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By Nanalee Nichols

As regular readers of this column know, I tend to look at the world through glasses that may be just a trifle "skewed" or bent.

But, I wish to place this little scene before you and see if it is my perception that is crooked here...or if it is yet again one of those little episodes of modern life that simply don't make good

As those who read last week's column know, Thomas and I ended up spending a day in New York City unexpectedly. Having missed a connecting flight, we spent the night in a motel near the airport, courtesy of the airline that caused us to miss that

We checked in, voucher in hand, and stood in a long line of other stranded travelers, also armed with vouchers from airlines. When it came our turn, Thomas specified a non-smoking room, and that's exactly what

We travelled up in the elevator, where there were signs prohibiting smoking. We entered our room, which smelled smoke-

free. It wasn't until after we had bathed and changed clothes that we settled down in chairs to look out at New York and Thomas availed himself of the remote control on the television that we noticed something a little strange.

There between us on a little table was an ashtray. And, emblazoned on this ashtray in big, bold letters were the words "Thank You For Not Smoking"!

I repeat, in case you missed it the first time...this ASHTRAY bore the words "Thank You For Not Smoking", accompanied by the little red circle with the slash through it!

Again, I ask the question...is it just me, or is there something a little bit "off" about this? Just one more of life's little inconsistencies, I suppose.



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TALCO, TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS

Thursday, June 16, 1994

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Chili Cookoff Will Add To Frontier Days, Come Participate!

Park.

The park will open at 8:30 a.m. with Chili Cookoff Judging at 12:30

The Bogata Lions Club Chili Cookoff is to have fun, meet others and generally be a part of the community activities!

Chili Cooking Rules are:

1. Al Ichili must be cooked on site the day of the cookoff from scratch. All chili must be prepared out in the

2. No fillers to be added to chili such as beans, rice, macaroni, hominy, etc. 3. Chili must be cooked starting with raw meat, no marinating. Chili powder is permissable but chili mix is not. 4. Inspection of the cooking conditions are subject to inspection by judging committees

5. One chili per cook. 1 sample for judging per pot of chili

6. There is no limit to the number of helpers a cook can use.

7. Open fire will be used, propane, etc. open fire outside

8. Cooks must be 18 years of agehelpers may be of any age. 9. At least 1 quart of chili will be

cooked per cook 10. Predesignated areas will be number 1-25. First cook there takes #1

and so on.

Chili Judging Procedure 1. Judging cups shall be 12 to 20 have been decided the ticket numbers no money at this time. Entry fee will to be identical in every way. Cups read. The cooks will show their will be \$10. Join us for a lot of fun! will be furnished by the Lions Club.

Name of Head Cook

Name of Chili Team_

Name of Chili

Address_

The Bogata Lions Club Chili 2. 2 tickets with same numbers will ookoff will be held on June 25th, be used. One is attached to the out-1994 at Frontier Days at Thomas side of the cup with numbers concealed. The other ticket is signed by

the cook and kept by the cook. Tickets furnished by Bogata Lions Club. 3. The cup will be filled by the cook to the level indicated by the head judge. This is the only cup that will beused per cook for judging.

Chili Judges:

1. The judges will be selected by the Bogata Lions Club Chili Cookoff Committee Chairman and his committee.

2. At the instructions by the chili cookoff chairman, each cook will fill and prsent his or her cup to the chairman for judging. Ties will be broken. 3. Judging criteria will be: aroma, consistency, red color, taste, after-

4. Each cup of chili will be scored on it's own merits with a scoring from 0-10, 10 being the best.

5. Each judge must score each cup of

6. Eachcup is numbered on the outside starting with number 1 through as many cooks as there are.

7. The number of judges is at the discretion of the chili chairman. 8. After all cups withtheir numbers have been judged the chili chairman will tally the score for 1, 2, and 3rd

ounces styrofoam withlids. Al cups for #3, then #2 and finally #1 will be be collected on day of cookoff and

MAIL ENTRIES TO: BOGATA LIONS CLUB

ATTN: Jack Dodd-Frontier Day Chairman

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matching tickets to claim their cups. Secret all the way until the tickets are removed form the cups and read aloud to the cooks.

10. The chili cookoff chairman will have the final say on any disputed

11. There will be a head cook meeting at 10 a.m. to go over the rules. Hooowever you may start your chil prior to that time. Anytime after 8:30

12. Bogata Lions Club President, Johnny Ragsdill, Lions Club Frontier Day Chairmans, Jack Dodd, Neil Rozell. Chili Cookoff Chairman is Buck Ramsey, members are: Betty Ramsey, James Wood, Neil Rozell and Coy Coker.

Chief Cooks-"What to Bring" 1. Cook stove and fuel-"Coleman" type propane or white gas.

2. Cooking pot, cutting board, knife, water, cooler (for meat and cool drinks) no beer or liquor in the park) paper towels, spoons, can operner and matches.

3. Meat (hand cut or chili grind) spices, and other ingredients for chili. 4. Table and chairs for cooking and

The Bogata Lions Club sponsored Chili Cookoff will be as fair to all participants as at all possible.

We need up to 15 teams. Each team to consist of one head cook and helpers. Please fill out the entry form 9. After the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place and return as soon as possible, please,



Dr. Miller, Honored By Nursing Home

Nursing Home Week Observed

Geras Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant celebrated National Nursing HOme Week by presenting Dr. Miller with a certificate of appreciation on May 10, in his office. A card filled with signatures of employees and residents-Miller's patients-at Geras

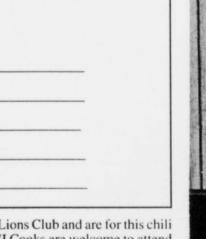
accompanied the certificate. Tom Forsber, Geras Administra-

tor, says that Dr. Miller was more thankful for the card with all the signatures than for the framed certificate. He is a "very humble man. Residents seemed to appreciate the opportunity to sign his card and express their love and thankfullness to their physician. Resident, Hettie

Smith, says "he is a fine young man"! (Dr. Miller is in his mid 70's). Employees also expressed thier

appreciation for Miller. Christie Kinney says, "He is a kind doctor."

Dr. Miller says, "I will cherish this card forever; you(Tom) are doing such a fine job at Geras. He has been to the home every other week for the last year and one half.



NOTICE: This is not a CASI Sponsored Chili Cookoff. The rules are from the Bogata Lions Club and are for this chili cookoff only. Perhaps next year we can sponsor a CASI cookoff . However, any CASI Cooks are welcome to attend and cook. We need LOCAL COOKS, let's have fun, send in your entry today. Be a part of the firest-ever Bogata Lions Club Chili Cookoff. 1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies will be presented.

Zip_

Talco First Baptist Church Hold Barbeque

Talco Class Of '59 To Hold Reunion

If you know the addresses of the Cameron and Elizabeth Elkins.

attended a bar-b-que at the farm of Cliff and Jean Jones Friday night. There was plenty of bar-b-que, potato salad, green salad, beans, and desserts served. Games of different kinds were enjoyed. The younger

group enjoyed a hay ride. Those attending were Cliff and Jean Jones, Kieth Logan and friend Loran, Pat and Cassandra Logan and Wesley Smith, Duck and Janice Jones Dolan of Grand Prairie, Charlie, Ronda and Brady Martin. Clifford, Francie Martin and sons, Dakota and Colton, Cory Martin, Delbert and Janie Logan of Mt. Vernon and friend Dale Reagan and his friend. Bro.

The thirty-fifth class reunion for

the Talco High School class of 1959

will be held on June 25, beginning at

6:30 p.m., at the Mt. Pleasant Coun-

following classmates, please contact,

try Club in Mt. Pleasant.

Seventy-two members and friends Perry and Linda Johnson, Bro. and of the First Baptist Church of Talco Mrs. Harold Johnson of Abilene, Jack and Willa Jo Mills, Robert and Geneva Kelso and granddaughter Kimberly. Roger and Nancy Keck, Clifford and Jo Carl and Melissa and nephew, Joshua. David Zimmerman and Melissa's friend, Kent Skeen. Wayman and Joyce Alexander, Vivian Westbrook, Latane Roberts, Ophelia Hood, Pam Hinson, Chris and Matthew Stockton, Gene, Marvie Sue and Kristie Goates and Kristie's and daughter, Lacy and grandson, friend. Randy, Lisa, Missie, Nathan and Stephanie Carroll, Laura Cochran, Keri Oglesby and Deanna. Jimmy and Pat Forsyth, Amber, Jessica and Jimmy Jr., Jason, Felecia and Cody Heintz and Tony, Robin, Kristian and Meghan Sims.

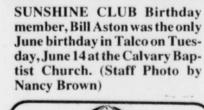
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Church.

The appointments will begin at 9 a.m. and end at 3 p.m., with a sched-

The Bogata Book Club is the spon-

sor and all local women are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to have their mammogram lo-

The Sunshine Club met Tuesday, following the message. Winning door prizes were Paul Miller, Sr. and Evelyn Bowman. The only June birthday present was Bill Asten. There were 15 in attendance.

Mammography Screening Comes to Bogata-Talco

DOOR PRIZE WINNERS at the Calvary Baptist Church Sun-

shine Club Meeting Tuesday, June 14 was Paul Miller Jr. and

Sunshine Club Meets

Evelyn Bowman. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

The annual screening has been scheduled for Thursday, June 23, 1994. The Mobile Unit from Mother Frances Hospital in Tyler will come to the Johntown Missionary Baptist

June 14th at 10:30 a.m. at the Calvary

Adele Bolton brought a short

A pot luck luncheon was enjoyed

Baptist Church in Talco.

message from John 15:5.

uled lunch break for the workers.

The charge is \$55, and you should bring any insurance, medicare, or medicaid information with you to the appointment.

All participants are requested to arrive fifteen minutes prior to the approintment time to complete the required paperwork.

For further information, and to schedule an appointment, call 632-4622 (if no answer, call again), or

Country Cooking (C)

been an active member in all the

Ma" by her grandchildren and friends,

Mrs. Gentry has sent some very deli-

cious and easy to make recipes for us

just about every one, is the first of her

Red Eye Gravy, a favorite with

Thanks to Mrs. Gentry for sharing

powder and cinnamon and nuts. Put

aside. Beat eggs and sugar, oil and

vanilla. Stir in zucchini squash and

pineapple. Add dry ingredients. Bake in loaf pan (greased) at 350 for 1 hour.

Pineapple Cake

Sift dry ingredients all together; add

milk. Pour into well greased flour pans.

Stack pans or sheath pan. Bake at 350.

Pineapple Filling

Cook until thick, slowly stir con-

Lemon Chess Pie

Combine sugar, flour, salt and meal.

Add butter, lemon juice, lemon rind

and milk. Mix well. Add eggs one at a

time, beating well after each addition.

Pour into unbaked pie shell. Bake at

I can of crushed pineapple

1/2 stick butter/margarine

stantly. Spread over cake.

1/4 cup butter/margarine

grated rind of 2 lemons

Affectionately nick-named "Mam-

community functions.

family's favorite dishes.

the recipes with us.

2 eggs 1 1/2 cups sugar

l cup buttermilk

2 cups flour

1/4 tsp. soda

1/4 tsp. salt

l tsp. vanilla

2 cups sugar

3/4 cup milk

1 tsp. vanilla

2 cups sugar

1 tbsp. flour

I tbsp. corn meal

1/4 cup lemon juice

350 for 50 minutes.

652-6051

1/4 tsp. salt

1/4 cup mlk

2 tbsp. cake batter

l stick margarine

1 tsp. baking powder

By Judy Screws

June 16, 1994

Nina Gentry of Sugar Hill is this

She is a life-time resident of Sugar

week's featured cook in the Country

Hill. She has three children, Kenneth

Gentry, who is deceased; Bobby Ray

Gentry of Mt. Pleasant; and Zonetta

Gentry Hawkins of Talco. She has 11

grandchildren and 15 great-grand-

Her hobbies include cooking, fish-

ing and gardening. Nina has always

MamMa's Red Eye Gravy

by Nina Gentry

drippings left in the skilet after a piece

of ham has been fried. Use a spoon to

loosen any meat bits that are stuck to

the pan, add a fair amount of strong

black coffee, at least a cup, depending

of course on the quantity of drippings.

Bring to a boil and simmer for a while,

stirring occasionally. When gravy

looks about right, pour it over the

Squash Casserole

Cook squash and onions until ten-

der. Add egg, mushroom soup and

margarine, salt and pepper, cook in

oven in casserole dish for aboug 45

minutes at 325. Top with cheese

when done. Put back into oven-melted

Zucchini Bread

can Cream of Mushroom soup

1/2 cups cracker crumbs

salt and pepper to taste

1/2 tsp. baking powder

3/4 cup chopped pecans

2 cups shredded zucchini

cup (8 oz.) crushed pineapple

Combine flour, soda, salt, baking

1/2 tsp. cinnamon

cup vegetable oil

1/2 stick margarine

3-4 yellow squash

1 chopped onion

1 beaten egg

3 cups flour

2 tsp. soda

3 eggs

cups sugar

Redeye Gravy is made from the

Cooking column.



FEATURED COOK-Mrs. Nina Gentry of Sugar Hill is the fea-

Card of Thanks

We, the family of Randal Eudy, would like to thank our family and friends for all ou did for us during the time Randall was sick, and for being there for us when we lost him. Thanks so much for your prayers, the beautiful plants and flowers, the cards, all the food brought to the home, the donatiosn made in his name to the Cuthand Cemetery, and the Johntown

Church library. A special thanks to Brothers Shoffner, Morgan, Jackson and Bush, Father George Varakukala and the James Wood family. We also thank the wonderful ladies of Johntown Missionary Baptist Church for the food they served us the day of the funeral.

Sincerely, Maria Eudy Anna Luz & Paty Lozoya Jack & Family Shirley Hervey Mozell Minter Bill & Mildred Eudy Coby and Mae Eudy

tured cook this week in Country Cooking. (Staff Photo)

Card of Thanks

Coco Eudy, Anna Luz and Paty Lozoya extend their special appreciation to Henderson and Lisa Bratton, Bill and Mildred Eudy, Buddy and Irene Lawson and Brother Morgan for their daily moral support during Randall's illness and death.

Card of Thanks

A special thank you for all the prayers, cards, visits, food, flowers and expressions of sympathy during the recent loss of our loved one.

May God bless each of you. The Family of Beatrice Askins

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank everyone for the flowers, food, visits and calls during the loss of our loved one.

The Family of Mary Pirtle

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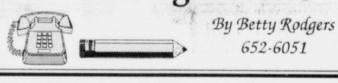
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Fulbright News



Dayna Mauldin returned Friday after spending two weeks with her grandparents, Tommy and Dorothy Mauldin of Carrollton

Mrs. Kyle King and girls of Reno spent Tuesday with Jimmie King.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green of Sonora, CA came Saturday to visit her sisters, Jimmie King, Jean Campbell and Bonnie Faye Hammer.

Visiting Sunday with Jimmie King and attending homecoming at the community center were Bobbye King

and granddaughter, Nichole King, Kay Osburn and Dick King of Paris, Randy Osburn of Midlothian, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hammer of Aikin Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green of Sonora, CA, Jean Campbell and Bro. and Mrs. Clark of Woodland.

Visiting Sunday with Betty Rodgers were Marlena Bolin and

Mr. and Mrs. ARchie Slaton of

Church of Pour Choice Maggie Lee Gray

Card of Thanks

Thanks to Betty and Buck Ramsey for taking me to the Fulbright Reunion of graduating classes and also friends in Paris Saturday. Thanks to George Ann (Reynolds) Garrett for the delicious lunch and thanks to the classes for the beautiful corsage.

Ruby Legate

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Dies June 14

Mrs. Maggie Lee Gray, age 82, of Bogata and formerly of Winnsboro, died June 14, 1994 in Red River General Hospital.

Services were held Thursday, June 16 at 10:00 a.m. in the First Baptist Church of Bogata. Burial followed in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home, Bogata.

Mrs. Gray was born July 25, 1911 in Jonesboro, LA, a daughter of Thomas Robert and Rena Swanner Shows. On August 11, 1934 she married Willie Gray, who survives her. Also surviving are her sisters, Mrs. Shirley Sturdevant of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Willie Mae Gray of Bogata; numerous nieces and nephews; numerous great-great-great-; and greatgreat-great-nieces and nephews.

Sam S. Lewis Dies June 9

Sam S. Lewis, age 77 of Paris, died Thursday, June 9 in McCuistion Regional Medical Center.

Graveside services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in Evergreen Cemetery with the Rev. Lane Park officiting. Fry-Gibbs Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mr. Lewis was born September 24, 1916 in Brookston, a son of William T. and Martha Elizabeth Younger Lewis. He married Inez Barton. She preceded himn in death in 1988. He attended schools in Brookston and Cunningham and was a long-time resident of Cunningham before moving to Paris. He was a veteran of World War Ii and a mem-

ber of the Baptist Church. He is survived by a brother, Marvin Lee Lewis of Dallas; and a sister, Mrs. Nadine Braley of Mesa, AZ.

Obituaries

Edna Putteet Dies June 8

Edna Putteet, 84, of Bogata died Wednesday, June 8 in Red River Healthcare Center.

Graveside services were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday at Lane's Chapel Cemetery in Clarksville with the Rev. Roddy Jackson officiating. Jolley's Funeral Home had charge of arrange-

Mrs. Putteet was born in 1910 in Scottsboro, Alabama, a daughter of Jim and Doshie Merry Peek. She married Milford Putteet February 20,

She is survived by her husband and a brother, Bunk Peek of Alabama; and several nieces and neph-

Patsy Hooker Lipscomb Dies June 11

Patsy Hooker Lipscomb died June

She was born in Bogata on October 24, 1926 to John and Iva Hooker. She attended schoool in Paris.

During World War II, she worked in Washington, DC at the Pengaton. After returning to Texas, she graduated from North Texas State University in Denton where she met and later married Frank R. Lipscomb, Jr. on June 5, 1949. After her marriage she lived in Beaumont, Maracaibo, Venezuela, Philadelphia, PA and finally in Dallas. After moving to Dallas in 1976 she was active for a time with Helena Underwood Realtors.

Survivors include her husband Frank; daughters, Linda Lipscomb and husband Joe Dworetzky of Philadelphia, PA, Patti Lipscomb of LaJolla, CA and Judy Lipscomb of Austin; two grandchildren; a sister, Narca Duncan of El Paso.

Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Bogata Cemetery, First Methodist Church or the library at the Methodist Church, which is named in honor of her mother.

Oma Fisher Dies June 5

OmaFisher, age 91 of White Settlement, died Sunday, June 5.

Services were held Wednesday, June 8 at Greenwood Funeral Home in Ft. Worth with graveside services at 3 p.m. at Evergreen Cemetery in

Mrs. Fisher was born January 4, 1913 in Lamar County, a daughter of W.M. and Ada Hale Pearson.

She is survived by her husband, V.E. Fisher of White Settlement; two sons. Wayne Fisher of Keene, Kenneth Fisher of Weatherford; four daughters, Janice Morgan, Melba Brown, Virginia Love, all of Arlington and Margie Love of Roxton; one brother, Haskell Pearson of Marshall; 17 grandchildren and 24 great-grand-

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Delbert Pearson; and one sister, Hazel Cheatham.

Etta Mae Bartlett Dies June 8

Etta Mae Bartlett, 92, formerly of Paris died June 8 in Parkview Nursing Home

Graveside services were held at 3 p.m. Thursday in Meadowbrook Garden Cemetery with Rev. Rickey Rister officiating. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bartlett was born September 8, 1901 in the Minter community, a daughter of M.A. Deshong and Verda V. Oglesby Deshong. She attended Cunningham school and was a longtime resident.

She married Ed Bartlett on May 6, 1918. He preceded her in death on December 31, 1968.

Surviving are two sons and daughters-in-law, James and Dean Bartlett of Scroggins and Johnny and Peggy Bartlett of Talco; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and a niece, Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris.

Clyde Ola Mitchell Dies June 13

Clyde Ola Mitchell, 75, of Detroit died Monday, June 13 at her home. Services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Fry-Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Raymond Armstrong officiating. Burial followed in Meadowbrook Cemetery.

Mrs. Mitchell was born July 4, 1918 in Delta County, a daughter of Archiend Eugie Lamb Shumate. She was married to L. Wayne Mitchell on May 25, 1938 in Hugo, OK. She and her husband, Wayne, owned and operated a dairy farm for many years. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Tommy Mitchell of Detroit and Roger Mitchell of Cleburne; a daughter, Mary Lou Rhoads of Detroit; a sister, Evelyn Stevens of Paris; seven grandchildren and three great-grand-

Bearers were Roger Lynn, James Wayne, Steve Lynn, Horace Nellon, Ricky Hevron and Steve Watson.

L.T. Clement Dies June 12

L.T. Clement, age 82 of Pattonville died Sunday at St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center.

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Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Bright-Holland Funeral Home with the Rev. Jerry Moore, Dr. L.C. Stout and Rev. Larry Solice officiating.

Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery. Mr. Clement was born June 5, 1912 in Antlers, OK, a son of Claude H.

and Nellie Mae Larkin Clement. He married Sarah Lorene Strawn on February 10, 1936 in Deport. He was retired from the Cummer-Graham Company. He was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church in Clardy, where he has been a deacon for man years. He served in the Army Med cal Corps in Europe during World War II.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Bobby Clement of Paris; four daughters, Mrs. Weldon (Mildred) Stone of Pattonville, Ms. Charlotte Muecke of Wolfe City, Mrs. James (Elaine) Goley of Lubbock and Mrs. Jason (Wanda) Raney of Alamogordo, NM; a brother, L.E. Clement of Paris; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Townsend of Lubbock, Mrs. Tennie Finigan of Texarkana and Clara Neal of Paris; 17 grandchildren and 14 great-grand-

June Fortner Dies June 11

June Fortner, 72, of Paris died Sal urday, June 11 in McCuistion Regional Medical Center. Services were held at 2 p.m. Tues-

day in the First Baptist Church of Bogata. Burial followed in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home. Mrs. Fortner was born November

26, 1921 in Lamar County near Chicota, a daughter of Joe and Zora Robards Bell. She married Roger Fortner in 1941 in Ft. Worth. She was retired from Pangburn Candy Com-

She is survived by her husband of Paris; a son, Edwin Fortner of Paris; a brother, James Buel of Azle; four sisters, Ruth Wright of Godley, Immogene Offitt of Paris, Bonnie Bryant of Arlington and Polly Edwards of Ft. Worth; a sister-inlaw, Donnie Laupin of Paris; two grandchildren, Gary Fortner and Terrie Rasulston, both of Dimple; and two great-grandchildren.

Lou Ella Hampton Dies June 11

Mrs. Lou Ella Hampton, 71, of Hagansport died Saturday, June 11 at East Texas Medical Center in Tyler.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 14 at First Baptist Church of Bogata with the Rev. Brian Baggett officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hampton was June 16, 1922 in Titus County, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ryan. She married Bill Hampton of Hagansport on July 27, 1957 in Oklahoma.

Survivors include her husband, Bill Hampton of Hagansport; one sister, Pauline Watkins of Tyler; and a halfsister, Thelma Lee Smith of Jefferson.

Bearers were Paul Woodle, Weldon Smith, Mann Mayes, Ralph Cawley, Tommy Corbell and Dean Scoggins.

Ethel Aileen O'Brien Dies June 10

Ethel Aileen O'Brien, age 74 o Paris, died Friday, June 10 in St. Joseph Hospital and Health Center. Services were held at 11 a.m. Mon-

day at Gene Roden's Sons Directors of Funerals chapel with the Rev. Bob Smith officiating. Burial followed in Meadowbrook Cemetery.

Mrs. O'Brien was born August 28, 1919 in Pattonville, a daughter of James Leslie and Helen Day McHam. She married McDonald O'Brien on-June 30, 1943. He preceded her in death on September 1, 1988. She attended East Lmar School and was a member of the Shady Grove Methodist Church.

She is survived by Scott O'Brien Paris and Donald O'Brien of Fairfax VA; Jan O'Brien Dyke of Brookston; two brothers, Fred McHam of Tyle and Earl McHam of Deport; three sisters, Mrs. J.A. Stell and Mrs. Ernest Smith of Paris and Mrs. W.M. Short of Tyler; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Helen



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Paris were visitors of Fay Gandy.

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Success Comes To Dyslexic Student

Bogata, and his wife, the former active in the Baptist Church at Margie Socia of Jacksonville, Texas, moved last week to the College Sta-

Gary is the son of Sarah Fleming of Bogata and Karl Oney of Carthage. Margie completed her degree in special education at the University

of Texas at Tyler where they lived for several years. Margie taught special education at Jacksonville for two years. She got a teaching position at College Station where they have year-round school.

At Bogata Elemenatry and Junior gh Schools, Gary was a special education student with dyslexia. He attended high school at Carthage where he earned much of his credit by working at jobs away from school. As soon as he graduated, he started attending Jacksonville Bap-

Gary Paul Oney, formerly of tist College since he had been very Carthage. The Jacksonville church helped and encouraged him to attend

> Once Gary and Margie were married, they decided he would work full-time while she finished school, and then she would work full-time while he finished school. He was inspired with Margie's relentless study habits and determinantion.

> Gary went to Tyler Junior College for two years where he won several awards as an outstanding student, and the most outstanding engineering student at the college, especially in calculus and physics. He was invited to Phi Beta Kappa. This spring he was accepted at Texas A&M University, where his mother was also a student. He will begin his classes there in the fall.



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Bogata Rođeo Set For June 23-24-25

Parade on Thursday, June 23 at 6:00 p.m. will officially begin rodeo activities in Bogata, Texas.

Following the parade on Thursday evening at 8:30 p.m., the first of three action-packed rodeo performances will be held at the Bogata Rodeo

The rodeo is produced by Bogata's own Wing Rodeo Company, owned and operated by Jerald and Joan

Added attractions at the rodeo on Thursday night will be a Scoop Race and the Wild Cow Milking Contest. The Wild Cow Milking pits six wild cows and 18 cowboys all in the arena together, at one time, trying to get enough milk to prove to the judge that they were successful. This event does get western! The reigning 1993 champions in the Wild Cow Milking are the Donnie Smith team from

The Scoop Race will find cowboys riding in a corn scoop on the end of a 45' lariat rope, being pulled at breakneck speed by their partner on the fastest horse they can find. This event is a crowd pleaser, for sure.

The championship rodeo, which is co-sanctioned by the Cowboys Regional Rodeo Association, will feature the seven championship events, with \$400.00 per event, total \$2,800.00, being added into the prize money by the Bogata Rodeo Association, hosts of the annual rodeo.

Last year's rodeo played host to 283 cowboys and cowgirls from

of \$16,000.00 in prize money to the winning contestants.

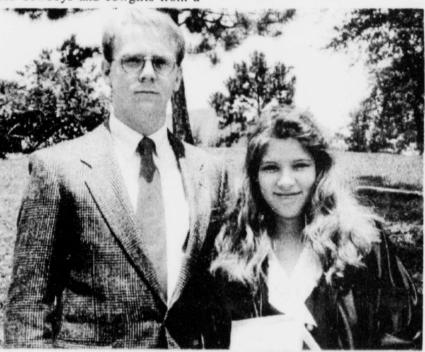
Event winners from the 1993 rodeo are: Bareback Riding, Scot Mitchell, Lake Creek, TX; Saddle Bronc Riding, David Warren, Bogata, TX; Bull Riding, Wade Cline, Omaha, TX and Jackie Gibbs, Ivanhoe, TX (split); Calf Roping, Rusty Young, Arlington, TN; Steer Wrestling, Gary Dowling, Eufaula, OK; Team Roping, Chip Hamilton and Jeff Lashley, Vian, OK; Cowgirls Barrel Racing, Suzette Oberste, Clarksville, AR.

Princess candidates, age 4 to 10 years old, will be vying for buckles, crowns and trophies. The Princess contest is being sponsored by the Bogata Rodeo Association and Guaranty Bank-Bogata. The contestants will not be required to ride a horse, as they will be judged on ticket sales, appearance and personality.

On Saturday, June 25, the Frontier Day activities will be held in downtown Bogata all day long. A schedule of events will be published when it is made available.

Saturday evening will wind down the 1994 activities, with the Rodeo Parade at 6:00 p.m., followed by the final performance of the rodeo at 8:30 p.m.

Everyone is invited to come to Bogata during Frontier Days and Rodeo Week. There is something for everyone, from good food to craft booths and exciting championship rodeo performances.



Imelda Bruce Receives Degree

Imelda Ninnette Bruce received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Sam Houston State University on May 14, 1994.

She majored in Bilingual Education and is employed by Huntsville Independent School District as a Pre-Kindergarten bilingual teacher. She is a member of Signa Delta Phi and was treasurer of TASBE. She is the daughter of Henderson and Alicia Bratton and granddaughter of Clearance and Virgie Cheatham from

Her parents attended her graduation ceremonies at which her fatherin-law, Dr. A. James Bruce, Chairman of Sam Houston State University Psychology Department, walked

A. James Bruce, gave her a reception barbecue lunch and party at their

Elkins Lake home in Huntsville, Texas. She received numerous gifts. On Sunday, May 15th, Imelda was honored with a baby shower at the home of Dr. & Mrs. Joseph O'Brien in Elkins Lake in Huntsville. Hostesses were Mrs. Krista Bailey-Murray, Vicki Bailey, and Susan O'Brien. At this party she also received gifts for their first baby expected any day around the 15th of

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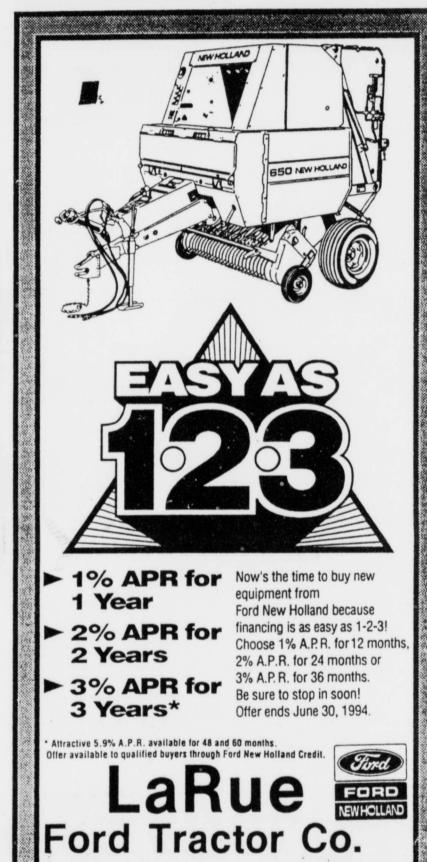
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Towns Family Holds Reunion

Scroggins hosted the Towns family reunion last Tuesday and Wednesday, June 7 & 8.

Present were Rebecca's brother and sister, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Towns, and mother, Mrs. Lickey, Van Don & Jane Towns of Lake Jackson; Terry & Jean Towns of Clute; Dan & Glenda Towns Dewooland, Winford & Dor-

Willie & Rebecca Bartley of othy Towns of DeMoines, Iowa; Jerry & Chernell Miller of Bedford: James & Patsey Hoffman of Canton: Sue & DeAnn Hoffman of Paris: Bartley's daughter, Marlyn, & her daughter, Mary Hudson of Bogata; Amanda Lyles of Winnsboro; and Mrs. Bell Pearson of Detroit, who reports they really had two great days of fellowship and food.

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Danny Cotten of Salt Lake City, Utah visited his parents, Dan and Mary Kathryn Cotten, and grandparents, Jim and Thelma Davis, recently. The Cottens went to Midland and Coahoma to attend the wedding of Danny's son, James Moody Cotten, to Cheri Franklin. The ceremony was held at the Coahoma Baptist Church where James is Youth Director. James has visited in this area many times. Danny returned to Salt Lake from Midland.

Sunday lunch guests of Robbie znd Douglas Hawkins were Jana, Mark, Haley and Heather Hawkins and Carlos Pena. Carlos prepared the meal of homemade tortillas and other Mexican dishes.

Heather & Haley Hawkins enjoyed a slumber party Friday night. The guests included Holly Jean, Katie Mankins, & Johna Ingram.

Friday evening visitors of Tommy & Joyce Cox were Patsy Cox and Tracy Frye and Kalli, LaDonna Couch. Tye Crump visited that evening and spent the night Friday.

Weekend visitors of Tommy & Joyce Cox were Eugene Cox, Victor & Dustin Cox, and Patti Couch. A Saturday workday at Johntown

the weekend visiting with Donna relatives in Dallas. Vance Pirtle was a guest for lu Sunday with Drue & Billie Pirtle.

items to improve the church.

Donald and Freda Jean hosted a birthday party for Mitchell Saturday

night at the home of Drue & Billie Pirtle. Guests included Clinton and Cody Cheatwood, Bubba and Jeffrey and Cindy Abernathy, Billy Jordan, Travis Jackson, Lisa and Kim Shirley, Holly Jean and Sarah Jean, Myra Jean, Dana and Randy Anderson, Darla Brunson, Drue, Billie and Clay Pirtle, Matt Childres, Ricky and Sherri Cheatwood, Martha McCall, Susan Shirley and Audrey.



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mately 190 bicyclers from across the United States and several foreign countries invaded Bogata and Detroit and other parts of Red River County, during their Chain Ring bicycle tour that took them from Austin and throughout points in East Texas.

The bicyclers stopped in Bogata early that morning to replenish their water supplies or to have a cup of coffee at a stop provided by the Bogata Lions Club. Lions helping with the stop-over were John Ragsdill, Coy Coker, Jack Dodd, David Rozell,

On Wednesday, June 8, approxi- Mildred Eudy, Neil Rozell and Mary Colflesh.

Melba's Restaurant and Wood Funeral Home aided the Lions Club with the stop, as well as Texas-New Mexico Power Company, who loaned the group a generator.

When the group left Bogata, they were headed north, up through Detroit, on to the Red River, and back to Clarksville for the evening meal.

The bicyclers rated the Bogata stop a 4-Starrating and everyone was very appreciative.

Bogata V.F.W. News



OVER 190 BICYCLERS invaded Bogata last Wednesday morning as a part of their East Texas tour. The cyclists stopped over for water and coffee before heading for parts north. These cyclists took time out for a little "flag waving" during their stop in Bogata. (Staff Photo)

Reunion

The Phillips Family Reunion was held at the Bogata Community Center on June 12, 1994. These family reunions have been occurring since

G. & Sue Lum, Isaac & Lou Mitchell, Phillip & Roberta Brooks, Gerald and Patsy House, Jerry & Torina House, Vincent, Tammy & Aaron Lum, Cecil & Jean Phillips, Carl & Bernice House, and Dillon Hill.

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BOY'S BASEBALL CAMP is being held in Bogata from 9:30-11:30, Monday thru Friday. Bill Walling of North Lamar High School is the instructor and is teaching pitching, batting, fielding and base running skills. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

Mary Colflesh spent Tuesday the 7th visiting her cousins, Mr. & Mrs. Winifred Townes, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Townes, Mrs. Stuckey, Mr. & Mrs. Perry Townes, Mr. & Mrs. Nathanael "Bann" Townes, Mrs. Belle Pearson.

presents

Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Wayne Miller, Mr. & Mrs. James David Hoffman, Mrs. Marylin Likes & daughter Amanda, Mrs. Sue Hoffman & daughter Deana in the home of Willie & Rebecca Townes Bartley. On Wednesday, Mrs. Goldie DeBerry and Mr. & Mrs. Van Don Townes were there. Everyone had a good time and they all said to tell all their kinfolks and friends in Bogata hello for them.

Mrs. Sue Hudson was visited by Mr. & Mrs. Ben Townes and Mrs. Goldie DeBerry on Wednesday the

Wayne and Alice Grogan of Rockville, Maryland arrived June 12th for a few days' visit with his mother, Vera Grogan of Red River Healthcare Center, and other relatives and friends in the area.

Those going to Dallas and attending the "at home" in honor of Patsy Hooker Lipscomb on Monday, June 13, 1994 were Mrs. Gaylord McClure, Mrs. Paul Griffin, Mrs. Neil Rozell, and Mary Colflesh.

Spurgeon Peaden of Rockwall visited and enjoyed lunch with Inez Montgomery Sunday

Becky and Jonathon Passee and Kelli Kinney of Temple visited over the weekend with Dr. & Mrs. E. E. Brooks and Mr. & Mrs. Travis Hale.

The Bogata Ladies Fellowship met at the Rosalie Restaurant at 8:00 a.m. on June 13th. The group enjoyed breakfast and fellowship. They will be meeting every 2nd Monday of each month at 8:00 a.m. at the Rosalie Restaurant. All ladies are encouraged and welcome to attend. The group is non-denominational.



Lucille O'Donnell and Chrystine Baker spent Tuesday shopping.

Ann Mangrum of Waco visited Buck & Betty Ramsey over the weekend. They and Chrystine Baker attended the Fulbright Homecoming Sunday. Approximately 140 at-

Carol Baker of Mt. Pleasant and Chrystine Baker visited Ruby Corbell Thursday at Regency Nursing Center in Clarksville.

Buck & Betty Ramsey, Chrystine Baker and Ruby Legate enjoyed barb-que at the Rocking W Saturday. They attended the Fulbright School

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reunion. There were 35 who arrived for lunch and visiting.

The Bogata Baseball Softball As-

sociation will be having a Fish Fry, Barbeque with trimmings, Bake Sale

On Saturday, June 18th, at the First Baptist Church in Bogata, from

1:00 -7:00 p.m. a fish cooker will be

demonstrated, donated by Curtis

Young. It will be given away on

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Psalm 17:7B

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Jerry & Gerlyn Gray spent last week visiting with their children, Jennifer and Rusty Reeder and Jessica & Danny Hines who were camping at Lake Cypress. Other visitors during the week were Judy, Harold and Heather Holt, Gayle Reeder, Jack & Jamie Garrett, Linda Gray, Willie Mae Gray & Jody Gray.

Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Stringfellow, Lynsey & Jamie, of Sandpoint, Idaho were visiting with Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow.

Delegates Attend State **Democratic Convention**

Democrats from all over the State held on Friday afternoon, June 3, at of Texas gathered at the Tarrant Convention Center June 2 through June 4, for the 1994 State Democratic Convention.

Delegates from Red River County attending were William and Patsy Boggs - Clarksville; John Howison and Sadie Halyard - Bogata. William Boggs served as Chairman of the Delegation and John Howison was elected to serve on the State Resolutions Committee representing Senate District One.

Senate District One Caucus was

which time Lynda Phillips of Gilmer, Texas was elected as committee woman on the SDEC and Leonard Caldwell of Mt. Pleasant was elected as committee man to serve on the SDEC committee.

A number of candidates and elected officials were guest speakers at the Convention, including Richard Fisher, Democratic Candidate for the U.S. Senate, and Governor Ann Richards, candidate for re-election as Governor of the State of Texas.

Cunningham Community Homecoming To Be July 2nd The Cunningham Community gate entry fee will be assessed, with

Homecoming is set for Saturday, July 2nd, at the Musgrove Ranch and Camp in Cunningham.

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no exceptions. Leftover monies from entry fee after insurance is paid will be donated to the Children's Home The cost of the barbecue meal is which is being established at the Bring your lawn chairs.

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Association To Have Fish Fry and start on projects for next season. One project will be to get the fence moved back so the older boys can

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Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Friends were sorry to learn of the death of Etta Mae Deshong Bartlett of Paris. She was a longtime Cunningham resident and leaves many friends. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Rev. Duane Stewart and Libby and Kay Ellis of Clardy and Jane O'Neal attended a week's church conference in Artesia, New Mexico last week.

Word was received Friday of the death of Sam Lewis of Paris. He was a longtime resident and attended Cunningham school. Friends extend sympathy to the family.

Mr. & Mrs. Bill Boehme of Mabank visited services at the Baptist Church Wednesday night. They are former members and we were happy to have them visit

Virginia Bell of Paris, Ollie Ruth Guthrie and Mr. & Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie of Talco had lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Monday.

Bill and Ruth Chipman were Wednesday night supper guests of Mabel Lynn.

Mr. & Mrs. Ira Norman of Edmond, Okla. spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Mr. & Mrs. Odis Watson.

Willie Hinn of Orlando, Fla. will conduct special services at the Life Tabernacle Church Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Mr. & Mrs. Carl B. Guthrie and Ollie Ruth Guthrie of Talco visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Thursday afternoon.

don and Georjeana, had Sunday lunch with Mr.& Mrs. Billy Joe Oats. Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Shipp of Sulphur Bluff visited Mr. & Mrs. Roy

Mr. & Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Bran-

Powers Sunday afternoon. Annea Sugg of Paris spent the past two weeks with Steve Sugg and

Katherine Sugg. Mr. & Mrs. Odis Watson, Geneva Norwood and Brenda Watson went to Bonham Tuesday night for visitation hour at a Bonham funeral home for Mrs. Watson's cousin's husband,

Leon Simmons. Mr. & Mrs. Leo Barnes of Vidor spent Saturday night and Sunday night with Mabel Lynn.

Patsy Dewitt and Tiffany of Irving spent Saturday night with Mr. & Mrs. Bill Chipman.

Ethel Nelson of Turlock, Calif. visited recently with Joyce Berry. Jamie Wood of Clardy visited his

sister, Cynthia Anderson, and sons Sunday afternoon. Helen Northam of Paris, Joyce

Berry, Shirley Lawrence of Minter, Leo and Evelyn Barnes of Vidor had supper with Mabel Lynn Friday night. Susie Norwood spent Tuesday night with Mr. & Mrs. Almer

Eddie and Sue Sheppard and Tres and Lori Andrews spent the weekend with Vickie Giles, Keith and Jonathan and Jamie Boren of Midlothian.

Ollie Ruth Guthrie of Talco spent the weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain. Mr. & Mrs. Carrol W. Malone

visited Katherine Sugg Saturday Lessie Stuart of Reno spent Thurs-

day night with Mr. & Mrs. Silas Tay-

OFF WE GO to the Pine Springs Baptist Camp being held June 13-16. Members of the Johntown Missionary Baptist Church and Bro. Roddy and Brenda Jackson left Monday to attend the camp in Laneville. Pictured not in any order are Bro. Roddy and Brenda Jackson, Traci, Travis Jackson, Clay Pirtle, Mitch Jean, Susan, Lisa and Kim Shirley, Jamie Daniels and Billy Jordan. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



WINNER OF THE FREE BICYCLE given away at the Bogata Park by the Life Tabernacle Bible School in Cunningham was Lauren Mauldin of Bogata. The members of the Cunningham Church are holding Bible schools at local parks in the area and are giving away a bicycle at each location. They will be in Talco on June 15 at the Talco Park at 10:00. The children are enjoying music, games and learning. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

Leo and Evelyn Barnes of Vidor, Patsy Dewitt and Tiffany of Irving, Ruth Chipman, Shirley Lawrence, Joyce Berry and Mabel Lynn attended the Rockford Homecoming Sunday.

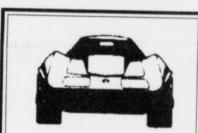
Mr. & Mrs. George Green of Mt. Pleasant, and Francis Thomas of Johntown visited Mr. & Mrs. Norman Sain Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Davis of Omaha visited Katherine Sugg Sat-

Mr. & Mrs. Billy R. Oats, Brandon and Georjeana, Mr. & Mrs. Frankie Norwood, Logan and Laton, and Mr. & Mrs. Scotty Norwood, Trevor and Amber had Sunday night supper with Geneva Norwood.

Mr. & Mrs. Delano Dunlap and Mr. & Mrs. Keith Medlin and Brooke of Mesquite spent the weekend at their home here.

Carol Dorsey and Jennifer of Deport had Sunday lunch with Lucy



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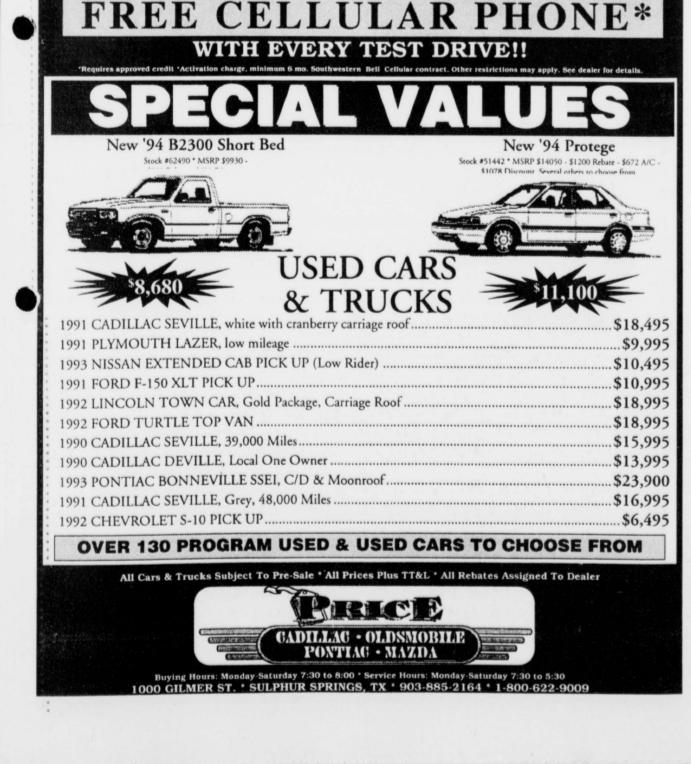
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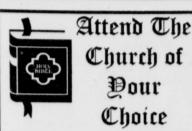
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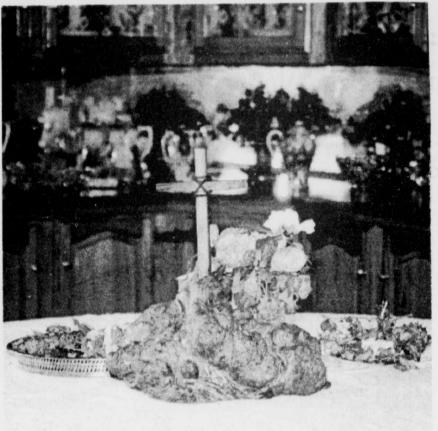
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Talco Locals

By Nancy Brown

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Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Jones, Todd Barker and Craig Combs enjoyed a youth musical at the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon Monday

Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Kuhl, Kristin and Brandi Gaddis spent Thursday through Tuesday camping at Guthrie Park. Joining them for a hamburger supper Sunday were Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Nolen, Jody & Julie, Jeremy Weatherall, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Nolen,

Destry & Chris and Louise Nolen. Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Swarts, Jaime & Joanie spent Saturday in Hunts-

Kenny Rector, son of Mike Rector, was hospitalized at Titus Co. Memorial. He is reported home and doing well.

Candi and Lane Jones of Cookville visited Mr. & Mrs. Mike Sloan, Chase, Jillian and Teala Wednesday evening. The Calvary Baptist Church in

Talco held VBS June 6-10. The group reported an average of 98 children and a one-day high of 106. Closing ceremonies were held Friday. Children received certificates and enjoyed sno-cones after the pro-

David Brown of Texarkana visited Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Brown Saturday. They enjoyed a Bar-B-Que

dinner in celebration of Father's Day. The Calvary Baptist Church youth attended camp at Lone Star this past week. Attending were sponsor Johnny Jones, Todd Barker, Clint Gage, Bo Bolton and Nicholas Castle.

Frankie Brown and Verbeth Wyatt visited Wilma Fry in a Paris hospital Sunday.

Vickie Waldrum visited Wilma Fry Saturday in Paris hospital.

Joey Taylor visited Rusty Benfield at Cypress Springs Monday through Wednesday

Mr. & Mrs. Tim Taylor and Joey spent this past week camping at Pat Mayes Lake. Visiting with them were Jeremy Jones, Michael Taylor, Mr. & Mrs. Hoyt Taylor, John and Gloria Smith.

Beverly & Joey Taylor attended niece Andrea Barton's 6th birthday

party at Chuck E. Cheese in Dallas

The Talco Times has been sent to Linda Johnson as a gift from Ophelia

Carl & Donna Pittman and Becky Hammonds of Billings, Oklahoma visited the homes of Mr. & Mrs. Raford Pittman and Mrs. Verbath

Wyatt this past weekend. Harris Chapel Bible School was held June 6-10 at Harris Chapel Baptist Church in Sugar Hill. They had an average of 45 children per day. The closing program was Frid night. Ice cream, cake and all

trimmings were served afterward. Pat Pitts and Gary Pitts spent Friday with Mr. & Mrs. Earl Heightman

Coleman Brown, Kyle Stansell, and Ryan Case enjoyed the Jay Novechek Football Camp held at ETSU this past week. The boys enjoyed practicing football and special techniques twice daily and also enjoyed meeting Jay Novechek, Trey Aikman, and Jimmy Jones.

Elizabeth Ewing Celebrates 5th Birthday

will be five years old on June 18. She started celebrating a few days early. A pizza party with cake and ice cream

Elizabeth Elaine Ewing of Talco, enjoyed by great-grandparents, J.C. and Vivian Fail, grand-parent's, Ronnie and Marilyn and Paul Presley, mother, Amy Jolley and her aunt and uncle, Yvonne and Glen Harris.

Talco Class Of '59 To Hold Reunion

The thirty-fifth class reunion for the Talco High School class of 1959 will be held on June 25, beginning at 6:30 p.m., at the Mt. Pleasant Country Club in Mt. Pleasant.

If you know the addresses of the following classmates, please contact,

Betty Foxworthy at 903-632-4339. Cecil Lynn Loftin, Marilyn Graf, Lynn Rhodes, Jerry Roebuck, Dorothy Spievey, Betty Stockton, Leon Watson, Harold Cooper, Louise Cameron and Elizabeth Elkins.



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The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) area committee election this year will be held on July 5, 1994. The ballot must be filled out, mailed and received or returned in person to Farmers Home Administration, 1809 West Ferguson, Suite C, (P.O. Box 2300) Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75456-2300, not later than July 5, 1994. If you do not vote in person, you should mail your ballot inside a blank envelope marked "ballot" to ensure a secret ballot. This blank envelope should be placed inside the envelope you use to mail your ballot. Your name and address must be legible on the outer envelope. Failure to provide this information will render your ballot invalid. Only one ballot may be voted in person or by mail by any voter. Votes in envelopes containing more than one absentee ballot will not be counted. Ballots and envelopes may be obtained from your local FmHA office.

The nominee for the Area Committee for Titus, Franklin, Morris Counties is Mr. Glen Emerson. The qualifications of persons voting are described in the "Voter Certification Statement". For further information regarding voting and voter eligibility, see the County Office listed above. FmHA elections are open to all eligible voters without reg ard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex and/or handicap.

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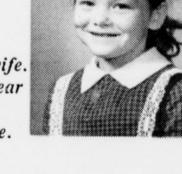
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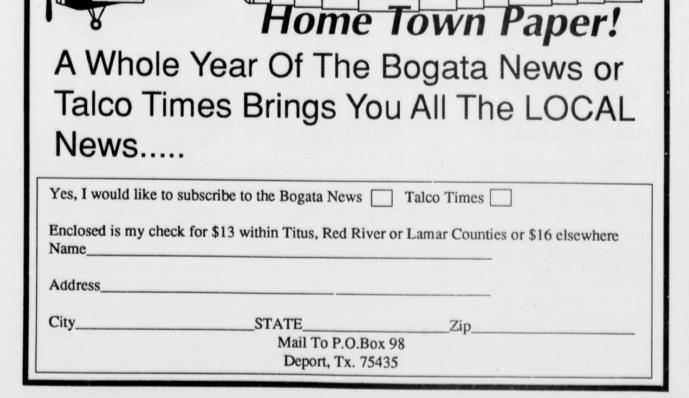
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The purpose of this meeting i to allow citizens an opportunit to discuss the citizen participation plan, the development of local housing and community de velopment needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible TCDP activities, and the use of past TCDP funds.

The goal of the Texas Community Development Program is the development of viable communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and by expanding eco nomic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income. The public hearing will provide opportunity to review and discuss all funding categories of the Program and to determine interest in the development of projects that are eligible under each funding category. The funding categories are as follows: * Community Development

*Young v. Cisneros Fund *Disaster Relief/Urgent Need

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The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of TCDP applications and to make their views known at the public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and proposals to The Honorable K. M. Sloan, Mayor of Talco, P.O. Box 365, Talco, Texas 75487. Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting should con tact City Hall to arrange for as-

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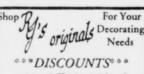
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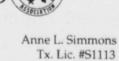


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Sunday, June 5th: one criminal mischief; two burglaries of habitation; two family disturbances; one charge of public intoxication, unlawful carrying of a weapon, burglary of a motor vehicle.

Monday, June 6th: one stolen vehicle reported and recovered; two welfare concerns reported; one subject released to Lamar County on their charge, one released on bond; two inmates transported from the city, both released on bond; minor

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accident reported; one theft of cattle; one domestic problem reported.

Tuesday, June 7th: One threat reported; two welfare concerns reported; report of cattle in roadway; attempted burglary reported; two major accidents reported; report of gas drive off; an assault reported. Wednesday, June 8th: Three in-

mates released, one transported from the city; burglary of a building re-

ported; assault reported; family disturbance reported.

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Thursday, June 9th: Request for an ambulance; inmate released after time served; report of cattle on roadway; welfare concern reported; violation of protective order.

Friday, June 10th: Burglary of habitation reported; two inmates released; report of a fight in progress;' welfare concern reported; an arrest made on charge of possession of drug paraphanelia.

Saturday, June 11th: Charge of violation of probation; report of missing cattle; arrest made on charge of outstanding DPS warrants; three subjects transported from the city; disturbance reported; arrest made on charge of driving while intoxicated, evading arrest and assault.

Courthouse Squares



By Nanalee Nichols parts of Brooklyn and generally had

Here we go, again, with our vacation articles. I always feel rather strange since I know many people take longer and more "exotic" vacations. But, so many people keep asking when we're going to take a trip so that they can "go too" that

I will give it a shot. If it isn't interesting, all you need to do is pass it Well, after a short vacation last year, we decided to head for Ireland.

As you may have read in my column

last week, we wound up spending a

whole day in New York City before

we finally, once more, caught up with

If there is one word that describes New York City it is "alive" for it is a city full of masses of people from all races, all walks of life and all financial situations. We took a tour with a guide named Fran, and just the two of us, and it was an eyeopening experience. What impressed us the most? The Statue of Liberty, when approached by boat is a beautiful sight. Ellis Island, with it's restored buildings, is now beautiful too, but it made us stop and think for a long, long time as to just how terrifying it must have been for the thousands who arrived from various places to be unloaded, tagged, sorted and processed through this immigration cen-

Think about what it would have been like for most of them, after a horrendous sea voyage, to land with all their belongings in a single case or tied in a cloth, almost no money and not speaking a word of the lan-

We saw Times Square, Central Park, Rockefeller Plaza, the Empire State Building, Chrysler building, the oridges such as the Brooklyn Bridge, Williamsburg Bridge and more. We went through Queens, Manhattan,

a five hour tour of this huge city.

Vacation In Ireland, A Beautiful Experience

At the end of this tour, I confess we were happy to have seen so manythings..and happy to be leaving. There is simply too much population to make me at ease there, and we just prefer smaller places.

At long last we were in Ireland, though, and so glad to be there.

What can one say about Ireland? I can wax lyrical at the beautiful countryside, the glorious mountains, the quaint cottages (and, indeed I shall do so in the course of these articles) but, first and foremost I will always remember the people of Ireland. We have, from Egypt to Canada, from the U.S. to Italy, come across many warm and wonderful people. But never have we been met with so many smiles, somany friendly, helpful gestures and so much interested atten-

Driving down country lanes we waved back as small children waved at us, as did their mothers who were hanging out clothes in the welcome sunshine or working in the bright flowers that grew beside their cot-

In every village we were spoken to as we walked down the streets, welcomed into stores and questioned about how we liked their country. The Irish are so proud of their land, so happy to share it with anyone who comes to visit. They love their island passionately, and indeed, there is much to love in this beautiful land.

Our first glimpse of this country was from the taxi as we drove from the airport to Limerick. Limerick gave it's name to the "ditties" that we are all familiar with. We had a Limerick contest, and there is actually a proper form for a limerick. The first twolines rhyme, then the next two, and the fifth line rhymes with the first two.

Our contribution?

"There once was a couple from Texas, When travelling seemed troubled with

This made them quite tardy,

In catching their party, They say it's just one of those hexes that vexes!"

The winning Limerick was clearly a great choice. Our tour driver was named Joe, and the limerick was dedicated to him. It read:

There once was a young man named

Who thought "Where in my life should I go?

I'll take people on tour, They'll feel really secure,

And From Shannon to everywhere we'll go!'

Writing these little verses on the coach was a world of fun, broke the ice and generally made us all better friends. We travelled to Killarney from Limerick, along pleasant roads with May bushes or Hawthorne in full bloom.

That night we went to the Siamsa Tire Theater. I won't attempt to explain the pronunciation of this, or any other Irish Gaelic words because there is no way I'd do it right!

But, this is their national theater, and is filled with songs and dances from earlier times. Set dances, legends, May Day and routine daily life from the past is all protrayed. The players range from smaller children to older people, but they all have something in common, beautiful voices. We could not understand word they sang, since it was all in Irish, but it was entrancing.

Finally, we returned to Killarney, exhausted form our two days in transit, curled up in our bed and fell asleep beore our heads hit the pillow. The next day was our "ring of Kerry tour, and it will be filled with some of themost beautiful scenary in the

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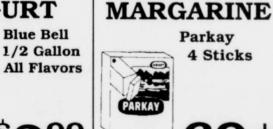
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