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By Nanalee Nichols

It looked like it was going to be "one of those weeks".

I had already plunked down in front of my terminal three times without inspiration.

Then Jimmie Sparks of Deport came in and handed me something he thought might be of interest. It was.

What Jimmie handed me was a tabloid style newspaper published on April 7, 1977. It was called a "Cooper Dam Special".

It chronicled the conception of Cooper Lake, and mentioned that the original bill was signed by Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1955. The tabloid said that "the lake seems no closer to being constructed than in the late '50's, yet the need is much greater now. (remember this was nearly 14 years ago).

It ran an editorial written in 1961 and commented that "it could be written today".

It mentioned that in 1957 Lyndon B. Johnson, then a senator, had informed the Cooper Review that the \$275,000 for construction and \$225,000 needed for planning of the Cooper Dam and Reservoir had been passed in the Senate, and that it would go before a conference committee to adjust difference between Senate and House versions.

Sometime later the House and Senate announced that the money was "Almost Assured".

Twenty years after that, this special tabloid reprinted article after article, as support for the Cooper Lake project was boosted, received blows, and continued to be kicked around in Washington like a football.

In 1961 it was announced that "The Cooper Dam is NOT shelved".

Reprinted in the tabloid was an article published in 1968 from Congressman Wright Patman who announced that the contracts necessary for the further development of the Cooper Reservoir project had been cleared. He made available the entire contents of the letter from the Army Corp of Engineers he had received that stated this.

By 1970 it was announced that only \$500,000 had been appropriated but the total cost of the project was estimated at 30,033,000!

In 71 an injunction was brought against the project.

In 1976 the water districts were "bargaining" and the cost was set at \$63,710,000!

A former Cooper resident tells me that during 1977, when the tabloid came out, drinking water had to be obtained in Cooper from a big tank truck parked downtown. Every day people had to go down and fill up containers with cooking and drinking water because the tap water was only fit for laundry, etc. Another words, there was a real need for this lake in Cooper.

Within the past few days the Cooper Lake project was finished, and special ceremonies were held. Dignitaries from all over attended the official "closing" of the valve to begin the lake filling process. The project took only a little less than 36 years! The cost...\$141,000,000!

Are you beginning to get the picture here?

What possible excuse can there be for a project being handled for that length of time?

How can Congress, the Corps of Engineers and the people involved in this project possible justify what it took to make a simple lake a reality?

We all hear about the colossal amount of mis- management on various government projects...such as \$600 toilet seats for the air force and high priced hammers just like those at discount stores. But here, within a few miles of us, is an even greater, more classic example.

It really makes you wonder, doesn't it?

Folks, it's time we started voting...and trying to make a change. It's time we began taking a real interest in what our government was doing and began to work towards some type of sanity in government!

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Rivercrest Presents Homecoming Nominees

The following ladies were named as Rivercrest 1991-1992 Homecoming Queen nominees.

Tiffany Parish is the daughter of Scooter and Linda Parish of Talco. As a freshman, Tiffany was a member of Student Council, and freshman class president as well as J.V. cheerleader. She also was voted Most Popular of the freshman class. She was a member of FFA and served as the chapter's sweetheart. Tiffany played J.V. basketball, varsity tennis, and qualified for Regions in track. During her sophomore year, Tiffany was a member of Student Council, president of her class, voted Most Beautiful, served as FFA Advisor and the chapter sweetheart as well as secretary / treasurer of the Spanish Club. Tiffany played varsity basketball and tennis and qualified for Regionals in track. As a junior she was a member of the Student Council, Beta Club, Spanish Club, D-FY-IT Advisory Council and FFA secretary, and was voted Most Beautiful. She participated in the Voice of Democracy and U.I.L. and played varsity basketball and tennis, ran track, and was varsity cheerleader. This year Tiffany is president of Student Council, FFA vice-president, member of the National Honor Society, Beta Club, and D-FY-IT. She is varsity cheerleader and is on the varsity basketball team. In her spare time, Tiffany enjoys riding horses, playing the piano, shopping, and spending time with her friends.

Lana Pirtle is the daughter of H. Drue Pirtle and the late Tommie Joy Pirtle and the granddaughter of Loree Roach of Bogata. As a freshman, Lana was a J.V. cheerleader, played J.V. basketball, and ran track. She was vice-president of FHA, secretary/treasurer of her class and was

chosen as a class favorite. She also received the Physical Science departmental award and participated in UIL events. As a sophomore, she played on the J.V. basketball team. She was a member of the Yearbook and Paper Staff, National Honor Society, Spanish Club, and was chosen as a class favorite. Lana also competed in the UIL events and placed on the district level. Her junior year she played on the Varsity basketball team. She was a member of the Yearbook and Paper Staff, Spanish Club, Beta Club, and D-FY-IT. She was also secretary/treasurer of the National Honor Society and secretary of her class and was chosen class favorite. She competed in the UIL events and placed on the district level. Currently Lana is a member of the Beta Club, Drama Club, D-FY-IT, the Yearbook and Paper Staff, and Student Council. She is also president of the National Honor Society and secretary/treasurer of the senior class and plans on playing basketball and compete in the UIL events in the spring. Lana is an active member of the Johntown Missionary Baptist Church where she participates in the choir and in as assistant teacher.

Susan Tabb is the daughter of Ray and Linda Tabb of Cuthand. Her grandparents are Gordon and Delene Tabb of Cuthand and Velma Baugh of Mt. Vernon. As a freshman, Susan was a member of FHA and was a member of the J.V. cheerleading squad and played basketball. Her sophomore year, she was a member of the FFA where she served as secretary on chapter conducting and was a member of FHA, and the varsity cheerleader, and played basketball. As a junior, Susan was a member of the FFA where she served as sentinel as well as the chapter's sweetheart. She was a member of the

FHA, a varsity cheerleader and captain of her squad, filmer of the Rebels and Lady Rebel's basketball team and president of D-FY-IT. Now as a senior, she is captain of the varsity cheerleading squad, member of the Spanish and Speech club, reporter for FFA, and president of D-FY-IT. Her future plans are to go to college and become a physical therapist.

Krista Weatherall is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Weatherall of Johntown. As a freshman, Krista played J.V. and varsity basketball, was a regional qualifier in track, and played softball. She was elected Most Athletic of her class, and also served as historian of the FHA. Her sophomore year she played varsity basketball, was a regional qualifier in track, played softball, and was also a varsity cheerleader. Krista was elected Christmas Queen, and Most Athletic of her class. She also served as vice-president of the Drama Club. As a junior, Krista served as president of her class. She played varsity basketball, was a regional qualifier in track, played softball, and was a varsity cheerleader. She was elected Christmas Queen, and Most Athletic of her class. Krista served as a vice-president of the FHA, and was a member of the Student Council, Spanish Club, and D-FY-IT. This year Krista is serving as class president. She is a varsity cheerleader and plans to play basketball and softball. She is serving as president of the Drama Club, and is member of the Student Council, FFA, and D-FY-IT. Krista's future plans have not yet been decided. However, she does plan to attend college.

One of these ladies will be crowned as the new Homecoming Queen on Friday night during the pre-game ceremony which starts at 7pm.



HOLDING COURT-1991-1992 Homecoming Queen nominees

are Tiffany Parish, Lana Pirtle, Susan Tabb, and Krista Weatherall. (Staff photo by Denise Wood)

TALCO ELEMENTARY students participating in the essay or spelling bee held at the Titus County Fair last week were: Steven Hearron, Tanna Simpson, Rusty Benfield, Amber Morgan, Erin Stansell, Ryan Case, Leanna Bass and Missy Carroll and Sam Stanley. Missy received a second place ribbon for her essay "Why I Like Living In Titus County". (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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Talco Open House Held

The Talco School held open house Monday, September 30 with guests greeted by Student Council president Cary Gable. Gable introduced Principal Ben Tyler.

A film was shown to the group on how parents can help at home. PTO

president Sue Wilson told the group about the coming fall festival scheduled for October 19 at 7 p.m. at the school.

Everyone enjoyed touring the classrooms and refreshments were served.

Talco-Bogata CISD School Board Meets

The Talco-Bogata School Board held their scheduled monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 1.

Prior to the regular meeting an Appreciation Plaque was presented to Tommy Corbell who had served 5 and one half years on the board before resigning in July.

The board approved previous minutes, paid September bills, and approved the 1991 Tax Roll and accepted the tax report and adjustments for September.

Alvin Scooter Parish was nominated to Red River County Appraisal Review Board, replacing retiring Frank Sloan.

Frank Stubblefield was nominated to replace Johnny Ragsdill on the Red River Appraisal District Board of Directors. Ragsdill's term expires in December.

The Board accepted the superintendent and high school principal's recommendation of a policy change regarding Junior Varsity Cheerleaders. The old policy of three from Talco and three from Bogata was changed to state "No Quotas" with each cheerleader being selected by judges solely on their ability regardless of what town they lived in or school they went to within the system.

The board approved a new teacher inservice calendar for 1991-92 year to enable staff development mandated by the State and discussed shortening some school dates for teacher inservice.

The board approved an option of repairing of roof at Rivercrest in lieu of a complete new roof. The cost of repairs were set at \$6,800 and a new roof would cost \$85,000.

The board let bids on school insurance, rescheduled January board meeting to January 14 and approved various committees for the school district.

They approved a new policy concerning personal business days for certified personnel in the district. The board in keeping with the new state laws, approved giving teachers two days of personal business leave as part of state sick leave policy.

The teachers will receive two days personal leave that would be deducted from state sick leave as long as it was one day per semester. The new policy also gives two days of local sick leave that may be used yearly or accumulated up to a total of 10 days.

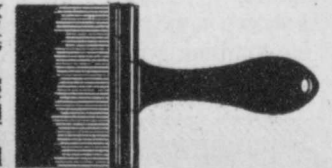
The board adjourned at 11:50 p.m. and scheduled their next regular meeting on November 5.

Cemetery Association To Host McCrury/Glendale Homecoming

The McCrury Cemetery Association will host the tenth annual McCrury and Glendale Homecoming on Sunday, October 13.

Everyone is invited to come early, bring a covered dish and lawn chairs. The coffee, ice, tea and paper products will be provided.

People 'N Things



Turners Lake School reunion will be Saturday, October 12 at the Bogata Community Center starting at 10am. Everyone is invited to bring a covered dish for lunch.

On October 7-9 a Hunter Safety Course will be given by Robert Lewis at the Bogata Community Center from 6-10 p.m. You must be 12 years to attend. For information, call 632-4224 after 5 p.m.

The Calvary Baptist Church Friendship Class will have their Christmas party on October 21. Class members are urged to attend.

The Rivercrest Booster Club will sponsor a Car Bash Thursday, October 3 at 6 p.m. for 50¢ a hit, students may swing at teachers' names and Harleton Tigers. The club will sell helium balloons at the homecoming game Friday, Oct. 4 for \$1 each. Everyone buying one is asked to hold them until the boys arrive on the field and release the balloons all at once in honor of the team.

There will be a Rivercrest Booster Club meeting Oct. 7 at 7 p.m. in the Rivercrest Auditorium. The junior high through varsity cheerleaders will be honored. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

The Homecoming pep rally will be Friday, October 4 at 2:45 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Don't forget Rivercrest Homecoming. The junior high team will travel to Harleton on Thursday, the JV will play Chisum at Rivercrest Thursday, the Booster Club will sponsor a Car Bash Thursday, the Homecoming pep rally will be Friday at 2:45 and the varsity will meet Harleton Friday. Booster club balloons will be sold at the game.

The Calvary Baptist Church youth will attend a Maverick basketball game in Dallas on October 19. Children must have attended Sunday School to go. For information, call Bro. Castle, 379-3981.

Editor's Quote Book

Man alone suffers so excruciatingly in the world that he was compelled to invent laughter.
Nietzsche



ORGANIZING the Country Cooking column recipes into cookbooks is Gerrie Bankhead, who is sharing with you this week in celebration of the column's first birthday. (Staff Photo by Gerrie Bankhead)

Country Cooking

By Gerrie Bankhead



Country Cooking is coming to you this week from the kitchen of Gerrie and Clyde Bankhead of Cunningham. I decided to do a special article this week because it is exactly one year ago today, October 3, that the Country Cooking column began.

It seems impossible that I have visited in 50 different homes and met so many new people in one year. It has been very enjoyable to me to visit each one of you. I've traveled more than 1,000 miles in one year working on the Country Cooking column, so I've not only met new faces but I've seen a lot of new territory. I can truly brag on myself because I've only gotten lost three times, and if you know me, then, that's good.

I want to thank each one of you who have allowed me to interview you. I also want to thank each of you who suggested these past 50 people as a feature. Unless you make a suggestion, I don't know who the great cooks are. We have also had many requests this past year and I thank each of you who answered with the recipe that was needed. I want to also express that sometimes a person might suggest a name and you might think I never contact them, but I do try to contact them as quickly as I can. However, sometimes the suggested party wants to wait a while, etc. So, please be patient and hopefully, your suggestion will be published, and as soon as possible.

Keep the suggestions and recipes coming. That is what keeps this article going.

As shown in the picture, I'm working on combining my fourth recipe

cookbook strictly from the recipes published in the Country Cooking column. I'm proud to have the favorite recipes of more than 50 people already.

I have decided to share with you this week some recipes that I have received over the past year that I have not had a chance to publish. I hope you enjoy them.

In case you missed the first article, I'll tell you a little about myself. I teach at Paris High School in the Business Education Department. I love to cook, sew, make crafts, play the piano and sing. I love to work in the church, Abundant Life Church, and help wherever I am needed. I am presently helping with the Children's Church on Wednesday nights.

Clyde and I are the proud parents of three children: Jerrod, and Chance of the home and Kristi and husband Craig Burns of Cunningham. I have gained another child since my first article. We are very proud to have Craig in our family.

I have chosen the following recipes to share with you this week: Party Sausage by Juanita Sparks; Texas Pecan Cake by Mrs. R.W. Weisinger; Molded Salmon Salad by Billie Foster; Date Pinwheels by Rita Malone; and Peter Paul Mound Cake by Betty Denison. I hope you enjoy them.

If you've enjoyed the article, request a recipe or have a recipe to share or suggest a feature, please call 652-6032 or write Rt. 1, Box 67A, Deport, TX 75435.

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Party Sausage
By Juanita Sparks
1 1/2 oz. bottle chili sauce
1 1/2 oz. can cranberry sauce
2 lbs. cocktail size smoked sausage
Melt cranberry sauce on high simmer in microwave or on low heat in sauce pan. Add chili sauce and sausages. Heat thoroughly. Serve with toothpicks.

Texas Pecan Cake
By Mrs. R.W. Weisinger
1 lb. brown sugar
1 lb. butter
6 eggs, separated
1 1/2 oz. lemon extract
4 cups flour
1 T baking powder
1 lb. pecans
1/2 lb. candied cherries
1/2 lb. candied pineapple

Cream brown sugar and butter well, add egg yolks, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Alternate 2 cups flour and baking powder with lemon extract. Dredge fruit and nuts in other 2 cups of flour. Add to mixture, beat egg whites until stiff and fold into cake batter. Let batter set overnight. Bake in 2 loaf pans at 250 degrees for 1 1/2 hours. In tube pan, 3 or 3 1/2 hours.

Molded Salmon Salad
By Mrs. T.H. Solomon
3 envelopes unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
3 T lemon juice
1 cup hot water
1 pound can of flaked salmon
3/4 cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
1 cup diced celery
1/2 cup chopped green pepper
1 teaspoon minced onion
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
crisp lettuce leaves

Soften gelatin in cold water and lemon juice. Dissolve in hot water until thickened and syrupy. Fold in remaining ingredients. Pour into chilled 2 quart mold. Chill until firm. Unmold on lettuce leaves.

Chicken Enchiladas
By Billie Foster
1 pint sour cream
1 pkg. Hidden Valley Ranch original salad dressing mix
3 cups diced cooked chicken
2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
1 cup pitted ripe olives, sliced
12 flour tortillas
1 jar 12 oz. salsa

Combine sour cream and half dressing mix. Add chicken and one cup cheese and olives. Spoon on tortillas and roll up, place seam side down in 13x9x2 baking dish. Sprinkle with remaining cheese. Bake in 375 oven for 25 minutes. Pour reserved dressing over enchiladas and top with salsa and serve.

Date Pinwheels
By Rita Malone

Dough:
1/4 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 t. vanilla
2 eggs

2 1/4 cup flour
1/2 t. soda
1/2 t. cream of tartar
Filling:
1/2 cup sugar
1/4 cup water
1 pkg. dates
1/2 cup nuts

"Double the filling". Cook filling on medium heat, stirring to blend dates. Cool. Cream shortening and sugar. Add vanilla. Mix well, add egg then all dry ingredients. Pat or roll dough on wax paper. Spread filling, roll up like jelly roll. Place in refrigerator to chill. Slice and bake on cookie sheet. Bake 350 for 15 minutes. Makes approximately 48.

Peter Paul Mound Cake
By Betty Denison

2 cups sugar
1/2 cup Crisco
2 cups flour
3 tablespoons cocoa
1 teaspoon soda
dash salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup buttermilk
1 cup boiling water

Cream sugar and Crisco together, add eggs, beat, add flour, salt and soda, cocoa, blend well, add buttermilk and vanilla, mix well. Stir and pour into large oiled and floured pan. Bake 350 for 30 minutes.

Sauce:
24 large marshmallows
1 cup sugar
1 cup milk
1 7 oz. can coconut
Mix first 3 ingredients well together, heat until marshmallows are melted. Add coconut, mix well and pour over hot cake. Let cool before icing.

Icing:
1 stick oleo
2 tablespoons cocoa
4 tablespoons milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 box xxx sugar
1 cup nuts

Boil together oleo, cocoa, milk, add sugar, vanilla and nuts and spread on top of sauce layer.

Almond Joy Cake
Submitted by Tommie Williams,
JeVola Cavender & Linda Eilers

1 box milk chocolate cake mix with pudding
Mix and bake according to directions for a 13x9x2" size cake.

Mix in saucepan: 1 cup evaporated milk, 1 cup sugar, 20 large marshmallows.
Heat until marshmallows are melted. Set off heat and add one 14 oz. package frosted coconut. Pour over warm cake. Frost with chocolate topping.

Topping:
Bring to boil 1/2 cups sugar, 1/2 cup evaporated milk, 1 stick oleo. Remove from heat, add 1 1/2 cups milk chocolate chips. Stir until chips are melted. Add 1 cup chopped almonds or pecans. Spread over cake

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Vandaveer attended the John Crenshaw funeral in Paris on Wednesday.

Betty Rodgers visited Saturday with Jodi Crawford in Pattonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Kerbow of California are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow.

Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga had supper Saturday night with Betty Rodgers.

Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga attended the Titus County Fair in Mt. Pleasant Friday night where Melissa had to work a booth sponsored by the U.S. Postal Service.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Vandaveer over the weekend were their daughters, Mrs. Lana Harrison of Kennard, Mrs. Mitzie Pirtle and Kimberly of Paris and Mrs. Larann Denison of Rosalie. They attended the dedication service at Fulbright Baptist Church on Sunday.

Monte and Shelley Rodgers of Tigertown had supper Sunday evening with Betty Rodgers.

Karen Baker of Dallas visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vandaveer and Mrs. Ruth Crenshaw of Blossom and Mrs. Lorene Moore of Weatherford were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Vandaveer on Monday.

Several out of towners attended the dedication services for the new Baptist Church fellowship hall, the Cardwell family, Gordon and Joe Edd and son of Arlington, Don and his wife of Georgetown, Jean McGee and her sister, Nan of Texarkana, Myrl Cardwell of Alabama. Coffee

and cookies were served in the new hall. Two of the Baptist retirees and their wives attended, Duane Clark and Billy of Dallas were also guests. Duane sang a special song at the morning and evening services.

Guests at the services Sunday morning and evening were his sister, Mrs. Haskins of Woodland and Mr. and Mrs. Longacre of Idaho.

Stephanie Stringer of Dimple has improved since her concussion she received last week. She is the daughter of Cassandra Stringer.

Visitors of Faye Gandy were Dena Rodgers and Vernon Eady of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Slaton of Paris, Sue Daugherty of Reno, Jerry Simpson of Clarksville, Marion Mitchell, Worth Baker, Bill and Judy Nutt of Paris. The Sonlight Quartet of Paris dedicated Judge Fred Nutt a special song on his birthday. Hamburger Hindman wished him a happy birthday and Fred and Gene Autry celebrated the same birthdays. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Arriaga of Deport have returned from their honeymoon and visited Faye Gandy Saturday.

Karen Baker of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Baker. All attended the Baptist Church dedication.

"Life is a jigsaw puzzle with most of the pieces missing."
Anonymous

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Obituaries

Lorene E. Mays Dies September 27

Lorene E. Mays, 73, of Bogata died Friday, September 27 in Red River General Hospital, Clarksville.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, September 29 in the First Baptist Church of Bogata with the Rev. Alvin Blalock and the Rev. Tom Calk officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mays was born June 2, 1918 in the Maple community, a daughter of William Alexander and Dona Mae Belcher Mays. She was employed by Red River Haven Nursing Home for a number of years.

Surviving are two sons, Bobby Williams of Bogata and Mack Williams of Midlothian; four daughters, Joyce Tollison of Clarksville, Annette Hinson of Talco, Carol English of Bogata and Coletta McMichael of Powderly; 16 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were bearers.

Lloyd Sisson Dies September 25

Lloyd Sisson, 82, of Clarksville, died Wednesday, September 25 at his home.

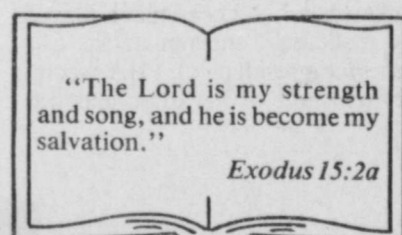
Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, September 28 in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with the Rev. Johnny Carter officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Sisson was born February 19, 1909 in Atoka, OK, a son of Dallas and Fannie Brewer Sisson. He was a Methodist.

Surviving are his wife, Gertrude; one son, James Lloyd Sisson of Clarksville; three daughters, Marie Hernandez of Dallas, Paula Sisson and Rita Quinalty of Clarksville; two brothers, Melvin Sisson of Bogata and Leroy Mooneyham of Blossom; four sisters, Ruth Martin of Clarksville; Jewel Irvin of Grand Junction, CO; Gertie St. Clair of Detroit and Bertie Ward of Lakeside, CA and 10 grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

The family of Dan L. Craig would like to express our thanks to everyone for the food, flowers, cards, phone calls and special prayers in our time of sorrow. Special thanks to Rev. O.U. Slaton, Dr. L.C. Stout and Rev. David Hall for their help and support.
The Craig Family



Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

A large crowd consisting of representatives from over the state attended the H&R Block Company Day at the Musgrove Flying M Ranch Saturday. The noon meal was catered by Murphy's Barbeque of Cooper. For the evening meal, they enjoyed a weiner roast. The event lasted all day and into the evening.

Berniece Bledsoe underwent surgery in McCuiston Hospital Wednesday and is in serious condition. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Geneva Norwood is employed in the Convalscent Management and Corporation in Paris. She does special services and activities.

Elvis Wright was admitted into St. Joseph Hospital on Thursday.

Murray Jackson visited his mother, Flora Belle Jackson of Avery on Sunday.

Word was received of the death of Zelma Powers of Houston Saturday night. She was the sister-in-law of Roy Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Black of Paris visited Delsa Wilson Saturday.

Erbert D. Hume of Paris spent the weekend with Milow Hume and Stasha.

Alma Norwood spent Thursday with Noah Poe of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hershaur of Martin Mills spent Saturday night with Loretta Pynes.

Tommy King of Paris spent the weekend with Johnie and Nelta Musgrove.

Courtney, Josh, Billie and Michael Currin of Lamar Point spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Buford Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and family of Bogata, Sue Jackson and Jance, Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Drinnon and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Jane O'Neal.

Lucy Fowler visited Johnie Warren in Deport Nursing Home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida DeShong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Saturday.

Word was received of the death of Lloyd Williams of Memphis. He was the son of Henry and Fannie Bankhead Williams. They were for-

Mrs. Ozia Hess

Dies September 26

Mrs. Ozia May Faulkner Hess, 86, resident of Talco, died Thursday, September 26 in East Texas Medical Center in Pittsburg.

She was born May 15, 1905 in Umpire, AR and was a Baptist. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Hess, in 1969.

She is survived by one sister, Daisy Harper of Talco; and a number of nieces and nephews, Tessie Hedger and Jessie Whittington, Melody Hedges, Deanna Hanks, Donna Whittington, Mark Hedges, all of Dallas; Lavan McGee, Frank McGee, Michael McGee, Joshua Van Buskirk, Erran Van Buskirk and John Van Buskirk, and Sherry Cable, all of Talco; Dale Faulkner and Ray Faulkner of California; Don Faulkner of Las Vegas; Joyce Santos; Carrol Faulkner, Sulphur Springs; Gerald Faulkner, Clara Russ of Paris; Marcell Roberts, Mt. Pleasant; Holly Shumate and Suzzan Suemake, Texell; Delite Brink, Warren Faulkner and Kathryn Brink of Houston.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, September 28 in Athens Cemetery in Athens, AR with Rev. Murel Dyer officiating under the direction of Wilkerson Funeral Home of DeQueen, AR.

Marion Earl Duffey

Dies September 23

Marion Earl Duffey, 36, of Clarksville, died in Dallas on Monday, September 23.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, September 26 at the Cuthand Cemetery with the Rev. A.B. Kellam officiating. Clarksville Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mr. Duffey was born August 5, 1945. He was a Baptist.

Surviving are two sons, James Keith Duffey and Earl Lee Duffey, both of Clarksville; one sister, Letha Dale Kuempel of Dallas; two half-sisters, Louise Townes of Bogata and Elvis Wooten of Cuthand and two grandchildren.

Doris Jackson

Dies September 26

Doris Ellen Jackson, 50, of Dallas, died September 26 in an auto accident.

Services were held Sunday, September 29 at Bogata Funeral Home with the Rev. Brian Baggett officiating. Burial was in Nelta Cemetery in Hopkins County by Bogata Funeral Home.

Ms. Jackson was born May 26, 1941 in Texas, a daughter of William and Mary Jackson Long.

Surviving are three sons, four grandchildren and one sister.

mer Cunningham residents.

Milow Hume and Stasha visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hume of Hagansport and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ward of Bogata Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Slusher was an out-patient at the Arthritis Center of Texas in Dallas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ham at the Cherry Street Annex Nursing Center last week.

Dennis Doyle Temple of Houston will soon reach the big "70". Watch your calendar!

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited Harry Slusher Friday night.

Dean Black of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams Saturday.

Talma and Susie Norwood spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Francis Thomas of Joliet visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida DeShong Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Norwood Logan and Laton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Brandon and Georgeanne and Scotty and Tredda Norwood, Spur and Amber had supper Geneva Norwood Sunday night.

Claudell Malone of Whitesboro visited his mother, Mrs. Delphia Malone Saturday.

Talma and Susie Norwood and Paul Norwood had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Thursday.

Dean Black of Paris visited Milow Hume and Stasha Saturday afternoon.

Brandi Hall of Pattonville, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Musgrove, Stoney and Charity had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Musgrove and Zariska.

Jo Gordon of Ft. Worth spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Brown of Bloomington spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida DeShong.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris were dinner guests of Mrs. Ida DeShong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Sunday.

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ASHLEY WILLIAMS celebrated her 8th birthday Sunday, September 29 at Main Street Restaurant. She was presented with a cake in the shape of a Teddy Bear. She received many nice gifts. Those attending were Brandon Williams, Daniel Lee, Christopher, Michael and Latisha Miles, Toni Lester, Anthony Lester, Heather George, Hannah George, April Lester, Jennifer Glasgow, Carolyn Lester, Brenda Lester and Alan, James Lee, Lyle and Kathy Williams. Raymond Martin provided the ice cream for the party. Lois Grisham made the cake.

Familiar Faces

By Denise Wood

There is a man who has to be the strongest in the worst tragedies; who is on call twenty-four hours a day, 365 days a year; who gives unlimited amount of love and support to his family and friends; who will go to two hamburger suppers as well as an ice cream supper in the same night just to help out a good cause; and who at time is called in a medical emergency before even a doctor is. This man is none other than James Wood.

James has been in the funeral business for twenty-eight years with the untiring support and help of his wife, Dee. The last twenty years James and Dee have built a successful and respected business along with his partner, James Grant. Very few have a full understanding of this profession.

He has stood by all types of families and circumstances from the beginning to the end.

Louie Lindeman, formerly of Clarksville, inspired James to go into the funeral profession. Treating each family in the same manner, no matter who they are, is James' secret to success. His son, Tim, is following his footsteps. The family tradition will continue for at least another generation.

This town and the surrounding area has depended upon James for advice, financial and emotional support and to even be a butt of a joke. He has no idea how positively he has affected the people in his life. That is the beauty of his personality. I couldn't ask for a better father or mother.



REMARKABLE MAN- James Wood is featured in this weeks

Familiar Faces. (Staff photo by Denise Wood)



SELLING AWAY- Pam Hinson and Mary Hall were band parents who sold Rebel Cups and Megaphones at last week's football game. The proceeds from the cups will go to a Band Scholarship while proceeds from the megaphones will go for activities. The public is invited to "help out" at homecoming, as the items will again be for sale. The Cups were sponsored by Dr. E.E. Brooks and Dr. Robert White and Mrs. Jennifer Christiesponsored the megaphones.

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Superintendent and School Trustees Attend Convention

The annual Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) and Texas Association of School Administrators (TASA) convention was held at the George Brown Convention Center in Houston. Freddy Wade, Rivercrest superintendent, and Buford Hervey and Rue Anna Bell, school board members, attended the convention September 27-29. The convention was for school board training and general management training for administrators.

Buford Hervey was an elected delegate for the district. He voted on several proposals for the TASB and TASA.

There were several different

choices at the convention. They attended exhibits, in-depth training, and general sessions.

Special highlights of the convention included Country Music Sound which was held Saturday. Conway Twitty and Mason Dixon were featured. Sunday the guest speaker was Dr. Lionel (Skip) Mino, the new Commissioner of Education for Texas.

Superintendent Wade feels that each of them benefited from the convention. Attending the convention will help the school board members and Mr. Wade make Talco-Bogata CISD even a better school system.

Upcoming School Events

- Oct. 4 - **HOMECOMING!** Harleton vs. Varsity here 7:30pm. Pre game ceremony 7pm. Homecoming pep rally 2:50.
- Oct. 8 - **TAAS** for grades 3,5,7,9, and 11
- Oct. 9 - **TAAS** for grades 3,5,7,9, and 11. Bogata Awards and Honor Roll 2pm
- Oct. 10 - **TAAS** for grades 3,5,7,9, and 11. Pep rally Bogata 2:20 and Talco 2:23. Wolf City vs. Jr. High and JV here 6pm
- Oct. 11 - Wolf City vs. Varsity here 7:30pm

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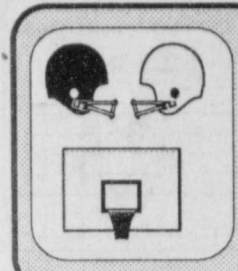
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Rebel Sports Report



RC Falls To Maud 34-14

By Marian Green

It was a close call for the Rivercrest Rebels Friday night. You know how they say "history does repeat itself". Well, it does seem true for this past week for the Rebels. They came so close, but not close enough.

With the Rebels winning the coin toss, it didn't help much. On RHS's first play, Maud did intercept a pass intended for Corey Gable. Only two plays later Maud scored with 11:09 to go in the first.

But RHS kept their heads up. They stayed in the game and played defense. After flipping play series back and forth, the Rebels scored. It was a pass from John Smith to Matt Childers for 43 yards. The extra point kicker, Jeremy Belyeu did a good job, he made the score 7-6, Rivercrest.

Even with the score being 7-6, Maud popped right back scoring, making it 12-7. For some reason, this lowered the Rebel spirit, and they seemed not to be in the game anymore. From this point on, the only thing that killed the Rebs were their own mistakes.

The Rebels scored one more time the whole game. Tony Sanders scored for the Rebs with only :21 seconds left in the half, now the score was 18-14, Maud.

Maud scored two more times in the ballgame, making the score 34-14.

There was excellent playing time for some of the Rebels. Dean Tiffie rushed for over 130 yards while John Smith completed 7 of 12 passes for

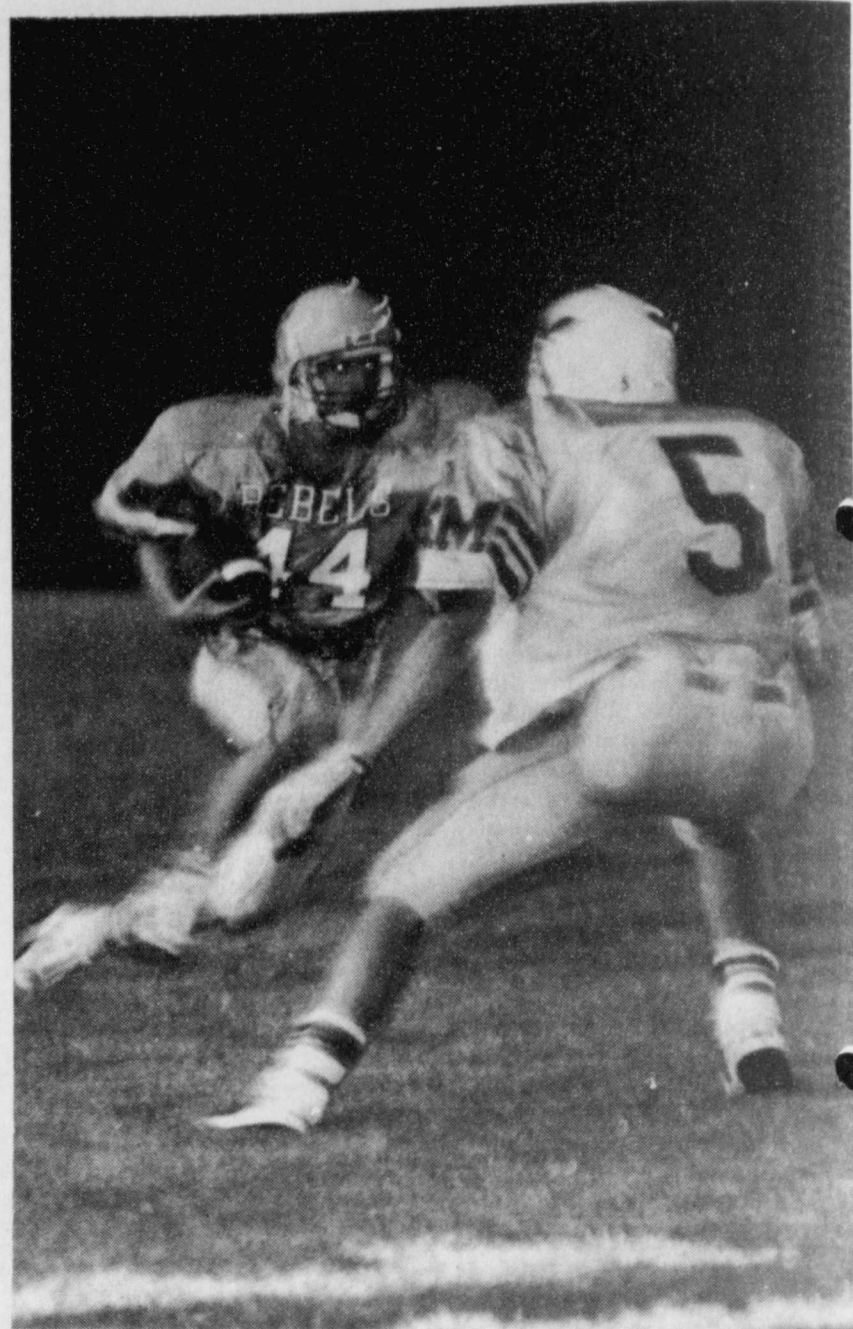
139 yards. Also Matt Childers caught 5 passes for 113 yards. The entire offensive line graded out for over 79%. The Rebel team did a good job.

The Rivercrest Junior High is really showing their stuff this year. They beat the Maud Junior High 44-0. Rivercrest JV did not have a game.

Coach Green looks for his first win of the season against Harleton, a team he formerly coached for three years. This week is Rivercrest's Homecoming. Pre-game ceremonies will start at 7 p.m. and kick off time is 7:30 p.m. at Rebel Stadium. The JV will play here on Thursday at 6:30 against Chisum.

The Junior High will travel to Harleton on Thursday. The game will begin at 6 p.m.

FOOTBALL '91



REBEL DEAN Tiffie looks for some running room in the Friday night contest with Maud. Tiffie rushed for over 130 yards in the game. The Rebels were defeated 34-14. Conference Competition starts in two weeks. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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Mrs. Doug Braggs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Carroll and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Martin and boys, Mrs. Nadine Burke, Keith Logan and Kim and boys, Charley and Cory Martin, Sylvia Cochran and Laura Carrie.



THE RIVERCREST, Talco, Bogata D-Fy-It program sponsored a fifth quarter fellowship at the Bogata Gym September 27 following the football game. Students and adults enjoyed hot

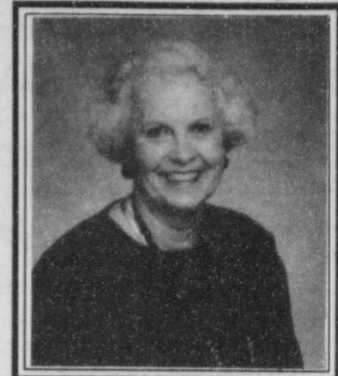
dogs, chips and drinks, basketball, music and visiting with each other. One hundred three attended. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



NEW ADDITION- Rivercrest High School has made a new addition of a handicap sidewalk and ramp this week. The main-

tance crew includes Blanton Gage, Charles Tidwell, Arice Scales, and Clarence Moore. (Staff photo by Denise Wood)

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Plan Now to Enjoy Fall in Your Garden

The leaves are changing colors, the air is getting cold and crisp and the excitement of a new season is in the air. Fall is the perfect time to enjoy your lawn or garden, says the American Association of Nurserymen (AAN).

There are a variety of reasons to plant in the fall. Many gardeners like to take advantage of the cooler weather and more comfortable temperatures to exercise that last bit of creativity before the chill of winter sets in.

You can prepare for fall planting by laying the groundwork in late summer, recommends AAN. Remove plants which are no longer producing or fruiting. If they are left in the garden, they continue to take up water and nutrients that could be utilized by your upcoming fall crops.

Remember to put all of your pullings through a shredder to remove organic matter or simply break them into smaller pieces yourself. This can be the start of a healthy compost or

mulch. Mulching is one of the best ways to protect your fall plants for the winter that lies ahead.

Fall can be a great time for planting shrubs, trees, bulbs and fall-flowering plants, thanks in

part to the soil's enhanced ability to retain moisture.

If you're not sure what types of plants you should use for fall, you might consider a fall vegetable garden or another "fast crop." Talk to the professionals at your local garden center about a fall garden well-suited to your temperature and climatic conditions during the autumn season.

Good choices for many areas include bush bean, beet, broccoli, spinach and turnips. Think in terms of planting hardy plants that don't need a lot of care. Other winners for a fall garden, suggests AAN, include hollies, conifers, deciduous plants, azaleas, rhododendron and several species of juniper.

Even though fall brings cooler temperatures, you should continue to water your plants through the season in the absence of rain. In fact, you may need to water year-round, as long as the ground is not frozen.

Part of fall gardening includes looking ahead to winter and thinking of ways to protect your garden from frigid temperatures and drying winds. One tried-and-true way of protecting your sensitive plants is to use garden windbreaks.

To protect your plants, place three or four stakes around the plants and wrap burlap, old

sheets, old blankets or dark-colored plastic around them. This special covering provides protection from early frost and freeze damage, and it also helps ward off that extreme winter cold and wind.

If your outdoor activities in fall usually consist of barbecues and touch football games, why not add something new to the agenda? As many gardeners can attest, fall planting is a rich and rewarding way to enjoy one final burst of colorful growth before the chill of winter sets in.

Keeping Healthy

How to Manage Stress

Self-awareness is the first step towards good stress management. To recognize that you're stressed, you must learn to identify your own stress indicators. Different people experience stress differently. Some get headaches or upset stomachs, others feel anxious or angry, or a variety of other reactions. The intensity of symptoms also varies by individual.

Certain situations at home or work may be so stressful you begin to feel overwhelmed and powerless, causing you to become less productive as well as risking serious illness or emotional burn-out. Good stress management dictates that you bring the problem to the attention of your employer or family.

In most cases, you will get a sympathetic response, but if you don't, you will have to decide how to deal with the situation yourself.

Winter Sun Exposure Carries Risks

Whether you're skiing or swimming, your skin requires protection from the sun if you want to avoid wrinkles and skin cancer.

When you're skiing in the lower latitudes in the winter, on the mountain you're actually closer to the sun's damaging rays than when you're on a beach in the summer. An hour of sun exposure on a high peak can be twice as intense as summer sun exposure on a beach. So, protect your face with a lotion with a sun-protection factor of at least 15.



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BAND MEMBER OF WEEK-
 Eric Hall is the band member of the week. He is fourteen and a freshman at Rivercrest. Eric has been in band for four years and plays the base drum. His parents are Steve and Mary Hall of Talco. (Staff photo by Denise Wood)

Thresa Bishop and son, David, of Blossom visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barnard Tuesday evening. Mrs. Bishop returned home Wednesday afternoon.



CHRISTMAS Is a-coming, and the Bogata United Methodist

Women have a host of Christmas decorations and gift items

ready for sale at their bazaar. (Staff Photo by Denise Wod)

Johntown Locals

Friday Mr. R.W. Weisinger was in Mt. Pleasant for medical treatment at Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Monday guests of Gracie and Nadine Rhodes were Becky and Curtis Mull of Sherman.

Gale Hervey spent the weekend with her daughter, Lynda Woodard and family of Longview.

Donald and Freda Jean, David and Lynn Barrett of Mt. Pleasant and

Terry Jackson of Mt. Pleasant were in Waco last week from Monday to

Wednesday. Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Weisinger were accompanied by Mrs.

Jewel Jones of Mt. Pleasant to Tyler for Mr. Weisinger to receive medical treatment.

Last week Buford Hervey attended

a convention for school board members in Houston.

Friday Gracie and Nadine Rhodes visited Tommy Dee Anderson and family of Mt. Pleasant.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Weisinger spent a week in Waco and attended to her aunt, Mrs. Zella Shanks, who had cataract surgery. They celebrated Mrs. Shanks' eighty-eighth birthday.

Growing Out Lightweight Calves Can Add Profit To Cow-Calf Business

By Herb Brevard

Selling the calf crop for a profit is the ultimate goal of every cow-calf producer, but weaning the calves and taking them to market does not guarantee a profit, says Dr. Randall Grooms, livestock specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Even with the good prices being received for calves today, many calves will not pay the cost of maintaining the mother cow," said Dr. Grooms. To make the cow herd more efficient, the wise producer will cull the poor milking, late calving mothers of lightweight calves.

"Cow-calf producers still have a chance to make a profit from these lightweight calves if they will keep these calves and add another 300 pounds to their weight," Groom said. "Even if a producer can sell a calf for \$300 to \$400, there is a real profit in taking that calf to a feedlot weight of

650 or 750 pounds. Many producers have designed feeding programs or small grain winter pastures that can put the gain on these lightweight calves for 40 to 45 cents per pound, Grooms said.

To make the plan work, Grooms has several tips for maintaining these lightweight calves:

Have calves on a good plane of nutrition at weaning.

Give recommended inoculations for disease prevention prior to weaning.

Use a growth promoting implant. Provide adequate nutrition to gain 1 1/4 to 2 pounds per day per head.

"The cow-calf producer deserves a larger profit and has earned the opportunity for such a profit if he only takes advantage of the current situation," Grooms said.

Pesticide Re-Certification Training Offered Soon

Commercial and non-commercial pesticide applicators are reminded of the importance of earning five continuing education credits prior to the first of the year in order that their license be renewed. These two types of licensed applicators are required to earn at least five CEU's each year.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will conduct a re-certification training on Thursday, October 3 at the Texas A&M Research & Extension Center in Overton at 8:30 a.m.

The same training will be offered on October 28. You may only participate in one of the sessions. Five CEU's will be earned at either day. Private

applicators may attend also and get the five CEU's for re-certification of their private license or certificates.

Another re-certification training opportunity for commercial and non-commercial operators will be held by the Range & Pasture Division of Dow Elanco to be held in Denton on December 12. Five CEU's will be offered. It will be held at the Holiday Inn in Denton. Training begins at 8 a.m.

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Bogata Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rose and granddaughter of Paris visited Mrs. Dude Lassiter Wednesday afternoon.

Billie R. Pirtle was in Commerce over the weekend to visit her children, Ken, Kathy, and Kati Miller. Saturday morning they joined a bus tour of the new Cooper Lake and attended the closing of the gates ceremonies at the dam. Saturday afternoon they attended the Bois d'Arc festivities in downtown Commerce, the Bois d' Arc capitol of the world.

Richard Swartz of Talco accompanied Leona Wright and Rose Mary Swintford Friday to Mrs. Wright's sister, Rosalie Baird of Bossier and her daughter Linda Shennick.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright of Katy and Mr. and Mrs. Al Kelley of Lake Tawakoni spent last week with Mrs. Albert Legate.

Mary Colflesh spent Sunday and Monday in Hawkins with her son, Eddie Colflesh and family. She helped her daughter-in-law and granddaughter celebrate their birthdays. Grandchildren Elizabeth, Jeremy, and Nicky said HI to all their friends in Bogata especially those at Red River Haven Nursing Home. They miss each of you so much.

Mrs. Vola Ward's son, Mr. and Mrs. James Ward of Pasadena for a few days visit last week.

Wretha Watkins celebrated her 80th birthday Saturday, Sept. 28, in her home. Her birthday party was hosted by her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Alexander of Dallas as well as her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Art Clayton of Coppell with two of her gret-grandsons in attendance. Friends and family from Dallas, J Howe, Commerce and Bogata made the day a very special event.

Mrs. Wretha Watkins attended a Kroehler Manufacturing reunion in Dallas where she worked for 33 years. She later traveled with her daughter

to Ft. Smith, AK to visit with her brother Niven Carroll, and his family Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Carroll, her two sisters from Tuscon, AZ, Thelma Howell and Velma Barkman and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reynolds of Howe. She returned to Dallas to spend time visiting family and friends.

Mrs. Steve Owens of Columbus and son, DeShong Owens of San Antonio visited Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Owens' brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson, her sisters Mrs. Opal Watts and Mrs. Alta Bell as well as Mrs. Beryl Gibson and Mrs. Lee Hinson.

Mrs. Bill Pinkham has returned home after a weeks stay in Red River General Hospital in Clarksville.

Mrs. Dale Gray of Deport visited Mrs. Gifford and other friends at Red River Haven Saturday.

Mrs. Alma Lowry in a resident at Red River Haven after undergoing surgery at McCruiston Medical Center several weeks ago following a fall at her home.

Mrs. Joyce Humphrey of Clarksville visited Mrs. Opal Watts Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Watts of Sulphur Springs also visited Mrs. Watts.

Max Mauldin was in Dallas and Ft. Worth last week to visit his daughter Mrs. Maxine Hoffman and Dixie Kaysee.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hale and Dr. and Mrs. E.E. Brooks were weekend guests of their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimmey, Keli Ann and

Brooks, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Paysse of Temple.

Mrs. E.J. Shelby of Deport visited Mrs. Ann Walker Monday. Her daughter, Mrs. Elise Parker was a Sunday guest.

George Hancock was honored by his niece, Mrs. Hubert Roach, with a dinner and birthday cake on the occasion of his birthday Friday. Visiting him Saturday were his sister, Mrs. H.E. Shannon of Deport, and sister-

in-law, Mrs. Elbert Hancock of Paris and her daughters of Dallas.

Angela Hinkle, former social worker of Red River Haven, has moved to Frankston and is working on her Masters at the University of Texas in Arlington.

Miss Tammy Glover of Sulphur Springs visited Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson.

Mrs. Bobby Shaffner of Jefferson and Mrs. Vivian Westbrook of Talco have been attending to their sister and grandmother, Mrs. Alma Lowry.

Bill Ruthardt visited his parents Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Manual-

Ruthardt were in Dallas Tuesday where Mr. Ruthardt had eye surgery.

Bogata United Methodist women who attended the fall district meeting in the First United Methodist Church Saturday were Mrs. Betty Puckett, Mrs. Judy Marshall, Mrs. Eleanor McCluer and Mrs. Gertie Choates. Mrs. Phalia Matherson, an elementary principal in Dallas ISD was the speaker for the meeting.

Residents of Red River Haven were presented a program of violin music by Mr. Bill Booth of Paris Thursday in the chapel. Mr. Booth plays at the nursing home each month.

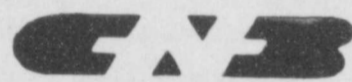


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The funds are provided under the Comprehensive Improvement Assis-

tance Program within the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The grant obligates the local housing authority to operate each project receiving funding as lower income housing for a period of 20 years.



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RHS Class Of '76 Holds 15-Year Reunion

The Rivercrest High School graduating class of 1976 met for its 15-year class reunion on Saturday, August 24 at the Bogata Community Center.

A picnic was held at noon and the following class members were able to attend: Donald Allums and family, Ronald Allums and family, Teresa Allums Alford, Randy Belcher and family, Vickie Broadway Smith and family, Freda Cabell Jean and family, John Fortner and Cindy Potter Fortner and family, Earl Hale and family, Tony Harbison and family, Becky Brown Stroud and family,

LeAnn House McCuller and family, Keith Mankins and family, Linda Stubblefield Barlen and family, Jerry Sulsar and family.

Later in the evening, the class returned to the Community Center for a meal of barbeque, followed by dancing and visiting. Music was furnished by 1976 graduate Gary Neill, a disc jockey for KWKH in Shreveport, LA.

Most graduates attending the picnic returned for the night's festivities and were joined by classmates Cathy Jones and Gary Neill.

Smile! It's your day!

Fall Arts & Crafts Bazaar Is Saturday In Clarksville

The 12th annual Fall Arts and Crafts Bazaar will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday, October 5 around the Red River County Courthouse in Clarksville.

Approximately 80 booths will feature a variety of items for sale to the public. The Red River County Historical Society will sponsor food and drink concessions offering an assortment of home cooked items.

Entertainment will be provided throughout the day and a musical

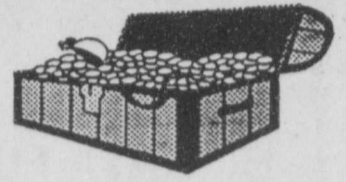
play will be performed five times during the day.

A barbeque will be held around the Courthouse from 6 to 8 p.m. Tickets will be available in the Main Street Restaurant, Red River County Library and the Clarksville Chamber of Commerce.

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Michael Reed of Mt. Vernon visited his grandmother, Melba Reed over the weekend. The family enjoyed a steak supper at the Mike Reed home in Mt. Vernon on Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Hearron was hospitalized this past week. She is reported doing well.

Attending the Hanks reunion at Bridges Chapel Community Center Sunday from Talco were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ottinger, Bryan and Kevin, Mr. and Mrs. Max Hanks, Bert Hanks, Dale Grissom and Torrie, Mrs. Pat Bond and Jennifer, Erica Moreno, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hood and Ginger, Chad Griffin, Misti Richeson, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lum and Laramie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills, Hayra Parker Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hanks, Ruth Hanks. Sixty-one attended and enjoyed the day visiting and a covered dish lunch.

Mrs. Cecil Richeson has returned from a hospital stay and is reported doing fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Deaton and Andrew vacationed in Hot Springs, AR over the weekend.

The Titus County Fair was held Wednesday through Sunday. Area residents attended and enjoyed the activities.

Wesley Blalock has returned home from recent heart surgery in Tyler and is reported doing well.

The Maple Springs Church reports a good turn out for the fifth Sunday singing held September 29.

Bro. Bennie Womble of Hooks was visiting pastor at the Assembly of God Church last Sunday.

Bill and Becca Austin and Billie and Earl Heitman of Coppell visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brown and other family and friends last week.

Celebrating October birthdays are Donna Jones, Frankie Harrell, Lavonne Hearron, Clarence Moore,

Helen Stewart, Jane Cox, Becca Austin, Tincey Strahan, J.R. Cox, Kristie Eudy, R.C. Pitts, Adrienne Savage, Julie Nolen, Christopher Nolen, Ann Fail, Velma Hanks, Kathy Ottinger, Shirley Holt, Katherine Graf, Kenneth Paul Johnson, Ginger Hood, David Jones, Beatrice Brown,

John D. Wright, Joanie Plunkett, Chris Galloway, J.D. Wright and Anthony McGee.

Rhonda Johnson of Omaha visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gentry Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Coulter of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith Thursday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rhonald Benfield and children Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jones of Pine Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nolen and Destry, Nancy Brown, Kim and Jack, Patty Kuhl and Kristen and Pete Swarts.

Karen Jones was honored with a birthday dinner at Warrick's in Pittsburg Saturday. Attending were Leslie Wright and Alex, Virginia Wright, Laura Kernan and Mona Wright.

Rocky Stephenson and Dale Devane held church services at Red River Haven Nursing Home Sunday. They represented the Assembly of God Church.

Participating in the women's volleyball tournament held at Titus County Fair Saturday were Tina Nolen, Rhonda Johnson, Nancy Brown, Peggy Benfield, Tonya Hawkins, Anita Baker and Leslie Cook.

Mrs. Cecelia Smith and Mrs. Kim Hatley and Kaleb visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown Saturday. Sunday visitors were Mrs. Cindy Watts and Tawala.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Pittman and honoring Mr. Pittman with a birthday dinner Sunday were



TALCO Junior High cheerleaders for the 1991-92 school year are: top, Maria Prado; left side,

Adrienne Savage; center, Karen Williams; and right, Tawana Sanders. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pittman and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wisinger, Shari and Kristie, Ray Lou Damron, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gaskin, Mr. and Mrs. Regan Howell, Mark and Cody and Mrs. Verbeth Wyatt.

and Mrs. Gladys Garretton. John David Webb of Nashville, AR was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church Sunday, Fifth Sunday singing was enjoyed during the BTS hour Sunday followed by a good message from Revelations by Bro. Webb.

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Have A Good Weekend

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