



By Nanalee Nichols
You just might be more interesting than you think!

A few weeks ago I had a visit from a very exceptional woman. She brought me a number of "hand me downs" from her beloved cats. She was extremely generous, and my three indoor cats are now sleeping in the lap of luxury on fleece hammocks!

She sat down with me and we had a long and very interesting visit.

I had met this lady only once before, and it was fascinating to talk with her about the way things used to be back when she was a young girl or young woman.

We shared our love of cats, and our disgust with people who abuse animals.

When she left, she apologized for having stayed so very long. I hope I assured her that I had really enjoyed her visit...because I did.

Which got me to thinking. There are so many older people in the world who have fascinating stories to tell. War veterans, people who lived interesting lives or had different careers, people who went through the hard, desperate times of the "great Depression" or even the boom years of the 1950s. And most of them probably think that they are boring or uninteresting to other, younger people.

I don't believe most of us find them boring.

I wish there were some way to set up story times at libraries, or schools, or even community meeting rooms so that younger people could listen to people who have experienced a different era first hand.

Wouldn't it make a great history project for some students to sit down with one special person and record that person's memories and experiences? Wouldn't it be even better to have it all on video?

Now I am aware that some days we are all too busy for our own good, and don't have the time to "just listen", but what if we made the time on specific dates and places?

There is a saying that those who refuse to pay attention to the past are doomed to repeat it's mistakes. There is a lot of truth in that.

I suppose the point I am wandering towards this week is that we should take the time, be we young or old, to listen and learn from the past.

If you have someone who possesses this wealth of memories, take time to listen. If you happen to be one of the people with these stories...don't hesitate to share them when a good opportunity presents itself!

Both the teller and the listener might be amazed at what a bond they feel...and what a lot they have to share together.

Burn ban has been lifted due to rainfall

The burn ban has been lifted for Lamar County since there has been about eight inches of much-needed rain over the past three days.

Outside burning can now be resumed as long as conditions do not return to their former critical state.



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Thursday, September 17, 1998

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City council hears from fire department, church

There was standing room only at the Deport City Council Monday night. After routine business such as payment of bills, minutes and financial report approval the council took on a full agenda.

First the council heard an appeal from the Deport Volunteer Fire Department concerning the need for a grass fire and first responder truck. Spokesman for the department, Fire Marshal Thomas Nichols, stated to the council that the present grass truck is thirty-five years old and parts for the truck are either difficult to obtain or completely unavailable. The truck is a constant maintenance liability and has been out of service for the past week because of the clutch being out. Nichols proposed that the fire department use all of the fire department's funds towards the purchase of a new truck if the city would help purchase a truck with needed fire fighting equipment. The issue was discussed and tabled until more information can be obtained.

Members of the First Baptist Church in Deport met with the council to request permission to have a six inch main water line located north of the church relocated. Spokesman

Mike Williams presented a plan to relocate the main line at the church's expense in order to make room for the church to construct a gym and fellowship hall north of the church.

Council members agreed to allow the church to move the main line if the city's engineers approve the plans.

Bids for reconstructing Ruth and Trail Streets in the city were discussed. Drake Construction Co. of Paris turned in the lowest bid of \$52,000.00. Total for the project including the engineering fees will total \$62,000.00. The council accepted the bid.

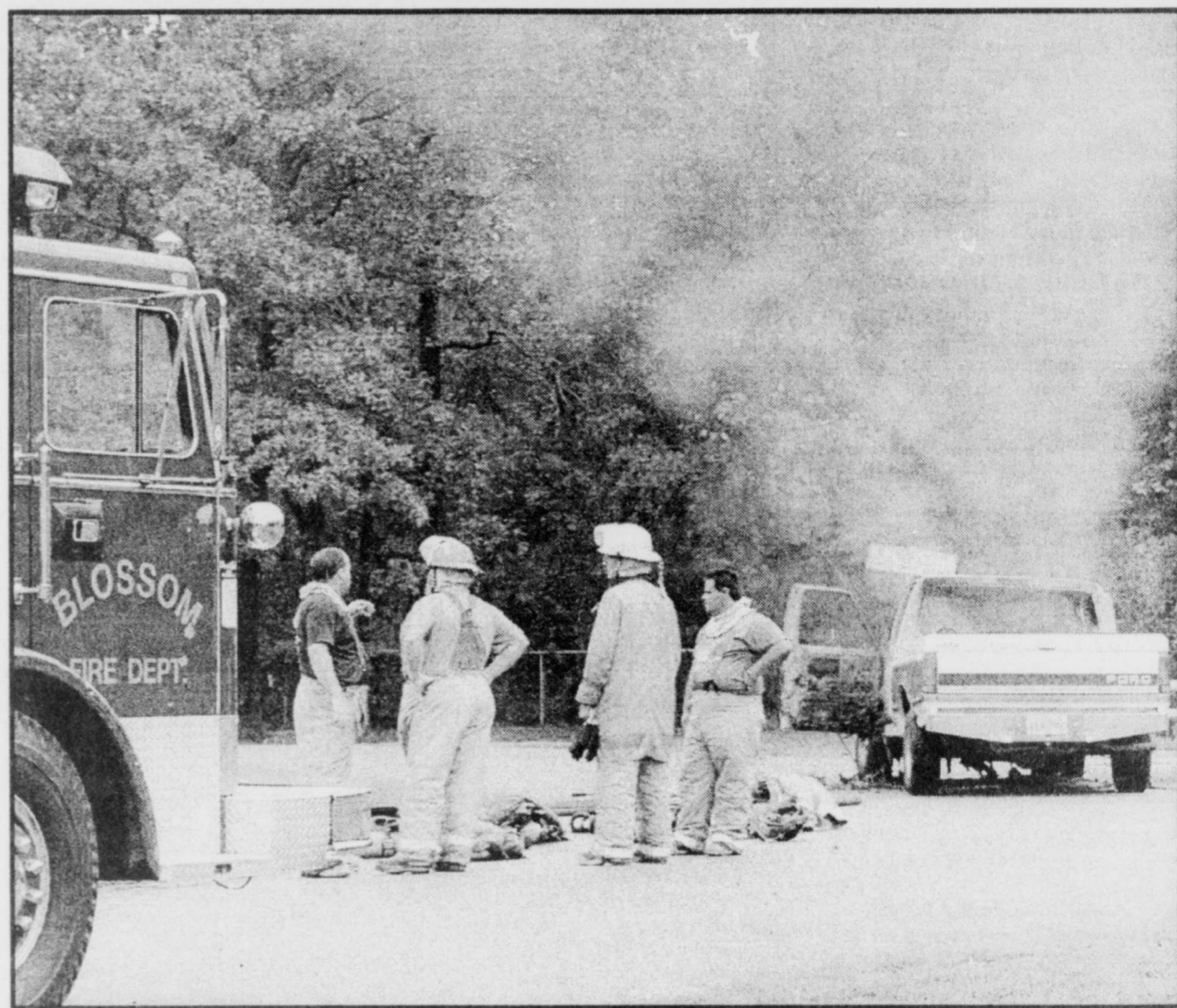
The resolution for property taxes to be set at .4704 for the year of 1998 was accepted.

Council accepted a resolution for the resale of property recently sold for taxes.

The council agreed to sell a lot owned by the city on the east side of town on Bell Street.

Mayor Charles Foster reported he had all deeds to the buildings on the north end of Main Street.

Council tabled any action on tearing down the building at the present time.



MEMBERS of the Blossom Volunteer Fire Department extinguished the flames that engulfed this Ford Pickup. The vehicle burned Monday around noon and the remains of an unidentified person were found within the vehicle. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Burning truck contains body

The body of Roy Lee Easley of Blossom was discovered in his burning pickup truck at the roadside park just east of Blossom Monday, September 14.

The Blossom Volunteer Fire Department was called to the scene of a report of a burning vehicle at about noon Monday. After extinguishing the burning vehicle they discovered the body, which at that time was unidentified.

Sheriff B.J. McCoy said Wednesday morning, Sept. 16 that "the Collin County Medical Examiner has positively identified the body as that of Roy Lee Easley of Blossom. Mr. Easley died of smoke inhalation and thermal injuries." He also stated that "There was no gun or evidence of a gunshot wound. From the evidence and statements at this time we believe that this will be self inflicted and not a homicide". A complete investigate is underway to positively confirm that fact.

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Shady Grove to hold revival

The Shady Grove United Methodist Church will be holding revival services Friday and Saturday, September 18-19 at 7 p.m. with Rev. John Pflug, evangelist.

On Sunday, September 20, Homecoming will be held at 11:00 a.m.

Followed at noon by a covered dish dinner under the pavilion.

People 'N Things

Pattonville VFD meeting is Monday, September 21 at 7 p.m.

Pattonville Community Center and VFD dance is 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, September 25-26. Concessions available. Proceeds benefit fire department.

Pattonville Community Center and VFD monthly meeting at 7 p.m., Monday, September 28.

The Shady Grove United Methodist Church will hold a revival on Friday and Saturday, September 18 and 19 at 7 p.m. Homecoming is Sunday, September 20 at 11 a.m. followed by a covered dish dinner at noon under the pavilion.

The Deport United Methodist youth will hold a bake sale on September 19 in front of Darden-Sparks Department Store in downtown Deport. They are taking special orders for cookies, cakes, pies and cobbler and diabetic orders. For information, call 632-5489 or 652-4925.

Prairiland Booster Club will meet Monday, September 21 at 6:30 p.m. at the Prairiland High School cafeteria. The order of business is to finalize plans for homecoming.

Benefit planned for Burruss children

The Bogata Lions Club will sponsor a stew supper, pie and cake auction September 19, from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. The fund-raiser will be solely for the benefit of the children of the late Lucy Hinson Burruss. The supper will be held at the Bogata Elementary School cafeteria. There is no charge for the supper, it will be donations only. If you would like to make a pie or cake for the auction, please contact Charlotte or David Rozell at 632-5617. Mark your calendar today to take part in this worthwhile event and show these children that we care.

Letters to the Editor

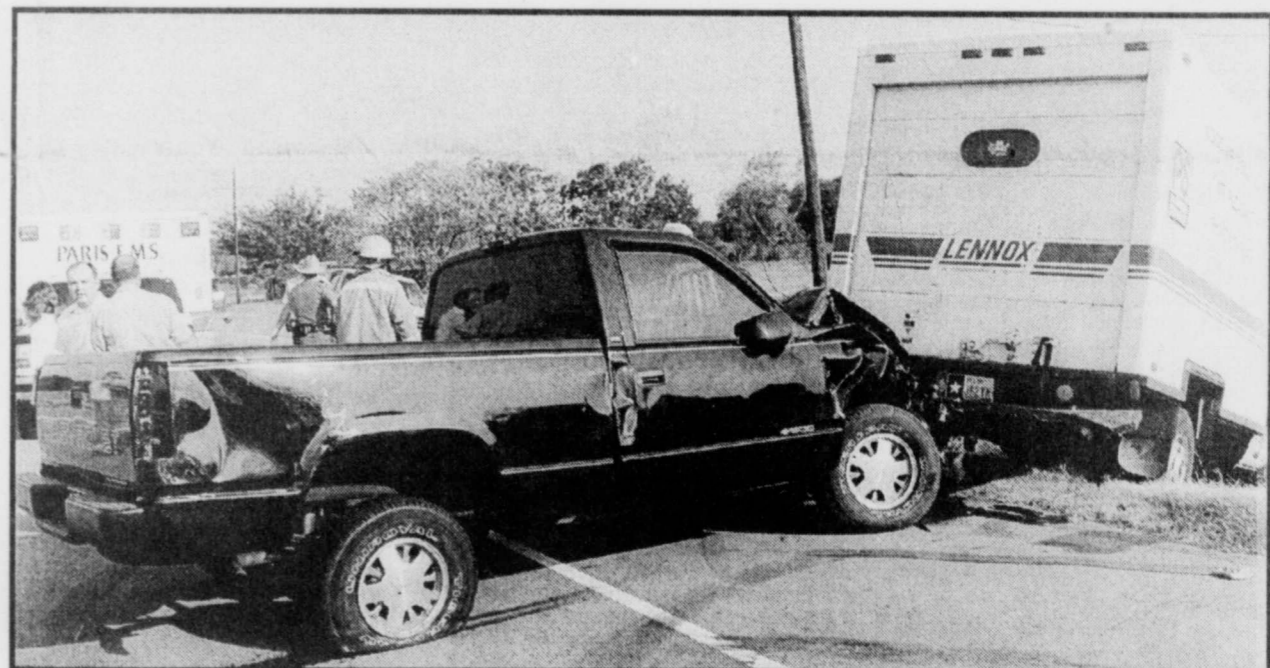
The scoreboard is the object of many conversations. Be it football, baseball, basketball, volleyball or softball, what is written on that scoreboard could make or break a team and it's coaches confidence level. The winning team always receives high praise whether they deserve it or not. The ones that walk off the field or court with their heads held not so high, are often the ones who are neglected words of praise despite a good job being done. The scoreboard does not necessarily tell the true tale, for the better team has often come out on the bottom. Someone has to lose, yet there are no losers. The Prairiland Patriots are such a team, because never have they worked harder to be all they can be. They have great potential and although they may not have all the moves down yet, their time is coming and it will be here sooner than their opponents would like. Deborah Dawson

Fulbright Church of Christ plans classes

There will be Marriage Enrichment Classes conducted at the Fulbright Church of Christ September 17-19 at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday night the speaker will be James Rennaker. His subject will be "Your Marriage and How It Can Be Better". Randy Miller will speak Friday and Saturday nights on "The Song of Solomon; Speaking to the One You Love."

Everyone is invited. There will be something for everyone - young and old, married or unmarried. Everyone is welcome to come and study the Bible.



STRANGE ACCIDENT-this accident resulted in no serious injuries last Wednesday, Sept. 9. Three vehicles were proceeding northbound on Hwy. 271 just east of Pattonville when two of the vehicles apparently tried to pass a third vehicle at the same time. A black 1997 Chevrolet pickup driven by Riley Wayne Coe swerved to avoid collision with the other passing vehicle. He left the road way, rolled over once and re-entered the hwy. A 1994 Wood Heat and Air Conditioning had pulled over on the shoulder of the road to avoid the collision. Reports indicate that the Wood Heat and Air truck was the vehicle being passed originally. The Chevy truck did a 360 degree turn in the roadway, struck the other vehicle, did several other complete 360s and rear-ended the stationary vehicle. The driver of the Chevrolet truck, Mr. Coe, had been knocked unconscious during the roll over and was still unconscious after the accident was over. The third vehicle apparently did not stop. DPS Trooper David Reynolds investigated the accident and the Pattonville Volunteer Fire Department were on hand to direct traffic and render aid. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

Blossom Feed to host Pro-Lix meeting

Blossom Feed Store will host a fish fry and Pro-Lix meeting Thursday, September 17 at the County Kitchen in Blossom.

The meal will be served from 6:30-7:30 p.m. with a meeting with

Dan Cormier, Pro-Lix representative following the meal.

Door prizes will be awarded during the meeting. All area ranchers are urged to attend.

Prostate screening is September 19

Men throughout northeast Texas and southeast Oklahoma are invited to take part in the annual Prostate Cancer Screening sponsored by McCuiston Regional Medical Center on Saturday, September 19.

The free screening will be held in the MSI Building across from Pavilion I and II, 2875 Lewis Lane from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. This is a relocation of the screening from previous years. All men over the age of 50 or any man with a family history of prostate disease are strongly encouraged to take advantage of this screening.

Included with the screening will be a prostate specific antigen blood assay test and a digital rectal examination will be performed by qualified physicians.

Dr. Donald Wikoff, the lead physician again in this year's screening stressed the importance of the PSA

and digital exam in combination. Individually each of the tests are estimated at 65% accurate. Combined, the two tests yield a 95% efficiency rate. The incidence of prostate cancer for a white male is one out of every 11 men and the figure increases to one in nine for black males.

When diagnosed early, prostate cancer can be cured. Figures indicate over 80% of all patients with tumors which were diagnosed early survived the disease. Even in advanced cases, the disease can be treated more effectively than in past years.

Results of rectal exam will be given to the men at the conclusion of their examination by the physicians. Lab test results of the PSA will be mailed to each participant within 2-3 weeks after the screening.

No appointment is necessary.

Turner Cemetery Association to meet

The annual meeting of the Turner Cemetery Association will be Saturday, October 3, at the cemetery, beginning at 9:00 o'clock to do minor cleaning and improving of the grounds.

About noon, the group will go to the Fulbright Community Center for a pot-luck lunch and business meeting.

All interested persons are urged to attend the meeting as there are some problems that warrant your consideration and action.

Please bring lawn tools and food of your choice.

All contributions and memorials are to be sent to:
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Country Cooking
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This week's cook comes from the County Extension Office of Lamar County in Paris. They sent us some recipes on soups. Since the weather has cooled off some and we have gotten that much needed rain, we will use them this week.

The County Extension Office is a wealth of information available to everyone. They can answer your questions ranging anywhere from what types of trees you have or which ones are best suited for this area to testing your soils for needed fertilizer or nutrients.

The office also has available, many tips for the homemaker and busy career woman. They have many brochures available for many types of activities along with having recipes and handy tips for the home.

Our soup recipes this week can be made ahead of time and frozen for your convenience for future use. A soup is any combination of vegetables, meat or fish cooked in liquid. It may be thick (like gumbo), smooth (like a bisque) or chunky (like a chowder or bouillabaisse). Though most

soups are hot, some like vichyssoise and many fruit soups are served cold. Soups are often garnished with flavor enhancers such as croutons, grated or cubed cheese or sour cream. They can be served as a first course or as a meal, in which case they are often accompanied by a sandwich or salad.

We hope you enjoys these recipes and we will see you in the kitchen!

Potato Soup-everyone loves potato soup and here is just another version to try with a hint of ham flavor.

French Onion Soup-browned onions and simmering will make this a taste treat for any soup lover!

Southwest-Style Bean Soup with Avacado Salsa-kidney beans prepared with a flavoring of several spices to create a mixture that is great for a cool evening in front of the television during football season.

Avacado Salsa-this recipe uses chunked vegetables mixed together and not mashed or blended to top the Southwest Soup above.



Bogata
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Meeting time is 2nd and 4th Monday night at 7:00 p.m.

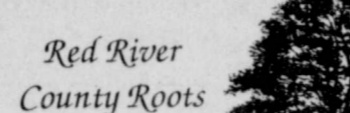
Post is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:00 p.m. until 12:00 midnight, and Saturday from 12:00 noon until 1:00 a.m.

Thursday at 7:00 p.m. is 42 playing time and Pool and shuffleboard are open all the time.

*The VFW will have a back September 26. Why not plan to come out and enjoy dancing from 8:00 p.m. until 12:00 midnight. The band is Deep River.

*Remember our MIAs and POWs, this week. So many of our veterans have never been found and our hearts go out to their families and friends.

*Happy September birthdays to Delene Tabb, Audrey Gillis, Steve Knowles and James A. Minshew, and Get Well to Eunice Miller.



Red River
County Roots

This week's query is from B.F. Maupin, Box 41411, Houston, Texas 77241-1411. He is researching the Maupin family and would like information on any Maupins who may have lived in Red River or Lamar Counties prior to 1930.

If you would like to write Mr. Maupin, please write her 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

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.

Maxey House to present slide show

Ricky Maxey, Conservation Scientist for the Endangered Resources Branch of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will present a slide presentation at the Maxey House on September 12 at 1:30 p.m. on Endangered Species of the Pineywoods. The presentation has been expanded from last year to include species of



Fulbright
News
By Betty Rodgers
652-6051

Joyce Covey of Dallas and Martha Hill of Longview visited Worth and Karen Baker.

Betty Rodgers, Melissas Arriaga and Bernice Thomas of Boyd were in Hobbs, NM visiting Mr and Mrs. E.C. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rodgers and other relatives.

Karen Baker met Winnie Conway and Marge Middleton of Carrollton for lunch in Paris on Monday.

Monte and Shelley Rodgers of Tigertown, Marcella Wright and Melissa Arriaga visited Betty Rodgers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis VanDeaver, Larann Denison, Worth Baker, Karen Baker and Larry Parker attended the Hastings reunion in Bagwell on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCrary attended the stew supper and auction at the Red River County Fairgrounds Saturday.

Kay, Butch and Devin Peek, Wendy and Matt Brunson and Russell Sullivan went to Ft. Knox, KY for the graduation for Kane Peek from basic training. He is staying one more week for A2 training, then will come home for three weeks, two of which he will spend working as a hometown recruiter. He will report to Ft. Hood on October 10 for processing, then on to Bosnia for eight months.

An estate planning and long term care workshop was held at the community center Monday with Tracey Barnes of Dallas as host. It was very informative and educational. It was enjoyed by everyone.

Marla and Preston Crump and grandsons Ty and Aaron attended a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Holbert and daughters Bailey, Cheyenne and Brooklyn of Irving. The occasion was Bailey's birthday. Cheyenne and Brooklyn returned home with them to spend a few days.

the Blackland Prairies and Post Oak regions of Northeast Texas.

The program will be presented in the Book House adjoining the Maxey House at 812 S. Church at 1:30 p.m. Reservations are requested as seating is limited. For information, call 785-5716.

"Seven" will make its debut October 4

Local Christian rock band Seven will make its formal debut during the Move Me outdoor Christian youth concert on October 4.

Lamar County Fairgrounds outdoor stage is the setting for the event, featuring three other local bands, Sabbathical, Crown and Love and Mercy. The groups represent styles from praise and worship to folk and

alternative Christian.

Seven's music is described as hard, Christian rock.

The concert begins at 2 p.m. Sunday, October 4 and is an effort to give local Christian teens a venue of expression, the chance to fellowship as a group and enjoy a variety of good, live Christian music. For information, call 739-2081.

Dummy roping to be held during fair

A "dummy roping" contest for children six through twelve years old will be held for the first time this year during the Red River County Fair at Clarksville.

Reggie Grizzle, contest sponsor, stated three age groups will compete; six and under; 7 through 9 and 10 through 12.

Montana Silversmith belt buckles will be awarded in each division. Buckles are sponsored by Crazy House Western Wear, Full Belly Feed, Community National Bank, Hardy Stewardson, DVM, Moore's Texaco and Reggie and Dana Grizzle.

Each contestant must bring proof of age to receive a prize. Rules and regulations for the contest will be posted at the fairgrounds.

Ropes will be available, Grizzle said, or the kids can bring their own.

Everyone is invited to attend the event at 6:45 p.m. Thursday night, September 24 at the livestock show ring.



Have A Great Weekend

Obituaries

Mrs. Goldie Lee Prince dies September 10

Mrs. Goldie Lee Prince, age 51 of Dallas, died Thursday, September 10 at her residence.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 13 at Bogata Cemetery with Rev. Park Robertson officiating. Wood Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Prince was born November 30, 1946 in Carlsbad, NM, the daughter of Walter Ollie and Leila Boyd Porter.

Surviving are a son, Gerald Wayne Prince of Dallas; one brother, Frank Porter of Garland; four sisters, Gail Spencer of Muskogee, OK, Kathy Taylor of Irving, Janie Poroski and Margaret Hoicutt, both of Dallas. She was preceded in death by a brother, Walter Porter.



Lois Rae Maddox

Lois Rae Maddox dies September 9

Lois Rae Maddox, age 88, formerly of Deport and Powderly, died Wednesday, September 9 in McCuiston Regional Medical Center.

Graveside services were held in Highland Cemetery at Deport on Friday, September 11 at 11:00 a.m. with the Rev. Jim Yarborough officiating. Wood Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

She was born February 9, 1910 in Deport, the daughter of William Stephen Dumas Grant. On July 11, 1931 she married Robert Lee Maddox in Grant, OK. He preceded her in death July 8, 1987. She was a graduate of Deport High School, Paris Junior College and East Texas State Teacher's College, having taught school for a number of years. She was the granddaughter of Nathan Grant, a prominent Deport landowner and Confederate veteran. She was the youngest of seven children, having been preceded in death by three brothers, Morris, Coy and Aubrey Grant and three sisters, Ruby Brittain, Mary Ellen Nobles and Jessie Pearson. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Powderly.

Her sons, Bobby Maddox of Reno and Jimmy Maddox of Greenville; five grandchildren, Leslie Rodman, Lindsey Maddox, Kelly Maddox, Carrie Maddox and Cris Maddox; and two great-grandchildren, Kelli and Casey Jones, survive.

Card of Thanks

The Detroit Booster Club would like to thank the kindergarten teachers and parents for their help in operating the concession stand on Friday evening, September 4. Also, the first grade teachers and parents on Friday, September 17. The Beta Club and sponsors have also extended their help during each of the junior high games. As always, their help is appreciated.

Card of Thanks

The Detroit Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank those who donated baked items and those who also purchased from the bake sale Saturday morning. The bake sale was a success due to community support.

*Go, bury thy sorrow,
The world hath its share;
Go, bury it deeply,
Go, hide it with care.
Go, bury thy sorrow,
Let others be blest;
Go, give them the sunshine,
And tell God the rest*

with tours of the old jail, the Lennox House, surrey tours and an outdoor dance at the American Legion Park with live entertainment.

Booths are being rented now. For information, call 427-2528 or 427-3772.

Fall Bazaar is October 10 in Clarksville

The Red River Historical Society's Fall Bazaar will be held October 10, surrounding the historic Red River County Courthouse.

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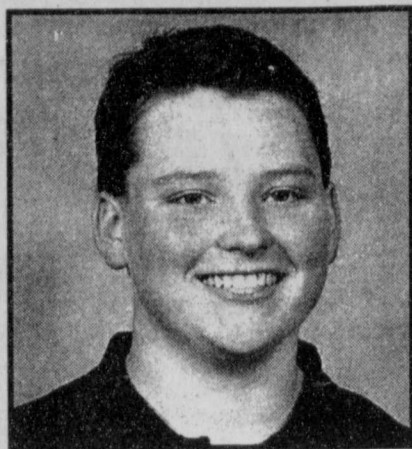


*Dana January-Joel Brown
to wed October 17
January-Brown to wed in Detroit*

Joe January and Muriel Williams of Eufaula, Oklahoma are happy to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Dana January to Joel Brown of Detroit, Texas.

The couple will be married on October 17, 1998 at the home of Hugh and the late Leisa Brown, the parents of the groom.

All friends and family are invited to attend this happy occasion. Services begin at 1:00 p.m.



Lance Paul Taylor
Lance Taylor is king nominee

Lance Paul Taylor, son of Larry and Gail Taylor of Red Oak, has been nominated from the senior class at Red Oak High School for Homecoming King. The coronation will be held at half-time when the Red Oak Hawks play Alvaredo September 18. Lance's mother, Gail Taylor, will escort him on the field. Lance plays center for the Red Oak Hawks. There were 5 boys and 5 girls selected for this honor from the senior class for Homecoming King and Queen out of 232 seniors.

Lance is ranked 6th academically out of the 232 seniors.

He is a member of the Spanish Club, Student Council, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and treasurer of the National Honor Society.

Lance is the grandson of Pete and Lillian Taylor and Barbara Ward and the late Dean Ward all of Bogata.



Lily Grace Gibson

Jeff and Carolyn Gibson proudly announce the arrival of their daughter, Lily Grace Gibson, on August 10 at 1:12 p.m. at McCuiston Regional Medical Center.

She weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces and was 19 inches long. Grandparents are Dalton and Brenda Gibson of Pattonville and Justin and Jane Strawn of Bogata. Great grandparents are Chris and Maudine Beaton of Mellwood, Arkansas.

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Willis-Williams wedding planned

Tonya Marshall Willis and Brandon Williams are proud to announce that they will exchange wedding vows Friday, September 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Doug and Kathy Williams at #132 Highway 37 North in Bogata.

Milton News
By Mattylu Upchurch

Edna Lee and Ruth Johnson attended a senior citizens camp at Box Springs, AR on Friday and Saturday. Shasta Riley participated in the cross country meet at Cooper Lake Saturday.

Nita Bowling was on a business trip to Florida Wednesday through Sunday.

Nathan Yoder and LaMar Schrock went skating at the Family Fun Center in Paris on Friday.

Frank and Edna Lee were in Winnsboro Monday.

Mattylu Upchurch spent Friday through Monday with her daughters, Billie Goheen of Arlington and Leah and Russell Schroeder and Jeff of Grapevine on Sunday. They all celebrated Nick Maudsley's birthday. Others attending were Merritt Corna, Megan and Devin.

Ruby Lee is spending this week in Dallas.

Nathan Yoder is playing football with a team in Paris.

T.J. and Jimmy Chappell had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee Sunday.

Ann and Sheldon Lee had Thursday supper with Elvis Wright to celebrate his 92nd birthday.

Tim Salter visited John and Velma Temple Thursday night.

Tabatha Purcell spent Saturday night with John and Velma Temple.

Cindy Filkins, George and Nell Wolf visited his sister, Bobbie Chambliss of Cash on her birthday Saturday.

Tim Parks and Evelyn Roach had Sunday dinner with Dorothy and James Holt.

Integrity has no need of rules.
—Albert Camus

Have A Nice Weekend

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#45 PATRIOT STAN COX plows his way through a gang of Detroit Eagles in Friday night's game. The weather was damp, the game was long, but hey... it's Friday Night Football in Texas! The Pats did an outstanding job but were defeated 20-48 by the Eagles.

Detroit Eagles defeat Prairiland Patriots 48-20

By Deborah Dawson

The Patriots traveled to Detroit on Friday, September 11 to face off against the Eagles in what would prove to be a training session for referees. The times are countless that the officials had to call time-out for pow-wows to decide what the flag was thrown for.

There were several high points in the game. The first being the Patriots QB sneak. Heath Sessums carried the ball and it seemed as though he had come up against a brick wall. Pats rallied around him, shoving him

up, over and through the Eagle defense, giving the Patriots the first of three TD's. Aaron Williams took advantage of his teammates blocking ability and ran the ball past the Eagles for a 29 yard TD.

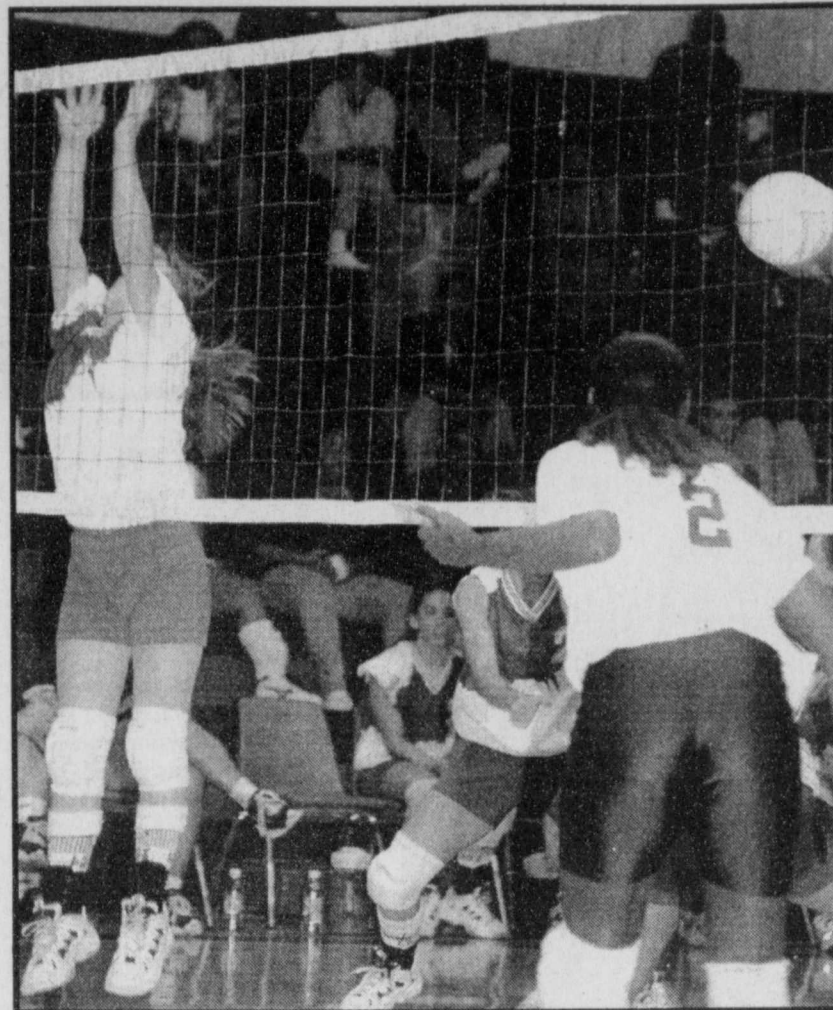
Jason Elrod thwarted three Eagles, who attempted to block a pass for Sessums, when he caught the ball in the end zone for a TD. The play occurred in the last second of the game. Sessums snapped the ball and displayed perfect timing and aim. Joel Hudson kicked and made 2 of 3

attempted extra points. Stan Cox, Billy Springer, Tony Love, Kevin Farrow and Jonathan Brown showed tremendous force as they repeatedly slammed the Eagles. Williams did a super job of pass coverage, foiling several defensive plays by the Eagles. Chris Dawson caused the Eagles to fumble twice in the back field. Hudson and Love recovered a fumble each. The Eagles seemed to take flight several times, causing irreparable damage to the scoreboard and took the win 48-20.

Statistics for Caddo Mills game Friday, September 4

Patriot	Rushing	Passing	Receiving	Punting	Defensive Stats
Stan Cox	13-35	-	-	-	-
Aaron Williams	15-104 1-TD	-	-	-	3 solo 1 assist
Heath Sessums	5-24	4-15 59yd/1 TD	-	-	1 pass int. by Eagles
Matt McEntyre	4-23	-	-	-	-
Brandon Gray	-	-	-	-	2assists 2 caused fmbles
Jason Elrod	-	-	2-25 yard	-	1 solo 6 assist
Joel Hudson	-	-	-	2 for 3 PAT punt avg 23.8	1 recovered
Kevin Farrow	-	-	-	-	1 solo-4 assist
Tony Love	-	-	-	-	1 solo-6assist-1 recover
Billy Springer	-	-	-	-	2 solo-9 assist-1 caused
Steven Lemmen	-	-	1-26	-	-
Jason Barnett	-	-	1-8	-	-
Jonathan Brown	-	-	-	-	1 solo 4 assist

11 first down with 239 yards



(Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

LADY PATRIOTS took fourth place in the North Lamar Tournament over the weekend. The girls are enjoying a successful season with district beginning in two weeks.

Patriot JV cage Bulldogs

By Deborah Dawson

The Prairiland Patriot Junior Varsity hosted the Cooper Bulldogs on Thursday, September 10. The Pats got off to a somewhat shaky start with three fumbles in the first few plays of the game. Josh Dawson was there to recover two but the Bulldogs came up with the third and after three failed attempts, a pass to the end zone gives the BD's a TD.

Patriots Chris Berry and Stony Musgrove showed extreme defensive power, knocking down passes and Bulldogs in their quest for the ball. There were 10 fumbles in the game, recoveries are as follows: Josh

Dawson (2), Philip Elder (2), Scotty Nichols (1) and Matt Larkin (2). Patriots Drew Riddles, D.J. Loveless, Chris Hock, Jesse Crawford, Chris Green and Larkin did a stupendous job protecting the goal with Michael Jones taking top tackle honors this week.

Elder and Musgrove used their bulldozer tendencies, both flattening any opposition or merely dragging them with them down the field. Musgrove ran 66 yards and Elder 49 yards for the two TD's of the evening. Hock also claimed a QB sack. Patriots defeated the Bulldogs 12-6.

Lady Patriots earn 4th at North Lamar Tournament

By Frankye Sessums

The Lady Patriots respect all the 4 and 5A competition they have been playing this season, but they certainly don't fear any of them.

Once again in a 16-team 3,4, and 5A tournament, the Lady Patriots showed that a smaller school can compete with the best of them. That is just what the Lady Patriots did Friday and Saturday in the North Lamar Tournament--compete.

In Friday's pool play, the ladies dominated as they defeated Sulphur

Springs 15-12, 15-8, Liberty-Eylau 15-5, 15-7 and Longview 15-7, 15-10. Throughout pool play, Felicia Taylor had an impressive 32 kills and Meagan Hatfield had 32 assists while Susan Singleton was 21/21 from the service line.

In Saturday's play, the Lady Pats defeated Wills Point JV 15-2, 15-1 to reach semi-final play against Texas High.

In the semi-final game, the ladies played some of their best and most

intense volleyball of the season, but fell 7-15, 17-19.

Falling in another long battle to Paris High 13-15, 13-15 to capture 4th place.

For the entire tournament Taylor had an astronomical 85 kills, earning her a spot on the All-Tournament team. All the girls played superbly and their tough pre-district schedule should have them finely-tuned to begin their district schedule in 2 weeks.

Stats for North Lamar Tournament (1st column pool play totals; 2nd Texas High; 3rd Paris and 4th Wills Point) Lady Pats take 4th place

Lady Pat	Assist	Serve	Ace	Kill	Blk	Pass
Amber Norwood	12-14-15-7	13-11-7-6	2---	1-1-2	----	9-7-5-
Susan Singleton	2-1--2-1	21-8-18-8	1---	5-4-4-1	----	9-7-7-6
Katie Mullins	----	5-4-7-	----	12-9-5-1	2-2-1-1	14-1-9-6
Toni Clarkson	----	----	----	----	----	----
Crystal Davis	3--	9-3-2-	2---	----	----	6-1-3-1
Meagan Hatfield	32-19-17-19	11-11-10-19	1--	7-7-5-3	----	13-1-9-5
Melissa Steinkamp	----	4-2-1-	----	----	----	4-1-1-2
Christy Patterson	-1-2	9-10-10-2	---1	3-3-2-1	----	7-5-4-4
Felicia Taylor	----	-6-2-	----	32-15-20-18	--3-	1-2-1-

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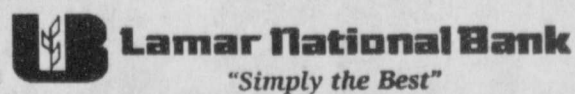
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Patriots win 3 from Quitman on Tuesday

The freshman, JV and varsity volleyball teams all won games Tuesday night in Pattonville against Quitman.

The varsity easily put away Quitman 15-4, 15-7 behind the good serving of Susan Singleton and Crystal Davis.

Prairiland vs. Quitman

Player	Assists	Serves	Aces	Kills	Blocks	Passes
Amber Norwood	9	5/7	1	5	3	3
Susan Singleton	2	12/13	5	5	7	5
Katie Mullins	3/5	1	6	2	7	3
Crystal Davis	9/10	3	3	3	6	3
Meagan Hatfield	12	3/4	3	3	6	3
Melissa Steinkamp	6/6	1	3	3	3	3
Christy Patterson	5/6	1	1	3	3	3
Felicia Taylor				11	2	

The JV team defeated Quitman 15-6, 16-14 with Tammy Nichols and Toni Clarkson each having 4 kills. Lisa Corso and Minda Corso led the serving with 14 and 10 points respectively.

In freshman action, the Lady Pats

won 15-2, 2-15, 15-4. Ashley Moffitt had 14 service points including 5 aces. Kami Hudson had 6 kills and Jordan Hunold had 8 assists.

The varsity and JV teams travel to Quitman Saturday with dual games with Quitman and Pittsburg.

Book donations made to Prairiland

Book dedications for Prairiland High School library are:

Still Me in memory of Arnetta Rogers from the Ben Holland family.

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PATRIOT #12 Aaron Williams is chased by a lone unidentified Detroit Eagle during last Friday night's game against the Pats. Detroit won 48-20.

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Prairiland I.S.D.
All Campus Menu
September 21-25

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Breakfast:
Cereal, yogurt, toast
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Lunch:
Beef burrito
Tossed salad
Pinto beans
Fresh fruit
Milk

Tuesday

Breakfast:
Scrambled eggs, toast
Juice, milk
Lunch:
Ham and cheese sandwiches
Baked beans
Dill pickles
Cherry cobbler
Milk

Wednesday

Breakfast:
Cereal, toast
Juice, milk
Lunch:
Chicken dippers
Baked potato
Green beans
Fruit cocktail
Milk

Thursday

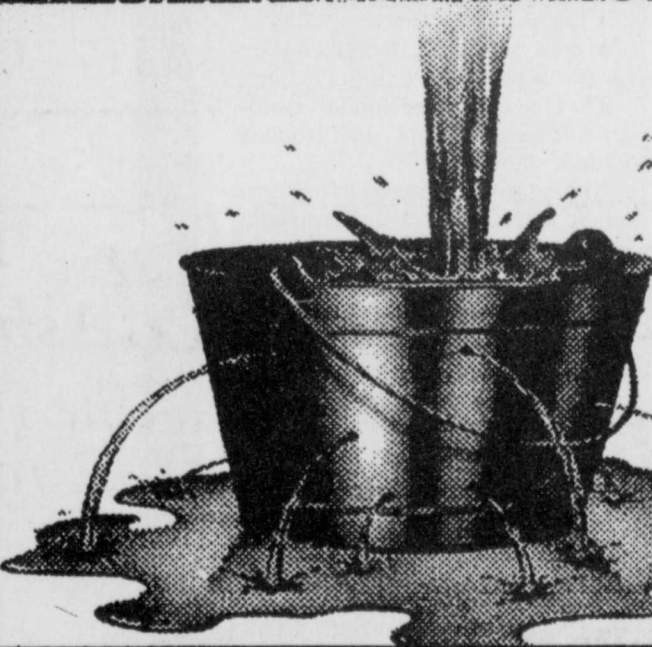
Breakfast:
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Juice, milk
Lunch:
Tater tot casserole
Tossed salad
Peaches
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Board accepts bid on property sold for delinquent taxes

The Prairiland I.S.D. met in regular session on Monday, September 14.

Members present were Chet Downs, Michael Sessums, Charles Fendley, Clyde E. Bankhead, Virgil Jones, David Basinger and Johnny Patterson.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved. Bills for August were approved for payment, along with the financial statement and tax report for August.

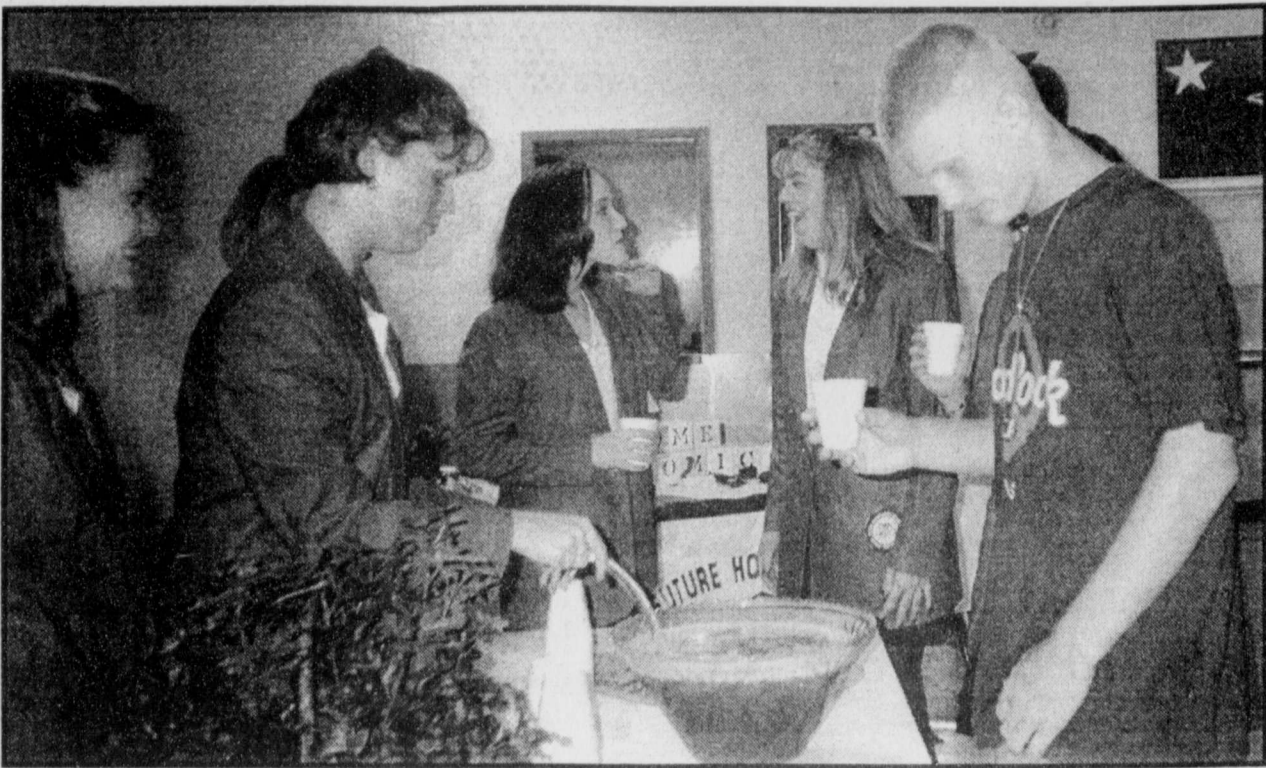
The Board heard the quarterly financial report.

They approved the resolution to accept bid for property sold for delinquent taxes.

The extra curricular policies and procedures handbook was discussed and revised to become the Athletic Handbook.

The Board went into Executive Session at 8:15 p.m. and came out at 9:10 p.m.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.



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SENIOR AMY TALLEY serves students at Prairiland's Open House held on Monday night.

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Sympathy is extended to the family of Ola V. Bramlett, who died in Paris on Monday, September 7. She was the mother of former resident Bonnie Crawford, who now resides in Bells.

Tammy McDowra's grandmother, Kathryn Little of Taylortown had surgery in McCuiston Regional Medical Center last Tuesday. Martha Tieszen of Denton spent the night with Kathryn.

Fred and Faye Huletty of Dallas visited Jesse and Frances Anderson last Thursday.

Congratulations to James and Heather Gray of Blossom on the arrival of their daughter, Madison Brooke Gray, on Wednesday, August 26. She weighed 7 lbs. 14.5 oz. and was 20" long. Dick and Yvonne Gray are the grandparents.

Happy birthday to Elois Sparks, Pat Rees, Betty Winters and Nick McDowra.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Willingham sustained smoke, fire and water damage last Thursday. No one was home at the time of the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cleaver and Laci LeFlore of Paris visited Buster

and Louise Crossland. E.C. Bogard visited them Friday and Brandon Wright spent the weekend.

Buster and Louise Crossland visited his sister, Ruby Ray, in Blossom on Monday.

Chris McDowra is an employee of Kroger's in Paris.

Peggy Parsons visited Mr. and Mrs. Perk Nesbit and Linda Copeland of Hugo, OK in Paris on Thursday.

Thomas and Alec McDowra of Paris visited Barbara McDowra and Gerlad Hood on Monday.

Brock McDowra is employed at Pyramid Pallets.

Deb Northam and Tate have been visiting her father, Ollie Bratcher, who has been in ICU at McCuiston Hospital in Paris.

Keith Parsons attended the annual Post Oak and Belk Old Settlers Reunion at Post Oak School recently.

Barbara Dawson's daughter, Peggy Evans and Jeff Lyles of Hugo, OK visited her Saturday. On Sunday Barbara visited and had lunch with them in Hugo.

Mike Sparks took his mother, Elois Sparks out to eat Sunday on her 83rd birthday.

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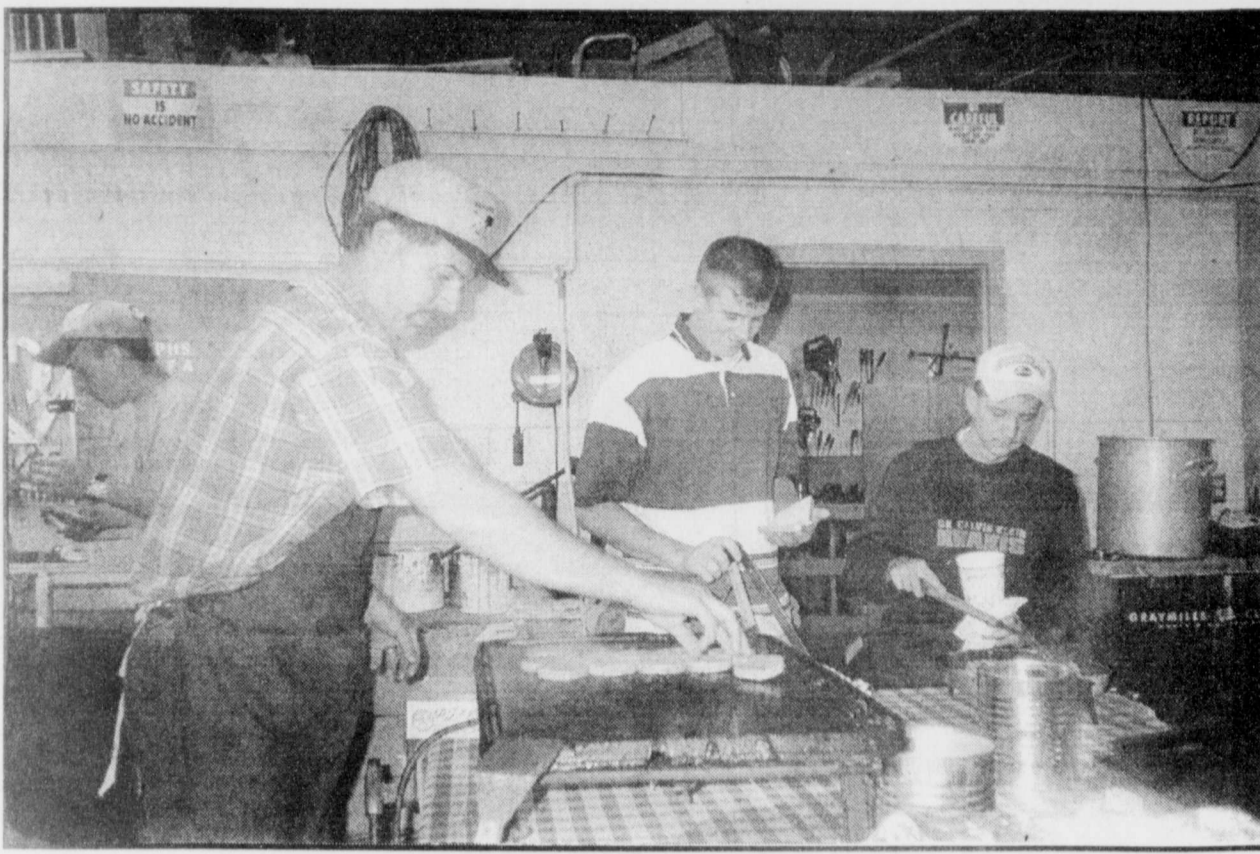
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PRAIRILAND FFA students and faculty cooked for and fed the faculty Thursday to kick-off it's fall fundraiser. They are selling sausage, bacon, fajita meat, turkey breast and etc.



FIVE GENERATIONS met at the home of Annie Barber. Pictured from left to right are: Sue Jackson, Jane O'Neal, Janee Jackson. Seated is great-great-grandmother Annie Barber holding Kenzie Claire, daughter of Eldon and Janee Jackson.



(Staff Photo)

PRAIRILAND MEMBERSHIP DRIVE FOR FHA-On Wednesday, August 26, the FHA officers served hot dogs and cokes to students enrolled in Homemaking classes. Approximately 150 prospective members for FHA were served. Shown with Vice President of Public Relations Shasta Riley as she serves students Shane Posey, Kami Hudson, Tera Winters, Hollie Allen, Jennifer Robertson and Lacy Spray.



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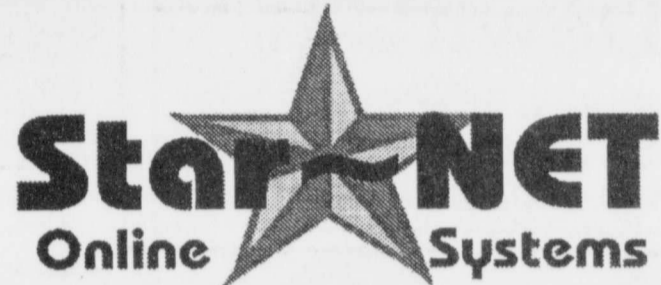
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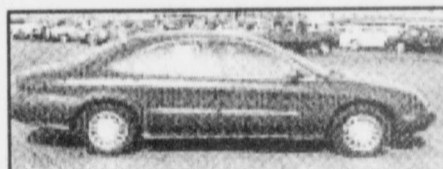
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Cunningham News

By Linda Anderson
652-3502 or 652-2059

Darold and Ida Mae Norwood spent Friday and Saturday in Denton with their daughter, Shelia.
Shelby Kennedy visited Lucy Fowler last week.

Geraldene Courtney of Lubbock, David and Brenda and Bonnie Ross of Powderly and Clyde and Bobbye Slusher and Johnnie Warren visited Lucy Fowler Saturday.

Shelby Kennedy had a birthday lunch for Bobby Ray and Heath on Sunday. All of her children and grandchildren were there.

Clyde Slusher visited with the family of Marie Oglesby Sunday and attended her funeral on Monday.

Carlos Ordorica was a patient at Titus County Memorial Hospital last week. He is home and doing well.

David Hulse, former pastor of Life Tabernacle Church, will be holding services Saturday, September 19 at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. He is from Indianapolis, Indiana. Connie Sharp from Arkansas will be at the services also. Everyone is invited to come to Life Tabernacle and worship and have lunch on Sunday.



(Staff Photo by Jan Tyson)
SEATED left to right is Heather Anthony, Brad Barrentine, Deann Presley, Renee Moreland and Chris Turner as they man the Prairiland FHA Booth at Open House on Monday night.

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22VBall at Mt. Vernon, 4:30, JV, V					
25FBall, Here, Celeste					
26VBall at Avery, 10:00, 9th, JV, V					
Cross Country at Mt. Pleasant					

Addielou-Manchester reunion is Sept. 19

The Addielou-Manchester reunion will be held September 19 at the Manchester Community Center. Bring a covered dish lunch around 11:00 a.m. Lunch will be served at 1:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

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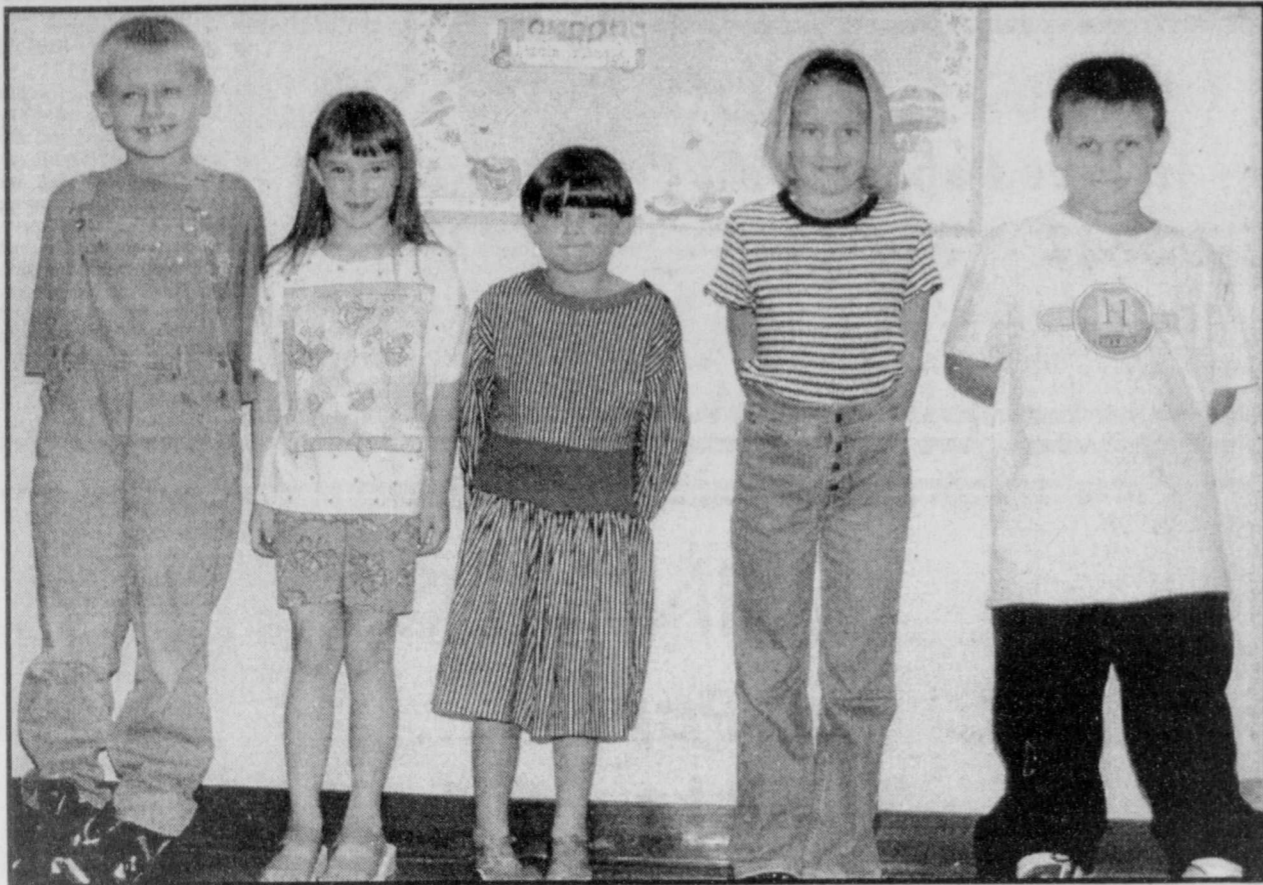
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STAR STUDENTS- For Deport this six weeks are, from Left: First grade, Wesley Murdock, Ashley Thomas; Kindergarten, Sam Thompson; 2nd grade, Lindsay Hoover and Brett Watson. Not pictured is Sean Dodson. (Staff Photo by Mike Francies)

Deport Locals

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Melba Ladd and Ruth Cheatham were in Gilmer last Saturday to attend the funeral of Alwin Berry, father of Buddy Berry of Grand Prairie.

Ruth Cheatham, Lucille Pickering, Nina Sparks, Peggy Parsons, Freeman Safford, Virginia Reed and Jane O'Neal were among the 318 attending the Texas Association of Hospital Auxiliaries District 5B meeting in Texarkana on Friday.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Rae Maddox who died Wednesday, September 9 in Paris. She was the wife of the late Robert Lee Maddox.

Happy birthday to April McMikel, Elois Sparks, Betty Winters, Crystal Francis, Eunice Ervin, Jay Davis, Dru Denison, Erika Ham, Frank Kirby, Carlos Ladd, Cigi Gifford, Colton Vaughn, Charla Guyon, Frances Franklin.

Happy anniversary to Kathy and Johnny Holt, Peggy and Durwood Wims, Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga, Anna Beth and Roger Allen and Denise and Jerry Brooks.

Mary, Christopher and Angel Mantooth and Thomas and Nanalee Nichols were in Talequah, Oklahoma for dental work last Thursday. Afterwards they continued on to Spavinaw, Oklahoma where they spent the night with Nanalee's aunt, Leota Miller. On Friday they toured Har-Ber Village on Grand Lake. That afternoon Bob and Medora Williams arrived from Amarillo to spend the autumn at Spavinaw. They all had dinner together that evening. They spent the night in Pryor, Oklahoma and returned Saturday.



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The monthly luncheon was held in Gazebo #1 on August 9. Blood pressure and health hints were presented

by Town and Country Home Health Service. Those attending and enjoying fellowship and food were Willie Mae Speir, Eunice Ervin, Betty Andrews, Lucille Morgan, Alice Bumgarner, Eunice Sugg, Mavis Sowards, Alpha Barnard, Mae Storm, Frances Franklin, Maud Webb, Hunter Bratcher, Alma Scaff, Phyllis Gifford and Thelma Shelby.

Deport Nursing Home Locals

Johnnie Warren was visited by Lleen George of Paris, Evelyn Raoch, Gerald Dean Courtney of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. David Ross of Powderly, Lucy Fowler of Cunningham, Dorothy Holt, Joyce Wilson, Purna Haydock, Candy Larkin.

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Dorothy Elms was visited by Wynell Galloway, Jo Ann Henson.

Ruby Crawford was visited by James, Edwina, Vicki and Deana James.

Mamie Fletcher was visited by Dennis Fletcher, Glenda King, Jimmy Fletcher, Lila Screws.

Athel Hester was visited by Barbara and Fred Biggerstaff and Cecil Allen.

Virginia Bryant was visited by Sherry Floyd, Pamela Gibson.

Cordell Grizzle was visited by Cathy and Jerry Grizzle, Cathy and Jerry, Michelle, Lash Lee, Nicholas, Sheila and Christopher.

David Greer was visited by Cecil Allen, William and Ann Geer.

Purna Haydock was visited by Dick Haydock of Deer Park, Texas, Evelyn Roach, Johnnie Warren, Ruth Chipman, Sam and Maragie Rice of Clarksville.

Raymond Hignight was visited

by Doris and Charlie Ruff, Sam Kelsey, Prentice and Russell Crawford, Thurman and Marie Franks.

Floy Sparks was visited by Doug, Tonya, Tiffany, and Colton Winters, Judy Ellington, Peggy Parsons.

Juanita Brawne and Lillie Dunnam were visited by Glenna, Laney and Lexie Jackson and Royce and Nona Johnson.

Lettie Ann Austin was visited by C.W. and Alice Johnson.

Ada Chaddock was visited by Cecil Allen.

Loretta McMurry was visited by Lou Hatfield.

Angie Smith was visited by Eddie Joe, Lisa, Desiree, Casey, Chris, Clesta Filkins, Dale Smith, Don Smith, Sue Goley.

Mrs. Smith is in McCuiston Hospital. We wish her well.

Virginia Carrell was visited by Ronald Carrell, Carl Lambright and Angie Allen.

Terry McDowra was visited by Cecil Allen, Cathy and Jerry.

Mary Matthews was visited Inez Luttrell, Fay Burns, Juan Isbell and Patsy Ward.

Raymond and Edith Crawford were visited by Prentice Crawford, Russell Crawford, Kaci, Kara, Dakota and Barbara Crawford.

Bereaved Parents support group to meet

Virginia Dudley will host the program at the September 12 meeting of the Bereaved Parents Support Group.

The topic of the meeting will be "ways we can help others and ourselves progress from being the victim of our tragedy to being a healthy, happy survivor."

The group will meet at 7 p.m. at the TU Electric Building. Everyone is invited to attend.

Friday 42 Club meets

The Friday 42 Club met on September 11th with Kathryn Campbell, Jimmie King won High Score for members. No visitors were present.

A refreshment plate was served. Ethel Epps will host the next meeting on September 25th.

Bogata Book Club tours museum

The Bogata Book club met Thursday, September 10th to tour the Hayden Museum. Mrs. Hayden took twelve book club members and two guests around the fascinating museum.

A business meeting was held afterward at the United Methodist Church in Bogata.

Jimmie Lou Pope and Marian Stephenson served refreshments.

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