

Rebels Gain Their First District Victory 20-10

By Diana Eudy
The Rivercrest Rebels improved their district standing to 1 and 1 when they defeated the Redwater Dragons last Friday night 20-10.

The Dragons took an early lead with a touchdown in the first quarter. They recovered a fumble on the Red 33 to set up the score. The extra point made it 7-0 at the end of the first period.

Rivercrest gained a one-point advantage as Randy Galloway crossed the line from the six and then went over for the two-point conversion. Greg Russell, Rebel fullback, gained yardage to set up the score. The board read 8-7 with 5:26 remaining in the half.

Kelly Jeffery dashed for two touchdowns only to have them both called back - the Rebs were penalized for

holding on both runs. One run was 50 - the other 68 yards.

The Rebel defensive squad held the Dragons to a field goal in the third quarter. Joel Mangrum, Jack Jones, Lonny Sheffield and Jeffery Bivins were instrumental in stopping Redwater and limiting them to the 34 yard field goal.

On first and 10 from the Red 40 Jeffery was caught

behind the line of scrimmage for a loss of 5. Galloway hauled in a 37 yard Jeffery pass for a first down on the Dragon 48. Galloway picked up 11 more and Charlie Roberts added six. Galloway gave Rivercrest another six points with a beautiful 25 yard sprint across the goal line. The conversion failed. The score was 14-10,

Rivercrest. Rebel kicker, Charlie Martin, booted a 60 yard kickoff to the Dragons waiting at the 21. A combination of Shane Wright, Rusty Screws and Stanley Jessee forced the Dragons to punt the ball away.

Rivercrest had the ball 1st and 10 on the 45. Roberts picked up 10 for another first down. Greg Russell also picked up 8 yards in the

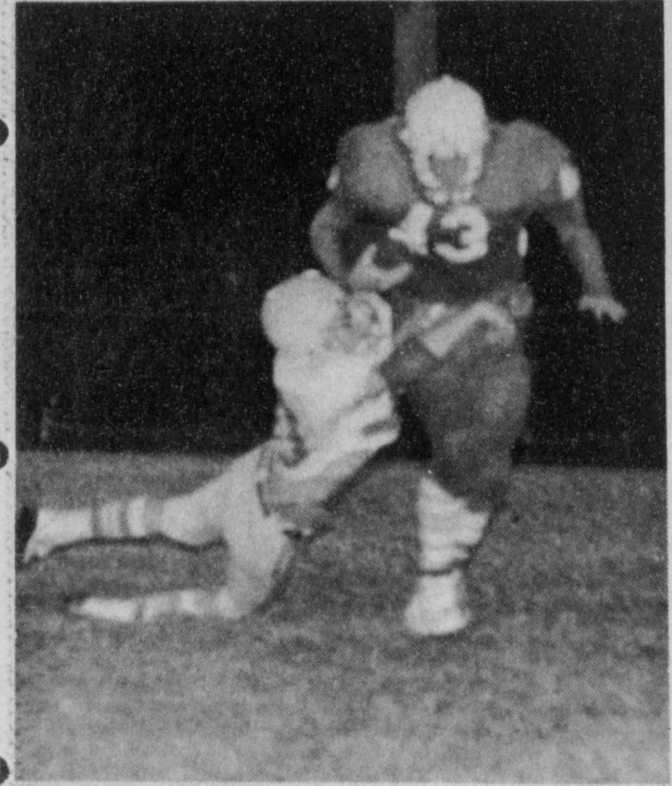
series. From the five yard line on 1st and 10, Charlie Roberts plummeted into the endzone to bring the score to Rebels-20 and Dragons-10. There was 4:22 left in the 4th quarter. The conversion was no good.

Redwater tried to put together a passing series but a stray loft was picked off by Rebel Rusty Damron with 22 seconds left to play.

Damron was in on several key defensive plays. The Rebels ran out the clock and gained the victory 20-10.

Rivercrest had 18 first downs to Redwater's 10. They gained 275 yards rushing and allowed the Dragons only 125. The Rebs completed passes for 57 yards to the Dragons 80.

Rivercrest was penalized for 41 yards to Redwater's 20. Rivercrest will host the Maud Cardinals next Friday night, October 7, for the Rebel Homecoming. There will be a pre-game ceremony to crown the 1983-84 Homecoming Queen at 7:00 p.m. The nominees are Leilani Barnett, Melissa Brown, Kristi Foxworthy and Pam Ward.



RUSTY DAMRON of the Rivercrest Rebels latched onto a Redwater Dragon in last Friday night's district clash. Damron was in on

several good defensive plays throughout the game. The Rebs won the contest 20-10. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy).

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Criminal Counts Mount Against Blackmon

Eddie Blackmon, Jr. of DeKalb, has had 53 criminal counts returned against him by a Tyler Federal grand jury.

The counts allege a vast and complicated plan for money manipulation in his farm equipment dealerships and personal finances.

Blackmon has been charged with mail fraud, interstate transportation of stolen vehicles, making false financial states of FDIC bans and selling stolen

vehicles. Charged with him was a Blackmon Machinery Co. Employee, James Black, also of DeKalb, who will face 22 mail fraud counts.

The indictments allege criminal dealings from September of 1981 through May of 1983.

Blackmon and Black were arraigned in Texarkana before U.S. District Judge William M. Steger on October 3.

The charges state that

listing of various items of farm machinery invoiced by John Deere to Blackmon as being on hand, when the items had actually been sold and payment made from one source or another to Blackmon. Double-financing was charged, and the indictments claim that Blackmon, Black and Dallas Telford determined the date on which a John Deere representative was to inspect the dealership, and induced owners of equip-

ment to return them to the shop for inspection and servicing. Then, the machinery would be refinished to look new, and would be noted by the inspector as on the floor and not sold.

Nineteen charges of mail fraud have been issued, stemming from the fact that John Deere mailed invoices with the falsified figures to Blackmon Machinery.

Eighteen counts charge Blackmon and associations

with attempt to defraud the Mid-South Leasing Company of Shreveport, Louisiana. The charge states that Blackmon Machinery acted without the authority of John Deere and sold two tractors and a combine to Mid-South. Blackmon then allegedly leased them from Mid-South for use on his farms, and sold the machinery later to other farmers.

Other counts were also listed, accusing Blackmon of

several other forms of fraud, including charges that Blackmon made false statements to obtain loans to three Red River County Banks. Since the banks are members of FDIC such representation becomes a Federal violation.

A Bowie County Grand Jury has also brought in 33 indictments against Blackmon, charging him with violations of Texas State Law.

Blackmon and Black pleaded not guilty of all charges on Tuesday.

Nichols Worth

By: Nanalee Nichols

That we live in a rural area all of us know. Agriculture and the desire to live in small communities has influenced almost everyone at one time or another.

But while I was "killing" the classified page the other day, I got to noticing just what an assortment of items we had advertised, and how they reflect the local lifestyle.

We have, over the past few weeks, had a large variety of animals for sale.

Figs, cattle, bulls, and horses are the most commonly found four legged critters in the classified.

But we also have had a youngster advertising ducks for sale. His small flock had multiplied to giant proportions, and within two weeks of his ad he had reduced it to only three ducks left!

Hens, chicks and geese are also frequent appearances on the For Sale List.

Less usual, but still pretty common are the rabbits, and what a variety of rabbits there are!

Tractors from the giant four wheel drive variety down to the old, durable popping Johnnies and Ford 8 n's abound.

Pickup trucks, trailers and farm implements are always to be found in the listings.

Garage sales, especially during this cool, fall weather, list articles in abundance. And almost everyone can figure out who is holding the sale just by the address.

Occasional ads for antiques appear, along with the standards of houses for sale, rent or land for lease, tires, cars and other old favorites.

All in all, when looked at as a form of entertainment, the classified ads can be absolutely fascinating.

For years, as I marked out those ads that didn't run or circled those that did, I never saw the page for what it is, an expression of the world we live in! Take a look, it might show you something new...and you might find something you want in the bargain!

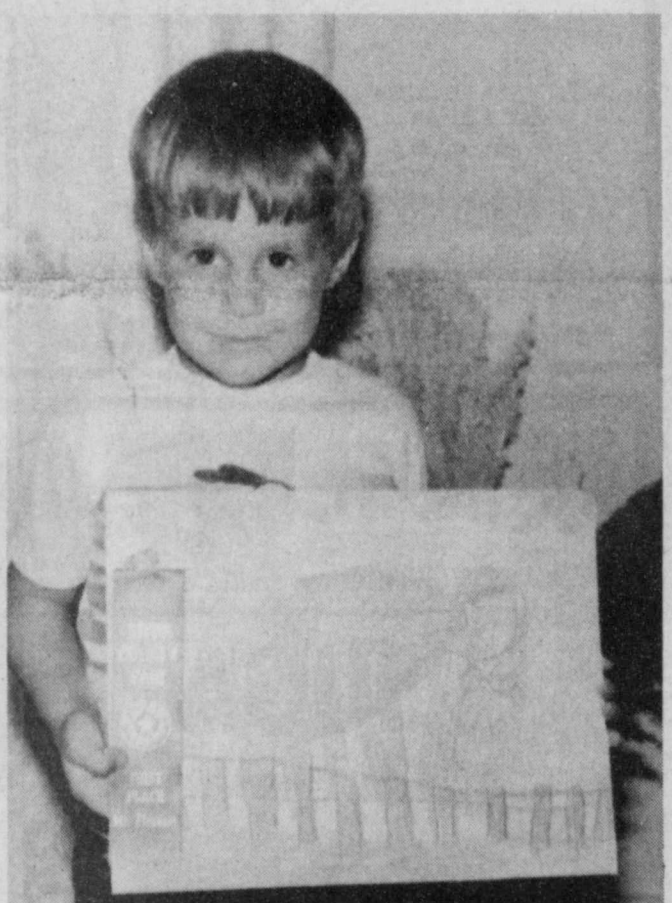


AN UNIDENTIFIED Junior Varsity Rebel cuts to the inside for a gain in

last Thursday's contest with Redwater. The

Rebels played an outstanding game to win 22-

0. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy).



B.W. DUFFIE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ray Duffie of Talco, Texas won a first place blue

ribbon for his pig emphasizing the Mr. Pleasant Titus County Fair theme.

Football Contest Winners From Wide Area

First place in the football contest was taken by a Bogata resident this week. Ruth King missed only 4 games and said Prairiland would win 14-13. Second place went to Paul Lyles of Paris. He said Prairiland would lose 17-10 and missed 5 games. Lori Franks of Mt. Pleasant missed 5 games and said Mt. Vernon would win 26-12. She won third

Missing six games were Todd Davis of Pattonville

and Gala Legate, Andrew Cox, Sammy Hervey, and Lee King all of Bogata.

None predicted the tie between California and Arizona.

The matchup between Jesuit and Dallas was incorrect in the contest and was not counted in the results.

This week's game winners were: Big Sandy, Chicago, Rivercrest, New Orleans,

Midlothian, Ore City, Arkansas, Sulphur Springs, Arizona and California tied, Boston College, Alabama, Michigan, SMU, S.W. Texas, Hallsville, Pittsburgh, Texas, San Francisco, Florida State, Ohio State, L.A. Rams, New Diana,

Washington, Celeste, Georgia, Dallas and Idabel.

Talco Immunization Clinic Set

Free immunization clinic for Talco area citizens will be held Thursday, Oct. 6, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, in the Talco Elementary School

Building. A continuation of a series of immunization clinics for each first Thursday of each month has been planned by

the Texas State Department of Health's Region 7 Public Health Office.

The Health Department emphasized that this clinic is for all ages. Blood pressure will be checked and immunizations offered include measles, rubella, oral polio, and DPT (diphtheria, pertussis, typhoid).

LETTERS

Dear Editor:

Would you please send me last weeks Bogata News - Sept 22nd. I failed to get mine, and I look forward to it every week. Its my one link to my home town.

Thanks, Mrs. Ted (Zee) Harvey
Grand Prairie Texas

Editor's Quote Book

It is the folly of the world, constantly, which confounds its wisdom.

Russell To Head Walk-A-Thon

Mrs. Barbara Russell will serve as chairperson for a walk-a-thon in Bogata and Talco. The sponsoring club will be the Rivercrest High School Student Council.

The money raised will help extend the lives of present CF children and young adults and support the nationwide efforts of researchers to find a cure for CF. It will help finance public education efforts, which will lead to early diagnosis and proper treatment of the disease. A disease like CF would deserve our concern, and support if it struck only one

Hunter Safety Course Set At Talco-Bogata

A Texas Hunter Safety Course will be held in the Rivercrest Agriculture Department from 6:30 until 9:30 p.m. nightly on October 10, 11 and Craig Ingram, Texas Parks and Wildlife certified volunteer instructor will teach the course. A \$6.00 fee will be charged to cover the cost of materials and registration.

Topics of the course will include: hunter responsibility, firearms, bows & arrows, and shooting, wildlife identification, management and game care, and survival and first aid. The hunter safety program is administered by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. The program's immediate goal is to make

family. But CF is America's number one genetic killer of our youth, and one out of 20 of us carries the gene that can pass the disease along to the next generation.

There is no way we can thank Mrs. Russell and the Rivercrest High School Student Council for their caring commitment!

Sincerely,
Andrea Rutledge, Campaign Director



THE JUNIOR class has just completed its annual magazine sale. They surpassed their \$5,000.00 goal by \$114.24. Top salesmen were Back row: Greg Russell, \$448.20; Tim Wood,

\$387.73; Front row: Laura Baird, \$298.69; Penny Hanes, \$240.76; and Becky Brooks, \$239.89. Other class members who also won prizes were Dennis Smith, Amber Hood, Bryan Jones, Chanda

Morris, Mark Moreno, Staci Griffin, Renee Wisinger, and Karen Bond. The junior class would like to thank you in our communities who bought magazines and helped them surpass their goal.

People and Things

The Rivercrest HOMEcoming QUEEN will be crowned during PRE-GAME CEREMONIES at 7 p.m. on FRIDAY NIGHT as Rivercrest takes on Maud for their homecoming game... nominees for queen are: Leilani Barnett, Melissa Brown, Kristi Foxworthy, and Pam Ward...

Remember the REVIVAL at the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of BOGATA Oct. 9-14. REV. BEN. HOTUBEE preaching and DENNY WHITLEY as song director. A COVERED DISH LUNCH will be served after the morning service on Sunday. A special emphasis will be observed each night. Everyone welcome, 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. daily NURSERY PROVIDED.

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Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Clifford Pynes was admitted to the McCuiston Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Blossom were in Lewisville Saturday to visit Robert Shannon who is a patient in Lewisville Memorial Hospital. His condition is improving.

Mrs. Ora Wicker of New Boston and Mrs. Della Howe were Tuesday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams. In the afternoon they visited Mrs. Mabel Holt.

Mrs. Fern Rees, Mrs. Buddy Taylor and Mrs. Allie Rees attended a cradle shower for Mrs. Paul Johnston of Naples Saturday night.

Mrs. Charles Davis and Jeff of Naples spent the week end with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hall of Annona, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Taylor of College Station, Tracy L. Holbert and Meredith of Salene, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Taylor of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. George Struve of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bret Halbert of Mesquite and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher and Harry Slusher enjoyed a hamburger supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris Saturday night.

Inez Lewis of Paris and Adelle Murrell of Blossom and Berniece Wyatt were Wednesday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen visited Mrs. Jessie Lee Allen of Deport Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood of Paris. In the afternoon they visited Lynn Norwood of Paris who is a patient in the St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith of Pasadena spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper.

Mrs. Ida Deshong spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain. Mrs. Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Fowler. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fowler Christi and Mandi of Mesquite and Mr.

and Mrs. Talma Fowler and Melanie of Pattonville.

Rev. and Mrs. J.D. Watson of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Williams Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher and Harry Slusher visited Floyd Slusher of Paris Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rab Skidmore of Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers Sunday night.

Debra Tice, Dennis, Scottie, Mark and Karen Griffin of Commerce and Lynda Sugg visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper Saturday night.

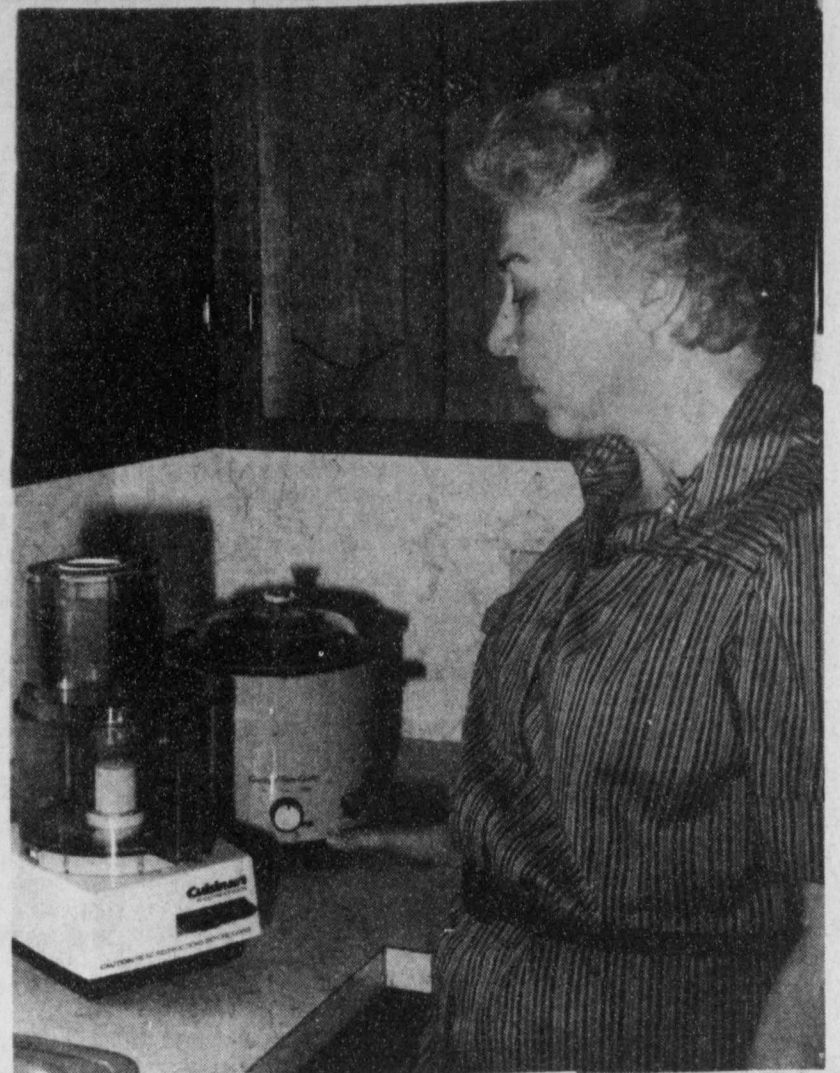
Lindy and Bonnie Phillips of Lone Star spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper honored Andy Smith of Pasadena and Kaye Cooper of Clardy with a birthday dinner Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Brit Phillips, Lindy and Bonnie of Lone Star, Mrs. Andy Smith of Palestine, Ricky Cooper of Clardy and Deryl Cooper.

Rugby Birthday Club Meets

The birthdays of Audrie Canfield, Frances Summers, Frances Franklin and Maudie Lee were honored when the Rugby Birthday Club met Saturday Oct. 1 with Mrs. Canfield. Those enjoying a covered dish lunch were, Mattie Chesshire, Vera Grogan, Luella Swaim, Zelma Wood, Frances Summers, Clarice Vaughan, Josie Fennell, Vashti Hood, Maudie Lee, Laverne Chesshire and The Hostess and Mr. Canfield.

The next meeting will be the Christmas Party with Mrs. Zelma Wood Dec. 10. Each one bring an exchange gift.



COOKING SCHOOL- Margie Rice, prominent cooking columnist for the area, will conduct a

course in cooking for busy cooks, which will feature microwave and crock pot cooking at

Rivercrest High School. Details can be found in the article in this week's paper. (Staff Photo)

Happy Birthday

October 7
Michael Rector, Talco
Billie Harville, Bogata
Randy Read Sr. Hobbs,
N.M.

October 10
Marissa Griffen, Artesia,
N.M.
Debbie English, Longview
Leonard Roy Prater, Paris

October 8
Jim Bissonette, Port
Richey, Fla.
Jerry Whitt, Little Rock

October 11
Tonya Borden
Pat Lankford, Bogata
Denise Cheatwood, Bogata
Robert White, Andrews

October 9
Horace Benham, Bogata
Jennifer Glass, Bogata
Zela Putteet, Bogata
Becky Martin, Longview

October 12
Larry Box, Blossom
Charlie Joplin, Deport
Sue Malone, Deport
Michael Clark, Bogata
Darrell Parkson,
Alamagordo, N.M.
Martha Ann Bradshaw,
Louisville, Tex.
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Anniversary

October 7
Mr. and Mrs. George Green

October 12
Graydon and Ethylene
Wyatt, LaPorte

October 9
Richard and Suzy Glassner,
Cuthand

October 13
Eugene and Josephine
Mankins, Mt. Pleasant

Fulbright News

Betty Rodgers
Jodi Crawford of Shady Grove visited Betty Rodgers Friday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Little of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Turley of Commerce, Mr. Albert Crosson of Bogata, Stella Riden.

Mrs. Worth Baker and Stella Riden attended the Bazaar activities at Clarksville Saturday. Mrs. Ruby Tucker, Mrs. Dillon, Mable Maddox, Mrs. Trent Edwards, Mrs. Garrett of Detroit, Chad Wolfe, Dusty and Evelyn Alley attended services at the Baptist Church here Monday night.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were Mrs. Raymond Dugger Jr., Mrs. Bob Embrey, Sharon Embrey and Tracey Atterbury of Weatherford, Oklahoma, Worth Baker Betty and Melissa Rodgers, Anita Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Garner of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward of Pottsborough, Mrs. Randy Miller and boys of

Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Legate, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker, Mrs. Ethel Epps and Wilma Green all were visitors of Stella Riden.

Betty Rodgers visited in Bogata last week with Carron Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kerbow attended the Bazaar festivities Saturday in Clarksville.

American Viewpoints



The happiest moments my heart knows are those in which it is pouring forth its affections to a few esteemed characters.

—Thomas Jefferson

Recipes And Techniques For Busy Cooks Upcoming

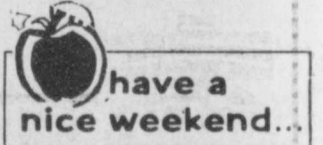
The Talco Bogata Schools Community Education Department will offer "Recipes and Techniques for Busy Cooks" from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. on consecutive Monday nights, October 17, and 24, in the Rivercrest Homemaking Lab.

Margie Rice will conduct the demonstrations. Mrs. Rice earned a B.S. degree in Home Economics from Texas Women's University, an M.A. degree in Adult Education-Home Economics from the University of Maryland, and has done additional graduate study at Ohio State University. She has also attended several specialized cooking classes. Some of Mrs. Rice's past experiences include performing as an extension agent, assistant state 4-H Club leader, and home

economics instructor at the University of Houston and Avery High School. Mrs. Rice is married to the Reverend Sam Rice who is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Deport as well as the Pine Grove and New Shamrock Presbyterian churches near Clarksville. They live in the Dimple community north of Clarksville. Presently, Mrs. Rice writes the East Texas Eating column for the Bogata News and the Cook's Corner for the Paris News.

"Stick To The Ribs Dishes That Cook While You Do Something Else" will be the focus of the October 17 session. This will include demonstrations in utilizing the food processor, the crock pot, back burner conventional range, and conventional oven.

"Speedy, Hearty Meals and Holiday Sweets" at the October 24 will feature the use of the food processor, the microwave oven and conventional cooking. Both sessions will include recipes and demonstrations utilizing the demonstrations food processor. In order to sign up for the session-sessions, please call Kay Kennedy, Director of Community Education at 632-5205 and mail fees to Talco-Bogata Community Education Box 125, Bogata Texas 75417 as soon as possible so that accommodations may be made for your participation.



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Mrs. Barney Ray Poole

Stubblefield-Poole Exchange Wedding Vows

The double ring wedding vows of Miss Jo Ann Stubblefield of Ft. Worth and Barney Ray Poole of Cleburne were solemnized in a formal ceremony at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, October 1 in the First United Methodist Church in Bogata. The Rev. David Rucker, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stubblefield, Bogata, and the granddaughter of Mrs. Dorothy Rich, Bogata, and Mr. H.L. Stubblefield, also of Bogata.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Poole, Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Cunningham, presented a prelude of wedding music and the traditional wedding marches. She accompanied Miss Jill Kernahan, Plano, as she sang "The Wedding Song" and "Through the Eyes of Love."

The couple repeated their vows before the altar centered with two fifteen-branched candelabra flanked by two seven-branched candelabra shaping a heart, holding mauve tapers and intertwined with mauve and burgandy flowers, ribbons and greenery. Greenery and candle groupings decorated the altar rail. Honor pews were marked with nosegays of mauve and burgandy flowers and ribbons.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents and escorted to the altar by her father, wore a gown of white bridal satin. The flared, pleated skirt edged with scalloped lace extended to form a chapel train. The fitted bodice overlaid with lace and reemphasized with seed pearls, ended in a point at front and back. A band of lace in heart-shaped

motif, reemphasized with pearls, edged the yoke of sheer illusion. The standing collar was hand applied with matching lace. Puffed sleeves of sheer lace were closed at the wrist with tiny pearl buttons and loops.

Her open weave brimmed hat was covered with illusion and hand applied with lace and pearls. A band of illusion encircled the crown, forming a soft bow in back and extending below the waistline. She carried a bouquet of white roses orange blossoms, stephanotis and English ivy.

Mrs. Chris Potter of Bogata was Matron of Honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. John A. Jones, Garland, and Mrs. Kyle Barlen, Arlington, sisters of the bride. They were attired in identical gowns of crepe de chine. The white tuxedo blouses featured a tucked front yoke and puffed sleeves, both edged with lace ruffles. The neckline was accented with a bow-tie matching the mauve gathered skirt which was worn with a pleated cummerbund. They carried traditional bouquets of mauve and burgandy carnations and roses interspersed with baby's breath and trimmed with lace and ribbon.

Robert Propp of Richardson served groom as best man. Groomsmen were Danny Poole, Dallas, brother of the groom and Gary Merka, Cleburne. Ushers were Mike Callahan, Plano, Mark Stuart, Dallas, and Tim Meade, Lewisville.

The bride's parents were hosts for a reception in the fellowship hall of the church following the ceremony. The bride's table was covered with a white floor length cloth and centered with a



Lohns To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

GOLDEN Anniversary - The children of Rev. and Mrs. Julius Lohn will host a reception from 2 until 4 Sunday October 16 at the Sulphur Spring's State Bank Community

room in Sulphur Springs, Texas. The event will honor the couple on their 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

floral arrangement in shades of mauve and burgandy, flanked by mauve tapers in silver candleholders. The three-tiered cake was frosted in white, decorated with mauve blossoms, and topped with a silk nosegay. The groom's table was covered with ecru lace over burgandy and held a double-ring chocolate cake decorated with fruit. The cakes and pink punch were served by Sharon Embrey, Robyn Reeder, Staci Brooks, and Rebecca Taylor. Scotti Wood, Talco presided at the register prior to the ceremony.

The bride a 1979 graduate of Rivercrest High School, attended Paris Junior College and received her degree from East Texas State University. She is

employed by Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company in Ft. Worth. The groom, a 1978 graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School, received his degree from East Texas State University where he was a member of Delta Tau Delta social fraternity and Sigma Tau Epsilon professional fraternity. He is employed by Brown and Root Construction Co., in Glen Rose. After a wedding trip to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, the couple will be at home at 5640 Brookside Drive, Ft. Worth.

The groom's parents were hosts for a dinner at the Alps Cafe in Mt. Pleasant following the rehearsal on Friday. The couple presented gifts to their attendants.



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Clevenger-Horton Exchange Wedding Vows

MRS. DUDLEY Horton, formerly Miss Lisa Clevenger, was married September 24 in a candlelight ceremony at St. Andrew United Methodist Church in Mt. Pleasant.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Clevenger of Mt. Pleasant. The groom is the son of Mrs. Chariline Horton of Talco.

Bogata Book Club Meets With Mrs. Smith

Mrs. Weldon Smith was hostess when the Bogata Book Club met Thursday, September 22 in the Smith home. Mrs. Carlton Stanley was co-hostess.

The president, Mrs. Stanley, called the meeting to order and Mrs. A.L. Vaughn led the collect and



Via-Brumbaugh

Mindy Renee Via and Roy Daniel, both of Abilene, will be married Dec. 17 in Singing Oaks Church of Christ of Denton.

Parents of the couple are Dr. and Mrs. Mickey W. Via of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brumbaugh of Caldwell, Idaho.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Denton High School is a student at Abilene Christian University, Majoring in accounting. She is a member of the Student Advisory Board.

The prospective groom, a 1980 graduate of Notus High School, Notus, Idaho, is a student at Abilene Christian University. Majoring in Bible. He is a member of the Varsity Wildcat football team.

Mindy is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Lewis of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Via of Talco.

Bogata Baptist Women Observe Week Of Prayer

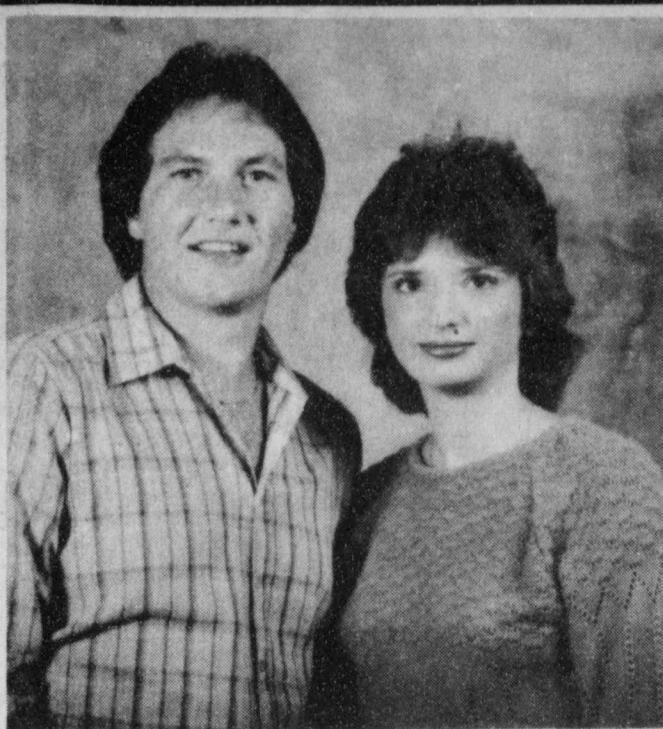
The Baptist Women of the First Baptist Church of Bogata observed the Mary Hill Davis Week of Prayer for State Missions Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. In Times Like These: Hope was the theme for the program.

Tuesday Program was opened with prayer by Pauline Hutson. The program was given by Sylvia Shupp, Mary Ann Ward, Ann Culpepper and Sharon Read the Prayer Calendar and John 18:28-38. Ann Culpepper led the benediction.

Wednesdays Program was given at the prayer meeting hour. Carl Williams led the song In Times Like These.

Rev. Bob Posey gave the devotional from Matthew, others on the program were Glen White, Carl Williams, Johnnie Topping, and Buddy Damron. Vera Grogan read the Prayer Calendar and John 19:1-11. Carl Williams led the prayer for missionaries and the benediction.

Mary Ann Ward opened Thursdays program with prayer and Sharon Posey, Ann Culpepper, assisted with the program and Sharon Posey with Inez Montgomery praying for missionaries read the Prayer Calendar and Sylvie Shupp led the closing prayer.



Martin-Carrell

MR. AND MRS. BOBBY MARTIN of Hagensport would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Marla to David Carrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carrell also of Hagensport.

Marla is a 1982 graduate of Rivercrest and is now employed at American National Bank in Mt. Pleasant. David is a 1978 graduate of Mt. Vernon and is employed by Carlton's Manufacturing, Mt. Vernon.

The wedding date has been set for Saturday, Oct. 22, at 4:00 p.m. at Mt. Olive Baptist of Hagensport.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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BIRTHS

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A daughter born September 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas has been named Charla Michelle. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William W. Scoggins of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Webb of Irving.

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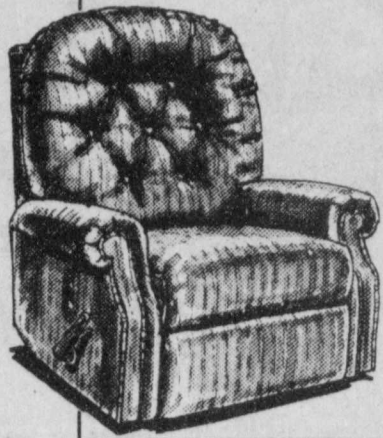
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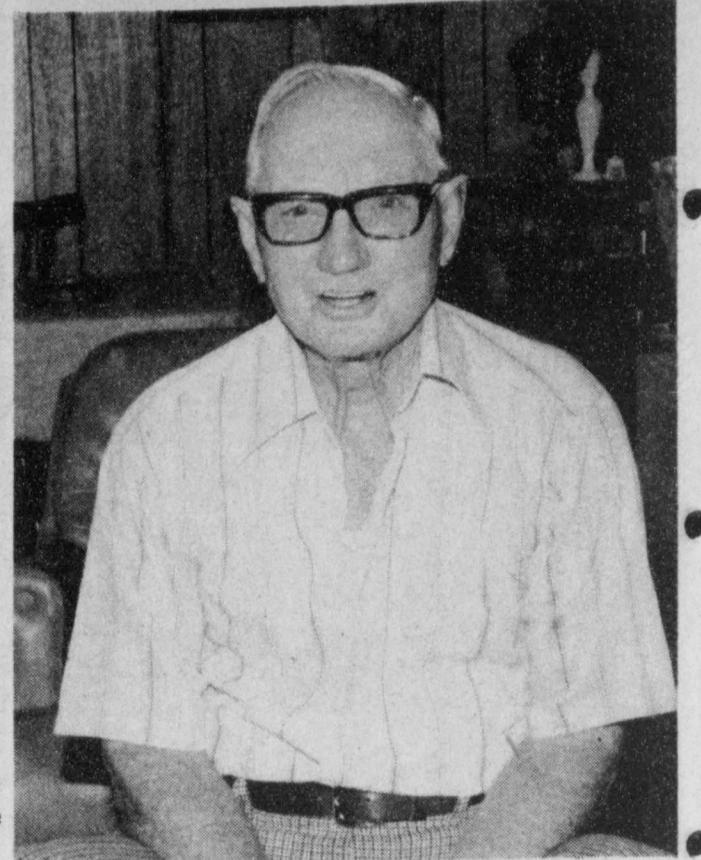
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Eighty Year Old Talco Man Still Active

It's encouraging to know a person who has just turned 80 and is still very active. In fact, one could say that Clarence Leake isn't planning to sit in his rocking chair with his hands folded for the rest of his life. Each morning he climbs in his pickup truck and drives to his farm southwest of Talco where he tends his cattle, mows his pasture or whatever needs to be done. Last Saturday he came home from the farm a wee early because it was his 80th birthday and his wife Fay was preparing a nice birthday dinner for him. His two brothers, Lowell Leake and Wes Leake and his wife Otis Sue of Mt. Pleasant with their son, George of Texarkana were present to help him celebrate. Others calling during the afternoon were Dean and Carol Leake, Gerald Holmes, and Lou Hall and daughter Chasity. He also received many phone calls and "Happy Birthday" cards. Born in Ark. Clarence came to Texas in 1922 and two years later married the former Fay Leftwich. He farmed until the oil boom in 1936 when he started to work doing odd jobs for C.N. Hough Oil Company. He was a pumper when the company sold out to the Tennico Oil Company in 1958. He retired when he was 62 to do the work he likes best, cattle ranching. In the spring and summer months he spends much of his time in his vegetable garden which furnishes the Leakes all the produce they need for freezing and canning and the rest he sells or gives to neighbors and friends. The Leakes have three sons, Thomas Lowell of Memphis, Tennessee, Norman Kyle of Elizabethton, Tennessee, and Phillip of Waco.



Clarence Leake

Bogata Locals

Duane King of Paris was a lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Adams last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop were in Dallas last week where Mr. Bishop is an out-patient of the V.A. Hospital. They visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Cantrell and children of Grand Prairie and friends in Ft. Worth. Mrs. Russie McConnell of Dallas and Charles Franklin of Summer visited with their sister Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop and attended the 100th birthday party for their first cousin, Mr. Lewis Hancock. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Horace Adams this week were Floyd and Rachel Gray and Willie Mae Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Scoggins and granddaughter of Dallas spent Saturday night with her sister Mrs. Lena Stephenson and attended the Scoggins reunion Sunday at the Bogata Community Center. Mrs. Donie Sloan of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Inez Montgomery spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Peaden of Greenville and they all attended the 50th wedding anniversary celebration for Mrs. Montgomery's brother Mr. and Mrs. Hill Collins of Blum. Hubert Pittman and daughter Doris Farmer of Steger, Ill. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lewis and other relatives and attended the Morris Chapel Homecoming Sunday and will attend the McCrury Glendale Homecoming Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill White and Ronnie spent the weekend with his sister Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson of Troy. Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Canfield attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ladymon of Reno Sunday. Jettie and Margie Min-

shew have returned after a visit with their daughter and sister Yvonne and Barclay Powell in Denver, Colo. They enjoyed sightseeing while there and spent the night with Jettie's brother Mr. and Mrs. Sam Latimer of Amarillo on the return trip. Ruth Wood orders the News sent to her brother David Craddock of Salinas, Calif. as a birthday gift. Virginia Alexander of Dallas and Wretha Watkins and Lucille Keegan were in Ft. Smith Ark. for the weekend and attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration of their uncle and brother Mr. and Mrs. Archie Carroll of Ft. Smith. Mrs. Alice Brown sends the News to Doug Bond of Anchorage, Alaska as a birthday gift. Mr. and Mrs. Van D. Craddock of Longview visited his sister Mrs. Ruth Wood Friday. Mrs. Luella Swaim was in Arlington Tuesday to attend the funeral of her cousin Mrs. Lucille Lawing of Arlington. She also visited her nephew Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ward Hudson and family. Visitors during the week end of Mrs. Pauline Hutson and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ward and Mrs. Lucille Kokernot were, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Wright of Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter and Kyle of Dallas and Mrs. Robert Shiftlet of Emery. Mrs. Dude Lassiter and Mrs. Molee Huddlestone were in Shreveport Monday to attend the Red River Revel. Mmes. Glen White, Ann Culpepper, Richard Ward, Sylvia Shupp and Emmie Mitchell were in Paris Monday to attend the annual meeting of the WMU of the Red River Valley Baptist Association at the Calvary Baptist Church. Mrs. Sue Huffman and Wayne were in Nashville, Tenn. on business Wednesday.

BIRTHS

LaTrishia and Jason wish to announce the birth of their new sister, Kayla Breann Belcher, born Sept. 25th at McCuiston Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 3 1/2 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Tim Belcher of Cuthand. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Belcher of Cuthand and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wright of Honey Grove. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belcher of Cuthand and Mrs. Hazel Atkins of Honey Grove.

SCHOOL Lunch Menu

Talco, Bogata ISD School Menu
Monday
Fish Portion w tartar sauce, Tater Tots w catsup, Green Beans, Peach Half w whipped cream, Milk.
Tuesday
Corn Dogs w mustard, Blackeyed peas, Fried Okra, Fruit Cookies, Milk.
Wednesday
Turkey & Dressing, English Peas, Candied Yams, Hot Rolls & Butter, Cranberry Sauce, Milk.
Thursday
Frito Pie w onion & cheese, Seasoned White Beans, Tossed Green Salad, Chocolate Cake, milk.
Friday
Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Onion & Pickle, Ice Cream, Milk.

Judge Pesek Revokes Probation

On Monday September 26 District Judge Leon Pesek revoked the felony probation of Jimmy Glen Whitson of Clarksville for burglarizing the Conlan grocery store on September 22 and sentenced Whitson to 5 years in prison. Pesek sentenced Lavon McPeters, Jr. to 5 years probation and a \$1,000.00 fine for burglary of a vehicle at Crawford's store on July 3.

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He is a junior. Joel is 5 ft. 11 inches tall and weighs 160 pounds. He plays quarterback and defensive linebacker. He is a senior.

Football

Bogata Rodeo Queen To Compete For CRA Title

Jemalyn Finley, this year's Bogata Rodeo Queen, will compete at Sulphur Springs as a contestant for Central States Rodeo Queen at the finals there.

Jemalyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Finley of Clarksville, comes from a family of rodeo cowboys and cowgirls.

Her father competes in steer wrestling, and

Jemalyn was literally riding horseback before she could walk.

A bone disease has not kept her from horses, although her family tried to keep her from riding for awhile.

She was ranked fifth at the Texas A&M Horse Judging competition.

A sophomore at Clarksville High School Jemalyn, pursues many activities. In addition to her hours of practice at horsemanship, she has a show calf, served as the Tiger mascot for the school her freshman year, and this year is a varsity cheerleader.

She served as co-sweetheart for the FFA chapter, and is secretary to the FFA.

In addition to the Queen's title at the Bogata Rodeo she was voted Miss Congeniality.

Jemalyn states that she hopes to see many of the Bogata citizens at Sulphur Springs to watch her compete, and says she is proud to represent Bogata.



Jemalyn Finley

Hagansport-Eureka Reunion Held

The 1983 Hagansport-Eureka Schools annual reunion was held at the Hagansport Community Center, Saturday night, Sept. 24th. Ex-students, families and friends enjoyed hours of fellowship and singing. Pastries, coffee and tea were served. There were 35 persons registered.

A short business meeting was held, presided over by Glenn Freeman, president. Helen Biggerstaff, secretary, treasurer, read the minutes of the 1982 reunion and gave a short financial report. Helen Biggerstaff tendered her resignation as secretary-treasurer, and Mary Ruth Freeman was elected the new secretary-treasurer. We wish to express a special thanks to Helen Biggerstaff for her time and work.

It was decided that there were adequate funds for at least another two years. Contributions were not requested; however, several people wished to give to this fund. The officers wish to express their gratitude for their generosity.

As the reunion continued on Sunday, Sept. 25th fifty one people attended the covered-dish luncheon.

Those present at this year's reunion were: J.O. and Lucille Freeman, Steve and Helen Biggerstaff, Glenn and Mary Ruth

Freeman, Edith Chessier, Aubrey and Mattie Waters, Lena King, Orvo Lou Easterling, Rosa Lee Ottinger, Lillie Mae Dyer, R.D. and Cleyon Crowston, Richard and Trudie Singleton, Vivian Lester, Fanny McDonald, Arlie Mae Godfrey, Eugene and Lezzie Hume, Bill Joe and Jerri Payne, Tressie Duckworth, Blanche Hightower, Ida Clouch, Jake Shoemaker, Fay Jennings, Ann Jennings, Mark and Bernice Markovic, Johnnie Crane, Johnny Carroll, Walter Elliott, Florence Anderson, Charles and Willie Mae Calverely, Ima Clifton, Ora Toon, Joe and Nell Stewart, Debbie and Rochelle Six killer, Lillie Belle Burks, Larry and Claudia Bales and Mathew, Bonnie Faye Friley, J.P. and Pearl Bush, Dessie Croouston, Luthor and Lillian Cannon, Charles and Gracie Dyer, Mary Dyer, Staci Ebarb, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dyer and baby.

The officers wish to express a special thanks to Lucille Freeman for being our pianist for the singing.

Towns represented at this year's reunion were: Mt. Pleasant, Talco, Mt. Vernon, Ft. Worth, Bogata, Midland, Pittsburg, Sulphur Bluff, Hagansport, Seagoville, Sulphur Springs, Dallas and Lake Creek.

Harmony-Pittsburg Association To Convene

The Harmony-Pittsburg Association of the Baptist General Convention of Texas will convene for their 16th Annual Meeting at 2:00 p.m. October 10, 1983 at the First Baptist Church, Ore City, Texas.

The Association comprised of sixty-one Southern Baptist churches in a six county NE Texas Area, will be called to order by Rev. Earl Taylor Moderator, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Diana. Rev. Alton Patton is the Missionary of the Association. Rev. Steve Kern, Pastor of Lone Star Baptist Church, will deliver the Annual Sermon at 5:00 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. and the night session will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Donald Potts, Professor of Religion, East Texas Baptist College in Marshall, will lead a Bible study period for both sessions of the meeting.

Rev. Gene Jorgenson, Associate for Direct and Renewal Evangelism of the State Missions Commission, Baptist General Convention of Texas, will speak during

the evening session of State Missions. Rev. Jorgenson is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth. He has been pastor of the First Baptist Church in Trent, Lipan, Memphis and Kermit, Texas as well as Emmanuel Church in Weatherford, Bethany Church in Dallas and Calvary Church in DeSoto. He has served as President of the Dallas Pastors Conference and Moderator of Paluxy, Panhandle, and Pecos Valley Associations. He has also helped in Evangelism Campaigns in Japan, Spain, Germany, Norway and England and worked with the Home Mission Board in leading revivals in pioneer areas and Canada.

Rev. S.H. Andrews, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Omaha, will deliver the Doctrinal Sermon at the evening session.

Special music will be presented by the First Baptist Church of Ore City.

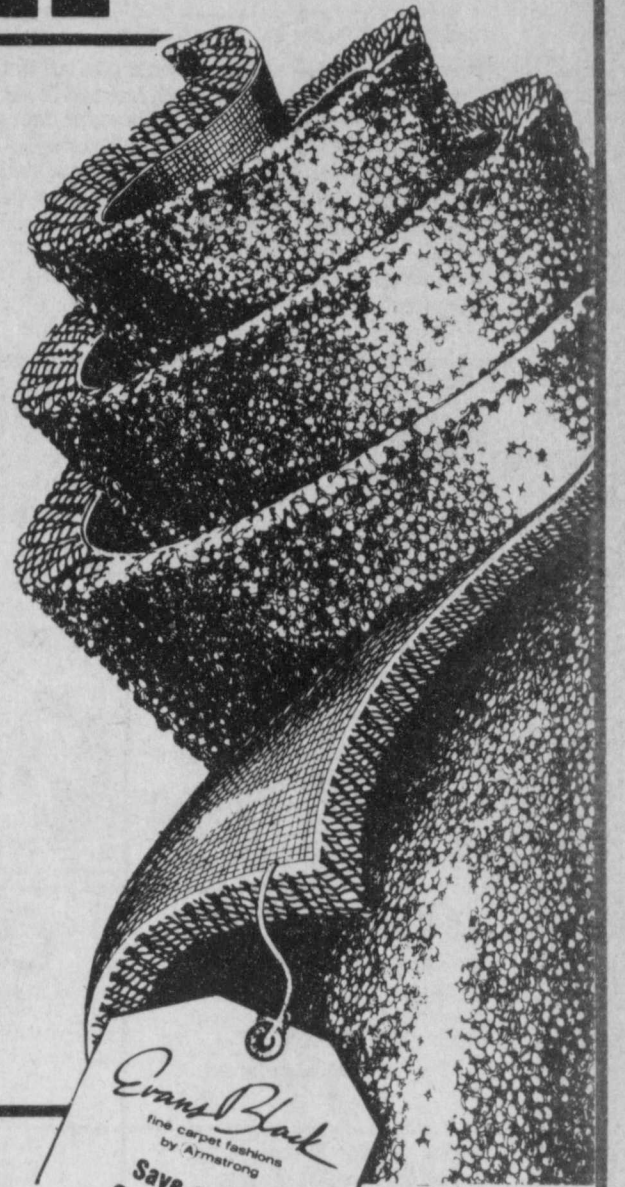
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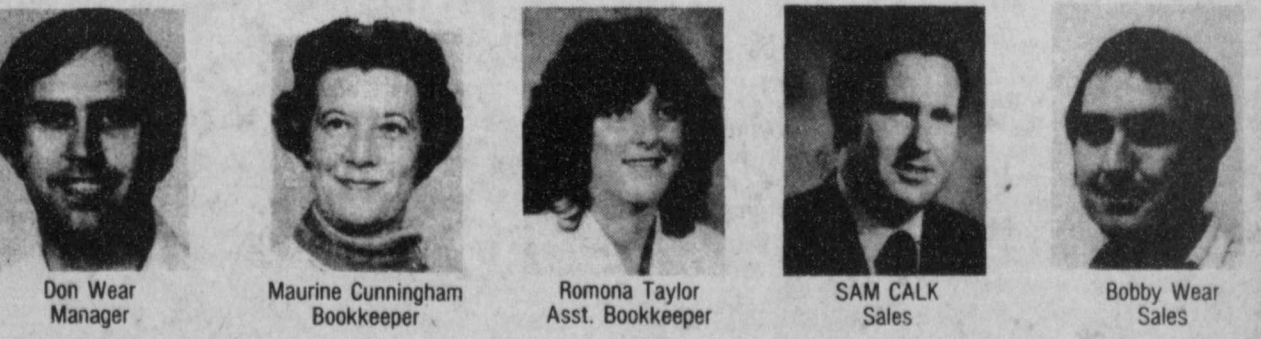
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East Texas Eating



Cool fall evenings call for a little heartier supper than many of us have preferred during the summer. It is even nicer if you can put the meal on to cook in the slow-cooker in the morning and have it ready-to-eat when the family gathers for supper. Corned beef brisket

or other cuts can fill both bills. And, corned beef can provide a pleasant change of tastes for your family.

The corned beef brisket can cook slowly all day in the slow-cooker (Crock Pot etc.) while you are working at other tasks. Then, 30-40 minutes before serving

time, potatoes can be added to the simmering stock, and a few minutes later, wedges of cabbage can be put in to steam to tender goodness. There you have supper in a pot!

A nice bonus with corned beef is that left-overs (for planned overs) make

delicious sandwiches and even the very last fragments of the meat and vegetables can be cooked into a hearty hash.

Corned Beef
1 (3-4 lb.) corned beef brisket
1/2 cup chopped onion
If desired: 1 garlic clove, 1 bay leaf

Place the corned beef in a slow cooking pot. Barely cover with water. Add onion, garlic, and bay leaf. Cover and cook on low for 10-12 hours.

NOTE: The corned beef can be cooked conventionally—in a pot on the stove. Cover with water and cook at a simmer, about 1 hour per pound, or until a fork can penetrate to the center.

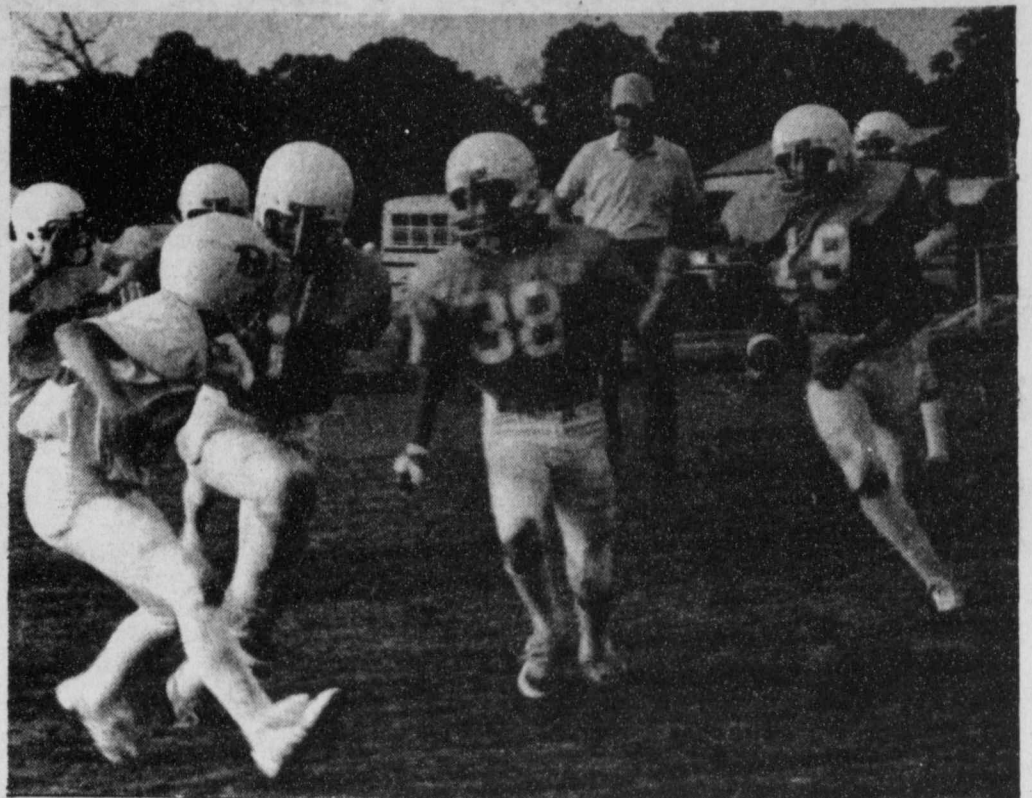
Corned Beef and Cabbage
Slow cooker: Lift corned

beef out of pot. Turn control to high. Drop wedges of cabbage into the simmering liquid. Cover and cook 20-30 minutes or until cabbage

Corned Beef Hash
Chop the left over corned beef potatoes, and cabbage. Brown the mixture in a hot skillet in 2 tablespoons vegetable oil until a brown crust forms.

Corned Beef with Potatoes and Cabbage

Add small or quartered, peeled potatoes, to the simmering stock after brisket has been removed. Simmer for about 15 minutes. Add cabbage and simmer another 20-30 minutes—or until cabbage is tender. Serve hot



SEVENTH GRADER Bradley Woods takes to the outside in last week's scrimmage against Redwater. Danny Beene

gives him a block and sends him on his way. Coach Ricky Logan was on the field to help his boys, as was the Red-

water coaches. The Rebels scored two touchdowns to the Dragons 6. (Staff Photo by Diana Endv.)

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Footprints From The Past

By John W. Hood

Fall of the year is almost upon us and it takes me back to the years of my childhood and of all the fun I had watching the trees shed their leaves and also changing their colors. We are lucky to live in the part of the country that we do for we have so many different kinds of trees and they all take on their different hues and colors. Some are brown, some red, some keep their green foliage all year long.

It sure is a pretty drive when you go out on some of these country roads as you can see all the colors of the rainbow. And this is the time when the persimmons are getting ripe, if you have never tasted a persimmon on some frosty morning just after a big frost you don't know what you have been missing and you should either find you a persimmon tree and stake it out until the first frost or find some one who know where to find one

and get them to take you with them when they go out to have their first bite of persimmons. I think that I use to like persimmons as well as the o-possum.

Besides all the pretty sights that the leaves give you they also give you some thing else and that is the privilege of raking them up and you get to burn them and I do believe that is one of the best smells there is. We all should be glad that we still live in a part of the country where we still get to burn our leaves, as you know, there are places where you can not burn your leaves, you have to put them in a plastic bag and have them hauled away. I can remember that when I was a small boy that one of my greatest delights was to run and jump into a pile of just raked leaves of course that would just scatter them and Dad or Mom one would just have to rake them again so I doubt if they enjoyed it as much as I did.

Franklin Art Association Plans Exhibit

The activities of the Franklin Art exhibit will begin with the receiving of paintings on October 4th from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. only in the Community Room of the First National Bank.

The Art Association urges all area artists to participate in the exhibit.

Judging the show will be Bill Zaner of Boerne, Texas.

There will be one \$200.00 one \$100.00, one \$75.00 and one \$50.00 award. Six Honorable Mentions will be given.

The exhibit will be open to the public on October 8th during the Country Fair.

Pickup time will be from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Satur-

day the 8th.

Rules for the show can be picked up at Franklin Art Gallery Tuesday through Friday from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. or send inquiries to Ora Swarts, Route 1 Box 87, Mt. Vernon, Texas 75457. Phone 214-537-4337.

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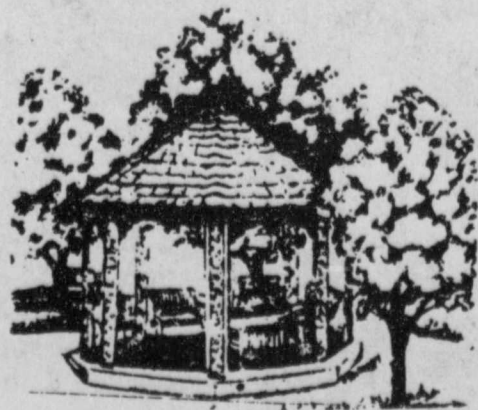
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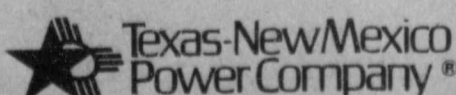
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Saturday, October 8
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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Texas-New Mexico Power Company (TNP) has filed proposed tariff changes which result from Rule changes made by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. These tariff changes result from the elimination of the Fuel Cost Adjustment clause. The tariff changes do not constitute a rate increase to any class of customer and provide no increased rate revenues to TNP.



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LEGAL NOTICE

APPLICATION FOR OIL
AND GAS WASTE
DISPOSAL WELL PER-
MIT- A. Brandt Powell,
Operator, Rt. 2 Box 73,
Flint, Tx. 75762 has applied
to the Railroad Commission
of Texas for a permit to
dispose of produced salt
water or other oil and gas
waste by well injection into
a porous formation not
productive of oil or gas. The
applicant proposes to
dispose of oil and gas waste
into the Woodbine Hwy 71
Salt Water Disposal, Well
Number 1. The proposed
disposal well is located 1/2
mile South of Talco in the
Talco Field, in Tittus
County. The waste water
be injected into strata in the
subsurface depth interval
from 3300 ft. to 3410 ft. Legal
Authority: Chapter 27 of the
Texas Water Code, as
amended, Title 3 of the
Natural Resources Code, as
amended, and the Statewide
Rules of the Oil and Gas
Division of the Railroad
Commission of Texas.
Requests for a public
hearing from persons who
can show they are adversely
affected, or requests for
further information con-
cerning any aspect of the
application should be sub-
mitted in writing within
fifteen days of publication,
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Sue Kirkpatrick will not be
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Kirkpatrick's bills.

I WILL NOT be responsible
for any debt not made by
me. Mark Eudy. (MA 10-20)

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**GARAGE SALE-Friday Oct.
7 and Saturday Oct. 8- 8:30
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Store Building-Talco FM
Road 71 1 mi. east of Hwy
271. (10-6)**

**YARD SALE-Saturday Oct.
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dark, Dewey St. in Deport.
(10-6)**

**YARD SALE-Thursday and
Friday Oct. 6-7, Several
families, 306 N. Main,
Bogata, (10-6)**

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**THREE FAMILY-garage
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(10-6)**

**YARD SALE-402 N. Hudson,
Bogata, Thursday &
Friday, tools, clocks all
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**GARAGE SALE-Saturday
only, Oct. 8, 5 1/4 miles east
on Clarksville St., Bogata.
(10-6)**

CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
Thanks to my relatives and
friends for everything
they've done for me while I
was in the hospital and since
I've been home. Dixie
Rector.

Weekly Agricultural Update

With a few cool nights behind us and more ahead, plants should be prepared for transfer into the greenhouse or home, says Dr. James Robinson, entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. One phase of that preparation is making sure the plants are free of pests such as spider mites, mealy bugs, aphids and others. By controlling the insects or mites prior to moving the plants indoors, many problems will be reduced or eliminated.

Dr. Robinson says he receives numerous calls each year concerning the control of insect pests in the home pantry or food storage areas. Several beetles and weevils infest flour, meal, cereal or seeds stored for a long period of time. Stored food items should be kept in sealed containers to prevent infestation. If seed crops such as peas and beans are harvested from the home garden, they may be infested with insects at the time of storage.

Light insect infestations may be controlled in some items by placing the items in the home freezer for seven days at zero degrees or colder. Other items such as peas and beans may be placed in a shallow pan and heated in the oven for 30 minutes at 130 degrees fahrenheit. Robinson points out that these are only temporary control measures.

The best control of pantry pests is through strict sanitation practices. Food storage areas should be thoroughly cleaned with soap and hot water. After clean-up, treat the area with an approved insecticide. Avoid contaminating dishes, cooking utensils and food with the insecticide. Avoid spilling food in storage areas.

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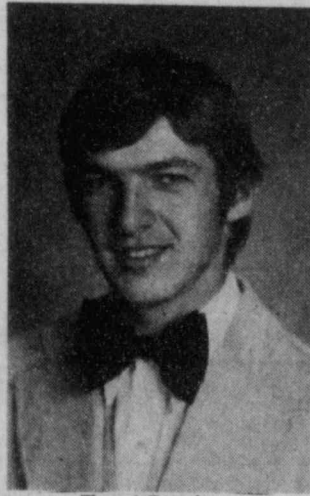
LOST-Yellow cowdog, Near
Cuthand. Brown collar,
answers to Rooster. 632-4593.
(10-6) NC

LOST-small brown male
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Obituaries

Trent Stephens Dies At Age 22



Trent Stephens

Trent Stephens, Rt. 1
Pattonville, died Sunday,
Oct. 2, in Hermann Hospital,
Houston.

Services were held at 4
pm Tuesday, Oct. 4 in
the College Church of Christ
in Paris with Roy Whiten
Church of Christ minister,
officiating. Bright-Holland
Funeral Home was in
charge of arrangements and
burial in Meadowbrook
Cemetery followed.
Prairiland Schools were let
out at 2 p.m. in order for
teachers and friends to
attend the services.

He was born June 29, 1961,
in Spearman, a son of
George W. Stephens and
Monda Montgomery
Stephens. He was a member
of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are his mother
who lives at Rt 1 Pattonville,
one sister Sherry Sandlin of
Commerce his grand-
parents, Alma Montgomery
of Pattonville and Bertha
Stephens of Quail; these
aunts and uncles, Dorothy
Miller of Memphis Texas,
Mary Katherine Poteet of
Lubbock, James Stephens
Odessa Nancy Phillips,
Spearman and Jerri Martin
of Lakeview and nine
cousins.

He attended Prairiland
High School where he was a
class officer, served as
student council represen-

tative and played basketball
and baseball his freshman
and sophomore years. He
was Freshman Class
Favorite and Sophomore
of the Year in Basketball. He
was Most Valuable
Basketball Player his junior
year, was student of the
Month, Future Farmers of
America officer, and student
council officer. He served as
student council president his
senior year, was named
All-Around Boy, Mr. Red,
White, and Blue, Student of
the Month, received his
Lone Star Farmer Degree,
was FFA and FTA president
a member of the Choral Club,
FFA Talent Team and was a
pep squad officer. He won
the Grand Champion Steer
in 1979 and an American
Farmer Degree in 1979.

John E. Horn Dies At Age 78

John Ervin Horn, 78, of
Talco died Tuesday, Sept.
27, at St. Joseph's Hospital.
Funeral services were 2
p.m. Thursday, Sept. 29 at
the First Baptist Church of
Talco with the Rev. Terry
Barnett officiating. Burial
followed in the Talco
Cemetery, Bogata Funeral
Home was in charge of
arrangements.

He was born April 21, 1905
in red River County, the son
of Major Steven and Madge
Hervey Horn. He married
Ruby Baugh Jan 29, 1931, in
Clarksville. He retired from
Mobile Oil Company in 1970.
He was a member of the

First Baptist Church in
Talco.
Survivors include his
wife; two sons, Lyndon Horn
of Talco and Jerry Horn of
Fillmore, Calif.; a brother,
Hubert Horn of Joliet; one
sister Effie Oliver of
Longview; six grand-
children; and three great-
grandchildren.
The family received
friends from 8 p.m. until 9
p.m. Wednesday at the
Bogata Funeral Home.

C. M. Wood Dies At Age 77

Choyce Monroe Wood, 77,
of Rt. 1, Avery, died
Saturday, Oct. 1, in
Red River County Hospital
Clarksville.
Services were held at 2
p.m. Sunday, Oct. 2, in the
Bates-Rolf Funeral Home
Chapel in Dekalb with the
Rev. Blake Dunagan and the
Rev. Harold Churchill of-
ficiating. Burial was in
Avery Cemetery.

Mr. Wood was born Aug.
1, 1906, in Bowie County. He
was a member of the First
Baptist Church of DeKalb.
He was a carpenter and a
member of Carpenters
Local No. 379 in Texarkana.
Surviving are his wife,
Lucy; two sons, James
Wood of Bogata and Jerry
A. Wood of Dallas; one
daughter, June Strohsahl of
Longview; four brothers,
Theo Wood of New Boston,
Wheeler Wood of Avery,
Harold Wood of Longview
and Buel Wood of
Texarkana; one sister, Nora
Braswell of Longview and
six grandchildren.
Several Bogata friends
attended the service.



Talco Locals

By Joyce Alexander
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bland left Tuesday for their home in Las Vegas, Nev. after spending a week with his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fry. On Saturday the Blands and Mr. and Mrs. W. Fry of Mt. Pleasant attended the first Monday Flea Market at Canton. Sunday the C.W.Frys and daughter Carol of Mt. Pleasant were

luncheon guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fry.
A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Janie Whitney was given in the home of Mrs. Zonetta Hawkins on Tuesday, Sept. 27. Those attending were: Kay Martin, Carol Johnson, Linda Parrish, Lucille Whitney, Cathy Grisson, Gloria Brack, Dianne Randle, Linda Ratcliff, Nina

Gentry, Nona Moies and Sharon Martin.
Former pastors of the Talco Assembly of God Church and their wives, the Rev. and Mrs. Don Malone and the Rev. and Mrs. Johnny McLain all of Mt. Pleasant attended the Gospel singing at the church Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander and Mrs. Gladys Garretson attended the Marksmen Quartet Concert at the Calvary Baptist Temple in Mt. Vernon Saturday. Enroute home

they stopped by the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Garretson for a short visit and coffee.
Mr. and Mrs. J.C.Fall attended the funeral services of Kenneth Shoulders at Johntown Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Cullie Bradley and Doug Wright of Mt. Pleasant visited during the week with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch. Weekend guests were their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Duane Welch of Pasadena.
Thurman Jones and Bill Jones of Winstboro were luncheon guests Monday in the home of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R.G.Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Via have returned home after visiting their son, Dr. Mickey Via and family in Denton.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills visited her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taylor of Pryor, Okla. during the weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. J.C.Fall with their children Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Presley, Amy



KELLY JEFFERY tried to lose this Redwater Dragon last Friday night. Jeffery ran for two spectacular TD's but had both called back for penalties. The Rebels were victorious 20-10 (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy).

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Johntown News

By Myra Jean
Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Wicks were Mr. and Mrs. Gill Whitlock of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson and Mickey, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glen of Anderson of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Anderson and family of Mt. Pleasant visited Sunday.
Jo Sales has returned home after a 2 wks. visit with Mr. and Mrs. Muri Sport in Dallas. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. John Wayne Horn in Burleson.
Lee Monroe of Austin visited with friends in the community Tuesday. He is employed by the U.S. Postal Service and is a former resident of Johntown.
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean and Darla visited their son, Dale Jean in Austin over the weekend. He is a student at the University of Texas this year. They toured the Capitol building and the LBJ Library and other points of interest while there.
Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hood of Dallas are on vacation this week and are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle.
The following men are enjoying camping out,

squirrel hunting and fishing this week at the Moon Ranch: Drue and Clay Pirtle, Harvey Jean, Jim Pirtle, Gene Hawkins, Rev. Billy Daniels of Johntown, Rev. Bill Voss of White Oak, Rev. Calvin Permenter of Mt. Pleasant, Donald Jean of Bonham, Eric Cabell of Talco, Buford Hood of Dallas and Kenneth Pirtle of Bogata.
W.B. McAllister of Bogata is a patient at a Greenville Hospital this week.
Don Davis is a heart patient at the McCuiston Hospital in Paris.

Lions To Hear Game Warden

The Bogata Lions Club will meet Thursday, the 6th at 7 p.m. at the Community Center. J.T. Thomas, Game Warden, will be the speaker.
All members are urged to be present. Visitors are welcome. Members call 632-5601 if you will not be able to attend so a meal will not be prepared for you.
We are still collecting glasses and hearing aids.

"Notch Year" Question Continues

The question concerning "notch years" in social security continues! Some people have said there was no truth in it...others that it is true...others that it is somewhat true.
So far now we are going to publish a letter from Congressman Sam B. Hall to a constituent concerning the subject, and that is all we can do. The copy of the Chairman's remarks inserted in the Congressional record are quite lengthy, but apparently this issue, like most government issues, is quite confusing and difficult.
Read on:
Thank you for your recent expression of concern regarding the social security program.
I am enclosing herewith a copy of the response by the Chairman of the Social Security Subcommittee to "Dear Abby", along with a copy of the Chairman's remarks that were inserted in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on the "notch" issue.
You will note that the benefit formula was changed in the Social Security Act of 1977 to address a financial problem that threatened the solvency of the social security system. In 1977, about half of the existing long-range

deficit in the social security system was the result of what the Subcommittee described as unintended effects of the cost-of-living increase provisions of the 1972 revisions in the Social Security Act. In 1972 the Congress initiated the policy of indexing social security benefits for inflation. The committee advises that the indexing formula adopted in 1972 was flawed in that it resulted in providing excessive adjustments in benefits which were draining the resources of the social security trust fund and driving the system to bankruptcy.
The Chairman advises that the corrections made in the indexing formula in 1977 will not be overturned for reasons of economics. He further informs that to return the program to the 1972 indexing formula would cost the social security system \$9 billion a year that it does not have.
I trust that this information is helpful to you and I will continue to give this matter careful attention. However, it appears highly unlikely that the Social Security Subcommittee will entertain legislation to reinstate the 1972 indexing formula.
Sincerely,
Sam B. Hall, JR.

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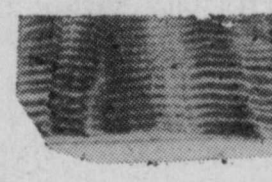


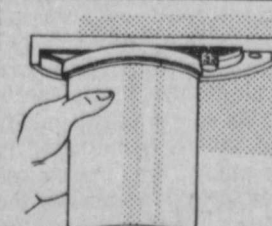
Enjoying a cookout and overnight campout at the W.T.Dodd lake this week end were W.N. Dodd, 89 years young and his 10 children. Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Horn of Mineola, Mrs. Neva Whitten of Johntown, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd of Bogata, M.J. Dodd of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Allison of Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Ed King of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Dodd, Shane, Russell and Missey, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd and Stacie all of Johntown, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Belzung of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Welch of Bonham, Mrs. James Watkins, Paige and Aaron of Paris, James Lyle Dodd of Mesquite, Bruce Whitten of Clarksville, Mr. Forrest Whitten and son of Rockwell, Charles Franklin of Hopewell and David Allison of Paris.

Dear Abby:
In response to a letter in your column, a lot of people contacted Members of Congress about the social security "notch". Unfortunately, the writer's letter is not entirely correct.
There is a notch between benefits for those born in or slightly before 1916 and those born in or after 1917. Here's why:
In 1977 Congress enacted a new benefit formula for all who turn age 62 after 1978

because the benefit computation set out in amendments in 1972 (when we "indexed" social security benefits) vastly over-compensated for inflation. This was a chief cause of the long-range financial troubles facing social security shortly thereafter, and by the time Congress corrected this problem, relative benefit levels had already climbed higher than any time in the history of the program. These are the high benefits enjoyed by people born in or just before 1916. A line had to be drawn somewhere, and any delay would have made the problem worse. Already it would cost about \$9 billion in the first year - more thereafter - to go back to the old formula.
Your writer's reference to the birth years 1917-1921 was particularly confusing. He must be referring to the five year phase-in (from 1979-1983) for the new formula. But the new formula does not affect them alone - it affects everyone born after 1916. The new formula provides steady new benefits levels which, for a worker with average earnings, will equal about 41 percent of one's final wages. This will be true for all future retirees.
The problem is not with anything in the recent 1983 amendments or with the 1977 formula. The problem is with the 1972 over-indexed formula. Because of this there is no help possible other than to raise overall benefit levels for new retirees - and to enact very substantial tax increases to pay for these new benefits. In all honesty, I do not think that is likely to happen.
With best wishes, I am
Sincerely,
J.J. Pickle, Chairman
Social Security Subcommittee

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