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By Nanalee Nichols

While we may not be long in the dignity department, Thomas and I, and our friends, are certainly long in the fun department! Anyone who reads this column knows that I consider laughter the best of medicine.

This past weekend eight of us, ranging in age from 12 to near-fifty undertook yet another river trip.

Before we could embark we had to leave one vehicle at the take-out point. That meant that three kayaks, two ice chests, eight people and a couple of cases of canned drinks had to pack into a jeep and travel about 12 miles of gravel road. After a few stares from other vehicles someone made the comment that we probably looked like that group that stuffed 20 people into a vehicle recently. "At least", someone else said, "we have on clothing!"

In our overloaded, inflated kayaks we set off down the rushing, rocky watercourse. While our inflatables were definitely more stable than a canoe, and easier to get into once we were dumped out, the day was not without mishap. We all tumbled over into the water several times, lost a watch, a pair of sunglasses, two cherished tee-shirts (no, they weren't on anyone at the time) and a tube of suntan lotion.

The two teenage boys applied tan accelerator to their lily white legs instead of sunblock (they didn't read the label). I wound up in a tree at a deep rapid and momentarily wondered if I was going to get out, and the Kings dumped out and decided it was easier to walk on the rocks for a half a mile rather than contend with the rushing waters. We certainly weren't alone, though. As we sat on the rocks at riverside below "Presbytarian Falls" (the name has something to do with being baptized...and you certainly will get dunked!) we got to watch dozens of canoes come plunging over, spilling people, contents and paddles everywhere. While we ate squashed bread and soggy cookies we thoroughly enjoyed watching others making the same mistakes we had.

After a long day on the water, we adjourned to the motel for cold showers, sunburn treatments and dry clothing.

We played water volleyball (we must qualify as one of them most enthusiastic and least skilled groups in the world), then slept the sleep of the truly tired.

Next day we returned to the park for mini golf and bumper boats.

We didn't even bother with a score card...just sneaked our ball into the hole with a foot when no one was looking, made up fake golf commentaries on one another and generally were about as silly as a group can be.

After bumper boats the whole dripping group piled back into the vehicles to drive back to reality.

While this whole silly weekend may seem frivolous it did us all a world of good. We laughed, we played hard and we rested just as hard. We came back to work tired and happy. We all work hard and I firmly believe we are much better able to deal with stress and deadlines after such a weekend!

The only thing is...after telling our "adventures" to everyone else Tuesday morning they simply looked at us and shook their heads...or said that certainly wouldn't be THEIR idea of a good weekend. Oh well, I guess we're going to have to get us all some of those tee-shirts that read "Not quite ready to act my age".

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TWO VEHICLE CRASH- Melanie Strawn, of Bogata, was driving the 2 door Chevrolet Cavalier, and James Waddell, of Mt. Pleasant, was driving the Ford Ranger Pickup when they collided at the intersection of

highway 271 and Mt. Vernon Drive, in Bogata, shortly after 7 p.m. on Friday evening. Both parties were transported by ambulance to the hospital where Melanie spent the night and Mr.

Waddell was treated and released. Seat belts are being given credit for the fact that the injuries weren't more serious. (Photo by Judy Screws)



Bogata V.F.W. News

There will be a dance at the VFW Post 8187 Saturday night September 11. The Country Hallmarks B&A will provide dance music every one come out and enjoy.

Tuesday at 7:30 is pool night, Thursday at 7:00 is "42" night and every Saturday at 1:30 is Bingo playing time.

The VFW Auxiliary has plates for sale. You may purchase the Red, White, and Blue plates for \$5.00.

Your name will be put on them, and they will be displayed around the wall at the VFW Club Building for one year. If you would like one of the plates for yourself or anyone you love, contact an auxiliary member. The plates are real pretty.

Meeting time is Monday September 13, at 7 PM. All members are urged to attend.

Students To Receive "Concern" Notices

Three week grade concern notices will be handed out to students on September 7-10 by Rivercrest High School teachers.

These notices are to inform students and parents of needed improve-

ment for progress in class performance.

If your son or daughter receives a notice, you may want to make an appointment to speak with the teacher at his or her conference period.

Immunization Clinic Scheduled

The Texas Department of Health, Public Health Region 7 office, announced plans today for the continuation of a series of monthly immunization clinics for all children needing immunizations, who meet the required family income determination guidelines.

The clinic will be conducted at the Texas Department of Health, 1014 N. Jefferson, Mt. Pleasant.

Clinic hours will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Parents may call the clinic for an appointment for their child, (903)572-9877, or arrive on a walk-in basis.

The Health Department emphasizes that this clinic is available to all preschool and school age children who meet the family income guidelines, beginning at two months of

age. Immunizations offered include Measles/Mumps/Rubella, Oral Polio, Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis and Tetanus/diphtheria. The Haemophilus Influenzae type b vaccine is also available to medically eligible children between the ages of 2 months and 60 months. The pneumonia vaccine is available to all high risk patients meeting income guidelines. All children must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Parents are reminded to bring the child's immunization record and Social Security number if available. The Tetanus/diphtheria vaccine is available to medically eligible adults. Should the parent or legal guardian have questions, please contact the above noted field office staff.

Mammogram Screening To Be Held in Mt. Pleasant

FEMCHEC, a mobile mammography service, will offer mammogram screening at Region VIII Education Service Center in Mt. Pleasant on Thursday, September 2, 1993. This will be FEMCHEC's fifth year to screen at the Region VIII ESC facility which is located at 2230 North Edwards Avenue (FM 1734) in Mt. Pleasant. Cost of the mammogram is \$65.00 and includes the radiologist's reading. Results should be received within 10 days. FEMCHEC accepts personal checks, Mastercard, VISA, and Discover credit cards.

Area women are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to be screened for early detection of breast cancer. It is estimated that one woman in nine will develop breast cancer at some time during her lifetime. Mammography can detect the disease long before a woman can detect it through self-examination. Doctors advise that the sooner a breast

cancer is discovered, the greater the chance of recovery.

The American Cancer Society recommends that women at age 35-40 have a baseline or initial mammogram to serve as a basis for future comparisons. Women 40-50 years of age are encouraged to have a mammogram every 1 to 2 years, depending on findings, risk factors, and what their physician recommends. Women over 50 years of age should have a mammogram every year, and possibly more frequently if there is a personal or family history of breast cancer.

To schedule an appointment for a mammogram screening, contact Jane Vicars or Angie Brown at Region VIII Education Service Center between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at (903) 572-8551. For information on FEMCHEC, the radiologist, equipment, procedure, etc., call FEMCHEC at 1-800-888-0978.



Adams Named New Engineer in Atlanta

Darrel "Gene" Adams of Tyler has been named to fill the chief engineering position for the Texas Department of Transportation office in Atlanta. He replaces Lawrence L. Jester, Jr., who retires from the position September 30 after 21 years as district engineer.

Adams currently serves as deputy district engineer in the Tyler District and brings nearly 30 years of departmental experience with him. He is an engineering graduate of Texas A&M

University and was a recipient of the 1990 Dewitt C. Greer Award for achievements in the transportation field.

The Atlanta District covers a nine-county area of Northeast Texas, including Bowie, Camp, Cass, Harrison, Marion, Morris, Panola, Titus and Upshur Counties. It is one of thirteen districts (out of 25 total) that will have new administrators due to retirement of their present district engineers.

Art Students Display Work

Students who took private art lessons from Ms. Gayle Reeder during the summer, displayed some of their oil paintings and pencil drawings in the Bogata School Library last week. Everyone who visited the library enjoyed and admired the fine work done by the students, who are sixth and seventh graders this year. Students who displayed their work were: Pencil drawings- Mitchell Jean and Phillip Rolan; Oil paintings- Jill Foster, Nicole Hervey, Chase Huddleston, Cara Morgan, Lisa Shirley, Tiffany Shupp, Lacy Williams, and Kaylan Bell.



GOLFER- Audra Meredith, a sixth grader at Bogata School, placed third in the Dallas Finals. (Photo by Judy Screws)

Meredith Is Golfer

Audra Meredith, daughter of Sharon and Michael Meredith, of Bogata took her Ping Zing golf clubs to Dallas and placed third in the Dallas Finals Golf Tournament.

Audra is a member of the North Texas Jr. Golfer's Association. In the last two summers she has won eight medals and two trophies in golf tournaments. Mrs. Meredith plays golf, so she coached her daughter in her effort. They play at the Clarksville Golf and Country Club.

In order for Audra to reach the Dallas Finals, it was necessary for her to place in the top 3 at a preliminary tournament at Longview.

Pittman Families Have Reunion

The families of C. W. Pittman, Wilborn Pittman and Ona (Pittman) Fry celebrated their third annual family reunion with a stew on Saturday, September 4th, at the Maple Springs fellowship hall. There were 61 family members in attendance.

On Sunday, September 5th, 91 family members and six visitors enjoyed a lunch and a day of visiting.

Attending were Bill and Becca Austin, Earl and Billie Heitman from Coppell; Verbeth Wyatt, Talco; Duke and Barbara Wyatt, Garland; Kenny, Michelle, Taylor and Torie Howell, Dallas; Charline Black, Frankie and Maxine Harrell, Talco; Danny Black, Paris; Jackie Crowley, Jolee, Justin and Amanda Kirkland, Allen; Samantha and Joshua Roberts, Mt. Pleasant; Butch and Harrolyn Black, Garland; Thelma and Rex Westerman, Talco; Alford Westerman, Lloyd, Penny, Brad, Keith, Kimberly, and Lloyd III Boudreau, Buras, La.; J. D., Christal, and Damian Westerman, Camden, Ark.; James, Denise,

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Visitors were Ray Lou Dameron, Bogata; Opal McAnally, Otis and Estelle Blalock, Mt. Pleasant; Carolyn Gant, Talco; Kevin Goforth, Billings, OK.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT- Donna Stockton, the recipient of a scholarship to Texas A & M University.

Stockton Awarded Texas A&M Scholarship

Donna Stockton, of Bogata, has been awarded the Phi Theta Kappa Barnes and Noble Scholarship by Texas A&M University for the 1993-94 academic year.

Donna, a 1991 graduate of Rivercrest High School, recently transferred from Northeast Texas Community College to Texas A&M where she is working toward a degree in biomedical science in the College of Veterinary Medicine.

Donna is the daughter of Don and Sandra Stockton, of Bogata, the granddaughter of Cecil and Dorothy Stockton of Talco, and the late Rufus and Mell Ward of Bogata.

Editor's Quote Book

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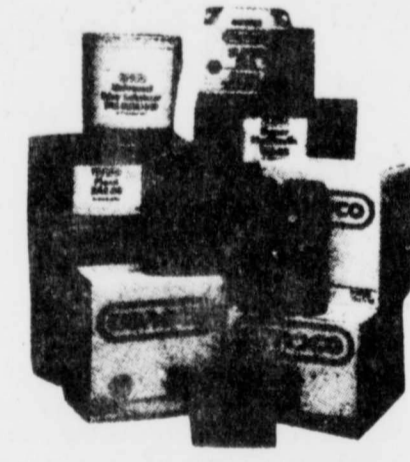
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Country Cooking
 By Judy Screws

This week I am going to feature some recipes which were sent in by 2 nice helpful ladies. Leah Smith Carrell, from Tatum sent Millie's Dish, Gran's Pancakes, and Quick Fix Meal In One. Cathy Reed sent Mixed Salad, Salad dressing, and Sugar Cake. Cathy got here recipes from a friend she corresponds with from Finland.

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Millie's Dish
 By Leah Smith Cartrell
 4 Tbsp. oil
 1 onion chopped
 1 tsp. salt
 1 lb. hamburger
 Sear all together. Add: 1 can tomato sauce and 1 can water. Add 1 pkg cooked, drained spaghetti. Serve with garlic bread.

Quick Fix Meal In One
 1 Round Steak, cut in strips
 1 Bell Pepper, cut in strips
 1 onion-chopped
 4 Tbsp. worcestershire sauce
 salt and pepper
 Sear all together in electric skillet. Pour over Lettuce and Tomato salad. Add 2 cups grated cheddar cheese. Toss well. Best with Wishbone "Santa Fe" salad dressing.

Gran's Pancakes
 1 1/4 cup flour
 1 Tbsp baking powder
 1 Tbsp. Sugar
 1/2 tsp salt
 1 beaten egg
 1 cup sweet milk
 2 Tbsp oil
 Sift dry ingredients. Add eggs, milk and oil. Stir until flour is moist. Batter will be lumpy. Bake on lightly greased griddle.

Mixed Salad
 By Cathy Reed
 1 medium head cabbage
 2-3 tomatoes
 2 small celery stalks
 1 paprika (not ground paprika in a can)
 Scrub the vegetables. Cut the cabbage in small pieces, and the tomatoes into sections. Cut the celery and prika into this "matchstick" pieces and mix all the vegetables together in a bowl.

Salad Dressing
 1 or 2 Tablespoons mustard (prepared)
 1/3 cup lemon juice
 1/3 cup olive oil
 1/8 cup orange juice
 white pepper and salt to taste
 Mix all ingredients together, pour into a shaker bottle and shake well before pouring over salad. Mix gently.

Sugar Cake
 3 medium eggs
 3/4 cup sugar
 1 cup flour
 1 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
 3 ounces melted butter (6 tbsps)
 Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Beat eggs and sugar until foamy. Mix flour and baking powder well and add to the egg/sugar mixture.
 Melt butter and stir into batter. Por into greased and floured cake pan and bake about 50 minutes or until done. Finland recipes by Sirpa Junnikkala, Finland, Europe.

Bereaved Parents Support Group Extends Open Invitation
 An open invitation is extended to bereaved parents, their families and friends. The meetings are held the second Monday of each month in the Paris Public Library Gallery, at 326 South Main, Paris.
 The group knows first-hand the emotions other parents feel and it shares compassion and empathy. Participating in this group will boost your morale and give you a few precious tools to take home and use in combating those "super down days."
 For more information, you may call: Bertha Grimes at 784-7635 or Louise Bryant at 785-4366.

Obituaries

Mary Bell Randolph Dies September 4
 Mary Bell Randolph, 75, of Bogata died Saturday, September 4 in Red River General Hospital.
 Graveside services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday, September 5 in Tuggle Springs Cemetery with the Rev. A.B. Kellam officiating. Burial was under the direction of Wood Funeral Home of Bogata.
 Mrs. Randolph was born February 15, 1918 in Tom, OK, the daughter of Sterling and Catherine Jackson.
 She is survived by one daughter, Mary White of Negley; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.
 Bearers were J.R. Jackson, Gerald Jackson, Tommy White, Jimmy White, Gerald Moore and Willie Brown.

John Castleman Dies August 28
 John E. Castleman, 89, of Detroit died Saturday, August 28 in Paris Nursing Center.
 Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday, August 30 at Blanton Creek Cemetery with Wesley O'Donnell officiating. Clarksville Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.
 Mr. Castleman was born February 14, 1904 in Bagwell, a son of John and Jessie Kelley Castleman. He was a retired farmer.
 Surviving are his wife, Hatie; a daughter, Auther Castleman of Detroit; a daughter, Wanda Jean Kennedy of Celina; a sister, Julie Bob Petras of Albuquerque, NM; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Bernice Crawford Dies September 3
 Bernice Crawford, 86 of Clarksville died September 3 in Red River General Hospital.
 Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 5 in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with the Rev. A.B. Kellam and the Rev. Mike House officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.
 She was born January 14, 1907, a daughter of James and Fannie Castleberry Ford. She was a homemaker and a member of the McKenzie Memorial United Methodist Church.
 Surviving are three sons, B.J. Crawford of Bogata, Nathan Crawford of Ft. Worth and Johnny Crawford of Paris; three daughters, Jacqueline Campbell of Clarksville, Frankie Simmons of Granbury and Sue Partin of Center; two sisters, Ruby Crawford of Paris and Zona Bailey of Paris; 26 grandchildren; 51 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Geneology Meeting To Be September 13
 The regular monthly meeting of the Red River County Geneology Society will be Monday, September 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Red River County Library, Clarksville.
 Speakers for this month will be Zelda Fisher and Yvonne Choate, both of Cooper, who co-chaired the family history section of the Delta County History book and who wrote "My Grandpa May Be Your Grandpa Too".
 All interested in researching their family tree are invited to attend this meeting.

Annual Red River Co. Stew Cook-Off To Be Held Sept. 11th
 The annual Red River County Stew Cook-Off will be held Saturday, September 11th, at the Fairgrounds in Clarksville.
 The Cook-Off is a major fundraiser for the County Fair. It is open to all organizations, clubs or individuals residing in Red River County. Trophies and cash prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners. Plaques will be awarded in the Showmanship Division and also for the best skit.
 Along with the Stew Cook-Off, a Sweet Shop Bake Sale, sponsored by the Extension Homemakers Council, will be held under the pavillion. A Cake/Craft Auction will be held at 6:00 p.m.
 Bowls for the "all you can eat" stew supper will go on sale at 4:30 p.m., and serving will begin at 5:00 p.m. The cost will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for youth.
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Who's New

Cody Blake is the name given to the son born to Lyle and Kathy Williams, of Bogata. He was born August 29, 1993, and weighed 8 lbs. 6 Oz. Grandparents are Carolyn and Monroe Lester of Paris and Bobby and Betty Williams, of Bogata. He has one sister, Ashley and one brother Brandon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Bice

Guess-Bice Exchange Vows

Kathy Ann Whittle Guess of Deport and Lee Roy Bice of Dumas exchanged wedding vows at 7 p.m. Saturday, August 21 at the home of Bill and Nancy Gresham in Deport.

Rev. Chief Warden performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Ruth Whittle of Deport and the late Jinks Whittle. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Faye Elmore of Deport.

The groom is the son of Henry Bice and the late Mrs. Henry Bice of Forney, TX.

The ceremony was performed in the carport, which was decorated with green plants and hanging baskets, peach and mint colored ribbons and an arch of peach carnations and greenery. The guest register was presided over by Susan Whittle, niece of the bride. The table was draped in peach. To complete the setting, a guest book, china bride doll and ceramic doves accented the table.

The bride was escorted by her brothers, Larry and Jeff Whittle and given in marriage by her family. She wore a two piece ivory brocade satin street length dress with elbow length sleeves. The dress was accented with an ivory colored string of pearls and pearl and gold earrings. Her hairpiece was an ivory comb adorned with roses and ribbons. She carried a

cascade bouquet of peach carnations, baby's breath and greenery.

Attending the bride was her mother, Ruth Whittle.

Brittany and Courtney Filkins, nieces of the bride, were flowergirls. Floyd Bice of Forney, brother of the groom, was best man.

Wedding music was provided by Tim Wood, who played and sang "Unexpected Song." Crystal Francis played pre-recorded music of George Strait's "I Cross My Heart" and she sang "(Everything I do) I Do It For You" to pre-recorded music.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held. The bride's table was decorated in peach and mint colors, featuring a multi-tiered cake, lime and orange sherbet punch, a crystal candelabra centerpiece and a picture of the bride and groom. Serving were Sharon Francis, Nancy Gresham, Nell Wolfe and Sue Sheppard.

The groom's table was laid with a white tablecloth, set with the chocolate groom's cake, decorated with a hard hat, shovel and sack of cement. A sterling silver coffee set and peach and mint centerpiece adorned the table. Serving at the groom's table was Penny Whittle, niece of the bride.

Following a wedding trip to Colorado and points of interest, the couple will make their home in Deport.



Mrs. William 'Bo' Hervey

Wilking and Hervey Exchange Vows

Sherri Jo Wilking and James William "Bo" Hervey were married August 28 at the First United Methodist Church in Frisco, Texas.

Parents are Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Wilking of Ball, La., and Mr. & Mrs. Buford Hervey of Johntown. Maternal grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Preston Gaspard of Ball, La.

Honor attendants were the bride's cousin, Tonya Edministon of Bedford, and Mike Cockerham of Denton. Bridesmaids were Angie Eathorne of Austin and Debbie English of Lubbock. Traci Woodward of Longview was Jr. bridesmaid, and Brittany Edministon was flowergirl.

Groomsmen were Lance Baker of Ft. Worth and Paul Bretsen of Omaha, Neb. Bob Wilking, brother of the bride from Wichita, Kansas, Bobby Harried of Victoria, and Paul Cedars of Houston were ushers. Patrick Denny of Irving was Jr. groomsmen and Michael Wilking was ringbearer.

The bride is a graduate of Carrollton High School and the groom is a graduate of Sabine High School and the University of Texas. They are both employed by Watson Foods, a division of White Swan.

The reception was held in Stonebriar Country Club in Frisco. After a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will reside in Frisco.

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Alford Family Reunion Planned

A reunion for the descendants of William Henry and Katie Bell Childress Alford will be held on Sunday, October 3, at the Bogata Community Center. It will be a covered dish luncheon. All relatives and friends are invited to come out between 11:30 and 3:00 o'clock and enjoy the festivities.

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Johntown Locals

By Jana Hawkins
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A Labor Day get together on Monday at the home of Drue and Billie Pirtle was enjoyed by The hosts, Clay and Lana Pirtle, Ran, Susan, Lisa, Kim, Jill, and Chris Shirley; Mar, Jana, Haley, and Heather Hawkins, Myra and Holly Jean, Robin, Jesse, and Kyla Harville, Dana Anderson, Ricky and Jamie Daniels, donald, Freda, Sarah, and Mitchell Jean.

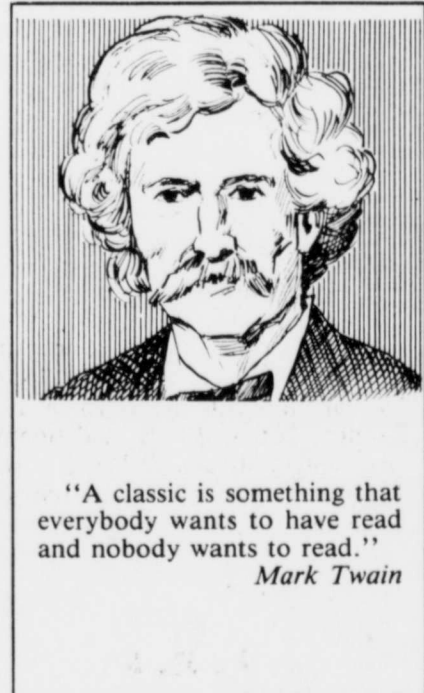
Douglas and Robbie Hawkins enjoyed a week end in Arkansas with Randy, Sheila, Stephanie, and Paige Hawkins.

Mark, Jana, Haley, and Heather Hawkins enjoyed a day at Bob Sandlin Lake on Sunday.

Bobby and Lisa McCuller, of Pittsburg visited Wednesday with Lucille

Childers.

Weekend visitors of Lucille Childers were Kenny, Cindy, and Kurt Hawkins, of El Dorado, Ar., Billy, Janet, Matt and Trevor Hawkins, of Oklahoma City, Richard, Marla, Rachael, and Jennifer Mitcham, of El Dorado, Toni Combest, of Pittsburg, Doug and Robbie Hawkins, of Bogata, Karen and Seth Hawkins, Jan McCuller, Erin and Mally McCuller, of Mt. Pleasant, Mark, Jana, Haley, and Heather Hawkins, of Johntown, Melanie Combest and Becky Baxley, of Longview, Kelly, Judy, Cassie, Emily, and Kyle McCuller, of Talco, Cheryl Rogers, of Irving and Lisa Allen, of Clarksville.



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 Church Training 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Auxiliary 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Service 7 p.m.

LONE STAR CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST
 Don Showan
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BOGATA CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Sunday Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BOGATA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Robert Bush
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 5-7 p.m.

CUTHAND METHODIST CHURCH
 Robert Bush
 Worship Each Sunday 10 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Services 6:30 p.m.
 Bible Study Wednesday

MAPLE SPRINGS MISSIONARY BAPTIST
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 5:30 p.m.

HARRIS CHAPEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST
 Alvin Blalock
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 5 p.m.

HARRIS CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
 Wesley Vandever
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Sunday Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

TALCO CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bro. Brett Castle
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Choir Practice 5:30 p.m.
 Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study-R.A.'s 7 p.m.

TALCO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Perry Johnson, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 BTS 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:45 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 6:30 p.m.

BOGATA ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Mark Jones, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

BOGATA CHURCH OF GOD
 Rev. Rocky Stephenson
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship 5 p.m.
 Wednesday 7 p.m.

BOGATA FREE HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Elvis McGraw
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Gospel Message 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

TALCO BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD
 Bishop D.L. Smith

TALCO CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Bro. Dub Mowery
 Sunday Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Class 7 p.m.

TALCO ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Tim Jones
 Call to Worship 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Extra Curricular Services 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

DEPORT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Tim Brown
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

DEPORT FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
 Dr. L.C. Stout
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Training Union 6 p.m.
 Worship 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Worship and R.A. 7 p.m.

DEPORT FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Chief Warden
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.

DEPORT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Rev. Tom Foley
 Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
 Sunday School 10 a.m.

DEPORT CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Cecil Allen
 Sunday Bible School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

DEPORT HOUSE OF PRAYER
 Assistant Pastor, David Ham
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

JOHNTOWN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Baptist Training Course 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:45 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

PATTONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Mel Murphy
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

ROSALIE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Robert Bush
 Sunday School & Worship 9 a.m.

BLOSSOM OAK HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
 Leon Gassiney

ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH
 New Location-Minter Church
 Tony Corso
 Morning Worship: 10:00 a.m.
 Evening Services 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

BLOSSOM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Burgie Thompson
 Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Church Training 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.

EAST POST OAK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 E.R. Reynolds
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Training Service 6 p.m.
 Worship Service 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Steven Keen
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF GOD
 Rev. Larry Bridges

BLOSSOM FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Bob Smith, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
 Youth Service at 5 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
 Adult Choir 8 p.m.
 Elementary Choir 6 p.m. - Toddler Choir 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF NAZARENE
 Lyndell McDaniel, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bruce Bear, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Training Union 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

FULBRIGHT CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Randy Miller
 Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
 Wednesday Service 6:30 p.m.

FULBRIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH
 J.E. Clark
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 6 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM LIFE TABERNACLE CHURCH
 Duane and Libby Stewart
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Services 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Chad Barnes, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM UNITED METHODIST
 Chief Warden
 Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Every Sunday

DETROIT FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Claude Plunk, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Women's Ministry 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
 Royal Rangers & Missionettes 7:00 p.m.

DETROIT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Hugh Gibbs, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union/Choir 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

DETROIT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Landon Winstead, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

DETROIT CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

LONGSTREET BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bobby O'Neal, Pastor
 First Sunday Services 11:00 a.m.

MARTIN MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST
 Steve Barrett, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Arthur Jefferson, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Monday Prayer & Bible Study 6:45 p.m.
 Mission Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
 Choir Rehearsal Thursday 6:45 p.m.

DETROIT UNION BAPTIST CHURCH
 Eric Furch, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Second and Fourth Sunday Service 11:00 a.m.
 Longstreet & Union combine Bible Study on Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

WOODLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Steve Barrett, Pastor
 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

MENNONITE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
 Delton Wadel, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Mid-week Worship 7:30 p.m.

LAKE CHAPEL CHURCH
 Rev. James Martin, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
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New Head Of Housekeeping Hired At Red River Haven

Clementine Black of Clarksville, TX has been hired as Housekeeping Supervisor at Red River Haven Nursing Home, Bogata.

She is a Paris High School graduate and has three children: Mary, Rachel and Chris. Mary is a senior at Clarksville High School; Rachel lives in Paris with her two children; and Chris is a pastor; and three

grandchildren.

She is a member of Saint Luke Baptist Church in Paris and enjoys reading and playing bingo.

Ms. Black stated, "I love working at Red River Haven. I feel right at home. This is a nice place for the residents to live. My goal is to continue to make their home a nice place for them to live."



CLEMENTINE BLACK was recently hired at Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata to head up the housekeeping department. (Photo by Judy Screws)



Eunice Turner

Red River Haven Resident Of The Week



Eunice Turner was born November 10, 1910, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Becton. She was raised in the Cypress Community near Winnsboro. She attended school until the 10th grade. That was as far as she could go without leaving home and attending school elsewhere.

Eunice lived in the same community as her husband, Pleas Turner, and they knew each other for a number of years before they married on November 27, 1930, on Thanksgiving Day.

Eunice and Pleas worked for Mr. Hubert Hightower in his Variety store in Mt. Vernon. He offered them a job in Bogata. They moved to Bogata to work in the store located on the north end of town beside the Nort Gibson building. The store was later moved to what is now the Movie Shoppe. The store was sold and they moved back to Mt. Berton. They were very unhappy and decided to return to Bogata. Mr. Kirk McDonald built a grocery store where the Rebel Car Wash now stands, so they stayed and ran it. She said there were 13 grocery stores in Bogata at that time.

In those days it was considered inappropriate for a woman to work in a business but she did it anyway. About this time WWII began and Pleas was shipped out. Eunice continued working. She worked at the

Variety Store and the Movie Theatre here in town. She was the manager of the Lewis Variety store, where the old Bogata Post Office was. During the war, Eunice remembers driving to Louisiana when her husband was there to visit with him. She remembers the Christmas in 1946 when she and her friends all dressed up just to go to Louisiana just so they could spend Christmas together.

As the war came to an end, Pleas and Eunice bought the Dry Good Store from Mr. Lewis. They decided to build their own building and it cost \$10,000.00 to build the entire store. Mr. Ona Hudson built it for them. It had to be furnished and she said they walked across the street carrying what they could by hand and then used trucks to move the rest of the inventory.

Most people probably remember where Turner's Dry Good Store was when it went of business, but if you don't, it is now part of the Bogata True Value Store. Mrs. Turner moved to Plano in Heritage Manor Nursing Home but returned to Bogata in 1992 to become a resident of Red River Haven.

She enjoys football and baseball, soap operas, and she loves to sing. Mrs. Turner is also a resident volunteer.

Lunch Menu

Talco-Bogata Schools
Lunch Menu
September 13-17, 1993

Monday
Fish Portion
Cole Slaw
Potatoes
Cornbread
Milk

Tuesday
Nachos
Chili Cheese Sauce
Salad
Fruit Cup
Milk

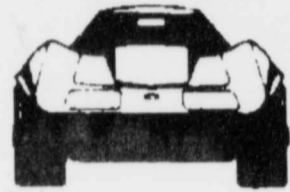
Wednesday
Ham and Cheese Sandwich
Seasoned Beans
Pickles
Cookies
Milk

Thursday
Chicken and Spaghetti
Salad
Fruit
Crackers
Milk

Friday
Hamburgers
Burger Salad
Seasoned Beans
Chips
Ice Cream
Milk

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—Franklin P. Jones



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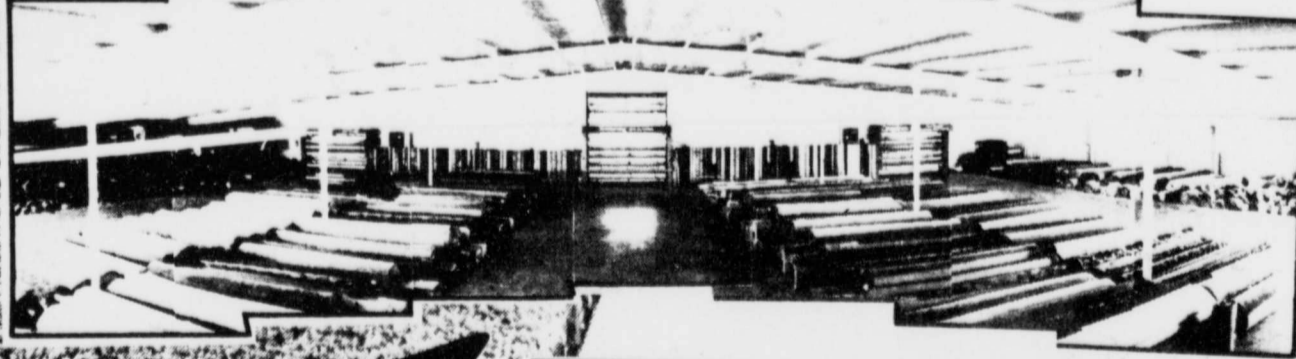


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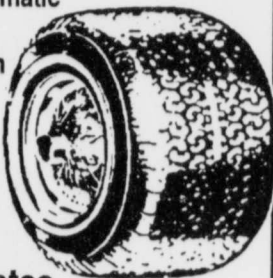
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SAT-ACT WORKSHOP- Mr. Bill Smith from Paris passes out practice test materials to students at Rivercrest to prepare them for testing. He will also be instructing them on registration procedures. (Photo by Judy Screws)



STUDENT COUNCIL officers at Rivercrest High School for the 1993-94 school term are:

President, Misty Taylor; Vice-President, Kyle Kennedy; Sec.-Treas., Teri Speir; and Parliamentarian, Ashley Ross. (Photo by Judy Screws)

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 2, 1993

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 9 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Texas Legislature to provide for the issuance of bonds for the state financing of start-up costs for historically underutilized businesses. The amendment provides that the legislature by law may establish a Texas historically underutilized business capital growth and start-up fund. The money in the fund may be used without further appropriation and only for a program established by the legislature to aid in the start-up costs of a historically underutilized business, as defined by the legislature. To carry out the program, the legislature may issue up to \$50 million of general obligation bonds to provide funding. The legislature may require review and approval of the issuance of bonds, the use of the bond proceeds, or of the rules adopted by an agency to govern use of the bond proceeds. Bonds authorized by the amendment constitute a general obligation of the state.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the issuance of \$50 million of general obligation bonds for the recovery and further development of the state's economy and for increasing job opportunities and other benefits for Texas residents through state financing of the start-up costs of historically underutilized businesses."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 86 proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature, by general law, to exempt from ad valorem taxation all or part of real and personal property used, constructed, acquired, or installed wholly or partly to meet or exceed rules or regulations adopted by any environmental protection agency of the United States, Texas, or a political subdivision of this state for the prevention, monitoring, control, or reduction of air, water, or land pollution. The amendment applies to real and personal property used as a facility, device, or method for the control of air, water, or land pollution that would otherwise be taxable for the first time on or after January 1, 1994. The amendment does not authorize the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real or personal property that was subject to a tax abatement agreement executed before January 1, 1994.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to promote the reduction of pollution and to encourage the preservation of jobs by authorizing the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real and personal property used for the control of air, water, or land pollution."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 3 proposes a constitutional amendment to clear land titles in which the State of Texas relinquishes and releases any claim of sovereign ownership or title to an undivided one-third interest in and to the lands and minerals within the Shelby, Frazier, and McCormick League (now located in Fort Bend and Austin counties) arising out of the interest in that league originally granted under the Mexican Colonization Law of 1823 to John McCormick on or about July 24, 1824, and subsequently owned by the governing body of Austin's Original Colony on or about December 15, 1830. Title to such interest in the lands and minerals is confirmed to the owners of the remaining interests in such lands and minerals.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the clearing of land titles by the release of a state claim in a fractional interest, arising out of the voiding of an interest under a Mexican land grant, to the owners of certain property in Fort Bend and Austin counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 49 proposes a constitutional amendment that would prohibit a state personal income tax without voter approval and would dedicate the proceeds of any income tax, if enacted, to property tax relief and education. The amendment provides that a general law enacted by the legislature that imposes a tax on the net incomes of natural persons, including a person's share of partnership and unincorporated association income, must provide that the portion of the law imposing the tax not take effect until approved by a majority of the registered voters in a statewide referendum held on the question of imposing the tax. The referendum must specify the rate of the tax that will apply to taxable income.

The amendment also provides that a general law enacted by the legislature that increases the rate of the tax, or changes the tax in a manner that results in an increase in the combined income tax liability of all persons subject to the tax, may not take effect until approved by a majority of the registered voters voting in a statewide referendum held on the question of increasing the income tax. The referendum must specify the manner in which the proposed law would increase the combined tax liability of all persons subject to the tax. The legislature may repeal, or amend without increasing, a tax approved by the voters without submitting the amendment or the repeal to the voters. If the legislature repeals a tax approved by the voters, the legislature may only reenact the tax without voter approval if the effective date of the reenactment of the tax is within one year of the effective date of the repeal of the tax.

The amendment also provides that, in the first year in which an income tax is imposed, and during the first year of any increase in the tax, not less than two-thirds of all net revenues from the tax shall be used to reduce the rate of ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes levied for the support of primary and secondary education. In subsequent years, not less than two-thirds of all net revenues of the tax shall be used to continue such ad valorem tax relief. The net revenues of the tax remaining after the deduction of money for reduction of ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes shall be used for support of education. The maximum rate at which a school district may impose ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes is reduced by an amount equal to one cent per \$100 valuation for each one cent per \$100 valuation that the school district's ad valorem maintenance and operation tax is reduced by the minimum amount of money dedicated under the amendment, provided that a school district may subsequently increase the maximum ad valorem maintenance and operation tax rate if the increased maximum rate is approved by a majority of the voters of the school district voting at an election called and held for that purpose. The portions of the amendment relating to dedicating tax revenues to reduce the rate of ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes apply on or after the first January 1 after the date on which an income tax takes effect, except that if the income tax begins to apply on a January 1, the amendment applies to ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes levied on or after that date.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment prohibiting a personal income tax without voter approval and, if an income tax is enacted, dedicating the revenue to education and limiting the rate of local school taxes."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 18 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to prescribe the qualifications of sheriffs. Currently, the constitution authorizes the legislature to prescribe the duties, perquisites, and fees of office, but not the qualifications for the office of sheriff.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to prescribe the qualifications of sheriffs."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would abolish the office of county surveyor in Jackson County. The amendment also provides for the powers, duties, and functions of the county surveyor to be transferred to the county officer designated by the commissioners court.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment abolishing the office of county surveyor in Jackson County."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 57 proposes a constitutional amendment that repeals article XII, section 6, of the Texas Constitution, which currently provides that no corporation shall issue stock or bonds except for money paid, labor done, or property actually received, and that all fictitious increase of stock or indebtedness shall be void.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment repealing certain restrictions on the ability of corporations to raise capital."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the commissioners court of McLennan County to call an election to abolish the office of county surveyor. If a majority of the qualified voters of McLennan County voting on the question favor the abolition, the office of county surveyor is abolished, the amendment requires the maps, field notes, and other records in the custody of the county surveyor to be transferred to the county clerk of McLennan County. After abolition, the amendment also grants the commissioners court of McLennan County the authority to employ or contract with a qualified person to perform any of the functions that would have been performed by the county surveyor if the office had not been abolished.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in McLennan County."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 19 proposes an amendment to article VIII, section 13 of the Texas Constitution that would modify the provisions for the redemption of real property sold at a tax sale. The amendment deletes current language in article VIII, section 13 that allows the legislature to provide for the sale of property without trial to pay for delinquent taxes. It also states that the deed to the new owner vests a good and perfect title subject only to redemption as set out in this amendment or impeachment for fraud. Language is added limiting application of the current two-year redemption period to former owners of residence homesteads and land designated for agricultural use sold for unpaid taxes. When property is sold as the result of a suit to enforce collection of unpaid taxes, the amendment would allow the legislature to limit redemption to property used as a residence homestead or designated for agricultural use at the time the suit was filed. The amendment creates a second type of redemption for former owners of real property when property is neither a residence homestead, nor designated for agricultural use. These owners would have a six-month period in which to redeem their property by paying the amount of money paid for the property, including the Tax Deed Recording Fee, all taxes, penalties, interest, and costs paid plus an amount not exceeding 25 percent of the aggregate total. The amendment applies to redemption of properties sold at a tax sale for which the purchaser's deed is filed on or after January 1, 1994. For redemption of properties sold at a tax sale for which the purchaser's deed was filed before January 1, 1994, the former law is applicable and remains in effect.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to modify the provisions for the redemption of real property sold at a tax sale."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment that adds a

new section 49-b-2 to article III of the Texas Constitution. This new section provides that, in addition to the general obligation bonds authorized to be issued and sold by the Veterans' Land Board (the "Board") by sections 49-b (\$950 million) and 49-b-1 (\$1.3 billion) of article III, the board may provide for, issue, and sell general obligation bonds of the state in an amount not to exceed \$750 million to provide financing to Texas veterans. \$250 million of the bonds authorized by this new section shall be used to augment the Veterans' Land Fund (the "Land Fund"). The Land Fund shall be used by the Board to purchase lands situated in Texas owned by the United States government, an agency of the United States government, the State of Texas, a political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas, or a person, firm, or corporation. The lands shall be sold to veterans in quantities, on terms, at prices, and at fixed, variable, floating, or other rates of interest determined by the Board. Lands in the Land Fund that are offered for sale to veterans and that are not sold may be sold or resold to the purchasers in quantities, terms, prices, and rates of interest determined by the Board.

New section 49-b-2 creates the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund II (the "Housing Fund II"), and \$500 million of the general obligation bonds authorized by the section shall be used for the Housing Fund II. The Housing Fund II is a separate and distinct fund from the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund (the "Housing Fund") established under section 49-b-1 of article III. Money in the Housing Fund II shall be administered by the Board and shall be used to make home mortgage loans to veterans for housing within this state in quantities, on terms, and at fixed, variable, floating, or other rates of interest determined by the Board. The principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds authorized by this section for the benefit of the Housing Fund II shall be paid out of the money of the Housing Fund II. The principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds authorized by section 49-b-1 of article III for the benefit of the Housing Fund shall be paid out of money in the Housing Fund, or the Housing Fund II, as the case may be, available to pay the principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds authorized by this section or by sections 49-b or 49-b-1 of article III, there is appropriated out of the first fiscal year an amount that is sufficient to pay the principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds that mature or become due during that fiscal year.

If the Board determines that assets from the Land Fund, the Housing Fund, or the Housing Fund II are not required for purposes of the fund, the Board may transfer the assets to another of those funds or use the assets to secure revenue bonds issued by the Board. The revenue bonds shall be special obligations of the Board and payable only from and secured by receipts of the funds, assets transferred from the funds, and other revenues as determined by the Board and shall not constitute indebtedness of the State of Texas or the Board. The Board may issue revenue bonds from time to time, which bonds may not exceed an aggregate principal amount that the Board determines can be fully retired from the receipts of the funds. The revenue bonds shall be sold in forms, denominations, and in installments, and bear a rate or rates of interest as the Board determines. The general obligation bonds authorized to be issued by the Board by this section or by sections 49-b and 49-b-1 of article III shall be issued and sold in forms and denominations, on terms, in the manner, at places, in installments, and shall bear a rate or rates of interest the Board determines. The bonds shall be incontestable after execution by the Board, approval by the Attorney General of Texas, and delivery to the purchaser.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing issuance of \$750 million in general obligation bonds to augment the Veterans' Land Fund and the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund and to fund the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund II."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 31 proposes a constitutional amendment relating to the duties of trustees of local retirement systems which provide retirement and related disability and death benefits for public officers and employees and that do not belong to a statewide retirement system. The amendment provides that the

board of trustees of such a system shall (1) administer the system of benefits; (2) hold the assets of the system for the exclusive purposes of providing benefits to participants and their beneficiaries and defraying reasonable expenses of administering the system; and (3) select legal counsel and an actuary and adopt sound actuarial assumptions to be used by the system.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing that the trustees of a local pension system must administer the system for the benefit of the system's participants and beneficiaries."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 23 proposes a constitutional amendment providing that any person accused of a violent or sexual offense committed while under the supervision of a criminal justice agency of this state or a political subdivision of this state for a prior felony may, after a hearing and evidence substantially showing the guilt of the accused, be denied bail pending trial. If the accused is not, however, accorded a trial within 60 days from the time of his incarceration upon the accusation or indictment, the order denying bail shall be set aside unless a continuance is obtained upon the request of the accused. In the amendment, the term "violent offense" means murder, aggravated assault (if a deadly weapon was used or exhibited during the commission of the assault), aggravated kidnapping, or aggravated robbery. The term "sexual offense" means aggravated sexual assault, sexual assault, or indecency with a child.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment permitting the denial of bail to certain persons charged with certain violent or sexual offenses committed while under the supervision of a criminal justice agency of the state or a political subdivision of the state."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 13 proposes a constitutional amendment that amends article VII, section 17(a), of the Texas Constitution to provide that, of the \$100 million currently appropriated by that section for the use of public institutions of higher education during each fiscal year, those institutions may also utilize this money to pay for acquiring, constructing, or equipping or for major repair or rehabilitation of buildings, facilities, other permanent improvements, or capital equipment used jointly for educational and general activities and for auxiliary enterprises to the extent of their use for educational and general activities. For the five-year period beginning on September 1, 2000, and for each five-year period thereafter, the legislature, during a regular session that is nearest, but preceding, a five-year period may, by a two-thirds vote of the membership of each house, increase the amount of the \$100 million constitutional appropriation for the five-year period. The amendment also reflects name changes that have been made to some of the institutions of higher education for which such funding is available.

The amendment adds the Texas State Technical College System to those institutions eligible to receive such funding, but limits its allocation of the annual appropriation to 2.2 percent of the total appropriation each fiscal year. The amendment also provides that each governing board authorized to participate in the distribution of money under article III, section 17, may also issue bonds and notes for the purposes of refunding bonds or notes issued under that section or prior law for the purposes of acquiring capital equipment, library books and library materials, paying for acquiring, constructing, or equipping or for major repair or rehabilitation of buildings, facilities, other permanent improvements, or capital equipment used jointly for educational and general activities and for auxiliary enterprises to the extent of their use for educational and general activities. The amendment deletes language in article III, section 17, which authorizes the legislature to designate a single agency to issue such bonds or notes in lieu of the governing bodies, and to transfer to that agency the authority to collect and pledge money to the payment of such bonds and notes as directed by the governing body of each eligible institution. Funds appropriated under article III, section 17, may not be used for the purpose of constructing, equipping, repairing, or rehabilitating buildings or other permanent im-

provements that are to be used only for student housing, intercollegiate athletics, or auxiliary enterprises.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment relating to the amount and expenditure of certain constitutionally dedicated funding for public institutions of higher education."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 45 proposes a constitutional amendment that adds a new subsection (e) to article III, section 49-h, of the Texas Constitution. The new subsection provides that, in addition to the amounts authorized by subsections (a) (\$500 million), (c) (\$400 million), and (d) (\$1.1 billion) of section 49-h, the legislature may authorize the issuance of up to \$1 billion in general obligation bonds and may use the proceeds of the bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new corrections institutions, including youth corrections institutions, and mental health and mental retardation institutions and for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of those corrections and mental health and mental retardation facilities. The amendment also provides that the provisions of subsection (a) of section 49-h, relating to the review and approval of bonds, and the provisions of subsection (b) of section 49-h, relating to the status of the bonds as a general obligation of the state and to the manner in which the principal and interest on the bonds are paid, apply to bonds authorized by this amendment.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1 billion in general obligation bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for projects relating to facilities of corrections and mental health and mental retardation institutions."

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 37 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the county commissioners court of a county to call an election to abolish the office of county surveyor. If a majority of voters of the county voting in the election approve the measure, the office of county surveyor is abolished, the maps, field notes, and other records of the county surveyor are transferred to the commissioners court.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to permit the voters of a county to decide, at an election called by the commissioners court, whether to abolish the office of county surveyor in the county."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

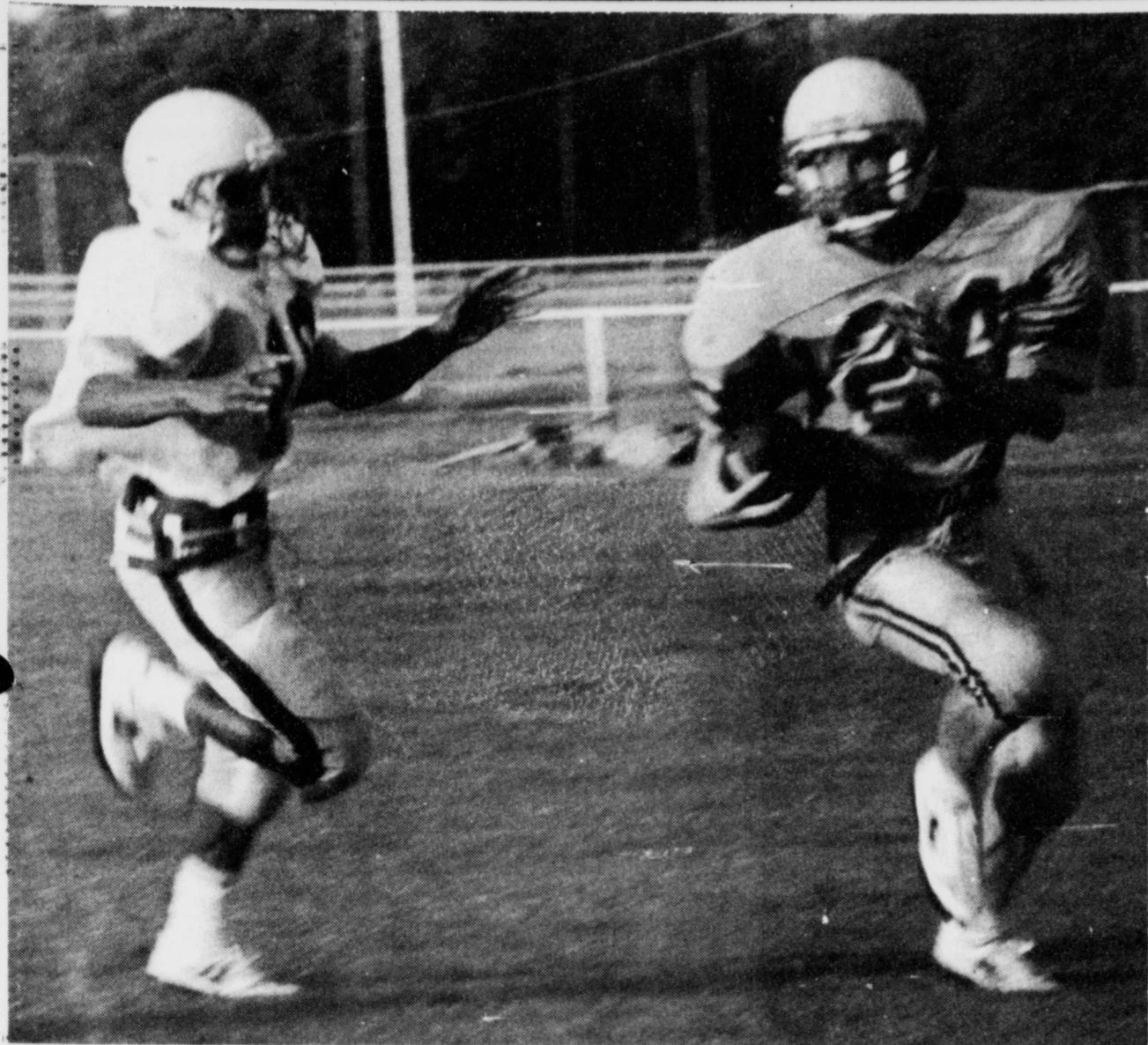
Senate Joint Resolution 44 proposes an amendment to article III, section 49-j(b) of the Texas Constitution, which currently limits the principal amount of bonds outstanding at one time for Texas agricultural fund to \$25 million and for the rural microenterprise development fund to \$5 million. The amendment would raise the principal amount limit for the Texas agricultural fund to \$100 million. The amendment would also make the principal amount limit for each fund apply to the total principal amounts of both bonds and notes issued or sold rather than just the principal amounts of bonds outstanding at one time.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing up to a total of \$100 million in bonds and notes to be issued or sold to finance the Texas agricultural fund for providing financial assistance to develop, increase, improve, or expand the production, processing, marketing, or export of crops or products grown or produced primarily in this state by agricultural businesses domiciled in the state."

Este es el informe explanatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitucion que aparecera en la boleta el dia 2 de noviembre de 1993. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711

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Rivercrest Loses to Tyler Street 26-6

By Michael Noble

Duncanville- The Rivercrest season started with a loss to Tyler Street Christian Academy on Friday September 3. The final score was 26-6.

The Rebel defense held back the Crusaders most of the 1st quarter. The Crusaders then scored in a 12 yard burst.

The Rebels scored their only touch-

down in the 4th quarter, when Juan Torres ran it in for two yards. The Rebels recovered a fumble from the 40 yard line to set up that touchdown.

When asked what he thought about the game, Coach Swann commented, "I felt that our kids showed a lot of character by coming out and keeping them scoreless the

second half. We can still be a good ball club, but our kids must learn from this game. We played probably the best team we will this season, with the exception of Honey Grove."

Rivercrest will face Fannindel next Friday at Rebel Stadium. Kickoff is at 8:00 p.m.

← YOUNG TEAM-The Rivercrest Junior Varsity team met the Chisum Mustangs last Thursday, losing the contest 22-6. The young team shows potential, and everyone is encouraged to support the team. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

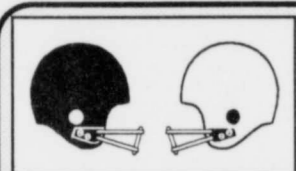
Martins Host Birthday Supper

Nicole Hervey was honored with a birthday supper at the home of Joe and Alice Martin on Thursday, September 2. Mexican food was served. Those attending were grandparents Alice and Joe Martin, Dewayne and Nancy Martin, Jimmy and Nancy Puckett, Amy Hervey, Shad Day, Lacy Williams, Lisa, Neil, Katie, and Jeremy Mankins, Ellen, Barry, Joey and Jessie Hanna, Dennis, Janice, Chad, Eric, and Aaron Martin, and Sue Ann Williams. Nicole's favorite cake was made by her Memaw Martin.

On Labor Day, Joe and Alice Martin hosted a fish fry. Guests attending were: Jim and Louise Hodges, Gaston and Roberta Puckett, J.C. and Mary Jo Whatley, Jimmy and Nancy Puckett, Dennis, Janice, Chad, Eric, and Aaron Martin, Sue and Lacy Williams, Amy and Nicole Hervey, Shad Day, Ellen, Barry, Joey, and Jessie, Hanna, Neil, Lessa, Katie, and Jeremy Mankins.

Man is meant for happiness and this happiness is in him, in the satisfaction of the daily needs of his existence.

—Leo Tolstoy



Rebel

Sports Report

JV Boys Fall To Chisum

On Thursday, September 2, the Rivercrest Junior Varsity football team met Chisum at home.

The Rebels' only score came on a pass from halfback Dusty Baer to Chesley Baird, who carried the ball for a 90 yard touchdown.

The score stood at 8-6 and the young Rebels were on the goal line, fourth down, when an option right play failed, turning the ball over to the Mustangs.

The Rebels' game went downhill from there. Fumbles and recoveries

by both teams plagued the remainder of the game, as the Rebel backs couldn't find the holes in the line.

The final score will go down as 22-6, Chisum.

The potential for a good team is evident in the young Rebel team, and will become apparent as the season progresses.

The JV will play Mt. Vernon there on Thursday, September 9 at 5 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support this young team.

Lady Rebels Take Part In Cross-Country

The Rivercrest Lady Rebels Varsity Cross-Country Team participated in the Marcus High School Cross-Country Invitational.

Kathy Hinsley finished 7th with a time of 14:20.

Jana Weatherall, Ashley Ross and

Amber Spencer also ran in the meet. They finished 37th, 38th and 44th respectively.

The Ladies will run this Saturday at U.T. Tyler in the Robert E. Lee High School Cross-Country Invitational.

Red River Haven Welcomes Therapists To Staff

Recent additions to the staff at Red River Haven Nursing Home are Occupational Therapist, Bobby Brannen, and Physical Therapist, "Bing" Tan.

Bobby works for the Beverly Enterprises Nursing Homes in Bogata and Clarksville. He lives in Paris. Mr. Brannen, who is 37 years old and single, says that the U.S. Air Force educated him for Occupational Therapy, and he worked in a 1,000 bed hospital for 11 years.

Bobby's step father, Donald R. O'Donnell lives in Bogata, so he's been coming to Bogata to visit and hunt for 20 years. He has made many friends here. Along with hunting, his hobbies include shooting for target

practice, collecting movies and music.

"Bing" Tan lives in Paris. He was previously employed at St. Joseph's Hospital, and Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Tan's wife, Myrna is an R.N. at St. Joseph's. They have 2 children, J.r. who is 5 years old and Sabrina Mae, 2 1/2 Months.

Fourth Graders Study African American's Ancestry

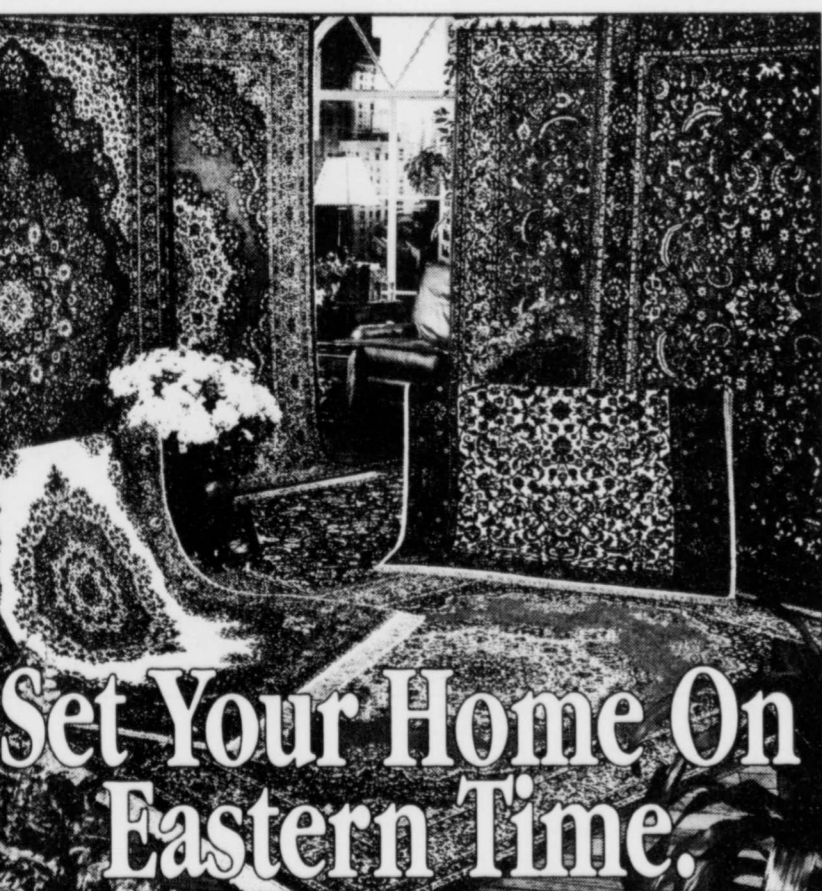
(After much deliberation, it was decided by Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Jordan that this paper written by Kayla Belcher best describes their activities while studying *The African American Culture*. The paper is printed exactly as written by Kayla.)

On September 1, 1993, the fourth grade ate cornbread and blackeyed peas, corn and home made (school made) butter! They ate these wonderful food in be-half of their weekly story "Kwanzar." In the story "Kwanzar" is a celebration that African Americans celebrate to remember their

ancestor and to honor them. In the story the African Americans eat the cornbread, blackeyed peas, corn, and butter as a feast. The cornbread & corn represented how many children were in the family and work and responsibility and the blackeyed pea is for good luck.

As the fourth grade class eat the foods it seemed like they were celebrating "Kwanzar" with the African Americans.

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Kayla Belcher
4th grade 9-2-93



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Senior Rivercrest Rebels For 1993 Are, left to right: Matt Childres, Clay Pirtle, Shannon Richeson, Rickey Beene and Greg Henry. Back Row: Brad Davidson, Mike McGee, Jeremy Weatherall, Brandon Miller and Athletic Director/Head Coach, Charles Swann.

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TRAVEL TIPS

By

Marlene Pendleton, C.T.C.

Several years ago I wrote a Travel Tips column in the Paris News and I have been encouraged by Nanalee to try it again for these five papers...so here goes.

My main purpose of the column is to keep people up to date on the latest air fares. "In" places to go, current specials and tips to help you get the most out of your travel with the fewest amount of headaches.

In August, as usually happens this time of year, there were some air fare specials. Unlike last year, however, some markets have increased in stages. First stage was advertised 35% off regular coach fares. These had to be ticketed by August 17. Second stage was 30% off - had to be ticketed by August 31st. Then, some airlines in certain markets had a third stage with approximately 25% off to be ticketed by September 15th. So, although you may have missed out on the best sales you can still take advantage of discounted fares up until September 15th. These specials are good for travel up until December 15th, which will cover Thanksgiving but not Christmas.

We will be going to some Ski Shows this week and most of the ski prices are out for next year so NOW is the time to book your ski space. Especially important to book now is Christmas and Spring Break space! Call us at 785-0017 or 1-800-652-1149 and we will help you in every way we can!



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Dedicated Worker Contributes To Church Bazaar

The annual Bogata Methodist Women's Bazaar is scheduled for Saturday, November 13 this year, and former Bogata resident, Amanda Allen, is still dedicated to the Bogata Methodist Church and their bazaar.

She is appliqueing a quilt, which is in the process of being quilted by local church ladies. This is the fourteenth quilt she has contributed, and says it is her last one. The first quilt was made in 1980 and there has been one quilt for every year since then. All were either applied or cross-stitched and were used for a silent auction at the November bazaar.

Amanda lived on the corner, one block north of the church when she lived in Bogata. She was born there to David and Betty Sorrels.

When she married Gordon Allen in 1933, they lived in the same house. She has one daughter, Betty Hurt who lives in Plainview.

In 1985, Amanda moved to Plainview to be near her daughter. She stays busy knitting and doing

handwork. She was a member of the Bogata Book Club while in Bogata and was a member of the Presbyterian Church until it disbanded, when she joined the Methodist Church. She was already the pianist there when she joined the Methodist Church, she started playing at church when she was 11-years old. Many will remember the lessons she taught, as she taught piano for over 40 years.

Amanda loves to visit Bogata, and does so at every opportunity. She visited in July and played at church services while here. The local Methodist women consider her as one of their own, and feel very fortunate to have ex-members dedicated enough to contribute their efforts each year.

In addition to Ms. Allen's quilt, another quilt has been contributed by Roberta Anderson, along with several baby quilts. Handwork is being collected weekly for display and sale.

The Methodist ladies met weekly on Wednesday, preparing items for the upcoming Bazaar.



CONTRIBUTION--Mrs. Amanda Allen, former Bogata resident, has applied a quilt for fourteen years to be contributed to the Bogata Methodist Women's Bazaar for a silent auction. Mrs. Allen, who now lives in Plainview, says this is the last quilt she will be making. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

Keeping Healthy

Extra Vitamins

Many people know that their diet is reasonably well balanced, but turn to supplementary vitamins as a safeguard, on the theory that you can't get too much of a good thing. Generally speaking, it is true that supplementary vitamins are harmless though unnecessary. In most cases, the body absorbs only the amount of vitamins it needs. There is, however, definite evidence of harmful effects from excess dosages of Vitamins A, K, and D, so they should not be used in large doses.

There is another danger in relying on supplementary vitamins. Many people believe these vitamins meet all their nutritional needs. People who are careless about their intake of food feel that they can set everything right with a couple of capsules from a bottle. This could not be more wrong. For example, if you consumed a diet without enough protein and relied on supplementary vitamins to keep you healthy, you would soon develop serious problems.

Red River Haven News

Visiting Jim Clark was Billie Hervey.

Maggie Hunsaker and Lona Elliott had Inez Montgomery, Betty Spencer, and Willie Mae Gray as visitors. Visiting Mack Glover was Weldon Smith and Doris Glover.

Lantie Smith was visited by Wimpy and Odessa Beers, Weldon Smith, Mark Beers and Jerry and Pam Beers. Inez Montgomery and Lois McRae visited Oma Hudson.

Opal and Arol Kerley, Staci Alford, Linda Taylor, Jim and L. Susie Bryan and David Stringer, Jr. visited Lynn Kerley.

Mae King's visitors were Ruth King, Lizzie Legate, Lois McRae and Mary Cooper.

Steve Biggstaff was visited by Era Smelser, Mary Ruth Miller, Hershal and Blain Brooks, Morris Hughes, Bo and Lola Biggstaff, Sue Street and Jerry Payne.

Betty Gibson visited Bonnie Humphries.

Mutt Harvey was visited by Ida Lou Read, Dorothy Lawler, Weldon Smith, Micah, Matthew, nookie and Howard, Sarah and Jerry.

Ida Barnard's guests were L. Wanda Barnard, Don and June Barnard, David Bishop and Tesa Bishop.

Gay Nell Strain's visitors were Shane Fincher, Doris Strain.

Lillie Massey and Essie Cole were visited by Janice Martin, Linda Embrey, Ruby Bagwell.

Georgia Easterling had Jon and Teresa Easterling, Lank and Sue Ann Easterling as visitors.

Clara Lowe was visited by Jennifer Reeder.

Maggie Lee Gray was visited by Raymond Mauldin, Inez Montgomery, Willie Mae Gray.

Lois McRae, Mildred Alums, Horace Benham, Raymond Mauldin, Carl Wood, Ruth King, Mary Colflesh, Mary Cooper, Mary Mauldin Johnson, Johnny, Debbie and Alan visited Mary Hudson.

Inez Montgomery, Doris Strain, Elise Parker visited Ann Walker.

Paul Wood's visitors were J.B. Williams, Car Wood, Ethel Williams. Katie Brown, Minnie Lee Burns, Ella Davison visited Jimmie Duffie.

Jim and Thelma Davis' visitors were Sam Barnard, Betty Harper, Jonnie Kyle, Era Smelser, James Clyde and Naomi Watson.

J.B. Williams' guests were Nora Hudson, Annie Odom and Belinda Luther.

Ruth Harrison was visited by Joh, Judy, Brandon and Blake Wantland.

Katie Mauldin was visited by Dorothy Johnson, Cecilia and Inez.

Irene House's visitors were Gordon House, Odella Cheatwood, Jeanette Morris and Allie Barr.

Myrtle Morsman was visited by Jack Morsman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward, and John Paul Cooper visited Vola Ward.

Julia and Delbert Hrper were visited by Carrine Alford.

Jerry Payne visited Nappie Payne. Bea Askins' guests were Jonnie Kyle, Nancy and Bobby Estill, Neva Whitten, Dan and Mary Cotten and Mary Mauldin.

Josie Fennel was visited by Sarah McGill, as was Neat Massey.

Eunice Turner's guests were Doris Strain, Inez Montgomery, Martha Wood, Tom Waters, Mary Colflesh.

Clyde and Ardena Roberts were visited by Katie Brown.

Janie Bogie, Lorene Bogie, Robbie Kilgore, Netha Young and Ruth Gray visited Gertrude Gifford.

Pauline Hutson was visited by Katie Brown.

Ocola Morris' visitors were Troy Morris, Letha Brown, L.C. Thomas and Betsy Brown.

B.G. Crittenton was visited by Letha Brown.

Dorothy Watkins was visited by Terry Watkins.

Bill White, James Gibson and Peggy Watts visited Opal Watts.

Charlotte Crow, Sandra Woodall and B.F. Rhodes visited Ruby Jo White.

Pat Westbrook's visitors were Martha Wood, Anita Dowdy, Joe, Wayne, Barton, Jeanie Casper, Tim and Nelda Holder, Roger, Gretta and Karli Poea, Buddy and Dean Westbrook and Linda Gray.

Rosa Speir was visited by JoAnn Williams.

Beulah Roddam spent the weekend at Betty Harper's home. All of the family was there to visit with her.

Chuck McKinney, Late McKinney, Charles and Wanda McKinney visited Oma McKinney.

Dr. Ralph Brown, Dixie Brown, Ida Lou Read, James Lawler, Choir members from the Depot Methodist Church visited Russell Lawler.

Donovan Stain's visitors were Beulah Flemming, Peggy Strain, Betty Gibson and Tom Waters.

Reba Burrow visited Jennie Burrow.

Nan Allen, C.J. Stubblefield and Frank Stubblefield visited H.L. Stubblefield.

Martin Cannon's visitors were Marie Crafts, Katy and Lillian Cannon, Katie Brown and Rob Cannon.

Dollie Carroll's guests were Lynn and Brenda Carroll, Patsy Watts, Cindy Watts John Henry Dickerson, Mavis Jackson, Lill Ware and Ernest Carroll.

Alma Lowry was visited by Inez Montgomery and Doris Straing.

Sharon Fisher, Deward Garrett, and Betty Toland visited Herschel and Mildred Garrett.

Jean Lindsey visited Bessie Smith. Jue Holt's visitors were Robert and Nina Jo Holt and Jessie and Nita Fox.

Maude Legate had Robbie Cooper and Jo Gordon as visitors.

Bertha Anderson's visitors were Naomi Dingman, C.L. Smart and Bertha McCall.

George and Pauline Hancock were visited by Lois McRae.

Sherri Hankins Received Master's Degree From TWU

During the first ceremony, TWU graduates from the College of Arts and Sciences were awarded their diplomas as they heard featured speaker Dr. Barbara Presnall, TWU professor of history and government.

Ceremony II featured candidates from the College of Education and Human Ecology, the College of Health Sciences, the College of Nursing, the School of Occupational Therapy, the School of Physical Therapy and the School of Library and Information Studies. Dr. Nancy Glick, department chair and professor of dental hygiene, addressed the second group.

Sherri D. Hankins, of Lewisville, daughter of James and Billie Dobbs, of Bogata, received a Master of Education Administration Degree in the ceremonies.

The office of admissions and registration at Texas Woman's University has announced that more than 550 degrees were conferred during summer commencement exercises in August in Denton. TWU held both ceremonies in Margo Jones Performance Hall for the students, who were

grouped by colleges and schools. The number on diplomas earned during the summer 1993 semester included 225 undergraduate and 325 graduate degrees, according to Dr. Jim Stiles, TWU registrar. Approximately 500 candidates participated in the ceremonies.

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Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bogata City Council will hold a public hearing for the new proposed budget at City Hall on September 19 at 5:00 p.m. The public is encouraged to attend.
9-9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF DETROIT
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DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM**

The City of Detroit will hold a second public hearing at 7:00 p.m. on September 13, 1993, at Detroit City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDDP) grant. Topics to be discussed will include the application for wastewater improvements in the amount of \$250,000.00 and the estimated amount of funds proposed for activities that will benefit low and moderate income persons. The application will be available for review at City Hall during regular business hours. Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting may contact City Hall to arrange for assistance.
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Visiting with Ricky Nolen in Quitman for surprise birthday cake were Sue, Julie and Jody Nolen, Tina, Destry & Christopher Nolen, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Brown, Kim and Jack and Pete Swarts, Jaime and Joanie.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Graf enjoyed the Canton Trade Days on Friday.

Enjoying a Labor Day lunch at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Harold Kaye were Mr. & Mrs. Billy Ottinger, Jackie and Jody, Mr. & Mrs. Pete Club, Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Kaye, Mr. & Mrs. Timmy Kaye and Jessica, Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Bo Brown and Amber, Mr. & Mrs. Harold Dean Kaye and Mr. & Mrs. Rex Kaye and Mitchell.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Watts celebrated their 11th wedding anniversary September 4, 1993.

T. J. Williams and Tommie of Kilgore visited Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Easley and family over the weekend.

Visiting Sue Nolen and Jody Friday evening were Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Kuhl and Kristin, Brandi Gaddis, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Brown, Kim & Jack, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Nolen, Destry & Christopher, Pete Swarts and Jaime and Louise Nolen.

Bro. and Mrs. Gary Orr celebrated their wedding anniversary Septem-

ber 3, 1993. Crystal Hubbard was honored with a birthday supper at Lupes Saturday evening. Attending were Leah & Josh Cabell, Jessica Hinton and Kristin Kuhl.

Enjoying the Canton Trade Days Sunday were Sue & Jody Nolen, Nancy & Jack Brown and Louise Nolen.

Enjoying a camp-out at the home of Robert Hubbard Saturday were Michael Deming, Chesley Baird and Kenny Rector.

Celebrating September birthdays are Mary Faye McCollum, LaDonna Holt, Damon Holmes, Jennifer Holt, Johnny Holt, Megan Holt, Billy Ottinger, Max Hanks, Vickie Waldrum, David Wisinger, Jeff Grissom, Albert Stewart, Deanie Ottinger, Wilma Fry, Jeremy Grissom, Lillian Taylor, Debbie Moreno, Daniel Grissom, Crystal Hubbard.

Bobby Kuhl was honored with a surprise birthday party Wednesday at his home in Talco. Attending the Over the Hill party were Patty & Kristin Kuhl, Tina Nolen, Sue Nolen, Jody and Julie, Eddie, Nancy and Jack Brown, Vickie Howard, Ashley & Callie, Joe, Trish and Maria Kuhl and Linden Horn.

Mr. & Mrs. Weldon Hawkins celebrated their wedding anniversary September 8, 1993.

Visiting Mr. & Mrs. Carl Smith in Mt. Pleasant Saturday were Nancy, Kim and Jack Brown, Jody Nolen, Pete Swarts & Jaime.

Mrs. Florine Swarts was hospitalized at Tyler Medical Center this past week. She is reported doing well.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Fail were Mr. & Mrs. Lynn Fail of Kilgore and Mr. & Mrs. Jason Jolley and Elizabeth of Paris.

Gary Fail and Daniel visited in Gladewater over the weekend.

Enjoying a Labor Day fish fry at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Kuhl and Kristin were Mr. & Mrs. Linden Horn, Ruby Horn, Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Howard and Callie, Dorothy Stevens and Mr. & Mrs. Joe Kuhl and Maria.

Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Fry, Mr. & Mrs. Jackie Stinson and family of Forney, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Fry of San Antonio, Mrs. Argyl Fry and Mrs. Norma Glispie of Wekwooka, OK attended the Pittman reunion in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Jackie and J. W. Stinson spent the weekend at W. C. Fry's.

Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Fry were in DeQueen and Beavers Bend on Sunday.



Misti Richeson, Five Years Old

Misti Richeson Celebrates Fifth Birthday

Misti Richeson celebrated her fifth birthday on August 29 with a swimming party at the home of Butch and Nita Hood.

Misti celebrated with friends and family. Those attending were Scott, Amber and Laramie Lum, Ginger Hood, Lore and Chasity Hall, Susie and Leslie Richeson, Keith and Pauline Thompson, Trey Logan, Pete and Cathy Grissom, Rhonda, Jonathon, Halie and April Sumate, Jan and Jeremy Grissom, Dale and Lorrie Grissom, Darla and Kevin Ottinger, Laura and Andrew Deaton, Erica Moreno, Patricia and Penny Bond, Philip Moss, Jeff, Leann and Allie Grissom and Heather Presley.



Kelsey Jae Franks, two years old

Kelsey Franks Celebrates Second Birthday

Kelsey Jae Franks celebrated her second birthday with a party at her home on Saturday August 28. Those who attended her Mickey and Minnie Mouse party were: Chase, Jillian, and Judy Sloan, Cassie, Emily, Kyle, Judy, and Kelly McCuller, E.J., Brandi, Amber, and Lisa Via, Kati, Carly, and Charla Bowen, Tye, Coleman, and Linda Brown, Janice Franks and Shirley Hervey. Kelsey is the daughter of Ricky and Lori Franks of Sugar Hill, and the granddaughter of Tommy and Janice Franks, also of Sugar Hill, Shirley Hervey, of Johtown, and the late Sammy Hervey.

Kelsey Shae was born September 1 at Titus County Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz. Parents are Susan Richeson and Keith Thompson. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Grissom of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson of Sugar Hill.

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Saturated fats are animal found in meats, whole milk, butter and ice cream.

In the Mediterranean region where people cook primarily with olive oil, the rate of heart and blood vessel disease is much lower than in the U.S., Dr. Grundy reports.

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.

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