

Prairiland Board Election Uncontested

The Prairiland Trustee election will have few surprises, as the two seats that will be up for re-election April 6 are uncontested.

Billy Ray Oats has filed for Place 5 on the school board, and Rufus Merritt has filed for Place 7. Both are incumbents.

At the regular school board meeting Monday night the discussion of the bus system was the main topic. It was pointed out that the Prairiland CISD school transportation system is the only one in the area that stands on its own and that the major reason for this was

excellent preventive maintenance. A new school bus averages around 8 years of use. A new bus is expected in soon, and they run around \$22,000.

The board discussed measures needed to collect delinquent taxes. They will attend a meeting on April 24 of all the area school boards. Discussion on the use of the school

cafeteria on groups other than school supported must be approved by the school board. The board voted to allow the Blossom Girl Scouts to hold their banquet there, and to decide at the next meeting if the Rural-Urban Dinner could be held in the

Prairiland gym.

Election Board Judges were selected, with Mrs. W.O. Bonner at Blossom, Mrs. Ira Taylor at Cummingham, Mac Webb at Deport and Mrs. Austin Eudy at Pattonville.

Other things discussed were board policies and school policies from

Austin. The board also considered whether there was a need for a summer school for youngsters who might be failing. Personnel matters were discussed in executive session. Minutes and finances were approved.



Nichols Worth

By: Nanalee Nichols

Well, when the wind blows, down in old East Texas...you pretty well know what month it is...March.

Sure enough, March came tearing in like the traditional lion. And whether the month decides to leave in a lamb-like manner or not, in between there will be plenty of wind howling and moaning through the days in between.

Apparently the constant wind irritates lots of nerves, and has for a long time. Even Caesar was warned to 'beware the ides of March.' Daring irrational things somehow may not be as bad with that wind howling in the ear.

Fortunately for the eastern part of Texas dust storms aren't as big a problem as they are in West Texas. But the wind blows just as hard and steady in the spring around this neck of the woods as it does out where there aren't any woods.

Texas is noted for redical weather changes and pretty hefty gusts of wind are no exception.

During the spring the invisible hands of March spread trash like confetti, pry unkeily at well-nailed sheet iron until it's just a flopping piece of tin, and sings happily in the ears until humans want to scream.

But the winds of spring, like most things, have their hidden blessings.

The current glow isn't cold...it doesn't cut to the bone and steal the breath away.

The current wind is steadily drying the soil out...and as far behind as area farmers and gardeners are, that has to be great.

The clouds scud across the sky quickly, and the wind shakes at flower and tree buds until they burst into bloom.

Oh, sure, it's an aggravation, but Mother Nature probably felt like there had to be some bug in the soup of spring!

It wouldn't do to let humans enjoy spring too much...they'd probably protest for spring to be the only time of the year!

So whenever the wind takes the cap off your head, scatters the trash, settles a layer of dust over the house...bear with it.

Remember, March marks the true beginning of SPRING...and it's pretty hard to find anyone who isn't ready for that season of the year!

People and Things

There will be an AMERICAN LEGION MEETING, Thursday night, March 14, at 7:00 P.M. EVERYONE URGED to attend.

There will be a COMMUNITY-WIDE MUSIC SERVICE at the Deport METHODIST Church at 4 p.m. on PALM SUNDAY, March 31...Rehearsals are being held on WEDNESDAY the 13th and 20th and 27th at 6:30 at the Methodist Church

There will be a BABY SHOWER for DEBBIE ROWLAND at the First United Methodist Church, DEPORT, Fellowship Hall at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 16.....

The family of Charles and Pat SPEIR lost everything in a HOUSE FIRE MONDAY...a fund has been set up for the family at the First National Bank of Deport and the First National Bank in Bogata...Clothing sizes are: man-size 34-32 pants, 16 shirt, 9 shoe...womans size 7 pants, 10 blouse, 6 1/2 shoe...sons size 29 to 30 pants, 1 1/2 medium shirt and 9 shoe...two of the girls wear size 3 pants, 8 blouses and 6 1/2 to 7 shoes...the youngest daughter wears size 12 slim slacks, 2 to 14 blouse and 5 1/2 shoe...any articles of any nature are needed and more information can be obtained by calling 652-2900.....

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GIRL SCOUT WEEK-Deport Mayor Charles Foster signed a proclamation proclaiming Girl Scout Week this week while Brownie Shanna Denison watched.

Mayor Foster Signs Girl Scout Proclamation

Mayor Charles Foster has proclaimed March 10-16 as Girl Scout Week in KDeport.

In a special proclamation, the mayor asked all citizens to recognize and support the contributions made by Girl Scouts and adult Girl Scout Volunteers toward improving the quality of life in Lamar County.

The mayor cited Girl Scouting as

an important way for girls to become self-reliant, productive and self-confident women through wholesome and enjoyable activities. He also praised Girl Scouting as an investment in tomorrow's leadership and included a special welcome to Girl Scouting's newest member: Daisy Girl Scouts, who are five year old or in kindergarten.

Girl Scouts will celebrate the

73rd birthday on March 12. River Valley Girl Scout Council will join Girl Scout councils all across the United States to sponsor events based on the theme "The Best Part's the Fun."

The Girl Scout Week proclamation was signed by Mayor Charles Foster in the presence of Shanna Denison on March 11, 1985.



DEPORT BROWNIE Troop number 74, second grade age, has been celebrating their special Girl Scout Week this week. From left to right are: Shanna Denison, Brittney Ladd, Heather Salter, Jennifer Goolsby. Not Pictured are Le Ann J'Farris, Gina Lane and Carrie Gibson. (Staff Photo)



CELEBRATING GIRL SCOUT Week this week are members of the Deport Brownie Troop Number 54, 1st grade age. From left to right are: Melody Sullivan, Tammie Gibson, Misty Day, Beth Ann Roach, Felisha Wilson and Amy Strickland. Their troop leader is Kay Webb. (Staff Photo)

American Legion Celebrates 66 Years

Amid the turmoil and confusion of post-war Europe, a group of American veterans of the First Expeditionary Force met in Paris, France. Their purpose: the creation of an organization of veterans devoted to God, Country and the widows and orphans of their fellow servicemen who never returned. They called this new organization... The American Legion.

It was March 1919. The "War to End All Wars" was over, but The American Legion was just beginning. As veterans from World War I met in Paris, the foundation of the world's greatest association of former servicemen was built.

It has been 66 years since those battle-weary veterans met in Paris... taking the first steps to form The American Legion. Today The American Legion remains in the forefront of those who insist that America's program of veterans benefits remains modern and meaningful, in terms of today's economy, technology and the changing needs of veterans.

Legion founders saw a staggering number of returning World War I veterans needing medical attention and realized there were not enough hospitals to shelter the sick and wounded, much less care for their needs.

There were no beds, no medical care, no government compensation... in fact no provisions whatsoever for looking after the battlefield wounded cases of the first world war.

What the fledgling American Legion did to overcome these obstacles is history. One only need look at the accomplishments of The American Legion down through the years to realize what a vibrant and

viable force we have been on the American scene: the establishment of the Veterans Administration with its hospital-medical care program for veterans, aid to the sick and handicapped, programs for the protection and the well-being of the nation's children are just a few examples of that force.

In 1985 we are aware of another special challenge facing The American Legion. The veteran population is aging in geometric proportions. At the present time, there are 10.7 million surviving veterans of World War II, averaging 64 years of age. However, in the year 2000 the total veteran population over age 65 will more than triple.

What better time than now to renew our pledge of service to veterans as we pause and reflect on our founders hopes and dreams... 66 years ago.

Today the care, comfort and proper protection of the rights and benefits of veterans and their dependents is as much a matter of prime concern to The American Legion as it was in the days when our founding fathers decided that rehabilitation should be one of the basic programs of the Legion.

We believe that if those war-weary veterans gathered in Paris 66 years ago spoke to us today, they would say thank you for continuing their vital concern for America's veterans, thanks for the ongoing search for world peace, and thanks for protecting a valuable American resource... our nation's children.

The American Legion, 66 years of service... service of which every American can and should be proud.

This article was provided by the Warren Teague Post, American Legion, Deport, Texas.



DRYER FIRE + Mrs. Nolan Mitchell of Deport found her dryer smoking and melting Tuesday afternoon. The house narrowly missed catching fire. Deport Volunteer firemen carried the smoking appliance out of her house and checked to make sure no fire had started in the wall. (Staff Photo)

Softball Teams To Register

In order for a softball team to compete in post season tournaments, they must be registered with the Amateur Softball Association. Any men's open or women's open team must send a \$5 check made payable to Texas A.S.A. to: Dick Boots, ASA District 37, P.O. BOX 7878, Paris, TX. 75460. The deadline for receiving this fee is June 13, 1985. The District Tournament for men's open will be held in Paris on July 26 and 27, and the women's open District Tournament will be in Paris on July 19-20. Please register as soon as possible so information from the A.S.A. will be sent to you within three weeks of

registering. Questions can be asked of Dick Boots at 214-785-7511.

Editor's Quote Book

Active natures are rarely melancholy. Activity and sadness are incompatible.



Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
Word has been received of the death of Son Davis of Matador. He married the former Eunice Nolen and they were former residents of this area. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen with Bob Allen and John C. and Tony Duncan of Blossom and Allen Dale Hudleston of Bogata were in Tyler Friday night to hear the Oak Ridge Boys in concert. Others attending were Kim Allen, Debbie Lamb and Rick Shannon of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hughes of Houston spent from Saturday until Tuesday with Berniece Bledsoe. Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickey of Sulphur Springs Sunday afternoon.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Mae Posey who passed away in the Golden Age Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

Kelley Anderson of Bogata spent the weekend with her father, Mickey Anderson. They spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Spears of Greenville.

Velma Cox spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Godon Cox of Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Phillips of Greenville spent Sunday with Berniece Bledsoe.

Mrs. Joe Bailey Williams was dismissed from the Clarksville Hospital Friday. She is home and doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Merchant, Stephanie and Bobby Jo of Bogata visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Smith Saturday night.

Mrs. Pauline Platt of Taylortown visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Friday morning.

Mrs. Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Mesquite spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Posey and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Posey, JDon and Arthur Glenn of Houston spent Friday night with Mrs. Ida Deshong.

Lloyd Sterling and William Goodman of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney visited with Mrs. C.M. Whitney of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Allison of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitney, and Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Whitney of Royce City in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Whitney of Royce City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith and Gene of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith of Blossom spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Smith.

Donald Smith of Paris visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Chipman was in Dallas Sunday.

Teresa Norwood of Katy was a Friday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Velma Cox spent Sunday with Mrs. Dorothy Meadors and Joyce of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ruyle of Taylortown Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood of Paris were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Sunday.

Mrs. James Winters of Paris visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Thursday.

Mrs. Clyde Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Smith of Glory Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Alex D. Tucker Dies At Age 86

Alex D. Tucker, Deport Nursing Home, died Saturday, March 9 at the nursing home.

Funeral services were held in Grant Funeral Home Chapel March 11 at 11 a.m. with burial in kDetro Cemetery.

Rev. Eddie Clements officiated.

Mr. Tucker was born on July 25, 1898, in Red River County, a son of Oscar A. and Ollie Wilson Tucker. He was married Dec. 30, 1916 to Allie Mae Garrison in Fulbright. She preceded him in death on May 19, 1968. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include three sons, A.D. Tucker of Powderly, Ray Tucker of Louisville, Ky., and Stephan Tucker of Dallas; one daughter, Mrs. E.J. (Thelma) Shelby of Deport; one brother, Clyde Tucker of Corpus Christi; nine grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren. One son, James Tucker, preceded him in death in April of 1981.

Paternal grandparents were grandson, Pat Tucker, Del Norte, Colo., Jac Tucker, and Jerry Tucker, Detroit Tx., Douglas Tucker of Louisville Kentucky, Alex Tucker, Dallas, Tx and James Anderson, Garland, Tx.

Roy Wayne Whitney Dies At Age 45

Roy Wayne Whitney of Talco died at 11:30 PM Thursday, March 7, 1985 at Titus County Memorial Hospital. Age 45, he was born December 10, 1939 in Franklin County. He was a contractor and a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Talco.

He is survived by his wife Shirley and mother Lucille Whitney, both of Talco; three daughters, Teresa Whitney of Hooks, Mrs. Bruce Murray Posey of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Bob Beth Davis of Jonesboro, La.; four sons, Toby Whitney of Hooks, James Whitney of Talco, Ray Whitney of Carlsbad, CA. and Charles Tippin of Lone Star; two grandchildren, Eric Posey and Chris Tippin.

He also leaves two sisters, Shirley Walker of Talco and Linda Parrish of Mt. Pleasant; one brother Gary Whitney of Talco.

Services have been set for 2 PM Saturday at the Calvary Baptist Church in Talco with interment in Talco Cemetery. Brother Marion Coon and John David Wright will officiate.



Mrs. Etta Sommers Dies At Age 89

Mrs. Etta Coble Sommers, Medica Plaza Nursing Home and formerly o Deport, died Monday, March 4 a McCuiston Regional Medica Center.

Funeral services were held at p.m. Thursday, March 7 at Bright Holland Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Alan Knuckles officiating. Burial was in Long Cemetery.

She was born on March 30, 1895, i Memphis, Tenn., a daughter of Mr and Mrs. William Perkins. She was married to William Ballard Coble i June of 1914 in Reno. He preceded her in death in August of 1957. Sh then married Robert Sommers i 1960 in Memphis, Texas. H preceded her in death in 1967. Sh was a member of the Depor Methodist Church.

Survivors include five sons Leonard Gordon Coble of Sa Antonio, Gene Coble of Albuquerque N.M., Bill Coble of Amarillo, Delber D. Coble of Lubbock and Richard E Coble of San Antonio; two daughters Laura Mae Jackson of Idaho an Syble Alexander of Powderly; 2 grandchildren; and several great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren.

Mrs. Mae Posey Dies At Age 101

Mrs. Mae Posey who was a resident of the Golden Age Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant died Thursday. Funeral SERVICES WERE HELD Saturday at the Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home in Mt. Pleasant at 2:00 o'clock. Burial was made at Blessing, Texas, Sunday at 1:00 o'clock. She was born April 22, 1883, in Little Rock, Arkansas, daughter of Marion and Emma (Rose) Farris. She married Alfred Posey.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Rachel Sain and Mrs. Ollie Ruth Guthrie of Talco, Mrs. Goldie Brown of Blessing, and Mrs. Ida Deshong of Cunningham, and two sons, Buford Posey and Kenneth Posey of Houston.

Miss Willie Sloan Dies At Age 88

Miss Willie Sloan, 88, o Clarksville, died in Red River Have Nursing Home Thursday, March 7.

Services were held Saturday March 9, at 2 p.m. in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Jame Brown officiating. Clarksvill Funeral Home has charge c arrangements.

Miss Smith was born Dec. 28, 1896 in Red River County a daughter o Ike and Susan Garrett Sloan.

Surviving are a sister, Nellie Nas of Bogata; two nieces and tw nephews.

Fulbright Good Neighbor Club Meets

The Good Neighbor Club of Fulbright met on February 28, at the home of Mrs. Roy Legate. We sang songs and had prayer to open the roll call.

There were 9 members and 6 visitors present.

For the program they had various crafts of pictures, crochet in frams, crocheted afghans called mite-a-minute or back bone.

Mrs. Scroggins of McCrury showed how to do reverse painting on a canvas and frame it. We saw how to do picture quilling of wedding invitations, however invitations and picture framing of quilling.

Refreshments of sandwiches, chips, cookies and hot chocolate were served.

The next meeting will be March 14 at the home of Ethel Epps.

Seminar Set At PJC

A seminar on how the telephone can work for you will be presented at Paris Junior College on March 28 and 29 said June Jones, director of community services for PJC. The public is invited, and no fee will be charged.

Charlotte Bouw of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. will make the presentation on Thursday, March 28, from 7 to 9 p.m. and on Friday, March 29, from 9 to 11 a.m. in the Alford Center at PJC. Those interested may attend either seminar for the same information.

The seminar is designed to assist business owners and employees in proper use of the telephone and tips for making the best impression in a telephone conversation. The seminars will be limited so reservations should be made by calling the PJC Community Services Office, 784-9445 or 784-9447.



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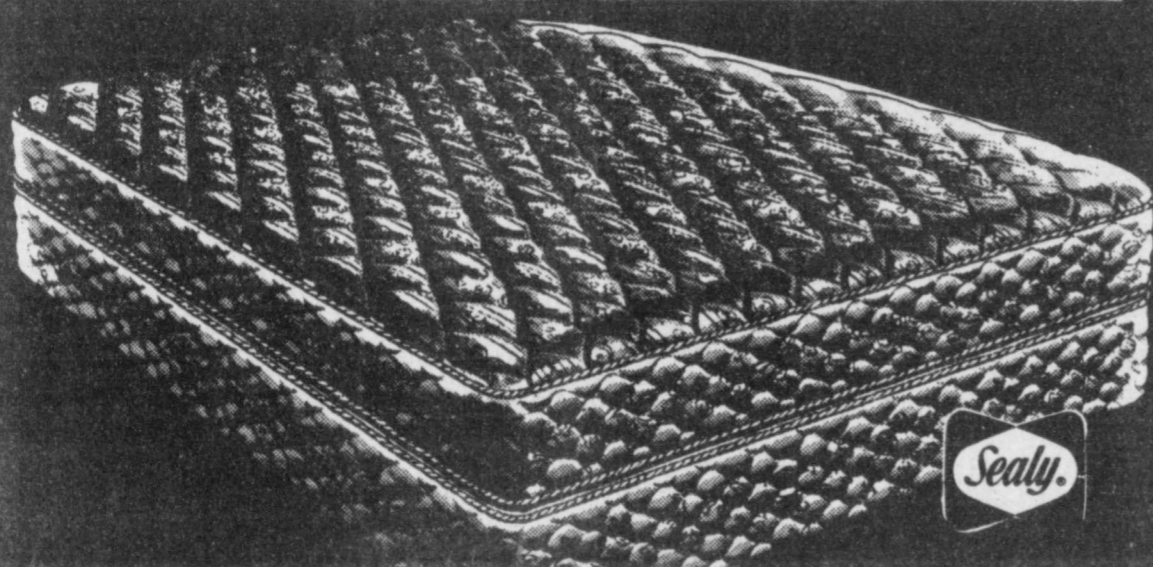
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Winters-Bowman Exchange Wedding Vows

Miss Tonya Kay Bowman and Mr. Douglas Kyle Winters were united in marriage on Saturday, February 2, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. The double ring ceremony was performed by Mik Ary of Irving, Texas at Centre Baptist Church in Bryan. Music was provided by Cheryl Murff, of Dallas Melle Sensibaugh, MaryLyn Sheffield and Steve Austin, of Bryan.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Karlyn Martine and Mr. Donnie G Bowman. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lorene Bartee and Mrs. Ruby Bowman of Littlefield, Tx.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Winters of Pattonville Tx. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Mr. Wallace Winters of Pattonville.

Given in marriage by her father, Tonya wore a princess silhouette gown of white satin designed with sheer sculptured yoke. Her long fitted sleeves fell to "V" notched cuffs with tiny covered buttons. The traditional gown was trimmed with re-embroidered Alecon lace over English netting on the neck, sleeve and scattered motifs over the skirt. The bride's veil cascaded over her shoulders and to the end of the Cathedral length train and was secured by a pearl and rhinestone covered tiara.

The attendants wore slipper-length red satin gowns accented by a fu Sassoon bow in back, complimentin

the full skirt. Both the bride and he attendants carried crescent shape bouquets filled with orchids, re sweetheart roses and alstromeria.

Maid of Honor was Renee' Black (Bryan. Bridesmaids were Susa Bacon of Houston, Kelli Harvey Laura Ray, Lisa Ryan and Kare Wido, all from Bryan. Amy Haigoo junior bridesmaid, and Hale Hanslik, flowergirl, were also (Bryan.

Best man was Kip Winters (Huntsville, Tx., brother of the groom. Groomsmen were GeDo Bowman of College Station, brother of the bride, Scott McCollum (College Station, Tracy Norwood (Cunningham, Mike Saul of Colleg Station and Wes Winters of Pa tonville, and brother of the groom Ushers were Rodney Martine (Bryan, Tony Poorman of Abilene and Doug Ray of Lexington. Ring bearer was Lance Lester of Bryan.

The bride was an honor graduate of Bryan High School and attended Texas A&M University for two years. She is now employed by Par Avenue Beauty Salon. The bridegroom was an honor graduate of Prairiland High School and Texas A&M University. He is employed by Big 3 Mobile Homes in Caldwell.

The newlyweds will reside in Bryan after they return from their honeymoon in the Bahamas.



Mrs. Douglas Kyle Winters

Clardy News

Mrs. Virgie Ballard Major Tony Ballard of Alvok, Oklahoma, and his mother were Pecan Gap visitors last Tuesday.

Mrs. Evelyn Gerger of Houston spent part of last week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clement.

Mrs. Mary Stone fell at her home last Wednesday evening, bruising herself and having to spend several days in McCuiston Medical Center.

Friends and relatives here were sorry to hear about the serious illness of Mrs. Roy Muier of Paris. She was the former Thelma Crockett and was raised at Pattonville. Everyone hopes she will be better soon.

Mrs. Kay Peek and children of Fulbright visited Mrs. Kay Emmons Thursday.

Tony Ballard of Alva, Ok., spent Thursday with his brother, Delbert Ballard of Quitman.

Miss Meshele Emmons was ill part of last week.

Pete Hudson of Jennings and his son, Brad of Deport spent part of last week in Austin for the boys basketball playoffs.

Young Mike Emmons received a fair checkup in Dallas Hospital last Thursday and was able to discard his wheel chair.

Tony Ballard was in Tyler Friday night to hear the Oak Ridge Boys. Tony also visited his cousin, Gary Ballard at Prairiland High School Thursday morning.

Mrs. Lois Ballard spent last week

in Gatesville with her granddaughter Miss Lea Ann Ballard who teaches in the school there.

All schools in the area are on spring break this week.

Gary Ballard of Summer visited his father, Roland Ballard Friday morning.

Mr. Sam Skidmore spent Saturday with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fletcher of Paris.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard was in Paris Saturday morning to see her cousin, Mrs. Thelma Muier who is ill in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ballard and children of Gladewater spent Saturday night and Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Alvin Ballard. Also Dawson Ballard of Camp Maxey.

Miss Lea Ann Ballard of Gatesville is spending this week with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ballard of Delmar. She is on spring break.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ballard and children and Mrs. Virgie Ballard had lunch in Paris Sunday.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard spent from Monday until Wednesday with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ballard of Gladewater.



Deport OES Chapter Meets

Deport Lodge Order of Eastern Star No. 1045 met in regular session at the Masonic Temple in Deport.

Worthy Matron Mrs. Warren Daves and Worthy Patron Buford Cleveland presided over the meeting. Pledge of allegiance was led by Buford Cleveland.

Meeting opened in regular form. Secretary Mrs. Jimmie Sparks read the minutes and they were approved, bulletin and all correspondence read, report of treasurer given.

Motion was made by Mrs. Yuba Sparks and seconded by Mrs. Willard Barber to pay bills for supplies ordered, and motion passed.

Protems for the meeting were Mrs. Jimmie King, Adah, Mrs. Henry S. Mankins served as Treasurer and Henry S. Mankins was warden.

Cards of thanks were read by Mrs. Daves from Deputy Grand Matron.

Secretary, Mrs. Richard Ward of Past Matrons, Past Patrons Club gave report on last club meeting. The next meeting of the club will be March 23 in the Masonic Temple, Deport.

The Chapter voted to be one hundred percent in the Founders Day Fund motion was made by Mrs. Booker McGee, seconded by Mrs. Richard Ward.

By-laws committee will meet at 10 am. Monday at the worthy matron's, Mrs. Daves, home.

Report of sick was given. Glad to have the Worthy Patron back. Card of thanks from Mrs. Curtis Hoover on the loss of Mr. Hoover.

The group welcomed back Bro. Jimmie Sparks.

Mrs. Herman LaRue was appointed flower girl for the chapter.

Mason Brothers will be honored with a covered dish dinner at 7 p.m. on March 30 at the Masonic temple.

Request for clothes to be brought for the shelter was made.

Friday 42 Club Meets

The Friday "42" Club met Friday March 9 with Alma Scaff as hostess. Dorthea McDowra and Ethel Epps were guests. Dorthea made high score for guests and Mary Westbrook was high scorer for members. The hostess served a salad and dessert plate for refreshments. The next meeting will be March 22 with Ara Fuller as hostess.

Tuesday 42 Club Meets

The Tuesday "42" Club met Tuesday 5 with Mrs. David Scaff. There were two visitors, Mrs. Frank Griffin and Miss Edith Fuller. Mrs. Griffin made high score for visitors and Dorthea McDowra for members. The hostess served a sandwich and dessert plate for refreshments. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Curtis Hoover as hostess, March 19.



have a nice weekend

Pattonville News

By Ann Crossland
Jo Barham of Paris visited Mrs. Curtis Hoover Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Carter and Melissa of Reno, Floy and Elmer Sparks, James Day, Belle Day, Terry McDowra, Sonny and Heather Salter, Cherry Walker of Paris, Agnes Miller of Blossom were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Carter.

a son was born March 8th at McCuiston Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland. He weighed 7 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs. His name is David Houston.

Prairiland students are enjoying break this week.

Michael Crossland spent Saturday and Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Duane White of Paris.

Morris Bills of Paris was the speaker at the Pattonville Church of

Christ Sunday.

Barbara Wood of Longview visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland and Annette Friday night and Saturday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant and Ruby were: Mr. and Mrs. James Hensley of Reno, Ellen Weaver, Glenda Woodall and Mrs. Clyde Pickens and children of Paris.

Lucinda Craig of Bogata is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig.

The Pattonville Baptist Church had good services Sunday.

Kenneth and Linda Craig went to Houston Thursday to see Kenny Craig. Kenny is improving and got a good report.

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

Kenneth Craig ate lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig Sunday.



The American Legion 66th Birthday March 15-17, 1985



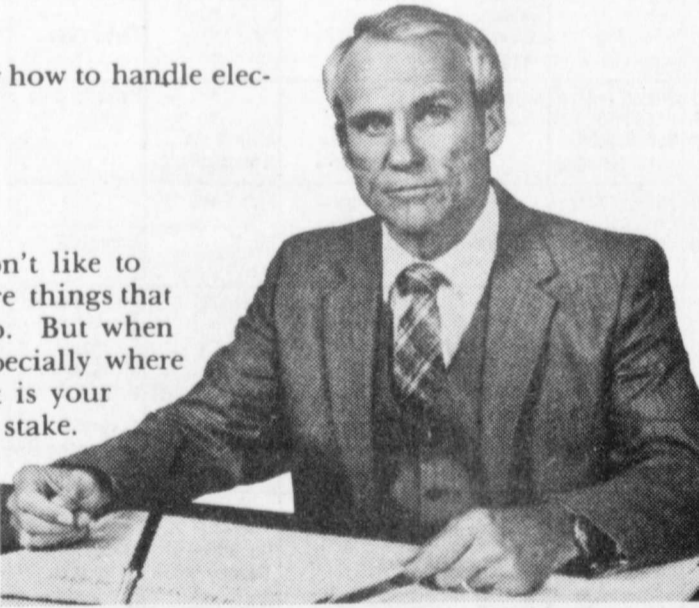
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MONDAY - FRIDAY

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AM	KTBS CH.3 Shreveport	KDFW CH.4 Dallas	KXAS CH.5 Fort Worth	KTAL CH.6 Texarkana	KLTV CH.7 Tyler	WFAA CH.8 Dallas	KTVT CH.11 Fort Worth	KSLA CH.12 Shreveport
6:00	Jim Bakker	News	NBC News at Sunrise	Prog Cont'd	NBC News at Sunrise	Daybreak ABC News This Morning (CC)	Morn. Report	CBS Morning News
6:30	"	"	"	Beverly Hillbillies	"	"	Stooges and Friends	"
7:00	Good Morning America (CC)	CBS Morning News	Today	Today	Good Morning America (CC)	Good Morning America (CC)	Plasticman	"
7:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	Superfriends	"
8:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	Bullwinkle	Anything for Money Press Your Luck
8:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
9:00	All New Let's Make a Deal Jeopardy	\$25,000 Pyramid Press Your Luck	Phil Donahue	Bonanza	Hour Magazine	Hour Magazine	Bodies in Motion Divorce Court	Phil Donahue
9:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10:00	Trivia Trap	Price Is Right	Santa Barbara	Wheel of Fortune	Trivia Trap	Trivia Trap	Ironsides	Price Is Right
10:30	Family Feud	"	"	"	Family Feud	Family Feud	"	"
11:00	Ryan's Hope	Young and the Restless	Scrabble	Super Password Ark-la-Tex Today	Ryan's Hope	Ryan's Hope	Mannix	Young and the Restless
11:30	Loving	"	Wheel of Fortune	"	Loving	Loving	"	"
12:00	All My Children	News	News	Days of Our Lives	All My Children	All My Children	Movie	News
12:30	"	As the World Turns	Days of Our Lives	"	"	"	"	As the World Turns
1:00	One Life to Live	Capitol	Another World	"	One Life to Live	One Life to Live	"	Capitol
1:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
2:00	General Hospital	Guiding Light	"	Santa Barbara	General Hospital	General Hospital	Real McCoys	Guiding Light
2:30	"	"	Sale of the Century	"	"	"	I Love Lucy	"
3:00	Hour Magazine	Alice	Barnaby Jones	Dallas	Dallas	Dallas	Heathcliff	Rainbow Brite
3:30	"	Sanford and Son	"	"	"	"	Superfriends	He-Man & Masters of the Universe
4:00	People's Court	Jeopardy	Jeopardy	Andy Griffith	Diffrent Strokes	PM Magazine	Stooges and Friends	Dukes of Hazzard
4:30	New Name That Tune	Barney Miller	People's Court	Diffrent Strokes	Three's Company	Entertainment Tonight	Happy Days	"
5:00	News	News	News	Good Times	5 P.M. Show	News	Dukes of Hazzard	News
5:30	ABC News (CC)	CBS News	NBC News	NBC News	ABC News (CC)	ABC News (CC)	"	CBS News

MONDAY 3/18/85

3/14/85-3/20/85

PM	KTBS CH.3 Shreveport	KDFW CH.4 Dallas	KXAS CH.5 Fort Worth	KTAL CH.6 Texarkana	KLTV CH.7 Tyler	WFAA CH.8 Dallas	KTVT CH.11 Fort Worth	KSLA CH.12 Shreveport
6:00	News	News	News	News	News	News	Diffrent Strokes	News
6:30	Wheel of Fortune	Family Feud	Wheel of Fortune	Sanford and Son	Barney Miller	News	Three's Company	Three's Company
7:00	Hardcastle & McCormick (CC)	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	TV's Bloopers & Practical Jokes	TV's Bloopers & Practical Jokes	Billy Graham Crusade	Hardcastle & McCormick (CC)	Hawaii Five-O	Scarecrow and Mrs. King
7:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8:00	Movie: 'This Wife for Hire' (CC)	Kate & Allie	Movie: 'Private Sessions'	Movie: 'Private Sessions'	Movie: 'This Wife for Hire' (CC)	Movie: 'This Wife for Hire' (CC)	Movie: 'Scared Straight! Another Story'	Kate & Allie
8:30	"	Newhart	"	"	"	"	"	Newhart
9:00	"	Cagney and Lacey	"	"	"	"	"	Cagney and Lacey
9:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10:00	News	News	News	News	News	News	Benny Hill Show	News
10:30	M*A*S*H	All In the Family	Best of Carson	Best of Carson	M*A*S*H	Entertainment Tonight	Bizarre	Jeffersons
11:00	Hawaii Five-O	Simon & Simon	"	"	Taxi	ABC News Nightline	Mannix	Charlie's Angels
11:30	"	"	Love Connection	Late Night with David	ABC News Nightline	Special	"	"
12:00	Twilight Zone	McMillan & Wife	Late Night with David Letterman	Letterman	Special	Movie: 'The Rose Tattoo'	Investments of the '80's	Gunsmoke
12:30	More Real People	"	"	Sign Off	Late Night with David Letterman	"	Government Loans	"
1:00	Sign Off	"	In Search of...	Sign Off	Letterman	"	Mary Tyler Moore	News
1:30	"	News	"	"	News	"	Comedy Shows	Sign Off

TUESDAY

3/19/85

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PM	KTBS CH.3 Shreveport	KDFW CH.4 Dallas	KXAS CH.5 Fort Worth	KTAL CH.6 Texarkana	KLTV CH.7 Tyler	WFAA CH.8 Dallas	KTVT CH.11 Fort Worth	KSLA CH.12 Shreveport
6:00	News	News	News	News	News	News	Diffrent Strokes	News
6:30	Wheel of Fortune	Family Feud	Wheel of Fortune	Sanford and Son	Barney Miller	News	Three's Company	Three's Company
7:00	Three's a Crowd (CC)	Jeffersons (CC)	Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous	A-Team (CC)	Three's a Crowd (CC)	Three's a Crowd (CC)	Hawaii Five-O	Jeffersons (CC)
7:30	Who's the Boss? (CC)	Alice (CC)	Salutes the	"	Who's the Boss? (CC)	Who's the Boss? (CC)	"	Alice (CC)
8:00	MacGruder and Loud (CC)	Movie: 'First Steps'	World's Best	Riptide	MacGruder and Loud (CC)	MacGruder and Loud (CC)	Movie: 'The Survival of Dana'	Movie: 'First Steps'
8:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
9:00	Moonlighting	"	Remington Steele	Remington Steele	Moonlighting	Moonlighting	"	"
9:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10:00	News	News	News	News	News	News	Benny Hill Show	News
10:30	M*A*S*H	All In the Family	Tonight Show	Tonight Show	M*A*S*H	Entertainment Tonight	Bizarre	Jeffersons
11:00	Hawaii Five-O	Fall Guy	"	"	Taxi	ABC News Nightline	Mannix	Charlie's Angels
11:30	"	"	Love Connection	Late Night with David Letterman	ABC News Nightline	Movie: 'Save the Tiger'	"	"
12:00	Twilight Zone	Columbo	Late Night with David Letterman	Letterman	Late Night with David Letterman	"	Hollywood: The Silent Years	Gunsmoke
12:30	More Real People	"	"	Sign Off	"	"	"	"
1:00	Sign Off	"	More Real People	"	News	"	Investments of the '80's	News
1:30	"	News	News/Sign Off	"	Sign Off	Movie: 'Two Flags West'	Comedy Shows	Sign Off

WEDNESDAY 3/20/85

3/14/85-3/20/85

PM	KTBS CH.3 Shreveport	KDFW CH.4 Dallas	KXAS CH.5 Fort Worth	KTAL CH.6 Texarkana	KLTV CH.7 Tyler	WFAA CH.8 Dallas	KTVT CH.11 Fort Worth	KSLA CH.12 Shreveport
6:00	News	News	News	News	News	News	Diffrent Strokes	News
6:30	Wheel of Fortune	Family Feud	Wheel of Fortune	Sanford and Son	Barney Miller	News	Three's Company	Three's Company
7:00	Fall Guy (CC)	Snoopy's Getting Married, Romance of Betty Boop	Highway to Heaven (CC)	Highway to Heaven (CC)	Fall Guy (CC)	Fall Guy (CC)	Hawaii Five-O	Snoopy's Getting Married, Romance of Betty Boop
7:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8:00	Dynasty (CC)	Movie: 'Used Cars'	Facts of Life	Facts of Life	Dynasty (CC)	Dynasty (CC)	Movie: 'The Deadliest Season'	Movie: 'Used Cars'
8:30	"	"	Sara	Sara	"	"	"	"
9:00	Arthur Hailey's Hotel (CC)	"	St. Elsewhere	St. Elsewhere	Arthur Hailey's Hotel (CC)	Arthur Hailey's Hotel (CC)	"	"
9:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10:00	News	News	News	News	News	News	Benny Hill Show	News
10:30	M*A*S*H	All In the Family	Tonight Show	Tonight Show	M*A*S*H	Entertainment Tonight	Bizarre	Jeffersons
11:00	Hawaii Five-O	Magnum, P.I.	"	"	Taxi	ABC News Nightline	Mannix	Charlie's Angels
11:30	"	"	Love Connection	Late Night with David Letterman	ABC News Nightline	Movie: 'Harry and the TV'	"	"
12:00	Twilight Zone	Movie: 'Genesis II'	Late Night with David Letterman	Letterman	Late Night with David Letterman	"	Movie: 'The Glove'	Gunsmoke
12:30	More Real People	"	"	Sign Off	"	"	"	"
1:00	Sign Off	"	More Real People	"	News	"	"	News
1:30	"	News	News/Sign Off	"	Sign Off	Movie: 'News'	"	Sign Off

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East Post Oak News

By Mrs. Howard Crawford
 Everyone is enjoying the warm weather the past week, and some are getting their gardens ready to plant. Mrs. Dale Sutton and children from Ft. Worth visited her parents this weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sutton.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Dennis Foster of Dallas who passed away on Wednesday and was buried here in East Post Oak Cemetery Friday evening.

Mrs. Eula Mitchell is improving in McCuiston Medical Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. NuetMcCleallen and Mr. Claud Mitchell of Dallas are visiting her.

Mrs. Lura Foster of Reno, Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield, Mrs. Howard Crawford and Mrs. Iva Stevens played "42" at Mrs. Stevens Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sutton took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crawford Thursday night.

Mr. Roger Cagle of Burnett visited his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Cagle over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boren and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Westbrook visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Boren Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford given for their daughter Regina.

Brother Allen of Sulphur Springs preached here at East Post Oak Sunday in the absence of Brother Danny Blevins.



HHHHH-Spring time, and a young man's fancy turns tonot love, but crawfish! Quinton Mitchell and Walker Sawyer used the spring break from school and the sunny skies of Monday to seine for crawfish in a Deport ditch. When they had a bucketful they headed off fishing, what better way to spend a day! (Staff Photo)

Blossom Housing Happenings

Aileen Herron and Lottie Vickers Mrs. Ethel Sessum is visiting her daughter in Dallas this week. Aileen Herron and Lottie Vickers with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vickers and Amanda, Peggy Johnston and Chad attended the 83rd birthday for Riley Herron at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Herron Sunday. Everyone enjoyed visiting with relatives and friends.

Lisa Bolton spent Sunday night and Monday with her great-grandmother Rhoda Lee. Ruby Dickerson visited her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Butch Dennis in Sulphur Springs and they went to Dallas over the weekend.

Leona McDowell, Ray Outland, Georgia Clark and Ottis Boyer visited Morene Bradley las week. Ruby Smith is not doing too well at this writing.

We are glad to have Kathryn James back at home. Brother and Mrs. Danny Blevins visited Georgia Clark Tuesday and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith from Paris visited Georgia Clark Saturday. Earline Vickers, Lee All and Wyatt visited Lottie and Autis Vickers Sunday afternoon.

Blossom Locals

by Mrs. Bruce
 Well we are home after a long stay in McCuiston Medical Center with an upper respiratory infection. It sure is good to be home again and back trying to put together the local happenings of our community.

parents Mr. and Mrs. Jay C. Johnson. Mrs. Mable Parker spent Sunday night with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Junior Weddle. Mrs. Herschell Shands and Mrs. Junior Weddle are attending Mrs. Shelia Derwell who underwent surgery Monday in a Paris hospital. Mr. David Hicks made a business trip to west Texas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Crawford of Blossom are attending their mother during her hospital stay. Mrs. Ann Thompson and Monica Cathy Smith and Melissa Henry spent Monday through Wednesday in Hot Springs, Arkansas while they were on their spring break. Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Allen of Paris are the parents of a baby girl born March 9 at McCuiston Hospital. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Joyce Williams of Paris and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen of the Spring Hill community.

Mrs. Junior Weddle has returned home after spending a week with her daughter Mrs. Roy Eners who had and Monica Cathy Smith and Melissa Henry spent Monday through Wednesday in Hot Springs, Arkansas and while they were on their spring break. Mr. and Mrs. John Shores visited Paris the parents of a baby girl born March 9 at McCuiston Hospital. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Joyce Williams of Paris and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen of the Spring Hill community.

Ms. Alice Rhoads of Paris spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James White. Marvin Bruce F. Allen last weekend visited Mr. Homer White of the Deport Nursing Home last Wednesday morning.

Novice last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Allen of Garland visited their Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baxter and Mrs. B. Mrs. James White. Marvin Bruce F. Allen last weekend visited Mr. Homer White of the Deport Nursing Home last Wednesday morning.

It sure seems like spring is here. The flowers are so beautiful this Emmilee Walker of Longview is spring. My daffodils seem larger and more brilliant than they were with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. last year, or maybe I'm just getting James White. Mrs. Hattie Mae to the age where each new day and Bailey and Mrs. Hazel Jones of Paris even each new flower takes on a visited Mozell Bolton last Thursday greater meaning.

There will be a revival at the First Baptist Church of Blossom beginning March 25 through March 30. Brother Bobby Renfro will be preaching. The flowers are so beautiful this Emmilee Walker of Longview is spring. My daffodils seem larger and more brilliant than they were with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. last year, or maybe I'm just getting James White. Mrs. Hattie Mae to the age where each new day and Bailey and Mrs. Hazel Jones of Paris even each new flower takes on a visited Mozell Bolton last Thursday greater meaning.

Brian Johnson of Deport is spending the week with his grand-

Blossom Kill Kare Klub Meets

Mrs. J.D. Rogers was hostess for the Kill Kare Klub in her home March 8. The President, Mrs. Thomas Isom presided at the business meeting. Tables for games of "42" were played with twelve members and a guest, Mrs. Sam

Dickinson. Mrs. Bill Parks and Mrs. Travis Fodge tied for high score for members, and Mrs. Dickinson for guest. A desert plate was served by the hostess. The Klub will meet in the home of Mrs. G. L. Skidmore on March 22.

"Annie" Is Hit With Blossom Girl Scouts

Annie was the hit of the day Saturday, March 9, as Girl Scout Troop 136 of Blossom viewed the performance of the Paris Community Theatre at Paris High School.

proceeded to McDonalds for a hamburger after the play. The Girl Scouts enjoyed the evening. Scouts in Troop 136 are: Tara Klein, Zoie Doyal, Kristi Young, Marleena Bryant; Leaders are Pat Ottensen and Irene Bryant.

Girl Scouts Celebrate

Local Girl Scouts from Blossom Neighborhood will hold a family banquet in honor of Girl Scout Week Saturday, March 16 at 6:00 P.M. in the Prairiland Cafeteria. St. Patrick's Day will be the theme for the table settings.

Three different troops will perform songs and skits and one will do a flag ceremony

Each troop made their own centerpieces. The entire family is invited and it will be a covered dish dinner. Linda Woolston of Paris, who is the field director for the Blossom area will present a film of Camp Gambill.



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Clarkson's To Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Clarkson will be honored at a family dinner on Sunday, March 17, in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. The affair will be held at the Faught Community Center.

of Paris, Don Clarkson of Paris; Betty Feindley of Pasadena, Leroy Clarkson of Chicota, Frances Brewer of Blossom, Patricia Spray of Blossom; Wayne Clarkson of Blossom and Katherine Scribner of Houston.

Friends are invited to call between the hours of 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. Hosts and hostesses will be the couple's 10 children, Louis Hamm of Jacksonville, Fla., Dorothy Chambers of Plano, Sonny Clarkson

Viola Long and Addie Clarkson were married March 14, 1935, in Hugo, Oklahoma. They have 23 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Crawford-Malone Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Crawford, Rt. 1, Blossom, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Regina Mae, to Jerry L. Malone, son of Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Malone, Rt. 1, Pattonville.

Calvary United Methodist Church. The Rev. Glynn Vickers will officiate at the formal ceremony.

The couple will be married at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 20, at the

Miss Crawford is a graduate of Prairiland High School and is attending Paris Junior College. Her fiance is also a graduate of Prairiland and is employed at B&J Welding Supply Co.

Smith-Nicholson Announce Engagement

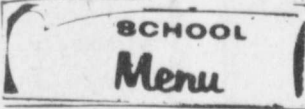
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Smith of Blossom announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jeanna Ruth, to Stephen Eugene Nicholson, son of Mrs. Barbara Nicholson of Paris.

the ceremony will take place at 4 p.m. Saturday, April 13, at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

UMW Meets At Blossom

The U.M.W. met Monday night. The meeting was opened with prayer, the minutes read and approved. Treasurer's report was given.

Supper were made. The Supper will be Saturday March 23 from 4:00 to 7:30 PM. Tickets are 13.00 for adults and 15.00 for CHILDREN. Home made pies and cake for dessert. Meeting was dismissed with prayer.



Freaky Food Factory
 March 18, 19, 20, 21, 22

Monday: Corny Dogs with mustard, pinto beans, new potatoes, spinach, peach cobbler and milk
 Tuesday: Frito Pie, butter corn, carrots, blackeye peas, vegetable sticks, and milk
 Wednesday: Bar-B-Que chicken, cream potatoes, green beans, jello with whipped topping, hot rolls with honey and butter and milk
 Thursday: Burritoos with chili and cheese, ranch style beans, spanish rice, crisp apple sticks and milk
 Friday: Hot ham and cheese on bun, jprk and beans, potato chips, pineapple rings and milk

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MILK Bordens Homo-Gallon \$2.39	BREAD Big Value Large Loaf 69¢	CHUCK ROAST Choice Beef Lb. 99¢	POTATOES Russet 10 Lb. Bag \$1.19
BANANAS Ripe Lb. 39¢	LEMONS Sunkist-Each 15¢	SEVEN ROAST Choice Beef Lb. \$1.39	CORN 3-Ring Cream or Whole 17oz. Can 3/\$1
CEREAL Post Raisin Bran 15oz. Box \$1.79	POTATO CHIPS Ruffles Reg. 1 1/2" \$1.19	ROUND ROAST Choice Beef Arm Boneless Lb. \$1.99	BEANS 3-Ring Cuf Green 16oz. Can 3/\$1
TISSUE Banner 4 Rolls 99¢	STORE HOURS MONDAY-SATURDAY 7 A.M. - 7 P.M. SUNDAY 12 Noon - 7 P.M.	RUMP ROAST Choice Beef Boneless Lb. \$1.99	RELUISH Rainbow Sweet Baz. 79¢
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Deport Locals

By Leija Westbrook
Mr. and Mrs. Ledford Kelly and daughters Katy and Sarah of Georgetown spent the weekend with the Walker Devlins.
On Friday Paul Hopkins of LWaco came for his grandmother, Mrs. Gera Johnson to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hopkins and family.
Visitors of Mrs. Sallie C. Scott of Pattonville this week included her brother, John Cason and wife, Virgie, of Paris, also her brother in law Herman Scott of Paris, Mrs. Jimmie Pettit and Mrs. Nellie

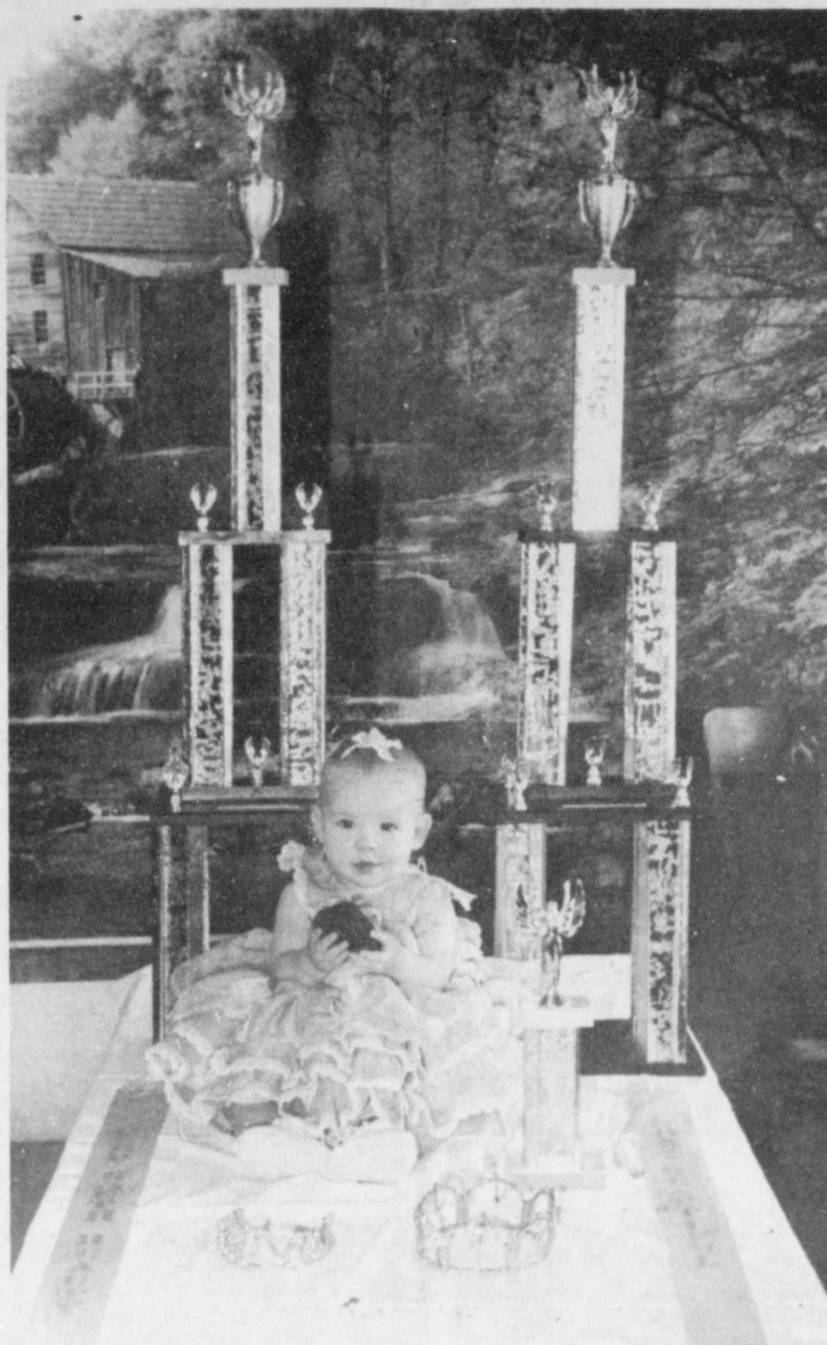
Mathis of Bogata.
Mrs. Dea Millsbaugh of Milton and Mrs. Virgie Ballard of Clardy also visited.
Mavis Soward attended a birthday party honoring Mattie Chesshire in Bogata last Saturday.

Thomas and Nanalee Nichols and Hugh Jeffus, Jr. and Vicki Gooding were in Tyler to hear the Oak Gidding Boys Friday.
Jim and Susan Short, John Paul and Stephen had supper with Thomas and Nanalee Nichols Sunday night.

Deport Housing Authority News

Dorthea McDowra and Mary Westbrooke
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whitlow, Mrs. Lyda Betterton and Elnora Ratliff of Paris, visited with Mrs. Alpha Barnard on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dunn and baby of Tyler and Mrs. Nellie Higgins of Clarksville visited Mrs. Rosa Holley on Sunday. We were sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Alex Tucker, father of Mrs. E.J. Shelby. Patsy Perkins of Negley and Glenya Sue Perkins of Clarksville visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Joplin Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ware of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Talley Sunday night. Mrs. Carrie Bennett spent part of last week in Paris visiting with Mrs. Betty Jackson and her brother, Tobe Grinstead. Jackie Elmore and Mr. and Mrs. Michale Smith of Arlington visited Mrs. Faye Elmore over the weekend. Mrs. Blanche Guyon is visiting in Taylor Town with her son and family, Son, Rae and Kathryn Guyon.
Cindy Burks of Commerce came Saturday to spend Saturday and Sunday with her father, Claude Burks. She went after her mother, Mrs. Claude Burks of Bogata Nur-

ing Home. They will return to their homes on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers of Houston spent a few days with his mother, Christine Landers. On Friday they visited Jerry's aunt, Mrs. Fannie Hickey of Bagwell. On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers and Christine Landers all had dinner at Furr's in Paris.
Robbie Cutting of Longview visited his sister, Dorthea McDowra Saturday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boon of Milledgeville, Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. David Curran and family of Paris, and Mrs. Larry Freeman and daughters spent Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Curran.
Mina Kyle has returned home after spending 10 days with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Epley and children of Lewisville and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Keyle of Reno, Mrs. Betty Slaten and children of Houston are visiting her mother Mina Kyle this week.
Dorthea McDowra is spending a few days with her sister, Robbie Cutting of Longview.



MOST Beautiful-Jemilyn McKee, 10 month old daughter of Jim and Pam McKee of Deport won "Most Beautiful" in her age group in the Deep South Beauty Pageant held in DeQueen, Arkansas Sunday, March 10. She received a 1 ft. trophy for Most Beautiful, a four foot trophy a tiara and a banner and a diamond necklace, plus a four foot trophy for Superior Queen and a round crown. Jemilyn is the granddaughter of Curtis and Doris Elmore of Deport, and great-granddaughter of Faye Elmore of Deport and J.C. and Bessie McKee of Idabel, OK. (Staff Photo)

Former Blossom Teacher Had Illustrious Career

Louise Black was a teacher in the area for many years. She moved away from Blossom about two years ago to live with a sister.
She suffered a broken hip last Christmas, and is currently in a guest home in Las Cruces, New Mexico.
She is now eight-seven years old, and her teaching career is worth noting.
She returned to Blossom when she retired from teaching.
When she was young she began her teaching career in Blossom, and served as principal at one of the Blossom schools.
Most of her career as a teacher was at Weslaco High School. During her many years there she was named Weslaco Woman of the Year, and an elementary school there is named in her honor.
Her main teaching subject was English, and she sponsored the school paper and annual there.
She has a master's degree from the University of Texas, and a degree in Library Science from North Texas State.
It is said that she was a prolific writer of letters. One of her correspondences was with actor Pathingle, who played the part of "Doc" on Gunsmoke for a time, and was a guest star on Wagon Train, among other parts.
She received flowers from him on Valentine's day for many years.
Miss Black had a length and meaningful career as a teacher, and is remembered by many students and associates.
Any of her old friends or acquaintances in the area could drop her a line at the following address:
Miss Louise Black
c/o Opal Spiller Guest Home
595 North Melendres
Las Cruces, N.M. 88005

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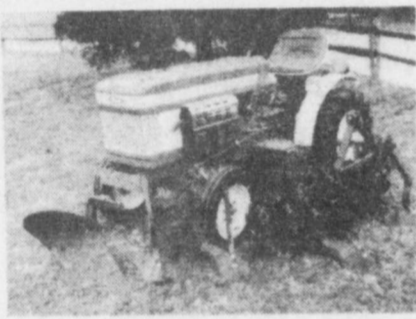
Visiting with Mrs. Johnnie Warren was Mrs. Lucy Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen from Cunningham. Mrs. Carol Dorsey and Jennifer from Dallas, Mr. Bob Allen from Reno and Marjorie Roach and Mr. and Mrs. John Roach and family from Deport. Mrs. Cora Tirado and Lucille Nash visited with Mrs. Myrtle Halett and Allie Malone. Juanita Farris visited with her mother, Mrs. Oma Henderson.
Visiting with Mrs. Margaret Bolton was Laverne Tower and Mrs. Fred Joice from Hagensport, Mr. and Mrs. John Bove, and Brian from Pattonville and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crawford from Deport. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hany Shannon was her sister, Mrs. FRANCES Scudder and a niece, Regina Norrell from Paris. Buddy and Sue Malone visited his mother, Mrs. Allie Malone. Mrs. Edith and Ara Fuller visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nobles.
Helen and Hoover Day from Sylvan visited her mother Mrs. Julia Wadley. Inez Luttrell visited with her niece Mary Mathews. Visiting with Mrs. Alene Barham was Mrs. Bill Barham from Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Jamey Barham and daughters and Mrs. Bob Isbell from Clarksville. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Webb visited on Sunday with her mother Mrs. Oneta Ray. Mrs. Lavonia Thompson visited with Mr. John Thompson and Mrs. Tommy Denison. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts Giboney from Detroit visited with his sister Mrs. Inez Frieze. Patrice Mitchell visited her father John Sawyer. Visiting with William Justus was Brother Escalina from Bogata and Rev. Charles Cox from Paris. J.B. Anderson visited with Josh J.B. Anderson and Liberty Erickson visited with her aunt Mrs. Jewel York.
Eugene Dillard from Paris visited with Herbert Tuck. Mrs. Carl Scruggs and daughter visited with her brother Thomas Hooten. Margie King from Ft. Worth visited with her mother Mrs. Jeff Mayes. Visiting with Mrs. Lizzie Lee Wright was Ester Cunningham and Margaret Henshaw from Roxton, Lou Cheetham, Edith Fuller and Ida Lou Read from Deport and Mrs. Sue Hudson and daughter Betty from Bogata. Mrs. Wright is our new resident. She has returned after a number of years being away. She is the former Lizzie Lee Fagan and is enjoying renewing old acquaintances. On Wednesday, March 6, Mrs. Johnny Warren was honored with a birthday party. Cake and punch was served to employees and Mrs. Warren's therapist Bob Crockett who brought her a cake and a stained glass window that he made for her. Her sisters Mrs. Margie

SCHOOL Menu

- Deport School Menu
- March 18-22
MONDAY
Breakfast-
Cinnamon Toast
Juice
Milk
Lunch
Sandwiches, Bologna & Cheese
Pork & Beans
Pickles
Peanut Butter, Honey & Graham Crackers
- TUESDAY
Breakfast
Doughnuts
Juice
Milk
Lunch
Corn Dogs
Pinto Beans
Cron on Cob
Rice Pudding
Bread
- WEDNESDAY
Breakfast
Cereal
Juice
Milk
Lunch
Hamburger Stea
Creamed Potatoes
Green BEANS
Sugar Cookies
Milk
Bread
- THURSDAY
Breakfast
Sweet Rolls
Juice
Milk
Lunch
Pizza
Green Salad
Fruit
Milk
- FRIDAY
Breakfast
Bananas & Cereal
Juice
Milk
Lunch
Hamburgers
Lettuce
Tomatoes
Onions
Pickles
Chips
Ruit Bars or Ice Cream
Milk



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