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## Eugene J. Smith Dies Monday

Eugene J. Smith, age 72, died suddenly at his home in Talco Monday at 8:00 a. m. He was born Dec. 27, 1901 in Lamar County.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. from Smith-Bates Chapel in Mt. Pleasant, with John David Wright, minister of the Talco Church of Christ, officiating. Interment in the Midway Cemetery in Franklin County.

Survivors include his wife, Frances of Talco; three daughters, Mrs. Imogene Owings of Garland, Mrs. John Zimmerman of Dallas and Polly Smith of Mt. Pleasant; one son, Phillip Smith, a student at ETSU, Commerce; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; one brother, Ralph Smith of Talco.

## Mrs. Blalock Rites Friday

Funeral services for a former Talco resident, Mrs. Mary Frances Blalock, were held at Smith-Bates Chapel Friday at 2:30 p. m. with the following ministers officiating, Garnet Walker and Alvin Blalock. Burial was in the Gladewater Cemetery.

Mrs. Blalock was born in Titus County on July 16, 1915 and died at her home, 507 W. 7th Street, Mt. Pleasant, May 30 at 11:15 p. m. She was a member of the Harris Chapel Baptist Church.

She leaves her husband, Jesse Blalock of Mt. Pleasant; a daughter, Mrs. Geraldine Berry of Mt. Pleasant; her mother, Mrs. Cordie Phillips of the Wilkinson community; three grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Arlene Anschutz of Wilkinson community and Mrs. Lillian Morgan of Detroit; two brothers, Cliff and Charlie Phillips of the Wilkinson community.

## Alva Hill Service In Oklahoma

Alva Hill, 76, passed away May 29 in Madill, Okla., hospital after long illness. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill and was born Jan. 7, 1897 in the Line Branch community near Bogata. He had lived near Kings-ton, Okla., the last nine years. Had lived at Fort Worth several years before moving to Oklahoma.

He is survived by his wife and three children: James Riley Hill of Mountain View, Calif., Myrtle Hill of Oregon, Duane Hill of Los Angeles, Calif. and Mrs. Helen Kerrigan of Sunnyvale, Calif., and 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild; also these sisters and brothers: Mrs. Ethel Fredenburg of Portales, N. M., Mrs. Archie McBride and Mrs. Houston Pettit of Bogata. Gene Hill of McKinney and Howard Hill of El Paso. Mrs. Fredenburg was unable to attend due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McBride and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Pettit and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Babb attended the funeral Thursday.

## Isaac A. Carter Dies In Tyler

Isaac Carter died at 9 p. m. on June 4 at the Tyler Medical Center. Mr. Carter resided on Rt. 4, Mt. Pleasant. He was a retired Humble employee after 20 years and formerly lived in Talco. He had lived in Titus County since 1937. Mr. Carter was born August 24, 1894 in Alvord, Texas.

He is survived by his wife, Clara Carter of Mt. Pleasant; a daughter, Kathryn League of Longview; two sons, Billy Carter of Mt. Pleasant and James H. Carter of Kingsville. He also leaves nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 10 a. m. at Smith-Bates Chapel with Jamie Duncan officiating. Burial in Union Hill Cemetery, near Decatur.

Mrs. Rosie Gorden from St. Louis, Mo., is visiting her cousin, Jess Waldrum and Mrs. Waldrum. Mrs. Bob Wilson of Arlington brought her daughters, Kelly and Kasey, here to spend the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye and attend Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ.

## Talco - Bogata Sch. Board News

The Board of Trustees of the Talco - Bogata Schools met in regular session at the Bogata Elementary School cafeteria on Tuesday, June 5, 1973 at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of meeting on this campus was to inspect conditions of facilities in an effort to make plans to remedy some of the problems. After a tour of the facilities conducted by Principal Frank Stubblefield, the Board briefly discussed conditions observed. While the state of repair of the old Bogata High School, which is being used for junior high classes and other programs, is a major concern, there is also a great need for additional classrooms on this campus due to an increased enrollment and expanded programs. The elementary building being used for K-5 classes was observed to be in good repair but has a sub-par lighting and heating system that needs attention.

Charlie Walker of Harrison & Walker Construction Company met with the Board to discuss progress being made on plans and specifications for the new vocational building for the Rivercrest campus. It was reported that even though progress is being made in planning that it appears that it will take longer to get the building completed and in use than originally contemplated.

Jeffery McGuyer was employed by the Board as band director at Rivercrest for the 1973-74 school year. Mr. McGuyer is 23 years of age, married, and he and his wife, Jane, have a two year old daughter, Angela Marie. He is a 1972 graduate of East Texas State University and has been employed this past year as an assistant instructor of music at East Texas while working on an advanced degree. Mrs. McGuyer will receive her degree in music from East Texas this summer. Mr. and Mrs. McGuyer have both been active in the Northeast Texas area in various phases of music and have received many honors for their work in this field. They will be moving into the community about mid-July.

The Talco State Bank was approved by the Board as depository bank for the next biennium. There is an agreement between the Talco State Bank and the First National Bank of Bogata whereby both banks share as depository for school funds.

In other matters, approval was given for the school district to participate in the services of Region VIII Educational Service Center for the 1973-74 school year, and approval was given to the various financial reports.

Board member Wilbur Dover, Mobil Production Foreman at Talco, has been transferred to Kilgore and has submitted his resignation to the Board. Mr. Dover was elected to a three-year term on the Board in the last trustee election. The Board will give consideration to filling this vacancy in future meetings.

The next regular meeting of the Board will be on July 3, 1973 at 8:00 p. m. and will probably be held in the Talco Elementary School in order for the Board to look over these facilities.

## Perdue Awarded Grants For Graduate Study In Israel

The Institute of International Education announced today that Leo G. Perdue who attended Vanderbilt University has been awarded an Israeli Government Grant and Fulbright Hays Travel Grant for graduate study in Israel during the 1973-74 academic year. Approximately 260 grants are made available each year to young American students and artists under programs sponsored by foreign governments, universities and private donors and administered by IIE.

Mr. and Mrs. Perdue left Kennedy Airport for Paris, France, Sunday, June 3, where Mr. Perdue will participate in Vanderbilt-in-France Summer Session 1973 for five weeks. The Perdues will tour Europe for three weeks before going to Jerusalem where he will continue his studies for eight months.

Perdue, the son of Mrs. Lottie Perdue of Wynnewood, Okla., is a 1964 graduate of Talco High School. He is married to the former Miss Sharon Williams of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and Angela of Burleson and Mrs. Bertha Smith of Mt. Pleasant were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood.



Austin. — The 63rd Legislature's failure to agree on even a stopgap aid to education revision set off repeated demands from House members for a special session.

Speaker Price Daniel Jr. joined in the chorus, calling on the House Education Committee to "prepare, polish and refine" a school finance bill "for legislative action no later than September 15."

Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who holds the key to whether or not there is going to be a special session on anything, made clear — twice in writing — that he doesn't plan to call one.

Daniel said his instructions to the Education Committee were offered just in case Briscoe reconsiders his position.

The Committee will begin a series of hearings on school finance here June 18. More than 700 of the 1,149 school districts are in financial trouble, according to Committee chairman Rep. Dan Kubiak of Rockdale.

Briscoe set in motion new studies to develop information for specific legislative proposals in 1975 to equalize educational finances and opportunities. A special session at this time would be "premature," said the Governor, since necessary data cannot be assembled for another two years.

Daniel and others claim the problem of financial inequities among the school districts already has been "studied to death," and that the House had the answer in H. B. 946 last month.

But Briscoe feels proposals before the Legislature this year would "have only added to the present system of programs and budget with no review of current spending or effectiveness." He said he hopes the new study can produce an "educational approach that we can afford (without new taxes), as well as one that will meet the needs of the future."

**PETRY HONORED** — The Governor, four former governors, legislators, office holders — who's who in Texas — honored Herbert C. Petry Jr., Carrizo Springs, last week for serving 18½ years as a State Highway Commissioner.

Petry, who goes off the Highway Commission at the end of this term, has served longer than any other Texan on that important governmental body.

While he was lauded for his public service, speakers encouraged his neighbor at Uvalde, Gov. Dolph Briscoe, to make a place for him in Texas public service — and a "balloon went up" for Petry as Director of Transportation for the United States.

Petry said "thousands of people had better jobs and better incomes in Texas as a result of the state's efforts to build an adequate highway system to attract new industries and encourage expansion of industries."

Several presentations were made by present and former highway commissioners, Highway Department officials and employees, Good Roads Association and the man who appointed him to his first term on the Commission, Gov. Allen Shivers. A film strip was presented on his career, including sections about his worldwide career as the youngest president of Lions International 1951.

**FINAL REFORM MEASURE PASSED** — Lobby control, code of ethics and campaign finance disclosure legislation passed in

## Lieut. Mayes Honor Student At Army Helicopter School

Ft. Wolters, Tex. — Second Lieutenant Tommy W. Mayes, son of Mrs. Opal O. Schmidt, 6521 Jameson St., Ft. Worth, was an honor student of his class completing primary flight training at the Army Primary Helicopter School May 31.

He earned the "Outstanding in Academic Achievement" award sponsored by the Ft. Wolters Chapter of the Army Aviation Association of America. Lieutenant Mayes now goes to Ft. Rucker, Ala., for advanced flight training.

The 22-year-old aviation student is a 1968 graduate of Richland High School, Fort Worth. He received his bachelor's degree in psychology from Texas A&M University in 1972 and entered the Army under the University's Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

closing hours of the 63rd Legislature's regular session.

While non of the bills were as strict as the original House version, all were viewed by advocates as an improvement over present laws.

All filings and financial disclosure under all three bills will be with the secretary of state.

The new public access to information act is viewed as the best law of its kind in the country. Governor Briscoe earlier signed H. B. 3 to strengthen the open meetings law.

**LEGISLATIVE OUTPUT DOWN** — Legislative output was down considerably this year over 1971, although some contended the 63rd Legislature came to grips with more monumental problems than the last.

A total of 688 bills was passed by the 63rd, compared with 1,067 by the 62nd in their 140-day regular session.

A total of 2,746 bills was introduced, together with 97 proposed constitutional amendments.

Three hundred Senate bills and 388 House bills were passed, as were two proposed amendments to the constitution introduced in the House and seven introduced in the Senate.

**COURTS SPEAK** — The State Supreme Court refused to back Gulf Oil Corporation's claim that its 45,771-acre lease in Crane County of the Permian Basin should be extended 4,661 days due to lost production resulting from Railroad Commission production orders. The lease will expire July 14, 1975.

In other recent action, the Court held:

— A common law wife can't collect insurance benefits when she isn't using a man's name.

— An intermediate court was correct in concluding a car cannot be confiscated by the state for drug transportation unless the state can prove the charge beyond a reasonable doubt.

— An Air Force Village retirement home for officers and their dependents is not entitled to a property tax exemption since tenants were not taken in as charity cases exclusively.

— An off-duty cafeteria worker who broke her arm while working other work on pay day is eligible for job injury benefits.

— The owner of a \$65,000 home in Denton must spend \$1,500 to add brick or stone or stucco to conform with neighborhood requirements.

The Court of Criminal Appeals held "requiring movie patrons to have membership cards is no defense for showing obscene films."

A district court hearing here ended in an oil company's agreeing to give priority to local consumers of liquefied petroleum gas products.

**AG OPINIONS** — Atty. Gen. John Hill declined to term state tuition equalization grants to private colleges unconstitutional, but advised caution in view of cases before the U. S. Supreme Court.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

• Non-protein sources of nitrogen may be included in the total percentage of crude protein in the guaranteed analysis of feeds required by Commercial Feed Control Act of 1957.

• An attempt by the legislature to appropriate funds for a longer term than two years is inoperative.

His wife, Wanda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hanks of Talco.

## Lodge Centennial Celebration On Saturday, June 9

By ED BRYSON  
Deport has something special going for it this coming Saturday.

It's the centennial celebration of Deport Lodge No. 381, A. F. & A. M.

Chartered 100 years ago on June 9 at Halesboro, the lodge was later moved to Deport and the name eventually changed from Halesboro Lodge to Deport Lodge.

Saturday's observance here will start with a meeting at the Lodge at 10 a. m. Past Worshipful Master Charles Foster will confer a Master Mason's degree. After that, a sandwich lunch will be eaten and activities slowed until 8 p. m. when a program will be presented at the Deport school gym. The public is invited to the evening meeting.

The Lodge hall will be open to the public all Saturday afternoon.

The principal address Saturday night will be made by William G. (Bill) Proctor of McKinney. A past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas. Proctor is Collin County Judge and widely known as a speaker. He is expected to be present for the Saturday morning activities also.

Proctor will be introduced by Mayor E. E. Kirkland who is a past master of the Deport Lodge. Kirkland will give a brief history of the lodge and present pins and plaques to special members.

Entertainment will be provided by the Poke Salad Pickers of Clarksville and Red River County. Paul R. Hamilton, Clarksville pharmacist and maestro of the country music makers, promises that the pickers will play at least one piece that was popular 100 years ago when the Lodge was chartered.

A. M. Jeffus was the first worshipful master of the Lodge. A great-grandfather of Hugh Jeffus, Deport banker, Jeffus rode a mule to Houston to get the charter for the Lodge. The round trip took about two months. His picture hangs in the Lodge hall.

John D. Newman is the present Worshipful Master of the Deport Lodge. He and many others, including officers, have done much work on the Lodge building in preparation for the celebration. Additionally, Lodge Secretary Charles Foster has mailed copies of the program to all members.

Because the Lodge was born in Red River County, people from that county are especially urged to be present. However, everyone is invited to the Saturday night program and many Masons throughout Texas are expected to be present.

The Saturday program is published elsewhere in this newspaper today.

Mrs. J. L. Gandy and her son, Ronald Dean, left Thursday for a three weeks tour of Europe and the Holy Land.

Marine Pvt. John E. McCuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McCuller of Mt. Pleasant, graduated from basic training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego. Pvt. McCuller is the grandson of Mrs. Susie McCuller of Talco.

Those attending the Grayson-Duncan wedding Saturday at 12 noon in Sulphur Springs were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tucker and daughters, Mrs. J. C. McGonagill, Reed and Terry, Mrs. O. D. Welch, Mrs. Robert Giddens, Mrs. Ois Swaim, Mrs. Carol Jean Dixon and daughter and Annette Swaim.

## Honor Roll Talco Elem. School

Sixth Six Weeks, 1972-73.  
First Grade

All As — Nelda Anderson, Kelly Baker, Laura Bond, Jean Macbradshaw, John Fitch, Kristi Foxworthy, Guy Franks, John Parsons, Jackie Via.

A & B — Kyle Clemmons, Scotty Goates, Jerry Grace, Deanie Ottinger, Joe Earl Smith, Dwayne Wilson.

Second Grade  
All A's — Greg Belcher, Scott Brown, LaDonna Finch, Carolyn Forsyth, Jill Hanks, John Hines, Kelli Hines, Anthony McGee, Tessa Morgan, Staci Parish, Patty Stansell, Donnie West, Stan Wood, Melissa Wright, Bill Glaze, Cindy Howard.

A & B — Bill Bradshaw, Kevin Dunn, Charles Dwight Gibson, Randy Galloway, Deborah Handley.

Third Grade  
All A's — Dudley Horton, Marla Martin.

A & B — Bill Baker, Darlene Brooks, Laquita Brown, Craig Clemmons, Billy Dixon, Jimmy Finch, Karen Malone, Jana Tucker, Donnette Wright, LeAnn Clubb.

Fourth Grade  
All A's — Sandra Dunn, Judy Via, Scotti Wood.

A & B — Jimmy Smith, Ann Wise, Roger Edge, Clifford Fitch, Freida Hall.

Fifth Grade  
A & B — Kathy Cabell, Britt Morgan, Jamie L. Tucker, Jimmy D. Via.

Sixth Grade  
A & B — Rena Barganski, Nicky Brown, Guy Nell Hall, Gerald Hanks, Paul Miller, Wendell Rychlik, Bradley Smith, Kip Stansell, Tina Vickers.

Seventh Grade  
A & B — Ricky Baker, Chris Potter.

Eighth Grade  
A & B — Anna Blair, Deborah Cain, Terry McGonagill, Mike Medlin.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Lewis of Gainesville spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. E. O. Frye. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis in the Geras Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant.

## Talco Buildings Damaged By Fire Sunday P. M.

Heavy damage to two buildings and less damage to a third was the result of a fire in Talco's business district Sunday afternoon.

The fire, which officials believe was started from a boiler explosion in the Modern Cleaners, completed gutted that building and the adjoining vacant structure owned by R. H. Harper. Debris and bricks from the Harper building landed on the roof of the B&B Furniture Store, which also suffered water damage.

Clothing in the cleaners which is owned by Mrs. William F. Turner and her daughter, Mrs. Pat Barganski, was destroyed.

The furniture store, owned by Jack Winn, suffered water damage, but most of the furniture was carried out. The store is open, but a cleanup is in progress.

The alarm came about 1:45 p. m. Sunday. Problems starting a Talco fire truck delayed fighting the fire, which was put out at 4 p. m. Units from Deport, Bogata and Mt. Pleasant responded to the call and assisted.

## Enter State Solo & Ensemble Contest

Rivercrest High School traveled to Austin over the week end to take part in the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest.

Miss Bonnie Hinson, representing Rivercrest, won a II rating in cornet-trumpet competition. This is the most recent achievement for this student, who has participated in regional solo and ensemble contests and in All-Region and All-District bands. Bonnie received her Superior rating on the trumpet solo, "All Antica." Her accompanist was Miss Mona Smith, a 1973 graduate from Rivercrest. Congratulations to both these ladies for a job very well done.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Russell and son of Linden visited during the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell.

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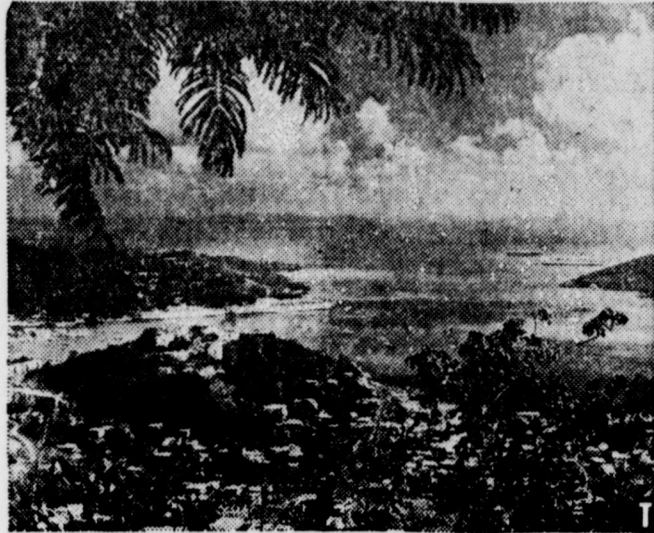
**MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blalock and sons, Patrick and Steven of Chicago, and Paul and Belinda Blalock of Longview are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock.  
Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were Mrs. James DeLaughter and daughter Tracy of Irving and Mrs. Elton Crabtree of Mesquite, Mrs. Darlene Eulmer of Shreveport, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Allen and daughter, Doni Mae of Dallas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Blalock of Morgan City are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock for a few days, and their daughter, Mrs. Darlene Eulmer of Shreveport and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Anderson of Minnesota, are visiting also.  
Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock left Friday evening to attend the funeral of Mrs. Blalock's mother in Hugo, Okla.  
Bryan Blalock spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Eunice Winkle of Bagwell.  
Mrs. Morris Blalock and Mrs. Winnie Bragg made a business trip to Mt. Pleasant, Thursday.  
Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. (Tom Blalock) of Snyder.  
Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Blalock and Mrs. Farine Simmons of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blalock of Snyder.  
Week end visitors of Mrs. Virgie Graf were T/Sgt. Charles Q. Graf, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Brown and Kim of Midway community, Rhonda Graf, Tony and Wade Cline of Lone Star community and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of Quitman.  
Mrs. Frances Robertson, Cara and John of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rector of Nacogdoches visited Mrs. Virgie Parr Saturday. Mrs. Jackie Robertson and children, Mrs. Frank Newman and Mrs. Frankie Nell Taylor of Mt. Pleasant visited Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee of Mt. Pleasant visited Mrs. Ruby Harris Tuesday. Wednesday visitors of Mrs. Harris were Mrs. Mrs. Opal Huddleston, Mrs. Hazel Shipp and Vicki Riddle of Mt. Pleasant.  
Mrs. Virgie Parr and Mrs. Ruby Harris visited Mrs. Gertrude Temples in Maple Springs community Thursday morning.

Leo Blalock of Maud visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock, Sunday evening.  
Monday morning visitors of Mrs. Ruby Harris were Mrs. Gertrude Temples, Mrs. Virgie Graf and Mrs. Virgie Parr of Maple Springs.  
Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Anschutz were Mrs. Lillian Morgan of Deport, Mrs. James Burgin of Mt. Pleasant, Jess Blalock and Mrs. Donald Berry.  
Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anschutz were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stone of Redwater.  
Little Kelly Anschutz of Talco visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Anschutz, and Rachel McGee of Maple Springs visited Saturday.  
Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dyke were Mrs. Keith Dyke and boys of Midway community and Tim Logan of Mt. Pleasant.  
Royal, Lynn and Tommie Randles of Mt. Pleasant are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Randles this week.  
Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Byram were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Thompson and daughter of Irving.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Holt and family visited relatives and friends in Pittsburg, Sunday.

## Mrs. L. B. Johnson Presents Degrees

Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, widow of the President and a University of Texas regent, presented 10 doctor of medicine degrees and nine graduate science degrees Monday, May 28, during annual commencement exercises at Southwestern Medical School and the Graduate School of Sciences, components of the UT Health Science Center in Dallas.  
Candidates for the M. D. degree included 94 men and 10 women. Among those who were candidates for the Degree of Doctor of Medicine was Harold Richard Capps of Lamar County. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Capps of Deport, Rt. 2. Dickie, as he is known to his friends here, will begin his internship at the Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas on July 1.  
Mrs. Jewell Butler received word Tuesday morning of the death of her brother-in-law, Charlie Butler of Smackover, Ark., who died at his home Monday afternoon.

## CARIBBEAN CUISINE



The term "melting pot" commonly means a place where in which immigrants of various nationalities and races are assimilated. The U.S. Virgin Islands is such a place. Here, however, the term "melting pot" may also be applied to the exotic, taste-tempting food of the beautiful islands.  
A multi-national melange of ingredients fuse to form many delicious dishes. One-called "Kalaloo"—is a lulu. Its recipe tells a capsule history of the islands.  
"Kalaloo" itself is the name of a local form of wild spinach probably native to the Caribbean. The okra that figures prominently among the ingredients is likely of African origin, as is the majority of the islands' population. The salt meat is a tribute to the ships' stores of the endless armadas from all nations that have passed through these islands.  
The crab and fish are natural contributions from the sea. And the general "philosophy" of the exotic dish probably stems from a variety of seaside cultures; the French "Bouillabaisse"; the Spanish "Zarzuela"; Louisiana's "Gumbo" and many other nations' thick fish stew concoctions.  
On the islands, the recipe varies greatly to accommodate individual tastes and

seasonal availability of ingredients. Mainlanders, too, can now enjoy variations on the theme once the general idea is understood. Here's one popular way of preparing Kalaloo in your own kitchen:

- KALALOO**  
1 1/2 lbs. salt meat (ham, ham bone, bacon)  
3 qts. water  
3 lbs. fresh spinach  
2 garlic cloves  
12 fresh okra pods (or 1 pkg. frozen)  
1 large onion chopped together with a sprig of parsley and a stalk of celery  
1 small hot pepper  
2 tsp. vinegar  
1 1/2 lbs. fresh or frozen fish fillets  
2 cans prepared crab meat  
Boil salt meat in 3 qts. of water until tender. Put spinach, garlic and okra (from which stems have been removed) through good grinder. Add with chopped vegetables, pepper and vinegar to meat and boil for about 20 minutes. Add fish and crab meat and continue boiling another 10 minutes or until fish flakes easily. Do not skim while boiling. Serve piping hot in soup bowls.  
This and other culinary creations of the Virgin Islands is as liting as the native Calypso language which contains traces of many tongues.

## Rivercrest Summer Homemaking Prog.

As part of the summer homemaking program at Rivercrest High School, a group of students participated in an education field trip to Paris. During the morning the group toured Campbell Soup Company where they viewed the various stages of production and learned many interesting facts about the company. Following lunch, supplies for workshops which are being held in the homemaking department were selected and purchased.  
Girls participating in the field trip were: Carla House, Debbie Strickland, Melea Goodroe, Judy Owings, Lavonne Hearron, Marcelle Abernathy, Donna Davis, Emma Hines, Carol Morgan, Ravonia Savage, Linda Stubblefield, Kim Brooks, Janet Hancock, Terri Hanna, Cindy Potter, Vicki Rector, Virginia Canfield, Debbie Melton, Helen Tuck, Cathy Jones, Reba Clark, Jo Ann Mullin, Janice Graham, Betty Sheffield, Mari Gage, Anna Blair and the advisors: Mrs. Bonnie Gage and Mrs. Anita Stubblefield.  
Participating in a beginners sewing class are these incoming ninth grade students: Ana Blair, Kathie Brooks, Carolyn Carroll, Mari Gage, Paula Malone, Nelda Tucker, Gail Ward and Shan Watkins. These girls have learned to operate the sewing machine and do basic stitching and will construct a simple tank top during the ten hour course.  
On Monday, June 18 a workshop on zipper application will be offered to adults in the com-

munity. Anyone wishing to attend the workshop which will be held in the homemaking department at Rivercrest from 1:30 - 5:30 should contact Mrs. Anita Stubblefield for further information.

## RUGBY

**MRS. VERA GROGAN**  
Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Alsobrook were their daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Bell and children of Clarksville and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and family of Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Regan Bell of Tyler.  
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright had as a dinner guest Saturday Johnny McCain of Lakeview, La. Mr. and Mrs. Wright were Sunday visitors of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Wright and Stacy of Deport and Mrs. Vera Vaughan of Bogata.  
Mrs. Hollis Barker of Longview visited her parents, Guy Stevens at Red River Haven and Mrs. Stevens.  
Marc Griffin of Paris was a Sunday guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Aleck Griffin.  
Mrs. Lloyd Ford visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ford and family and Mrs. Zela Grenway of Paris on Sunday.  
We received between 5 and 6 inches of rain over the week end, but no wind damage.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Waldrum and son, J. E. Waldrum and grandson, Rickey, attended memorial services at Harts Chapel, Ark., Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Alewine of Mexia spent Sunday and Monday with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Kitchum of Ft. Walton Beach, Fla., are here visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Umphries, Regina and Lisa. They will also visit his parents in Spring Hill, La., and her grandmother, Mrs. Clara Souter near Taylor, Ark.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fitch and children visited Mrs. Fitch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Poole in Dallas during the week end.

Mrs. Ollie Reid fell at her home Tuesday while weeding her flower beds and broke her leg just below the hip. She was carried to the Titus County Hospital at Mt. Pleasant and then transferred to McCuiston Hospital in Paris.

Mrs. Ruby Cogburn accompanied Mrs. Baye Hanks of Mt. Pleasant to Garland Sunday where they visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hanks and family. Before returning home Mrs. Cogburn will go to Natchez, Miss., where she will visit her son, Lewis Cogburn and family.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 9th

DEPORT, TEXAS

## PROGRAM

10:00 A. M.

—Tiled Meeting at Lodge. Past Master Charles Foster will confer Master Mason Degree.

Sandwich lunch immediately following meeting.

Adjourn until 8:00 p. m. for open meeting (public invited) at Deport School Gymnasium.

Invocation — Raymond Hoover, Chaplain.

Master of Ceremonies—E. E. Kirkland, Deport Mayor and past Worshipful Master. He will give brief history of Deport Lodge and present three 25-year pins and plaques to oldest and newest members, and welcome and introduce the speaker.

Guest Speaker—Right Worshipful William G. (Bill) Proctor of McKinney, past Grand Master Grand Lodge of Texas.

Entertainment—Poke Salad Pickers of Clarksville and Red River County.

Benediction — Past Master George Cheatham.

Adjourn.



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# LOCAL NEWS

MRS. WAYMAN ALEXANDER  
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Mrs. Edith Stamps has been dismissed after two days in Memorial Hospital, Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Bessie Gillan of McKinney has moved into Apt. 9 at the Housing Project. She is the sister of Mrs. George Walker.

Miss Judy Easley of Tyler is visiting her father, Albert Easley and family and other relatives here this week.

Mrs. Alma Lowry returned home Friday after visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shoffner in Jefferson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Porter visited relatives in Avery during the week end and attended Frontier Day there on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hood, Scott and Teresa of Longview, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood on Sunday.

Miss Berenda Alexander has returned to Forney after spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Eberts, Karen, Jeff and Chris of Houston visited during the week end with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelley.

Little Chad Dodd of Dallas visited last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Nadine Caldwell and great-grandmother, Mrs. Lucy McClung.

A tornado was reported over Talco at 12:30 o'clock Monday morning, but did not touch ground, nor do as much damage as the high winds last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Williams returned Sunday night after visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Perdue of

## Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Billy West Danfield, 407 Hickory, Mt. Pleasant, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Vicki, to Robert Leslie Clifford, III, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Clifford, Center, Texas.

Robert is a 1973 graduate of Texas Christian University and is employed by Clear Creek Independent School District.

Nashville, Tenn., over the week end.

Mrs. Lorene Brown will be among the 18 student nurses who are candidates to graduate from the Mt. Pleasant ISD School of Vocational Nursing at 8 p. m. on June 8 in the auditorium of the Frances Corprew School.

## Bogie - Sweeden Wedding Planned



Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bogie of Bogata announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathy Jane, to Troy James Sweeden. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens Jr. of Hagansport.

Miss Bogie is now attending Rivercrest High School.

The future bridegroom is in the U. S. Navy, stationed in Florida.

The semi-formal vows will be exchanged June 14 at 7:30 in the evening at the Methodist Church at Bogata. The Rev. James Walker will officiate.

Formal invitations will not be sent. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Tuesday to visit until Friday with Edward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye Sr.

## Wright Patman's Weekly Letter

1st Congressional Dist. of Texas "Heart of the Gulf Southwest." THE GREAT LAKES OF EAST TEXAS. It was on a Thursday, the 22nd of July 1948, that I participated in the dedication ceremony for Lake Texarkana, a date I remember with some pride of accomplishment because of the meaningful economic advancement that this great reservoir has brought to Northeast Texas. Today, some 25 years later, I have the honor to assist in the dedication of the newest industry made possible by the abundant supply of mineral-free water from Lake Texarkana — an \$80 million pulp and paper mill in Cass County that will bring 500 direct jobs to East Texas and will have an almost immeasurably favorable impact on our entire economy, particularly when you consider the multitude of other benefits including jobs in supporting and service industries. In fact, it is like bringing in a whole new town with a

population of 4,000 people. Another point to keep in mind is that the lakes which I have sponsored cost the government less than \$80 million including maintenance, but their replacement value today is estimated at close to one billion dollars — good business by any standard!

AND SPEAKING OF LAKES, I again testified before the House Appropriations Committee in support of funds for East Texas water conservation and development projects. Water is one of the most valuable of all resources, and the future economic development of East Texas will depend in large part on efforts being made today to develop the vast potential of the Red, Sulphur, Cypress, Sabine, Neches and Trinity Basins. This is no time for the Corps of Engineers to relax its efforts. After all, the South has received far less than its proper share of public works facilities.

PRIVATE OWNERSHIP OF GOLD. Since 1934, Americans have been prohibited from owning gold. It has been apparent for some time that such a ban is no longer necessary and the House last week approved legislation (H. R. 6912) to make it possible for Americans, like the citizens of other nations, to own gold whenever the President feels

that such a step can be taken without adversely affecting our economy or monetary structure.

PENSIONS, TRUSTS, AND THE PUBLIC INTEREST. This was the title of my May 15 speech before the Conference on Employee Benefits in which I discussed the more than \$150 billion in non-insured pension funds — a total that is expected to double by 1980. Single copies of my 15-page address on the management of these pension funds by trust departments of the large money-center banks will be sent free to constituents upon request to my office.

AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT. Last week the House approved a measure to increase the annual authorization for airport development from \$280 to \$310 million through 1975. It also increases the Federal share for airport projects in smaller cities from 50% to 75%, and eliminates the so-called head tax that has been levied on airline passengers. This modified version of a similar bill which was vetoed by the President has strong bi-partisan support and has a good chance to survive the Presidential meat-axe this time around.

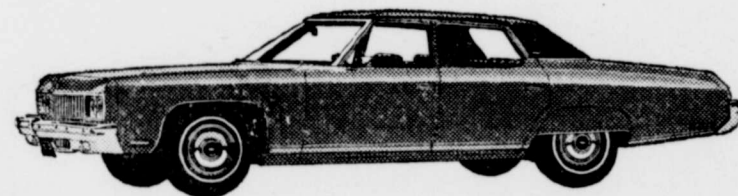
WASHINGTON CRIME. A recent study shows that although this is the most heavily policed city in America, only one of

every five crimes results in an arrest and of these, only one in five is convicted — in other words, crime unfortunately does pay — 96% of the time. This is still a major problem for every big city and there is mounting evidence that the situation is actually worse than shown by statistics! Newspaper headlines on other subjects should not be permitted to distract attention from society's oldest and most fundamental problem — crime. I will continue to support the toughest possible crime control measures.

HELPING THE VICTIMS OF CRIME. About 4,000 years ago in the big city of Babylon, crime was also a problem — so much so that the Code of Hammurabi included a provision to repay robbery victims for their losses. Today, the innocent victims of criminal violence are too often left without any recourse, and it is fitting that the government should be empowered to help offset major crippling damages that result through no fault of their own. Seven states have already adopted such programs, and legislation of similar effect is now under consideration in Congress. Your next visit to one of our modern Babylons might be covered by this kind of insurance against catastrophic injury.

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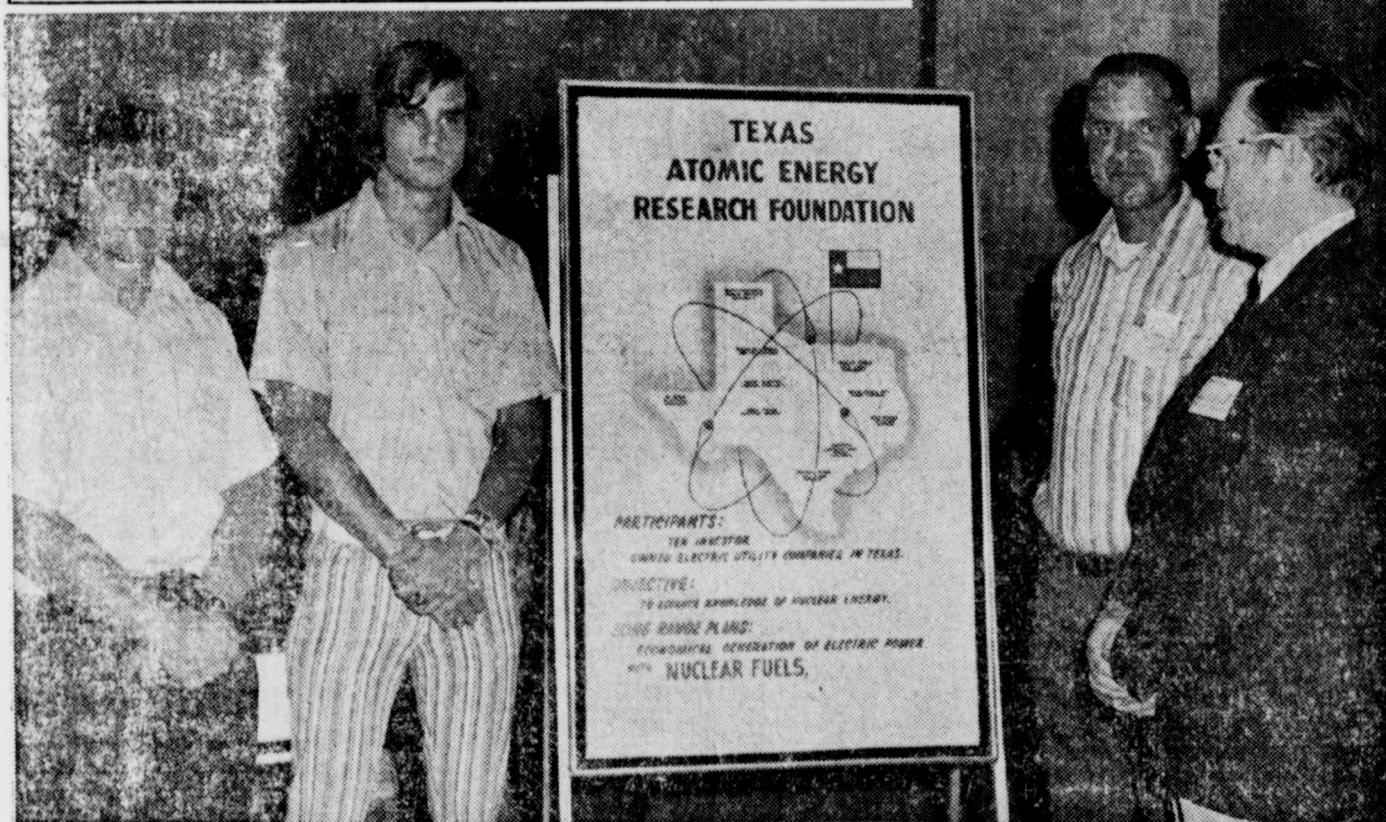
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