By Nanalee Nichols Well, I hate to be a fair weather friend, but it looks like it's time to batten down the hatchs because I've been keeping a weather eye out and it looks like the storm

Nichols

warnings are a'flying. It seems the storm clouds are gathering, but you know that every cloud has a silver lining...and it's always darkest just before the dawn,. That means that pretty soon we'll be singing in the rain and then it'll be blue skies again.

We'll be out making hay while the sun shines and it will be hot enough to bake our brains and fry eggs on the sidewalk.

Naturally, we'll be as happy as an old sow in the sunshine.

Right now, it's so dry that we saw two trees fighting over a dog the other day. A fisherman told us ne caught a catfish and it had ticks, it's so dry! We wish it were raining cats and dogs instead.

Later this year, I'm sure that it will come a major gully washer...I mean a real frog strangler. It will be so wet that the ducks will be carrying umbrellas.It won't matter, we'll still get out a paper, if the Good Lord's willing and the creek don't rise, that is.

This fall we usually get a few days that are peasoup foggy...so thick that the fish will take shortcuts over land from one lake to

In winter there won't be anything between here and the North Pole but a barbed wire fence, and someone will have left the gate open at that!

Then it will be spring time again and those April showers will be bring May flowers. It will be fair sailing for sure.

If you haven't already figuered it out, folks, the above column (?) consists entirely of weather "Cli-

After talking with some people bout the current drought I began pondering just how much of our vocabulary is devoted to phrases that use weather as an analogy!

Even those to whom weather is not a guiding factor in their lives tend to use climatic conditions to

illustrate their point. One of the really odd things I stumbled upon was the fact that most cold weather statements aren't suitable for this column! Think about the expressions "It's colder than a .....". Off hand I come up with at least three things it's colder than...none of which will appear here!

Well, I just thought it was intersting how many weather expresions there were. But time and tide waits for no man (or woman) and I've written about enough this week. If you folks think of any more expressions of this nature, let me know, there are bound to be many more of them!

WATER PURIFIER-Ernest and Sarah Butler stand beside the new water purification system they are installing at their "Best of Texas" location in Detroit. The purifier will be supplying rever-se osmosis purfied water to the public soon. The Butlers also make a wide vareity of salsa, jalapeno jelly, pickled jalapenos and other souwestern speciality food items at the location. (Staff Photo)

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## Prairiland Board Amends Budget, Okays Roof Repairs and Classrooms

The Prairiland Board of Trustees met in a called meeting in the Blossom school library at 8:00 p.m. on August 31, 1993 to conduct a public hearing on the 1993 - 94 budget and to conduct some regular business.

After the public hearing, the board adopted a district recycling program as mandated by law; adopted School Board Policy Update #44; accepted the certified tax roll as given by the Lamar County Apraisal District; and made budget amendments on the 1992-93 budget.

The Board then adopted the 1993-94 budget of 4.9 million dollars. LThis is an increase of approximately \$300,000 over last year's budget. The increase will be taken from the fund balance with no planned increase in the present tax rate. The increase comes as a result of plans to implement an alternative learning lab at the high school; repair roofs at the Blossom and high school campuses; and the building of a science lab and dressing rooms at the Deport cam-

With the elimination of the County Education District (CED) the board was required to take a record vote for a proposed tax increase from its 17/ \$100 to 1.095/\$100 which would be a total of the CED tax rate of 92.5/ \$100 plus the current Prairiland tax

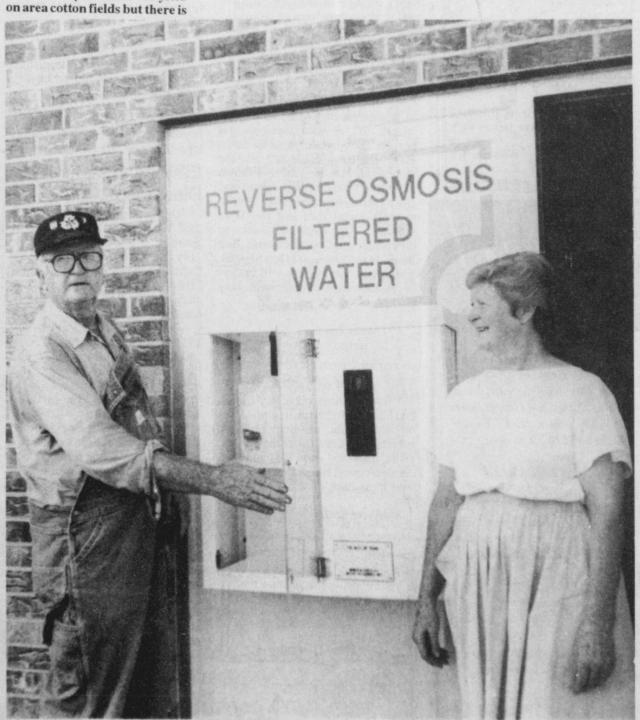
After the executive session the board hired teacher Amanda Barnard for the Blossom campus and Peggy Benedict to work part-time in the Deport cafeteria.



COTTON HARVEST-drought has seriously reduced the yield

still some of the beautiful white bolls to be found, as in this field

south of Deport. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)



#### Deport Legion To Hold Fish Fry, Install Officers

The Deport American Legion will be at 7:00 p.m. on September 10th for a Fish Fry and meeting and to install officers for the year.

District officers will be on hand and all members are urged to attend.

meeting will be September 20.

#### Deport PTO Giving Away Money!

Could you use \$100 or \$50? Of course you could. And for a \$1 donation to the Deport PTO you could just win the first prize of \$100 cash or the second prize of \$50 cash!

Deport students will have tickets

The meeting scheduled for Monday, September 6 has

been cancelled, due to Labor Day holiday. The next

Attention Deport Volunteer Fire Department Members:

also by given away that night. The Deport PTO uses their funds for a wide variety of projects at the school, and urges everyone to help make this fund raiser a success.

September 2nd through the 10th and

the \$1 will put your name in the

The prizes will be given away on september 14, 1993 at 7:00 p.m. in

the Deport School Cafeteria at the

PTO meeting. You do not have to be present to win. A cash door prize will

drawing for these two prizes.



IS THIS THE ONLY RAIN? the summer sun gives a glow to the water droplets from a water sprinkler inDeport last week. In

spite of rains to the west, south and north of Deport, the town remains dry! (Staff Photo by Nanalee nichols)

## Lamar County Sheriff & Precinct 1&4 Constable Report

August 27: Sheriff's Department responded to telephone harassment in Powderly

Sheriff's Department responded to

civil matter in Powderly. Sheriff's Department and Constable Pct. 1 responded to report of burglary of habitation in Pattonville. Sheriff's Deputy responded to dis-

Sheriff's Deputy responded to disturbance call on old Detroit highway. Constables 1 and 4 responded to

turbance off FM 197W

report of suspicious activity in Reno. August 28: Sheriff's Department responded to report of animal complaint on Hwy. 82E in Reno.

Sheriff's Depurty responded to report of sexual assault in Blossom.

Sheriff's Deputy responded to car fire on Hwy. 82 West of Blossom.

Constable Pct. 1 responded to report of suspicious vehicle south of FM 1503 Deport.

Lamar County Deputy and Pct. 1 Constable arrested one white male on bail bond surrender and one white male for PI and disorderly conduct.

August 29: Sheriff's Deputy arrested intoxicated driver on Hwy. 82E in Reno.

Sheriff's Deputy responded to disturbance in Blossom.

Sheriff's Deputy responded to minor accident in Arthur City.

As of August 29, Lamar County Jail holds 207 inmates.

## Now There's Water To Go With The Hot Stuff!

By Thomas Nichols

Ernest and Sarah Butler of Manchester have a unique business, and are ading another unique feature to it. They have added a reverse osmosis filtered water system totheir canning operation in Detroit.

The Butlers opened their business, Best Of Texas" in February of 1992. They manufacture relish, jelies, picante sauce, pickle chips, apple butter and candied jalapeno peppers. The onion and jalapeno pepper are both important ingredients inthese zesty garnishes.

The Butlers say that the new water purification system will produce 800 gallons of water per day

Tap water will feed into the systems and go through a process that removes chemicals and bacteria and it is then fed into a holding tank.

They are confident this new sys-



Deport Nursing Home Beauty Pageant will be held September 8 at 2 p.m. in the dining room. Everyone is invited to attend.

tem will aid them in their canning process as well as providing a convenient market for filtered water.

They have installed a coin operated dispenser by the entrance of their business in Detroit. Anyone wishing to purchase a gallon of water at any time can simply insert a gallon jug under the enclosed spigot

The dispenser wil automataically fill the jug and shut off

The Butler's "Best of Texas" products are sold generaly though fairs,

shows and other events, although they are available in some stores throughout the area.

Their jewel-like reds, greens and mixed colors are attractive in the jar and pleasant to those who like a zesty "taste of Texas" flavor.

Now, there's water to go along with those spicy taste treats.

There will be a miscellaneous shower for Crystal and Dexter Baker Thursday Night, September 2nd from 7 until 8 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Deport.

Gospel Singing, featuring Huey Family and local singers, will be held the Blossom Church of God on September 4th, 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.



COUNTRY COOK-Freda Jean and her children Mitchell and Sarah are pictured in the kitchen of their Johntown home. Freda is featured in this week's Country Cooking column. (Photo by Judy Screws)

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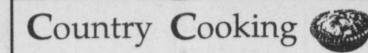
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By Judy Screws



I got a letter a few weeks ago from a lady who had a suggestion for a Country Cook. She said that Freda Jean, of Johntown, was an excellent cook. I called Freda to ask her if I could feature her in this column. She said it would be allright but that I could not take her picture. I half heartedly agreed, but I had plans for begging if necessary. She finally consented, and I'm sure the picture is lovely. Of course, this is assuming that there is a picture. There have been weeks when my pictures were less than wonderful and sometimes they have been totally non existent.

Freda is a housewife. She and her husband, Donald, have two children, Mitchell 11, and Sarah 4. Mitchell is in the 6th grade and Sarah doesn't attend school yet. Donald and Freda have beem married for 16 years. He is employed as an Electronic Technician with Texas Utilities. They met at Rivercrest High School, from which they both graduated. She plans to attend college as soon as Sarah is

The Jeans are members of Johntown Missionary Baptist Church, where Freda is Sunday School Superintendent, teaches the Junior Class, sings in the choir, and serves on the activity committee.

Freda says she loves arts and

crafts/ She gives them for gifts, and also uses them to decorate her home. She also sells some of them. I saw some examples of her work, and it looks really good to me. She has decorated some pretty colorful wreaths with paper twisted ribbons, berries and curls. I also saw some woodwork that she had painted and some other evidences of her talent placed around the house in the appropriate places.

According to Freda, she has to force her friends to try her Reuben sandwiches, in fact she didn't think they would be good at first since she doesn't usually like saurkraut, but now they are a regular at her table. Her recipe for Hot punch was given to her by a friend, Tonya Davis, and is a popular drink at get togethers. Her mom finally managed to get the cornbread recipe together, since she doesn't measure anything and wasn't sure how much of what to put into it. Freda says she loves the Mexican salad, but says she has to threaten the hubby with it since he swears that for the first five years of their marriage, she cooked it four nights a week and he has banned it from their home.

Thanks for letting me visit, Freda. I enjoyed it.

Everyone have a good week, and



by Freda Jean

September 2, 1993



**REUBEN SANDWICHES** 

Rye Bread Horseradish Corned Beef (Slice very thin.) Shredded Swiss or Mozarella Cheese

Heat oven (or toaster oven) to 350-400 degrees. For each sandwich lay out 2 slices of rye bread. On one slice of each pair spread horseradish. ( You may want to go easy on the horseradish as it will open up your sinuses.) Spread layer of Kraut on top of horseradish. On other slice of bread, place a slice of corned beef. Cover beef with sprinkles of cheese. Bake in broiler part of oven until lightly brown and cheese is melted. This is great served with potato chips

and dill pickles. HOT PUNCH

1 1/2 quart apple juice 1/2 quart cranberry juice

1 large can pineapple juice

to a boil and serve hot.

2 tsp. pumpkin pie spice

sticks cinnamon Mix all ingredients together, Bring

**MEXICAN SALAD** 1 to 2 lbs. hamburger meat 1 can ranch style beans chunks of velveeta cheese (as desired) Lettuce

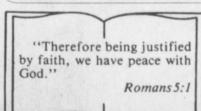
Tomatoes Brown ground beef, and drain. Season meat as desired. Add beans and cheese. Cook on low to medium heat until cheese melts and mixture is hot and bubbly. Serve over lettuce and tomato salad. Sprinkle with tabasco if desired. Serve with Doritos.

MOM'S CORNBREAD 3/4 cup self rising cornmeal 3 heaping Tbs. flour

1 tsp salt

1 tsp baking powder Buttermilk or equal amounts of evaporated milk and water to desired consis-

Preheat oven to 425. Pour small amount of Crisco to cover botton of skillet. When skillet is hot, sprinkle cornmeal over bottom. Lightly brown meal. Pour cornbread mixture in skillet on top of browned cornmeal. Bake about 25 minutes or until lightly browned and done in the middle.



#### Card of Thanks

Thanks so much to my family and friends for all your thoughts and prayers, the beautiful flowers, cards, visits, the food, calls, and all the other acts of love and kindness shown me while I was in the hospital and since I have returned home. Thanks to the hospital staff and Dr. W.R. Phillips. Also a special thanks to these ministers: George Thomas, Bob Bush, Mark Jones, and Don Shovan. Your visits and prayers will always be remembered and appreciated. May God bless each of you

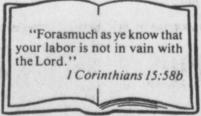
> Thanks again, Imogene Hutson

> > Card of Thanks

I want to thank all of my friends

and relatives for the visits while I was in the hospital, recuperation from surgery. I am thankful for the prayers, visits, calls, fod and cards and concern expressed by each of you. May God bless each of you in a special

Marjorie Strain



Thursday, August 26 at her home. Services were held ata 2 p.m. Sunday, August 29 in the Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Randy Newkirk officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery by Wood Funeral Home.

Iva L. Hooker

Iva L. Hooker, 97, of Bogata died

Iva L. Hooker

Dies August 26

Mrs. Hooker was born June 14, 1896 in Bogata, a daughter of Lemuel and Willie Cofield Lassiter. She was a graduate and valedictorian of the 1916 graduating class of Bogata High School. She attended business college in El Paso and afterwards was employed as a court reporter. On January 3, 1926 she married John Hooker. He preceded her ind eath in 1938. After his death she did legal work in the office of Hutchinson & Hutchinson. She moved to Dallas in 1948 and worked for attorneys there before returning to Bogata. She operated a variety store in Bogata for five years and then entered the real estate business and was active for 20 years before retiring. She was the editor of two books, "The History of the United Methodist Church," written in 1981, and "History of Bogata, Red River County, Texas," written in 1982. She was a lifetime member of the Bogata United Methodist Church, serving as pianist and soloist for a numbe rof years. As a young girl, she played the piano for the silent movies.

She contributed much to her church and community. She was a active member of the Methodist Church, serving as pianist, choir member, Sunday School teacher, worker with the youth, president of the Women's Society and secretary of the official board. She was a former member of the Bogata Book Club and served on the Board of Red River County Library for several years and was the first woman to serve on the Bogata City Council.

Surviving are two daughters and one son-in-law, Narca Duncan of El Paso and Patsy and F.R. Lipscomb of Dallas; six grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Bearers were Neil Rozell, David Rozell, Russell Rozell, Howard Bryson, Jeff Puckett, Bunky Smith, John Howison and Jack Troutt.

#### Ethylleene Martin Bills Dies August 25

Ethylleene Martin Bills of Paris died Wednesday, August 25 at her

Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home conducted graveside services at 2 p.m. Friday, August 27 at Evergreen Cemetery with the Rev. Cline Davis officiating.

Mrs. Bills was born February 23, 1911 in Minter, a daughter of Albert and Annie Ball Martin. She attended Paris schools and received her B.A. from Trinity University in Waxahachie and an M.S. from East Texas State University.

She married Mack Bills February 19, 1932 in Deport. He died February 14, 1966. She was a retired school teacher, having taught at First Ward in Paris for 27 years. She was named Paris Independent School District's Outstanding Teacher in 1966. She was a member of Central Presbyterian Church, Delta Kappa Gamma and the Retired Teachers Associa-

Surviving are a son, Robert Scott Bills of Minter; three grandchildren, Melissa Bills Hutto of Tyler, Scott Martin Bills of San Antonio and Steven Mack Bills of Waco; three great-grandchildren; and a niece, Ruth

## **Obituaries**

Lorena Williams Dies August 23

Funeral services for Lorena Williams, 72, of Kilgore were held at 2 p.m. August 26 at Mangum Funeral Home Chapel in Center with the Rev. R.D. Warr officiating. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Park in Center.

Mrs. Williams died August 23 at Mother Frances Hospital in Tyler. She was a native of Joaquin, Texas born November 7, 1920, the daughter of John J. and Annie Armstreet. She

was a homemaker and a member of

Jackson Baptist Church in Joaquin.

She is survived by her husband, T.J. of Kilgore; daughters, Judy Easley of Talco and Tommie Williams of Kilgore; a son, Steve Richards of Friendswood; granddaughter, Candice Urban of Houston; grandsons, John easley of Bogata, Tin Easley of Talco and Craig Easley of Kilgore; brother, Charlie Armstreet of Shreveport and a number of nieces and nephews.

Bearers were Billy Anderson, Nolen Cogswell, Webb Dean, Aaron Hooper, Edward Hoooper, J.C. Leggett, Buren Lowe and Levis Worsham.

Mangum Funeral Home in Center directed arrangements.

#### James Lee Anderson Dies August 27

James Lee Anderson, 80, of the Mt. Olive Community died Friday, August 27 in St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center.

Services were held at 3 p.m. at th Mt. Olive Baptist Church with the Rev. Bob Hamilton and the Rev. Mike King officiating. Burial was in Mt. Olive Cemetery under the direction fo Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home.

Mr. Anderson was born July 24, 1913 in the Mt. Olive Community of Lamar County, a son of William R. and Etta Rogers Anderson. He attended public schools in Lamar County and graduated from Paris High School. He joined the Mt. Olive Baptist Church at an early age and had been a member of the church for over 60 years. He served as both a deacon and ateacher for the Boax Sunday School class. He was a member of the Blossom Masonic Lodge and was a veteran of World War II and the Korean Conflict. He ws a combat engineer with the U.S. Army in England, Normandy, France, Belgium and Germany. He married Nora Dale Goff on July 10, 1942 in Reno.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, Jim Anderson of Austin and William L. Anderson of Paris; one brother, Elbert A. Anderson of Blossom; two sisters, Alleen Nowell of Reno and Loyce Stansell of Mt. Pleasant and numerous nieces and neph-

Serving as bearers are Leon Anderson, Bob Anderson, Don Anderson, Gayle Stansell, James Stansell and Marion Burrow. Honorary bearers were members of the Boaz Sunday School and Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

#### Colin Mitchell Dies August 26

Colin (Cool Water) Mitchell died Thursday, August 26 in St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Satureay, August 28 in Wood Funeral Home Chapel in Deport with burial in Highland Cemetery.

Surviving are his mother, Edith Mitchell of Deport; a son, Kelly Mitchell of Beaumont; five brothers, Tommy Mitchell of Rye, David, Harry, Nolan and Jay Mitchell, all of Deport; and three sisters, Peggy Hanak of Commerce, Delillia Warnack of Lewsville and Becky Jackson of Deport.

Nephews served as bearers.

Card of Thanks

With deep appreciation, we thank each one for love and support you gave us in our hours of grief. May God bless you always. The Family of Cool Water

Mitchell

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## Sept. 18

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Sept. 22 - 25

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COLLIN RAYE IN CONCERT Sept. 17

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Bice

## Guess-Rice Exchange Vows

Kathy Ann Whittle Guess of Deport and Lee Roy Bice of Dumas exchanged wedding vows at 7 p.m. Saturday, August 21 at the home of Earl and Nancy Gresham in Deport. The Rev. Chief Warden performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Ruth Whittle of Deport and the late Jinks Whittle. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Faye Elmore of Deport.

The groom is the son of Henry Bice and the late Mrs. Henry Bice of Forney, TX

The ceremony was performed in the carport, which was decorated with green plants and hanging baskets, peach and mint colored ribbons and an arch of peach carnations and greenery. The guest register was presided over by Susan Whittle, niece of the bride. The table was draped in peach. To complete the setting, a guest book, china bride doll and ceramic doves accented the table

The bride was escorted by her brothers, Larry and Jeff Whittle and given in marriage by her family. She wore a two piece ivory brocade satin street length dress with elbow length sleeves. The dress was accented with an ivory colored string of pearls and pearl and gold earrings. Her hairpiece was an ivory comb adorned with roses and ribbons. She carried a

cascade bouquet of peach carnations, babys breath and greenery.

Attending the bride was her mother, Ruth Whittle.

Brittany and Courtney Filkins, nieces of the bride, were flowergirls. Floyd Bice of Forney, brother of the groom, was best man.

Wedding music was provided by Tim Wood, who played and sang "Unexpected Song." Crystal Francis played pre-recorded music of George Strait's "I Cross My Heart" and she sang "(Everything I do) I Do It For You" to pre-recorded music

Following the ceremony, a reception was held. The bride's table was decorated in peach and mint colors, featuring a multi-tiered cake, lime and orange sherbet punch, a crystal candelabra centerpiece and a picture of the bride and groom. Serving were Sharon Francis, Nancy Gresham, Nell Wolfe and Sue Sheppard.

The groom's table was laid with a white tablecloth, set with the chocolate groom's cake, decorated with a hard hat, shovel and sack of cement. A sterling silver coffee set and peach and mint centerpiece adorned the table. Serving at the groom's table was Penny Whittle, niece of the bride.

Following a wedding trip to Colorado and points of interest, the couple will make their home in Deport.



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Garrett Married 55 Years

## Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garrett Celebrate 55th Anniversary

Blossom celebrated their 55th anniversary on Friday, August 27. A family dinner was held Saturday, August 20 to honor the occasion.

Thomas Lindel Garrett and Bessie Leona Smith were married in Pattonville in 1938, and have lived in the Blossom area for most of their married life. They have two sons and daughters-in-law, Paul and Sue

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Garrett of Garrett of Paris and Jerry and Patti Garrett of Lake Tawakoni.

They have four grandchildren and two great-agrandchildren. Before retiring, Mr. Garrett was employed by Lamar County Electric Cooperative

The couple received an anniversary greeting from President and Mrs. Bill Clinton congratulating them on this special occasion

Other visitors of Fay Gandy were

Mrs. Bob Embrey spent last week

MArion Mitchell and Brad and Renea

in Bedford with her grandchildren

while Tracey and Sharon vacationed

## **Fulbright News**



By Betty Rodgers 652-6051

Anderson.

in Las Vegas.

Bobbye King of Paris and Jimmie King had supper Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Kyle King of Paris.

Saturday visitors of Betty Rodgers were Mrs. Marlene Bolin of Shady Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Herring of Bogata.

Karen Baker spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth

Gilbert and Melissa Arriaga had supper Saturday night with Monte

and Shelley Rodgers in Tigertown, also Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cope and Duana enjoyed supper too. Spending Sunday with Betty

Rodgers were Monte and Shelley Rodgers, Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga and Marcella Wright. Alice Jean Garnet visited her

mother, Mrs. Faye Gandy. Harvey (Bo) King of Kansas City, KS spent the day Sunday with his

mother, Mrs. Jimmie King. Visitors of Fay Gandy Thursday night were: Judy Nutt, Wynell Campbell, Pam Urbano, Sarah Lee

all of Paris. Boyd Hurt of Clarksville, Gilbert Arriaga of Deport, Wayne Williams of Dallas visited Fay on Saturday.

Her daughters Alice Jean Garner of Rowlette and Sandy Jarecki and Adam Chase of Rosewood came Sunday and brought dinner and spent the day. They had an early birthday celebration for Alice Jean and Adam Chase who will be in Branson, Missouri vacationing on their birthdays.

Betty Rodgers visited Fay also. Terrie Shelby of Detroit and Jackie Wilson of Detroit and W.W. Alley dropped by.

Mrs. RubyChandler celebrated her 92nd birthday on Sunday, August 29. She received lots of cards and many people came and visited and brought

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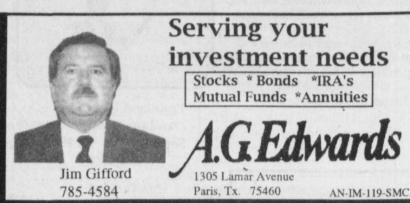
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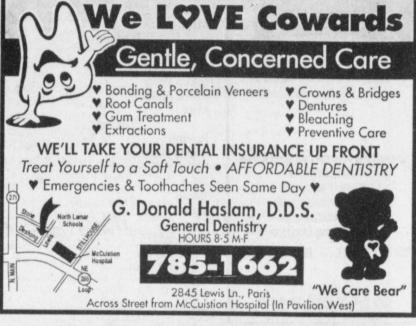
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The farther backward you can look, the farther forward you are likely to see.

-Winston Churchill









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Hobbs Reunion Is Set For September 5th

Descendants of G.W. and Lavonia Campbell Hobbs will hold their annual family reunion on Sunday September 5, 1993.

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Prairiland High School Lunch Menu September 6-10, 1993 Monday

Holiday

Milk

Tuesday Burritos, sauce, cheese Salad Mexican beans Cake

Wednesday

Chicken nuggets Potatoes/gravy Green beans Rolls, butter Milk

Thursday

#### Turner Tours, Attends Scout Jamboree

ings and campouts, Chris Turner a former member of the Deport Cub Scout Pack 19, attended the National Scout Jamboree at Ft. A.P. Hill near Fredericksburg, Va. from August 4 through the 10th.

Chris, a 7th grade student at Deport Junior high is a member of Boy Scout Troop 2 in Paris and holds the rank of Star

He also serves as Quartermaster for the patrol and is a member BSA Order of the Arrow Lodge.

Chris was among a group of 36 boy scouts from out NETSEO Trails council area that attended the 1993 National Scout Jamboree. There were more than 30,000 boy scouts from the US and other countries converging onto Ft. A.P. Hill, making the town the state's third largest city during the week-long festivities.

The scouts were able to participate

After a long year of planning, meet- in various outdoor activities such as scuba diving, repeling, BMX raceway and wreable to learn about atomic energy, computers, and space travel to earn merit badges.

Before the Jamboree officially kicked off on August 4th this group of scouts did some sightseeing. They flew to Philadelphia to see such things as the Liberty Bell, Independence Hal and the US Mint.

They went to New York city where they toured the World Trade Center and the Statue of Liberty. From here they went to Washington D.C. where sightseeing included the Smithsonian Museums the White House and the Viet Nam Memrial and Numerous other sights.

After 8 days of touring and 7 days of Camping Chris arrived home in time to celebrate his 13th birthday and start to school.



## Deport Nursing Home News

By Joni Kincaid

Heather and Jenny Hale, Velma and Donnie Burns, Linnie Bailey, Alice Bumgarner and Ruby Blevins visited Nina Hale

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fangio and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Francis visited Mr.a nd Mrs. David Geer last week. Cindy Burks and Kathy Wright

visited their mother, Allie Burks and Mary Mathews. Burrell Kincaid, Pat Talley and

Mary Johnson visited Lillei Mae and Betty Gardner. Reecie Kelsey visited her sisters.

Doris Norwood and Brodie Bell. Willie Mae Dowdy of Denton visited Melvina Dinwiddie this week-

Kenneth Palmer visited his mother, Meldina Palmer.

Paul and Sara Mazy, Ruby Blevins, Linnie Bailey, Alice Bumgarner and Margie Woods visited Mrs. Annie Mazy this week Howard Higdon, Pam White and

Marie Watson, Lucy Fowler, Margie Wood, Kelly Kincaid and Alice Bumgarner of Deport visited Johnnie Warren. Syble Evans visited Mrs. Eliza-

Mary Jo Smith visited Grace McHam.

beth Barnett Monday as well as Willie Ma eDowdy of Denton and son Tom Dowdy of Garland.

Pat Smith, Elizabeth Talley, Ruth Wear, Hillery Atwood, Jeremy Smith, Jennifer Torres, Bill Talley and Travis Talley were visitors of Ethel Talley

and Herman Adams. Residents having birthdays this

month are Herman Adams, Isabel Blakney, Betty Gardner, Ernest Ham, Frankie Archibald, Terry McDowra, Annie Mazy and Elizabeth Barnett. Welcome home to Edna Bell. We

missed you.

The Baptist Temple Church of Paris joined us Saturday for singing and fellowship. Fourteen members were led by Bro. Vince Pisciotta, while 32 residents enjoyed the service. It is heartwarming to see so many younger Christians sharing their time and friendship with us. The Bible Baptist Church will be with us again on the fourth Saturday of each month. Our "Salute to Fruit" party was

held Thursday in the dining room. Thirty-nine residents attended this fruity event. We held a fruit walk with 12 exciting winners. They were Clyde Bankhead, Ima Baker, Miriam Shannon, Dorothy Boatwright, Mary mathews, Marshall Dunigan, Lena Powell, Brodie Bell, Johnnie Warren, Pug Palmer, Herman Johnson adn Nina Hale. We continued the paty with orange and grape races. Winer of the orange race was Marshall Dunigan with Herman Adams coming in second. The grape race was won by Frankie Archibald and Doris Norwood with second places going to Nina Hale and Opal Ham. The resients enjoyed the day and settled down for a delightful dinner.

The Mrs. Deport Nursing Home Beauty Pageant will be held September 8 at 2 p.m.

#### Prairiland FHA Holds Pillow Party

On Monday, Auguster 23, teh Prairiland Future Homemakers of America held a pillow party in the homemaking department. The movie "Mighty Ducks" was shown while everyone enjoyed hot dogs and punch. This was the first activity of many to be held by the FHA department this year. The next activities to be held by the FHA department will be the Homecoming Reception and a leadership workshop with other schools from the county.

## **Getting Your** Fluids From Other Sources

According to Virginia Brock Texas A & M Extension Agent, Red River County, Home Economics, drinking eight glasses of water a day is difficult for some, but all the fluid you drink doesn't have to come from the tap. In fact, most of it doesn't. Here is

how one survey breaks it down: \* 28 percent from drinking water

\* 24 percent from tea and coffee \* 9 percent from vegetables

\* 9 percent from milk and dairy products

8 percent from soft drinks \* 7 percent from meat and eggs \* 6 percent from fruits and fruit

5 percent from grain products 2 percent from alcoholic drinks

\* 2 percent from miscellaneous

oneself.

Being bored is an insult to

-Jules Renard



Melanie: "What does that PTA mean that my parents are always talking SaraLee: "I think it means Poor Tired Adults."



Chris Turner In Front Of Viet Nam Memorial

Pattonville News By Missy Merritt Call Missy at 652-3709 or The Deport Times at 652-4205

Colt Moore spent Saturday night with T.J. and Margaret Fowler. Jerry and Dorothy Richey visited bob and Linda Weddle of Paris on

Sunday evening. Mike, Missy and Jake Merritt, Marise Fontenot, Barbara Young and

Darren went to Sherman on Sunday. T.J. and Margaret Fowler visited Rickey, Melanie, Michael, Meghan

and Colt Moore on Friday. The Pattonville Community Center and Volunteer Fire Department held its regular meeting Monday.

Carol and Jennifer Dorsey ate supper with Margaret and T.J. Fowler

Saturday. Dorothy and Jerry Richey visited Margaret and T.J. on Sunday night. Rickey, Melanie and Colt Moore

had supper with Magaret and T.J. Fowler Sunday. Melissa and Doug Phillips went to Dallas for the weekend.



Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland on Monday were Ruby Ray of Blossom, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland, T.K., Annette and Ashley of Paris and Jerald Spangler.

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Mary Ann Wright celebrated her birthday Sunday. Happy Birthday!

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## **Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase**

The Prairiland C.I.S.D. will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1993 by 559.12 \* percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The public hearing will be held on September 14, 1993 at 8:00 p.m. at the High School

Library. FOR the proposal: John Dunagan, John Allen, Kenneth Burks, Ronald Roddy, Johnny

Patterson and Chet Downs. AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None ABSENT: Billy Ray Oats

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The statemeth above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on August 29, 1993. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property. Optional

Optional		
Last Year	Last Year	This Year
County Education District	School District	School District
\$31,458	\$31,458	\$31,458
\$11,292	\$5,000	\$5,000
\$20,166	\$26,458	\$26,458
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		proposed
\$186.54	\$44.98	\$289.72
	(Optional) Total	11993
\$231.52	School Taxe	s \$289.72
ne average home would in	ncrease/decreas	e by \$58.20 or
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20.08 percent compared with last year's total school taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$0.00 per \$100 of taxable value or 0.00 percent compared to last year's total school tax rate. These tax rate

figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property. Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase/decrease by \$58.20 or 20.08 percent compared with last year's school district taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the school district tax rate would increase by 0.00 per \$100 of taxable value or 0.00 percent compared to last year's school district tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

**Explanation of Conversion from County Education District Texas** County education districts have been abolished. In order to compare school tax rates from last year to this year, it is necessary to compare the combined school tax rate to the school district's proposed tax rate for this year.

Last year the Prairiland school district's tax rate was \$.17.

Last year the Lamar county education district's tax rate was \$92.5. The combined school district and county education district tax rate was \$1.095.

The proposed tax rate for Prairiland school district for this year is \$1.095.



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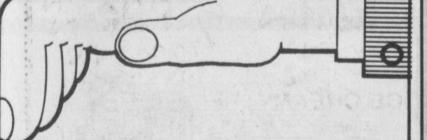
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## Bradford-Lewis Exchange Vows

Terra Renee Lewis and Danny Joe Bradford were united in a formal double ring ceremony at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, August 20, 1993 at First Christian Church in Paris.

The bride is the daughter of Chris and Taunyia Lewis and Tim Salter. She is the granddaughter of Billand Mary Lou Coe, Patand Joyce Lewis, Mrs. Velma Salter and the late Glen Salter. She is the greatgranddaughter of Mrs. C.A. (Alma) Skidmore, Mrs. E.C. Coe and Mrs. Ginnie Woodson all of Paris.

The groom is the son of Danny and Sue Bradford of Blossom and the grandson of Mrs. Dorothy Wiilson and the late Travis Wilson and Clemmie and Louise Bradford of Blossom.

The Reverend Mike Fortenberry, Pastor of East Paris Baptist Church officiated the double ring ceremony performed beneath a trio of arches highlighted with polished lemon leaf and english ivy cascading clusters of white roses and freesia. Large arrangements of white gladiolas, stargazer lillies, white snapdragons and alstrameria lillieis complimented the altar area. Groupings of cathedral candelbras intwined with ivies and white roses with freesia were used to complete the setting.

Mark Hardy was organist, accompanied by Saundra Clary as vocalist. Music chosen for the ceremony included "A Whole New World", "I Don't Know Much" and "The Wedding Song". They presented several selections during the wedding recep-

The bride was escorted to the altar and given in marriage by herparents. She wore a formal gown of candlelight brocade. The fitted, princess-

seamed bodice was overlaid with

alencon satin lace re-embroidered with pearls and sequins. The Queen Ann neckline was accented with pearls and sequins with a vee pointed back overlaid with alencon lace with long tapered sleeves. The full skirt featured appliques with pearls and sequins with a satin signature back bow and drape topped the extra full length chapel train with cut out patterns covered with alencon lace with pearls and sequins. The double tiered waist length veiling was secured to an ivory beaded tiara. The bride carried a colonial cascade bouquet of white roses, freesia, larkspur, alstrameria lillies with lemon leaf and english ivy tied iwth lace love knots centered on a motehr of pearl Bible, a gift from Israel from her grandparents.

Honor attendants were Kerry Welch of Lamar Point.

Bridesmaids were Angie Faulkner of Paris and Salena Bell, aunt of the bride. Their identical dresses were of burgandy satin tea to floor length, sweetheart neckline, off shoulder ruffles with looped bows and fitted bodices. The dresses were made by the great-grandmother of the bride, Allma Skidmore. They each caried flowing cascades of minuet roses, gypsophilia, stargazer lilies accented with lemon leaf and ferns. Flower girl was Bridgett Ray, cousin of the groom. Brandi Coe, cousin of the bride and Kim Lewis, sister of the bride distributed rice bags.

Danny Bradford, Sr., served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Bill McFadden and James Boyd, both are brother-in-laws. Aaron Bell, Bride's cousin was reing bearer. Jarrod and Jorry Briggle, cousins of the bride were candle lighters. Ushers were Billy Coe of Dallas and Brad Coe of

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Paris, Uncles of the bride Presiding at the guest register were Kim lewis, sister of the bride and Tabitha Bell, cousin of the bride.

Following the ceremony a reception was hosted in the Fellowship Hal at the church hosted by the bride's parents. The multi-tiered cake was topped with a minature bride and groom. Fresh flowers of stargazer lillies, astrameric lillies, white freesia, gypsophilia with lemon leaft encircled the bottom layer and spiraled to the top layer. The groom's cake was a double ring chocolate filled with chocolate dipped strawberries. Trays withassorted fruits and dips lined the table. Members of the housepaty included Sharon Boyd and Dana McFadden, both sisters of the groom, Shelley Briggle, aunt of the bride, Carolyn Jamar, cousin of the bride, Midge McDaniel and BettyRusak. The parents of the groom hosted a dinner following the wedding rehearsal, where gifts were pre-

sented to all attendants. A bridesmaid luncheon and bridal shower was given by the grandmothers. The bride was honored with a miscellaneous showere given by Salena Bell and friends and a bridal shower was given by Katy Allred, aunt of the bride, Carolyn Jamar and Jan Barnes, both cousins of the bridge.

The bride is a senior at North Lamar and is employed at Paris Real Estate as receptionist. The groom is a graduate of Prairiland High School and is currently serving in the United States Navy in Orlando, Florida.

Out of town guests from Gainesville area included Gayle Elliott, Tressie Adair, larry, Debbie and Aubrey Brandon and friends.

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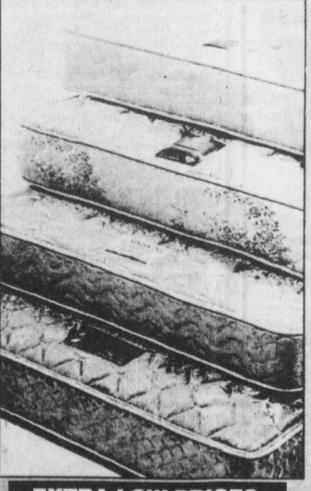


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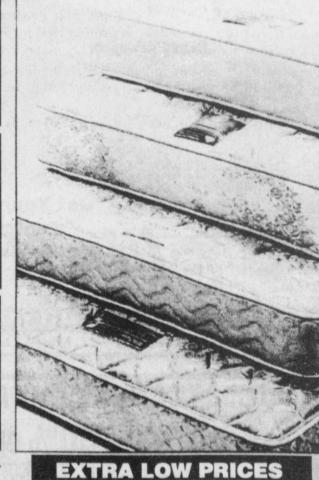
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#### Calendar of Events 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 September School Board Meeting at Blossom School, 8 p.m. Volleyball at Caddo Mills, JV, 7 p.m. Football, Caddo Mills, H, 8 p.m. Parents Night Volleyball, V girls at Texas High Tourney Volleyball Tourney continues at Texarkana Volleyball: N. Lamar & John Tyler, H, 4 p.m. Fresh and JV at North Lamar, 4 p.m. . Sulphur Bluff at Deport, 5 p.m. Volleyball: Crockett at Blossom, 4:30 p.m. Football: JV, TBA. Football: Varsity at Valliant, OK, 8 p.m. Volleyball: V in N. Lamar Tournament North Lamar Volleyball Tourney Continues Volleyball: Deport at N. Hopkins, 5 p.m. Blossom at Chisum, 4:30 p.m. Northeast Texas School Board Workshop at Mt. Vernon School Board Meeting, 8 p.m. Volleyball: Three teams at Tyler, 5 p.m. Football: JH and JV at James Bowie, 5 p.m. Volleyball: Longview, H, 5 p.m. Football: James Bowie, H, 8 p.m. Volleyball Tournament at Deport Varsity voleyball tourney at New Boston Volleyball: Deport at Chisum, 4 p.m. Volleyball: High school teams at Chisum, 4 p.m. Six Weeks Tests Football: V at Karnack, 8 p.m. . Volleyball: JV and V at Redwater, 10:00 Prairiland JH volleyball tournament Volleyball: Chisum at Deport, 4 p.m. Volleyball: James Bowie, H, 5 p.m. Football: JH and JV vs. Union Hill, Here Volleyball: Blossom at Crockett

**Prairiland** 

## Malone Accepted Into **Turtle Creek Chorale**

Larry N. Malone, formerly of Center Lay Famiy Organ, 3 grand Cunningham, was again accepted in the membership of the Dallas based Turtle Creek Chorale after auditions for the 1994 season which began August 17. The world renowned male chorus numbers 225 and just recorded its fifth CD to be released on the Reference Recording label worldwide

The season begins wth a fully staged production of "The Wizard of Oz", complete with broadway sets, lights, orchestra, choreography and over 200 costumes.

The chorale's holiday celebration includes traditional and familiar music from around the world with the chorus being accompanied by the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony pianos, a bell choir, brass and percus-

The March 1994 concert features music of the soul rooted in Africa and the chorale will be joined by the 100 voice men's chorus from the First Baptist Church, Hamilton Park, New Arts Six and Dallas Black Dance

The season finale in June celebrates Texas, with "There's No Place Like Home". The chorale welcomes Miss Texas '93, Bashara Chandler as its

Larry invites former classmates and friends in the Cunningham area to consider attending one or more of the

## Small Trouble Spots In Home Can Add To Big Waste

oose ductwork in an attic or a leak around an electrical outlet are small problems that can add up to big energy waste, according to Texas-New

Mexico Power Company. That small crack around the door, for instance, is equal to having a fourinch hole in the wall, said Gary Petty,

Bogata district manager with TNP. None of us would let a four-inch hole in the wall go unrepaired," he said, "and we shouldn't let a crack

around the door go unnoticed." Fixing small energy wasters is a good fall project homeowners can tackle in a weekend that will provide benefits throughout the year. TNP recommends including the following chores on the project list:

\*Install foam rubber gaskets under cover plates of electrical outlets and switches on outside walls. A study of air leakage showed that wall outlets were responsible for 20% of the leakage in a home. Electricity should be turned off before removing the electrical cover plates.

\*Caulk the edges around windows. Caulking helps seal non-moving joints in a house.

\*Weatherstrip moving joints such as where windows and doors close

A small crack around the door, against a frame. Use self-stick 1/4. inch foam, self-stick plastic V-strips, rolled vinyl or felt strips. All of these pay for themselves in less than one year. Door sweeps, thresholds and draft-stoppers also help block air flow.

\*Fireplaces sometimes have aluminum collars in the attic area that are not covered with insulation. These areas should be insulated too. Also, keep the fireplace damper closed when not in use.

\*Inspect ductwork for broken seals. All joints, including where the ductwork joins the furnace blower, need to be sealed with duct tape. After the joints in the attic have been sealed with duct tape, the ducts need

to be wrapped with insulation. For more information on any of these projects, area residents can contact their nearest Texas-New Mexico Power Company Office.

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## Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Friends were sorry to learn of the death of the Rev. Louis F. Ricketson of Paris, Rt. 1. He was a former pastor of the Cunningham Baptist Church. Sympathy is extended to his family.

Mr. & Mrs. Frankie Norwood honored his mother, Geneva Norwood, with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday. Guests attending were: Mr. & Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Brandon and Georjeana, Mr. & Mrs. Scotty Norwood, Spur and Amber, Zarinska Musgrove of Lewisville, Mr. & Mrs. Johnie Musgrove, Mr. & Mrs. Stacey Musgrove, Stoney and Charity, Brenda Watson, Jarvis and Bruce, Deana Gibson and Dillion, Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood and Mr. & Mrs. Odis Watson.

Preston Crump who underwent surgery last week was dismissed from the hospital Sunday and is recuperating at the home of his mother, Fannie

Bud and Sally Richardson of Mesquite spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. George Richardson of Paris.

Bonnie Baumgardner and Faye Pearson of Paris had lunch with Mabel Lynn Saturday.

Bill and Ruth Chipman honored their daughter-in-law, Tracie Chipman, with a birthday supper Sunday

night. Guests attending were Mrs. Verta Lynn, Mr. & Mrs. Joel Chipman of Novice, Chris Chipman and

Velma Cox returned home Friday after visiting Dorothy Meadors and Joyce of Greenville, Mr. & Mrs. David Taylor and Vera Cox of Ft. Worth, Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Cox and family of Alvarado, Lisa Gaylord who is attending A&M College and Monica Villegram of Louiston, Maine, in the home of Morris Cox of Dallas. They all attended the Ringling Bros., Barnum and Bailey Circus in

Virginia Bell of Paris visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Byron Wickes of New Boston and Mr. & Mrs. William

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to for r's Cooper were in Mt. Pleasant for the day Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited

Harry Slusher in the Cherry Street Annex Thursday. Church services were dismissed at

the Baptist Church Sunday night so the members could attend the special singing at the Pattonville Church. Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain and Ollie

RuthGuthrie had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. George Green of Mt. Pleasant Monday and visited Carl Guthrie in the Mt. Pleasant Nursing Home.

Mr. & Mrs. Bud Richardson of Mesquite, Mr. & Mrs. George Richardson of Paris, Mr. & Mrs. Gene Cavender of Deport and Kristi Bankhead had lun ch with Clyde and Gerri Bankhead, Chance and Gerrod

Alma Norwood visited her sister, Lennos Graham, in the St. Joseph Hospital Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. Talma Fowler of Pattonville and Lucy Fowler visited Mr. & Mrs. Rickey Moore of Clarksville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. & Mrs. Danny Norwood and Kennedy and their granddaughter Lilly Norwood visited Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Saturday night. Mr. & Mrs. Keith Medlin and

Brooke of Mesquite and Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Moore and Colton of Clarksville had supper with Lucy Mr. & Mrs. Frank Malone attended

the funeral of her aunt at Tira Satur-

Louise Black and Carolyn Black of Paris visited Mrs. Delsa Wilson



Ice cream, because it is high in calories, will tend to warm anyone who eats it.

The Chaise Is Up!

Sunday afternoon.

Cindy Nichols of Deport and granddaughter Erika White of Carthage visited Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Thursday.

Virginia Bell of Paris had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Thurs-

On Friday, Mary Helen Whitney visited her granddaughter, Stacey Whitley, who was honored on her birthday with a family party. On Monday, Russell and Mary Helen Whitney visited the Kenneth Risingers, Chris and Stacy Whitley and Jayci.



THE GRAPE QUEEN-Doris Norwood won the grape race at Deport Nursing Home last week during their "Salute the Fruit" contest. (Staff Photo by Joni

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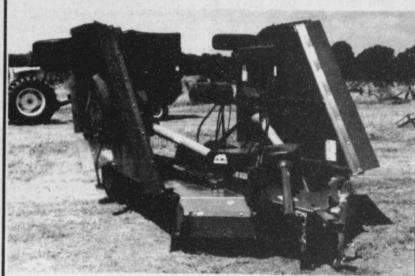


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Property Tax Rates in PRAIRILAND ISD

property tax rates for PRAIRILAND school district. It 1993 presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

#### Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes Last year's debt taxes Last year's total taxes Last year's tax base

Last year's total tax rate

147,161.70 147,161.70 86,565,707

#### This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)

This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)

This year's effective tax rate x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district

publishes notices and holds hearing

86,885,076 /\$100

\$ 139,487.94

#### This year's rollback tax rate:

School maintenance and operations component This year's tax base

1.096.266.32 87,793,616

This year's local maintenance and operating rate \$.06 cents = this year's maximum operating rate This year's debt rate

/\$100 /\$100 /\$100 /\$100 1\_309

(Rev. 8-83/2)

#### Schedule A

**Unencumbered Fund Balances** 

This year's rollback rate

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

> Type of Property Tax Fund General Fund

> > Interest/Sinking

Balance \$500,000 2,200

1993 Debt Service

Schedule B

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

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This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at LAMAR COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT 521 BONHAM PARIS, TEXAS CATHY JACKSON Name of person preparing this notice

DEPUTY CHIEF APPRAISER 8-16-93 Date prepared



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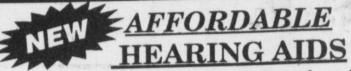
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17	New Boston Tournament		JV, V4:3
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*25	Redwater	Redwater	JV, V10:0
	James Bowie	Here	9, JV, V5:0
October			
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*9		Here	9, JV, V 10:0
*12	Redwater	Here	JV, V4:0
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*19	Paul Pewitt	Pewitt	9. JV. V5:0
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Sports Report Patriot

The Prairiland volleyball girls teams played Paris High last Friday

game 15-12, 15-9. The freshman girls won their game The varsity girls won their game, 15-13, 15-8, 15-11.

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CITY OF DEPORT TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM The City of Deport will hold a

second public hearing at 6:30 p.m. on September 13, 1993 at Deport City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas De-partment of Housing and Commu-nity Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. Topics to be discussed will nclude the application for wastewater improvements in the amount of \$250,000 and the estimated amount of funds proposed for activities that will benefit low and moderate income persons. The application will be available for review at City Hal during regular business hours. Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting may contact City Hall to arrange for assistance.

Bids are being accepted for De-troit ISD Head Start for a portable classroom building to be erected n Clarksville on the Elementary camus. Plans and specifications are vailable at Detroit ISD uperintendent's office. Bids will be open and awarded on the 20th of September. For more information, call Donald Fry at (903)674-2646.

AN ORDINANCE 135 REGULATING WATER AND SEWER SERVICE AND ESTAB-JISHING WATER AND SEWER SERVICE CHARGES, AND PRO-VIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR VIOLATORS:

WHEREAS, the City of Detroit, Texas has provided facilities for the collection and treatment of wastewater to promote the health, safety and convenience of its people, and WHEREAS, to insure the proper

operation of the water and sewerage works the City shall levy fees for the use thereof and provide for the enrcement thereof. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUN-CIL of the City of Detroit, Texas: Section 1. In General Section I-1: Contract for Water

Service. City water and/or sewer service shall be delivered pursuant to and only upon a written contract signed by the consumer or purchaser, pro-viding for a term of not less than one

(1) month.
(a) Standard Tap Fee
Each tap; Water \$200.00
Sewer \$150.00

(b) The fees prescribed by subsection (a) shall apply to a 5/8" x 3/4" water tap and a four (4) inch sewer tap within the right-of-way and streets of which the City is responsible for maintenance. The fee for larger water and sewer taps shall be deter-mined by the City based on the actual cost. A deposit based on estimated construction cost will be required in adance for such larger taps.
Section I-3: Unmetered Water

Service. The City shall not provide water service to any user or sell any water to anyone without the volume of water used by the user being properly measured by an approved type devise which registers the quantity

of water used.
Section II-1: Water and Sewer Service Charges

The cost of supplying, treating, and distributing of all potable water and collecting and treating all waste-water received by the City shall be defrayed by the following users cost covery system:
(a) User's Charge-To be paid

nonthly by all users; (b) An Excessive Strength Sewer Surcharge will be paid monthly by users whose average wastewater discharge exceeds 300 mg/1 BOD, and/ or suspended solids exceeds 300 mg/ 1. This Charge is in addition to the

user charge.
(c) An Industrial Sewer Recovery Charge is to be paid annually by all industries as identified in the Stan-dard Induistrial Classification Manual, 1972, Office of Manage-ment and Budget, as amended and supplemented; provided their use exceeds 25,000 gallons on any day in

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This charge shall be paid in addition to the Users Sewer Charge and/or in addition to the Excessive Strength Sewer Surcharge (if appli-

"User's Sewer Charge"-This charge shall recover all annual costs incurred by the City in the operation and maintenance of its water and sewerage. These costs shall include, but are not limited to, all operational cost, maintenance cost, replacement cost of existing facilities, and annual revenue bond debt service require-

The sewer charge will be based on per unit of wastewater discharged by the user at a strength not to exceed 300 mg/1 BOD, and 300 mg/1 SS.

The charge will be composed of a minimum monthly bill with an allowable usage to be paid by al users, and a rate per unit of volume excess of the minimum allowable. If a sewer user can furnish satisfactory evidence that on an annual basis, in excess of twenty (20) percent of the volume of water delivered to him is not returned to the City Sewer, his unit volume if wastewater discharged shall be adjusted by the amount of said non-returned water. The burden of proof shall lie with the user.

Section II-2: Water Rates. (a) Charges for water furnished by the City are hereby fixed at the following rates per gallon per month for all classes of users, as registered by the user's water meter.

\$12.00 for 1st 2,000 gallons (min. 2.50 per 1000 gallons over 2000

(b) The following minimum monthly charges for water furnished by the City, based on the size meter or tap, are hereby fixed: Meter or Tap Size Minimum Bill 12.00

5/8" (2,000 gal. allowed) (c) Where a water tap is used solely for standby fire protection from an approved water sprinkler system hav-ing an audible alarm, and where no wate is used or consumed from such tap for purposes other than fire pro-tection, no minimum fee shall be charged under subsection (b), nor shal water for fire fighting be charged.

Section II-3: Sewer Rates-For Customers Using City Water (a) Charges for sewer service furnished by the City to customers who are also users of City water are hereby fixed at the following rates for all classes of users, based on the water used, as registered by the users water

\$9.00 for first 2,000 gallons (min. \$1.25 per 1,000 gallons for all over

(b) The charge for sewer service for a single family residence only shall not exceed \$14.62 per month, regardless of metered water con-

(c) Users desiring to discharge sewage into the city's sewerage system, the strength of which sewage exceed 275 ppm 5 day BOD and/or 300 ppm of suspended solids, and which is acceptable under the city's Sewer Use Ordinance may do so upon written permission of the City and by paying the monthly user's charge and the excessive strength

surcharge.
(1) "surcharge", Attachment 2. The
User's surcharge shall recover thepro
rata share of all the annual cost incurred by the city in operation and maintenance of its sewage treatment facility. These costs shall include, but are not limited to, all operational costs, maintenance cost, replacement cost of existing facilities, and anual revenue bond debt service requirements. Should sewage treatment cost, then the cost of the sewage treatment is set at fifty percent (50%) of the total cost of operating all city sewer-

age facilities. The charge shall be based on the unit volume discharge of the user at the user's discharge strength and sus-

ended solid content of the user's wastewater, but not less than "nor mal". The surcharge shall be a factor, never less than 0.0, which is to be multiplied times the operating and maintenance unit volume cost (user's charge), times the user's volume of discharge based on one of the following formulas:

(i) separate colection and treatment cost not maintained Surcharge=(users charge x 50% (BOD-300 = SS-300)

(ii) separate collection and treatment cost maintained. (O & M Treat. (1.) (BOD-300 + SS-300) Total P1. Flow 300 + 300

where BOD is the discharge strength (not less than 300 in mg/1), SS is the discharge concentration (not less than 300 in mg/1, and V is the users wastewater flow. An example calculation is shown in Attachment No. 1 hereto.

(d) "Sewer Industrial Recovery Charge". The recovery charge shall recover the industrial user's pro rata share of one hundred pecent (100%) of all federal wastewater pollution rants received by the City amortized over a 30 year period, without interest charges, in accordance with the following formulas:

(FGC)+(FGTx 50%)+(PGTx50%)S RC=CDV x A TDV x A TDS x A

RC=users recovery cost in \$ FGC=federal grants for collection system in \$ FGT=federal grants for treatment plant in \$ ction system design to

volume in MGD TDV=treatment plant design volume in MGD TDS=treatment plant design strength in pounds of BOD5=TSS

A=30 years

V-users volune MG per year S=users strength per year in pounds of BOD5-TSS, however, in no event wil either the user's BOD5 or TSS be lsss than the equivalent of 300MG/1 and 300MG/1 respectively.

An example calculation is shown in

Attachment No. 2 hereto. The city shall retain fifty percent (50%) of the recovery charge to be used solely for ex pansion or reconstruction of the sewerage facilities. The funds may be reinvested by the city in obligations guaranteed as to principal and interest by the U.S. Government or any agency thereof (Federal Register Vol. 39, Number 29-Monday, February 11, 1974, and its amendments) so long as the interest so earned is accumulated to this

The City shall return fifty percent %) of the recovery charge to the U.S. Treasury on an annual basis.
Section II-4: Sewer Rates-For

Customers Not Using City Water (a) Single family residence sewerage customers, who are not also water customers of the City, shall pay a flat rate charge of \$10.00 per month for sewerage service. All other class of sewerage customers, who are not also water users of the City, shall pay a flat monthly rate to be determined by the City based on the user's esti-mated maximum contribution of

wastewater to the sewerage system.
(b) Any occupied structure within the city limits which has city water and/or sewerage service available to it and said service abutts upon of adjacent to said property on which the structure is ocated, shall pay the minimum service charges set forth in Section 1-2 and 1-3 regardles of whether said structure is connected

to said service or not.
Section II-5: Computation When Meter Fails to Register In cases where a water meter shall fail, from any cause, to register water usage and consumption for any month or portion thereof, the city, in its discretion, shall compute the esti-mated actual usage and make charges for water and sewer service on the basis of an average of the metered or registered usage during the three (3)

onths immediately preceding. Section II-6: Adjustment for Water Lost or Wasted No deduction or adjustment of the charges made for water and sewer service shall ever be made on account of any water lost or wasted, as

the result of leaks in fixtures, frozen pipes of other causes, unless such deduction of adjustment shall be directed by the City Council following a thorough and complete investiga-tion of the circumstances surrounding such loss or waste.

Section II-7: Deposit to Assure Payment

(a) Each purchaser or consumer of city water and/or sewer service, at the time of making application for said service, shall make a deposit with the City in the amount of \$50.00. (b) The charges for water service

and sewer service established by this article shall be chargeable as a lien and legal charge against the deposit made pursuant to this section. (c) User deposits shall not bear

Section II-8: Billing; When and

Where Payable
(a) The City shall render bills for water and sewer charges prescribed by this article in monthly cycles, as may be convenient, and the monthly bills shall be due and payable at the City Hall as follows:

(1) All bills and accounts shall be billed on the next succeeding 10th day of the month following the period for which such service was rendered, and such bills and account shall be due and payable on teh 10th day of the following month. (2) Accounts not paid in full when

due shall be sujbect to a \$5.00 late

(b) In all cases where the contract for the sale and delivery of city water and sewer service covers and includes the furnishing of such service to more than one (1) consuming unit, whether family, residential or business, the charges and bill for the whole supply thereof shall be made only to the contracting applicant and purchaser and shall include a minimum bill charge for each consuming

Section II-9: Discontinuance of Water and/or Sewer Service for Failure

If any person shall fail to pay the bill for water service or for sewer service rendered to such person by the City before the expiration of ten (10) days after the date on which such bill is due and payable, the water service of such person shall be discontinued, and such services shall not again be resumed until such per-son shall have paid the delinquent water and sewer bill in full, including late charges, together with a reconnection fee of \$20.00: It shall be unlawful for any person, other than a duly authorized employee of the City, to reconnect such service. Section II-10: Water and Sewer Rates for Customers

Outside of the City Limits The water and sewer user charges for customes outside the city limits of the City of Detroit shall be fixed at 125% of the rates herein. Section II-11: Failure to Pay

In addition to sanctions provided for by this ordinance, the city is entitled to exercise sanctions provided for by the other ordinances of the city for failure to pay the bill for water and sanitary sewer service when due. Section II-12: Severability

If any provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid. such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or application of the Or-dinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of the Ordinance are declared to be severable Section II-13: Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, recording and publication as provided by law. PASSED AND APPROVED ON THE 23rd day of August, 1993. City of Detroit, Texas

Hazel J. Rundles, Mayor Billie Owens, City Secretary

LEGAL NOTICE The City of Blossom, Texas will hold a budget hearing on September 7, 1993 at 6:45 p.m. at Blossom City Hall. The public is urged to attend.

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& SUPPLIES

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& SUPPLIES

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& SUPPLIES

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WANTED:

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troit. For information, call 674-2130 or 674-2438. MA 9-16 Detroit Independent School District needs substitute teachers.

in person for elderly couple in De-

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bedroom home, 1-2 days a week. Must have references. (903)632-4535. MA 9-16 SALE:

GARAGE SALE: Several fami-

lies. September 2-3-4, starting 1:30 p.m., 2-3rd; 9:00 a.m., 4th. South St. John, off Clarksville Street, Bogata. Little bit of everything at Lucy Lawson's. 9-2

GARAGE SALE: At Bogata, 307 NE 3rd St. Some antiques, glassware, clothes, etc. Saturday only, 8 a.m. to 12 noon. 9-2

GARAGE SALE: Four families. Saturday, September 4, all day at Fulbright. Betty Rodgers home. 9-

LARGE YARD SALE: At Detroit, Hwy. 82 West, across from bank. September 3-4, Friday-Saturday, 8 to 2. Furniture, crafts, tools, electric appliances, clothes, lots of miscellaneous. 9-2

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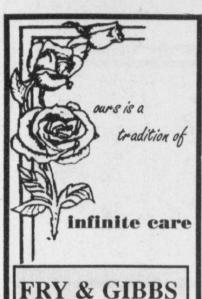
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## **Deport Locals**

By Kathy Guess

Visiting Mrs. Mildred Howard in Paris over the weekend were Hal Hammett from Texas City, Charles Hammett from Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Howard of Garland and Charleen Anderson of Waskom and Mrs. Lee Wright of Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hughes of Paris visited the Joe Ballards Saturday. Jack Ballard and family of

Texarkana spent Saturday in Dallas whee their daughter, Marleena, was in her gymnastic program.

Jordan Ballard joined the Boy Mrs. Clyde Bankhead of Deport

Nursing Home has been suffering with headaches.

Mrs. Luvetta McMurray of Deport has been feeling ill.

is home after heart surgery. Mr. Nash of Paris preached Friday and Saturday at Minter Church.

Mr.s Earlene Wilson of Pattonville

Visitors of Mutt Harvey at Red River Haven were Irene Walker, Joyce Smith, Boots Shipp and great-

grandchildren Matthew and Micah. Russell Lawlers visitors were Ida Lou Read, martha Wood, Kay Joyn and Larann Denison.

Carl Wood, LaRann Denison Beulah Shipp, Irene Walker and Raymond Mauldin and Ann Evans. Richard Nance had super Friday night withThomas and Nanalee

Saturday night guests of Thomas and Nanalee Nichols were Dicky, Jayne and NeLeigh King. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ring of Mabank

spent the weekend with Purna Haydock. Remember, Labor Day is Monday

and will result in many offices, banks and post offices being closed. Tom and Midge Foley spent last

Alpha Barnard visited Mr. and Mrs.

also attended the luncheon at the

Western Sizzlin with friends and

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Langston

and Mr. and Mrs. James Langston

and family, all of Paris, visited Mae

Jim Bill Ratliff in Paris Saturday. She

week with cousins from Connecticut Deport Housing Authority News

relatives.

By Mary Westbrook 652-3605

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hignight of Sherman visited Edna Earl Gifford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Wright and family visited Mildred Wright Sunday and celebrated his mother's birth-

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Suggs and Mrs. Mary McMikel visited Mrs. Eunace Suggs Sunday.

Storm Friday We welcome Mrs. Jimmy Smith and Shannon and Mrs. Luelea Smith CASH!!!

and Matthew to our apartments. Louise Mauldin of Bogata visited Mrs. Mauna Kidd Sunday.

Derrick Benedict Celebrates Birthday

Derrick Benedict celebrated his eighth birthday with a party at the home of Charles and Peggy Benedict on Saturday in Deport.

His birthday is August 31. The theme of the party was "Hot Wheels" with cars and balloons. Those attending were Cindy,

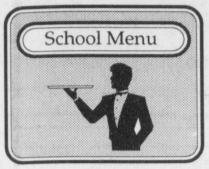
Becky and Amy Talley and Jackie, Debbie, Jace Short and Kelley Smith, all of Deport, John, Barbara and John Jr. Trussell all of Halesboro. Everyone enjoyed cake and punch

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and all had an enjoyable time.

in Hot Springs, Ark. On their way home, Tom and Midge spent the night at Queen Wilhemina Lodge in Mena,



Deport School Menu Sept. 6-10 Monday

Holiday

Tuesday

Breakfast: Pancakes, peanut butter Juice, milk Lunch: Burritos with sauce Salad Mexican beans Cake Milk

Wednesday Breakfast: Cereal, raisins Toast, milk Lunch: Chicken nuggets Gravy Potatoes Beans Butter, rolls

Milk

**Thursday** 

Breakfast: Eggs, toast Juice, milk Lunch: Ravioli Sliced potatoes Blackeyed peas Bread Jello Milk

Friday

Breakfast: Oatmeal, toast Juice, milk Lunch: Hot dogs with sauce and cheese Pork and beans Chips Fruit



News Of Marvin, Tennings and Clardy

Clardy News

Rant Stone celebrated his 93rd birthday September 2. Happy birthday, Rant.

On September 5, Rant and Myrtle Stone will be married 65 years. They were married in Bethel in 1928. Jennifer Stone had surgery last

J.D. Williams of Paris had surgery Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital in Roy and Laverne Griffin of Sumner

ate supper with A.L. Clement and Louise of Clardy Friday night.

Kip Winters and a friend, Tiffany of Dallas, and Bobb and Betty Winters, Clayton and Kim Carlow ate at Cajun Moon Cafe last Saturday.

Elaine Ballard and Blake Bowmer went to College Station to visit Amy and Kelli Ballard during the week-

Blake Bowmer made a business trip to Lampassas last week and also went by College Station to visit.

Evelyn Pearson of Rockford and Ruby Simmosn of Biardstown made a trip to Honey Grove Saturday to visit Jessie and Patsy Smith.

Anna and Jakob McDowra of Paris visited Larry and Edith Woodall of Clardy Sunday.

Barry Woodall of Pattonville visited Larry and Edith Woodall Satur-

Visitors of Gene and Ann Martin of Clardy Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin, Mr.a nd Mrs. Carl Kuhle, April and Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Paul Martin and Morgan of Clarksville.



Sara Michelle Cox, Returns From Abroad



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Assisi, Florence, Cortoria, Sienna, Ravenna, Venice, Cortina, Rome, Pompeii and Capri.

half of what you think you need, leave space to bring home gifts, take a language dictionary and twice as much money as you think you will

Shelly will be a fifth year senior at Texas A&M University in the fall and will graduate in May with a BS in Engineering Geology.

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**SNACK CAKES** Mrs. Bairds 3/99¢



BUTTERMILK Poinsettia 1/2 Gallon

COOKIES Mrs. Alisons Creme Filled 8oz.



By Mattylu Upchurch Carla Caldwell, Savannah and Casey and Sue Davis of Clarksville

Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee went to the Baptist Church in Patonville Sunday night to listen to the singing of a group that their son, Ollie Lee, sings

visited Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf

with. Sheldon Lee was in Sherman Wednesday on business.

Harold Bell of West Plains, MO and Harvey Bell of Cypres Springs visited Mr.a nd Mrs. Holland Bell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Franklin of Lewisville visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Boren of Albu-

querque, NM spent Friday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch. Peggy Robbisn of Wills Point visited her aunt, Elizabeth Walker, this

Beth Roach played volleyball with her team from Prairiland at a tournament Saturday at North Lamar. Prairiland won third place.

H.R. Upchurch spent the weekend with friends in Austin.

Having dinner with Mr.a nd Mrs. George Wolf Sunday were Lyn and

Sherrie Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. David Wolf, Marcus and Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Filkins, Stephanie and Joseph, all of Deport.

Milton News

John Pettit of DeSoto visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee attended the revival at East Post Oak last week.

Elizabeth Walker Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch and Sam Boren of Albuquerque, NM vis-

Belle Day of Shady Grove visited

ited Ann Ford of Paris Saturday. Harold Bell of West Plains, Mo has returned home from visiting his mother. Corene Taylor of Cherry Street Annex and Mr. and Mrs. Hol-

land Bell. Spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fragnk Lee were Steve and Vickie Reeves and Ruth and T.J.

Johnston of Paris. H.R. Upchurch was in Texarkana Monday and Thursday on business. Micah Malone spent Friday night with her grandparents, Buddy and

Sue Malone of Deport. Tommie Malone visited his grandfather, Mutt Harvey, in Bogata Nursing Home Sunday. Mr. Harvey appreciates all the visits from his friends in the area.

11th birthday on Saturday, August Priscilla McGuire of Paris passed

her state board for a beautician this

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin harris were Carolyn Parsons, Katylin and Montana of Direct, Betty Clement of Blossom, Shorty Bolton of Dallas, Kelli Clement, David Harris. Stephen and Brittany.

Bobby Harrell and Scottie Norrell and several others went hunting in Colorado this week

Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement had visitors, Shawn and Lelia McClain and friend Tira of Abilene. They were on their way to Omaha, Nebraska and spent Friday and Saturday night. Dustin Clement celebrated his 13th

bitrthday Sunday at his grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement. He is the son of Bobby and Glenda Clement. Joe Glen Gibbs of Detroit visited

Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Saturday Visitors of Hershel and Mary Stone were Onita Short of Paris, J.C. and

Barbara Pomroy and Bobby Pomroy. Rick and Shirlene Harrell stayed in Magnolia House in Paris Friday night. Saturday they went to Dallas shopping and attended the Mesquite

rodeo and ate supper at the Alamo. Maurice Davidson, Mike and Kim Davidson and Morgan went to watch Landon play T-ball at Woodall Field Thursday night.

Ray and Sue Davidson of Paris visited Maurice Davidson Friday

Sara Cox Returns From

Gordon and Jan Cox of Alvarado, and granddaughter of Velma Cox of Cunningham returned from Italy where she attended the Texas A&M Study Abroad Program. She travelled extensively throughout Europe during her studies including France, Spain and Austria, Switzerland and

Her courses included field trips to

Her advice for travlers is to take



To the lady who taught me The golden rule, even though I didn't do too good in school. A picture was prettier than

The roses are gone, the violets are dead, but their beauty I keep in my head. When I was in school I didn't think that

pronouncing a sentence

any diagram I knew.

could make you think. Now that I'm older, and sometimes can't spell, I should have listened to Miss Sparks instead of the

