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Rebelettes Take First, Rebs Consolation At Tourney

The Rivercrest Rebelettes took top honors, and the Rebels settled for the consolation trophy from the Mt. Vernon Invitational Basketball Tournament December 10-12.

The Rebelettes shot their way through games with Detroit, Greenville, and Mt. Vernon to claim the championship. Three major contributors to the team's performance on the court, Pam Warden, Jean Norman and Veronica Howerton, were named by coaches and tour-

namment officials as members of the All Tournament.

The girls met with Detroit in the first round of tournament action. Rebelettes edged ahead with a 21-18 lead at the half and continued to edge ahead of their opponents in the second half.

Veronica Howerton led the team in points scored with 13 field goals and four free throws for 30 points. She was followed by Jean Norman with three field goals and five free throws for 11 points.

In round two of the tournament the girls defeated Greenville 45-35 after taking an early lead. The score stood 24-16 at the close of the first half of action.

Again leading the team in scoring was Howerton with eight field goals for 16 points. Other scoring for the team were Jean Norman and Kim Reeder with eight points each, Nelda Anderson and Jackie Via with four points each, Pam Ward and Rhonda Branch with two points each and Karen Caddell with

one point. A see-saw battle for the Championship was held between Mt. Vernon and the Rebelettes. The game was close throughout with Mt. Vernon leading in the first two quarters 11-8 and 24-22. The Rebelettes pulled ahead in the third quarter 37-36, but appeared in foul trouble early in the fourth quarter with the loss of Howerton.

Eight of 13 attempted free shots for the Rebelettes were good in the fourth quarter of play, while only four of nine attempts for the Tigerettes were good.

The Rebel boys lost to Detroit 63-58 in the first round of play, and were declared winner in their second round schedule after illness prevented the return of the Clarksville JV team for play in the tournament Friday. In the final round of play in the boys consolation bracket the Rebels defeated

Quitman's Bulldogs in a squeaker game 54-52.

David Rozell led the team in points scored against Detroit with seven field goals and one free throw for 15 points. Other top scoring players were David Wisinger with 12, Stan Wood with 11, and John Hines with 10.

High point honors in the game against Quitman were earned by Stan Wood with seven field goals and four free throws for 18 points. Other scoring players were James Strickland with 12, John Hines, 10, David Wisinger, 8, David Rozell, 4, and Bradley Moore, 2.

Stan Wood was selected by officials and coaches for All Tournament honors. Both boys and girls named to the All Tournament teams were awarded a medal to commemorate the tournament and their honor.



DAVID ROZELL scored 15 points and was high point man in the opening round of the Mt. Vernon

Invitational Tournament which pitted the Rebels against the Detroit

Eagles. The Eagles defeated the Rebels 63 to 58. (Staff Photo)

JV Having Good Season

We all know how the Rivercrest Rebel and Rebelette varsity teams have high hopes of repeating their district championships, but there are three other teams at Rivercrest who work just a shard for less recognition. These teams are the boys and girls junior varsity teams, and the freshman boys team.

The freshman boys, under the direction of assistant coach Perry Cowan, post a 3-1 season record, with their only loss coming this past Friday night in a tournament in Atlanta. But the squad overcame that loss and defeated Mount Vernon's Tigers in front of a home crowd Monday night. Six foot one center Anthony Brown led scoring for the Rebels with 17 points. John Easley added nine and James Anderson put in eight more.

The other boys team is the junior varsity, led by the newest member of the RHA coaching staff, Andy Jones. The junior varsity team is made up of mostly sophomores and ineligible juniors. The team traveled to Celeste this past weekend and brought home the consolation trophy. Thursday they lost to Anna 59-55, but Saturday they came back to post a 50-38 victory over Westminster for the consolation spot. Kelly Jeffery led scoring for the two games with 25 points

total. Shan Wilkins added 20 and Dwayne Wilson had 19 for the two games. The JV also played Mount Vernon Monday night in the nightcap and defeated them 50-37. Roger Tipton led scoring with 15 points, while Jeffery added nine to that. The victory boosted the junior varsity's record to 2-4.

And last, but certainly not least, is the last of the three "hardly noticed" teams...the junior varsity girls. Girls coach Frank Stubblefield, with two trips to the state tournament under his belt, must be doing something right, and these girls are no exception. The all-freshman team boasts a 8-1 season record with their only loss coming this past weekend in the Celeste tournament against the Celeste varsity for the first place trophy.

Last Thursday the young team met the varsity team from Anna and quite handily defeated them 75-41. Five foot nine center Staci Thompson, and five foot five center Mary Savage, led scoring for the Rebelettes with 16 points each. Carla Belcher put 12 more in. In semi-final action Friday the girls met Bells varsity and won in a close contest 46-45. Belcher led scoring with 14 points and Becky Brooks added 11 more. This sent them to the finals when they played the host team Celeste varsity on Saturday. They

put up a hard battle and led scoring several times, but fell short by one point at the last buzzer 53-52. Scoring was led by Staci Thompson with 12 points. Brooks put in 11 and Jerry Smith and Mary Savage each put in 10. The girls brought home the second place trophy and placed two players on the all-tournament team. These players were Staci Thompson and Becky Brooks. The Rebelette JV played Mount Vernon Monday night and handed them a 57-13 loss. Thompson led the scoring with 17 points. Brooks and Savage each had ten.

The junior varsity teams usually play almost the same schedule as the varsity, but either the day before the varsity or the same day at an earlier time.

Come out and support the players that will make up the varsity squad in the years to come.

Varsity Game Changed

The Rivercrest Junior Varsity girls game that was to have been on Tuesday, Dec. 22, has been cancelled. The Varsity Girls game has been changed to 2:00 p.m. at Redwater on Tuesday, Dec. 22.

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Activities And Plans Discussed At Rivercrest Board Meeting

The Board of Trustees of the Talco-Bogata Schools met in regular session at Rivercrest on Tuesday, December 8, 1981 at 7:00 p.m.

Kay Kennedy, Curriculum and Community Education Coordinator met with the Board to discuss progress and plans being made for various activities that will be offered through the Community Education Program. Mrs. Kennedy said that plans call for courses and programs to be offered to the public in Horticulture, Meat Lab Course, and Mirror Painting. Other ideas and suggestions will be obtained from the public through a community survey that will be conducted in the near future. Also, Mrs. Kennedy briefly reviewed the Gifted & Talented Program for 4th and 5th grade students which is to get underway in January.

Principals Tillman Hale, Gerald Stegall, and Robert Giddens met with the Board

to give preliminary teacher evaluation reports for their respective campuses. While the Talco-Bogata CISD has required formal teacher evaluations for a number of years, S.B. 341, known as the Term Contract Nonrenewal Act as passed by the 67th Legislature, has added new provisions and requirements related to the evaluation of all certified school personnel.

Bids were opened for the sale of a two bedroom house and lot belonging to the school in Block 3 of the James Gieger Addition in Talco. A bid in the amount of \$4500 was accepted by the Board pending various provisions before the sale is finalized. Also, a bid was accepted for new carpet for the business offices at Rivercrest.

In matters concerning personnel, Lucille Jones was employed as a teacher for the remainder of the 1981-82 school year replacing Fredrika Hudson, whose family will be moving from the community at mid-term. Also, the resignation of Francis Smith, Rivercrest teacher aide, was accepted. She has been employed by the Red River County Appraisal District. Plans do not call for a replacement for this position.

A recommendation was made by the administration that a Rivercrest student by suspended because of disciplinary reasons for the remainder of the semester. Board approval was given to the recommendation.

The annual audit report of various school funds and programs made by the firm of McClanahan & Holmes of Paris was approved. The audit revealed the records to be in good condition.

In final action, approval was given to the various financial reports, a Textbook Committee for the 1981-82 school year, and the purchase of drafting tables for the business office with the use of Title IV-B Funds. The next regular meeting of the Board will be Tuesday, January 12, 1981 at 7:00 p.m. at Rivercrest with the public cordially invited to attend.



JUNIOR VARSITY Rebels for the 1981-82 season are: Top row, L to R, Coach Andy Jones, Harold Holt, Randy

Galloway, Dewayne Runnels, Richie Winkler, Stanley Jessee, Bobby Wisinger, Scott Branch,

Second row are Joel Mangrum, Guy Franks, Kelly Jeffery, Dewayne Wilson, Mark Brown,

Randy Randolph and Shan Wilkins. (Staff Photo)



REBELETTE Junior Varsity for 1981-82 are Top, L to R, Sabre Burson, Jerry Smith, Amber Hood, Mary Savage, Staci

Thompson, Carla Belcher, Lori McGee, Deborah Moore, Renee Williams. Second row,

Manager Jo Ann Ward, Jennifer Gray, Lori Waelsiak, Becky Brooks,

Tricia Duffer and Nancy Smith. (Staff Photo by Britt Morgan)

Play Scheduled At First Assembly

The public is invited to attend a Christmas play which will be presented at Bogata First Assembly on Tuesday evening, December 22, at 7:30. "A Gift of Love",

is a three act play written and directed by Mollie Williams and performed by members of Bogata First Assembly.

The play centers around an affluent family, who through the misfortune of another family, find the true meaning of Christmas.

The cast consists of Ron Graham, Reba Clark, Belinda Duvall, Susie Brown, Wayne Huffman, Elaine Harrison, Donna Williams, Rhonda Rolan, William Rolan, Richard Howerton and Donnie Williams.

A Sunday School Christmas program will proceed the play and special musical instrumentation will be provided by Penny Graham, Joey Harrison and Ricky Roach.

No admission will be charged.

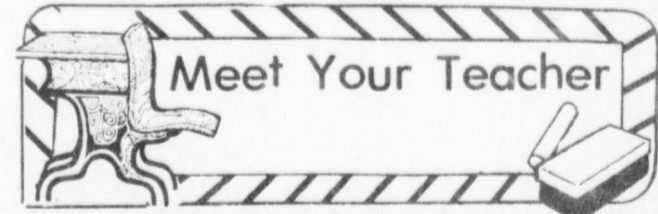
Children Present "Christmas Story"

The children of Calvary Baptist Church presented "The Christmas Story" Sunday night in the church auditorium. Those participating were Tommy Coon as the Herald; Michael Hall as the Innkeeper; Laura Stevens as Mary; Barry Gage as Joseph; the shepherds were Jesse Woods and Brad Ingram; Wisemen were Chad Ingram, Bradley Woods and Mary McKelvey; angels were Jerilyn Russell, Nicki Foxworthy, Susan Smith, Krista Weatherall and Rachel Smith.

Directors were Linda Woods and Sandra Ingram. Four ladies sang in the choir, being Linda Smith, Mary Jo Hall, Judy Stevens and Sue Coon. Everyone is thanked who helped make the program such a success. The Calvary Baptist Church Adult Choir presented a Cantata

following the children's program, "The Joyous News of Christmas". The Cantata was narrated by Bro. Marion Coon, directed by Jerry Russell, organist was Barbara Russell, pianist was Jimmie Simmons.

Approximately 80 people enjoyed the barbeque dinner following the program.



with the students and their activities." With the good, there must come some bad, though, and she said the worst "must be grading notebooks." Mrs. Groves is also sponsor for the junior varsity-cheerleaders.

She is married to Milford Groves, head football coach and athletic director at Rivercrest. She likes all sports, but track is her favorite. They have one child, Kimberly, a kindergarten student at Bogata. Some of the things Mrs. Groves likes to do are collect pottery pieces and work with stained glass. Also, during the summer, the Groves spend June and July in Colorado, where he is a trail guide, and she cooks the meals for approximately fifteen people.

She says the highlight of her career thus far was the year one of her journalism students won state in UIL competition.

The interview was done by Kelli Holmes, a junior FTR member.

Mrs. Milford (Patsy) Groves graduated from North Texas State University with a Bachelors Degree in Science and Education. Mrs. Groves has taught a total of eleven years at five different schools and is now currently teaching business and world geography at Rivercrest. When asked what she likes best about teaching she replied, "The association



Patsy Groves

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Good Neighbors Have Luncheon

The Fulbright Good Neighbor Club met at the home of Mrs. Worth Baker for their Christmas luncheon and social. Members exchanged gifts and secret pals were revealed for the preceding year. Carols were sung and good fellowship was enjoyed by all.

A live Christmas tree decorated by the hostess and her daughter, Karen, was her demonstration. After prayer by club president, Mrs. Curtis Hoover, luncheon was served and meeting dismissed until next year and the first meeting will be with Mrs. Stella Ridens.



SYMBOL OF the season is the Christmas tree. This one is decorated with satin balls and hand-painted ornaments. Decorations can range

from hand blown treasures to paper and popcorn, but all contribute towards the spirit of Christmas. (Staff Photo)

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Obituaries

Mrs. C.L. Robertson
 Mrs. C.L. (Gertie) Robertson, 810 W. Third St., died in Red River General Hospital Monday.

Services were held Wednesday in Jolley's Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Robertson was born Jan. 18, 1888, in Texas, a daughter of James and Julia Geriod Young. She married Charles L. Robertson on Feb. 18, 1902, in Minter. Surviving are five sons, Harry and Gerald Robertson of Clarksville; Albert Robertson of Houston; Ross Robertson of Amarillo and Ray Robertson of Amarillo; three daughters, Mrs. W.E. McGee of Roston; Mrs. A.H. Moree of Roston and Ruby Wicker of Riverside, Calif.; one brother L.H. Young of Sherman; one sister Mrs. C.C. O'Neal of Cunningham; 31 grandchildren; 75 great-grandchildren and nine great-great grandchildren.

Stanley Burkett

Stanley Floyd Burkett of Blossom died at his home Wednesday morning, December 16.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Friday at Grant Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Cunningham Cemetery. He was born in Red River County April 13, 1902, a son of Jay and Nina Rosser Burkett. He married Carrie Featherstone in Minter in 1922.

He is survived by his wife; one son, W.R. Burkett of

Paris; six daughters, Nina Anderson and Alma Eudy, both of Cunningham, Bessie Head of Dallas, Robbie Brumley and Nell Head, both of Paris and Betty Blankenship of Madisonville, Ky.; two sisters, Audrey Runyan of Avery and Lee Audie of Longview; two brothers, Otis Burkett and Clarence Burkett, both of Avery; 34 grandchildren and 56 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Roxie Smith

Mrs. Roxie Smith, 69, of Bogata died Friday morning in Titus County Memorial Hospital in Mount Pleasant.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church in Bogata with the Rev. Billy Daniels officiating. Burial was in Cuthand Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith was born September 7, 1912, in Red River County, a daughter of Jesse and Mattie Jeffee Mauldin. She is survived by her husband, Troy of Bogata; three sons, Luther Aldridge of Oklahoma City, Willie Aldridge of Topeka, Kan. and Dellin Aldridge of Blossom; three daughters, Mrs. Sylvia Robinson, Mrs. Louise Smith and Mrs. Ressie Smith, all of Bogata; six sisters, Mrs. Eula Martin of Talco, Mrs. Minnie Applegate of Abernathy, Mrs. Reda Roberts of Talco, Mrs. Paralee Bowers, Mrs. Ada Phiffer and Mrs. Deleen Mayes, all of Bogata; one brother, Marcell Mauldin of Clarksville; 19 grandchildren and a number of great-grandchildren.

Charles Motter

Charles Wesley Motter, 86, of Bogata died Sunday morning in Red River General Hospital, Clarksville.

Services were held on Monday in the Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Carroll Caddell officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery was made by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Motter was born Aug. 28, 1895, in Harrisburg, Pa. He was a 32nd Degree Mason, a member of Scottish Rite and the Shrine.

He is survived by his wife, Vurna Guion Motter; one son Jack Motter of Maryland; one stepson Howard Zimmer of Upper Darby, Pa.; one daughter, Mrs. John Calderone of Sunnyvale, Calif.; two brothers, Gordon Motter of Oceanside, Calif. and Robert Motter of Harrisburg, Pa.

Bearers were Gaylon Legate, Sebe Mankins, Wood Armstrong, Art Hesch, Carl Williams, and A.D. Stephenson.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
 Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kelley of Paris were visitors Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow.
 Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Norden were hosts for the Legate family Christmas dinner this year which was held in their home Sunday. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Legate, Mrs. Stella Ridens, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Miller of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Miller, Brandon and Corey of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Kerry King and Jeremy of Mount Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow and Mrs. Ethel Hill attended an A.A.R.P. Christmas party Friday night in Clarksville. Glen and Wanda Ward of Germany are the parents of a boy. Glen is the son of Howard Ward and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward. Wanda came back to the states for the baby to be born and stayed with her mother in Florida.
 Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. were Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Blossom, Ray Embrey of Garland, Mrs. Bob Embrey, Sharon Embrey of Paris, Kelly Smith of Reno, Evelyn

Alley and Dusty. Dropping by were Worth Baker, Stella Ridens, David Anderson and Karen Baker.
 Sandy Gandy spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Nutt and Judy of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Travis King and Mr. and Mrs. Duane King of Paris were in Kansas City Friday until Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lee King and family.
 Mrs. Travis King and Mrs. Jimmie Sparks went to Greenville Monday to attend the school of instruction for the Eastern Star.

Visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Hughes were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Witherspoon of DeSoto and Mr. and Mrs. Don McCain and Susan of DeSoto. They surprised Mr. Hughes was a birthday dinner in his honor.

CARD OF THANKS
 We want to express the appreciation for the prayers, food and flowers that were sent to us during the loss of our dad and my husband. God Bless you all. Mrs. Doris Benedict and Family

CARD OF THANKS
 Thanks to all for the kindness to me while in the hospital and since I have come home. God Bless all. Ardena Roberts.

CARD OF THANKS
 Thanks to all for your prayers, cards, visits and gifts while I was in the hospital and since I've been home. Thanks to the doctors and nurses for their kindness and faithful watch over me. To one and all, a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Maudie & J.N. Lee.

CARD OF THANKS
 Thanks for the food, flowers and other expressions of sympathy in the loss of our loved one. The Family of Roxie Smith.

CARD OF THANKS
 Jess Waldrum and family would like to thank everyone for their kindness, phone calls, visits, gifts and food. Thanks to the nurses for their kindness during his illness.

CARD OF THANKS
 Words cannot express the feelings for the people in the surrounding area and Deport for the nice things done for our mother while in the Deport Nursing Home and McCuiston Hospital. Thanks to the nurses of the home and Dr. Glover and Dr. Lewis and all that had a part. God Bless you all in a time like this. The Family of Fannie Poteet.

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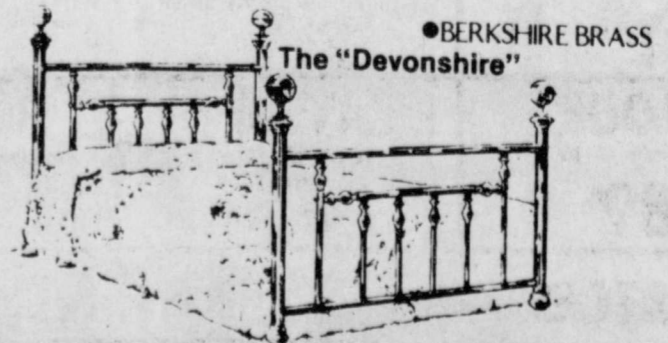
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Tiffie's To Celebrate 65th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Tiffie will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary with a gathering of family and friends at the South Lake Clubhouse on Sunday, December 20, from 1 to 4 p.m. The couple was married on Christmas Eve, 1916, at Detroit, Texas.

Mrs. Tiffie, the former Gabriella Graham McGuire, is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. McGuire of Red River County. Mr. Tiffie is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tiffie of Soper, Oklahoma.

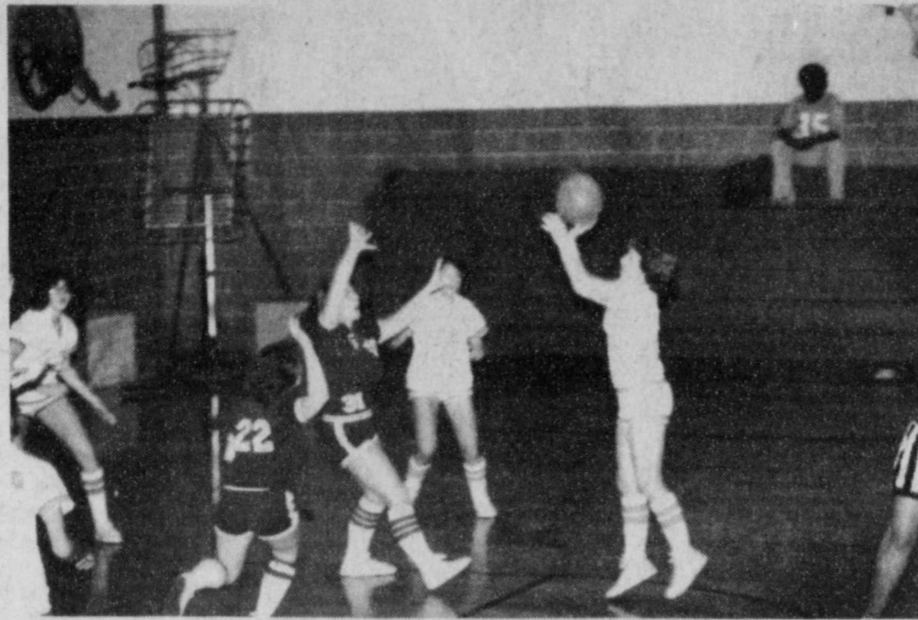
The couple's four children, A.C. Tiffie of Bogata; Mrs. J.C. (Mattie) Williams of Estelline; Mrs. A.F.

(Margaret) Martin, and Mrs. Manuel (Melba) Garmon of Antlers, Oklahoma, and their families will be hosts for the occasion. Antioher son, Charles Tiffie, died in 1966. Family and friends are invited to call. The couple requests no gifts.

Lions To Hold Dinner

The Bogata Lions Club will hold their Christmas dinner at 7 p.m. on Friday, December 18.

A program with a speaker is planned and Ralph Cawley will be accompanied by Wayne Huffman at the piano.



GIRLS Junior Varsity ball has seen some fine action this year. This

Rivercrest Rebelette is Jerry Smith, shooting and Becky Brooks is there for

the rebound. (Staff Photo by Britt Barnard)

Homemakers Meet With Bonnie Kyle

Thirty-four Extension Homemakers club members met at the home of Bonnie Kyle December 9 for their annual Christmas party and installation of council and club officers.

The 1982 Red River Extension Homemaker Council officers installed were: Chairman, Rosalie Emerson; Vice Chairman, Alvena Pace; Treasurer, Sarah Butler; Reporter, Lucille Samuels; TEHA Chairman, Lorena Lester.

Extension Homemaker club officers for 1982 are: CLARKSVILLE-President: Lucille; Vice President:

Lorena Lester; Secretary: Virginia Perry; Treasurer: Vada Edwards; Delegate: Annie V. McCulloch. COMBINED COMMUNITIES-President: Sarah Butler; Vice President: Opal Nailing; Secretary-Treasurer: Sarah Grizzle; Delegate: Lillian Mowery.

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RED RIVER-President: Bernice Shamblin; Vice President: Ruth Harmoning; Secretary-Treasurer: Nona Brown; Delegate: Marilyn Gatlin.

The scrapbook of club activities prepared by the Combined Communities Club was selected as the winner for the year.

Bogata Locals

Mrs. Nancy Spear of Shelton, Washington was here Monday and Tuesday visiting her uncle, Robert Bishop and other relatives.

Recent guests of Mrs. Willie Watkins and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Guess were Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Guess of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Sanders of San Angelo.

Jack and Charles Watkins of Baytown recently visited their mother, Mrs. Willie Watkins and other relatives. Other guests were her grandson, Mark Smathers and Donna Mills of Baytown, who also visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Russell of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon D. Smith visited recently with their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Randall Childers and family of Sanatorium, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montgomery were weekend guests of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Peaden of Sulphur. They celebrated the birthdays of Spurgeon and Mrs. Montgomery while

there. Mrs. J.K. Sloan of Mount Pleasant was there also.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ford were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster of Cross Plains. They all visited in Paris Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ford and family and Mrs. Nora Ford and Mrs. Zela Greenway. The Fords and Mrs. Greenway spent Sunday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Macey Lewis spent last week visiting his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Lewis of Houston, who accompanied them to San Antonio to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pittman and Robert of Hudson, Colo. were Friday to Monday guests of his sisters, Mrs. Nola Reynolds and Mrs. Katherine Palmer. Another sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rushing of Canton were Saturday guests.

Saturday guests of Jeff Hancock and Bill were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Tompkin of Arlington and Mr. and

Joe T. Bybee of Paris.

Six children of Mrs. T.A. York met at her home Saturday, December 12 for an early Christmas celebration. Present were Mrs. Lucille Childers and Mrs. Nadine Rhodes of Joliet, Mrs. Betty Puckett of Denton, Kenneth York of Abilene, Mrs. Dixie Rector and Mrs. Edna Earl Dodd of Bogata. Mrs. Inez Greer of Nacogdoches was unable to attend. M.J. and Michael Dodd came by in the afternoon.

Mrs. Dixie Rector honored her granddaughter, Mary Nell Kenemer, with a birthday party Sunday, December 13. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Stringfellow of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stringfellow, Jody, Billy, Felina and Paul W. of Joliet, Mrs. Dan Tabb, Michael and Dee of Pine Branch, the hostess and honoree.

T.E.L. Class Exchange Gifts

The T.E.L. class of the Calvary Baptist Church gathered in the home of Mrs. Ollie Jones on Monday, just

Mrs. J.H. Weatherall. Attending were Mrs. Mary Kelley, Mrs. Molly Holland, Mrs. Foy Leake, Mrs. Reah Miller, Mrs. Easterling and

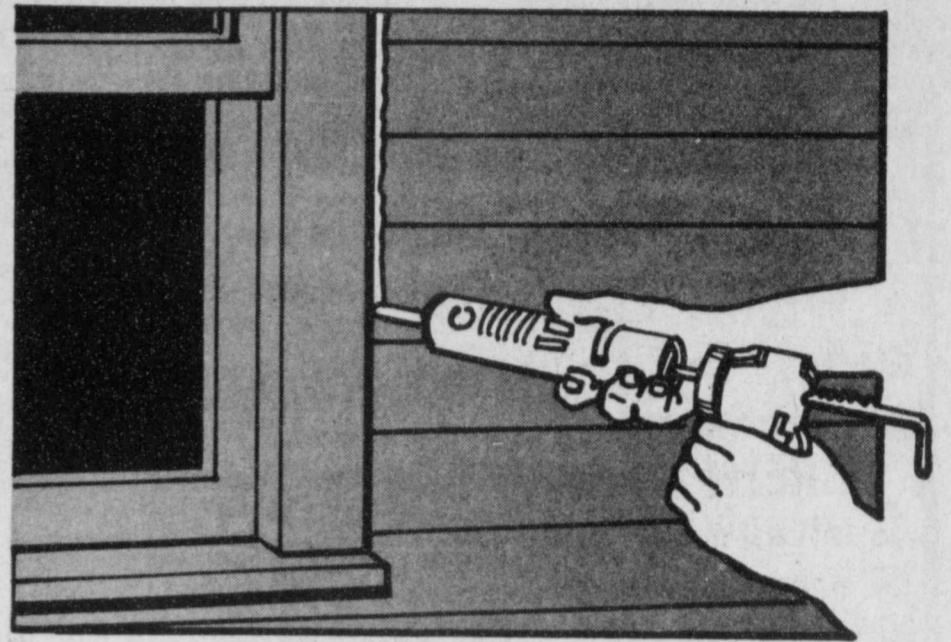
for visiting and enjoying the beauty of her Christmas decorations and to present a gift to each of their teachers, Mrs. Georgia Easterling and

Mrs. Weatherall. Light refreshments and good fellowship were enjoyed.

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Great Grandparents Are Mr. & Mrs. Edgar Burns And Mrs Susie Bivins Of Bogata.
Great Great Grandparents Are Mrs. C. J. Abemathy Of Bogata.

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First Baptist Hosting "Lock-In" December 18

The First Baptist Church of Bogata will be hosting a Christmas lock-in on December 18.

The program will include music, devotionals, and games. Entertainment will be provided by the Youth II department.

The lock-in will begin at 9 p.m. and end at 6 a.m. Saturday morning. There will be a short break at midnight, so that doors may be opened for those who are just arriving and for those who have to leave at that time.

Breakfast will be served Saturday morning as the closing activity.

All Rivercrest students are invited to attend and encouraged to bring a friend.

Any Youth II member will be glad to give you more information, or you may contact Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harris at 632-4521.

BIRTHS

The son born December 10 to Mr. and Mrs. John Blair of Palestine has been named Alex Ryan. He weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F.H. Blair of Longview. Great-grandparents are E.C. Watts of Bogata, Clovis G. Whitten of Gretna, Neb., formerly of Bogata, and Kathy Blair of Clarksville.

Talco Book Lovers Meet

The Talco Book Lovers Club met Friday, December 11 at noon for a Christmas dinner at the 271 Snack Shop. Mrs. J.L. Cato gave the invocation.

Following the dinner, they went to the home of Alice Ruth Tidwell for their annual Christmas party.

Bingo games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. J.H. Weatherall, Mrs. A.E. Foster, Mrs. Ollie Jones, Mrs. Tommy Barton, Mrs. James Gieger and Mrs. Cato.

Christmas gifts were exchanged from a pretty decorated tree.

The next meeting will be January 8 with Mrs. Jones as hostess and Mrs. Gieger in charge of the program.

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First Baptist Ladies Have Christmas Party

The Dorcas Class and the WMA of the First Baptist Church, Talco had their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening at 7:00 at the home of Mrs. Donald Jones. Christmas decor was used throughout the home including a green tree, laden with white and gold balls which was the focus of attention in the den. Gifts were exchanged from beneath the tree and gifts from the class were presented to Mrs. Elton Welch and Mrs. Zelma Blackburn, teachers. Secret pals were revealed and names for new ones were drawn.

Mrs. Terry Barnett, president, called the meeting to order with Mrs. Welch voicing the opening prayer. Mrs. Wayman Alexander brought the devotional "The Most Unusual Christmas" from Luke 2:1-20 and read a poem "The Greatest Gift" written by Bill McFarland, a former student at Jacksonville College.

Final plans were made for Christmas packages to area nursing homes.

After the program, covered dish supper was served from a table covered with a white lace cloth, centered with a five branch candelabra holding burning votif candles with garlands at the base.

The January meeting will be in the home of Alice Ruth Tidwell with Mrs. Vivian Westbrook bringing the devotion.

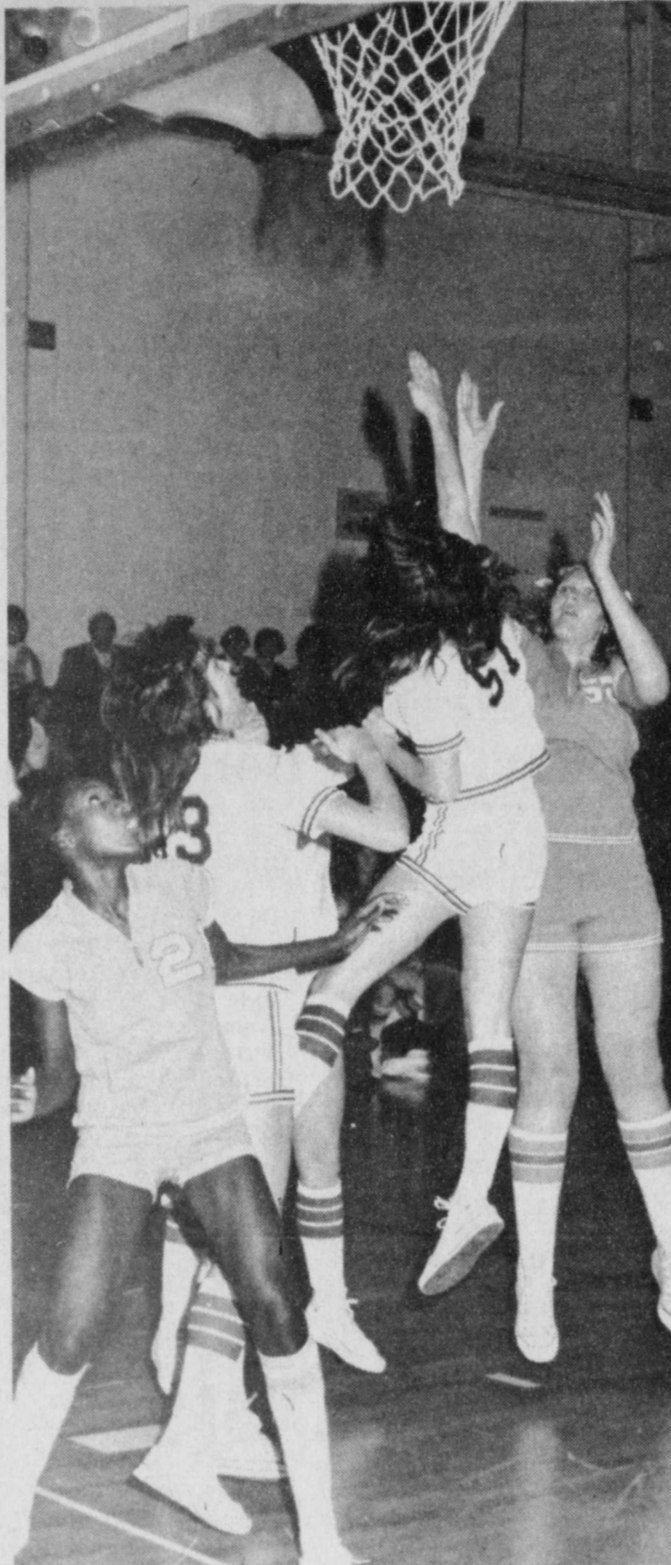
Mrs. Jack Mills said the dismissal prayer.

Attending were Mrs. R.G. Hood, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, Mrs. Jack Mills, Mrs. Terry Barnett, Mrs. Naomi Fitch, Alice Ruth Tidwell, Mrs. Zelma Blackburn, Mrs. Elton Welch, Mrs. Wayman Alexander and the hostess, Mrs. Jones.

Classes Have Christmas Party

Members of the T.E.L., Truth Seekers and Willing Workers classes of the First Baptist Church Sunday School met at the Fellowship Hall of the Church in Bogata Wednesday for their Christmas Party with Mrs. Emmie Mitchell as hostess. A covered dish lunch was served from a beautifully decorated table. Gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Mitchell read the Birth of Jesus from Luke:2. Bro. Posey offered thanks. Bro. Harris led the benediction.

Guests were Rev. and Mrs. Bob Posey, pastor; and Rev. and Mrs. Billy Harris and Joy, the associate pastor. Afterward several went to the home of Mrs. Frances Bailey for a housewarming. Mrs. Bailey at Rugby has had a new three bedroom house moved in on her lot.



NELDA Anderson goes up for two of the eight points she scored in the opening round of the Mt. Vernon Invitational Tournament. The Rebelettes defeated the Detroit girls

51-45, then went on to win the championship. Veronica Howerton, right, scored 30 points for the Rebelettes during the game. (Staff Photo)

Jimmy Shields Announces For County Judge

A Mount Pleasant resident, James R. (Jimmy) Shields became the first announced candidate for County Judge of Titus County when he disclosed his intentions earlier. Shields is 58 years of age and is married to a former resident of Talco, Mary Frances (Flanagan) Shields, they have two children, James Alford Shields and Danny Ardell Shields, both of whom reside in the Dallas area.

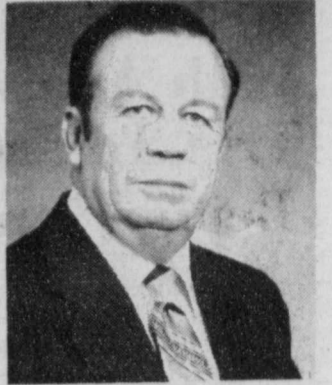
It was revealed by Mr. Shields that he attended public school in Commerce, Texas and served in the Army Air Force of the United States during World War II. Following World War II, he earned a Bachelor's and Masters Degree from East Texas State University. The Shields are members of the First Baptist Church of Mount Pleasant.

Prior to his coming to Mount Pleasant, Mr. Shields served many years with the Texas Department of Public

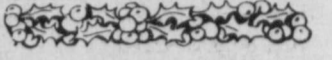
Safety as a Highway Patrol and upon his arrival in Mount Pleasant, he purchased and operated his own mercantile business which he later sold and accepted employment with the Region VIII Service Center and is now employed by the Titus County Appraisal District.

This is the first time for Mr. Shields to seek public office and he plans to contact as many people as possible prior to election day and gives his solemn assurance that he will do his best to perform his duties in an honest and efficient manner.

Titus County is moving into an era of great growth and prosperity calling for able managerial leadership and his training and experience qualifies him to give this leadership in a superior fashion.



Jimmy Shields



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OES Holds Christmas Party

Talco Chapter No. 846 Order of the Eastern Star, held their annual Christmas party Tuesday night, combined with the regular stated meeting.

A decorated refreshment table, laden with all the members favorite goodies was enjoyed following the closing drill.

Worthy Patron, James Gieger with Mrs. Gieger proteming as Worthy Matron, presided over the business session. They welcomed two visitors, Mrs. Mattie Austin and Mrs.

Winna Southerland both of Mount Pleasant. Mrs. Southerland is a Talco member but had not been active for sometime.

Christmas greetings were read from the Worthy Grand Matron and Patron. The birthday of Lottie Via and Beunah Hammelton were observed and they received gifts from their secret pals.

The closing march led the members to the dining room where gifts were exchanged from a silver tree.

The Worthy Ivy Smith Matron and Worthy James Gieger Patron were presented gifts. Also Mrs. Smith gave each of her officers a small gift.

Haven Has Christmas Party

The Christmas and December birthday party at Red River Haven Nursing Home has been combined and is scheduled for Monday, December 21 at 1:30 p.m.

Entertainment will be provided by the choirs of Bogata Christian Academy, under the direction of Mrs. Penny Graham.

Friends and relatives are invited to come celebrate with their loved ones.

Roberts Host Adult Class

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roberts entertained the Young Adult Class of the First Baptist Church with a Christmas party in the fellowship hall at the church Saturday night.

The hall was decorated throughout in Christmas motif including the three serving tables which were covered with white lace cloths. Different centerpieces and candles decorated each table.

The Rev. Terry Barnett gave thanks before a candlelight meal of sandwiches, chips, dips, cookies, candies, punch and coffee.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin, Mike Medlin, Mrs. Pauline Jones, Mrs. Debbie Gibbs, the Rev. and Mrs. Terry Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Carroll, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roberts.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued from the office of Mary Hausler, County Clerk, Red River County, from November 1, 1981, through November 31, 1981.

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Charles Davis Segleski and Ruby Elizabeth Brown, Clarksville.

Nathan Frederick Hefner and Deborah Ann Avery, Foreman, Ark.

Jerry Wayne Minyard and Wanda Annie Minyard, Broken Bow, Okla.

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Want Ads

Trip To See "Norma" Being Planned

A trip to see "Norma," the annual production of the New York Metropolitan Opera Company at the State Fair Music Hall in Dallas, is being planned by Barry Russell, facilitator for Paris Junior College's preparatory music program. The opera will be presented on May 15, but all reservations must be received before January 15 to order tickets, Russell said. The performance is certain to be a sell-out, he noted, so January 15 is the very last date to assure tickets.

A charge of \$30 per person will cover ticket cost and transportation to Dallas, but individuals must pay for a dinner at the Crystal Terrace Restaurant in Fair Park before the production. Purchasing a ticket for family or friends would make a unique Christmas gift this year, Russell said. Sponsored by the continuing education division, the program will include a

lecture on the opera given by Barry and Luann Russell prior to the trip. The lecture date will be set after all reservations have been made, Russell explained.

One of the most celebrated Bellini operas, "Norma" is filled with bel canto arias and romantic passions, surrounded by Bellini's "beautifully spun-out melodies and punctuated with spell-binding moments," according to Russell. Renata Scotto will recreate her title role performance from the Met's 1981-82 season.

To make reservations, area residents should call the PJC Continuing Education office, 785-7661, extension 145, before December 22, when the college closes for the holidays, or on January 4, when offices re-open. No reservations will be taken after the January 15 deadline, Russell stressed.

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Talco Locals

Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hood and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hood, Wesley and Felecia enjoyed a fish fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wesson at Winnsboro. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wesson and Shanna of Quana and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Tommy of Winnsboro.

W.C. Fry visited his brother, L.W. Fry and family in Bryan last Monday and Tuesday.

Sunday night after church services at the Maple Springs Baptist Church, a hot dog supper and caroling is planned.

The First Baptist Church will have their Christmas

program Sunday night. After services, refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall.

Mrs. Opal Morris has returned home from New Orleans after visiting her son, Gerald Ben Morris, who is in a hospital there. He is reported to be much improved.

The TEL Class of the Calvary Baptist Church decided not to have their annual Christmas party this year due to illness. Seven of the class members met Monday at the home of their president, Mrs. M.E. Jones for tea and cookies. They presented their teacher, Mrs. Georgia Easterling and assistant teacher, Mrs. Elsie Weatherall with gifts.

Gift subscriptions to the Talco Times are being sent to Raymond Matthews and Lorene Walter from Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKelvey; to Dr. Mike Reed and Reed McGonagill from their grandmother, Mrs. Leona Reed; to Patsy Peters from her mother, Mrs. Irene Turner; to O.R. Welch, D.E. Welch and Johnny Umphries from Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Welch.

The assembly of God Church will have their Christmas program Sunday night at 7:00 p.m. Mrs. Wendy Williams is the director.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones attended the Dorchester



JUNIOR VARSITY Rebels played against some tough opposition

this week. They still have a record of only one loss so far. Kelly Jeffery

shoots for two more points in this scene. (Staff Photo by Britt Morgan)

Company Christmas party at the Mount Pleasant Country Club in Mount Pleasant Friday night.

Thomas A. Manor of Denver, Colo. visited his sister, Mrs. Naomi Fitch during the weekend. Mrs. Fitch and Manor visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Fitch and family on Saturday.

Approximately 60 members and guests attended a supper at the Maple Springs Missionary Baptist Church.

The Rev. Johnny Mack Brown gave the invocation before the meal of turkey and ham with all the trimmings. After supper, the children exchanged gifts from a decorated tree.

Monday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Fry were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Pittman and Robert of Hudson, Colo., Mrs. Katharine Palmer and Mrs. Nola Reynolds of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall of Mount Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hood Friday.

Ben Bradley of Mount Pleasant visited his sister and husband Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Frye spent from Sunday until Tuesday in Redwater with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson.

Mike Medlin of Sherman visited during the weekend with his aunt, Mrs. Dan Seay

and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roberts, Mona and Jay.

J.D. Martin returned to the VA Hospital in Shreveport Sunday for further medical treatment.

J.E. Horn is a medical patient in the Titus County Memorial Hospital in Mount Pleasant.

Marla Martin Wins Dress

Marla Martin won the dress given away at Pat's Place Saturday afternoon in downtown Bogata.



Christmas is coming, the geese are getting fat, Please to put a penny in the old man's hat.

If you haven't got a penny, a ha'penny will do.

If you haven't got a ha'penny, God bless you!

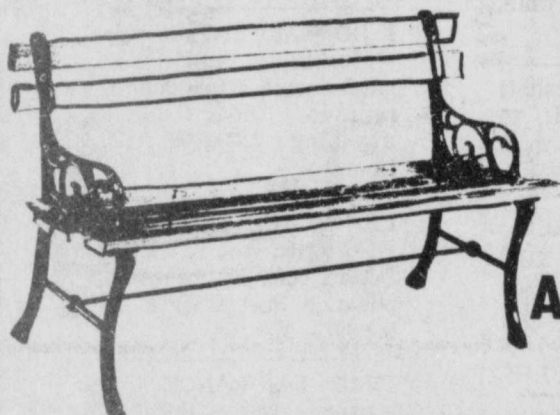
Infantry Association Is Seeking Names

The 45th Infantry Division past, Kenneth O. Spurgeon, Association is seeking names 1290 S. LaSalle, Abilene and addresses of persons 79605, Texas state chairman who have served in the 45th for the association, has division at any time in its announced. Persons knowing the names and addresses of any former 45th Infantry Division members should contact the chairman.

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