

Nichols
Worth



By Nanalee Nichols

People are still asking me "Does all this stuff really happen to you?" Yes, it really does...and, in fact, it is still going on! If you don't believe me, then come on out to my house and see the duckling. Willie is in the upstairs bath tub, just as happy as can be.

Then, of course, there is the tale of my best friend and Gladys/Grace the cat.

The cat was another orphan. Last fall Thomas brought her home and a skinnier, more starved feline you couldn't find.

My friend fell in love with her, and simply had to have her. We called her Gladys, they called her Grace. After the kitten was in good shape she went to Paris to live.

About six weeks ago my friend asked if I would take Gladys/Grace back again...she had developed the unfortunate habit of using her husband and son's dirty clothing for a litter box. This, naturally, created a serious problem.

I reluctantly said yes, asking if the cat had been neutered yet.

"Oh no" she cried cheerily, "but she hasn't ever been near a tomcat." I eyed the suspiciously round little tabby doubtfully, but, being a trusting soul, took Gladys/Grace on home.

Within two weeks this cat who had never been near a tom presented us with five (count em, FIVE) lovely little kittens. They were born on the fourth of July. I called my friend and told her about the kittens. She had the nerve to laugh at me...after apologizing, of course. If that isn't stretching the bounds of friendship I don't know what is!

Of course, in the meantime I picked up Hester, the ugliest cat in the universe. At the end of a long day of creating kitty cats I think the Good Lord must have had a lot of black and a little of all the other cat-colors left, and he poured it all together and made one more!

Well, little Hester may be ugly, but she has a sweet personality. Where I go she goes, including "helping" me pull weeds in the flower beds. A few evenings ago I was pulling weeds and hit a nest of wasps. They stung me twice, and poor Hester once. I thought I was allergic to wasps...but Hester was worse.

This poor cat's little face swelled up until it looked like she had a ping pong ball on her jaw! She could only eat soft food for several days.

After icing down my stings and the cat's, things settled down.

Then, the five little kittens became ill. Have you ever tried to doctor five active kittens? To make matters worse their mother can't feed them anymore so I'm having to teach them to lap milk from a bowl.

Now, do you see what I mean about the way things are going in my life?

Also, I now have a nice little brown tabby cat, neutered, to give to a good home...also five kittens, three silver tabbies, one dark, one brindle with white socks...also, the ugliest cat in the universe...well, no, I don't think I could part with poor little Hester! HELP!

Editor's Quote Book

Government is a contrivance of human wisdom to provide for human wants.

Burke

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School Begins August 13

Prairiland Schools will begin classes on August 13, 1993 at 8:15 a.m. for the high school, and 8:00 a.m. at Deport and Blossom.

Buses will run at the normal time and school will turn out at 3:15 p.m. for the high school and 3:30 p.m. for the junior high and elementary schools. School hours for K-3rd will be from 8:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

Breakfast and lunch will be served on all campuses.

Orientation for the high school stu-

dents will be August 9 at 10:00 a.m. at which time schedules will be handed out. Any student that will be attending Prairiland for the first time should come by the high school office and pre-register before August 9. The office will be open from 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. each day.

Any Kindergarten through eighth grade student that will be attending the Blossom or Deport schools for the first time should come by the offices on those campuses and pre-

register before August 13. Offices will be open each day for pre-registration from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 and 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. School supply lists and other school information will be given to students at that time. Please bring birth certificates, shot records, social security numbers and the last report card if possible.

If you need additional information, call the school offices: High School, 652-5681; Blossom, 982-5230; Deport, 652-3325.

Funeral Home Changes Name

Bogata-Grant Funeral homes are pleased to announce the changing of both businesses' names to Wood Funeral Homes.

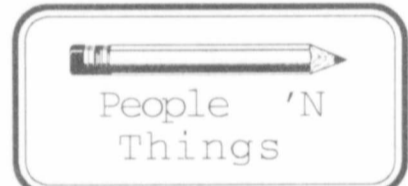
"Since our purchase of the businesses last year we have tried to emphasize the 'James Wood Family' as the root of our service", said James Wood, owner of the two businesses. "We wanted the people in both towns to understand that both funeral homes were owned by the same people, and were not in competition with each other. The two businesses were purchased a year ago when James

Wood's partner, James Grant, decided to retire. At about the same time Tim Wood, James' son, graduated from mortuary school and moved back to work in the family business.

"The support that we have received in this area has been overwhelming," Tim Wood says. "We have many goals that we hope to achieve. For instance, we have just started a grief library that is housed in our Deport location. We have over 40 books and we hope to move that number into the hundreds by the end of the year. We

also hope to speak within the schools and the community organizations about grief education. We really believe that educating people on how to deal with their losses is a vital part of our job."

"On behalf of the James Wood Family, I can't begin to express our appreciation for your support and friendship over the past 23 years. I hope that we can always be there for you whenever you need us. Our family is always just a phone call away from yours" James G. Wood says.



The Deport Community Service Club will have a work day Saturday, August 7 after breakfast to install flag pole holders in preparation for the Labor Day Holiday. All members who can participate are urged to attend.

Commodities will be distributed on Tuesday, August 10 from 9 until noon at the Cunningham Community Center.

R.B.'s Country Kitchen Open In Bairdstown

R.B.'s Country Kitchen has opened in Bairdstown. They serve barbecue and hamburgers, and are open from eight a.m. until five p.m. Monday through Saturdays.

It is located in Bairdstown and is owned and operated by R.B. Kerley and daughter Carmen Kerley.

They invite everyone to stop by for a visit and to have some good food.



GRIEF LIBRARY-James and Dee Wood look over the variety of books in the new grief library they have begun at Wood Funeral Homes. Over 40 books are on hand and they are planning to add more. The books help people deal with their grief and are written especially for differ-

ent circumstances and ages from children on up. The Wood Family purchased Grant Funeral Home and Bogata Funeral Home last year and are now operating them under the name of Wood Funeral Homes. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)



WHO'S GOT THE GOAT?- Billy Smith and Billy Slaton, that's who! Billy Slaton (right) donated the goat and it was care-

fully barbecued to provide a barbecue supper with all the trimmings at the Monday night meeting of the Deport Volun-

teer Fire Department. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Volleyball Workouts Set
Volleyball workouts for Prairiland will be Monday, August 9th. Freshman & J. V. will be at 8:00 a.m. and Varsity will be at 10:00 a.m.

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NEW COATS-members of the Deport Volunteer Fire Department try on new coats, bunker pants, boots and helmets which were recently purchased with the help of a grant from the

Texas Commission on Fire Protection. From left to right are Jeff Smith, Jim Short and Billy Slaton. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Deport VFD Issued New Gear

The Deport Volunteer Fire Department met in regular session Monday night.

Members were issued new bunker pants, coats, boots and helmets purchased with a \$5,035.00 grant obtained through the Texas Commission on Fire Protection in Austin.

After enjoying a barbecue meal prepared by Billy Slaton, Billy Smith and Marilyn Glover, a business meeting was conducted.

Fire Chief Duane Glover reported that a settlement had been reached with the insurance company con-

cerning the department's pumper truck that was destroyed last December.

Department secretary Charles Foster reported that a check for \$32,050.00 has been received from the insurance company.

The Department voted to hire Donald Day and Sons Metal Works to modify a bay to the fire station to accommodate a new pumper truck.

The Department also discussed a CPR class to be held at the fire station on September 25th.

Open House To Welcome New Minister & Family

An Open House will be held on Sunday, August 8th from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. at the Parsonage of the First United Methodist Church in Blossom for Rev. and Mrs. Bob Smith and family. He is the new

pastor of the Blossom Methodist Church and the Shady Grove Methodist Church.

Everyone is invited to attend, church members, former members and friends and the general public are invited to attend.

Prairiland Athletic Booster Club To Have Kick-Off Supper Meeting

The Prairiland Athletic Booster Club is having a supper on Monday, August 9th, at 6:30 p.m. at Prairiland. Parents are asked to bring vegetables and desserts.

This meeting is a kick-off for the new school year, honoring football, volleyball, cross-country, and cheer-

leaders for Jr. High and High School. A meeting to elect new officers will follow the supper.

For more information, contact Frankie Sessums at 982-5935, Bill Scudder at 784-0578, or call Prairiland High School.

Area Receives Various Amounts Of Rain

From an inch and a half of rain accompanied by high winds and lightning to a slow drizzle that amounts little more than 17 one hundredths of an inch, the area did receive rain.

Every drop that fell was welcome, as pastures, lawns, crops and trees greedily absorbed the much needed

moisture. Cloud cover for part of several days dropped the temperature into a much more comfortable level, also.

A chance of more precipitation remains until Saturday, when a new high pressure system will bring clear skies and one hundred degree plus temperatures.

R.R. Co. Genealogical Society To Meet Monday

Everyone is invited to attend the regular monthly meeting of the Red River Genealogical Society on Monday, August 8th at 7:30 p.m. at the Red River County Library.

The program for this month will be a Question and Answer session with

those attending given the opportunity to ask questions of a genealogical nature.

All persons interested in researching their family history are urged to come and enjoy the evening.

The most wasted day of all is that on which we have not laughed.

—Sébastien R.N. Chamfort

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Country Cooking
 By Judy Screws

Well, it finally happened. The ladies from the Woodland Caring and Sharing Club got their recipes in to the news office. I told you all that they would come through. As you read their recipes, you might want to try to remember how their pictures looked in the previous papers so you can picture how they looked preparing their recipes.

While it is probably not exactly germane to the situation, I'll share a couple of things with you that I have learned this past week. The first is that you can add a dab of the fat free cream cheese (the kind in the spread tub) to your fat free pimento cheese and give it an altogether different taste. A spoon of fat free mayonnaise and a spoon of fat free Miracle Whip gives it a better taste than just the mayonnaise. We also made a wonderful mustard dip for things like corny dogs and chicken breast strips by just mixing mustard with brown sugar and adding your favorite spices, anything from garlic powder to cayenne pepper (anything that suits your taste), and heating in the microwave for about 2 minutes, or longer depending on how much you made. You want it to get good and hot first or the sugar will be a little grainy. I also tried corny dogs with the batter made with eggbeaters and skim milk, and a cornbread mix, or from scratch. Just put a spoon of batter in a sprayed corn stick pan, lay a chicken or turkey frank on top of it and put another spoon of batter on top. Bake just as you would cornbread, but not too brown. If it's too brown, it's hard to eat and the flavor is not as good.

I have also relearned this week about taking care of little boys. I haven't had any little boys in many years, and I've not kept our grandsons much, especially the little one, with out their mother around. Our daughter, Chris, has been at Children's Medical Center, in Dallas, with her daughter, Yolanda, so we have had Christopher and Jerred. Christopher can pretty well take care of himself, but Jerred is less than two years old, so his conversation skills are limited. My main problem is his favorite foods. He doesn't have any. Or at least not any that I have found. Christopher eats anything you put in front of him, if it's not beans or tomatoes, or if it doesn't move. I have finally figured out that Jerred will tell you whether he likes it or not. Last night, out of desperation, I opened a can of fruit cocktail and a carton of Blue Bell Ice Cream and put some in a bowl, and just on the chance that he might eat it, I fed it to him in small bites. Every time he got a bite of that good tasting stuff, he would screw up his little face, and look at me with those big brown eyes, and say, "Good." Now I remember the formula: Little bitty kids need little bitty bites. Little boys also have lots of good sugar for old grannies.

Have a good week.

August 5, 1993

Squash Dressing
 By Jane Davis

2 cups squash, cooked and mashed
 1/2 lb. sausage, crumbled
 1 egg, cornbread mix
 2 eggs
 2 heaping tablespoons minced onion salt and pepper to taste

Mix all ingredients and pour into casserole dish and bake in 350 oven for about 45 minutes or until brown and done to the touch.

Raisin Cream Pie

1 1/2 cups milk
 2 eggs, separated
 1 cup sugar
 3 tablespoons flour, heaped
 2 tablespoons butter
 1/3 cup raisins, soaked in small amount of water

Whip egg yolks in milk and heat to scalding stage. Do not boil. Add sugar, flour, melted butter. Cook until thickened, stirring constantly. When it begins to thicken, stir in raisins. When thick, add 1/2 teaspoon vanilla and pour into baked pie crust, top with meringue made from beaten egg yolks and brown.

Squash Relish

8 cups sliced yellow squash
 2 cups chopped onions
 2 cups chopped green pepper

1 large jar chopped pimento
 Soak squash in 3 cups water and 2/3 cup salt for at least one hour. Pour off brine. Make syrup of 3 cups sugar, 2 cups vinegar, 2 T. mustard seed, 2 T. celery seed. A few whole cloves if desired. Bring to a boil. Drop in vegetables. Bring to a boil again, but do not let cook. Put into hot jars at once and seal. This is very good with beans or peas.

Cornbread Salad

1 pkg. cornbread mix, cooked
 1 small onion or fresh onions, chopped
 1 bell pepper, chopped
 1/2 cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
 1 tomato, chopped
 2 tablespoons mustard
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1/2 t. pepper
 1 t. sugar, do not use if you use Jiffy mix

Combine crumbled cornbread with remaining ingredients. Chill. This is even better the second day.

Broccoli Cornbread

2 pkgs. cornbread mix
 1 pkg. frozen broccoli, chopped
 1 cup small curd cottage cheese
 4 large eggs
 1 stick melted oleo

Mix all ingredients together and bake about 35 minutes or until golden and done to the touch.

Obituaries

Dorotha A. Williams Dies July 28
 Dorotha A. Williams, 68, of Bogata died Wednesday, July 28 in McCuiston Regional Medical Center.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 31 in the First Baptist Church of Bogata with the Rev. George Thomas officiating. Bogata Funeral Home made burial in Cuthand Cemetery.

Mrs. Williams was born October 28, 1924 in Clarksville, a daughter of Albert and Margie Sargeant Williams. She married D.C. (Son) Williams October 5, 1948 in Cuthand. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bogata.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Wayne Williams of Bogata and Bobby Williams of Prattville, Alabama; two daughters, Sharon Francis of Deport and Patsy Jo Moles of Sugar Hill one brother, John S. Williams of New Boston and 10 grandchildren.

The family requests donations be made to the Cuthand Cemetery Association.

Jimmy Ray Miller Dies July 31
 Jimmy Ray Miller, 42, of Bagwell died there Saturday, July 31 as the result of a one vehicle accident.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, August 2 in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with the Rev. Don Shovan and the Rev. A.B. Kellam officiating. Burial was in Bluff Cemetery.

Mr. Miller was born September 10, 1950 in the Midway community of Red River County, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller. He was a rancher and a Baptist. He had served in the Army.

Surviving are his wife, Diane; one son, Jimmy Douglas Miller of Bagwell; one daughter, Rene Smith of Childress; four brothers, James, William (Chock), Jerry Ray and Joe Miller, all of Bagwell; three sisters, Roberta Boyer of Pittsburg, Linda Miller of Bagwell and Betty Presley of Clarksville.

Norris E. Allen Dies July 26
 Norris E. (Shorty) Allen, 82, of Paris died Monday, July 26 in St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday, July 29 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. A.B. White officiating. Burial was in Meadowbrook Cemetery.

Mr. Allen was born May 5, 1911 in Deport a son of John Floyd and Cora Belle Smith. He attended Deport schools and married Lula Burkett September 29, 1950. He was a machinist with Hudson Engineering in Houston for 27 years before retiring in 1974. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Gary W. Allen of Houston; three grandchildren, Michael Allen of Houston and Darrell Allen and Lucretia Allen, both of Athens; two great-grandchildren; five sisters, including his twin Doris Risinger of Mt. Olive community, Margaret Dempsey of Paris, Berna Brown of Midland, Opal Seale of Burleson and Mattie Dennis of Dallas; and two brothers, Wayne Allen of Paris and F.L. Allen of Cleburne.

Bearers were Bob Kennedy, Leo Dodd, Alfred Fangio, James Loven, F.D. Mallory and Mordant Bevis.

Mary Elizabeth Walker Dies July 26
 Mary Elizabeth Walker, 90, died Monday July 26 in Cherry Street Manor, Paris.

Services were held at 1 p.m. Thursday, July 29 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Mary Smith officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Walker was born September 8, 1902 in Woodland, a daughter of Thomas Wiley and Delsie White Fleming. She married G.H. (Sport) Walker October 24, 1924 in Deport. He died April 25, 1975. She was a member of the Calvary United Methodist Church and was a former school teacher.

Surviving are a brother, Ona Fleming of Edmond, OK and several nieces and nephews.

Bearers were Ed Rook, Harold Vaughn, Van Brock, Joe Funderburg, Buford Elmer and Horace Roberts.

Norris Thompson Dies July 27
 Norris Thompson, 75, of Blossom died Tuesday, July 27 in St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Friday, July 30 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jerry Hollowell and the Rev. Lyndell McDaniel officiating. Burial was in Forest Chapel Cemetery.

Mr. Thompson was born May 25, 1918 in Caviness, a son of Houston and Lillie Sturgen Thompson. He attended Caviness schools and married Pauline Brunson on December 26, 1944. He served in the Medical Corps during World War II. He was a member of the Blossom Church of the Nazarene and was a stockman. He was also a retired welder, working from 1965 to 1980 at Babcock & Wilcox.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter and son-in-law, Norrine and Gary Williams of Paris; a son, Malcolm Thompson of Blossom; a grandson, Michael Williams of Paris; two granddaughters, Laci and Lesa Thompson, both of Blossom; two great-granddaughters, Amanda and Christi Williams of Paris; and three sisters, Dollie Corn of Paris, Lola Wisener of Coppell and Melvia Newton of Lewisville. He was preceded in death by several sisters and a brother.

Bearers were George Pullins, Shawn Shannon, Carl Weaver, Roger Cato, Charles Casey and Richard Ward.

Tommie O. Parks Dies July 28
 Tommie O. Parks, 93, formerly of Blossom died Wednesday, July 28 in Paris Nursing Home.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 31 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with Steve Keeling officiating. Burial was in Knights of Honor Cemetery in Blossom.

Mr. Parks was born January 30, 1900 in Red River County, a son of Shedd and Mary Parks. He attended Walnut Ridge community schools and married Willie Rosson in 1935 in the Mabry community. She died March 17, 1979. He was a farmer and a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are three sons and two daughters-in-law, James and Ann Parks of Longview, Donald Parks of Blossom and Therron W. and Betty Parks of Bowie; two grandsons, Brett and Brian Parks, both of Longview; a brother, Ralph Parks of Dallas; and a sister, Lorene Sexton of Dallas.

Bearers were Brett Parks, Brian Parks, Bob Rater, Jack Rater, Jerry Waugh and Greg Parks.

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 God Bless You All. Thank You.
 D.C. (Son) Williams and family

Card of Thanks
 We'd like to thank anyone who helped to make the Cuthand Reunion such a wonderful success. Thanks to the Cuthand Church for letting us use the nice cool building.
 Christine Mauldin Warthan
 Garvis Haley

Card of Thanks
 Our heartfelt thanks to Chief Warden, Tony Corso, and Ray Starnes for their support during our time of crisis. We'd also like to thank everyone for the food, flowers, cards, visits, and most especially for the prayers sent up in William's behalf.
 The William Cooper Family

Card of Thanks
 Thanks so much to everyone for the concern shown and all the cards I received while I was in the hospital for surgery and since I've been home.
 Thanks again
 Michelle Strain

To The Community Choir
 The family of Lillian Upchurch wants to thank everyone for helping to fulfill one of her last wishes.
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Lee Ann Vickers, Amy Zant, Lyncil Zant, Andy Spear, Michelle Anderson, Andy Neisler, Isaac Unruh and Jimmy Metzger from Lamar County were eight of the 42 4-H'ers from District 5.

Between July 19 and 21, the group toured the Alamo, Museum of Texas Cultures, Imax Theater, Spanish Governors' Palace, the downtown Market Plaza, the Riverwalk, River Center Mall and an afternoon at Sea World.

This was an educational and fun experience as they learned about Texas history and careers in zoology and marine biology.

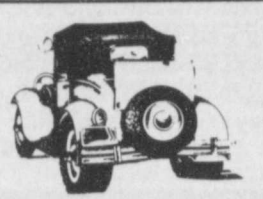
Everybody had a wonderful time as few of them had ever been to San Antonio before.



PONY LEAGUE All Stars who won 3rd place in District this year consisted of boys from Detroit, Deort and Blossom teams.

From left to right, back row are coaches Mike Yaross, Leslie Taylor, Albert McCain and Steve Sesums. Next row: David Ford,

Justin Taylor, Jeremy Day, ITodd James, Cass Titsworth, Quinn Sessums. Front row: Mike Yaross, Rusty Kutzer, Joey McCain, Matt Wright, Michael Lee, Cary Langston. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)



have a nice weekend

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers

652-6051

Guests in the Clovis VanDeaver home this week were Mrs. Linda Salter of Brady, Mrs. Lana Harrison and Shanna of Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. John Denison and Dru of Rosalie and Mrs. Mitzie Pirtle, Kimberly and Michael of Paris.

There will be an ice cream supper at the community center on Monday evening, August 9 at 7 o'clock. Everyone that can, come and bring a freezer of ice cream. If you don't have one, come anyway and enjoy someone else's.

Visitors during the week of Betty Rodgers were Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga and Monte and Shelley Rodgers, Marcella Wright, Marlena Bolin, Jimmy King, Ethel Epps, Faye LaRue, Katy and Clovis VanDeaver, Lucille Morgan, Katherine Campbell and Mrs. Scuff.

Willie Mae, Linda Grey and Inez Montgomery of Bogata visited Jimmie King Wednesday morning.

Dicky King of Paris had lunch with his mother, Jimmie King

Wednesday. Jimmie King had lunch with her daughter, Kay Osburn of Paris Thursday. That night she had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Kyle King and family of Reno.

Kay Osburn and Bobbie King of Paris took Jimmie King to Clarksville Friday night for supper.

Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga spent Saturday night and Sunday in Dallas and Irving with relatives. Betty Rodgers, Monte and Shelley Rodgers enjoyed supper Friday evening with the Arriagas.

Faye Gandy's visitors were Marcella Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Slaton fo Paris, Worth Baker, Wayne Williams, Monte Rodgers, Betty Rodgers, Melissa Arriaga, Alice Jean Garner of Rowlett, Sandy Jarecki and Adam of Rosewood, Bill and Helen Ballew of Memphis, Duel Le Sanders of Dallas, Bill and Judy Nutt of Paris, Bob and Linda Embrey, James Latimer and Gilbert Arriaga.

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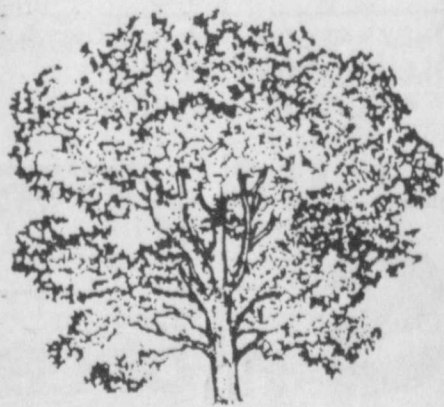
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The Prairiland School District will be taking applications for children who are eligible for free and reduced price meal programs.

Officials said that on the first day of school, students will be given an application to be filled out either by a

parent or guardian and returned to the school. Students will need to reapply even if they received free/reduced price meals last year or they will risk being excluded from the program in 30 days. If there is more than one child in the household, officials said

a family may list all children on one application.

Children from households with incomes not exceeding the family size and income specified below are eligible for free or reduced price meals.

A family of one can earn up to \$9,061; of two \$12,259; of three \$15,457; of four, \$18,655; of five, \$21,853; of six, \$25,051; of seven, \$28,299; of eight, \$31,417.

Parents and guardians are urged to return the forms as soon as possible. However, applications will be received any time someone in the household becomes unemployed, or if there is an increase in family size. If there are foster children living in the home, they, too, will be eligible for these benefits.

Anyone requiring assistance in filling out applications may contact the child's school. High school, 652-5681; Blossom school 982-5230; Deport school 652-3325.

Bays Family Reunion Held

The William Bays family reunion was held July 17 at the Prairiland High School cafeteria in Pattonville.

After a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by 69 family members, a short business session was conducted. President Charles Spann presided over the meeting.

Recognition and awards or prizes were given in recognition to the following: Inez Weaver from Seagoville, oldest person present; Dylan Spencer from Sumner, youngest person; Dorothy and Mike Hayden from Quincy, Ill., traveling furthest distance; and Dempsey Spann from Sumner, having most present.

Angie Spann was remembered in a short memorial, having died since the last reunion.

New officers elected to serve for the next two years were: president, Deveral Kennedy; vice-president, Brenda Shackelford; secretary, Jan Nichols; treasurer, Warren Skeen; and publicity, GERAL KENNEDY.

A crafts auction was enjoyed by all present. James Norwood served as auctioneer as items made and brought by family members were offered for bidding. Bob and Betty Winters and James and Patsey Norwood organized and conducted the program.

A large family wheel was displayed to assist each person to identify others in the family line.

The 69 members were registered, receiving name tags bearing a color indicating their family line.

The next reunion will be held July 15, 1995.

Those attending were: Dempsey Spann, Charles and Sue Spann, Brandon Spann, Cindy Gray, Kevin, Brenda, Jami and Whitney Shackelford, Chelsie Michelle Spann, Brock & Dustin Shelton, Stacey Skeen, Michael & Layla Hamden, Mark Sanders, Roxie, Stanley, Willie, Sarah, Dylan & Jessica Spencer, Betsy & Warren Skeen, Timmy Spencer, Kay & Erica Hill, Dwayne, Bryant, & Jasmin Tucker, Theresa Johnson, Mitchael, Cindy & Terrence Smith, Alonzolee & Roy Curry, Robbie & J. C. Casteel, Morris & Zelma Allen, Lisa Allen, Ivey & B.J. Jumper, Dorothy Hayden, Mike Hayden, Pat & Jerry Gray, Mary & Wayne Dolive, Edwin & Jean Lewis, Inez Weaver, Pat & James Norwood, Mandy & Lacey Cole, James & Katy Winters, Bob & Betty Winters, Ericka, Jessica & Tera Winters, Claris Jordan, GERAL & Joy Kennedy & Jan Nichols.

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Pattonville News

By Missy Merritt

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Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland had lunch at Catfish King on Sunday. Buster Crossland was honored with an ice cream party on his birthday Monday. Those attending were Louise Crossland, Mr. and Mrs.

Travis Crossland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Wright and Brandon and Jennifer Autrey.

Jennifer Autrey of Hugo visited Annette Crossland and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland.

Darren McLaren celebrated his birthday on Friday evening at his home. Attending were Rodger and Anna Beth Allen, Melissa and Doug Phillips, Jimmy Joe Young, Marise

Fontenot, Roxan DeRosier, Barbara Young, Mike, Missy and Jake Merritt. Roxan DeRosier of Lake Charles, LA visited her mother, Marise Fontenot and family last week.

Barbara McDowra and Joyce Merritt went to Sulphur Springs on Monday.

Marise Fontenot, Darren McLaren, Barbara Young, Missy and Jake Merritt went to Dallas for the weekend.

Jerry and Dorothy had dinner at the Fish Fry on Saturday.

Mike and Missy Merritt and Roxan DeRosier visited Melissa and Doug Phillips and Rodger and Anna Beth Allen on Thursday.

Johnny and Margaret McLemore, Winona and John Temple, Amber Brennan all of Plano; Bryan Casey of Carrollton; Dr. and Mrs. Tim Maynard and sons Casey and Cody of Gatesville; Gayle West of Dallas; Sue Gibbs and sons Joe and David and Jessica Whittaker of Detroit; Leslie and Aaron Clarkson of Murfreesboro, Tenn.; Howard Higdon, Megan and Landon and Carissa Woodall of Pattonville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wilson over the past week.

This Month In Texarkana is fun!

6TH ANNUAL REGIONAL JURIED EXHIBITION
June 22 - August 7
Regional Arts Center. Juried all media exhibition by regional artists. Hours: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sat. Call 903-792-8681.

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COUNTRY JUNCTION MARKET PLACE
Aug. 7 - 8
Arts & crafts at Union Station. Sat. 9-6, Sun. 11-5. Free admission. Contact Kathy Knight at 903-793-0140.

2ND ANNUAL REGIONAL CHEERLEADING CONTEST
Aug. 14
Downtown Texarkana, Jr. High & High School Cheerleaders compete in a regional meet at 1 p.m. Groups will be judged by the National Cheerleading Assoc.

TRADITIONAL QUILT EXHIBIT
Aug. 17 - Sept. 25
Folklife Program at Regional Arts Center. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tues. - Fri., 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sat. Call 903-792-8681.

QUILTING SHOW
Aug. 21
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SHOES & HATS
Aug. 28
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Aug. 31
Four States Fairgrounds. Good fun & good food. Hours are 5:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. Price is \$7.50 to enter to sample food wares. Contact Janet Elwood at YWCA at 903-793-6769.

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Sept. 2 - 5
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Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Several states were represented and a large crowd attended the reunion of the Darvis Davison family of Paris at the Musgrove Flying M Ranch Center Saturday.

John Paul Woodard of Ft. Worth visited Mr. & Mrs. Roy Powers Saturday.

Bobby Morrison of Ft. Worth, son of Mr. & Mrs. Clovis Morrison, had a two-way by-pass heart surgery in a Ft. Worth hospital on Thursday. He is reported making excellent progress.

Thirty-two children of the Life Tabernacle Church attended the Bible Camp Wednesday and Thursday at the Musgrove Flying M Ranch Center. Hamburgers were served Wednesday night.

Rodney Norwood had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Powers attended the revival at the Faith Baptist Church in Deport last week.

Francis Sieminski of Grand Prairie and Bettye Hershour of Martin Mills spent the weekend with their sister, Lorette Pynes.

Jane O'Neal is employed at State Attorney's Office in Paris.

Leslie Stuart and Willie Wilson of Reno and Juanita Taylor visited Mr. & Mrs. Billy Joe Oats Sunday afternoon.

William Cooper, who underwent heart surgery at St. Joseph Hospital Tuesday night, was dismissed Saturday and is recovering nicely at home.

Rosemary Weaver of Irving, and Bill and Ruth Chipman spent Wednesday in Jefferson.

Fannie Belle Edwards of Magnolia is visiting Mrs. Delsa Wilson.

Mr. & Mrs. Weldon Smith of Bogata had supper with Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Baker honoring Mrs. Smith's birthday, Wednesday night.

Oscar Williams of Mesquite spent Friday night with Mr. & Mrs. Joe Bailey Williams.

Goldie Brown of Blessing and Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain had lunch with Ollie Ruth Guthrie and Mr. & Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie of Talco, Thursday.

Sue Jackson, Carla Palmer, Andrea and Kara and Lisa Drinnon sent shopping in Dallas Saturday.

Bobbie Hall of Detroit visited Mr. & Mrs. Clyde Slusher Friday.

Geneva Norwood was the guest speaker at the Immanuel Baptist Church luncheon in Paris Wednesday.

Helen Cruise, Jan Fox and JaLetha, Sheila Smith, Adrian and Crystal Smith, and Diana Smith and Sammie, Jr. were shopping in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Verta Lynn, Ruth Chipman and Mabel Lynn enjoyed lunch at Furr's Cafeteria Sunday.

Rev. Chad Barnes and a group from the Baptist Church went to Six Flags on Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. Frankie Norwood, Logan and Laton attended a cook-out at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Mike Stribling of Paris Saturday, honoring the birthday of Jimmy Pitts.

Misty Garretson of Bogata visited Andrea and Kara Palmer last week.

Ethel Williams attended the Charleston Homecoming at the L. D. Malone Lake Sunday.

Katherine Sugg attended the wedding of Lisa Jaynes and Jeff Chatman at Blossom Friday.

James Norwood, Darold Norwood, Tracy Norwood and Talma and Susie Norwood had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday.

Francis Sieminski of Grand Prairie, Bettye Hershour of Martin Mills and Lorette Pynes spent Sunday with Mrs. Hollis Bledsoe of Linden.

Mr. & Mrs. George Green of Mt. Pleasant and Francis Thomas of Johtown had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Friday.

Lucy Fowler and Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Deport spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. & Mrs. Delano Dunlap of Mesquite.

John B. Whitney was dismissed from St. Joseph Hospital Friday after undergoing heart surgery Monday. Virginia Allison and Holland Whitney of Dallas were here for the surgery.

Mark Bailey of Paris, Liberty Martin of Deport, Zarinska Musgrove of Lewisville, and Mr. & Mrs. Stacy Musgrove, Storey and Charity had Sunday lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Musgrove.

Mr. & Mrs. Odis Watson, Brenda Watson, Deana Gibson and Dillion,

Jarvis Watson and Bruce Watson attended a birthday dinner and party Sunday at the home of Jane Binnion at Pattonville honoring Bradlee Paul Watson on his 5th birthday.

Lucy Fowler visited Johnnie Warren in the Deport Nursing Home Tuesday.

Mary Briscoe of Reno visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Bill Dickey and Jacqueline, Mr. & Mrs. Bryan Johnson of Sulphur Springs, Mr. & Mrs. Billy Currin, Courtney, Tonya and Christian Lee of Lamar Point visited Mr. & Mrs. John B. Whitney Saturday.

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

Mr. & Mrs. Frankie Norwood, Logan and Laton, Mr. & Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Brandon and Georjeana, Mr. & Mrs. Scotty Norwood, Trevor and Amber had Sunday night supper with Geneva Norwood.

Bobbie Ruth Slusher visited Harry Slusher in the Cherry Street Annex last week.

Ethel Williams visited Mrs. Golden Nabors and Mr. & Mrs. L. D. Malone Sunday.

Mrs. Goldie Brown of Blessing, Mrs. Ollie Ruth Guthrie and Mr. & Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie of Talco, and Mr. & Mrs. W. M. Brown of Bloomington had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Sunday.

Lindsey Sugg attended a birthday party for Dakota Mitchell of Deport last week.

Cindy Nichols and Alma Norwood had lunch at Ta Molly's Wednesday. Maurine Womack of Reno and Almer Norwood visited Mr. & Mrs. John Buford Whitney Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Buddy Taylor has been dismissed from McCuiston Hospital and is recuperating at home.

James and Patsy Norwood spent the weekend at Bob Sandlin Lake.

Francis Sieminski of Grand Prairie, Bettye Hershour of Martin Mills, and Lorette Pynes went shopping in Cooper and Paris and visited Mrs. Troy Stockton of Enloe Saturday.

Darold and Ida Mae Norwood of Paris visited Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Sunday afternoon.

Kaylon Bell of Bogata spent Monday night with her cousin, Chance Whitney.

Daniel Hancock spent Sunday night with Chance Whitney.

Thursday night Jacey Whitley spent the night with her grandparents, the Russell Whitneys.

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Milton News

By Mattylu Upchurch

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Holt and other relatives this week were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson of Fontana, CA, Sue Lord and Eric of San Bernardino.

Peggy Robins of Wills Point visited her aunt, Elizabeth Walker last week and they visited Elizabeth's sister, Dorothy Potett at Medical Plaza Nursing Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ferguson, Rachel and Aaron of Galveston spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Lee.

Russell and Leah Schroeder and Jeffrey of Carrollton spent Monday and Tuesday and Bobbie Hill of Camden, AR spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch.

Michael Wirta of San Antonio spent Friday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Holt. He was on his way to Manassas, VA to make his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee of Rugby on Sunday.

Viola Upchurch returned home with her daughter, Frances Davis of Ft. Worth, Wednesday for a visit. Trey Lee of Dallas spent Thursday night with his parents, Sheldon and Ann Lee.

Charlie Turner, Helen Temple and Hattie Hobbs of Paris have been vacationing in Las Vegas and visiting Hattie's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hobbs and children of Omaha, Nebraska.

Having dinner with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Sue Lord and Eric, Terry Johnson and Mary Parks.

Berry and Debbie Johnson and Danielle of Dallas and Ruth and T.J. Johnson of Paris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Pettit and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pettit and Whitney spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall.

Dale Williams, Kay and Tim Parks of Faught had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt Sunday.

Family and friends having returned home after being here to attend the funeral of Lillian Upchurch are Richard and Lois Mallot of Bradenton, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McBride of Flint, Michigan, Frank McBride of Doniphan, Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Upchurch of Redding, California, Marie Kilbreath, Russell and Kim Kilbreath, Christie and Shellie of McDougle, Arkansas, Bobbie Hill of Camden, Arkansas, Russell and Leah Schroeder and Jeffrey of Carrollton, Billie Goheen of Arlington, Rachel Lambert of Ector, Rena Ledford, Patsy Phillips and Sandra Widener of Hermiston, Oregon, Carolyn Stiner of Springfield, Oregon, Nick Maudsley, Frances Davis, Tresa Tinsley, Brenda Terrell, Terry Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Humphrey and Lillian Ketchen, all of Ft. Worth.



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Deport Nursing Home News
By Joni Kincaid

Carolyn Steinn, Rena Ledford, Patsy Phillips, Sandra Widney, Linnie Bailey, Alice Bumgarner and Pam White were visitors of Mrs. Grace McHam last week.

Deport Housing Authority News
By Mary Westbrook 652-3605

The Martha Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church had cottage prayer service July 27 in the gazebo for the revivals everywhere. Some made cookies, iced tea and coffee were served to these people, Aubrey Hignight, Alpha Barnard, Artie Westbrook, Purna Haydock, Buddy Malone, Willie Mae Spears, Francis Franklin, Linnie Bailey, Alice Bumgarner, Dorothy Holt, Mavis Sowards, Thelma Shelby, Tim Brown and Mary Westbrook.

Mae Storm spen two weeks in Arlington visiting her brother, Elmer and Earl Williams and families recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson and Zachery and Nicole Clifton of Paris visited Carrie Bennett Sunday.

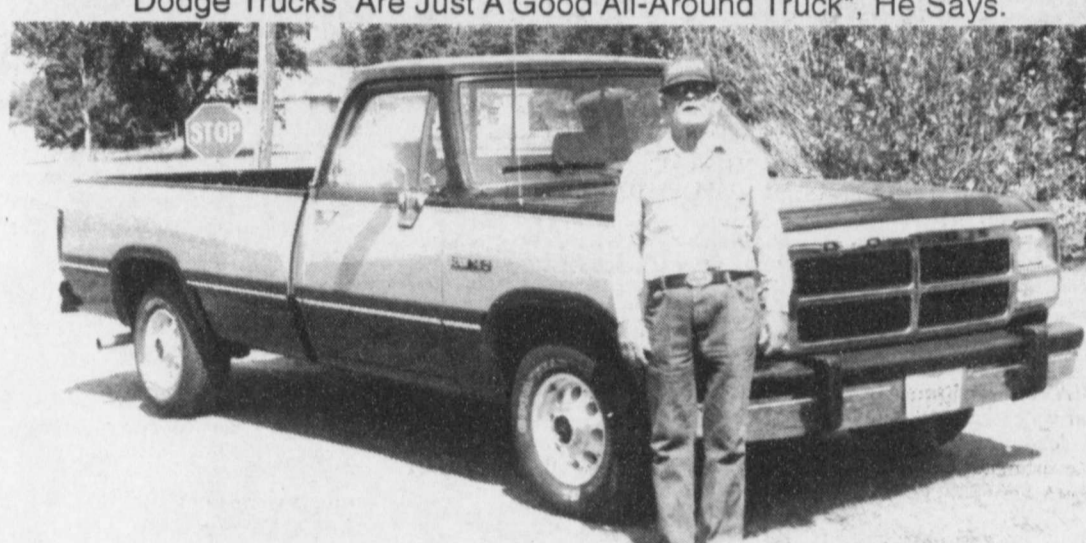
Francis Lee of Bogata visited Mrs. Mammie Kennedy Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Srevens and baby visited Edna Earl Gifford Sunday.


Mavis Sowards and Clarice Vaughan visited Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas Vaughan on Lake Tawakoni Sunday.

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Bob Carrell, Jr. of Ft. Worth visited his mother, Lela Carrell last week. Kenneth and Cathy Palmer visited his mother, Meldina Palmer over the weekend.

Velma Cox of Cunningham, Alice Bumgarner, Linnie Bailey, Leslie Morgan and Minda Corso were visitors of Johnnie Warren.

Marilyn Glover visited her aunts, Doris Norwood and Brodie Bell.

James Cannon visited his mother, Marguerite Cannon.

Allen and Yvonne Bertram of Odessa and Dean and Carolyn Black visited Faye Black and Frankie Archibald.

Mary Johnson, Debbie Smith, Jace Short and Burrell Kincaid visited Lilly Mae and Betty Gardner.

Pat Smith and her grandchildren visited Ethel Talley and Herman Adams.

The Bible Baptist Temple Church of Paris began their volunteer service Saturday. Several members joined us for fellowship and singing. We appreciate each and every one and look forward to next month's group.

Residents of the month for August are Lela Carrell and Doris Norwood. Residents celebrating August birthdays are Opal Ham, Dorothy Boatwright, Elmer Sparks and Clarence Ham. Employees with August birthdays are Angela Jeffrey, Charla Sessums, Doris Elmore and Sonya Davis.

Welcome to our new residents Beulah Jerman and Lawrence Teague.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF TALCO
TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
The City of Deport will hold a second public hearing at 6:30 p.m. on August 9, 1993 at Talco City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. Topics to be discussed will include the application for construction of a new water well and transmission line to serve the city's water customers. The amount of TCDP funds to be requested will be \$250,000 with a local match of \$35,500. Information will be provided during the hearing concerning other aspects of the project and the estimated amount of funds proposed for activities that will benefit low and moderate income persons. The application will be available at City Hall during regular business hours. Talco City Hall is accessible to the handicapped.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF NO SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS
Published as a single document, this combined NOTICE: Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) and Request for Release of Funds (RROF) is intended to meet two separate procedural requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, Public Law 91-190.
TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:
On or about August 23, 1993, the above named City of Bogata will request the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 as amended, to be used for the following project:
Texas Community Development Program, Water and Sewer Improvements, Contract No. 702031.

Project to be located in the city limits of Bogata, Red River County, Texas. A more detailed description of the project and a map showing the specific locations of the proposed improvements are available for public examination at City Hall, 128 North Main.
Finding of No Significant Impact
It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly the above named City of Bogata has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

The reasons for such decision not to prepare such Statement are as follows:
1. There will be no negative impacts on the environment as a result of the proposed project.
2. Temporary increase in noise, dust, or other nuisance that will occur during construction will be of short duration and low intensity and will cease on the completion of the construction.
3. The project to be undertaken will not affect any known local, state or national historic, architectural or archeological resource presently listed or potentially eligible for listing in the national register of historical places or in any state or local registry.
4. The project will not be affected by nor will it affect the 100 year flood plain.
5. No effect is expected on protected or endangered wildlife or vegetation.
An Environmental Assessment respecting the within project has been made by the above named City of Bogata which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why

such Statement is not required. This Environmental Assessment is on file at the above address and is now available for public examination and copying upon request in the office of the City Secretary between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
Public Comments on Finding
All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the City of Bogata, to the office of the undersigned. Specify in your comments if you are addressing your response to this Notice (FONSI). Such written comments should be received at City Hall on or before August 20, 1993. All such comments so received will be reviewed and the City of Bogata will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding statement.

Release of Funds
The City of Bogata will undertake the project described above with Community Development funds from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The City of Bogata is certifying to TDHCA that the City of Bogata and Mildred Eudy, in her official capacity as Mayor, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental assessments, decision making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, the City of Bogata may use the Texas Community Development Program funds and TDHCA will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

Objection to State Release of Funds
Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will accept an objection to its approval only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the certifying officer or other officer of applicant approved by TDHCA; or (b) that applicant's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision finding or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58.75) and may be addressed to Texas Community Development Program, Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, P.O. Box 13941, Austin, Texas 78711-3941. Specify in your comments if you are addressing your response to this Notice (RROF).
Objections to the release of funds on any basis other than one of those stated above will not be considered by TDHCA. No objection received after September 8, 1993 will be considered by TDHCA. The Chief Executive Officer of the City of Bogata is Mildred Eudy, Mayor.
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SALES
5 FAMILY YARD SALE: Friday and Saturday, Aug. 6-7. Heaters, new rolls barb wire, window screens, doors, lamps, exercise bike, portable sewing machine, stuffed animals, dishes, girls formal wear, namebrand clothes, little bit of everything. Velma Cox, Cunningham, north of store. nc

THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Thursday and Friday, Aug. 5-6. Misses and junior and women's clothes, boys clothes size 10-12, lots of odds and ends. 3rd Street, Deport, across from old housing authority. Pat Ferris. 8-5

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Friday, Aug. 6, corner of College and Monroe, Deport, look for sign. Odds and ends, lots of kids school clothes. 8-5

EIGHT FAMILY Garage Sale: Friday, August 6 and Saturday, Aug. 7 till noon at the home of Mrs. Lowell Francis, 278 Noble St., Deport. Antiques, Home Interior, household items, toys, adult and childrens clothes, all sizes, everything must go! 8-5

5 FAMILY YARD SALE: Saturday only. Go to Rosalie on 909 to Toni Anderson's. Baby clothes, assorted adult clothes and lots of miscellaneous. 8-5

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GARAGE SALE: at Old Post Office on Main Street in Bogata. Friday and Saturday, Aug. 6-7. Little bit of everything. 8-5

YARD SALE: 400 E. Wilson, Talco. Several families. Microwave, men, ladies and girls clothes and miscellaneous. Saturday, Aug. 7. 8-5

YARD SALE: 110 N. St. John, Bogata. Friday and Saturday, Aug. 6-7, 8 to 5. Lots of miscellaneous, clothes of all sizes, lots of boys jeans. 8-5

GARAGE SALE: Several families, August 5-6-7, S. St. John St., off Clarksville, Bogata. All sizes clothes, coats, bedclothes, dishes, clocks, radio, pictures, glassware, curtains at Lucy Lawson's. 8-5

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Joel Ballard came Saturday to pick up his son who spent the week with Cody and Dandy Mitchell.
 Butch Cooper, who had heart surgery, is home from the hospital and doing fine.
 The Varner sisters are back home after being in Denton for a family get together.
 Earl Glasco and family of Paris



CO-RESIDENT of the Month at Deport Nursing Home is Doris Norwood. She shares this honor with Lela Carrell. (Staff Photo by Joni Kincaid)



LELA CARRELL is being honored this month as Co-Resident of the Month at Deport Nursing Home. She is sharing the honor with Doris Norwood. (Staff Photo by Joni Kincaid)

DEPORT LOCALS
 By Kathy Guess

were in Grapevine Saturday to move their neighbor.

Jack Ballard and family were in Dallas for a week with her mother. Spending the weekend in Denton were Velma Varner Westbrook of Deport, Thelma Varner Pope of Paris, Mary Varner Cross, Alex and Derek Cross of Graham, Eunice Varner Herd, Tony, Erica and Amber Tipton, Wade and Justin Herd of Sanger, Janette Barner Burks of Deport and Linda Varner Thomas of Blossom.

Allen Varner of Rapid City, SD visited Kenneth and Janette Burks and Velma Westbrook Monday. He is the son of Kenneth Varner.

Josh and Lance Northam with their grandmother, Helen Northam and cousin Sandee Nash have returned home after a two weeks visit in Caracas, Venezuela sightseeing and visiting Ms. Northam's sister, Cora Jo Tirado and family. Ms. Northam and Mrs. Tirado are former residents of Pattonville.

Russell and Pat Crawford met Mrs. Freddie Clark of Eules in Mt. Vernon for breakfast Sunday. Pat worked with Freddie at Eules Police Department before retiring.

Jeff Jeffus, Ben Kee of Arlington and Stephen Short camped out last Tuesday night and spent Wednesday at the Short house. A snipe hunt was planned for Wednesday night but was cancelled when it was discovered that the five-banded snipe is an endangered species.

Jim and Susan Short and Frankie Dee Parks visited Mrs. Houston (Dot) Short in the new Heritage Nursing Home on Monday.

Visiting Johnnie and Virgie McLemore last week were Lara and Ludie Medley of Leonad, Dr. Tim and Bonita Maynard, Casey and Cody of Gatesville, Johnnie, Jr. and Margaret McLemore and Gale West of Plano.

Bill and Joyce Smith of Paris visited her mother, Mrs. Fay Elmore, Saturday. They had returned from Branson, MO where they attended the Passion Play, the Mel Tillis Show and several other points of interest.

Richard Nance had Sunday night dinner with Thomas and Nanalee Nichols.

Sunday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jeffus, Sr. were Hugh and Vicki Jeffus, Jeff and Camey and Thomas and Nanalee Nichols.

Melba & Carlos Ladd and Tom & Midge Foley enjoyed The Texas Hayride Band at the Old Church Theatre in Clarksville on Saturday night.

Sunday evening Tom & Midge Foley and Melba & Carlos Ladd were among those at First Methodist Church in Paris appreciating the music presented by vocalist and recording artist Tommy Starrett of Sulphur Springs, who, from time to time, was accompanied by his brother, Arvin Starrett, organist for First Methodist Church.

Randy Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen, and his wife Dana and their three daughters, Sarah, Katie and Rachel are moving to Nairobi, Kenya in early August to begin a 3-year teaching contract at Rosslyn Christian Academy, where missionary kids from many denominations attend school. Randy has just completed 7 years as head soccer coach at Abilene High School in Abilene, Tx. They will still be 1600 miles from Fred and Joy, but there will be chances to visit them.

Glenn and Peggy Stewart of Annona were Friday visitors of Ruth Skaggs and Marilyn Glover.

Clardy News
 News Of Marvin, Jennings and Clardy

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Clement visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griffin of Summer Saturday.

Red River Limousin Show at Paris Fairgrounds was Saturday. Casey Elliot won third place on his heifer. Brandi Patterson won first place on reserve heifer. Kristina Patterson won third on her heifer.

Several members of Bethel Baptist Church of Clardy went to Faith Baptist Church in Deport to revival. L.C. Stout held services.

John and Becca Wood of Arthur City visited Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Thursday.

Friday visitors of the Ballards were Joe Gibbs and Sue Gibbs of Detroit. Amy Ballard, Andy Lewis and Louise Clement, also.

Kay Hancock visited Dorothy Poteet of Parkview of Paris Saturday. Thomas, Anna and Jakob McDowra of Paris went to Las Vegas and California on vacation.

Larry and Edith Woodall attended the wedding of Charlie Lester and Connie Anderson at Lakeway Baptist Church in Paris Friday.

Larry and Lou Hanna of Tyler and Mary Ann Hancock spent the night at Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Saturday.

Maurice Davidson of Clardy and Josephine Bybee went to Sulphur Springs Friday.

Maurice Davidson and Edith Woodall visited Mrs. Norwood in Cunningham Saturday.

Barry Woodall of Pattonville visited his parents Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Woodall.

Mary Ann Moreland, Gina and Renee of Taylortown visited Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Wednesday. Other visitors were Alen Skidmore and Taylor.

Amy Ballard was in charge of Paris High School's 1988 class fifth year reunion at Wade Park Sunday. They had a picnic and dance.

Saturday night at Paris Golf and Country Club.

Amy Ballard visited Mrs. Alma Skidmore Sunday.

Evelyn Pearson of Rockford and Ruby Simmons of Biardstown ate lunch at Sirloin Stockade Saturday.

Travis Skidmore of Biardstown has been in St. Joseph Hospital.

Daniel Hancock spent Sunday with Chance Whitney of Minter.

Junior and Pat Berry of Paris visited Gene and Ann Martin and Sondra Friday night.

Gene and Ann Martin and Sondra attended a hamburger supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kuhle of Clarksville.

Charelotte Muecke of Wolfe City and Bobby, Glenda and Dustin Clement of Jennings ate lunch with Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement Sunday.

Jeff Stone of Plano visited Weldon and Mildred Stone during the weekend.

Betty Clement of Blossom, Andy Lewis and Lousie Clement, David Harris, and Mike Clement visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris. Mrs. Harris is doing better.

Bobby Glen Pomroy, Hershel and Mary Stone visited Mrs. Pat Westbrook at Bogata Nursing Home Tuesday.

Benny Short of Paris and Dusty Short of Amarillo and friend Angie visited Hershel and Mary Stone Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Allen and boys of Mesquite visited Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Stone Saturday.

Jessie Marie Woodard visited in the home of her daughter, Camille, in Grand Prairie last week.

Wayne and Floy Williams, along with their grandson, Josey Francis visited Wayne's son, Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Williams of Sherman Sunday and attended the 11th birthday party for their daughter, Heather.

The Roberts reunion was held Saturday at the home of Jackie and Linda Gray, Marty and Jody in Bogata. Those attending from Deport were Mrs. Billie Roberts Francis, Crystal and Clay Francis, Kathy Figueroa, Ty, Brad and Chad and friend, Kenda Zant of Paris, Stanley and Gladys Roberts Cox, Corley and Anita Whitley, all of Detroit; Lawrence and Martha Roberts Wood of Rugby and Nelda Holder and Theresa of Longview. Their sister, Mrs. Thoams (Pat Roberts) West of Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata were unable to attend.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Sharon Francis and family whose mother, Mrs. Son (Gladys) Williams of Bogata died last week. Sharon is City Secretary.

Duane and Martha Glover, Betsy Chapman and Ty and David Glover left Wednesday for a few days vacationing in Galveston. They returned Sunday.

Ty Merritt went to Texarkana Tuesday to spend the week with Jack and Glenda Ballard and children.


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