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The years add to the suitcases!
Although it's been several months since we took a trip, I was shuffling the suitcases around in the closet and it set my mind to pondering on how we change with age.

I remember when we used to go on trips, we had one small suitcase. We packed a few pairs of jeans and shirts, a hairbrush, toothbrush and toothpaste a bottle of shampoo and basically that was it.

As the years crept by we began to pack a few more things....a hairdryer, some Benedryl for bee stings or allergies, hand and body lotion.

A few more years and I purchased a plastic roll up travel pouch with multiple zip pockets. It only has to be pulled from the suitcase and hung up. It is pretty roomy, but by now is very full.

And just what does it contain?

Well, let's see. There is shampoo, conditioner, hairbrush and comb, toothbrushes and toothpaste, hand lotion, face moisturizer, deodorant, nail clippers, a nail file, a small sewing kit, cotton swabs, first aid cream, aspirin, sinus medication, arthritis medicine, antacid and Imodium (just in case), an elastic bandage in case of sprains (experience taught me that one), a spare pair of glasses for me, a spare pair for Thomas, Band-aids, tweezers, a spare lip balm, the hair dryer, a few rubber bands (don't know what those are for) hair spray and an extra bar of soap and even a small flashlight.

Good grief...what a lot of stuff, much of which we never use.

But, as we have gotten older and loaded our lives down more, and developed more aches and pains, it's been easy to just add to that zipper pouch all the things that we need or that we think we need.

Does this mean that we are more insecure, or have we just learned from experience? Or, are we just a lot more spoiled and less willing to do without something?

I suspect it is the latter that has to do with most of it.

But, the fact is that we used to pack for a week in an overnight bag, and now it takes a really big suitcase!

So we are spoiled....at least with although soaps, lotions and stuff we won't smell that way!

The Talco Girl Scouts will hold a **bake sale** in front of the Talco Post Office on Friday, August 1 beginning at 8:00 a.m. All proceeds from the sale will go to help the girls visit in Galveston Aug. 5-8. Your purchase or donation will be appreciated.

Children's crusade planned

Lake Chapel House of Prayer is pleased to announce a children's crusade on August 4-8. Services will be held nightly at 7:00 p.m. with children's evangelists, Mark and Anita Vaughan. They will be using puppets, songs, skits and visualized Bible Stories to present life-changing truths for young people.

Pastor James Mart in invites you to come and be a part of this family outreach. The church is located on Highway 37, 4 miles north of Hagensport. For more information call 632-4452.

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Two businesses total over 50 years

Talco has many businesses that have been established for many years but in researching the businesses that have been operating since establishment two could be found that have been either in continuous use or near continuous.

The Snack Shop located on Hwy 271 originally began as a drive-in across the street from where it presently is. It was opened by former Talco resident David Teague. The Norwood's who also owned and operated a grocery store moved the building to its present location and operated it until Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gauntt purchased it from them. The Gauntts added the game room to the building. Following the Gauntts, Cordell Alexander bought the business and has owned and operated it off and on for 22 years. Mrs. Alexander made many improvements to the outside and inside of the building

, also adding a motel in the back and is still open for business. Hara (Coop) Slaughter Parker was an employee of the business for many years. She retired and is still a resident of Talco.

Over the years many a Talco football team was served a steak dinner at the restaurant and many have enjoyed home cooking and one of Cordell's specialty, Mexican food.

Another long standing business is located on Fm. Rd. 71 east of Talco at Meadow's Curve.

The grocery-gas station and repair shop was owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Odell Belcher for many a year. Mr. Belcher and employee, Leroy Savage did repairs on cars, trucks, lawn mowers and other small engines.

The Belchers rented the store to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Waldrum in 1976 but kept the garage where Mr. Belcher

continued to work for several more years. The Belchers and Leroy are all deceased but all left fond memories for many.

Mr. Waldrum died in 1983, however Mrs. Evie Waldrum is still in business from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 or 6:00 p.m. daily. The store contains almost everything a person could need but one of the best things about the place is it's old time feel. On a cold winter day there's nothing better than stopping by for whatever and taking time to back up to the wood burning heater and a quick visit with Mrs. Waldrum. Few stores still offer red rind cheese by the slice or thick sliced lunch meat.

Although items may have been missed about both the businesses they have been and will continue to be open for business.

Rivercrest will return to school August 12

Rivercrest High School students will return to school on Tuesday, August 12 and report to their first period classes at 8:05 a.m.

Those who have not registered or who have not received their schedules should report to the high school office. Schedule changes may be made according to the following schedule: seniors, August 4, 8-11:30 a.m.; juniors, 1-4:30 p.m.; sophomores, August 5, 8-11:30 a.m.; freshmen, 6-7 p.m.

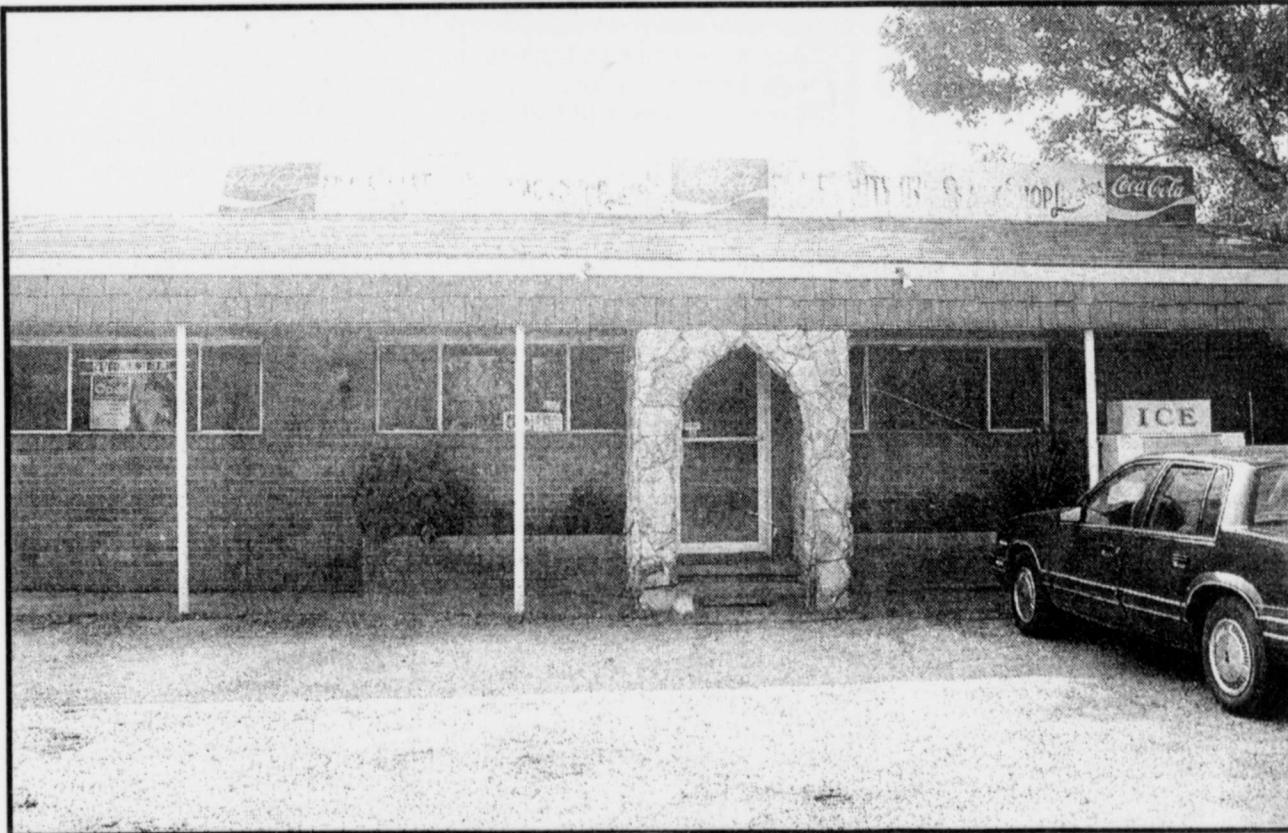
New students may register on August 6. New student and freshman

orientation will be held from 7-9 p.m. on August 5. Orientation will begin with a hamburger supper and include a brief presentation, and conclude with a tour of the facility.

All freshmen and students new to the district are encouraged to attend with their parents. One change in the dress code should be noted as students buy clothes. Shorts must be no shorter than the finger tips on the extended hand when arms hang freely at the sides and shall be no shorter than mid-thigh.



Waldrum's Grocery at Meadow's Curve



271 Snack Shop and Motel

Talco Baseball/Softball Association meeting held July 24

The Talco Baseball/Softball Association officers and board met on Thursday, July 24 at the ball park at 6:00 p.m.

President, Nancy Brown called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m. Treasurer, Patsy Smith passed out financial statements to the group and reported on expenses and income for the season. A total of \$1142.91 was the reported balance and no outstanding bills. Mrs. Smith reported the league handled over \$21,000 this season. Improvements made were; bathrooms, new lighting, break-away bases, a flag pole, equipment and uniforms.

The group discussed buying a pitching machine, score board and rebuilding dug outs. Spending any money was tabled until prices can be checked on items mentioned.

The association's by-laws were discussed and a unanimous vote saw amendments made.

In the next season the association will go by rules provided in the Dixie League Handbook. The governing body will be made up of; a president,

2 vice-presidents, secretary, treasurer, reporter, purchasing agent and 2 to four player agents all of which will serve 2 year terms.

The date of election for officers was changed to the third week in August every two years, unless a member must be replaced.

Eligibility to vote for the governing body was discussed. Eligible voters will be parents or guardians of players, coaches and governing body members.

Election of coaches was discussed. The group voted unanimously that beginning with next season all Senior coaches in good standing will be given first options on teams. Therefore, coaches that have been with the league for three years will have choice over those with two years. Two year coaches will have choice over one year etc. Coaches will also be allowed to choose their assistants and managers all to be approved by the governing body.

The new officers elected will be expected to hold fund raisers in Octo-

ber, possibly a booth at the Talco Fall Festival and in December, with a fireworks stand and possibly a float in the Talco Christmas Parade.

The group discussed a co-ed tournament and voted unanimously to hold a one day benefit tourney at the field on Aug. 9. Each player must be from Talco or be a coach or parent from the league. No students will be allowed to play. Each player will pay a \$5.00 donation to participate in this strictly recreational tourney. Everyone will be asked to bring a covered dish on this day for all to enjoy an end of season supper together. The league will furnish chicken, tea and paper goods. Sammy Joe Ellis will be the cook for the day. Everyone is invited to come out and share the meal and ball games. A tentative time to begin play was set at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m. Those in attendance were; Dale Griffin, Nancy Brown, Patsy Smith, Mayra Clark, Marta Rhoades, Janice Savage, Leslie Wright, Marcus Savage and Sammy Joe Ellis.



TALCO SCHOOL-is happy to welcome Leah Lewis Bull as their new fifth grade teacher. Leah is the daughter of Robert and Jan Lewis of Bogata. She has one daughter, Brittany, who will be in the 8th grade at Talco this year. Leah has taught 5th through 8th grades for the last 5 years at Blue Ridge. She is a graduate of Rivercrest High School and received her Bachelors degree from ETSU and a masters in Earth Science from ETSU. Mrs. Bull is looking forward to and has been busy preparing for the coming year at Talco. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Alex Wright celebrates nine years

Alex Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shane Wright of Talco celebrated her ninth birthday on Saturday at her home in Talco.

Attending were; Grandparents, Clyde Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bryant all of Bogata, Patsy and Melanie Smith, Dale and Torrie Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Johnson and son of Bogata, Mayra Clark and Luke, Robert Caul Rhoades, Danica Easterling, Shelia Wright, Logan and

Camill, Wendy Johnson, Taylor Phillips, Malorie Wright and Erika Jones. The guest enjoyed water games, cake and all the trimmings.

Taylor Phillips, Danica Easterling, Erika Jones, Malorie Wright, Wendy Johnson and Camill Wright were overnight (slumber party) guest with Alex and also enjoyed a trip to Crystal Spring Park on Sunday.

Alex received many nice gifts.

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Leston Mankins dies July 26

Leston Mankins, age 86 of Mt. Pleasant died Saturday, July 26 at Wadley Hospital, Texarkana. Services were held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 28 at Talco Cemetery with Bro. Jamie Duncan officiating. Bates-Cooper-Robison had charge of arrangements. Mr. Mankins was born October 22, 1910 in Talco, a son of Willie Moore Mankins and Thomas A. Mankins. He was a truck driver and a Baptist. Surviving are his wife; a sister-in-law, Josephine Mankins of Talco; four nieces and one nephew. He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Preston Mankins and Eugene Mankins and two sisters, Ivy Smith and tommie Austin.



Richard Henry Kain dies July 24

Richard Henry (Dick) Kain, age 67 of Bogata died Thursday, July 24 in Carthage. Services were held at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, July 26 in the First Baptist Church of Bogata with burial in Cuthand Cemetery by Wood Funeral Homes. Mr. Kain was born November 22, 1929 in Dallas, the son of James Arnold and Marsylene Shirley Askins Kain. He married the former Mary Ellen Jones on July 11, 1952 in Dallas. He was a construction superintendent and a Navy veteran of the Korean War. Survivors include his wife; two sons, James A. Kain of Mt. Pleasant and Ronald Curtis Foster of Euleess; a daughter, Donna Louise John of Richardson; a sister, Gloria Spry of Abilene; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchildren; and an aunt.

Brandon Craig Yale dies July 24

Brandon Craig Yale, an infant son, was born July 22, 1997 in a Fort Worth Hospital to Craig and Lisa Yale. He passed away July 24. Graveside services were held at 10:00 p.m. Friday in Mount Olivet Cemetery. Survivors are: his parents; Craig and Lisa Yale of Richland Hills, two sisters; Kelsey and Kaitlin Yale of Watauga. Paternal grandparents, K.C. (Bo) and Peggy (Corbell) Yale of Fort Worth and Great Grandmother, Ruby Corbell.

The important thing is not to stop questioning.

—Albert Einstein

Jim Grant Garrett dies July 26

Jim Grant Garrett, age 67 of Bogata, died at his residence on Saturday, July 26. Services were held Tuesday, July 29 in the First United Methodist Church of Bogata with the Rev. Mike Green and the Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Homes. Mr. Garrett was born February 10, 1930 in Rugby, the son of Jim and Effie Bailey Garrett. He was a retired medical technologist and U.S. Navy veteran, serving in the Korean Conflict. On December 26, 1985, he married the former Margie Minschew in Bogata, she survives, as do these children; daughters Cynthia June Hopkins of Dickerson, Jennifer Lynn Rhoades of Texas City, Josylin Elaine Vickers of Wake Village and Juliana Moreland of Texarkana; two stepsons, Robin Burdette of Ft. Worth and CW4 Billy Duane Willis of Clarksville, TN; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He is also survived by a sister, Edith Swaim of Talco. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Eugene and Everett Garrett. Pallbearers were nephews, honorary bearers were Jim Smyth, Donald O'Donnell, Bill Farris, Donnie Strain, Jim Branch and Rabbit Fred Wisinger.

Buford Allen Hood dies July 25

Buford Allen Hood, age 77 of Bogata died Friday, July 25 in McCuiston Hospital in Paris. Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Monday, July 28 in Johntown Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Bobby Clark and the Rev. Roddy Jackson officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Homes. Mr. Hood was born October 11, 1919 in Morris, OK the son of William Patrick and Etta Lee Hawkins Hood. He married the former Lee Green on July 10, 1939 in Lubbock. He was a retired real estate agent and had retired as a service engineer from Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. He was a member of Johntown Missionary Baptist Church and a World War II Army veteran serving in the Philippines. He is survived by his wife, Lee Hood of Bogata; a son and daughter-in-law, Bruce and Susan Hood of Paris; two daughters and sons-in-law, Loretta and Gene Orr of Sherman and Sondra and Lyman Daniel of Wellington; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren; a brother, Billy Hood and a sister, Faye Huckabee, both of Lubbock. He was preceded in death by a brother, Sam Hood, a granddaughter Maechelle Coursey and a great-granddaughter, Paige Elizabeth Miles.

Card of Thanks Words cannot express the appreciation we feel towards our family and friends for the party, cards and phone calls we received for our 50th wedding anniversary July 1. We will never forget the love that went into all the celebration. Thanks again. George and Maureen Richardson

Card of Thanks The family of Eula Byrd would like to express our sincere thanks to all those who shared in our sorrow. For thoughts and prayers, visits, calls, food and all other considerations, we greatly appreciate. Special thanks to Dr. Jackson, the Reverend Michael Green, the Reverend Bob Bush, Tim Wood and Neva Harville. God's blessings to all, The Byrd Family

Wanda Jean Robison dies July 18

Wanda Jean Robison, age 64 of Mesquite, died at her home on Friday, July 18. Services were held at 5:00 p.m. Sunday, July 20 in the First United Methodist Church of Bogata with the Rev. Rickey Gandy officiating. Wood Funeral Home made burial in West Bowie, TX. She was born in Clarksville on October 13, 1932, the daughter of Gilbert and Alma Hamilton Duffee. On February 21, 1953 she married Orby Robison in Ashdown, AR, who survives, as do children; two sons, Gary Robison and wife Sandra of Mesquite and Joey Robison of Dallas; two grandsons, Brent and Kevin Robison of Forney; four sisters, Verlee Bowles of Tyler, Pany Willingham and Hazel Woodall of Dallas and Zela Putteet of Bogata; and two brothers, Tom Duffee of DeKalb and Dalton Duffee of Avery. She is also survived by many nieces, nephews and firends. She was preceded in death by brothers Erwin, Gilbert and Bobby Duffee. Bearers were Bob Bennett, Brent Robison, Brad Puttett, Connie Potter, Horace Robison and Walt Putteet.

Ruby Lee McDowra dies July 25

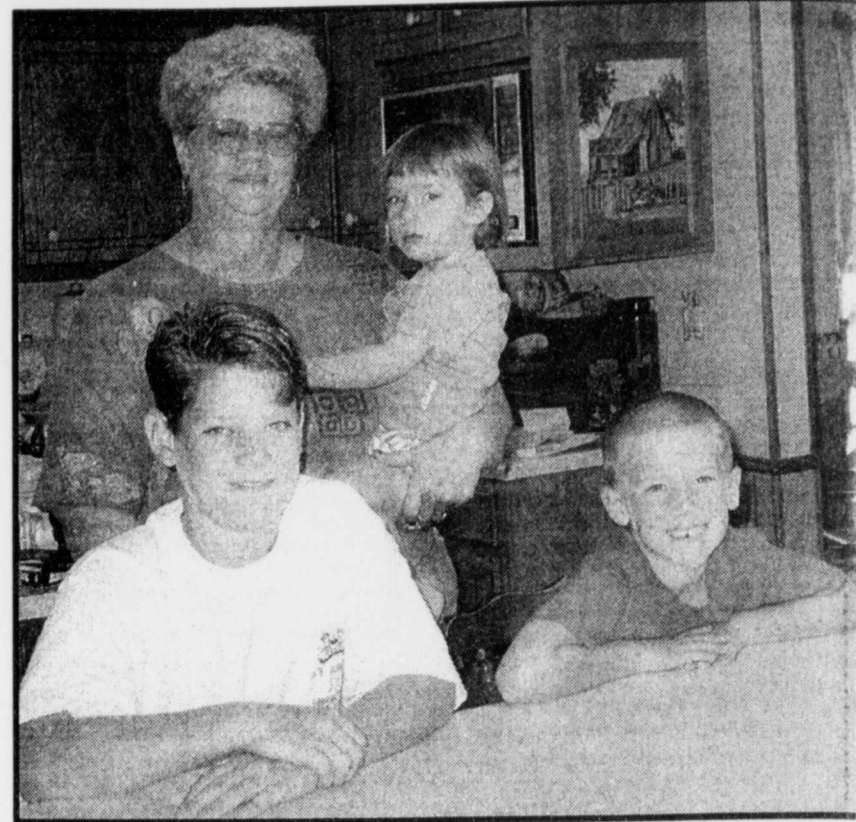
Ruby Lee McDowra, age 89 of Paris and formerly of Pattonville, died Friday, July 25 in Parkview Convalescent Center. Graveside services were held Sunday, July 27 at 5:00 p.m. in Shady Grove Cemetery. Wood Funeral Homes had charge of arrangements. Mrs. McDowra was born February 11, 1908 in Tennessee, the daughter of Johnny and Ethel Robison McMinn. On July 26, 1924 she married Bill McDowra in Pattonville. He preceded her in death December 24, 1991. Mrs. McDowra was a housewife and a member of the Pattonville Church of Christ. She is survived by her children, Marlin McDowra and wife Nora of Paris, Betty Bell, LaFawn Young and husband, Bobby, all of Levelland, Doris Young, Jimmie and husband Neil Goodson, all of Paris; 16 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by a son, Burl McDowra in September, 1982.

Card of Thanks The family of Dick Kane wishes to express their appreciation for the food, flowers, cards, calls, visits, prayers and all the other kindnesses shown to the entire family during the loss of our loved one. Love to you all. The Kane Family, Mary Ellen, Jim, Butch and Donna

Card of Thanks We would like to extend the most heartfelt Thanks to James and Dee Wood who extended every help and support possible when Jamie and Peyton were burned Monday. Their quick action and help mean more than they will ever know. Jamie and Peyton will both be all right. Again, all our thanks. The Jamie Wright Family Jane Davis, Billie Davis Bazhaw

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JANE GLASS OF ROSALIE is the featured cook in this week's Country Cooking Column. Jane is pictured with her grandchildren, Josh, Blake and Jenna Barnes. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

Country Cooking

Jane Glass, husband, C.D. and son, Ben, live in Rosalie. They have a lovely home with a country decor. Jane says she likes the country look. The day 1 visited, Jane was sitting with her three grandchildren, Josh, Blake and Jenna Barnes while their mom and dad were out of town. The kids belong to the Glass's daughter and son in law, Jennifer and Chad Barnes of Deport. Jane said that she and her husband both thoroughly enjoy spending time with their grandchildren. The Glass family is active in Church and loves their church family. They are members of the Cunningham Baptist Church. She has been Activity Director at Clarksville Nursing Center for 11 years and absolutely loves her work. Jane says that it seems as though she has cooked all her life. Her mother taught her the cooking secrets she knows, such as adding a dash of this or a pinch of that for extra flavor. Jane enjoys the holiday season. She gives a lot of goodies for gifts to friends and neighbors. She also enjoys making crafts and decorating her home. The Glass's are enjoying the seasonal vegetables, and Jane has made a lot of picante sauce since the tomatoes have been so good this year. Jane is sharing her Picante Sauce recipe, as well as a recipe for Ben's Snack, her Caramel Popcorn Recipe, on which she and Bobbie Damron collaborated until they got it just right, Josh and Blake's No Bake Cookies, a Corn Bread Salad and Strawberry Dessert. We appreciate Jane's allowing us to visit her this week and hope you enjoy the recipes she is sharing with us. Have a good week.

July 31, 1997 Jane Glass Picante Sauce 5 Qts. tomatoes, peeled & chopped 1 cup chopped onion 1 cup chopped celery 1 Garlic pod, chopped 3/4 sugar 1 cup vinegar salt to taste 1 hot pepper 2 sweet banana peppers Mix all together and simmer for about one hour. Put in jars and seal. Ben's Snack 1 lb ground meat Cook meat in skillet with onion and favorite seasoning. Drain real good. Add mayonnaise and mustard to taste. This is good on bread while hot. Try it you'll like it Caramel Popcorn 4 Qts popped corn put in dishpan Mix and bring to rolling boil until it forms a soft ball in water 1 cup sugar 1 cup brown sugar 1 cup white syrup 1 stick oleo Remove from heat, add 1 tsp. vanilla and 1 tsp. baking soda, stir until foamy. Pour over popcorn and stir, bake for 1 hr. at 250 degrees in oven stirring every 15 minutes, popcorn is delicious. Josh and Blake's No Bake Cookies 2 cups sugar 1/2 cup milk 1/2 cup butter 3 cups instant oatmeal 3/4 cup peanut butter 4 Tbsp cocoa 1 tsp vanilla Mix sugar, butter and milk in saucepan. Bring to rolling boil for 1 minute. Remove from heat and add peanut butter, cocoa, oatmeal and vanilla. Mix ingredients well. Using a teaspoon, drop small amounts onto waxed paper. Let cookies cool until firm. My grandkids love these cookies. Strawberry Dessert 1 ((10 ounce) pkg strawberries 1/2 cup sugar 2 beaten eggs 1 pkg. strawberry jello (dry) 1 large can evaporated milk vanilla wafers Thaw strawberries, then add sugar, eggs and jello. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Let cool completely. Add milk, which has been chilled and beaten until stiff. Fold into cooled strawberry mixture. Layer, using vanilla wafers. Chill. Looks pretty in crystal glass bowl. Makes a large amount. Corn bread Salad 1 pan baked corn bread 3 boiled eggs 1/2 cup chopped onion 1/2 cup chopped celery 5 slices fried bacon, drained 1 small tomato 1 small can green peas 1 small can whole kernel corn 1/2 small bell pepper salt and pepper 1/4 tsp garlic 1/4 tsp poppy seed 1/2 cup pecans, chopped Mayonnaise and buttermilk dressing to taste. Crumble corn bread and bacon. Add all other ingredients. Add enough dressing to moisten mixture. Mix well and refrigerate. Add green onions and red pimentos for color. Nuts are optional.

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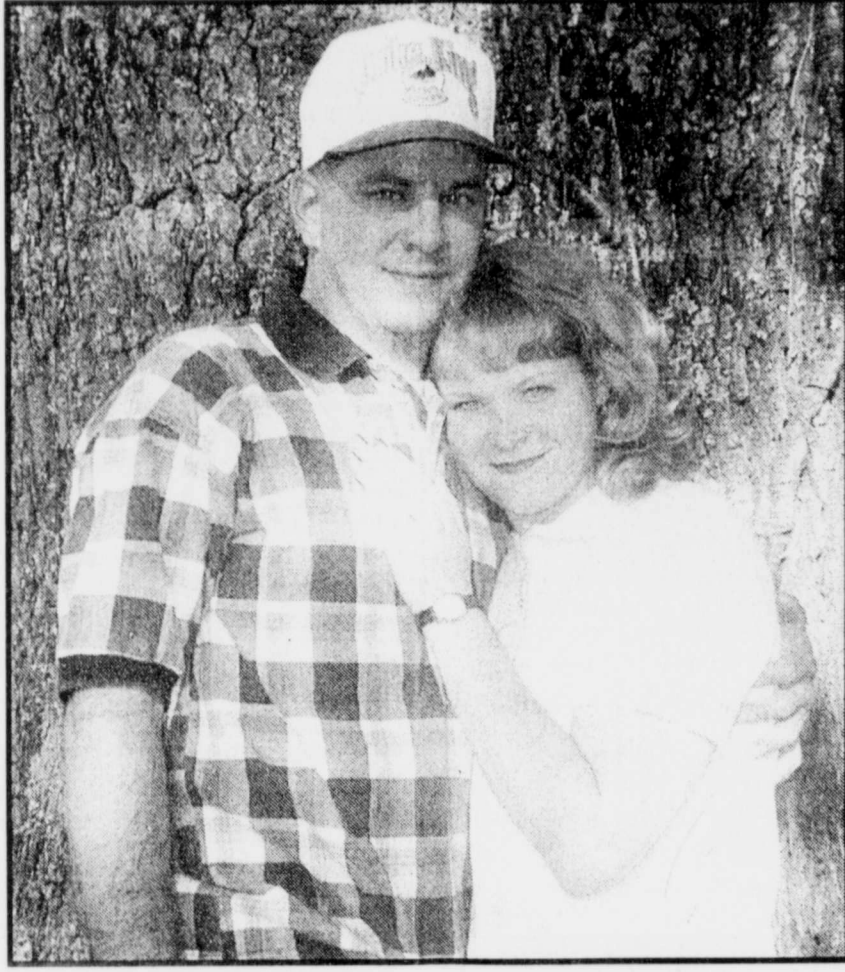
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Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Davis

Davis' celebrate 60th anniversary

Merwin J. Davis and Elizabeth (Betty) Davis, formerly of Talco, are celebrating their 60th anniversary. The Davis' have four children. Danny, the youngest, lives in Jackson, MS with his wife, the former Teresa Nowell of Philadelphia, MS, and they have two children, Nikki, age 16 and Brad, age 13; daughter Louise, who lives in Marietta, CA with husband Johnny Flanders and their two children, Jonathan age 21 and Jamie; Kenneth, the oldest son, lives in Colorado Springs, CO with his wife, the former Barbara Ann Brown, and their two children, Judd and daughter Kelly; Barbara the oldest daughter, who lives in Hot Springs, AR with her husband Don Clevenger, and their two children, Melanie, who lives in Jackson MS with her husband David and their three children, and Mary Elizabeth Shelby, who with her husband Mark live in Kentucky.

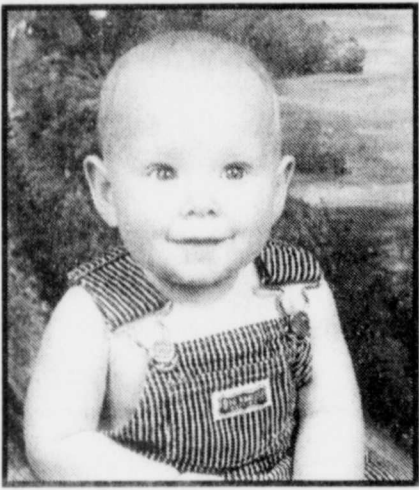


Amber Delight Combest & Rusty Kyle Ramsey

Combest-Ramsey engagement announced

Camp County Judge, Preston Combest and his wife, Toni, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Amber Delight Combest, to Rusty Kyle Ramsey, son of Bill Ramsey and (the late) Nancy Golden Ramsey, all of Pittsburg. The bride-elect is the 1995 salutatorian of Pittsburg High School, and is a sophomore in the RN nursing program at Northeast Texas Community College while employed by East Texas Medical Center/Pittsburg. Her paternal grandparents are Euphria Tipps Combest and the late Harvey Patrick Combest of Longview. Maternal grandmother is Lucille York Hawkins Childers of Johntown and grandfathers were William Earl Hawkins and Edgar William Childers, both deceased. The prospective groom is a 1988 graduate of Pittsburg High School and is the Produce manager for WalMart in Mount Pleasant. His grandmother is Dorothy Damron Golden Morton of Paris and his grandfather was the late Monroe Golden, deceased. Vows will be exchanged at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 11, 1997 at Emanuel Baptist Church in Pittsburg with the Reverend Larry Rice officiating. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited through the press.

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Alex Driggars

Alex Driggars celebrates birthday

Alex Driggars celebrated his first birthday July 29. He was honored with a Winnie the Pooh party by his parents, Dameon and Denise Driggars, Sunday July 27. Others attending the special occasion were his grandparents, Gary and Dolores Cheatwood of Cuthand and Larry and Sally Driggars of Paris, Gary Cheatwood, Josh Driggars, Tracy, Tad and Connor Bourgeois, Becky and Sara Alsop, Melanie, Chelsie and Travis Gideon, Dale and Helen Nelson, Donna Strain, Corey Gibson and Michael Marchbanks. Alex received many nice gifts.

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 —Robert Byrne

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Parents may be unaware children are suffering from chronic diarrhea

Many parents may not realize their children are suffering from chronic "non-specific" diarrhea. A child suffering from this type of diarrhea will have loose stools for a long period of time, but otherwise is perfectly healthy," said Dr. Carlos Lifschitz at the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "It usually strikes children at age 1 year and can sometimes last until age 3." Chronic "non-specific" diarrhea is defined as any increase in the number of bowel movements per day and increase in the water of the stool lasting more than 15 days. It's "non-specific" because it has no particular cause. Children need plenty to drink during these hot, summer months, but excessive amounts of water or fruit juice can contribute to chronic "non-specific" diarrhea.

"Many times parents will give more liquids to a child suffering with this type of diarrhea to prevent dehydration," said Lifschitz, an associate professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine. "More fluids equals more liquid stools, and you create a vicious cycle." However, parasites can also cause diarrhea and children may need to be tested. The best way to stop chronic "non-specific" diarrhea is to decrease the amount of fluids. "It usually takes two or three days to determine if the fluids are contributing to the diarrhea," Lifschitz said. "Some popular fruit juices contain combinations for sugars which make them less absorbable. The less absorbable a sugar is the more water will be attracted to the gut, leading to diarrhea." Lifschitz says parents may have to deal with cranky children when they take away their favorite drinks, but it will be worth it in the long run.

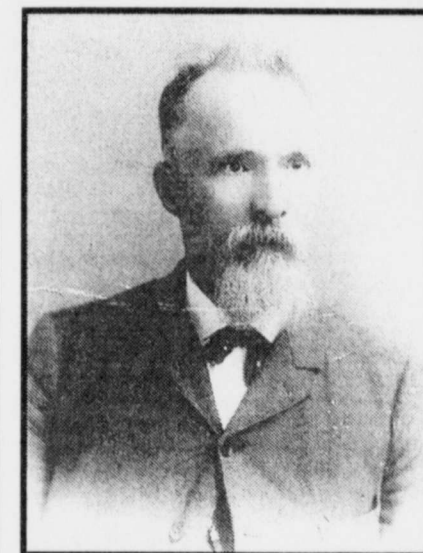
Basket weaving workshop will be held

The Sam Bell Maxey House State Park in Paris will hold a basket weaving demonstration and hands on instruction on Saturday, August 9 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Judy Brummett, park manager, will present basic weaving techniques and instructions on weaving a utensil basket. Round red will be used to demonstrate basic twining techniques to

make silverware holders. Each basket may take on different shapes as the participants experiment with their weaving. Reservations are required and a \$12.00 fee will be collected on the onset of the course to cover materials and instruction. Registration is limited; program is for adults over 18.



Have A Nice Weekend



James Elbert Horner (1833-1904)

Red River County Roots

This week's query is from Kenneth D. Owen, 115 Park Circle, Texarkana, Texas, 75503. He is a descendant of Henry and Susan Owen, who came to Clarksville in the 1840's are buried in Lane's Chapel Cemetery. They had at least two children, Thomas and Franklin Owen. Thomas, the oldest, married Isabelle McGraw in 1863. He was killed and robbed on his way back to Clarksville from Jefferson. His only son, Wilson Henry Owen was born in 1871, after Thomas' death. Isabelle married in 1873 to a Thomas Brem. Any information about Thomas Owen or his ancestry would be greatly appreciated. If you can help Mr. Owen, please write him at the above address. If you have a query which you would like to have printed in this column, please send it to the Red River County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 516, Clarksville, Texas, 75426. To have a query placed in this column, please write to: Red River Co. Genealogy Society, P.O. Box 516, Clarksville, TX 75426.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Simmons, formerly of Cuthand, wish to announce the new addition to their family - A baby boy named Ron Garrett. Garrett weighed in at 9 pounds and was 22 inches long. He was born at Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center on July 18. Mother and child are doing fine. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tabb of Cuthand and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Simmons of Hale Center. Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Newton of Lubbock, Mrs. Delene Tabb and Mrs. Lila Simmons both of Cuthand. Great Great grandmothers are Jewel Simmons of Bogata and Lorene Hinsley of Quanah.



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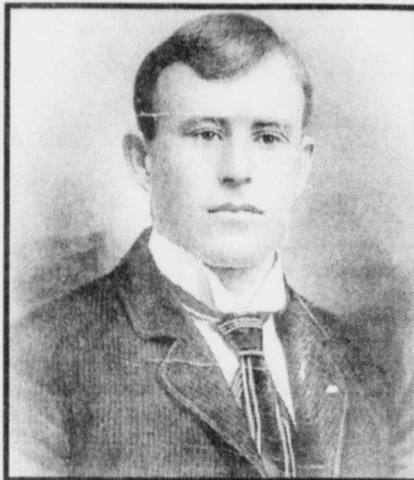
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OREN WATTS LOWRY-This picture was purchased by John Paul Cooper at an estate sale at the home of Andrew Cox. The man in the photo was the original owner of the Cox home and Mr. Cox had kept the photo hanging in the home. The home had gone through the family from Mr. Lowry to Rebecca Lowry to Aut Cox Lowry and Pearl Lowry and finally to Andrew Cox. Even though Mr. Lowry's name was Oren he was known locally as "Iron" Lowry. Mr. Cooper has the photograph and would love to give it to an ancestor of Mr. Lowry's along with an old Bible. Please contact Mr. Cooper at Box 314, Bogata, Texas, 75417



Have A Nice Weekend

About settling Maple Springs, Bogata, Texas

By Frances Mayes Rozell
James E. Horner was born 1833 in Hope Community of Gibson County, Tennessee. His family were members of the Antioch Baptist Church, and through the church, the local schools and tutoring by his parents he became well educated for the time. After the death of his parents he lived in the home of J.A. W. Mathis a member of the local church.

In the mid 1850's J.E. Horner migrated to Columbia County, Arkansas. There he farmed and worked as a carpenter (a wagon maker). In 1856 he married Nancy C. McCulloch the daughter of James McCulloch, a Baptist Minister. In 1860 James Horner became a licensed Baptist Minister. James joined the Confederate Army in 1861, and became a company commander in the 6th Arkansas Infantry Regiment. He fought in several battles - Murfreesboro, Missionary Ridge, Ringgold, Shiloh and others. He was wounded in the Battle of Shiloh and was wounded again more severely in the Battle of Atlanta. He was hospitalized in Forsyth, Georgia and was several months recovering. He was discharged August 31, 1864 as a 1st Lieutenant.

After the Civil War, he brought his wife and three children to Maple Springs (Bogata) where for a while he continued his trade as a wagon maker. Information taken from "Biographical souvenirs of the State of Texas" published in 1889.

A local option was voted in 1875. This left the saloon vacant and the next two terms of school were taught there by James E. Horner. The people built a nice box building forty feet by sixty feet, where the community house is today to be used for church, school and civic affairs. Mr. Horner taught two terms there.

In 1886 Mr. Horner became a merchant. He built a store just east of the lot that later housed Bogata's first bank - this was Main Street in Bogata at the time - it is 3rd Street NE now. Bogata Post Office was established in 1881. Mr. Horner was postmaster 1881 until he died - 1904. One of his daughters, Berta, married Fred Prichard. She worked with her father in his store and became postmaster after his death and remained so until 1922.

One son, Edgar A. Horner, was partners in the store with his father for a while. Edgar A. was the grandfather of the late Robert Bishop, who grew up in Bogata and came back here with his wife Billie Franklin Bishop to live after his retirement. Robert Bishop served on the Bogata City Council. Edgar was the first Horner child born after the family moved to Maple Springs in 1865.

The street in front of the Methodist Church running east and west in front of the school was once named Horner Street... area of Mr. J.E. Horner's homeplace. When the Baptist Congregation decided to build their own church in 1900, they built on a lot donated by J.E. Horner -- same lot on which the Baptist Church Building burned in 1986. This was the southwest corner of his homeplace. Mrs. O.J. Cooper's history states that Reverend J.E. Horner and members of his family contributed much to the church. Brother J.E. Horner was one of its early day pastors. One deed that I read at the courthouse stated that the Horners gave a strip of land off their place to the City of Bogata for a street.

J.E. Horner's son, Edgar A Horner (Robert Bishop's grandfather) married a second time. A daughter, Pearl Horner Pantet and a son, Buck Horner, from the marriage visited with a historian-Miss Eva Russell-of Hamblen County Tennessee. She told them that J.E. Horner's great grandfather, William Horner, of Whitesburg, Hamblen County, Tenn. gave in the early 1800s a part of his land to the Baptist Society for a cemetery. It was the first public cemetery in that area. It was named Bent Creek Cemetery. This was in the eastern part of Tennessee. Many veterans from the Revolutionary War are buried there as well as many ancestors of the Horner family. An article in a Tennessee paper printed in 1990 stated that a historian Miss Eva Russell's first love is the history of Hamblen County Tennessee.

The article quoted Miss Eva: "The pioneers who were the first to be buried in Bent Creek was the same generation that gave us the constitution we cherish today. These are the people that gave us freedom, guaranteed by that constitution and paid for it with real blood of real people. Bent Creek is not only the most historic spot in Hamblen County, it is the place that makes us so aware that we have been given the chance to live and die as free people."

In the article printed in 1990 a Horner descendant was listed as one of the trustees of the Bent Creek cemetery.

A letter J.E. Horner wrote in 1868 to his sister, Mary Jane Beard and her husband William M. Beard in Arkansas was interesting: "crops here are fine - corn is worth 25 cents per bushel - cotton is excellent. We will have plenty hog and hominy if no disease gets among the swine." He encouraged his sister to come look this country over - thought she and

her husband would like it. One of the things his wife said in her part of the letter was: "We live on a real good piece of sandy land and have plenty of water as good as you ever drank." Mary and William M. Beard did come in 1873. They made their home here. Mr. Beard was in the mercantile business for more than 20 years.

James E. and Nancy Horner were the parents of eight children: John, Mary J., James Elbert, Jr., Edgar A., Annie E., William L., Samuel and Max T. Mrs. Nancy Horner died in Bogata in 1876. Mr. Horner's second marriage was to Sally Mangum - 1877. They were parents of seven children: Elberta M. (Berta), Ira, Eugene, Irene B., Virginia T., Fredrick B. (Fred), Anna Ruth and L.J.

Brother James E. Horner died March 1904 and is buried in the Bogata Cemetery in a plot with both of his wives and children of both families. Mr. Horner served as Justice of the Peace for seven years and was deputy sheriff as well as Postmaster, carpenter, school teacher, merchant and preacher. When he died, Bogata lost a very productive and active citizen who gave much to his family, friends and community. One writer of an article in the Bogata paper about 1920 remembered Mr. Horner as "stern, grim and just."

We are fortunate J.E. Horner found his way to Maple Springs - Bogata. He helped make our home community what it is today. We owe him a lot.



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Nasal flu vaccine effective and safe

A nasal influenza spray is safe and effective in preventing flu in children, say researchers at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and nine other U.S. sites. The result is a breakthrough in the battle to immunize children against flu without the fear or pain of a shot. Only one percent of the 1,070 children who received the nasal vaccine in the national trials developed culture-confirmed influenza during last year's flu season versus 18 percent of the 532 same age children who received placebos.

"This spray could well have widespread public health implications," said Dr. Pedro A Piedra, a pediatrician in Baylor's Influenza Research Center and an attending physician at Texas Children's Hospital, also in Houston. "We recognize that children are major carriers of flu," he said. "Every year influenza sweeps through schools, and the children take it home to their parents." Because this new vaccine is more easily administered, it could help

control flu in school age populations and thus control it in the adult population, Piedra said. The large field trial enrolled 1,602 children from 15 months of age to 6 years. The Baylor portion of the trial was conducted primarily at Houston-area Kelsey-Seybold clinics. The study targeted healthy young children because they experience the highest incidence of influenza and are an important source of its spread. Most children have had flu two or three times by the age of 5.

The new vaccine, made from weakened virus, cannot cause influenza. It is designed to stimulate antibodies in the upper airways that protect against naturally acquired infection. Influenza affects as many as 50 million people a year in the U.S., mostly between the late fall and early spring. More than 20,000 people, most of them elderly, die annually from flu and its complications, and an estimated \$4.6 billion is spent each year on direct medical costs related to flu.

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Old News
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BOGATA NEWS
The Week of July 31, 1947

Fifty Years Ago This Week

Bogata Baseball club defeated the Paris Red Sox 7-6 at Culbertson Park in Paris. Cecil Anderson worked on the mound for Bogata with Shad Sims catching.

The John Howisons entertained at a gathering honoring C.O. Gaines and daughter, Loretta of St. Louis, attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howison and son, Jack and Tom DeBerry of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Click of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Luther DeBerry and grandson, Marvin, Jr. B.L. DeBerry, Emory, Mr. and Mrs. Dick DeBerry and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. A.S. De Berry and Ruth Wharton and Dr. and Mrs. C. McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griffin and daughter, Anne, have returned home after a week's vacation in Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi.



Thursday at 7:00 p.m. is 42 time. The VFW and its Auxiliary meet every second and fourth Monday at 7:00 p.m.

The VFW Post 8187 no longer has Bingo on Saturday P.M.

* There will be a fish fry at Bogata VFW Post 8187 at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, August 2. - Then Broadway Junction band will play for a dance at 8:30 p.m. Make plans to spend the evening with us.

* Happy Birthday to Susie Meredith.

* Our sympathy goes to the family of Jim Grant Garrett.

Red River Healthcare Center News

Visitors with the patients and staff at Red River Healthcare Center this week were: Visiting Irene House were Patsy Vandaveer, Velma Woodle, Jim and Sue of Irving, Charles House, Angelina Morris, Jeannette Morris, Caroline Mayo, Cason Mayo and Darnell Davis.

Visiting Dorothy Watkins was Virginia Alexander and Tony Watkins.

Visitors with Billie Hancock were Sandra Benson, Shirley Smith, Ruby Terry, Freddie, Debbie and Ashley Rainwater, Kristy and Erika Lintz, Billy Jo Willson, Sherry Moore and Brian Walters and Tana Guest.

Visiting Pauline Hutson were Jerry Hutson, Ina Ward and Lindsey Ward.

Visiting Raymon Mauldin was Shirley Smith.

Visitors with Oma McKinney were Roger, Connie and Brent McKinney, Velma Woodle, Coy Coker and Tony Watkins.

Visiting Gladys Garretts was Velma Woodle.

Visiting with Bertha Anderson were Naomi Smart and C.L. Smart.

Visiting Ruth Wood was Velma Woodle.

Visitors with Helen Copeland were Velma Woodle, Carol Trussell, Clifford Howard of Victoria, Tx., Greg and Linda Copeland of Houston, Don Copeland and Pat Cox.

Visiting with Ollie Watkins were Mark, Karen, Ashley and Lauren, Vickey Childres.

Visiting Ann Cody were Roger McKinney, Billie Lindsey, Janie Ballard and Inez Gill.

Visiting Clara Lowe were Gerlyn Gray and Margaret Davis.

Visitors with Dollie Carroll were Lynn and Brenda Carroll and Randy Carroll all of Talco.

Visiting Jettie Minshew were Jean Mullin, John Latimer, Bankley Powell, Sue and Jimmy Mauldin, Margie Garrett, Zelma Mauldin and Yvonne Powell.

Visitors with Stasha Hume were Weldon Hume, Paul Hume and Ina Ward.

Visiting Lynn Kerley were Opal Kerley and Arol Kerley.

Visitors with Gladys Prater were James Prater, Leonard Prater, Mildred Allums, Jean Moore and Margie Lancaster.

Visiting with George Hancock was Eulalah Roach.

Visiting Russel Lawler were Betty Denison and Ida Lou.

Visitors with Mary Brown were Billie Nolen, Velma Woodle, Eva Watkins and Tony Watkins.

Visiting Sid Hamilton were Sid Hamton and Velma Woodle.

Visiting Donovan Strain was Velma Woodle.

Visitors with Nellie Butts were Frank and Dorcas Eilers, Homer and Peggy Butts and W.L. Beers.

Visitors with Irene Smith were S.J. Smith, Linda Smith, Elaine Alford, Evelyn Roach, Velma Woodle and Inez Johnson.

Rabies clinic is set for August 1-2

Tri-Lakes Veterinary Clinic will offer reduced price Rabies vaccinations at \$6.00 each during their Rabies clinic Friday, August 1 and Saturday, August 2 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Rabies vaccinations are especially important with rabies present in the area. In the past two months, Hopkins County has tested eight skunks with rabies and Titus County has had positive tests on one skunk and one bat.

If you have questions, contact Dr. Cathy Cranmore or Diane Wurm at 860-2756 or 588-2727.

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Rabies is confirmed in the area

Hopkins County has reported eight confirmed cases of rabies in tested skunks during the past two months. One dog exhibiting signs of rabies infection was shot after eating a rabid skunk; the dog was not tested.

Mt. Pleasant had a confirmed rabies in a bat on July 16 within the City Limits. The cat playing with the rabbit bat was also destroyed. Another case of rabies was confirmed in Titus County in a skunk.

In Mt. Vernon, a cat showing symptoms of rabies was put to sleep.

Pet owners are strongly urged to



Mallory Rozell
Mallory Rozell is all around cheerleader

A Pickup Truck Ride in a Texas Blue Norther

By Quinnon Davis

It is gratifying to see pages of pictures in the Bogata News of the athletic teams and to read about them. They obviously play an important role in year round community life.

Having gone through Bogata High School during the World War II years after the athletic program was suspended, I remember how we boys tried to fill the void and compensate for not being allowed to play.

Some of us hitchhiked to nearby towns whose high schools kept their teams going during the war. Watching them play was the next best thing for us. Contrary to the misconception believed by a few, there was no gasoline shortage for Texas schools to cause any of them to cancel their athletics during the war. The government's Office of Price Administration which regulated the rationing of products, gave priority to schools for gasoline and auto and truck parts to enable the schools to maintain their functions and athletic programs.

If a school chose to discontinue a program, it was done arbitrarily and not as a result of any wartime shortage. Schools such as those in Talco, Mt. Pleasant, Mt. Vernon and Paris could be counted on to have Friday night games.

We boys were elated when the Trout family came to Bogata and opened a furniture store. Bowie Trout would tell his younger brother, Dale, to get up a load of us boys and he would drive us to games on Friday nights. We would pile into the back of the furniture delivery truck and away we would go, hanging onto the sideboards in hair straightening wind with our eyes drawn up like BB's.

When we weren't riding with Bowie, we would be hitchhiking to a game. J.C. Kidd and I liked the added excitement of thumbing a ride. J.C. and I knew some guys on the Talco team. Talco and Mt. Pleasant had a mean rivalry. J.C. and I got on the road just before sundown one evening at the end of a warm fall day. Talco was playing in Mt. Pleasant that night. We figured wearing jackets wouldn't be necessary since the weather had been nice, so we went in shirt sleeves.

During the game, we noticed around the fourth quarter that our khakis were feeling a mite thin. The game ended around 10:30 and by the time we got back on the road that night, the traffic had thinned out considerably and a norther had started blowing.

This slow moving pickup truck stopped and we climbed into the back on the cold steel bed. It was too cold

to sit and even colder to stand, so we squatted the eighteen miles to Talco. We stayed busy trying to keep our balance without having to hold onto the cold steel sides when the driver hit the bumps.

When the driver finally got to Talco, we were chilled to the bone when we got out and were waddling from having squatted so long. The wind was howling by then and J.C. was griping about us catching a ride that took us no father than Talco. I told him that I had to make it all the way to Bogata while he only had to get to Johntown and his chances of survival were a whole lot better than mine.

Just as we were beginning to talk about how they would probably find us frozen stiff on the road, along came a Talco school bus driver taking his bus to Johntown. He didn't have a heater, but it beat the pickup.

The last I saw of J.C. that night was after the driver let us out in Johntown and J.C. was running to his house. I started off in a slow trot to Bogata. It was after midnight and not a headlight was in sight. I remembered that Pud Roberts told of seeing wolves crossing the highway between Johntown and Bogata. I couldn't tell the difference between wolves howling and the wind. Nobody had a clock on me, but I did the four miles to Bogata in part-near world class time.

Years later, in 1950, while trudging along a mountain road in North Korea with a column of frost-bitten Marines in 30 degrees below and surrounded by nine Chinese divisions, a Marine up ahead of me turned and chattered, "Dave, tell us again about that pickup ride in a Texas Blue Norther."

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 TALCO-BOGATA CISD DRUG
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 GRADES 7TH-12TH**

Our belief is that students that participate in extra curricular activities are the role models for the younger people in our community. It is important to our students and future students to receive education concerning the harmful effects of drug and alcohol use and to provide support for this endeavor from the role models of our community.

A drug testing program of all students in 7th-12th grades that participate in any extra curricular activities will provide a clear message that drug use is dangerous, harmful and an unacceptable practice for our students.

Testing: All students involved in any extra curricular activities in grade 7th thru 12th will be tested at the beginning of the school year or during the year when they enter the program for the first time. Random testing will be done at intervals during the school year.

Results: Individual testing results will be kept confidential. Only the principal, director of the activity, student and parent will know the results of any individual tests. Group testing results may be made public, such as percentage survey figures.

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First Confirmed Positive Test: The student will remain in the program and will be required to seek counseling services and agree to drug testing (at their expense) for a six month time period when random tests are administered.

Second Confirmed Positive Test: The student will be suspended from the program and shall not be reinstated.

Talco-Bogata C.I.S.D. will begin drug testing all students (7-12) grades participating in extra curricular activities for the 97-98 school year. The 7th through 12th grade boys will be tested Monday August 4 at 9:00 a.m. in the field house at Rivercrest High School the 7th through 12th grade girls will be tested Tuesday, August 5 at 9:00 a.m. in the fieldhouse at Rivercrest High School. All testing is free of charge. Please contact your principal, sponsor or coach if you have any questions.

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INVITATION TO BID
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- Ice cream
- Bread
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- Bids are to be submitted to Gary VanDeaver, Superintendent, Rt. 1, Box 253, Bogata, Texas 75417, on or before 12 noon C.D.S.T., Monday, July 28, 1997.

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Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail this week were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Presley, Yvonne Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fail of Kilgore and Richard Swarts of Bogata.

Celebrating August birthdays are; Lynn Fail, William Lee Watts, Patsy Watts, James Hearron, Donna Hearron, Eddie Brown, Nancy Brown, Mona Wright, Lou Hall, Justin Smith, Patricia Pittman, Zonetta Hawkins, Tonya Bishop, Shane Wright, Danny (Pee Wee) Smith, Beth Myrcle, Lorena Parker, Rocky Stephenson, Jerica and Jessica Weatherall, Jana Weatherall, Lekeitha Savage, Doug Wright Jr., Kelsey Franks and Jacob Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pittman will celebrate their wedding anniversary on Aug. 31, 1997.

Enjoying Crystal Springs Park near Maud on Sunday were; Mayra Clark and Luke, Deonna Mills, Marta Rhoades and Robert Caul, Leslie Wright, Alex and Jacob, Wendy Johnson, Taylor Phillips, Danica Easterling, Erika Jones, Malorie Wright and Camill Wright. The group met a friend Kristie, her daughter Brandi and friend Hollis of Orange, Tx.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nolen, Destry and Chris spent Friday though Mon-

day vacationing in Dallas. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Nolen and Jody on Saturday. The family enjoyed Wet n' Wild, visiting the Stockyards and many more sights in the Dallas and Ft. Worth area.

Jack Brown, Jana Weatherall, Joanie Swarts and Eric Martin enjoyed a visit to the Caldwell Zoo in Tyler Sunday evening. They also had supper at Red Lobster before returning home.

Carla Mills and Deonna of Dallas visited with Mayra Clark and family and Marta Rhoades and Robert Caul Wednesday. Deonna stayed with the Clark's for a week's visit.

Talco School Principal, B.J. Setliff underwent day surgery Thursday at Titus County Regional Hospital. She is reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert Milner have returned from vacationing in New Mexico and Colorado this past week. They report wonderful cool weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown enjoyed lunch at Western Sizzlin' in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Celebrating July birthdays are; Stephanie Carroll, Jesse Watts, Josh and Chris Bradley, Diann Duffie, B.W. Duffie, Kristi Goates and Alex Wright.

The Talco-Bogata High School

and Junior High coaches attended a coaching school in Ft. Worth Sunday through Wednesday this week.

Amanda Jones was admitted to intensive care at Titus County Regional Hospital Friday following a one car accident. The accident was thought to be caused by a broken axle on Mrs. Jones's car. She is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Coulter of Ft. Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown Friday.

Michelle Savage was hospitalized this past week at Titus County Regional Hospital for possible gall bladder surgery. She is reported doing well.

John Hines attended a Bennie Henn service held at Reunion Arena in Dallas Friday night.

Jessica Weatherall, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Weatherall underwent surgery Thursday to insert tubes into her ears. She is reported doing well.

Bobby Jack Brown of Quitman visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown Monday.

Marilyn Presley drove her mom, Vivian Fail to Tyler for a doctor's visit Thursday. Before returning home they were lunch guest with Nora Bell and Leroy Greggs at their new home in Tyler.

Enjoying a fish fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linden Horn Sunday were, Ruby Horn, Jerry and Alta Horn of California, Sara Neathery, Vickie Howard and Callie, Ashley Mankins, David Horn and Darlene Hutchison.

Kristin Kuhl of Snyder spent last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Linden Horn and family. On Friday Vickie Howard and girls took Kristin to Weatherford to meet her mom, Patty Kuhl for the return trip home.

Nasal flu vaccine effective and safe

A nasal influenza spray is safe and effective in preventing flu in children, say researchers at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and nine other U.S. sites.

The result is a breakthrough in the battle to immunize children against flu without the fear or pain of a shot.

Only one percent of the 1,070 children who received the nasal vaccine in the national trials developed culture-confirmed influenza during last year's flu season versus 18 percent of the 532 same age children who received placebos.

"This spray could well have widespread public health implications," said Dr. Pedro A Piedra, a pediatrician in Baylor's Influenza Research Center and an attending physician at Texas Children's Hospital, also in Houston.

"We recognize that children are major carriers of flu," he said. "Every year influenza sweeps through schools, and the children take it home to their parents."

Because this new vaccine is more easily administered, it could help control flu in school age populations and thus control it in the adult population, Piedra said.


The large field trial enrolled 1,602 children from 15 months of age to 6 years. The Baylor portion of the trial was conducted primarily at Houston-area Kelsey-Seybold clinics.

The study targeted healthy young children because they experience the

highest incidence of influenza and are an important source of its spread. Most children have had flu two or three times by the age of 5.

The new vaccine, made from weakened virus, cannot cause influenza. It is designed to stimulate antibodies in the upper airways that protect against naturally acquired infection.


Influenza affects as many as 50 million people a year in the U.S., mostly between the late fall and early spring. More than 20,000 people, most of them elderly, die annually from flu and its complications, and an estimated \$4.6 billion is spent each year on direct medical costs related to flu.



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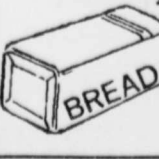
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WATERMELON \$2.99	GREEN ONIONS 3/\$1	YELLOW ONIONS 29¢ Lb.		CANTALOUPE 69¢			