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By Nanalee Nichols

Did you know that you read lots of different fonts? In fact, you read them right here in this paper.

Perhaps I can explain...a font is a type style. What you are reading right this moment is called "Times", appropriately enough.

In any type of publishing business there are type fonts...or styles. Basically, there are two types of fonts...footed and non footed. A footed font is one like this, with little horizontal lines supporting the type. A non-footed font is like this...a minor difference, perhaps, but certainly one which gives type a very different look.

What fascinates me...and might possible entertain you for a moment, is the various names that have been applied to these fonts.

The non-footed typeface I used above is Helvetica...perhaps named after the Helvetic Confederation of Switzerland.

I understand about "London"...it's an Old English style font.

Avante Garde is pretty "far out" as the name implies.

Park Avenue is extremely elegant, one sees it used often on formal things like wedding invitations.

University Roman is absolutely one of the most formal, handsome fonts around. Why it is tagged University Roman, however, is a mystery.

Hobo is carefree and light-hearted.

Freestyle looks as if it were hand written and Brush Script is self-explanatory too.

However, I've always wondered who came up with the font P Bondoni Poster! P Bondoni Poster? Although it's a bold, good looking font, that's one strange name.

B Optima Bold, Memphis, Cairo, Helvetica Narrow, are all rather strange...I can't find a reason for their names at all.

Chicago has a distinct 1930's gangsterish type of look about it.

I can't help but believe that someone with a real sense of humor named the scrambled, up and down look of the Los Angeles font.

New Century Schoolbook is a very traditional font.

Zapf Chancery is rather pretty. But the one that causes the most raised eyebrows is Zapf Dingbats.

No, Zapf Dingbats isn't a joke. Instead of letters it produces small pointing fingers, arrows, stars, dots, whirls, tiny crosses, little dogs and a rather bewildering variety of odd things...including the check marks we use in election ads, boxes and thumbs up signs!

We have about thirty fonts in our computer system.

There are literally hundreds more.

But next time you read the ads in this paper look at the different type styles used, and think about some of those strange names attached to something as simple as a style of lettering!

## Three File For Two Deport Council Positions

The mayor's position and two council seats are up for election on the Deport City Council.

Incumbent Mayor Charles Foster has filed for re-election, with no opponent.

Three people have signed up for the two council seats: Incumbent Duane Glover; Incumbent Gilbert Arriaga; and Floy Williams.

The election will be held on May 2, 1992.



**CHAMPS AGAIN!** Amy Milford, Brandi Hall and Amy Irwin captured the Pig Wrestling Championship for the third straight year at Prairiland (Staff Photo by T. Nichols)

ting Championship for the third straight year at Prairiland (Staff Photo by T. Nichols)

## Evening Of Music Set

There will be an Evening of Music at the First Presbyterian Church of Deport on Tuesday, March 31, at 7:30 p.m.

Admission is free and No offering will be taken...everyone who enjoys

music is invited.

From Classical to Pop, Opera, Oratorios, Country and Gospel there will be music for everyone.

Tom Foley, baritone, will sing and Ida Lou Read will play the piano.

## Pattonville Post Office Sets Friday As Customer Appreciation Day

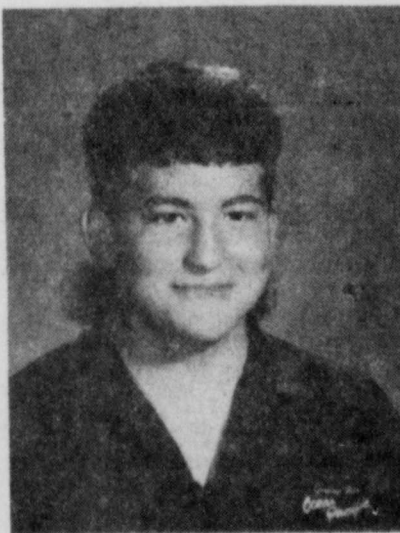
Friday, March 27 will be Customer Appreciation Day at the Post Office in Pattonville.

Everyone is invited to come by bet ween eight a.m. and noon to have

coffee, donuts, chat with the post office personnel and register for a drawing to be held. Winner of the drawing will receive a paperweight.



**BROCK BLASINGAME**, sophomore at Prairiland High School, was elected Keywanette Beau of the local club and was elected Division II Beau at the Spring Forum held on the North Lamar campus during February. He will represent the Division II at the Texas-Oklahoma District Keywanette Convention March 27-29 in Irving. On Friday, Brock will serve at the Ice Cream Bar and Saturday night he will compete for the District Beau title. Brock is the son of Gayle Anderson of Cunningham and Bob Blasingame of Paris. He is a member of the Key Club. (Staff Photo by Mrs. Tyson)



**MICHAEL HARRINGTON**, senior at Prairiland High School, will compete in Auto Body Reconstruction at the State Contest in Austin March 27-28. He earned the trip to State by winning first place at a Regional contest held in Waco. He also won third place in the Timed Skills event. Prairiland is a member of a joint program which allows Michael and other Prairiland students to attend classes part of the day at Prairiland and then go to the Paris High campus for a part of each class day. There are six programs that are available at Prairiland. Michael is the son of Joe and Barbara Harrington of Blossom.



**KEYWANETTES** Marla Moss, Janee Jackson, Cathy Sugg and Janette Attebery will attend the Keywanette Convention soon. They will be accompanied by

sponsor Daphnia Downs and mothers Mary Moss and Gayle Anderson. Pictured are Keywanette members Marla Moss, Janee Jackson, Cathy Sugg,

Janette Attebery, Trinity Bowden and Mandy Babb. (Staff Photo by Mrs. Tyson)

## Keywanettes To Attend District Convention

The Prairiland High School Keywanette Club of the Texas-Oklahoma District Keywanettes will attend the annual Texas-Oklahoma District Convention at The Harvey House in Irving on March 27-29. The Keywanettes are high school service organizations sponsored by the Kiwanis Clubs of Texas-Oklahoma District of Kiwanis International. The local club is sponsored by the Blossom Prairie Kiwanis Club.

This year's Friday night convention theme will be "A Night of Medieval Splendor" with costumes to match, along with a guest speaker and nominations for 1992-93 elective officers. Saturday will consist of

educational workshops and caucusing of officer candidates.

The Prairiland Keywanette Club has accomplished the following service projects: placing large trash barrels around the school, serving during Paris Kiwanis Pancake Day, working during the Special Olympics, ringing bells and helping distribute toys for the Salvation Army and planting trees on campus.

Officers for the Prairiland club are: president, Marla Moss; vice-president, Cathy Sugg; secretary, Janee Jackson; reporter, Holley Kent; treasurer, Tiffanie Jones; chaplain, Teri Hamm Hines. Club advisor is Daphnia Downs.

## Sweets On Wanted list

Wanted! Pies, cakes, cookies and help! These are needed for the upcoming Auction to be held in conjunction with the Chili Cookoff.

The Auction will be Friday night, April 17.

Anyone wanting to donate or help contact Gail Langston at 652-2135.

## Special Meeting For Fire Department To Plan

There will be a special meeting for members of Deport Volunteer Fire Department on Monday night, March 30 at 7:45 p.m. at the fire station. All members are urged to attend to discuss plans for the chili cook-off on April 18. The next regular meeting night will be the quarterly meeting.



**CHAMPS-Skipper** Chapman, Shane Kienast and Wesley Rhoades managed a fast time at

stuffing the muddy pig into the barrel at Prairiland's Livestock Show to capture the championship. (Staff Photo by T. Nichols)

## People & Things

Deport Nursing Home will hold a **BAKE SALE** on Friday, March 27 at 1 p.m.

The Deport PTO will have a Parent-Teacher volleyball tournament on Saturday, April 11. All persons interested in playing volleyball should contact Jalynda Mitchell at 652-2013 or Kathy Corso at 652-3725. There will also be a student Talent Show, with proceeds going to the playground improvement.

The annual meeting of the Shady Grove Cemetery Association will be Sunday, April 5 at 2:30 p.m. at the Shady Grove Church. All interested persons are urged to be present to help with plans for the upkeep of the cemetery.

Chris Moody, Debra and Charlie will be preaching at Life Tabernacle Church Sunday, March 29, also the Fifth Sunday Singing is Sunday morning at 10 and evening service is at 6.

## Donations Received For Area Cemeteries

Donations for area cemeteries from January 25 through March 23 are as follows:

Old Deport Cemetery: In memory of Mrs. James W. Dickson and Roxie Hayes from Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Thomas.

In memory of Rhodes and Blankenship families from Ira and Mary Norman.

Highland Cemetery: In memory of Ann Burden from Mary and Dan Barnard.

In memory of Mrs. Lutie Farris from Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lawler

and Frank, Gail and Wesley Rhoades.

In memory of Rhodes and Blankenship families from Ira and Mary Norman.

In memory of Ben and Virgie Wright from Sybil Hanson.

In memory of W.M. Walker from Bill and Mattylu Upchurch.

In memory of Farris Read from Mrs. Farris Read.

In memory of Kenith Foster from Deport Community Service Club.

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery: In memory of Rhodes and Blankenship families from Ira and Mry Norman.

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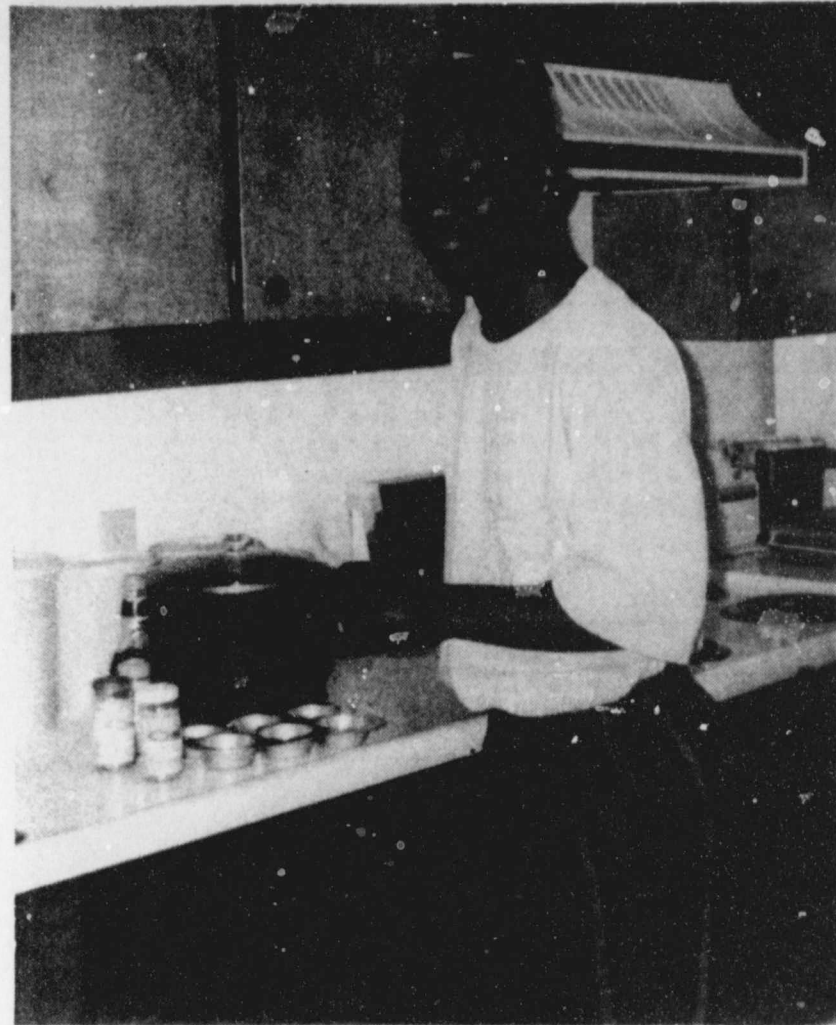
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**MAKING COOKING** a career as well as a pleasure is James Ethridge, Jr., who is sharing in

this week's Country Cooking column. (Staff Photo by Gerrie Bankhead)

"Education is teaching a child how to talk — and then how to keep quiet." —Anonymous

## Country Cooking

By Gerrie Bankhead



In continuing and ending the series of articles on Homemaking students at Prairiland High School who are members of the Future Homemakers of America, we have James Ethridge, Jr.

Also not available for the picture, but sharing recipes are Chad Whitley and Brenda Moreland.

James has been a Prairiland student for three years. He is a senior and drives in from Paris each day and cooking is one of the many things he does best. He has been a cook at the Italian Pantry in Paris for two years. James is the son of James H. Ethridge and Betty Mason. His hobbies include basketball, dancing, gymnastics and music. After graduation he plans to attend PJC and become a paramedic. Cooking Italian food is James' favorite food. He says "Homemaking has been a very rewarding experience. By taking this course, I have learned a great deal about self-sufficiency and independence. Responsibility is also a big part of the lesson learned in homemaking. I have had the experience of making alot of good friends, as well as becoming a friend to others. It is because of these reasons that I will always be thankful

for and cherish my career in homemaking." James is sharing his recipes of Pound Cake Brownies and Chocolate Chippers. He has used these recipes about two years and they came from his grandmother, Quebell Mason.

Brenda was involved with another activity going on at the time of this interview and wasn't available for the picture.

She and Chad are both juniors and Brenda is currently secretary of the chapter, is president of 4H, member of FFA and the National Honor Society. She is also a varsity cheerleader. Her parents are Doug and Mary Ann Moreland of Taylortown. She enjoys cooking, sewing, gymnastics and showing livestock. She says "FHA has benefited me by enabling me to expand my leadership skills." Brenda is sharing her recipes for Mississippi8 Mud Cake, Buttermilk Pancakes and Lemon Meringue Pie.

Chad is sharing his recipe for Sweet Chocolate Chip Cookies.

If you have enjoyed the article, want to make a request, or a suggestion, call 652-6032 or write to Rt. 1, Box 56C, Deport.

## Obituaries

### Mae Alsobrook Dies March 22

Mae Alsobrook, 92, of Bogata died Sunday, March 22 in Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 24 in the Bogata Church of Christ with Benny Cogburn and Ken Free officiating. Burial was in Manchester Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Alsobrook was born December 14, 1899 in DeQueen, AR, a daughter of Jeff and Lillie Covington Riggs. She married Jess Alsobrook February 9, 1919 in Manchester. He died February 4, 1975.

Surviving are two daughters, Reba Bell of Clarksville and Pansy Vaughan of Richardson; one brother, Pete Riggs of Bogata, seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Named as pallbearers were Seneca Cowan, Neil Rozell, J.T. Eason, Earl Humphrey, A.D. Stephenson, Buddy Gordon, Donovan Strain and Buddy Walters.

### Leonard J. Daniel Dies March 21

Leonard James Daniel, 76, of Blossom died in St. Joseph's Hospital in Paris on Saturday, March 21.

Services were held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 24 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Willie Johnson officiating. Burial was in Knights of Honor Cemetery in Blossom.

Mr. Daniel was born November 14, 1915 in Bagwell, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Daniel. He married Thelma Jean Milton on September 21, 1954. He attended Bagwell schools and lived there before moving to Paris. He had lived in Blossom 27 years. He worked for Hamp Malone for eight years before becoming a self-employed electrician. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army.

Surviving are his wife; five daughters, Rose Ann Figueroa of Detroit, Betty Jean Bybee of Gilmer, Linda Lee Cheney of Pecan Gap, Christie Annette Scott of Clarksville and Cindy Lynn Daniel of Diane; two sons, Jackie Leonard Daniel of Blossom and Bo James Daniel of Blossom; 12 grandchildren and two sisters, Lillie Mae Ables of Blossom and Dove Stephens of Mt. Pleasant.

### Charles Hawthorne Dies March 20

Charles Grady Hawthorne, 54, of Longview died Friday, March 20.

Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, March 23 in the Lakeview Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Elbert Jones officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Memorial Gardens Mausoleum under the direction of Lakeview Funeral Home.

Mr. Hawthorne was born September 3, 1937 in Talco. He married Dorothy Gerron September 21, 1967. He moved to Longview from Carthage in 1981 and was a member of the Baptist Church and a rig supervisor for Pool Well Services.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Hawthorne of Longview; two sons, Donnie Hawthorne of Laird Hill and James Hawthorne of Kilgore; four daughters, Tammy Bagby, Sherri Splawn and LaQuita Max well, all of Kilgore, and Sheryl Caraway of Carthage; four sisters, Lottie Via of Talco, Ruby Adams of Lovett's Chapel, Ophelia Henry of Palestine and Betty Whitaker of Fairfield and 10 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a brother, W.H. Hawthorne in January of this year.

### Horace Milner Dies March 21

Horace W. Milner, 75, of Mt. Pleasant died Saturday, March 21 in Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, March 23 in Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Wesley Vandever officiating with burial in DeShields Cemetery.

Bearers were Gregory Wayne Lum, Scotty Ray Lum, Joey Shelby, Bubba Johnson, Jimmy Milner and Billy Jack Thompson.

Mr. Milner was born July 1, 1916 in Hopkins County, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph William Milner. He was owner of a grocery store and a veteran, having served in the U.S. Marine Corps during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Josephine Milner of Mt. Pleasant; two sons, Horace Junior Milner and Jerry Wayne Milner, both of Mt. Pleasant; six daughters, Mary Ann Johnson, Janell Harvey, Mary Morales, Diane Boyd and Ruby Holt, all of Mt. Pleasant, and Judy Shelby of Mt. Vernon; four sisters, Beulah Thompson, Lillian Thompson, Annie Atkins and Maydean Thompson, all of Mt. Pleasant; 23 grandchildren; seven step-grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; 12 step-great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a son, Danny Milner; a daughter, Martha Jane Milner; a sister, Pearl Moore, and a half-brother, Billy Joe Milner.

### James G. (Jimmy) Griffin Dies March 20

James Gary (Jimmy) Griffin died March 20, 1992 in Houston.

He was born March 6, 1943 in Dallas, a son of Harold Van and Belle Griffin.

He was a graduate of Woodrow Wilson High School of Dallas.

Griffin was a talented baseball player and was offered a try out with the Cincinnati Reds and Philadelphia Phillies, but left at 17, electing instead to enter college on a baseball scholarship.

He attended Paris Junior College, Kilgore Junior College, University of Texas, Arlington and the University of Houston.

He was member of the Moose Lodge #1721.

Survivors include his wife, Deborah Kay; daughter Stacy Lynn; son James Harold; his mother, Belle; one brother, Dr. Harold Wayne Griffin and wife Patty; four nieces; one great-niece; mother-in-law Hazel Gibson. His father preceded him in death in 1970.

Services were Monday, March 23 at 1:00 p.m. at South Memorial Park Funeral Home in Pearland, Texas.

### Pete Smith Dies March 18

M.L. "Pete" Smith, 76, died Wednesday, March 18 in a San Angelo hospital.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Thursday at Robert Lee Baptist Church with burial in Robert Lee Cemetery under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home in Cooper. Rev. Jimmy Rogers officiated, assisted by Rev. Roy Epperson.

He was born October 15, 1915 in Lamar County and was a longtime resident of Robert Lee. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two sons, Morris Smith of Diboll and Randy Smith of Robert Lee; two daughters, Judy Allen of Alvin and Sue Chandler of Diboll; a sister, Thelma Threadgill of Longview; 14 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

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**Mississippi Mud Cake**  
By Brenda Moreland  
1 cup butter  
1 1/2 cups sugar  
1/2 cup cocoa  
4 large eggs  
1 1/2 cups all purpose flour  
1 tablespoon vanilla extract  
1 1/2 cups chopped pecans  
Frosting:  
2 cups confectioners sugar  
3 tablespoons cocoa  
1/2 cup melted butter  
1 tsp. vanilla extract  
1-2 tablespoons milk  
Preheat oven to 350. Line 13x9 pan with aluminum foil. Grease and flour pan. In medium saucepan, melt one cup butter, 1 1/2 cups sugar and 1/2 cup cocoa powder. Remove from heat. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Stir in flour, vanilla and pecans. Bake 25 minutes. Cool. Frosting: Combine confectioners sugar and cocoa; beat in butter and vanilla. Beat in enough milk to make fluffy and spreadable. Spread on frosting, sprinkle pecans. Cut into squares. Makes 15 servings.

**Buttermilk Pancakes**  
By Brenda Moreland  
1 1/4 cups flour  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon soda  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
2 tablespoons sugar  
1 whole egg  
1 1/4 cup buttermilk  
3 tablespoons cooking oil  
Sift together flour, baking powder, soda, salt and sugar in one bowl. In another bowl, beat egg and add buttermilk and shortening. Add in liquid ingredients to dry and stir just until blended. Batter will be a little lumpy. Heat griddle or skillet until a drop of water will dance on it. Pour batter 1/4 cup for each pancake on hot skillet. Bake on one side until full of bubbles. Turn.  
**Lemon Meringue Pie**  
By Brenda Moreland  
1 baked 9" pie shell  
1/4 cup cornstarch  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1 1/2 cup water  
Mix in top of double broiler slowly adding water. Cook over boiling water, stirring constantly, until thick enough to mound slightly. Cover, cook 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.  
3 eggs separated  
1/2 cup sugar  
Beat egg yolks and sugar. Blend a little hot mixture into yolks, then stir all into remaining hot mixture. Cook 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from boiling water.  
Gently stir in:  
2 tablespoons margarine  
1/2 teaspoons grated lemon rind  
1/3 cup lemon juice  
Cool to room temperature, turn into

**Pound Cake Brownies**  
By James Ethridge, Jr.  
3/4 cup butter or margarine, softened  
1 cup sugar  
3 eggs  
2-1 oz. squares unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 1/4 cup all purpose flour  
1/2 teaspoon baking powder  
1/2 cup chopped nuts  
Cream butter and sugar; beat in eggs. Blend in chocolate and vanilla. Stir flour with baking powder and 1/4 teaspoon salt. Add to creamed mixture; mix well. Stir in nuts. Spread in greased 9x9x2" baking pan. Bake at 350 for 25-30 minutes. Cool. If desired, sift powdered sugar over top. Cut into bars. Makes 24.

**Chocolate Chippers**  
By James Ethridge, Jr.  
1/2 cup shortening  
1/2 cup granulated sugar  
1/4 cup packed brown sugar  
1 egg  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 cup all purpose flour  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
1-6 oz. package semisweet chocolate pieces (1 cup)  
1/2 cup broken nuts  
Cream together shortening, sugars, egg and vanilla till light and fluffy. Thoroughly stir together flour, salt and baking soda; stir into creamed mixture. Blend well. Stir in chocolate and nuts. Drop from teaspoon 2" apart on greased cookie sheet. Bake at 375 for 10-12 minutes. Immediately remove from cookie sheet to cool. Makes 3 dozen.

**Sweet Chocolate Chip Cookies**  
By Chad Whitley  
1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened  
1/3 cup granulated sugar  
1/3 cup packed brown sugar  
1 egg  
1 tablespoon water  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
1 1/4 cups all purpose flour  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
2-4 oz. packages sweet cooking chocolate, coarsely chipped  
Thoroughly cream together butter and sugars. Add egg, water and vanilla; beat well. Stir together flour, soda and salt; blend into creamed mixture. By hand, stir in chocolate. Drop from teaspoon 2" apart on greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 about 15 minutes. Cool. Makes 3 1/2 dozen.

**Card of Thanks**  
I want to thank everyone who came by Friday and shared in our Customer Appreciation Day activities on March 31. To close out our Customer Recognition Month we will have a drawing for a "Love Stamp" paperweight.  
Come by as many times as you wish.  
Thank you again for making our day a successful one.  
Barbara Sadler, Postmaster

**Thank You**  
From our hearts we send thanks to each of you for making our "Golden Wedding Day" a special day we will always remember.  
Thanks to our children for the beautiful reception they gave in our honor and our many friends who came by to share our day.  
Thanks to each of you that took time out to call and for the beautiful cards we received.  
As we look through our "Golden Wedding Anniversary Book" and read each name and look at each card we will have beautiful memories of you.  
Thanks again.  
Our love,  
Jimmie and Yuba Sparks

**Card of Thanks**  
Thank you to everyone for the prayers, cards and visits while I was sick in the hospital. Thanks to Dr. Brooks and the hospital staff, too, for their care.  
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**Births**  
Ed and Mary Ann Miller announce the arrival of two grandchildren, Justin Dale Crisp, born January 17 in Sherman to Kellie and James Crisp; and Kathryn Danielle Webster, born February 19 in Paris to Lorrie and Danny Webster.





**VARSITY GIRLS** team members are, front row: Coach Ronnie Baker, manager Marilyn Adams, Janee Jackson, Davonna Brumley and Crystal Brewer. On left end, Melissa Miller and Dana Monday. On right, Katie Mowery and Georjeana Oats. On top, Jan Scudder, Laura Hayes and Mandy Babb.



**VARSITY BOYS** basketball team members are, front row, left to right: James Standeford, Jimmy Little, Brandon Johnson, Wesley Rhoades, David Singleton and Justin Withers. Second row: Swede Ladd, Justin Gordon, Cody Bowen, Toby Dock-ray and Brock Blassingame. Third row: Charlie Martin, Christy Cantrell, Janee Jackson, Mendy Dobbs, R.L. Minor and Rick Johnson.

## Deport Housing Authority News

By Mary Westbrook

Mary Westbrook entertained her Tuesday 42 Club March 10 in the gazebo. Kathy Holt and Aubrey Hignight were visitors. Kathy won high score for visitors and Dorothy Holt for members.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnard and Alpha Barnard visited Shelly and Kanda Barnard in Greenville Saturday.

Buddy and Karen Kennedy of Ladonia visited Mrs. Mamie Kennedy Sunday. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Kennedy of Cuthand Sunday.

Judy Ellington of Huntsville and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Parsons of Pattonville visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks over the weekend.

Pastor Tony Corso and family had lunch with Mrs. Loveta McMurray Sunday.

Mary Westbrook entertained the

## Fulbright News

by Betty Rodgers

Bro. and Mrs. Clark of Woodland spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Travis King.

Monte and Shelley Rodgers of Tigertown, Melissa Arriaga of Deport and Mrs. Bernice Thomas of Boyd visited the weekend with Betty Rodgers.

Mrs. Ethel Epps and Mr. and Mrs. Travis King visited Tuesday night with Mrs. Vada Hoover of Pattonville.

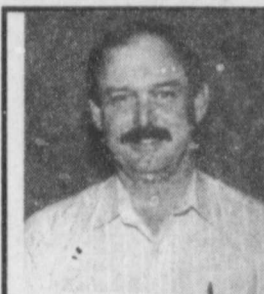
Travis and Jimmy King were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Seb Mankins of Bogata Thursday night.

Marcella Wright visited Betty Rodgers Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis King spent Saturday with their daughter, Kay Osburn of Paris and helped her with a garage sale.

Friday 42 Club March 20 in the gazebo. Corene Taylor and Floy Sparks were visitors. Corene won high score for visitors and Mrs. Hoover for members. Those present were Francis Franklin, Corene Taylor, Mavis

Sowards, Lucille Morgan, T.D. Betterton, Mary Westbrook, Ada Betterton, Floy Sparks, Alpha Barnard, Artie Westbrook, Margie Woods, Mauna Kidd, Willie Mae Speirs.



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  - Corn
  - Potatoes
  - Fruit
  - Milk
- Tuesday**
- Beef and Mexican beans
  - Potatoes
  - Salad
  - Cake
  - Milk
- Wednesday**
- Chicken nuggets
  - Potatoes, gravy
  - Sweet peas
  - Salad
  - Rolls
  - Milk
- Thursday**
- Ravioli
  - French fries
  - Corn
  - Crackers
  - Salad
  - Cake
  - Milk
- Friday**
- Hot dogs
  - Chili and cheese
  - Pork and beans
  - Chips
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  - Milk

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## Joy Ritchey Promoted To Senior Airman In Air Force

Joy R. Estorga-Ritchey has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of senior airman.

Estorga-Ritchey is a printer systems operator at RAF Chicksands,

England. She is the daughter of Art and Jeanette Estorga of Gilroy, CA. Her husband, John, is the son of John N. and Dorothy Ritchey of Detroit.

## Telephone Company Vandalism Is Crime Of The Week

Sometime during the night of Friday, February 24, an unknown suspect caused over \$3,000.00 in damage to equipment at the Blossom Telephone Company. Several pieces of equipment were destroyed by the suspect shooting them with a gun.

If you have information that leads to the arrest and indictment of the

persons responsible for this felony crime, Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$1,000 in cash rewards for that information. The information must be received by March 23. All callers remain anonymous.

Let's all work together to fight crime. Call Crime Stoppers at 785-TIPS.

## McCuiston Plans Construction

McCuiston Regional Medical Center has announced a major expansion project that will affect the hospital's surgery, women's services and newborn areas. The project will total more than \$3.5 million and will take 18-24 months to complete.

Included will be improvement of conventional delivery rooms as well as expansion of the surgery area and labor rooms. Several Labor/Delivery/Recovery/Post Partum rooms will be added, and the hospital's nursery facility will be improved. Also women's diagnostic services will be grouped for convenience and efficiency and a separate hospital entrance will be provided for obstetrics and women's outpatient diagnostics. Education facilities will also be included for women's health services.

The project has been financed through sale of bonds totaling \$3.5 million. In addition, existing bonds for previous construction have been refinanced to take advantage of lower interest rates available in the current bond market.

As the only community-owned and operated not-for-profit hospital in Paris, all McCuiston's revenue above expenses is reinvested in upgrading the facility and providing needed equipment and services.

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## Cunningham News

By Bernice Wyatt  
 Word has been received of the death of Herbert Smith of Tulsa, OK on Sunday, March 15. He was the son of Jess and Nettie Smith and married Audie Rains, daughter of Tom and Ida Crump Rains. All were former residents of Cunningham. He was the brother of Weldon Smith of Bogata, Lloyd Smith and Opal Rains of Paris. Sympathy is extended to the family.

### To Red River County Voters:

**Thank You for your support at the polls in the March 10 Democratic Primary. I would appreciate your continued support in the April 14th Run-off Election**

If re-elected to this office, I will continue to serve you with honesty and fairness for the next 4 years. I am available to answer any questions: at the office 427-3838 or my home number in the Avery directory is 684-3846.

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**Bob Storey**

Candidate for Sheriff Red River County

Adv. Pd. for by Bob Storey, Rt. 1, Box 133, Clarksville, TX 75426



Morris Cox of Dallas visited Velma Cox the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Finch of Monroe, LA, Willie Wilson and Lessie Stuart of Reno visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oats Saturday afternoon.

Ann Gaylord of Baytown and Velma Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams of Chery Street Nursing Home and Dora Hester Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson of Paris spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Elmer Bankhead. Bud Richardson of Mesquite spent Tuesday night with them.

Sydney Chipman of Garland spent the weekend with her father, Joel Chipman and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chipman.

Mrs. Delphia Malone was admitted to McCuiston Hospital Sunday and underwent eye surgery Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis of Omaha spent the weekend with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Burns, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Gerrie Dale Bankhead and Chance spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Richardson of Mesquite.

Daniel Hancock of Clardy spent Monday with Chance Whitney.

Uvalde Landrum of Paris and Roger Watson of Huntsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whitney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Musgrove and family, Angie and Monty Cupps spent Thursday at the Dallas Zoo and had lunch at the Show Biz Pizza.

Sue Pynes of Paris spent Friday with Loretta Pynes.

Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas of Johtown visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Sunday.

Velma Cox visited Lucy Fowler last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delano Dunlap of Mesquite spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Wright of Mansfield, LA spent the weekend with Elvis Wright.

Rev. Chris Moody of Cleveland, TN will be guest speaker at Life Tabernacle Church Sunday, March 29. Dinner at the church will follow the morning service. Everyone is invited to attend.

Boyd Betterton of Direct, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Betterton, Steven, Jay and Alisha of Brownsfield visited the William Coopers Monday.

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

Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Deport and Lucy Fowler spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Delano Dunlap of Mesquite.

Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood of Paris and John Walker of Reno had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Pierson of Mesquite visited Loretta Pynes and Clifton Bazhaw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Owen and Matthew of Rosalie and Lillian King spent last week in Las Vegas and visited Mrs. King's sister, Jean Wach and daughter Learean of Hood River, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wester of Washington, AR spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Ollie Guthrie and Matt and Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Wright of Mansfield, LA and Elvis Wright were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Taylor Saturday.

Lucy Fowler spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler of Pattonville. On Saturday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Moore of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols of Deport, Geneva Norwood, Neva Jean Oats and Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood, Amber and Spur visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King and grandson Dakota King of Paris had lunch with Mrs. Lillian King Sunday.

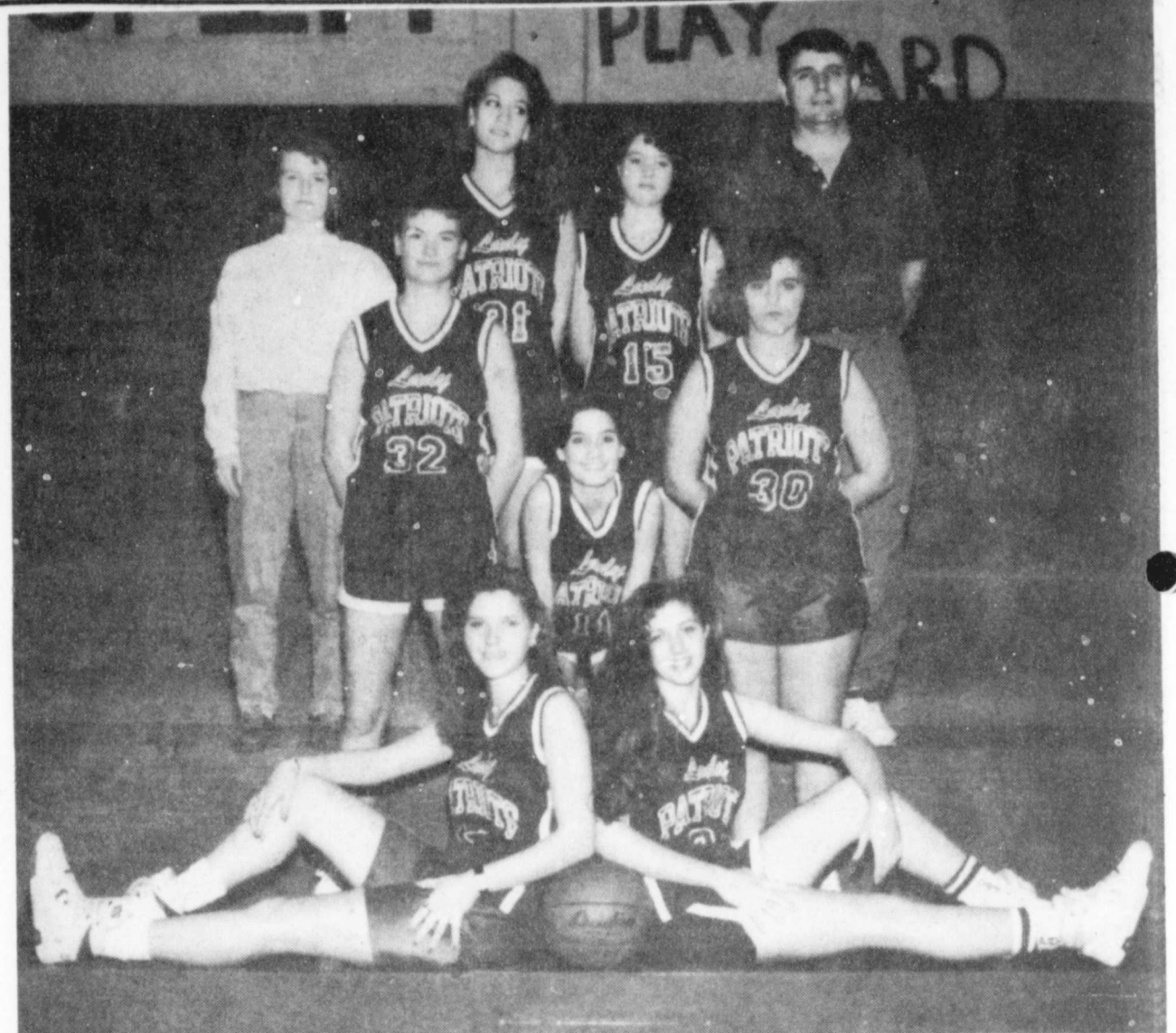
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford, David and Joyce visited Mrs. Birdie Allen in Alabama last week.

Jane O'Neal, Sue Jackson, Lisa Drinnon took Kara Palmer, Jane Jackson, Karla and Andrea Palmer to Dallas shopping for their birthdays.

Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Chris Whitley of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whitney as they were enroute to Tyler for the weekend.

Brock McDowra of Pattonville visited Chance Whitney.

Mary H. Whitney and Chance attended a fish fry at Billie R. Pirtle's in Bogata in honor of Mrs. Jim Pirtle of Perryton on her birthday. Other guests ere Kathy Miller and Kali Miller of Commerce, Karen Hudson, Brenda and Kamie of Deport and Mrs.



JV GIRLS basketball team members are, front, sitting: Brandy Emery and Trinity

Bowden. Stephanie Garner, Davonna Brumley, Angie Dawson, Kelly Cantrell, Jamie

Sue McLeroy, manager Marilyn Adams and coach Ronnie Baker.



JV BOYS team members are, front row, left to right: Coach Charlie Martin, James Dudley, Brad Allen, Chris Holt, Brock Blassingame, Bobby Langston and Michael Crossland. Back row: Justin Withers, Chad Farris, James Taylor, Brandon Johnson, James Standeford, Chris Whitney and Coach Rick Johnson.

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Johnnie Kyle of Johtown.

Debbie Durrin, Tonya and Christian and Courtney of Lamar Point were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis spent the weekend with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Whitney and Chance spent Thursday until Saturday at Lake Cypress.

Sunday night, March 29, there will be a singing at the Life Tabernacle Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Musgrove and Zarinska, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Musgrove, Charity and Stoney, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Watson, Chuck Kennedy of Blossom and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Whitaker of Paris enjoyed lunch at Furr's Sunday.

Courtney Currin of Lamar Point spent Thursday until Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney visited Maurine Womack of Reno Saturday night.

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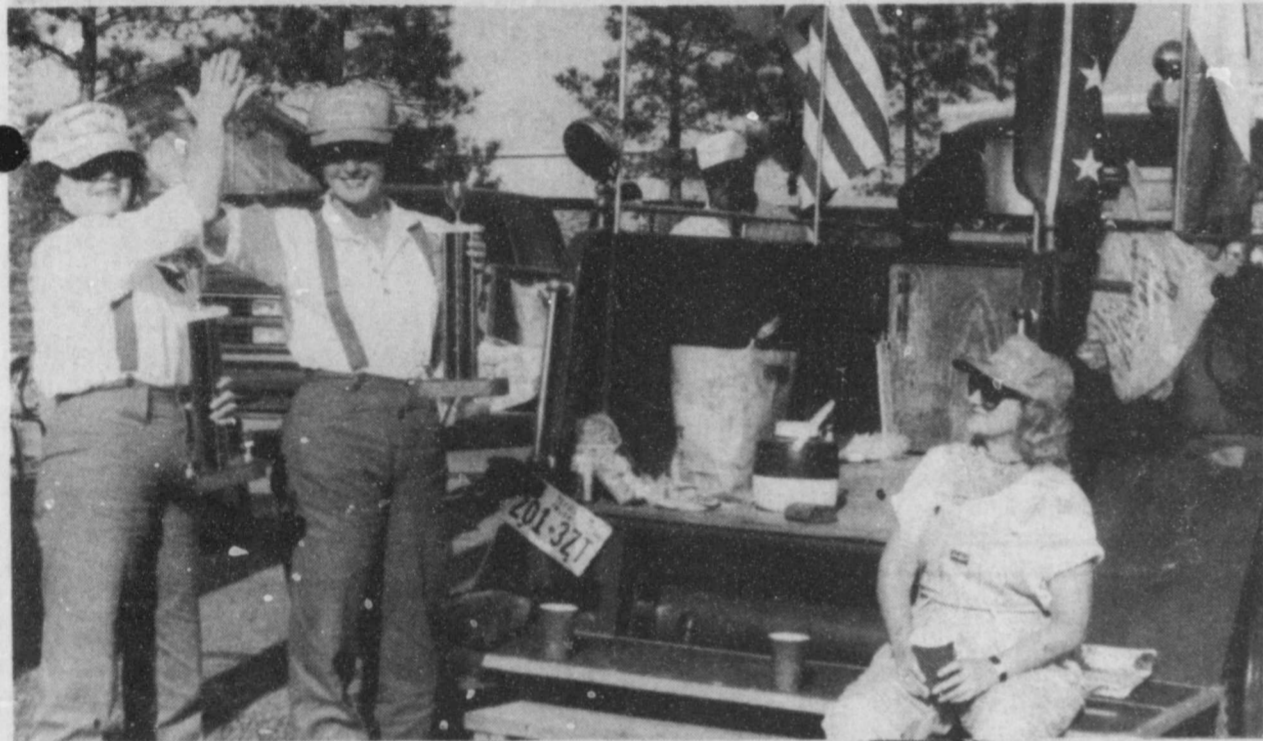
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AS USUAL The Kiddie Class at the Prairiland Livestock Show featured cute kids and cute critters! (Staff Photo by T. Nichols)



**By Mattylu Upchurch**

Phil and Rachelle Casey and sons Brian and Blair of Carrollton spent Sunday night of last week with John Manley Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks Graves of Petty visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler Sunday afternoon.

Teresa Tensley of Ft. Worth spent the weekend with her mother, Frances Davis. Her son, John, returned home with her after spending the week with his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Harvey had Sunday dinner with their daughter and husband, Sue and Buddy Malone of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Roach and Beth had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Wright of Deport Sunday.

Amber Brennan of Allen spent Wednesday through Sunday with her grandfather, John Manley Temple.

Michael and Matthew Turner of Bonham spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner.

**Friday 42 Club Meets**

The Friday 42 Club met March 20 with Mary Westbrook at the gazebo of the Deport Housing Authority.

Two visitors were present, Corene Taylor and Floy Sparks, who tied for high score for visitors. Vada Mae Hoover made high score for members.

Election of officers was held. Elected president was Thelma Shelby; secretary, Alma Scaff; and reporter, Jimmie King.

Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Thelma Shelby.

**GREAT BALLS O FIRE!**

That's was the name of the champion chili cookers at the Prairiland Livestock Show's Chili competition Saturday. From left to right are Paula Moore, Barbara White and Theresa Nickerson. (staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)



CHAMPION STEW—the Prairiland Key Club captured grand champion stew honors. From left to right are Josh Northam, Leader David Tyler and Isaac Unruh (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

**Milton News**

Kim Allen of Gilmer spent this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Allen.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf gathered at their home Sunday for dinner and to celebrate the birthday of Lyn Wolf.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee and Granny Jaynes Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. M.A. Powell of Queen City; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merritt; Mr. and Mrs. Marty Merritt and Megan and Matthew, Suzy Evans all of Pattonville and Ruth Johnson and T.J. of Paris.

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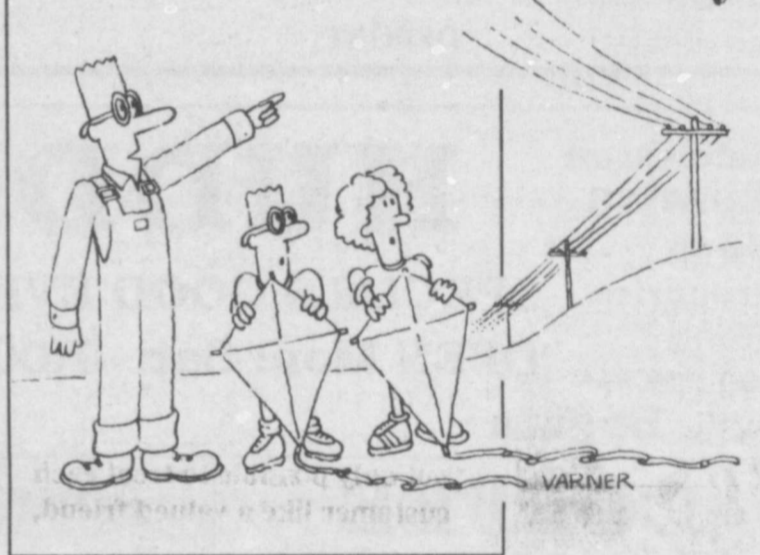
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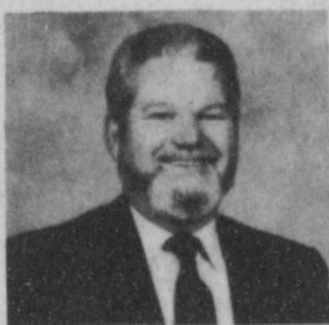
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**FAVORITES**--Prairiland High School's Junior Class Favorites are, back row, left to right: Brandon Johnson, Kenny Bibb and Josh Northam. Front row: Kessa Hampton, Georjeana Oats and Crystal Ericsson. Not pictured are Cody Bowen and Laura Hays. (Staff Photo by Mrs. Tyson)

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**Prairiland High School Weekly Activities Week of March 30-April 4**

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March 30 ..... Boys & girls Golf at Wolfe City  
 ..... Girls softball, Prairiland vs. Wills Point, H, 5:30 p.m.  
 ..... JV Baseball at Paris, 4 p.m.  
 March 31 ..... One-Act Play, Tyler  
 ..... Baseball at Rivercrest, 4 p.m.  
 ..... Inservice, AIDS 1-4  
 ..... Early Dismissal, 12:15  
 ..... TAAS Testing  
 April 1 ..... TAAS Testing  
 ..... YFC, Library, 7:50 a.m.  
 April 2 ..... TAAS Testing  
 ..... Tennis at Commerce  
 April 3 ..... End of Fifth Six Weeks  
 ..... Baseball, Prairiland vs. Rivercrest, H, 4 p.m.  
 ..... Key Club, Kiwanis Pancake Day  
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AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance No. 09-20-90 and adopting terms upon which applications for water and sewer service will be accepted; establishing a fee for water and sewer taps; adopting mandatory requirements for water and sewer connections; adopting provisions for damage to water and sewer property; adopting charge for theft of services; providing for a means of computation for water usage when the water meter fails; providing for a means to calculate charges for water lost or wasted; providing for a deposit to assure payment; providing a system and time for billing; providing for methods to discontinue service for failure to pay; providing for emergency rationing of water; adopting provisions for the prohibition of certain sewer deposits; providing for plumbing permits and a fee therefor; providing for the right to entry to inspect; repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith; providing for an emergency; providing for penalties; providing for an effective date; and providing for a severability clause.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Blossom, Texas, has determined at a special called meeting that it is necessary to adopt an ordinance for water and sewer service within the city limits of Blossom;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Blossom, Texas;

**WATER RATE**

That there shall be and is hereby adopted and fixed for the fiscal year 1990 a minimum monthly water service rate of \$13.00 for the first 1,000 gallons of water used and an additional rate of \$3.20 for each 1,000 gallons of water used in excess of the first 1,000 gallons.

Rate A-\$13.00 for first 1,000 gallons. \$3.20 for each additional 1,000 gal-  
 lons.  
 Rate B-Cost of water and trans-  
 portation.  
 Rate C-Minimum \$16.00 for first 1,000 gallons out-  
 side City Limits. \$3.20 for each additional 1,000 gal-  
 lons.  
 Rate D-Tap Sales-\$5.00 per thousand, minimum of 1,000 gal-  
 lons.

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THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TALCO, TEXAS have set April 4, 1992 through May 1, 1992 as the time for a Clean-up Program for the City of Talco.

During this time period, residents will be able to use the Mt. Pleasant regional landfill facility at no charge. However, residents will have to present a valid driver's license, utility bill stub less than 90-days old or a current voter's registration card proving that you are a resident of Titus County.

To further aid the clean-up program, the City trash truck will be parked at the City Hall for residents to place trash in and it will also be made available for those who need further assistance with their trash.

For more information, please call City Hall.  
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34x64	8.96	35x72	11.66
35x64	8.96	36x72	12.56
36x64	9.86	39x72	13.46
39x64	10.76	43x72	14.36
43x64	11.66	47x72	15.26
47x64	12.56	59x72	18.86
60x64	17.06	64x72	21.56
63x64	17.96	70x72	22.46
71x64	20.66	71x72	23.36
23x72	8.06	72x72	24.26

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LEE'S GREENHOUSE now has onion plants available. Hwy. 909, third street to left in Bogata. Open 7 a.m.-7 p.m. six days a week and Sunday 1-6. Call 632-5013. MA tfc

FOR SALE: Carpet and padding, 13.3x13.3 autumn color, 8 months old. Charlotte Rodgers, 632-4256. 521 N. Howison, Bogata. MA tfc

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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

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FOR SALE: 1986 SS Monte Carlo, T-top, all electric, tilt steering, wheel, cruise. Call Charlie Lewis, 632-5387. MA 4-9

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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

HAY FOR SALE: Large round bales, \$15.00 each, square bales and fertilized Bermudagrass. Call 632-4547. MA tfc

SQUARE BALES of hay, in barn. Call 903-652-6715. MA 3-26

FOR SALE: 3-point hook-up; 2 prong lift, in good condition. Call 379-4752. MA 4-9

**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

HOUSE FOR SALE: 2 BR, 1 bath brick, double carport, large storage shed, central H/A and ceiling fans. \$24,500. 227 SW 2nd in Bogata. Call 632-5890. MA tfc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 2 BR, 1 bath, large lot, 107 Grayson Street in Bogata. Call Eddie Watts, 632-5303. MA tfc

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FOR SALE: Show quality feeder pigs. Call 632-5386. MA 3-26

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## Deport Locals

By Kathy Guess

Sue Carrell and her daughter, Carla Freemyer and children Erin and Evan, all of Norman, Ok came Friday and spent the weekend with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hignight.

Visiting Jimmie and Yuba Sparks this week were Mrs. Lotella Murchison of Lubbock, Judge Harold "Tod" Weaver of Grapevine, John Wever of Chicago, IL, Mrs. Lola Beth Bullard, Mrs. Carla Bullard, Jolene Bullard of Dell City, NM, Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Parks of Avery and Kelly Click of Paris. The children and grandchildren were Mrs. Kathleen Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fangio, Mrs. Lisa Hughes and Tif-

fany, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Fangio, James and Dwight and Mrs. Tamara Bean and Brittany. Other children visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Sparks, Camille and Justin, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sparks and Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. Wade sparks, Mrs. Mary Ann Ericsson and Crystal and Mrs. Ray Martin, Yuba's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Parks, were unable to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks entertained with dinner at their home on Friday and the children served dinner at the American Legion Hall Saturday. All attended church together on Sunday.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Kenith Foster of

Paris. He was the brother of Mayor Charles Foster and Marlin Foster.

Sunday supper guests of Kyle and Lisa Wright and family were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roach and Beth and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harold Allen and Brad, all of Milton.

Mrs. JoEllen Upchurch of Anadarko, OK and son Jay of Duncan, OK were guests of Mrs. Thelma Warren Monday.

Martha and Duane Glover, Betsy Chapman and Ty, David Glover and Kathryn and Jorge Martinez visited last week with Glenda and Jack Ballard and family in Vienna, VA and toured Washington, DC and the surrounding area.

Scott and Kendra, Bryant, Nicole and Luke of Arlington visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McLemore over the weekend.

Raymond and Edith Crawford and Virginia and Dwayne Rhodes visited Sunday with Marvin and Lois Crawford in Athens and Lee and Elizabeth Mahan in Canton.

Ruth Skaggs spent Sunday night in Sulphur Springs with Pinky and Lee Griffin, they all attended the funeral of Jimmy Griffin on Monday. On Friday Ray Skaggs of Arlington visited Ruth Skaggs.

Visiting J.A. & Juanita Sparks Sunday were: Jim and Chris Nix of Hooks; Goldie and Helen Mills of Hagansport; J.C. and Hattie Abernathy of McCrury; Raymond and Hiawatha King of Pattonville; Bettie Pace of Clarksville and Dori Somerville, Detroit.

Sharon Frances and Wayne Williams have returned from a vacation in Florida. They visited Pensacola Beach on the Gulf, Fernando Beach and Jacksonville Beach on the ocean and toured San Augustine.

Jayne and Dicky King, Jeff Jeffus and Jeremy Newberry had Friday night dinner with Thomas and Nanalee Nichols.

Sunday lunch visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jeffus, Sr. were Hugh Jeffus, Jeffery Jeffus, Thomas and Nanalee Nichols, Jason and Christy Dickson.

Richard and Helen Nance have been visiting his sister, Eva Lamb, who is not well.

Mrs. Grace Cunningham and her sister, Louise Sanders of Paris spent the weekend at Tyler with her son and wife, Tyon Cunningham.

Joel Ballard of Longview is at his father's after knee surgery.



LONG AGO PICTURE-This photograph was taken in 1922 and featured the Minter

Church's congregation. There are numerous people in the photo that you would know to-

day, including Albert Roach and Willie Devlin! Thanks to Mrs. Devlin for the photo.

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**GRANDCHILDREN OF THE WEEK**

**Ryan & Aaron Skidmore**  
 Sons of Timothy & Tina Skidmore of Paris. Grandparents are Rab & Margie Skidmore of Deport and Mr. & Mrs. Harrison Dollins. Great-Grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Roy Powers of Deport and Mr. & Mrs. Milton Springer.

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## Deport Nursing Home News

Residents enjoyed a picnic in the park last Wednesday. We were fortunate that it was warm and sunny. Helping serve were volunteers Amber Thompson and Kelly Kincaid. Sandwiches, chips and cold drinks were on the menu. After the picnic, many of us went on a country drive. A good time was had by all.

The annual St. Patrick's Day party was held Tuesday. We enjoyed lime sherbet, lime punch and an assortment of cookies. Mrs. Frankie Archibald played the piano for us, while Amber Thompson and Kelly Kincaid helped serve refreshments.

The Methodist Church of Deport sponsored our birthday party this month. They brought many cakes and friendly smiles. Serving were Susie Kelsey, Bocky Norman, Odel Harvey, Sarah Broderick and Edna Earl Wright.

Heath Kennedy and Chris Sparks of Paris visited Joel Ballard Saturday.

Barry Ballard of Cooper and Tod McDonald and sons of Arkansas fished at North Forty Saturday. They visited Joel Ballard Sunday.

We welcome new residents Faye Black, Bud Nobles and Cleo Gifford. Billy Mac Foster and Pat Clements visited Lillian Gamble.

Charles Davidson visited Russice and Jack Bell.

Clara Randolph of Sulphur Springs, Janice Hubbard of Ft. Worth, Correda and Gaylon Black of Howe, Charles and Ricky Black, Rose of Canton and Lisa of Cunningham, Bobby and Brenda Black and Nanny Bell Ham were visitors of Mrs. Faye Black.

Vada Mae Hoover, Nelda Allen, Floy Sparks, Judy Ellington, Odel Moore Susie Kelseand Sarah Broderick visited Grace McHam.

Mary Virginia and Vernon Early of Clarksville visited Mrs. Rosa Holley.

Odessa Isbell, Ruth Lee and Margaret Daughtery visited Aileen Barham.

Sherri Lynn Wolf and Waylon Wolf visited Mrs. Geneva Loveless.

Mrs. Tommie Cannon, Judy Stewart, Paul, Sarah, Christopher and Shanna, all of Dallas, Karen Walker and David of Ft. Worth, Abby and Amy Strickland, Amanda and Steven Norman of Deport were visitors of Edna Bell. They joined in the home of Bocky Norman for a dinner party.

Gene Burns of Paris, Charles Davidson of Deport, Tom Webb of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nobles of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Menke of Ft. Worth, Karen Walker, Dana Norman, Bocky Norman and Glen Whitsel, along with the Deport Volunteer Fire Department were visitors of Bud Nobles.

Billy Jo Cannon of Cunningham spent all day Sunday with Marguerite Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Hensley.

Mrs. Mutt Harvey, Sarah Broderick, Mrs. Sam Kelsey, Phillip Dodd and Lynn and Sherri Wolf were visitors of Doris Norwood, Brodie and John Bell.

Pat Talley, Mary Johnson, Burrell Kincaid, Lorene Kilgore, Debbie and Jace Short were visitors of Lilly Mae and Betty Gardner.

Hill Lawrence and Myrna Hutchison visited Jessie Lawrence this week.

Cindy Burks visited her mother, Allie Burks and also Mary Mathews. Dr. and Mrs. Fagan Thompson visited Mrs. Lizzie Wright for her 99th birthday.

Dr. and Mrs. Fagan Thompson of Wimberly, Betty Burr of Nacogdoches, Jeanette Layne of Cleburne, Helen Moore, Ida Lou Reed, Edith Fuller, Dorothy Holt, Joyce Williams, Wilma Grant and Jeannie Burns were visitors of Elizabeth Barnett.

Brad Allen, Terri Ham, Carol and Jennifer Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Yarbrough and Rachael, all of Deport, Ruth Ann Allen of Milton and Amanda and Steven Norman of Clarksville visited Johnnie Warren last week.

Residents celebrating March birthdays are Johnnie Warren, Ruth Marshall, A.J. Head, Mary Geer and Lizzie Wright.

**School Menu**

Deport School  
 March 30-April 3  
**Monday**

**Breakfast:**  
 Peanut butter  
 Cinnamon toast  
 Juice, milk  
**Lunch:**  
 Tator tot casserole  
 Pinto beans  
 Macaroni and tomatoes  
 Bread  
 Dessert  
 Milk

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

**Wednesday**  
**Breakfast:**  
 Trail mix  
 Cereal  
 Juice, milk  
**Lunch:**  
 Chicken nuggets  
 Creamed potatoes  
 Mixed vegetables  
 Hot rolls, butter, honey  
 Milk

**Thursday**  
**Breakfast:**  
 Trail mix  
 Sweet rolls  
 Juice, milk  
**Lunch:**  
 Chili  
 Cheese sticks  
 Pickle slices  
 Fruit  
 Crackers  
 Milk

**Friday**  
**Breakfast:**  
 Buttered biscuits  
 Sausage, gravy  
 Juice, milk  
**Lunch:**  
 Barbeque on bun  
 Vegetarian beans  
 Pickle slices  
 Dessert  
 Milk

School will dismiss at 12:30 on Tuesday, March 31

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<b>STEAK DINNER</b> <b>\$2.99</b>	<b>CHEESEBURGER</b> <b>\$1.89</b>
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