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Worth



By Nanalee Nichols

Well, well, well. Sometimes there is a day of retribution! Saturday morning I woke up grumbling and grouching because it was snowing like crazy.

Thomas, of course, was as happy as a little kid.

I moaned and groaned about the fact that all the fluffy white stuff was good for was to make someone slide off the road or slip down and fall.

Thomas laughed at me. But, I decided to get out anyway, and engaged four wheel drive in the vehicle to go wandering up and down highways and byways taking pictures.

And oh, the snow was lovely. Icy streams giggled past trees outlined in blackest black and whitest white.

Deep green cedars swayed gracefully under the weight of white fluffy snow.

And children everywhere were bundled up and building snowpeople at a prodigious rate.

As we all know, the snow didn't last too long.

Sunday afternoon I was tromping around out back from the pickup to the house. I had an armful of magazines, cameras and my purse.

I discovered that when mud reaches just the right consistency...it's slicker than snow!

I hadn't bothered with my gripper soled shoes...after all, it was just mud.

Twice I slipped, catching myself each time.

I was laden with a camera, my purse, and several magazines.

Just before I made the door...you guessed it.

My feet slid out from under me, and I landed flat on my back!

My purse made an arc one direction. My camera made a graceful curve in another direction. The sight of it's lens burying up in the mud was not my favorite sight.

I haven't had the breath knocked out of me in years...and had forgotten just how bad it feels.

Lying there in the very cold, very wet mud gasping for breath I began to remember that I had laughed mighty hard at Jim Short a few weeks ago for much the same thing.

Thomas reminded me that it's sometimes not wise to offend the "snow gods"...that they probably were just proving a point by demonstrating that snow isn't the only thing you can fall on!

Local Authorities Attend Dinner

On Thursday, January 16, 1992, Mayor Charles Foster, Mayor Pro-Tem Nancy Greasham, Deport Housing Authority head Melba Ladd and City Secretary Sharon Francis attended the Annual Joint Dinner Meeting of the Ark-Tex Council of Governments in Texarkana.

The guest speaker was Lena Guerrero, Chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission.

The meeting was held in Texarkana.

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Snowfall Comes And Goes!

The snows of more northerly states found this part of the world over the weekend, dropping from six inches down to only an inch or so of big, fat, fluffy white stuff.

The temperatures hovered right at the freezing point, keeping roads in better shape than usual during a snow storm.

That wasn't to say that there weren't plenty of slick spots on roads and sidewalks, though.

While Paris collected about six inches of the snow, as did Blossom

and Clarksville, only a few miles further south, at Deport and Bogata, the accumulation wasn't quite as deep. Towards Talco the snowfall decreased even more, while Mt. Pleasant had virtually no snow.

Children of all ages enjoyed the snow, making snow men and women dressed in western hats, top hats, berets, sunglasses and a variety of imaginative outfits.

Their creations were doomed to a brief life-span, however, as the snow melted away more and more as Sat-

urday progressed. Sunday the snow people and expanses sheltered on the north side of buildings were almost all that survived of the winter's first snowfall.

This week's weather saw colder night temperatures, with a warming trend towards the middle of the week. Rain mid-week is expected to be replaced by another arctic front over the weekend. Will it bring more of the white stuff? Not even a weatherman knows for sure!



LET IT SNOW LET IT SNOW...these young ladies show off their western style snowman. The snow was perfect for creating western style snowmen, snowpeople in berets, snow crea-

tures, and all kinds of interesting characters. Most are just a small lump now, as warming trends and rain caused them to disappear. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

Gary Waite Enters Race For Lamar County Attorney

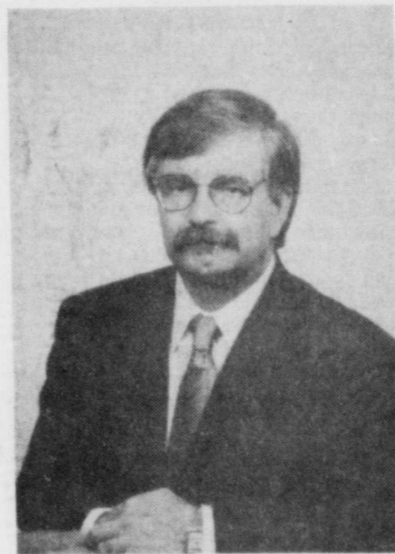
Gary Waite, a Paris attorney, entered the race for Lamar County Attorney, seeking the Democratic nomination in the party's primary election to be held March 10.

"I will be a full time County Attorney who will attend to all the legal business of Lamar County. In the past, the County has had to contract, at great expense to the County, with private law firms to handle civil suits the County has been involved in,

because the County Attorney has been unable or unwilling to handle these suits."

"I will vigorously prosecute crime in Lamar County. I will be a full time District Attorney available and accessible to the public, and I and my staff will serve the public with the utmost courtesy."

Waite and his wife, Ruth Ellen,



Gary Waite Enters County Attorney Race

Jim Satcher Files For Precinct 1 Commissioner Post

Jim Satcher has filed for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Precinct 1.

Satcher, age 48, was born in Lamar County near his present residence. He attended Lamar County schools until the age of 9 when he moved to Ft. Worth with his parents. He returned to Lamar County in 1976. He has been active in dairy farming and raising beef cattle since that time. For the past 1 1/2 years, he has been employed by Harrison-Walker-Harper, Inc. as equipment superintendent where he was responsible for the procurement and maintenance of all equipment as well as for the preparation of the yearly equipment and maintenance budget.

"Being self employed for many years taught me the importance of careful money management. I have always believed in doing anything

right the first time in the most efficient manner possible. If elected, I will be a full time commissioner spending most of my time in the field and being accessible to the residents of Precinct 1. Being involved in agriculture, I understand the importance of having good roads so that producers are able to get their products to market in a timely manner. Equitable and efficient use of the county budget will be one of my main concerns."

Satcher and his family have been involved in numerous community affairs over the years. They have been honored by the Chamber of Commerce, Lamar County Junior Livestock Show, Red River Valley Fair Association and the county 4-H and FFA programs for their efforts. He and his wife have two daughters and one grandson. They are members of the East Paris Baptist Church.



Jim Satcher, Candidate for Pct. 1 Commissioner, Lamar County

Dearborn Seeking Pct. 1 Constable's Position

Jackie Dearborn has filed as a Democratic candidate for Constable of Precinct 1. He has over twenty years of experience as a Certified Texas Law Enforcement officer to offer Lamar County citizens.

Jackie was a partner in a family ranching business in Lamar County when he joined Dallas Police Department in February, 1968. During his 18 1/2 years with Dallas Police he held Advanced Law Enforcement Certifications. His assignments included radio patrol duties, accident investigation, field training officer, and motorcycle traffic officer. He was certified as an Advanced Accident Investigator through Texas A&M Extension Schools and was responsible for investigation of accidents with fatalities and major injuries in Dallas. He was a field training officer for Dallas Police Academy graduates and was responsible for their job training and safety. During his years as motorcycle officer his detail was escort and security for many presidential and other VIP visits

to the city. Additionally he held numerous other certifications through Dallas Police Department.

In 1986 he left the police department to move to West Texas and pursue an opportunity in business. During his three years there he was a Reserve Sheriff's deputy for Clay County.

In 1989 he and his wife, Anne, returned to Lamar County where they live in the Sylvan community. He has been a Reserve Deputy for Lamar County Sheriff's Department for two years. He is currently employed as a jailer for Lamar County.

He is member of the Masons and the Elks Lodge. He and his wife attend Emmanuel Baptist Church in Paris.

It is his desire to return to fulltime community law enforcement in Lamar County. He is a dedicated law enforcement officer who wishes to return to field service in his community. He feels his maturity and experienced judgement would be an asset to the citizens of Lamar County in Precinct 1.



Jackie Dearborn, Candidate For Pct. 1 Constable Position

People 'N Things

Reminder-We need grandchildren of the week to run in the Grant Funeral Home ads. Please leave picture and information at the Deport Times.

1992 Paris Art Fair poster contest. Watercolor, oil, pen and ink, mixed media and photography will be accepted through Friday, February 14 at the YWCA in Paris. For info, call 785-5221.

The YWCA of Paris and Lamar County is accepting entries for its

VFD Chili Supper Set For February 1 In Blossom

The Blossom Fire Department will be hosting their annual chili supper on Saturday, February 1 from 5:30 to 9:00 p.m. at the Blossom School Cafeteria.

There will be a \$3.00 donation for the meal, with children under six years old eating free when accompanied by an adult.

The meal is all you can eat and

proceeds go to the department for operations and new equipment.

A pie and cake auction will also be held at the chili supper. All donations will be greatly appreciated for the auction.

Everyone is cordially invited to come out for a night of good food and good buys while supporting a worthy cause.

Deport Firemen Elect Officers

The Deport Volunteer Fire Department elected officers at their regular meeting Monday night, Jan. 20.

Officers are: President, Dana Norman; Vice President, Donny Darden; Sec.-Treas., Charles Foster; Asst. Sec.-Treas. Thomas Nichols; Dept. Police, Bud Nobles; Chief, Duane Glover; Asst. Chief, Don Denison; Fire Marshal, Dana Norman; Asst. Fire Marshal, Eric Pearson; Drill Master, Johnny Dawson; Asst. Drill Master, Eric Pearson; Hose Capt., Barry Mathews; Asst. Hose Capt., Billy Slaton; Ladder Capt.,

Charles Langston; Asst. Ladder Capt., Jeff Smith; Chaplin, Johnny Dawson; Mascot, Kandace Denison.

Herman LaRue was voted in as a new member of the department.

Department members voted to help sponsor the annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 18th.

Plans to add two bays to the fire station were discussed. Fire Chief Duane Glover informed members that the departments pumper will be 30 years old next year and because of insurance reasons the department will need to start arranging for another pumper truck in the new future.

Deport PTO To Have Concessions

The Deport PTO met January 14. Lanita Unruh called the meeting to order.

It was decided that the PTO would have the concession on Jan. 18, Feb. 1 and Feb. 8 at the Little Dribbler Basketball games.

A discussion about concrete to be poured around the outside basketball goal was held. Price for it was \$8,000.

A Parent-Teacher Volleyball Tournament was tentatively scheduled for April 11.

They voted to put a small area of shredded tires under the swings as a test to see if it would prove beneficial.

The next meeting was set for March 31 at 7:00.

Amy Watson's class won the ice cream party for bringing the largest percentage of parents to the meeting.

Little Dribblers To Perform At Half Time

On Tuesday night, January 28 the Fifth grade Little Dribbler girls teams from Blossom Elementary School and Deport Elementary School will play during half time of the Prairiland High School basketball game. Everyone is invited to come see the varsity games and these youngsters as well.

Little Dribblers Schedule Changed Due To Weather

The Deport Little Dribblers Girls will play beginning at 5:30 p.m. Thursday Jan. 23 and the boys will play Friday night January 24 at 5:30.

On Saturday they will play at Powderly.

Pattonville To Hold Covered Dish Supper

The Pattonville Community Center will hold their monthly meeting on January 27 at Don Gentry's shop building. A covered dish supper will be served at 6:30 and the meeting will begin at 7 p.m.

All Pattonville area residents are invited and urged to attend.



CHECKING THROUGH one of her recipe books is Helen Williams, who is sharing in this week's Country Cooking Column. (Staff Photo by Gerrie Bankhead)

Country Cooking

By Gerrie Bankhead



The Country Cooking column is coming to you this week from the dining room of Helen and Ed Williams of Bogata. Being the proud parents of three children, they are: Haletha Jones, husband Granville, and three sons, all of Commerce; a daughter, Patty Barton, husband Henry and one son of Bagwell; and a son, Dr. George Hobbs, wife Janet and two daughters of Huntsville, making a total of six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Helen and Ed have made Bogata their home for 51 years of which they moved from the Halesboro community. Helen's career has consisted of ten years at the Bogata News; three years as the tax collector in Clarksville; 20 years at Sears in Paris. After retiring from Sears, she went to school to become a medication nurse where she spent the next 14 years at Red River Haven Nursing Home. She totally retired from public work in 1989. Since that time she spends more time on her hobbies like making pillows, afghans, playing 42, cards, traveling, cooking, sewing, gardening, crafts and entertaining. Helen's favorite place to travel to is Branson,

MO, or wherever the tour bus travels next. She is always ready. She also enjoys entertaining at special occasions, especially holidays. Helen has made six afghans from October to December, but she says making pillows are her specialty and they are beautiful.

Helen is sharing a variety of recipes this week and we hope you enjoy them. The European English Peas and Mushrooms is a new recipe she got from her daughter, Haletha, about a year ago. She thinks it is great and uses it a lot during the holidays. The Pink Angel Salad makes a big dish and is very pretty when complete. She got the recipe from her daughter, Patty, and has used it for years. The Pumpkin Bread recipe has been a favorite for a number of years also. She got it when she was working at Sears. The Millionaire Pie is very good and rich, and will serve eight people instead of the original six. The Copper Pennies recipe is a dish that will keep several days and can take the place of salad. Helen got this recipe from her sister, Allene Chandler from Legate, about two years ago.

Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Rev. Chief Warden, pastor of the United Methodist Church was admitted to St. Joseph Hospital on Monday, after being seriously injured in a fall at his farm. We wish for him a complete recovery.

Rev. J.D. and Mrs. Watson of Paris spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris had supper Saturday night with Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain.

Melissa Machel of Novice and Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn of Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chipman and Joel Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Norwood.

Bobbye Ruth Slusher was injured Sunday morning when she fell on the icy steps. She was admitted to the emergency room at St. Joseph Hospital but was not hospitalized. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

John and Teresa Norwood Mowery of Clarksville are the parents of a daughter, Kelti Makenna, born Friday at McCuiston Hospital. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy and great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood and Mrs. Francis Franklin of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Cole and Lacie, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Norwood, Brenton and Jennifer had Sunday lunch with Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie and Mathew Guthrie of Talco had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Moore of Clarksville had Sunday supper with Mrs. Lucy Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Polk of Paris, Rhonda Eatherly of Clardy, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Watson and family of Taylortown and Mr. and Mrs. Odus Watson had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson and Bruce and Deana Gibson and Dillon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Norwood and Kenny of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Saturday.

John Newman of Paris visited Mrs. Loretta Pynes Friday.

Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Deport had lunch with Mrs. Lucy Fowler Sunday.

Trae Gifford of Deport spent Friday night with Mrs. Loretta Pynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn visited Mrs. Thelma Malone of Paris Sunday.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers

Harold Epps came Thursday and spent a while with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Epps.

Duane and Bobbye King of Paris had lunch Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Travis King. Jeffery King visited them Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Thomas of Omaha visited Betty Rodgers early Monday morning.

Monday afternoon visitors of Mr.

and Mrs. Travis King were Mrs. Kyle King, Nicole, Shelley and Travis of Paris.

Betty Rodgers, Jodi Crawford and Marcella Wright were in Paris Sunday and later in the evening. Betty, Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga met Monte and Shelley Rodgers, Madeline and Deanna Cope at the bowling alley and enjoyed bowling.

Area Students On ETSU Honor Rolls

East Texas State University has announced its President's Honor Roll and Deans' List for the 1991 fall semester.

The President's Honor Roll requires students to earn a straight A or 4.0 grade point average on a minimum of 12 hours. Deans' List students must post a minimum of 3.25 grade point average on a minimum of 12 semester hours.

From Blossom: Deans' List: Margaret J. Adkins, Amanda Kay Barnard, Angela Kay Earp, Melissa R. Grissom, Susan Renee Hall Miller

and Cobi D. Minton.

From Bogata: Deans' List: Deanna Jo Harper, Kathy D. Stringfellow, Vickie O. Thomas and Danny DeWayne White.

From Cunningham: Deans' List: Mendy M. Cole.

From Pattonville: President's Honor Roll: Rodney H. Eatherly, Melicia Lynn Merritt. Deans' List: Cynthia Ann Fagan and Lessia Sue Womack.

From Talco: Deans' List: Sharon L. Langley and Kristie E. Stansell.

Obituaries

Ethel Hood Dies January 18

Ethel Lois Hood, 88, of Bogata, died Saturday, January 18 in Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, January 20 in the Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery in Deport by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hood was born June 12, 1903 in Woodland, a daughter of William and Caldonia Moorman Starks. She was reared in the Rugby community and was a member of the Methodist Church. She married Jule Hood on December 13, 1923 in Deport. He died in 1974.

Surviving are a brother, John L. Starks of Paris; two sisters, Bonnie Thompson of Bogata and Mrs. Aubrey Hignight of Deport; and several nieces and nephews.

Named as bearers were Bob Wright, C.R. Thompson, Craig Carroll, Mike Clifton, Edward Duffee, Thurman Franks, Jerry Benham and Dr. Hale Glover.

J.D. Parson Jr. Dies January 15

J.D. Parson Jr. of Paris died Wednesday, January 15 at McCuiston Regional Medical Center.

Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home conducted services at 11 a.m. Saturday, January 18 at the Belk United Methodist Church with the Rev. Randall Scott and the Rev. Lorenzo Johns officiating. Burial was in West Post Oak Cemetery.

Mr. Parson was born May 16, 1909 in the Belk community, a son of John Delos Parson Sr. and Bonnie Garrett Parson. He attended West Post Oak schools and was a retired farmer and rancher in the Ragtown community. He moved to Paris in 1976 and was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Surviving are a son, Keith Parsons of Pattonville; two daughters, Marcilene Stewart of Hopewell and Elaine Roberts of Pat Mayse Village; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; a brother, Wayne Parson of Belk and three sisters, Corina Cooper, Cordelia Cook and Gladys Burleson, all of Garretts Bluff. He was preceded in death by a brother, Edith Parson, and a sister, Frances Foster.

Prudence Kelsey Dies January 17

Prudence Mae Haun Kelsey of Garland died in Dallas on Friday, January 17.

Services were held at the First United Methodist Church in Leonard at 1 p.m. Tuesday, January 21 with burial in Highland Cemetery in Deport by Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home. The Rev. Lois Cooper and the Rev. Richard W. Jones officiated.

Mrs. Kelsey was born in Howe, a daughter of J.S. Haun and Sarah Pinson Genable Haun. She attended schools in Van Alstyne and North Texas State University in Denton. She taught school in Oklahoma and Texas, teaching in Deport until 1922 when she moved to Muskogee, OK. She taught there until she married Russell Kelsey in Celina on September 12, 1922. She lived in Deport until 1929 when she moved to Celina, later to Bonham and to Leonard in 1933. She lived in Leonard until 1988 and lived in Florida and Garland until last March when she moved to C.C. Young Memorial Home in Dallas. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and was active in the United Methodist Women, its ladies adult Sunday School class and was a member of the 1921 Literary Club, the American Legion Auxiliary and did volunteer work at the Veterans hospital in Bonham. She was co-owner of a dress shop in Leonard for 10 years.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Sarah) Day of Garland and Mrs. Hubert (Mary Ann) Helton of Tallahassee, Florida; four grandchildren, Dr. Robert Day Jr. of Garland, Cynthia King of San Antonio, Kelsey Ann Helton of Tallahassee and David Helton of Tallahassee; four great-grandchildren; and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Joe (Reccy) Kelsey of Deport.

Card of Thanks

To all the dear people of Deport, I would like to thank you for all the wonderful things you have done for me and Hooker during my lengthy illness. Your calls, cards, the food, your many acts of kindness meant so much. God bless you for your love and friendship.

Love,
Mrs. H.H. (Jo) Bryant

Card of Thanks

There is no way we can tell our friends and family how much we appreciate their support while Johnnie was in the hospital and since he has been home. Your prayers, telephone calls, visits, cards, flowers and last, but not least, the Dallas Morning News. May God bless each and every one of you.

Johnnie and Virgie McLemore

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our appreciation and deepest gratitude for the prayers, food, phone calls, visits, cards and the kind words during the loss of our loved one. A very special thanks to Dr. E.L. Miller and his staff at the Talco Clinic. Thanks also to Dr. Vanbuskirk, Dr. McCully, third floor nurses and aides at Titus County Memorial Hospital. Our appreciation goes to the staff at the Villa Nursing Home. Special thanks to Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home, to Rickey Logan, Everett Logan, Jr., and Alvin Blalock for the beautiful service. A special thank you to Marla Logan, Brenda and Jason White for the songs of inspiration. May God bless each of you.

The Grayson Byram Family

Card of Thanks

The family of Ethel Hood wishes to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends who showed their kindness during our time of sorrow through food, flowers and comforting words.

We especially wish to thank Dr. E.E. Brooks, Morris Foster and Bill Buckman, administrators and nurses at Red River Haven Nursing Home, Jim Wood, Donna Robinson and Neva Harville for the lovely music and Rev. Bob Bush for the comforting words and lovely service in memory of our beloved sister, aunt and friend.

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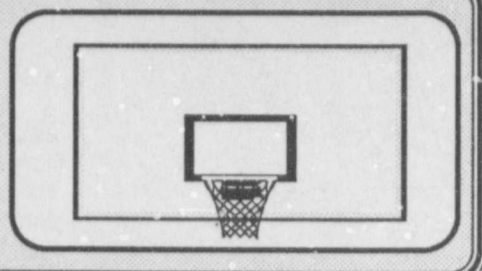
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Patriot Sports Report



Patriots Drop District Opener In Final Seconds

By David Singleton

The Prairiland Patriots faced Pittsburg last Monday in their last pre-district game. Cody Bowen and Swede Ladd combined to give the Pats a 6-4 lead. But Pitt responded to tie, and they traded baskets for the remainder of the quarter before Bowen finished a three point play for a 15-14 Pat lead.

The second quarter found Justin Gordon hitting a trey from the right side. Strong defense prevailed for most of the quarter, and Brock Blasingame sunk a ten foot jumper to close out the half 24-22, Pittsburg. Ladd nailed two three pointers in the third quarter, but Pittsburg added a bucket to their lead to close at 34-30.

The Patriots lost the edge in the final stanza. Jimmy Little's layup, with 3:40 left, was the last points the

home team would score. Pittsburg got the hot hand, and the game ended 56-34, Pittsburg.

In Friday's district opener, the Patriots hosted the Winnsboro Red Raiders.

Postmen Cody Bowen and Wes Rhoades combined inside to give the Pats a quick 7-2 lead. The Raiders responded with three buckets from the outside, but Jimmy Little and David Singleton combined for six points to hold the Pat lead at 16-9.

Rhoades hit two buckets and Singleton one inside to maintain a seven point Patriot advantage at 22-15. But the Raiders clawed back with an 11-2 run. Little's jumper in the lane tied the game at 26 with :29 left. However, two errant passes allowed Winnsboro to take a 30-26 halftime advantage.

The third quarter opened with Toby Dockray hitting a trey from the wing, but the Raiders were hot from the outside and maintained their lead. Dockray and Singleton combined for the final four points of the quarter, but the Raiders held a 42-37 lead.

Little and Singleton took charge in the final stanza combining for 11 points, and Rhoades put the Patriots up 52-48 at the 1:50 mark.

But the Raiders scored the last five points, including a three pointer with :11 left. The Pats managed a final desperation shot, but it banked hard off the glass as time ran out. The final tally found the Patriots a point short at 53-52.

Singleton led the home team with 15, followed by Rhoades with 13 and Little with 10.



DANA MONDAY takes the ball against the Winnsboro Lady Raiders. The Lady Patriots were

unable triumph over the 2nd ranked Winnsboro girls. (Staff Photo by David Singleton)

Lady Pats Fall To 1-2 In District Play

By David Singleton

Tuesday night, the Lady Patriots hosted the Wills Point Lady Tigers and the home team took the lead early, sweeping the Tigers 62-21.

In the first quarter, the Pats used their intense full court press to cause Tiger turnovers, and get on the scoreboard early. Then, with only seconds left in the quarter, Davonna Brumley put in a lay up to close the scoring at 20-2.

The second quarter was much like the first. Coming off the bench, Melissa Miller scored six leaving the score 36-10 at the halftime buzzer.

As play resumed, Scudder quickly hit a jumper, but was followed by a Lady Tiger field goal also. With the score at 38-12, Scudder broke away

for a lay-up, and so did the Lady Tigers. The quarter ended 49-15.

In the last stanza, the Pats took turns scoring at will. Mandy Babb, Crystal Ericsson, Dana Monday, Laura Hayes and Katie Mowery all helped run the score to the final 62-21.

Friday night's game found the #2 ranked Winnsboro Lady Raiders invading Pattonville.

Jan Scudder, Dana Monday and Laura Hayes scored to hold the Pats in striking distance, even though the visiting team played close to perfection. The pace stayed the same until the middle of the second quarter when the Lady Raiders took a 13 point lead.

FFA's Attend Convention

The Prairiland FFA Chapter attended the District FFA Convention held in Mt. Vernon on January 20.

The Ag Talent Team composed of Jance Jackson, Bryan Ausmus, John Pittman, Paul Nixon, Jason Pruitt, Mendy Dobbs and Georjeana Oates competed for area honors and were in the run-off for first place.

Kimberly Reep was running for State President and she and Paul Nixon received the title of Mr. and Ms. FFA.

The Chapter sent three voting delegates, they were Amy Irwin, Gearl Keys and Brad Allen.

Many chapter members attended and enjoyed the catered meal served by Emie's Barbeque.



Humpback whales sing in accents which indicate where they're from—the Virgin Islands, Bahamas or Puerto Rico, for instance.

Prairiland School Menu January 27-31

Monday
Barbeque weiners
Pinto beans
Sliced potatoes
Cornbread
Fruit
Milk

Tuesday
Salmon patties
Macaroni and cheese
Potatoes
Hush puppies
Jello
Milk

Wednesday
Barbeque chicken
Potatoes, gravy
Peas
Rolls
Fruit salad

Thursday
Beef and cheese ravioli
French fries
Corn
Crackers
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BINGO was enjoyed at Deport Nursing Home last week when the Ladies Auxiliary from VFW Post 3990 of Reno brought prizes and provided help for the residents during the games. Frankie Archibald, pictured, had a good time playing bingo with the Auxiliary ladies. (Staff Photo)

Prairiland High School
Weekly Activities
Jan. 27-31, 1992
Jan. 27.....FFA Meeting, 6:30
Jan. 28..... Basketball against Rains, H, 6:00 VG and VB
Jan. 29.....YFC Library, 7:50 a.m.
Jan. 30.....Basketball at Mt. Vernon, 5:30, 9, JV
.....Basketball at Wills Point, 6 p.m. VG and VB

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Tough economic times and restrictive bank lending practices have made loans, between individuals, more common. If you are considering making a loan, these tips on documenting personal debts can help preserve a tax deduction in the event the loan can't be repaid.

First, you need to clearly identify whether the loan is for personal or business purposes. Generally, business bad debts arise directly from the lender's business activity and are deductible as a normal cost of doing business. Personal bad debts (also called nonbusiness bad debts) are deductible as short-term capital losses. The losses are first used to offset up to \$3,000 per year of salary and other income.

Next, you need to document that you intend to be repaid and are not making a gift (especially when making loans to family members). A written agreement between the parties should be made, showing how much is owed, that a market interest rate is being charged, and that a definite due date has been set. Caution: loan guarantees made as a favor for a friend or relative don't qualify for a bad debt deduction. You must be able to provide a profit intent.

Finally, document your collection efforts. Nonbusiness bad debts are deductible only in the year that the debt becomes completely worthless. You must show that there is no chance of the loan being repaid and that you made reasonable efforts to collect the debt. Keep copies of letters you send demanding payment, and log the results of telephone calls you make. If the loan amount is substantial, using an attorney or collection agency will help prove that you made "reasonable" collection efforts.

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Minton-Bridges Engagement Announced

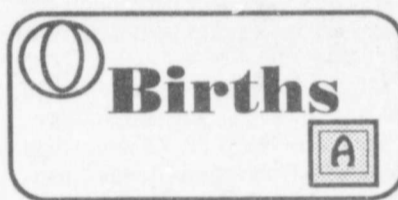
Cobi Delaine Minton of Blossom and Ronnie Joe Bridges, also of Blossom, will be married at 8 p.m. Friday, February 14 at the Blossom Church of God. The Rev. Larry Bridges will officiate at the formal ceremony.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Clay and Sharon Minton of Paris and

Bobby and Carol Jester of Ft. Worth. She is a junior Elementary Education student at East Texas State University majoring in reading.

Her fiance is the son of Larry and Glenda Bridges of Blossom. He is

employed at Lamar Electric Cooperative.



Christopher Blake is the name given the son born January 12 at Hopkins Memorial Hospital to Jeff and Kelly Sugg of Paris. Grandparents are Beverly Walters of Paris, the late Edwin Sugg and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kienast of Blossom. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Huddleston of Paris, Lorraine Drummond, Hugo Kienast and Mr. and Mrs. Noel Lenaburg of Iowa. Great-great-grandmother is Mary Huddleston of Paris.

Kelli Beth is the name given the daughter born January 13 to Keith and Leann Mitchell of Blossom. Grandparents are Robert and Sis Ballard of Paris and Preston and Ruby Mitchell of Blossom.



Pattonville News

Kandy Reid and Adena Sorrels of Fayetteville, AR visited Jessie and Frances Anderson over the weekend.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Vada Mae Hoover on Friday evening and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKee, Dale and Susan of Garland.

Mrs. Vada Mae Hoover entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ross Meek of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Miller of Paris in her home on Monday evening, Jan. 20 with a dinner honoring her daughter Evalyn and Mrs. Miller on their birthdays.

Milton News

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Pettit and daughters of DeSoto. Mr. and Mrs. James Holt had their

family for dinner Sunday, celebrating their daughter, Kay Parks' birthday. Attending were the honoree, Dale Williams of Paris, Tim Parks of Fought, Cindy McCloud of Powderly, Johnny, Cathy Holt, Christopher and Renea of Milton. In the afternoon they visited their father and grandfather, Terry Johnson at Deport Nursing Home.



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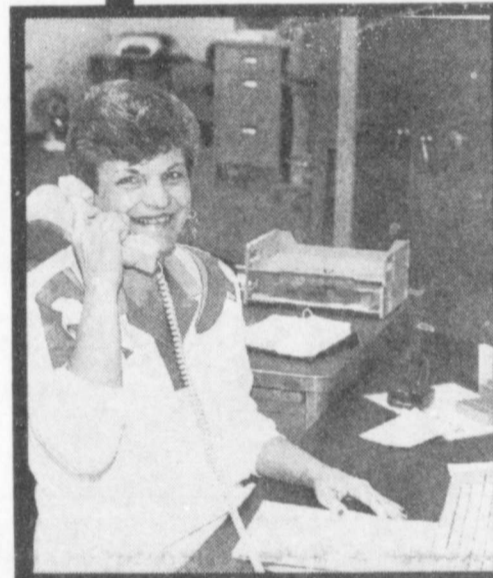
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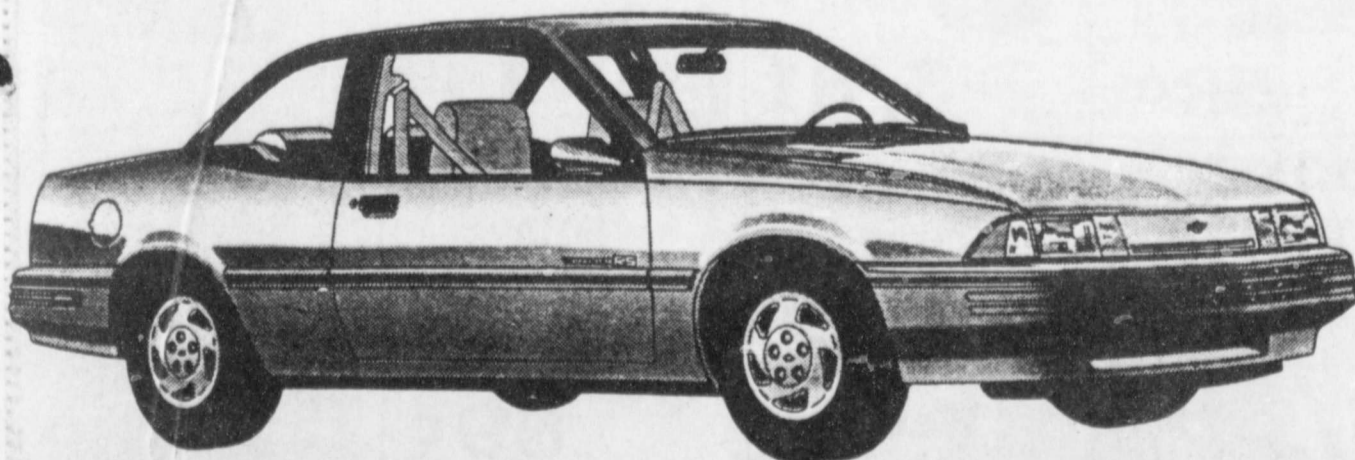
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Prairiland Students Attend UIL Practice Meet

Three Prairiland High School students participated in the UIL Practice Meet at North Lamar High School last weekend. They were Marla Moss, Eric St. John and Reigen Mitchell. Marla Moss placed fifth in Calculator and ninth in Number Sense, among seniors from 3A, 2A and 1A schools, while Eric placed second in Math, sixth in Number Sense and ninth in Calculator against juniors from 3A, 2A and 1A schools. Of 32 schools participating, Prairiland placed tenth.

Deport Nursing Home News

The Ladies Auxiliary from VFW Post 3990 in Reno joined us Monday for bingo. They brought the prizes and provided help needed to the residents. Mrs. Frankie Archibald, a resident, played the piano while the Ladies Auxiliary sang. Everyone had a good time. Leon Whitsell visited the residents last week for a very exciting piano playing session. He played many of the old time favorites and a few new ones as well. Everyone enjoyed the music so much that a few just had to get up and dance. Welcome to Mrs. Betty Barnett, a new resident at our home. Billy Joe Cannon of Cunningham visited his mother, Mrs. Marguerite Cannon and sister, Lois and Nick Hensley Sunday afternoon. Billy Mac Foster, James White, Lanita Unruh, Mr. and Mrs. Edell Marson of Paris, Pat Clements and Dan Flournoy visited Mrs. Lillian Gamble. Claud and Earlene McPatrick and Edith Fuller visited Elizabeth Barnett this week. Mary Johnson, Burrell Kincaid, Travis and Pat Talley, Ruth Lee, Odessa Isbell and Margaret Daughtery were visitors of Lilly Mae and Betty Gardner. Nelda Allen and Grace Fendley visited Mrs. Grace McHamm. Mrs. Lillah Screws and girls Bren, Kara and Halli of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Murl Roach, Mrs. Nora Appleby and Susan Roach of Milton visited Mrs. Johnnie Warren. Ruth Lee, Odessa Isbell, Margaret Daughtery visited Alene Barham on Tuesday. Mrs. Horton Oglesby visited Turner Oglesby this week. Red and Inez Weaver of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Olan D. Gable and Bob Carrell Jr. of Norman, OK visited Mrs. Lela Carrell this weekend, also visiting on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Craig Carrell.

Jean Wilson of Paris, B.J. Crawford of Bogata, Ruby Tucker of Detroit, Sam Armstrong and Charlie of Pattonville, Inez and Red Weaver of Paris, Jeannie Wanack and Martha Castlebury were all visitors of Vera Wilson. Francis West, Myrna Hutchinson and Hill Lawrence visited Mrs. Jessie Lawrence on Saturday. Mac and Regina Webb and Bocky Norman visited their mother, Mrs. Edna Bell. Waylon Wolf of Clarksville, George Wolf, Carl and Iva Wolf of Deport visited Mrs. Geneva Lovelless. Billy Archibald visited his mother, Mrs. Frankie Archibald. Ruth Ware, Pat Smith and Elizabeth visited their mother, Ethel Talley and Herman Adams. Carol Dawson visited her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Mayes.

Precinct 1 Constable Report

January 16: Constable Boren responded to a report of theft by check in Deport. Constable Boren responded to a burglary report at Milton. January 17: Constable Boren responded to a disturbance call in Blossom. January 18: Constable Boren responded to a disturbance call in

Deport. He arrested one Deport male on assault with bodily injury. Constable Boren responded to a 2050 on FM 195. January 19: Constable Boren responded to a disturbance call at the Cigo in Blossom. Constable Boren responded to a suspicious vehicle report in Blossom.

Deport Housing Authority News

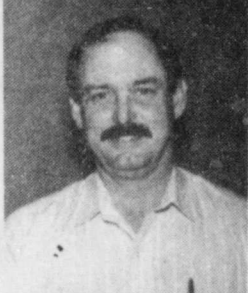
By Mary Westbrook
Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn visited Thelma Malone in Paris last week. Mae Storm spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Langston. She stayed with the grandchildren while their parents were in Colorado skiing. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy of Ladonia visited Mrs. Mamie Kennedy Sunday. Peggy Parsons visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks last week. Elmore Ratliff visited Mrs. Alpha Barnard Sunday. We are certainly enjoying the new blinds that have been installed in our homes by our landlady, Melba Ladd.

M-J-C News

By Kay Hancock
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone last week were Keith Stone, J.C. Pomroy, Ronnie Short, Jerry Nell Stout and Nelda Harrell. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Short went to Arkansas last week to visit her relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Slaton of Halesboro visited Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone last week. Amy Beth Ballard returned to College Station Tuesday. Shawna Ferguson celebrated her 16th birthday Friday with a party at her home. L.C. and Jerry Nell Stout visited Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement had lunch with Bobby and Glenda Clement and Dustin at Jennings on Sunday. Era Rader celebrated her birthday Tuesday.

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FOR SALE: 1987 Suzuki 125. Electric start, front and rear racks, gun holders, 770 miles, excellent condition. Perfect for deer hunter. Call 652-4205 days or 652-2855, nights. Hugh Jeffus, Jr. MA tfc

FOR SALE: 1984 GMC 3/4 ton Sierra pickup, 4-speed, 305 engine, good condition. \$3,650. Call 632-5631. MA tfc

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Homes & Real Estate

FOR SALE: By owner, large brick home, fireplace, game room, 2-car garage, 5 acres land and water well, barns & sheds, pecan and pine trees. Six miles east of Bogata off 909. Call 632-5631. MA tfc

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FOR SALE: Johtown area, 2 3/4 acres building site. 20 wooded acres, 52 wooded acres w/small lake, good hunting. Call 632-4148. MA tfc

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FOR SALE: Brick 3-2-2 on 10 acres at Rivercrest Trails. Lots of extras. Call 632-5661. MA 1-30

NOW ACCEPTING applications for 1 & 2 bedroom apartments at 313 Circle Drive in Bogata. Applications available at Peoples National Bank, Monday-Friday, 9-3 or see Brenda McLemore in apartment #3 Wood, or call 632-5269 or 632-4040. HUD approved. MA tfc

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FOR SALE: Vermeer 605 C hay baler. Baled lots of hay, but been cared for. Call 652-5823 or 652-4205. MAnc

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FOR SALE: 4 yr. old, very gentle, Simmental bull. \$1,100.00. Call 652-5762 after 6 p.m. MA 1-31

FOR SALE: Registered horned Hereford bulls. Call 903/784-6280, 784-2721 or 1-800-456-8631. MA 1-30

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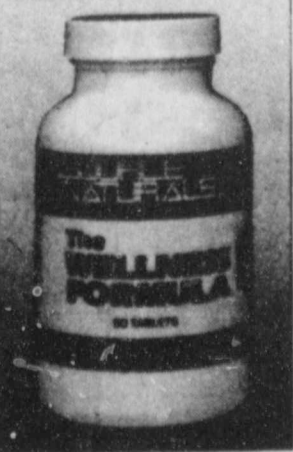
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LOST DOG South Lake Road in Clarksville, Sherry area. \$25 reward. One white and black male pointer, black head with white body with black tick spots, one large black spot on left shoulder and rib area, large dog. Call Glen Commons at 427-2673 after 5 p.m. or Pete Pearce, 427-2356 or Ed Lindeman at 427-2244 or 427-2183. 1-30

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GRANDCHILDREN OF THE WEEK



Bryce Alexander Phillips
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Scott Jeffery Usvolk
 Son Of Scott & Marsha Usvolk Of Coppell. Grandparents Are Marshall & Sandra Jeffus And Chuck & Marilyn Usvolk. Great-Grandparents Are Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Ham & Mr. & Mrs. Hugh Jeffus Sr. Of Deport.

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LEON WHITSELL entertained residents at Deport Nursing Home last week with piano selections from the past as well as new songs. (Staff Photo)

Tuesday 42 Meets
 The Tuesday 42 Club met with Floy Sparks with all members present. Corene Taylor won high score. The next meeting will be with Mae Storm on Feb. 11. A refreshment plate was served.

School Menu

Monday
 Breakfast: Peanut butter, cinnamon toast
 Juice, milk
 Lunch: Tator tot casserole, Blackeyed peas, Macaroni and tomatoes
 Dessert: Bread
 Milk

Tuesday
 Breakfast: Doughnuts
 Juice, milk
 Lunch: Pizza
 French fries, catsup
 Fruit
 Milk

Wednesday
 Breakfast: Trail mix and cereal
 Juice, milk
 Lunch: Pork roast
 Creamed potatoes
 Mixed vegetables
 Hot rolls, butter, honey
 Milk

Thursday
 Breakfast: Trail mix and sweet rolls
 Juice, milk
 Lunch: Pinto beans with ground meat
 Corn on cob
 Spinach
 Bread
 Dessert: Fruit
 Milk

Friday
 Breakfast: Buttered biscuits
 Sausage, gravy
 Syrup
 Juice, milk
 Lunch: Barbeque on bun
 Ranch style beans
 Pickle slices
 Milk

Donations To Area Cemeteries Received

Donations to area cemeteries received from December 31, 1991 to January 21, 1992 are as follows:
 Mt. Pleasant Cemetery: In memory of Margaret Martin from Clarice Vaughan, Kate Holbert and Mavis Sowards.
 Highland Cemetery: From Vera Faye Elmore.
 In memory of Mary Alice (Atchie) Westbrook from Frances Franklin, Melba and Carlos Ladd.

Deport Junior High Girls Win Three, Lose One

The Deport Junior High Girls played Harts Bluff at Deport January 9. The final score was Deport 23, Harts Bluff 20.
 Beth Roach scored 7 points, Tammie Gibson 7 points, Misty Day had 6; Amber Thompson 2; Fair Shae Gifford had one point.
 The Girls played at Avery January 13. Final score was Deport 20, Avery 9. Top scorer was Misty Day with 10; Beth Roach with 8; Tammie Gibson with 8; Fair Shae Gifford 4; Amber Thompson had 2.
 On Thursday, January 16 they played Saltillo. Final score was Deport 24, Saltillo 36. High score for Deport was Tammie Gibson with 12, Misty Day with 8, Fair Shae Gifford with 2 and Tracey Griffin 2.
 On Monday night, they played Detroit at Deport. Final score was Deport 22, Detroit 5.
 High score was Tammie Gibson with 8, Beth Roach with 6, Misty Day with 2, Tracie Griffin, 2, Amber Thompson 2, Lisa Ray with 2.

Deport Junior High Boys Win Three, Lose One

The Deport Junior High Boys played Thursday, January 9 Harts Bluff. Final score was 44-38 favor of Deport.
 Jeremy Day had high score with 21 points, Jamie Mullins with 13, Zachary Allen with 3 and Brad Griffin with 2.
 They played Avery on January 13 with the final score was Deport 22 and Avery 47.
 High Score was Jamie Mullins with 11 points; Zachary Allen with 3; Jeremy Day with 3; Justin Taylor 2, Cary Langston 2; Brad Griffin 1.
 They played Saltillo on Thursday, January 16 with the final score Deport 47, Saltillo 33.
 High Score was Zachary with 16 points; Jeremy Day with 15; Jamie Mullins with 10; Allen Johnson with 4; Brad Griffin with 2 points.
 On Monday, Jan. 20 they played Detroit, with Deport winning 29-20.
 High score was Zachary Allen with 15 pints; Jeremy Day with 7 points; Jamie Mullins with 5 points; Brad Griffin with 2.

Presbyterian Women Meet With Mrs. Woodard

The Presbyterian Women of the Deport Presbyterian Church met January 14 in the home of Mrs. Ray Woodard.
 Mrs. Robert Temple, moderator, opened the meeting with prayer. Minutes were read and approved.
 The Least Coin offering was made and the Mission Yearbook for Prayer was presented by Miss Edith Fuller. The subject was "New Horizon for Peace" with scriptures taken from John 20:19-21 and Matthew 5:9.
 Chapter I from the We Decide Together, "A Guide to Making Ethical Decisions" was studied. The subject, "Thou Shalt; Thou Salt Not" was directed by Mrs. Tom Foley. Those who seek biblical direction for their actions and moral decisions should not limit God to one text was the key idea. They should discover the will of God through understanding of the mind and character of God as revealed throughout the Bible. Selected scriptures were read and studied. Mrs. Foley closed the meeting with prayer.
 Refreshments were served by the hostess to seven members.

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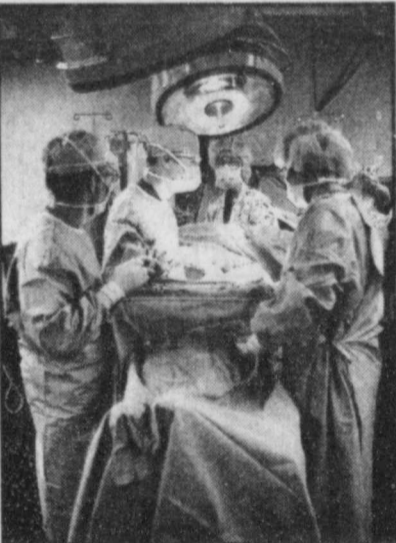
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