Nichols Worth

By Nanalee Nichols And then there is the story of Mr. and Mrs. Chevy. (Not their real name, although they have a "car" name. I haven't the courage to name them correctly!).

Mr. and Mrs. C are originally from the U.K. but have lived in Canada for the past thirty years. They winter down on the coast of Texas, far from the bitter cold of Ontario.

They related this little tale to menot long ago, and I shall hereby share it with you.

It seems that Mr. C., before retirement, was away a lot in his work. His wife kept a little "runabout" car for her personal use. She had one once that she bragged about a great deal.

"No matter how cold, no matter if the big car wouldn't crank, my little car ALWAYS fires right up. It's because it has a manual choke, you know" she would say to friends, family and hubby. The only complaint, she stated, was that the car was cold. The heater just never worked properly. They had the heater checked, but found nothing wrong. Still, it was better to be in a cold reliable vehicle than a warm one that might not crank.

The car was driven by no one else for about two years. Then, one sub-zero Canadian morning, the big car wouldn't crank and Mr. C had to take Mrs. C's runabout. She gave him careful instructions on how to choke the car, using the choke lever to the left of the steering column.

Mr. C went out, but returned momentarily.

"Luy, there's no choke lever that I can find" he stated.



May 1 Is Trustee Election

on Monday night, the Prairiland School Boad called a trustees' electin for May 1 to fill three places on the board. All these places are for full three year terms.

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Positions to be filled include Place 6 from Cunningham, which is now occupied by Johnny Patterson; Placed 2 from Blossom, which is now occu-pied by Ronald Roddy; and Place 3 from Deport, which is now occupied by Kenneth Gifford, Sr.

Filing for election begins February 16 and ends March 17. Election

The elections will be held at four

locations which are Prairiland High School, Cunningham Community Center, Deport Elementary School and Blossom Elementary School. The locations will be open for balloting from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m., Saturday, May 1.

Absentee voting by personal apperance will be from April 12 to April 27. Absentee voting will be held at the Prairiland Administration Building between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. In other actions, the Prairiland board extended the contracts of Assistant Superintendent Dr. Richard Nash, Blossom Principal Buddy Freeman and Deport Principal Larry

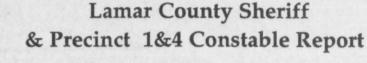
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DEPORT, LAMAR COUNTY, TEXAS

Salter through June 30, 1995. Dr. Gary Ballard was out of town; therefore his contract extension will be considered during the next regular board meeting.

One additional week's vacation was granted to non-certified employees with 15 years or more service.



January 29: Pct. I Constable investigated theft of mail in Pattonville.

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February 1: Sheriff's Department responded to aggravated assault report in Blossom.

Sheriff's Department investigated sexual asault complaint in Powderly. February 2: Sheriff's Department

investigated aggravated asssault complaint in Blossom. February 5: Sheriff's Department

responded to report of assault in Deport.

Sheriff's Department responded to repot of suspicious vehicle at a business in Deport.

February 6: Sheriff's Department handled civil standby in Blossom.

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February 7: Sheriff's Department responded to animal complaint in Blossom.

Sheriff's Department responded to criminal mischief complaint in Blossom.

Sheriff's Department responded to report of suspiciuos vehicle in Powderly.

February 8: Lamar County Jail holds 161 inmates.

Fund Set Up For Erica Woods

A fund for Erica Woods, 16 year old sophomore at Prairiland High School, has been established at Peoples National Bank in Paris or Bogata to defray medical expenses and financial needs incurred by a liver disease.

list for a transplant. Any help given will be appreci-

Erica is the daughter of Tommie ated.

School Burglary Is Crime Of The Week

into the Blossom Junior High School and cafeteria. Taken during the burglary were a computer and some electronic equipment. The value of the property was over \$3700.00.

Sometime during the weekend of If an arrest and indictment is made of January 3, unknown suspects broke those persons responsible, Crime Stoppers will pay a cash reward of up to \$1,000.00. All calls remain anonymous and you will not have to testify in court. Let's all work together to fight crime. Call Crime Stoppers today, 785-TIPS.

Woods and the granddaughter of Obie Woods and Ruby Brown. She has a liver disease called biliary atresia, discovered when she was a baby.

Erica has been placed on a waiting

She then gave him that world famous "hands-on-hips-youmen-are so silly-what-would-youdo-without us" stance and firmly reiterated, "the choke lever is just to the LEFT of the steering wheel, dear".

One more trek out to the car. One more return trip to insist there was no such lever.

Then, Mrs. C donned her coat and stomped out to the car to prove her point.

Triumphantly, she yanked open the door and pointed her finger at the lever located, sure enough, just to the left of the steering coulmn.

Mr. C became very quiet. His face assumed a very careful neutral expression as he broke the news.

"My dear" he said calmly, "THAT is the air vent lever".

No wonder the car was so cold. For two winters she had pulled the outside air vent! While the heater strove to overcome the cold, fresh, frigid air was pouring in!

I must give Mrs. C. credit. No one laughs harder at this story than she. She takes the story with good grace.

They will see this column soon, and I hope they understand that I have shared the little tale with readers to bring a smile to their faces. It's just too good to pass up!



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GOING, Going-gone. This old building, which began life as an ice house and coal depot, was constructed about the turn of the century, is being levelled to make way for a bus lane . Hugh Jeffus, Sr., recalls when he and

a friend were hired by Homer Hayes to unload an entire railroad carload of coal from the siding for \$10 (\$5 apiece). The work had to be done by shovel, and turned into quite a job! The building served as a service station for many, many years, and most recently as a gift shop and then a movie shop. It had been vacant for some time. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

If you have any information on this or any other felony crime, please call Crime Stoppers by February 15.



The Deport American Legion Post 199 will meet in regular meeting February 11 at 7 p.m. This is an important meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Friday, February 12 at the Pattonville The Deport Community Service Club has set Saturday, February 13 as trash pickup day for the club's designated area on Highway 271. All members are urged to attend the meeting at the regular time, and the trash pickup will follow breakfast.

The Valentine King and Queen contest at Deport Nursing Home will be Friday, February 12 at 2 p.m. Anyone wishing to attend is welcome.

Community Center at 8 p.m. A concession will be provided. Proceeds go to Pattonville Community Center and Volunteer Fire Department.

LOST: Five keys and a small spur.

Broadway Junction Band will play

Call 652-2049 if found, please!!

There will be an Ordination Service for Chad Barnes at the First Bapist Church of Cunningham on Sunday, February 14 at 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend this special ceremony.

Britton Has No. 1 Hit On C&W Chart In Scandanavia

Marsha Britton's CD released by Hawk Records, Belfast, North Ireland, has a No. 1 in Scandanavia. The song, You're Walking and Talking in My Sleep Again is from her Good Times & Hard Times compact disk released in late November and contains four songs she wrote or cowrote.

On the European C&W chart, she has #2, a duet sung with Benny Berry. Two weeks ago, another selection off the same CD, Cool Water, appeared

on the European C&W chart at #48. Marsha visited her family in Dallas in January and had a sitting in Tyler with Randy Phillips Photography to shoot the cover of her next CD, Home Grown Tomatoes, which will be released in late March or April.

She is the daughter of Sybil Wright Hanson, formerly of Deport and Hud Hanson and the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Wright of Deport.



Marsha BrittonHas No. 1 Country & Western Single In Scandanavia



SOSU HONOR BAND: Three Prairiland High School students participated in the SOSU Honor Band on February 5-6. The stu-

JUST A THOUGHT

Your news is important...not just to you and your family and friends...but to those whose day is brighter by feeling "in contact" with their community through reading this paper.

Please turn in your news items...no matter how un-imporatnt YOU may think they are!

dents are, left to right: James Taylor, tuba; Jerry McCloure, treble cleff baritone; Shelley Newman, baritone bass cleff. All

students placed first part in competition. They played in aconcert Saturday night at the University. (Staff Photo by Mrs. Tyson)

Deport Little Dribbler Report

The Deport fourth grade girls lost to Powderly 14-5 with Stephanie Wolf making four points and Amber Dawson one.

The fourth grade boys lost to Powderly 17-11. Jessie Crawford had nine points and Jessie Spears had two.

The fifth grade girls lost to Powderly 12-9. Candace Yaross led with five points while Bren Screws and Leslie Morgan had two each.

The fifth grade boys lost 59-1 to Chisum. Brock McDowra made the lone point.

The sixth grade girls lost 25-19 to Powderly. Kendra Hicks led with

seven points, Katie Mullins had six, Shasta Riley, Tonya Brown and

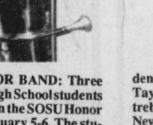
Christie Sexton each had two. The sixth grade boys won over Chisum 33-28. Dustin Allen led the way with 21 points, Dustin Bangs

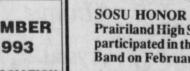
had 7, Sammy Hamm ane ChristUenr each had two.

Next Saturday, February 13, will end the Little Dribblers season with tournaments at Chisum Elementary and Blossom.

All supporters are thanked for coming to the games and are encouraged to attend the tournament.









ELLEN Stringfellow stands in the dining area of her Rosalie home. Ellen is our featured

cook in this weeks Country Cooking column. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)



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Country Cooking By Judy Screws

Ellen and Buddy Stringfellow almost live in Rosalie but not quite. In the pasture around their house, you see horses. In the house and gaarge you see saddles. Ellen says that they never tire of horseback riding. They are both avid readers, this is another way they relax.

Ellen has worked at the Beall's store in Paris for almost 15 years. She is now an area manager. Buddy, who is retired from the Navy, is also an auctioneer.

The Stringfellows have four chilren. Mary Nell Hendricks and her husband, Randy, live in Bogata. Mary Nell works in the District Clerk's office. Randy is a mechanic. Lee and Tricia Kennemer have a daughter, Jennifer, who is nine years old. Lee is a cabinetmaker in Pentago. Paula and Duane Ulrich live in Joliet, Illinois. They have two daughters, Jessica and Janell. Mark Stringfellow lives in Washington state.

Ellen is from Delaware. Her mother, Kathryn Couch, and her two brothers, Bill and George, still live there. She says that although folks in Delaware and Texas eat just about

Twinkie Fruit Shortcake

By Ellen Stringfellow

pkg. of Instant Vanina Fudding can of prepared fruit pie filling container of Cool Whip Cut twinkies in half an line the serving dish. Cover twinkies with vanilla pudding. Now a layer of pre-pared fruit pie filling. Top off with a layer of Cool Whip. Refrigerate for 20 minutes to can hour hears a point

30 minutes to one hour before seving.

Very cool and delightful for summer-

Chicken Pot Roast

all season salt Sear chicken breasts. Peel and wedge cut potatoes. Clean adn chunk cut carrots. Wedge cut onions. Layer the vegetables on top of the chicken; liberally season with pepper, all sea-son salt, parsley flakes and celery seed. Cover tightly and steam simmer until chicken and vegetables are done. Move chicken to top of vegetables af-

time

4 chicken breasts

2 medium onions

parsley flakes

celery seed

black pepper

all season salt

4 medium size potatoes

4-6 medium size carrots

Twinkies (cut in half, longway) pkg. of Instant Vanilla Pudding

the same foods, the cooking styles differ vastly. She has managed to adjust to most of the differences, but the one that took the longest time was iced tea in the winter. Ellen has her own unique thing, though. I discovered this by accident when I happened to see her checking out a big sack of ice cream at the grocery store. She confessed that she eats ice cream

with every meal. Ellen prefers easy, one pot meals. She cooks pot roasts, soups, vegetable clam chowder, and just about anything else containing seafood. A pan of hot buttered cornbread is all the accompaniment these meals require, except for the ice cream, of course.

I've already tried the Kraut Salad recipe that Ellen is sharing with us. Her sister-in-law gave it to her, and it is wonderful. The Shoofly Cake recipe is an old favorite of her grandmothers family who lived in Pennsylvania. The Twinkie Fruit Shortcake and Chicken Pot Roast recipes also sound very good.

Have a lovely Valentine's Day!!

ter cooking about 30 minutes. Approxi-mate cooking time is 1 1/2 hours. Can

be less depending on amount you are

Kraut Salad

This is so easy and keeps forever in the

chopped green sweet pepper

small jar chopped pimentoes

1 lb. box light brown sugar Blend the above to crumbs.

Mix together: 1 cup Brer Rabbit molasses

in a crust as a breakfast pie.

2 1/4 cup boiling water

Mix the above ingredients and re-

frigerate for several hours before serv-

Shoo Fly Cake

1 T. baking soda Set aside 2 cups crumbs to top with. Mix rest with liquid mix. Pour in ungreased 9x13 pan and top with the set-aside crumbs. Back at 350

for 45 minutes. This can also be baked

Allen Brumbalow **Dies February 4**

> Allen Brumbalow, 65, of Bogata, died Thursday, February 4 in Red River General Hospital, Clarksville. Services were held at 3 p.m. Sun-

day, February 7 in Bogata Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Billy Pirtle and the Rev. Mark Jones officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Brumbalow was born March 28, 1927, the son of Albert Clemens and Ida Bell Gurley Brumbalow.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Brumbalow of Bogata; five sons, Billy Brumbalow and Ricky Brumbalow, both of Bagwell, Paul Brumbalow of Bogata, Roger Brumbalow of Dallas and Stanley Brumbalow of Blossom; four daughters, Lisa Brum- Ferguson. balow of Bogata, Kathy Bryant of Bagwell, Sherry Bell of Dallas and Donna Herbertson of Cedar Hill; two brothers, Johnny Brumbalow and Floyd Brumbalow, both of Bogata; and two sisters, Betty Whitaker and Evelyn Lawson, both of Bogata; four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Myrtle Jackson and Willie Mae Brumbalow.

Card of Thanks

Once again the community has showered our family with love and support during our time of sorrow. Words are inadequate in expressing our gratitude for all the visits, phone calls, food, flowers and prayers. Thanks to everyone who took part in the service, the music and readings was beautiful. We appreciate everyone who brought food and helped with lunch before the service and for getting the chairs set up in the gym. A special thanks to Pastor Willie Johnson for all the support, comforting words, and hard work. It is people like you that make Detroit the wonderful community it is. May God bless each of you. Love,

The Family of Richard McCoin

Minnie Maude Shelton **Dies February 8**

Minnie Maude Shelton, 93, of Detroit, died Monday, February 8 at McCuistion Regional Medical Center.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday, February 10 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Bluff Cemetery.

Mrs. Shelton was born December

George Wayne Ferguson Dies February 6, 1993

Obituaries

Wayne Ferguson, a former resident of Bogata, died at his home in Brady, on Thursday, February 4, 1993. Burial was in Rest Haven Cemetery in Brady.

Wayne was a graduate of the 1925 class of Bogata High School. He served in the army during WWII. He moved to Brady in 1933 where he owned and operated a Pepsi bottling plant. He spent sixteen years on the Brady City Council and was an elder and very active member of the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Ferguson is survived by his wife, Mildred; a brother M. A. Ferguson , Jr. and one sister, Mrs. Judd Lee. He was born in Bogata the late, M.A. (Sr.) and Ki

Lennon Hill

Dies In Lubbock

Services for Lennon Hill, 83, of Lubbock were held January 25 in Broadway Church of Christ with Horace Coffman, minister, officiat-

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

He died January 22 in Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Mereta and moved to Lubbock from Iowa Park in 1924. He attended Lubbock High School and Texas Tech University. He ma ried Marie Watson on August 3d 1934, in Meadow. He was a coach and principal in Lubbock schools and a member of the Texas State and National Teacher's Association and the Church of Christ. He was a coach and teacher at Detroit High School during the 1940's.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Dr. Gerald of Lubbock; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Memorials may be made to the Children's Home of Lubbock.

Mrs. Zelma Wood **Dies February 9**

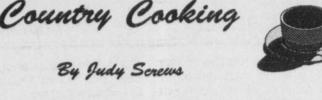
Mrs. Zelma Wood, age 83, of Bogata, died Tuesday, February 9 in Red River General Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m Thursday, February 11 in Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Billy Daniels an Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wood was born December 29, 1909 in Rugby, the daughter of William and Mae Chesshir Edwards. She married Carl Wood on Noven ber 28, 1929 in Rugby. She was retired from Bogata Schools working in the cafeteria for a number of years and worked for several years at Deport Nursing Home. She was a member of the Bogata United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband, Carl Wood of Bogata; a daughter and son-in-law, Nancy and Glenn Clay-ton of Highland Village, TX; two grandchildren, Becky Rankin of Lewisville and Jon Clayton of Austin; one sister. Mrs. Francis Bennett of Brenham. Bearers were Neil Rozell, J.C. Watson, Jack Crane, Buck Ramse Johnny Ragsdill, Trav is Hale, Jame Gibson, and Howard Ed Bryson. Honorary bearers were members

of Bogata Lions Club.

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cooking.

refrigerator. 1-15 oz. can of kraut

2 cups chopped celery

cup chopped onion

3/4 cup sugar

4 cups flour

3/4 cup shortening



food, for your prayers, and everything you did for us when my dad passed away. I'll always remember your kindness.

Thanks to each one who brought

Card of Thanks

Frank, Gail and Wes Rhoades

Card of Thanks

To everyone for their cards, telephone calls, visits and food during the time of the loss of our precious granddaughter, Julia, we thank you. Earl and Margaret Crawford and Family

Card of Thanks

We want to express our thanks and appreciation to our many, many neighbors and friends for the prayers, food and flowers. Mere words cannot say what we feel in our hearts. The Family of Achsa Jaynes

Aunt Nellie Lovell, We wish you a speedy recovery since your surgery. Our prayers are with you. We love you. Get well soon.

Card of Thanks

Barbara, Dean, Evelyn, Richard, Jane, Nolan, Hollis, Sylvia, Hulan, Marilyn, Carolyn, June, Christene, H.E., Clyde, Teri, Alvin, Linda, Kim, Bill.

Card of Thanks

We want to express our heartfelt appreciation for the beautiful service rendered by Bro. Renfro, Cecil Allen and Geneva Norwood and the pallbearers and the funeral home and flowers, food, and all the true love that was so freely shown for Lowell and I and Fran an Don Tippit and the Campbell family. We will be forever grateful for your loving Lowell so much, he loved all of you. Kathren Campbell

Don and Fran Tippit and the Campbell Family

10, 1899 in Bandera, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton Stribling. She married Samuel David Shelton in 1921. He died December 17, 1963. She was a member of Martin Memorial United Methodist Church in Detroit.

Surviving are two sons, David Shelton of Detroit and Denzil Shelton of Paris; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and four greatgreat-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Dorothy Irene Broadway.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank all our friends for the gifts and cards on our anniversary. Special thanks to our pastor, Bro. Tony Corso and his wife. L.C. and Flossie Ballard

Attend the Church







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Jennifer Elaine Bryan with fiance Stephen J. Vorwerk

Bryan-Vorwerk EngagementAnnounced

Mr. & Mrs. Melvin Bryan of Hawkins, TX, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Elaine, to Stephen J. Vorwerk, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Wilbert Vorwerk of Taylor, TX. The grandparents of the bride are Mr. & Mrs. Dan Johnson of Detroit and Mrs. Bonnie Bryan and the late Murl Bryan of Blossom.

Jennifer is a graduate of Hawkins High School, Tyler Junior College and Texas A&M University. Stephen is a graduate of Taylor High School and Texas A&M Uni-

versity. The formal ceremony will be performed April 24th in Taylor.



A gold hunter, Jimmy Angel, was the discoverer of the highest uninterrupted waterfall in the world (3,312 feet) when he flew through one of the canyons in southeastern Venezuela in 1935.

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Gary Thomas received his 30-year plaque from the Department of Human Resources from Ronnie Nutt of Paris recently. Ronnie is the nephew of Faye Gandy and Bob Embrey.

Betty Crook of Mt. Pleasant, came to take Faye Gandy to the funeral of Abigail Thomas in Clarksville Funeral Home.

Carl Gene Baker brought Faye Gandy a bowl of homemade venison chili that Gertrude had made.

Dorothy Ann Petigrew of Irving and Daryl Lynn Embrey and wife and daughters came from Alaska to visit their aunt, Faye Gandy, during Christmas.

Chuck and Alice Jean Garner left February 4 for Las Vegas to visit Gene, Sandy and Adam Chase Jeracki for an early Valentine's get-together.

Wayne Williams stopped to visit Faye Gandy on his way to his ranch north of Fulbright.

Brad Nutt of Paris will celebrate his 19th birthday February 13. He is the great-nephew of Faye Gandy.

Celebrating birthdays over the January 17 weekend were Paige Attebury, who was one year old, and her grandmother, Linda Embrey. Guests attending were Stacy and Shirl, Faye Gandy, Sharon, Megan, Tyler and Paige Attebury of Bedford and the hosts, Bob and Linda Embrey.

Bill and Judy Nutt of Paris joined Faye Gandy and her daughter, Alice Jean Garne of Rowlett shopped in Mt. Pleasant and went on a sightseeing trip in Pittsburg.

Faye Gandy received word that Porter Norwood of Detroit is seriously ill in McCuistion Hospital. Faye Gandy and Alice Jean Garner

enjoyed a steak supper with Bill and Judy Nutt, along with Mackie Lewis.

Recent guests of Faye Gandy were Gary Thomas of Clarksville, Bill and Judy Nutt of Paris, Alice Jean Garner of Rowlett, Sharon, Megan, Tyler and Paige Attebury of Bedford and Shirl Embrey of Lone Star.

Faye Gandy has been ill this week and unable to be up. Amanda Ebarb of Bogata has been taking care of her.

Sybil Ridens Alexander of Powderly hasn't been feeling well. Her brother, Ricahrd Coble of Greenville, is doing a little better.

Audrey Baker is back in Deport

and the store is the star

Nursing Home after being rushed to Red River General Hospital. Karen has been visiting her.

Ruby Chandler isn't well this week. Hazel Slaton of Paris called Faye Gandy saying she received a letter from Jac Ridens Kenner of Odessa. She wanted to know about everyone in the area. She sent her aunt Elvis Presley stamps.

Worth Baker said Jimmy King brought him supper recently which he enjoyed very much.

Friends were sorry to learn of the death of Sybil Vickers of Bagwell. Sympathy is extended to her family.

Kay Osburn and Harriet Williams of Paris came to church and had lunch with Jimmie and Travis King Sunday.

Ethel Epps spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epps and Dana in Rosalie.

Travis and Jimmy King attended the monthly meeting of the OES at Masonic Hall in Deport Tuesday night.

Marcella Wright of Deport visited Betty Rodgers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry King and Jeremy from Decatur spent th weekend with Mrs. Beryl Miller. Kerry is attending Brown Trail School of Preaching in Ft. Worth. Dinner guests of Marie Legate

Saturday were Beryl Miller, Carla, kerry and Jeremy King, Corey Miller, Brandon Miller and Randa Burns.

Betty Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Arriaga had lunch in Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis King, Ethel Epps and Beryl Miller attended the funeral of Lowell Campbell Monday in Deport. Sympathy is extended to his wife, Kathren, and family members.

Marie Legate attended the funeral of her cousin in Nashville, AR last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Quarles and Ethel Epps visited Mrs. C.M. Conlan Friday.

Karen Baker of Dallas visited he parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker this weekend.

Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga had supper Sunday nigh with Bety Rodg-

The regular monthly community meeting was held Monday in the home of Mrs. Katy VanDeaver.

Mouse chickers and vegetables are const.



The most massive single edition of a newspaper was the Sunday, Oct. 17, 1965, New York *Times*. It had 15 sections, a total of 946 pages and weighed 7.1/2 pounds.

CAROL HAMMOND Attorney-at-law announces the relocation of her office to 610 CLARKSVILLE, SUITE A

(The McDonald building next to First Federal)

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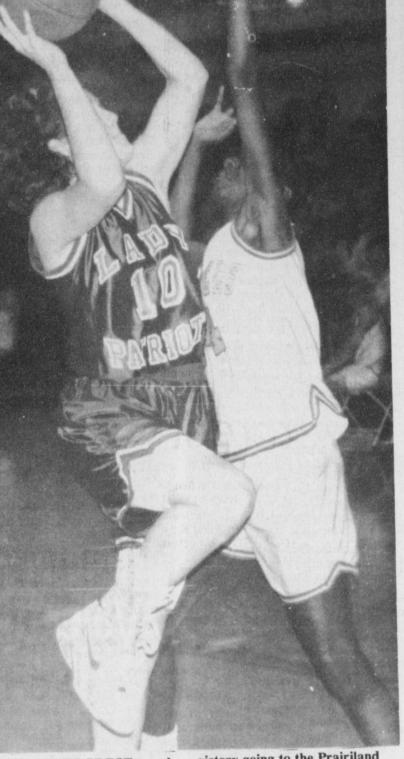
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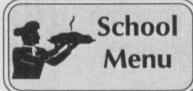


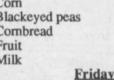
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in to be with her dad, Elmer Sparks,

and Mrs. Keith Parsons were Mark, Tonya and Haley Parsons of Rowlett,

parents, Keith and Peggy Parsons on

Crossland, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crossland and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Crossland, Annette and T.K., and Mr. and Mrs. Kent Wright and Brandon.

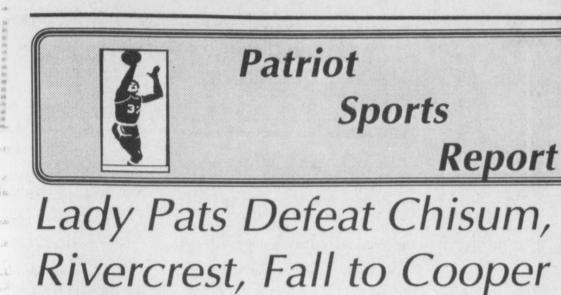
Crossland went to Catfish King for

ware called her sister, Louise Crossland on Monday to wish her happy

Bonham on Sunday to visit family



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hold on.

The Prairiland Lady Patriots upped their record with a win over the Lady Mustangs, 51-30.

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Leading scorer was Davonna Brumley 11, followed by Melissa Miller 10, Mandy Babb 9, Jan Scudder 8, Katie Mowery 5, Crytal Ericcsson 4, Georjeanna Oats 2 and Trinity Bowden 2.

The Lady Patriots fell to Cooper 69-51, falling to 2-5 in district. At one time, the Lady Pats were

close as three points, but couldn't

Mandy Babb was high scorer with

teamwork against Rivercrest last

Friday, winning 61-41. Leading scoring was Jan Scudder

with 16, Mandy Babb 13, Trinity Bowden and Davonna Brumely 10 each, Melissa Miloler 8, Katie Mowery 2 and Georjeana Oats 1.

16, Davonna Brumley scored 13 and Leading rebounding was Babb with 15, followed by Brumley with 7. The Lady Patriots did a great job of

ady Pats Handle Rivercrest

After the first quarter buzzer land as they easily outscored River- score of 61-41. sounded, the Lady Patriots found themselves down by two, but that would change soon when they took on the Rivercrest Lady Rebels last week.

As the second quarter rolled

By James Taylor

down 28-10 when the Patriots met

Rivercrest last week. Swede Ladd

had three poins and Brandon Johnson

had two.

The first quarter found Prairiland four points.

crest 16-5 to make the halftime score 28-19.

Rivercrest Routs Patriots

Jan Scudder scored 12.

The third quarter was even for both teams as Jan Scudder, Melissa Miller and Mandy Babb all had four.

Prairiland, during the fourth quararound, there was no stopping Prairi- ter, found their lead expand to a final

Rivercrest came out after halftime

Finally, Prairiland put together a

to make the score 70-35. Ladd led

with five and Withers had four.

Leading all scorers was Jan Scudder with 17. Mandy Babb had 13 and Trinity Bowden had 12. Davonna Brumley and Miller had 8 and Katy

Mowery and Georjeana Oats pitched

Leading all scorers was Ladd with

15 and Withers close behind with 14.

Johnson and David Singleton both

had six and James Standeford and

Jimmy Little both had four each.

Brock Blasingame pitched in five to

In the first game of last week the

Prairiland JV boys defeated Cooper

help the cause.

in two and one respectively.

OFF-a Prairiland Patriot gets off a shot against the Rivercrest **Rebels as the Junior Varsity**

teams tangled last week. Prairiland tok a win over the River-

crest team. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



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their record to 14-5 for theseason and Whitley and a mid-court takedown of remain undefeatd in district at 6-0.



The Rebel JV boys had a poor ots. The Rebels slowly lost ground game against Prairiland on February 5 at Rivercrest.

It seemed that post Jeremy Weatherall was the only Rebel ready for play. although the Rebs struggled, the halftime score was 26-20, Patri-

and the contest. Final score was 63-35. Patriots

Jeremy Weatherall was high scorer for the Rebels, followed by Jay Hancock.

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At halftime, even further down by mini-rally, but it was too little, too

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55-42. The Patriot boys played perhaps their worst game of the year as they turned over the ball numerous times to the opposition. It did have some entertainment value as the fans saw blocked shots by Pasquill and an opposing player by Paul Jackson. The Patriots were tied at the end of

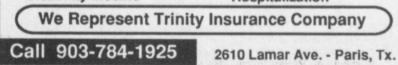
one at 10 points each. The quarter was led by Gearl Keys' 2 treys in the period.

The second quarter saw the Patriots take a 26-15 halftime lead as John Pasquill scored six in the period while

Jason Whitley had 23 points for the Patriots, while Manuel Topia had

Ausmus and Ramiro Peralta. The Patriots played their best overall game of the year as they ran Page 5





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Ramiro Peralta scored four.

The third quarter saw the Patrios turn the ball over several times but still score 12 points with Whitley and Pasquill each scoring 4.

Jackson scored six points in teh fourth as the Patriot stook the final victory. Jon Pasquill led scoring with 14, Paul Jckson had 10, Gearl Keys 9, Jason Whitley 7, Manuel Topia and Ramiro Peralta 6 while Brian Ausmus had three.

In the second game, the Patriots traveled to Rivercrest. Prairiland had defeated the Rebels earlier at home and figured to be in for a tough game.

Coach Ronnie Baker made a few defensive play changes and shut down the Rivercrest squad. Using the full court pressure and double teaming Rivercrest's big gun, the Prairiland squad completely confused the Rebels

The Patriots took a 10-6 lead at the end of one with Pasquill and Whitley each scoring four.

The second quarter saw Keys get hot and score 8 while Whitley added four to help the Patriots take a 26-20 halftime lead.

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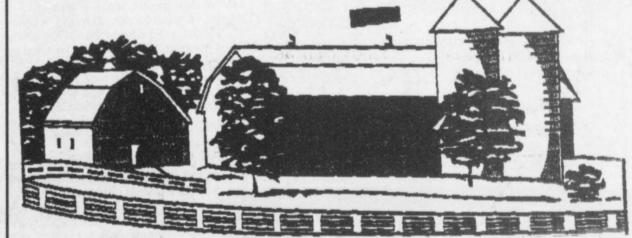
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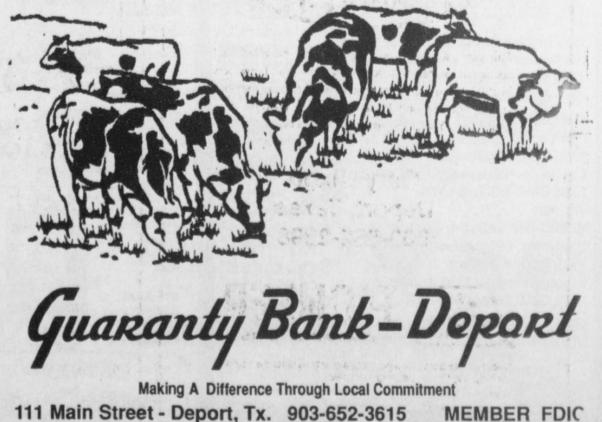
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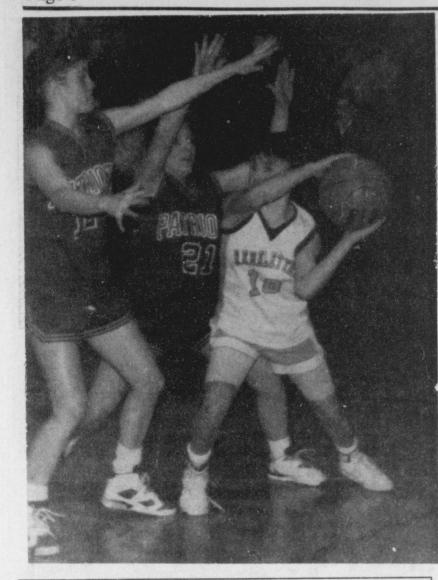
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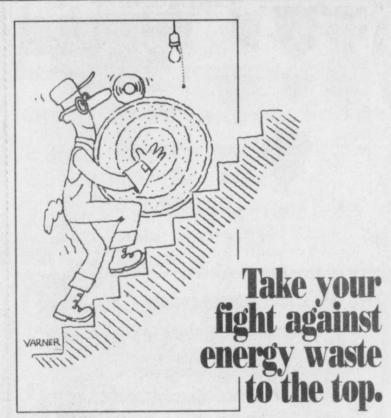
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4 THE RIVERCREST Junior Varsity Girls and the Prairiland Junior Varsity Girls played an intense game with the Lady Patriots taking a win. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

PERCUSSION-Members of the percussion ensemble, will be featured in the Prairiland Band/ Choir Concert at the high school on February 23. They are, left to right: Marilyn Adams, Shaun Kilmer, Kaleb Craig, Josh Uhl and Tony Mullens. (Staff Photo by Mrs. Tyson)



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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Bankhead and Chance spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson of Paris.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ingram on the birth of their son last week.

A Valentine banquet was held at Life Tabernacle Church Saturday with 89 attending, catered by Grandy's. The Prairiland Ag Talent Team furnished entertainment.

Chad Barne sof Deport, pastor of the Baptist Church, will be ordained Sunday at 2 p.m. at the church. Rev. G.C. Renfro will be in charge of the service.

Friends were sorry to learn of the death of Eugene Hume of Hagansport on Thursday. He was the uncle of Milow Hume. Burial was in Haganposrt Saturday. Sympathy is extended to her family.

Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris Saturdsay. While there she visited their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Taylor, Charles and Grant and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ford Taylor and Whitney of College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powershad lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fagan of Paris Saturday.

Lorette Pynes spent last week with Dorothy Dean Ogden of Longview.

Rev. and Mrs. G.C. Renfro of Deport were visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Brittany Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Baker, is a patient in Plano Presbyterian Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith of Bogata and Jenita Baker were in Houston Monday through Wednesday to be with Mona Childress who was in M.D. Anderson Hospital for tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skidmore of Clardy visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Thursday. Dean Black and Robert Black of

Paris spent Sunday with Delsa Wilson.

Deann Malone of Vasco spent the weekendwith Mrs. Delphia Malone. Annea Sugg of Blossom spent the weekend with her father,, Steven Sugg and her grandmother, Katherine Sugg.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Norman

Nelta Musgrove, Geneva Norwood, Linda Musgrove, Stoney and Charity spent Saturday with Zarinska Musgrove in Lewisville.

Rev. Chad Barnes of Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood and Bernice Wyatt Friday.

Lucy Fowler and Carol Dorsey and Jennifer visited Mr. and Mrs. Delano Dunlap and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fowler and family of Mesquite Saturday.

Riley and Mable Lynn and Ruth Chipman visited Mr. and Mrs. Joel Chipman at their new home in Novice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Wright of Mansfield, LA spent the weekend with Elvis Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Silas Taylor.

Pat Norwood and Mendy Gole and Laci espent Saturday in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain visited

Mr. and Mrs. George Green of Mt.

Pleasant Wednesday and Carl Guthrie in the Physicians Nursing Home and Ollie Ruth Guthrie. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Oats,

Brandon and Georjeana, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Norwood, Logan and Laton and Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood, Amber and Spur had Sunday supper with Geneva Norwood. Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson and Janee of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palme rand family of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Drinnon and family had lunch with Jane O'Neal Sun-



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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Denison of Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson, Jarvis and Bruce, Deana Gibson and Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Watson, Brit and Bradley, Melody Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pressley, Deann and Donna spent Friday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor of Edmond, OK.

Deport School February 15-19 Monday Holiday Tuesday **Breakfast:** Biscuits, scrambled eggs Juice, milk Lunch: Ham and cheese on bun Com Baked beans Dessert Milk Wednesday **Breakfast:** Cereal, trail mix Juice, milk Lunch: Chicken nuggets Creamed potatoes English peas Hot rolls, butter, syrup Milk Thursday **Breakfast:** Buttered biscuits, sausage Juice, milk Lunch: Pizza French fries Pickles Dessert Milk Friday **Breakfast:** Buttered toast, oatmeal Juice, milk Lunch: Taco salad Cheese Chips Ranch style beans Dessert

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Jo Gordon of Ft. Worth spent Saturday through Wednesday with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Tracy and Ruth Norwood, Briton and Jennifer, Mendy Cole and Lacie and Rodney Norwod had Sunday lunch with James and Pat Norwood.

Mary Helen Whiteney and her sister. Billie Pirtle had lunch Friday in Paris for lunch to celebrate Billie's birthday.

Monday Mary Helen and Billie went shoping in Mt. Pleasant.

Mary Helen Whitney visited with Peggy and Stacy Whitley and Jayci in Paris.

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Kyle and Kelly Martin of Paris ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin and Sondra on Sunday.

Hollie and Carry Scott of Blossom visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin over the weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Clements have been sick with colds.

Myrtle Stone has been ill with a cold

Kenneth and Onita Short of Paris, Rex and Barbara Allen of Blossom, Bobby Pomroy were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hershall Stone last week.

Andy Ray Clement of Longview made a business trip to Washington, LD.C. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Clement visited Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone last Tues-

day. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davidson last week were L.C. Stout, Doris Mattison, Edith Woodall, Doris Ballard, Ray Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Cleemnt visited Mr. and Mrs. Rant Stone Tuesday. Bobby Harrell of Jennings has been

in a Paris hospital.

Evelyn Pearson of Rock Ford vis-ited Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Ballard Satur-

ay. Kay Hancock visited Mr. and Mrs. James Day Saturday.

Norris Ballard and the Ag Boys of Paris High went to the Ft. Worth Horse Juding contest. Those students attending wer Cody Little, Jason Anderson, Jeff Frey, Damon Wells. They went on Saturday

Mendy Lassiter of College Station visited her parents in Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lassiter over the weekend.

Amy Beth Ballard of College Station visited her parents over the weekend.

Barry Woodall and family of Patoanville went to Bonham Saturday. Jack Baker and daughter Ann of Denison visited Era Rader and Mamie

McMellon last week Mr. and Mrs. Larry Woodall of

Clardy visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barham Sunday night. Edith Woodall stayed with Chris

Pickens in Paris Monday, Chris has been ill.



BILLY RAY OATS has served on the Prairiland C.I.S.D. School Board for eight years. He is employed at Watson Electric in Paris and his wife, Neva Gene, teaches music in the TalcoBogata I.S.D. They have two children, Brandon and Georjeana. February is "Recognize Your School Board" month and members of the Prairiland School Board are being recognized.

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Authority News

By Mary Westbrook 652-3605



CHET DOWNS is a member of the Prairiland C.I.S.D. School Board. He received an associate degree in electronics from PJC and a bachelor's degree in industrial technology from ETSU. He and his wife, Debbie, have one son, Matthew. Chet has worked at Kimberly-Clark Corp. as an engineering technician for ten years. Chet is one of the Prairiland School Board members being recognized during "Recognize Your School Board" month.

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Birth Announcement

Jay and Marsha Moore Ingram of Cunningham are the proud parents of Colton Bryce Ingram born Wedneslay, February 3 at McCuistion Hospital in Paris. He weighed 8 lbs. 1/2 oz. Grandparents are Talma and Susie Norwood of Cunningham, Ray Ingram of Houston, Bobby Moore of Gilmer and Barbara Moore of Paris. Great-grandparents are Bill Jack and Ruth Ingram of Whitney, Burl Moore of Bogata, Annie Moore of Tyler, Marshall and Jo Harvey of Naples, Melvin and Dot Stephens of Detroit and Almer and Alma Norwood of Cunningham.

visited Mary Westbrook Monday.

Mrs. Brenda Daughtery of Leonard visited her mother, Mrs. Thelma Shelby over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCann of Paris visited Mildred Wright Saturday, also Stacy Huddleston, Matthew and Donny Wright visited in the Wright home Sunday night.

The Wednesday luncheon was held in the gazebo with a nice crowd attending. Those were served sev eral kinds of casseroles, cornbread, green salad and jello and several kinds of homemade cookies for dessert. Those attending were Linnie Bailey, Alice Bumgarner, Willie Mae Spears, Francis Franklin, Lucille Morgan, Venice Bryson, Eunice Ervin, Artie Westbrook, Thelma Shelby, Dorthea McDowra, Carrie Bennett, Mavis

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Mrs. Elmer Sparks spent several days in St. Joseph Hospital last week.

Mrs. Mauna Kidd has been confined to her home by illness for several days.

Alpha and Dan Barnard visited James Elder Barnard, who has returned home from the Veterans Hospital in allas. He's at home in Cooper and doing fine.

Reba Temple, Jessie Marie Woo dard, Francis Franklin and Mary Westbrook attended the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Ballard Sunday, January 28 in the Abundant Life Church in Minter.

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Thomas Westbrook and his wife

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Joe Ballard and family were in Paris for their granddaughter's birthday party.

Jack Ballard and family were in Ft. Worth this weekend. Their daughter, Marlena, was in a program doing acrobatics.

Curtis Upchurch and his wife of Amarillo have been in Ft. Worth for two weeks attending her sister-inlaw, Dorothy Moore, who is in the hospital.

Iva Kilgore of Cedar Hill and Dean Prock of DeSota and Jewel Rowe of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Franks of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gray Sunday.

Prentice and Jo Crawford and grandson Christopher of Ft. Worth visited Raymond and Edith Crawford.

Jessie and Carla Filkins, Brittany and Courtney were in Dallas the latter part of the week and spent Thurday night with their aunt and uncle, Johnny Mac and Bobbie Henderson.

Timothy and Tina Skidmore and boys Ryan and Aaron of Paris, Ate lunch with his parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Rab Skidmore.

Kathy Guess and Lee Bice visited Judy Whittle, Penny and Susan Saturday afternoon.

Rab and Margie Skidmore visited her dad, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers of Minter, ISunday afternoon. Brittany Filkins of Pattonville spent

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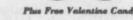
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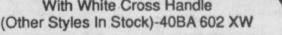
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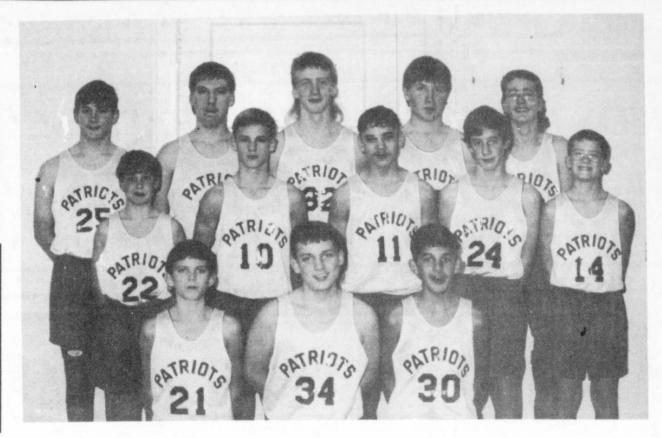




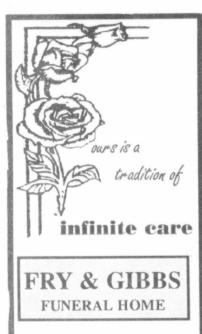


DEPORT JUNIOR High boys basketball team this year consist of. Left to right, back row: David Ford, Drew Owen, Jeremy Day, Brandon Maroney, Justin Taylor. Middle Row, Roy Arrasmith, Cliff Adams, Cary Langston, Jackie Davidson, Matt Wright; Front Row, Ben Miller, Bryan Gifford and Mike Yaross. (Staff Photo by Larry Salter)

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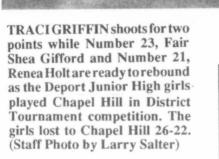


DEPORT JUNIOR High Girls Basketball teams this year consist of: left to right, back row:

Katha Crawford, Traci Griffin, Fair Shea Gifford, Chasitie Moody, Misty Adams, Kristina Patterson. Front row: Lee Bland, Renea Holt, Christal Gilbert, Kim Gibson, Kristin Lawrence.(Staff photo by Larry Salter)



Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Harvey attended a birthday dinner Saturday for Buddy Malone of Deport and De-Kay Parks and Tim of Faught spent boria Malone of Mt. Pleasant at the



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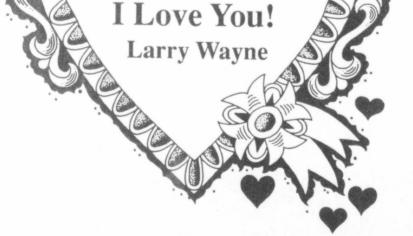
with Corene Taylor on kFebruary 9. Dorothy Holt and Alma Scaff tied for high score.

Reba Temple was a visitor to the meeting. The next meeting is with

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Gary Allen of Tyler.

Viola Upchurch spent Sunday and Monday with her sister and husband, Rachel and Freeman Lambert of Ector and Tuesday with her brothe rand his wife, Bill and Thelma Fendley of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Malone and Micah went to the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch spent the weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill and Andrew of Camden, AR.

Malone home in Deport. H.R. Upchurch is in McCuistion

Hospital with pneumonia and is reported doing better. The family of Mr. and Mrs. George

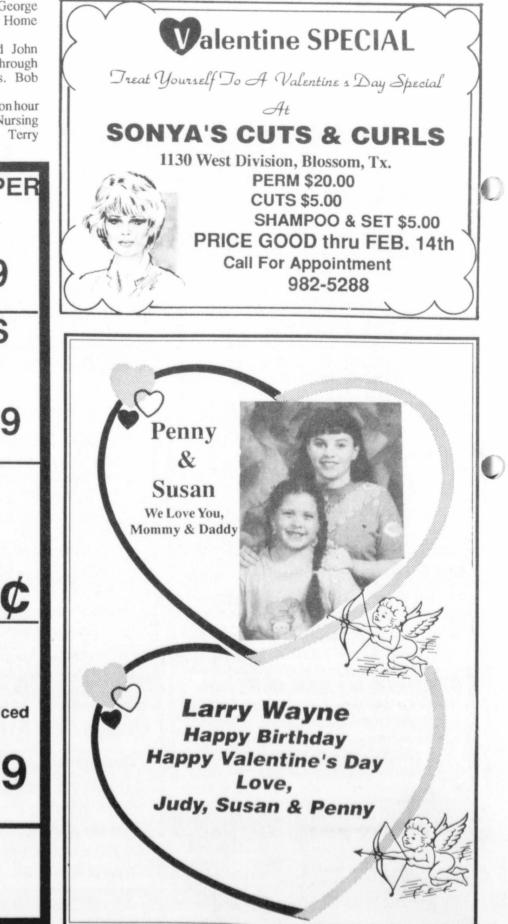
Wolf had dinner at the Wolf Home here Sunday. Ronnie Pettit of Irving and John Pettit of DeSoto spent Friday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Marshall. Dorothy Holt spends the noon hour during the week at Deport Nursing

Home helping her father, Terry Johnson, with his meal.

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ary Westbrook on February 16. Refreshments were served.





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