

# Rodeo, Frontier Days Liven Weekend

Bogata once again prepares for the biggest event of the year as the annual rodeo and Frontier Day celebration approaches, and area communities will be there in force.

The weekend celebrations start off with a parade at 5 p.m. Thursday, June 26 in downtown Bogata. Excitement mounts as residents and visitors await this event which has grown to be one of the biggest of its kind in north-

east Texas.

The rodeo will begin at 8:30 each evening, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Jerald Smith's famous Wing Ranch Rodeo Company will furnish the stock to challenge contestants from far and near.

Thursday night will be Hub Whiteman night at the rodeo with a drawing for a \$100.00 savings bond. Entry forms will be at the ticket gate.

Nightly entertainment will be music provided by The Texas Express band, a calf scramble and performances by the Paris Saddlettes Drill Team.

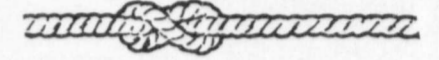
Announcing for the 1986 Bogata rodeo will be Doug Williams of Idabel, OK and the bullfighter will be Ronny Sparks of Texarkana, TX. A specialty act will be presented by Floyd McGuire of Clarksville, TX.

The final day of the weekend festivities will include Frontier Day activities beginning at 7 a.m. with a pancake breakfast. Other activities include a Pioneer Costume Contest, the women's nail driving contest, a three-legged sack race, a derby race demonstration, egg toss, water balloon race, frog race, tobacco spitting contest, watermelon eating contest, tug of war, turtle race, and draw-

ings for raffle items. Booths which will be in progress throughout the day will be dart throw, football throw, basketball throw, free wagon rides for kids, dunking booth, greased pole climb and car smash. The day's activities will end with a parade at 5:30 p.m.

The grand finale Saturday night will be the crowning of the rodeo Princess and Queen.

Tickets for the rodeo are \$3.00 for children and \$4.00 for adults and can be purchased from any member of the Rodeo Association or from any of the Princess contestants.



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**NICHOLS' WORTH**

By: Nanalee Nichols

Apparently, people aren't the only things that hold family reunions...at least, that's what I think went on out at our place the other day.

Martins, as most people know, are common birds. They like to live in bird-bath apartment houses...the more the merrier.

They fuss and fight some, and also sit out on their front porches chattering in the cool of the evening. In between talks, they eat three times their weight in mosquitoes each day, so they are handy little birds to have around.

We installed our martin house where we can look at it while sitting on OUR front porch, chatting. We don't however, eat mosquitoes...they eat us.

Well, the four pairs of martins we've had this year...along with a family of sparrows, raised up some young really early, then raised up yet another family.

The house is next to the power line, so that the adults can coax the reluctant youngsters off the nest and to the line in their first short flight.

But the other evening I heard the darndest noise, it sounded like all the martins in the world were outside.

Stepping out, there were martins everywhere! There were martins covering the birdhouse, martins flying through the air, martins sitting on those power lines! As martins do, of course, each one was talking away in high pitched little bird chatter.

I began counting...and with all the movement, fly-ins and fly-offs, came up with a rough total of 42 black or black and gray birds flitting around.

What was going on, I wondered. Eighteen was a previous record. A wedding? Nope, too late in the season. They hadn't brought in the neighbors to see a new hatching, too many birds. One of the birds had crashed into our window a few days before, and for a moment I gave serious consideration to the idea that they were having some type of bird-wake, kind of like the Irish.

But they seemed entirely too cheerful for that...it just wasn't a funeral like atmosphere.

Finally, I figured it out. Over there was aunt Bess, talking to beat the band with Uncle Clarence!

All the distant Oklahoma cousins were there too, and sitting on the porch, surrounded by a host of young fledglings...yes, it sure looked like great-grandpa...feathers ruffled and notched, but telling tales from the old days.

It had to be a family reunion, couldn't be anything else. At dark the noise finally abated some.

In the morning, the noise resumed for a while as they fed, talked, argued and flew around.

Then, as suddenly as they appeared, all the martins were gone.

Weekend over, I suppose, and nothing left for them but another year's memories of the martin family reunion at the hill!

## Three Compete For 1986 Queen's Title

Three young ladies have entered the contest this year for the 1986 Bogata Rodeo Queen title. They are Mendy Norwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood of Cunningham. Mendy is 14 years old, and is a tenth grader at Prairiland High School. Her hobbies are riding horses, swimming, golf, softball and basketball. After completing high school, Mendy plans to go to Texas A&M University and enter the field of computers.

Cheryl Justice is the daughter of Marvin and Connie Justice of Paris. Cheryl is 19 years old and attends Paris Junior College. Her hobbies include horseback riding, photography and working with animals. Cheryl's future plans are to further her education in the field of rodeo photography.

Toni Dockery is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dockery of Paris. She is fourteen years old, and will be a sophomore next year. Her hobbies include rodeoing and swimming, among others. As a last minute entry, her future plans weren't available at press time.

The contestants will be judged on 50 percent horsemanship, 25 percent personality and 25 percent appearance.

The winning candidate will be crowned during the Saturday night rodeo performances and will receive the crown, trophy and \$100 from the rodeo club. Other gifts include a satin jacket from the F.F.W., a buckle from Whitmere's Western Wear, a gift certificate for Mary Kay products from Joan Barnett, a \$30 gift certificate from Cavender's Western Wear, 50 lbs. of horse and mule feed from Johnson Feeds, a feed bucket, halter and rope from Valley Feed Mill, flowers from House of Flowers,

a bracelet charm from Village Jewelers, and a banner from Williams Sporting Goods. The runner-up will receive a trophy donated by David Glass Motors, \$50 from the rodeo club, and a bracelet charm from Village Jewelers.

Gifts given for Best Dressed will be a blanket from Ace Hardware in Clarksville and spurs from 271 Conoco. Miss Congeniality will receive a plaque from the First National Bank in Bogata.

Elisha Dearman is co-ordinator for the 1986 Bogata Rodeo Queen and Princess Contests.



Mendy Norwood



Cheryl Justice



Toni Dockery



DEWEY Street in Deport received a new oil coating last week, and Mayor Charles Foster and

Precinct 1 Commissioner Jimmie Sparks looked over the work. The

street is located at the north end of Main Street. (Staff Photo)

## Homemaking Dept. Having Courses

The Prairiland Homemaking Department has held several classes this summer, covering a wide scope of subjects.

The classes have been open to students and adults, and students have been able to earn a half credit in homemaking by taking the courses.

The first was a computer seminar which taught how to put recipes in the computer and call them up, how to budget a household using the computer, and other personal or household uses for the machines.

The next course featured the new serger which the homemaking department has. The machine will seam, bind and trim knits or other difficult fabrics, and each participant in the course made several garments.

The third course, which is going on this week, is a folk art painting course. The largest class so far, the group has learned to sand, prepare and paint a variety of folk art projects.



JUNE IS Bride's Month, and the Deport Nursing Home residents got to see a June Bridal Fashion Fair presented by employees and

friends on Tuesday. From ring bearers to brides, all types of bridal apparel were displayed, a wedding cake and punch table was

set up, and everyone received the event enthusiastically. (Staff Photo)

## Martin Retires, Salter Takes Post

In a called board meeting on Thursday, June 19, the Prairiland School Board accepted the resignation of Charles Martin as principal of Deport Elementary and Junior High School.

Appointed in his place was Larry Salter.

Martin plans on retirement, which will become effective the last day of June, and Salter will assume his new duties on August 1.

Salter has been a business teacher

in the Prairiland School system for eighteen years.



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All former residents of Blossom and friends are invited to visit in Blossom on July 4...Bring a picnic basket for lunch and have a good time with your Blossomite friends. Everyone is invited to attend to help celebrate Blossom's 100th anniversary and Texas' sesquicentennial...

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has announced that the Liberty Grove, Dawson and Friendship Cemeteries, located within the soon to be constructed Cooper Lake area, will be relocated to sites outside project lands. Anyone having next of kin buried in these cemeteries or having knowledge of other cemeteries or individual graves that may be located within the area is encouraged to attend a 7:30 p.m. meeting at the Cooper Civic Center: Liberty Grove, July 8; Dawson, July 9; Friendship, July 10.

The Saturday rodeo PARADE will start at the old Kisner Grocery Store on South Main in Bogata and go north on Main Street through town to Third Street, then west to Howison Street, south to Second Street, east back to Main Street, back through town to FM 909, west to Highway 271 and then to Red River Haven Nursing Home where it will end...

The descendants of the late Charlie and Lula Mayes will have a reunion Sunday, June 29 at the American Legion Building in Clarksville. Relatives and friends are welcome to bring a dish and come for a noon meal and fellowship...

The deadline is nearing for your orders of the 1987 Community Birthday and Events Calendar...If you have not been contacted, please call Melba Ladd at 652-5635 or Nina Sparks at 652-4443 and place your order....

The Linden Reunion will be Sunday, June 29 at the Blossom Community Center. Everyone is invited to bring a picnic lunch and it will start at 9:30. Lunch will be served at 12 noon....

The Blossom Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring a community wide REVIVAL June 29-July 2 at 7 p.m. Evening services of singing, preaching, prayers and fellowship. Look for great tent on Front Street in Blossom....



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### Editor's Quote Book

I believe the first test of a truly great man is his humility.

John Ruskin

# Cunningham News

**By Berniece Wyatt**  
The Friendship Club served the residents of the Deport Nursing Home with refreshments Thursday honoring all who had birthdays in June.

Mrs. Audrey Arnold became seriously ill Sunday morning and was transferred to the hospital by ambulance.

Mrs. Mary Bowerman and Mrs. Rosie Malone of Lubbock were here for the funeral of Henry Humphrey of Paris Friday. They also visited Mrs. Verta Lynn and Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Kelly Anderson of Bogata spent the weekend with her father, Mickey Anderson.

Mrs. Noah Poe of Paris and Mrs. Ela Cross of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Whitt of Hot Springs, AR visited Mr. and Mrs. Odie Watson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jackson of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Fletcher of Texarkana spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Clifford Pynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hough of Paris visited Berniece Wyatt Sunday afternoon.

Harry Slusher spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Powell of Bogata.

Mickey Anderson took several children of the community on a swimming party Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cherry of Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and Rachelle of Talco visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Monday.

Charles Taylor of Paris visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cruise attended the funeral of Mrs. Rosie Rae, sister of Ben Cruise, in Mt. Pleasant last week.

Mrs. Robert Lynn of Vidor and Mrs. Hattie Lawhon of Beaumont visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams and Mrs. Verta Lynn Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Whitt and Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Creamer, Cameron and Tyler of Milton visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday night.

Rachelle Smith of Talco spent Monday night with Mrs. Pauline Plott and Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith.

Mrs. Clyde Slusher took her grandson Josh Ward to Sherman to meet his mother, Mrs. Burney Milstead of Burkburnett, after spending two weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pope of Clarksville Friday night and attended the Little League ball game to see their grandson, Courtney Currin, play.

Mr. and Mrs. Mancel Pointer of Roscoe, John C. Allen of Blossom and Gerald Norrell of Minter visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen Sunday.

Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris and Mrs.

Jack Briscoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Friday.

Mrs. Jessie Lee Allen of Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Fowler Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Muri Roach were Tuesday visitors.

Jerry Elmore of Tyler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cruise.

Mrs. Mancel Pointer of Roscoe and Mrs. Fred Allen visited Mrs. Glenna Norrell at Minter Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Willie Clay Norwood and Mrs. Maurine Womack of Reno returned home Wednesday, after two weeks vacation in Crystal River, Florida. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Drake and attended graduation of Mrs. Womack's granddaughter and Mrs. Norwood's great-granddaughter, Rochelle Drake. They also made the acquaintance of a new granddaughter and great-granddaughter Thosa Lee Drake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Drake. Mrs. Norwood had the pleasure of having members of five generations present.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete McKnight were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Morrison and Alva Mae O'neal of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and family of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson and family, Mrs. Lisa Drennan and O'neal, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson and Mrs. Jane O'neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher and Harry Slusher Sunday night.

Inez Lewis of Paris was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Ruby Clement and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Talma Norwood of Reno were Wednesday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Mrs. Willie Clay Norwood and Mrs. Charlie Smith of Reno visited Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Womack of Reno were Sunday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Dean Cook and grandson, Shane Corbett of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Otha Cook of Tulsa, OK spent the weekend with Mrs. Gladys O'neal. On Saturday night they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powell of Bogata.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Otha Cook of Tulsa, Ok and Mrs. Gladys O'neal visited relatives of Lester O'neal at the Gene Roden Funeral Home and also visited Mrs. Hattie Young and Mrs. Lillian Pierce of Paris.

Darold Norwood of Paris was a Monday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete McKnight and Mrs. Gladys O'neal and Mrs. Jane O'neal went to Gene Roden Funeral Home for visitation hour of the family of Lester O'neal. He was a nephew of the late Curt and Taylor O'neal and a brother of Johnny O'neal of Annona.

## Kerbows Celebrate 60th Anniversary

**By Betty Rodgers**  
Visitors here last weekend for the 60th wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow were Robbie Nell Fosen of Morris, ILL.; Boyd and Katie Kerbow, Michael, Diane, Christi, Sherra and Katie Elizabeth of Lewisville; J.W. and Ruth Kerbow of Los Gatos, CA; Arvin and Linda, Scott, Mark and Paul Anderson of Texarkana. Other out of town visitors

were Mrs. Edgar Raper, Mrs. Ruth Clarkson, Connie Tidwell and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley for Paris, Jerry Kelley of Phoenix, AZ, Ms. Jean Cardwell McGee of Wake Village, Don and Ann Eudy, George and Rebecca Giddens of Clarksville, Mrs. Eva Matlock, Betty and Larann Denison of Deport and John and Jerri Kelley and Sean Lankford of Sherman and Bro. and Mrs. Clark of Woodland.



# Obituaries

## Mrs. Zela Neugent Dies At Age 80

Mrs. Zela Neugent, 80, of Talco, born December 2, 1905 in Red River County, died Wednesday, June 18 at Golden Years Nursing Home. She was retired from the Talco School System in 1968 and was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church of Talco.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Linda Blackwood of Ardmore, OK, Mrs. Dorothy Stevens of Louisiana, Mrs. Rosemary Boyd of Irving and Mrs. Martha Mills of Purcell, OK; two sons, Robert Neugent of Dallas and Thomas Neugent of Eulese; 20 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Edith Lovell of Lubbock and one brother, Charles Truitt Pittman of Wichita Falls.

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday, June 21 at Calvary Baptist Church in Talco with Brother Ted White officiating. Burial was in Talco Cemetery by Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home in Mt. Pleasant.

## William H. Preston Dies At Age 70

W. H. (Bill) Preston, 70, died June 14 at his home in Bonham.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, June 16 at Cooper and Sorrels Funeral Home Chapel in Bonham, with the Rev. Dickie Golden of Bonham officiating. Burial was in Garland Cemetery at Annona.

Mr. Preston was born in Red River County on March 27, 1916. He was the son of Robert and Lena Cornutt Preston.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. David Knowles of Bogata, Mrs. Clifford Cummins of Windom, and Mrs. Albert Pruett of Bonham; one brother, Eugene of Hooks and several nieces and nephews.

## Maurice T. Moore Dies At Age 90

Maurice T. Moore of New York City, formerly of Deport, died Sunday, June 22 at his home.

A memorial service was held at the Brick Presbyterian Church in New York on Thursday at 4 p.m.

He was born in Deport on March 16, 1896, a son of Dr. and Mrs. J.H. Moore. He was a long time senior partner in the law firm of Cravath, Swaine and Moore.

Survivors include his widow, Elisabeth Luce Moore; two sons, Thompson and Michael; and one brother, John H. Moore of Deport.

## Card of Thanks

We want to thank our children, relatives, and friends for the cards, gifts, flowers and plants and telephone calls and just for being there to make our special day even nicer.

Gene and Zelma Marldin

## Chapman Talks About "Old Glory"

With the dawn of day throughout the United States the familiar "Old Glory" floats proudly against the blue sky, conveying its message of freedom to the world. The sight has become a memorable experience for all Americans, sharing pride in our land, the history of our struggles and the hope for democracy to oppress people everywhere.

Since the time the original 13 stars assembled in a circle on a field of blue, the flag that has become known as Old Glory has undergone many transformations that have brought it to its present 50 stars. As we in Texas celebrate our sesquicentennial year, our nation looks at Independence Day, the Fourth of July, with pride in 1986.

The current year shares a special place in U.S. history. Two centuries ago, 1786, the call went out for a constitutional convention, and one hundred years ago the Statue of Liberty was dedicated, which our nation now prepares to celebrate in its restoration.

photo by Joe Rosenthal that captured the anguish and struggle of five marines and a medical corpsman as they raised the American flag on Mt. Suribachi during the storming of the Iwo Jima beaches in 1945?

The special pride of our flag provides thought at nightfall as the Stars and Stripes flutter in formation in the evening breeze. As we approach the 210th anniversary of American independence, I urge Texans to honor the symbolism of our flag and those who fought to protect the rights granted under these United States.

If you would like to order a new American flag that has flown over the U.S. Capitol, write to me, Congressman Jim Chapman in Washington. Prices are 3x5 cotton, \$7.22; 3x5 nylon, \$6.76; 4x6 nylon \$9.71; 5x8 cotton \$16.82; 5x8 nylon \$15.80. Make checks payable to Congressman Jim Chapman and I will place an order with the office supply service on your behalf.

## American Viewpoints



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### Craigs To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

MR. AND MRS. DAN CRAIG of Pattonville will be honored with a reception Sunday, July 6 in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. The affair will be from 2 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig in Pattonville. Elredia Lamb and Dan Craig were

married July 4, 1936 in Paris. Hosts will be the couple's children and families: Jerry Craig of Paris, Kenneth Craig of Pattonville, Danny Craig of Kennesaw, GA. They have 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.



### Moore's Celebrate 50th Anniversary

MR. AND MRS. JOHN H. Moore are observing their fiftieth wedding anniversary this sesquicentennial year. She was the former Helen Johnson of Clarksville. They were married July 2, 1936 at Clarksville by the

Rev. E. Wilson Cole, the Presbyterian minister. Their children are John H. Moore of San Antonio and Ellen Hoover of Bastrop. The accompanying photograph was taken in that 1936 year of the Texas Centennial.

### Deport Classes of 1965,66,67,68 To Hold Reunion Saturday

There will be a reunion of four Deport High School classes on Saturday, June 28. The classes of 1965-66-67-68 will meet in Paris at Wade Park beginning at 4:30 p.m.

Everyone is asked to bring a picnic style meal and is urged to come out and enjoy an evening of reuniting and reminiscing.



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### Deport Classes Have Big Reunion

Chisum's Restaurant in Paris was the scene Saturday night for the reunion for the Deport High School senior classes of 1934-35-36 and 37. The Texas Sesquicentennial theme was used in table decorations, and a buffet dinner was served.

Master of Ceremonies was Russell Bird, class of 1936, from Stone Mountain, Georgia. He introduced representatives from each class who in turn presented ex-students present. Each student responded with facts about themselves or a favorite memory about DHS. Elbert Veteto of Marshall represented the class of 1934, James Perkins of Slaton, class of 1935, Katherine Barnett Rainwater of Vernon, class of 1936 and Prentice Hayes, Amarillo, class of 1937. Thelma Ladd Warren of Deport and Raymond K. Gardner of Garland were the teachers honored. Both spoke of school days at Deport. Mrs. Warren was presented a corsage and both teachers received standing ovations.

It was decided to have the next joint reunion in 1989. Ex-students and spouses present were: from Paris, Paul and Ruth M. Read Denison, J.L. and Sara Starks, James and Ruth Jeffus Loven, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Westbrook. From Deport, Clyde Barham, Ruth Mitchell Cheatham, Hobart and Minnie Ruth Roberts Loven, Virginia Grant Kirkland, Elizabeth Harvey Bell, Reba Griffin Temple, Bud Nobles, Matty Lou Harvey Upchurch. From Dallas, Billy and Imogene Perry Lee, Jack and Waldeen Ellis Wagoner, Sonny and

Audrey Nobles Pierce, Clara Stalls, Grant Pierce.

From Ft. Worth, Janet Fagan Layne, Warren and Marion Anderson Albertson, Nim and Gene Hammond, Malcolm Hammond, Snooky and Lera Roach Lawler, Lewisville; Worth and Vashti Hood, Bogata; Jek and Vivian Hood, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harvey, Clarksville; Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Harvey, Idabel, OK; Bill Hammond, Oxnard, CA; Bob and Odessa Solomon Isbell, Clarksville; James Pinky and Lee Griffin, Sulphur Springs; and from Houston Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Wimberly and Ken and Eloise Crosson Wright.

Others were Frank and Vesta Mae Sides Ladd and Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Hayes of Amarillo; Elbert and Becky Veteto of Marshall; James and Anita Westbrook Perkins of Slaton; Russell and Arlene Bird of Stone Mountain, GA; Katherine and Johnny Rainwater of Vernon; Raymond and Francis Gardner of Garland and Thelma Warren of Deport.

A reception was held Saturday afternoon at the Best Western in Paris.

Refreshments of cookies, punch and salted nuts were served to all ex-students who came by.

There was much reminiscing, pictures were taken and old photo albums were viewed with nostalgia and laughter. Alice Ruth Tidwell, class of 1936 visited, also. Mrs. Elizabeth Barnett of Paris, Reba Temple and Virginia Kirkland, Audrey Pearce and Ruth Marie Denison arranged the reception.

### Moore's Honored With Reception

John and Helen Moore were honored with a reception after church services Sunday, June 22 in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Approximately 45 people were served cake, punch and nuts after attending church services at the First Presbyterian Church of Deport, including many members of the Deport High School class of 1936, who were taking part in a reunion that weekend.

The Fellowship Hall was the scene for the reception, and the table was

covered with a white, embroidery-trimmed cloth, crystal punch bowl and appointments.

A vase of white daisies graced the table, and the cake carried out the white and pale yellow color scheme.

A gold anniversary plate provided an appropriate reminder of the couple's fifty years together.

Nanalee Nichols was hostess for the event, Margie Rice served the cake and Jessie Marie Woodard provided the flowers for the affair.

### Mailbox Could be Invitation To Burglars

An overflowing mailbox is, at best, a way to damage or destroy mail, and at worst, an invitation to burglars, warns the U.S. Postal Service.

"Before you pack up and leave for vacation, contact your local post office and ask us to hold your mail," postal officials said, "or arrange with us to have your mail forwarded for a specified time, then held again while you're enroute home."

Travelers can arrange for first class mail to follow them for up to 18 months, 60 days for second class publications and 12 months for third and fourth class items. Except for fourth class parcels, there is no charge for forwarding.

The postmaster said such arrangements can be accomplished by filling out a change of address order, which includes beginning and ending dates. The form is available at the post office.

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TOLL PAINTING-Polly Topping of Reflections in Paris gave toll painting lessons this week to a

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several offered this summer, covering a wide variety of subjects. (Staff Photo)

**Clardy News**

By Mrs. Virgie Ballard  
 Lea Ann Ballard of Delmir spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ballard. She and her grandmother visited Mrs. Ruby Hudson of Jennings one evening last week.

Mrs. Eugene Skidmore visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alma Skidmore last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Stone has been suffering with painful arthritis. Andy Clement of Tyler spent last Wednesday night with his parents, Lewis and Louise Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hudson and boys of Progress and Mrs. Ruby Hudson of Jennings are spending this week in Freeport visiting Mark's aunt, Mrs. Zig Huggins.

Mrs. Virgie Ballard visited in Deport and also Mrs. Ruby Bryant of Pattonville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Blanton of Blossom visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard recently.

Mrs. Eugene Skidmore of Clardy and her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Eatherly of Paris, spent Friday in Dallas shopping.

Kimberly Davis with a church group from Paris, spent part of the weekend in Dallas.

Johnny and Reva Stout are just back from a cruise in the Caribbean. They also visited the island of Nassau in the Bahamas, San Juan, Puerto Rico and St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands. They had a wonderful time.

Doris and A.G. Ballard were at the funeral home in Paris one night last week to be with the Frank Powers family. Sympathy is extended his family.

Stacy Felker of Paris spent the weekend with Era Rader and Mamie McMellon.

Mrs. Mamie McMellon was in Paris one day last week for a medical check up.

Mrs. Peggy Evans of Paris, Mary Ann Williams and Evelyn Greger of Detroit spent the day with Louise and Lewis Clement Monday.

Dustin Clement of Progress spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clement while his parents were in Dallas for a ballgame.

Whiel Mrs. Zada Dunn was visiting relatives in west Texas recently, they all spent a week enjoying sights in Colorado.

Kim Abbott of Tyler spent the

weekend with home folks, Betty and Gary Abbott and Lewis and Louise Clement.

Peggy Evans of Paris and Lewis and Louise Clement of Clardy visited Walt and Donnie Crafton of Viewpoint Saturday.

Maj. and Mrs. Tony Ballard are in Ft. Sill, OK this week on Army business.

Ike and Brenda Jewett and children Mischelle and Erick are in Colorado for two weeks vacation.

The Ricky Jordons are in New Braunfels for a week and the Norris Ballards are spending this week in Austin and then going on to New Braunfels for several days visit.

Kimberly Davis visited her friend, Valerie Cooper of Pattonville, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hatcher of Marvin were home on the weekend after several days at Beaver's Bend, OK.

Danny Hancock and children Mary Ann and Daniel visited Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hancock at Brookston Sunday.

There will be a volleyball game at the Clardy Community Center Saturday night. Everyone is asked to come. Refreshments will be served.

Michael Emmons of Sulphur

Springs is still in Children's Hospital in Dallas. He was bitten by a dog sometime back and his leg became infected and he is having a battle. They say he'll have to be in the hospital for a long time. Mike used to live in Clardy. Everyone sends hope and prayers that he will be better soon.

Morris and Mary Melton of Corsicana spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Melton of Paris. Mrs. Melton hasn't been doing very well and expects to undergo double surgery soon. We all hope she will be better soon.

Mrs. Rex Allen and daughter Peggy of Blossom, Bobby and Judy Pomroy and Fred and Robbie Skidmore visited Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Stone during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Short are just back from a trip to Dundee, IL where they used to live. They visited many old friends and enjoyed a reunion at the church where he used to be pastor. A friend and her little girl came home with them for a few days visit.

Mrs. Eugene Skidmore fell at her home last week and hurt her back. She is doing alright and we hope she will be OK.

**Paris Rodeo Queen, Princess Contest Open**

The Paris Rodeo and Horse Club will kick off their 27th annual rodeo with the Queen and Princess contest to be held July 26 at the fairgrounds arena. Girls interested in participating this year should be 13-19 years of age for the Queen's title or 12 years and under for the Princess division, live within a 50 mile radius of Paris, obtain a club membership card before July 1, be single and never have been married. They will be judged in three categories; 50% horsemanship, 25% appearance and 25% personality. The contestants will each ride their own horse at rail work and demonstrate their horsemanship ability on an assigned pattern. They will also be asked to model a western suit and the queen's contestants will give a short speech on themselves at a luncheon provided by the sponsors. All the girls will then be judged on their knowledge of horse anatomy and disease and equipment, and the sport of rodeo.

The winners will be crowned opening night of the rodeo on July 30. The queen will receive a trophy saddle, belt buckle and gift certificate. The princess will receive a tooled breast harness, head stall, belt buckle and gift certificates. First runner-up in each age division will get a trophy and Miss Congeniality will be named. The young ladies being crowned will represent the Paris Rodeo and Horse Club all year as their good will ambassadors at rodeos, horse shows, parades and other social activities.

The queen will represent the club at the Central Rodeo Association finals in Sulphur Springs in November for their queen title.

More information may be obtained by calling Janet Spencer at 784-0322 or Roy Owings at 785-9273.

**Pattonville News**

By Ann Wright  
 Mrs. Clyde Chappell attended a housewarming party for Don and Cassie Betenbough in Deport.

Grace Fendley of Blossom spent Tuesday with Mrs. Curtis Hoover.

Mark Parsons is going to Austin to spend the weekend with his brother, Greg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks for Deport and Peggy Parsons spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bolton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kennett of Cooper.

The Prairiland Extension Homemakers Club went to Bonham Saturday to the Bois d'Arc Festival. Those attending were Mrs. Vada Mae Hoover, Ann Betenbough, Joyce Wilson, Ruth Johnston, Dortha McDowra, Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Peggy Parsons.

Kaleb Craig spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craig.

The Pattonville Baptist Church had a good turn out with their VBS this week.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crossland and Annette this week were Mr. and Mrs. John Cleaver of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Slaton of Halesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wright this week.



**COOKING CORNER**

**SWEET 'N SOUR BARBECUED CHICKEN**

- 1 can (20 oz.) Dole Crushed Pineapple
- 1 cup catsup
- 1/3 cup brown sugar, packed
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon grated lemon peel
- 1 (3-lb.) fryer chicken, cut up
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch

Drain pineapple well, reserving juice. Combine juice with catsup, brown sugar, lemon juice and peel. Arrange chicken in a shallow casserole dish. Pour sauce over and marinate 3 hours or overnight in refrigerator. Arrange chicken on a grill or broiler 4 inches from heat. Grill 20 minutes on each side, or until done. Combine marinade, pineapple and cornstarch in a saucepan. Cook, stirring, until sauce boils and thickens. Baste chicken with sauce 2 to 3 minutes before done. Pass sauce to serve over chicken. Serves 4.

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## Milton News

By Lillian Upchurch  
Tommie Evelyn Thompson of Vernon, her daughter Mary McCoy of Lubbock and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Harvey Thompson of Altus, OK visited with Tommie's sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch this past week. On Wednesday, all the ladies visited with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harvey in Longview.

Please accept our apologies for a mistake in last week's news. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jackson of Paris, formerly of Milton, celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary, not their 50th as previously reported.

Mrs. Bobbie Hill and Elizabeth of Camden, AR spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch and picked up her son, Andrew, who has been visiting his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Harvey visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fowler in Maud last week. Mrs. Maxine Gregory of Daingerfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Upchurch, their son Roger and grandson, Tony of Bisbee, AZ visited over the weekend with T.R.'s brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch and Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Upchurch.

### THOUGHT FOR FOOD

By GOULD CROOK  
Heavenly Angel Cake Surprise

This old-fashioned cake has a surprise pineapple cream filling.

- 1 pkg. (14.5 oz.) angel food cake mix
- 1 can (8 oz.) Dole Crushed Pineapple in Juice
- 2 1/2 cups whipping cream
- 1/2 cup chopped maraschino cherries
- 1/4 cup toasted chopped almonds
- 1 tbsp. sugar

Prepare cake according to package directions. Drain pineapple well, pressing out excess juice with back of spoon. Whip 1 cup cream. Fold in pineapple, cherries and almonds. Slice and reserve a 1-inch thick layer from top of cake. Cut cake around outer sides and inner sides, leaving about 1-inch thick border. Remove inside cake with hands; break in chunks. Fold into pineapple cream. Spoon pineapple mixture into cake hollow. Cover cake with reserved top. Whip remaining cream with sugar. Spread over cake. Refrigerate 2 hours, or overnight. Makes 8 to 10 servings. \*Reserve juice for beverage.



DO IT RIGHT! Youngsters at Prairiland Basketball Camp this week have learned a variety of

skills, including dribbling, shooting and ball handling. Dan Harris and Ronnie Baker have

conducted the event, and a girl's camp is upcoming. (Staff Photo)



BASKETBALL CAMP-These youngsters are all part of the week long Prairiland Patriot Basketball

Camp, coached by Dan Harris and Ronnie Baker. The boys have been

sharpening their basketball skills. (Staff Photo)

## Presbyterian Women Meet

Presbyterian women of the Deport Presbyterian Church met Saturday, June 14 in the home of Mrs. Sam Rice in Clarksville.

This was the annual salad supper and Summer Medical program observed in June of each year.

Mrs. Rice gave the invocation, and the meal was served to the ten members present.

Following the meal, Mrs. Farris Read, president, opened the meeting with the Mission Yearbook of Prayer. She gave a report written by Betty Rainwater of the Central Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, GA. She related the numerous community projects the church is helping with, emphasizing the tutoring program in the nearby grade school which has proved to be very effective.

Mrs. John Denison presented the program on Summer Medical offerings. She stated that Presbyterian Women make a great difference in

health care around the world by their gifts to this special offering in June of each year.

Mrs. Denison reported the Summer Medical offering has doubled in the last eight years and provides 60% of the budget of health missions in the Presbyterian Church (USA). Each member contributed to this offering. Following the program, Rev. Sam Rice showed the films made at the 110th anniversary of the Deport Church in July, 1984. These were

recorded by Charles Nobles of Edmond, OK. Charles is a former member of the church and gave the film to the church.

Rev. Rice also showed slides taken by Rev. Carter McKemy in 1942. Rev. McKemy was pastor of the church at that time and presented the slides to the church when he was here for the 110th anniversary.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

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The Vickers reunion was held Sunday, June 15 at the Blossom Community Center and was attended by the following: L.V. and Lois Cole of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Benton Vickers, San Angelo; Ruby Tatom of Idalou; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Honeycutt of San Angelo; R.C. Vickers of Dallas; Mrs. Wesley Dabney and grandsons of Snyder; G.E. Vickers of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Manning of San Joe, CA; Mr. and Mrs. Duran Vickers, Loy and Corley of Fayetteville, AR; Viola Allen and Mrs. Nettie Alsobrooks from Paris; Lillie Oliver from Trenton; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gibson and Herbert Gibson of Pattonville; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Herron of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnston and Chad from Blossom; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Rogers, Jeff, Tammy and Jo Jo from Paris; Mr. and Mrs. John Vickers, Cassidy, Lee Ann and Wyatt from Blossom; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Vickers and children from Ashdown, AR; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herron and Lacie of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vickers, Mr. and Mrs. Author Castleman and John, Mrs. Jeannie Tucker and Amber from Detroit; Eloise Pritchett of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Herron of Paris; Aileen Herron and Lottie Vickers of Blossom.

All enjoyed the day visiting with one another.

**Softball Tournaments Planned**

The Paris Parks Department will host the Men's and Women's Amateur Softball Association District Tournaments on the following dates:

The Men's District will be July 25-26 and the Women's District will be July 11-12. The entry fee for both tournaments is \$100.00 made payable to Paris A.S.A. The entry deadline for the Women's Tournament is July 7 and for the Men's Tournament is July 17.

For more information, contact Dick Boots at 785-7511. Entry fees should be sent to Dick Boots, City Hall, P.O. Box 1037, Paris, TX 75460. Teams located in Lamar, Delta, Hopkins, Red River, Franklin, Titus, Camp, Morris, Bowie and Cass counties are eligible for the tournaments.

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- 1 can (8-1/4 oz.) Dole Crushed Pineapple in Syrup
- 6 large baking apples
- 1/4 cup chopped nuts
- 1/2 cup dark brown sugar, packed
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

Drain pineapple, reserving all syrup. Core apples. Combine pineapple and nuts; spoon into center of apples. Add enough hot water to reserved syrup to make 1/2 cup liquid. Stir in brown sugar and cinnamon until sugar dissolves. Pour over apples in baking dish. Bake in 350°F oven 50 to 60 minutes. Spoon sauce over apples once while baking. Serve with cream, if desired. Makes 6 servings.

**Wheat Harvest Remains On Hold**

By Paul D. Payne

Wheat producers got a reprieve from the weather forecasts this past weekend and made a dent in the wheat harvest as combines were able to run on Saturday and Sunday. Just when it looked like rain free weather would allow harvest to be completed, down came the rain in bucket fulls.

Just how much the wheat crop has been damaged by the prolonged wet spell is not known at this time. Reports from other areas of the state where rainfall has been greater indicate some sprouting of the wheat. That is a possibility here. Certainly we can anticipate a reduction in yield and test weight as a result of the weather.

Good yields in the 40 and 50 bushel range have been reported from all areas of the county. It is conceivable that the county could average surpass last year's average of 28 bushels.

One of the hardest it segments of the county agricultural industry is the hay producers. Although the rainfall has been ideal for forage production, it has made a nightmare out of attempts to get hay baled. Poor quality would best describe most of the hay harvested so far this spring.

The Red River Valley traditional-

ly produces an excess of hay annually and must market a big quantity of that hay outside the area. In years when there is no drought area in the 200 to 500 mile radius of Paris, it is difficult to move hay at any price. This is particularly true of poor quality hay and to a lesser extent grass hay.

Some second cutting alfalfa produced this past week for \$60 to \$65 per ton, but the poorer quality alfalfa went in the \$50 dollar range. Mature alfalfa with some grass was offered for \$1.50 per bale on the meadow, and there were not many takers at that price.

The Bill Oakley James Sharrock Joint herd Dispersal was highly successful this past weekend. The sale was Saturday at Oakley's Ranch located at Garrett's Bluff.

An estimated 250 individuals gathered to evaluate a good offering of Limousin cattle which went to buyers in the four states area. Many of the sale lots remains in our area.

Tracy Hicks, junior 4-H member from Red Oak 4-H Club represented the county well last week at the Texas Junior Limousin Field Day. Tracy showed two heifers and received a second and third place in her class. Tracy was selected Best Junior Showman.

**Web Worms Appearing**

By Herb Brevard

Fall webworms are beginning to make an appearance in East Texas, says Dr. James Robinson, entomologist. The worms are currently very small and in small webs. If uncontrolled, the worms can completely defoliate trees. Robinson says this could be a severe year for the worms. They are found primarily on pecan, hickory, walnut and blueberry plants. One method of control is to mechanically destroy the web. Early spraying with the proper insecticide before the webs develop does a good job of control. Sevin, orthene, diazinon and malathion are approved insecticides for fall webworm con-

trol. If fruit trees are infested, zolone may be used.

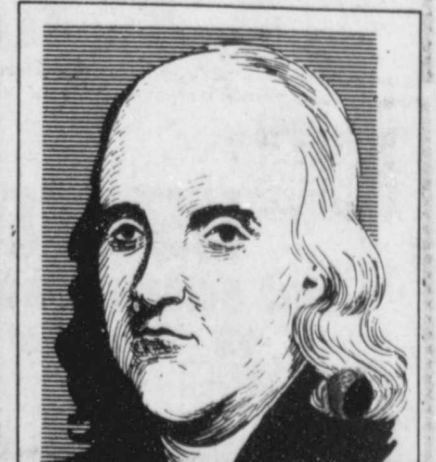
Horn flies are increasing on livestock throughout the area. Insecticide impregnated tags are working in some places and are not doing so good in others, depending upon the resistance which has been developed by the flies. Robinson is currently conducting studies on the effectiveness of various impregnated tags. Those producers who have lost control with tags should switch to a standard horn fly spray or dust bags. The horn fly population will probably continue to increase until hot, dry weather.

**Lamar County Court Docket**

Lamar County Judge Brady Fisher's regular court docket has resulted in the following convictions for this past week: driving motor vehicle while intoxicated, three; theft, two; marijuana, one; traffic appeals, two; no operator license, one.

In addition, the following jail sentences were assessed: DWI, one. The following cases were set for the July jury docket: DWI, two; DWLS, one; assault, one; criminal trespass, one; hindering secured creditors, one; reckless conduct, one; marijuana, one; harboring a runaway, one; weapons, two; transport beer in dry area, one.

**American Viewpoints**



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- 1 can (10 1/2 oz.) cream of mushroom soup
- 2 cups water
- 1 cup grated cheese

Brown ground beef, onion and pepper. Add squash and simmer 15 minutes. Add rice, salt, bouillon cubes, soup and water. Place all in a covered casserole dish and bake at 350° for 50 to 60 minutes until rice is tender. Remove from oven and top with grated cheese. Return to oven until cheese is melted. Serves 6-8.

**American Viewpoints**



No man is good enough to govern another man without that other's consent.  
Abraham Lincoln



**DAMAGE**-Benny Fisher of the U.S. Department of Agriculture checks Charles Nichols' cotton field two miles south of Deport for 2-4-D damage. The chemical apparently has caused several fields to be damaged. Nichols discovered his problem in early June, and the USDA is investigating the matter. It is prohibited to use the chemical after an early date each spring because of such problems. (Staff Photo)



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**Deport Locals**

By Lelia Westbrook

Mrs. Cathrine McAfee of College Station, Mrs. Willie Roberts of Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hurst of Leonard were guests of Frankie Dee Parks on the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Westbrook and Lelia Westbrook spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Nation in Paris to see Mr. and Mrs. Doc Enox of Kermit and Ms. Robbie Gooch of Childress. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Westbrook of DeKalb were visiting also. Ms. Alice Ruth Tidwell of Talco spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Westbrook and attended her class reunion in Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bud of Stone Mountain, GA visited his aunt, Mrs. William Evans on Saturday. They were here for the reunion of the class of 1934-35-36-37. This was held in Paris on Saturday afternoon and Saturday evening. Russell was a member of the 1936 class and members of this class attended the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. John Rainwater of Vernon visited Mrs. Allene Barham on Saturday. They were here for the reunion of the 1934-35-36-37 graduating classes. Mrs. Rainwater is the former Kathryn Barnett and was a member of the 1936 class. Malcolm and Nim Hammond of Ft. Worth and Bill Hammond of California visited friends in Deport on Friday and Saturday. They were here for the reunion to the 1934-35-36-37 classes. Nim was a member of the 1935 class, Malcolm was in the 1936 class and Bill was a 1940 graduate. Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Hayes of Amarillo were in Deport Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and other relatives. Prentice was a member of the 1937 graduating class. Camille Woodard Bell of Grand Prairie has received her Master of Education degree from YWU in Dallas. Mrs. Bell majored in elementary education and already has a Bachelor's degree in music. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Woodard of Deport. Willie Clay Norwood and Green Womack flew to Florida for the graduation of Mrs. Womack's granddaughter Michelle Drake and to see her great-granddaughter and also Mrs. Norwood's great-great-granddaughter Tasha daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Drake and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Drake and Michelle.

**Deport Nursing Home News**

The Friendship Class from Cunningham hosted the June birthday party on Thursday afternoon. Those honored were John Grant Bell, Russie Bell, Alene Barham, Inez Frieze, Mame Brannon, Annie Nobles and Bessie Smith. On Wednesday, a picnic was held at Wade Park in Paris. Those attending were Mrs. Julia Wadley, Fannie Belle Guest, Marshall Dumigan, Edgar York, Isaac Bybee, Ariac Nash, Louise McFrazier, Madie Simpson and Margaret Jackson. Robert Holub taught Bible study Monday evening. Mrs. Madeline White and Wanda visited Beuna Springsteen. Natalie Ray and Carol Riley played bingo with the residents at the home and visited Mrs. Onetta Ray. Rev. Larry Bridges visited Mrs. Otis Boyer. Clay Minton visited Mrs. Otis Boyer. Donald Whitt of Life Tabernacle Church of Cunningham visited friends. Dalias and Oleta Dickson of Pattonville Church of Christ visited.

**Deport Housing Authority News**

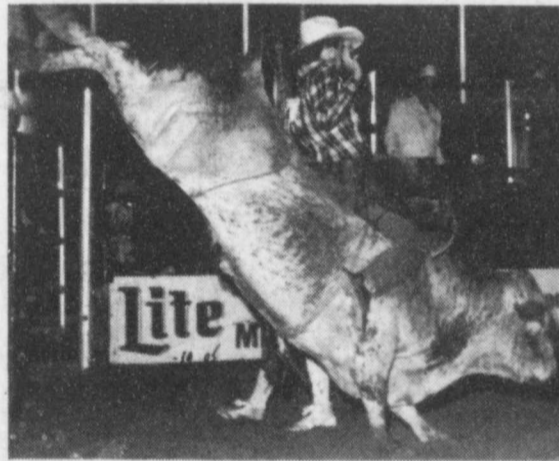
By Lelia Westbrook and Mary Westbrook Ms. Lois Phillely spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin in Mesquite. She attended the wedding of her niece, Jana Griffin and Christopher Dale Barker. Christine Landers returned home Saturday after visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stafford and girls in Grand Prairie. They accompanied her home to spend the weekend. Burl and Lou Landers of Clady visited Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Landers and family from Michigan are visiting his mother also. They are also visiting per parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Igo. Mr. and Mrs. Snooky Lawler of Lewisville visited her sister, Mrs. Hal Shipp and attended the class reunion in Paris. Mrs. Dickie Whitaker and Wanda Bennett of Paris visited Mrs. Effie Thornton one afternoon last week. Wesley Talley was admitted to St. Joseph Hospital on Sunday. Wesley Joplin and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Joplin last week. Deryle and Ida Mae Norwood visited Mrs. Opal Foster on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Curley Hughes visited in Dallas and Winsboro last week. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Early of Irving visited Mrs. Rosa Holley over the weekend. Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Peggy Parsons spent the day in Cooper last Wednesday visiting relatives. Dorthea McDowra, Mrs. Elmer Sparks and Peggy Parsons visited in Bonham and also attended the Art Fair on Saturday.

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**Hot Weather Hard on the Elderly**

Older people have an increased risk of heat-related illness and the National Institute of Aging of the National Institutes of Health warns against heat exhaustion, heat cramps and heat stroke. The Institute suggests several ways to cool off during a hot spell: taking lukewarm or cool baths or showers, allowing the body to air dry; placing an ice bag or wet towels on the body; staying out of direct sunlight; avoiding strenuous activity; wearing lightweight, light-colored, loose-fitting clothing; wearing a hat outdoors. Whenever possible, remaining indoors in a cool place is advisable. Another suggestion from the Institute is to drink plenty of water or fruit juices to replace fluids lost through perspiration but to avoid alcoholic beverages. Elderly relatives or neighbors should be checked on routinely, and especially those who live alone. Danger signs such as nausea, dizziness, fatigue or fever require prompt medical attention.

