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I can understand a bite...but
half a bowl?

The life of a tour guide has its moments, apparently. Sometimes it must be hard not to laugh. Here are a couple of prime examples we heard about from our guide on recent vacation, Phil.

Phil usually directs groups of from 12 to 20 people instead of only three, like we were.

On one tour he had to take a woman to the hospital...she was really, really sick. It turned out that she had checked in to her hotel room, noticed a little bowl of "nibbles" and proceeded to eat half a bowl full of them. She commented to her husband that they didn't taste very good, but kept right on eating. It was only after she began to have a serious stomach ache that the matter came under investigation. It was no wonder that the nibbles didn't taste very good. It was pot pourri, not food! The end result of eating scented wood shavings and flower blossoms was three or four days in a hospital instead of touring!

Now I can understand tasting the pot pourri (I suppose) but I can't understand continuing to choke down something that doesn't taste good!

Sometimes problems or funny things happen simply because of a language gap. Even though Americans are supposed to speak English, it isn't always the same English that the Brits speak!

An example? There was a woman on tour with Phil's group once that had an infected finger. Phil told the rest of the group that she had been taken to surgery.

The group gasped in horror. Phil said he kept hearing them "She's gone into SURGERY", "We didn't know it was THAT BAD". Finally, he tried to assure that it wasn't serious, all was well. You see, in the United Kingdom you don't go to the doctor's office, you go to the doctor's surgery! It's what they call a doctor's office! There was great relief when they discovered the woman was being wheeled into the operating theater.

Then there was the poor woman who within three days couldn't find anyone on tour to sit and eat with her because she spent the whole meal detailing her surgeries and illnesses. People soon shunned her as if she had the plague.

Phil sat near her one night and was the victim of one of those English/American communication problems. The English don't know the word zucchini...they use a french word instead.

After the plates were placed in front of everyone the woman who yelled across the room to him. "Phil, my zucchini is RAW". The poor man said thoughts raced through his head at an alarming rate. What portion of the human anatomy was called the zucchini? Why was it raw? Did he really want to know? All he could think to do was mumble "I'm sorry" and tuck his head down.

"No, Phil, I mean my zucchini is completely raw!" she screamed back.

That's when he put his foot in his mouth and replied "Well, do you need a doctor?" You can imagine the hilarity as the Americans laughed at him. It took quite a bit of explaining and cross referencing before Phil discovered that a zucchini was a squash, not a portion of the human body!

Bereaved Parents picnic set for June 9

The annual Bereaved Parent picnic will be held Monday, June 9 at 6:30 p.m. at 1210 Mockingbird Lane, Paris. Call 785-6613. Balloons will be at Pine Mill and Mockingbird and in front of the house.

Bring your children and invited guests. This is our annual get together for sharing food, fellowship and friendship. Bring a covered dish. Paper goods, silverware and drinks will be furnished.



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Deport and Pattonville Vol. Fire Dept.s responded to a trailerhouse fire Sunday morning. The trailer occupied by Jeanne Womack located three miles S.W. of Deport on FM 1501 caught fire in a bathroom in the southwest part of the home. Ms Womack was home at the time and called for help. The trailer suffered an undetermined amount of damage to the wiring and plumbing before the volunteers extinguished the fire.



JUST ENJOYING the breeze, the fun and the visiting with old friends! There was quite a crowd of people at Milton Homecoming Sunday as they sat under the old oak trees, talked, visited, ate and generally enjoyed the day. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

Milton Homecoming is well attended

The Milton Homecoming was well attended Sunday at the Milton Cemetery Pavilion.

Attending were Jerry Harvey, Amanda and Elisa of Plano; Raymond and Jessie Spears of Quitman; Bill and Addie Marcum of Broken Bow, OK; Mr. and Mrs. Benton Marcus of Oklahoma City; James R. Gray of Pattonville; Deanna Gray Flores of Ft. Worth; Lee Marcum Long of Dallas; Andy and Thelma Harvey Krawczyk of Irving; Bonnie Dee Shuford and Hugh Shuford of Vancouver, WA; J.C. and Mildred Harvey of Idabel, OK; Clyde and Ruby Fay Harvey of Clarksville;

H.R. Upchurch of McDougal, AR; Leah Schroeder of Carrollton; Edward and Bobbie Hill of Little Rock, AR; Matthew and Kellye Hill and Morgan of Little Rock, AR; Billy and Kay Woodard of Faught; Tim Parks of Faught; Mary Jackson, Hattie Hobbs, Dale Williams and Haley, Buddy and Sue Malone, Weldon and Zora Murphy, all of Paris; Ann and Sheldon Lee, John Manley Temple, Morris and Mary Elaine Lawler, Bill and Mattylu Upchurch, James and Dorothy Holt, Johnny Holt, Red Matthews, Christopher Holt, all of Milton and Amy Grissom.

Fulbright Church of Christ to hold VBS

The Fulbright Church of Christ invites everyone to Vacation Bible School June 9, 10 & 11 from 9:00 a.m. til 11:00 a.m.. Ages 2 years through high school.

Come out and enjoy the fun and learning.

Basketball camp is June 9-12 at Prairiland

Prairiland will host a girls basketball camp June 9-12 from 1 to 4 p.m. for third through ninth grade girls.

Camp T-shirts and awards will be given. Cost of the camp is \$35.00. For information, contact Frankye Sessums at 652-5681 or 982-5935.

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Thunder Prairie Publishing, publishers of the Deport Times, Bogata News, Talco Times, Detroit Weekly and Blossom Times has a new FAX number. To send a fax from now on you need to call 652-6041.

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Osteoporosis program set at St. Joseph's Family Clinic

"Osteoporosis: Its Effects and Treatments" will be the topic of a special program to be presented here Wednesday, June 11.

The program, free and open to the public, will be held at St. Joseph's Family Clinic, 143 Main St., from 10-11 a.m. and will be presented by Tania Jaeger, program coordinator at St. Joseph's Lifestyle Resource Center in Paris. Refreshments will be served.

Osteoporosis, Ms. Jaeger said, is a

disease that weakens bones and increases the risk of fracture, especially of the spine, wrists and hips. It affects more than 25 million Americans, she added, with four out of five of those affected being women. More than 1.3 million osteoporosis-related fractures occur each year.

Susan Scholz, RN, CFNP, serves as nurse practitioner at the Deport Clinic and Agnes Xavier, M.D., sees patients at the clinic one day a week.



People and Things

There will be a wedding shower for Wendy Peek, bride elect of Matt Brunson, in the Fellowship Hall of the Fulbright Baptist Church on Saturday, June 14 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Don't forget Fulbright Homecoming is Sunday, June 8 at the community center in Fulbright. Bring a lunch and come and enjoy visiting.

There will be a wedding shower for Penny Whittle and James Elrod on June 8th from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Abundant Life Church in Minter. Selections are at Wal Mart and Pratt's Craft Mall.

Don't forget the sand volleyball tournament for men and mixed (4 only) Saturday, June 21. Money will go for the Plainview Clardy Community Center. The games are \$10.00 a head. To sign up contact David Skidmore at 785-1058.

Fulbright reunions scheduled

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The descendants of John and Annie Evans Rhodes will meet at the American Legion Building on Sunday, June 8 for a family reunion.

Saturday, June 7

The annual Fulbright School Reunion will be held at Rocking W Bar-B-Que in Paris from 11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Lunch will be served from the menu.

*The Cuthand United Methodist Youth will hold a garage sale at the church at Cuthand. Follow the signs. Beginning at 7:00 a.m. Proceeds will go to the Summer Camp and youth fund.

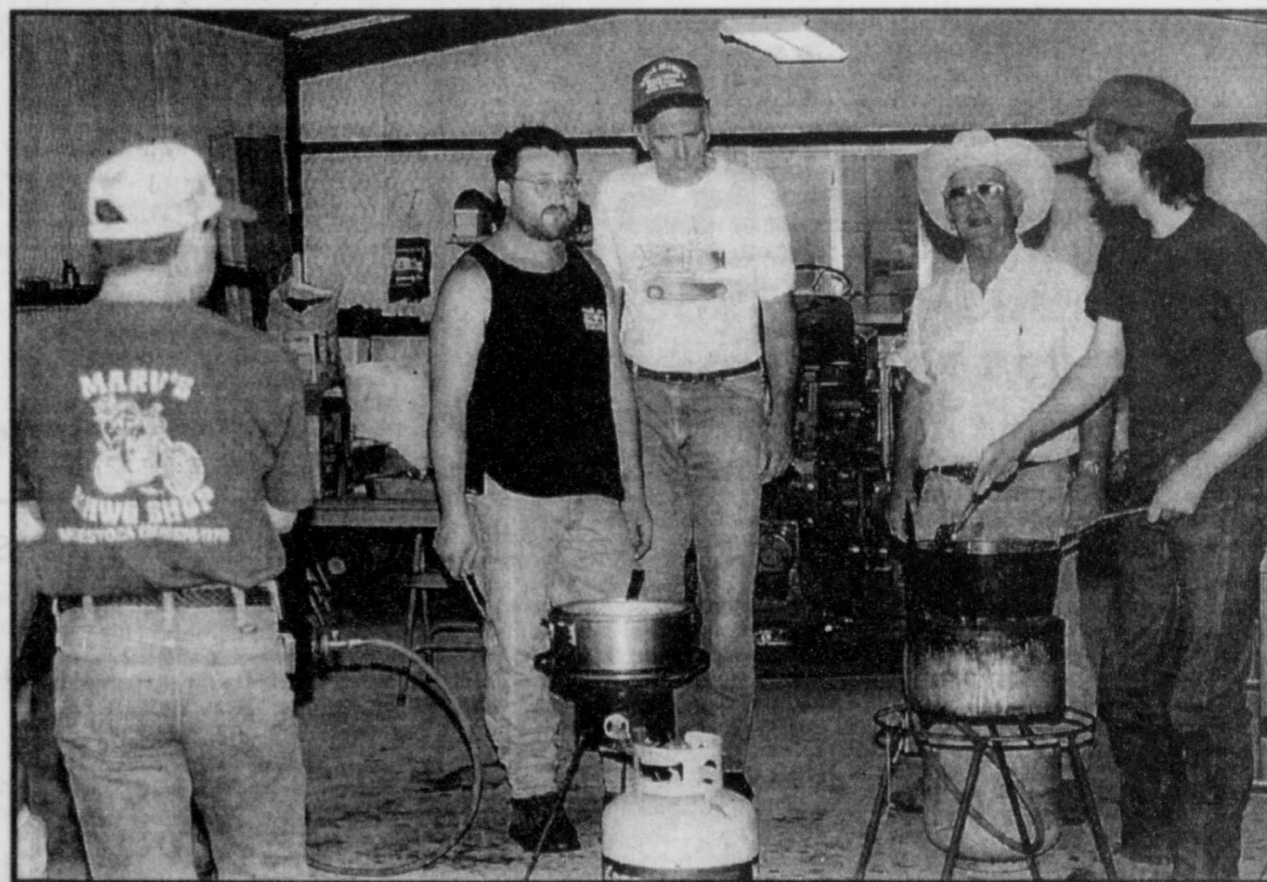
Sunday, June 8

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Calvin Day is winner in "Honkers" rally

Calvin Day of Pattonville won first place in the spark plug changing contest at the Red River Valley Honkers 27th annual Automobile Show held Saturday, May 17 at PJC.

Day changed the plugs with a score of 45.7 seconds. Gene Bryant of Pattonville took second place with 46.9 seconds.



FISH FRY-the Deport Volunteer Firefighters and their families were treated to a fish fry with all the trimmings by the James Wood Family last Friday night. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

All Police Rodeo ready to go

Lamar County Crime Stoppers will hold their eighth annual All Police Rodeo Friday, June 6th at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, June 7th at 7:30 p.m. at the Paris Rodeo and Horse Club Arena at the Lamar County Fairgrounds.

Advance tickets are \$4 and at the gate \$5. Children under 12 get in free. Proceeds go to fund and benefit Lamar Co. Crime Stoppers. This is a full twelve event rodeo and all contestants are full time peace officers. There will be Calf Scrambles, Mexican Poker, Bull Fighting, Clowns, the Blackland Band and more. Call Todd Varner at 737-4111 for more information.



EDITOR'S QUOTES

The light of friendship is like the light of phosphorus, seen plainest when all around is dark.

Crowell

Cunningham Homecoming scheduled

The annual Cunningham Homecoming will be held June 28, 1997. The meal will cost \$6.00 and the deadline for payment is June 15. Please mail checks to Jane O'Neal. No notices will be mailed.

Please notify everyone you know about the homecoming. For more information call Jane O'Neal at (903)652-6062 or Geneva Norwood at (903) 652-3141.

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FEATURED COOK of the WEEK is Virene Golden of Detroit. Virene is retired from Southwestern Bell after 38 years of service. She came back to her hometown of Detroit to enjoy her retirement



Country Cooking

If there is someone you'd like to see in the Country Cooking column, call 982-5829. Look for us on the internet!

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Our featured cook this week is from Detroit and has been a resident of this area for the past 8 years. She is Virene Golden and retired from 36 years with Southwestern Bell in Dallas. She now devotes her time to her yard, doing volunteer work and the First Baptist Church of Detroit.

While visiting with Virene, I found that we had something in common. It seems that she is a twin also. Where I have a twin brother and do not look anything alike, she and her sister favor a lot. Her other sister, Betty Wright of Detroit, is the one who recommended Virene as the featured cook. Virene denies any culinary skills, but Betty says different. Virene and I also teamed up and decided that Betty needs to be featured in this column, as she is one of Detroit's finer cooks also.

Virene enjoys her volunteer work at the Clarksville Hospital on Thursdays and says that keeps her

busy.

She has submitted several recipes for us to try and they really sound delicious. The **Lasagna** recipe will be a sure hit for anyone to sample.

Mexican Luncheon just needs a salad and it is a meal in it's self. It freezes well and makes a great make-ahead dish!

I can't wait to make the **Sausage Dressing**. She uses Jimmy Dean Hot Sausage to add that little extra zing!

The **Bueberry Pie** recipe will surely be a favorite among you dessert lovers with the added nutty-flavored topping.

Sparkling Fruit Salad sounds like a great dish for holidays for the lazy summer days to cool off. Pull out your crystal dessert bowls for that added touch.

Lime Jello Salad can be used with other flavors of jello and is another great make-ahead recipe as well as the **Pistachio Salad**.

Obituaries

John Newton Keith dies May 27

John Newton Keith, age 77 of Bogata died Tuesday, May 27 in Red River Healthcare Center, Bogata.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 30 under the pavilion of Bogata Cemetery. Wood Funeral Home made burial in Bogata Cemetery.

Mr. Keith was born October 25, 1919 in the Glendale community of Red River County, the son of William Henry and Eleanor Rocanna Chesshir Keith. He married Hester Lee Kennedy August 9, 1945 in Texarkana. He was a retired millwright with Champion Paper Company of Houston.

He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army Air Corps. Surviving are his wife, Hester Keith of Bogata; a daughter, Beverly Babb of Houston; a son, Brian Keith of Deer Park; two sisters, Billie Nolen of Clarksville and Lucille Williams of California; three grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Virginia Whitten dies May 24

Virginia Whitten died on May 24, 1997 in Austin, Texas. She was born July 1, 1925 in High, Texas, the youngest of nine children of A.B. and Ruth Coleman White. She married Sam Whitten of Bogata on Memorial Day fifty years ago. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1986.

She was the Librarian at Eanes Elementary School for 20 years. She was a member of the Texas Library Association and was an active member or the T.L.A. Legislative Committee for a number of years.

Mrs. Whitten is survived by her children; Lynn and her husband, Jim Butler of Austin, Jeff of Blowing Rock, North Carolina, Jill and her husband, Robert Proctor of Takoma Park, Maryland and Holly and her husband, Michael Gibson, of Austin and by her eldest brother, Robert A. White of Houston. Carol Ward and Glenda Corbell of Bogata are nieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Corbell of Bogata attended the memorial service which was held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 28 at University Methodist Church in Austin.

Card of Thanks

The family of Virgil Tolbert wishes to thank everyone for their expressions of sympathy during our loss.

The Tolbert Family

Health and intellect are the two blessings of life.

—Menander

Card of Thanks

Thanks to the personnel of Deport School, Miss Ina and Nina Sparks, Buddy Freeman, L.C. Stout, the sixth, seventh and eighth grade classes and many others for the cards, flowers, gifts, calls and best wishes for my retirement.

Juanita Davis

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Lasagna

1 pound sausage
2 cans tomato sauce
1/4 teaspoon garlic
1 teaspoon basil
1/2 teaspoon oregano
6 lasagna noodles
1 small carton cottage cheese
2 eggs
3/4 cup parmesan cheese
1/4 cup parsley

Brown sausage and add tomato sauce, garlic powder, basil and oregano and simmer 30 minutes. Cook noodles and layer noodles, sauce and parmesan mix. Cover with mozzarella cheese and bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

Mexican Luncheon

1 pound hot pork sausage
1 cup chopped onion
1 cup chopped green pepper
2 cups uncooked macaroni
1/2 cup milk
1 cup sour cream
1 can whole tomatoes-drained/chopped
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 teaspoon salt
1-3/4 cup shredded cheese

Saute sausage, onion and green pepper in heavy iron skillet until sausage is done; drain any excess grease off. Combine sausage mixture with ingredients; reserving 3/4 cup cheese. Spoon mixture into a lightly greased 2 quart casserole. Sprinkle with remaining cheese and bake 350 degrees for 20 to 25 minutes or until bubbly.

Sausage Dressing

1 pound sausage
1 cup celery
1 cup chopped onion
1 good size pan of cornbread
1/2 loaf bread-toasted/crumbled
2-3 eggs
1-1/2-2 tablespoon sage
black pepper to taste
broth to consistency

Cook sausage with onion and celery. Crumble breads and mix with sausage mixture. Combine other ingredients and enough broth for proper consistency. Bake at 350 degrees until golden brown around edges.

Blueberry Pie

8 ounce package cream cheese
2 tablespoons milk
1 box powdered sugar
2 envelopes Dream Whip
fresh or canned blueberries
Pie shell:

Cherry Delight Salad

1 can Eagle Brand milk
1 large Cool Whip
1 large can pineapple chunks-drained
1 can mandarin oranges-drained
1 can cherry pie filling
1 cup chopped nuts

Mix together and refrigerate. Add a few drops of red food coloring for more color.

Pistachio Nut Salad

1 box pistachio pudding mix
1 large can drained crushed pineapple
1 carton cottage cheese-small
1 carton Cool Whip
1 can mandarin oranges-drained
1 cup mini marshmallows
1 cup nuts-chopped

Combine pineapple and dry pudding mix. Stir until well blended; add remaining ingredients. Chill and serve

Sparkling Fruit Salad

1-3 ounce package raspberry jello
1 cup boiling water
1/2 cup reserved juice from fruit
1-11 ounce can Mandarin oranges-drained
1-8 ounce can pineapple chunks-drained
1-16 ounce can whole cranberry sauce
1/2 cup pecans-chopped

Dissolve jello in boiling water and add juices. Chill until thickness of unbeaten egg. Add cranberry sauce, fruit and pecans. Pour into 2 quart serving bowl.

Lime Jello Salad

1 small can crushed pineapple
1 box lime jello
1 cup small marshmallows
1 cup cottage cheese
1 cup chopped nuts
1 small carton whipped cream

Combine pineapple and jello. Heat until dissolved; then cool. Add marshmallows, cottage cheese and nuts. Cool. Fold in the whipped cream. Any flavor jello may be used. Be sure cream is whipped before folding into mixture.

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Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
652-6051

The youth from Fulbright Baptist Church are at church camp this week. Those on the trip are Lucy Beatty, Deborah and Cy Guthrie, Devin Peek, Kristina Smith, Josephine Smith, Kyle Mauldin, Kayna Mauldin, Delores McCury, Kay Peek and Bro. Larry Solice.

High School on Friday night. Their grandson and nephew, Dru Denison was Saltatorian of this years class. They also attended graduation exercises at North Lamar on Saturday night. Their granddaughter and niece was a member of the graduation there.

Happy Birthday to Jennifer and Rachel Phosay.

Betty Rodgers, Monte and Shelley Rodgers were in Orange on Memorial Day weekend visiting relatives.

Those attending Corey Miller's graduation exercises were Donny and Randy Miller, Brandon and Torsta Miller, Beryl Jean Miller, Kerry, Carla and Jeremy King, Mark Howard, Mindy and Amanda Nichols, Marie Legate, Mary Fitzgerald and James and Johna Oldfield. Refreshments were served at the home of Randy and Donna Miller following graduation exercises.

This weekend they and Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga and Bernice Thomas attended the Rodgers reunion in Seymour.

Seventeen young people and adults from the Church of Christ attended Six Flags Monday.

The monthly community meeting was held at the center Monday evening. The building was cleaned and prepared for homecoming this coming Sunday.

Lana Harrison of Crockett and Linda Salter of Brady spent the weekend with their parents, Clovis and Katy VanDeaver. They all attended graduation exercises at Rivercrest

Mrs. Ethel Epps was in McCuiston Medical Center in Paris for a few days having some tests.

MR. and Mrs. Gaylor Cremeen of Springtown are the parents of a baby girl, named Kaylon. Grandparents are Bobby and Helen Cremeen of Springtown.

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RETIRING-Juanita Davis, Deport Junior High history, has retired. She has taught for 23 years at Deport, before that a year in Arlington. She was honored with a luncheon at the end of school. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



RETIRING-Martha Keep is retiring from Deport Junior High. She has taught math there for eighteen years. She taught a year at Clarksville before coming to Deport. She was honored with a luncheon at the end of the school year.



Billie and Horace Welch of Blossom celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Billie & Horace Welch to celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Billie Corbell and Horace Welch were married June 15, 1947 in Odessa, Texas in the Immanuel Baptist Church by Bro. Jimmuy Dolan. Their children and grandchildren will host the reception at the Civic Center in Blossom on June 15, 1997 from 2:00 till 5:00 p.m.

Their children are Sue and Bob Mairs, Ronald Welch and Mary Ann and Orley Elrod. Their grandchildren are Stephen and Brad Mairs, Kelly Welch and Clay Elrod. All friend and family are invited to attend. Your presence will be their gifts.

Rhodes-Morgan exchange vows

Sherry Marie Morgan of Jasper and Phillip Juan Rhodes of Denton were married in a private ceremony Saturday, May 3 on the Denton County Courthouse Lawn. Larry Nicholson officiated. The bride is the daughter of Gerry Wayne and Suzanne Morgan of Jasper. The groom is the son of Dale and Betty Saathoff of Altus, OK and the lae Juan Rhodes. He is the nephew of Ann Roberts, Dewayne Rhodes, Ray

Rhodes and Juanita Sparks. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. Attending the bride was Lori Armstrong, cousin of the bride of Austin. Greg Crawford of Denton was best man. The ringbearer was Brice Winter, nephew of the groom of Paris. A reception was held after the wedding on the Denton County Courthouse Lawn. The couple will reside in Denton.



GRADUATING-James Arthur Davis II graduated from Texas A&M Commerce on May 10th, 1997 with his Educational Doctorate in Educational Administration. Davis has served as an educator, counselor, assistant principal and principal. He is currently the Executive Director for Curriculum and Instruction for Rockwall ISD. James is the son of Sonny and Juanita Davis of Deport.

Kyle reunion held

Friends and family of the late Bewel and Mina Kyle and Morris Kyle held a family reunion on May 25 at the Deport American Legion Building.

There was food, fun, games and plenty of visiting among those attending.

Attending from Deport were Veste and Becky Miller, Deborah S. Matthews and Michael Frenzel. From Grand Prairie, Wallace and Donna Sullivan. From Bogata, Johnnie Kidd. From Houston, Chris and Carla Kern. From Gordonville, Chuck and Bettie Slaten. From Wylie, Barbara Epley.

From Archer City, James and Carol Kyle and Tiffany.

From Paris, Gwynn Woolum and Thoms Chambers, Jesse and Nellie Kyle, Virginia Cummings, Bobby and Pat Minter, Missy Partridge, Roger and Carolyn Ausmus and girls, Robert and Mellie Kyle, Teresa Smith, Jason and Jennifer Pruet, Chuck and Margarette Quaid, Glenn and Linda Kyle and girls, Billy D. Kyle, Sandra Anderson Tull, Brandy and Brian Anderson, Clyde, Kim, Amanda, Zachary, Joseph, Bradley Kyle and their granddaughter, Jerica.

Parks & Walker reunion held

The Parks & Walker reunion was held June 1 at the American Legion Building in Deport. A business session was opened by the president, Gerald Parks and prayer was given by Steven Davoust. A bountiful meal was spread at noon.

Attending were C.D. and Eulalah Hosey of Irving, Jerry and Joyce Allen of Blossom, Wayne and Linda Parks of Honey Grove, Louise Parks of Paris, Mary Parks of Deport, Mark Parks of Irving, W.E. Johnson of Deport, George and Roberta Parks of Irving, David, Tammy and Christine Blanton of Detroit, Robert and Pat Cheatham of Sumner, Keis, Steven, Kyle and Clay Davoust of Paris,

Shirley White of Paris, Janis Cotton of Emory, Gerald and Doris Parks of Paris, Jeanette Cotton of Commerce, Chad, Carol, Lacey and Brittain Coursey of Paris, Judy Booth and Geron Booth of Blossom, Melba Bestul and Mack Shannon of Paris, Carlous and LeJuan Newman of Irving, Wayne Taylor of Paris, Amy Prater of Paris and Betty and Shelbie Parks of Paris.

After lunch singing by the Davidson Sisters was enjoyed by all. Also photo albums were enjoyed, which were composed by Eulalah Hosey of Irving.

Plans were made to meet again in 1998.



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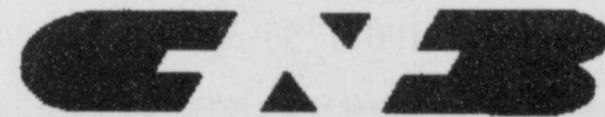
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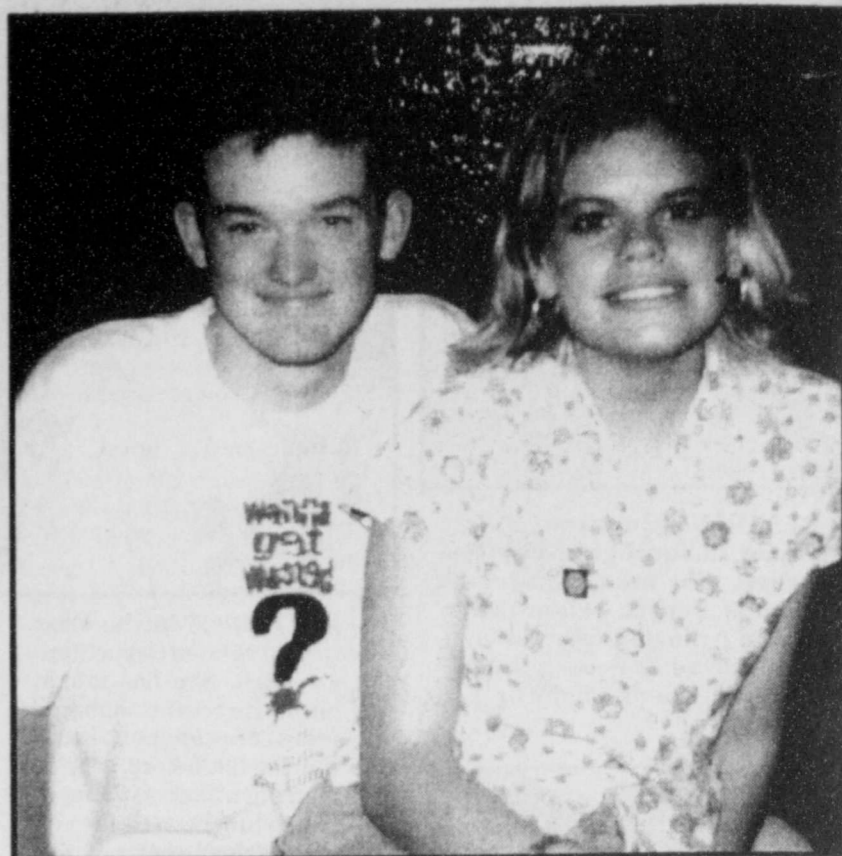


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Basketball camp to be held June 9-13

The Lady Rebel Basketball Camp will be held June 9-13 at Rivercrest gym from 8:00 am. until 12:00 noon daily. All Lady Rebels entering 3rd grade through the eighth grade are eligible to attend.

The camp activities include: combined teaching of ball handling skills, shooting techniques and defense. Passing, dribbling and situation drills will be taught daily. Each player will receive individual instruction. There will be daily shooting/ball handling competitions. Competition/Scrimmage day will be the last day of camp. Awards will be given to the

winner of the contests. Players will receive a camp basketball.

The camp director/staff will include Coach Debbie Williams assisted by Ben Connell, Tammie Case and Ex-High School players. Other coaches may assist.

The fee for the camp will be \$40.00. This fee is for the whole week and is due the first day of camp. If more than 1 family member signs up, they each get a \$10.00 discount.

For more information contact Coach Debbie Williams at Rivercrest High School 632-5204.

Northeast Texas Travelers meet

The Northeast Texas Travelers Car Club met at the home of Tommy and Denise Isom on Thursday night.

Attending were Buddy and Sue Malone, James McCarty and Lynn Bell of Paris, Wayne and Sally Reed of Clarksville, Charles and Susie

O'Neal, Frank and Brenda Wilson of Mt. Vernon, Curtis Swearingin of Mt. Pleasant and Juanita Davis, Hugh and Vicki Jeffus of Dep.ort.

Plans for the car show in October at the Civic Center in Mt. Pleasant were discussed.



Have A Nice Weekend

PATTONVILLE NEWS
By Rita Cox 784-0283 or 652-4205

Mark and Tonya Parsons, Haley and Ty of Rowlett spent the weekend with Keith and Peggy Parsons. Don't forget the sand volleyball tournament for men and mixed (4 only) Saturday, June 21. Money will go for the Plainview Clardy Community Center. The games are \$10.00 a head. To sign up contact David Skidmore at 785-1058. Ruby and Bill Blevins visitors were Mickey Keener and daughter Ashley and Alyssa Huppmin. Buster and Louise Crossland vis-

ited Mr. and Mrs. John Cleaver of Paris. E.C. Bogard and Howard Higdon visited Buster and Louise. Brandon Wright spent a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wright. Peggy and Don Gentry's daughter and grandson, Debi and John Mitchell of Kaufman visited and they went to Blake Gentry's birthday party Saturday. Stanley and Sheila, Stan and Timothy Cox, Justin Mounce went to watch the Rangers over the weekend.

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Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:
We hear a lot about child abuse, but seldom do we hear about parent abuse. Unfortunately, it is happening too. Your parents are responsible for you being here. They raised you to be a better person than to abuse anyone, especially one of them. Parents deserve respect for the pain and suffering they encountered while trying to raise you to be responsible adults. Sure, lots of parents have faults, but it is not your job to judge them, neglect them or abuse them for their faults. This is most definitely not the Christian way of living. The Christian way is to Love and Honor your Mother and Father, not neglect and abuse them. Neglect is a form of abuse. Treat your parents as you would like to be treated if you were old and infirm. Remember that if it was not for your parents you would not be alive. If you keep neglecting or abusing your parents, one day you will regret it. Parents that are not in good health should not be expected to take care of healthy children and grandchildren. Remember they won't always be around for you to neglect. Try to treat them the way you would like to be treated. Deborah S. Matthews.



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Depart Nursing Home News

By Candy Larkin



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Bible Study was provided by JaLynda Mitchell. Twenty two residents were present.

May 27th 16 residents were present to make a wonderful deluz pizza in their cooking class. Then they exercised their calories off.

Rolling lawn dice to victory was Harold Norris with 35 points; second place went to Nina Hale with 32 points, and Jimmy Middleton and Frankie Archibald tied with 31 points.

Aerobics were conducted by JaLynda Mitchell.

Wednesday, May 28th the Baptist women came and painted 11 resident's fingernails and gave manicures. Thanks, ladies. Eleven residents had their nails done and 9 residents watched "As the Red Fern Grow".

May 29th 13 residents came out to enjoy hot dogs, chips and chocolate cake and orange salad at our cookout.

Amy 29 several attended the resident council.

May 30th 24 residents attended Bible Study. MJune 1st Tony Corso was present to preach. 18 attended.

Mamie Fletcher is really missed and we are hoping she can return here soon.

We really appreciate all our volunteers for the valuable time they donate to us.

On May 30 a surprise party was given to JaLynda Mitchell by 21 residents. Soft drinks, popcorn and entertainment were provided. Also, a luncheon was prepared by her fellow employees.

JaLynda will be missed and we hope she comes and visits frequently.

June 2 22 residents came to win

prizes at bingo. All residents will win a prize before they leave. Thanks to Nanie Bell Ham for helping.

Johnnie Warren was visited by Lewis and Janice Ingram, Bocky Norman, Nell Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Con Ray of Tyler, Linda Ballard, Dakota and Jaylon Mitchell, Weldon and Joyce Wilson, Dorothy Holt, Stephen and Amanda Norman, nanie Bell Ham.

Frankie Archibald was visited by Cecil Allen, Margaret Alle, Maxine Foster.

Estelle Chesshire was visited by Cecil Allen, Margaret Allen, Jared Dobson, Owen Wright, Bobby Bailey, Imogene Wilson, Lessie Stuart, Jim Short, Jo Ann Haney, David and Denise Harbison, Alice Bumgarner, Linnie Bailey, Charles Rollins, Nanie Bell Ham, Joyce Wilson and Maxine Foster.

Angie Jewel Smith visited by Annie Smith, Barbara Merchant, Bubba Parra, Rovell and Karen Cherry, Richard and Shanna Cherry, Don Smith, Dale Smith and Sue Goley.

Pam Humphrey visited Genievieue Humphrey.

Cecil Allen visited David Geer and Don O'Dea.

M Lena Powell was visited by Sue, Corbin, Shelby Hart and Jamie Marlin.

Therman Frank, Marie Frank visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hignight. Ima Griffin was visited by Robin Frazier, Lawanda Chrry and Gay Eaton.

Maudine Lentz visited Bonnie Johnson, Bonnie was invited to attend a 50th wedding anniversary June 15.

Cecil Allen visited Terry Johnson. Cecil Allen, Peggy Parsons, Nina Sparks visited Floy Sparks.

Joyce McDonald, Pam Cash and Lynn Senn visited Trenn Senn.

Wynell Gilbreath visited Grace Griffin.

Sara Gilmer's visitors were Dewey and Marlene, Weldon and Joyce Smith, Jill, Corey, Sarena Owens.

Jacky and Larry Wilson visited their mom and dad, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson several times this week. Mmack McLemore visited Johnnie McLemore.

MMrs. Bailey and Ruby Blevins went to Alice Bumgarner's house Saturday for dinner.

Dewayne and Virginia Rhoades, Andy Gurtrude Hammett visited Raymond and Edith Crawford.

Stanley Addy and Sara Flinn visited Arnold Ribble.

George Powell was visited by Jamie Martin.

Weldon and Joyce Smith visited Milow Hume.

Happy Birthday goes to George Powell on the 13th and Rose Simpson on the 18th and Dorthea McDowra on the 25th.

Employees birthday are Gene Fields, Tammy Aubrey, Carol Watkins, Shirley Haskell and Pat Rozell and Misty Vandiver.

Activities this week will consist of Bible Study, Clothes Pin Drop, Bean Bag Toss, Shopping, birdfeeders, movies, popcorn, bingo, exercise and entertainment. Drop by and see some of our activities.

Express your appreciation to our nurse aides this week, June 3rd through the 5th. Hats off to them!

Shower given for Carolyn Strawn

Carolyn Strawn, bride-elect of Jeff Gibson, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower on Sunday, June 1, at the Pattonville Community Center.

The registry, gift and refreshment tables were covered with white cloths and accented with lace overlays. Tulle bows, candles and an ivy basket with balloons decorated the tables. Guests

were served assorted cookies, punch, coffee and mints.

The honoree enjoyed opening an array of lovely gifts. Special guests for the occasion were Jane Strawn and Brenda Gibson, mothers of the engaged couple. Hostesses for the shower were Dot Nichols, Tammy Nichols, Sharon Sullivan and Tracy Chipman.

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Cunningham News

By Carol Jean Williams & Lou Hatfield
652-6792

On June 14 at 7 p.m. a singing will be held at the Cunningham Community Center featurin Gospel Chimes from Texakana and Heavenly Purpose form Deport plus local talent. Poor Mans supper at 6 p.m. \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children. Bring chairs.

Memorial day visitors of Johnnie and Nelta Musgroves home were Stacy, Linda, Stoney and Charity Musgrove, Shane and Zarinska Morton, Marie Watson, Geneva Watson, Frankie, Julie Norwood and boys, Scottie and Amber Norwood, Pam and Larry O'Neal, Jarvis and Renea Watson, Bruce Watson, Tim Brasher, L'Wanda McKnight. That evening the same group of people had a cook out supper and ice cream. Marie Watson spent Sunday and Monday nights with Nelta.

Joe Merrill and family went to Dallas on memorial Day and visited Covenant Church for a church picnic. They visited Joe's sister.

This Sunday, Life Tabernacle Church had a banana split party at the church for the graduates, kindergarten, eighth grade, twelfth grade and college. A large group was present and rewards for graduation and accomplishment were given to Layton Norwood and Jenna Patterson, kindergarten; Kara Palmer, David Lee and David Newman, eighth grade; Josie House, Ronda Merrill and Georgeana Oats, college.

Billy Ray and Neva Jean Oats went to Dallas to celebrate their twenty-eighth wedding anniversary.

Saturday Lillian King, Leonard and Billie Ford went to Daingerfield to watch Andrew Bazhaw play in a baseball tournament. Sunday, Leonard and Billie visited Lillian in Deport.

Bush and JoDell Cooper went to Lindy Jo Phillips' graduation at Rivercrest Friday night. Bush and JoDell had supper with Ricky and Kay Cooper Monday.

Velma Cox of Cunningham and Monica Villagran from Arlington, VA visited Morris Cox in Dallas. They visited Charlie and Clair Devlin of Garland, Vera Cox, Helen Taylor and Charleen Fedder of Ft. Worth, Gordon Cox and family in Alvarado and attended Merrideth Cox graduation and baccalaureata service. Velma wen tot the Rangers game last Sunday with Morris and Monica. Saturday night the Cox family and Velma wen to Granbury to see The Sound of Music.

Olie Ruth, Carl Bufford and June Guthrie visited Norman and Rachel Sain Monday. Virginia Bell visited Monday morning and Sunday afternoon.

Jennita Baker spent a week with Mona Childers in Magee, MS.

Sue Pynes visited Lorette Pynes Wednesday, they had lunch at a restaurant in paris. Regina Newman of Dallas, Blake Newman and Malcolm Moore and Briana Moore spent the day Saturday with Lorette.

Saturday Margret and Talma Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Moore, Michael and Colt visited Lucy

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

James and Pat Norwood, Todd and Mendy Cole, Kelby, Brenton, Laci and Jace have been to the lake. Mendy gave Kelby a second birthday party. Attending were James, Pat, Todd, Mendy, Brenton, Laci, Jace, Rodney, Robin, Hana, Ricky, Pam and Haley Norwood. From Paris were Danny and Jancy Cole, from Sherman Clair and Katy Cole, James Katy and Ricky Winters, Laura, Ronney and Jeremy Parnell visited. They enjoyed the party and had a hamburger cookout.

Heath, Misty and Laytner Kennedy had lunch and spent the afternoon Sunday with Bobby and Shelby Kennedy.

Cunningham Homecoming will be June 28. Meals are \$6.00, deadline for payment is June 15. Mail payments to Jane O'Neal, Rt. 1, Box 35-A, Deport, 75435, call Jane at 652-6062 or Geneva Norwood at 652-3141.

Recently, Willie Wilson and Lessie Stuart visited Joe and Georgia Oats. Billy Ray, Neva, Brandon and Georgeana Oats ate lunch with Joe and Georgia Sunday.

Billie Pirtle of Bogata visited the Russell Whitneys Saturday.

Peggy Risinger, Jayci Whitley and Mary H. Whitley visited Mr. nd Mrs. Ken Miller in Commerce Monday.



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JAYCI LEIGH WHITLEY graduated from Kiddie Kollege in Paris at the Lamar Avenue Church of Christ. The class of 29 four year olds entertained with a program before receiving their diplomas. Several of her family members attended, including her great-great-aunt, Billie Pirtle, Jayci was honored with a pizza following graduation at the Pizza Hut. She received many nice gifts.

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Trussells graduate in Arlington

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Lauren completed her freshman year at Nichols Junior High in Arlington. She was president of the Student Council for the 1996-97. She received the President's Award for Educational Excellence and Academic Letters for Honors English, Honors Biology, Honors Geometry and World Geography. She earned another year on the Wall of Fame and received the World Geography Student of the Year. She was selected by the National Honor Society for the Citizenship award. She went to Lamar High School to play junior varsity soccer and was selected MVP. At the freshman athletics banquet, she received the Hustle Award for volleyball, Girls Middle and Long Distance award and the Most Dedicated award. She plays select soccer in the Dallas Classic League and was invited to participate in Kaleidoscope, a social group for ninth graders in Arlington.

Nathan, age 12, completed his sixth grade year at Jane Robin Ellis Elementary School. He served as president of the Student Council of the 1996-97 school year, was a member of the Abbit Society, was awarded certificates for the Texas Readers Club and participation in the Mathematical Olympiads. He received awards at the North Arlington Cluster Field and Track Meet for the 200 yard dash, mile relay and 800 meter relay. At Ellis Field Day, he received all first and second places in running events. He was selected to represent Ellis at the Elks Hoop Shoot Contest as School Champion and received fifth place for the city. He plays select

soccer, basketball, football, baseball and runs track. He received academic recognition on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills Test. He was invited to participate in the Sixth Grade Cotillion Club for boys and girls in the city of Arlington that consists of seven social events for the school year 1996/97.

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Proceeds from this year's event will go to the Cypress Basin Hospice, which provides support to patients and families who are undergoing the effects of terminal illness.

To enter, participants must cook 20 pounds of brisket and 20 pounds of their choice of meat, plus pay an entry fee of \$25.00. All meat must be inspected, marinated and cooked on site. Trophies and cash prizes are awarded for brisket only in the following categories: \$100.00, first; \$75.00, second; \$50.00, third.

The competition is open to local and visiting teams. Awards will be presented at 3 p.m. on June 21. Call Nita May at 575-4000 for more information.

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GARAGE SALE: Thursday ONLY, rain or shine. 62-Milton/Minter road, Deport. Lots of stuff, cheap. 6-5

YARD SALE: 400 E. Wilson, Blossom. Saturday, June 7, 8 until ?? 6-5

GARAGE SALE: Thursday, June 5 until ?? Two miles east of Manchester on 2118. 6-5nc

SIX FAMILY GARAGE SALE: June 6-7. 1.5 miles east on Highway 71 across from Buck's Welding in Talco. Lots of stuff. 6-5

BIG SALE: Friday, June 6. 308 N. Main, Bogata. Furniture, books, clothes, misc. new items include afghans, baby items, handcrafted hummingbirds, too much to list. Dixie Stringfield home. 6-5

HUGE INSIDE AND OUTSIDE SALE: June 6, 8 a.m. Rain or shine. Eight families. Lots of items. Go east on FM71 in Talco, approach 8 miles, trailer on left, watch for signs. 6-5

THREE FAMILY garage and remodeling sale, Grady Dodd's at Johtown. Friday and Saturday, June 6-7. Furniture, Maple table and chairs, cookstove, etc., dolls, crafts, more. 5th wheel travel trailer. Follow signs, rain or shine.

BIG FIVE FAMILY GARAGE SALE: June 6-7 at Era Smelser's house next to elementary school on 271 in Bogata. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Adults and childrens clothes and lots of miscelleneous. 6-5

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, June 7. Kim's Kuttin' Korral, corner of 271 and Main Street. Four families, crafts, complete fish aquarium & stand, cedar chest, kitchen appliances, home interior, tupperware, children toys, children clothing and shoes, men and women clothing and shoes, all sizes. 6-5

GARAGE SALE: Two families. Fridayay an Saturday, June 6-7. South on Lawson Street off 909, Bogata. 6-5

GARAGE SALE: Lone Star community, Hwy. 37 N. Saturday, 7:30 until 12. Watch for signs. Take cemetery road at Highway sign to the right. Second brick house on left past cemetery. Adults, baby items, furniture, etc. Too much to list. 632-5353. 6-5

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LOST DOG: Golden Cocker Spaniel, somewhere in Deport at 8:00 a.m. Thursday, May 29. If you find this dog, please contact 652-4039.

LOST: Show lamb for FFA project. Last seen on Humble Lake property in Johtown. If found, please call 632-4548 or 632-5963 and leave message. 6-12nc

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 Estate of Ruth Cullen, Blossom, TX
SATURDAY June 7, 1997 11:00 a.m.
 Directions: From Blossom, take FM196 north 2.3 miles, turn right on oiled road. Turn left on CoRd 44750. Go .08 miles to sale site. Watch for signs.
 Auctioneers note: Some items in the sale belong to neighbors. Everything sells, no minimums, no reservations.
Household Items: Dining table w/4 chairs; hutch; couches, chairs; recliner; dresser; chest; rollaway bed; night stands; lamps; end tables; coffee table; corner whatnot shelf; electric sewing machine; antique love seat; wooden floor lamp; drop leaf table w/4 chairs; wooden rocking chair; maple hutch; 4-dr. chest; queen chair; occasional chairs; desk; luggage; fans; Dearborn heaters; wooden shelves; metal cabinet; microwave oven; TV; stereo; fireplace tools; vacuum cleaner; afghans; linens; gas range; electric range; refrigerator; small deep freeze; washer; electric dryer; gas dryer; electric heater; dishes; small appliances; buttons; marbles; old wash pot; antique tools; hand tools; fishing equipment; bicycles; skill saws; router; new 4hp air compressor; new mineral feeder (1,000 lbs.).
Vehicle: 1985 Lincoln Town Car, extra clean, like new interior.
TERMS: Cash, cashier's check or personal check with proper identification.
 This is only a partial listing - Lunch available-Inspection Wednesday-Thursday-Friday prior to sale
 For information, contact:
BARTON & SON AUCTIONEERS
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AUCTION SALE
 Estate of Andrew Cox, Bogata, TX
Saturday June 14 11:00 a.m.
 Directions: From Hwy. 271, turn north at old Top Drive In. Watch for signs.
 Everything sells - No Minimums - No Reservations
REAL ESTATE: 6 room 2 bath double carport, 1-1/2 story house and 3 metal utility buildings on large corner lot in quiet neighborhood. Close to school. Property will be offered for sale at 1:00 p.m. with a 24-hr. confirmation.
HOUSE AND SHOP ITEMS: Couches, chairs, end tables, coffee table, lamps, pictures (some hand painted), clocks, dinette suite with 6 chairs, televisions, stereo, twin brass bed, old wardrobe, chifarobe with mirror and glass door, sewing machine, vacuum cleaner, steam carpet cleaner, brass hall tree, books, organ, movie camera, cameras, luggage, metal detector, treadmill, call collection, side by side refrigerator with ice and water in door, deep freeze, microwave, dishes, cooking utensils, silverware, toaster oven, washer, portable dryer, linens, smoker, lawn furniture, wheel barrows, misc. garden tools, kerosene portable heater, gas heater, dollies, hand sprayer, fishing equipment, Murray push mower, electric weedeater, gas weedeater, Snapper riding mower, lawn trailer, Craftsman drills, Craftsman circular saw, Craftsman sabre saw, many hand tools, regulation size pool table, lighted signs, dart board, electric train and many more misc. items too numerous to list.
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Milton News

By Mattylu Upchurch



Edna Lee spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Claudell Powell of Queen City and attended the Powell family reunion.

Kathy Bice of Dumas visited Nell Wolf Monday of last week.

Ann and Sheldon Lee spent Thursday in Cooper.

Allen and Stacy Huddleston spent

Sunday at Cedar Creek Lake attending the Huddleston family reunion.

Ray and Charlie Turner went to Bonham Friday night for the high school graduation of their grandson, Michael Turner.

Jennifer Taylor and Amy Hicks are spending this week in Halesboro

visiting family and friends.

Maxine Everett of Plano spent Sunday and Sunday night with Helen Temple.

Leah Schroeder of Carrollton, Bobbie and Ed Hill and Matthew and Kelly Hill and daughter Morgan of Little Rock, AR spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch.

Chris and Tracie Chipman, Riley and Connor spent Sunday at Lake Bob Sandlin.

Darrell Farris and Pam Eppar of Greenville and Eddie Farris of Tulsa, OK spent the weekend with their mother, Edna Talley.

Nell Wolf is doing well after surgery last week.

Stacy Huddleston visited her grandmother, Mildred Wright of Deport on Thursday.

Hattie Hobbs of Paris visited her sister, Helen Temple, Sunday.

Andy and Thelma Krawczyk of Irving visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch Sunday.

Jerry Harvey and daughters Amanda and Elisa of Plano visited his sister and husband, Ann and Sheldon Lee on Sunday.

Buddy Taylor is visiting in South Texas.

Laura Wright of Deport visited her daughter, Stacy Huddleston, Wednesday.

Michael Turner of Bonham spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Ray and Charlie Turner. He is leaving this week for Ft. Benning, GA for the U.S. Army training.

Nannie Bell Ham visited Nell Wolf on Friday.

Chris and Tracie Chipman and sons had lunch with her parents, Ed and Sandra Burnett of Cunningham on Sunday.

Stacy and Allen Huddleston and Paula and Leslie Taylor went to dinner and a movie at the new theater in Paris on Saturday night.

H.R. Upchurch of McDougal, AR visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch on Saturday.

Blair Casey of Carrollton spent Monday through Friday with his grandfather, John Manley Temple.

Ruth Ann Allen visited her mother, Mamie Kennedy, resident of Red River Healthcare Center several times this week.

Callie and Rudy Carrasco of San Antonio and Ronnie Pettit of Irving spent Mothers Day weekend with Buena and Bob Marshall.

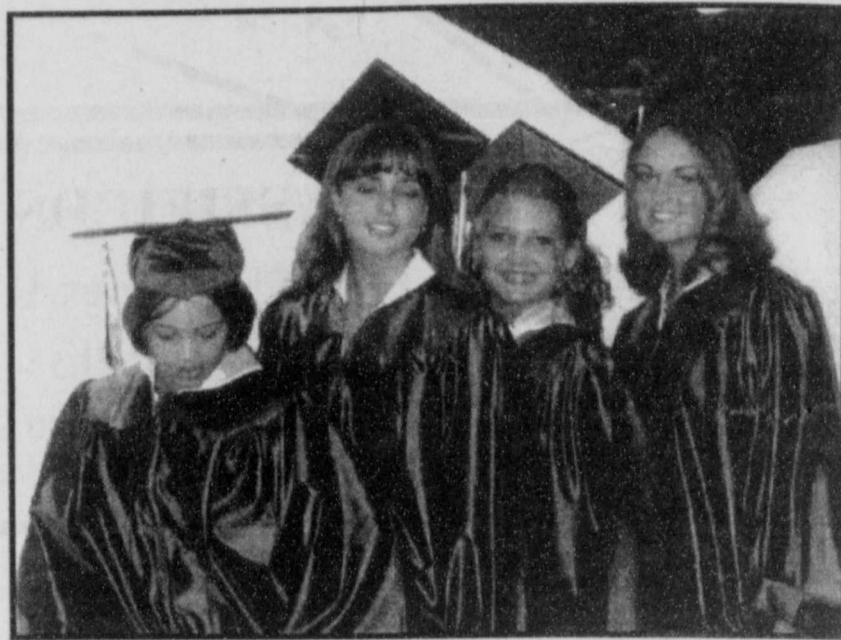
Mary Yoder and Shannon Barrentine took a youth group from their church to Tyler on Saturday.

Kim Allen of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Schaefer and children of San Antonio visited Kim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Allen over the weekend. They spent the day Saturday in Canton.

John Manley Temple went to Plano Friday to visit his family and attended the wedding of his son, Paul Temple to Jana Harmon Saturday in Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dodson of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall on Sunday.

Eran and Mary Yoder took the youth group from their church in Minter to Sulphur Bluff Sunday as special guests of the Assembly of God Church there.



THE 1997 DEPORT EIGHTH grade graduates were treated to a post-graduation party in the cafeteria at Prairiland recently. Posing here are, from left, Crystal Davis, Jessica Semple, Amy Hicks and Jennifer Taylor.

Deport Locals
By Barbara Crawford
CALL 652-4205

Betty Arnold Hughes of Illinois was a recent visitor of Sara Hellany and Martha Glover.

Visiting Alpha Barnard over the weekend were Jeb & Karen Barnard & Colton of Cooper, Britt & Amanda Barnard, Seth & Ethan of Blossom, Elnora & Jim Bill Ratliff of Paris and Dan & Mary Barnard.

George & Roberta Parks of Irving visited his mother Mary Parks and attended the family reunion.

Colleen & Mervin Slaton visited her mother Kathryn Anderson of Post Oak on Saturday. Her sister Gayle Anderson had lunch with them on Sunday.

Visiting Venice Bryson on Saturday were Imogene Wilson and Leslie Stuart of Paris.

Lori Parvin & Ashley of Keller are visiting her parents Russell & Pat Crawford.

Gene & Jo Cavender visited their children & grandchildren over the weekend, Shelia & Larry Lindsey, Samantha & Madison and Sandra & Don Spray & Rachel all of Arlington. They all attended the Ranger Baseball game Saturday night.

The members of the First Presbyterian Church of Deport presented Drue Denison a Bible upon his graduation from Rivercrest High School.

Donny, Dawne and David Darden were dinner guests for a steak cook-out at Thomas and Nanalee Nichols' Saturday night.

Beverly Herring of Beaumont visited Clara Stalls over the weekend. She also attended her fiftieth school reunion at Paris High School. She is the daughter of the late Jess Stalls.

Archie Slaton is in St. Joseph's Hospital in room 513 S. and is quite ill. He would appreciate cards and calls from friends in his old hometown of Deport.

Have A Nice Weekend



KOLTON BRET EDWARDS of Deport was honored with a sixth birthday party at Burger King on June 1. Attending were Lisa Edwards, Jessica and Brad Semple, Judy and Calvin Day, Kathy, Kyle, Mason and Hunter Dickson and Ashlee Waggoner, Kenny, Donna and Trey Gifford, Amy and Trey Towers, Pam, Chris and Matt Goodwin, Charlie, Ernie, Dakota and Phillip Filkins. Everyone had a good time.



MELISSA L. MELLGREN of Waco graduated May 23 from Reicher Catholic High School in Waco. She is the daughter of the former Sherri Grisham of Denton, the granddaughter of the former Mona Lita Nicholson and great-granddaughter of the former Hazel Nobles, formerly of Deport. Mona and Hazel attended commencement exercises Sunday, May 25 in Waco Hall, Baylor University campus. Melissa will enter SMU University in Dallas this fall.

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PICKLES Best Maid Hamburger Slice 32 oz. Jar \$2²⁹

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Last Weeks Winner
John English

College for kids begins June 23

College for Kids, a popular summer time event at Paris Junior College that offers educational opportunities with an entertaining twist, will be conducted June 23 through July 3

Offered through PJC's continuing education department classes will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 12:20 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

Four year olds through kindergarten age can choose from Art, Mathmagicians, Cheerleading, Mega-Byte Kids (Computer), Dance, and Storytime Friends.

First through Third graders will be offered Cheerleading, Art, Jr. Dance Line, Sign Language, Mathmagicians, Fishing and Giga-Byte Kids (Computer).

Golf, Dance Dynamics, First Aid/CPR, Sign Language, Fishing, Art, 3D Art, Jammi' Jazz and Tera-Byte

Kids (Computer) are the classes scheduled for students in the fourth through the sixth grades.

Each class lasts one hour with the exception of the fishing classes, which will meet for two hours. Students should register for classes according to the grade completed May, 1997.

The fee for each class is \$30. Fees will be refunded if a student has to withdraw and does so by noon on June 19 or if the college must cancel a course. Registration will be accepted through June 19 at 5 p.m.

Students may register by mail by calling 903-782-0445 or 782-0447 or by stopping by the Continuing Education Department located in the Alford Learning Center on the PJC Campus.

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