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Sheriff, Constable And Commissioner Races Result In Runoffs

Consider the common crow. It's a cinch he's considered you a time or two. Considered whether or not you were capable of harming him while he was raiding your pecan trees or fields or gardens.

A game warden once told me that it was illegal to shoot ANY birds, absolutely any, whether or not they were on privately owned property or not.

That hunting ban doesn't, however, apply to common sparrows, blackbirds or crows. Crows, the game warden said, can be hunted if they are in the process of "depradating something, have depradated it, or will depradate it".

Grinning a trifle wickedly, he con- sidered, "Of course, I've NEVER seen a crow that hadn't just, or was about to depradate SOMETHING!"

It's about the truth. Nature lover, non-hunter that I am, crows are one of the few feathered things that can aggravate and irritate me.

The animosity goes back to childhood, when my parents owned and operated an orchard near Mt. Pleasant. Every year hundreds of the black plumed thieves would descend to destroy hundreds of pounds of papershell pecans. Hunting them back then was serious business.

Now, the noisy, clever birds only pick on our native pecan trees, quar- reling with the squirrels over posses- sion of choice nuts.

But they have another habit...that of disturbing owls and hawks. Owls in particular like to roost in the heavy trees down below our house on the creek.

Invariably, while they are snoozing away the daylight hours, half a dozen crows will discover them, and start their owl baiting routine. Of all the raucous cawing and squawking, they circle around the hapless owl, until finally, after a half-hour or so, the poor nocturnal bird gives up and flaps wearily away while the gleeful crows fly after him for a ways, still raising enough noise to raise the dead.

The large glossy birds stalk around on the lawn, picking at anything shiny that attracts them, coming slowly closer and closer to our sleeping dogs until they give a loud croak and fly off as if they knew they had started the dogs.

Crows have a nasty reputation for killing and eating meat...as in other birds' nestlings, and even baby squirrels.

They are extremely clever bird, spotting the glint of a rifle barrel in- stantly, and only occasionally falling prey to man's missiles.

They are not a creature that I hate, only dislike. Even the dislike is tinted a little with admiration for their sur- vival abilities.

And no matter how much I threaten or fuss, my "live and let live" attitude always prevails, and when the caw- ing and racket down on the creek goes on for too long, I just step outside and yell at the crows to "shut up", instead of letting off a blast of the shotgun!

After all, I suppose the common crow has a right to have a little fun, too.

As Super Tuesday posted dramatic election results across the nation, Lamar County local elections were no less exciting, with run-offs resulting in the Sheriff's race, Precinct 1 Commissioner's Race, Precinct 1 Con- stable's race and Precinct 4 Con- stable's race.

George Bush, Republican candi- date for the presidential election, made it big in the 20 states that held Super Tuesday primaries, and Mike Dukakis won in Texas, Florida, Rhode Island, Maryland and Massachusetts for the Democrats. Al Gore and Jesse Jackson brought up the next two spots on the Democratic ticket, with Bob Dole and Pat Robert- son falling behind for the Republican spot.

Lamar Countians voted for Al Gore, 3057, over Dukakis, 2828, while George Bush was the Republican win- ner, 563, to Pat Robertson's 484.

L.P. Pete Patterson, Democratic candidate for State Representative, took a decisive victory over Charles Greb and Wayne Woods took the third place in that primary.

Senator Richard Anderson cap-

tured the Democratic nomination over Mickey Smith.

Gene Burns led the Sheriff's race with a total of 4350 votes to incumbent Jim Parker's 3,739, and Roger Peter- son received 2,361.

Theda Cotton maintained her po- sition as County Tax Assessor-Collector with 5,457 votes over Kathy Bolton with 2,884 and Glenn Smallwood trail- ing. Cotton is the only person in a three or more candidate race that isn't in a run-off.

In the County Commissioner's race for Precinct 1, Ernie Sparks will be in a run-off with Troy Owens. Sparks received 825 votes, Owens 625. Dean Watson received 86 votes, Hugh Pope 185, Gene Brown 161, C.L. Malone 250 and Eugene Norwood 458.

In the Precinct 1 Constable's race, there will be a run-off, between Ran- dy Boren with 415 votes and incum- bent Al Parks with 257. Also in that

race was Greg Griffin with 150, Virgil Seats with 19, William Ball with 24 and Leon Whitsell with 129.

For County Democratic Chairman, Pat Murphy defeated Martha

Castlebury 5,388 to 3,943.

A close race to the finish, Precinct 5 Constable's race saw incumbent Wiley Lambertson defeating Andrew Smith.

Billy Foreman had a commanding lead for Precinct 4 Constable, but will be in a run-off with Albert Jones for that position, with Kenneth Matlock in third place in that race.

Vote totals locally, by boxes are as follows:

State Representative

North Blossom, Box 106: Pete Pat- terson 115, Charles Greb 75, Wayne Woods 4. Blossom: Pete Patterson 186, Charles Greb 152. Cunningham: Pete Patterson 74, Charles Greb 30, Wayne Woods 7. Pattonville: Pete Patterson 147, Charles Greb 105, Wayne Woods 14. Deport: Pete Patterson 188, Charles Greb 137, Wayne Woods 10.

Sheriff

North Blossom: Gene Burns 93, Jim Parker 63, Roger Peterson 43. Blossom: Gene Burns 153, Jim Parker 129, Roger Peterson 71. Cun- ningham: Gene Burns 88, Jim Parker 21, Roger Peterson 10. Deport: Gene Burns 204, Jim Parker 106, Roger

Peterson 31. Pattonville: Gene Burns 160, Jim Parker 86, Roger Peterson 23.

Tax Assessor-Collector

North Blossom: Theda Cotton 113, Kathy Bolton 45, Glenn Smallwood 35. Blossom: Theda Cotton 93, Kathy Bolton 181, Glenn Smallwood 78. Cun- ningham: Theda Cotton 19, Kathy Bolton 86, Glenn Smallwood 13. Pat- tonville: Theda Cotton 90, Kathy Bolton 135, Glenn Smallwood 141. Deport: Theda Cotton 127, Kathy Bolton 158, Glenn Smallwood 50.

Precinct 1 Commissioner

North Blossom: Ernie Sparks 89, Dean Watson 5, Hugh Pope 5, Troy Owens 28, Gene Brown 8, C.L. Malone 21, Eugene Norwood 37. Deport: Er- nie Sparks 183, Dean Watson 23, Hugh Pope 3, Troy Owens 11, Gene Brown 29, C.L. Malone 24, Eugene Norwood 72. Cunningham: Ernie Sparks 11, Dean Watson 17, Hugh Pope 1, Troy Owens 1, Gene Brown 3, C.L. Malone 11, Eugene Norwood 76. Taylortown: Ernie Sparks 13, Hugh Pope 4, Troy Owens 14, Gene Brown 8, C.L. Malone 48, Eugene Norwood 6. Pattonville: Ernie Sparks 83, Dean Watson 7,

Hugh Pope 3, Troy Owens 69, Gene Brown 29, C.L. Malone 40, Eugene Norwood 41.

Constable Precinct 4

Blossom: Billy Foreman 204, Albert Jones 88, Kenneth Matlock 34.

Constable Precinct 1

North Blossom: Greg Griffin 26, Virgil Seat 1, William Ball 2, Randy Boren 98, Al Parks 48, Leon Whitsell 13. Deport: Greg Griffin 25, Virgil Seat 14, William Ball 9, Randy Boren 134, Al Parks 96, Leon Whitsell 71. Cunningham: Greg Griffin 5, Virgil Seat 2, William Ball 4, Randy Boren 67, Al Parks 30, Leon Whitsell 5. Pat- tonville: Greg Griffin 51, Virgil Seat 1, William Ball 2, Randy Boren 121, Al Parks 61, Leon Whitsell 30. Taylortown: Greg Griffin 20, William Ball 1, Randy Boren 30, Al Parks 31, Leon Whitsell 10.



SUPER TUESDAY-Regina Webb presides over the voting box at

Deport on Tuesday, as a large voter turnout came to vote in the

Democratic Primary. (Staff Photo)

Three People Sign For School Board

The Prairiland School Board met Monday, March 7 with all members present.

Three people signed up for the school board election, which will be the first Saturday in May. Signing up for Place 2, a two-year unexpired term, was Ronald Roddy. Signing up for Place 5, a three-year regular term was Billy Oats and signing up for Place 7, a three-year term, was Rufus Merritt.

The last day of filing for the school board is March 23, Wednesday. The financial and tax reports were given to the board and payment of the February bills was approved.

The board amended the school budget by \$3,000.00. This is a transfer of funds from one division to another.

The board adopted the textbook list from the State for grades K-12.

The board granted approval to the selection of courses to be offered for the advanced curriculum program. Prairiland has three levels of curriculum; regular, honors and advanced.

The board made a resolution to charge an extra 15 percent penalty fee for collecting delinquent taxes.

Teachers were re-hired for one year, subject to placement and assignment.

Kiwanis Trim Evergreens

The community is once again in debt to the Deport Kiwanis Club, as the organization trimmed the overgrown shrubbery at Highland Cemetery last Saturday.

After their regular breakfast meeting the group took chain saws and strong backs to Highland Cemetery to trim the evergreens away from graves and roads.

Kenneth and Phyllis Gifford have been working on the task, but without aid, the project could take two to three years.

Johnnie McLemore and Sammy Kelsey provided front-end loaders to help with the work, and in a three

four period, the group managed to trim 30 of the huge cedars.

It was a massive project, and will be continued as the group has voted to donate two work periods.

The Kiwanis and volunteers will trim again on March 19 and anyone interested in helping is urged to do so. Melba Ladd, Executive Director of Highland Cemetery Association, expressed her heartfelt thanks to the Kiwanis Club for their contribution of work, and to those who contribute to maintenance funds to keep the cemetery one of the prettiest in the area.

PEOPLE & THINGS

The Taylortown Fire Department will MEET Monday, March 14 at 7 p.m. with a COVERED DISH super to follow...

There will be a WORK DAY at the Red Oak Community Center on Satur- day, March 12...



WORK DAY-The Deport Kiwanis, plus a number of interested citizens, trimmed 30 huge cedars at Highland Cemetery on Satur- day. They will do more work on

March 19 and interested volunteers are always needed. The cedars had grown so large that they were covering graves and access roads. (Staff Photo)

Editor's Quote Book

Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom.

Samuel Coleridge



SKIT-A number of Cub Scouts put on a skit about "Blue and Gold" at the annual Cub Scout Blue and

Gold banquet recently. Several other skits and awards were given,

as well as a "Solar Side Show." (Staff Photo)

Girl Scouts Celebrate Week

March 6-12 is Girl Scout Week and this year's celebration focuses on the theme, Take The Lead.

Girl Scout Week, she said, offers an opportunity to impress on our young women, and youth in general, the challenges and responsibilities they face as tomorrow's leaders.

Girl Scouts in Deport have several activities and projects planned for this year.

The Red River Valley Girl Scout Council serves 21 girls land adults in Deport. For more information about

Girl Scouting, contact the neighborhood chairman, Cindy Talley, at 652-2954 or call the Girl Scout office in Paris, 784-0803.

The Deport Girl Scouts will be celebrating their 76th birthday on March 12. The event will take place at the Deport School lunchroom from 10 to 12 noon. There will be four troops with 18 girls, in the area, who will be doing patchwork. If you have someone in Girl Scouts or would like to watch, please drop by. Refreshments will be served.

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Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
Mrs. Clifford Pynes honored Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Pynes of Paris with a dinner Sunday in their birthdays. Guests were Dennis Neal Pynes and Sue Bazhaw of Paris, Mrs. Donna Gifford, Brandon, Fair Shae and Trae and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Pynes and Justin of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ogdon of Longview.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kerley of Rockford and Donald Smith of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Caruso and Lisa of Paris spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams.
James Wood of Clardy visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Anderson Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Clyde Smith visited Mrs. Vada Gann of Rockford Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Anderson visited recently with Mrs. Della Howe.
Ira Taylor is now a resident of Deport Nursing Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith spent Wednesday with Mrs. Viola Humphrey and Audrey Gillie of Bogata.
Rev. Don Whitt of Hot Springs, AR honored his wife, Sister Lyda and Almer Norwood with a birthday supper at Sirlin Stockade Friday night.
Mrs. Almer Norwood was a guest.
Mrs. Ronnie White and Dameon of Sulphur Springs were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Brandon and Georjeana and Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Anderson and Wendy attended the livestock show in Houston last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson, Jarvis, Deana, Brad and Bruce with LeAnn Benion were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson.
Mrs. Weldon Smith of Bogata honored her husband, Weldon and Bernice Wyatt with a birthday supper Wednesday. Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and Jenissa, also Randy Stevens of Paris.
Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood attended the candidate rally sponsored by Pete Patterson in Paris Saturday. They also visited Mrs. Noah Poe.
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. James Plott of Rockford visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shannon of Euless spent the weekend with Mrs. Fred Allen.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris and David Bell of Reno and Terry Creamer of Milton had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Wednesday.
Mrs. Ethel Cooper and grandson Eric Barrios of Reno had supper with Mrs. Della Howe Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Smith of Glory, Mr. and Mrs. James Plott and Ralph Kerley of Rockford visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Muri Roach of Deport and Johnnye Warren of Deport Nursing Home had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Fowler Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler of Pttoville visited Mrs. Carol Dorsey and Jennifer Sunday.
Danny Norwood and Kenny of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson visited Delbert Norman in Deport Nursing Home Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Blossom spent Sunday night with Mrs. Fred Allen.
Mrs. Louise Black of Paris and Rev. and Mrs. Rickey Black and family of Powderly visited Mrs. Dela Wilson Wednesday.
Heath Kennedy of Dallas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Kennedy.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Kerbow received word last week from their daughter, Mrs. L.J. Fosen of Morris, Illinois that a daughter named Ashley Marie was born March 3 to Mr. and Mrs. David Fosen of Morris, Illinois. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Fosen and Mr. and Mrs. Olson of Morris. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow and Mrs. Sarah Blanchfield of Marsailles, IL.
Visitors of Fay Gandy were Raymond Dugger, Jr., Cassandra Stringer and Stephanie of Negley, Benita Ann Schupp and Trista, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan, Karen Baker, Denise Woods of Dallas, Worth Baker, Linda Embrey, Jimmy King and Stella Ridens.
Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swint, Jr. was her sister, Georgia Ann of Dallas.
Betty Rodgers visited with Mrs. Jodi Crawford of Shady Grove Saturday.
Karen Baker and Dianne Woods of Dallas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan spent Thursday night with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tippit of Lone Star.

American Viewpoints



A life spent in making mistakes is not only more honorable but more useful than a life spent in doing nothing.
George Bernard Shaw

Obituaries

J.L. Williams Dies March 5

J.L. (Buddy) Williams of Bogata died Saturday, March 5 at Red River General Hospital in Clarksville.
Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Monday, March 7 at Jolley's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. M.J. Sartin and the Rev. James Brown officiating. Burial was in Cuthand Cemetery.
He was born August 6, 1914 in Red River County, the son of James Lee Roy Williams and Sara F. Menchew Williams. He married Norma Bankston on October 17, 1931 in Clarksville.
He is survived by his wife of the home; four sons, Doyle Williams of McCamey, Harold J. Williams of Bogata, Dalton R. Williams of Crane and Danny J. Williams of Bogata; 16 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.
Bearers were Pop Bivins, Robert Holt, Cowboy Alsup, Sam McConnell, Cecil Williams and David Williams.

Card of Thanks

Thanks to everyone who helped make our bake sale a success.
Johntown Baptist Church
Girls Auxiliary

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank my friends and relatives for the flowers, phone calls, food, cards and visits while I was in the hospital and since I've been home. A special thanks to the staff of Red River General Hospital, Dr. Muthappa and Rev. Bob Posey.
Louise Bean

Card of Thanks

To all of the friends and family of Agnes Williams, we would like to say we appreciate you very much and for all those who had part in her services. The flowers, food and visits were all greatly appreciated, also a special thanks to Aunt Virgie and Clearance Cheatham for opening their home to our family.
We felt your prayers and concern for us. God bless you all.
Betty Shoffner and Family
of Agnes Williams

Card of Thanks

The family of Leslie H. Harris wishes to express our deepest appreciation to our neighbors, friends and relatives for the food, flowers and memorial contributions to our son. Especially thanks to Rev. Russell Floyd and the casket bearers. God bless you all.
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Giusti

Card of Thanks

Thanks to the candidates that participated in the community of Bogata, that supported the chili supper and pie auction. Special thanks to the ladies that donated pies.
Bogata Lioness Club

Card of Thanks

Garth Ottinger and family would like to thank everyone who donated and those who tried to donate blood in his name. Your efforts were greatly appreciated.
Garth and Family

Roger Dale Brown Dies March 1

Roger Dale Brown, 39, born October 31, 1948 in Titus County, died Tuesday, March 1 at his home in Mt. Vernon. He was a member of the Baptist Church.
Mr. Brown is survived by his wife, Lajuanda Brown of Mt. Vernon; four sons, Bradley Brown of Longview, Bryan Bennett, Kelly Bennett and Sloan Bennett; his parents, N.A. Munk and Bobbie Mattingly; three sisters, Mrs. Norma (Earline) Poe of Pittsburg, Mrs. Danny (Judy) Cook of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Rusty (Carla) Jones of Talco; grandmothers, Mrs. Eunice Floyd of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Pearl Brown of Tyler.
Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 3 at Bates-Cooper-Weeks Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Winfield Cemetery. Bro. Bobby Phillips and Bro. Wilton Anthony officiated.

Mrs. Bill Walker Dies Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. Bill (Lillie) Walker, 80, of Shallowater were held March 2. She died Sunday in Highland Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness. She was born in Red River County in 1907 and moved to Shallowater in 1953 from Paris. She married Thomas D. (Bill) Walker on December 18, 1929 in Hugo, OK and was a member of the First Baptist Church. She was the daughter of the late Bird and Allie Davidson.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Thomas C. of Shallowater and Gary Don of Granbury; a daughter, Mrs. Douglas (Nancy) Boone of Shallowater; a sister, Mrs. Nancy Edwards of Mesquite; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. She was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Arthur Smith of Deport.

Ima Clifton Dies March 3

A resident of Talco, Ima Clifton, 77, died Thursday, March 3 at Franklin County Hospital. She was born August 27, 1910 in Oklahoma to Lee Reiger and Shellie Carroll Reiger.
Mrs. Clifton is survived by two daughters, Vivian Lester of Talco and Peggy Bartlett of Chicago, IL; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; two brothers, Earl Reiger of Longview and Lonnie Henry of California; two sisters, Fannie McDonald of Mt. Vernon and Artie Phiffer of Longview.
Services for Mrs. Clifton were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 6 at Harvey Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Colliers Chapel Cemetery with the Rev. James Martin officiating.

Ocie Floyd, 84, Dies March 1

Ocie Floyd, 84, formerly of Paris, presently of Colonial Lodge Retirement Home, died Tuesday, March 1 at McCuiston Medical Center.
Services were held at 3:30 p.m. Friday, March 4 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John Peel and the Rev. Ray Starnes officiating with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.
Mrs. Floyd was born April 19, 1903 in Texas, a daughter of Joe M. and Othello Arnold Rogers. She attended Crossroads School in Red River County and married T.L. (Tommy) Floyd on February 15, 1920. He died June 24, 1987.
She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the New Era Sunday School Class. She was a member of the United Methodist Women.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Bill (Wanda) McCollum of Texas; two sons, Morris Floyd of Midlothian and Thomas Ray Floyd of Ft. Worth; seven grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Audrie Canfield of Bogata and Beatrice Kenemer of Paris and two brothers, E.A. Rodgers of Paris and Leo Rodgers of Paris.

Deaf And Hearing Association To Have Concert

The Red River Valley Deaf and Hearing Association presents the third annual concert of the Braschler Quartet on Saturday, March 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Aikin Elementary Cafetorium.
Acclaimed for their high energy performance and power harmony, this exciting group has firmly established itself as one of the fastest growing shows in Branson. They feature a blend of country music from

Grand Ole Opry favorites to today's top hits, sprinkled with foot stomping gospel music.
Featured throughout the program is the comedy of Homer Lee, the janitor, who tries every way possible to get on the show; Todd Braschler, a male vocalist, who has traveled world wide in his singing career; a band of talent and a Quartet that will make you sing with them. The show was honored this year with comedian

Homer Lee being nominated for the third year as comedian of the year and the quartet as group of the year for the Ozark Music Awards.
During intermission, the Red River Valley Deaf and Hearing Association will present The Signs of Joy. These very special young people have performed in the past for groups and special functions under the direction of Mrs. Diane Shriver. They convey, through their beautiful language and their excitement, a message of love and enthusiasm that everyone can understand.
Advance tickets will be on sale at The Living Water Bookstore in The Village Shopping Center. Information available about group sales and other discounts at 785-2570. Advance tickets for adults \$6.00 each, children \$3.00. Tickets at the door are adults \$7.00 and children \$5.00.

Girl Scout Camp Folders Out

Summer camp folders were mailed recently to girls registered with the Red River Valley Girl Scout Council, announcing the schedule of sessions at Camp Gambill this summer.
"Resident camping is open to girls between the ages of 6 and 17," said Camp Director Linda Woolston. "Girl Scout membership is not a requirement for attending Camp Gambill."
Three day, one week and two week sessions are offered this year in June and July. There is also a four week counselor-in-training program offered to girls who have completed the ninth grade by June, 1988.
Fees for the sessions are \$45 for three days, \$80 for one week, \$115 for two weeks and \$200 for the counselor program.

According to Mrs. Woolston, cabins are arranged in two separate units. There is also a platform tent unit available to those staying two weeks. Girls of about the same age and experience are placed in similar accommodations. Staff will live in cabins with girls during three-day sessions.
Mrs. Woolston said that the counseling staff is selected for their knowledge of the Girl Scout program, specific outdoor skills and their ability to work with girls. The camp staff participates in a week of pre-camp training prior to the opening session.
Camp Gambill is located five miles northwest of Paris on FM 2820. An open house will be held on May 8 from 2-4 p.m. for girls interested in attending resident camp and their families.
For more information, contact the Girl Scout office or call 784-0803.

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Clardy News

By Mrs. Virgie Ballard
Pete and Ruby Hudson of Jennings were in Sulphur Springs recently to see their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Hudson and Kirby.

Mrs. Mary Ballard, Mrs. Gaye Ellison and children Erin and Tyler of Quitman visited Mrs. Virgie Ballard last Tuesday.

Amy and Kelli Ballard took their flock of chickens to the fatstock show in Houston last week.

Al Parks of Deport was a visitor in Clardy last Tuesday.

Era Rader and Mamie McMellon visited their aunt, Mrs. Rose in Powderly last Tuesday then drove to Carl and Lois Westbrooks of Glory for a visit.

Col. Tony and Karen Ballard and son Lance of Ft. Smith, AR spent the weekend here with their folks, then on Sunday he flew from Dallas to Virginia for two weeks. Kaen and son will be in Clardy and Reno while he is away. Tony did some hunting while here.

Herbert and Jimmie Ferguson spent the week on a pleasure trip to Holly Lake down near Tyler. They had a wonderful time.

Kelli and Amy Ballard took show chickens to Houston last week. Kelli's won and were sold for a good price.

Kelli spent Saturday working with her lamb she will show here in the spring. Amy Ballard and Julia Braumn spent Saturday in Paris.

Tony and Karen Ballard of Ft. Smith, AR stopped for a visit with Ruby Hudson of Jennings so she could see the baby.

Fannin Dell won Saturday in basketball in Kilgore. They now go to state. We are proud of the team.

Mrs. Lorene Clements brother, Mr. Strawn of Oregon who has been ill, is much better we are glad to report.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Dunn of Perryton spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. Zada Dunn and his brother, Bobby and family. Mrs. Zada went home with them for several days visit.

Carl Hatcher has been attending his

aunt, Mrs. Ovetra Buzbee of Wichita. She is some better.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Gene Williams of Greenville. He is a brother of Louise Clement and we all hope he will be better soon.

We send prayers and cheer to the Dale Hedrick family. He is the uncle of Nelda Harrell of Jennings.

We all wish that Myrtle Ston, Lois Dudley, Jo Savage, Eugene and Sam, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hancock and Mrs. Alexander could all be better soon.

Visiting Jewis and Lorene Clement Saturday were their daughters, Charlotte Muecke of Wolfe City and Mildred Stone of Clardy.

Dawson Ballard of Powderly visited his mother Sunday after church. He put her up a new rain gage.

Robert Parkess of Mesquite spent a few days last week with his sister, Mary and Herschel Stone. He and Mary drove to the Morris Chapel Cemetery near Bogata. On their way

home they visited Thomas Westbrook of Bogata then in Deport they visited the Loyal Francis, then in the nursing home at Deport they visited Sam Skidmore, Tully Temple, Dixie Wakek and Willie Leggett. They had a very enjoyable day.

Mrs. Kay Emmons and children of Sulphur Springs spent the weekend with the Brown family of Shady Grove.

The Bogata Bible team were at Bethel Baptist Church Sunday and rendered a nice program.

Brad Hudson and children of Deport visited the Pete Hudsons and Mrs. Ruby Hudson of Jennings Sunday.

Dorothy Bridges of Royce City got burned last week by some hot greast. She is a niece of Alpha Russell of Jennings. We hope she is better soon.

Barbara Smith and J.C. Pomroy of Paris and Bobby Pomroy of Clardy visited the Herschel Stones Sunday.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard was a Paris business visitor Monday.



THE VFW LADIES Auxiliary Post 3990 of Reno volunteered on Monday to play bingo at the Deport

Nursing Home. Prizes were donated by the post. (Staff Photo)



4-H News

By John Senter

As you may have read in last week's column, a tentative date of Saturday, March 5 was set for a county cattle hoof trimming. We have checked for an alternate date and this is the only time we could get Mr. Cross to come. It will be at 10 a.m. at the fair-barn. I realize that this is a bit of an awkward time, but it appears that this is the only time to have a trimming before the junior show. It is a big must that all beef and dairy cattle have their hooves trimmed. It will greatly enhance your calves appearance and posture. Once again the fee will be \$10.00 per head. Make plans to attend and let us know if you have questions.

Here are some dates to keep in mind of upcoming deadlines for show entries. Roxton: Fees are \$7.00 per head. They are due in the office at 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 8. Make checks payable to Roxton FFA or the Roxton Junior Livestock Show.

This show will have swine shows and they ask that swine be pre-entered to ensure pen space. It should also be noted that it is possible to pay your fees at the show, but there will be a late charge added on. There is a lot of paperwork to complete after each deadline and we cannot hold the fees for anyone so please do not be late. Let us know if you have questions.



THE OFFICIAL Academic UIL competition for high school students will be March 25 at Northeast Texas Community College in Mt. Pleasant and will be hosted by Pittsburg ISD. Students entering competition from Prairiland High School are, back row, left to right: Jennifer Burchinal, feature writing, news writing, accounting, and calculator applications; Tiffany Klein, feature writing and news writing; Tracy Ford, feature writing and headline writing; Misty Malone, typewriting; Craig Ladd and David Jackson, ready writing; Wade Sparks, calculator applications and number sense; Melissa Grissom, calculator applications; Tammy Smith, calculator applications alternate; Charles Kennedy, number sense; Jeff Akard, number sense alter-

nate. Students, middle, left to right: David Stevens and Keith Reep, informative speaking; Lisa Icenhower, persuasive speaking; Lori Malone and Amanda Lewis, poetry; Shelley Ladd and Tina Sheppard, prose; Angela Waggoner, editorial writing, headline writing, ready writing, spelling and accounting; and Alicia Huffman, editorial writing, headline writing and spelling. Front row: Deana George, Rena Weddle and

Jeri Shelby, shorthand; Amy Baker and Cynthia Fagan, typewriting; and Tonya Roddy, typewriting alternate. Not available for the picture were Cassidy Vickers, feature writing and news writing; Ron Griffin, number sense; and Tracy Smith, persuasive speaking. UIL coaches are Pansy Morrow, Bill Moseley, Nancy Breedlove, Rhonda Bangs, Carolyn Ladd and Peggy Parsons. (Staff Photo by Carolyn Ladd)

Ron Griffin Jr. Selected For Honor

Ron Griffin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Griffin, Sr. of Pattonville, was recently selected to appear in the 22nd edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students. He was nominated for the award by Mr. Talley, teacher at Prairiland High



Ron Griffin, Jr.

School.

Ron is a sophomore at Prairiland High School where he has participated in football, basketball, baseball and FFA. He is in the Beta Club and a member of the National Honor Society.

Ron is vice-president of the sophomore class and was selected class favorite. He was voted Most Likely To Succeed and class favorite his freshman year.

He has been nominated and accepted as a United States National Mathematics Award member; United States Science Award member and has been selected by the National Secondary Education Council for the Scholastic All American at Large Division.

Ron plans to attend the University of Texas after he graduates from Prairiland. He is the grandson of Ellen Griffin of Pattonville and the late Trema W. Griffin.

Cynthia Fagan Is Award Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced today that Cynthia Fagan has been named a United States National Award winner in Mathematics.

Cynthia, who attends Prairiland High School, was nominated for this National Award by Nancy Breedlove,



Cynthia Fagan

a Mathematics teacher at the school. Cynthia will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors or other school sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Cynthia is the daughter of Odis and Geraldine Fagan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Odis Fagan of Paris and Mrs. Goldy Hoover of Pattonville.

Break-In Is Crime Of Week

Bell Electronics on 2870 N. Main in Paris was broken into between February 20 and 22. Entry was gained by prying open the front door. Electronic equipment was taken including speakers, auto amplifiers, video equipment and stereo equipment.

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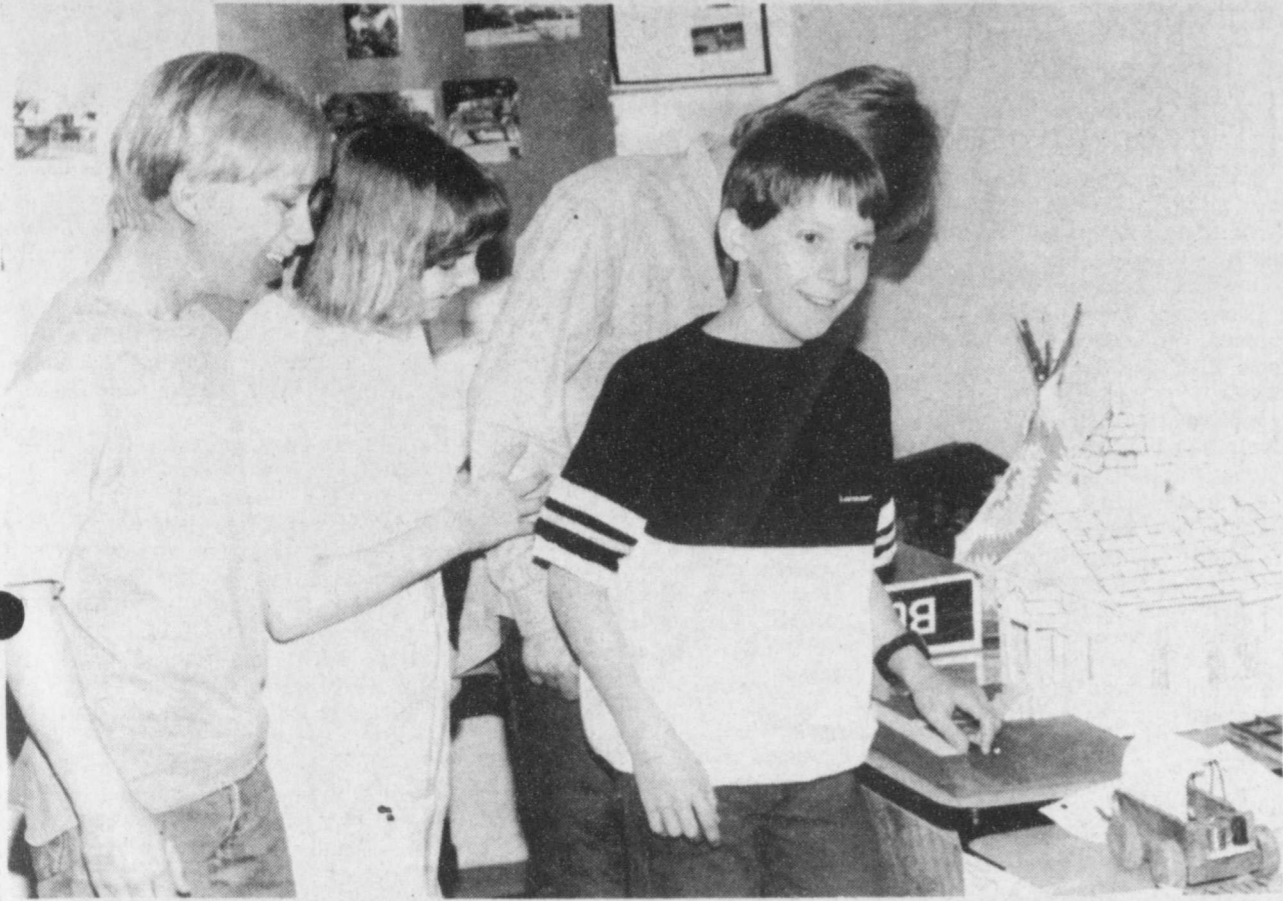
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HISTORY PROJECTS-Deport seventh and eighth grade American and Texas History

classes, under the direction of Mrs. Juanita Davis, have prepared a number of projects. One, a replica

of Shady Grove Church, is complete both inside and out with shingled roof, pews and every detail. (Staff Photo)



HISTORY-Deport seventh and eighth graders have prepared a variety of projects for Mrs.

Juanita Davis' classes. The projects will be in competition at Commerce soon, and are part of

the Texas History and American History classes. (Staff Photo)

Deport Honor Roll

Deport Junior High Honor Roll
Fourth Six Weeks Sixth Grade
 B: Brock Blasingame, Casey Mitchell, Zachary Border, Edie Love.
Seventh Grade
 A: Melissa Miller, Brenda Moreland, Georjeana Oats.
 B: Brandon Johnson, Clifton Bazhaw, Janee Jackson, Wendy Peek, Rachel Dawson, Lonnie Elrod, John Fagan, Ina Robison, Teri Hamm, Tony Head.
Eighth Grade
 A: Paul Nixon, Tara Vance.
 B: Camey Gooding, Amy Farris, Debbie Watson, Dee Dee Watson, Tammy Sheppard, Tara Gifford.

Deport Elementary School Fourth Six Weeks Honor Roll
Second Grade
 A: Rachel Birch, Christal Gilbert, Hagan Allen, Kimberly Gibson, Dusty Wolfe, Christi Wood.
 B: Chastie Moody, Kaleb Craig, David Ford, Kristin Gordon, Renea Holt, Ben Miller, Daniel Bryant, Jason Cullum, Jackie Davidson, Shanna Pegg, Sherrie Wolf, Matthew Wright, William Howard.
Third Grade
 A: Christy Ballard, Fair Shae Gifford, Traci Griffin.
 B: Jason Brown, David Sawyer, Brad Bove, Jennifer Roberts, Kay Bowling, Kevin Kelley, Wendy Hutchings, Cliff Adams, Justin Taylor, Johnny Gilbert, Lori Benedict, Melanie Griffin, Dustin Baer.
Fourth Grade
 A: Rachel Cullum, Melissa Griffin, Gina Moreland.
 B: Zachary Allen, Misty Day, Mary Ann Hancock, Allen Johnson, Beth Roach, Amy Strickland, Melody Sullivan, Lindsay Wright.
Fifth Grade
 A: Jo Juanita Lewis, Melissa Baer, Nell Merritt.
 B: Jason Anderson, Brad Figueroa, Carrie Gibson, Kevin Griffin, Jenny Roach, Pam Spears, Stephen Short, Angela Sepulveda, Melanie Mazy, Gearl Keys, Paul Jackson, Jeffery Gilbert, Leann Farris, Creighton Byrd.

Milton News

By Lillian Upchurch
 Belle Day of Pattonville had dinner Saturday night for family members, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Day and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Brockway of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Jenkins and girls of Detroit.
 Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Upchurch hosted a birthday dinner Saturday for H.R.'s mother, Viola Upchurch, who was celebrating her 81st birthday. Those attending were Frances Davis of Ft. Worth, Mary Woodall of Paris, Vada Mae Hoover of Pattonville, Grace Fendley of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Lambert of Ector, Mrs. Tiltha Gay of Bonham, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch, Mary Elaine Lawler and Elizabeth Bell of Milton.
 Mr. and Mrs. Greg Parks, Timothy and Dale Williams and Mr. and Mrs.

Johnny Holt, Christopher and Renea had lunch Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Upchurch and granddaughter, Christy Upchurch of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Woodall of Paris, Frances Davis of Ft. Worth and Viola Upchurch of Bisbee, AZ visited Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Upchurch and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch Sunday.
 Rev. Jim Spikes, pastor of First Baptist Church of Deport, had dinner Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt.
 We're happy to report Jessie Lee Allen of Deport, mother of Kenneth Harold Allen is home from the hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.
 Anyone having news items please call Lillian at 652-2100.

Pattonville News

By Ann Wright
 Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons during the weekend were Mark Parsons of Dallas, Tonya Burdine of Commerce, Mrs. Elmer Sparks of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Boren and Drew.
 Kristi and Drew Boren and Peggy Parsons visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Ina and Nina Sparks Sunday.
 Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Peggy Parsons visited Wilma Bolton of Cooper Sunday afternoon at St. Joseph's Hospital where she is a patient.
 Wanda and Tommy Eads of Ft. Worth, Lonnie Eads of New Hampshire, Betty Sulak and Ricky Elliott of Arlington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland. Other guests for dinner Saturday were Jack and Bonnie Banta and Christy of New Boston, Bobby and Judy Chapman of Maud, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and boys of Reno, and Kent and Ann Wright and Brandon.
 Mrs. George Humphreys of Bogata

spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappell.
 Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappell Friday were Mike Simmons of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Morgan of Lake Tawakoni.
 Danny Ray Craig of Kenneshaw, GA called Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig this week.
 Jerry Craig and Lucinda of Bogata visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig this week.
 Kent Wright and Brandon visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wright Sunday.
 Louise Crossland and Annette attended a birthday party at McDonald's Sunday honoring David Crossland on his third birthday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Annette visited Ruby Ray of Blossom Wednesday.
 Helen Northam and Lucille Nash of Paris, Mrs. Grady Reid of Fayetteville, AR and Tim and Terry, Holly and Braxton Stowers of Fayetteville, AR visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson over the weekend and Mrs. Fred Hulett and Ruth of Dallas.

Tuesday 42 Club Meets

The Tuesday 42 Club met March 1 in the home of Alma Scaff. All members were present.
 Audrey Baker won high score. Refreshments were served. Vada Mae Hoover received the hostess gift.
 The next meeting will be on March 15 with Thelma Shelby.



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THE PRAIRILAND One-Act Play "Nasty Things, Murders" will be performed at the district 13AAA competition UIL meet on March 22 at Paul Hewitt High School. Dress rehearsal for the event will be March 21 at the same location. Cast members are, left to right, back row: Misty Malone as Louise, Melanie Fowler as Madge, Alicia Frank as Mary, Kathe Jennings as the matron, and alternates Tina Sheppard, Shelley Ladd, Tracy Scott and Lori

Malone. Crew members, front, left to right: David Hevron, Jeff Fendley and Keith Reep. Not available for the picture was Lanica Gillie as Ethel. The play is centered around a retirement home setting with four of the older lady residents in turmoil due to watching a murder mystery on television and discovering, in their estimation, that the murderer is in their midst. The director is Carolyn Ladd. (Staff Photo by Carolyn Ladd)

All "A" Students Announced At Prairiland

Prairiland High School students earning an "A" average in all subjects for all subjects individually for the fourth six weeks period are as follows:

Freshmen: Jimmie Branham, Lori Malone, Amy Milford, Lorrie Sheppard, Elicia St. John and Christopher Sturch.

Sophomores: Kimberly Brewer, Cynthia Fagan, Ronald Griffin, Lisa Harris, Crystal Jones, Charles Kennedy, Susan Richey, Jennifer Whitley and Sheila Withers.

Juniors: Jamie Borden, Alicia Huffman, Misty Malone, Amy Scudder and Wade Sparks.

Seniors: Jennifer Burchinal, Craig Ladd, Melissa LaRue, Regina Newman, Tammy Ross and Lloyd Whelchel.

Blossom Housing Happenings

By Aileen Herron and Lossie Vickers

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Stone, Jennifer and Chris, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Reves visited Georgia Clark Saturday. Mary Smart visited Sunday.

Minnie Lee Shands visited Ruby Dickerson and Aileen Herron on Friday.

Ione Woodard and Margaret Parks visited Mrs. Zora Reasoner at McCuiston Hospital on Sunday.

Lossie Vickers is in McCuiston Hospital with the pneumonia. We hope she will be better soon.

Ruby Dickerson, Georgia Clark, Mildred York and Aileen Heron visited Lossie Vickers at the hospital Monday.

Dorothy Carter and mother, Mrs. Dewesse visited Mr. Cecil Carter Thursday. Her daughter and grandson visited Saturday. She also had lunch with her son and family Sunday.

Dorothy Wilson and Dorothy Barcus went to Paris Sunday.

Billy Bates visited her mother, Mrs. Rhoda Lee Monday. Johnnie Lee visited his grandmother Wednesday.

Homer Adams from Deport visited Carl Westmorland on Sunday.

Mary Reves, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. David McFadden, Ginger Stone, Jennifer and Chris had lunch with Georgia Clark Saturday.

Kathryn Jones attended the funeral of a friend at Kaufman last week.

Martha Jo Barnhill and Nicole visited their aunt, Virgie Jarnigan and Virgie's sister-in-law, Evie Smith from Detroit visited her Friday.

Mrs. Cecil Carter spent a few days last week with Mrs. Mae McDowra at Pattonville. Mrs. Carter had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Miller Sunday.

Sherry Castleman and John Author visited Lossie Vickers Sunday.

Dorothy Wilson and Pat Haley visited Dorothy's daughter, Emily Townsend in Dallas and her sister, Louella Bailey in Arlington last week.

Ruby Dickerson took Morene Bradley to the doctor at Depot Tuesday. Morene and Georgia Clark attended the singing at the Church of God with Ruby Dickerson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Lee and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bates and family, Patty Long and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bates and Lisa had lunch with Rhoda Lee Sunday.

Mabel Parker and Pauline Weddle had lunch in Paris Sunday and drove around in the afternoon. Mable visited her sister, Ola Whitley at Detroit, Friday.

Aileen Herron made a trip to Tyler Saturday with the senior citizens bus tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vickers visited Lossie Vickers Sunday.

Morene Bradley, Lossie Vickers, Chad Johnston visited Aileen Herron Sunday and played 42.

DRT Makes Presentation To Blossom School

In honor of Texas Independence Day, March 2, a mounted copy of the Texas Declaration of Independence was presented to the Blossom School from the George Washington Stell Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas.

The copy was presented to L.C. Stout, principal of Blossom school. Somewhat like the American Declaration of Independence, the Texas Declaration of Independence began with the statement that government was derived from the people and was to protect them. It followed with a statement of grievances and closed with the solemn declaration that the political ties binding Texas and Mexico were forever broken.

The declaration was adopted without an opposing vote.

East Post Oak News

By Mrs. Howard Crawford

There are a lot of people that are suffering with the flu.

Those visiting in the Howard and Ruby Crawford home Saturday were James Crawford and grandsons Nathan and Justin, Mr. and Mrs. James Prunty, Brent and Deanna of Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martinez and boys of Lone Oak and Mr. and Mrs. Steven Foster of Mt. Olive.

Mrs. Rhoda Lee gave a birthday diner last Sunday for her son and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Lee and Johnny Lee for Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bates and family.

Mr. Frank is home with a sore knee after a stay in the hospital.

A nice crowd gathered at the community center Friday night for a delicious meal was served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farrins went to Arkansas sFriday to get her mother, Mrs. Lillie Owen who had been visiting her daughter, Betty and family the past two weeks.



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Emergency Farm Loan Applications Being Accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by freeze and severe ice are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration office in Paris, FmHA County Supervisor Billy L. Curb said.

Lamar County is one of 87 in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the freeze and severe ice.

Curb said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business or \$500,000, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 4.5 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for a FmHA emergency loan," Curb said. Farmers participating in the PIK or Federal Crop Insurance programs will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until October 3, 1988, but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season.

FmHA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who

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7. Desert	29. New
13. In any case	31. Legume
14. Departed	33. Plantations
15. Doctor	35. Nep
16. Book	36. Strangers
17. Ridge	37. Knot
18. Behind	38. Epoch
19. Eat	40. Spasm
21. Slag	41. Charm
23. Pitch	42. Gossip
24. Eons	45. Goaded
26. Spring	48. Blank
27. Portal	49. Wooden form
28. Citrus	52. De-sac
30. Capsize	54. Cheat
32. Mathematician	57. Samarium
34. Constellation	59. Until
35. Cab	
39. Behind	
43. Astrington	
44. Dactyl	
46. Without	
47. Stannum	
48. Claws	
50. Coif	
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52. Charge	
53. Chaise	
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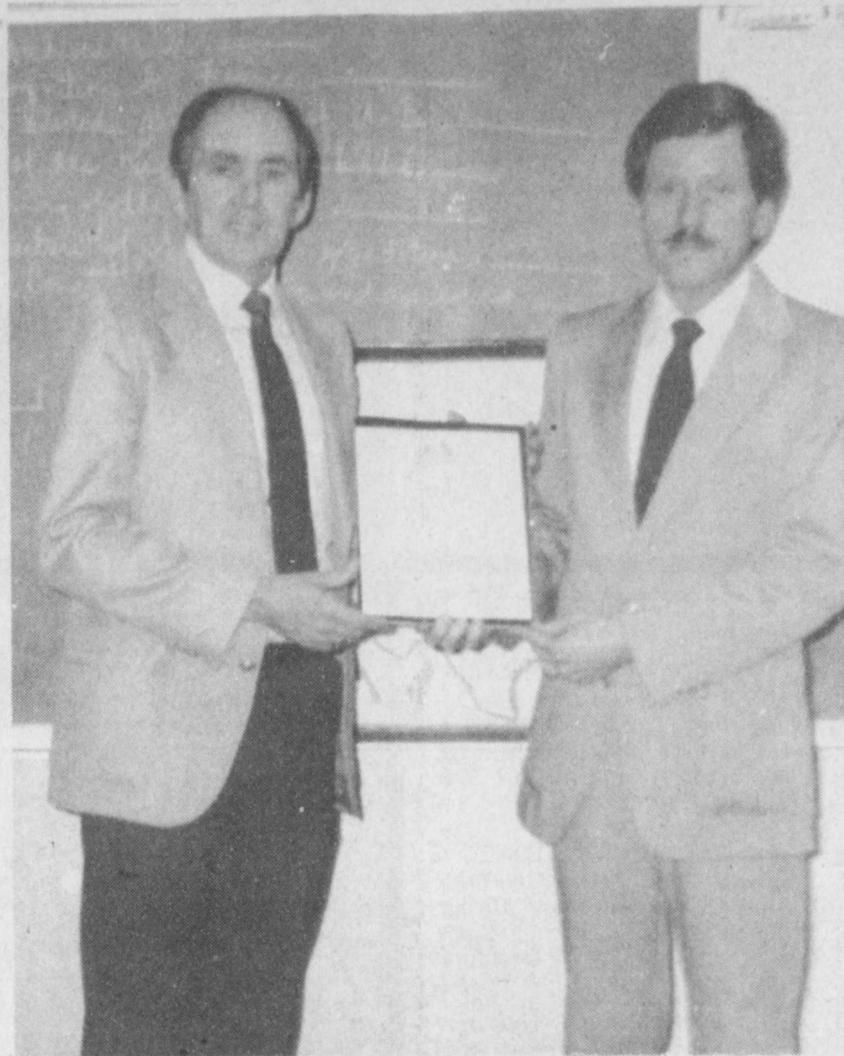
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Deport Nursing Home News

Mrs. Johnnie Warren visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Fowler in Cunningham Saturday.
 Mrs. Inez Luttrell visited Mary Matthews.
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blasingame of Detroit taught Bible class Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Barham of Clarksville visited Alene Barham.
 Helen Day and Gayla Williams visited Mrs. Julia Wadley.
 The VFW Ladies Auxiliary of Reno Post 3990 helped the residents play bingo on Monday afternoon. They

donated prizes for the games.
 Robert Giboney visited Mrs. Inez Frieze.
 Mrs. Georgia Durrough of Clarksville decorated the dining room with bouquets of daffodils.
 Mrs. Jody Crawford visited friends.
 Mrs. Pauline Rodgers of Detroit visited her mother, Mrs. Fannie Guest.
 Mrs. Ira Taylor and Buddy Taylor of Cunningham visited Ira Taylor.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Walker visited Dixie Walker.
 Mrs. Carol Dawson visited her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Mayes.



CHARLES PRICE and L.C. Stout admire the Texas Constitution presented to the school by the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

Fire Inaccessible To Fire Trucks

A Monday night fire proved inaccessible to volunteer firemen from both Cunningham and Deport.
 Several round hay bales, a barn and some pasture area near Halesboro about three miles east of Cunningham, burned that night.
 The Cunningham fire truck and the

smaller Deport truck both became stuck in their attempts to reach the fire, and local citizens with tractors had to be summoned to pull them free of the soft mud.
 Volunteer firemen had to do what firefighting they could on foot.

Jeff has been driving a truck since he was six and he still gets his kicks, now that he is TWENTY-SIX.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Jeff

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PORTRAYING the three witches in the Shakesperian tragedy "Macbeth" are, left to right: Tina Sheppard, Kathie Jennings and Lanieca Gillie. The scene served as an introduction to the Prairiland English IV classes as they began the study of the play. (Staff Photo by Carolyn Ladd)

Bell In Who's Who

Kimberly Pender Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Paul Bell of Grand Prairie and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Woodard of Deport, is one of 45 outstanding students at North Texas State University who has been tapped for membership in the 1987-88 Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges honors program. Nominated earlier this year by her

school's nominating committee, she has already been officially informed of her selection.
 Her name will appear in the fifty-fourth volume, and she will receive a personalized certificate at her school in recognition of the honor. Her complete biography, including her college record, will be presented in the 1988 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Deport Locals

By Lelia Westbrook
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rollins visited Sunday with their daughter, Angela and Ronnie Melvin in Greenville.

Bruce Alsbrook of Paris visited his grandparents, Doug and Goldie Alsbrook Sunday.

Paul and Barbara Igo of Sumner spent the weekend with his mother, Mary Bell Igo.

Members of the Deport United Methodist Women attended a coffee at the First United Methodist Church in Paris Saturday, March 5. The coffee was to honor Mrs. Tim (Karen Webb) Walker and Mrs. Nan Hale of the First United Methodist Church in Graham.

The program was part of the mission saturation program now in effect through the mission program of local churches. The first church in Graham, as a mission project, joined in efforts to build a church sanctuary at Saltillo, Mexico for the Bethel Methodist Church. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Hale presented slides and other information covering the three year period involved in the planning and building process. Of special note was the interest in church held by the people in Saltillo where their places of worship have standing room only. Also their love and knowledge of music. Without hymnals they sing all the verses, plus surely a few new ones, of all the hymns familiar to all of us and as stated, from memory.

Attending from Deport was Betty Warden, Margaret Parks, Rosa Lollar, Martha Glover, Juanita Sparks, Thelma Warren, Ruth

Cheatham, Melba Ladd, Ruth Chipman and the mother of Mrs. Karen Webb Walker, Mrs. Regina Webb.
 Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Hale presented the program to the congregation at Calvary Methodist in Paris on Sunday, March 6.

Kenneth and Janette Burks, Claude Burks of Deport, Brad, Cindy and Megan Burks of Reno and Cindy Burks of Commerce were in Dallas Saturday to see Brent Burks, son of Brian and Becky Burks of Mabank, play soccer at Reunion Arena. He played in a tournament and his team came in third. They all stayed and watched the Sidekicks play afterwards. Brent is the grandson of Kenneth and Janette and great-grandson of Claude Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. B.T. Miller visited sister, Mrs. Hugh Jeffus, Sr. Thursday and Friday. They spent the night with Thomas and Nanalee Nichols and visited with Hugh Jeffus, Jr., also. They were enroute from Port Isabelle where they spent the winter, to Spavinaw, OK where they live.

Jeffery Jeffus spent the weekend in Deport visiting his family.

Richard Nance and Charles Nichols went to an equipment display at Will Rogers Coliseum in Ft. Worth on Saturday.

Thomas Nichols continues to improve following recent surgery.

Cary, Bobby and Michael Langston had Brandon and Allen Johnson as visitors over the weekend. The boys went fishing and horseback riding.

The Deport Times is sent to Da Brooks of Paris from Mr. and Mrs. Octavis Westbrook as a birthday gift.

Deport Housing Authority News

By Lelia Westbrook and Mary Westbrook

Millie and Theresa Kyle, Sandra Anderson of Paris and Allene Cable of Texarkana visited Mina Kyle Saturday.

Clyde Kyle and sons of Paris visited his mother, Mina Kyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Hurst of Carrollton spent the weekend with her mother, Willie Mae Speir.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stafford and Stephanie and Stacy of Grand Prairie spent the weekend with her mother, Christine Landers, Byrl and Lou Landers of Clardy visited Saturday night.

Lucille Cline visited Nelda and Johnny Musgrove in Cunningham Saturday night and Sunday. Ms. Cline is expecting her sister-in-law, Ms. Doyle Musgrove of Black Lake to visit her soon.

Mr. and Mrs. T.H. McDowra of Paris had dinner with his mother, Dorthea McDowra Sunday.

Cindy Burks of Commerce visited her father, Claud Burks on the weekend. She also visited her mother, Allie Burks in Bogata Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Early of Plano visited her mother, Mrs. Rosa Holley on Saturday. Also Roger Early and boys of Clarksville and Greg Jones and Michelle Conally of Waco visited Mrs. Holley Sunday.

Mrs. Tommy Cannon of Dallas visited her mother, Edna Bell Friday and Saturday.

Louise Mauldin of Bogata and Maikie and Shirley Wilson of Dallas visited Mrs. Jessie Kidd on Saturday and Sunday.

Orville Grinstead of Snider, OK visited his sister, Carrie Bennett on Sunday.

Elnore Ratliff visited her mother, Alpha Barnard on Sunday.



Dear Ms. Nichols,
 Hello! My name is Stacy Smith. I'm 25 and I live way out in Odessa (Texas, of course, although I'm tempted to think sometimes it's an entirely different planet!) I'm writing to you for two reasons, so I suppose I'll just plunge right in!

First of all, my grandmother, Mrs. L.G. (Dorothy) Campbell of Lamesa, gets your paper every week. My mother, Nelda Campbell Smith, grew up in Deport until the age of 8, when they packed up and headed for Lamesa. My great-aunt and uncle, Lowell and Catharine Campbell, still live in Deport. This past summer when you ran your vacation articles about England, Granny sent them to me to read. I'm an incredible England-buff, and she figured I'd enjoy them. Well, she was so right. I loved them. And just the other day, she sent me the "Nichols Worth" article you'd written about weather in Texas and what your British friends would think. It was great! Your friends sound like such fun people.

The other reason I'm writing is this. If things go as planned, I'll be spending the Fall 1988 semester in London! I'll be going as a part of the UT branch school's London Semester program, where students from the various UT branch schools (like UTEP, UT Dallas, UT-A, and mine, UT-Permian Basin) go and take courses from UT branch professors in classes like British History, Dickens' London and London Studies, for credit in UT system schools. Since I'm a British History major, I thought it just sounded like such a fantastic experience. And besides that, I've always wanted to go live in England, for more than a couple weeks vacation. I think I must be British at heart. I know I am by blood, most of our ancestry in my family is English, Irish and Scottish. Any way, this morning in the shower, I got to thinking how very gear (scouse-Liverpudlian) for "Neat-o" it would be too already to know someone in London, then one thought led to another, and I began to wonder if maybe your English friends might know someone my age who wouldn't mind corresponding with me for a bit before I go in August. I would prefer, of course, a nice, good looking, tall, single guy, but I know I shouldn't be that picky. I really just would like a friend over there.
 Sincerely,
 Stacy Smith

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