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By Nanalee Nichols

"Locals" The other day I had a "big city" newspaper person laugh condescendingly about our "locals".

I know that they are little "un-professional" by daily news standards.

In the heart of every small town journalist there lurks the desire to be out and about covering the big stories that shape the state of the nation and the world!

Of course, we all think about crawling through the jungle in some war-ridden country taking Pulitzer Prize-winning photos and making headline news from one end of the nation to the other.

But, reality is reality, and when it really comes down to it, covering those prize winning, earth-shaking stories is not nearly so glamorous as it probably appears.

But, I digress, back to local news. If you are reading this paper then you know that locals tell who had dinner with whom, who has a new baby, who has been travelling to visit relatives, who may have remodeled their home, who is ill or has lost a loved one.

And it while I was considering the insult handed me about these little notes that I realised that the locals are something much more important, and that in many ways they show the true way that world events are shaped!

It's not those "major" events that affect most of us, but the little every day events.

Careers have been changed or launched over those family suppers!

Announcements of upcoming marriages, babies, home buying, these are the things most of us remember in our lives as our lives progress.

Take a look back into these papers eighty years ago, or fifty, or thirty or ten. What is there is the day by day progression of a community. It's the life blood of this nation!

Oh, no, these people don't usually make the big time. But the people who are born, nurtured, educated and live here are the ones who swell the ranks of the military in times of war.

They are the people who run the industry, farm the land that feeds the world, fight wars, create new ideas, and generally keep the nation on its feet. They join millions of others in small towns everywhere in doing this!

In 1906 the deaths might be from a wagon accident, now it's most likely from a car accident...but the shared loss is the same today as it was then.

No, our little locals aren't something to laugh at. They aren't needless, useless "gossip".

Unlike uch news reporting these days they don't feed on spectacular tragedy, bad luck or horror...but exist with a slow, steady continuity. If read for generations they show the progression of family life, and of community life!

No, locals aren't worthless, indeed, they are priceless! They are the chronicle of a community. Years from now, if historians want to know something about the way life was here they won't look in the Dallas Morning News...they'll look in the locals!

Donna Rozell Brings High Tech City Election To Be May 5 Treatment To The Barn Lot!

By Nanalee Nichols
She walks into the horse lot lugging a big silver suitcase and a smaller black case. A tall woman, she is surrounded by a variety of dogs, from a tiny Italian greyhound to a huge part St. Bernard.

The horses are lined up with their heads over the stall doors, paying no attention to the dogs, showing only delight in her presence.

Donna Rozell of Bogata is about to give her "patients" their treatments. Donna has an unusual machine tucked away in that big silver case.

It's called an Electro-Accuscope, and is used in the treatment of soft tissue damage, cartilage damage, pain relief, muscle spasms, arthritis, neurological injury and emotional trauma in animals.

Actually, the machine was developed and is in wide-spread usage for humans...it's only fairly recently that it's use began to become more widespread for treatment of horses, and even dogs.

Donna stresses that this treatment isn't meant to be a "cure-all" and that she very definitely wants to work under a veterinarian's supervision, as most people do. "This machine isn't a miracle machine, but it is an excellent form of therapy when combined with good veterinary care" she states.

The use of the accuscope in pain relief and therapy comes naturally to Donna, who has always been devoted to horses and has a weak spot for any animal in pain.

She has traveled extensively, including to Africa and Bangladesh,

and during that time actually brought back a starving cat she found in Mali, Africa.

Her large "herd" of dogs consists almost exclusively of strays or dogs with injuries or problems. Inside along with a variety of exotic items from her travels is a crippled cat and a host of horse-related literature.

Therefore, when she first saw the accuscope used on horses at the race track, she was intrigued.

Soon she had purchased a state-of-the-art machine, and was spending days and weeks learning about it's proper use at Wraparound Farms in Bossier City, Louisiana.

She waxes enthusiastic when she launches into her explanations about the machine.

"It works by duplicating the body's own electrical currents" she says. "Damaged tissue doesn't have good electrical conductivity. This machine returns the tissue to it's normal conductivity by bringing blood and oxygen to the area of trauma". She stresses once again that the ideal situation is to have a veterinarian diagnose the exact problem, and treat it, and her machine works in addition to the other medical treatment.

She admits that she wants to make some money with the accuscope. With treatments ranging from \$10 to \$35, it's a cinch she won't be getting rich! But there's a lot more to it than that.

One of the first uses the machine was put to was to provide pain relief to a big yellow labrador retriever, afflicted with bone cancer. There was never any thought that the machine would cure the dog...only that it might

give her pain relief until chemotherapy could have time to work. When, after the second treatment, the dog got up and walked away without limping, then curled up into a peaceful sleep, Donna's eyes filled with tears of joy...as did the dog's owner's.

One of the best things about the machine is that it can't do harm or damage. It doesn't mask pain, as some treatments do, but instead helps bring the body's natural painkillers (endorphins) to an afflicted area. Portable, battery powered, it certainly seems to be a high-tech machine in a prosaic barnyard world!

"That's what I want" she says "I want to establish a practice of treatment available to ALL horsemen, from the casual, backyard horse owner to serious competitors"

Watching her in action, she applies gel to the treatment area, tapes on two brass plates, and adjusts her machine. Treatment lasts from eight to thirty minutes. Her equine patients literally sag with relaxation when the treatments begin.

"A horse can actually be sedated with this machine" she grins. That's fairly obvious, as the animals cock a hip and enjoy the relief!

It may seem like an odd ambition, providing electronic accuscope treatments to horses, but Donna Rozell is serious about it.

"This machine is used in human athletic training rooms, and physical therapy at hospitals. It's even used on Olympic athletes...so why not on some of the best athletes of all, horses?" she queries.



TREATMENT-Donna Rozell of Bogata uses an Electronic Accuscope to treat a horse for torn cartilage. Donna has be-

come proficient in the use of the unusual machine, and likes to work in conjunction with standard veterinary practices. She

has used the machine on dogs as well, and finds that it helps in all kinds of therapy and pain relief. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

Bogata Book Club To Attend Spring Convention

Members of the Bogata Book Club will be among the clubwomen from 38 East Texas clubs to attend the spring convention of Key District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The convention will be held March 2-3 at the Sheraton Hotel in Texarkana and will feature the theme "Celebrating Federation Through Dedication".

The 100th anniversary of the founding of the General Federation of Women's Clubs will be celebrated at the convention, which will be pre-

sided over by Gracie Fletcher of Marshall, president of Key District.

A vintage arts and crafts show featuring 100 year old handmade crafts will be featured, along with arts and crafts of the present day made by the East Texas clubwomen.

A vintage style show of women's fashions during the last century will highlight at the convention luncheon.

Mrs. Betty Puckett is president of the Bogata Book Club.

Jack Hood Files For Re-Election

Jack Hod of Detroit, has filed for re-election to the Board of Directors of Region VIII Education Service Center, representing Red River

County, Place 5. Ballots will be canvassed by the Region VIII Board of Directors at their April meeting, with new terms of office to begin June 1.

February 19, 1990 is the first day to file an application for a place on the ballot for the position of City Council for Bogata.

Wednesday, March 21 at 5 p.m. ist

he deadline and the terms of council members Jack Troutt, Jettie Bond and Mayor W.T. Harbison are up for re-election.

Rebel/Rebelette Booster Club Schedules Meeting

There will be a called meeting of the Rebel/Rebelette Athletic Booster Club on Monday, March 5 in the homemaking room at Rivercrest High

School. Time for the meeting is 7 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Baseball Meeting Set

There will be a baseball meeting at the Community Center in Bogata on March 5 at 7 p.m.

Parents and anyone interested in coaching are urged to attend.

This year there will be a boy's pony league team.

Ages of boys eligible to play are: Pee-Wee, 7-8 (7 before Aug. 1); MInor, 9-10; Major, 11-12; Pony League 13-14. In the pony league, if you are 15 before August 1, you are ineligible to play.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

The proposed Dimple Reservoir continues to generate ill will and misconceptions among county residents. Since we're all neighbors, we'd do well to lay aside personalities and consider the matter in terms of fact.

Clarksville's problem of a deteriorating economic base is not unique to Clarksville, Texas. Thousands of small towns across America that enjoyed a heyday as agricultural support communities are in the same condition. As the small family farm has given way to modern methods of agriculture, so too have the small communities that existed to serve the farmer had to change. Small towns like Clarksville have been aware of their anachronistic niche in modern America for decades.

The economic woes of small towns today begin, roughly, about 50 years ago. American society began then to move radically away from its earlier agricultural base in small farms. Now, 50 years later, a whole new infrastructure is in place, the small towns simply can't compete with larger towns that offer superior transportation facilities, technological support industry, diverse educational opportunities, and an array of entertainment and cultural choices--as well as an adequate supply of water and other basic utilities.

However, while farm communities across America are having problems, rural America is alive, well and thriving. The residents of the bulk of Red River County have adapted to the 20th century. We lie here simply because we want to and because life here is the way we want it to be. Whatever happens to and in Clarksville is of no economic consequence to great majority of the county.

The facts simply stated are that while Clarksville may have it's economic woes, the overwhelming bulk of Red River County's economic interests lie outside Clarksville. Red River County has a bright future, and many of us resent and resist a proposal to tax us for a project that has no bearing on our perception of the future. The Dimple Reservoir proposal needs to be quietly put to rest in the awareness that it is serving no one's best interests.

Sincerely,
John A. Nelson
Detroit, TX

Dear Editor:

I read, with a feeling of nostalgia, the article in Dallas Life Magazine about my hometown of Bogata.

I was born in Bogata and attended school there in the late 20's, until my family moved to Paris and on to Dallas.

We were taught in school that our town was, indeed, named after Bogata, Columbia, but the name was misspelled by the U.S. Post Office and that was like carving it in stone.

Since Mayor Harbison is just a "youngun" I wonder if there are any old timers, like me, around that remember why the town was named Bogata. I would really like to know.

Sincerely yours,
Alpha O. (Bush) Hulse
803 Owensons Dr.
Dallas, TX 75224

People And Things

Talco-Bogata CISD Spring Break will be March 12-17.

Region 8 will be at Bogata Elementary on March 6 at 7 p.m. to talk to the PTO on drugs. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The Talco-Bogata CISD tax office will be closed March 12-16.

Grandparents Day will be Tuesday, March 6 during Public School Week at Bogata Elementary School at which time grandparents are invited to come and eat lunch with their grandchildren. Price for an adult meal will be \$1.50 per plate.

Due to the recent outbreak of measles in the area, a FREE immunization clinic will be held at the old Brookshire's Building in Mt. Pleasant beginning at 8 a.m. on March 7 and March 21. Everyone is urged to take advantage of this community service.

Editor's Quotes
Give a little love to a child,
And you get a great deal
back.
John Ruskin

Calendar For School Board Election 1989-90

February 19	First Day to apply for candidacy
March 6	First day to accept applications for absentee ballots to applicants
21	Deadline to file application for place on ballot
22	Absentee voting clerk may begin mailing absentee ballots to applicants
27	Conduct ballot position drawing
April 5	Last day to register to vote in upcoming election
16	Absentee voting by personal appearance
27	Last day to receive applications for absentee ballots
May 1	Last day to vote absentee by personal appearance
5	School Board Election

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Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

The community was saddened Saturday morning by the death of Willie Joe Fowler. He was a longtime resident and leaves many friends to mourn his passing. Sympathy is extended to hi family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Oats received word Saturday morning of the death of his sister, Mrs. Annie Holbert of Lubbock. Services were held here Monday and burial was in Restland Cemetery. Sympathy is extended her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitney of Lubbock and Sam Whitney of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Haskell of Roxton spent Saturday night with Mrs. Helen Cruise and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith.

Members of Life Tabernacle Church and their pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Tony Corso enjoyed lunch at the Fellowship Hall Sunday.

Corene Wester of Detroit is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers attended a family get together Friday at the home of Sam Whitney of Paris.

Ethel Cooper of Paris was a Sunday supper guest of Mrs. Della Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buford Guthrie of Talco, Stephanie Sinclair and Terri of Winnsboro, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Brown of Bloomington and Mrs. Goldie Brown of Blessing were dinner guests of Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Monday.

Velma Cox returned home Friday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cox of Alvarado and Morris Cox of Dallas.

Joel Smith of Paris, Talma and Susie Norwood and Jay Ingram, Scotty Norwood and Eugene Norwood had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Monday.

Bobbye Ruth Slusher was dismissed from St. Joseph Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers attended a retirement party honoring Dexter

McCurry, who is retiring from the highway department at the Beardstown Community Center Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Thursday morning.

Blake Newman was honored with a birthday party Tuesday. Guests attending were Regina Newman, Genia Landers, Sue Pynes and Loretta Pynes.

Ethel Williams was dismissed from Baylor Medical Center Tuesday. Sympathy is extended to Rev. Chief and Betty Warden on the death of her brother, Donald Wayne Branton of Houston.

Peggy Risinger and Stacie of Paris and Mary Helen Whitney attended the FFA convention in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday night.

Ruby Dougless of Shawnee, OK spent Sunday night with Berniece Wyatt and attended the funeral for Annie Oats Holbert of Lubbock and Willie Joe Fowler on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne of Hagansport visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edwards of Magnolia are visiting Mrs. Delsa Wilson.

Stella Crafton is in ICU at Baylor Hospital.

Lillian King, Shirlene Owen, Janell Owen and Matthew and Amanda Dockery spent Saturday in Clarksville.

Loretta Pynes spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ogdon of Longview.

Red and Martha Lou White of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. John Buford Whitney Sunday.

DeeAnn Malone of Vasco spent Friday night with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Stephanie Jaco of Paris visited Delsa Wilson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Whitney and Chance spent the weekend in Texarkana, AR.

Mr. and Mrs. George Struve, Sarah and Kate of Paris visited Harry Slusher Friday.

Nell Bewley of Cotulla and Martha Shannon of Euleess spent the weekend with Loretta Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers visited Christene Kelley of Reno Saturday. Mrs. Kelley fell Friday and broke both wrists, she is now at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caldwell of Plano.

Goldie Brown of Blessing, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Brown of Bloomington, Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain visited Mr. and Mrs. George Green of Mt. Pleasant Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hall of Detroit visited Harry Slusher Saturday night.

Melba Winn of Athens and Irene Gordon of Reno visited Loretta Allen Saturday.

John B. and Claudia Whitney visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickey and family of Sulphur Springs Saturday.

Harry Slusher spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris.

Linda Anderson visited Katherine Sugg Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain, Mrs. Ida Deshong, Goldie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guthrie of Talco Tuesday.

Kim Clark and Brett of Possom Kingdom Lake are spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Anderson.

Stephanie Yates of Weatherford and Tracy Bell of Palo Pinto visited the Andersons over the weekend and Kelly Anderson of Bogata spent the weekend with the Andersons.

Kasey Mitchell of Deport spent Wednesday with Brock Blasingame.

Tina Standifer of Paris spent Friday night with the Andersons.

A birthday party was held Saturday night at the home of Mitchell Standifer at Direct in honor of Gayle Anderson's birthday. Attending were Kim Clark and Brett, Stephanie Yates, Tracey Bell, Kelly Anderson, Brock Blasingame, Tina Standifer and Mickey Anderson.

John Allen of Arlington spent Monday with Mrs. Loretta Allen.

Rickey and Linda Anderson spent the week in Houston at the Livestock Show.

Obituaries

Willie Joe Fowler Dies February 24



Willie Joe Fowler

Willie Joe Fowler of Cunningham died Saturday, February 24 in McCuiston Hospital in Paris.

Services were Monday, February 26 at 2 p.m. in Cunningham Baptist Church with the Rev. Glenn Renfro and Rev. Tony Corso officiating. Burial was in Restland Cemetery at Cunningham by Grant Funeral Home.

Bearers were Johnny Musgrove, Pete McKnight, Bill Boehme, James Norwood, Buddy Taylor and Dwayne Drennen.

Mr. Fowler was born August 24, 1916 in Philadelphia, MS, the son of Ira and Maybelle Tucker Fowler. He attended Cunningham schools and on September 21, 1935, he married the former Lucy Allen. From 1954 until 1975 he lived in Dallas where he owned and operated Ace Equipment Company in a partnership with his son-in-law, Delano Dunlap. While living in Dallas, he was a member of Edgemont Baptist Church. Upon retirement, he returned to Cunningham where he was a member of the Cunningham Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Curtis and Calvin Fowler and a sister, Mildred Plemons.

He is survived by his wife, Lucy Fowler of Cunningham; two sons, Talma Fowler of Pattonville and Michael Fowler of Mesquite; two daughters, Barbara Dunlap of Mesquite and Carol Dorsey of Cunningham; seven grandchildren, Stephen, Jimmy and Pamela Dunlap of Mesquite, Melanie Fowler of Pattonville, Jennifer Dorsey of Cunningham, Christy and Amanda Fowler, both of Mesquite and three great-grandchildren. Survivors also include on sister, Estelle Nolen of Borger and two brothers, Howard Fowler of Maud and Lester Fowler of Carthage, MS and numerous nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Annie Holbert Dies February 23

Mrs. Annie Lee Oats Holbert, 83, of Lubbock, formerly of Cunningham, died Friday, February 23 in Southpark Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born January 17, 1907 in Charleston, TX, the daughter of Thomas Lee and Ida Bledso Oats. She married Winfred M. Holbert on November 1, 1923 in Cunningham. He preceded her in death in August 1971.

She is survived by three sons, Tom Holbert of Colorado City, TX, Joe Holbert of Midland and Buddie Holbert of Lubbock; one brother, Billy Joe Oats of Cunningham; one sister, Mrs. Betty Jane Roddy of Blossom; fourteen grandchildren and fifteen great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, February 26 at 11 a.m. in Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham with Rev. Tony Corso officiating. Burial was in Restland Cemetery at Cunningham, under the direction of Grant Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Mrs. Holbert's grandsons.

Oscar Durwood Howe Dies February 25

Oscar Durwood Howe, 72, of Iowa Park, died Sunday, February 25 at his home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, February 27 at Highland Cemetery with Jack Kee, Larry Bridges and James Howe officiating. Grant Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mr. Howe was born October 20, 1917 in Clarksville, the son of W.E. and Oma Emory Howe. On March 22, 1985, he married Rosie Williams. He was a retired farmer. He lived in Blossom until 1985 when he moved to Iowa Park. He was a member of the Church of God.

Surviving are hi wife; one stepson, Ralph Surface of Dallas; a stepdaughter, Alvena Ordendorff of Detroit; four brothers, W.B. Howe of Texarkana, Wally Howe of Tyler, James Howe of Dallas and Billy Howe of Bryan; two sisters, Christine Edwards of Athens and Joyce Landrum of Dallas and four grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

The family of W.J. Fowler wishes to express the sincere appreciation to all relatives and friends for their prayers and support during the time of our loved ones illness and death. A special thanks to Bro. Renfro, Bro. Corso, Geneva Norwood and Dorothy Ogden.

Lucy Fowler
Barbara and Delano Dunlap
T.J. and Margaret Fowler
Carol Dorsey
Mike and Delores Fowler

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our deepest thanks to the Volunteer Firemen for their excellent work. Thanks to you, we are back in operation. Your courageous firefighting is very much appreciated!

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Card of Thanks

I would like to thank the people of Cunningham and Deport for the beautiful flowers, cards and prayers while I was in the hospital having hip surgery. I am at home now and doing fine.

Mrs. L.C. Ballard

Card of Thanks

Thanks to everyone for the love and concern shown to us while Buddy was in the hospital.

We truly appreciate your prayers, cards, flowers, calls and visits.

Buddy and Sue Malone

Card of Thanks

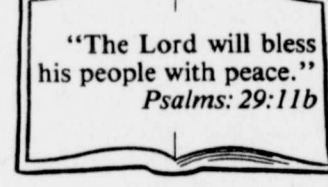
Mrs. Vera Craddock wants to take this time to say a special thanks to her friends, neighbors, niece and nephew who helped make her 75th birthday a special occasion. Also, long distance phone call from her nephew, Mark Stephenson, in Hollywood, California.

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our appreciation to our children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren for our 65th wedding anniversary celebration. Also, many thanks to our friends and relatives attending and for all the cards and gifts send.

God bless each of you.

Jim and Thelma Davis



Card of Thanks

The Bogata Volunteer Fire Department would like to take this time to thank everyone who helped with our fundraiser on the 17th. It was a huge success, it cleared over \$4100, that's a good start on the new truck. We would especially like to thank the ladies for those good "ole" pies and cakes, we could not have done it without your help.

Thanks Huddleston Grocery for cutting us some slack on stew and chili ingredients. Thanks Sammy Wilkerson for the good chili, it went in a hurry. Thanks Frankie Norwood for the great job auctioneering, and anyone else we may have overlooked. We used this money to start a Bogata Fire Truck Fund account at Peoples Bank. All donations will go into this fund, anyone wishing to donate can do so there or see a member. The donations are coming in daily and we do appreciate it very much. We are planning another supper fundraiser in September. Thanks again.

Bogata Volunteer Fire Department

Card of Thanks

We deeply appreciate everyone who, through hard work and dedication, helped make the recent benefit for the Talco Fire Department and Rescue Squad, a big success.

We would especially like to thank Frankie Brown and Nancy Brown for coordinating the activities, Maple Springs Baptist Church for sponsoring the event, all the athletes who played in the tournament, and the Wilkerson Community for the use of their gym.

We also express our gratitude to countless other individuals who gave freely of their time and to the residents of area communities who overwhelmingly supported us by their attendance. to all who helped make this a very special day for us, thank you for caring.

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Arigo Riders Have Practice

The Arigo Riders Drill Team had 14 members mounted for practice Sunday.

They are working on a new routine for this year.

Refreshments were served by the Tabb's after the workout. The next practice will be Sunday, March 11 at 1:30 p.m. at the rodeo arena in Bogata. Heather Lumas will be in charge of refreshments.

The regular monthly meeting will be Tuesday, March 6 at the Community Center at 7 p.m. Donna Rozell will be the guest speaker then.

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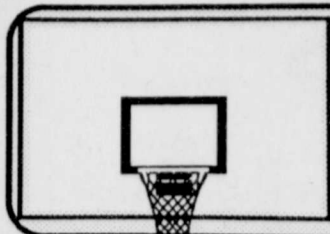
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Roundball Roundup

By Gary House

Rebels Fall In Bi-District

INTIMIDATION....The Edgewood Bulldogs brought that intangible, together with their considerable athletic prowess and reknown as defending Texas Class 2A Champions into the Bi-District game against Rivercrest Rebels Tuesday night. The combination proved less than desirable for the Red River Counties, as they were mauled 58-28 by the formidable Bulldogs.

The Rebels, District 17AA runners-up, by virtue of their overtime loss to the Chisum Mustangs on Monday night, end their season with a record of 24-8, while the Bulldogs will continue their quest for a second state championship with a 29-3 state against a yet to be determined opponent.

The Dogs are presently rated fourth in Class 2A rankings.

The Rebels were simply mesmerized by the quickness and shooting ability of the Bulldogs. As a result, every effort of Coach Wake Wood's charges was short-circuited, either by the Bulldog defense, or miscues of the Rebels' own making. One unnamed Rebel commented following the loss, "On the court, it looked like there was 10 of them against five of us. If we had the ball, they had us double-teamed, and yet no one else was open."

The Rebels started slowly, committing five turnovers in the first three minutes of play, and missing their first five shots. The score was 7-0 before senior Jeremy Abshier brought

the Rebels into the scoring column with a driving lay-up at the five minute mark. But that was not enough as Edgewood senior Tim James canned 13 first quarter points, including a trio of treys, to pace the Dogs to a 19-10 advantage. James led all scorers with 24 points. The Rebels settled down in the second period, cutting the halftime deficit to 25-18. The Rebels had a horrendous shooting night, as evidenced by the score. The third quarter proved the dagger to the heart of the Rebs as they scored only five points, while Edgewood amassed a 39-23 lead.

Rivercrest went into the ice age in scoring as they failed to hit for a total of 6:48 seconds in the second half. The Rebels hit only four second half field goals, thirteen for the night, additionally, they were two of twelve from the charity stripe, as the basket seemed to have a lid on it. The Rebels missed the front end of seven bonus efforts in the second half. Edgewood senior Bobby Hardin had 10 of his 14 points in the second half.

That the Rivercrest shooting touch was absent is clearly seen in the scoring breakdown. Senior Jeremy Abshier, a double-digit average, led the Rebels with 6 points, while senior Jason Lankford contributed with 5 points. Twelve points were produced by three Rebel big men, Jason Pogue, Ronald Simmons and Kevin House, who each netted four. Pogue had a pair of blocked shots, while House

had two steals and several rebounds; Simmons fouled out midway in the final quarter. Starter Galen Logan saw some action, but re-injured his knee during the contest. Senior Donald Combs was neutralized by the swarming Edgewood defense.

Although the season ended on a negative note, the Rebels can be proud of the fact that they were the first team to represent their school in the play-offs in the last five years. Edgewood, in contrast, has appeared in post season competition for the last eight years. Their experience was a contributing factor in the Rebel loss.

Kudost Rebel Coach Wake Wood and the Rebel squad for an outstanding season. Three Rebel seniors completed their schoolboy basketball careers by advancing the Bi-District game. Forward Jeremy Abshier and post Jason Pogue, along with Jason Lankford, have all contributed immensely to the Rebel success.

A personal note...This is my final column as the sports reporter for Rivercrest. I have certainly enjoyed covering the Rebels and Rebelettes the past two years. I wish to express appreciation to the Administration and Coaches for their cooperation, and to the readers for their favorable comments. My aim has been to focus on the student athletes, and their dedication to their given sport. Thanks, kids, for without you these weekly visits would not have been possible.



Talco Bogata CISD
School Menu
March 5-9
Monday

Breakfast:

- Donuts
- Juice
- Milk
- Lunch:**
- Fish nuggets
- Cole slaw
- Baked corn
- Brownies
- Milk

Tuesday

Breakfast:

- Cereal
- Juice
- Fruit
- Milk
- Lunch:**
- Turkey and dressing
- Cranberry sauce
- Mashed potatoes
- English peas
- Bread
- Milk

Wednesday

Breakfast:

- Sausage
- Biscuits
- Juice
- Milk
- Lunch:**
- Hot dogs with mustard
- Relish
- Seasoned beans
- Jello with fruit
- Milk

Thursday

Breakfast:

- Cinnamon rolls
- Juice
- Milk
- Lunch:**
- Steak fingers
- Catsup
- New potatoes
- Green beans
- Hot rolls with butter/honey
- Milk

Friday

Breakfast:

- Cereal
- Juice
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Births

Mr. and Mrs. James Lawson announce the arrival of Kory Duane, weighing 8 lbs. 6 oz., born February 23. Grandparents are Duane and Martha Bryson of Dickerson and Buddy and Lucy Lawson of Bogata. Great-grandparents are Howard Ed Bryson and Sarah Jo Smith of Bogata and Geneva Wicks of Mt. Pleasant. The baby has a brother, Kristofer Lawson.

NTCC Plans Arts & Crafts Fair

The Student Coordinating Board of Northeast Texas Community College will host a day of arts, crafts and food at the NTCC Arts and Crafts Fair from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 31 on the NTCC Plaza.

"The college site is a natural location for the merging of college district members for a day of buying, selling, trading and networking on the latest trends in arts and crafts," said Judy Jackson, NTCC Coordinator of Student Activities.

"Many of our students are crafts enthusiasts and we hope many of

them will participate. We also want to invite all area churches, civic organizations, sororities, band boosters, athletic boosters and any organization that would like to take this opportunity to raise funds for their club, to participate," said Ms. Jackson. A small fee will be charged for booth rental and anyone interested in participating in the fair should contact Ms. Jackson at 572-1911, for more information or to reserve a booth. Deadline for booth reservations is March 7.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- March 3, 1875—Desert Homestead Act became law.
- March 4, 1881—James Garfield became first president to live in the White House with his mother.
- March 5, 1927—U.S. Marines landed in China.
- March 6, 1885—Humorist Ring Lardner, author of "Hair Cut," born Niles, Mich.
- March 7, 1930—Byrd Antarctic expedition reached Dunedin, New Zealand.
- March 8, 1939—Georgia ratifies Bill of Rights, first 10 amendments to Constitution.
- March 9, 1933—Called into special session by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Congress begins Great Depression's "Hundred Days" of emergency legislation.

THE BIGGEST HITTER

Survey Updates Newspaper Lead Over Direct Mail

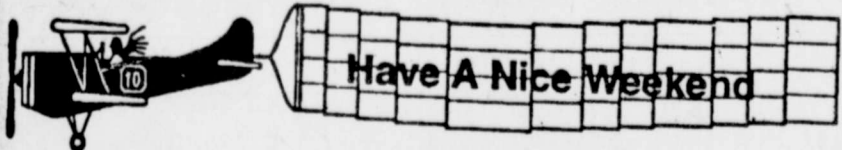
The direct mailing fad, which once even ranked second to newspapers in ad readership, is on the slide. Newspapers, on the other hand, are increasing their lead in readership and effectiveness over all media.

- * 54% read newspaper inserts, as compared with only 42% who read direct mail circulars.
- * 77% say newspaper inserts are more valuable for shopping, as compared with 10% who prefer mail.
- * 74% believe newspaper inserts are "easier to find when you want them," as compared with only 15% who chose direct mail in this category.
- * 80% say newspaper inserts "offer a more complete assortment of ads" than does direct mail.



REBEL Kevin House goes up for two pints in a game earlier this year. The District 17AA runner ups finished their sea-

son last week in a 58-28 loss at the hands of the Edgewood Bulldogs. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



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Prestons To Speak At Bereaved Parents Meeting

The regular monthly meeting for the Bereaved Parents Support Group will be Thursday, March 8 at 7 p.m. in the Alford Center at PJC. The speakers will be Herb and Vanessa Preston. He is a business instructor at Paris High School and she is owner and operator of the Excel Beauty Salon. They are bereaved parents, having lost their 5-year old daughter to Leukemia. The Bereaved Parents Support Group meets the second Thursday of each month at the above address to help sustain and support parents who have deceased children. The group is not restricted to parents, anyone is invited who feels a need for grief therapy. For information, call 785-7781 or 785-4858.

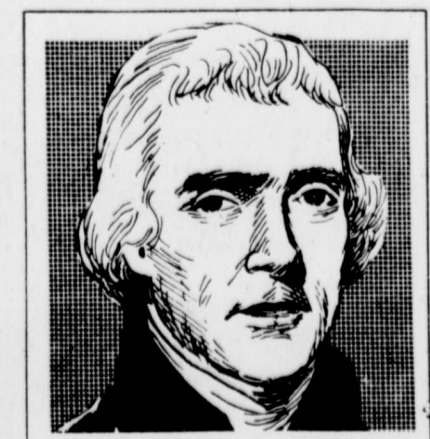
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Rural Texas Commission To Hold Hearing On March 5

By Paul Payne, CEA/AG
 The Texas Rural Economic Development Commission has scheduled one of 11 public hearings to be held in the state in Paris on March 5 at 10 a.m. in the J.R. McLemore Student Center on the PJC campus. The purpose of the hearing will be to obtain citizen viewpoints regarding the revitalization of rural Texas. Local individuals are invited to participate in the hearing, according to Robert Parker of Paris, a member of the statewide commission. Testimonies should be no longer than three to five minutes. The Lamar, Delta and Red River County Beef and Forage Tour is set for May 1 to the Southwest Research and Extension Center in Hope, AR. The tour is sponsored by the beef and forage committees in three counties, cooperating with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Tour participants will find a number of interesting stops on the tour. These include a bull performance test station where the current bulls on test will be nearing the end of their test period. The tour will depart at 6:30 a.m. and return at about 6 p.m. Reservations can be made with the County Agent's office in Paris, Cooper and Clarksville by paying a \$25 fee. Individuals who have never obtained their private pesticide applicator certification or who are in need of a private pesticide applicator license are reminded of the licensing training to be offered in Paris on March 23. The training will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the TU Electric Building, 635 Clarksville St., Paris and will conclude at noon. A representative of the Texas Department of Agriculture will be on hand at 1 p.m. that day to give the written test to individuals who have attended a training session. There will be a \$50 fee collected for the license which will be good for five years.

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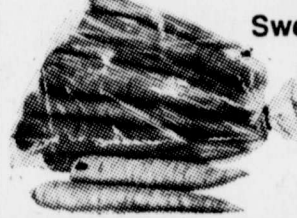
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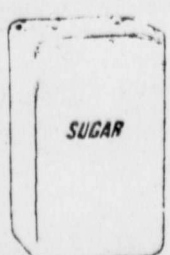


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Michelle Boswell with fiance, Alton Peek

Boswell-Peek Announce Engagement

Michelle Boswell of Paris and Alton Peek of Boxelder announce their engagement and approaching marriage. The couple will be married March 17 at 7 p.m. in a semi-formal ceremony at Salem Baptist Church in Boxelder.

The bride is the daughter of Bill Boxwell of Paris and Nell Boswell of Paris and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Anthony, W.W. Staley and the late J.D. and Carrie Boswell, all of Paris. She is a 1981 graduate of Paris High School and graduated from the PJC Jewelry department with a degree in watch repair. She is also a licensed vocational nurse and is employed at

McCouston Regional Medical Center in the The groom is the son of the late Alton (Tebbo) and Hazel Peek of Boxelder and is the grandson of Mary Eliza Nicks and the late George Nicks of Avery and the late Seymour and Lizzie Peek of Boxelder.

He is a 1980 graduate of Clarksville High School and is a self-employed farmer, rancher and heavy equipment contractor. He is vice-president of Red River Farm Bureau and serves on the Red River County Agriculture Improvement Association Board.

Formal invitations will not be sent. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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A Wearing a safety belt.

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Bogata Locals

J.D. Maddox of Arlington and Mrs. Frances Lane of Arlington was recent visitors of Mrs. Horace Benham. He was visiting his mother, Bessie Maddox of Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Dee Tabb spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow. Other visitors were Vicki, Danny, Michael Tabb of Pine Branch, Billy Stringfellow of Bogata, Joe Stringfellow of Argo and Michelle Milner of Talco.

Traveling to Duncanville last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tuck of Bogata. They went to his sister's

50th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Blasingame. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. James A. Freelen, James Earl and Jason, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts, Jennifer and Wesley and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Williams, Brandon and Kevin.

Visiting Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Benham was Bro. Billy Shoffner of Carthage.

Celebrating Mrs. Ellen Tuck birthday Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts, Jennifer and Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Williams, Brandon, Kevin, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Freelen, James Earl and Jason.

Sheryl Polk of Gainesville spent the weekend with her mother, Frances Summers.

Mrs. Ruth Vaughan and Mrs. Martha Evans of Paris visited Mrs. Gus Swaim and Mary Lassiter last week.

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- 1 can (21 oz.) baked beans
- 1 can (15 1/2 oz.) kidney beans, drained
- 1/2 lb. Italian or pork link sausages
- 1 small onion, chopped (about 1/4 cup)
- 1/2 cup catsup
- 1 tbsp. packed brown sugar
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. dry mustard
- 1/8 tsp. pepper

Cook lima beans as directed on package; drain. Mix lima beans, baked beans and kidney beans in ungreased 2-quart casserole. Heat sausages and small amount water to boiling; reduce heat. Cover and simmer 5 minutes; drain. Cook sausages until brown on all sides (do not prick sausages). Cut each sausage into 2 or 3 pieces; stir into beans. Mix remaining ingredients; stir into bean mixture. Cook uncovered in 400° oven until hot and bubbly. 40 to 50 minutes. 6 servings

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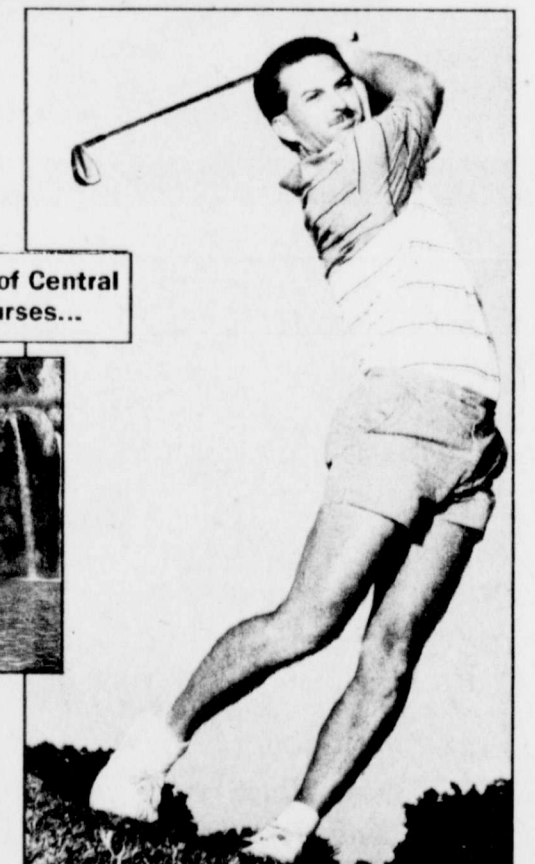
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THE LADIES AUXILIARY Post 8187 presents flags and pamphlets of the Pledge of Alle-

giance to K-5 grades. Pictured are Annie Lee Moore, Jamie Huddleston, Betty Mullins and

Billie Garrison. (Staff Photo by Keye Lee)

We Support Our TALCO JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM



Talco Junior High Girls Basketball Team consists of, left to right, back row, Coach Shane Wilson, Jackie Reed, Shaunda Jones, Laquitta Norman, Susie Moles, Julie Nolen, Robyn Reeves. Front row: Jennifer Bond, Crystal White, Tawala Padgett and Stephanie Borden.

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- 1 can (16 oz.) VEG-ALL Mixed Vegetables, drained
- 1 cup chopped tomatoes (about 2 medium)
- 1 1/2 cups (6 oz.) shredded Cheddar cheese
- 1 can (10 1/4 oz.) condensed cream of chicken soup
- 1/4 cup milk
- 1 1/2 cups biscuit mix
- 1/4 cup milk
- 1 can (2.8 oz.) French fried onions

In greased 8x12-inch baking dish, combine first 4 ingredients and 1 cup cheese and 1/2 can French fried onion. Blend soup and 1/4 cup milk; pour over casserole. Bake, covered at 400° for 15 minutes. Meanwhile, combine biscuit mix, milk, and remainder of fried onions; mix thoroughly. Drop by spoonfuls to form biscuits around edge of casserole. Bake, uncovered, 15 to 20 minutes, or until biscuits are golden brown. Top biscuits with remaining cheese and bake about 2-3 minutes, until cheese is melted.



HISTORY

Teacher: "Give me a good reason why we should work hard to prevent wars."
 Pupil: "So we wouldn't have so much history to learn?"

Screening For Spinal Disorders Required By State

The legislature passed a new law in 1985 requiring all sixth and ninth grade students to be screened for spinal deformities.

Early detection of abnormal spinal curvature can prevent serious health problems. This is a problem that may begin during the early adolescent years with an estimated 1 in 10 adolescents having some degree of abnormal curvature. Curves that are detected early may only require periodic observation by a specialist. Moderate curves may require the wearing of a brace, which is usually supervised by an orthopedic specialist. In most cases, the need for major surgery for this deformity can be eliminated through early detection.

Screening for Bogata sixth graders has been scheduled for Wednesday, March 7.

Ninth graders will be screened on Monday, March 5 at Rivercrest.

Students will be screened for two types of spinal deformities; scoliosis and kyphosis. Scoliosis is a condition in which the spine is twisted, causing misalignment of the upper body or lower back. This condition can worsen and lead to much pain, as well as complications of the heart and lungs. Kyphosis is a type of spinal deformity in which the upper spine shows a pronounced curve. This condition is also referred to as "round back" and can be corrected if detected early.

Beverly Creates New Quality Care Recognition For Employees

Beverly Enterprises, Inc. President and Chief Financial Officer David Banks announced recently a new company-wide quality of care program for rank and file employees at all levels who help provide care for approximately 100,000 patients and residents in Beverly long-term care facilities around the country.

The Company's new program is similar to the work based quality care concept that originated in the Japanese auto industry and has since taken hold in many industries in other countries.

In the new program, which is being implemented for the first time this month, groups of five Beverly employees, selected randomly to represent different operating areas, will meet with the administrators of each Beverly facility. The purpose of the meeting is to select the "Beverly

Quality Care Employee of the Month." The selection process is based on applications from individual employees proposing themselves as candidates for recognition.

The application form asks the employee to state briefly what he or she has done in his or her individual area of responsibility to improve quality of care at the facility and how they would make further improvements.

The new program enhances the vital role the employee plays in providing high quality care by emphasizing that the employees can and should serve also in evaluating who is doing a good job, and is expected to create a new dynamism between individual disciplines within each facility and also between those disciplines and the facility's administration.

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- 1988 Chevrolet S-10 P.U. (Brown)
- 1988 Chevrolet S-10 P.U. (Black)
- 1987 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton 4x4 (Red)
- 1987 Chevrolet S-10 P.U. (White)
- 1987 Chevrolet Suburban (Blue)
- 1987 Chevrolet SOLD Van (Blue)
- 1986 Chevrolet SOLD on 4x4 (Blue)
- 1986 Chevrolet Astro Van (White)
- 1985 Chevrolet Silverado (Silver/Blue) Sold
- 1985 Chevrolet SOLD P.U. (White/Red Stripes)

- 1985 Chevrolet 3/4 Ton P.U. (Blue/Silver)
- 1984 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton P.U. (Red/Black)
- 1983 Chevrolet 3/4 Ton Van (Tan/Brown)
- 1982 Chevrolet SOLD on P.U. (Blue/Lt. Blue)
- 1981 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton P.U. w/Camper (Red)
- 1989 Nissan P.U. (Red)
- 1988 Toyota P.U. (Red)
- 1986 Ford XLT P.U. (Light Tan/Tan)
- 1985 GMC 4x4 Suburban (2 tone Brown)
- 1989 Chevrolet Cavalier Z24 (Gray) Sold
- 1984 Ford Bronco II (Blue)
- 1984 Ford LTD (Silver)
- 1986 Buick Park Avenue (White)
- 1985 Buick Le Sabra LTD (Silver)

- 1987 Cadillac Sedan DeVille (Gold)
- 1987 Cadillac Brougham DeElegance (White) Sold
- 1985 Cadillac El Dorado Biarritz (Gray)
- 1987 Honda Accord DX (Light Blue)
- 1988 Chrysler SOLD Yorker Landau (Sandstone)
- 1986 Chrysler 5th Avenue (White)
- 1986 Olds. 88 Royale Brougham (White) Sold
- 1984 Oldsmobile Full Size Wagon
- 1984 Olds. Omega Brougham (Beige)
- 1983 Olds. Regency Brougham (Blue) Sold
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Chili Cookoff Will Benefit Charities

As has been previously stated, CASI, the Chili Appreciation Society International Inc. will be holding a cookoff in Deport on April 14.

Currently, volunteers to provide stew for the Friday night fund raiser, and to assist with a variety of other activities is needed. All funds will benefit local charities.

Currently, there are plans for a Friday night stew supper, which will be for everyone who wants to come out and eat stew, a breakfast for the cooks the next morning, the cookoff for the CASI sanctioned contestants, arts and crafts booths, a local cookoff, food sales at lunch and bake sales.

Currently about 60 teams are expected. Many will be spending the night camping on Blackland Prairie Gin's lot.

The local cookoff will provide fun and competition for anyone wishing to cook up about a gallon of chili. There will also be a bean cookoff.

More information can be obtained by contacting Don Denison at 652-2425 or Sammy Wilkerson in Bogata at 632-5182.

The CASI cookoff competitors have rules that sanctioned cookoffs must observe. These rules don't affect the local cookoff.

The whole thing got started way back when a challenge was flung down by Wick Fowler to H. Allen Smith.

The Terlingua, Texas World Championship Chili Cookoff is now World famous.

A chili cookoff, CASI involves: A celebration of chili which includes a cooking and showmanship competition. Chili is prepared from scratch at the cookoff site, and judged on a set criteria by a panel of judges in a blind tasting procedure. Chili cooks also

can participate in showmanship which is a form of competitive entertainment that adds a lot of fun to the cookoff. Showmanship will also be judged by a panel of judges based on a set criteria.

It is said that a chili cookoff can be held when two or more people get together to see who can make the best of the fiery "National Dish of Texas".

But the way things stand now, Deport will have a whole lot more than just two competitors.

Anyone who has ever seen the showmanship portion of this event will testify that it makes a major contribution to the cookoff. Imagine

There are recipes for "Zen Chili", "Jail house Chili", "Oregon Championship Chili", "Nevada Annie's Chili" and a whole host of others.

Recipes are guarded jealously, spices purchased fresh, and chili ranges from blazing, unbelievably hot to mild and pleasant.

Caps commemorating the first annual Prairiland Chili Cookoff will be available.

Sherry and Don Denison have created unusual trophies from plow points. The trophies are hand painted and very attractive. They will be given not only to the CASI cooks, but to the local cooks who win awards such as the popular "People's Choice" award.

There will be trophies for beans, chili and showmanship, along with many other.

Anyone who is interested in helping with the event, setting up a booth, which is available for \$15, cooking in the local chili or bean competition, or donating towards the stew supper or any other aspect of the charity fund raiser is urged to contact a member of the Deport American Legion or the numbers previously listed.

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THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER

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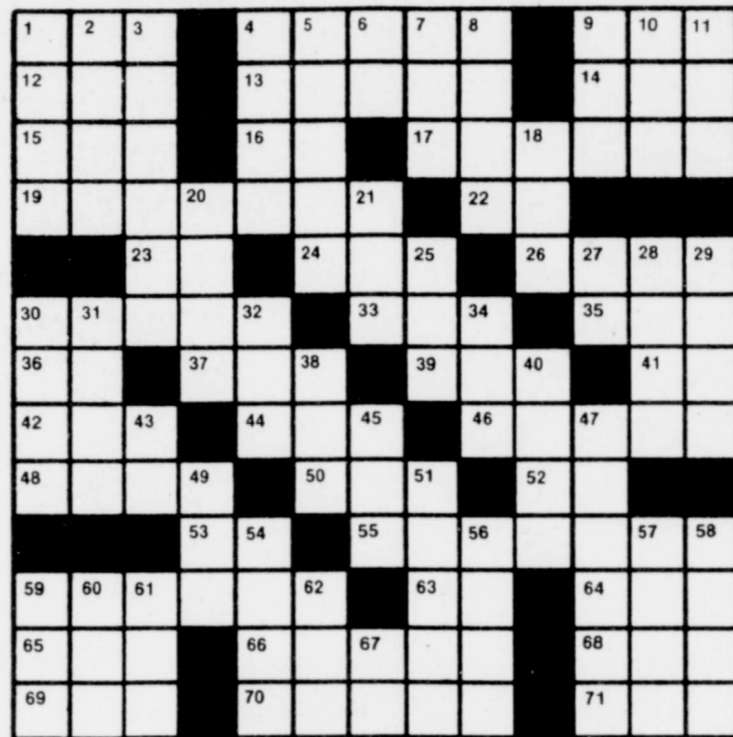
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- 4 Shiny fabric
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- 22 Street abbr.
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- 55 Bothers



- 7 Dessert
- 8 Captures
- 9 Herd of whales
- 10 English drink
- 11 Affirmative
- 18 Indian tribe
- 20 Void
- 21 Pull
- 25 _____ wow
- 27 Two-fold: prefix
- 28 Pluck
- 29 Snake-like fish
- 30 Wind instrument
- 31 Watch face
- 32 Pronoun
- 34 Clear profit
- 38 Askew
- 40 Tidy
- 43 Rich Little: init.
- 45 Catnip
- 47 Is very angry
- 49 Standing room only
- 51 Belief
- 54 Street urchin
- 56 Tender
- 57 100 dinars in Iran
- 58 Smear
- 59 Dejected
- 60 Mineral source
- 61 Recent
- 62 Oklahoma town: init.
- 67 Oklahoma town: init.

DOWN

- 1 Defeat
- 2 Always
- 3 Claim
- 4 Large waves
- 5 Concede
- 6 et _____ Brute
- 59 Mexican state
- 63 Negative
- 64 Bell
- 65 Exist
- 66 Puff
- 68 Tsetse fly
- 69 Mountain
- 70 Sew temporarily
- 71 Single lens reflex: init.



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DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- February 26, 1921— Near East Conference of Allies closed in London.
- February 27, 1933— Nazis burned Reichstag, blamed fire on Communists.
- February 28, 1861— Congress creates Colorado Territory.
- March 1, 1961— Peace Corps established.
- March 2, 1889— Kansas state legislature passes 1st antitrust law in U.S.
- March 3, 1899— Dewey made an admiral at Manila Bay.
- March 4, 1789— U.S. Constitution became effective.

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DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- March 5, 1836— Alamo siege ended.
- March 6, 1957— Gold Coast independent, renamed Ghana.
- March 7, 1932— 3,000 workers rioted for jobs at Ford Motor Company, Detroit.
- March 8, 1958— USS Wisconsin became last battleship to enter mothball fleet.
- March 9, 1919— Supreme Court upheld Deb's conviction under the Espionage Act.
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There was a men's and women's volleyball tourney held in Sugar Hill thi past weekend. All proceeds were to go toward repairs to the gym an building.

Celebrating March birthdays are Carissa Carroll, Kim Brown, Katy Cabell, Johnny Swarts, Bobby Jack Brown, Carl Smith II, Sis Case, Randal Cochran, Stanley Jones.

Mrs. Nancy Brown and Kim, Tonya Marshall and David Stansell visited Susan Tabb in Clarksville Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Shannon Roberts was home-visiting Mrs. Betty Krish and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brown and family this past weekend. Shannon is presently serving in the U.S. Navy.

David Stephens was admitted to the hospital Tuesday. He is home and reported doing well.

Robert Giddens underwent heart by-pass surgery Monday. He is in Medical City Hospital in Dallas and is reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coulter of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown, Kim and Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graf and Katherine and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Miss Kristie Boyd and Susan Tabb were taken to Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clarksville Hospital Sunday after a two-car accident in Sugar Hill.

Both girls are reported doing well. The driver of the other car was not injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Wilson and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Hinson in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Jimmy Ottinger was taken to Mt. Pleasant Hospital Monday after a fall at work. He underwent surgery for a broken hip and is reported doing well.

The Talco First Baptist Church enjoyed a hogdog supper Saturday night at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Worthey visited Mr. and Mrs. Armon Julian of Lake Bob Sandlin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roberts were in Lufkin Friday night and Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Mike Medlin and children.

Mrs. Alma Lowry of Bogata visited her sister, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, during the weekend and attended church at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hood visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray Hood in Longview during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Davis were lunch guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cotten of Johtown on Sunday.

Michael House, a student at Ouachita Baptist College in Arkadelphia, AR spent the weekend with his parents, Bro. and Mrs. Gary House and Kevin.

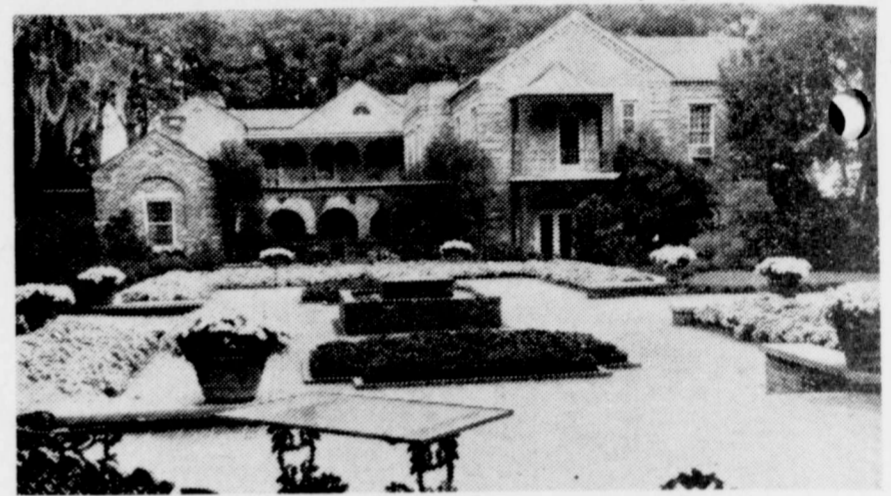
Mrs. Zelma Blackburn returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jean Brock and husband, Tommy, of Longview.

Pat O'Keefe has been dismissed from Titus County Memorial Hospital.



THE PRINCIPAL'S Award certificate was presented to Annie Lee Moore, left, from

Principal Jerry Teel, right, for her outstanding community service of the Bogata campus. (Staff Photo by Keye Lee)



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