

School, Council Elections Hold No Surprises

There were few surprises in the Talco-Bogata CISD trustee election, or in the Bogata City Council election, as low voter turn-out

seemed the rule Saturday. Two Talco residents and one Bogata citizen were elected to the board of trustees.

Incumbents Dr. E.E. Brooks of Bogata and Jerry Russell of Talco both retained their seats on the board. Jim Carroll, also a

Talco resident, was elected for a three year term, as was Dr. Brooks. Russell, as the third highest vote getter, will fill

the one year term-at-large position on the board. Bogata candidates Mildred Eudy and A.D. Stephenson received 189

votes and 229 votes respectively. In Bogata, incumbent Mayor John Worth Hood received 56 votes in an

unopposed race. Dr. Jack Trout and Pat Cowan received 56 and 45 votes in the city council

positions. Dr. Trout was an incumbent, and Mrs. Cowan a newcomer to the city council



Nichols Worth

By: Nanalee Nichols

By Nanalee Nichols Political hopefuls on a local and state level have been opening the office door enough lately to wear out the hinges.

Don't get it wrong, I'm glad they do...meeting people face to face still is the best way to form an opinion of someone.

But the shoe leather they are wearing down campaigning brought to mind some of the early political campaigns I can recall.

Now, I can't remember when politicians could afford entire picnics for folks free of charge...I just barely can remember "I Like Ike" buttons.

But I can recall being paid the handsome sum of one quarter for passing out candidate cards at some sort of gathering.

The very first, live, noisy, not on TV helicopter I ever saw came swooping out of the sky and landed on Main Street in Deport one warm Saturday afternoon. Emerging from it was a governor-hopeful.

I don't recall his name, nor whether he was successful in his bid for the governor's office...but the rotor blades beating the air and stirring up dust impressed me greatly.

The nameless gentleman shook hands throughout the

crowd, stooped to speak to us youngsters and generally applied the strategy that seems timeless for Texas politicians.

Billboards used to be used to shout political messages more than they are today. One rainy fall, I had to see a giant picture of Richard Nixon smiling into my window from the billboard in the field next door. Finally, long after the election was over, and John F. Kennedy was president, the paper tattered and blew away.

Political hopefuls didn't use television as their major media back then, and a political rally with music, loudspeakers that sounded broken, and big crowds were common. Saturdays were the big day in town, and the candidates always found eager ears to listen.

Back then, the area's local politics was totally democratic. In fact, I don't suppose I ever met a Republican candidate until I was twenty-five years old!

Politics have changed some over the years...I think voters are more concerned with issues than ever before...but the old-fashioned method of getting out to meet people face to face is still alive and thriving...and I, for one, am glad it is!

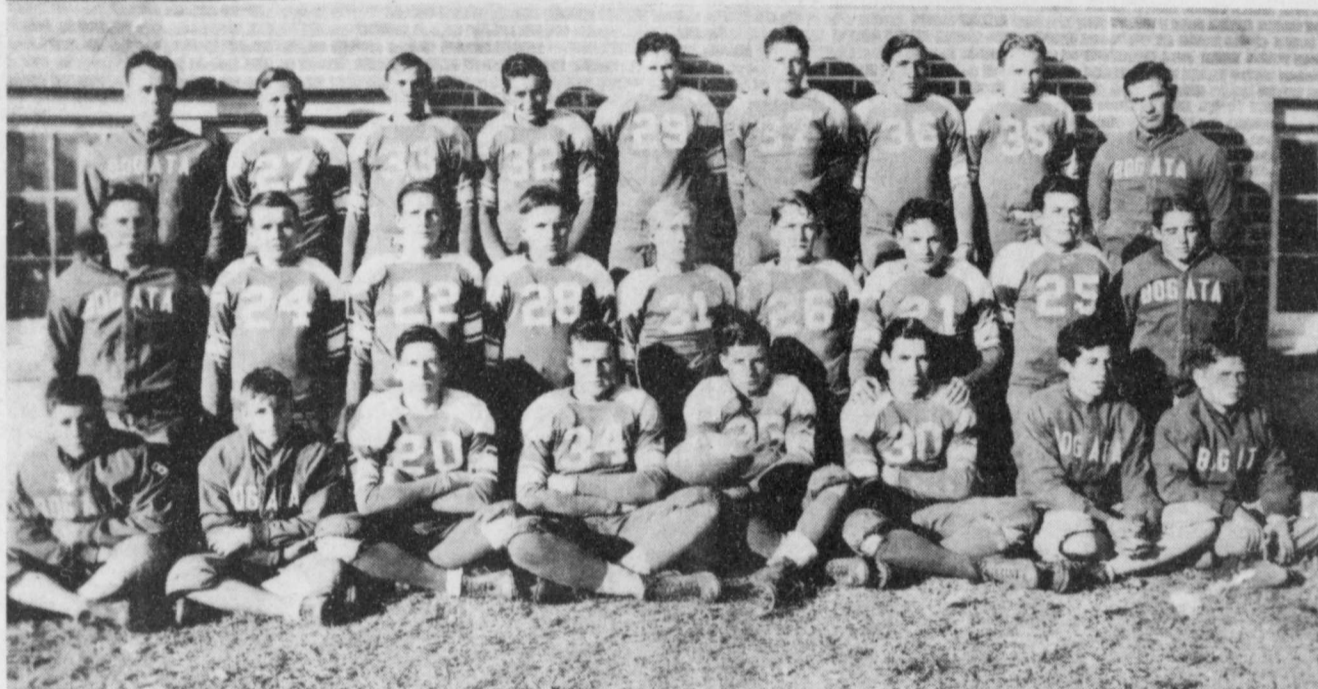
The Talco Times

49th YEAR No. 10

TALCO, TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS

Thursday, April 12, 1984

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BULLDOGS—This team won bi-district this football year. Some of the players went on to play in college football. They are, front row, left to right: Bud Wright, Jack Pike, Nathan Emmons, Cab Moore, Frank Branson Jr., Sam Latimer, Paul Glover

and Gwen Pike. Middle row: C.A. Puckett, Harold Fuller, Leland Simms, Norman Simms, Hugh Forester, Dick Bass, Pete Simmons,

Howard E. Bryson, James Grayson. Back Row: Eugene Garrett, assistant coach, J.W. Childers, Alfred Puckett,

Arnold Glover, Cecil Rogers, Wimpy Scarborough, Tiny McCormick, John Harold Childers, Dixon Hatcher, coach.

Homecoming Welcomes Ex-Students And Friends

This is the week! Saturday is the night! We are all anxious for a visit together. Remember supper at 5:30 to 7:30, program and business meeting at 8 p.m., visit until the doors close at 12. There will be a dance area in the south end of the gym. A record player, tape and cassette player will provide the music. There will be a wide selection of music, but feel free to bring some of your own if you want to. There will be seating in the north end of the gym. We hope that you will be comfortable and stay as long as you like.

We have a correction to make: In last week's paper, we listed the junior class members and the senior class members in reverse. This was the two classes that had their banquet at Mr. and Mrs. Luther DeBerry's home. The 1930 senior class members were Floyd McCury, M.A. Harbison, Rayford Bryson, Delbert Wilson, Arlie Guess, Sid Hamilton, Irene Humphreys, Lucille Devlin, Lila Mae Guess, Frances McCluer Griffin, Travis Brook and Leola Ford. The junior class was the one that had 30 members.

Admission at the gym to help cover expenses, is \$2.00 per person or \$4.00 for a family.

Don't miss supper with Clarice Vaughan. She plans to start baking her desserts Saturday morning so she will have plenty for us all. Chicken spaghetti and salad bar are the menu.

Again, we want to welcome you. We want you to come. We hope that you will enjoy the homecoming.

See you this Saturday at the Bogata school building. Neil and Frances Rozell, 1984 officers.

Rivercrest Variety Show Set For Friday

The annual Rivercrest Variety Show will be held in the Rivercrest Auditorium on Friday, April 13 beginning at 7 p.m.

There will be an Easter parade, songs, skits, dance routines, a girlie show and even commercials.

Proceeds go to the annual staff to help pay for the school yearbooks.

Everyone is invited to attend the evening of excitement and entertainment. Admission will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for students.

Stray Animals A Problem In Talco

The Year of the Dog, at least that's what it looks like when you drive through, or if you're brave enough to walk, through the streets of Talco. There are many dogs and cats that roam the streets that seem to belong to no one, some so thin they can hardly walk while others are eaten up with mange.

It is the privilege of everyone to own a pet if he so desires, but with ownership comes the responsibility to give that pet proper care such as food, shelter, see that they are free from ticks, fleas, mange and if you are not going to keep them penned, then have them vaccinated and put a collar on them so others will know they are not a stray. It is a state law that at the age of four months, dogs should be vaccinated. The Humane Society has a contract with the county to take dogs and cats but they will not supercede any law the city has, the only thing Talco has no laws pertaining to pets.

One lady said there were times that her eighty-nine year old mother could not go out onto her patio because three or four stray dogs were seeking shelter there. Other women have said they would walk during the late afternoon hours, but were afraid of the dogs.

People are afraid to kill them because they do not want to get in trouble, so they just run loose and nothing will be done unless, as several years ago, a rabid dog or cat bites a child.

Do we want an innocent child to have to take the painful rabies shots because of our neglect.

This paper really gets around! Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grogan of Rockville, Maryland



representatives of the Rivercrest Future Homemakers of America chapters are attending the 1984 state meeting of the Texas Association of FHA-HERO, along with the 7,000 members and advisors from Texas. "FHA-HERO: A Step into the FUTURE" is the theme of the 1984 meeting, held in the San Antonio Convention Center in San Antonio, April 12-13, 1984. Center in San Antonio, April 12-13, 1984. Attending from Rivercrest are (L-R) Deanna Varner, Kim Reeder,

Kim Walker, and Daphne Black. Not shown is Lee Warren. They will be accompanied by their advisors, Mrs. Bonnie Gage and Mrs. Anita Stubblefield. Keynote speakers and presentations by Future Homemakers will highlight the two-day conference. Interest sessions on family crisis, leadership skills, nutrition, and employability will be held. The business of the Texas Association will be conducted at the House of Delegates session, Thursday evening.

Installation of the 1984-85 state officers will climax the Friday evening session. These officers elected through chapter participation throughout the state will be placed in office. A newly elected president will receive the gavel from Renae Merta, Louise, Texas, outgoing president. The Future Homemakers of America is an organization sponsored by Vocational Home Economics Education, Texas Education Agency, with Ms. Judith Hetherly, Director and Miss Sharon Reddell, State Advisor.

Choir To Present Musical

The Northlake Baptist Youth Choir from Garland, Texas, under the direction of Minister of Music, Lynn Christy, will be sharing a music program on Sunday, April 15 at the First Baptist Church in Bogata. The group will be singing in the 11:00 a.m. worship service. The music ministry from Northlake also includes a youth ensemble that will be singing.

Editor's Quote Book

The surest foundation of a manufacturing concern is quality. After that, and a long way after, comes cost.

—Andrew Carnegie



DOG PROBLEM—One of three or four stray dogs that usually sleep in this

Iris bed is shown here. Stray dogs are becoming quite a problem in Talco,

and flowers, trash and anything else about seem

to be somewhat under seige. (Staff Photo)

Local Sales Tax Figures Released

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Thursday sent checks totaling \$46.3 million in local sales tax payments to the 95 cities that levy the one-percent city sales tax. Locally, Deport received

\$748.18, bringing the yearly total to \$2,949.03, for a 57.8 percent increase over the same period last year. Blossom received \$1,564.16, marking a 62.55 percent increase over last year during the same

period. Paris marked a 9.83 percent increase with their payment of \$88,082.67 this period, compared to \$74,078.78 last year. Bogata received \$1,453.11 for this period, compared to \$614.26 for the same period one year ago, marking a 15.92 percent decrease over last year's total payments to date of \$7,601.45.

Clarksville received \$8,118.07, bringing their 1984 total to \$55,973.32. Talco received \$2,097.60 for their payment during this period, compared to a payment of \$630.93 one year ago, marking a 16.99 percent increase for a yearly total to date of \$3,586.40.

Revival Scheduled At Lone Star

Rev. David Rucker, pastor of the Lone Star United Methodist Church invites everyone to participate in their revival services April 14-20. Rev. Billy Allen will be preaching, and he and his wife, Marianne, will be ministering in song, along with many of the talented musicians from the Lone Star Church.

Billy Allen was born and raised in Dallas, and is the great-great-nephew of Methodist circuit rider, Marcus Chunn, who was called out of retirement and finally retired as an associate minister at

Highland Park Methodist Church in Dallas in 1962.

Billy married his highschool sweetheart, Marianne, and they have two boys, Billy, 13 years old and Jaysun, eight years old.

In the mid 70's, after Billy completed two years of military service, Billy and Marianne got involved in teaching youth and adult Sunday school classes in their local church. Although Billy had been studying for a business degree, he accepted the call to preach in 1977.

Billy presently pastors the First United Methodist Church of Avery and

Williams Chapel United Methodist Church of English.

Services begin at 7 a.m. Saturday, April 14 with a breakfast at the church, followed by the Allen's ministry. The Sunday evening service is at 6:30 p.m., and the Monday to Friday services are at 7 p.m. Each evening service will be preceded by a prayer service beginning 30 minutes early and by pre-service music beginning 15 minutes early.

Everyone is encouraged to attend the services at the Lone Star Church, located south of Clarksville on Highway 37.



Rev. and Mrs. Billy Allen

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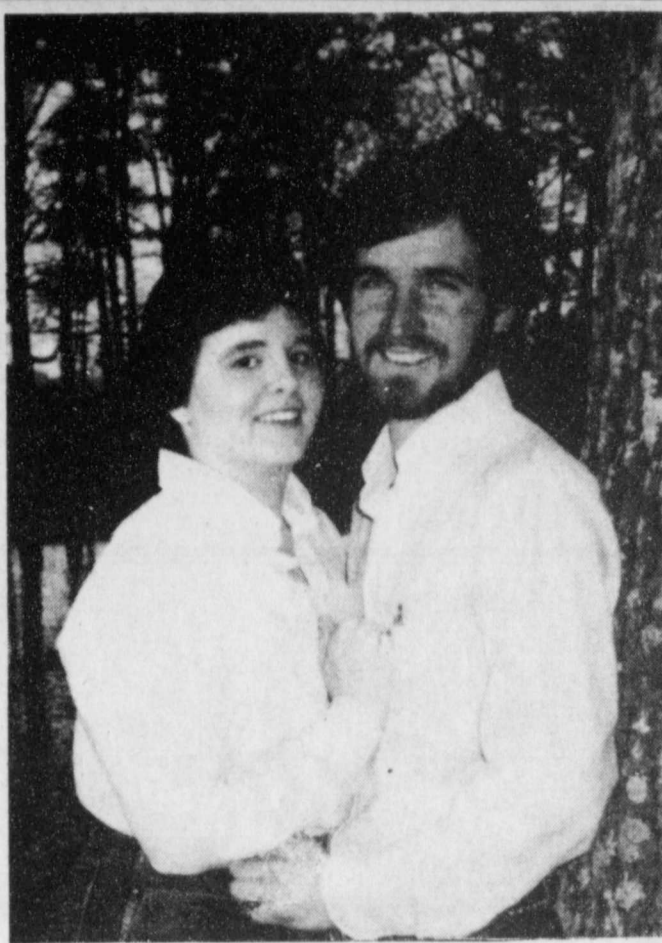
Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
Members of the Methodist Church with their pastor, Rev. and Mrs. John Hawkins and visitors enjoyed a supper at the Community Center Wednesday night.
Ira Taylor was dismissed from McCuiston Hospital Thursday.
Valley Coyle of Irving visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes, Berniece Bledsoe and Berniece Wyatt Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stuart of Reno visited Mrs. George

Taylor Thursday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Fern Rees honored Mrs. Lori Tubbs, Lisa Rees and Leslie Taylor with a birthday supper Tuesday night. Attending were Glen Tubbs of Cross Roads, Mrs. Leslie Taylor, Justin and Jennifer of Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Taylor and Mrs. Allie Rees of Cunningham.
Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith and Jake of Palestine spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher spent from Thur-

sday until Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hulett of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Mose Swaim of Grand Prairie, Dennis D. Temple of Pasadena was also a visitor.
The Lewis of Paris was a Wednesday dinner guest of Ruby Lee Clement. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams and Berniece Wyatt.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pynes of Paris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes.
Harry Slusher spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Paris.
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mack of Dallas spent the weekend with Mrs. Delcia Wilson.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited their children in Wichita Falls and Burkburnett Monday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Delano Dunlap of Mesquite spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Fowler.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Blossom.
Melanie Fowler of Pattonville spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Fowler.
Mrs. Melinda Laton, Laciada and Matthew of Paris spent Sunday with Mrs. Delcia Wilson.
Guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powers were Mr. and Mrs. Glasco Cotton, Dona Boatright and Francis Whitney of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitney of Dallas.
Mrs. Almer Norwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Ronny White of Bonham on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Fowler were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler of Pattonville.
Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baker and Shannon of Deport visited Otto Baker Sunday.
Daulty Bell was admitted to St. Joseph Hospital Sunday and underwent surgery Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Smith spent the weekend with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor of

Woodville.
Mrs. W.J. Fowler visited Mrs. Ross Warren of Deport Thursday.
Mrs. Wanda Porterfield of Dallas is attending her father, Daulty Bell who is a patient in St. Joseph Hospital.
Mrs. John B. Whitney of Deport and Mrs. Barbara Smith of Reno visited Mrs. W.J. Fowler Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. James Norwood honored her father, Wallace Winters of Reno with a birthday supper Saturday night. Guests were James Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Winters of Reno, Tim House of Blossom, Jamie Finley of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood, Rodney, Tracy and Mendy.

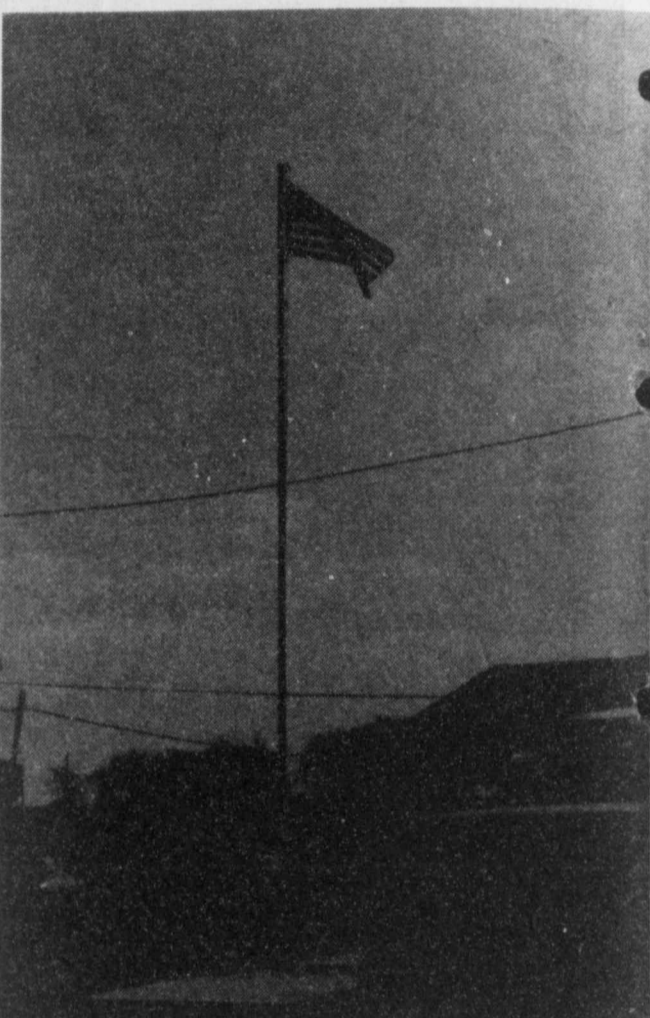


Dugger-Stringer

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Dugger Jr. of Fulbright wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Cassandra Kay Dugger to Frank Allen (Bubba) Stringer of Clarksville.
Bubba is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stringer Jr. of Clarksville.
Wedding vows will be exchanged at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ray Stringer in a lawn ceremony. The Rev. A.B. Kullam will hear the couple's vows.
Miss Dugger is a 1983 graduate of Rivercrest High School. Her fiancé is a 1977 graduate of Clarksville High School and is employed by Stringer & Stringer Logging in Clarksville.
No invitations will be sent. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony on April 28, 1984 at 4 p.m.
A reception will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ray Stringer.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
Mr. and Mrs. Carol Harkrider of Mt. Pleasant were visitors last Tuesday of her mother, Mrs. Mabel Reynolds.
Our sympathy is extended to Mrs. Roy Legate and family on the death of her sister in Arkansas Saturday. Mr. Legate is reported to be doing fine after surgery.
Betty Rodgers and Melissa visited Bogata nursing home Sunday and attended a birthday party for Edgar Rodgers. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Herring.
Mrs. Kay Emmons and children of Clardy visited Betty Rodgers and children Saturday afternoon.
Mrs. Bonnie Kyle of Clarksville hosted a program at the community center Monday night. It was based on the storage and arrangements of valuable documents.
Mrs. W.H. Herring living at the Bogata nursing home since the death of her husband last week.
Mrs. Ethel Epps granddaughter of Brockville spent last week with her.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward of Pottsboro were visitors last week of Mrs. Stella Riders.
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were Jody Crawford, Betty Rodgers and Linda Embrey.
Mr. and Ms. Phillip Rozell have sold their home here and will be moving to Reno soon.
Clarksville hosted a



SUNNY MORNING
Flag—The United States flag floated in the spring-like breezes that bathed the area in warmth and sunshine Monday morning. Alas, the sunny weather didn't hold for long, as thunderstorms and cloudy skies returned Tuesday. (Staff Photo)

Happy Birthday

- April 12
Vance Martin, Bogata
Ben Geese
- April 13
Scott Yancey, San Angelo
Chay Robertson, Clarksville
Ruth Bell, Sherman
- April 14
Terry Thornton
Mary Thompson, Bogata
Dexter Shockley, Jefferson City, Tenn.
- April 15
Lisa Weisinger, Longview
Russell Tippit, Linden
- April 16
Betty Brock, Norman, OK
- April 17
Edna Putteet, Bogata
Charles Wilkinson, Anson
Ray Lou Damron, Bogata
Willie Crossland, Pattonville
- April 18
Dolores Cheatwood, Bogata
Nyle Larene Randolph, Merritt Island, Fla.

Happy Anniversary

- April 14
Jim and Donna Hearron,
Talco
Jessee and Zora Reasoner,
Blossom
- April 17
John and Shirley Gifford,
Deport
- April 18
Reginal and Eva Weisinger,
Bogata



have a nice weekend...



Footprints From The Past

By John W. Hood
If you lived back in the twenties or early thirties like I did, this was the time to start getting the old cotton planter ready for the work to come. For this was the time of year that most farmers liked to start getting their cotton planted and so it was a busy time on the farm as you had to be sure that the planter was in

shape to plant the cotton and usually there was some of the plates missing.
A plate was a flat piece of round steel or iron about one-sixteenth of an inch thick with a certain number of holes in it the bottom of the hopper and was grooves so the holes in the plate would let the seed out when they passed over a hole in the

bottom of the hopper and that way was how you measured the seed you planted.
After you got the planter all ready you had to select the seed you were going to plant and you had to be sure that there were no weevils in them or they would not come up and then all that work was wasted as you had to plant all over. Then your crop was late and that made you late in your other work, for when the cotton was planted you had to start getting your cultivators ready for the plowing of the cotton and corn and there was also work to be done in other things like breaking the grass in the new ground or something like that.

And when you had all that done and thought that you were going to get to rest for a while, the cotton was ready to plow and chop, then it would come a rain and you had to plow again and then hoe the weeds out of the

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cotton and corn as we did not have any poison then to kill the weeds and grass and we had to use the hoe to get them out of the fields or you would loose them. It sure was no fun picking cotton when the grass and weeds were as high as the cotton, besides the grass and weeds would all go to seed and that made your job harder the next year.
Life was hard and money was scarce back in those days, but it was just something that had to be done as there was no other way.



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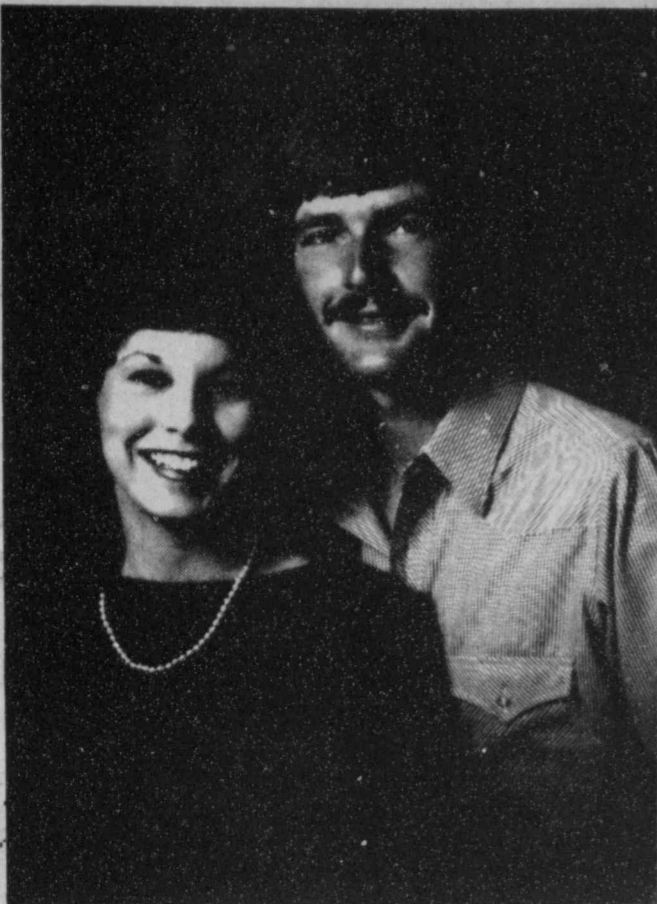
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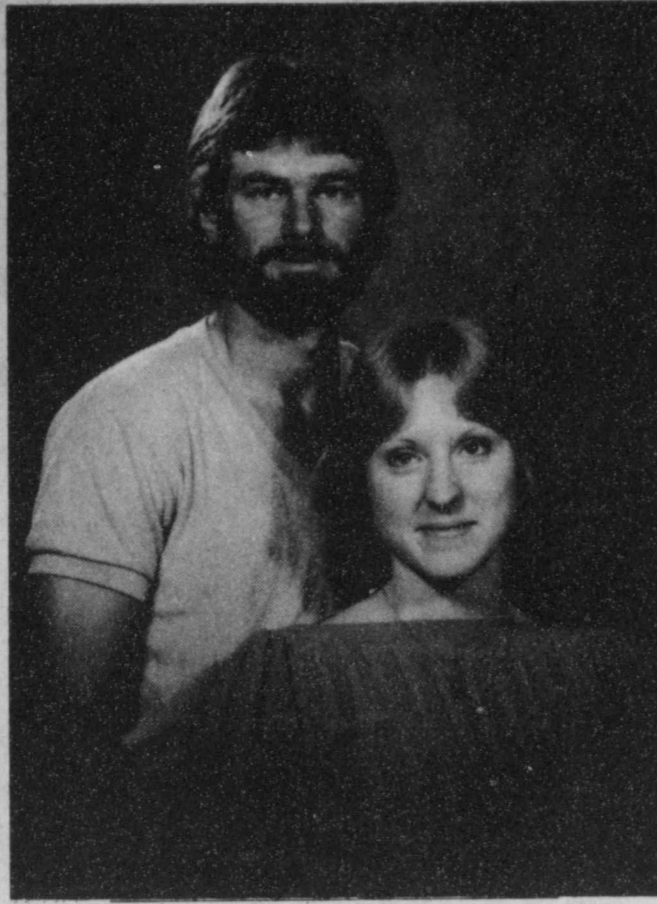
DEPORT TIMES



Ragsdill-Holloway

MR. AND MRS. Norris Lee Ragsdill of Allen announce the engagement of their daughter, Jenny Lea, to Gregory Mack Holloway, son of Ms. Tommie Sue Holloway of Dallas and James Mack Holloway of Allen. The ceremony will be held at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, June 9 at White Rock United Methodist Church in Dallas. Dr. John Poe Hensley will officiate the ceremony. The reception will follow in the church fellowship hall. The bride-elect is a 1980 graduate of Allen High School. She will graduate from North Texas State University in

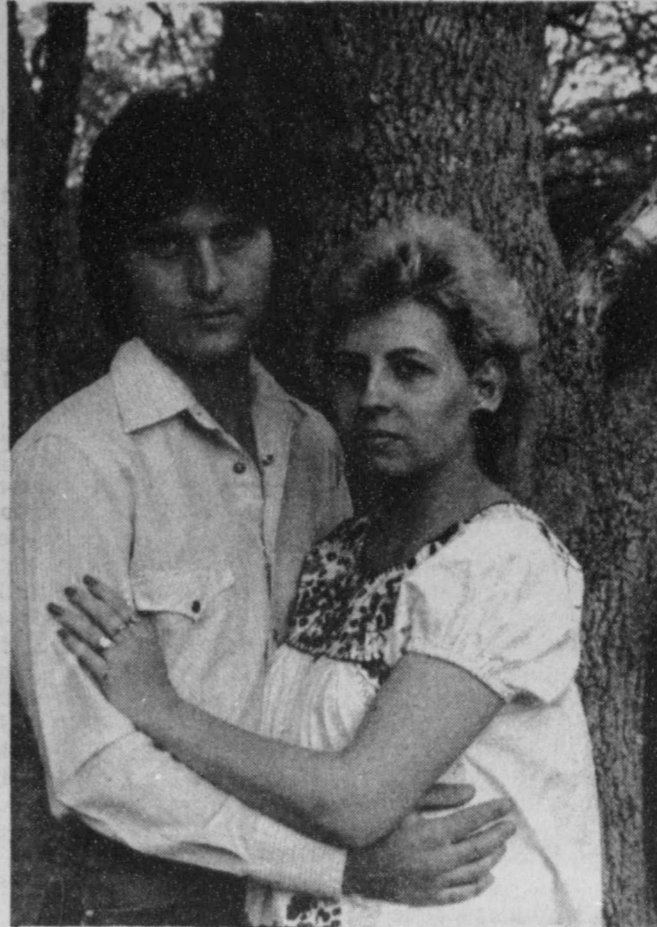
May and is currently a part-time employee of Whitson-King, Inc. The prospective groom graduated from Allen High School in 1977. He is a 1981 graduate of Texas A&M University and is employed by Texas Instruments as a Facilities Engineer. Miss Ragsdill is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rufus T. "Pick" Anderson of Deport and Vera Ragsdill and the late Joe Ragsdill of Bogata. She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson of Clardy and Mr. and Mrs. Ulyus Anderson of Paris.



Lawson-Bryson

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bryson of Dickerson announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Duanna, to James Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lawson of Bogata. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Bryson and Mrs. J. Lee Smith of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Wicks of Johtown. Duanna is a 1980 graduate of Dickinson High School and will graduate from East

Texas State University with a degree in special education and elementary education in December. James is a 1980 graduate of Rivercrest High School and is currently employed by Hale Electric Inc. in Talco. The wedding is Saturday, May 12, 1984 at 2 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Bogata. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Hanes-Puckett

The engagement of Donna Hanes and Johnny Puckett has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Don and Carolyn Hanes of Bogata. The prospective groom is the son of Gaston and Roberta Puckett of Bogata. Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Bullard of Bogata. The groom's grandparents are Mrs. Margaret Kidd of Bogata and Dave Puckett, also of Bogata.

The couple plans to be married May 19 at 7 p.m. in the Lindy Guest home in Pine Branch. Miss Hanes is presently employed as a pharmacy technician at McCuiston Regional Medical Center in Paris. Puckett is employed as a carpenter by Mid-Continent Construction in Oklahoma City, Okla. Close friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony. A reception will follow the wedding.

Vaughan-Slyder Vows Exchanged

Miss Karen Slyder and Jerry Vaughan, both of Irving, were married in an informal ceremony at 2 p.m. on April 7, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughan. The Rev. Bob Posey heard their double ring vows. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Slyder of Dayton, Ohio and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughan of Bogata. Mrs. Lisa Newland of Dayton, Ohio was matron of honor and Michael Vaughan of Duncanville, brother of the groom, was best man. The groom's parents were hosts for a reception at their home following the ceremony. Members of the houseparty were Marian Fisher of Odessa, sister of the groom and Mrs. Michael Vaughan. Rice bags were distributed by Jennifer and Jessica Vaughan, nieces of the groom. Out of town guests at the wedding were Ms. Jane Harper of Grapevine, Brenda Wolverton of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCall of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ruff of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Papst of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Rich England of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kizzia of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Vaughan were hosts for a pre-nuptial breakfast at their home on April 7, honoring the bride-elect, groom and wedding party. Attending the breakfast were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughan, Karen Slyder, Jerry Vaughan, Marian Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Vaughan, Jennifer and Jessica Vaughan, Lisa Newland and Brenda Wolverton.

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RED RIVER Haven's Employee of the Month is Sue White. Sue started working February 20, 1979 as a nurse aide. She later attended medication classes to become a medication aide. She works the 2p.m. to 10 p.m. shift on the Central Hall. Sue is

married to Harold White and has three children, Stephanie, age 11, Angela, age 9, and Charla, age 5. Her parents are Kenneth Roberts and Windola Roberts both of Ft. Worth. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)

Miss Etheleen Williams Honored

Miss Etheleen Williams, former Bogata resident, now a well-known resident of Bonham, was honored recently when a piano was given to the First United

Methodist Church by J.C. and Beverly Christian in her honor.

A small plaque on the piano reads "Dedicated to the Glory of God, In Honor of Etheleen Williams". Miss Williams retired this year after many years of service as pianist and organist for the church.

She is a retired school teacher, and still teaches as a substitute as needed. She was born and reared in Bogata the daughter of Zeb and Cordia Bryson Williams.

She was valedictorian of the class of Bogata, 1934, and they will be having a reunion on April 14.



CAROL WARD has been named Director of Clarksville Home Health Agency. Carol has been an RN for four years and lives in Bogata with her husband, Sammy Joe and two children, Jo Ann and Jason. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)

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CHRIS EUDY was high individual in the FFA Woodland judging at the Soil Conservation Service's Field Day held recently in Clarksville. Chris scored 91 out of 100. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)

People and Things

The annual Sunrise Easter Service will be held Easter Sunday, April 22 at the Bogata Community Center at 6:00 a.m. Rev. Bernard Escalante, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church of Bogata will bring the message. This service is sponsored by the pastors of the churches and the public

is cordially invited to attend. Gary Koerner, music director of the First Baptist Church of Bogata, will have charge of the music. The Bogata Kindergarten PARENTS will have a WORKSHOP on Thursday, April 12 at the Bogata Community Center from 12:30 to 2:30. ALL PARENTS are asked to attend. CHEESE, BUTTER and FLOUR will be distributed at the First United Methodist Church on Thursday, APRIL 12, beginning at 9 a.m. to those eligible. The Bogata Baseball Association BAKE SALE scheduled for APRIL 13 has been postponed until MAY 11. If you wish to PLACE ORDERS for MOTHERS DAY, call 632-4387 or 632-4579. Specialty cakes can be ordered.

On March 23, Talco Elementary and Junior High School students participated in the U.I.L. contests held in Ore City for the school year 1983-84. They were: story telling, second graders Jennifer Logan, Robin Reeves and Gavin Barnett, alternate; third grader Ginger Hood. Picture memory: fourth graders Kristi Reed, Faye Whitney, Felicia Hobson and Melanie Franks, alternate; fifth grader Jerilyn Russell. Ready writing: fourth graders Tiffany Parish, Melanie Franks and Corey

Gable; seventh graders Bradley Woods; eighth grader Cynthia Thompson and Chad White. Spelling: fifth grader Sheila Baker; sixth graders Michael Hall and Amy Presley; seventh graders Dara Stephenson and Dawn Stephenson; eighth grader Debbie Bond. Oral reading: seventh grader Mesha Martin; eighth graders Heather Ross and Jeff Ratcliff. Winners were the Picture Memory Team: first place, Kristi Reed, Felicia Hobson, Faye Whitney, Jerilyn

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Russell and Melanie Franks. Ready Writing, second place: Tiffany Parish. Reading Writing, third place: Melanie Franks. Story Telling, fifth place: Ginger Hood.

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Oral reading: seventh grader Mesha Martin; eighth graders Heather Ross and Jeff Ratcliff. Winners were the Picture Memory Team: first place, Kristi Reed, Felicia Hobson, Faye Whitney, Jerilyn

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RIVERCREST'S FFA Woodland Team placed first at the Soil Conservation Service's Field Day held recently in Clarksville. They also

placed third at the Area VI FFA contest out of 34 teams. They will go to the State Woodland Contest April 25th. The members of the team are (L-R)

Jerry House, Chris Eudy, Tracy Cox and Bobby Williamson. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)



TRACK TEAM-the Rivercrest girls track team consists of: (back row L-R) Renee Williams, Lori Alford, Amber Hood and Daphne Black. (front row)

Deanna Damron, Mary Jane Savage, Amy Stansell, Sabre Burson and Deanna Varner. Not shown is Lucinda Craig. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)



ALL DISTRICT-Rivercrest students named to the all district band were (L-R) Jerry House, second alternate on trombone; Tina

Prichard, bass clarinet; Shane Dodd, alto sax; Jody Striangfellow, trumpet; and Charles Glass, tuba. Not shown is Jennifer Glass, per-

cussion. Their band director is Claire Jessee. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)

Girls Track Takes Second In District

By Diana Eudy
The Rivercrest High School's girls' track team placed second in the district meet. They will participate in the Girls Regional Track and Field Meet April 18 and 19 in Kilgore.
Big Sandy placed first with 170 points, Rivercrest second with 96, New Diana third with 73, Como-Pickton fourth with 59, James Bowie fifth with 58, Ore City sixth with 51 and Redwater seventh with 35. Maud was not represented in the meet.
Mary Jane Savage placed

fourth in the triple jump with a distance of 28 feet 6 inches and fourth in the long jump with 15 feet.
Sabre Burson took second place in the 8-80 run with a time of 2:53.38. Sabre also placed fourth in the one mile run. Her time was 7:03.29.
Amber Hood claimed second place in the 2-20 dash with a time of 29.81. Amber also took fifth place in the long jump with a distance of 14 feet 11 3/4 inches.
Daphne Black placed fourth in the 2-20 dash with a time of 30.15.

Renee Williams clinched first place in the one mile run with a time of 6:31.03.
The relay team consisting of Deanna Damron, Amber Hood, Mary Jane Savage, and Daphne Black placed first in the 4-40 relay with a time of 55.0 and first in the 8-80 relay with 1:58.43.
The relay team of Deanna Damron, Deanna Varner, Amy Stansell and Lori Alford captured third in the mile relay with a time of 4:56.61.
The girls that will participate in the regional meet



FFA-second place winners in the Soil Conservation Service's Field Day in land judging were Leon Kaelke and Greg Russell. Not shown is John Easley. (Staff Photo by Diana Eudy)

are Mary Jane Savage, Amber Hood, Daphne Black and Deanna Damron, Deanna Varner is the alternate. Black and Varner are freshmen, Savage and Hood are juniors and Damron is a senior. They will compete in the 4-40 and 8-80 relays.
Amy Stansell and Lori Alford are freshmen and Sabre Burson and Renee Williams are seniors.
Coach Frank Stubblefield said, "I was surprised we were able to finish second in the district meet. Not many girls participated this year."

Revival Set At Johntown

The Johntown Missionary Baptist Church will begin revival services on Sunday evening, April 15 at 7:30 p.m. Bro. Larry Neeley, pastor of the Hughes Springs Missionary Baptist Church will be the evangelist.
Services will be held nightly through Friday night. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy good gospel preaching and singing.
A nursery will be provided.

BIRTHS

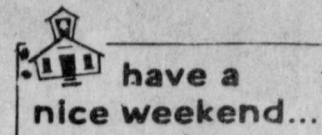
The son born March 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Stanley of West Lake, Louisiana has been named Kevin Duane. Local grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Stanley and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Denny and Mrs. Addie Stanley of Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Hospital News

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright entered Titus County Memorial Hospital Monday for tests and treatment. Mrs. Ethel Hood entered Red River General Friday. Alma Bussell is a patient at St. Joseph's in Paris.

Baptists Distribute Bibles

The First Baptist Church of Bogata in cooperation with other Southern Baptist Churches distributed approximately 850 bibles Sunday afternoon, April 7. This was an effort to place a bible in each home.
Sunday night a victory banquet was held at the church Fellowship Hall and a time of fellowship. Pastor Rev. Bob Posey brought a short message and several



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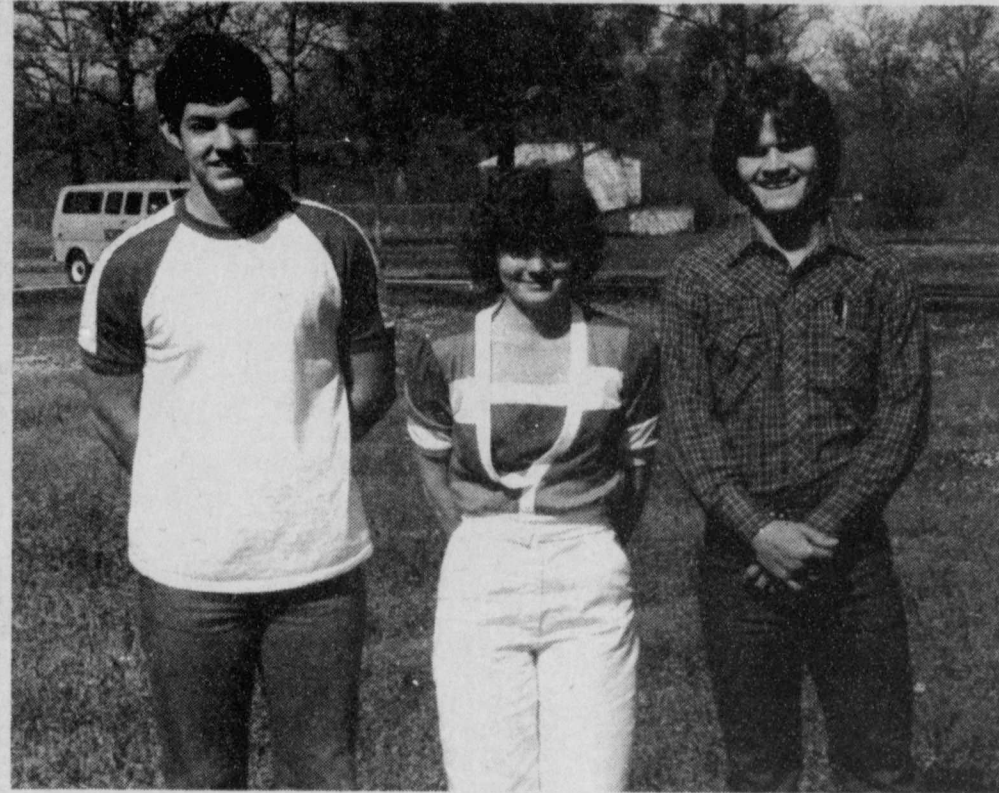
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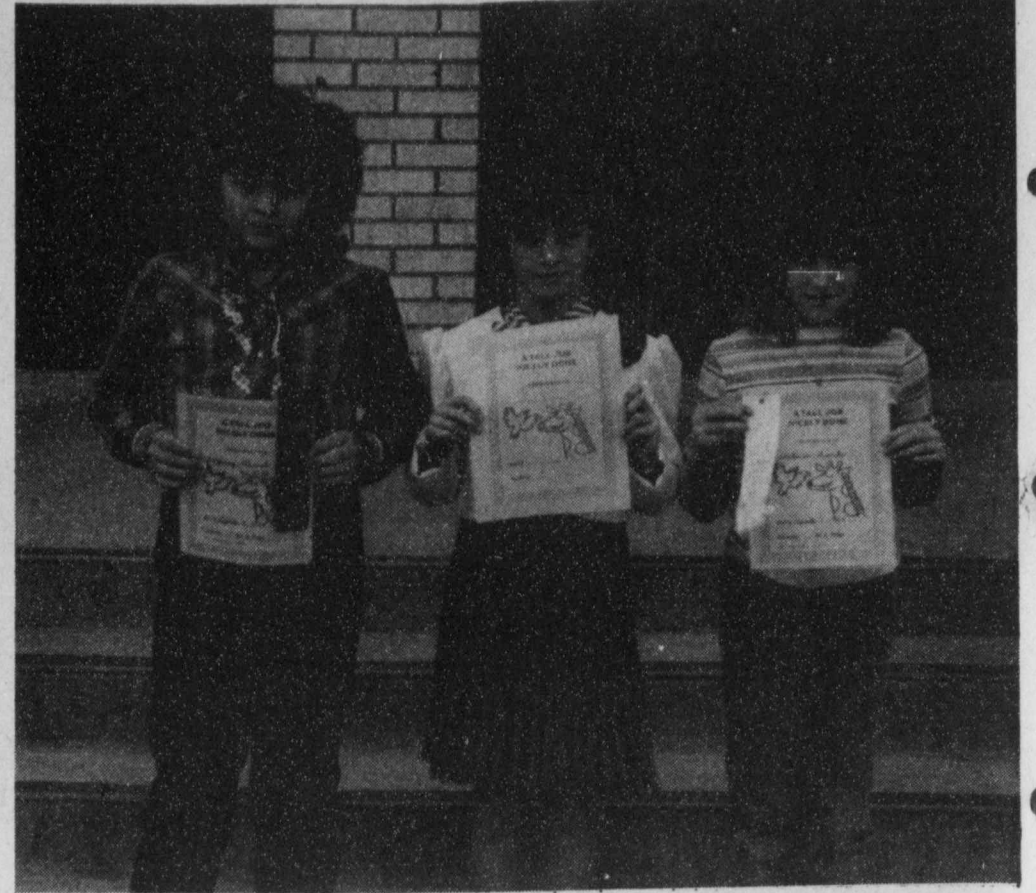
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TALCO Elementary Picture Memory team finished in first place in U.I.L. competition recently in Ore City. Each member scored a 100 percent paper and is seen holding a certificate from the state UIL office for the perfect score. Pictured are Kristi Reed, Faye Whitney, Felicia Hobson, Jerilyn Russell and Melanie Franks. (Staff Photo)



Jay Roberts, Dennis Smith and Julie White have been selected as three of eight finalists in the Lamar County Electric Co-op essay contest. From the eight finalists, one boy and one girl will be selected for a Washington, D.C. trip this June. The eight finalists and their parents will be honored with a brunch Saturday, April 14 at Brownigan's Restaurant in Paris. They will complete the competition while there and the winner will be announced.



TIFFANY Parish and Melanie Franks finished second and third respectively in Ready Writing UIL contest. Ginger Hood finished fifth in Story Telling. (Staff Photo) 1938-39

Red River County Junior Livestock Show Set April 14

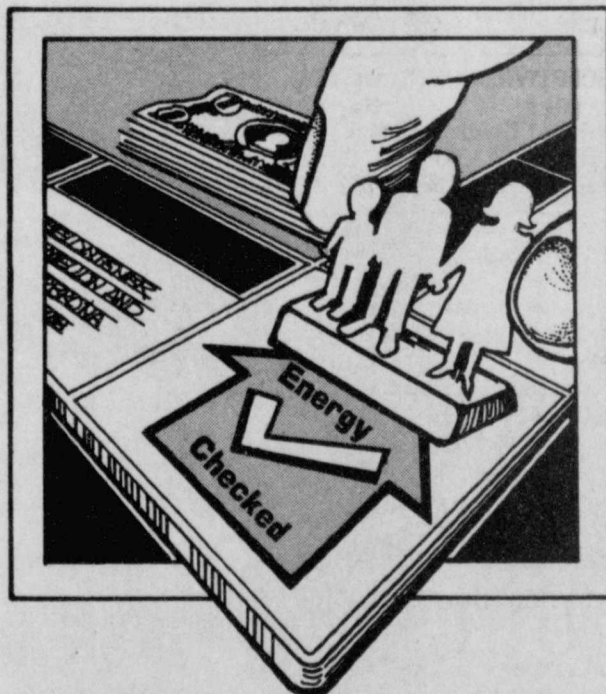
The Red River County Junior Livestock Show will be held Saturday, April 14 at the Red River County fairgrounds. The livestock show is open to surrounding counties to exhibit their beef and dairy animals. Again, this year the sheep show is restricted to exhibitors from Red River County. At noon on this date, the top 20 lambs will be sold at auction. Last year, over 250 beef and dairy animals were exhibited. To increase participation from exhibitors, the junior livestock show committee decided to give belt buckles to the champion and reserve champion of the different breeds. A belt buckle that retails for over \$100 will be given to the junior and senior showmanship winner in beef, dairy and sheep divisions. All beef and dairy animals in the show must be present at 9 a.m. and the sheep by 8 a.m. In conjunction with the junior livestock show, a project show will be held for all youth in the county. This includes crafts, needlework, livestock, fowl, art and canned goods. Brenda Hunt advises all exhibitors with projects to check them in at the women's building at the fairgrounds on Friday, April 13 between 2 and 5:30 p.m. Animals and fowl should be brought in by 9 a.m. Saturday morning, April 14. This year, another attraction at the show will be the Red River County Ice Cream Festival sponsored by the Red River County Extension Homemakers Council. Bob Moody states that if anyone is interested in seeing some of the best animals in this part of the state, both dairy and beef, should be present at the fairgrounds on this date.

Talco Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Carraker and grandson Shawn of Austin visited her sister, Mrs. Dora Frye during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray Hood were luncheon guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hood Sunday. Brenda Batey of Pittsburg was a weekend guest in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Lorange and aunt, Mary Lorange. Dawn and Ashley Mills of Tom Bean visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills during the weekend while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mills attended the Four States Judo Tournament in Bossier City, La. Friday and Saturday where Randy won second place. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mills and daughters and Ronah Kay Mills of Ft. Worth were luncheon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hood visited in Little Rock, Ark. Tuesday and Wednesday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones. Members of the First Baptist WMA will attend the quarterly meeting to be held April 26 at the Bethel Baptist Church in Pittsburg at 10 a.m. Patty Hackler entered Titus County Memorial Hospital Sunday for tests and possible surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Worthey and children of Mt. Pleasant for coffee Sunday night. Danny Henson entered Titus County Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon following a heart attack. Talco Volunteer Fire Department members and their families enjoyed a fish fry at the City Hall Thursday night. Bubba Gage and Wayne Binion supplied and fried the fish. Approximately 30 attended. James Mills of Hillsboro visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stephens of Lafayette, La., Mrs. Rosemary Boyd and friend Bill of Irving, Mrs. Martha Mills of Purcell, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Neugent of Eules met at the Neugent home for the weekend. They visited their mother, Mrs. Zela Neugent in Golden Years Lodge Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant whiel here. Robert Stephens of Hagansport and Mrs. Mary Kelly visited Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis of Mt. Pleasant were luncheon guests in the home of Mrs. Dora Frye on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mankins of Mesquite were Saturday night visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Horn. Mrs. Ruby Horn left Monday, March 26 for Bonham where she spent the night with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baugh before accompanying them to Amarillo to visit their brother, Charles Baugh and family, and then on to Littleton, Colo. where they visited another brother, Reggie Baugh and family. Mrs. B.L. Gieger, former Talco resident, now living with her daughter, Valree Matherly in Burkburnett, fell last week and fractured and implanted her left shoulder. She is recuperating at home now.

LETTERS

To Whom It May Concern: This world is full of inconveniences. Some can and must be tolerated. Others cannot be. Recently I learned that since September 23, 1983, the citizens of Bogata, Johtown and the surrounding area have been without an ambulance. This has created grave inconvenience which cannot be tolerated. If there is no one in Bogata who could or would run the ambulance, then why can't someone be moved in or sent daily to be located here? There is no knowledge of the city or its residents by the existing drivers from Clarksville and the response time is intolerable. Please consider this letter carefully because further action is planned if there is no response to us. Citizens of Bogata Area, Sharon Skaggs J.D. Skaggs David Mullin Charles Skaggs Albert Legate Ruby Legate Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ridge Jim Lee



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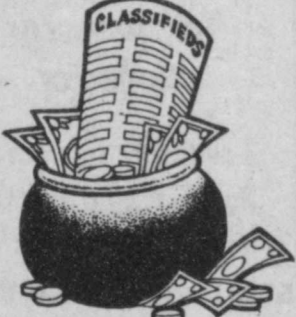
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Obituaries

**L.C. Brown
Dies April 9**
Mr. L.C. Brown, born
September 26, 1919 at Titus
County Memorial Hospital
was buried at 3:30 p.m.
Monday, April 9 at
Tranquility Cemetery,
following services at the
Bates, Cooper, Weems
Funeral Home in Mt.
Pleasant.

He was born in Titus
County and was a member
of the Baptist Church. Mr.
Brown was a veteran of
World War II.
He is survived by five
sisters, Mrs. May Shurbert
of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Cora
Cooper of Talco, Mrs. Lula
Whitney of Talco, Mrs.
Blanche Hill of Oklahoma
and Mrs. Jewell Foster of
Oklahoma.
Rev. Terry Barnett was
the officiating minister with
Bro. Nelms assisting.

**Richard Brooks
Dies At Age 75**
Richard Grant (Jack)
Brooks of Paris, formerly of
Blossom, died Sunday, April
8 at St. Joseph's Hospital in
Paris.
Services were held at 2
p.m. Tuesday, April 10 at
Fry and Gibbs Funeral
Home Chapel with the Rev.
Ray Starnes officiating.
Burial was in Knights of
Honor Cemetery at
Blossom.

Mr. Brooks was born Feb.
4, 1909 in Clarksville, a son
of Mr. and Mrs. Jim B.
Brooks. He attended
Clarksville schools and
married Opal Ogburn in
Clarksville in June, 1928.
She died Oct. 31, 1975. He
was employed by the
International Brotherhood of
Electrical Workers Local
No. 59 of Dallas until his
retirement in 1972. He
returned to Paris when he
retired. He was in research
and development for the
U.S. Government during
World War II and perfected
the use of sonar for distance
detection for the U.S. Navy.
He was a Methodist.

Surviving are three sons,
Grant Brooks of
Albuquerque, N.M., Joe D.
Brooks of Dallas and Jerry

N. Brooks of Sunnyvale;
three brothers, Raymond E.
Brooks of Houston, Ullam
Brooks of Lancaster and
James Brooks of Denton;
two sisters, Mrs. Aubrey
Griffin of Texarkana and
Mrs. Joycelyn Payton of
Dallas and five grand-
children; four great-
grandchildren.

**Patricia Burks
Dies At Age 50**

Patricia Burks of Paris
died Sunday, April 8, in
McQuiston Medical Center.
Services were held at 11
a.m. Tuesday, April 10, at
the First United Methodist
Church in Blossom with the
Rev. Jerry Putnam and the
Rev. David Noblin of-
ficiating. Burial was in
Highland Cemetery by
Grant Funeral Home.
Mrs. Burks was born in
Deport on Dec. 20, 1933. She
was married on October 29,
1955 in Paris to Merl Burks.
Surviving are her
husband; her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. C.D. Hosey of
Irving and Mr. and Mrs.
Clarence Cheatham of
Bogata; one son, Bobby

Burks of Dallas; one
daughter, Elizabeth Taylor
of Paris; two brothers,
Robert Cheatham of Sumner
and Sgt. Gary M. Cheatham
of Ft. Sill, Okla.; two
grandchildren.

**Merle Thompson
Dies At Age 84**

Mrs. Merle Thompson of
Deport died Wednesday,
April 4 at Deport Nursing
Home.
Services were held at 11
a.m. Thursday, April 5 at
the Deport United Methodist
Church. Burial was in
Highland Cemetery by
Grant Funeral Home.
Mrs. Thompson was born
May 7, 1899 in Deport, a
daughter of William and
Myra Day Anderson. She
was married to John A.
Thompson, who died in 1955.
Surviving are seven nieces
and three nephews.

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3 WEEKS
15 WORDS

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We would like to thank
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Gaston and Johnny's stay in
the hospital and since they
have been home.
Gaston, Roberta and
Johnny Puckett

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Herring wishes to express
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of our great loss.

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was in the hospital and since
my return home. It will
always be remembered.
Helen Williams

flowers and food.
A special thanks to Rev.
Bill Pirtle, the Assembly of
God Church of Bogata and
the West Side Assembly at
Clarksville, to the staff of
Red River Haven Nursing
Home and Dr. E.E. Brooks,
Peggy and Doris Cannon
and Mrs. Polly Thomas.
The Family of Annie
Pruitt

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our
appreciation for your
prayers and many acts of
kindness through the illness
and death of our mother,
Mrs. Annie Pruitt for the

CARD OF THANKS
Our hearts overflow with
sincere appreciation for all
who expressed their love
and sympathy in so many

FALCON basketball team from Bogata is made up of: left to right, back row: Coach Barbara Sumrow, Jason Reed, Brandy Sumrow, Cami Eilers, Jennia

Woodle and Tina Morris. Front row: Teri Speir, Ashley Ross, Dean Tiffe, Amanda Durrock, Kathy Hinsley and Misty Sumrow. (Staff Photo)



MEMBERS of the Bogata Giants basketball team are: left to right, back row: Coaches Craig Clemmons and Steve

Hawkins. Second row: Amy Stidham, Kim Wise, Jody Conaughty, Chris Earley and Byron Alford.

Front row: Aaron Eudy, Konya Nickerson, Michael Tabb and Danny Tabb. (Staff Photo)

GRANDCHILD OF THE WEEK



Yancey Underwood

Son Of Ricky & Tanja Underwood Of Ft. Worth. Grandparents Are Toney & Linda Miller Of Colleyville And Lavaughn & Pat Underwood Of Euless. Great-Grandparents Are Mrs. Tammie Miller Of Bogata And Mrs. Opal Milton Of Amarillo. Great-Great-Grandmother Mrs. Lela Butler Of Clarksville.

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Scout Leaders Attend Training

A training for Girl Scout day camp administrative staff was held last weekend at Camp Gambill, near Paris, by the Red River Valley Girl Scout Council. This year local day camps will be held in eight counties throughout the council. A volunteer staff consisting of day camp director, assistant director and business manager will operate each of the local day camps. Attending from Bogata were Alice Ann White, director, Dee Crayton, assistant director, and

Linda Eilers, business manager. Dates for the Bogata camp this year are May 21 to May 25, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. daily. The camping program is an important part of Girl Scouting. It is a continuation of troop program in an outdoor setting. The goal of a day camp is to give girls an opportunity to participate in a variety of outdoor skills, songs, crafts and games while learning to appreciate and enjoy nature. Unit leaders and other day camp personnel are currently being recruited. For more information, contact Alice Ann White, phone 632-5681.

Hospital Board Vote Cast

There were Titus Hospital Board votes cast in Talco, with 139 votes cast at large. Alford Flanagan received 106, Dr. John Ellis received 50, Maxine Gill received 85 and write-in votes were cast for Jim Carroll and Buck Self.

Bogata Locals

Melba Childers spent Thursday with Mrs. Virgie Wright of Deport.

Mrs. Billie Joe Griffith of Irving spent the weekend with her father, Bill Harrison and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Smith.

Mrs. Alma Lowry spent this week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shoffner of Jefferson.

Mrs. Rachael Henderson spent last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mitchell of Winnsboro and also visited relatives in Dallas.

Rebecca Taylor and Staci Brooks, students at the University of Texas at Tyler spent the weekend with their parents, Mrs. Ann Randolph and Dr. and Mrs. E.E. Brooks.

Mrs. Les Holder of Naples spent last week with Mrs. Sam Holder.

Mrs. Zelma Maxwell of Shreveport spent the weekend visiting her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hancock at Red River Haven.

Mrs. Dee Lowry of Sabine spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. F.L. Branson.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Vaughan of Dallas spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Vaughan.

Visiting with Mrs. Dora Thompson this weekend will be Mrs. Maureen Grayson Sharkey of Anderson, S.C., Mrs. Lucille Dawson Payne of Texarkana and Mrs. Bernice Dawson Gates of Shreveport. Friends here for the homecoming may call from 2 to 4 p.m. to visit them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jenkins of Emory are attending her mother, Mrs. Edgar Rodgers, ill at Red River Haven.

Monday lunch guests of Horace and Chris Adams were Duane and Bobbye King of Paris and Diana Eudy of Bogata.

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SCHOOL Lunch Menu

Talco, Bogata and Rivercrest School Lunch Menu April 16-19 Monday

Taco w cheese
Spanish rice
Pinto beans
Lettuce & tomato salad
Banana pudding
Milk

Tuesday
Ham & cheese sandwiches
Potato chips
Coconut cake
Milk

Wednesday
Chicken nuggets w gravy
Mashed potatoes
Sweet peas
Hot rolls w butter & honey
Milk

Thursday
Hamburgers
Potato chips
Pinto beans
Salad
Ice cream

Baptist Women Hold Program

The Baptist Women of the First Baptist Church of Bogata met Tuesday for Royal Service Program. Mary Ann Ward opened the meeting by reading the Prayer Calendar and led the prayer. The program, "Lifetime" was presented by Mary Ann Ward, Pauline Hutson, Vola Ward and Inez Montgomery. Pauline Hutson led the benediction.

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