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By Nanalee Nichols

In our years at the paper and in our personal lives we have attended many events such as singings, variety shows, choir performances at schools, and more.

I've always enjoyed them, but never gave them much thought until last Thursday night.

Our good friend Sam Rice as the disc jockey in the Red River County Courthouse Player's "50s Rock N Roll Show". We knew we wouldn't be able to attend Saturday, when the performances were scheduled because of being in the hay meadow, so we received an invitation to the dress rehearsals.

Because of my older brothers I can remember hearing every song they sang, "At the Hop", "Gotta Be Rock N Roll Music", "Sixteen Candles", "Ain't That a Shame" and many more.

But what really impressed me was the amount of work put into the delivery of jokes, dancing, timing and general performance, plus (And this is the biggest plus) what wonderful voices they had.

There were good musicians in the form of pianists, guitarists and a drummer. And oh, how those voices filled the courtroom!

The soloists had wonderful voices, clear, true and good.

The chorus really had their act together!

And, on the way back from Clarksville I began to ponder on voices and musicians that we had heard at those singings, shows and other places.

It led me to the conclusion that there is an incredible amount of musical talent in the world!

Think of it, the joyous voices uplifted in a church choir, the performers who never aspire to true fame, but dearly love to delight a local audience, the talent that struggles to make a name for themselves beyond a local level by gamely struggling up from the bottom towards that elusive stardom.

Think about all the people that you know with good voices, don't you find there are a lot of them?

It is truly a privilege to be able to hear these people. They, and thousands like them, are always willing to sing because of the joy and pleasure it gives them.

So, to all those singers out there that I have heard, but never had the opportunity to thank personally, Thank You. I'm glad there is so much musical talent in the world!

## Halesboro-Marris Chapel to have homecoming

On Saturday, October 19 at 10:00 A.M. there will be a Homecoming at Halesboro/Marris Chapel. This gathering includes the 1996 Annual School Reunion as well as Homecoming for these two longstanding communities.

Mark your calendar and plan to attend this enjoyable occasion, and remember to bring a covered dish.

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## Supporters are seeking pay raises for Sheriff's Department employees with petition

Deport resident Kathy Figueroa signed a petition this week, supporting a request for the Lamar County Commissioners Court to raise the minimum salaries of employees with the Lamar County Sheriff's Department.

The petition is being circulated by supporters of the Sheriff's Department to request the Commissioners Court to raise the Sheriff's Department's employees salaries to be comparable with other law enforcement agencies in the area and region.

An example of the difference in salaries is: The Chief of Police of the City of Paris salary is \$57,772.00 per year. The Lamar County Sheriff's salary is \$29,599.00 per year. The Assistant Chief of Paris is \$40,144.00 per year and the Sheriff's Chief Deputy's salary is \$21,890.00 per year. A City of Paris Lieutenant's

salary is \$36,608.00 compared to a Sheriff's Department Investigator's \$21,268.00. A patrolman for the City of Paris is paid \$27,274.00, compared to a Deputy for the Sheriff's Department salary of \$19,438.00.

In an interview with Lamar County Sheriff B.J. McCoy, he stated that his department has lost 36 employees ranging from dispatchers to Chief Deputy in two years. "My Department has lost three deputies in two weeks," stated McCoy.

The petition is legal under legislation recently approved by the State Legislature.

The petition must be signed by 25% of the last election's total voters. Approximately 2,900 signatures are needed to achieve the goal. If the petition with the ample number of signatures is presented to the Lamar County Commissioners Court, the Court is required legally to do one of

three things, according to Sheriff McCoy: 1) give the raise requested, 2) negotiate with five people chosen from the names on the petitions, and 3) call an election and let the people vote on the issue.

Raises requested by the petition would raise salaries to:

Sheriff .....	\$34,000.00
Chief Deputy .....	\$28,000.00
Investigator .....	\$26,000.00
Deputy .....	\$25,000.00
Patrol Supervisor .....	\$26,000.00
Chief Jailer .....	\$25,000.00
Shift Supervisor .....	\$20,340.00
Jailer .....	\$19,000.00
Records Clerk .....	\$15,416.00
Data Processing .....	\$15,416.00

If the salary increases are approved, and there were not sufficient funds available, it could cost the taxpayer \$7.00 per year for property valued at \$50,000.00, according to the Lamar County Auditor's office.



A PETITION CIRCULATED in support of a raise for Lamar County Sheriff's Department employees is signed by Kathy Figueroa, Deport resident. A total of 2,900 signatures are required on the petition before it can be presented to the Commissioners Court for their action on the issue. (Staff Photo)

## Prairiland School Board holds meeting

Prairiland ISD



The Prairiland ISD Board of Trustees attended to a number of items of business, as well as hearing from some people during executive session.

They approved the 1996-97 Textbook Committee, and accepted bid for propane for the greenhouse from Cooper Butane at 80¢ per gallon.

The board approved the Local District Update Employment Policies.

They approved a statement of Agreement with the American Red Cross for use of facilities as Mass Care Shelter. This agreement would open up campuses at Deport, Blossom and Pattonville for use as well as allowing food to be used from cafeteria inventories in the event of an emergency.

They approved the guidelines for students to attend the Alternative School at Paris Junior College.

In executive session the board heard from three parents about discipline problems.

Mendy Cole was assigned as head softball coach for \$1,500 and cross country coach for \$500.

The school was named as contractor for a new concession stand at Deport.

Minutes from previous meeting were read and approved.

The bills from August and the financial statement from August was approved as were the bills and financial statements for September.

## McCuistion expands healthcare services

McCuistion Regional Medical Center has expanded the healthcare services available in this region with the addition of the area's first rural mobile health clinic. At present there are four other mobile units providing similar services in Texas, and the Texas Department of Human Services has encouraged the mobile clinic concept as an effective way to bring needed health services to underserved areas.

The 40-foot mobile clinic is complete with two examination rooms, laboratory, office area, computer link ups, and accommodations for patients with limited mobility.

Initially, the unit will be used as a rural mobile health clinic in the Roxton and Detroit communities. It will be in Detroit on Thursday and Friday from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

A graduate of Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, Laura Guthrie will oversee the clinics. She previously served as the physician's assistant in the Northeast Medical Center Clinic in Honey Grove. Dr. Donald Lewis will oversee the mobile clinic.

The end result should be greater access to healthcare and improved healthcare in the areas served by the clinic.



CANINE Officer Mike Rehfeld and K-9 Goldi, a 75 lb. German Shepherd, demonstrate accelerant detection at the Lamar County Fire Fighters Quarterly meeting Monday night. The Deport Volunteer Fire Department hosted the meeting and arranged for the training program. Rehfeld is employed by the Texas Commission on Fire Protection State Fire Marshal's Office in Duncanville. The state Fire Marshal's office provides an officer and canine to assist fire departments and Sheriff's Departments in a region that covers Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and New Mexico. The service is available 24 hours per day. According to officer Rehfeld, Goldi can detect accelerants such as gas, paint thinner, etc., under 18 to 20 inches of rubble. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

## Methodists to present sermon drama

On Sunday, October 13, the First Methodist Church of Deport will present a program drama entitled "Peter, A Cracked Rock". The sermon that evening will be "A Look End Times: A Look at Revelations."

Kids' Day, which is Saturdays from

2:30 to 4 p.m. is building rockets for launch. They will study the space program and how rockets fly. The rockets will be launched following the end of the study. For information, call 652-4925.

## McCrury

### Homecoming planned

The McCrury Homecoming will be held Sunday, October 13, 1996. Tea and paper products will be furnished. Bring your lawn chairs and a covered dish.

Come out and enjoy the day.

People  
'n  
Things

The Broadway Junction Band will play Friday night at the Pattonville Community Center and Volunteer Fire Department at 8:00 p.m. All proceeds go to benefit the center and fire department.

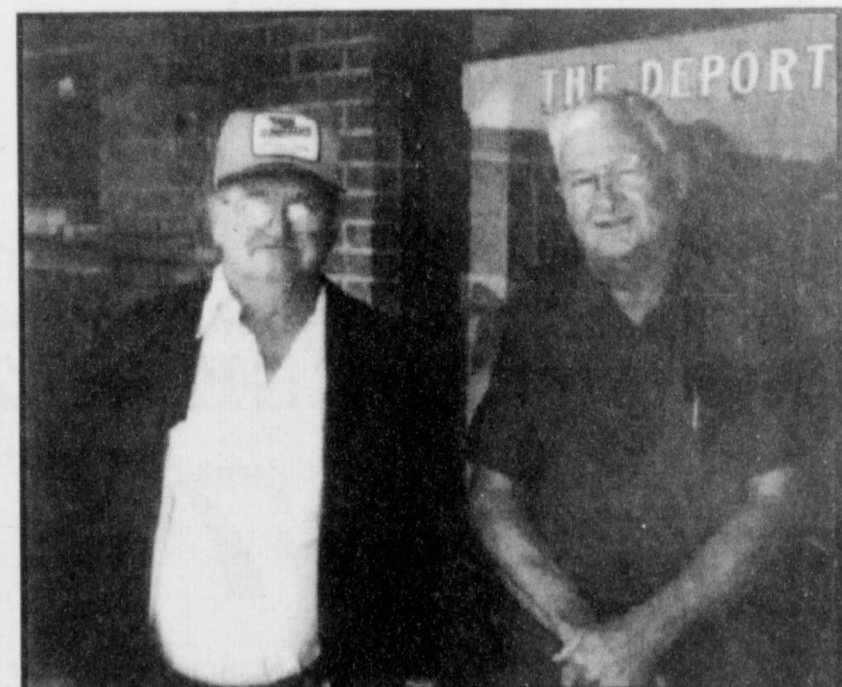
## Think Child Safety Fair at Prairiland

Mark October 26 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on your calendar now and make plans to attend the Think Child Safety Fair at Prairiland High School.

This event is being presented by the Prairiland counselors and nursing staff. There will be something for

everyone: prizes, entertainment, refreshments, blood pressure checks, McGruff, Sparty, Andy the Ambulance, various safety booths and much more.

You won't want to miss this fun and informative morning. Everyone is welcome.



MEETING-after an article in the Deport Times about a reunion of the 459th Bomb Group Association these two men met for the first time. Warren Denison of Deport, left, and D.A. Wilson of Lubbock became acquainted last wee in Deort. They were both in the 459th Bomb Group, 757th Squadron and were stationed in Italy in the same group. However, they did not know one another, even though Mr. Wilson's wife is originally from Deport. They enjoyed recalling war experiences. (Staff Photo)





**RUMBELLY- and Rhoda.** With excellent delivery of their jokes and some good dance and musical skills Red River County Attorney Jack Herrington and Rhonda Long Exum brought down the house with laughter at their comedy Saturday at the 50's Rock & Roll Show at Clarksville. The show was produced by Herrington as well and was sold out for all performances. Funds go to aid the Red River County Historical Society. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

## Quality Health Care... Close to Home

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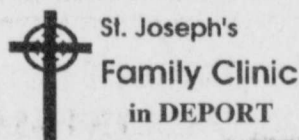
St. Joseph's Family Clinic, conveniently located on Main Street, in the heart of Deport, is headed by Nurse Practitioner Susan Scholz, R.N., C.F.N.P., while Dr. David Salas serves as medical director and Dr. Agnes Xavier sees patients one day each week.



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## Country Cooking

By Liz Irwin

First of all this week, let me tell everyone that sent in, mailed, faxed or otherwise, their copies of recipes for Key Lime Pie. . . Thank You! I received around 7 copies of this recipes. What would I do without my faithful readers? Guess I will have to try each and everyone of them! I will let you know which one we like the best. My daughter Cari will have to be the judge. She ate these when they were in Houston this summer at the FFA Convention and came home and told me that I would have to learn to make her Key Lime Pies. That they were absolutely delicious! While looking through my many recipe books, I could not find a Key Lime Pie recipe and relied on you readers to help me out and you came across once more.

But, this week's column is dedicated to the much maligned, lowly, Jalapeno. These Texas favorites are used in a variety of recipes from Picante Sauce on down to Jelly. Not only can they be purchased in a wide range on the heat index, from extra mild to wild and red hot, but they can also be purchased sliced, diced, minced, dry, canned and many other ways.

Where Jalapenos used to be sold in only specialty stores, now everyone sells them. They adorn nachos, though only the hearty will eat them; used for dressing up a dish and pushed aside and left to be thrown out; dropped in the occasional pot of Texas Chili to liven it up a little; are painted, stitched, ironed on and are now even seen adorning the necks and ears of high fashion models as Tex-Mex and Southwest seems to be the latest fashion craze.

A lot of gardeners plant them each year and they are canned in a variety of ways and added to the ever-popular picante or hot sauce. They now can be purchased as plants in a variety of either mild or hot, depending on the consumers stomach lining. My husband plants several (at least a dozen) plants each year and they are always loaded with a vast amount of these succulent peppers.

I know that this column is a little off the wall this week, but you know everyone is a little off the wall sometimes!

Hope you enjoy this and we will see you in the kitchen!

October 10, 1996  
Jalapeno Recipes

### Jalapeno Relish

1/2 gallon green tomatoes-sliced  
3 quarts onion-sliced  
2 aurtas jalapeno peppers-sliced  
8 cups sugar  
1 quart cider vinegar  
1 quart water  
8 teaspoons salt  
Boil all ingredients for 15 minutes and pour into jars and seal.

### Jalapeno Cheese Log

1 pound Velveeta Cheese  
1-8 ounce package cream cheese  
1/4 cup jalapeno-sliced  
1/4 cup pimentos-diced  
1/2 cup green onion-diced  
Roll cheese out into rectangle between two sheets of wax paper. Soften the cream cheese and spread over the cheese. Sprinkle the jalapenos, pimentos and onions over the cream cheese. Roll into a cheese log. Chill and serve with crackers.

### Jalapeno Cheese Ball

1/2 pound mild cheddar cheese-grated  
1-8 ounce package cream cheese  
1/2 cup black olives(optional)  
2 cloves garlic-minced  
2 large jalapenos-finely chopped  
3 tablespoons juice from pepper  
1 cup pecans  
In a medium bowl, combine cheese, olives, garlic, peppers and juice. Mix into ball and roll into chopped pecans. Serve with crackers.

### Jalapeno Chicken

6 boneless chicken breasts  
2 tablespoons oil  
1 pint sour cream  
1 tablespoon flour  
1 garlic clove-chopped

### salt and pepper

1-8 ounce can jalapeno peppers  
1 cup mozzarella cheese-grated  
1 large onion-sliced  
4 tablespoons chopped green onion  
Preheat oven to 350 and brown chicken in oil on both sides. Arrange in a 3 quart baking dish. In blender combine sour cream, flour, garlic, salt, pepper and peppers; blend until smooth to make sauce. Sprinkle cheese over chicken top with sauce and onion rounds and sprinkle with green onions. Bake uncovered for 1 hour.

### Jalapeno Jelly

1-1/2 cups green bell pepper-chopped finely  
2 jalapenos-remove seeds  
3 teaspoons juice from jalapeno  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
7-1/2 cups sugar  
1-1/2 cups white vinegar  
green food coloring(optional)  
1-3 ounce package Certo  
Combine all ingredients, except Certo in heavy pan. Bring to a boil and boil 6 minutes. Stir frequently. Stir in Certo and boil for three more minutes. Remove from heat; skim foam from top and pour into sterile jars. Pickled Jalapenos fresh jalapenos to fill 6 quarts garlic and carrots-sliced  
1 cup vinegar  
4 cups water  
1/4 cup canning salt  
3 teaspoons pickling spices  
1 teaspoon comino seeds  
1 bay leaf  
1/4 cup olive oil

## YWCA seeks crafters for bazaar

The 38th annual Senior Citizen's Bazaar sponsored by the YWCA is currently seeking participants, according to Priscilla Merriman, YWCA director.

Anyone who would like to have a booth at the Bazaar and is 60 years or older is encouraged to participate.

Many items are sold that are not normally thought of as crafts at the bazaar. Baked, canned items and potted plants along with more traditional crafts like woodworking and sewing.

The Bazaar will be Saturday, November 2 from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Youth Hall of the First

Christian Church. Due to the number of items the bazaar has been moved to the Youth Hall for more room. It was previously held in the YWCA Ballroom.

The Senior Citizen's Bazaar is sponsored by the YWCA as a service project to help senior citizens earn extra money for the holidays. All proceeds from the Bazaar are kept by the individual crafters, bakers and gardeners. For more information or to receive a registration form for the Bazaar contact the YWCA at 785-5221. The YWCA is a United Way agency.

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**Fulbright  
News**  
By Betty Rodgers  
652-6051

Mrs. Kyle King and Rosa Harley of Reno visited Jimmie King on Wednesday.

Karen Baker, Larry Parker and Mabel Austin attended the 50's rock and roll musical in the Clarksville Courthouse and Fall Bazaar on Saturday.

Betty Rodgers met Monte and Shelley Rodgers in Paris on Saturday and had lunch and visited.

Dick King of Paris visited his mother, Jimmie King, Saturday.

Tommy Childers' mother, Blanche Childers of Lone Star community had back surgery in Texarkana Saturday and is doing well.

**Do  
buckle up.**  
**Don't drink  
and drive.**

## Obituaries

### J.C. Whatley dies October 6

J.C. Whatley, age 48 of Bogata died Sunday, October 6 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Paris.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 8 in the Johntown Missionary Baptist Church with burial in Cuthand Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home.

Mr. Whatley was born July 21, 1948 in Mt. Pleasant, the son of J.C. Whatley, Sr. and Doris Jaciel Hassel Whatley. He married Mary Jo Martin on December 7, 1968 in Bogata. He was employed by Cotton Belt and Texas Northeastern Railway Co.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Doris Whatley of Mt. Pleasant; four brothers, Roy, Tommy, James and Robert Whatley; and a sister, Wanda Epperson, all of Mt. Pleasant.

The family requests in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Bogata Fire Department First Responders.

### Thomas Lyndell Jeffery dies October 4

Thomas Lyndell "PeeWee" Jeffery, age 74, a retired postal clerk died Friday, October 4 in Arlington.

He was born November 7, 1921 in Pike County, AR, a son of Ernest and Pearl Jeffery, who preceded him in death and moved to Bogata at an early age. He graduated from Bogata High School in 1941, was on the football team and track team. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Disabled Veterans Chapter 157.

He married the former Helen Lee of Deport and they had just celebrated their 50th anniversary.

Services were held Monday, October 7 at Grace Temple Baptist Church in Arlington with the Rev. Carl Willis officiating. Interment followed in Moore Memorial Gardens.

Bearers were Larry Strickland, Jerry Kelby, Lee Kelley, Ronny Gifford, Ronny Ivey, Doug Jones, Jimmy Johnson and Darrell Gifford.

Surviving are his wife, Helen Lee Jeffery of Arlington; sons, Gary Jeffery and wife Dorothy of Palmer and Tommy Jeffery and wife Carol of Arlington; brothers, Wallace Jeffery of Cleburne and Jerry Jeffery of Ft. Worth; sisters, Estelle Jeffery Smith of Arlington and Mrs. Melvin Jones, also of Arlington, Mrs. Arlin Jeffery Ivey of Abilene; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

### Asa E. Low dies October 3

Asa E. Low of Dallas died Thursday, October 3.

Services were held Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Oak Cliff. Burial was in Restland Cemetery under the direction of Laurel Land Funeral Home.

Mr. Low was born January 3, 1914 near Woodland, a son of Thomas Edgar and Eliza Turk Low. He had worked for Tennessee and Metzger Dairies in Dallas and was a graduate of the United Television Laboratories of Louisville, KY. He was retired from Rockwell International in Richardson.

He married Bessie Sue Paddock on September 10, 1941.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Asa E. Low Jr. of Dallas and Charles Lynn Low of Houston; six grandchildren; a brother, Thomas Newman Low of Detroit; two sisters, Audie Pearl Mills and Geneva Lee, both of Detroit.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to all your lovely people from Deport, Pattonville and Shady Grove for helping us celebrate our 50th anniversary. You are very special to us.

James & Dorothy Cunningham

### Card Of Thanks

We would like to sincerely thank all of our many friends and family for all their food, flowers and prayers in the sadness and loss of our sister.

Thank you for your kindness,  
Delene Mauldin Mayes

### Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for their support during my surgery and recovery. Prayers, visits, cards, phone calls. Special thanks to Dr. Crumpler, Dr. Nada, St. Joseph Hospital and Nursing staff. Bro. bob Bush and Bogata United Methodist Church. Also Care First since I have been home.

Roberta Watts

### Card of Thanks

The family of Barney Wilson wishes to express our deepest gratitude for all the love and concern our family received in our time of sorrow.

The food, flowers, cards, thoughts, calls and memorials and most of all, your concern, mean so very much to each of us.

Our special thanks go to Bright-Holland Funeral Home, also to Dr. L.C. Stout, the Rev. Gifford Long, the Rev. Paul Bruhn and Treva Coston for their services.

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and  
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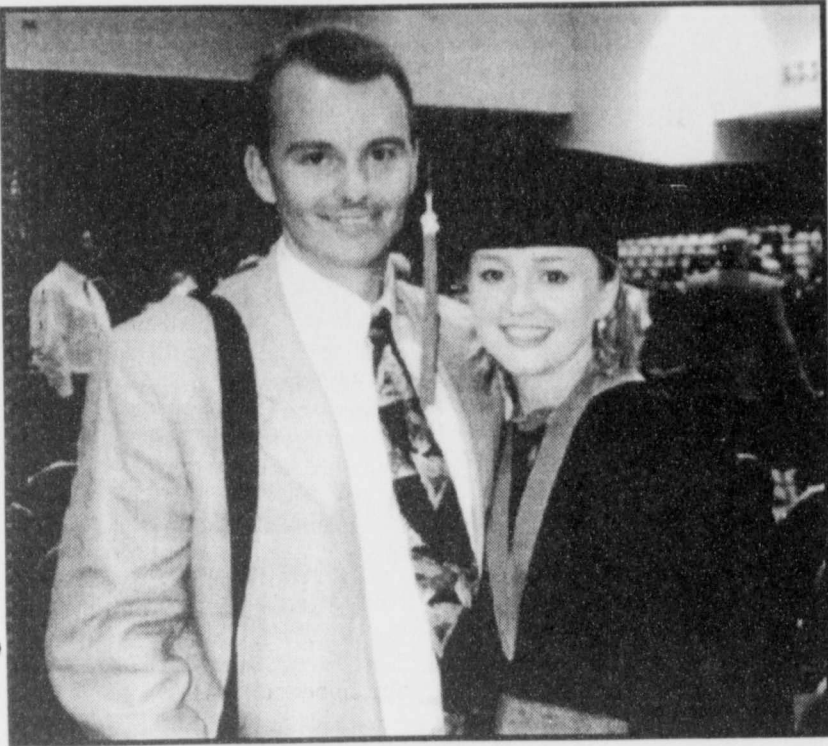
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Amy and Jason Pickelman

**Amy Pickelman graduates UTMB with Master's degree**

Mrs. Amy Scudder Pickelman, daughter of Bill and Sue Scudder of Paris recently graduated from The University of Texas at Galveston Medical Branch with a Master's degree in Physical Therapy.

Mrs. Pickelman is now working as a Physical Therapist at John Sealy Hospital in Galveston in the Neuro Unit with brain injured patients. She will work there until Mr. Pickelman finishes his last year of medical school and they will move to the location of

his residency in Urology. Graduation was held at Hope Arena Convention Center at Moody Gardens on Friday, August 16. Traveling to Galveston for the graduation were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scudder of Paris, Jan Scudder of College Station, Dr. and Mrs. John Pickelman of Kingwood.

Mrs. Pickelman is a graduate of Prairiland High School, Paris Junior College and attended Texas A&M before entering UTMB.



Talma & Geraldine Powers

**Powers celebrate 50th wedding anniversary**

Talma and Geraldine Powers of Amarillo, TX celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary recently.

Talma Powers and Geraldine Wright were married October 12, 1946 in the First Methodist Church of Deport. Mr. Powers is the son of Roy Powers of Minter.

Mr. Powers is the retired owner of Powers Automotive and currently is employed by Nunn Manufacturing.

Mrs. Powers is a housewife who was previously employed by the Dallas School District.

The couple was honored with a family dinner hosted by their daughter and son-in-law, Linda and Michael Lindley, grandson and his family, Justin, Lisa, Lynsey and Kalie Mullins, and grandsons Joshua and Kyle Lindley of Amarillo.

**Prairiland High School Honor Roll 1st Six Weeks**

**All A Honor Roll**  
Cliff Adams, Jill Anderson, Stacy Bangs, Kortnie Barrentine, Lee Bland, Jason Bramlett, Jasper Clarkson, Nikalus Clarkson, Lisa Corso, Beth Crites, Steven Flatt, David Ford, Sarah Halenkamp, Stacy Harrison, Meagan Hatfield, Sarah Hooge, Todd James, Kristin Lawrence, Tony Love, Chris Malone, Ben Miller, Brian Mitchell, Brad Osborne, Christy Patterson, Robert Sawyer, Susan Singleton, Josh Smith, Nicole Stewart, Anna Thompson, Erik Whitley.

**A-B Honor Roll**  
Dustin Allen, Roy Arrasmith, Christina Ballard, Matt Barnes, Stephanie Barnes, Tera Barnett, Quaylon Battle, Jamie Beaty, Lori Benedict, Emily Burchinal, Rachel Birch, Casey Blount, Angie Bounds, Kay Bowling, Tommy Bramlett, Amy Bryan, Nathan Byrd, James Cavender, Valarie Chapman, Dustin Clement, Ryan Cope, Carrie Couch, Aimee Crites, Jeremy Cunningham, David Darden, Misti Dawson, Jeremy Day, Teneka Dickerson, Kenny Dunn, Misti Eason, Stormi Fletcher, Jeremy Fox, Kim Gibson, Fair Shea Gifford, Bryan Goodson, Duncan Gordon, Tabatheia Hamm, Daniel Hancock, Shawn Harrison, Chris Hudson, Randi Hunt, Dorothy Hurst, Wendy Hutchings, Cari Irwin, Kadonna Jackson, Chad Johnston, Kenlea Jones, Paige Lyon, Brandon Maroney, Michael Mazy, Johnny Milam, Sam Money, Chasitie Moody, Katie Mullins, Leslie Mullins, Amber Norwood, Kristy Oates, Laura Oliver, Yuichiro Omori, Brandi Patterson, Shanna Pegg, Dwan Ramirez, Ashley Rhodes, Michael Richardson, Jennifer Robertson, Lucas Roddy, Whitney Rodgers, Brea Sessums, Kristi Sexton, Shannon Smith, Michael Spray, Josh Stapleton, Buck Sutton, Suzie Sutton, Amy Talley, Becky Talley, Elizabeth Tapia, Justin Taylor, Heath Thomas, Shane Tolison, Claudia Trammell, Brandi Upchurch, Wyatt Vicks, Amanda Wherley, Chance Whitney, Aaron Williams, Darron Williams, Amanda Wood, Matt Wright, Candace Yaross, Mike Yaross.

**Cunningham News**  
By Jane O'Neal 652-6062

Nelta Musgrove will host a Ladies Christian Retreat at her home beginning Wednesday, October 16 through Saturday noon, October 19. All ladies are welcome. Guest speakers will speak in the morning, afternoon and evening services. Meals will be served. Call Nelta at 652-2084 if you can attend.

Sarah Higdon of Crossroads visited Lucy Fowler on Tuesday.

Carol and Jennifer Dorsey had Sunday lunch with Lucy Fowler. Talma Fowler visited in the afternoon.

Buddy Pynes of Blossom and Joe, Lisa and Madison Slagle of Euless visited Lorette Pynes on Friday.

Dean Ogden brought Lorette Pynes home on Tuesday after a few days visit in Longview with her and spent the night Tuesday.

Regina Newman and Blake, Malcolm and Briana of Dallas visited Sue and Lorette Pynes Saturday.

Clyde and Bobbye Slusher visited Charles and Jackie Taylor in Paris on Saturday.

Visiting Elvis Wright and Silas and Juanita Taylor over the weekend were Cpt. Allan Wright of Falls Church, VA, Bill, Judy, Trey and Annie Low of Houston, Eugene, Lisa and Lindsey Wright of Pine Bluff, AR and Kerry and Mildred Wright of Mansfield, LA. Ann and Sheldon Lee

of Milton visited them Friday night and Howard Sparks of Minter had dinner with them Saturday.

Visiting a few days with Joe and Rhonda Merrill and family were his sister and husband, Wendell and Lisa Dennison and children of Waterville, Maine.

Georjeana Oats spent the weekend at home from Houston where she is in school.

Billy Ray, Brandon and Neva Oats, Frankie, Julie, Logan, Layton and Caleb Norwood, Scottie, Treda, Amber and Spur Norwood had Sunday supper with Geneva Norwood.

Having Sunday lunch with Marie Watson were Brenda Watson, Bruce Watson, Deana and Brooklyn Legate, Dillon Gibson and Brad, Bradley and Brett Watson.

Geneva Norwood, Nelta Musgrove and Brad Watson had supper with Marie Watson on Tuesday.

Frankie Norwood took FFA students from Prairiland to the Dallas fair to show their animals on Monday through Thursday. On Wednesday Julie, Logan, Layton and Caleb Norwood and Deanna Merrill attended the State Fair. Logan's animal placed eighth.

Joe, Landon, Steven and Nathaniel Merrill attended the Fair on Wednesday.

**Please Watch For School Children**

**Prairiland Calendar of Events**  
October, 1996

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10 ..... Football: JH, 7-8 and JV at Rivercrest, 5:00 p.m.  
11 ..... Football: Rivercrest, Here, 7:30 p.m.  
12 ..... Volleyball: 9, JV, Varsity at Pottsboro, 10:00 a.m.  
14 ..... Columbus Day Holiday  
15 ..... Volleyball: Wolfe City, Here, 9, JV, Varsity, 5:00 p.m.  
16 ..... School Board Training in school cafeteria, 6-9 p.m.  
17 ..... Football: Honey Grove JH, 7-8 and JV, Here, 5:00 p.m.  
18 ..... Football: Varsity at Honey Grove, 7:30 p.m.  
21 ..... Red Ribbon Week  
22 ..... Cross Country District Meet, Here, 4:00 p.m.  
23 ..... Blossom School pictures to be made  
24 ..... Volleyball: 9, JV, Varsity at Chisum, 4:30 p.m.  
25 ..... Football: JH, 7-8 and JV at Cooper, 5:00 p.m.  
26 ..... Football: Cooper, Here, 7:30 p.m.  
29 ..... Think Child Safety Super Saturday, 9 a.m.-12 noon  
27 ..... Run Your Clocks Back One Hour  
29 ..... Volleyball: Alba-Golden, 9, JV, Varsity, Here, 5:00 p.m.  
31 ..... Football: JH, 7-8 and JV at Chisum, 5:00 p.m.  
November 1 ..... Football: Chisum, Here, 7:30 p.m.

**School Menu**

Prairiland C.I.S.D.  
All Campus School Lunch Menu  
October 14-18

- Holiday Tuesday**  
Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits, Juice, milk  
Lunch: Beef vegetable soup, Crackers, Brownies, Cheese stick, Pickles, Milk
- Wednesday**  
Breakfast: English muffins, oatmeal, Juice, milk  
Lunch: Lasagna with ground beef, Salad, Fresh fruit, Milk
- Thursday**  
Breakfast: Cereal, toast, Juice, milk  
Lunch: Turkey pita, Baked beans, Potato crisps, Cake, Milk
- Friday**  
Breakfast: French toast strips, syrup, Juice, milk  
Lunch: Chili dogs with cheese, Potato pubbs, Jello, Ketchup, Milk

**Paris resident to present October program**

Julann Boatner, director of the Women's Health Resource Center associated with McCuiston Hospital, will present the program at the October 14 meeting of the Bereaved Parents Support Group.

The meeting will be held at the TU Electric Building at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, October 14.

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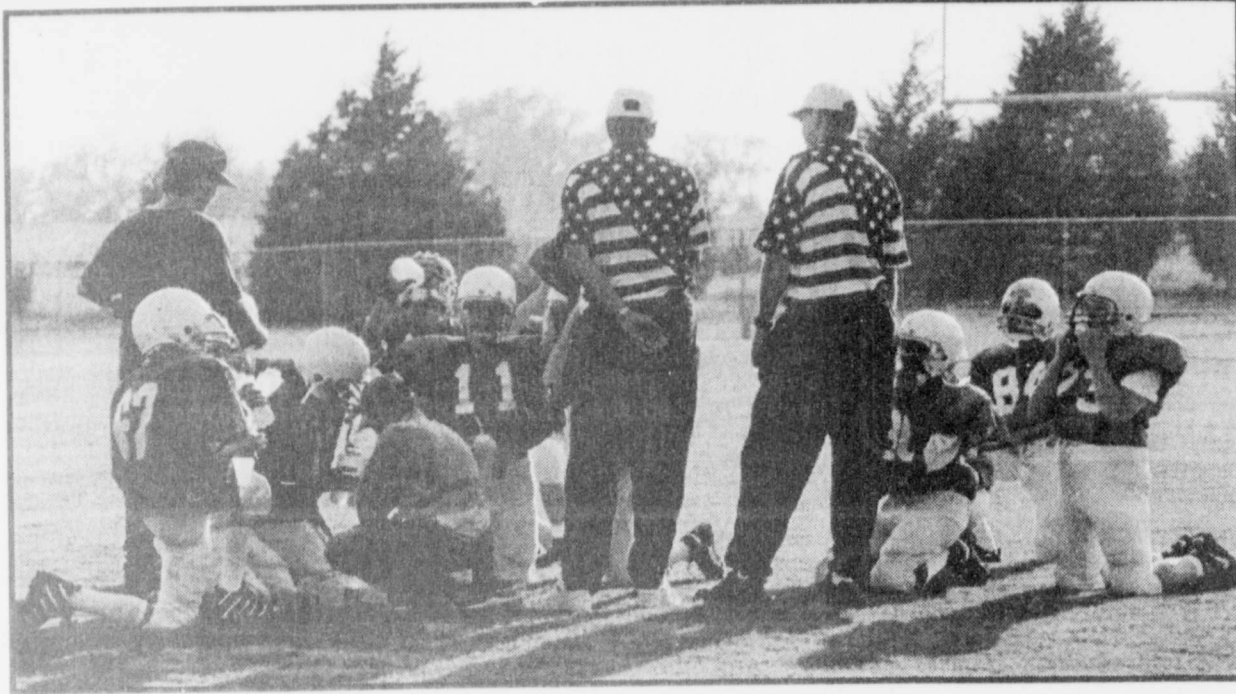
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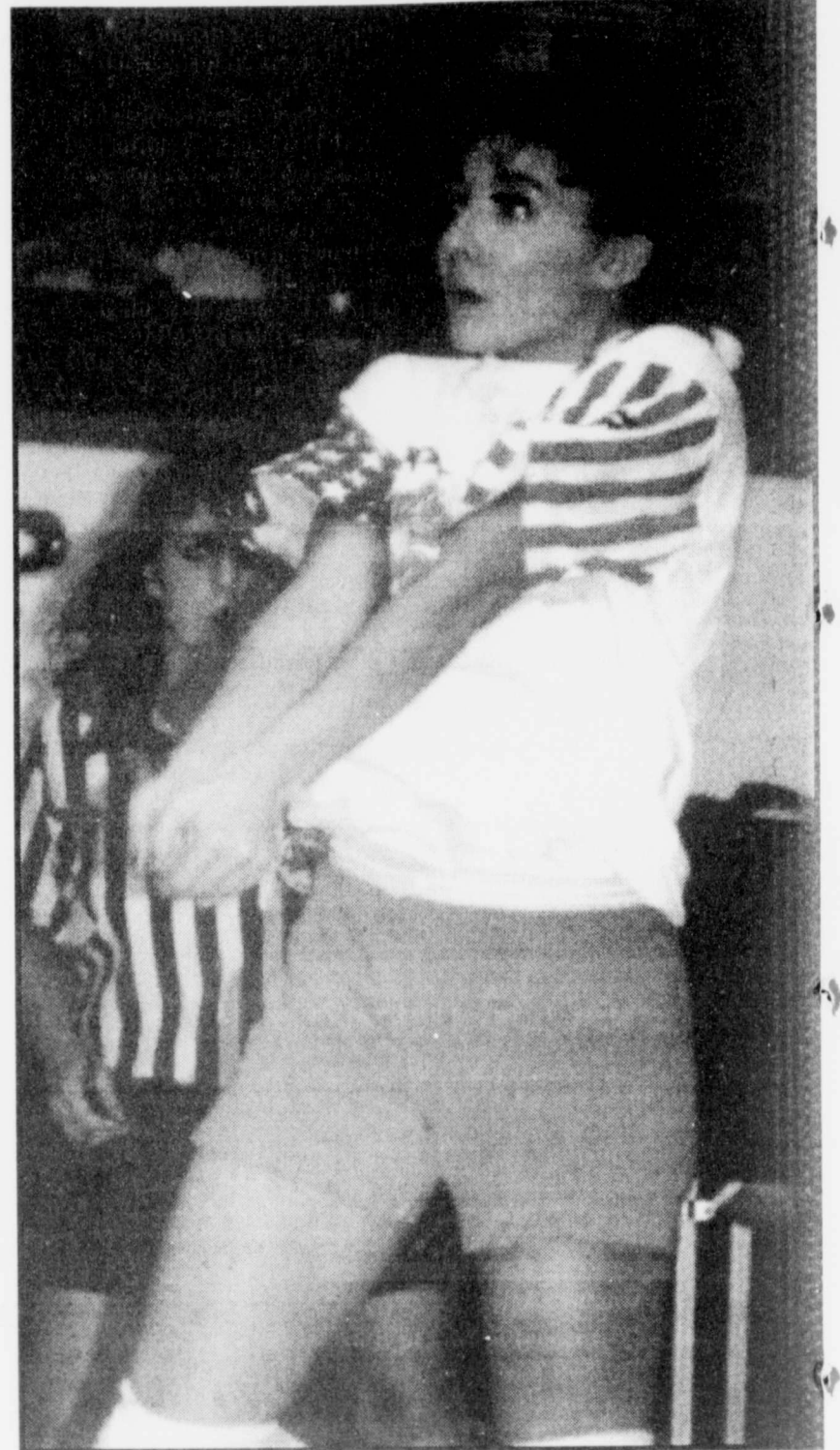
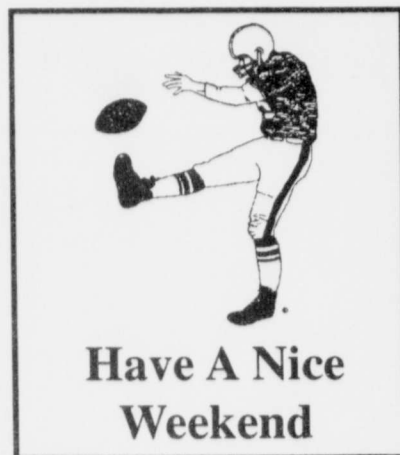
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"B" TEAM PATRIOTS listen to Coaches Weddle and Borden during a break in action on Thursday night. The youngsters are still looking for their first win and are playing very well together. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



SOPHOMORE KATIE MULLINS passes the ball during last week's action with Chisum. The Lady Pats defeated the Lady Mustangs in two games 15-2 and 15-6. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



SENIOR RICKY SMITH of Prairiland mows over a Lone Oak Buffalo in Friday night football action. The Pats were defeated 0-68 but never gave up the battle and will host Rivercrest 1 Pat stadium beginning at 7:30 this Friday night. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

### Lady Pats grab 3 from Chisum

By Michael Richardson

The Lady Patriots upped their record to 14-9, 1-0 with a convincing 15-2, 15-6 win over the Lady Mustangs from Chisum in their first district game of the season. Katha Crawford and Paige Lyon boosted the team to the win with good serving and all of the Lady Pats played well

defensively and offensively.

The freshmen team won their games 15-1, 10-15 and 15-6. JV team members took their games with a score of 15-9, 14-16 and 15-10.

Stats for the varsity game are listed below.

Name	Kills	Assists	Serves	Passes	Blocks
Breah Sessums	4	11	5/5	2	1
Fair Shea Gifford	4	1	4/5	2	0
Cari Irwin	0	0	2/3	2	1
Paige Lyon	0	7	9/11	1	0
Brandie Upchurch	1	0	5/5	0	0
Katha Crawford	7	0	11/11	2	1
Meagan Hatfield	1	0	4/6	3	0
Katie Mullins	1	0	0	0	0
Felicia Taylor	1	0	0	0	1

### Pats take loss from Lone Oak

By Sandy Flatt

Friday night, October 4 was not a good night for the Fighting Patriots as they were pounded by Lone Oak for a 68-0 loss.

The score was not the issue Friday though, as much as the spirit of these young athletes. They gave their best to try and turn their season around.

The Patriots injury list continues to grow with the loss of Micah Jones with a broken arm and Tommy Spray with a temporary (hopefully) knee injury.

These young men have had to dig deep for that Patriot Spirit that so many of us lose when the breaks all go against us. The Pats continued to play their hardest Friday night, never giving up until the last buzzer sounded. They deserve to hold their heads high and know that they are still our Patriots.

We, as fans will be back again, Friday night, up in the stands against Rivercrest, giving our support and encouragement. Go Patriots!

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14 ..... Holiday  
 15 ..... Varsity volleyball vs. Wolfe City, Commerce at 5:00 p.m.  
 ..... PSAT  
 ..... CIC, 7:30 a.m.  
 16 ..... Youth for Christ, 7:50 a.m., library  
 17 ..... Football, JH, JV vs. Honey Grove, Here, 5:00  
 18 ..... Football at Honey Grove  
 ..... Pep Rally, 2:00  
 19 ..... PIP Camp, High School Gym  
 ..... Driver's Ed, Cafeteria

### Patriot Jr High teams play Lone Oak

By Sandy Flatt

The "B" team Patriots opened up the week of football for Prairiland at home Thursday night against Lone Oak.

Despite some very impressive running by Patriots Colt Hatfield, David Newman and Derrick Loveless, the Patriots were unable to make a score. The defense, although led by Phillip Elder and Newman, could not control the Lone Oak offense as they scored again and again. The final score was 30-0 in favor of the Lone Oak Buffalos.

The "A" team did not fare much better against the much larger Lone Oak team.

The Patriots inched down the field

as Brandon Gray and Stanley Cox carried the ball for the Pats, only to have their efforts knocked back by the Lone Oak defense.

Meanwhile, the Patriots defense was being worn down by the Buffalos. Jonathan Martin was able to sack the Buffalos once and tackles were made by Kyle Malone, Heath Sessums, Ryan Gordon, Stan Cox, Josh Dawson, Drew Riddles and Michael Flatt. Lone Oak had no problems finding the end-zone and made the final score 0-14.

This was the first loss for the "A" team, but they are expected to be back in form this Thursday against Rivercrest.

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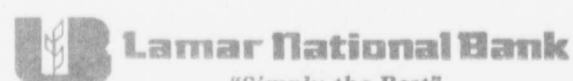


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# Deport Nursing Home News

By JaLynda Mitchell

The cooler fall weather is really great. We have taken advantage of it by sitting outside, taking walks and enjoying country drives. We played a new game of volleyball which was an experience for all of us. We made pumpkin candy dishes in craft class, had Bible study, watched a gospel video, played kickball, dominoes, and bingo. Nannie Bel Ham helped with bingo.

Sam Campbell brought the message for Sunday Service while Rab, Tim and Tina Skidmore provided music.

Visitors of Johnnie Warren were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ingram, Joyce Wilson, Dooty Holt, Dakota Mitchell, Jonie Kincaid, Phillip Roach and Evelyn Roach.

Delmar and Dorothy Babb were visited by Karla Burke, Kathy Lovelace and Juanita Williams.

Loveta McMurray's visitors were Tony Corso, Carl and Dakota Mitchell, Kathy Green and L.C. Ballard.

Cecil and Margaret Allen visited Marietta Parsons.

Visiting Jewel Smith were Larry and Shirley Haskell, C.D., Tonya, Casey and Josh Haskell, Darrell and Vickie Smith, Donald Ray and Dynetta Smith, Larry, Ardin, Crystal

Sanvince and Cody Smith and Dale Smith.

Inez Luttrell visited Mary Mathews.

Pasta Layffler visited Kathrine Luft.

Milow Hume's visitors were Ina Ward, Stash Hume and Weldon Hume.

Lora Hulseley was visited by Nannie Bell Ham.

Visitors of Lena Powell were Sue, Brittany, and Shelbi Hart, Dedra Smith, Geneva Weaver, Patricia Johnson, Janie, Dakota, and Morgan Martin.

Cecil and Margaret Allen visited Gilbert Marshall and Marshall Dunigan.

Mamie Fletcher's visitors were Lila, Bren, Kara and Hali Screws and Becky Proctor.

Terry McDowra was visited by Cherry Walker.

Visiting David Geer was Cecil and Margaret Allen, Lewis and Janice Ingram, Fred and Barbara Biggerstaff, Harold Norris and William Geer.

Clarence Ham and Nina Hale's visitors were Wanda Bradley, Nannie Bell Ham and Nell Shull.

Visitors of Jo Wrenn were Pam Campbell, Chance Crawford, Dorothy Holt and Joyce Wilson.

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# Voice of Democracy Program competition to begin

Commander Vernon Friday of VFW Post 3990 announces the start of this year's Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary "Voice of Democracy Program" competition. Students in our local area have the opportunity to compete in the 50th annual essay program and win valuable scholarships and awards. According to our local VFW commander, the students earn more than scholarships and awards when they participate in the "Voice of Democracy".

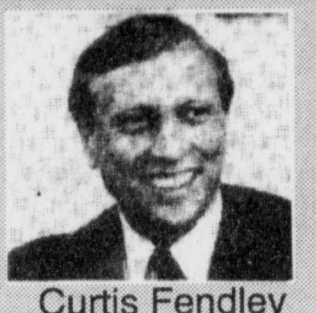
The additional benefits include increased self-confidence and poise, experience in polishing their communication skills, and the opportunity for self expression. Those that advance to become the State winners are given the additional opportunity to expand their knowledge of our nation's capital city during a full five-day tour of Washington D.C., plus the chance to meet and become friends with students from every state.

During the 50 years that the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary have been involved with the Voice of Democracy Program, more than 7 million high school students have participated. Interested students need only write and then record a three to five minute audio essay expressing their view of the program theme: "Democracy Above and Beyond" (Democracy as a form of Government above and beyond all

other forms of government). The local winner can win \$200 and the chance to participate in this year's Veteran's Day Program. The winner from each school will advance to district competition where they will

compete with students from other school districts in north-east Texas. The District winner will then compete at the state level for a top scholarship of \$3000. All state winners receive at least a \$1000 National Scholarship but could win the 420,000 first place award. A total of \$120,000 in National Scholarships are awarded to the student finalists.

Commander Friday said, "young people who participate in the competition gain a better understanding of their country, their freedoms and their obligation to America". Students wishing more information should contact Pat Friday, the Ladies Auxiliary chairman at 903-982-6732 or the VFW at 903-785-5677. The deadline for this year's local competition is November 1, 1996.



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## Deport Housing Authority News

By Mary Westbrook 652-3605

The class met in Gazebo Number 2 Monday. Those present were Mildred Wright, Eunice Suggs, Maud Webb, Lisa Johnson, and Mary Johnson.

Mr. Luther Roden visited Mrs. Elmore last week. Also visiting last week was Joyce Smith.

Alpha Barnard has been visiting her son, James Elder Barnard who was seriously injured and a car wreck

last Friday. He is ICU at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Mae Storm has been visiting her children the last week.

Mrs. Frank Jackson of Paris, Zachary and Keagan also visited Carrie Bennett Bennet.

Visiting Thelma Shelby was her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Tucker from Lancaster and Chicotah

## Deport Locals

By Barbara Crawford  
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Visiting Willie Mae Speir over the weekend were Austin Westbrook of Lubbock, Mary & D. A. Willson of Shallowater, Rena King of Paris, and Robert Westbrook of Dallas.

Visiting Mervin & Colleen Slaton On Saturday were her Mother Kathrine Anderson and sister Gayle Anderson and daughter Kathy Holt.

Visiting Richard & Clara Nance last week were her sister & brother-in-law, Ruth & Luke Abbott of Dallas.

Thursday night Thomas & Nanalee Nichols attended the dress rehearsal of the 50th Rock N Roll Show at the Red River County Court House in Clarksville, Sam Rice was the "D.J." in the show.

Visiting Nannie Bell Ham, Dwayne & Pat Ham, Harold & Nell Shull, H. L. Jeffus Sr. and Thomas & Nanalee Nichols were Scott & Marsha Usvolk, Jeffery & Elliott of Flower Mound.

Rita Sparks visited Jimmie & Yuba Sparks Saturday night. Visiting on Sunday were Fred & Alta Fangio of Paris and Liberty & Randy Huddlestone. Their Granddaughter Crystal Baker and baby Dex of Sudan spent the weekend with them.

Sandra Jeffus of Garland visited her mother Nannie Bell Ham and other family members, Dwayne & Pat Ham and Nell & Harold Shull.

Visiting Billie & Marlin Foster last week were Glenn Anderson of Levelland, Geraldine Patterson and Darlene Nix of Dallas and Ida Mae & Deryl Norwood of Cunningham visited on Wednesday. Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Tucker & son Rick of Graham visited Sunday. Mildred & Wayland Ward of Mt. Pleasant visited Monday. Morris & Ginger Foster, Jill & Alison of Bogata had supper Monday night. Saturday they went to the Bazaar in Clarksville to see Alison perform with the Cheerleaders.

Durwood & Peggy Wims of Grand Prairie spent several days last week with her mother Ruth Cheatham.

Jeff Whittle took his mother Ruth Whittle to Dumas, Tx. to spend a week with her daughter Kathy & Lee Bice. They visited Palo Duro Canyon while she was there. Kathy brought her Mom home on Sunday and will stay for a few days.

Monday Kathy Bice & Ruth Whittle had lunch with her grandmother Fay Elmore. They visited the Day Care Center with Bille Francis, Kathy & Ty Figueroa and all the children, then went to Paris on business and had lunch with Bill & Joyce Smith.

Even though Kathy can't make all the rounds to see everyone, she says hello and see misses everyone.

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Gordon and Helen VanDeaver attended the Antioch Cemetery Association meeting at Biardstown on Saturday.

Jessie and Frances Anderson went to Bentonville, AR to visit David and Kandy McEntire and their new great-granddaughter, Kaylan McEntire. They went to Fayetteville, AR to visit Grady and Carol Reid. Frances' brother, Fred Hulett of Dallas visited last week.

Roxanne DeRosier visited Bill and Ruby Blevins last Wednesday.

Cecil Allen of Lamar Point visited Louise and Buster Crossland last Thursday. Ruby Ray of Blossom visited them last week.

Jimmy Day of Sulphur Springs visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Day on Sunday. James Day visited his brother, Bob, in Shady Grove last week and said he is still not feeling well.

Barbara McDowra met Jim and Nancy Stallings of Ft. Worth last Thursday for lunch in Paris. After lunch they went to the Parkview Nursing Home to visit Nina Cockerham, Nancy's mother. Barbara also visited Calvin Carpenter at a nursing home.

Peggy Parsons, Floy, Ina and Nina Sparks and Leah Boren went to Daingerfield last Monday. Peggy visited Mr. and Mrs. Francis Safford in Paris on Thursday. Saturday night, Ina and Nina Sparks with Keith and Peggy attended the McCuiston Gala, "Fountain of Rome", at the Love Civic Center in Paris. Sunday, Floy, Ina and Nina Sparks, Drew and Leah Boren, Ty and Haley Parsons and Peggy Parsons were in Ft. Worth to watch Tiffany Winters at the National Miniature Horse Show at Will Rogers Coliseum where Tiffany won third place. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kip Winters and Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Winters and Colton. Ty and Haley Parsons are spending a week with their grandparents, Peggy and Keith, while Mark and Tonya Parsons are on a cruise.

Bill and Marilyn Hearron of Shreveport visited the parents of Katy Crossland, Wilma and

Raymond Crossland over the weekend.

Jim McNabb went fishing over the weekend at Coffeemill.

Blake and Mason Gentry spent Saturday with their grandparents, Peggy and Don Gentry. Bernice and Jim Bell visited Peggy and Don on Sunday. Saturday afternoon, Lisa and Tim Woods of Longview and their children, Taylor and Brandon, visited Peggy and Don.

Keith Crossland went with Wade White and the Plain Label Band to the VFW Friday night. Keith will celebrate his birthday on October 12.

The Broadway Junction Band will play Friday night at the Pattonville Community Center and Volunteer Fire Department and Saturday night at the Chicota Community Center. All are welcome.

The Volunteer Fire Department had their regular meeting on Monday night.

Sue Coston, Jason Tillery, Tera Anderson, Brad McClour, Laci Thompson, Gayle Stevens, Ryan Pittman, Jamey Slaton, Lucas Roddy, Brad Miller, Chad Oates, Larry Chumbley, Pdaula Rater, Jennifer Foster, Elizabeth Burchinal, Jamie Borden, Karen Hargus, Kare Titsworth, Mary Snow, Mike Teuber, Kent Ritchey.

Happy Anniversary to Terry and Paulette Burchinal.

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Cremeen of Burleson visited with Ruby Crawford.

Visiting with Jane Roddy on Sunday and having lunch was Ronald and Beverly Roddy and Alecia, John Bratcher, Tonya Roddy of Cooper, Mike, Carol, Lucas, Erik and Jessica Roddy.

Rita Miears of Bedford, Dorothy

Gay of Hurst and Mary Martha Smith of Powderly were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Bonner.

Pauline and Minnie Lee Shands visited with Mozell Bolton and Leona Gage of the Paris Nursing Home Monday.

Charlie Booth of Hugo was a heart patient at St. Joseph Hospital last week. Visiting him were several of his relatives from this area.

Jamie Irwin of Rockwall spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents and attended a family reunion in Bogata.

The Prairiland Patriots lost their game to Lone Oak on Friday night. They were never beaten though, as they never gave up the game and played their hearts out.

The Lady Patriots won over Royce City Saturday morning in two games along with the freshmen team and JV teams.

Bea Garrett of Woodland was a Saturday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cleveland attended the monthly meeting of the Eastern Star in Deport on Tuesday night. On Thursday they attended the planning meeting of the Eastern Star to plan the Thanksgiving Dinner and on Friday they enjoyed lunch in Paris at Braum's.

Sandra Adams of Garland spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Mathena.



CHRISTAL GILBERT and Renea Holt were on duty at the Keywanette booth during Prairiland High School's Open House held Monday, October 7. (Staff Photo)



OPEN HOUSE at Prairiland High School was held Monday, October 7. The Future Farmers of America booth was manned by, left to right: Lee Bland, Cari Irwin, Kortnie Barrentine and Chris Turner. (Staff Photo)

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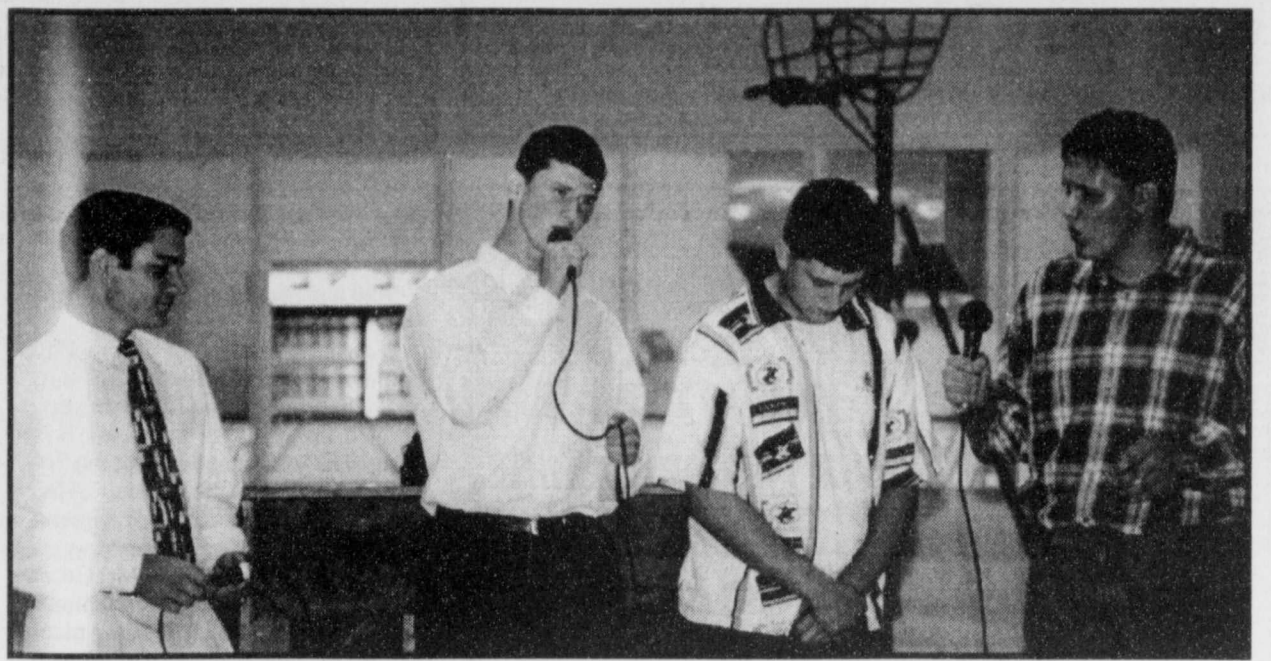
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STACY LYON and Blake of Blossom sign in for Open House at Prairiland on Monday night. Manning the table are members of the Keywanettes. Pictured is Paige Lyon, Crystal Gilbert, Fair Shea Gifford, Wendy Hutchings and Renea Holt. Standing in the background is board member Virgil Jones. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



"DON'T LET THE WATER RUN DRY" was just one of the songs that was sung by the Prairiland Men's Choir at Open House on the Prairiland campus Monday night. Pictured left to right is Jonathan Newman, Shane Chennault, Casey Blount and Steven Wilson. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

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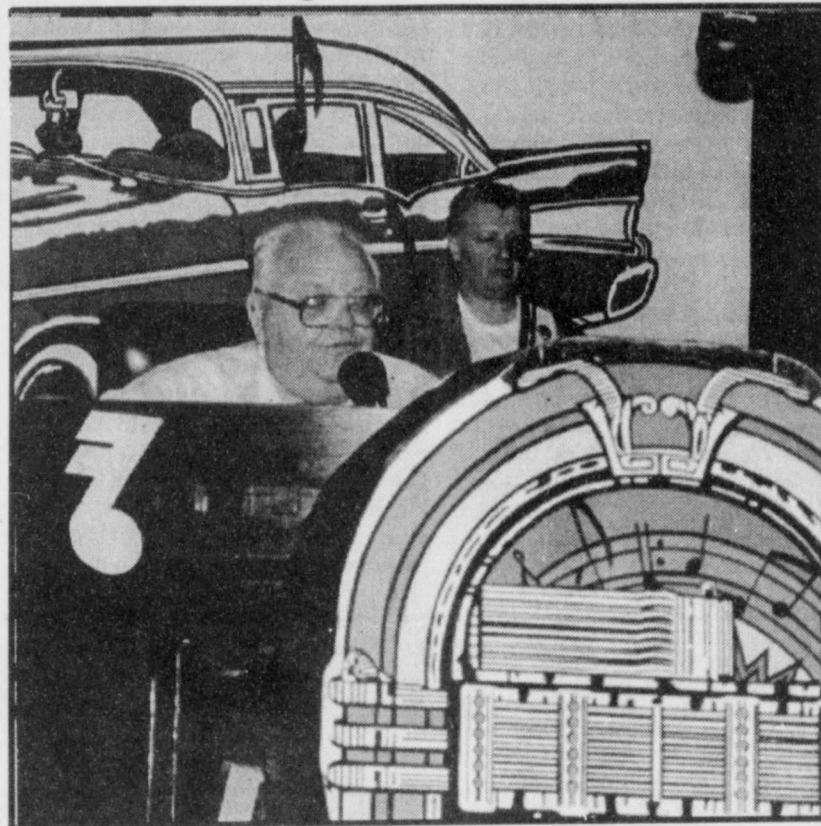
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SAM RICE was the disc jockey at "KCAR" during the Red River County Historical Society Bazaar last Saturday. It was all part of the Courthouse Players 50's Rock & Roll Show which played 4 times that day to packed houses. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

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**East Post Oak News**  
By Geneva Lee

The East Post Oak Fire Department will have their regular monthly meeting at the Fire Station Tuesday night, Oct. 15 at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

The annual "Turk" family reunion was held at the Post Oak Community Center Saturday. Those attending were; Richard and Jean Robbins of Stillwater, OK., Albert and Ann Turk of Paris, Robert and Vera Haas of Ft. Worth, Charles and Betty Turk of Springfield, MO., James and Dorothy Haney of Petty, Hollis Topping of Bagwell, Willis Taylor Finley of Longview, Lucille Hooker of Nacogdoches, Darlene Henson of Lufkin, Johnnie Lee, Charlotte Mills and Betty Low of Post Oak, Lorene Skidmore, Nancy Burchfield and Jimmy Skidmore of Sherman, Doris Baughn of Blossom, Gay and Lyndon Nix of Denison, Yvonne Morgan of Detroit, and Morris Nelms of Mt. Pleasant. All enjoyed the day and expressed interest in coming back next year. Some came for the first time.

Terri Williams of Paris took her dad and aunt, Newman Low and Geneva Lee to see their brother, Asa

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and Sue Low in De Soto last Thursday. Mr. Low passed away Thursday night. They along with Wilbourne Lee attended his funeral in Dallas on Saturday.

Charlotte Mills is staying at the Wilbourne Lee's while her mother, Pearl Mills is in the hospital. She remains in very serious condition.

Alma Stevens was in the hospital a couple of day last week.

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Have A Nice Weekend

Off to see the river...! or down the Red the hard way!

By James Crawford and Bill Pitts

On Friday, September 20, 1996, the fearless team of James Crawford and Bill Pitts of Blossom set off for their adventure down the Red River. The following is a true account of their adventures.

9:20 a.m. first day Friday, September 20, 1996:

We met at Bill and Barbra Pitts home in Blossom about 8:00 a.m. and had things placed in the pickups, hooked up Bill's 17 foot bass boat with 40 HP motor and left for the Red River, north of Clarksville. After finding the launch site at Mr. Greens, north of Clarksville by Highway 37 bridge. (We had talked to Mr. Green on Wednesday night in Oklahoma, he told us that he had a loading place back of his place on the river.) It was about 200 yards back down through high grass and crooked over some deep rocks. We back the boat first and placed things like we needed them and then loaded my 10 foot flat bottom boat and covered it with canvas and straps and then backed it down and unloaded and tied it to the back of Bill's boat.

We set off down the Red River at 9:55. After 3-1/2 hours of not seeing much to report, we saw a small boy sitting on the hood of a pickup. The water was pretty swift and flowing. Bill put up the umbrella around 2:15. He had enjoyed it for a few minutes, when the wind picked it up out of it's holder and before we could turn around, it sank; in less than 10 seconds. Five hours and 22 minutes, we saw Highway 259 bridge at 3:12.

Everything else went well for the rest of the day and we stopped about 5:10 to make camp. The clouds started to build up very quickly and by 5:45, it was raining, hailing and blowing wind. We were soaked. We dried and cleaned up and by then the storm had returned and we were soaked again. At 1:30 a.m., I got up and sat up the rest of the night. Bill put on his

rain suit and laid on a wet mattress.

Saturday, September 21-6:30 a.m.

We got up about 6:30 a.m. and cooked sausage and eggs for breakfast and then loaded up and left camp about 9:20 a.m. We put both paddles on the boat to hang and dry out things. We placed foam rubber sleeping pads (mattress) on the top of the cargo to dry out. After 3 hours, at about 12:30, we went under Highway 8 bridge north of New Boston. We kept going until 3:15 and hung upon a sand barge, but got off and came on. Had some trouble trying to find a place to camp and around 5:30 finally settled on one and threw out 5 lines that Bill had made and about 4 hooks on each line, thinking we might catch breakfast.

Sunday, September 22-5:00 a.m.

Up at 5:00 a.m. with the water rising and about 6 foot from the tent. It was very foggy and damp. We ate and started loading. We had to move the tent twice before we could load and get going. We saw trees 30 to 40 feet long rushing past and the water/trees had wiped out the throw lines. We found one and had to watch for trash and dodge things as we went in our way very slowly about 12 mph. At 9:10 we went under Highway 59 and 71 north of Texarkana, then about 11:50 we went under Highway 67 and 130. Saw a flock of pelican about 4:00 and hung up 4 times on sand bars. The water pump quit pumping water on motor, so Bill cleaned sand out and got it going. We stopped for the night about 5:30 and ate and made camp and slept good for the night clear and cool.

Monday, September 23-6:30 a.m.

Bill had lost his teeth and glasses the night before somewhere and finally found them the next morning. Cooked bacon, eggs and hash brown biscuits and honey for breakfast. Sure was good. Saw a large ripple coming from toward us and finally a beaver

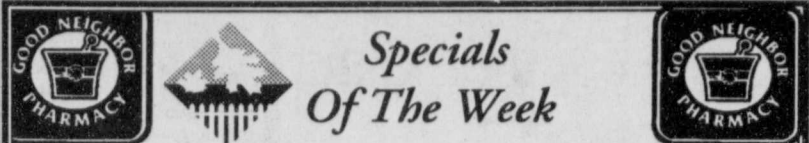
stuck his head up, he was going upstream. Cleaned up and left at 8:55. There was no fog this morning and a beautiful day to be on the river. 12:30 saw us under Highway 160 bridge east of Atlanta. There was a good boat ramp on both sides of the river. Stopped to fish at 1:20 with Bill catching a bass which we ate for supper that night. By 4:15, we stopped for camp. A beautiful night with a full moon shining.

Tuesday, September 24-4:00 a.m.

Up at 4 a.m. it was raining again and the water was still rising about 2 foot a night. By 7:30 we were out of there, wet as we could be and all our clothes and gear soaked. Almost to the end of the trip. Reached the boat ramps in Bossier, Louisiana at 11:45. Unloaded the boats as we could and laid out the stuff to dry. Mae and Barbra found us about 12:25. We were sure glad to see them drive up. We were gritty with sand, dirt and sweat. A man came over to visit and found out he was with the Texas Parks and Wildlife. He told us that we could call or write for a map of the Red River and also they plan to eventually build boat ramps up Red River like the ones to the south which were concrete and very nice.

Barbara called Barksdale Inn and made reservations for the 4 of us for the night. We had a nice room. I was concerned that the drains might stop up from all of the grit and dirt, but they did not. I figure that it took us about 36 hours on the river, not counting the time spent stopped to camp.

We suggest if you try this you will need: water tight tent-put clothes and things in plastic sealed bags to use daily. Sleeping bag and sleeping gear in dry bags, flashlights, easy to prepare foods, telephone in case of emergency or just to call wife or family! (They like to keep up) rubber boots and be organized!



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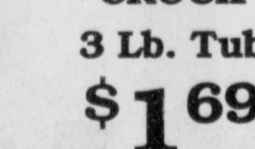
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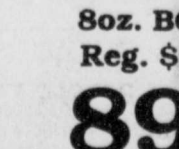
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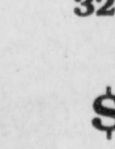
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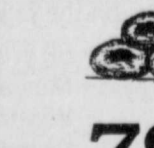
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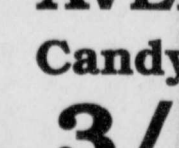
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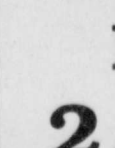
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**3 FAMILY YARD SALE:** Saturday, October 12, 8 until noon. Hwy. 271 South to 15400, 1 mile west of Deport. Jimmy Lee's residence (old city lake). Furniture, household items, decorations, too much to list. 10-10

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, 8 a.m. until ?? 2.5 miles S.E. of Pattonville on Hwy. 271. Lots of kids clothes, gas range and dryer, baby swing and stroller. 10-10

**5 FAMILY GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, October 12, 7:30 until ?? Floy Williams residence, 406 Trail St., Deport. 10-10

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, October 12, Noble Street, Deport. Billie Francis and Kathy Figueroa. 10-10

**HUGE GARAGE SALE:** Clothes, furniture, toys, miscellaneous, violin, Fender base guitar, 18hp lawn tractor, 20' gooseneck stock trailer, '94 Hyundai Excell, '85 GMC pickup. Friday, 8 to 7; Saturday 7 to 10. Lone Star community off Hwy. 37, 2nd brick house on left past cemetery, look for signs. 632-5353. 10-10

**PORCH SALE:** Friday, October 11, 308 N. Main, Bogata. Dixie Stringfellow. 10-10

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, October 12, 8 a.m. Love seat, table and chairs, other furniture, some clothes, wagon wheel light fixtures, miscellaneous. Danny Hines, 2 miles off 37 on FM411, formerly Carl Gene Baker's. 10-10

**LOST & FOUND**  
**FOUND:** Tailgate molding for Ford pickup. Call 652-4205 to identify. nc

**FOUND:** Gold pin at old Deport Cemetery. Wednesday, Oct. 2. 10-10nc

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### From The Pastor's Heart

#### Hand-Me Down Parenting

Although being a parent is one of the most important jobs in the world, it is one for which we get almost no formal preparation. Instead, we train on the job with a strong tendency to parent the way we were parented.

Take from your upbringing those practices you want to continue in your family. If prayers were said before meals in your childhood home, if discipline was a teacher tool and not punitive, and if encouragement was freely given, you have a good example to follow.

Two questions may help you: How can I be the kind of mother or father I would like to have for a parent? How can I create the kind of home I would like to grow up into?

Your answers will help you decide what to accept and what to reject from your own upbringing. Your home is where the groundwork is laid for your child to think of God not as a cold, harsh judge but as a kind, compassionate parent.

- If children live with criticism, they learn to condemn.
If they live with hostility, they learn to fight.
If they live with ridicule, they learn to be shy.
If they live with tolerance they learn to be patient.
If they live with encouragement, they learn to appreciate.
If they live with security, they learn to have faith.
If they live with acceptance and friendship, they learn to find love in the world.

Being a good parent is not difficult; it just takes a little time. That is the key in everything worthwhile, take the time your children are worth.

One question always asked is: "How do I discipline my child?" As stated last week, discipline does not mean punishment. There are times when a person deserves to be punished because they have gone outside the laws and rules of society.

This is exactly the way God deals with God's children. God takes the time to discipline us because God thinks we deserve to learn better.

There are things that happen to us that we stick God with the blame, but that is not fair. God does not control us, not as we try to control our children.

Joe and Shannon Barrentine of Pattonville and Tony and Kathy Corso of Deport visited Eran and Mary Yoder Sunday.

Mabel Pearson of Marshall spent Friday with her sister and husband, Elizabeth and Holland Bell.

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E. Sam Campbell

### Willie Mae Speir Honored On 87th Birthday

Willie Mae Speir was honored on her 87th birthday Saturday afternoon by her six children Jan Hurst, Mary Lou Mantooth, Sam, Charles, Jim & Andy Speir and their spouses and 13 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren & 1 great-great grandchild, with a picnic style dinner at the home of Mary Lou Mantooth.

Also attending were her brothers, Robert and Austin Westbrook, Austins Daughter Mary & D.A. Willson, Boyd & Clydell Westbrook, Mary Westbrook, Estelle Chesshire, Kathrin Campbell, Gary & Carole Nixon, Mr. & Mrs. Barry Lewis, Jennifer Dorsey, Teresa's friend Tammi, Members of her Sunday School Class Dorothy Holt, Thelma Shelby, Juanita Primm, Purna Haydock, Alice Bumgarner and Linnie Bailey

### Activities organized for area seniors

On October 1, a covered dish luncheon was held at the United Methodist Church for the purpose of organizing activities for the senior citizens of the area.

Meetings will be held the first Tuesday of each month. Activities will be varied and will be announced prior to the meeting times.

### Milton News By Mattylu Upchurch

Kay Woodard and Tim Parks of Faught had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. James Holt on Sunday.

John Pettit of DeSoto, Ronny Pettit of Irving and Zon Wren of Garland visited Mr and Mrs. Bob Marshall over the weekend.

Mary Yoder and Matthew were in Royce City Saturday to watch the Prairiland volleyball team play.

Sam Boren of Albuquerque, NM visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch this last week.

Phillip and Susan Roach and Beth and Cory Spray of Reno went to the Mesquite Rodeo on Sunday.

Mamie Kennedy of Bogata Nursing Home and Kenda Blackburn of Sylvan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Allen.



### MJC News

By Becky Owens 784-7811

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ballard of Quitman visited with Larry and Edith Woodall of Clardy on Sunday.

Mallory, Hielly and Jake Owens spent Sunday afternoon with their grandparents, Ernie and Jean Ogden of Hopewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kuhle, April and Ashley all of Clarksville.

Mike Gustin visited with Tab More Thursday evening.

Becky, Mallory and Hielly and Jake Owens were in Paris Saturday morning to watch Hoot Newman play football.

Mike, Rhonda and Sydney Gustin spent Saturday at Randy and Tammy Skidmore's home west of Paris. They enjoyed riding horses and lunch at Sirloin Stockage.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kuhle, April and Ashley all of Clarksville.

Bob Harrell attended Rodney Harrells baseball game on Saturday night.

Nelda Harrell and Reagan and Ryan Harrell visited the nursing home on Saturday and took Palijo Coker to McDonalds.

Bob and Nelda Harrell and Reagan Harrell had Saturday morning breakfast and Bethel Baptist Church and later went out and hung door knockers for the Bill Glass celebration.

Mike Gustin spent the week roping at various area arenas. On Monday Mike roped at Scott McCloure home arena in Shady Grove. On Thursday Gary Glossup joined them.

Friday night the roping was at Jimmy Walker's arena Powderly.

Richard Jones and Shane Wilson went fishing on Sunday afternoon.

Saturday Troy and Betty Owens

attended the Sulphur Springs Bull Fest and had dinner at K Bob's that evening.

Becky Mallory Hielly and Jake Owens had dinner with Troy and Betty Owens on Thursday.

Bill and Mary Lou Coe celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary on October 1 with their children and grandchildren. Those attending were Gerald and Shelly Briggie, Jerry and Jarrod, Chris and Taunya Lewis, Tara and Kim, Billy Coe, Brad and Christi Coe, Brandi, Colten and Katelin.

Michelle and Niki Wilson participated in the Life Chain in Paris Sunday afternoon.

On Tuesday Bill and Mary Lou Coe attended Jerry Briggles football game and North Lamar.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Nelda Harrell and family this week as her mother, Palijo Coker a stroke on Sunday.

### Deport class officers, class favorites named

Class officers and class favorites for 1996-97 have been chosen at Deport Junior High School.

They are as follows:

Class Favorites

Eighth grade: Crystal Davis and David Newman.

Seventh grade: Kami Hudson and Charlie Lawrence.

Sixth grade: Lacy Davis and Zach Renfro.

5-1: Sarah Tubbs and Timothy Cox.

5-2: Mandy Weddle and Kevin Gilbert.

4-1: Whitney Turner and Spur Norwood.

4-2: Johnna Patterson and Brent Burden.

3-1: Caralyn Corso and Justin Wright.

3-2: Leah Boren and Weston Drinnon.

2-1: Brandi Swint and Justin Miller.

2-2: Kalee Graham and A.J. Syrus.

1-1: Kayshia Ballard and Ben Dickinson.

1-2: Lisa Barnes and Landon Syrus.

K-1: Kaylee Miller and Layton Norwood.

K-2: Danci Smith and Landry Packard.

Class Officers

Eighth grade:

President ..... Crystal Davis

Vice-president .... Sue Ellen Barnes

Secretary ..... Drew Riddles

Treasurer ..... Stanley Cox

Reporter ..... David Newman

Seventh grade:

President ..... Stoney Musgrove

Vice-president ... Charlie Lawrence

Secretary ..... Jackie Thompson

Treasurer ..... Kelli Clarkson

Reporter ..... Kara Screws

Sixth grade:

President ..... Nathan Burden

Vice-president ..... Zach Renfro

Secretary ..... Amanda Ball

Treasurer ..... Lacy Davis

Reporter ..... Burke Burnett

### UMW meets October 7 with Margaret Parks

The United Methodist Women met October 7 in the home of Margaret Parks for their regular meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Lucille Couch Pickering.

Ten members answered roll call. Juanita Sparks gave the devotional, "A Prayer For You."

A report was given on the meal for Paris Junior College students. Forty-nine students were served by the society.

Virginia Kirkland brought the lesson using two chapters from "The

Seasons of Life" by Charles Swindell. She chose Chapter 14 from Romans as the scripture background. She stated that Christians are not perfect, just forgiven.

She quoted Ruth Graham's saying "It's my job to love Billy, it's God's job to make him good."

The meeting adjourned with the Mizpah. The next meeting will be October 21 with Thelma Warren as leader and Juavence Carpenter as hostess.

The hostess and Juanita Sparks served a sandwich and dessert plate.

### Sunday School class elects officers

The Winmore Sunday School class met at the home of their teacher, Yuba Sparks, for a salad supper.

Fifteen class members attended and after the meal elected officers for the new year. Yuba retired after many years of teaching and Jane Westbrook will be the teacher for next year. A good time of fellowship was had by all.



Cody Crossland

### Cody Crossland Celebrates 2nd Birthday

Cody Crossland celebrated his 2nd Birthday last Saturday, October 5th at his home in Pattonville. The theme was Toy Story and Winnie The Pooh. His cake was decorated with a 4-wheeler mudding in the woods.

Those attending were Cody's Mom & Dad, Thomas & Katie Crossland, his uncle Keith Crossland, his grandparents Bill & Marilyn Hearron of Shreveport, La., and friends Brandi & Aaron Fox of Cunningham, Cliff & Martha Enox and Lauren Burchinal of Paris, Kelly Anderson of Pattonville, Autumn Nation of Blossom, Gary & Kelly Melton and family of Paris, Rob & Page McCarty and family of Powderly and Theresa Bishop and family of Pattonville.

Everyone had a wonderful afternoon to remember for always.

Don't Forget to bring 2 quarters to the newsrack!

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