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By Nanalce Nichols

Somewhere along the line the phone company has gotten the upper hand. Talk about converts...they made 'em!

For the first six years of our married life, Thomas and I lived in houses without a telephone.

We simply felt no need for a phone.

The phone company even sent a representative around when we were building our house, and we told him we didn't want, didn't need and wouldn't have a telephone!

Life went along for those six years quietly (boy, how quiet compared to now). We didn't seem to need a phone at all.

Somewhere along the line, though, we decided the budget could handle a telephone, and we had one installed. It was convenient, but that was about all.

But as the years have gone by, our phone system has changed a little bit. It just seems that we need to contact people or people need to contact us almost all the time.

The other day, when we were hooking up our new fax machine, Thomas asked how many phones we had now.

That prompted a count. And that count revealed just how spoiled we have become!

At home the count racked up a phone upstairs (for convenience and to save running down the stairs) one in the kitchen, another in the bedroom and phone jacks outside so that we can move one outside when we're working or playing.

At the office the count runs to one at my desk, the phone attached to the fax, the one on the front desk, the one in the dark room and the phone at the back of the room! That doesn't count the phones at the other offices or locations! They add four more to the list.

Then, to cap it all off, Thomas came up with a trade-out agreement to swap advertising and a little cash for a slightly used "bag" phone to go in his vehicle.

I protested that "this is the last straw". He pointed out that it would make it very easy to locate him while he is out on sales routes, or if he was broken down in the hay meadow.

This has proved to be quite true. It has also saved lots of miles of travel for him.

The fax has proven to be invaluable, too.

The phones are semi-permanently attached to my ear.

Our monthly phone bills, due to having papers in various towns, of which are long-distance from one another, probably make the phone company accountants smile with joy each month.

Life without the telephone? It seems absolutely impossible!

What I just haven't managed to figure out yet is how this conversation took place.

Where did it go from being a luxury item to a necessity?

Why do I now feel incomplete and out of touch without a phone?

I don't know when it all took place...it was a gradual thing. There was a time I would have scoffed at the whole idea of being so dependent on telephone service. But...Like I said...when they made converts they really made CONVERTS out of us!

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Controversy Erupts Over Firefighting In Titus County

Rumors and flaring tempers have marked a controversy over action taken by Titus County Commissioners concerning the Mutual Aid Contract between county fire departments.

Perhaps the first rumor that needs to be put to rest is the one that Talco (or any other volunteer fire fighting organization in Titus County) will not be allowed to respond to a fire call outside of the city limits. While this is not true, it is true that under the new Mutual Aid Contract the Mt. Pleasant Fire Chief will be in charge of coordinating fire fighting efforts for all fires in Titus County.

Yet another rumor, which was brought up at Commissioner's Court Monday, Oct. 26, said that Commissioner's Court was doing away with the volunteer fire departments altogether. Commissioner's Court members stated that the rumor was untrue.

A Mutual Aid Contract has been in effect between area fire departments within Titus County, namely Talco, Winfield, Tri-Lake and Cookville Volunteer Departments, and Mt. Pleasant's Paid/Volunteer Department. Under the old contract a fire within any of the county fire department's districts would be handled by that fire department. If other depart-

ments were called in to help in a fire fighting capacity, the originating fire department would co-ordinate the fire fighting efforts.

As a result of the Oct. 26 Commissioner's Court ruling all fires located within Titus County, regardless of the district the fire originated in, would be officially co-ordinated by the Mt. Pleasant Fire Chief.

The amended Mutual Aid Contract provides that Mt. Pleasant Fire Department respond to all fires with final decisions made by the Mt. Pleasant Fire Chief.

According to Talco City Secretary Jone Clemmons and Talco Volunteer Fireman Brett Castle the original contract between county fire departments states that a ninety day grace period must follow any decision to amend the original contract before its expiration date.

The Talco VFD is a formally and well-organized department, but has a rescue unit with three certified paramedics and two E.M.T.S. on duty. The department also has a fireman with a level five training in Hazardous Material Handling. Level five is the highest level one can obtain.

According to fireman Brett Castle ninety percent of the fire calls made

by the department are outside of the Talco city limits, as the population in the area is spread out.

He also points out that certified medical personnel is almost always on hand, should they be needed.

The volunteer fire departments have held fund raisers and with the help of area citizens purchased fire fighting equipment. The city of Talco provides fuel, maintenance and insurance for the equipment. The members of the department have purchased radios which cost from \$1000 to \$2000 each with their own money to help the department function better. These volunteers feel that they are ones who should decide how this equipment is used.

They also voice concerns for what will happen to volunteer membership when these decisions are taken away.

Supporters of the new contract maintain that the previous contract made no allowance for possible conflict in time of emergency.

The City of Talco and the Talco Fire Department (as well as other volunteer departments) are hopeful that something can be worked out during the next ninety days before the amended Mutual Aid Contract goes into effect.

Fall Festival Is Huge Success!!

On October 24, the Talco PTO held their annual Fall Festival at the Talco School at 6:30 with a short music program by Kendal Stansell openin the event.

The Kings and Queens were announced and winners from K through second grade went to the kindergarten class with Queen Lorence Parker and King Clinton Vandever. Winners from third through fifth grade went to the fourth grade class with Queen Bre'Ann Stroud and King Keith Hines. Winners from sixth through eighth grades went to the sixth grade class with Queen Kristen

Kuhl and King Joey Taylor.

Following the crowning of the royalty, drawings were held for four door prizes. An autumn wreath donated by Velma Brooks was won by Marvie Goates; an air filter donated by Thompson Air Conditioning was won by Gene Goates; a complete

detail job donated by Roach Paint and Body Shop was won by Selma Jones of Mt. Pleasant; and a pair of prescription sunglasses donated by Discount Optical were won by Teresa Taylor.

Winning the two \$100 Wal-Mart gift certificates were Virgie Phillips

of Mt. Pleasant and Judy Deal of Mt. Vernon.

After the coronation, there were games for all ages and everyone reported having a wonderful time.

With the help of many people, businesses and organizations, the Fall Festival raised more than \$3,000.00 to help with the education of the children.

The PTO expressed their thanks and appreciation to everyone who helped make this year's event such a huge success. The PTO also welcomes any comments or suggestions for the future.

D-Fy-It Observes Red Ribbon Week At RHS

Rivercrest, Talco and Bogata D-Fy-It members observed Red Ribbon Week October 18-23.

Members were given red ribbons stating "Huts--Not Drugs" in honor of the celebration.

Principal Ray Miller sponsored a D-Fy-It parents night on Tuesday, October 20, showing a film "Three Ways to Keep Your Child Off Drugs" with 22 parents attending.

Refreshments were served following the film.

Those parents who were unable to attend may get the chance to see the film at a later date at the junior high.

Everyone is encouraged to get involved with the Drug Free Youth in Texas program. For more information, contact Ray Miller, Rivercrest Principal or Kay Kennedy, Rivercrest School Counselor.

Talco State Bank To Observe Halloween

The Talco State Bank will be serving punch and cookies this Friday, October 30 during regular business hours.

Bank employees will be dressed in Halloween costumes and special guests will be the Talco kindergarten through third grade classes.

Everyone is invited to stop by and share in the Halloween festivities.

Talco Area Voting Box Locations Named

The voter box locations for the Talco Area in the national elections Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1992 will be as follows: Bridge's Chapel, Box 3, at the Community Center.

Wilkinson, Box 5, Community Center.

Talco's voting box will be at Talco City Hall.

Bake Sale To Benefit Park Fund

Remember the Bake Sale sponsored by the Talco Park Committee, Inc. It will be held in downtown Talco on Tuesday, November 3, 1992, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

If you are interested in donating a baked item, but have not been contacting, please call Judy Easley at 379-9195 or Darla Ottinger at 379-6861.

Missionary Conference Slated at Calvary Baptist

The Calvary Baptist Church will host a mission conference at the church starting Sunday, November 1st through Wednesday, November 4th. Services will be held at 7 p.m. nightly.

The conference will feature five missionaries. Everyone is invited.

VOTE!! VOTE!!

Countless years and lives have been spent in gaining for us the freedom which we now have in the United States of America. Shall all that sacrifice have been wasted because we are just not interested enough in our government to go to the polls on election day?



QUEENS & KINGS crowned at the Talco Fall Festival last Saturday were, left to right: Elementary,

Lorraine Parker and Clinton Vandever; Intermediate, Keith Hines and

Bre'Ann Stroud; and Junior High, Kristin Kuhl and Joey Taylor. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



ELECTED AS Sugar Hill Community Center officers and Board members were, left to right, back row: Charlie Young,

Cliff Roberts, James Taylor, president; and Doug Schindler, vice-president. Front row, left

to right: Jeff Moles, Frankie Brown and Zoenetta Hawkins, secretary/treasurer. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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People 'N
Things

There will be a brotherhood breakfast at the Calvary Baptist Church at 7:30 a.m. on November 1st.

Calvary Baptist Church WMU organization will meet Monday night, Nov. 26th.

Broad Street Junction will sponsor a Spook Contest on Saturday, October 31 at 4 p.m. Spooks ages 0-5 years and 6-10 years will be judged by three local residents. First, second and third places will be awarded in each age group. Everyone is invited to bring their little spooks out and participate in the contest.

The Calvary Baptist Church will hold their Fifth Sunday Fellowship on November 1 following morning service. Everyone is invited to bring a covered dish and enjoy the luncheon.

Calvary Baptist Church Secret Pals will hold their Christmas party on November 9 at 6:30 p.m. Secret Pals are encouraged to bring a covered dish and attend.

Calvary Baptist Sunshine Club will meet November 10 at 10 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend the covered dish lunch and fellowship.

The Talco PTO will meet Monday, November 2 in the School Library.

BY ONE VOTE!!

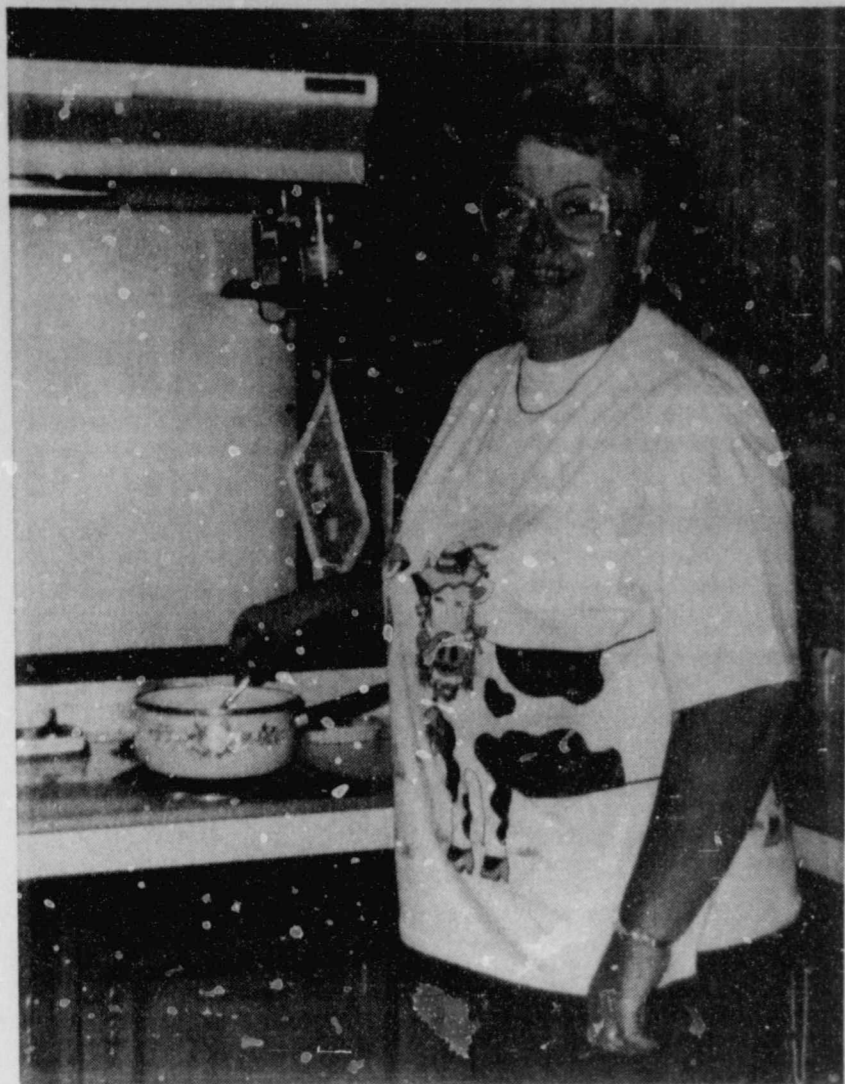
The English language was chosen over German for America in 1775.

PLEASE VOTE!!

To all the people who were disappointed with the darkness or lightness of the photographs in our newspapers last week we would like to explain what happened. Our pictures were good.

The Paris News prints our papers for us, and we were one of the first to run on their presses after they were moved and rebuilt. They assure us that they could do no better until the presses were adjusted.

It was out of our control completely. We were upset too.



SHIRLEY JAYNES prefers baking sweets and candies and is sharing some recipes with readers this week in the Country Cooking Column. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

Country Cooking

By Judy Screws



Shirley Jaynes prefers to bake sweets and make candy, but her favorite meal to eat or serve her family is red beans and cornbread, fried potatoes, fried okra, fried squash, a big slice of onion, and country smoked ham with red eye gravy. Doesn't that just make your mouth water?

I visited in Shirley's home this week. She lives just east of Blossom. As you enter the house by way of the front porch, you are surrounded by hanging baskets and flower beds just spilling over with beautiful flowers of every color imaginable. I commented on how nice they looked, and asked her how in the world she managed to have that many flowers blooming at the same time. I touched some of them to make sure they were real, since the only flowers I grow are silk ones. She began showing me the ones she is particularly fond of and rattling off names. She lost me right away. You can tell how enthusiastic she is about anything she does just by talking with her.

Shirley drives a school bus for the Prairiland Schools, works for the Kwik-Korner in Paris and works at the Texaco station on the weekends. Her husband, R.E., is a lumber broker.

Shirley and R.E. have five children, three boys and two girls. Rickey, the oldest son and his wife, Laura, have one child, Candace Nicole; Roy Dean (Dinger) and his wife Tammy have no children yet. Their youngest son, Michael, isn't married, yet. The older daughter, Leisa Morris has a 7-year old daughter, Brittany; Anita

Copeland, who is the youngest daughter, and her husband Jimmy are expecting their first baby in November.

Shirley is involved in just about anything that takes place in the community. Whether it's helping to raise money for a walking track, singing in the choir at the Methodist Church, or umpiring a softball game, she gives it all she's got. She really gets pleasure out of coaching girls' softball and Little Dribbler basketball. Shirley was no slouch when she played basketball at East Lama. Everyone will not be old enough to remember that, but I do.

She also likes to visit as often as possible with her 89-year old mother, who is a resident of Cherry Street Manor.

I met Shirley many years ago when my husband and kids were playing softball. I can still see her trying to give a tournament, coach and play on a team, and keep up with her kids all at the same time. Every so often you'd hear her yelling "Dinger, you and Michael had better sit down or I'm going to whip you all over the place."

When she plays ball, she plays for blood, but when the game is over, she's ready to hug, shake hands and put that game behind her.

Shirley says that most of her recipes just come off of packages, or she gets them from friends. Hope you enjoy them.

If you have any special recipes you use for the holiday season, I'd like to print them, even if you don't want to be featured in a column.

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Peanut Butter Fudge
By Shirley Jaynes

3 cups sugar
3/4 cup parkay margarine
2/3 cup evaporated milk
1 pkg. (12 oz.) peanut butter chips
1 jar (7oz.) Kraft marshmallow creme
1 tsp. vanilla

Stir together margarine, sugar, milk in a heavy 2 1/2 qt. saucepan. Bring to boil, stirring constantly. Boil 5 minutes over medium heat. Remove from heat. Gradually stir in chips until melted. Add remaining ingredients, mix well. Pour into 9x9" (greased) pan. Cool and enjoy. Makes 3 lbs.

Soft Teacakes

2 eggs
2 cups sugar
1 cup vegetable shortening
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon soda
1 scant teaspoon salt

1/4 cup buttermilk
3 teaspoons vanilla
4 cups flour

Beat eggs lightly and add milk. Cream sugar and shortening, add to milk mixture. Mix dry ingredients and add to above. Knead flour into dough until stiff. Roll 1/4" thick, cut with 1 1/2" cutter. Cook on lightly greased cookie sheet at 350. Makes 50 1 1/2" cookies.

Buttermilk Pie

3 eggs
1 cup sugar
2 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup melted butter
1 cup buttermilk
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1-9" unbaked pie shell

Beat eggs slightly. Add sugar and mix well. Add flour and butter and mix well. Add buttermilk and flavoring. Bake at 325 until set.



Mr. & Mrs. George Bridges Celebrate 50th Anniversary

George and Jimmie Bridges Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary

James, Pat, Calvin, Megan and Kaley Graham, children and grandchildren of George Calvin Bridges and Jimmie Marie Roberts Bridges invite everyone to attend a reception in honor of their parents fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, November 1 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Bagwell Community Center in Bagwell.

The couple were married October 31, 1942 in Clarksville by Rev. Bates. The couple requests no gifts please.

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone who sent flowers, cards and calls for my 80th birthday and everyone who attended.

Elizabeth Walker

Card of Thanks

The Detroit Junior Class would like to thank everyone for their help in making our Haunted House a success. The profits we made will go for paying for the prom this school year. A special thanks should be given to Brother Jimmy Ellis and his crew for helping to set it up and get it running. Without everyone's help, it could not have been possible.

Many thanks from the Junior Class

"If we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us."
1 John 5:14b

Obituaries

Mrs. Mable Reynolds Dies October 26

Mrs. Mabel Ann Reynolds, age 93, formerly of Fulbright, died Monday, October 26 in Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 28 in Fulbright Church of Christ with Randy Miller officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery in Deport under the direction of Grant Funeral Home.

Mrs. Reynolds was born in Red River County, the daughter of William and Leona Betterton. Her first husband, Carl Pryor, preceded her in death in 1920. She married George Blake Reynolds December 16, 1923 and he died November 27, 1972. She was also preceded in death by a son, Carl Pryor June 15, 1988. She was a member of Fulbright Church of Christ.

She is survived by one son, Paul Reynolds of Bogata; three daughters, Jane Swint of Detroit, Georgia Garrett of Paris and Carleen Harkrider of Mt. Pleasant; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

William Roy Prater Dies October 23

William Roy Prater, age 74 of Bogata, died Friday, October 23 in Red River General Hospital in Clarksville.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, October 25 under the pavilion of Bogata Cemetery with Rev. Bob Griffith officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Prater was born October 6, 1908 in Scottsboro, Alabama, the son of John Franklin and Ida Missouri Mills Prater. He married the former Gladys Cheshire July 27, 1940 in Delta County near Cooper. He was a retired farmer.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys Prater of Bogata; two sons, James Prater of Paris and Charles Wayne Prater of Princeton; one daughter, Lou Ann Elliott of Wylie; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Johnnie Holcutt of Cooper. He was preceded in death by three brothers and three sisters.

Bearers were Ralph Cawley, Leonard Prater, Jeff Prater, Donnie Guinn, David Guinn and Richard Adams.

Charles Westbrook Dies October 24

Charles Andrew Westbrook, 81, of Paris died Saturday, October 24 in McCuiston Regional Medical Center.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 27 in Bright-Holland Funeral Home with burial in Knights of Honor Cemetery in Blossom.

Mr. Westbrook was born March 24, 1911 in Deport, a son of Henry and Attice Hudson Westbrook. He married Rosa Daugherty on February 22, 1941 in Paris. He was a member of the College Street Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife; four sons, Ronnie Westbrook of Blossom, Charles Dean Westbrook of Weatherford, Rickey Westbrook of Sulphur Springs and William Edwin Martin of Daytona, Florida; one daughter, Glenda Babb of Durant, OK; one brother, Thomas Westbrook of Bogata; 21 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

John Kirkpatrick Dies October 25

John Kirkpatrick, age 72, of Bogata died Sunday, October 25 in Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, October 28 in Bogata Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Mark Jones officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Kirkpatrick was born in Louisiana November 1, 1919. He married the former Juanita Stephens June 21, 1942. He was a retired Deputy Sheriff retiring from Titus County Sheriff's Department in 1986. He is survived by his wife, Juanita Kirkpatrick of Bogata; two sons, Donnie Kirkpatrick of Leesburg and Ronnie Kirkpatrick of South Houston; and six grandchildren.

Bearers were members of the Titus County Sheriff's Department.

Mrs. Helen Fail Dies October 18

Mrs. Helen Lucille Fail, 68, of Gladewater, died Sunday, October 18 in Tyler.

Services were held Tuesday, October 20 at 2 p.m. in the Assembly of God Church in Talco with the Rev. Joe Rosales officiating. Burial was in Talco Cemetery by Grubbs-Loyd Funeral Home of Gladewater.

Mrs. Fail was born April 20, 1924 in Oklahoma. She was a homemaker and member of the Gilmer Church of God.

She is survived by three sons, Gary Fail and Ronny Fail, both of Gladewater and Rick Fail of Massachusetts; one daughter, Geraldine Causey of Gladewater; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Ruby Mitchell of Overton, Garnett Klem of Sundown and Loraine Duckworth of Sundown. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence E. Fail on September 9, 1962.

Bearers were Tony Sloan, Melvin Burch, Stan Foy, Anthony Fail, Bret Street and Johnnie Jobe.

Rev. J.D. Lanier Dies October 25

Rev. J.D. Lanier died October 25 in Dallas.

He was born October 2, 1906 in the vicinity of Lawrenceburg, TN. He was a member of the Mountain View Church of God.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. J.D. Lanier of Midlothian; sons Billy Lanier and Larry Lanier, both of Texarkana; daughter, Bobbie Liftwith of Bloomington, IL; stepchildren Earl Burrow of Ft. Worth, Dorothy Bradford of Hurst, Gaye Gilbert and Peggy Burrow, both of Midlothian; 10 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; 2 great-great-grandchildren; 13 step-grandchildren; 15 step-great-grandchildren; sister, Dorothy York of Lake Jackson.

Services were held at noon Tuesday, October 27 at the Laurel Land Funeral Home Chapel with Scott McKay and Dean Burrow officiating. Interment followed in Laurel Land Memorial Park.

Bearers were David Green, Chris Bertinetti, Kevin Mabry, Jimmy West, Billy Lanier, Jr., Rev. Dean Burrow. Honorary bearers were Rev. John Allen, Rev. Henry Pugh and Rev. Robert Bouchier.

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Johnstown News

By Jana Hawkins

Our apologies to Gene Stoker a long time friend of Dan Cotton's. He visited in the area recently and his name was left out of last week's paper.

Mark, Jana, Haley and Hather Hawkins enjoyed a weinerroast given by Kathy Hawkins and also enjoyed fishing, boating, playing dominoes and good ole' country relaxing. Others attending were Kathy, Seth, Ryan, Karen Hawkins, Doug and Robbie Hawkins, Lucille Childers, Cathy, Becky, Brodie Belcher, Peggy and Chance Belcher.

Mrs. Bobby Lamb and grandson of Sunnyville visited Saturday with her mother and Mrs. Ida Barnard. Mrs. Mary Potter of Detroit visited

Thursday with Mrs. Ida Barnard.

Mrs. Dorothy Foster and Kay Stewart visited Thursday in Paris with Mrs. Stewart's grandmother, Mrs. Helen Daniels at the Leisure Lodge Nursing Home.

Lucille Childers went to Mt. Pleasant Tuesday to spend the night with her daughter Jan McCuller and visited her daughter, Tony Combest on Wednesday before returning home.

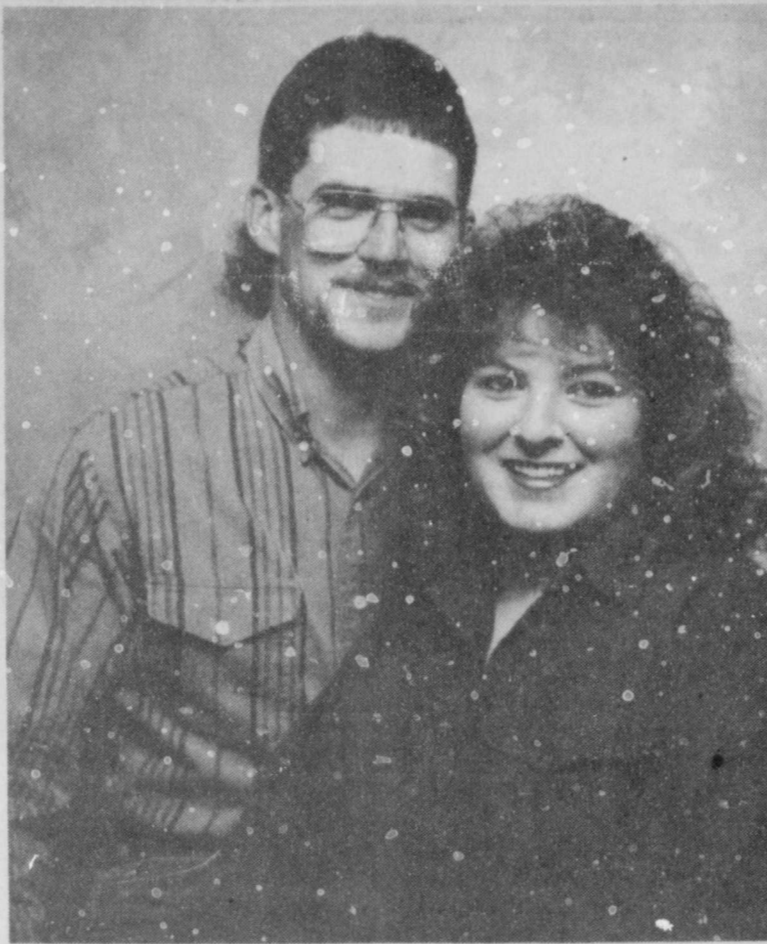
Mrs. Gene Hawkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Morris in Clarksville.

Mrs. Irene Sells and Donald Pyburn of Sillsbee visited the Gene Hawkins and other friends on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casey of Paris on Friday.

Mrs. Dorothy Foster and Kay Stewart visited Thursday in Paris with Mrs. Stewart's grandmother, Mrs. Helen Daniels at the Leisure Lodge Nursing Home.

Lucille Childers went to Mt. Pleasant Tuesday to spend the night with her daughter, Jan McCuller and visited her daughter, Toni Combest on Wednesday before returning home.



Misti Dawn Hamilton with fiance Jason Glen Ward Hamilton-Ward Engagement Announced

Larry and Sharon Hamilton announce the engagement and approaching marriage their daughter, Misti Dawn, to Jason Glen Watson, son of Sammy Joe and Carol Ward of Bogata.

The couple will be married at 7 p.m. Saturday, November 14 at the Bonham Street Church of God with the Rev. O.D. Robertson officiating

the semi-formal ceremony. Miss Hamilton is a 1991 graduate of North Lamar High School and will attend Paris Junior College in the spring.

Her fiance is a 1988 graduate of Rivercrest High School and is employed by Pilgrim's Pride in Mt. Pleasant.



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Have A Happy & Safe Halloween!!

On October 31, Halloween, children's fantasies come true. They gleefully don costumes to look like their favorite heroes or villains and knock eagerly on neighbor's doors to ask the age-old question "Trick or Treat?" Not too surprisingly, they usually get what they want, a bag filled with goodies. But Halloween fantasies can turn sour if trick or treaters and their parents don't prepare for safety. These

safety tips are intended to assist you and your child to think about ways to keep Halloween a "Safe and Fun Night."

These safety tips are made possible through the courtesy of the Deport American Legion, the Deport Community Service Club and the City of Deport.

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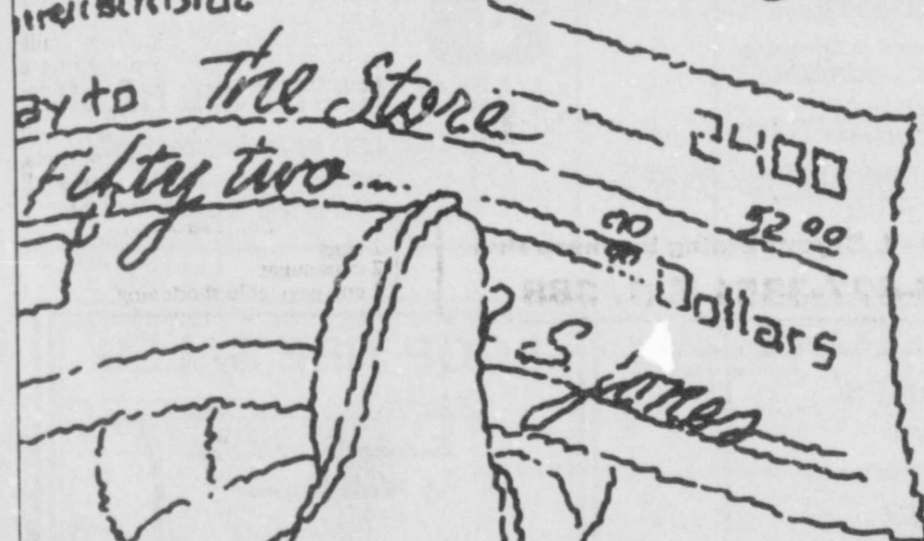
- *Keep costume short so you won't trip
- *Obey traffic lights
- *Stay and move in small groups
- *Have an adult with you
- *Accept only wrapped or sealed treats
- *Use makeup, not a mask
- *Use non-flammable materials
- *Cross streets only at the corner
- *Have mom or dad check treats
- *Walk-don't run
- *Look both ways before crossing the street
- *Carry a flashlight
- *Don't eat treats until you get home
- *Don't walk in the streets



STEPHANIE BORDEN IS BAND SQUAD MEMBER OF THE WEEK. She is the daughter of Loretta Storie of Talco, and is co-captain of the color guard. She is a sophomore. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

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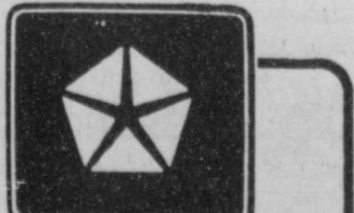
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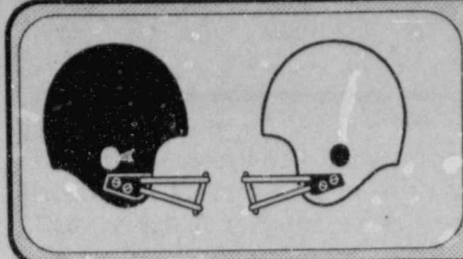
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Rebel Sports Report

Rebels Lose Second Bid For District Win

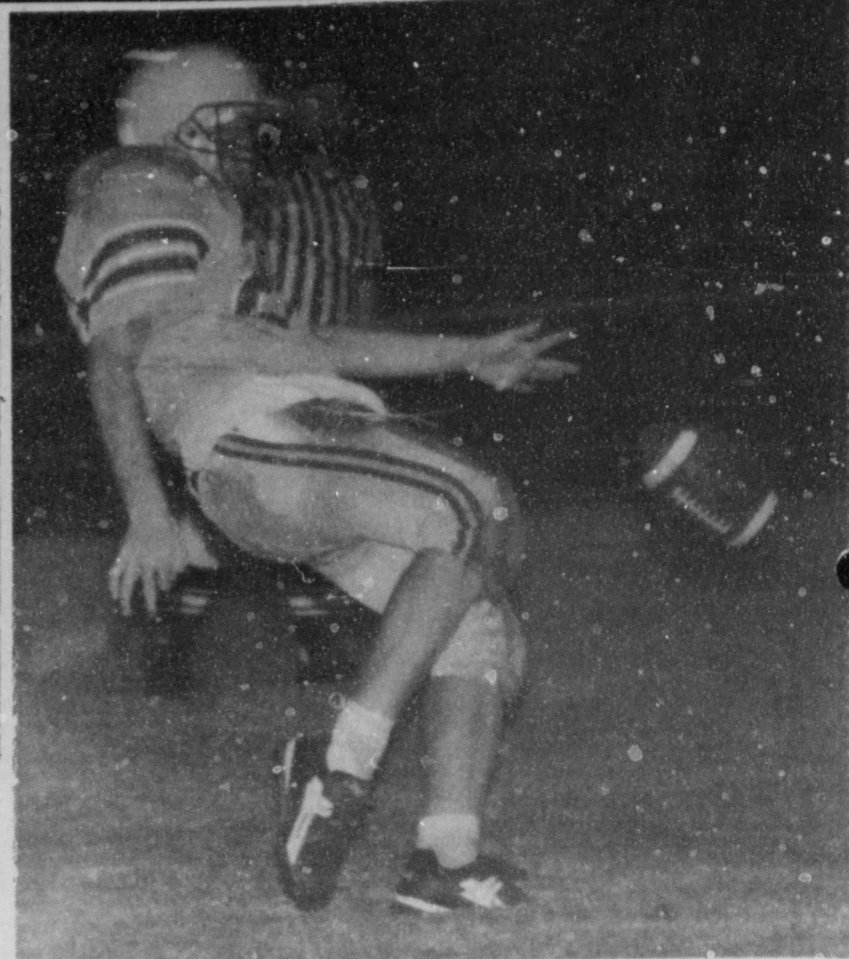
By Reggie Alford
The Rivercrest Rebels were looking for their second district win Friday night against Wolfe City, but the Wolves defense had other plans. Wolfe City took an early first quarter lead, 6-0 but dropped a Tony Sanders punt and it was recovered by junior Shannon Richeson. Sanders then led the Rivercrest team downfield for the first score of the night. Jeremy Belyeu kicked the extra point to give the Rebels a 7-6 lead.

The Wolves offense, along with several penalties, responded to take back the lead with :32 left in the second quarter and at the half it was Wolfe City with a 12-7 lead. The young Rebels refused to quit, however, as sophomore quarterback Tee Green connected with Shannon Richeson to take back the lead at 7:04 in the third quarter. Rivercrest made good on the extra point attempt. With only :08 left in the third

quarter, Wolfe City's quarterback J.O. Fuller hit Carry Herron in the endzone and after the two point conversion, they led with a 20-14 score. Wolfe City's defense then held the Rebels scoreless during the final period, while their offense exploded for two more touchdowns to give the Wolves a 34-17 victory. The Rebels will travel to Chisum this week. Game time is 7:30.



RIVERCREST KICKER Jeremy Belyeu boots the extra point Rebels lost the contest 34-14 to Wolfe City. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



JAY HANCOCK punts the ball for the Rivercrest Rebels last Thursday when the team played

the Mt. Vernon Tigers. The Rebels won the game 18-6. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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Rivercrest JV Wins 18-6

The Rivercrest JV squad hosted Mt. Vernon Thursday, October 23 at Rivercrest, taking the win 18-6. The team held the Tigers throughout the game, only to let them slip in a score with 1:14 left on the clock. Rebels Juan Torres, Jay Hancock, Chris Waller and Jeremy Loggins did

an outstanding job for the team. The Rebel JV will host Chisum this Thursday, October 29 at Rivercrest following the eighth grade game, which will begin at 6 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support the young teams.

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OUTSTANDING SQUAD MEMBERS of the band for last week are left to right: Christina Vaughan, Lindy Phillips, Bryan Giles, Mandy Duckworth and John White. Christina Vaughan is the granddaughter of Jim Ed and Sandra Lee. Lindy is the



OUTSTANDING SQUAD MEMBER OF THIS WEEK is John White son of Wayne and Joy White.

HALLOWEEN SPOOK CONTEST!

Children ages 0 - 5 years and 6 - 10 years old are invited to participate in a Halloween contest at the Broad Street Junction downtown Talco Saturday, October 31st at 4 p.m. First, second and third place will be given in both age groups. Three local residents will judge the contestants. Bring your little Spooks out and join us for fun and prizes.

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The Texas Department of Health, Public Health Region 7 office, announced plans today for the continuation of a series of monthly immunization clinics for all children needing immunizations, who meet the required family income determination guidelines.

The clinic will be conducted November 5 from 9-11:30 and 1-2:30 at 1300 Highway 37 North, Clarksville, Texas.

Future clinic dates will be announced. Parents may call the clinic for an appointment for their child, (903)572-9877, or arrive on a walk-in basis.

The Health Department emphasizes that this clinic is available to all preschool and school age children who meet the family income guide-

lines, beginning at two months of age. Immunizations offered include Measles/Mumps/Rubella, Oral Polio, Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis and Tetanus/diphtheria. The Haemophilus Influenzae type b vaccine is also available to medically eligible children between the ages of 2 months and 60 months. The pneumonia vaccine is available to all high risk patients meeting income guidelines. All children must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Parents are reminded to bring the child's immunization record and Social Security number if available. The Tetanus/diphtheria vaccine is available to medically eligible adults. Should the parent or legal guardian have questions, please contact the above noted field office staff.

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Red River-Bowie Auxiliary Meets
Red River-Bowie District Auxiliary of Missionary Baptist met with Friendship Missionary Baptist Church of Clarksville on Tuesday night October 13. The meeting was attended by 69 members, 6 pastors and 3 children. Those from Johtown Missionary Baptist Church attending were: Rev. and Mrs. Billy Daniels, Dorothy Foster, Lee Hood, Myra Jean, Mildred Mayfield and Oleta McAllister.



David Edward Bishop announces the birth of his baby sister, **Lesa Marie**, born October 19. She weighed 5 pounds and 11 ounces and was 19 inches long. Her parents are Ronald and Thresa Bishop of Blossom. Grandparents are Donald and Jane Barnard of Johtown and Ronald and Brenda Bishop of Blossom. Her great-grandmother is Ida Barnard of Johtown.

A daughter was born October 26, 1992, at 8:52 p.m. in the 130th Military Station Hospital in Heidelberg, Germany, to SPC Trenton C. Couch and Patti Couch. She weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. and has been named **Ladona Victoria**. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cox. Her great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kay, Mr. W. N. Dodd is a great-great-grandparent.

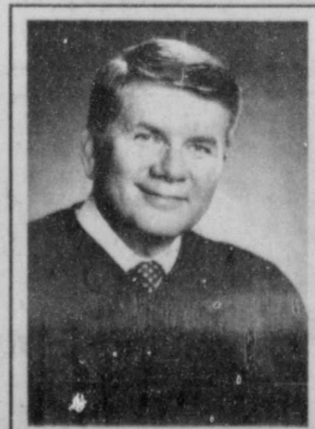


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COACHES at Rivercrest were honored Friday, October 23 at the school's pep rally. Friday was "National Coaches Day" and the Rivercrest seniors presented each coach with a plaque in honor of the occasion. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

October Scheduled For Classes

The following continuing education courses are offered during October at Paris Junior College.

CPR for Health Care Providers will be offered on Saturday, October 17 from 8 to 5. Brenda Brosch is the instructor and the fee is \$20. The course will provide information about heart disease, pediatric and adult risk factors, prudent heart living, heart and lung function and signals and action for survival. CPR for the adult, child and infant as well as the two-rescuer approach to the adult and child victim will be covered.

Components of a business plan, discussion of types of information included in various components, and how and where to get information will be taught in the course entitled What Is A Business Plan. Taught by

John Davis, the course will be offered on Tuesday, October 20 from 6-9 p.m. Fee is \$10.

Computer Level II, taught by Dr. Tommy Eads, will begin Monday, October 26 from 6:30-9:30. The class will meet Mondays for five weeks. The fee is \$60 plus a \$5 maintenance fee. Students will explore the BASIC language as well as FIND, REPLACE, and CUT AND PASTE options in the word processing component.

Defensive Driving will be given on Monday and Tuesday, October 26-27 from 6-10 p.m. Taught by Brad Bankhead the fee for the course is \$25. The eight hour course is offered in accordance with the standards established by the National Safety Council.

People 'N Things

The Fulbright Community Club will have a *stew supper* October 31 beginning at 4:30. All the stew, pie and drink for \$2.50. Everyone is invited to attend.

Rural Texans Receive Housing Assistance

"During the 1992 fiscal year the Texas FmHA made new loans to rural residents which totaled over \$22 million for the purchase of single family dwellings," stated State Director Neal Sox Johnson. In addition, Texas rural families were provided homes from the sale of inventory properties totaling over \$12.4 million. Home repair assistance in the form of loans and grants provided to very low income and elderly residents in rural Texas amounted to \$1,525,000.

Fiscal year 1992 was the first full year for the new FmHA Guaranteed Rural Housing Loan Program whereby FmHA guarantees 90% of the loan from a participating commercial lender to an eligible low or moderate income family for the purchase of a rural home. Texas now has

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As FmHA enters fiscal year 1993, President Bush has already signed the Agriculture Appropriations bill which authorized \$1.3 billion in direct lending and \$330 million in guaranteed single family housing funds to continue to meet the housing needs of rural Americans. "Texas FmHA looks forward to an allocation of approximately \$62 million in direct and \$16 million in guaranteed funds to assist eligible rural residents in their housing needs," said Johnson.

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The event earned \$318.00 for the D-Fy-It organization.

Sixty bales of hay were decorated around the area, donated to the group by Randy Hollis. The hay was auctioned off following the coronation, bringing \$2.00 a bale from Randy Nolen of Talco.

Those helping in the Spook House were Gene Goates, Skippy Randall, Bobby Kuhl, Ray Cochran, Russell Smith, Clarence and Cindy Watts, Kim and Nancy Brown, Peggy and Ron Benfield, Sue Nolen and Karen and Johnny Jones.

The group expressed their appreciation to those helping in the Spook House and to Wade White and the Plain Label Band, who entertained the crowd with excellent country and gospel music.



BAND MEMBER OF THE WEEK is Michael G. Noble, a sophomore at Rivercrest High School. Michael plays trombone and has been in the band for five years. His parents are William and Kathy Smith of Talco. Michael says band is "lots of fun but a lot of work". (Staff photo by Judy Screws)

Assembly of God To Celebrate Homecoming

The 37th homecoming of the First Assembly of God will be celebrated on November 1, 1992. Lunch will be served following the morning service in the newly remodeled fellowship hall. Singing will start at 2 p.m. Guest speaker for the morning service will be Rev. Boyce Green former Texarkana Section Presbyter.

All former members and the public are invited to help celebrate 37 years of worship in Bogata. For further information call pastor Mark Jones, 903/632-4311.

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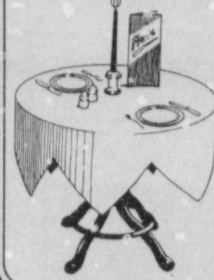
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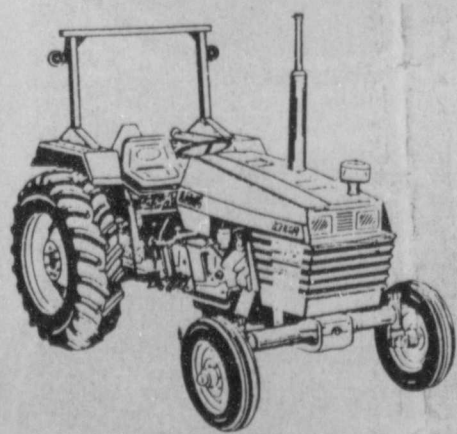
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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Community National Bank of Detroit

Name of Bank of City
 in the state of Texas, at the close of business on September 30, 1992 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 18646 Comptroller of the Currency 11th District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
ASSETS	
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	381
Interest-bearing balances	3,616
Securities	3,586
Federal funds sold	815
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	-0-
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	6,870
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	146
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	6,724
Assets held in trading accounts	-0-
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	207
Other real estate owned	-0-
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	-0-
Other assets	282
Total assets	15,611
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	-0-
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	15,611
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices:	
Noninterest-bearing	2,436
Interest-bearing	11,719
Total deposits	14,155
Federal funds purchased	-0-
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	-0-
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Subordinated notes and debentures	-0-
Other liabilities	-0-
Total liabilities	105
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	14,260
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	-0-
Common stock	550
Surplus	550
Undivided profits and capital reserves	258
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	7
Total equity capital	1,351
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	-0-
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	1,351
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	15,611

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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Linda Hearron of Denton spent the weekend with her parents, James and Grace Hearron. While here she and her papa Hearron celebrated their birthdays. Grace honored them with a party in their home, serving cake and ice cream to Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Hearron, Mrs. Lois Parker, Mrs. Donna Hearron, Steven and Susan and the honorees and hostesses. All enjoyed a good time and fellowship.

Visiting Mrs. Ruby Horn Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kuhl, Chad and Kristen, Mr. and Mrs. Linden Horn, Vickie Howard and Ashley and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Kuhl and Maria.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail Tuesday were Jimmie, Aline and Jimmie Lee Fail of Frankston and Lynn and Ann Fail of Kilgore.

Visiting Mrs. Charline Black over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perdue of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Black of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crowley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pittman and Mike of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Kuhl and Maria and Kristin Kuhl visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stevens in Jolntown Sunday.

The Calvary Baptist Church of Talco and the Assembly of God Church co-sponsored the Fifth Quarter Fellowship following Friday night's football game. They reported a good turnout.

Charline Black, Maxine Harrell and Jackie Crowley visited in Dallas Thursday through Saturday.

Paul Miller, Sr. underwent surgery Monday, October 26 at Titus County Memorial Hospital and is reported doing well.

Mrs. Diann Duffie and B.W. visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown, Kim and Jack Sunday.

Tammie Case, Ryan and Rachel visited Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Hare in Sulphur Bluff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander, Mrs. Gladys Garretson and Mrs. Vivian Westbrook enjoyed a scenic drive through Oklahoma and Arkansas Thursday.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Benfield were Stan Cook and Ronny Benfield of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jones of Pine Mills. They enjoyed the Talco Fall Festival

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Worthey and family of Mt. Pleasant were dinner guests of their mother, Dorothy Worthey, on Saturday.

Mrs. Glenda Green and son Wade of Burkburnett visited during the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Louise Stockton.

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First National Bank of Deport is closing its affairs. Creditors should present their claims against the association for payment by mail to First National Bank of Deport, P.O. Box 374, Deport, Texas 75435, or in person to First National Bank of Deport, 111 Main Street, Deport, Texas. Liquidation will be effective upon consummation of the proposed purchase of assets and assumption of liabilities on or about September 31, 1992.

A copy of the resolution for voluntary liquidation may be inspected at the First National Bank of Deport at 111 Main Street, Deport, Texas, during regular business hours.

Notice of Voluntary Liquidation is published pursuant to 12 U.S.C. #182.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR WASTE DISCHARGE PERMIT RENEWAL

CITY OF DETROIT, P.O. Box 180, Detroit, Texas 75436-0180 has applied to the Texas Water Commission for renewal of Permit No. 10724-01 which authorizes a discharge of treated domestic wastewater effluent at a volume not to exceed an average flow of 108,000 gallons per day. The wastewater treatment facilities are approximately 1200 feet south of U.S. Highway 82, approximately one mile southeast of the intersection of U.S. Highway 82 and Farm-to-Market Road 2573 in Red River County, Texas. The effluent is discharged into Scatter Creek; thence to Cuthand Creek; thence to the Sulphur River/ South Sulphur River in Segment No. 0303 of the Sulphur River Basin.

In accordance with the Texas Surface Water Quality Standards, the Commission staff must determine the existing uses for the receiving water in the area of the proposed discharge and whether the proposed discharge will cause significant degradation to any high quality waters in the area. The un-

classified receiving waters of Scatter Creek have no significant aquatic life uses. The designated uses for Segment No. 0303 are contact recreation and high quality aquatic life uses. The effluent limitations in the draft permit will maintain and protect the existing instream uses. All determinations are preliminary and subject to additional review and/or revision. The Executive Director of the Texas Water Commission has prepared a draft permit which, if approved by the Commission, will enforce more stringent effluent limitations in order to meet existing applicable rules and regulations. It is proposed that the expiration date of the renewed permit be specified as midnight, five years after date of Commission approval.

Legal Authority: Section 26.028 of the Texas Water Code and 31 TAC Chapter 305 of the Rules of the Texas Water Commission. No public hearing will be held on this application unless an affected person who has received notice of the application specifically requests a public hearing. Any such request for a public hearing shall be in writing and contain (1) the name, mailing address and daytime phone number of the person making the request; (2) the statement "...request a public hearing"; and (3) a brief

description of how the requester, or persons represented by the requester, would be adversely affected by the granting of the application. If the Commission determines that the request sets out an issue which is relevant to the application, or that a public hearing, would serve the public interest, the Commission shall conduct a public hearing, after the issuance of proper and timely notice of the hearing. If no sufficient request for hearing is received within 30 days of the date of publication of the notice concerning the application, the permit will be submitted to the Commission for final decision on the application. Requests for a public hearing on this application should be submitted in writing to Kerry D. Sullivan, Assistant Chief Hearings Examiner, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, Telephone (512)463-7908. Information concerning any technical aspect of this application can be obtained by writing Dacie W. White, P.E., Waste-water Permits Section, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711, Telephone (512)463-8201. Issued this 20th day of October, 1992.

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FAMILIAR FACE in Talco-I.L. Hearron is one of Talco's familiar faces, having moving to Talco during the oil boom in 1937. He celebrated his 89th birthday October 22. He was an oil field pumper in this field for 40 years,

retiring in 1986 and enjoying it. He likes Talco, saying there are so many nice and friendly people. Several of his cousins and grandchildren live in Talco which makes it very nice for him.



KENDALL STANSELL sang "The Good Ship Lollipop" and "Candyland" at the Talco Fall Festival Coronation last Saturday, October 24. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



SUGAR HILL Community Center sponsored a stew dinner, bake sale and 42 tournament Saturday at the Center from 11 to 5 p.m. Everyone enjoyed the day. The group raised \$1,042. to help repair the center and put it back into use. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

Missionary Association Meets For 87th Session

The 87th annual session of the Hopkins County Missionary Association met with the First Baptist Church, Talco on Monday evening. Messenger, Bro. Lloyd Cashion, who preached the annual message. Bro. Ted Johnson represented all state departments. Bro. David Webb will preach the annual message in 1993 and Elm Ridge, Como will host the meeting. Bro. Gary House was elected moderator.

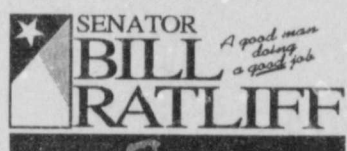
Reports were given on the Gainesville mission and Hopkins County prison ministry.

The association voted to send \$600 per month to the East Texas Mission District, continue the support of the Gainesville Mission in the amount of \$250 per month and support Bro. Charlie Sickles prison ministry and help pay his expenses to Russia. \$1000 was taken out of the general fund to help the Rose City mission in Tyler.

Along with hearing reports from all the work, the group heard representatives of the East Texas Mission District including the ABS and Spanish work and new church mission at

The Association will meet with Calvary, Coope in January and with Calvary, Mt. Pleasant in July. The host church provided refreshments after the meeting.

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<p>SAUSAGE Carls 2 Lb. Roll - Regular & Hot</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$2.89</p>	<p>SIRLOIN STEAK Boneless - Lb.</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$2.49</p>	<p>BOLOGNA Decker- Lb.</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.29</p>	<p>WEINERS Decker 12oz. Pkg.</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">79¢</p>			
<p>EGGS Grade A Large-Dozen</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">79¢</p>	<p>ICE CREAM Bordens 1/2 Gallon All Flavors</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.99</p>	<p>SNOWDRIFT Shortening 3 lb. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.69</p>	<p>CHICKEN BREAST FILLETS Pilgrims 9oz. Box</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.99</p>	<p>BEEF STEW Austex 40oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.89</p>	<p>CHILI Wolf 19oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.29</p>	<p>ICE MILK & YOGURT Blue Bell 1/2 Gallon All Flavors</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$2.99</p>
<p>CATSUP Del Monte 28oz. Squeeze Bottle</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">99¢</p>	<p>CORN Del Monte 17oz. Can Cream Style</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">2/89¢</p>	<p>PEAS Del Monte Sweet 17oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">2/89¢</p>	<p>GREEN BEANS Del Monte Cut 16oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">2/89¢</p>	<p>CORN Del Monte 17oz. Can Whole Kernel</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">2/89¢</p>	<p>PORK & BEANS Van Camp's 16oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">2/89¢</p>	<p>CHEESE Wiscon. 'n American 1lb.</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.89</p>
<p>RANCH STYLE BEANS 15oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">2/99¢</p>	<p>MARAGINE Blue Bonnet 4 Sticks</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">69¢</p>	<p>WAFERS Nabisco Nilla 12oz. Box</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.69</p>	<p>CRACKERS Sunshine Krispy Lb. Box</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.19</p>	<p>PRINGLES CHIPS 6oz. Can</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">99¢</p>	<p>HOT DOG BUNS Wonder 8 Pk.</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">89¢</p>	<p>BISCUITS Parade</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">5/\$1</p>
<p>CHEER With BLEACH 45oz. Box 14 Load</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$2.99</p>	<p>TOWELS Bounty Large Roll</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.29</p>	<p>ORANGE JUICE Tropicana 1/2 Gallon</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$2.49</p>	<p>Hostess DING DONGS</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">3/\$1</p>	<p>Mrs. Bairds FRIED PIES</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">3/\$1</p>	<p>RUFFLES CHIPS F.g. \$1.49</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">99¢</p>	<p>BREAD Wonder Large Loaf Country Style</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">69¢</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">PRODUCE</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>BANANAS 29¢ Lb.</p> <p>APPLES 49¢ Lb.</p> <p>ORANGES 39¢ Lb.</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>POTATOES 10 Lb. Bag \$1.49</p> <p>WHITE ONIONS 29¢ Lb.</p> <p>CARROTS 29¢ Lb. Bag</p> </div> </div>			<p>SUGAR Imperial 4 Lb. Bag</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.49</p>	<p>PEPSI MOUNTAIN DEW DIET PEPSI 2 Liter</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">89¢</p>	<p>PEPSI-DIET PEPSI MOUNTAIN DEW 6 Pack Cans</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">\$1.59</p>	