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If you ever go crazy,
where will you go?

Have you ever considered that question....where will you go if you go crazy? I mean it literally. Being already mostly on the crazy side, it hit me as I passed a treatment center recently that such places all have bucolic, pastoral names, usually connected with trees!

Think about it. Every private mental hospital, or treatment for alcoholism or drug addiction, is named with some name like "Willow Bend", "Twelve Pines Center For Recuperative Therapy" or "Oak Grove By the Creek"

I'm serious....think about it! Have you ever passed a center for such a serious problem that didn't sound like a health spa for the rich and famous?

"Meadow Brook Of The Forest", "Woodhaven", Wild Gose Ridge, (yes, these are semi-made-up-names) the list just goes on and on.

Here are these poor people, seriously ill with mental problems or addiction problems, and they get confined to some place that sounds like they will get herbal mud packs and personal massages three times a day.

In reality, I understand that the regime is pretty tough there....although one does get to partake in exercise regimes and healthy walks in groups, it isn't like going to a "Fat Farm" where gourmet low calorie meals and personalized beauty profiles pamper every guest. But, I repeat, the names sound alike!

Why is this? Is it that as urban as society has become we still retain a deep seated knowledge that the earth, trees, water and nature are soothing and healing? I hope so.

It's more likely though, that we live in a society that tries to hide its grimmer realities behind euphemisms and platitudes.

Hey, how bad can withdrawal convulsions be in a place called "Thirty-Seven Live Oaks". Pretty bad, no matter what the name!

I'm prone to call it as I see it, without resorting to coy phrases and cover ups. But I guess if they ever come to get me I would rather go to a place called "Two Hackberries" than somewhere called "Center For Total Reorganization Of Mental Processes". Maybe there is a good reason for naming institutions after nature! Sounds better, no matter what the reality!

Deport Kiwanis holding breakfast meeting

The Deport Kiwanis Club will change their meeting to Saturday, March 6 at 7:30 a.m. for breakfast at the Deport School Cafeteria/ Ca; <ole Screws at 652-2820 for further information.

Prairiland High School sponsoring Blood Drive

Prairiland High School and Stewart Regional Blood Center will host a blood drive on Friday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The blood drive will be open to the public. Potential blood donors must be at least 17 years old. Photo identification is required to donate blood.

For more information, contact Stewart at 903 535-5400.

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PAT Banquet clears \$15,589

The Prairiland Academic Foundation cleared \$15,589 after expenses at the second annual PAT Foundation banquet February 18.

Ticket sales were \$11,050 and the silent auction brought in \$6,287.50.

Donations in the amount of \$2,291.00 were given and ads in the program was \$110.00.

There were one hundred and thirty auction items.

Expenses of \$4,149.50 were incurred for such things as the food, decorations, chairs and tables.

Jan McKinney and daughter Jamie McKinney provided the dinner music with Frankie Norwood and Dr. Wally Kraft acted as Masters of Ceremonies.

The Prairiland Band performed with the following members included: Alto sax-David Keen, Minda Corso and Holly Jones. Tenor sax-Aaron Murdock, Tera Burnett, Tera Winters, Megan Filkins and Mallory

Woodall. Trumpet-Brandon Bettis, Tom Bramlett, Justin Barnett, Scotty Nichols and Shaun Avance. Trombone-Nik Clarkson, Seth Walker and Matt Morgan. Drumset-Cy Guthrie and Devin Peek. Piano-Lance Westbrook. Bass-Phillip Elder. Guitar-Matt Patterson. The band is under the direction of Joseph Watson.

The Prairiland 1999 area winners of the FFA Talent Team performed several songs. They are Stoney Musgrove and Amber Norwood.

Following them was the 1985 State Champion FFA Talent Team. Team members were Tony Duncan, Darren Mowry, Allen Huddleston, Lela Kelly, Jarvis Watson, Stacey Whitley and Aubrey Allen.

The red, white and blue centerpieces with balloons, were given away at the end of the banquet.

The PAT Foundation members are already working on plans for the year 2000 fund-raiser.



JAMES NORWOOD, auctioneer for the Deport Baseball Association, delivers a pie to high bidder Dan Barnard, at Saturday nights hamburger supper and auction. Proceeds went to support the Baseball Association. (Staff Photo By Mike Francies)

Supper and auction set to benefit fire department

Mark your calendars for March 13, for the Deport Volunteer Fire Departments big stew supper and auction.

This year there is a change of location, and the event will be held at the Deport School Cafeteria. The meal will begin at 5:00 p.m. with the auction to begin at 6:00 p.m. Serving of food will continue during the auction.

The meal will cost \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. It will include beef or chicken stew, cornbread and crackers, and tea or coffee plus des-

sert. Sales of tickets on a Remington .22 rifle will begin that night. A \$1 donation could result in winning the rifle. The date for giving it away has not yet been determined.

After the meal there will be a wide variety of items to bid for at the auction.

All proceeds will benefit the Deport Volunteer Fire Department.

The meal is being sponsored by the Bucket Brigade auxiliary to the fire department and the fire department is in charge of the auction.



DETROIT'S EARLY THIRTIES BASEBALL TEAM: Left to right, back row: Marshall Whitener, B.G. Bailey, Jack Ellison, J.L. (Tubby) Lawson, Charles Ted Lawson, Woodrow Pendergrass, Francis Freeman, Woodrow Wilson. Front row: Thomas Lawson, J.D. Icenhower, Joe Norwood, Jessie Guest, Binford Guest and Jack Sharpe. The photo was lent to the *Detroit Weekly* courtesy of Johnnie Cates of Sanderson, TX, daughter of J.L. Lawson.



MARILYN GLOVER, member of the Deport Volunteer Fire Department, accepts a check for \$1,000. from Juanita Sparks, member of The Bucket Brigade. This money will be used to purchase a power generator for the new fire truck. (Staff Photo by Mike Francies)

Project Graduation to hold carnival

Prairiland Project Graduation will be sponsoring a Spring Carnival and Spaghetti Supper on Saturday, March 20.

The carnival festivities will begin at 4:00 p.m. with the supper to start serving at 4:30. The event will be held on the Prairiland campus with the supper in the cafeteria. The all-

you-can-eat spaghetti supper will be \$4.50 for adults and \$3.00 for children under 12. The menu will include Italian or Chicken Spaghetti, garlic bread, salad and ice tea. A concession stand will be on sight.

A talent show will begin at 7:00 p.m. with area students performing in the gym.



DR. L.C. STOUT, Superintendent of Prairiland I.S.D., center, accepted the Silver Award from the Texas Educational Insurance Association for an outstanding safety record for the 1997-98 school year. Prairiland ISD was recognized for their efforts in preventing work related accidents and injuries. Since becoming a member of the Association in September, 1993, the district has saved \$243,804. Prairiland's individual savings for the 1997-98 school year were \$52,933.

Comment cards available to express opinion as to where 4-lane should run

Remember, comment cards on which you can express your opinion as to where the proposed four lane of Hwy. 271 between Paris and Mt. Pleasant are available from TxDOT (call 784-1357 in Lamar and Red River County, and 572-8511 in Titus), or may be picked up at the Deport

Times office in Deport or the Bogata News office in Bogata. These cards become a matter of permanent record.

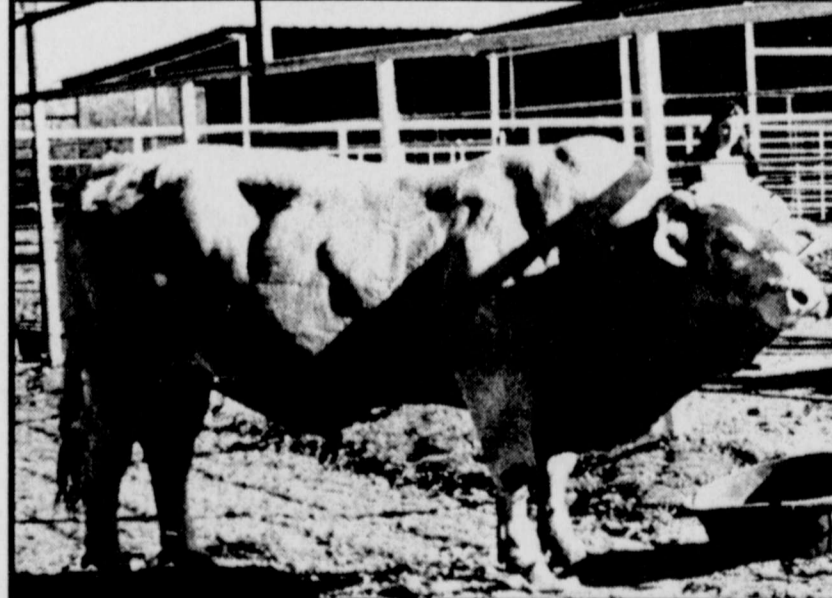
State your opinion as to whether the four lane should follow its present route entirely, or loop to the south or north of Bogata, Deport and Talco. Time is short, though, get your card in the mail soon.

Interviews still being conducted for Deport Clinic

Jim May of Primary Care Associates reported to Nanalee Nichols last week that interviews are being still being conducted for a nurse practitioner, or physicians assistant for the Deport Clinic.

Bucket Brigade to meet tonight

There will be a meeting of the Deport VFD auxiliary "Bucket Brigade" on Thursday, March 4 at 7:00 p.m. at the Deport Times Office on Main Street. Plans will be finalized for the March 13 stew supper and auction.



Bodacious to be inducted into Hall of Fame

Sammy Andrews of Addielou, TX was notified on Tuesday, February 23 that #J31, Dodge Bodacious, will be inducted into the Cowboy Hall of Fame in August of this year. "Bo" who was retired from PRCA competition in 1995 after

earning back-to-back PRCA Bucking Bull of the Year honors. He has since become the most famous bull in the history of professional rodeo. Andrews and his wife, Carolyn, will attend the induction ceremonies in Colorado Springs, CO.

People 'n Things

A women's exercise group has been formed and is meeting at the First United Methodist Church in Deport in the fellowship hall. Aerobic exercise videos are used for the workouts. Women are encouraged to join the free program, please consult your physician about your own training needs as no trainer or physician is in attendance. Meeting times are: M-W-F, 8 a.m. until : Tu, 7:30 p.m.; Th, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 6, 1999
The 1st annual Blossom Kiwanis Chili Cook-off and Auction will be held. Registration begins at 1:00 p.m. with judging between 4:00- 5:00 p.m. A Silent Auction will be held from 1:00-7:00 p.m. at the Civic Center with. The Kiwanis will begin serving chili at 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 20, 1999
Prairiland Project Graduation will be sponsoring a Spring Carnival on the Prairiland Campus beginning at 4:00 p.m. with a variety of games. Serving of the all-you-can-eat Spaghetti Supper will begin at 4:30. A talent show featuring area students will begin at 7:00 in the gym. Everyone is invited come out and support this group!

Saturday, March 27, 1999
The Prairiland Ag Department will sponsor their annual Livestock Show, Pig Wrestling, Stew Supper and Auction. The show will begin at 9:00 a.m. with Pig Wrestling around 4:00 p.m. The Stew supper will begin shortly afterwards followed by the auction.

March 29-April 2, 1999
Prairiland ISD will observe Spring Break during this week. Classes will resume on April 5, 1999.



Country Cooking

By Liz Irwin

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This week's recipe comes to us from the Kraft Creative Kitchens. It is the nation's largest consumer packaged food company. They are the makers of the wonderful product... Velveeta Cheese. This great little boxed item is handy for every home-maker or chef, because it can be added to a dish for a quick and simple meal. Kids love macaroni and cheese... well, here are some variations! Preparation time is around ten minutes with the actual cooking time at around fifteen minutes.

Unlike some of the other brands of processed cheese product, Velveeta melts smooth and creamy with no lumps. It comes in 8 ounces, 16 ounces and 32 ounces, and also comes in regular, light and Mexican-mild or hot! It can also be found nation-wide in all of your area stores.

Velveeta's most popular recipes include: grilled cheese, macaroni and cheese and dips. It is quick and easy and melts in the microwave in 2-3 minutes. It is made from a blend of colby, swiss, cheddar and other wholesome products.

The recipes that we have for you in this week's column include six or fewer ingredients, take thirty minutes or less to prepare and the best part is that they are made in one pan. These recipes also will be popular with the entire family.

Cheesy Chicken and Broccoli Macaroni uses diced chicken and frozen broccoli to make a delicious meal in a minute.

Salsa Mac combines ground beef and macaroni noodles with salsa to give that extra flavor!

Tuna Mac is another twist to a favorite recipe. Just add a can of tuna for a different flavor.

Cheesburger Mac - this recipe will be a winner with the kids around your house.

Cheesy Beef Stroganoff - If you don't have or take time to do Beef Stroganoff, try this recipe, fast and simple.

South of the Border Macaroni and Cheese - just add picante sauce to your macaroni and cheese dish and this will soon become a family favorite!

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
652-6051

Visiting Jimmie King on Wednesday was Mrs. Kyle King of Reno. Sunday afternoon she and her husband, Kyle, rode their motorcycles out to visit her.

Dick King of Paris visited his mother, Jimmie King and went to Mt. Pleasant and had lunch.

The Prairiland Girls Softball team had a great weekend. The JV won first place in the JV tournament and the varsity girls won third. Lacy Beaty plans on the JV and Candice Yaross plays on the varsity team.

Monte Rodgers and Melissa Arriaga visited their mother, Betty Rodgers, Sunday.




Bogata V.F.W.

Post #187 News

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

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

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

Support Group to meet March 8

Learning how others handled their child's belongings, pictures, toys, clothing, books, etc. will be the topic at the March 8 meeting of the Bereaved Parent Support Group.

The meeting will be held Monday, March 8 at 7 p.m. in the TU Electric Building in Paris.

For information, call 982-6176 or 785-7781.

Fulbright Club meets

The Fulbright Community Club met March 1 in the home of Betty Rodgers. Members again worked on the books for the Community Improvement Program.

An article was read from the Spectrum, a newspaper from Utah on the Betty Club. This is a club for people named Betty, Betsy, etc. The most well known being Betty Boop. It was an interesting article and sounded like a fun event to attend.

A program was given by Katy VanDeaver entitled "Guidelines for Heart Healthy Living". It was a very informative program on learning how to better take care of your heart and arteries through moderate exercise.

Officers were elected for the next term, they are: president, Katy VanDeaver; vice-president, Betty Rodgers; secretary/treasurer, Lisa Beaty.

The next meeting will be the first Monday in April at 7 p.m. Everyone in the community is invited and urged to attend.

Obituaries

Dorothy Nadine Cole Wilson dies at age 80

Dorothy Nadine Cole Wilson, age 80, of Paris, a former resident of Blossom, died Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1999 at Christus ST. Joseph's hospital.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Friday, Feb. 19, in Fry & Gibbs Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Tim Young and Rev. Larry Young officiating. Burial was made in the Knights of Honor Cemetery, Blossom.

Mrs. Wilson was born Aug. 9, 1918, in Blossom to Boucher and Florence White Cole. She was retired beauty operator and was a member of Blossom Church of the Nazarene. She married Travis W. Wilson who preceded her in death in 1979. She was preceded in death by a grandson, Michael Wade Haley; a great grandson, Michael Sean Boyd, four brothers; Vernon Whitson, Herman Whitson, Donald Cole, Drury Cole and sister, Louella Bailey.

Survivors include four children: Emily Townsend of Dallas, Pat Haley of Paris, Sue Bradford and Bubba Wilson, both of Blossom. Twelve grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren.

Bearers were James Boyd, Bill McFadden, Mark Stribling, Brad Townsend, Chad Wilson and David Young.

Bo Harville dies at age 55

Bo Harville, age 55 of Bogata, died at his home, Thursday, February 25, 1999. Funeral Services were held on Saturday, February 27 at 2:00 p.m. under the Pavilion of the Cuthand Cemetery. Wood Funeral Homes was in charge of the arrangements.

He was born on December 29, 1943, in Yazoo City, Mississippi, the son of Vernon and Wootie Roden Harville. He married the former Neva Dell Bond on April 6, 1991. He was retired from Texas-New Mexico Power Company after 33 years of service.

He is survived by his wife, Neva Harville of Bogata; his mother, Wootie Harville of Bogata; his sons and daughters-in-law, Brian and Robin Harville of Bogata and Jeff and Kelley Harville of Jothtown; two step-daughters, Marty Woodall of Bogata and RaNell Isaacs of Irving; two brothers, Morris Harville of Longview and Larry Harville of Lewisville; 5 grandchildren, Kyland and Jesse Harville, Jacob and Kristen Harville and Alli Isaacs.



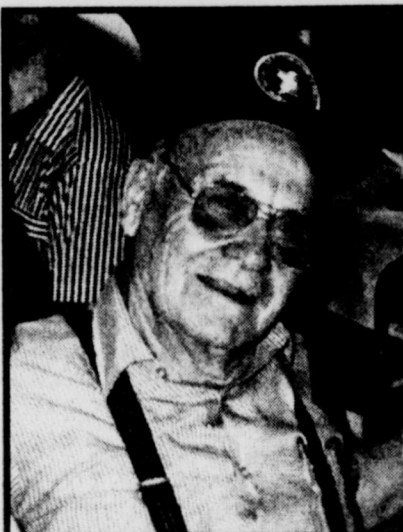
Stella Davidson dies February 22

Stella Davidson, age 91 of Lubbock, died Monday, February 22 at her home.

Services were held in the W.W. Rix Chapel with Rev. Mitch Wilson officiating. Burial followed in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

She was born June 29, 1907 in Blossom. She married W.G. Davidson in Hugo, OK on December 18, 1929. He died April 8, 1985.

Surviving are a daughter, Betty Eikenberry of Lubbock; one son, Don Davidson of Lubbock; two brothers, Bill Walker of Shallowater and Harold Walker of Amarillo; two sisters, Nannie Smith of Deport and Alene Claypool of Amarillo; 10 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.



John Leonard Edwards dies February 24

John Leonard Edwards, age 80, died Wednesday, February 24 in Clarksville.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 6 at the First Baptist Church in Detroit under the direction of Restland Funeral Home of Dallas.

He was born June 20, 1918 in Detroit to Ed and Nancy Edwards. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lucy Rebecca Bullard Edwards.

Surviving are brothers, Billy Edwards and Ned Edwards; sisters, Frances Nero, Mary Lou Bedell and Betty Beall; a sister-in-law, Joan Edwards; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Geraldine Rhea dies at age 80

Geraldine Rhea of Rt. 1, Annona, Texas, died Tuesday, February 23, 1999.

Funeral Services were held Friday, February 26, at 2:00 p.m. in the Lindeman Chapel at Clarksville Funeral Home, with James Rennaker officiating. Burial was in Gilliam Cemetery.

She was born July 29, 1918 in Red River County, daughter of Rufus and Ethel Peek Peek.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Howard Rhea on April 23, 1993.

Survivors include sons Rhea of Mt. Vernon; Henry Rhea of Boxelder, H.B. Rhea of Avery and Edwin Rhea of Bogata; daughter Jerri Rhea of Boxelder and sister Jonnie Belle Stidham of Boxelder and brother R.H. Peek, Jr. of Boxelder, seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were J.L. O'Neal, Bobby Stevens, Kenny Bivins, Mark Nicks, Frank peek, Benny Rust and Tom Peek.

Billy R. Puckett dies at age 71

Billy R. Puckett of Denton, Texas died at his residence Sunday morning February 28, 1999.

He was born to Lee Roy and Sarah Ann Pettit pucket in Bogata, Texas, October 25, 1927.

He married Betty Joy York in Dallas, Texas, November 11, 1950. He attended Bogata Schools, and served in the U.S. Air Force in World II with the 4th Air Supply Squadron in Japan.

He was member of the First Baptist Church of Denton, a Lifetime member of D.A.V., V.F.W. Post #2205 Denton, and the Masonic Lodge in Midland, Texas.

He was retired car salesman.

Funeral services were held in the Cindy Nichols Chapel of the First Baptist Church of Denton, Tuesday March 2, 1999 at 10 a.m. with Dr. Jeff Williams and Rev. Cliff Feeler officiating. Burial was at 4:00 p.m. in the Bogata Cemetery, Bogata, Texas.

Memorials may be made to the Ann's Haven Hospice at 216 W. Mulberry St., Denton, Tx. 76201.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Joy Puckett of Denton, a daughter, Karla Prince of Sanger, Texas; Three sons, Ken Puckett of Farmers Branch, Texas, Mark Puckett of Corinth, Texas, Kyle Puckett of Lewisville, Texas. Two sisters, Leona Weddle of Winnsboro, Texas, Bobbie Elliott of Crosby, Texas and eight Grandchildren.

Elizabeth B. Davis dies February 24

Elizabeth "Betty" Davis, age 79, died February 24 in Luverne, Alabama in Crenshaw Baptist Hospital.

Services were held Saturday, February 27 at the First Baptist Church in Luverne with Rev. Morgan Bailey and Dr. Michael Olewski officiating.

Mrs. Davis and her husband, M.J., moved to Talco in 1947 where he was employed by Texaco. While living there, she was a homemaker and an active member of Calvary Baptist Church where she taught missions. In 1961 she moved with her family to Columbia, MS where she resided until 1983 when she and her husband retired at Luverne.

Surviving are her husband, M.J. of the home; two daughters, Barbara Clevenger of Hot Springs, AR and Louise Flanders of Marietta, GA; two sons, Kenneth Davis of Colorado Springs, CO and Danny Davis of Clinton, MS; eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; three sisters, Maurine Foreman of Vinton, LA, Claudine Holt of Little Rock, AR and Jeanne Winfield of Houston; three brothers, Buddy Bailey of Panama City, FL, Bibb Morgan Bailey of Warner-Robbins, GA and Houston Briley of Houma, LA.

Grandsons were bearers.

March 4, 1999
Velveeta Cheese Recipes

Cheesy Chicken & Broccoli Macaroni

4 boneless skinless chicken breast halves cut into chunks
1 can chicken broth
2 cups elbow macaroni-uncooked
3/4 pound Velveeta cheese-cut up
1 package frozen broccoli-thawed

Spray large skillet with non stick spray. Add chicken; cook and stir 2 minutes or until no longer pink. Stir in broth. Bring to boil. Stir in macaroni. Reduce heat to medium low and cover. Simmer 8-10 minutes until macaroni is tender. Add velveeta and broccoli. Stir until cheese is melted.

Velveeta Salsa Mac

1 pound ground beef
1 jar salsa
1-3/4 cup water
2 cups elbow macaroni-uncooked
3/4 pound Velveeta cheese

Brown meat in large skillet; drain. Stir in salsa and water. Bring to boil. Stir in macaroni. Reduce heat to medium-low and cover. Add cheese and stir until melted.

Velveeta Tuna Mac

2 cups water
2 cups elbow macaroni-uncooked
3/4 pound Velveeta cheese-cut up
1 package frozen vegetable blend-thawed & drained
1 can tuna-drained & flaked
2 tablespoons milk

Bring water to boil in saucepan. Stir in macaroni. Reduce heat to medium-low and cover. Simmer 8-10 minutes or until macaroni is tender. Add cheese, vegetables, tuna and milk. Stir until cheese is melted and mixture is thoroughly heated.

Cheesburger Mac

1 pound ground beef
2-3/4 cup water
1/3 cup catsup
1-2 teaspoons onion powder
2 cups elbow macaroni-uncooked
3/4 pound Velveeta-cut up

Brown meat in large skillet; drain. Stir in water, catsup and onion powder. Bring to boil; stir in macaroni. Reduce heat to medium-low and cover. Simmer 8-10 minutes or until macaroni is tender. Add cheese and stir until melted.

Cheesy Beef Stroganoff

1 pound ground beef
2 cups water
3 cups medium egg noodles-uncooked
3/4 pound Velveeta-cut up
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
1/4 teaspoon black pepper

Brown meat in large skillet; drain. Stir in water. Bring to a boil and stir in noodles. Reduce heat to medium-low and cover. Add cheese, soup and pepper and stir until cheese is melted.

South of the Border Macaroni & Cheese

2 cups water
2 cups elbow macaroni-uncooked.
3/4 pound Velveeta cheese-cut up
1 small jar picante sauce

Cook macaroni in water until tender; drain. Add cheese and picante sauce and stir until cheese is melted.



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Thanks for much for all the food, flowers, donations, phone calls, and most of all your prayers.

Special thanks to Red River Healthcare Center Nurses, ETMC third floor and ICU Nurses, Brother Park Robertson and the James Wood Family.

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**Harold & Judy Holt
Heather, Heath & Hayden**

Thank you

The Prairiland Lady Patriot Softball Teams would like to thank all of the people that helped to make their tournament a success. We appreciate all of your hard work and support.

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Mrs. Bradley Webb Bassano

**Mrs. Bradley Webb Bassano
Tammie Gibson weds Bradley Bassano**

Tammie Elizabeth Gibson and Bradley Webb Bassano were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony Wednesday, December 2, 1998 at six o'clock in the evening at Central Presbyterian Church in Paris. The wedding was officiated by Bob Baker, minister of the Pattonville Church of Christ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gibson of Pattonville. She is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gibson of Pattonville. She is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gibson of Pattonville and the late Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Brown of Clarksville.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mayse Bassano of Paris. He is the grandson of Mrs. Walter Bassano, Jr. and the late Mr. Walter Bassano and Mr. Phillip Hutchison and the late Mrs. Phillip Hutchison all of Paris.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father and given in marriage by her parents. She wore a Victor Costa eggshell peau de soie gown, designed by Nadree. The bodice was fashioned with an off-the-shoulder neckline accented and bows and rosettes of peau de soie. The princess-style gown flowed into a chapel-length train. The bride wore a cathedral-length veil of Belgium rosepoint lace, first worn by the groom's paternal grandmother, Mrs. Walter Bassano, in 1936.

Mr. Thomas Belew, organist, provided the wedding music.

Miss Kimberly Gibson, sister of the bride, of Pattonville, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Carrie Gibson, cousin of the bride of Pattonville; Lisa Archer, sister of the groom of Ennis; and Johna Ingram, niece of the bride of Clarksville. Karissa Woodall of Pattonville was flower girl. Alexandria Hutchison, cousin of the bride of Paris carried the veil. Damon Wells of Paris was Best

Man. Groomsmen were Brad Archer, brother-in-law of the groom of Ennis; Scott Bassano, brother of the groom of Paris; and Kirk Ingram, brother of the bride of Clarksville. The ushers were Andy Boots of Plano, Cheyney Bryan, Brian Golden and Jeff Severson, all of Paris.

A wedding reception, hosted by the bride's parents was held in the fellowship hall of the church following the ceremony. Serving in the house party was Mrs. Debbie Ingram of Clarksville, Mrs. Sue Gibson, Mrs. Diane Woodall, Megan Filkins all of Pattonville and Mrs. Gina Privitt of Paris.

Mrs. Debbie Ingram, sister-in-law of the bride served as the wedding coordinator.

A Miscellaneous Shower for the couple was hosted by the Church of Christ in Sterling City, Texas. Another miscellaneous shower was hosted by Debbie Ingram, Toy Wicker, Tonya Sullivan, Marge Cook and Daphnia Downs at the Pattonville Community Center.

The bride is a graduate of Prairie-land High School and Paris Junior College and attended Texas A&M University at Commerce. She will continue her studies at Angelo State University in elementary education.

The groom is a graduate of Paris High School and Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas. He is employed by Sterling City Independent School District as a teacher.

After a honeymoon in Belk, Texas, the couple will be residing in Sterling City.

The date the couple chose for their wedding was a traditional date for the bride's family. Her paternal grandparents were married on December 23, 1933; her parents were married on December 23, 1967; and her brother was married on December 23, 1983.



Mrs. Robert Forrest Richardson

Richardson-Tabb vows exchanged

Margaret DeNell "Dee" Tabb and Robert Forrest "Bob" Richardson were united in marriage Saturday, February 13, 1999, at Johntown Missionary Baptist Church. The Reverend Billy Turpin performed the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a Princess style gown of white satin with a lace overlay bodice hand beaded with pearls. The gown had a detachable train of white French tulle, decorated with beaded lace rosettes. The bride's finger-tip length veil of white French tulle, edged with satin ribbon was held by a circlet of cording covered loops trimmed with satin roses, baby's breath, crystal beads and pearls. Dee carried a moderate length bouquet of fresh roses and greenery.

The bride's chosen colors of burgundy and hunter green were carried through out the decorations. The attendants also wore alternating colors of hunter green and burgundy.

Serving as attendants for the bride were: Dee Barnett, Clarksville, Kelly Gifford, Paris, Piper Carson, Clarksville and Dana Tabb, cousin of the bride, Bogata.

Flower girl was Payton Stringfellow, cousin of the bride, of Tyler and ring bearer was Colton Simmons, cousin of the bride of Plainview. Ushers were Danny and Michael Tabb, brothers of the bride. Groom attendants were: Bart Sick-

ing, cousin of the groom of Forrestburg, Gavin Kohler of Dallas, Nathan Bowles of Era and Jeff Wilson of Rosston.

Jan McCuller of Mount Pleasant, cousin of the bride was the pianist with Doug Hawkins, cousin of the bride in charge of the taped selections. Selections played were "Valentine," "Look at you Girl," and "No Place That Far."

Serving at the bride's table were: Dashauna Kays and Jerry Marie Smith of Bogata. Serving at the groom's table were: Kim Richardson, sister of the groom of Rosston and Jessamy Sicking, cousin of the groom of Forrestburg.

The wedding was co-ordinated by Jackie Lynne Knight of Pittsburg and Felina White of Johntown.

After a brief trip to Dallas, the couple will make their home in Manchester.



EAGLE SCOUT CODY BOEHLER of Troop 2 in Paris was honored by his parents, William and Cathy Boehler with a Court of Honor at Springlake Baptist Church in Paris on November 8, 1998. Cody began his scouting career as a Tiger Cub with Pack 19 of Deport in the first grade under the leadership of Jerry Turner. Jerry was also his Scoutmaster as he attained the highest ranking a Scout can achieve. Cody is a member of Springlake and a junior at Prairiland High School.

Army Pvt. Jackie Davidson, Jr. assigned to 82nd Airborne

Army Pvt. Jackie W. Davison, Jr., has been assigned to the 82nd Airborne Division at Ft. Bragg, Fayetteville, N.C.

The new member of the division became airborne qualified after completing training at an Army airborne school. Each member of the 82nd performs duties according to the soldier's military job or duty title.

Davidson, a heavy anti-armor weapons infantryman, is the son of Jackie W. Davidson of Deport, Texas and Nancy S. Davidson of Blossom, Texas.

He is a 1998 graduate of Prairiland High School, Pattonville.

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Bell featured in insurance commercial

Mac Bell of Rosalie was featured in a 30-second commercial for Standard Insurance Company of East Texas on Monday, February 15. The commercial was shot by MediaQuest, Inc. of East Texas. According to Sally McDearman of Standard Insurance Agency of East Texas in Mt. Pleasant, it will air in Longview, Henderson, Mt. Pleasant, Marshall, Kilgore, Lake Cherokee and Paris Cable TV. Mac Bell, owner-operator of Bell Sand & Gravel has used Standard Insurance of Mt. Pleasant for approximately five years. He was one of three customers chosen from a host of customers from Ft. Worth to far East Texas to be featured in the TV commercial. The commercial will air in the designated market for three months on Fox Sports Network, TNN and ESPN. Bell was chosen to be featured in the commercial for his unique and colorful characteristics, according to McDearman.

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PATTONVILLE NEWS

By Peggy Parsons

Happy birthday to Klarissa Perry, Gordon VanDeaver, Lou Ellen Hayes, Mallory Woodall, Madison Montgomery, Debbye Urbano, Lisa Sims, Loyd Chandler.

Happy anniversary to Susie and Glen Evans.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Michael Tatum who died December 16 at Zale Lipsky University Hospital in Dallas. He was the brother of Tom Tatum and stepson of ReJene Tatum.

Elois Sparks attended a retirement party for Rex Allen at Blossom Saturday.

Loyd Chandler of Paris was honored with a 68th birthday celebration given by his wife, Helen, at the Fish Fry on Saturday. Among the 40 guests attending were his daughters, Donna and Teresa of Washington and Helen and Granville Gibson.

Sandy Ring, Heather Anderson, Ashleigh McLean, Elois Sparks, Don Denison, Kalee Graham, Keith and Peggy Parsons, Randy and Kristi Boren, Drew and Leah were among those attending the Deport Baseball Association hamburger supper and auction Saturday night in the school cafeteria at Deport.

Meagan Hatfield was named to the Texas Girls Coaches Association All State Volleyball First Team and Academic All State Team by TGCA. She as honorable mention on the Texas Sportswriters Association list.

Shelley Ladd, daughter of Steve and Carolyn Ladd, is preparing to participate in the Leukemia Society's Kono, Hawaii Marathon.

Coaches needed for softball

Coaches are needed for Deport baseball and softball this year. If interested, please call Randy Boren at 652-2027. Coaches are needed for girls 11-12 years old, T-ball and boys 7-8 years old.

Support Group to meet March 8

Learning how others handled their child's belongings, pictures, toys, clothing, books, etc. will be the topic at the March 8 meeting of the Bereaved Parent Support Group.

The meeting will be held Monday, March 8 at 7 p.m. in the TU Electric Building in Paris. For information, call 982-6176 or 785-7781.

Thank You!

The Deport Baseball Association would like to thank all those that supported our hamburger supper. We appreciate everyone who donated items, worked and attended this fundraiser.

Thank you for all your support toward the youth of this community. We also thank Todd and Mendy Cole, Mike Screws, Ronald Hicks and all others who worked on the fences at the ball park.

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P'land tennis team plays Mt. Vernon in Paris

The Prairiland tennis team played Mt. Vernon on Thursday, February 25 at Culbertson Park, Paris. In Girls Singles: Amber Norwood went 8-5. In Girls Doubles, Anna Thompson/Shasta Riley 8-4; Emily Burchinal/Jennifer Glasgow 2-8; Shasta Riley/Jennifer McClain 4-8. Boys Singles: Matt Moffitt 5-8, 8-


4; Steven Lemmen 7-9; Kurt Wilsim 1-8; John Merrill 1-8. In Boys Doubles, Steven Lemmen/Michael Flatt 8-6; Steven Flatt/Greg Griffin 8-6. The next tennis match is Tuesday, March 2 with Wolfe City at Culbertson Park.

UMW meets at Kirkland home

The United Methodist Women met at the home of Virginia Kirkland on Monday night, March 1. After a brief business session, Juanita Sparks reviewed a book entitled "Spring Wind." The story was set in the mystery city of Hong Kong and concerned the difficulties faced by an American missionary family assigned to God's work with these vastly diverse people. A theme of

reconciliation with all God's children is woven into the story. The meeting was dismissed with the Mizpah. The hostess served refreshments to ten members. The March 15 meeting will be hosted by Juanita Sparks and Margaret Parks will be in charge of the program.

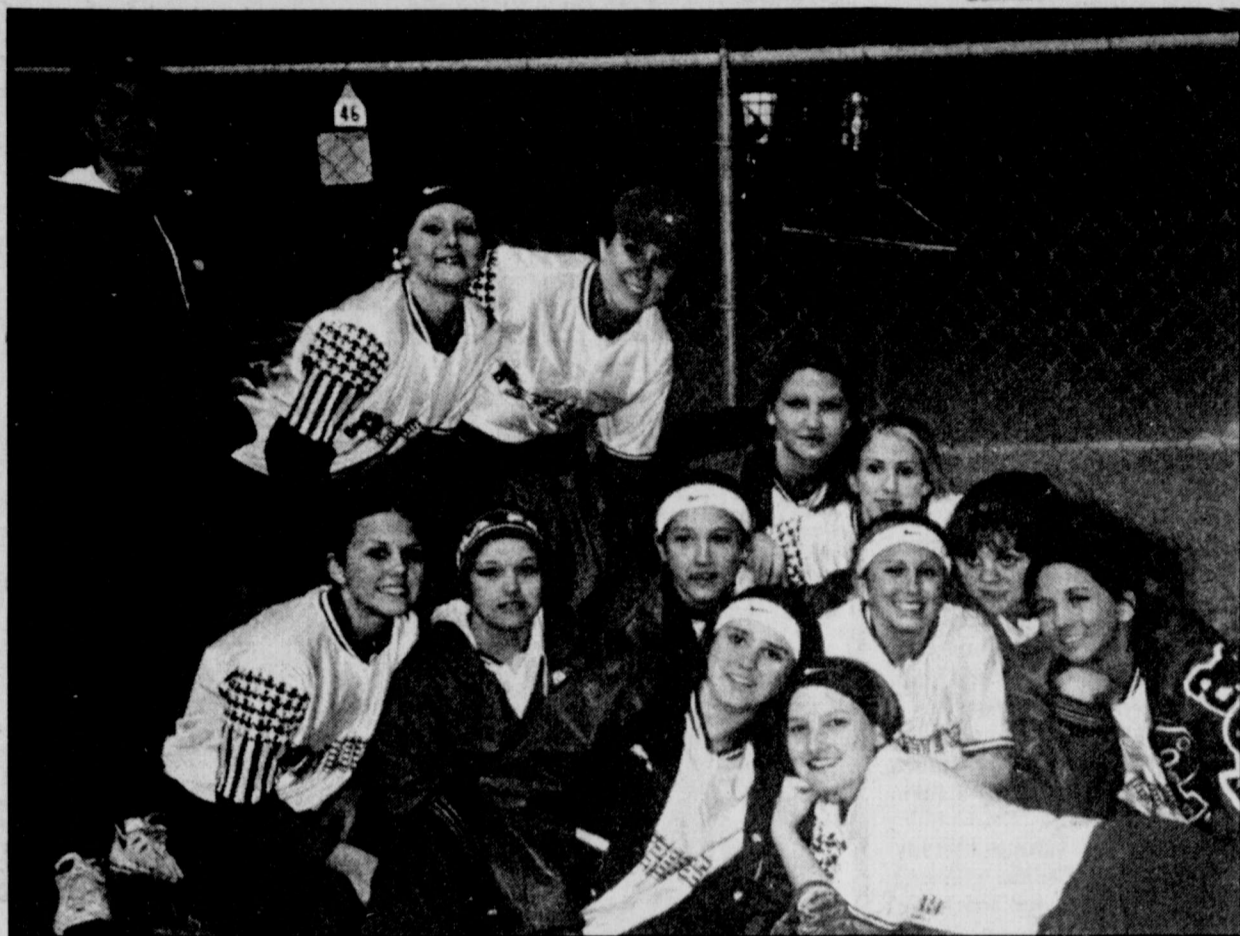
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Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls Juice, milk
Lunch: Tacos Refried beans Tossed salad Pineapple chunks Milk

Wednesday

Breakfast: French toast strips, syrup Juice, milk
Lunch: Vegetable soup Cornbread, cheese stick Mayo cake Milk

Thursday

Breakfast: Cereal, toast Juice, milk
Lunch: Fish nuggets French fries Hushpuppies Peaches Milk

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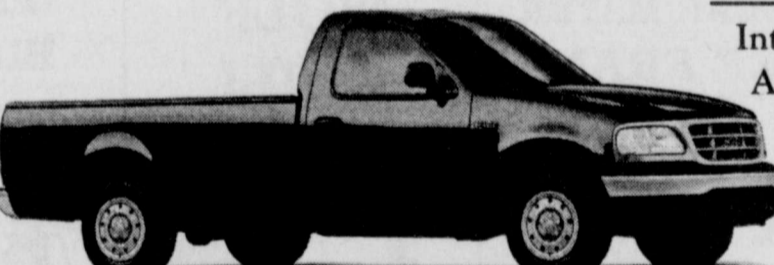
A native of Dallas, Dr. Marrero has recently moved back to Texas from El Dorado, Ark. where he was with South Arkansas Otolaryngology Associates. Dr. Marrero, a magna cum laude graduate of Southern Methodist University and the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, completed his residency in otolaryngology at the Georgetown University Medical Center in Washinton, D.C. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Otolaryngology and member of the American Academy of Otolaryngology, the American Medical Association and the Arkansas Medical Society. Dr. Marrero enjoys music, making ice cream, travel, and sports, especially football, soccer and tennis.


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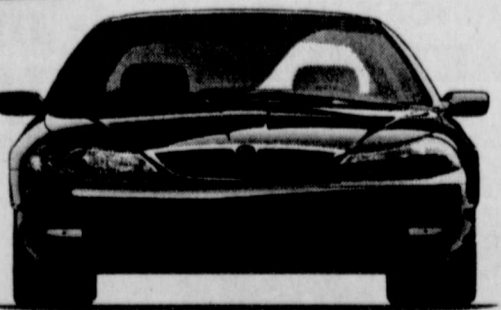
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Milton News

By Mattylu Upchurch

John Walker Harvey of Greenville visited Mary Elaine and Morris Lawler Wednesday.

Edna Talley and sister Irene Black visited relatives in Amarillo and Pampa this past week.

Buena and Bob Marshall took her sister and husband, Callie and Rudy Carrasco of San Antonio to DFW Monday for their return home after visiting here last week.

Susie Roach spent Friday through Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Payne Appleby of Waco. Her father was taken back to the hospital on Monday.

Tim Salter of Paris had dinner with his mother, Velma and John Temple Tuesday.

Mattylu Upchurch has returned home from spending some time with her daughter, Leah and family in Grapevine. Leah is recuperating from surgery and doing fine.

Rudy and Callie Carrasco of San Antonio and Bob and Buena Marshall visited Peggy Whitney Sunday.

Ruby Lee of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Frank and Edna Lee.

Tim Parks of Faight and Jake Maurischat of Lone Oak had dinner with James and Dorothy Holt Sunday.

John and Velma Temple met his son, Paul Temple of Dallas, who was in Paris on business for lunch on Thursday.

Josh Allen of Cunningham spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandmother, Peggy Whitney. Jay Curt McKee also visited them.

While in Grapevine last week, Mattylu Upchurch had dinner with several family members celebrating her great-granddaughter Devin Newman's 18th birthday.

Ann and Sheldon Lee visited Silas and Juanita Taylor of Cunningham on Sunday.

Frank and Edna Lee went to Winnsboro Tuesday for a doctor's appointment.

Billie Goheen of Arlington spent the weekend with her mother, Mattylu Upchurch.

Red River Genealogical Society to meet March 8, 1999

History remembers the rich, famous and notorious. Genealogy remembers not only those, but also the common men and women who simply lived, worked and raised families and who, in the end, were the real history makers.

Everyone is invited to meet with the society at the Red River County Public Library on Monday, March 8, 1999 at 7:30 p.m. for the regular monthly meeting. The speaker for this month will be Eddie Poole of

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 All current and updated material safety data sheets must be provided during this contract.
 Individual bids should be made for cost delivered to each commissioner's precinct.
 Precinct #1 is located at Bogata, TX. Precinct #2 is located at Bagwell, TX. Precinct #3 is located at English, TX. Precinct #4 is located at Boxelder, TX.
 Individual bids should be made for the Sheriff's Department, County Attorney, Adult Probation, County Constable and Maintenance Department.
 Bids must be delivered to the office of the County Auditor by the time and date indicated above. Action on the bids is then at the discretion of the Commissioners' Court. The court reserves the right to refuse all bids and to accept the bid deemed in the best interest of the county.

ORDER OF ELECTION
CITY OF TALCO
 An election is hereby ordered to be held May 1, 1999 for the purpose of electing a Mayor for a two (2) year term, and to elect two councilmen each for a two (2) year term, for the City of Talco, Texas.
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MARY ANN'S Beauty Shop is now open Friday's from 1:30 til 6:00 and Saturday, 8:30 until 12:00. Mary Ann is an instructor at PJC Cosmetology. For appointments, call 674-3041 after 5:30 p.m. Located on Bagwell hwy., FM2573, 2 miles from Detroit. Look for sign. 3-11

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, March 6, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The old Hanna Leather Shop, S. Main in Bogata. 3-4

Notice
 I, Tony Dickson, am not responsible for any obligation or debt made by Gladys Roland from January 1998 through February 1999. 3-4-99



DEPORT STAR STUDENTS pictured left to right is Elizabeth Brunson (1st grade), Danci Smith and Ethan Ham (2nd grade).



(Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

DEPORT STAR STUDENTS from Kindergarten are left to right Allison Wolf and Katie Golden.

Cunningham News

By Linda Anderson
652-3502 or 652-2059



Mrs. Lorette Pynes was visited this week by Betty Hershour of Ben Wheeler, Buddy Pynes of Paris, Dean Ogden of Longview, Jamie Syrus, Lucy Fowler and Glenda Watson.

Darold and Ida Mae Norwood visited their daughter, Shelia in Denton on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stanfield of Garland visited La Veta McMurray at Deport Nursing Home and brought her to visit Lou Hatfield.

Dee Williams of Paris visited his father, Charles Michael Williams and grandparents, Charles and Carol Jean

Williams last weekend.

Drew Boren spent Friday night with Marty Anderson.

Earl and Jamie Martin and grandson of Clarksville visited Bobbie and Clyde Slusher. Clyde and Bobbie visited Charles and Jackie Taylor and Bobbie Hall of Paris on Sunday.

Velma Cox has returned from an extended visit with her children. The last two weeks of December were spent with Gordon and Jan Cox of Alvarado. While there she attended a tennis banquet honoring her grandson, Dustin. Kyle was in from Texas

Deport Locals

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652-2954



Durwood and Peggy Wims were in Deport last week attending her mother, Ruth Cheatham, who was ill. Kay and Joy Read of Bryan spent the weekend with her mother, Ida Lou Read.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matlock of Texarkana stopped by for a visit with friends and had lunch at the Lonesome Dove on Saturday. They are former residents of the area and were on their way to visit in Wylie.

Karen Walker of Grapevine spent the weekend with her father, Mac Webb, and attended church at the Methodist Church.

Ruth Murrell returned to her home Saturday after three weeks in McCuision Medical Center.

Joe Al and Bonnie Singleton and daughter Susan from Clarksville and David Singleton and his family of Paris had lunch Sunday with Myrtle

Singleton. Todd and Jamie Ward and daughter, Jaylee of Bogata visited and ate supper Monday with Thelma Warren.

Happy birthday to Gloria Denison, Jean Morrison, Gordon VanDeaver, Jeffery Whittle, Rayond Melton, Rena Good, Shirley LaRue, Cliff Gifford, Becky Clayton, Gilbert Arriaga, Klarissa Perry, Randy Huddleston, Cindy Filkins, Jerry Burns, Mable Lynn, Deverle Elmore, Michael Douglas Ballard, Burrell Kincaid, Danci Jordan Smith, Donna Jessee, Donnie Wright, Weldon D. Smith, Randy Allen, Lou Ellen Hayes, Johnnie Warren, Lora Hulsey, L.P. Griffis, Bernie Fagan, Sam Whitney, Mary Barnard and Lisa Sims.

Happy anniversary to Susan and Philip Roach, Virginia and Robert Farris.

Tech and Meredith from College Station. Along with the family and Shelley, she attended midnight Christmas Eve services at Richland Hills Baptist Church.

The Cox family celebrated Christmas on December 26 in the home of Kathy and Roger Baxter and Betty Kintz of Allen. Attending were Velma Cox, Gordon, Jan and Custin Cox of

Alvarado, Shelly of Ft. Worth, Kyle of Lubbock and Meredith of College Station, Raymond and Mary Ann Gaylord of Baytown, Kay, Brad, Hannah and Sarah Aerts of Collierville, TN and Lecel and William Baxter of College Station. Also attending were Morris Cox of Dallas and daughter Monica and Jay Tweak of Falls Church, VA.

Velma Cox and Raymond and Mary Ann Gaylord visited Vera Cox and Helen and David Taylor in Ft. Worth and also Morris Cox and Monica and Jay Tweak. Brandon Beck, Gordon, Morris and Dustin Cox, Dorothy Jean Randall and Rodney White, Velma Cox spent New Year's in Baytown with Raymond and Mary Ann Gaylord. While visiting with her daughter, Velma spent the weekend in Fannet with Dot Randall. She also visited her brother, Alton Devlin on three occasions and with her granddaughter, Lecel and William Baxter in College Station. Velma's brother, Alton Devlin of Pearland entered the hospital on Christmas Day and was dismissed on March 1 to go to a nursing home.

Mary Ann Gaylord visited her mother, Velma Cox, over the weekend.

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