

My husband's uncle died last week, and Thomas was a pallbearer at the funeral. This funeral took place at a large Dallas area funeral home, and after he came home, Thomas talked about the differences between that funeral and one that takes place in "our part of the world"

From Paris to Mt. Pleasant and all the towns in between, there is a level of service and caring that we all take for granted. It was something of a shock to discover that it is not the normal state of affairs everywhere.

All of the funeral homes, be they in Paris, Clarksville, Deport, Bogata, Mt. Pleasant or in any other smaller city, are able to provide personal care that is unmatched.

Little things, such as coming to the home of the deceased's family, we take for granted. Not so in many places .... it is up to the family to find their way to the funeral home, or church.

Things are very impersonal, and it was painfully obvious that although the personnel was polite and impeccable, they are just doing a job.

The feeling of being known to the people at the establishments, the comfort of knowing that they truly care and really do want to help a family get through this difficult time was lacking.

It is understandable, they deal with a constant stream of grieving people every day, and they seldom if ever actually know the people they are serving. The very size of the operation makes it impossible to extend the little familiar touches we are all so accus-

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### Talco Times TALCO, TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS Thursday, November 3, 1994

**Postmaster Receives** Award For Honorable Service

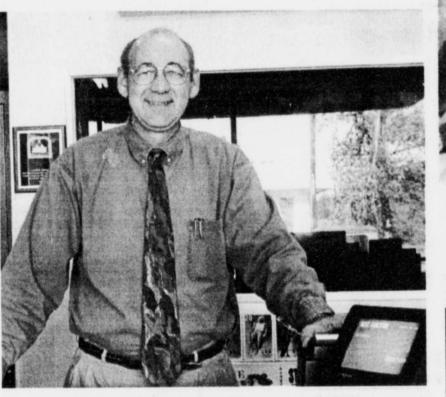
Talco Postmaster Ronny Sansom auxiliary mail carrier. After three was awarded a silver pin for 25 years of honorable service to the U.S. Postal Service.

**59TH YEAR, No. 36** 

The award was presented to Mt. Pleasant. Sansom on October 20 in Tyler at the annual Postmaster's Meeting. Sansom began his postal service in June of 1969 in Mt. Pleasant as an

years he was promoted to clerk until 1989, when he was promoted to Superintendent of Postal Operations in

Sansom has held the position of Postmaster of the Talco Post Office since December, 1992.



Talco Postmaster Ronny Sansom, **Receives 25 Year Pin** 

TALCO SCHOOL students enjoyed refreshments and a visit to **Talco State Bank on Haloween** day, Monday, October 31. (Staff Photo)

### Editor's Quote Book

plan offered unique incentives to its

members-- the more cash they in-

vested, the higher rate of return they

were promised. Over half the inves-

tors were seniors, and many lost their

was charged with mail fraud after

bilking 600 investors of \$7 million

through the sale of an "equity plus

metals purchase program." The

scheme offered unwary investors

fraudulent contracts in silver, gold,

platinum and palladium. Unfortu-

nately, the only precious metals found

in this case were in the pockets of the

this year was indicted in Harrisburg,

Pa. Thirty four Toronto based gem-

stone telemarketers and ten Cana-

dian firms were charged with mail

fraud and wire fraud in connection

eith a scheme to sell vastly over-

priced gemstones to thousends of

stateside victims, many of them sen-

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\*For further information call Linda

iors. Their loss? Over \$35 million.

The biggest investment scheme of

A San Diego based telemarketer

A diplomat is a man who remembers a lady's birthday but forgets her age. Anonymous

### Talco State Bank **Treats Elementary Students**

Talco State Bank officers and employees treated the students of Talco Elementary School with homemade ghosts and pumpkin cookies and punch on Halloween.

The students from the first and second grades visited with the bank staff during the morning before lunch. The Kindergarten and Pre-K classes visited in the afternoon. Mr.s Ballard's

employees with a song.

The Pre-K class had their first experience on a field trip and many of the students had their first school bus ride. The class sang a number of their favorite Halloween songs for the bank staff and customers.

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Each class had a great time visiting "their" bank and look forward to their next visit.

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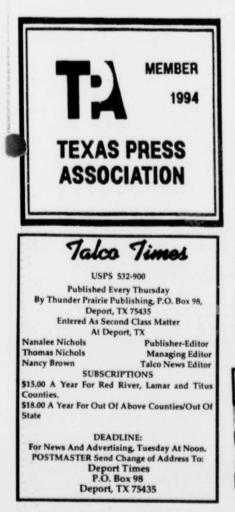
But it helps more than most of us realize when we know the people assisting us, when they are our friends and neighbors, and a visible, vital part of our communities.

After the services, after the rideback home, came another one of the differences...for instead of the usual huge bounty of food sent by concerned friends and neighbors there were only two or three items.....for customs have changed and only those who are closest to the family sent food.

So give a thought to the wonderful, personal help given us in our times of trouble ... and be thankful and appreciative. It isn't always that way.

#### East Lamar Class of 1949 To Hold Reunion Nov. 5th

The 1949 East Lamar School will old a reunion on November 5th. An invitation is extended to all ex-students and teachers to attend at the Plainview Community Center at Clardy, thirteen miles S.E. of Paris on FM 905. Bring finger foods of your choice and join us from 11 to 5



**BEST COSTUME WINNER-**Tiffany Austerman was one of the winners in the Costume Contest held at the Bogata School Harvest Festival. last Saturday. She was dressed like a clown. (Staff Photo)

#### Bogata Methodist Sponsors Free **Clothing Program**

Members of the Bogata Methodist Church as well as other local individuals have donated their good used clothing and they keep it in a common location so that anyone who is in need of clothing may come and see if there is anything they can wear. There are all styles and all sizes, and the stock is getting too large for the location. If you or anyone you know is in need of clothing, call 903-632-4372 and they will tell you where the clothing is located and when it is convenient for you to come look. Remember, there are no qualifications or no charges. All you need to do is go by and see if there is anything you can use."



### Investment Scams Abound, Seniors Are Favorite Targets

life savings.

crooks.

Washington-Older Americans are than \$13 million. The savings club increasingly the favorite targets of scammers using the U.S. Mail and interstate telephone lines to pitch crooked investment schemes, warn Postal inspectors. One convicted con man referred to his senior victime as "WOOPIES" (well off older people). Inspectors cite numerous cases worked from coast to coast that repeat a familiar pattern. Investors/victims bankroll the scammers' high rolling lifestyle rather than earning the promised high returns on their investments.

A northeast "financial planner" filched over \$5 million from 40 victims, including elderly members of his own family. He was arrested for mail fraud after causing his clients to obtain second mortgages or refinance existing mortgages to invest their cash in "muni-unit trusts," an investment vehicle unknown to legitimate brokers. Victims who now cannot meet mortgage payments are receiving foreclosure notices. Inspectors tracked down this crook in Venezuela and had him returned to the United States to face charges.

A midwestern savings club opera-3458. tor was indicted in Chicago for defrauding over 623 individuals of more

### Bogata First Assembly Church To Observe 39th Homecoming

Sunday November 6, 1994 the First Assembly of God Church in Bogata will observe it's 39th Homecoming. Reverend Richard Plunk, Executive Assistant of the North Texas district of the Assemblies of God, will bring the message for the morning worship service at 11:00 a.m. As usual, Sunday School will meet occasion with them.

at 10:00 a.m.

Lunch will be served on the Church grounds. At 1:00 P.M. there will be a local singing.

Everyone is invited to attend one or all of the services. The Church would love to have the community help them celebrate this important

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Kindergarten class entertained the

### Gifted And Talented Students Attend Play in Texarkana

On Friday, October 28, a group of twenty Gifted and Talented students from Rivercrest High School and their sponsor, Mrs. Barbara Russell attended a performance of "Encore" in Texarkana.

The Chamber Repertory Theatre performed a series of five plays to honor some of the greatest writers of all time:"The Tell Tale Heart", by Edgar Allen Poe; "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow", by Washington Irving; "The Monkey's Paw", by W.W. Jacobs; "The Necklace", by Guy de Maupassant; and "The Famous Jumping Frog of Calaverous County", by

Mark Twain. The students in attendance were Derek Belcher, Kristi Hines, Bonnie Phillips, Sara Stanley, John White, Dru Denison, Erric Martin, Lindy Phillips, Amber Spencer, Teresa Torres, Marla Williams, Norma Jasso, Paty Lozoya, Elizabeth Scott, Karen Williams, Daniel Connell, Misty Deming, Eric Hall, Andy Speir and Emily Spencer.

It was the general consensus of all who attended that the trip was very enjoyable and the entertainment was excellent.

## Methodist Bazaar Is November 12

annual Bazaar, Saturday, November 12 at the United Methodist Church in Bogata.

The dinner will be served from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. There will be no deliveries this year. However, take- outs are available. The menu is a "Hearty Vegetable- Beef Soup" with all the trimmings.

The Bazaar sales start at 9:00 a.m. and will close at 3:00 p.m. There are five quilts for the silent auction; baby quilts and wall hangings; Christmas

Plans are being finalized for the decorations, wreaths, ornaments and tree skirts; kitchen items- aprons, knives, cookbooks, placemats, and magnets; art- paintings and ceramics; baked goods; children's Items stuffed toys, china baby doll ; jewelry; fire starters; home decorating items; and bags- laundry, bows and plastic bags.

Items for this sale have been accumulated since last February, and a nice assortment has been readied for public viewing. This would be an excellent opportunity to do your early Christmas shopping.

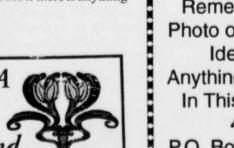
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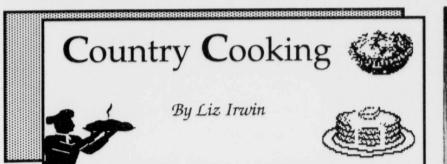
The Rivercrest Beta Club will have the concession stand at the 21/2 point saddle roping at B&B Arena in Rosalie. Event begins at 5:30 P.M. Proceeds from the stand will beused to fund a state Beta Club Convention.

Don't forget the Bogata Methodist Church's Annual Bazaar and luncheon. It is to be held Saturday, November 12. Go out and look around. It's hard not to find something you like when you see all of the items available.

Need a hunting or fishing license? The convenient place to get one is at the Talco State Bank in Talco. Drop by and get yours today.

The Talco Assembly of God Church W.M. class are selling twoyear planning calendars and refrigerator deodorant containers. All proceeds will be used for children's church Christmas gifts. For more information, contact Grace Hearron, Patsy Watts or any W. M. member.





This week I visited with a delightful lady from the Minter community by the name of Pam McKee. They have lived there for 5 years in a tastefully decorated home with a southwestern flair. Pam gave me a tour and explained that she did the walls with a sponge to get the adobe effect. She did the children's bathroom with a washcloth as her main tool and sponged on the fish and highlighted them with glitter and other items. The paint was applied with a wiping motion and makes the walls look like the ocean. She then highlighted with the fish, using various colors.

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As we got into our visit, the conversation turned to children. I explained to her that she had some 'great" years ahead. (Hey! Hey!) We compared notes and decided that no two children are alike, they each have their own personality. Pam and her husband Jimmy have two girls and one boy. Jemilynn is 10 and a fifth grade student in Deport Elementary and Jay Curt is 6 and a first grader there. Jerrika is five and in the Head Start program in Detroit. Jemilynn is in the Lamar County Four-H program and a member of the Prairiland Junior FFA and has show pigs and Houston broilers and a member of the Little Dribblers program. Jay Curt is in the Deport Baseball program and Jerrika is not old enough for either, but her time is coming.

Jimmy is the Safety Director for Harrison-Walker and Harper and in his spare time serves as a Paris Re-

serve EMS. They are members of the Blossom Church of God and Pam is a substitute at Deport School and PTO and Head Start volunteer. Pam also works part-time at Chapman-Nauman Florist. She loves to do yard work and loves docorating the house. She does something different each month and was getting ready to put out her Thanksgiving decorations.

Her recipes this week are varied and include some of her favorites. They enjoy the German Cole Slaw and can be made ahead of time and refrigerated. The Chops N' Kraut is an unusual recipe, but she says that everyone that trys it, loves it and can also be used with pork spareribs. The Goldminer's Dip sounds delicious and I can't wait to try it for the holidays along with the Cheese Soup. Well, maybe I won't wait that long! I have tried the Banana Pudding recipe and it is luscious, absolutely wonderful and a weightwatcher's nighmare! But by the time you get through the Slaw, Kraut dish and Dip and cheese soup .... who cares! The Peach tortillas can be used with other varieties of fruit fillings and are very good. The Smell Good Recipe is added to get everyone ready for the holidays! Thanksgiving and Christmas are just around the corner and I know everyone is anxious to get started with preparations.

We're looking for holiday recipes and cooks. If you have any suggestions, call us....see you in the kitchen!



FEATURED COOK OF THE WEEK is Pam McKee of the Minter community. She is shown here with her Peach Tortillas and says that her children love them for an afternoon snack after school. (Staff Photo)

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James A. Peterson

James A. "Pete" Peterson, age 62

Services were held at 10:00 a.m.

of Dallas, died Thursday, October

Saturday, October 29 in Grove Hill

Funeral Home Chapel in Dallas with

the Rev. B.G. Eades officiating. In-

terment followed in Grove Hill Me-

Mr. Peterson retired in 1985 as

General Manager for Julius and Phil

Schepp's Wholesale Liquor Compa-

nies. Since retirement he owned and

operated the Shop and Go conve-

nience store. He was a member of St.

Philip The Apostle Catholic Church.

He held memberships in the Mes-

quite Masonic Lodge No. 928, Scot-

attended school at Detroit. His

mother, Minnie Peterson, formerly

Peterson of Dallas; a son, Lance

Peterson of Dallas: a daughter,

Shontel Howard of Dallas; children

by previous marriage, Larry, Steve

He was raised at Kiomatia and

Survivors include his wife, Jean

tish Rite and Hella Temple Shrine.

Dies October 27

#### Arthur Ray Bean Dies October 28

Arthur Ray Bean, age 59 of Garvin, OK died Friday, October 28 in McCurtain Memorial Hospital in Idabel, OK

Services were conducted at Forest Hill Baptist Church in Idabel on Sunday, October 30 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. T.W. Tidmore officiating. Clarksville Funeral Home made burial in Forest Hill Cemetery in Idabel

Mr. Bean was born November 23. 1934 in Mt. Zion, OK to George and Maudie Coffman Bean. He married Catherine C. Carter on September 22, 1958. He was an Army veteran and was an equipment operator. He was a member of the Church of God.

three sons, Donald, Danny and Thomas Bean, all of Garvin; three daughters, Judy Naylor of Garvin, Jackie Bean of Garvin and ThelmaRaulston of Clarksville, TX; two sisters, Nona-Lynch of Manford, OK and Mary La Ozeretny of Oklahoma City, OK; one\* brother, G.W. Bean of Kansas; and 14 grandchildren.

## Obituaries

### Dan Johnson Dies October 30

Dan Johnson, age 68 of Detroit, died in the V.A. Hospital in Dallas on Sunday, October 30.

Services were held at 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 2 in the Fry & Gibbs Chapel with burial in East Post Oak Cemetery. Rev. Jeff Davis and Rev. Millard Fairchild officiat-

Mr. Johnson was born August 28. 1926 in Deport to Joseph Marshall and Zura Henrietta House Johnson. He attended Deport Schools and served in the U.S. Army Infantry during World War II. He married Modie Marie Pratt on November 21, 1946 in Blossom. He worked all of his life as a farmer and rancher. He was a member of the Methodist Church, the Detroit Masonic Lodge, the American Legion and the Eastern

Surviving are his wife; one son, John Mack Johnson of Detroit; three daughters, Phyllis Bryan of Hawkins, Leisa Brown of Detroit, Kay Whitley of Blossom; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; three sisters, Hilda Norwood and Hiawatha Rodgers, both of Paris and Earline Tidwell of Summitt, MS; and one brother, Weldon Johnson of Colorado Springs, CO.

Pallbearers were Randy Pratt, James Dale, Rickey Pratt, Jim Woods, Monte Johnson and Tracy Noll.

### Elbert Anderson

#### Dies October 24

Elbert A. Anderson, age 89 of Blossom, died Monday, October 24 at St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center. Services were held at 2:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 26 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jack Elliott officiating. Burial was in East Post Oak Cemetery.

Mr. Anderson was born February 25, 1905 in the Mt. Olive community of Lamar County, a son of Will R. and Etta Rodgers Anderson. He attended schools in Mt. Olive and was the oldest member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church. He was an avid outdoorsman. He was involved in rodeo in years past as a bronc rider and won numerous honors. He married Inez Ham in November, 1930. She died in April, 1967. He then married Katherine Wells in November, 1984. Surviving are his wife; three sons,

Elbert Leon Anderson, Bob Anderson and Don Anderson, all of Blossom; two daughters, Gladys Williams and Linda Francis, both of Garland; six grandchildren, Stan Williams, LeAnne Gentry, Todd Anderson, Kevin Anderson, Kerri Anderson and Tera Anderson; one greatgrandchild, Blake Gentry; two sis ters, Alleen Newell of Reno and Loyce Stansell of Mt. Pleasant; several nieces and nephews; two stepsons, Benny Freeman of Paris and Buddy Freeman of Evergreen, MS; four stepdaughters, Colleen Slayton of Deport, Geneva Turner of Dallas, Gayle Anderson of Dallas and Huette Bickel of Dallas; 13 step-grandchildren; and 16 step-great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were D.R. Bounds, Steve Foster, Jim Anderson, Lee Anderson, James Thomas Stansell and Gail Stansell.

### Orva Lou Easterling **Dies October 23**

Orva Lou Easterling, age 78 of Talco, died Sunday, October 23 at her residence.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 25 at the Calvary Baptist Church in Talco with the Rev. Don Williams assisted by the Rev. Glenn Connell. Interment followed in Talco Cemetery under the direction of Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robinson Funeral Home, Mt. Pleas-

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Mrs. Easterling was born March 9, 1916 in Franklin County, TX to Joe and Claudia Holmes Smith. She married Edgar Easterling in 1934, who preceded her in death 16 years ago. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and was a retired worker from the Talco School Cafeteria.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Betty and Russell Foxworthy of Talco; grandchildren and in-laws, Kristi and Craig Clemmons of Talco, Nicki and Shawn Roberts of Talco, Misti and Sammy Wilkerson of Lufkin: three sisters. Viria Elliott of Greenville, Jewell Joice of Mt. Vernon and Dollie Stanley of Dalhart; three great-grandchildren, Kayla and Keylee Clemmons of Talco and Alan Wilkerson of Lufkin. She was preceded in death by her husband; a son, Robbie Joe Easterling; and a sister, Foy Gieger.

Pallbearers were Jerry Clemmons. Phillip Leake, Jerry Russell, Jerry Brown, Craig Ingram, Steve Hall and Johnny Jones. Honorary bearers were Paul Miller, Sr., Richard Swarts, Bill Aston, Bill Via and Charles Francis.

### Mona Virginia H. Wright Dies October 31

Mona Virginia H. Wright, age 72 of Talco, died Monday, October 31 at her residence.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 2 at Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robison Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Cato Jones assisted by Jamie Duncan and Dub Malowery officiating. Burial followed in the Masonic Cemetery in Mt. Pleasant under the direction of Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robison Funeral Home, Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Wright was born August 24, 1922 in Mt. Pleasant, TX, a daughter of John W. and Monnie Morton Hargrove. She married John D. Wright in Talco, TX. She was a member of the Church of Christ and was a housewife.

Surviving are her husband of the home; five sons, John David Wright

1 onion-sliced thin 2 green peppers-chopped 1 small celery stalk-chopped Mix well and set aside l cup vinegar 7/8 cup sugar 2 teaspoon celery seed 1 tablespoon salt l teaspoon dry mustard 3/4 cup cooking oil

Bring this mixture to a boil; cool and pour over vegetable mixture. This dish is best when it sets over night

Chops N' Kraut 1 package pok chops 2 cans sauerkraut seasonings to taste

6-8 bananas Mix cream cheese and milk with mixture and fold in cool whip and pudding. Layer twice with vanilla,

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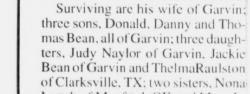
wafers, bananas and pudding. This makes a very large amount. **Cheese Soup** 3 cups chopped potatoes l cup water

1/2 cup chopped celery 1/2 cup chopped carrots one fourth chopped onion

1-1/2 cups milk I chicken buillion cube l teaspoon parsley flakes 1./2 teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons flour

1/2 pound velveeta dash pepper

## Cube velveeta and combine all in-



Bearers were Buddy Donaldson, Jerry Womack, Vernon Johnson, R.D. Bastible, Rickey Cogburn and Frankie Boyd.



### German Cole Slaw I large head aof cabbage

Cover pork chops with water and season to taste. Cover and boil until done. Drain off most of water and add sauerkraut. Boil down and serve ... Goldminer's Dip

l pound velveeta pound sausage l pound sour cream 8 ounces cream cheese I bell pepper-finely chopped l onion-finely chopped I can Rotel tomatoes

Brown sausage with onion and peppers. Drain well and pour in crock pot. Mix the rest of the ingredients and set on low until melted. Miss Piggy's Banana Pudding

l package instant vanilla pudding Follow directions on box and set aside to chill. l can Eagle Brand milk 8 ounce cream cheese at room temp 8 ounce Cool Whip l package vanilla wafers

gredients; add flour and mix until hot. Stir until melted Peach Tortillas I can peach pie filling flour tortillas 1/2 cup water

l cup sugar stick of butter Fill tortillas with 2 tablespoons of filling. Bring to a boil the water, sugar and butter. Pour over tortillas and sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar and bake at 350 degrees forforty-five minutes or until golden brown.

Smell Good Recipe I large jar apple juice I package pickling spice I package whole cloves I package cinnamon sticks Mix in crock pot and add water to fill container. Bring to boil and sim-

mer. Last approximately I week. To re-use, strain spices and add fresh juice and water.

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and Frances Marion; a brother, Joe Walker Peterson of Virginia; and his mother, Minnie Peterson of Dallas.

### Vera Putteet

### **Dies October 24**

lived in Kiomatia.

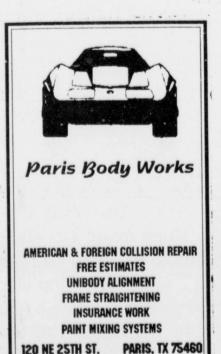
Vera Putteet, age 96 of Mt. Vernon, TX died Monday, October 24 in Mission Manor Nursing Home, Mt. Vernon

Services were held at the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church on October 26 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. L.C. Raleigh and the Rev. A.B. Kellam officiating. Burial followed in Tuggle Springs Cemetery, Clarksville, TX under the direction of Clarksville Funeral Home

Mrs. Putteet was born November 25, 1897 in Rosalie, TX, a daughter of Albert and Martha Snyder Curlee. She was a member of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in Negley, TX and was a housewife. Her husband preceded her in death.

Surviving are two sons, Charles Putteet of Saltillo, TX and Jack Putteet of Garland, TX; a daughter, Martha Jo Redburn of Saltillo, TX; a sister, Ethel Gray of Clarksville, TX; a brother, M.G. Curlee of Wortham, TX; 10 grandchildren; 13 greatgrandchildren; and eight great-greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Billy Putteet, Brian Carey, Shawn Farrar, Clint Farrar, Phillip Gray and Clay Wells. Honorary bearers were Ernest Carey, Roland Mowery, Raymond Jeffers, Jim Tuggle and Oscar Childres.



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#### **James Clifton Hunt** Dies October 26

James Clifton Hunt died October 26 at his home in Dallas.

Services were held on Friday, October 28 in Dallas with Lamar and Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. The Rev. Bob Wallace officiated. Interment was in Laurel Land Memorial Park.

He was born December 9, 1920 in Vasco, TX to Archie and Lizzie Hunt. He is survived by his wife, Laveda Williams Hunt of the home; a daughter, Joyce Massey; a stepson, Rodger Dale Holloway of Dallas; a sister, Mae Nichols of Deport; two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren

He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers; one sister and the late Zola (Roden) Hunt.

#### Luna Inez Bills Dies October 31

Luna Inez Bills, age 73 of Clarksville, TX died Monday, October 31 in Clarksville Nursing Center. Services were held at Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home on Wednesday, November 2 at 10:00 a.m. with the Rev. A.B. Kellam and the Rev. Don Shovan officiating. Burial followed in Boxelder Cemetery under the direction of Clarksville Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bills was born April 7, 1921 in Red River County, TX a daugter of Thomas and Callie Waller Coleman. She was a housewife. Her husband preceded her in death.

Surviving are a son, James A. Bills of Clarksville, TX; a daughter, Mrs. Leroy Stafford of Clarksville, TX; a sister, Estelle Bearden of Seminole, TX; six grandchilden; and five greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Alan Green, Bobby Brem, Jimmy Jamison, Jim Cheyne, Billy Mitchell and Chuck Brannan. Honorary bearers were Dr. Rex Edwards and Dr. Kumar.

of Mt. Pleasant, Doug Wright of Mt. Vernon, Scott Wright, Mitchell T. Wright and Paul Shane Wright, all of Talco; seven daughters, Camieli Sephenson of Denver, CO, Virginia Sue Currey of Mt. Pleasant, Karen Jones, Mona Wright, Mayra Clark, Marta Rhoades, all of Talco; and Laura Kernan of Dallas; a brother, Eugene Hargrove of Garland, TX; two sisters, Mary Ann Schneilin of Paris, FR and Patsy Loftin of Spanish Fork, UT; 35 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one son, James Robert Wright; and two brothers, John W. Hargrove, Jr. and Lemuel Hargrove.

### Willie H. Little Dies October 29

Willie H. Little died Saturday, October 29 at his residence in Dallas. Services were held in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home on October 31 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Kenneth Ashlock officiating Burial followed in Avery Cemetery in Avery under the direction of Clarksville Funeral Home.

Mr. Little was born February 22, 1918 in Marked Tree, AR, a son of John and Jennie Moore Little. He married Addie L. Webb in Dallas.

He was a member of the Avery Missionary Baptist Church in Avery and was a member of the Marine Corps. He was a carpenter.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Walter Little of Dallas, TX; two brothers, Millard Little of Philadelphia, MS and John Little of Greenville, TX; and one grandchild.

Bearers were Jimmy Briscoe, Brent Little, Dale Webb, Charles Phelps, Gearld Webb and Wayne Holder.

#### Card of Thanks

During these last weeks, the family of Elbert Anderson has felt the support and prayers through the long illness of our husband and daddy. We are grateful to the medical staff and doctor at St. Joseph Hospital for the care that was given during his illness.

At the time of his death, friends, relatives and loved ones expressed love, sent flowers and provided food. Our family sincerely appreciates each of these acts of kindness and all of your prayers. We thank each of you.

#### Card of Thanks

Thanks so much to everyone whohas sent flowers, food, and cards, and thank you most of all for your prayers. Please keep praying for us.

Nita Simmons and Family



Friends were sorry to hear of the passing of Charles Williams of Vidor. He was the son of Elzie and Bettye Roddy Williams and married Lydia Hammett. They were former residents of this area, and sympathy is extended to the family

Janee Jackson, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Murray Jackson of Paris, won the talent show in singing in Paris and will go to Nashville, Tenn. Saturday to sing in a national television show. She can be seen on the Satelite G3 Channel 11 Saturday afternoon

We were sorry to hear of the accident of Martha Glover of Deport. While she was vacationing in London, England, she fell and broke er shoulder. She had surgery Monay morning. We wish for her a complete and speedy recovery.

The Life Tabernacle Church and the Baptist Church held a Hallelujah party for the young people at the Life Tabernacle Church Monday night, Oct. 31. Entertainment consisted of all types of games and hayrides. Refreshments were served. Rev. Chad Barnes of Deport, pastor of the Baptist Church, was the guest speaker.

Mr. & Mrs. Delbert Hennessey of Garland, Mebel Lynn and Joyce Berry of Deport had lunch with Bill and Ruth Chipman Wednesday.



Rev. Gene Wonfenberger of Joshua, TX was the guest speaker at the Life Tabernacle Church Sunday night. Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain visited

Cunningham News

**By Berniece Wyatt** 

Carl Guthrie in the Health Care Center in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday. They also visited Mr. & Mrs. George Green of Mt. Pleasant, Ollie Ruth Guthrie of Talco, and Francis Thomas of Johntown.

Mr. & Mrs. Delbert Hennessey of Garland visited Berniece Wyatt Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Davis of Omaha spent Saturday night with Katherine Sugg. Sunday they went to Greenville to visit his mother, Lucille Davis, in the Nursing Home. Ruth Chipman and Joyce Berry had Sunday lunch with Mabel Lynn. Denise Bell and Hannah of Reno visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Sunday evening.

Ethel Williams was dismissed from

the Clarksville Hospital Tuesday. Gordon Cox and family of Alvarado and Morris Cox of Dallas spent last weekend with Velma Cox.

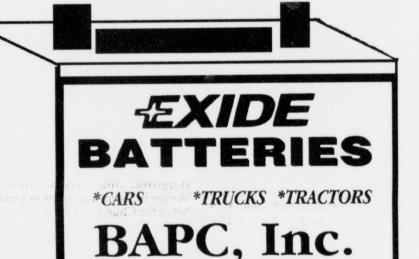
Mr. & Mrs. Talma Fowler and Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Moore, Magen, Michael and Colt of Pattonville, Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Deport had Sunday lunch with Lucy Fowler.

Sue Pynes of Roxton spent Sunday with her mother, Lorette Pynes, who has been ill the past few days. Weldon and Joyce Smith of Bogata

were visitors to services at the Methodist Church Sunday. Lucy Fowler visited Johnnie Warren in the Deport Nursing Home Thursday.

Bonnie Baumgardner and Faye Pearson spent Sunday afternoon with Mabel Lynn.

Geneva Norwood presented a program for the Calvary Methodist Sunshine Group Thursday.



Francis Franklin of Deport, Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood, Mr. & Mrs. Rickey Norwood and Haley, Talma and Susie Norwood, Teresa Moree and Kelsey of Clarksville had Saturday lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Conard

Norwood at their home here. Jo Berryman of San Gabriel, Calif., Jack Devlin of Alhambra, Calif., Greg Devlin of San Antonio, Dora Hester of Paris, and Velma Cox visited Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Gaylord and Lecel of Baytown, Mrs. Ben Wheeler and girls, and Alton Develin of Prairiland, Esta Sims and Dorothy Jean Randall of Beaumont last week. Virginia Bell of Paris had lunch Thursday with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain.

Mr. & Mrs. Billy R. Oats and Brandon, and Georjeana Oats of Denton, Mr. & Mrs. Frankie Norwood, Logan, Laton and Caleb, Mr. & Mrs. Scottie Norwood, Trevor and Amber had lunch and dinner with Geneva Norwood Sunday.

Sandra Gifford of Paris spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. Forrest Parks. Brenda Watson of Paris, Deana Gibson and Dillon, Jarvis Watson, Brad Watson, Bret and Bradley and Bruce Watson and Mark Farris had lunch with Mr. & Mrs.Odis Watson Sunday

Mrs. Verta Lynn was honored with a birthday dinner at Furr's Sunday

evening. Guests attending were Bill and Ruth Chipman, Joyce Berry of Deport, Joel and Melissa Chipman and Noah of Novice, Chris and Tracie Chipman of Minter.

Jo Berryman of San Gabriel, Calif., Jack Devlin of Alhambra, Calif., Greg Devlin of San Antonio, Walker and Willie Devlin of Minter and Velma Cox spent Thursday with Dora Hester of Paris.

Mrs. Willie Wilson and Lessie Stuart of Reno and Silas and Juanita Taylor returned home Sunday night after spending eleven days with Mrs. Beulah Ursuery of Yuma, Ariz. They also visited Mrs. Florence Haskins, and Neil and Rosemary Hollis of Midland, TX.

Sharon Hatcher of Paris visited Mrs. Verta Lynn Sunday afternoon. Darold and Ida Mae Norwood of Paris visited Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday night.

Francis Thomas of Johntown had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Friday

Georgia Oats spent Saturday afternoon with Lucy Fowler.

Mabel Lynn and Shirley Lawrence enjoyed lunch at Furr's Thursday. Talma and Susie Norwood and Jay

### School Menu

**Rivercrest High School** Menu November 7-11 Monday

Breakfast **Cinnamon Rolls** Trail Mix Juice-Milk Lunch Pizza Corn Salad

Milk Tuesday Breakfast Flapjack on a stick Juice-Milk Lunch

Corn Chip Pie Seasoned Beans Fruit- crackers Milk Wednesday

Breakfast Sausage & Biscuits Jelly Juice-Milk Lunch Sliced Turkey Gravy Mashed Potatoes **English Peas** Hot Rolls

Milk Thursday

Breakfast Pancakes Syrup and butter Trail Mix Juice -Milk Lunch Corn Dogs Macaroni & Cheese

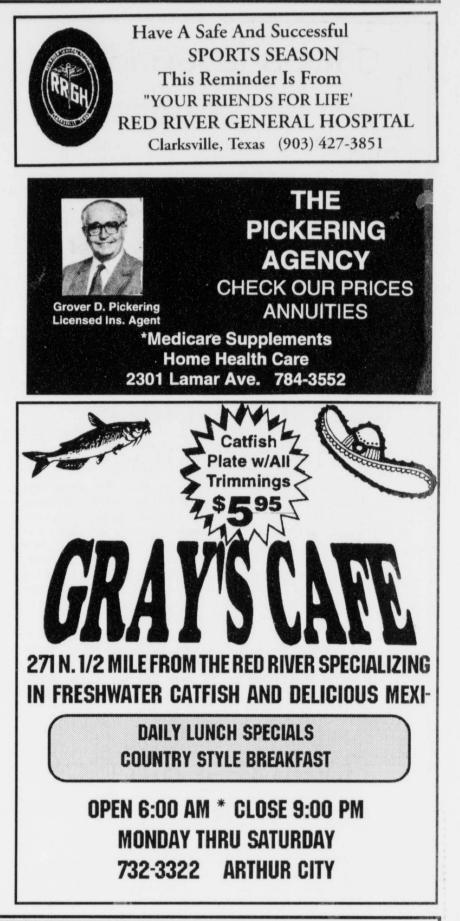
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Cereal Toast Juice-Milk Lunch Hamburger Burger Salad Chips Ice cream Milk

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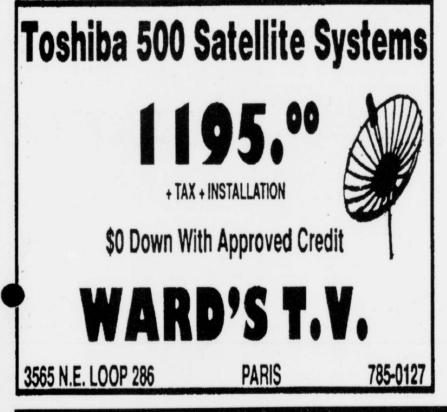
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gram had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday

Mr. & Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy spent the weekend at their home here

Virginia Bell visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Saturday afternoon.

Rothray Fletcher of Texarkana, Dolly Dimple Moore and Gaylia of Hooks visited Lorette Pynes Tues-

Jo Berryman of San Gabriel, Calif. and Velma Cox visited Lorette Pynes Wednesday.

Lucy Fowler and Shelby Kennedy spent Thursday afternoon with Lorette Pynes.

Dorothy Dean Ogden of Longview and Buddy Pynes of Blossom spent Sunday with Lorette Pynes.

Virginia Bell of Paris and Christooher Horton of Reno visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Sunday afternoon. Marty Anderson, age 7, son of Mr. & Mrs. Rusty Anderson of Cunningham, underwent surgery Friday at McCuistion Hospital and is now home and recovering nicely.

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# **Rebs Lose Big** To Mustangs

to the Chisum Mustangs. The Rebels were to lose the ball nine times during the contest, with the Mustangs taking advantage of each turn-over. Chisum led the contest by 21

points in the first half.

The Rebel fans hit their feet when Alvin Savage took a Chisum punt 60 yards for what should have been a Rebel 6, but a penalty kept the Rebs off the board. The Rebels were to use two quarterbacks during the con-

The Rivercrest Rebels lost 48 to 0 test, to try to generate Rebel points. The Mustangs never let up on the Rebels and continued to run up the score even into the final minutes of the game.

Defensive plays were made by Ellis, Belcher, Green, Hancock, Demming, and Humphrey.

The Rebels will end their season Friday night at Rebel Stadium, when the Eagles from Como-Pickton come to town.

**RIVERCREST REBELS** seventh grade team lost their game against the Chisum Mustangs last week 16-0 in their final game of the season. (Staff Photo)

# Chisum Defeats 7th Grade 16-0

final game of their season Thursday the Chisum QB on several downs, against the Chisum Mustangs. The Rebels played hard but were unable to put the win in their bracket. The final score: Rebs 0 and Mustangs 16.

The Rebels on several occasions were within scoring distance but were unable to put the ball over. The Rebs were plagued with fumbles during the night, which resulted in the Mustangs taking possession.

The Mustangs used the air and ground attack against the Reb defensse. The Reb Defense was able to keep the Mustangs to only 16 points on the night. Ryan Case and

The 7th grade Rebels played the Paul Billingsley were able to rush one by Case resulting in a Mustang fumble and Reb recovery.

The young Rebel offense was able to use the running skills of Billingsley, J. C. King and Cody Wolfe. Wolfe, also the QB, showed his passing ability by going to the air

Regardless of the record of the 7th grade Rebels, the men showed great improvement over the season. Each and every player made contributions to the team and each showed great sportsmanship.

### **Rivercrest 8th Grade** Loses 18-8

The 8th grade Rebels met the Chisum Mustangs Thursday night in battle, the Mustangs taking the victory, 18 to 8.

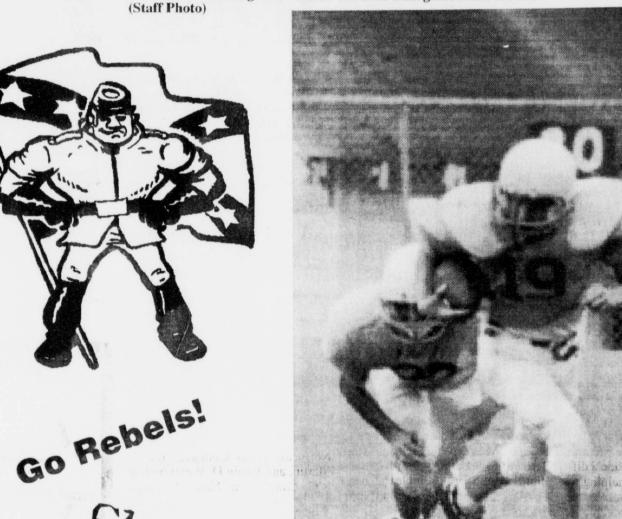
Rebels Chad Holland, John Ross, and Will Nowey tried to work magic for the Rebs to no avail. The Rebel offensive line worked hard to provide Holland protection and to give running room to Ross and Nowey. The Mustang defense was tough and held strong against the run. Ross was

able to put 6 on for the Rebs with Holland adding the extra 2.

The Rebel defense, led by Aaron Martin, Ross, and Holland, tried to keep the larger Mustangs in control. The Mustangs were able to march down field to put points on the board, the last 6 on a Reb fumble.

The young Rebs hope to put another win on their record Thursday when they go against the Como-Pickton Eagles.

### JV Defeated by Mustangs



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The JV Rebels met their match Thursday in the Chisum Mustangs. The Rebels were to take the loss 14

to 36. The Rebels, under field command of Jody Nolen, used both the air and ground to move the ball. Clint Gage was able to put the first points on the board for the Rebels late in the second quarter.

The Reb defense had their work

cut out for them from the first quarter to the last. Chisum also used the air and ground to keep the Rebels off balance.

The Rebels hope to finish their season on an up-beat when they travel to Como-Pickton to take on the Eagles. The Eagles should be aware of the Rebel attack led by Nolen, Grey, Allen, and Smith.

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**RIVERCREST REBEL Chad Holland carried the ball for some** yardage in football action earlier this yar. The Rebels lost their contest with the Chisum Mustangs last week and finish the season this Thursday night in competition with the Como-Pickton Eagles. (Staff Photo)

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Jimmie King and daughter, Kay Osburn of Paris, left Friday afternoon for a tour of Arkansas and Oklahoma to view the fall foliage. They spent Friday night in Hot Springs, Ark. at Bradley Mountain Lodge on the Ouachita Lake. Saturday they had lunch at Willimena State Park, and then drove down the Talimena Drive. They spent Saturday night at the Clayton Country Inn at Clayton, Okla, and came back by Beavers Bend, which is very beautiful this time of year. They had lunch in Idabel, then home to watch the Cowboys win their game. It was a wonderful weekend.

Deane King of Paris spent Mon-

day with his mother, Jimmie King, and had lunch with her. Mr. & Mrs. Charles Epps, Dana,

and Clint Tabb of Rosalie had dinner Thursday with Mrs. Ethel Epps. Mr. Dan Johnson of Detroit passed

away Sunday. Our sympathy goes to the family. Betty Rodgers and Marcella Wright enjoyed Saturday morning at the flea market in Paris.

Saturday night Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga and Betty Rodgers met Monte and Shelly Rodgers and had dinner together at a restaurant. Later, Betty, Melissa, and Gilbert attended the Band Concert at Paris High School and had coffee later.

## Vitti Watson Family Holds Reunion

The Vitti Watson family had a get-together at Alvin and Louise Phillips, Floyd & Pauline Hulen, Dawson's weekend ranch.

Those attending were: Jerry & Debbie Watson, Georgie Watson, Body & Molly and Loran Watson of Alto, TX; Ralph Watson, Curtis & Ardice Morgan of Childress; Bill Nutt, Judy Nutt, Leo Mathews, of Paris, TX; Freddie & Carol Watson

of Houston; Henry and Marie Willis & Yvonne Morgan, Pete Wright and son, all of Detroit; William & Edith Wright of Ft. Worth; Alvin & Louise Dawson, Jeremy Dawson, Daniel Dawson of Arlington, TX; Johnny Dawson, and Mr. & Mrs. Mark Dawson and family of Blossom.

### Rivercrest Teachers In Who's Who

A select group of America's teach- education something pleasurable, iners are being honored by their toughest critics, their former students, in the third edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1994.

All of the 66,500 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in Who's Who Among AmericanHigh School Students, or the National Dean's List, publications which recognize the top 5% of our nation's high school and college students respectively. Paul Krouse, publisher of Who's Who Among America's Teachers said, "there is no greater honor teachers can receive than to be recognized by former students for their excellence and dedication. In this publication we clearly have the best teachers in America selected by the best students."

The students were requested to nominate teachers who "made a difference in their lives" by helping to shape their values, inspiring interest in a particular subject and or challenging them to strive for excellence. Many of the students commented Jr. College, Carla Wade Sanders about the enthusiasm and knowledge their teachers demonstrated in the classroom, and many praised their teachers for their ability to relate to erie Sandlin McClain, Aaron Parker youngsters on a personal as well as a Elementary, and Shirley Haley Hare, professional level. One student wrote Sulphur Bluff. about her teacher saying, "she made

stead of a dreadful ordeal, by letting me spread my wings and showing be the best way to fly." Local educators honored in Who's

Who Among America's Teachers, 1994 include Sherry Sikes Gable, Talco, Pamela Marie Verner, Hays and Barbara Jean Mankins Russell, of Rivercrest High School.

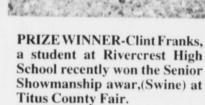
Other area teachers included in the book are Juanita Rhodes Davis, Prairiland, Leisa Johnson Brown, Detroit, Bonnie Hopkins Singleton, and Katherine Malone Sugg, Blossom Elementary School, Jane L. McGill Meals, Clarksville Elementary School, Cathy Lynn Abbott, and Bill Richard Moseley, Prairiland High School, Debbie S. Burks, Thomas S Justiss Elementary School, Sonja Ferguson Carter, North Lamar ISD, Clyde Newton Davis, Travis Jr. High, Barbara Owen Eatherly, North Lamar High School, Sharon Temple Hatcher, Chisum, Dolores Scott Jackson, Chisum, Diane LaFerney McDowell, North Lamar, Betty J. Mills Paris Chisum Elementary, Donna Ferguson Steffey, North Lamar, and Kathy Walker Stewart, North Lamar, Val-

FAIR WINNER-Shane Rector. a Rivercrest High School Student recently won a Belt buckle for Grand champion Lambs at the Titus County Fair.

### Area Students On National Dean's List

A total of 12 students from this area are among the over 114,000 students included in the 17th Annual Edition of the National Dean's list just plublished by Educational Communications, Lake forest, Illinois. Students are selected for this honor by their college deans, registrars or honor society advisors and must be the upper 10% of their class, on their school's dean's list or have earned a comparable honor.

Area students selected include: From Bogata- Mary Lynn Horn Northeast Texas College; Joe C. Martin, and Robin D. Webb both at PJC, from Talco- Nancy G. Edge, and Robin D. Sims Northeast Texas Community College, and Brad T. Ingram Stephen F. Austin State Uni-



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The purpose of psychology is to give us a completely different idea of the things we know best.

-Paul Valéry



versity, From Blossom-Melissa R. Grissom ETSU, and Alishia D. Roddy PJC, from Clarksville Betty R. Allman, PJC, from Cunningham-GeorJeana F. Oats, PJC, and from Detroit- Kristi A. Brown, Howard Payne U, and Lessa N. Mankins, PIC





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the bride, sang "Looking Through and Kara Screws The Eyes Of Love". She was presented in marriage by her family. Lewis and Pam Spears. Members of Other musical selections included "I the houseparty were Renea Holt, Terri Cross My Heart" by George Strait Milsap, Tana Screws, Melanie Mazy, and "I Swear" by John Michael Mont-Carrie Gibson, Stacy Bangs, Dawne gomery Darden and Kathy Holt.

grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Paul

Hostetler and the late Vera Hostetler

of Brookston, Mrs. Ruby Asbery and

the late Horace Asbery of Paris and

Mr. and Mrs. James Plunkett of Mont-

gomery, Alabama.

Her gown featured a fitted bodice of white satin with a sweetheart neckline and was veiled in white sheer glitter organza, trimmed wiht iridescent pearls. The basque waistline featured 23 pearl buttons from the deep vee back. The short puffed sleeves were of white sheer organza trimmd with small satin bows. The flared skirt was of bridal satin, and fell into a cathedral train. The double-circle

Manufacturing in Paris. The couple will make their home overlay was of sheer glitter organza, in Deport.

and Tim Milsap.

was ringbearer.

The bride was escorted to the altar and Christopher Cobb. Passing out

by her father as Susan Roach, aunt of rice bags were Kayla Cobb and Bren

David J. Darden and Ty Merritt

Train bearers were Ty Figueroa

Presiding at the register were Jo

The couple was honored with five

The groom's parents hosted a fish

Jenny is a senior at Prairiland High

School and is employed by Thunder

Prairie Publishing in Deport. James

is employed by Rodgers-Wade.

fry following the rehearsal at the home

showers prior to their wedding.

of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roach.

served as ushers. Hali Screws served

as flower girl and Zachary Milsap

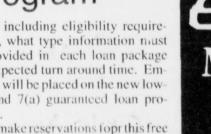
### Small Business Program

The Small Business Development Center at Paris Junior College will present "SBA Financing Options", be provided in each loan package Tuesday, November 8 at 1:30 p.m., and expected turn around time. Em-3:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. in the Student Center, Room 219 at Paris Junior College.

This free seminar will provide small business owners/managers with information about U.S. Small Business Administration loan pro-

grams including eligibility requirements, what type information must phasis will be placed on the new lowdoc and 7(a) guaranteed loan programs.

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Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Lucille Childers included Stacey Combest Stansbury, Ashley and Kerry, of Longview, Toni Combest and Lauren Combest of Pittsburg, and Jana, Haley, and Heather Hawkins, of Johntown.

Visiting earlier in the week with Lucille childers were her brother, Kenneth York, of Abilene, and Dixie Stringfellow, of Bogata.

Lisa Coy, and Samantha Allen, of Negley visited Wednesday with Lucille Childers.

Tresa, David and Runt Bishop, of attonville were Friday night guests Donald, Jane and Lawanza Barnard

Wednesday Billie Pirtle and Freda Jean had lunch with Michael Reed in Marshall where he is attending college

Donald, Jane and Lawanza Barnard enjoyed supper Monday in Pattonville with Tresa, David, and Runt

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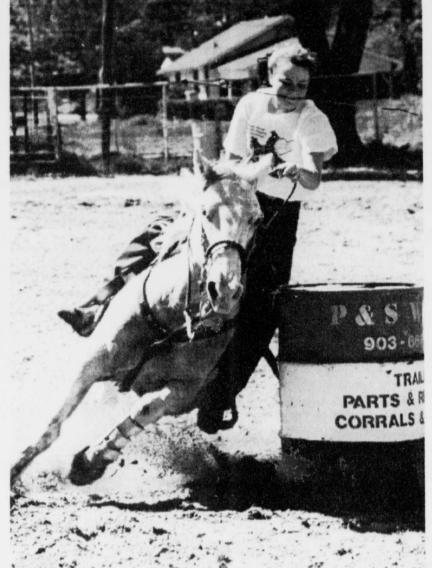
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James and Pauline Gibbs and Jana Hawkins enjoyed lunch Friday at the Rosalie Store.

Sunday afternoon David Lynn and Hillary Barrett, of Mt. Pleasant, and Maria Moss, of Dallas, visited and ate in the home of Donald and Freda Jean

Friday, Freda Jean and Nadine Cabell enjoyed lunch together in Mt. Pleasant

Saturday night Lisa and Kim Shirley hosted a Halloween Party at their home. Those attending were the hosts, Deborah James, Kathy Cannon, Josh Jones, Travis Jackson, Mitchell Jean, Andrea Palmer, Clinton Cheatwood, Colby Guest, Katie Hare, Amy Watkins, and Jamie Daniels. The young people wnjoyed a meal of Hot dogs and Halloween cake. They also had a hayride and played games.



### Dee Tabb and Freckles Dee Tabb Is Reserve Champion This Year

Dee Tabb attended the Red River traveling sheet for her horse, a breast Banquet on October 22, in Mt. Pleasant

Dee finished the year as the Reserve champion of the 13-18 age class, 4 th place in the 15 and over poles and 10th place in the Jr. Optiional division

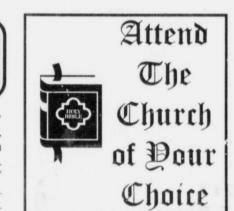
As Reserve Champion Dee received a Yellowhair Belt Buckle, a tan and green awards Jacket, a green come.

Births

Matt and Shara Patton proudly announce the birth of their daughter. Brielle LeAnn, on October 19 in Baylor Medical Center of Garland. She weighed 8 lbs. 9 oz. and was 20" long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Patton. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Irene Johnson and the late Cecil Johnson, formerly of Talco, Mrs.

Barrel Race Association Awards collar, a halter, a tote bag and several other items. Fourth place in the Pole Division awarded her a Navajo Pad. The 10th place award in the Jr. Optional Class was a leather Tie-down.

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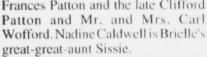
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Rikki Donette Richeson was born October 26 to Ricky and Lorry Richeson of Talco. She weighed 7 lbs, and was 20" long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Richeson of Talco, Raymond and Sherrie DeLong of Colorado. Rikki joins brother Josh and sisters, Shalina and DeAnna.



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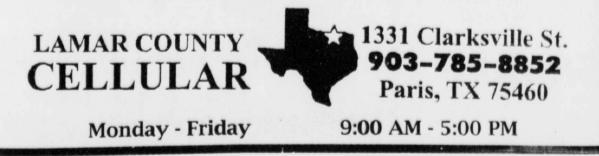


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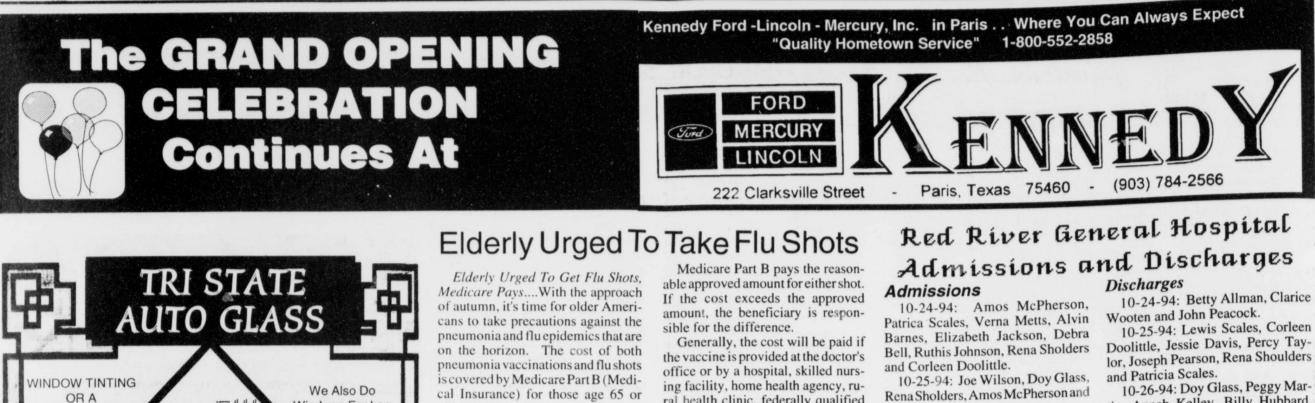
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ciaries get either vaccination at a com-

munity clinic that normally provides

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maintenance

10-26-94: Doy Glass, Peggy Martin, Annah Kelley, Billy Hubbard, Joe Wilson, Bernice Reeves and Debra Bell.

10-27-94: Ernest English, Alvin Barnes, Ethel Williams and Vicki Beers.

10-28-94: James Davis, Gus Lueck, Lewis Stoker, Elizabeth Jackson, Ruthie Jackson, Thelma Austin, Brumbalow, Amos Joyce McPherson, Booker Jackson and Betha Anderson.

10-29-94: Fred Mead, Jessica Jamison, Lilburn (Bud) Kemp and Vearna Metts.

10-30-94: Theda Watkins, Aundra Parrish and J.T. Smith.

### Holiday Arts Program To Be Held November 9

A holiday program will be held Wednesday, November 9, with registration beginning at 9:30 a.m. and the program beginning at 10:00 a.m.

10-26-94: Bernice Reeves, Bud

10-27-94: Joyce Brumbalow,

10-28-94: Fred Mead, Irene Smith,

10-29-94: Valisha Caesar, Charles

10-30-94: Mable Dale, Ira

Robinson, Williams Connally, Jr.,

Ella Kerbow and Mary English.

Harper, Aundra Parrish, Theda

Watkins, Deward Dale and Talitha

Kemp, Nancy Hamilton, Vivki Beers

Bobby Wartham, Jr., Loretta Brown

Agaline Dillard and Bob Hester.

Robert Reed.

Broomfield.

and Jessica Jamison.

and Mamie Buchanan.

It will be held at the Housing Authority meeting room located at 700 S. Delaware in Clarksville.

This program is free and all attending are asked to bring a covered dish for lunch

Pat Lucas of Texas-New Mexico Power Company will present the

program entitled, "Holiday Selections," and everyone attending will receive a free copy of the 1995 cookbook, "TNP Selections."

Everyone is invited to attend, and each one may bring a homemade holiday decoration for display, if they wish.

For more information, call the County Extension Office at 903/ 427-3867.



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cal Insurance) for those age 65 or older.

The National Institute on Aging(NIA), American Lung Association, and the Department of Veterans Affairs have launched a coordinated campaign to encourage elderly people to be vaccinated this fall. Statistics show they are twice as likely as younger persons to get pneumonia. Only about twenty percent of those over age 65 have taken advantage of the availability of the pneumonia vaccine in the past, according to the NIA.

The Public Health Service recommends an annual flu shot for people over age 65, even if they are generally healthy. Typically, shots are given in the fall or winter. Medicare beneficiaries do not need a doctor's presriptions or supervision to have this vaccination covered by Medicare Part B. And, beneficiaries do not pay a deductible or coinsurance amount

Immodest words admit of no defense, For want of decency is want of sense.

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-Wentworth Dillon, Earl of Roscommon

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BAND MEMBER OF THE WEEK-Rivercrest High School's band member of the week is Lindy Phillips. Lindy is a sophomore student. She plays the clarinet and has been in the band for five years. Lindy is the daughter of Brit and Anaya Phillips. She lives at Lone Star and attends the Lone Star Methodist Church. She enjoys reading, sewing, and riding bikes. Lindy is a member of the Spanish Club and Beta Club.(Photo by Judy Screws)

# When England wanted to cut government waste, a Texan showed them how to trim the fat

Cutting waste in government isn't easy.

That's why, when members of Parliament wanted to make the British government more efficient, they consulted the recognized expert in America: Texas Comptroller John Sharp.

Hardly a surprise, old chap.

Since taking office in 1991, John Sharp and his Texas Performance Review team have set the standard for streamlining government agencies, saving taxpayers a documented \$6.2 billion and helping Texas avoid a state income tax. And his reviews of Texas school districts have saved taxpayers more than \$24 million.

Now he's fighting to cut millions of dollars in welfare fraud and bureaucratic waste by abolishing paper food stamps, which are often stolen and then traded for drugs. Sharp's plan is to replace food stamps with computerized security cards.

No wonder U.S. News and World Report (1/4/94) says: "John Sharp has become the mastermind behind a sweeping overhaul of the bureaucracy that has put Texas at the forefront of the nationwide effort to ... root out waste."

Yet, despite all the additional duties and initiatives taken on by the Comptroller's Office, Sharp still managed to reduce the number of his employees and return \$9 million of his budget to the taxpayers.

Of course, there's a lot more waste in Texas state government just waiting to be cut, so the job is far from over. That's why we need to keep John Sharp on the job.



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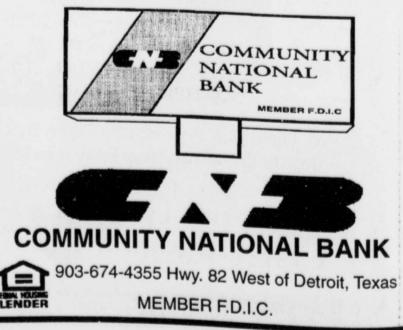
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### Citizens Group Mounts Drive To Keep RRAD Off Base Closure List

A community-wide campaign has been mounted to keep Red River in 1995. Swede Lee, President, is chairman of the RRAD Defense Committee which is spearheading an effort to assure that members of officials fully understand the military value of the depot. At the present time, 25 citizens representing 16 local communities comprise

the depots recommended for closure under the Base Realignment and Closure Commission initiatives to be announced in early 1995. There are currently five Army depots and two of these will possibly be earmarked

Saving Red River will require enough money does not guarantee

success, but lack of funds virtually assures failure.

The next twelve months will be critical as we face the possibility of Red River Army Depot being closed during the 1995 Base Realignment and Closure Commission (BRAC) process

The BRAC time table is as follows

1. By January 1, 1995, the Department of the Army will submit a list of installations to be closed or realigned to the Department of Defense.

2. March 1, 1995, the Department of Defense submits list of installations to be closed to the BRAC Commission

3. July 15, 1995, the BRAC Commission submits list to the President. 4. September 1, 1995, the Presi-

dent submits BRAC list to Congress. Congress must accept or reject the list; they cannot amend the list.

The community must work together as a team if we stand a chance of saving Red River from the closure list, Lee emphasized.

Donations are being solicited from private citizens, local businesses, employees of RRAD, and from civic, service and professional organizations. Everyone is urged to contrib-

ute to the RRAD Defense Fund. Donations may be forwarded to: RRAD Defense Fund Account No. 567011RR, Red River Federal Credit Union, P. O. Box 5909, Texarkana, TX 75505-5909.

Red River has built a reputation of responsive and efficient service to the nation during a 53-year period. "We must all work to assure that it remains a viable part of the national defense structure," Lee added.

The sound of thunder is caused by it has been heated by lightning. \*\*\* just one of the risks he takes.

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Army Depot off the base closure list Texarkana Chamber of Commerce, Congress and Department of Defense the RRAD Defense Committee.

Red River is at risk to be among for closing, Lee said.

What is at risk? In dollars, a loss of \$330 million a year. In jobs, 4,200 jobs at the depot and at least another 4,200 outside the depot. "What we're talking about is 4,200 jobs and \$330 million a year economic loss," Lee stressed in a recent meeting. Closure would have a "devastating" effect on the entire community--businesses, hospitals, churches, schools and the general quality of life would be hit hard.

hard work, smart planning and money. The Red River Defense Committee has established a budget of \$320,000. While this is a lot of money, it represents only one tenth of one percent of RRAD's annual input into the area economy. The money will be used for printing, postage, telephone, travel, lobbyists, and economic analysis experts. Having

Bren, Kara, and Hali, and Mr. and ter, and Dr. and Mrs. E.E. Brooks. Mrs. Murl Roach, all of Deport, Mrs. Dora Thompson, her sister, Chris Anna Screws, Christopher, Marjoree Glover, of Tyler, brother lerred, and Jerry, of Paris. and sister in law, Charles and Ge-Carlton Stanley just returned from neva Wilkinson, of Anson, and a ten day hunting trip in Colorado. He HelenWilkinson, of Clarksville, Arkansas, have just returned from a trip to Branson Missouri. They stopped

Have A Nice

Weekend

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tives.

of Bogata.

Kenneth York left Monday for his

home in Abilene after several days

here with his sisters. Dixie Stringfel-

low, Lucille Childers, Edna Earl Dodd

and Nadine Rhodes and other rela-

and Kenneth York Sunday were Mr.

and Mrs. Jimmy Stringfellow, Mr.

and Mrs. Joe Stringfellow, Aaron,

Joshua, and Jacob; Mr. and Mrs. P.W.

Stringfellow and Payton, of Paris;

Mrs.Felina White and Jerica, of

Longview; Mr. and Mrs. Billy String-

fellow and Kaley, and Mr. M.J. Dodd,

of Bogata. Other recent visitors were

W.R. Stringfellow, Buddy Stringfel-

low, Richard Reeves, and Dee Tabb,

visitors her cousins, Mrs. Leon Blank-

enship, of Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. Gladys

Wilson, of Atlanta, Georgia, and Mr.

and Mrs. Gordon Wilson, Jr., of Flor-

ida. They also visited Mrs. Lucille

second birthday Saturday evening at

her home in Addilou. Enjoying sand-

wiches, dips, chips, Barney cake and

ice cream were her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Ronnie Chappell, Travis and

Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hale, Mr.

and Mrs. Joe Travis Kelsey and Car-

Caroline Chappell celebrated her

Childers, of Johntown.

Mrs. M.J. Dodd had as Friday

Visiting Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow

reports a great time. Visiting in the home of June and Carlton Stanley are their daughter on the way home to visit a cousin, and grandson, Susan and Adam Odeh, Opal Lawrence in McAlester, Oklaof Ft. Worth. homa

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Visiting over the week end with

Ed and Loyce Huddleston were their

grandchildren, Annette and Mark

Hudson and family, from Lewisville.

to celebrate the 67th wedding anni-

versary of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Scog-

gins, left for Jacksonville, Fla. Mon-

Clarice Vaughan and Jimmie Lou

Pope, of Bogata and Mavis Sowards,

of Deport, visited with the John

Douglas Vaughans, of Tawakoni,

Happy November birthdays to

Edna Earl Dodd, Johnnie Mae Watts,

Billy Stringfellow, Tim English,

Curtis Young, W.R. Stringfellow,

ason Freelen, D. Brandon Williams,

Rudy Ross, Mary Ellen Kain, Dick

Kain, Carrie Ross, Chris Anna

Screws, Michael Roach, and Ellen

Recent visitors of Jim and Barbara

Branch were Randy, Rhonda, Mitch,

and Mallory Modesitt, of Van, Scott

and Morgan Branch, of Andrews,

and Boyd, Kay, Haley, and Josh

Griffin, of Colorado City. The

Branches noted their 30th wedding

Visitors in the last couple of weeks

with Mrs. and Mrs. Donald Screws

and Tana were Michael Don Screws,

anniversary October 17th.

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day

Patricia Edmonds, who was here



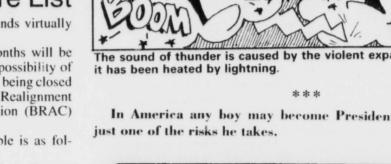
October 25: Theft reported; assault reported; suspicious persons

Sheriff's Report October 23-29 October 29: Two reports of criminal mischief reported; one arrested

**Red River County** 

the violent expansion of the air after

-Adlai Stevenson



Thursday, November 3, 1994



As my children so kindly call it, "back in the olden days", when you 'reached the age of 21 you were allowed to vote free that year. Of course this was still during the time when you were required to pay poll taxes to vote. Many people paid those taxes and voted religiously because they considered it a duty as well as a privilege to vote. I really don't believe they thought so much about the privilege as they did about it being their civic duty to see to it that the best person for the position got the job.

BOGATA, TX

Things have changed as the years progressed and the country supposedly progressed. Sometimes I think that in many ways the country has regressed.

I have a tendency to spout words about what is wrong with our country and the people running it and not say as many nice things as The United States of America deserves.

I also don't take credit where I am due credit along with many other citizens. When I don't keep up with who is running for which office and learn as much about their qualifica-

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tions as possible, I deserve credit for not being a qualified voter. When I gripe about what is going on in Washington D.C. and Austin, and don't write letters to our representatives and senators letting them know how I feel about things, I deserve all the credit I can get for laziness and apa-

thy. If I criticize our local, county and school officials and don't go to to the trouble to attend their meetings and voice my opinion, I have no right to complain.

While many technicalities and rules which have been put into laws and amendments are to safeguard us, many of them make it easier for politicians to give us the run around when we put them on the spot, but there still has to be a way for us to do something about the mess. Maybe the first thing we should do is go to the polls on November 8. Then after that, if we aren't happy with the way things turn out, we can start tormenting those who aren't serving our best interest. The fact that politicians can spend more money and have more elaborate campaign ads doesn't mean that they will do a better job for us. The only way they will do a better job is if we insist they do so and don't take "no" for an answer.

I guess that what I'm trying to say is that when we vote, or don't vote, we are hiring employees. They work for you and me. We are the bosses. If you hired someone to mow your yard and they only finished half of it, would you pay them double? Of course you wouldn't. So why do you suppose we allow our congressmen and women to have raises for sub-standard work?

on November 8, and don't stop there.

### Red River Healthcare News

Visiting with Horace Cruise were his wife Virgie and his granddaughter, Beth Usrey.

Visiting Clara Lowe and Jessie Hunter were Peggy Strin, Ginger Geary and Raymon Mauldin.

Essie Cole's visitors were Linda and Bob Embrey and Worth Baker.

Visiting with Ida Barnard were Lawanza Barnard, Dorothy Johnson, Wanda Wilson, Don Barnard, Dorothy Foster, Thresa Bishop, David Bishop, Lesa Bishop, Pat and Beverly Childers, Maris Crafts and Lore Roach.

Visiting with Lewis and Myrtie Wilkerson were Buddy Damron, Clyde Roberts, Randy and Barbara Gibbs, Lisa McQuire, James and Pauline Gibbs, Kristie and Ray Lou Damron, Bobbie Damron, Rusty Damron, David and Deanna Vickery, Raymon Mauldin, Louise Bean, Lisa, Coy and Samantha Allen, Frances Lee, Martha Wood and Kristie and Dawn Damron,

Sarah Jo Smith's visitors were Raymon Mauldin, Odessa and Wimpy Beers, Joyce and Weldon Smith, Br. Robert Bush, Dristofer Lawson, the Rowdens family and Audrey Warren.

Raymon Mauldin visited with Sudie Varner.

Hazel Brown's visitors were Raymon Mauldin, Katie Brown, Don Barnard, Jannie Barnard, Lawanza Barnard, Marie Crafts, Kathleen Wilhite, Evelyn Bowman, Lore Roach, Carl and Dian Brown, Tommy Woods, Gwendolyn Bowe, and Buddy Damron.

Visiting with Gladys Garrettson were Lynn and Brenda Carr, Marie Crafts, Evelyn Bowman, Kathleen Wilhite and Louise Bean.

Pat Westbrook's visitors were Martha Wood, Nelda Holder and

Lore Roach visited with Lucy Jenkins

Mary Parker's visitors were O.F. Yates, Anita Couch, Louise Bean, Inez and Russell Gill, John Harden, Maggie Lee, and Jack and Ruth Couch

Visiting with Mae King were Ruth King, Kathy Livingston and Faye Clifton from Daingerfield and Russell and Inez Gill.

Lynn Kerley's visitors were Opal Kerley, Linda Taylor, Staci Alford, Mandi Alford and Arol Kerley.

Visiting with Gladys Prater were Raymon Mauldin, Katie Brown, Bro. George Thomas, Lore Roach, Louise

Bobby Jack Brown of Quitman

visited Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Brown

Monday. He also visited the Wright

Joanie Swarts and Kristin Kuhl

hosted a Halloween party Friday, Oct.

28 at the Swarts' home in Talco. Thirty

Talco and Bogata Jr. High students

attended and enjoyed refreshments

The Talco seventh grade class en-

joyed a field trip to the TexasUtilities

Coal Mine in Mt. Pleasant on Nov. 1.

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Fail Thursday.

Elizabeth Ewing of Paris visited

Nathan Hinson and friend Maxine

Celebrating Nov. birthdays are

Harold Crocker, Heather Browning,

Shaunda Jones, Mike Hackler, Carey

Celebrating their wedding anni-

The Talco Assembly of God

Church enjoyed a Fifth Sunday din-

ner following morning services Oct.

30. After lunch the group enjoyed an

Mr. & Mrs. Lester Watts will cel-

ebrate their 49th wedding anniver-

versary Nov. 22, 1994 are Bill and

of Johntown recently visited Mr. &

family.

and games.

Mrs. Lester Watts.

Johnson, Karen Jones.

afternoon of singing.

sary on Nov. 16, 1994.

Becca Austin.

Bean, Margie Lemaster, Lou Ann Elliott and Ralph and Robert Guinn. Mack Glover's visitors were Wel-

don and Joyce Smith, Rita, Kristi, and Mitzi Reed, Melba Reed and Skip Glover.

Visiting with Lantie Smith were Wimpy and Odessa Beers, Weldon and Joyce Smith, Brent Beers and Lindy Penn, Jennifer Harper, Jerry Beers and Mark Beers.

Dollie Carroll's visitors were Lynn and Brenda Carroll, Randy and Lisa Carroll.

Visiting with Hattie Crabtree were Gwendolyn Bowen and Sybil Robin-

Eunie Turner's visitors wer Martha Wood, Jennie Bond, Amanda, Evelyn Lawson, Lore Roach, Louise Bean and Maurine Mankins.

Visiting with Clyde and Ardena Roberts were Raymon Mauldin, Katie Brown, Bro. George Thomas, Byrdie Ray, Rob and Doris Cannon.

Josie Fennell's visitors were Margo and Allan Harville, Raymon Mauldin and Louise Bean.

Visiting with Gene Smith were Tommy and Lillie Smith of Paris.

Visiting with Vola Ward and Lizzie Clifton were Betty Gibson and Louise Bean.

Visiting with Irene House was Jeanette Morris.

Ruth Harrison's visitor was Louise Bean.

Herman, Agnes, and Jimmy Guess were visited by Evelyn Lawson, Amanda Ebard, Don Guess and Louise Bean.

Visiting with Jimmie Duffie were Katie Brown and Louise Bean.

Thelma Jones was visited by O.F. Yates, Wendell and Videll Wages, Debbie Green and Jerry Jones.

AnnWalker's visitors were Lore Roach, Raymon Mauldin and Louise Bean.

Louise Bean visited Mary Brown. Sonny Gamble visited Bonnie Gamble.

Ruby White's visitors were Sandra Woodall, Glenda Moore and Darrel Minshew.

Visiting with Pauling Hutson were Katie Brown, Lindsey Ward, Ina Ward, Ruth Wood and Jerrry Hutson.

Jewell Summers' visitors were Charles Stogner and Kathy Stogner Childers of Greenville and Katie Brown.

Visiting with Doris Rodgers were Otis and Enerell Phifer, of Detroit. Visiting Jewel Rowewere Her Sis-

Talco Locals

ter and brother-in-law, Louise and Dempsey Humphries and Katie Brown.

Visiting with Opal Watts were Dale and Peggy Watts and Joyce Humphrey.

B.G. Crittendon's visitors were Letha Brown and L.C. Thomas. Visiting with Ocala Morris were

Letha Brown and L.C. Thomas. Visiting with Gertrude Gifford-

were Barbara, Thurman and Marie; Visiting with Gerlean Maddox were Evelyn Bowman, Kathleen

Wilhite and Amir Burgen. Doris Skaggs was visited by Joan Phillips, Lore Roach, Anita Couch, Charles and Annette Skaggs and Audrey Warren.

Visiting with Dude Lassiter were Charles Stogner, Kathy Stogner-Childers, W.T. Harbison, Frances R. Rozell, Travis and Mable Hale, Lore Roach, Anita Couch, Molee Huddleston, Charles and Annette Skaggs and Audrey Warren.

Visiting with Bertha Anderson were Bertha McCall, Naomi Dingman and Landra Len.

Maude Legate's visitor was Robbie.

Visiting with George Hancock were Jerry Ward Jr. and Judy Ward. Visiting with Louise Smith was Louise Bean.

Beulah Roddam's visitors were Louise Bean, Joyce Shelton, Lou Kirby, of Midland, Jane Murphy, of Red Oak and Christi Kerby, of Denton

Visiting with Donovan Strain were Inez Gill, Dude Lassiter, ruth Wood, BEtty Gibson, O.F. Yates, Karen Whitaker of Arlington and Doris Strain.

H.L. Stubblefield'svisitors were Dempsey and Louise Humphries.

Visiting with Wilma Grant were Ruth Wood, Dude Lassiter, Paul Newby and Mike Reppond.

Visiting with Oma McKinney were Polly Luke, Charlotte McKinney, Garvis Haley, Travis Haley, Bill and Annie McKinney, Brent, Connie and Roger McKinnney, Eunice Miller, Allen Chrostowski, Ginger Chrostowski, Joddie Satterfield, Tony Watkins and Carl Wood.

Visiting with Russell Lawler was Carl Wood.

Alma Lowry's visitors were Bynn and BRenda Carroll, Dollie Carroll, Joyce Shelton and Louise Bean.

Visiting with Dorothy Watkins were Terry Watkins, Lou Ada Franklin and Eva Watkins.

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We deserve better. Start by voting Raymon Mauldin.

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Mr. & Mrs. Glen Harris visited Athens on Sunday. over the weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Stan Bruce and children in Keene.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Watts attended Senior Athletic Night at Mt. Vernon Friday. Their daughter Tawala Padgett is a senior cheerleader at Mt. Vernon High School.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Graf will celebrate their wedding anniversary Nov. 22, 1994.

Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Brown attended the wedding of David and Barbara Brown in Texarkana Oct. 22.

Mr. & Mrs. Kyle Hatley of Kaufman and children visited over the weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith and family.

Visiting with Charline Black, Frankie and Maxine Harrell Saturday and Saturday night were Butch and Harrolyn Black of Garland, Danny Black of Paris and Jackie Crowley of Mt. Pleasant.

Sunday lunch and the Dallas Cowboys were enjoyed by Butch and Harrolyn, Danny, Charline Black, Jackie Crowley, JoleeKirkland, Samantha and Josh Roberts at the Crowley home in Mt. Pleasant.

Frankie and Maxine of Talco, Roger and Carla Harrell of Dallas attended the Harrell Reunion in Chisum.

Faye & Bill Perdue from Kilgore are visiting with Charline Black for the week.

The Calvary Baptist Church Choir is now in the process of planning and practicing their annual Christmas Cantata. It is not too late to join the choir each Sunday afternoon at 5 for practice. For more information, contact Jerry Russell.

Tammie and Rachel Case visited with Reba and Stan Todd of Quitman on Saturday.

Buster, Sis, Ryan and BruceCase were in West Texas over the weekend quail hunting.

Kathleen Wilhite visited with her father, Chester Nix, and son, Johnny Wright, in Daingerfield on Saturday. November birthdays: Rachel Case,

Dan and Don Case, Shon Gage, Cody Wolfe, and Sam Stanley.

Calvary Baptist Church held their fifth Sunday dinner. The members, enjoyed a lot of good food and fel lowship after Sunday morning worship

Shari Wisinger was an overnight guest of Rachel Case on Friday night. The girls and Rachel's mother attended the Rebel football game at



Gospel Greats- Every Sunday from 6-8a.m. 1-800-985-KGAP



#### Thursday, November 3, 1994

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A social system that cannot be changed cannot be maintained.

-Holbrook Jackson

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### Scoggins Celebrate 67th Anniversary

On October 10, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Scoggins of McCrury were Married 67 years.

On October 23 the family got together to celebrate. Those attending were Pat and Billie Lindsey and daughter, Patricia Edmonds of Jacksonville, FL; Priscilla Lindsey and daughter, Staci Sloan of Albuquerque; Dean Scoggins and daughter, Stephanie Ellinger of Austin; Donna Boatright and Martha Scoggins, of Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Harley Scoggins and children, Darlene and Chris Crites, and their children Katrina Walker, and Patrick and Kristi Crites from Bells; Mack Scoggins and his children, Charlie, Mack and Krystal from the Ft. Worth area; Cindy Scoggins, also from Ft. Worth. Also attending was Betty Scoggins from McCrury.

Fruit-crackers Milk

Wednesday

THE FALL BAZAAR Sat., Nov. 5 Deport School Cafeteria Sponsored By The United Methodist Church of Deport

DON'T MISS

Crafts, Bake Sale, Quilt Give-Away A Silent Auction Will Feature A Painting By Dorothy Holt and Other Great Items Starting At 9:00 a.m. Turkey Dinner 11:00- 1:00 \$4 Carry Outs Available

### Sliced Turkey Gravy **English Peas** Hot Rolls Milk

Lunch Corn Dogs **Black Eyed Peas** Fruit Milk

Lunch Hamburger Burger Salad Chips Ice Cream



Talco Elementary -Jr. High Menu November 7-11 Monday

> \*Tuesday at 7:30 is pool night. Thursday at 7:00 is "42" and every Saturday at 1:30 is Bingo playing time

People &

\*On November 11, in observance

of Veteran's Day, the VFW and its

Auxiliary will serve a lunch at noon

of Bar-B-Qued Chicken with all the

trimmings. There is no charge for the

lunch, but donations will be appreci-

Things

\*The VFW and its Auxiliary meet every 2nd and 4th Monday at 7 p.m. All members are urged toattend.

# Joanie Plunkett Honored On Twelfth Birthday

ored with a twelfth birthday party on Friday, October 28 at the Mt. Pleasant Skating Rink by her parents, Todd and Shelia Wright, Camill and Logan.

Attending were Teresa and Laci Taylor, Michael Smith, Leslie, Alex and Jacob Wright, Jessica Navia, Marta Rhoades and Robert, Kim Stephenson, Kara and Kent, Pat

Joanie Plunkett of Talco was hon- Forsyth and Jessica, Amanda Jones, Courtney and Samantha, Michael Galloway, Jeff Hall, Chrissy Wilson, Darla Ottinger and Kevin, Kelly and Kyle Stansell, Jayme Haley, Gayla and Kris Hall, Sherry Hollis, Shelly and Robyn.

> Joanie received many nice gifts and everyone had a good time.

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### Battle Of The BulgeVeterans Commemoration

50th anniversary of this ever famous Donut dollies to hand out hot coffee battle, St. Louis, Missouri, Decem- and donuts at the staging area and ber 15-18. All veterans who participated in the Battle of the Bulge are invited to be a part of the ceremonies in St. Louis. Following is a list of the planned activities:

December 15- Evening Opening Reception-Joint Chiefs of Staff General John Shalikashvli, Keynote Speaker, along with other notables, buffet dinner, Glenn Miller- type band for dancing, and much more!

December 16-Morning Parade and Plaque Dedication-Veterans will march accompanied by spouses, two military bands, platoon marching units, WWII military vehicles, the Anheuser Busch Clydesdale drawn wagon, National flag Exhibit (45X90 of the Bulge, Brave Rifles.

National Commemoration of the feet) and those ever famous "USO" after the Battle of the Bulge Plaque dedication . Chief of Staff, Army General Gordon Sullivan will be the Dedication Speaker.

Afternoon Ecumenical Memorial Services- Held at the Great Saint Louis Cathedral, and honors memorial which will be long remembered. Music by the 110 member Symphonic Band of the Belgium guides.

Evening After Dinner Concert-"Tribute to the Veterans" in honor and appreciation from the People and Government of Belgium, Crown Prince Phillippe to speak. Concert followed by the showing of the most honored WWII documentary Battle

December 17- Morning Bus tour, "Gateway to St. Louis Tour", Evening 50th Anniversary Banquet-Secretary or Defense, The Honorable William Perry, to be the Guest of Honor Speaker, along with the Grand Duke of Luxembourg and other notables. Music and entertainment by the Soldiers' Chorus and U.S. Army Field Band, presenting a production featuring scenes and musical numbers from WWII.

December 18- Sunday Morning Services to be held in the hotel meeting rooms: Catholic, Jewish and Protestant

Complete information is available from Veterans of the Battle of the Bulge. P.O. Box 11129-P, Arlington , VA. 22210-2129.



Milk Tuesday Lunch Corn Chip Pie Seasoned Beans

Lunch

Pizza

Corn

Salad

Lunch Mashed Potatoes Thursday

Macaroni & Cheese Friday

Seasoned Beans