

By Nanalee Nichols Thank heavens, it wasn't coming from heaven!

My great-nephew Elliot Usvolk is another in a long line of animal lovers in the Jeffus family tree. At age just-turnedfive, Elliott loves the family cat, Kinker, devotedly.

A few weeks ago Kinker vanished...disappeared.

Elliott's older brother Jeffery, and his parents searched the house, the yard and the neighborhood diligently.

They asked everyone if the cat had been seen, and called and called, all to no avail.

Two days went by, and no cat appeared for food or friendship, and they feared the worst. Elliott, however, was still

determined to find his pet.

He came in from the garage crying and nearly hysterical. It seems, he reported exicitedly to his mother, that poor Kinker was definitely dead and up in heaven!

"Why, Elliott, are you so sure she is in heaven" his puzzled mother asked.

Elliott said he could hear her. up in heaven crying for him!

Excitedly, he led his mother out to the garage. Kinker could be heard crying, all right, but not from heaven. In fact, the poor cat probably thought she had been sent right on down to the opposite location!

Two days before my niece had pulled down the attic stairway in the garage to put some things up, and Kinker had done what cats do, slipping up into the attic space.

The poor cat was too dehydrated to even walk!

With all the hustle and bustle of coming and going with two

kids, groceries, etc., they had apparently not heard Kinker before. But Elliott had heard her as he prowled quietly looking about, looking for his cat.

Kinker is fine now, and Elliott

performing in area Vessels for Jesus is a local gospel Freddy Burden is the pastor at the band performing in the area and First Baptist Church of Deport. Marsha is his wife and active in church around the state for the past two work. Chad Barnes is the minister at The new band, consisting of Doug the Cunningham Baptist Church in Cunningham.

89th YEAR, No. 23

Phillips, Allen Huddleston, Freddy

Burden, Marsha Burden and Chad

The band performs at revivals and

has just recently performed at the

Baptist GA girls summer camp at

Lake Lavon near Dallas. There were

approximately 400 girls at the camp

perform at the prison in Gatesville,

Barnes, they are available for most

special church or community events

by calling 652-4909. They do not

They play contemporary Chris-

Several members of the band are

tina music as well as Southern Gos-

also involved in ministry work,

charge for their performances.

Vessels for Jesus is also booked to

According to spokesman Chad

months.

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pel Music.

Vessels for Jesus

Chad Barnes and Marsha Burden are the group's two vocalists.

Allen Huddleston has been playing guitar for many years and was on the Prairiland FFA Talent Team which captured State Honors. Doug Phillips played professionally with a band that opened for country performer Doug Stone.

The group got together through "the Lord working and putting us all together", Barnes says. "We knew each other played and the first time we played we knew we would like to do this some more". The group really feels that the Lord put them together. Right now they are practising at the First Baptist Church of Deport, and going "where the Lord leads us"



Thursday, July 16, 1998

VESSELS FOR CHRIST is the name of a local gospel group performing in the area. It consists of, from left: Doug Phillips, Allen Huddleston, Freddy Burden, Marsha Burden and Chad Barnes. The group practises and plays locally, and is although performing further away. (Staff Photo)

Crackdown on Minors with alcohol

The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in cooperation with local law enforcement agencies will be searching for and investigating violations of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code in area counties. A combined effort has been implemented in an attempt to reduce alcohol related violations and accidents. This will be an effort to curb the following violations, but is not limited tot he violations listed. A minor, for the purpose of alcoholic beverages is a person under the age of 21 years of age. 1.-Minors in possession of alcoholic

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beverages (class C misdemeanor) 2. Minors consuming alcoholic beverages, (class C misdemeanor) 3. Minors attempting to purchase alcoholic beverages, (class C misdemeanor) 4. Misrepresentation of age by a minor (class C misdemeanor)

The following are fines and punishments that may be assessed for violations relating to minors.

First Offense: \$0-\$500 Fine, Alcohol awareness course, 8-12 hours community service. 30 days driver's license suspension or denial. Second Offense: \$0-\$500 Fine, pos-

sible alcohol awareness course, 20-40 hours community service.

Third Offense (under 17 years of age):180 days drivers license suspension or denial Juvenile Courtchild in need of supervision, or Criminal court-adjudicated as an adult.

Third Offense (17 years of age or older): Class B Misdemeanor: \$250for occupational license.

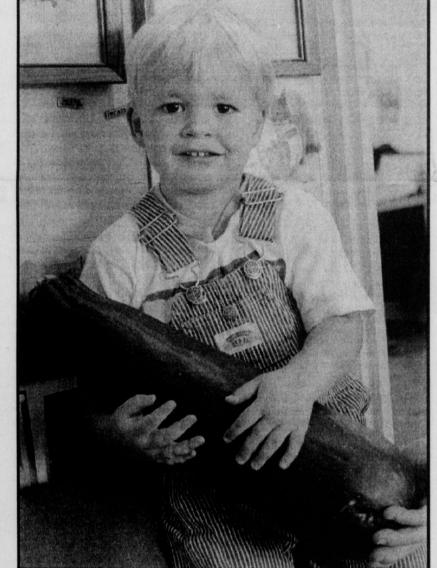
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180 days drivers license suspension, ineligible for occupational license, Juvenile court-delinquent conduct: or Adult criminal court.

Third Offense (17 years or older) Class B misdemeanor: \$500-\$2000 and/or Confinement in jail up to 180 days. 180 days drivers license suspension, ineligible for occupational license.

Other violations that may occur in a dry area, not limited to Minors are, Transporting alcoholic beverages in dry area, possession of alcoholic bev-



is relieved, I think, that his beloved cat didn't die and go to heaven and then try and contact from the other him world....instead, she contacted him on an all-to-earthly plain, and he saved her life.

Logically, it's easy to see how a five year old would have heard that ghostly voice calling him from up above and far away,



RRV East All Stars advance to Sub-District Championships

The Red River Valley East All Stars advanced into the Sub-District Championship with the Paris Nations Tuesday night July 14.

The team is composed of Deport players and Talco players.



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BIG SQUASH!-Ty Clinkenbeard son of Robert and Tina Clinkenbeard of Minter community, carried around this huge Zucchini squash last week as he was in Deport with his grandmother, Sue Sheppard. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

VBS set for Deport Methodist

The First United Methodist Church of Deport invites all preschool through sixth grade children to come to the church for Vacation Bible School the week of July 20-24.

Activities are planned each evening from 7 to 9 p.m. This summer's theme is "Come to the Storytelling Tree" to listen to stories Jesus told.

Puppeteering and storytelling will aim at building moral values found in the gospels. Crafts, games, outdoor activities and refreshments will be provided and classes for all age groups will be held.

For information contact Jim Benfer at the church of parsonage.

Street paving and complaints about roosters occupy Deport City Council

Repaving Ruth and Trail Streets received the Deport City Council's stamp of approval Monday night, during regular meeting. The council unanimously approved complete repaving of the streets as soon as the engineering process can be completed and a contract let on the project.

Mayor Charles Foster reported two of the deeds have been collected and the third deed promised for the buildings on the north end of Main Street. As soon as all deeds have been obtained, and the city's attorneys have had time to prepare all legal docu-ments, work will begin on tearing the three buildings down.

A petition from citizens about pens of roosters on property located at 322 South Depot Street in Deport was discussed by the council. A committee of council members was autho-

rized to speak to the owner of the roosters about removing them from the property.

The council agreed to have two new phone lines added to the city office to accommodate the fax and computer lines as well as the regular phone line.

They also rescinded previous action on retirement for fire department members.

No action was taken on a retirement plan for city employees at the present time.

The council discussed action to be taken against a resident ton Depot Street who connected to the city's water system without paying connection fees.

Bills were paid, and the financial report was approved.

5. Purchase of alcohol by a minor (class C misdemeanor)

6. Driving under the influence of alcohol by a minor (class C misdemeanor)

7. Pubic intoxication by a minor (class C misdemeanor)

Also, minors may be charged criminally for making alcoholic beverages available to another minor, which is a Class B Misdemeanor.

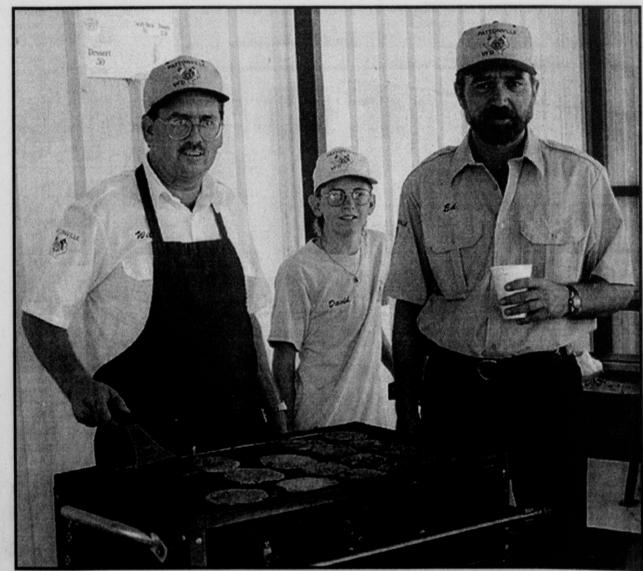
\$2000 fine and/or Confinement in jail up to 180 days, possible alcohol awareness course, 180 days drivers license suspension or denial.

Zero Tolerance Punishments for Minors that are: D.U.I., consumption while driving, driving under the influence of alcohol (not DWI).

First Offense: \$0-\$500 fine, alcohol awareness course, 20-40 hours community service, 60 days drivers license suspense, 30 days ineligible for occupational license.

Second Offense: \$0-\$500, alcohol awareness course, 40-60 hours community service, 120 days drivers license suspense, 90 days ineligible erages in a dry area for the purpose of sell, sale of alcoholic beverages in a dry area, delivery of alcoholic beverages in a dry area, storing alcoholic beverages in a dry area and operation of an unregistered lab. All of which are classified as Class B Misdemeanors. Please be advised that persons found transporting illicit beverages may also have their vehicle seized and forfeited to the stae of Texas.

It is the desire of the TExas Alcoholic Beverage Commission as wella s all other law enforcement agencies to achieve voluntary compliance of the Alcoholic Beverage Code as well as the laws of the state of Texas.



HAMBURGERS-hot off of the grill! And it was hot. Members of the Pattonville Volunteer Fire Department and Community Center held a hamburger supper and quilt drawing Saturday night. The hamburgers were delicious, but it was so hot cooking them they reported they "almost didn't need to fire up the grill!". (Staff Photob y Nanalee Nichols)



greatest gifts. It always tastes best slightly chilled, on a day that is at least 85 degrees.... in our case, it has been slightly in the 100's, in the shade or when you are sitting on the back steps or where you can spit the seeds without anyone caring.

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Don't tell the kids, but watermelon is really a giant, red-fleshed cucumber, a relative of gourds. It isn't a fruit at all. But that doesn't seem to stop anyone. Americans consumed a record 17.4 pounds perperson in 1996. That same year, U.S. farmers raised an estimated 4.4 billion pounds, and consumer demand for watermelon all year around resulted in increased imports from Mexico and Central America.

Most watermelons come to the market between the months of April and October, with May through August being the peak season. The biggest seller in subermarkets are the oblong varieties such as "Jubilee" amd the round to oval "Crimson Sweet" which weighs from 16-40 pounds.

Up north, midget or "icebox" varieties such as "Sugar Baby" have found their followers, even though they only reach 5-15 pounds. Because many people don't like the bother of seed, new round seedless varieties (some still have tiny, white, edible seeds) are popular too. There

Watermelon is one of the summer's are also the yellow-meated lovers as well.

> So this week we are saluting the wonderful watermelon. Although it looks tough, a watermelon is actually as fragile as an egg, as anyone who has dropped one knows. It is one of the few produce items that must have hands-on care from harvest to household. So be gentle with it!

> Watermelon Punch can be passed around at the next party and makes for a delicious change.

Sweet Onion-Watermelon Salsa-Serve this tangy mixture with tortilla chips or with chicken or fish.

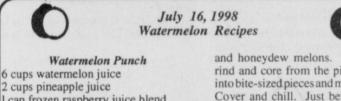
Filled Watermelon Basket-looks great on any picnic table or a family reunion where you want to make a big entrance.

Watermelon Barbecue Sauceuse as a marinade for chicken, pork, fish or shellfish and pour enough sauce to cover and seal with plastic and refrigerate several hours or overnight.

Refrigerator Watermelon Rind Pickles-recipes for these pickles ae vast and varied and an easy way to make use of the rind and keeps for a week or two in the fridge.

Creamy Melonsicles is a wonderful, frozen concoction on a hot, summer day!

Hope you enjoy these recipes and we will see you in the kitchen!



can frozen raspberry juice blend small can frozen orange juice concentrate 1/4 cup lemon juice

Combine all ingredients in a large jar or pitcher and chill. To make juice, process small chunks of melon in a blender or food processor.

Sweet Onion-Watermelon Salsa 1/4 cup orange marmalade 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro 1/4 cup finely chopped jalapeno 2 tablespoons white vinegar clove garlic-minced 1/2 teaspoon salt cups chopped-seeded watermelon

cup chopped sweet onion cup chopped orange sections

In a large bowl stir together the orange narmalade, cilantro, jalapeno, vinegar, garlic and salt. Add melon, onion and orange sections and toss gently until coated. Chill at least 30 minutes before and honeydew melons. Remove the rind and core from the pineapple, but into bite-sized pieces and mix with balls Cover and chill. Just before serving peel I and slice the peaches and prepare the pineapple chunks. Combine all fruits in a large bowl. Toss with the dressing and pour into watermelon shell Garnish with fresh mint leaves.

Watermelon Barbecue Sauce 1/2 cup watermelon juice 1/2 cup balsamic vinegar 1/4 cup brown sugar 1/4 cup soy sauce 2 tablespoons vegetable oil 2 tablespoons Dijon mustard 2 garlic cloves-minced 2 teaspoons red pepper flakes Stir in all ingredients in a glass ceramic or stainless steel bowl. Let set to flavor. Refrigerator Watermelon Rind Pickles 4 cups cubed, peeled watermelon rindred flesh removed

YWCA camp promises fun

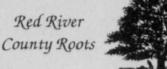
YWCA day camps will be offering boys and girls day camp devoted especially to cheerleading.

Cheerleading Day Camp will begin Monday, July 20 and continue through Thursday, July 23. Children ages six to 10 and 11 to 15 will concentrate on tumbling and stunts. Camp times are 9:00 a.m. through noon.

Phone the YWCA at 785-5221 for information or to register.

Notice

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. in the St. Joseph's Catholic Church Rec. Room in Clarksville. Everyone is Welcome.



This week's query is from Milton Wallis, 1918 Wheatridge, Springfield, MO 65803. (E-mail: mbwallis@dialnet.net. He is interested in contacting anyone researching the Wallis surname. His father, George Allen Wallis, born 1892 Clarksville, was the son of James Edmond Wallis, also born in Clarksville in 1848. James Edmond's father was Ezekial P. Wallis, born in Mecklenburg Co, NC. George Allen Wallis became a writer of western history and died in 1981 in Florida.

If you would like to write Mr. Wallis, please write him at the above address.

If you have a query you would like to have placed in this column, please send it to the Red River County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 516, Clarksville, Texas 75426

Blood drives set for July 15-20-21

Stewart Regional Blood Center has scheduled blood drives for July 15, July 20 and July 21.

95.5 FM, Heilig Meyers and Stewart Regional Blood Center will host a drive on July 15. The mobile unit will be at Heilig Meyers at 3100 Clarksville from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Each donor will receive a Koozie.

KOYN and Stewart will host the annual Pint for a Pint drive on Monday, July 20. The unit will be parked at Brookshire's at 925 Clarksville

Health Fair planned for VA veterans and spouses

A health fair is being sponsored by the American Legion Post and Unit 45, St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center and Pro-Care Services at the American Legion Building in Clarksville on July 22 from 10 a.m. until 3

Free screenings available will be Glaucoma and Visual Acuity testing, hearing tests and body fat composition testing. Health information will be available about senior safety, American Heart Association, PrimeTime and the American Can-

The Veterans Affairs North Texas Health Care System will offer health screenings including blood pressure/ hypertension, diabetes, cholesterol,

Children are at high risk of exposure to high levels of ozone

exposed to high levels of ground- Harris County Hospital District's Ben level ozone during the summer than Taub General Hospital in Houston. adults. 'Children have a growing respiratory tract, and breathe in more air per pound of body weight then adults, so we tend to see a drop in lung function more in children," said Dr. Nick Hanania,, an assistant professor of medicine at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "In addition, children are outside more than most adults during the summer and therefore are more susceptible to ground-level

immunizations and a brief physical assessment. Other participants include East Texas Medical Center, Clarksville Nursing Center and Regency Nursing Home and St. Joseph's Clinic, Deport.

Veterans will have the opportunity to register for medical benefits through the Veterans Affairs Medical Center. Local VA representatives will be available to answer any questions concerning the benefits.

The fair is open to veterans, ChampVA and TriCare beneficiaries and their spouses. Veterans will be required to show their VA patient data card or their DD214 to participate in health screenings.

Children are more at risk of being ist in the emergency center at the "It is best to change play-time to



Fulbright News By Betty Rodgers 652-6051

Micah Halbert, son of Terry and Deana Halbert of Paris visited several days with his grandparents, Preston and Marla Crump and went with them to the annual July 4 picnic held by Homer and Lucy Miller of Alba

Monte Rodgers and Melissa Arriaga spent Sunday with their mother, Betty Rodgers and had dinner

June 23 was a good turnout for Mrs. Dee's summer reading club. Attending were Rustin Beaty, Megan and Courtney Hargroves, Sammy and Joshua Newson, Colby Howard, Rachel, Jennifer, Jacob, Stefanie Phosay. They talked and got to know each other and Mrs. Dee read "Green Coat" and "The Swan Boy". They wrote and drew pictures of their favorite parts of the story and were then shown the books in the library. Everyone checked out books and were served refreshments, furnished by Karren Baker and Donna Miller.

Red River Valley Fair is "A Family Affair"

The theme for the Red River Valley Fair to be held Tuesday, August 25 through Saturday, August 29 is "A Family Affair".

Directors of the Red River Valley Fair Association extend an invitation to everyone to participate by entering craftsmanship, talents and animals in events for the residents of the Red River Valley to share.

Some changes have been made in the Creative Arts and Crafts Department. There are only three classes in each division, exhibitors will be given the same number for all entries entered by that exhibitor.

New contests have been added. A Show Off section has been added for area residents, to show off unique or well made, interesting items in their possession so other residents may

enjoy the beauty and uniqueness of the items. They do not have to be made by the exhibitor or owner. No

Obituaries

Steven Jay Yost dies July 13

Steven Jay Yost, age 14 of Detroit died Monday, July 13 in Red River County.

Steven was born November 14, 1983 in Paris, the son of Kenneth Jay Yost and Bonnie Lou Dueck Yost. He was a member of the Red River Valley Mennonite Church and attended the Red River Valley Christian School.

Surviving are his parents, Kenneth and Bonnie Yost of Detroit; sisters, Melanie Yost, Rachelle Yost and Lynette Yost, all of Detroit; grandparents, Cari and Lavada Yost of Greensburg, KS and Johnny and Elsie Dueck of Manitoba, Canada; greatgrandmother, Lela Nichols of Greensburg, KS.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in Red River Valley Mennonite Church with Ed Yost officiating. The family received friends from 7 until 8 p.m. Wednesday in the chaple of Fry-Gibbs Funeral Home.

Kevin Eric Griffin

dies July 9

Kevin Eric Griffin, age 20 of Las Vegas, Nevada died Thursday, July

He was born July 23, 1977 in Paris and he graduated from Prairiland High School in 1995.

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Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, July 14 in Gene Roden's Sons Funeral Home with the Rev. Jerry Moore officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors include his parents, Carole and Ron Griffin of Las Vegas; sisters, Tammie Green of Novice, Shelley Bradley of Seattle, WA and Traci Hatcher of Paris; brothers, Michael Hoskins and Ron Griffin, Jr., both of Paris, Heath Hoskins of Stephenville and Jason Griffin of Reno, NE; his father, Gene Hoskins of Paris; five nephews, five nieces, numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Sam and Ida Cole; grandfather, Trema Wayne Sr.; a brother, Sammy Alan Hoskins; and grandmothers, Elsie Smith and Ellen Griffin.

Bearers were Jason Granberry, Shane Hatcher, Merwin Moss, Rex Foster, Greg Griffin, Jr. and Brent Caffee.

Mrs. Red (Lillie) Mills dies July 11

Mrs. Red (Lillie) Mills, age 84, of Mason, formerly of Red River County, died July 11 in Mason.

Services were held Tuesday, July 14 at 10:00 a.m. in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with burial in Cuthand Cemetery. Mrs. Mills was born in Foreman, AR April 12, 1914, a daughter of William and Nancy Greer Hughes. She was a homemaker. Surviving are sisters, Bonnie Sanders of Jasper and Lula Walker of Dallas; sisters-in-law, Pansy Clark of Mason, Mary Clark of Alexander, LA and Elsie Hughes of Bogata; five nieces and three nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Red Mills in 1988.

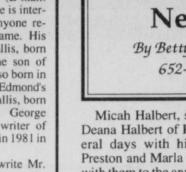
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from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Each donor will receive a T-shirt and coupon for

free Blue Bunny Ice Cream products. McCuistion Regional Medical Center and Stewart will host a drive on Tuesday, July 21 from 10 to 4 in the Pavilion West classroom in the hospital at 865 DeShong Drive. Each donor will receive a T-shirt.

Potential donors should bring a driver's license. Any healthy person over age 17 may donate blood.



Filled Watermelon Basket large oblong watermelon canteloupe honeydew melon fresh pineapple 2 fresh peaches or nectarines 2 cups fresh blueberries, strawberries or raspberries Honey-lime dressing

Cut off the top third of melon lengthwise, saving the portion for another purpose. If necessary, cut thin slice from the bottom so the melon will firmly stand upright. With a melon ball cutter, cut balls from the larger section of the melon. Remove the seeds from the balls and chill. Remove the remaining pulp from the melon to make a basket. Drain. necessary. Cut balls from canteloupe

sticks cinnamon teaspoon whole cloves

3/4 cup granulated sugar

l cup white vinegar

In a medium stainless steel saucepan, combine all ingredients and bring to a boil over high heat, stirring frequently. Reduce heat, cover and simmer gently until rind is tender and translucent, about 45-50 minutes. Cool. Refrigerate in a covered glass container. Store at least 12 hours to blend flavors. **Creamy Melonsicles**

2 cups seeded watermelon chunks 2 cups frozen vanilla yogurt

In a blender or food processor puree the watermelon and frozen yogurt until smooth. Pour into popsicle molds or freeze paper cups and insert popsicle sticks when the mixture is partially fro-

There is one thing that the American people always rise to and extend their hand to, and that is the truth of justice and of liberty and of peace.

-Woodrow Wilson

ozone exposure." There are two types of ozone, one good, one bad. Ground-level ozone, or bad ozone, is an oxidant formed by either exhaust from petrochemical plants or automobiles and can damage body tissue. Stratospheric ozone. or good ozone, is 10 to 15 miles away from the earth's surface and prevents ultraviolet light from penetrating the earth.

"The sunlight, heat, and humidity, all factors for high ground level ozone levels, are highest during the midday period," said Hanania, a lung special-

either the early morning or late afternoon, and keep children in an air conditioned facility as much as possible.

Asthmatics, 40 percent of whom are children, and the elderly are also at high risk of becoming ill from too much exposure to ozone. Those affected may suffer from chest tightness, a cough, and breathing problems. This is why it is important for everyone to take ozone watches and warnings seriously.

Healthy individuals, especially those who exercise or work outside on a daily basis, should not think they are immune to the effects of ozone exposure.

"Researchers do not yet know what effect exposure to high levels of ground-level ozone will have on longterm health," said Hanania. "The best thing we can do right now is educate people on the health risks, " said Hanania.

prizes or awards will be awarded. Check in is Monday, August 24.

Vacation Bible School teachers and Art and Science teachers is a poster contest for grades K-12. Posters may not exceed 16x20 and must have the theme "Save Our World". Posters may be collages, painted or glued or drawn in any medium. Entries will be received Monday, August 24 from 2-6 p.m, and must have been completed by September 1, 1997. Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third places in three classes: K-3rd grades, 4-8 grades and 9-12 grades.



Have A

Nice

Weekend

Gospel Meeting

At TheFulbright

Church of Christ

Speaker: Ronald Choate

Ronald is a 1990 graduate of the Memphis

School of Preaching, who also hosts a much

listened to weekly radio "question and answer"

Bible program in the north Alabama area.

July 15th - 19th

7:00 p.m. nightly

Sunday Services Bible Class 9 a.m.

Morning Worship, 9:45 a.m.

Evening Service 1:30 p.m.

Lunch will be served at 12:00 at the Fulbright

Community Center. Please join us in this fellowship.

Joseph VanBurkleo

dies in Dallas

Services for Joseph Wilburn (Van) VanBurkleo, age 82, were held Thursday, July 9 in Hillcrest Memorial Park, Texarkana.

Mr. VanBurkleo was born in Clarksville and went to school in Detroit. He graduated from Stamps-Baxter School of Music in Dallas and traveled extensively for the gospel cause. He currently lived in Oak Cliff.

He worked for AAA Products as a machinist for 27 years and also for Pacific Railroad.

He is survived by a multitude of friends from all over the United States.

Card of Thanks

The family of Ned Hurley gratefully acknowledges the support and compassion shown by our friends and family during our time of sorrow.

We are also deeply grateful for the care given by the doctors, nurses and staff of the Paris Cancer Center, Clarksville Hospital and the Clarksville Nursing Home.



Caribbean Call Mike or Marlene Marlene Pendleton, C.T.C. 3615 Lamar Ave., Paris, TX 1-800-642-1149 785-0017





Andra Ashley Allen with fiance Richard Raymond Dixon 99

Dixon-Allen to exchange VOWS Mr. and Mrs. Rodger D. Allen and and Mrs. Kenneth M. Allen of Rugby.

Ms. Jane Anderson are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Andra Ashley Allen and Richard Raymond Dixon II.

The couple will be married in a private ceremony on July 25. The ceremony will be officiated by Rev. Freddy Burden, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Deport. A reception will be held at 7:00 p.m. on the same evening. All family, friends and neighbors are invited and encouraged to attend and celebrate the marriage

The bride-to-be is the granddaugh-

She is a 1994 graduate of Prairiland High School, a 1996 graduate of Paris Junior College and a 1998 graduate of Grayson County College with an Associate Degree in Nursing. She is employed by St. Joseph's Hospital in Paris as a Registered Nurse in the Float Pool. Her fiance is the son of the late

Richard Dixon. He is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bub Anderson and grandson of Nedra Dixon and the late Raymond Dixon, all of Paris. He is self-employed as a photographer for Dixon Studios and also works in the customer service department for Kroger Food Stores in Paris.



Valerie Musharm Lewis, fiance of Gregory Francis Francis-Lewis to exchange wedding vows

Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. George Francis, Sr. are proud to announce the approaching marriage of their children, Valerie Musharm Lewis and Gregory Francis

The couple will exchange vows on July 18 at 11:30 a.m. at the Full Gospel Holy Temple in Dallas. The reception will be held immediately following in Cityplace Skylight Tower in Dallas.

Valerie is a native of Deport and graduated from Prairiland High School. She completed cosmetology

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edward Lewis, courses at Paris High School and is actively ministering with Full Gospel Pentecostal Church of Mt. Pleas-

Gregory is a graduate of the University of Texas at Arlington and is currently employed with the Dallas Independent School District.

The couple will be residing in the Dallas area. Also proudly announcing the event is the bride's grandmothers, Emma D. Davis of Bogata and Ruth Lewis of Clarksville.

All family and friends are invited to attend.





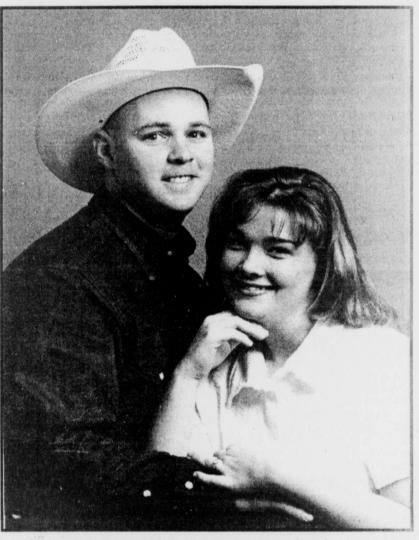
Malones to celebrate 50th anniversary

Kathleen Abbott were married July 30, 1948 in Paris. Their children and grandchildren

request the honor of your presence

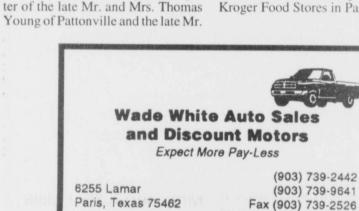
William Travis Malone and Mary at a reception on Sunday, July 26 at Glory Baptist Church from 2 until 4 p.m

> The couple requests no gifts, please.

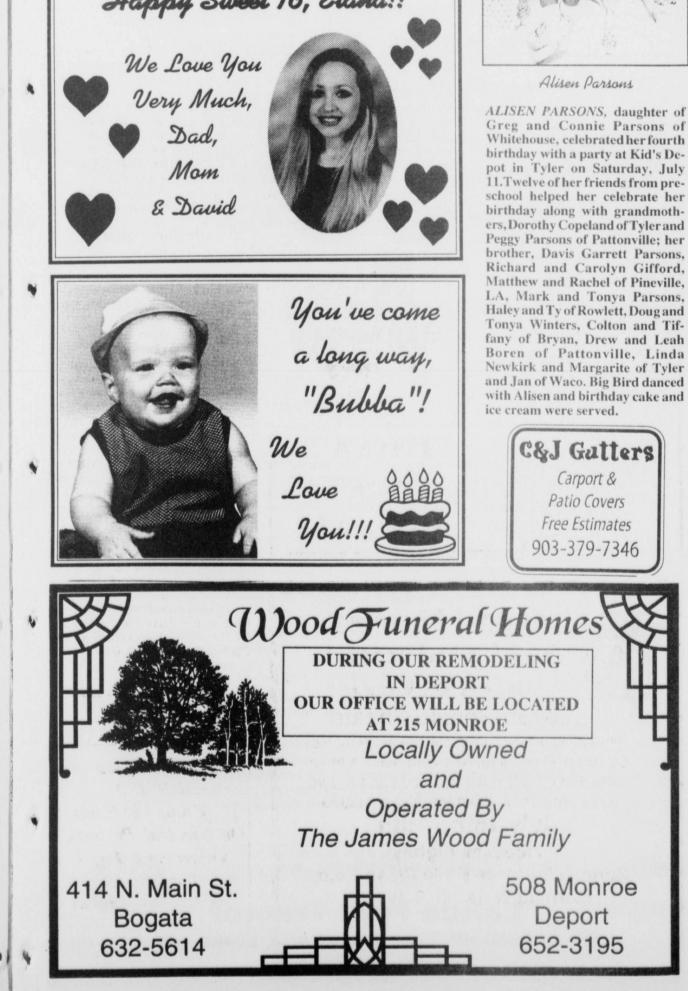


Melanie Williams & Donald Poole

Williams-Poole wedding planned and Betty Bennett of Longview and Sue and Ronny Bennett of Long-Billy and Nancy Mauldin of Clarksview and Kenneth and Karen Willville.



Happy Sweet 16, Elana!!



JAYCI LEIGH WHITLET CEI ebrated her sixth birthday June 19 with a party at Wade Park, given by her mother, Staci. Special guests were her dad Chris and Christopher Whitley, her grandmother, Peggy Risinger, her great-grandparents, Maggie and Fred Risinger and aunt, Linda Vickers, also The bride elect is the granddaughfriends Bill and Ruth Chipman, Chris and Tracie Chipman, Riley and Conner, Katrina Malone, Danielle Maynard, Breanna Bell, Stephanie Jones, Pam, Jessica and Christopher Penison. The theme for the party was "Barbie" with a Barbie cake and punch. A good time was spent playing on the toys at the park with lots of nice gifts. You're invited to a

iams of Clarksville, Lynn Dishman and the late Arthur Dishman of Paris and Cecil and Jeanne Poole of Deport announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children Melanie Williams and Donald Poole.

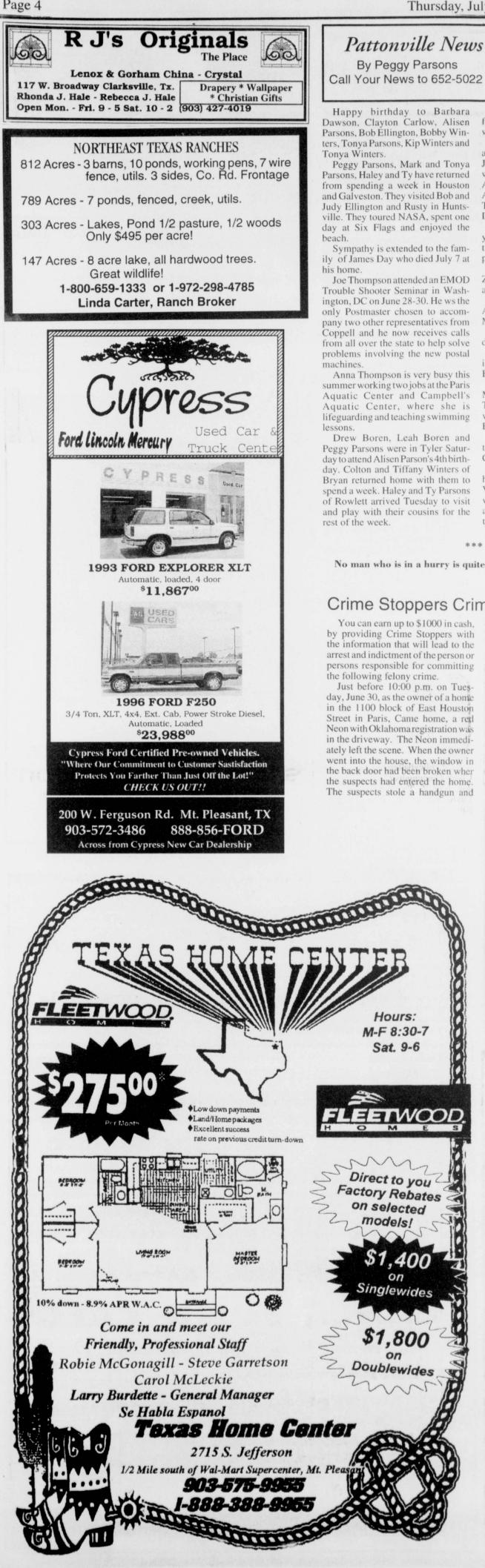
ter of Alice Martin and the late Joe Martin of Bogata, Mary Craig and the late Paul Craig of Hobbs, N.M. Grady Williams of Redwater and Ray

Her fiancé is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Winn of Paris and the late Margaret Clouse Poole of Bogata and the late Leonard Poole of California.

The double ring ceremony will take place at the First Baptist Church in Bogata on August 15, 1998 at 6:00 p.m., in the evening. All family and friends are invited to attend.

I don't care what's written about me so long as it isn't true. -Katharine Hepburn





week.

Blevins.

Center.

the community.

No man who is in a hurry is quite civilized.

-Will and Ariel Durant

Thanks to my aunt, Elois Sparks,

Tom and Monda Fults, John Henry

and Sandra Graves of Blossom left

June 29 and flew to Vancouver, BC

where they cruised the glaciers to

Anchorage, Juneau and Ketchikan,

Alaska and Saskatchewan, Canada.

They flew to Seattle then back to

Sherry Conley Carley and Can-

Dana Thomas, Katie, Seth and

Thomas aned Anna McDowra and

Susan Richey of Gilmer spent Fri-

Sympathy is extended to the fam-

Alice Bumgarner of Deport,

day with Jerry and Dorothy Richey.

ily of Kevin Griffin who died July 9.

He graduated from Prairiland in 1995.

Mickey Keener of Longview, Edna

Towers of Paris and Sandy Ring were

visitors of Billy and Ruby Dee

Hollis Towers, formerly of Pat-

There was a good crowd at the

tonville, is in McCuistion Medical

hamburger supper at the center and

VFD on Saturday. Mike Blackburn

won the quilt that was given away and made by some of the women in

Zane of Lawton, Ok are visiting Tom

Alec of Paris visited Barbara McDowra and Gerald Hood Sunday.

yon, Tom and Monda Fults attended

the Stephens family reunion at Coo-

per Lake-South Sulphur Sunday.

and Monda Fults for a few days.

DFW, arriving home on July 8.

for writing the Pattonville News last

Crime Stoppers Crime of the Week 3-23

by providing Crime Stoppers with the information that will lead to the

several pieces of jewelry. THis burglary of habitation resulted in the loss of over \$2000.

If you have information on this, aor any other felony crime, please call Crime Stoppers. If Crime Stoppers receives that information by July 20th, an arrest and indictment is made of those persons responsible, Crime Stoppers will pay you a cash reward of up to \$1000. All calls do remain anonymous and you will not have to testify in court. So lets all work together to fight crime! Call Crime Stoppers today at 785-TIPS! (785-8477)



The monthly luncheon was held on Wednesday was attended by Mavis Sowards, Dorothy Lynn, Alpha Barnard, Eunice Sugg, Alma Scaff, Maud Webb, Frances Franklin, Lucille Morgan, Mae Storm, Alice Bumgarner, Eunice Ervin, Kathryn Campbell, Phyllis Gifford and Hunter Bratcher. There was lots of good food and fellowship.

Children enjoying the computers, ping pong, jig saw puzzles, keyboard and food this past week has been Chris and Johnny Farmer, Brent Burden, Chris Ford, Richard Denman, Josh Brown, Chris Brunson, Kyle Kinslow, Mandy Weddle and her mother, Josh, Hugh and Jim Benfer with Jim's nephew that is visiting. All are welcome and they seem to be having fun.

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On Wednesday, Nell Shull came by and offered her assistance with food and would make a donation to Allen's Food Mart to help with the Housing Authority account there. We appreciate that.

On Thursday, Marianne Ladd sent more Koolaide with chips and cookies. The Housing Authority is proud to have these facilities for the children.

Buckboard Annie Says.....

Dear Lord,

So far today, God, I've done all right. I haven't gossiped, haven't lost my temper, haven't been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish or even overindulgent. But in a few minutes, God, I'm going to get out of bed and from them on, I'm probably going to need a lot of help!!





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Edna Lee visited her sister Claudell Power of Queen City Wednesday to Friday.

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Stacy Huddleston visited her grandmother Mildred Wright of Deport Wednesday.

Billie Goheen of Arlington spent Friday to Monday with her mother Mattylu Upchurch.

Claudell Powell of Queen City is visiting her sisters Edna Lee and Patsy Merritt of Pattonville

Donnie and Laura Wright of Deport visited Stacy and Allen Dale Huddleston Sunday night. Mattylu Upchurch visited Ann

Ford of Paris Wednesday.

A group of friends were at Stacy Huddlestons Thursday for a swimming party.

Mattylu Upchurch has returned home after spending two weeks with her daughter and husband Bobbie and Ed Hill of Little Rock, Arkansas. Others visiting there over the 4th was Leah and Russell Schroeder and Jeff of Rogers, AR, Aaron Upchurch of Durango, Colo., Elizabeth Hill and other friends from Camden, AR and Matthew, Kellye an Morgan Hill of Little Rock. THey all went down to Arkansas River to watch the fire works.

Hattie Hobbs and Helen Temple of Paris visited John and Velma Temple, Morris and Mary Elaine Lawler and Brother and Sister receive promotions

in Marines

John Davis has recenlty been promoted to Corporal in the United States Marice Corp. He is stationed at Camp Pendleton, San Diego, California.

Julie Davis has been promoted to Private First Class in the United States Marine Corps. She is stationed at Camp Geiger, North Carolina.

They are the children of Pat and Mike Benningfield and the late Leonard Davis. Grandparents are Dora McIntire and the late Hilton McIntire.

SUPER SALE!

Mattylu Upchurch Thursday. Leslie, Paula and Jenifer Taylor visited Wednesday-Friday in Arlington with Michelle Faucett.

Milton News

Mattylu Upohurch

Visiting with Stanley and Pat Smith are Jason Smith of Rowlett and Steve Smith of Flondia.

Velma and John Temple had visits from Helen Temple and Hattie Hobbs of Paris Thursday also Tim Salter Thursday afternoon.

Spending Friday night and Saturday with Velma and John Temple was Paul and Jana Temple of Richardson.

Ronnie Pettit of Irving visited this weekend with Bob and Beuna Marshall.

Sunday visitorso of George and Nell Wolfe were Cindy, Ben, Joseph Filkins and Stephanie Wolf.

Spending Wednesday night with James and Dorothy Holt were Barbara and Jake Maurischat of San Antonio.

James, Dorothy, Barbara and Jake left Thursday morning returning Monday visiting Hot Springs and Little Rock, AR.

Having Sunday lunch with James and Dorothy Holt was Tim Parks of Faught.

David, Angie, Marcus and Allison Wolf spent Friday and Saturday night for a family outing in Beavers Bend.

Cunningham News unavailable this week

There is no Cunnigham News this week due to Ricky Anderson's injury in a hay baling accident last week.

Linda reports that she hopes to be able to either find someone to help her or begin collecting news again by next week

We wish Ricky a speedy recovery.

Holland(Lefty) Marshall of Albuquerque, NM visited home with Lou Hatfield and Carol Jean Williams, his sisters and their entire family. Lou and Lefty visited Lovetta McMurray at the Deport Nursing Home

Deport Locals Call Your News To Cindy Jalley 652-2954

Jerry Burnett of Deport had his son and family in the home of Earl and Nancy Gresham Saturday. Those for lunch and an evening of visiting were Jerry Wayne, Cynthia, Gabriella, Rebecca, Justin and Toby Burnett from Coppell, Jimmy Burnett of Paris, Christina Lewis of Richardson, Tonya and Tanya Cave of Antlers, OK, Bruce, Bessie and Cody Burnett, Karen, Jennifer and Julia Grossmann, Kathy and Stephanie Simmons, all of Deport.

Zackery brought a meal to the home of Earl and Nancy Gresham. Those attending were Mickeal, Melissa, McKenzie, Mathew and Mitchell Zackery of Dallas, Susan and Frank Handflan of Garland, Wendy, Tonya and Tanya Cave of Antlers, OK, Christina Lewis of Richardson, Jimmy Burnett of Paris, Jerry Burnett, Eunice Irwin and Betty, Kathy and Stephanie Simmons, Karen, Jennifer

Vicki Sawyer and Nell Gardner visited Sunday evening in the home of Earl and Nancy Gresham with Karen, Julia Grossman, Kathy and Stephanie Simmons, Terry Glasgow, Susan and Frank Handflan.

Cave spent several days last week in the home of Earl and Nancy Gresham.

Keys, Mervin Slaton, Pat Talley,

MARLIN FOSTER- Was the winner of this handmade knife crafted by Ronnie Packard. The knife vald at \$100, was given away as a



Anthony Dawson, Christopher Joe Ballard, David Denison, Martha Glover, Christopher Dawson, John Cross, Thelma Warren, Jeff Smith, Ricky McMikel, David J. Darden, Joe Travis Kelsey, Judy Ann Whittle and Paul Ray Keys.

Happy anniversary to Gloria and Randy Gresham, Carol and Johnny Dawson, Dorothy and James Holt, Dion and Charles Davis, Melba and Carlos Ladd, Skeeter and Roy davis, Bobbye and Clyde Slusher, Tammy and Tony Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nobles of Livingston attended church at the Presbyterian Church Sunday enroute to Canada on vacation. Joel Helleny of New York is visit-

ing Ed Helleny.

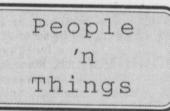
Ruth Murrell, Virginia Kirkland, Marijo Bono and Shelby of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kirkland in Beaumont and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Kirkland in Clear Lake last week. They also spent some time in Galveston. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gage in Diboll enroute home.

Lucille Pickering attended the wedding of her grandson, Eddy Don Pickering to Charlotte Coston, at the home of his sister, Cindy and Todd Tisdell last Friday in Paris.

Gertrude Pickering from Mt. Dora, FL visited Lucille Pickering from Wednesday through Friday of this week. Thursday they went shopping and ate at Magel's Grill and went to a movie.

Richard and Clara Nance had supper with Thomas and Nanalee Nichols Saturday night.

Tom and Midge Foley, former Deport residents, have returned from spending a week in Japan, visiting their son and daughter-in-law. They met and stayed with their daughterin-law's parents and toured many senic sights in Japan. The Foley's are retired in Hemet, California.



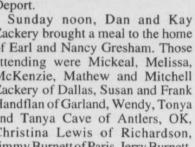
Sand volleyball tournament at the Clardy Community Center on Saturday, July 25. To enter a team, call David Skidmore at 785-1058 after 5 p.m.





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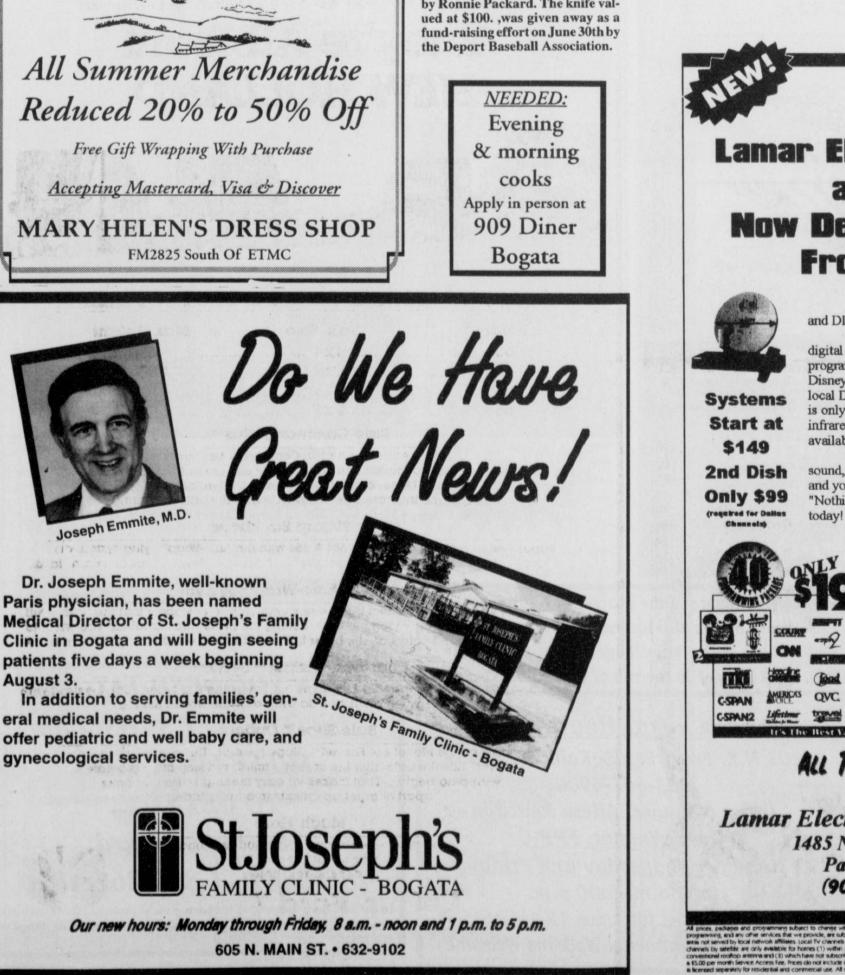
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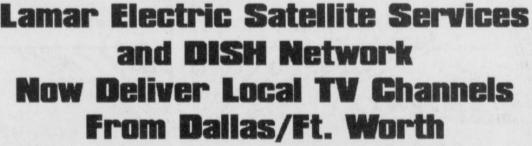


and Julia Grossmann, all of Deport.

Wendy Reavis, Tonya and Tanya

Happy birthdays to Kenneth Harold Allen, Doris Jackson, Bennie Crawford, Lat Nichols, Nathan Yoder, Ruth Skaggs, Carrol Ward, Sallie Martinez, Ashley Ebarb, James Wood, Mark Waggoner, Dickie Davis, Karen LeCour, Tilden Betterton, Bill Cathey, Carlie Shae Thomas, Isbell Pickering, Kayci



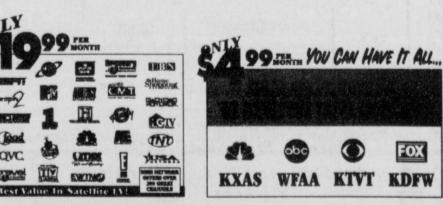


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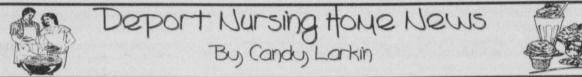
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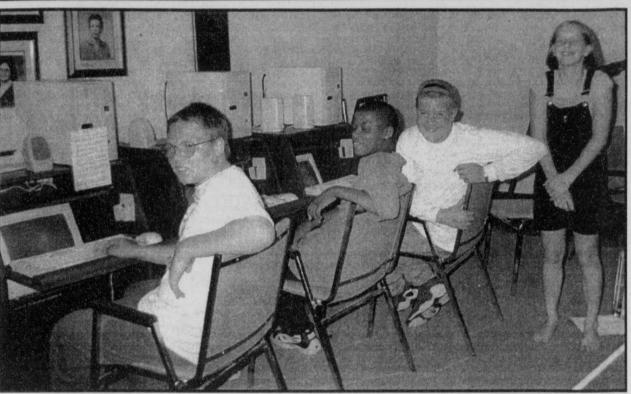
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COMPUTER ROOM KIDS-A number of Deport youngsters have been taking advantage of the computer room at the Deport Housing Authority this summer. From left are: Johnny Farmer, Marshall Fulbright, Chris Brunson, and Mandy Weddle. The program is free to youngsters and adults wanting to learn, have fun and share summer activities. (Staff Photo by Mike Francies)

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Happy birthdays this week too: Dexter Baker, Jordan Hunold, Teri Shelby Moody, Brad Thomas, Karen Taylor, Tim Carter, Spencer Eppler, James Boyd, Jessica Roddy, Kaleb Craig, Josh Northam, Jay Henderson, Lesley McHam, Elaina Hafter, Lloyd WIllard, B.J. Ramsey, Ruby Crawford, Riley Lewis, Sandra Rasberry, Juanita Garrett, Randy Barber, Daniel Smith, Megan Burks, Darla Perry, T.W. Whelchel, Patti Sue Pilip, Shanna Denison Wilkerson.

Thanks to everyone who patronized the Bake Sale and barbecue for the Oak Hill Baptist Church. They had a great turnout.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bonner this week was Rita Miears and Martha Gwen Bonner of Bedford. Amy Dabbs, Cari Irwin and Kortnie Barrentine have returned from a va-

cation in Cancun, Mexico. Blossom Library now open in new building. New books are coming in

each week. Check it out! Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cleveland traveled to Shawnee, Oklahoma from

Friday to Sunday. They visited with Paul Cleveland, David and Colleen Cleveland an family and Jeffreya nd Dana Cleveland and family and Kennah Sala of East Islip, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cleveland and Dorcas McGee served as hosts for the regular monthly meeting of Eastern Star in Deport last week. Kim and Clay Redditt of Arlington

spent the weekend with Bessie Garrett. Also visiting her Sunday was Curtis Garrett of Reno.

Pauline Weddle, Minnie Shands and Amber Clowers visited with Viola Brendle of the Regency Medical Plaza.

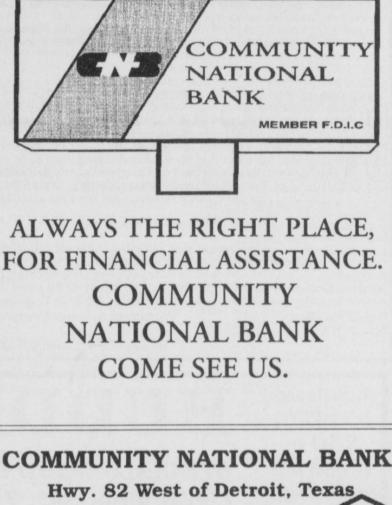
Annae Sugg and Marie Kennison of Paris visited with Ruby Crawford on Wednesday and spent the night. Gladys McClellan of Mabank spent Sunday and Sunday night with Ruby Crawford. They attended the Post Oak Homecoming.

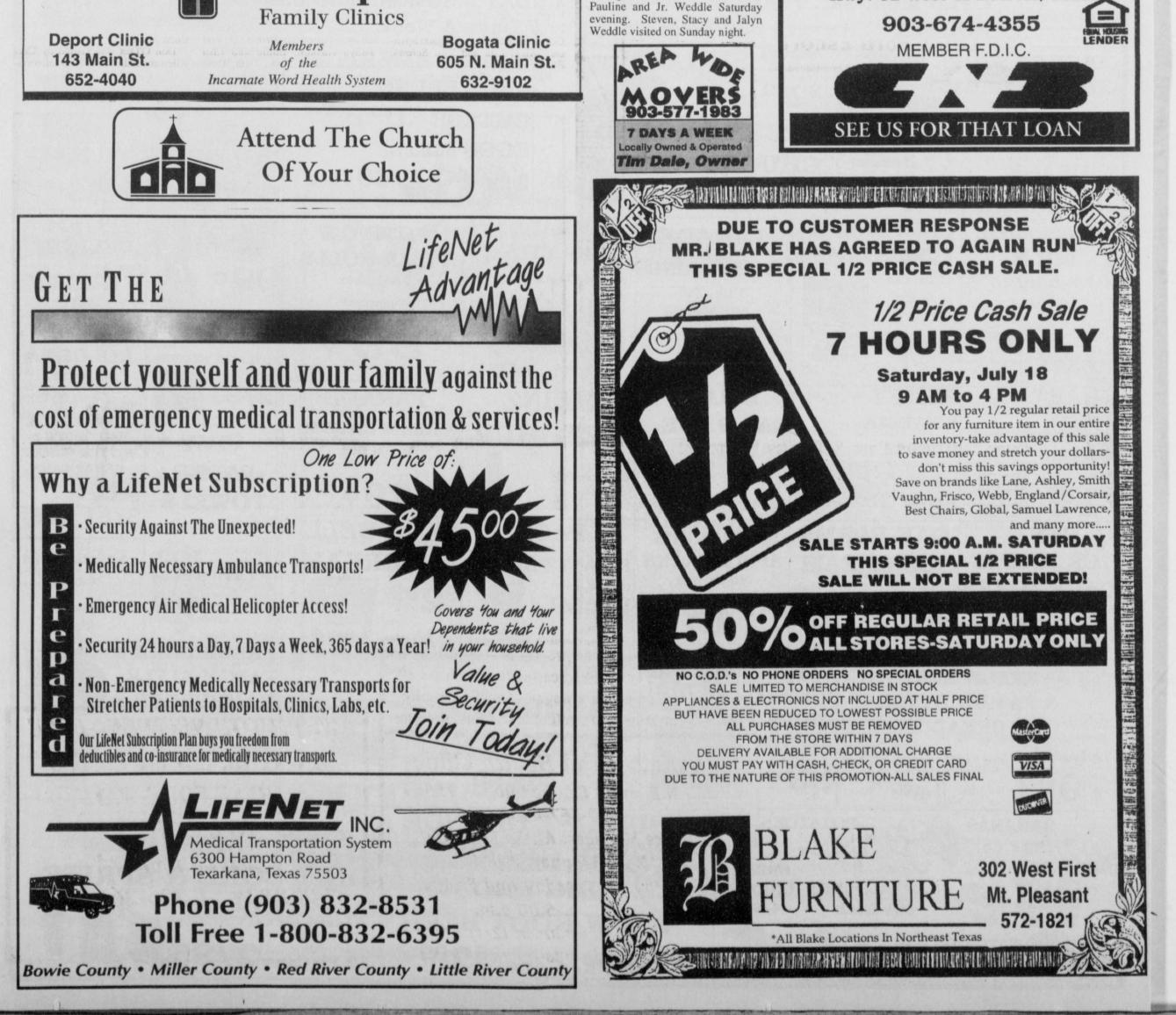
Angela Shannon of Paris visited Pauline and Jr. Weddle Saturday Weddle visited on Sunday night.





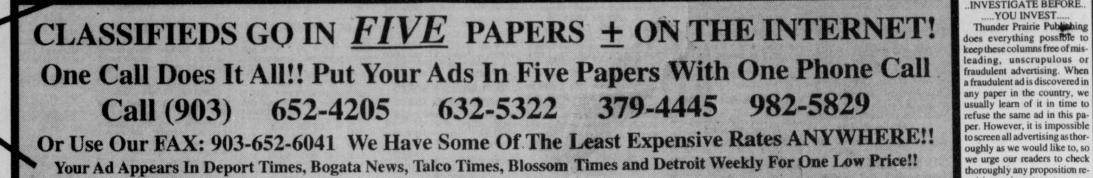
BLOSSOM Garden Club members Barbara Pitts & Avona Goble with the 98-99 Historical Society Calender. This years theme : Old schools of our area. The calender can be purchased at the **Blossom Telephone office or The Blossom Museum.**





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CITY OF BLOSSOM ORDINANCE #6-2-98 MANUFACTURED HOME PARKS

Definition The following words, terms and phrases when used in this ordinance, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

or maintain such park under the propremises

Code enforcement officer means

group of stands or facilities.

means a structure, constructed on or after June 15, 1976, according to the utilities, and includes the plumbing, heating, air conditioning and electri-cal systems. The term does not in-

clude a recreational vehicle as that term is defined by 24CFR 3282.8(g). ORDINANCE NO. 7-7-98 An ordinance of the City of Blos-

ordinances in conflict herewith; and

ARTICLE of the City of Blossom: Blossom, Texas, be, and the same is hereby, amended to include the following stop signs: Walnut Street and Division Street,

Agent means any person authorized by the licensee of a manufac-tured home or trailer park to operate isions of this article. The licensee or his designated agent must live on the

the legally designated code enforce-ment officer of the city or his authorized representative. Driveway means a minor private

way used by vehicles and pedestri-ans on a manufactured home stand or used for common access to a small HUD-code manufactured home

rules of the United States Depart-ment of Housing and Urban Development, transportable in one or more sections, which, in the traveling mode, is eight body feet or more in width or 40 body feet or more in length, or, when erected on site, is 320 or more square feet, and which is built on a permanent chassis and designed to be used as a dwelling with or without permanent founda-tion when connected to the required

Mowery. High Street and Elizabeth Street, stopping southbound on High. Chittim Street and Division Street, stopping north and southbound on Chittim. Chittim Street and Main Street stopping north and southbound traf-fic on Main. Section 2: Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordi-nance shall be guilty of a Misde-meanor, and upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed \$200.00.

Section 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed. 7-16

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Section 1. The City of Blossom,

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stopping north and southbound traf-fic on Holley.

Holley Street and Main Street, stopping northbound traffic on North Holley. Ash Street and Main Street, stop-

ping southbound traffic on Ash. Main Street and Bois D'arc, stop-ping eastbound traffic on East Main.

Division Street and North Holley,

July 7, 1998.

Cypress Springs Water Supply Corporation intents to file an appli-cation for federal assistance to USDA Rural Utilities Services for water system improvements to service North Franklin. As one of the requirements of this application, Cy press Springs WSC will hold a pub lic hearing on July 30, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. at the Cypress Springs WSC office conference room located at 4430 Highway 15, Scroggins, Texas 75480 to discuss the environmental impact and other issues of the pro-

ing for the impounding of certain dogs and cats found running at large: Providing for the redemption of dogs and cats so impounded, and for the destruction of dogs and cats not so redeemed by the owner; Providing for the impoundment and the quarantining of animals; Providing for

for reports of human and animal exposure to rabies; Providing for submission of specimens for laboratory; Providing for an effective date of August 15, 1998; Providing for a penalty of not more than \$1,000.00 for violations of this ordinance, and not more than \$100.00 for any peron or persons who assists in violation of any provisions of this ordinance; Providing for repeal and providing for a severance clause. 7-16

ORDINANCE 88-3

ANORDINANCEOFTHECITY OF BOGATA, TEXAS, PROHIB-ITING KEEPING NOISY DOGS WITHIN CITY LIMITS AND CALLS FOR A FINE. 7-16

ORDINANCE 98-09

Mowery Street and South, stop-ping north and southbound on Mowery An ordinance of the City of Bogata, defining "Junked Vehicles", declaring the same to be public nuisances, with certain exceptions, providing for the abatement of such public nuisances, providing for the fixing of a lien for the costs of abatement, providing for the disposition of any junked vehicles impounded in ac-cordance with terms hereof, providing a severability clause, providing an effective date of August 15, 1998, and providing for a penalty not to exceed \$100.00 per day and declaring each day's violation a separate offense and punishable as such. Junked vehicles which are located

in any place where they are visible from a public place or public rightof-way are detrimental to the safety and welfare of the general public, tending to reduce the value of private property, to invite vandalism, to create fire hazards, to constitute an unattractive nuisance creating a hazard to the health and safety of minors, and/or detrimental to the economic welfare of the state, county and city of Bogata, by producing urban blight which is adverse to the maintenan and continuing development of the City of Bogata, and such vehicles are therefore, declared to be a public

If you have questions concerning this ordinance, please contact Michael Garretson, Mayor, or come by City Hall to read the complete

ORDINANCE NO. 98-10 An ordinance prohibiting the shooting, firing or discharging of firearms; the firing, lighting or ex-ploding of squibs, firecrackers, torpedoes, roman candles, sky rockets or other things containing powder or other explosive matter, or the throw-ing of any fire balls within the City limits of the City of Bogata, Texas; providing for an effective date of August 15, 1998, and providing for a fine not to exceed \$500.00.



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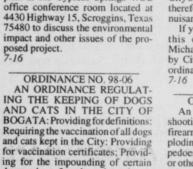
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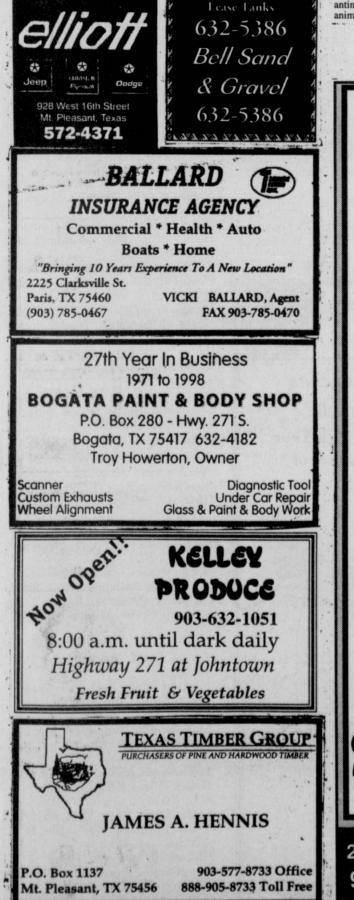
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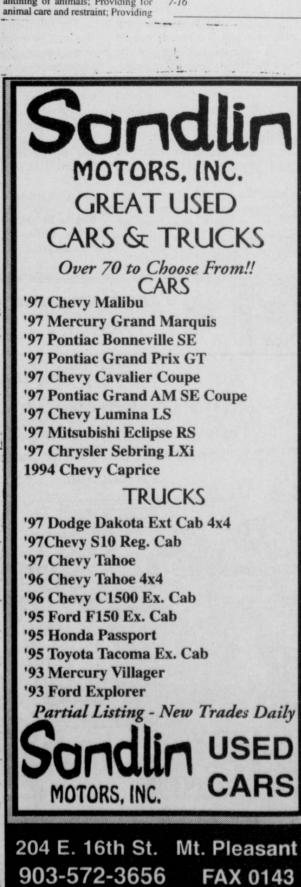
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YARD SALE: 360 Trail Street, Deport. Saturday, July 18, 7 a.m. until ?? 7-16

GARAGE SALE: Leftovers from Tressie Barnwell estate. Friday and Saturday, July 17-18. In Detroit at Tressie Barnwell home on East San Diego St. 8:30 a.m. 7-

YARD SALE: Friday, July 17; Saturday, July 18. 617 Monroe St., Deport. No sales before 8 a.m. 7-16

MOVING SALE: Thursday, Friday & Saturday, July 16-17-18. 202 8th St., Talco. Evelyn Bowman's home, 8 a.m. until ?? A little of everything. 7-16

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theater has had a remarkable season with a capital drive campaign that allowed them to make great strides in debt reduction as well as install new restroom facilities downstairs that are also handicapped accessible. It is the hope of the board of directors to have the new seats in place by the first of the year, with the bathrooms being finished by the first pro-

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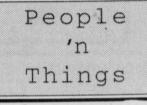
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Get Your Gun" opening October 1. The gala will feature songs as Gershwin's Someone To Watch Over Me, Embracable You, Our Love Is Here To Stay, I Got Rhythm and Summertime; Berlin's How Deep Is

The Ocean, What'll I Do, There's No Business Like Show Business, They Say It's Wonderful and Heatwave: Cole Porter's Night and Day, In The Still of the Night, Just One Of Those Things, So In Love and more.

Talent featured includes Dick, Dwight and Bill Logee, Rex Lee Edwards, Alaina Logee, Mela Dee Woodard, Treva Ables, Beth Robinette, Michelle Jewett, Amanda Hammack, Amy Braswell-Burrows and Tim Wood.

Performances are July 17 and 18 at 8 p.m. and Jull.y 19 at 2:30 pm.



Pattonville Volunteer Fire Department will meet Monday, July 20 at 7 p.m.

Pattonville Community Center and Fire Department dance is Friday, July 24 at 8 p.m. Concessions available. Proceeds go to fire department. Broadway Junction Band will play. Pattonville Community Center and

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Wood Funeral Homes Deport to renovate

Beginning August 1, Wood Funeral Homes will begin a major renovation of their facility in Deport.

'We are very excited about giving the whole place a complete different look," said James Wood, owner of the business since 1993.

"The building has never really worked well in its present condition, although a smaller renovation was done when we initially purchased the business.'

The renovation is being designed by Bill Kennedy Fine Furniture and Design in Paris and will take anywhere from 4-6 weeks to be completely finished. Due to the major construction, the business office will temporarily be housed at 215 Monroe in Deport, with local churches assisting in visitations and funeral services while the building is being renovated.

"It is going to be a little inconvenient for our families during this time, but we feel the end results will be worth it," said Tim Wood, manager of the Deport facility. "This is something that has been needed for a while, but we have just now been able to do something about it. Bill has come up with some wonderful plans and I think that the entire town will benefit.'

The James Wood family is also making plans to construct a new facility in Bogata starting in late 1999 with hopes to be operating in the new facility by 2000. "The people in Bogata, Deport and the surrounding area have been extremely good to our family, and we are excited to be able to enhance our facilities as a way of saying thank you to them," said James Wood.

The architect, John Denison, has designed the plans for the new facility in Bogata.

Home Health Services asking people to contact their congressmen in their support

As many people are aware, many Home Health Services across this nation are having trouble surviving. While there was fraud in some agencies, most home health providers say that the majority are honest people trying to give the best care in the world to the elderly people they serve. While changes need to be made, they say, the changes that have been made by the government so far are devastating and pushing the industry to the brink of disaster. These home health providers are asking the recipients of home health care, their families, indeed anyone who wants to see the home health care program continue, to take time to write to their governor or congresspeople to support the care they give.

Kathy Gooding, of Magnolia Home Health said "I think they are trying to throw out the elderly person with the bath water ".

Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515

Joe Barton, Room 2264 Ray House

Ken Bentsen, Room 128 Cannon



The following is a list of officials that can be contacted in support of home health care services. Governor George W. Bush: Office of the Governor, P.O. Box 12428, Austin, Texas 78711-2428.

U.S. Senators: Phil Gramm, Room 370 Russell Building, Washington, D.C. 20510 Kay Bailey Hutchison, Room 283, Russell Building, Washington, D.C. 20510

U.S. Congressmen

Bill Archer, Room 1236, Longworth House Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510



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