jobless rate was the lowest since April 1981, the agency said.

"The news is good, very good," said Bryan Richey, the bureau's southwest regional commission. "You could not single out any particular industry as a standout in Texas. The upsurge is generally widespread and all-inclusive."

"We have already gained back what we lost before and then some," he said.

Civilian unemployment nationwide in June was 7.1 percent, the lowest in more than four years, the government reported.

In May, the Texas jobless rate stood at 5.7 percent. Richey said 588,000 more people were employed last month in Texas than in June 1983.

Richey said total employment for the second quarter of this year was about 630,000 higher than the pre-recession level in the first quarter 1982.

"Texas trailed the nation into the last recession, but we have been lagging during the recent recovery and economic expansion," he said. "Despite two problems peculiar to Texas, sluggishness of the energy-related activities and the devaluation

of the peso that plagued the border, the economy seems to be gaining quite rapidly."

The Texas energy industry has been slowly improving in recent months, although the growth is not nearly as dramatic as the overall state employment, Richey said.

Speculation that many of the jobs are "summer jobs" of a temporary nature is undoubtedly true, however, On a local level, the employment

rate seems to be holding steady, but no major hiring has taken place at any local industries.

Industries such as TUGCO at Mt. Pleasant, Campbell Soup Company, Merico, Phillips Industries or the new Kimberly Clark plant report no increase in hiring.

The farming industry is currently claiming it's share of help, with hay haulers, hay baling, and tractor work



Nichols Worth

By: Nanalee Nichols

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"I want everyone to like me"...it was the lead sentence from a column called "Offset" in a Hillsboro, New Hampshire weekly paper.

It was reproduced in a column called "Byliner" in Publisher's Auxiliary, a newspaper trade paper.

The second line went on to explain that the Hillsboro columnist had kept quiet for years about this strange desire, being sure that it was a "sure sign of mental illness"...and the second columnist admitted to the same desire to be liked.

Well, I also admit to this desire. Perhaps it doesn't seem so unusual, but a little explaining may put things in perspective.

For generations, editors have been forced into the mold of not caring. They put on a stony face, do what has to be done, and pretend to everyone (including themselves) that it doesn't matter to them. And, to many, it really doesn't matter.

Cartoons, articles and the papers in general portray the editor as a hard person...a grouch, or someone who loves a good fight.

Well, if others can admit to it, I will too.

It just isn't true in my case. I do care, I want to be liked, I want to put out a paper that makes everyone happy all the time.

Of course, that is totally impossible. In the newspaper business no matter how small those papers may be, there will be times when something makes someone mad. It is impossible to make everyone happy all the time.

But it's those few grim days when it seems like we've managed to alienate everyone that really gets to us!

Some weeks it seems like everything we turn our hand to, comes out wrong. The best of intentions don't seem to help a bit.

So, folks, when you see all those jokes in the cartoons about mean, grouchy editors....just remember....here sits one who isn't that way.

Over here, we aren't the stereotyped editor, and we aren't afraid to admit it.

RED RIVER Valley All Stars from all over were recently chosen. They are composed of players from Blossom, Detroit, Deport, Talco, Bogata and Avery. From back row, left to right are: Coach Jerry Beers, Byron Ayers, Ron Griffin, Shannon Osborne, Trevor Upchurch, Randy Barber, Bo Daniel, Coach Jon David Loyd. Front row, left to right are: Kevin West, Chris Sturch, Brad Deaton, David Davidson, Clint Little, Scott Bryant and Shane Beers. (Staff Photo by Charlene Barker)

Deport First Baptist Church Broken Into

The First Baptist Church of Deport was vandalized Saturday night. The culprit or culprits entered by forcing a door into the building.

Apparently they ransacked the church looking for money or valuables, and then destroyed some of the ceiling tile in the church.

Nothing was taken, and the matter is currently under investigation.

THE DEPORT AMERICAN LEGION will hold a regular meeting to elect OFFICERS. All members are urged to ATTEND Thursday, July 12, at 7:30 p.m.....

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ALL STARS—The Red River West Minor League has chosen it's all star team for this season. It is composed of youngsters from four teams, and they were selected for their abilities by their

coaches. From left to right, back row, are coaches Ronnie Yarbrough, Detroit; Mark Figueroa, Deport; and Billy Sessums, Blossom. Second row, left to right are: Brandon Johnson, Deport;

Leslie Chapman, Blossom; Gary Don Davis, Blossom; Wes Rhoades, Deport; David Carpenter, Detroit; Cody Bowen, Blossom. Second row, left to right are: Brandon Moore, Deport.

Front row: Jimmy Little, Blossom; Justin Withers, Blossom; Robert Archibald, Deport; Jody Smith, Detroit; Joshua Smith, Detroit. (Staff Photo)



School Board Accepts Resignations

The Prairiland School Board met Monday, July 9 and attended to several items on the agenda.

After an executive session, the board accepted the resignations of Doug and Rita Salters, both teachers at Prairiland High School.

They also agreed to pay Mike Benningfield \$500 for coaching the school's tennis program last school year, and agreed that he would continue to coach tennis this coming year.

Fran Patterson was hired to teach at the high school.

They also transferred \$3,000 into the school activity fund because of it's depletion, and agreed to use Keystone Life Insurance Company for student tinsurance and football insurance coverage.

They approved the policies and procedures for Special Education, and the high school handbook for the upcoming school year.

Bids from Cabell's milk and Wonder Bread were accepted for use in the lunch program the coming

school year.

Routine approval of the minutes,

financial report and payment of bills was also affected.

Local Sales Tax Reported

State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently sent checks totaling \$55.3 million in local sales tax payments to the 988 cities that levy the one percent city sales tax.

"We've sent Texas cities nearly half a billion dollars this year," Bullock said. "That's more than 17 percent over what these cities had received by this time last year. Every one of the 20 biggest sales tax cities is ahead of last year's totals."

July payments reflect taxes on sales made in May and reported to the Comptroller by June 20.

Talco received a check for \$1,156.46, compared to \$738.83 last year, for a 10.38 percent increase in

rebates. Bogata received \$666.81 this period, marking a 6.28 percent increase over last year's payment the same period. 1984 payments to date total \$11,964.67.

Blossom Fire Calls

The Blossom Fire Department officials wish to report that firefighters made the following calls during the seven day period ending midnight, Monday, July 2.

Wednesday, June 27, 2 p.m. House fire in Pin Hook. Time out, one hour.
Friday, June 29. Time 11:30 p.m.

Barn fire north of Blossom at the pig farm. Time out 1½ hours.

Saturday, June 30. Time 3:15 p.m. Grass fire three miles northeast of Blossom. Time out, one hour.

Sunday, July 1. Time 2:15 p.m. Hay baler and grass fire five miles east of Blossom. Time out 1½ hours.

Rash Of Insect Problems Cropping Up

A multitude of insect problems are beginning to show up in area yards and gardens. Most of these occur annually, but some appear to be more severe this year than normal.

One insect that is really showing up in pecan trees this summer is the webworm. They are easily recognized by their conspicuous web tent that they make in trees. They do attack other shrubs and trees, but seem to prefer pecan and persimmon.

The key to webworm control is early control while the worms and tents are small. The longer ones wait to apply to a chemical the harder it will be to penetrate the web with the chemical.

The worm stage is the damaging stage as they eat the foliage. It is doubtful that a tree has ever been killed by webworms, but they can weaken one if a good portion of the leaf area is removed.

The moths emerge in the spring and deposit their eggs in masses on leaves in the tree which explains why there are small webs all over the tree. The small worms began making the web almost immediately and feeding on the leaves as they consume the leaves within the web. The web is enlarged to take in more food material. The webworm only eats leaves within the web which makes the job of controlling them more difficult.

As far as control measures, one can spray the webs and the immediate foliage around the web with an insecticide such as Sevin. The greater the pressure, the better the job.

Webs may be pruned out at this time while the webs are still small. If pruning is not practical, one might consider twisting them out with a long pole and crushing the worms.

Another method is burning them out, but this should be a last resort measure because of the hazard. Individuals using this method should be extremely cautious when using a pipe around electric lines.

The ever present Red Spider Mite is beginning to show up around the home garden and can be found on tomatoes, peas and Marigolds. They thrive in hot weather, so they will be with us for a while.

The tiny sucking insects are difficult to see with the naked eye unless they get so bad that the web covers the plant. Kelthane is about the only insecticide that will control these insects. The traditional garden insecticides such as Sevin, and Diazinon will not control them.



Dear Nanalee:
I am enclosing a news release of our upcoming 50th wedding anniversary. We would appreciate it immensely if you can and will include it and the picture in the next edition of your paper, or the following one, please.

We feel because we have roots in Deport and Lamar County, that this item will be of news value to our friends and relatives there and elsewhere.

Since we left Deport many years ago, we have kept up with the happenings by way of the Deport Times media. We have seen the paper through various managements, and we plan to continue with our subscription to your paper which we enjoy and look forward to receiving each week. You are to be commended for the interesting pictures of activities, and the articles shared with us, also we are real pleased to now have a more complete reporting of the local, Deport Housing and Deport Nursing Home news. I am sure I speak for all of our subscribers. Keep up the excellent endeavors.
Sincerely yours,
Ruth M. Bell.

Bells To Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin D. Bell of Sherman, former Deport residents, will be honored between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. on Sunday, July 29 at the Wood Street Church of Christ with a reception in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary. Hosts will be their daughter and their friends.

The Bells were married July 31, 1934 in Deport with the Rev. C.S. Wilhite officiating.

Mrs. Bell is the former Ruth Marine Wimberly. She was born in Deport, the daughter of W.S. and Pearl Furgerson Wimberly. She attended Deport schools and Paris Junior College. She retired in 1978 from Texas Power and Light Company in Sherman after 23 years, receiving the status of "Home Service Advisor Emeritus", the first time TP&L has bestowed that honor.

Mr. Bell was born in Deport, the son of J. Frank and Minnie Grant Bell. He attended Deport Schools, and was with Manor Baking Company in Dallas for 17 years before retiring from Chickash Oil Company, Soybean Division in Sherman in 1975 after 19 years of service.

The Bells have one daughter, Mrs. Mildred Gwen Smith of Garland, and three grandchildren and two great-granddaughters.

The Bells are active members of the Wood Street Church of Christ in Sherman and active in Sherman civic affairs.

Mrs. Bell is currently active as a Volunteer Pink Lady with Wilson N. Jones Hospital, having served as president. She is also active in and a past president of each of the following: Grayson County Home Economist Association, Grayson County Federation of Women's Clubs, Medical Club of Sherman Auxiliary, Altrusa Club of Sherman, Business and Professional Women's Club. She received outstanding achievement awards from the Camp Fire Girls and the Girls Club of America of which she is a member of long standing of both. She is listed in the "Personalities of the South" edition.

Also active in the Daughters of the American Revolution and a member of Eastern Star.

The Bells have been active in United Way of Grayson County, Mrs. Bell being a past director. They also have taken part in the Austin College Drive. She served on the Goals for Sherman committee.

The reception is open to relatives and friends, and the couple ask that gifts be omitted.



Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Bell

Clardy News

By Sondra Martin

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballard and Kelli enjoyed lunch on the fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Skidmore of Biardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore and members of her family enjoyed a July 4 outing at Pat Mayse Lake with 30 members attending.

Mrs. Alvin Ballard of Clardy, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard, Terri and Chrystal of Quitman enjoyed lunch Wednesday with the Melvin Bryants of Pattonville.

Mrs. Doris Ballard and Mrs. Mary Stone made a business trip to Bonham Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Skidmore spent last Wednesday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eatherly of Paris.

Jennifer Stone spent last Tuesday with her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement.

Miss Amy Ballard spent last week with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Lewis of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris and

Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and family, along with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers of Minter and Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow Cotton of Paris all met with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Clement, Mrs. Kathy Redus and Dava and Mike Clement and Kelli on July 4 at Bob Sandlin Lake where they enjoyed lunch and dominoes.

Kimberly Davis spent the night last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Skidmore while her parents were on a religious retreat near Dallas.

Della Gibbs of Detroit spent a few days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard, Terri and Chrystal of Quitman, Mrs. Nancy Lassiter and Mindy of Paris and Mrs. Virgie Ballard visited the Norris Ballards last Wednesday evening.

Jana Pomroy and Ashley Lollar were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballard and Kelli enjoyed a hamburger supper

with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lassiter of Paris last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cole of Bonham were Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin and family.

Chrystal Ballard spent last Wednesday until Friday with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballard and Kelli.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Cooper and Ryan along with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodges of Rugby have returned home after vacationing in Pineville, Missouri, Eureka Springs and Hot Springs, Ark.

A crowd of girls gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballards Friday night to help Kelli celebrate her 10th birthday. Ice cold watermelon and other refreshments were enjoyed. The honoree received

many nice gifts and the girls enjoyed a slumber party.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Short and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Short of Paris Friday evening and all enjoyed homemade ice cream. Rena and Duffy Short who have been here visiting for three weeks returned home in Borger Saturday by plane.

Visitors of Mrs. Alvin Ballard last week and during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard, Terri and Chrystal, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ballard, Ginnifer and Mrs. Ryan of Gladewater, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ballard and Kelli, Mrs. Eugene Skidmore, Mrs. Kay Emmons, Lorretta and Mike of Clardy, Drew Temple of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement of Clardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris along with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers of Ronton last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ruby Hudson of Jennings visited Mrs. Virgie Ballard last Tuesday and they drove to Deport for a business visit.

Bainham Skidmore is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore.

Chrystal Ballard, Mary and Teresa Ballard and Ginnifer Ballard of Gladewater enjoyed Kelli Ballard's birthday party Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neal of Paris were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement.

Dawson Ballard and other guardsmen are spending two weeks training in Ft. Hood.

A.G. Ballard was in Dallas Tuesday for a medical check up.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard attended the homecoming and singing at Friendship Baptist Church near Biardstown Sunday evening. Kenneth Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig and Mrs. Katie Winters of Pattonville and Danny Craig and daughter, Danielle of Alabama were present and rendered beautiful songs.

Mrs. Kay Emmons and children spent Saturday in Sulphur Springs and Dike with two of their daughters at Dike they all enjoyed a swimming party.

Several men in the area are putting up hay crops which are short due to the lack of rain.

Jeffus' Note 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jeffus, Sr. and Mrs. Nanalee Nichols, Hugh Jeffus, Jr. and Jeffery, Marshall and Sandra

A family "get-together" at noon marked the occasion.

An apricot and white cake, double stemmed crystal bouquet and a 50th anniversary plaque were presented to the couple.

Deport Dukes Finish Season

The Deport Dukes finished their season Thursday, July 5 at Deport. The Dukes ended the season with six wins, five losses and one tie.

On June 21, Deport defeated Blossom I by a score of 21-20. On June 25, Deport was defeated by Avery, 30-19. On July 2, Blossom II defeated Deport by a score of 24-11. On July 5, Deport tied with Talco at 17 each.

The coaches would like to congratulate the kids on their effort this year. There were three boys who had played T-ball, the rest had never played before. Everyone is really proud of the team because they are a first year team and they finished third in the district. Avery won first and Detroit second.

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By Ann Crossland
 Kent Wright of Deport and Ann Crossland were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Strain and boys of Reno Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland visited Donnie Brown in St. Joseph Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Ann, Kent Wright of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and Michael, Travis Crossland and Annette enjoyed a picnic at the Wade Park Wednesday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Nichols the past week were Mike, Matthew, John and Suellen Barnes of Little Rock, Cal., and Grant and Tara Vance of Del Rio.

Anthony Barnes is recuperating nicely in Little Rock, Cal. from a fractured thigh bone.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Nichols were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vance of Del Rio.

Mark Parsons of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons and Kristi this weekend.

Mark Parsons of Dallas and Wendy Jetton of Paris were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons and Kristi.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard, Teresa and Crystal of Quitman, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Woodall and Priscilla of Clardy, Shari Bryant and Toni Priest of Reno, Albert Bryant of Southmayd and Anna McDowra.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carter this week were Mr. and Mrs.

Bobby Don Carter, Stephen and Melissa of Reno, Agnes Miller of Blossom, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Bell Day of Shady Grove.

Kent Wright and Ann Crossland enjoyed an ice cream supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Dawson and Rachel. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Wright, Jamie and Katy Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dawson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Dawson and family.

Howard Crossland of Harmon visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Ann Sunday.

Visitors of Mrs. Virgie Hoover over the weekend were Helen Hively, Doyle and Doylinda of Powderly, Mrs. Judy Starling and Nicholas of Germany, Mrs. Don Hard of Dallas, Carmon Dudley of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoover and children, Jaz, James, Lisa, Tammy, Charles and Ted of the Willow Creek Home and Faye Harper.

July 4th visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hoover were Mary Jo Barham of Paris and David and Wyn Hoover and daughter Heather of Pittsburg.

Kandy Kay Reid of Fayetteville, Ark., granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Pee Wee Reid of Paris has received good report. Kandy is taking treatment at St. Jude's children's hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys this week were L.C. Stout and granddaughter Christen Stout of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Clerman Phipps of Waco, Audrey Gillis of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Crossland.

Ann Crossland and Kent Wright of Deport visited Cindy Burks of Commerce Friday night.

Danny Ray Craig of Kenneshaw, Ga. visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig over the weekend.

Brock McDowra spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald McDowra.

Mark Parsons, Jeff McDowra and Geron Jackson have moved to Dallas where they are now working.

Louise Crossland and Ann Crossland visited Teri Cobb of Paris Monday night.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hoover this week were Melanie Fowler, Floyd Salter, Jo Barham of Paris and Heather Nan Hoover of Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wood and family of Longview visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland and Annette over the weekend.

Kimberly Gibson of Pattonville celebrated her fourth birthday Saturday at McDonald's in Paris. Attending were Pat Farris, Mark and Leann of Deport, Jackie and Ashley Coward of Powderly, Toy Varner, Tonya Case and Barbara Wood, all of Longview, Kirk and Debbie Ingram of Bogata, Ryan Peel of Blossom, Michael Crossland, Sue

Gibson, Kevin and Carrie, Leta Scott and Carley, Lynn Day, Jeremy and Misty, Josh Northam, Kathleen Gibson, Sonya Crossland and Annette and Brenda Gibson and Tammie, all of Pattonville.

Mrs. George Humphreys accompanied Frances Anderson to Bogata to visit Audrey Gillis Sunday afternoon.

Several from this area attended the gospel meeting held at the Blossom Church of Christ last week.

Guests this week of Mrs. Barney Scott, Pattonville, were her daughter and husband, Bill and Anna Gale Follis of San Angelo. Bill did a lot of carpenter work for Mrs. Scott while here. They left Thursday for Longview for a visit with Bill's mother and two of his sisters, and were to return to San Angelo on Sunday, July 8.

Other visitors at the Scott home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoover and Mrs. Edna Keener.

Deport Housing Authority News

By Mary Westbrook and Dorthea McDowra
 Greg James of Rockwall visited his grandmother, Mrs. Rosa Holley last week.

Mrs. JoDell Cooper of Cunningham and Boyd Betterton and wife of El Paso visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Betterton on Friday.

Mrs. Neva Weete enjoyed a birthday party in her honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gullion of Paris. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Humphrey of Clarksville, Mrs. Roy Gullion of Bogata and Mrs. Wheeler of Paris.

Paul Mazy of Pattonville visited Mrs. Annie Mazy on Sunday and took her for a joy ride.

Mrs. Gerri Moses and her mother, Mrs. Blanche Guyon visited with their children and grandchildren in Plano, Garland and Duncanville this past week.

Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hopkins, Connie Lynn and Kimberly Ann of South Carolina are visiting their grandmother and great-grandmother, Gera Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Snookie Lawler of Lewisville visited her sister, Beulah Shipp Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl McGiddy of Sel, Mr. Calif. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bessie Deal.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Talley over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Powell Aubrey, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aubrey from California, Mrs. Ruby Serpa from Utah, Mrs. Fay Clouch from Oregon, Mrs. Christine Miller from California, Mr. and Mrs. George Hallman from Utah, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Talley, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wear and Patsy Smith from Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Talley from Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Woods and children from Paris. The family and friends enjoyed a picnic lunch and singing by the Talley girls.

Mrs. Sylvia Cariker from Houston is visiting a few days with Mrs. Millie Shiver.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Joplin had as visitors over the weekend, Patsy Perkins and daughter and grandson from Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton from Atlanta, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Joplin and family from Powderly and Wesley Joplin and son from Dallas.

Jessie Fisher and Kay Jenkins of Detroit visited Eva Matlock on Saturday.

Mrs. Opal Foster visited her sister in Dallas on Monday. Anna Marie Sisk of Daingerfield visited her mother on Saturday night and attended the homecoming services at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Earley from Irving and their grandchildren from Clarksville visited Mrs. Rosa Holley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Moses of Plano visited his mother, Gerri Moses over the weekend.

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Recent visitors with Effie Thornton were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thorton of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Finney of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pruitt of Gainesville.

Paul and Sally admitted Effie to a hospital in Paris on Monday. She will have eye surgery Tuesday. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Keys and family of Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. James Keys, JoAnna and Mark of Deport had dinner with their father and grandfather July 4.

Way Woodard of Paris spent Sunday with his mother, Faye Woodard Sunday.

Mina Kyle has returned home. She visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staten and family of Houston. Another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Epley and family of Liberty Hill, her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Kyle and family of Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cavender of Fulbright visited Mr. and Mrs. Curran Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Johnson and children of Plano visited his mother and grandmother, Gera Johnson

Thornton Family Reunion Held Saturday

Descendants of Henry and Emma Underwood Thornton met on Saturday, July 7, marking the third annual reunion of the Thornton family. Sixty-five family members gathered at the American Legion Hall in Deport. Five states were represented at the reunion with Bobby and Jitter Thornton of Lakewood, California having traveled the greatest distance.

Attending were Hattie Seals,

Aubrey and Mary Cooper and Effie Thornton of Deport; Lucille Garner, Patricia Allen and sons, Jamie, Buddy and Beau of Carlsbad, N.M.; Neva Underwood Brooks of San Angelo; Dale, Christi, Jeremy and Jason Thornton of Texarkana, Ark.; Bob and Rita Harden and two children of Sunnyvale; Paul and Sally Thornton of Odessa; Dale and Paula Finney of Amarillo; Jim Fortner, Tom and Jimmie Under-

wood, Bob, Billie and Jay Hancock, Donnie, Shirley and Dorie Smith, Raymon and Myrtis Mauldin of Bogata; Henry and Martha Thornton of Hawkins; Charlotte, Renee and Regina Lusk of Jacksonville; Bob and Jitter Thornton of Lakewood, Ca, Leonard and Linda, Christy, Lisa and Rayanne Morgan and Kellen, Trice of Kilgore; Fayrene Hardy Wallace of Estes Park, Colo.; Mike and Rebecca Ingram, Dusten and Kerry, Sara Williams and Amy and Greg, Mt. Pleasant; Harvey and Bernice Pruitt of Gainesville; Una Armstrong Harden, Dewey and Martha Cloyd of Pittsburg; Duane, Sandra, Jayson and Kim Benson of Clarksville; and Bob and Marilyn McFatridge and Pam Dunsmore of Mesquite.

Next year the reunion is planned for Saturday, July 6 in Deport.

Eastern Star Holds Meeting

Deport O.E.S. Chapter 1045 held its first meeting in the Masonic Hall in Deport. Mrs. Warren Daves and Buford Cleveland, Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron presided over the meeting. All 18 officers and two proteoms were present plus other regular members.

The Worthy Matron outlined new duties for the coming year, telling new officers that everyone should study their parts. The correspondence was read and dispensed with and minutes were read and approved.

The Chapter has an invitation to the Deport Mason installation. Study club will be July 19 at 7 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.

There will be a past Matrons and Patrons club meeting on August 10 at Mrs. Bill Parks home.

The refreshments were served by Mrs. Warren Daves and Mrs. Booker McGee, the hostess.

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Fred and Dorothy White.
Kay Kennedy

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We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to everyone for all they did during our accident and hospital stay. All the visits, flowers, cards, food and prayers were very appreciated by our family.
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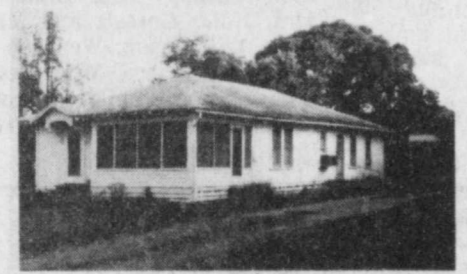
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Blossom Locals

By Mrs. Marvin Bruce
Mrs. Ann Thompson was honored with a birthday lunch at Bonanza Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bruce, Monica and Tony Elrod.
Mr. and Mrs. Jay Johnson and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson, Kristi and Bryan of Deport visited their daughter and sister, Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Lintz, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ray, Lisa and Lori and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Shields, Joshua and Steven Litz of Dallas on Saturday.
Miss Frankie Parks of Deport spent the first weekend in July with her cousin, Mrs. Robbie Nell Scudder.
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie White of LaMarque and son and daughter-in-

law, Mr. and Mrs. David White of Houston visited Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Joe Carter last weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bruce spent the day in Sherman Monday.
Mrs. Ann Thompson, Kevin and Monica, Emma Sharp and Tony Elrod went to Beaver's Bend Oklahoma Sunday afternoon.

Pete Skidmore spent several days last week in McCuiston Hospital with back problems but is much better now.

Mrs. Jack Woodard and Mrs. Loraine Kruger had lunch with Mrs. R.T. Nichols Sunday.

Mrs. May Chumbley and daughter, Viola Brindle of the Medical Plaza Nursing Home spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Mable Parker.

Hymen Weddle of Jefferson spent the weekend here with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Weddle and family.

Jamie Jackson spent Saturday night with his great-grandmother, Mrs. Mable Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shores spent the weekend with his brother, Mr. Al Shores in Louisiana.

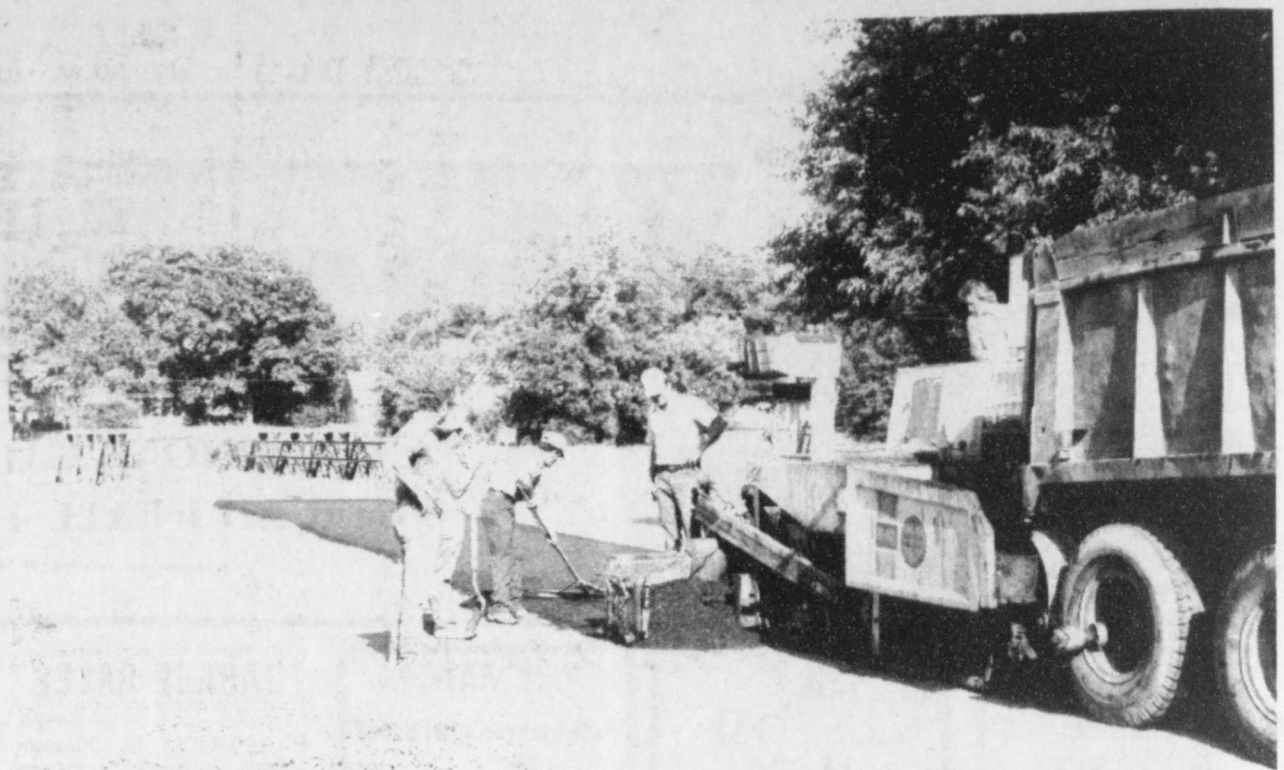
Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Booth had lunch Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mable Parker.

Mrs. B.F. Allen visited her daughter, Mrs. Frances Stephenson of Avery Monday through Friday morning of last week and returned to her home with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman of Keller, who spent Friday night with her.

The Church of God had a shower Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Junior Weddle who had their home destroyed by fire two weeks ago.

The First Baptist Church of Blossom had Dr. Dennis Blackmon, director of personnel for the Evangelism Board of the Brazilian Baptist Convention for their speaker at the morning and evening worship services Sunday, July 1.

Sunday, July 8, the visiting preacher was Rev. James Clark, retired minister who is a member of the Leesville Baptist Church and lives in the Addielou community north of Detroit.



NEW STREET Surface-Trail Street, which runs east off of Main in Deport, was completely given a new surface last week, as asphalt crews laid now a smooth, black coating. The project was paid for by the city, and the street which runs in front of the school will soon be completely redone, using grant money, with new surface, and curbs. (Staff Photo)

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By Rena Nobles
Mrs. Jo Murrell of Kaufman and Mrs. Pat Linden of Irving came Sunday and remained until Thursday of last week with Mrs. Alice Westbrook.
Gordon Bryson of Tyler visited his mother, Mrs. Venice Bryson part of last week.
Miss Izetta Sparks of Denton and Miss Lucile Moore of Ft. Worth spent part of this week with Miss Edith Fuller, Ara and Clarence Fuller.

Miss Sparks visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Storey also.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bryson of Denison were Sunday guests with his mother, Mrs. Maurine Bryson.
Mr. and Mrs. Pat Nobles and Beth left Thursday after spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Rena Nobles. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hindman and other friends in Irving, returning to their home in Reston, Va. on Sunday.
Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Doug

Alsobrook Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jones and baby of Lewisville, all having dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Norrell in Minter. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alsobrook of Paris came Sunday afternoon.
Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bailey were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bailey of Reno, Mrs. Quincy Pomroy of Irving, Mrs. Marie Blackman of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Ruby Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Bumgarner.

Local 4-Her's To Compete In Fashion Show

The Northeast District 4-H Fashion Show is set for Thursday, July 26 at the Wesley United Methodist Church in Sulphur Springs. Four 4-H members from Lamar County will compete in the annual event, whose theme this year is "4-H Fashions

Tropical Treasures." Each of the contestants won their division in the local county fashion show.
Winning seniors and juniors will receive plaques. All others will receive a ribbon based on placing.

Making the trip from Lamar County will be Wendy Milford, Amy Milford, Katie Williams and Melody Dingman, alternate.
The Fashion Show begins with registration at 9:30 a.m. Judging begins at 10 a.m. and the style show at 1:30 p.m.

Deport Nursing Home News

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Shannon was Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Goforth and Mr. and Mrs. Grant White of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Wright and children visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Mayes.
Visiting Winnie Chamberlain was

also Lillian Garrett of Red Oak, Marie Kearns and Opal Miller of Paris. From Blossom were Effie Martin, Lula Richards, Bertha Boren, Ida Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Crawford, Lena Powell of Bogata, Elaine Wooten of Deport and Eloise Sparks and Melvin Bryant of Pattonville.

Rae Maddox from Powderly visited with Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Nobles, Mr. and Mrs. Russie Bell and other friends on Friday.

her sister, Theola Srader and grandchildren from Paris.
Visiting with Mrs. Georgia Donaldson was her grandchildren, Stanley and Letha Black of Childress, Jimmie Black of Clarksville and Elsie and Joe Donaldson from Garland.

We have several in the hospital, Alex Tucker, Mrs. Lillie Philley, Mrs. Edna Gossett and Mrs. Gertrude Williamson. We wish them a speedy recovery. Mrs. Neva Jean Oats and the children from Cunningham entertained our residents Friday afternoon.

Visiting with Maudie Baxter was Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boren of East Post Oak and Mrs. John Porter of Blossom.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Margaret Bolton was Teddy Dockery from Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Slusher of Hopeville, Ca., Juanita and Julie Banks and Dora Webb from Irving,

Dorothy Rader visited with Gerda Hendley.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Webb visited Mrs. Onetta Ray.
Inez Luttrell from Blossom visited her niece, Mary Mathews on her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Webb visited Mrs. Onetta Ray.

Mrs. Bob Isbell of Clarksville visited with Mrs. Alene Barham.

Visiting with Mrs. Carol Reed and daughter Candi.

Mrs. Frances Anderson took her mother, Myrtle Hulett to Pattonville to visit with Mrs. Carol Reed and daughter Candi.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDowra visited with his grandmother, Allie Malone.

Visiting with William Justus was his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tollie Griffith.

Blossom Housing Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Freeman of Paris visited their aunt, Mrs. Leona McDowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sessum visited his mother, Ethel Sessum Sunday afternoon.

Emily Townsend from Dallas spent the fourth with her mother, Dorothy Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jackson, Martha and Aaron from DeSoto and John Castleman from Detroit visited Lottie Vickers and Autis Vickers over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Athas and Ashley from Pennsylvania visited her grandmother, Aileen Herron Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David McFadden from Irving, Mrs. Martha Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Stone and Jennifer from Clardy, Steve Reeves from Post Oak visited Georgia Clark Saturday.

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

Lottie Vickers and Autis Vickers spent Sunday in Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vickers and family.

Margaret Whitley with Judy Whitley visited Marine Bradley and they went shopping in Paris. Marine Bradley visited her sister, Cletus Thomas Wednesday and they went shopping in Paris.

Gladys Aubrey from Sulphur Springs visited her mother Ottis Boyer over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lee from Ft. Worth visited his mother, Rhoda Lee on Saturday and they attended the East Post Oak homecoming Saturday night. Ruthie McNabb of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bates visited Rhoda Lee Sunday.

Carl Westmorland fell and fractured a rib last week and can't get around much. Autis Vickers visited him Saturday afternoon and he was feeling better.

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| BREAD Ideal Soft Mix Large Loaf 69¢ | BISCUITS Parade 5/89¢ | BREAD Mrs. Bairds Sta Fresh Large Loaf 69¢ |
| APPLE JUICE Parade Qt. 89¢ | GLADE Air Freshener 89¢ | |

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| Minimum \$500.00 | | |
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| TERM | RATE | YIELD * |
| 3 Month | 10.00 | 10.38 |
| 6 Month | 11.50 | 12.01 |
| 12 Month | 11.75 | 12.28 |
| 18 Month | 11.75 | 12.28 |
| 24 Month | 12.00 | 12.55 |
| 30 Month | 12.00 | 12.55 |
| 36 Month | 12.25 | 12.82 |
| 48 Month | 12.50 | 13.10 |
| 60 Month | 12.75 | 13.37 |

JUMBO CD'S

Minimum \$100,000.00

| TERM | RATE | YIELD * |
|----------|-------|---------|
| 6 Month | 12.75 | 13.37 |
| 12 Month | 13.00 | 13.65 |
| 24 Month | 13.10 | 13.76 |
| 36 Month | 13.20 | 13.87 |

* Based on a compounding quarterly yield assuming all principal and interest remain on deposit for one year. Current rates are subject to change. Federal law required substantial penalty for early withdrawal of principal from certificates.

EXEC-U-CHEK

Minimum \$2,500.00

| TERM | RATE | YIELD ** |
|--------------|-------|----------|
| Daily Access | 10.00 | 10.47 |

** Interest compounded monthly
All accounts are federally insured up to \$100,000.