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Austin. — Floritorial districts! You'll hear these two words used often between now and the November election. And probably a long time thereafter.

What are floritorial districts? They are voting areas created by combining counties, or parts thereof, to comply with the Supreme Court's edict that all states must have districts of equal population. In Texas, this has resulted in rural counties sharing representatives with metropolitan counties, or vice versa.

A three-judge federal court at Houston has just upheld the 1965 Reapportionment Act of the House of Representatives, with the exception of 11 floritorial districts.

These floritorial districts are areas around Austin, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Tyler, Waco, Sherman-Denison, Lubbock, Abilene, Temple, Odessa and Angleton.

Court gave the Legislature until August 1, 1967, to correct the floritorial law.

So, this November, voters will select representatives on the basis of the original reapportionment draft.

Texas' four largest counties — Bexar, Dallas, Harris and Tarrant — will gain a total of 16 seats in the House for a total of 51 representatives. Under the new redistricting plan, 12 out of Texas' 254 counties will have a majority of House votes.

Although their power on paper is enormous, as a practical matter representatives of metropolitan areas seldom if ever vote as a bloc. So rural interests aren't likely to be ground under the heel of big city lawmakers.

State senatorial reapportionment never was subject to change.

Congressional redistricting was upheld earlier.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETS — Governor's Committee on Public School Education held its first meeting here for a look at school needs and began preparation of a master plan for future development.

This 15-member committee is charged with a "pervasive inquiry" into all aspects of the school system. Its report is due to be made to the governor and Legislature in August of 1968.

First session dealt largely with employing a staff for the big job ahead.

LEASE SALE PROFITABLE — School Land Board's first oil and gas lease sale of 1966 brought the state \$8,300,000 for 136,048 acres or an average of \$61.25 an acre. High bid of \$620,000 was on a 1,440-acre Gulf tract in Calhoun County. Next highest was \$270,090 on 1,500 acres in Calhoun and Matagorda Counties.

Some \$91,500,000 was added to the school land fund last year,

boosting the fund to \$669,184,011.

BUSINESS RECORDS SEEN — February is the 60th month of business upswing, in Texas. It's an all-time record for peacetime business, according to the UT Bureau of Business Research.

A "high level" of business activity is predicted for 1966. However, curbing inflation "is going to be very difficult," reports the Bureau. Additional military expenditures projected for the year will make the state's economy much like that during the Korean War.

Medicare is seen as signaling a big increase in demand for medical services and as setting off a boom in hospital and nursing home construction.

AG REPORTS — Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr says members of the Texas Association of Home Builders may be appointed as State Executive Reservists and Advisors to the State Highway Engineer, in his position as Director of Construction and Housing in the Emergency Resources Management Plan.

Carr also said fraternal benefit societies, burial associations, mutual aid associations and local mutual assessment companies are exempt from general insurance laws. However, they aren't exempt from laws governing escheat and are required to report abandoned property.

A brief has been filed by Carr with the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals in Denver, attacking the Federal Power Commission's order setting the wellhead price of gas in the Permian Basin of Texas. Carr said both the economy of Texas and the state school system would be adversely affected by the order.

According to the attorney general, a defendant in a misdemeanor or case tried in county court can elect to have the judge or jury fix punishment — just as in felony trials.

VEHICLE LAWS BOOK — A new 282-page book detailing Texas Motor Vehicle Laws is available for 50 cents by writing the Texas Highway Department, Motor Vehicle Division, 40th and Jackson Avenue, Austin, 78703.

Books are offered without charge to U. S., State, County and City governments and to school districts.

TEXAS VS. U. S. A. — The U. S. Army and Texas met head-on over plans of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers to build channels and levees on a stream where the state plans to construct a reservoir.

State opposed the Sulphur River project, estimated to cost \$700,000, because the state master water plan calls for a reservoir covering the channel work and levees the Corps is planning to build.

Sixteen Proposed Con. Amendments To Be On Ballot

Texas will have a heavier general election ballot next November than usual with the appearance of 16 proposed Constitutional Amendments on the voting agenda. In a public drawing in Austin, Secretary of State Crawford C. Martin drew numbers from a hat to determine the sequence in which the amendments will appear on the November 8 ballot.

At the top of the ballot, getting the Number One designation, is the amendment "to provide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use."

Other proposed amendments are less confusing in their text. Some of the others, and their number on the ballot, are:

Abolishing of the poll tax (Number 7), allowing members of the Armed Forces who are residents of Texas to vote (Number 14) and \$200,000,000 in water development bonds (Number 11).

All together, the proposed amendments contain about 14,000 words.

To help Texans understand the proposed Amendments, they will be published in Texas newspapers beginning in August.

Rivercrest High School Honor Roll

All A's
9th Grade — Margaret Brooks, Linda Woolsey, Melvin Woodson.
10th Grade — Lana Sloan, Diane Marshall, Susan Gage.
11th Grade — Janice Hanks, Linda Thompson, Beverly Alexander.
12th Grade — Mona Haynes, Peggy Carr.

All A's and B's
9th Grade — Sandie Giddens, Mary Rozell, Joyce Stephens, Connie Thompson, Jimmy Wright, Ronald Gandy, Mary Davis, Marilyn Fall.
10th Grade — Linda Hudson, Kay White, Glenda Stocton, Sue Love, Peggy Kelly, Carolyn Gault, Trece Logan, Gail Hardy.

11th Grade — Galen Johnson, Mike Haynes, Beverly Grantham, Verdun Christopher, Dereca Choate, Nancy Wilkerson, Nancy Harper, Nancy Bell, Katy Fry, Perry Smith, Doug Wright, Richard Hargrove, Wanda Hanks, Robbie Gipson, Jackie Black.
12th Grade — Judy Morse, Diane Henricks, Nina Brown, Rosemary Gartman, Don Eudy, Carol Hall, Brenda Lee, Carolyn Alexander, Ray Miller, Clifton Duncan, Jackie Trout, Johnny Horton, Sharon Williams, Linda Davis, Rhonda Roberts, John Cass, Charles Bryson.

TALCO NEWS 10-20 Years Ago
Week of February 8, 1946
Carl Cook had been selected to teach commercial classes in Talco schools, to succeed Mrs. Clyde Gibbs, resigned.
Funeral services had been held at Bridges Chapel for the year old son of Larkus Smith. Grandparents were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. Cherry.
Talco Legion Post had been renamed Burks-Cloar Post, honoring John Burks, World War I casualty, and R. D. Cloar, killed at Keil, Germany, in 1942.
Marriages: Miss Winifred Sassman and Lt. Reed Stewart in Austin; Mrs. Virginia Bailey of Tulsa, Ok., and Lt. James Lipman, U. S. Army.
Joan Calloway and Dorothy Neugent had been honored with separate birthday parties.

Week of February 10, 1956
Deaths: Roy Kasinig, Hughes Springs banker; Mrs. Annie Black in Pittsburgh hospital.
The Cotton Belt had asked permission to discontinue operation of passenger trains from Texarkana to Dallas and Mt. Pleasant to Tyler.
Talco school census disclosed 406 white children; 15 colored.
The E. M. Duncans attended funeral of his uncle, Elton Ball at Bethel.
Titus County voters had paid for 4,765 poll taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marquess of Tyler, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Ryan, during the week end.

RIVERCREST GIRLS WIN 15-AA TITLE BEATING COOPER, 51-50

The Rivercrest Rebelettes took the 15-AA championship with a 51-50 victory over the Cooper Bulldogettes at Cooper Monday night in a hard-fought, well-played girls game.

The victory pushed Rivercrest to 5-0 in the league standing and cinched the title. Cooper, the nearest contender, fell to 2-2.

It was the second thriller between these two outstanding girls teams. In the earlier game, Rivercrest had to rally for a win, and it was the same story again Monday night.

Cooper led by 10 points at one time during the third period. But the Rebelettes fought back, and went again for good with 45 seconds left on the clock.

This is Rivercrest's first season in 15-AA. And it marked the first time in years that Cooper hasn't represented its district in the state playoffs.

Rivercrest upped its season's record to 22-4 with the victory. The Rebelettes are one of the highest ranked Class AA teams in the state.

The Rebelettes will now meet Chapel Hill, the District 16-AA champion, in bi-district play in two weeks. The winner of that match advances into the regional tournament at Denton the first weekend in March.

Rivercrest jumped off to an 11-9 lead in Monday night's game, but Cooper overtook the Rebelettes in the second period and led 25-21 at half time.

In the third period, the Bulldogettes widened their lead to 20 points at one stage, but Rivercrest fought back and was within two at the end of the period, 39-37.

Lyn Newman, Cooper's outstanding junior forward, was the big gun in the game, hitting for 31 points. Peggy Scott hit for 14 for Cooper. Lana Sloan led Rivercrest with 20 points. Katy Fry had 18 and Glenna Grayson 13.

Rivercrest also won the "B" game, 45-34. Karen Pittman and Sandy Giddens had 18 each for the Rebelettes. Peggy Gammon had 17 for Cooper.

Special Election Saturday, Feb. 19 Water District

The Titus County Commissioners Court, acting on a petition presented by a group of county citizens, has called a special election for Saturday, February 19th to allow tax paying, qualified county voters to decide if they wish to confirm the Court's action in establishing a Fresh Water Supply District for Titus County.

Texas Water Rights Commission and Texas Water Development Board members have been urging action in the creation of this District as two major lakes are on the drawing board for Titus County. The first proposed project would be a 280,000 acre reservoir on Cypress Creek in South Titus County and a much larger lake on Sulphur and White Oak in North Titus County.

The election, which does not involve the question of taxes, merely gives county citizens the opportunity to create a District and elect a board of supervisors who would be responsible for the long-range planning of future water supplies on streams in Titus County.

The Court names five individuals to serve one and two year terms if elected. They are Bob Sandlin and A. C. Anderson of Mt. Pleasant, Buck Self of Cookville, Johnny Cook of Talco and Harold Smith of Monticello. The board would not receive a salary for their services.

The Water District, if formed, would be able to officially represent Titus County in securing the county's future water supply. The Board would not have any authority on private lakes or underground water.

Other questions and answers regarding the district and its functions may be found on another page in this edition of The Times.

Elementary Honor Roll Talco School

First Grade
A's & B's — Bart Belcher, Ann Blair, Deborah Cain, Carolyn Carroll, Mari Gage, Mark Hudson, Mike Medlin, Terry McGonagill, Michael Rector, Dondi Springer.

Second Grade
A's — Randy Carroll.
A's & B's — Paula Black, Freda Cabell, Ricky Fall, Terry Jones, Barbara Suel, Marta Wright, Mayra Wright.

Third Grade
A's — Karen Kimberlin, Melea Goodroe, Sandra Cannaday, Deborah Miller.

A's and B's — Susan Lawyer, Donna Hall, Randy Jones, Jimmy Kay, James Alexander, Russell Galdwin, Judy Owings, Lavonne Woolsey.

Fourth Grade
A's — Terry Don Malone.
A's & B's — John Blair, Elaine Cox, Terry Giddens, Nita Hanks, James Hearron, Chris Johnson, Cathy Perdue, Bruce Posey, Sandra Richeson, Mona Wright.

Fifth Grade
A's — Marla Pittman, Amelia Bolin.

A's & B's — Johnny Kelley, Stanley Jones, Russell Jones, Amber Elliott, Larry Cain.

Sixth Grade
A's — Sallie Cook.

A's & B's — Lisa Buchanan, James Gray, Sammy Hervey, Richard Kimberlin, Mike Parker, Terry

Rivercrest - Deport Girls Teams Ranked Third In State

In the first Texas High School Girls Basketball Association poll of the season, released by the organization on Wednesday, the Rivercrest Rebelettes of Class AA and the Deport Tigerettes of Class B were ranked third in their respective classes in the state.

The Deport Tigerettes were also selected the "Team of the Month" among the state's 400-plus Class B squads for January.

Rivercrest was picked third in Class AA, placing behind Little Cypress (Orange) and Friona.

Deport was No. 3 in Class B, ranking behind Round Top-Carmine and High Island.

The Fannindel Falconettes were ranked No. 8 in Class A, and Cooper No. 20 in AA.

The Deport Tigerettes were pictured in the latest edition of the organization's newspaper as the Class B team of the month.

The Rivercrest and Deport girls teams have done much to promote the popularity of girls basketball in this area this season, and the teams and local fans hope to make them No. 1 in the State finals.

School Group At Nat'l Convention

Travis Hale, superintendent of Bogata-Talco Schools, boarded a plane at Love Field, Dallas, this morning (Thursday) for New York City and Atlantic City, N. J., to attend national convention of the American Association of School Administrators.

Other area school superintendents attending the convention included Lee Fambro of Clarksville, William Stribling of Mt. Vernon, Tom Linam of Sulphur Springs.

Photographs, drawings and models of 230 school plants will be exhibited in the AASA convention hall. They were selected by an eight man jury of school administrators and architects as outstanding examples of school design. Among them will be Rivercrest High School, and the Vocational School building, Clarksville.

Extend Contracts School Personnel

At a recent meeting of Board of Trustees of Bogata-Talco School, the contract of Supt. Travis D. Hale was extended thru June 30, 1969. Larry Tucker, Rivercrest High School principal, was given an extension of his contract thru 1968.

Also extended were contracts of Frank Stubblefield, Bogata Elementary School principal, and Robert Giddens, principal of Talco Elementary School.

Burns Fata' Shirley Win

Miss Shirley Ann daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winters of South Ren. 2, died early Sunday morning, Jan. 23 at home, after reportedly caught fire from a stove there, and she was carried to a Paris hospital, being transferred later to Dallas.

The funeral, Tuesday at 2 p. m. in Paris, was held by Rev. Mike Cocoris and Rev. Jerry Moore, and interment made in Meadowbrook Cemetery.

Born in Paris, Jan. 5, 1945, she was a daughter of Wallace and Imogene (Bays) Winters, who survive, besides a grandmother, Mrs. Frances Bays, Paris; a sister, Mrs. James Norwood of Cunningham, and two brothers, James Winters of Paris and Bobby Winters of Huntsville.

Talco Junior High Wins Tournament

By Jeanie Cook
Talco Trojans and Trojanettes won first place in their tournament. The girls defeated Deport by the score of 28-20. Posey and Cook were high scorers with 11 points each. High scorer for Deport was Glover with 16.

The boys won over Bogata for first place. The score was 37-22. Consolation in the tournament went to the Bogata girls and Avery boys. Second place went to the Deport girls and Bogata boys. First place went to the Talco girls and boys.

Rivercrest High School Menu

February 14 - 18.

MONDAY
Frito pie, buttered rice, brown beans, corn bread, cake squares, ½ pt. milk.

TUESDAY
Chicken & dumplings, buttered carrots, tossed salad, cheese sticks, crackers - rolls, raisin pie, ½ pt. milk.

WEDNESDAY
Roast beef - gravy, whipped potatoes, tomato casserole, hot rolls, rolled wheat cake, ½ pt. milk.

THURSDAY
Hamburger patties, toasted bun, hamburger salad, mustard - mayonnaise, cheese slices, pork & beans, potato salad, ice cream, ½ pt. milk.

FRIDAY
Tuna egg salad, seasoned lima beans, candied yams, hot rolls, pineapple cake, ½ pt. milk.

J. H. Dickerson has resigned as executive director of the Talco Housing Unit, due to ill health. Mrs. Garland Jagers has been named as the director.

Moore's Article In TSTA Publication

Appearing in the February edition of The Texas Outlook, official publication of the Texas State Teachers Association, is an article, "Playing the Stock Market," written by John H. Moore III. It tells how students at Victoria learn economics by playing the stock market.

At present Moore is on leave of absence from Victoria High School to work toward his Doctor's degree at Baylor University in Waco, where he is a graduate assistant.

Moore is a graduate of Deport High School, received his BA degree from Trinity University, San Antonio, and his Master of Arts degree from Southern Methodist University, Dallas. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. John H. Moore of Deport.

SCHOOL NEWS

Friday, February 4, the Future Teachers did their practice teaching at the Bogata and Talco schools. Members of the FTA participating in this project were: Jacky Troutt, Mary Martin, Pam Barnard, Diann Marshall, Beverly Grantham, Linda Davis, Verdun Christopher, Peggy Carr, Dereca Choate, Nelda Westbrook, Nancy Harper, Carol Whitten, Galen Johnson, Gayla Caldwell, Pam Miller, Mona Hanks, Janice Hanks, Cindy Gillen, Perry Smith, Jo Ann Griffin, Mike Haynes and Cricket Alexander.

The eighth grade elected room favorites Jan. 31. They are Mary Ann May and Rickey Logan.

Heavy Downpour Floods Creeks In Area Wednesday

Heaviest rain this year fell in this vicinity Tuesday night and Wednesday, sending creeks and streams overflowing their banks by Wednesday morning. This was the first time in several months precipitation was sufficient to send streams out of their banks. The run off will help to replenish dwindling water supplies in lakes and pools.

Water level at Deport's city lake had risen about 18 inches by mid morning Wednesday, according to Mayor Bob Read.

The rain, which measured 2.90 inches Wednesday noon, with 1.70 of the amount being recorded prior to the heavy downpour about 8 a. m. Wednesday morning, according to Jack Nixon, Deport weatherman.

Rain began falling Tuesday afternoon and continued light until night when it became heavier. Accompanying the downpour was some thunder and lightning.

Junior Hi Conference Playoff This Week

Red River County Jr. High Conference playoffs will be played at Deport gym Thursday and Saturday.

Beginning at 5 p. m. Thursday, Talco girls play Annona; 6 p. m. Talco boys vs. Avery boys; 7 p. m. Deport girls vs. Blossom; 8 p. m. Deport boys vs. Blossom.

Final games Saturday night at 7 and 8 p. m.

Concession stand will be sponsored by the Deport mothers.

Rivercrest Rebels Lose to Winnsboro

The Rivercrest Rebels made a determined effort before finally bowing, 78-69 in a District 15-AA battle at Winnsboro Friday night.

The Rebel ranks were weakened by sickness, and Coach Leonard Cannady said he hadn't been able to work his club in practice because of the large number of absences.

Winnsboro jumped off to a large lead, but the Rebels fought back and were within three points of the Raiders with a minute to go in the game.

Four members of the Rivercrest team hit in the double figures. Johnny Horton continued to pace the scoring with 20 points. Gary Duncan had 14 and Clifton Duncan and Don Logan hit 13 each.

Murray Jackson Joins Teaching Staff

Murray Jackson has been employed as a teacher in the Math. Department of Rivercrest High School.

Mr. Jackson of Avery, attended Paris Junior College and East Texas State University, Commerce. He majored in math. and has a minor in Physical Education.

Pittman, Phillip Smith, Johnny Swartz, Jack Verble, Linda Woodson, Mike Dyke.

Seventh Grade
A's — Jerri Gage, Deborah Hall, Karen Wright.

A's & B's — Larry Birchfield, Beth Cain, Gene Duffie, Rita Gandy, Nancy Hall, Wanda Paxton, Brenda Woolsey.

Eighth Grade
A's — Jeanie Cook, Carroll Faulkner, Mary Ann May, Diane Milner.

A's & B's — Joyce Brown, Jane Cain, Linda Gillian, Janice Griffin, Rickey Logan, Dorothy Lorraine, Sharon Posey, Janey Webb.

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MOBIL LADIES HAVE LUNCHEON AT TEXARKANA
Mobil Ladies Club met Tuesday for a luncheon meeting at a cafeteria in Texarkana. Those attending were Mmes. H. F. Teague, W. T. Powell, Jim Lewis, Bob Kimberlin, W. T. Lewis, Pete Clemmons and V. P. Gibson. Two former members of the club joined them for lunch, Mrs. H. M. McMasters of Texarkana and Mrs. T. E. Wattis of Atlanta. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wattis in Atlanta.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to our friends for their many acts of kindness to us during the illness and death of our brother, Gilbert Harper.

Mrs. Maggie Barnard
Mrs. Thelma Davis
R. H. Harper

Mrs. Riley Gibson entered Talco Hospital and Clinic, Monday.

WANT ADS

Rates: 3 cents per word first insertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 50 cents per issue. Terms cash unless you are a regular advertiser in this newspaper.

3-BEDROOM HOUSE for rent or sale. Phone No. 9-2703. t-tfc

HAY FOR SALE — Jack Winn, Talco, Texas. t52b18-c

FOR SALE — 1 sheetiron building, sealed inside. A bargain; to be moved. Jack Winn, Talco, Texas. t52b18-c

FOR SALE — Several good used TVs and refrigerators. B&B Furniture and Bld. Supply, formerly Winn's, Talco, Texas. t52b18-c

HOUSE FOR SALE — Brick house, 1 block from school; 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 379-2134, Cato Jones. t-tfc

SINGER SEWING Machine Co. Sales, rentals and expert service. All kinds machines, fabrics and notions at 36 Clarksville St., Paris, Phone SU 4-2234. dbt-tfc

CHAIN LINK FENCE installed 65c ft. Contact Glen Fowler at Hopewell, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon. Phone Gladebranch JU 8-2321. Free estimates. t-tfc

HORSE SALE — Farmers & Ranchers Commission Company Paris, Texas, Saturday, Feb. 12, 6:30 p. m. For further information contact Hoopie Randolph 632 5785, Bogata, Texas. dl;b18;t52c

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Man or woman, no experience necessary. We will set someone up in the Ladies Easter Hat business which will last for only 30 days. The person selected will be in charge of our store for the Bogata, Deport, Talco district. \$900 in inventory will handle with a buy back guarantee at the close of the sale. Phone Mr. Collier at once, day or night. Gibraltar Hotel, Paris. dl;b17t52-p

RUGBY

By MRS. EARL GROGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bell and family of Clarksville, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Jess Alsobrook.

Pete Daniell and James Carpenter of Dallas were Saturday guests of the former's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lemens. Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jefferies of Rosalie, were

Political Announcements

The following announcements for public office are made subject to the action of voters at the Democratic primaries in 1966:

For Representative, District 2:

James L. SLIDER
(Re-Election)

For County Judge:

CECIL FRANKLIN
(Re-Election, 2nd Term)

For County Superintendent:

PAUL BLACKARD
(Re-Election, 2nd Term)

For County Clerk:

ALLEN LAPEDE

For District Clerk:

LOUISE BROCK

Sunday visitors of the Lemens.

Jess and Wayne Alsobrook accompanied by Doug and Barney Alsobrook of Bogata, were in Bentonville, Ark., for the week end, guests of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ham. Mrs. Ham had been ill several days, but was improved when they left.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen and Janet were in Greenville Sunday, —guests of her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Weatherly and Mmes. Hazel Oliver and Opal Cuthbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Freeman of Paris, visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slaton and family Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dunn of Roxton, visited Mrs. Aleck Griffin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fowler and family of Dallas, were guests Saturday night of her sister and brother, Mrs. Muri Roach and Kenneth Allen and families.

Mrs. Lloyd Ford visited her mother, Mrs. Zela Greenway of Paris, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Alsobrook and son of Irving, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Alsobrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Westbrook and Nelda visited her aunt, Mrs. Myrtle Taylor of Lone Star, Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Lemens has been suffering with a broken thumb for a few days. The steering wheel of the car spun back and hit her hand after she had turned it as far as it would go and released it. She was admitted to a Paris hospital Monday.

Mrs. Earl Grogan spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. W. Nance of Paris.

Thomas Benningfield of McKinney, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood, Sunday.

WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK

Mrs. W. E. Anschutz and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock carried H. G. Blalock to Paris Monday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Remus Burgin at Talco.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock over the week end were Mrs. Rose Riddle and brother, Eugene Blalock of Dallas.

Saturday night and Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James DeLaughter and daughter, Tracy of Dallas.

James Wyant of Dallas, spent week end with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Wyant.

Saturday night and Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gaston of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones of Hooks and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Loyd Logan of Mt. Pleasant.

Visitors Sunday in the E. C. Elder home were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Criswell and family of Mt. Pleasant, Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Logan of Cookville, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hensley and family of Sapulpa, Ok.

Mrs. Alvin Blalock and Mrs. Morris Blalock were in Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Remus Burgin of Talco, visited in the A. T. Blalock home, Friday.

B. E. Criswell of Mt. Pleasant, was honored with a birthday dinner at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Preddy and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moles, Sunday. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Riddle and family at Texarkana, Sunday afternoon.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Christine Harris were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Tuck and family of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin and family of Mt. Pleasant.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Carmon of Argo. Little Baleria Carmon came home with them for a visit in the afternoon.

Mrs. Loyd Haren and son, Lydon, visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gann at Cookville, Sunday.

Mrs. Ellis Paul Allen and children of Dallas, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Sally Haren, over the week end.

Joe Belcher and son of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher.

Mrs. Cordie Logan and daughter, Ricky of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the afternoon.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bragg Sunday were Rev. Garnett Walker of Mt. Pleasant and Everett Logan.

Rev. Garnett Walker was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hensley and family of Sapulpa, Okla., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Logan.

John Kay of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the Paul Griffin home Sunday and Mrs. Cliff Franks of Maple Springs community.

Mrs. John Parr, Maple Springs, visited in the C. B. Harris home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Slone and family of Redwater, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anschutz, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Goets of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McKelvey of Mt. Sylvia community.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Kettell Smith and children of Maple Springs.

Mrs. Jerry Brown and children of Talco, visited her sister, Mrs. E. W. Dyke, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson and boys of Mt. Pleasant and little Troy and Karen Dyke were supper guests Sunday night of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke.

Mrs. C. G. Phillips visited in the home of her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke, Saturday night.

Judy Dyke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dyke, and Marshall Loyd Logan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Logan of Mt. Pleasant, were married Saturday night at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Mae McCullens in Omaha.

Mrs. E. W. Dyke was hostess for a bridal shower for her niece, Miss Joyce Thompson, at her home last Monday. Miss Thompson received many lovely and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Phillips honored their son, Charles (Rusty), with a hot tamale supper Thursday night at the Harris place. Rusty is leaving Feb. 10 for the armed services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cameron of Marshall, visited Mr. and Mrs. Graen Byram, Sunday.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris were Mr. and Mrs.

Rivercrest Girls Beat Clarksville 65-38

Rivercrest girls downed the Clarksville Tigerettes, 65-38 at Rivercrest Thursday night, running its record to 4-0 in conference play.

Katy Fry was high pointer for the Rebelettes, pumping thru 32

Mr. and Mrs. John David Wright and daughters have moved from Abilene, where he was attending Abilene Christian College, to Mt. Vernon, where he is minister of the Church of Christ.

Dean Brownlee and son, Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shipp and son, Jimmie Bob of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris made a business trip to Paris Thursday.

Mrs. John Parr and Mrs. Clara Randle of Maple Springs, Mrs. C. B. Harris visited Mrs. Cecil Shipp at Mt. Pleasant, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ray Job and son, James Ray, left Friday for a week end visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donley Sessiers and baby at Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Derrick and family of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Owens of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carol Phillips, the week end.

James Roy Logan of Cookville, visited in the W. E. Anschutz home and the home of his uncle, Lewis Logan, Sunday evening.

TRUSTEE ELECTION ON APRIL 2, 1966

Terms of Ennis Moore, Clifford Jones and George Marshall expire. Candidates shall file with the secretary of the board of trustees written application for places on the ballot not less than 30 days prior to the election date. Each candidate is also required by law to sign a loyalty affidavit before his name may be placed upon the ballot.

Blanks for application for place on the ballot and loyalty affidavit may be secured at the office of the Superintendent of Schools at any time between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m. Monday thru Friday.

Mrs. Lorene McFerrin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bradshaw, Bill and Jean visited Mrs. Ella Davis in Cookville, Sunday.

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FACTS ABOUT THE ELECTION ON
TITUS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT

Water, air and soil are absolutely necessary for life, and the abundance and quality of each determines the prosperity of people. Titus County has plenty of available water, and there are about 6,000,000 people in other parts of Texas that would like to own Titus County's water. We have in Cypress Creek and Sulphur River abundant supplies of good fresh water that is going to be appropriated by people living somewhere in the State of Texas and once this water is sold to areas outside of Titus County, it will be forever gone. You may be sure that as time goes on, there will be more people in the United States and that water and land will become scarcer. A great part of the run-off water from Texas originates in North-

east Texas. The question now arises: Can we keep this water in Northeast Texas and control its use? On February 19, the qualified property tax-paying voters of Titus County will say by their vote whether or not they wish Titus County to have a say in the control of this water, or whether they will permit others to use it outside the county. This election will be for the purpose of confirming the establishment of "Titus County Fresh Water Supply District," which was established by the Commissioners' Court on January 20, 1966.

Following are some pertinent questions and answers relating to this election and the proposed district:

Q. What is a "Fresh Water Supply District"?

A. A "Fresh Water Supply District" is a governmental organization formed by the vote of the people in a certain area, which has for its purpose the conserving, transporting and distributing of fresh water for domestic and commercial uses.

Q. What water does the District control?

A. The District controls only the waters in lakes which it may build or in which it pays a part of the construction cost.

Q. Can the District control underground waters or stock waters?

A. No. The District has absolutely no control over any water except that which it may own and only then after authorization from the State of Texas.

Q. Does anyone desiring to drill a deep well or construct a stock pond have to get consent of the District?

A. No.

Q. Who is qualified to vote?

A. Any qualified voter of Titus County who has property, either personal or real, rendered for taxes to the County either in 1965 or 1966.

Q. Can a person vote absentee?

A. Yes. At the office of the County Clerk beginning 20 days before the election and ending 3 days before the election.

Q. Can the Water District levy taxes?

A. The Water District can levy no taxes until authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of Titus County.

Q. If the voters vote to create the District on February 19, can The District then levy taxes?

A. No. This election has nothing whatsoever to do with taxes, nor does it authorize the District to levy any taxes.

Q. Can the Water District create debts that will have to be paid by taxes?

A. No. The Board has no authority to create any debts except after the voters of Titus County have authorized the levy of a tax.

Q. Who controls the District?

A. The District is controlled by five (5) supervisors elected at the February 19 election; 2 of whom will be from Mt. Pleasant Commissioners Precinct, 1 from Talco, 1 from Cookville, and 1 from the Winfield-Monticello Precinct.

Q. Who pays the expenses of this Board of Supervisors?

A. The Board of Supervisors must pay their own expenses, and they draw no salary.

Q. What advantage would Titus County gain by the formation of a district?

A. Titus County would then have an official body which could deal with the State and other agencies in protecting the water of Cypress and Sulphur for Titus County.

Q. Can we lose the water on Cypress, White Oak and Sulphur to outside areas?

A. Yes. The law of Texas now permits the water of one watershed to be transported anywhere in the State of Texas.

Q. Would this Water District aid the furnishing of water to rural areas?

A. Yes. Any water owned by the District could be made available to any area of Titus County that desired water.

Q. Are rural areas in Texas now being furnished water?

A. Yes. There are many rural areas of Texas that now receive water through cooperative organizations similar to the furnishing of electricity by REA; and at the present time approximately 400 rural homes in Titus County are seeking a water supply.

Q. How would Titus County benefit by owning a part of the lakes?

A. People and industry follow water and the construction of large lakes in Titus County would be equal to a large industry for the county. A system of distribution of rural water would increase land values throughout Titus County.

There may be other questions that some in Titus County will raise about this District; and if you will write out your question and mail it to P. O. Box 646, Mt. Pleasant, Texas, those questions will be answered either through the newspapers or on the radio.

FULBRIGHT

By MRS. GENE BAKER 652-4320

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Joplin moved Monday into their newly purchased home in Deport.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Embrey were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Embrey and children of Paris.

Mrs. Bill Coleman and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Waldon, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Posey, Mrs. Ollie Page and Mrs. Georgia Randle in Talco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Obe Wright of Deport, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Embrey Wednesday night.

Roy Legate met his son, Shirley at Mt. Vernon Thursday morning for breakfast. Shirley was with Sonny James and his band, enroute to Nashville, Tenn.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith and children and James Wells, Pam and Bete.

Mrs. Angie Eady returned home with Mrs. Allen Nutt and Judy of Paris to spend several days.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stevens were Mr. and Mrs. Boss Gray of Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Matlock, formerly of Las Cruces, N. M., arrived Friday to make their home in our community. They will be staying with Mrs. Queen Clarkson until their new home is completed. Mrs. Matlock is a sister of Mrs. A. H. Stevens. Our community welcomes them.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker visited her mother, Mrs. Allison Smith of Joliet, Sunday evening; also Bill Northcutt, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Northcutt of Joliet and Mr.

and Mrs. C. F. Kennedy of Bogata, Friday, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fisher were visited by his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Carlton Fisher of Monroe, La.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Embrey were Mr. and Mrs. Rene Embrey and Darrell of Dallas and Mrs. R. E. Gandy of Garland.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baker were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eaton and children of Dallas.

Week end visitors of Mrs. Buck Smathers were Mrs. Maggie DeBerry of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Glenn of Clarksville and Mrs. Ethel Hill of Mesquite.

Mrs. Gene Baker and Mrs. Edward Tippit of Lone Star community, spent Tuesday in Paris and visited Mrs. Wayne Tippit and Johnnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Weddle were in Greenville recently on business and to visit his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Hymer Weddle and Ronnie.

Miss Arietta (Poupee) Dent of Paris, was a guest of Bennie Mack Weddle at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Weddle, Sunday.

Mrs. David Anderson attended the All Texas Beauty Show in Dallas Sunday. Mrs. Willie May Gray attended the show with Mrs. Anderson.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cremon were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Chesshir of Clarksville.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baker were Boyd (Rooster) Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rainey of Mabry.

Mrs. Bessie Rogers and Roy Legate went to Paris with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Legate of Bogata for lunch, Sunday.

Mrs. Travis King, along with Mrs. J. C. Roach of Deport and Mrs. Raymond Hoover of Pattonville, visited Thursday in the McCuiston Hospital in Paris.

Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Travis King were Mr. and Mrs. King Sutton of English, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hill of Bogata.

Mrs. M. B. Lee and Mrs. Leo Ridens were in Red River Haven Nursing Home Thursday visiting Mrs. Edd Hunt, Mrs. Edd Bryson, Miss Lucy Igo, Mrs. Will Thompson and Mr. Castleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Skaggs, Kathy and Cindy of Ft. Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Rozell, Sunday. The Skaggs also visited Mrs. Weaver Skaggs at Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mayes, Bogata.

Miss Selma Baker of Bogata, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rozell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Legate and Mrs. Ollie Wright of Bogata, were

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ridens, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Epps visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Conlan in Clarksville, Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Travis King were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hammer of Aikin Grove and Mrs. Randy Osburn Jr., Randy and Mary of Commerce. Little Randy remained with his grandparents for a few days visit.

Rev. Kris Stengel of Ft. Worth, was a dinner guest of Mrs. M. B. Lee, Sunday.

Mrs. Curry Jones and son, Wade of Paris, spent Monday night and Tuesday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cremon.

In the Jim Chandler home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Guest, Kim and Susan of Deport.

Mrs. L. L. Stevens visited her mother, Mrs. J. H. Hannah of Deport Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. J. Kerbow entered McCuiston Hospital Sunday afternoon to have several tests made.

Mrs. M. B. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Newt Bryson were in Paris Monday on business.

Mrs. Raymond Dugger Jr. and children have been ill with colds at their home the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Van Deaver, Mary Ann and Yvonne of Denison, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Van Deaver.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rozell were E. J. Shelby, Mrs. David Scaff of Deport and Miss Tommie Massengill of Clarksville.

Mrs. Thomas Van Deaver visited her sister, Mrs. Bess Gasway of Clarksville, Friday.

Aubrey Herring returned home from Dallas Saturday. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Herring and Aubrey over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herring of Dallas.

Mrs. A. H. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Matlock were in Deport Monday on business.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker and Karen were Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Maddox of Tyler.

Richard Gandy and Chuck Garner of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Embrey last Wednesday.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Joplin were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Joplin and children and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Perkins and children, all of Dallas.

Mrs. A. H. Stevens, Mrs. W. H. Matlock, Worth Baker and others from Fulbright attended the funeral of Jenks Bennett at the Baptist Church in Deport, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Northcutt of



THE RIGHT NUMBER—Secretary of State Crawford C. Martin draws numbers from a hat to determine the sequence of 16 Constitutional Amendments on the general election ballot. The amendments, which contain a total of approximately 14,300 words, will be published four times each in Texas newspapers in August. Holding the hat is Mary Mae Hartley, associate editor of The Texas Press Messenger, official magazine of the Texas Press Association. The portrait is of Stephen F. Austin, the first Secretary of State for Texas in 1836.

CUNNINGHAM

By MRS. OTTO BAKER

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith and Mona were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wyatt of Clarly, last Wednesday night.

Several from here attended the funeral of Miss Shirley Winters. Shirley received fatal burns after her clothes caught fire from an open heater in her home. She is a sister of Mrs. James Norwood of Cunningham.

Mrs. Wade Landrum has been confined to bed most of the week

Joliet, visited Mrs. Gene Baker and Kenny Lee, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Embrey were in Paris Monday on business.

with a severe cold. Those visiting her were Mrs. Don Norrell, Mrs. Russell Whitney of Minter, Mrs. Lewis Watson, Mrs. Ora Crump and Mrs. Curt O'Neal, Rev. and Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Ural DeShong, Mrs. Bill King and Linda, Mrs. Oliver Jenkins, Shelia Norwood, Miss Jan Cruise, Dell Norwood and Mrs. Betty Cruise, all of Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Talma Cooper of Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Landrum of Hooks, Bud Archibald and girls of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King of Paris. Mrs. Landrum received word that her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. M. Bell of Long Beach, Calif., has undergone an operation for cancer last week. Her husband, A. M. Bell, passed away Jan. 27.

Rev. Gary Chapman, Miss Alice

TEXANS ELIGIBLE FOR MEDICARE COVERAGE

More than 900,000 Texans over 65 are eligible for coverage under the Medicare program, according to Mrs. Patsy Yates, Texas A&M University Extension family life education specialist. Of this number, more than 55,000 Texans over 65 who are now receiving social security or on welfare rolls are eligible. All persons concerned with the Medicare program should contact their local Federal Social Security office now to obtain detailed information.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Easterling Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Davis, Theresa and Linda of Avery, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Foxworthy of Garland, Mrs. Alice Wilbanks, Bobby and Kenneth of Mesquite, Mrs. Joe Easterling, Mrs. Rosa Lee Ottinger and Mrs. Viria Elliott.

Mrs. V. L. Taylor is a patient in Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Wright of Commerce, Mrs. Bernice Wyatt were with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith Thursday night for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Page had these visitors during the week: Mr. and Mrs. Rob Welburn and Buddy Holbert of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Yancey, Jess Smith, Mrs. Ora Wicker, Mr. Cossey of Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kennedy of Clardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith and Mona, Jess Smith, Mrs. Bernice Wyatt and Bobby Ray Kennedy were in Dallas Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kennedy. Mrs. Kennedy has recently undergone a major head operation, but is reported doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes of Bogata and Mrs. Dean Baker of Longview, visited Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Pynes, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete McKnight were in Dallas Saturday on business.

A bus with about 42 adults left the school about 7 o'clock Thursday night and went to Paris to tour the new Campbell Soup Co. plant. All enjoyed the tour very much.

Mrs. Allie Rees is in Dallas for a few days with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. Fern Rees.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Swart and Mrs. Elwood Jones, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Ruby Legate G. G. Ryan, Mrs. Cleone S. Mrs. Bob Isbell, Mrs. Vivian Brook and Miss Alice F. wel attended the Red R ty TSTA meeting in Monday.



Be not therefore at (Matt. 6:31).

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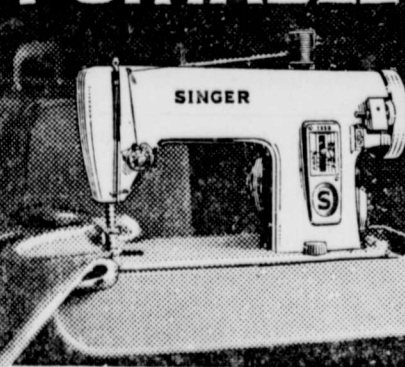
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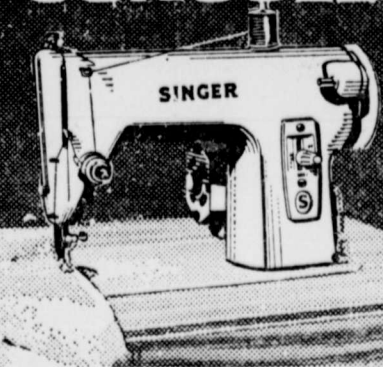


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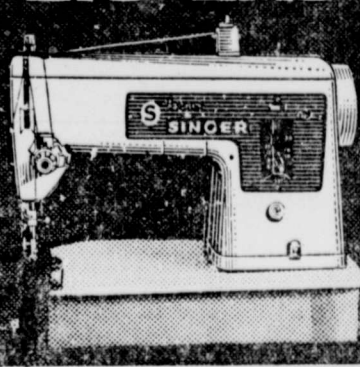


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kes is a patient in a
il.

Allin returned home
in Dallas.

McClung is visiting
Johnson in Dallas.

Anie Hood of Mesquite
p. and Mrs. R. G. Hood,
ght.

Local banks will be closed Sat-
urday, Feb. 12, in observance of
the birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

Mrs. Zula McDonald of New-
some, visited Mrs. W. H. Craw-
ford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cain and
family visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred
Cain in Gladewater, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCulloch and
Cathie of Marshall, visited Mr.
and Mrs. Buford Cain, Sunday.

Morris Bolin of Dallas, spent
from Tuesday until Thursday in
the Milton Bolin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Jackson
of Dallas, spent Saturday night
with the Milton Bolin family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Reed visited
her uncle, Gus Wims of Bogata,
Monday.

George Wims of Mt. Vernon, at-
tended the funeral of Gilbert Har-
per, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ingle and
Perry of Waco, spent the week
end in the L. B. Kaylor home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith and
son of Dallas, spent the week end
with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lorange are
in Galveston, where Mr. Lorange
will have medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clemmons
have moved to Winnsboro, where
he is employed.

Jerry Dee Simmons of Mt.
Pleasant, visited his grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simmons
during the week end.

Guests in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. J. J. Smith during the week
end were Mrs. Mary Ruth Sikorski
and Tommy of Dallas and Julia
Smith of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGonagill.
Reed and Terry visited Mr. and
Mrs. Jay Reed in Durant, Okla.,
Sunday.

Mrs. John D. Wright and John
David Wright visited Mike Har-
grove at Baylor Hospital, Dallas,
Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Rodgers, who has
been ill, has returned to her posi-
tion as a teacher in the Mt. Pleas-
ant school system.

Mrs. Johnny Lilley and Jon of
Cleburne, came Sunday to visit
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T.
Lewis.

Mrs. Earl Shaddix of Dainger-
field, came Friday for a visit with
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and
family.

Marvin Byram of Palestine,
came Sunday to visit his daugh-
ter, Mrs. Ernest Carroll Jr. and
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brooks of
Victoria, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack
Brown, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown visit-
ed Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Adler
and Terrie in Commerce, Sunday
afternoon.

Mrs. Milton Carroll and children
visited her parents and her sister,
Miss Ludie Faye Taylor in Mt.
Pleasant, Monday evening.

Mrs. Nadine Caldwell, Gayla and
Mrs. Bob McClung visited Mrs.
Irene Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe
Bob Johnson and Mike in Dallas,
during the week end.

Miss Mary Ann Grayson, Mrs.
Charles Lewis, Larry and Lisa of
Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R.
Grayson, Glenda and Winston,
during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John David Wright
and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs.
R. G. Hood, Friday and Mr. and
Mrs. John D. Wright, during the
week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Pittman
were in Cushing Wednesday to at-
tend the funeral of his grandmo-
ther, Mrs. F. J. Pittman, who died
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Foxworthy
of Garland, visited over the week
end her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed-
gar Easterling, Saturday. Mrs.
Easterling accompanied them to
Avery to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dew-
ey Davis.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.
R. J. Fitch Sunday, Feb. 6, at the
Methodist Hospital in Dallas. He
was named John Michael. Grand-
parents are Mrs. W. M. Allin, Tal-
co and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Poole,
Dallas.



MISS SANDRA KAY GANN

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Gann
announce the engagement of their
daughter, Miss Sandra Kay Gann
and Kenneth Columbus Varner of
Ft. Carson, Colo., formerly of De-
port.

Mrs. Faye Varner of Depart
the mother of the bridegroom
elect, who is a private in the Unit-
ed States Army, stationed at Ft.
Carson.

Miss Gann, a graduate of Depart
High School, is secretary at the
school.
The couple has not selected a
date for their wedding.

JOINTOWN

By MRS. IRENE PEW

Mrs. Jim Hervey, who had the
misfortune to fall while working
in the Red River Haven Nursing
Home in January, is still confined
to her home, but is able to sit up
some. Her husband, who has been
in bed with flu, was able to be out
Monday afternoon.

Avret Lynn Vaughan of Cooper,
visited in the home of his father,
G. A. Vaughan.
Dean Rhodes, who has been em-

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood and
Miss Alice Ruth Tidwell visited in
Dallas and Mesquite, Sunday. Mr.
and Mrs. Hood visited Mr. and
Mrs. Howard Wesson in Mesquite,
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Floyd and Mr.
and Mrs. R. J. Fitch in Dallas.
Miss Tidwell visited in the Fitch
home.

played in Georgia the past three
months, returned to the home of
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Rhodes, Friday night for a few
days visit between jobs.

Mrs. James Thomas of Paris,
visited in the home of her father,
G. A. Vaughan and attended sing-
ing at the Baptist Church Sunday
afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patterson
transacted business in Paris, Mon-
day.

Mrs. B. F. Eaton, who has been
a patient in M. D. Anderson Hospi-
tal in Houston the past two
weeks, was able to be brought to
her home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Calquhoun of
Dallas, spent Saturday night and
Sunday in the homes of her brother
and sister, Mrs. Morris Par-
ker and Mr. Parker, Mr. and Mrs.
E. V. Pirtle.

Drue Pirtle, who has been in
Good Shepherd Hospital in Long-
view the past week, was able to
visit in the home of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle, Sunday
and to attend singing at the Bapt-
ist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Tillery of
Hagansport, attended singing here
Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Patterson and Mrs.
Irene Pew were in Mt. Pleasant
Tuesday.

Mrs. John Wayne Horn and chil-
dren of Arlington, visited in the
home of her grandparents and
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Sale and
Josephine, Friday. Other visitors
in the Sale home were Mr. and
Mrs. J. P. Rogers of Bisbee, Ariz.
Rev. Garnett Walker of Mt.
Pleasant, attended singing at the
Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Simms of
Argo, visited in the home of his
uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom
Pirtle, Sunday and attended sing-
ing in the afternoon.

Mrs. Lucy Hervey and Mrs.
Irene Pew were in Talco Friday af-
ternoon for medical attention for
Mrs. Hervey at the Talco Hospital
and Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Vaughan
and children of Richardson, visited
in the home of his father, G. A.
Vaughan, Friday night.

Mrs. Lewis Wilkerson and daugh-
ter, Margaret and Cheryl Wil-
kerson of Bogata and Whitewright,
attended services at the Baptist
Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chisholm of
Pine Branch, attended singing on
Sunday and were dinner guests in
the home of her sister, Mrs. J. T.

LOCAL NEWS
ABOUT BOGATA

Thomas Benningfield of Mc-
Kinney, was a Sunday visitor in
the Lawrence Wood home.

Mac Jeffus and family of Hooks,
were Monday visitors of his mo-
ther, Mrs. Willie Jeffus.

Mrs. Joe Ragsdill has returned
home from Clarksville, where she
was hospitalized last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Griffin of De-
port, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griffin
of Bogata, were in Dallas Sat-
urday to visit Harold Griffin, who
had returned home after recent
surgery at a Dallas hospital.

Sells and Mr. Sells. Other guest
in the Sells home this week is an-
other sister, Mrs. L. F. Lofton of
Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hood of
Dallas, spent the week end in the
home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs.
Earl Hawkins. Other visitors in
the Hawkins home were their daugh-
ter, Mrs. Sammy Wilkerson and
Mr. Wilkerson of Whitewright.

Mrs. Bill Clark and daughter,
Vanassa of Dallas, arrived Sunday
to visit her mother, Mrs. Vannie
Seaman.

Mrs. Susie Blair, Mrs. Leota Igo
of Paris, were Friday afternoon
visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. D.
Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Lewis and
Joyce visited in Clarksville Sun-
day with his mother, Mrs. George
Lewis.

Mrs. Anna Griffiths returned
Sunday to Red River Haven Nurs-
ing Home from Clarksville hospi-
tal, where she had been for tests.

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