

Nichols  
Worth



By Nanalee Nichols  
I think I'll Clean My House  
Now!

After being in the same house for almost fifty years the time has come for us to go through our parent's things and take what is worth keeping and discard the rest.

It's really hard to do, as many of you know, undoubtedly having gone through it.

After all, what do we do with those Christmas cards and Mother's Day cards and Valentine's cards with shaky childish handwriting that turns out to be our own? It's hard to justify keeping it...but it hurts to toss it out.

Where do you put a collection of books that spans not only my parent's 80 years plus lives...but also that of my book-devoted grandparents? Since I inherited that trait, my bookshelves are full already, and how in the world am I supposed to take on a few hundred books? My brothers are not big readers, and they don't have the shelves for them either.

Where do you put a miscellaneous collection of old dishes, from great grandparents, grandparents and parents?

How do you deal with a collection of National Geographic magazines dating back to the 1940s?

Do you keep the lock of your baby hair, and your baby shoe, and the little straw bonnet with silk lilies of the valley? It takes a really tough person to trash them!

There are newspaper clippings of every event that affected our lives, from our birth announcements to high school awards to feature stories.

There are little gifts that have been given to them over the years, and notes and letters and tidbits clipped from all kinds of things.

Cookbooks, cooking utensils (my dad loved gadgets), knick knacks, old linens, sheets, embroidered pillowcases, the list just goes on and on and on.

We have thrown away things, given them away and family members have swamped their homes with treasures.

What have I learned from this? I'm going to clean my house now. I mean deep clean. I'm going to do the closets, under the beds, sweep down the ceilings and get rid of things. No more kept Christmas cards, no more left over odds and ends! By golly, when I'm gone the nieces and nephews won't have too many years of our stuff to deal with. Of course, they are still going to have to deal with all this stuff that came from my parents' home, because all that space I'm cleaning out in the closets will be occupied by those little sentimental items that I couldn't bear to throw away. And so the cycle goes on!

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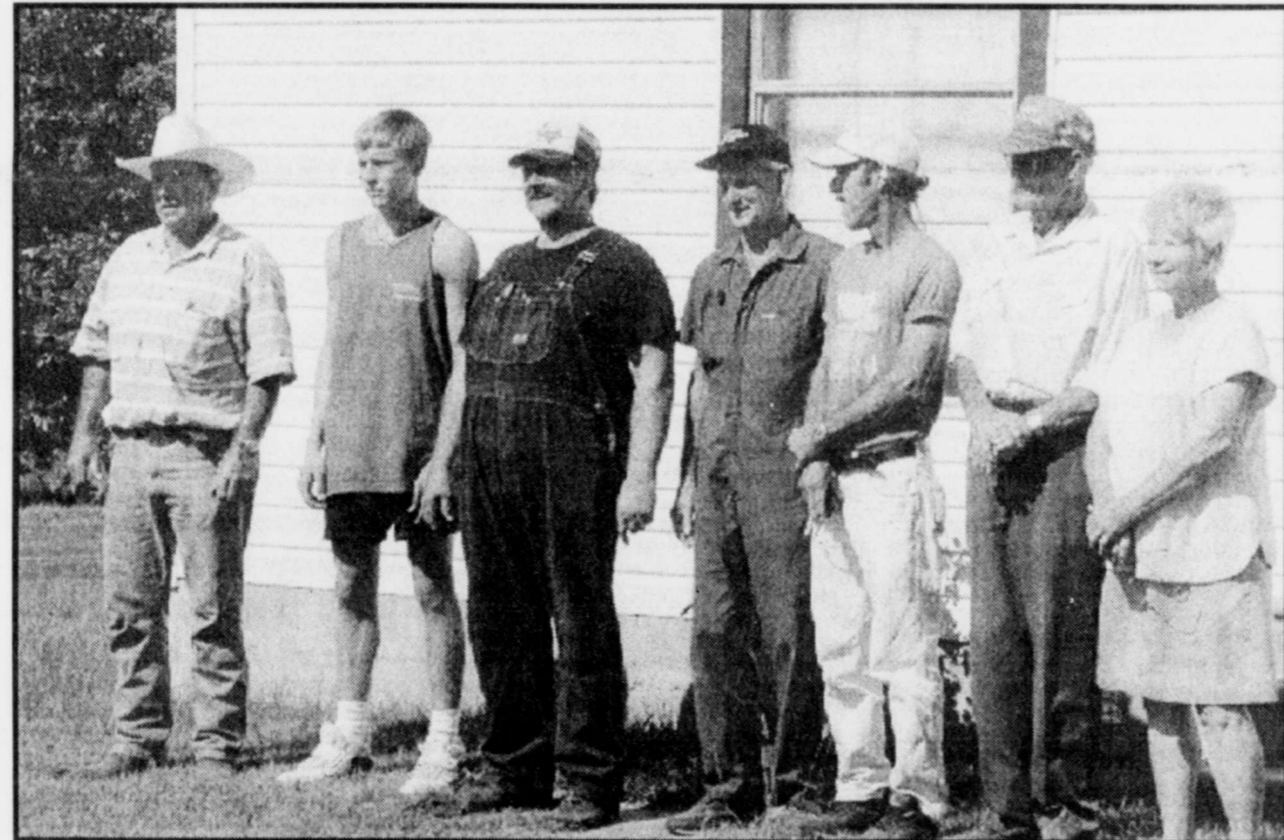
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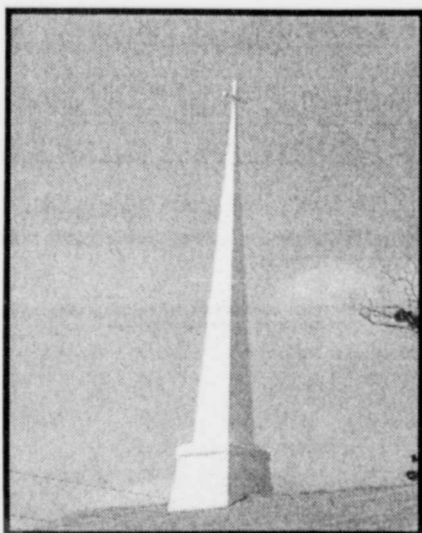
DRIVE DRIVE DRIVE-Rebel Head Coach, Keith Brown worked the defensive linemen in Monday's workout. Coach Brown stated the Rebels are bigger than they have been in several years and they are working hard to prepare for the coming season.

Staff Photo Nancy Brown



WORKERS-helping install the new steeple at the Maple Springs Church this past week were; (from the left) Weldon Hawkins, Justin Smith, Charles Graf, Jesse Brown, Bryant Blalock, Albert and Helen Stewart. Appreciation is expressed to these people, Wallace Fry and Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Stinson and family, who donated the steeple and cross on top and to James Crawford and Ellis Brown for providing the truck to set the steeple in place.

Staff Photo Nancy Brown



ADDITION-The Maple Springs Church recently added a steeple to the top of the new church building. The steeple was a donation from Wallace Fry and the cross on the steeple was donated by Katie and Jacky Stinson and family.

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People  
'n  
Things

Vendors are needed for Roxton's fall fest and trades day October 11. Food, arts, crafts, garage sales, games, trades day items or ??? are needed to make this a fun day in Roxton. For information, call 346-3290, 346-3419 or 346-3937.

## After school reading program planned

The Talco School Reading Enrichment Program is coming August 25

and will be from 2:40- 3:20 each afternoon.

The program this year for grade 1 and 2 will be Saxon Phonics and for grade 3 will be Comprehension Skills. Talco School Principal, B.J. Setliff encourages every parent to let their children stay after school for this very important program which will help ensure their reading success.

People  
'n  
Things

The Pleasant Home Care of Mt. Pleasant will be sponsoring a co-ed softball tournament on Saturday, August 23 at the Mt. Pleasant Civic Center field. Entry fee will be \$100 per team and first and second place teams will receive a Tee shirt. All proceeds from the event will go to the American Cancer Society. Anyone interested in participating may contact Pat Bond at 379-6271 or call Pleasant Home Care in Mt. Pleasant.

Lake Country Harmony, a local chapter of Sweet Adelines International, invites women who love to sing to attend Guest Night on Sept. 8, 1997 at First Presbyterian Church, 401 N. Madison, Mt. Pleasant at 7:30 p.m. for an evening of barbershop music, fun and refreshments. Free voice lessons for women interested in improving their singing will begin September 15 at 6:30 p.m. Women attending the classes are invited to sing Christmas music with the Lake Harmony chorus in their Christmas holiday performances. For more information, please contact Ann McDaniel at 903-572-0532 or Alice Crawford at 903-639-3202.

Calendar of Events  
Sam Bell Maxey House  
State Historical Park  
812 S. Church, Paris

- August
- 9 ..... Basket weaving, 9-3
- September
- 13 ..... Project WILD, 9-3
- 27 ..... Aquatic WILD, 9-3
- October
- 25 ..... Civil War Encampment, 8-5
- November
- 8 ..... Lap quilting, 10-12 noon
- 15 ..... Lap quilting, 10-12 noon
- 22 ..... Lap quilting, 10-12 noon
- December
- 6 ..... Victorian/Country Christmas ornament workshop for youngsters
- 14 ..... Christmas Open House tour, 1-5
- February, 1988
- 14 ..... Birdhouse workshop, 10-12 noon
- March
- 9 ..... Gardening workshop, 8:30-noon
- 28 ..... Civil War Encampment, 8-5
- April
- 18 ..... Earth Day, March for Parks, 10-12
- October
- 24 ..... Civil War Encampment, 8-5

## Guaranty Bank to host autograph party for Martha Sue Stroud

Eleanor McCluer and Frances Mayes Rozell will be hosting a party for Martha Sue Stroud, author of "Gateway to Texas-History of Red River County" in the bank lobby on Friday, August 22 from 3 to 5 p.m.

It is a hard backed book of 19 chapters with over 400 pages, a dust cover and over 70 photographs and graphics.

Ms. Stroud is a native of Clarksville, growing up around the historic Red River County Courthouse where her father, Jim Claiborne, served as Justice of the Peace for 14 years. She credits her love of Texas history and Red River County history to this time in her life.

Everyone is invited to come and visit with the author.



MARTHA SUE STROUD, author of "Gateway to Texas-History of Red River County" will be honored at an autograph party on Friday from 3-5 p.m. in the lobby of Guaranty Bank Bogata.

## Pages switched in press room

We apologize to readers of the Bogata News and Talco Times. The press room mistakenly ran page 5 that should have been in Deport and Blossom in Bogata and Talco instead. We know that you must have wondered why there were Prairiland Pictures in the Bogata and Talco Papers. If it's any comfort, Prairiland got YOUR pictures!

EDITOR'S QUOTES  
Worldly fame is but a breath of wind that blows now this way, and not that, and changes name as it changes direction.  
Dante.

## School lunch rules to be observed

The Talco-Bogata cafeteria staff would like to explain the way the government lunch program works due to children and parents misunderstanding the guidelines set by the government.

Each day the government requires that one of three combinations be put on the tray of each child to meet the requirements for breakfast. Four components must be offered and claimed in order for the school to receive reimbursement. This means that these items must be put on the children's tray but it does not mean that the child must eat the items. Several students have asked the cafeteria staff not to put certain foods on their trays. But by law and in order for the school to receive reimbursement this must be

done. The cafeteria staff also must put three items from each combination of a balanced diet at lunch in order for the government reimbursement. In grades Pre-K through 12 students must have been served per week or daily; 2 ozs. meat, poultry or fish, 2 ozs. cheese, 1 egg, 1/2 cup beans or peas, 4 Tablespoons peanut butter or other nut or seed butters, 3/4 cup of vegetable or fruits, 8 servings of bread or bread alternate per week, minimum of 1 serving per day and 1/2 pint milk per day.

Again the staff reminds everyone that students are not required to eat these foods but they must be served for government reimbursement.

## Talco-Bogata preparing for 97-98 pre-kindergarten

Anyone interested in the Pre-Kindergarten program for the 1997-98 school year should contact the school as soon as possible. Students must qualify for free or reduced lunch guidelines and/or be limited English

proficient, students must be (4) four years of age on or before September 1, 1997. Proof of income (check stub, income tax, or dated AFDC ID card) must be furnished.

## Talco PTO officers meet with school principal

The Talco PTO officers met Monday, Aug. 18 at 9:00 a.m. with the school principal, B.J. Setliff in the library to discuss goals for the coming school year.

Several ideas were discussed some of which were to automate the library and connect to the Internet. Students would be able to have access to the Internet for academic purposes and could check out books through a com-

puterized process. Some teachers and parents feel that this would give the students the needed edge to keep up with the technology so necessary for their education and would benefit the entire school.

Money earned from the biggest fund raiser of the year, the Fall Festival, would be used to purchase these items if there is a unanimous vote for the purchase.



VIEWING-the instruments and accessories offered by Jim Gaylon of McKay Music Co. in Paris Monday evening were Jeremy Price and his sister Lyssa. Jeremy is the assistant drum major for the Rebel band and Lyssa is a member of this year's sixth grade band. The sixth graders and their parents were invited to the "come and go" meeting to meet the new band director, Mr. Davis, and to have instrument rental/purchase plans explained.

Staff Photo Nancy Brown





## Country Cooking

If there is someone you'd like to see in the Country Cooking Column, call 982-5829 or 652-4205. Look for us on the Internet!  
http://www.1starnet.com/tp

Liz Irwin

This week is our "Salute to the Sardine". You know that lowly, silver, smelly little fish that no one likes! Well, surely someone likes him. . . . I found sardine recipes! That's right sardine recipes. They had their own place in a cookbook, maybe it was a 1940's cookbook. . . but there were recipes. I could not resist it. . . so here they are! But first let me give you some facts about sardines.

Sardines are members of the herring family (European sardines are *Sardina pilchardus* and Pacific sardines are *Sardinops sagax*—you never know when this might come up in conversation—so be ready!) and an important food fish. The word sardine refers to several groups of "fishes". It is used mainly for such species as the Pacific sardine or pilchard. Other members of the herring family, including sprats and young Atlantic herring, are also sold as sardines. The name sardine was given to the fish because they were first caught near (you guessed it!) Sardinia, an Italian island in the Mediterranean Sea.

Sardines live in warm ocean waters near the shores of almost all the continents. They are especially plentiful off the coast of Japan, northwestern Africa and western South America. They average 9-12 inches in length and about 4 ounces in weight. The upper part of their body is bluish-gray and the lower part is silvery. Adult sardines usually swim in large schools. They feed on small animals and plant life called plankton.

Most sardines are caught at night with special nets with the worldwide catch totaling about 11-1/4 million

short tons or 10.2 million metric tons. In other words, lots of the little critters!

Cans of sardines are seen in grocery stores. Canneries precook sardines and remove part of their natural oil and moisture. Sardine oil is used in products such as linoleum, paint and varnish along with animal feeds and fertilizers. Small ones are used as bait in commercial tuna fisheries.

**Broiled Deviled Sardines** is her would be something different.

**Sardines and Mashed Potatoes.** Whatever happened to mashed potatoes and gravy.

**Sardines and Fried Onions.** Okay. . . . and Amy thought just plain liver and onions was bad!

**Sardines and Spinach.** Do you get the feeling that these recipes would not be you kids favorites!

**Sardines and Eggs on Toast** would not be one to have for every day for breakfast. . . . maybe a weekend treat!

**Sardines and Crackers** The perfect thing to send with your spouse on a hunting trip. What other human would want to get near them!

We hope you enjoyed our little bit of fun with the sardine and if anyone ever got deserted on a desert island, I'm sure if they got hungry enough, sardines would be wonderful. See you in the kitchen!

**NOTE:** Special message to Josephine Williams of Odessa, Texas. She writes that she enjoyed the Coconut Chess Pie recipe and that it possibly came out in the Spring of 1996. I need help finding this one as I cannot locate it in my files. Does anyone have it? Please let us know.

August 21, 1997  
Salute to the Sardine

**Broiled Deviled Sardines**  
Serves 4-6

2 cans large boneless sardines  
4 tablespoons butter  
2 teaspoons dry mustard  
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
1/2 cup fine cracker crumbs  
1 lemon

Drain oil from sardines. Cream butter and work the mustard and Worcestershire into it. Spread both sides of the sardines with the deviled butter. Roll sardines in crumbs until well coated. Place in a shallow pan and broil 5 minutes or until golden brown. Serve hot with quarters of lemon.

**Sardines and Spinach**  
Serves 4-6

1 cup medium white sauce  
2-1/2 cups cooked spinach  
1 teaspoon salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
2 cans sardines

Combine sauce, spinach, salt and pepper. Heat thoroughly. Put sardines in broiler and brown both sides. Put in center of platter and surround with spinach.

**Sardines and Mashed Potatoes**  
Serves 4-6

2 cups mashed potatoes  
2 cans sardines  
1/2 teaspoon lemon juice

Line bottom of baking dish with half of potatoes. Arrange sardines on top. Sprinkle with lemon juice. Cover with remaining potatoes. Bake in moderately hot oven until potatoes are brown.

**Sardines and Eggs on Toast**  
Serves 4-6

3 tablespoons butter  
3 tablespoons flour  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1-1/2 cup milk  
4 sliced-hard cooked eggs  
2 cans sardines  
1/2 teaspoon paprika

Blend butter and flour. Add salt, mustard and milk. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Add eggs and heat. Arrange sardines on toast. Heat in broiler. Remove to hot platter. Pour over egg sauce. Sprinkle with paprika. If desired 2 teaspoon chopped onions may be added to the sauce. Flaked salmon, tuna fish or mackerel may be used instead of sardines.

**Sardines and Crackers**  
Serves 1

2 cans sardines  
box of crackers  
salt and pepper to taste  
large onion sliced

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## Clover management is important for pastures

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Growing clovers and grasses in combination does require more management than if either plant were

*Red River County Roots*

This week's query is from Susan Fulbright, Rt. #3-Box 1-Salisaw, Oklahoma 74955. She is searching for the burial place of Alfred M. Orr who is supposedly buried in a McKinley Cemetery west of Clarksville. Nothing is known about a cemetery is name. There is a McKenzie Cemetery near Clarksville, however the marker was not found in this cemetery. She is also searching for information on the Old Souls Cemetery located about 1/2 mile west of Halesboro Cemetery. It is believed that Nancy Nicks was buried in that cemetery. She was the mother of Elizabeth (Nicks) Harbison. Any information anyone may have on this family would be appreciated.

If you can help Mrs. Fulbright, 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. Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 516, Clarksville, TX 75426.

## Additional art classes offered at PJC

Additional art classes have been added to the fall schedule at Paris Junior College and a daytime class of Photography I will be taught on Wednesdays from 1-3:40 p.m. A Photography I night class will meet on Mondays from 6-9 p.m. and a Photography II class will be held on Thursdays from 6-9 p.m. Sculpture I will be offered on Thursdays from 5-10 p.m. Theater Appreciation will meet from 9:50 to 11:05 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays

## Hunter Education course will be offered

A mandatory Hunter Education class will be held August 29-30 from 6-8 p.m. at the Paris Police Station Courtroom. Donny McHam will conduct the class. Fee is \$10.00. For information, call 903-982-6893, nights only.



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## Obituaries

### Henry E. Thornton dies August 16

Henry E. Thornton, age 81 of Hawkins, formerly of Red River and Lamar Counties, died Saturday, August 16 in Tyler.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, August 19 in Big Sandy Church of Christ with burial in Hawkins Cemetery under the direction of English Funeral Home of Hawkins.

He is survived by his wife, Martha Thornton of Hawkins; one son, Dale Thornton of Mesquite; a daughter, Charlotte Kern of Jacksonville; a sister, Mary Cooper of Bogata; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.


Memorials are requested to be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Card of Thanks

The family of Claud Burks extends thanks and appreciation for all the prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, flowers and memorial donations during his illness and at the time of his death. Also to the ladies of the First United Methodist Church for serving lunch and to all those who brought food to the church and to the homes.

Thanks to Wood Funeral Home, Bro. E. Sam Campbell, Bro. Glynn Renfro, Geneva Norwood and singers Sharon Sullivan, Rab Skidmore, Mark Francis and Kenneth Burks from Faith Baptist Church for making the service so special.

*Cindy Burks  
Kenneth and Janette Burks  
Merl Burks  
Kathryn and Grady Wright*



## Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers  
652-6051

J.A. Halbert, also known as DeWayne Crump, has advanced to the area finals in the Jimmy Dean Country Show Down in Mt. Pleasant. J.D. will compete for state Thursday, Sept. 21. We wish him good luck.

Preston took Marla Crump to a Rheumatology specialist in Dallas Friday for tests.

Sunday Ty Crump, Chey, Bailey, Aaron and J.D. visited with the Crumps.

Mrs. Ethel Epps was hostess for the bogata '84 Club Thursday evening. Jimmy King, Bo and Judy King, Brett and Susan King and children

Katie and Jenna of Kansas visited Bobbeye and Duane King at Pat Mayes Lake Tuesday afternoon. They all met Dick and Jayne King of Paris and children, Jeff and NeLeigh, and Kyle and Kootchie King and children Shelley and Travis of Reno and their nephew, Ollie of Germany and had dinner at the Rustler in Paris.

Monte and Shelley Rodgers and Melissa Arriaga visited Betty Rodgers Saturday.

Kootchie King of Reno visited Jimmy King Wednesday and Dick King of Paris was her visitor Saturday.

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**NUTS & BOLTS**

By Judy Screws

A few years ago, as a representative of the newspaper, I was entered into a Chili Cooking Competition, with my permission. After that day was over I swore that I would never enter another competition of any kind as long as I live. I still have the same feelings about competitions as I did that day. I have now added another thing to my list of things I will never do again as long as I live. I will never have another garage sale if I should live to be a hundred.

A few weeks ago I planned a garage sale to get rid of some very good items that we no longer needed or no longer fit or we no longer liked or whatever. We decided that we would put an ad in the paper so that more people would know about the sale. The ad turned out just perfectly. No misspelled words or anything of that sort. We decided that each item should be marked with a price to keep down confusion. I began to worry about the ants in our yard. What if a potential customer was bitten by an ant? How would we solve that short of putting out **Keep Moving or Beware of Ants or Not responsible for ant bites** signs. We needn't have worried. It rained and turned cold. My first mistake was not remembering to put **Cancel if raining** in my ad I put in the newspaper. Big mistake. If you don't do that you are not sure whether to put out your goods or just assume that everyone will think you had enough sense to stay in out of the rain. There was a large Estate Auction in town the second day of my sale, so I thought, "Good, people will

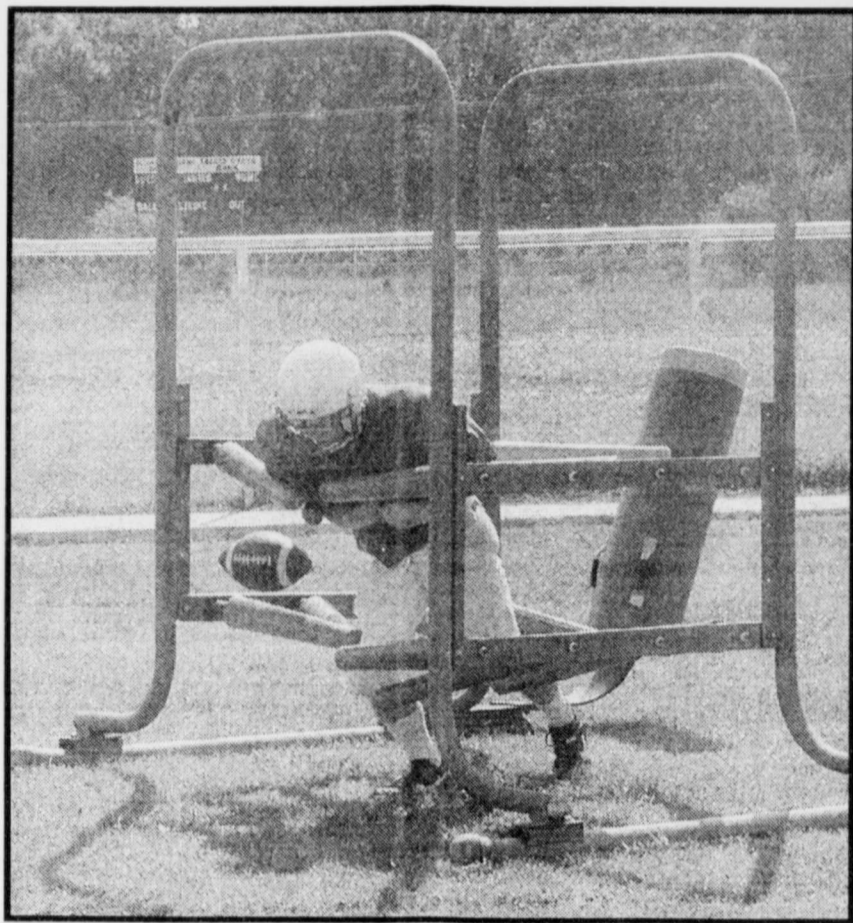
be out anyway so they will just make all the garage sales too." Not so. They just went to the Estate Auction to look around and stayed for lunch.

Everyone who came out in the rain was interested in children's clothes, toys and games, etc. My daughter did really well with her children's things. This was just about all people were interested in.

It had never dawned on me just how much it would bother me to have people digging through my good stuff and not wanting it. I felt rejected. I began watching the people walking around and hoping that they would not pick up something of mine because it hurt my feelings too much when they put it down and walked on. It is not like the people were unkind. They were very nice people, but if you don't want something, you just don't want it. They could not purchase all of my junk just to keep me from getting my feelings hurt.

I appreciated the people who came, but others stayed away in droves. I guess I thought that if I were outside with a coat on the first week-end in August everyone else should come on out and join me.

Anyway, back to not ever having another garage sale. I will take my discards to the Salvation Army or Good Will when my closets begin to bulge at the seams again. I flatly refuse to work like a slave to get everything ready for people to come at their leisure and dig through and then reject. Call me sensitive. I just guess I can't handle rejection.



**THE KILLER**-This Rebel piece of equipment is tough but the Rebels are tougher. Coach Terry Hill put the team through the drills in Monday's practice preparing for the coming season. Coach Hill stated with daily improvement the Rebels can go on up the play-off ladder to the top.

Staff Photo Nancy Brown

The Bogata Lions Club invites everyone to use their new community information sign. A personal message is \$15.00 per week and will stay up from Sunday until Saturday. No commercial ads, please.

The sign is located on the lot at the intersection of Hwy. 271 and Main in Bogata next to Kim's Kuttin' Korral. Kim Fields, owner of the lot, graciously donated the space for the sign and is paying the monthly electric bill. "Thanks Kim" Harold Neeley of Neeley Electric in Jofantown donated the electrical work on the sign. "Thanks Harold"

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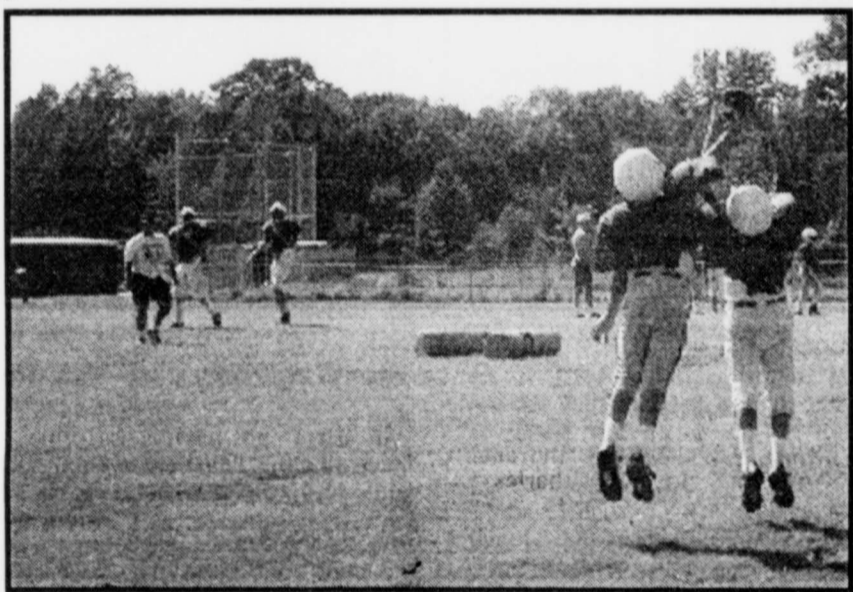
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**OFFENSE**-Coaches Steve Weddle and Ben Connell worked the Rebel Varsity and JV players at receiving and breaking up the pass in Monday work out. The Rebels are looking good and working hard.

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**1997 Red River Valley Fair Schedule of Events**

<b>August 24, Sunday</b>	9 a.m.-7 p.m.	Set up exhibits, carnival, food concessions
<b>25, Monday</b>	2-6 p.m.	Check in creative arts
	9 a.m.-9 p.m.	Set up exhibits, carnival, food concessions
<b>26, Tuesday</b>	9-11:30 a.m.	Check in horticulture flower show
	9 a.m.-1 p.m.	Senior Citizens Day activities
	6-6:30 p.m.	Check in Little Britches
	6:30 p.m.	Little Britches events
	6 p.m.	Pedal Power Tractor Pull
	6-10 p.m.	Carnival Opens
		Commercial Exhibits, Health Fair Exhibits, Arts & Crafts exhibits & Community Exhibits, Creative Arts, Arts & Crafts
	7-8 p.m.	Childrens Fishing Games
	7-11 p.m.	Mr. Karaoke
		J.D. Summer & The Stamps
<b>27, Wednesday</b>	9 a.m.-1 p.m.	Pre-School Activities
	4-5 p.m.	Open Goat Show check-in
	6 p.m.	Open Goat Show
	6-10 p.m.	Carnival Opens
		Commercial Exhibits, Health Fair Exhibits, Arts & Crafts Exhibits and Community Exhibits, Creative Arts, Arts & Crafts
	6:30-8 p.m.	Little Britches Talent Show
	8:30-11 p.m.	Mr. Karaoke
	7:30 p.m.	Perfect Strangers
<b>28, Thursday</b>	4-5:30 p.m.	Check in Junior & Open Rabbit
	6 p.m.	Rabbit show
	6 p.m.	Carnival opens
	6-10 p.m.	Commercial Exhibits, Health Fair Exhibits, Arts & Crafts exhibits, Creative Arts, Arts & Crafts
	7-11 p.m.	Mr. Karaoke
	7:30 p.m.	Police Athletic League Demonstration
	7:30-9:30 p.m.	YBRA Mutton Busting
		The Blackland Band
<b>30, Saturday</b>	7-8:30 a.m.	Junior Dairy check-in
		Junior Beef check-in
	9 a.m.	Junior Dairy Show
		Junior Beef Show
	10 a.m.-12 noon	Check in Club Lamb
	1 p.m.	Club Lamb Show
	3-12 a.m.	Carnival open
	3-10 p.m.	Commercial Exhibits, Health Fair exhibits, Arts & Crafts & Community Exhibits, Creative Arts, Arts & Crafts
	7-11 p.m.	Mr. Karaoke
	12-4 p.m.	Junior Sheep check-in
	2 p.m.	Chili Cook Off judging
	5 p.m.	Junior Sheep Show
	5:15 p.m.	Area High Schools Dance Lines
	6 p.m.	Paris School of Gymnastics
	7-9:30 p.m.	The Blandells
	8 p.m.	"Bullfest" bull riding, Mutton Busting, Cowboy Poker



**Women's group meets August 12**

The "Mosaic Group" of the "Women on Missions" of the First Baptist Church of Bogata, met in the library on Aug. 12, 1997 at 10:00 a.m.

Molee Huddleston opened the meeting in prayer. Rose Mary Swinford presided over the meeting.

The program title was "Let it Shine,

Bring Light in a Dark World". Those on the program were, Julie Davidson, Frances Lee and Peggy Watts. Frances Lee read the prayer calendar. Peggy Watts closed the meeting in prayer. Those present were Rose Mary Swinford, Peggy Watts, Julie Davidson, Molee Huddleston and Frances Lee.

**Hervey family reunion is well attended**

The fourth annual reunion of the descendants of the Albert Sidney and the Charles S. Hervey families met Saturday, August 9 at the Bogata Community Center. Family members and friends enjoyed visiting, sharing family pictures, a covered dish meal and participating in an auction; items furnished by family members auctioned by Curtis Blagburn.

Officers elected to serve in 1998 are: Bobby Hervey, President, JoAnn Cline, Recording Secretary; Betty Blagburn, Corresponding Secretary; and Harold Hervey, Treasurer. Corsages were presented to Nettie Hervey and Ruby Horn for being the oldest members present. Recognition was given to Carrigan Blagburn, the

youngest member present, Lynda Woodward and Neil Hervey, traveling the greatest distance and Imogene Lewis for having the most family members present.

Attending from Burkburnett were Nettie Hervey, Don and JoAnn Cline, Billie and Louise Magee, from Randlett, Oklahoma, Bernie and Aline Upchurch Huber from Mineola, Lynda, Traci and Trey Woodward from Wassenaar, The Netherlands, Neil and Barbara Hervey Wooley

from Edmond Oklahoma, Michael and Susie Magee, Eulless, Dennis and Sherry Wooten, Copeville, Curtis, Cindy, Clayton and Carrigan Blagburn, Bo, Sherri and Kailee Hervey, Frisco, Neil Hervey, Springfield, Illinois, Trevor, Trent and Troy Hervey, Antioch, California, Myra Hervey Wooten, Queen City, Jimmy, Chris, Justin and Cyndi Conway, Jennifer Hodges, Harold and Peggy Hervey, Dallas, Doris Hervey, Darlene Horn Hutchinson, Paris, Samantha, Robert, Courtney, Jones, Missy Carroll, Cassee Wilcox, Terry, Patty and Jeremy Jones, Stanley Jones and Jordan Jones, Imogene Lewis, Randy Jones, Ruby Horn, Linden and Jo Horn all of Talco, Lori and Kelsey Franks, Sugar Hill, Betty and Doug Blagburn, Lake Creek, Rufus and Shirley Merritt, Pattonville, Joe Hervey and Jackie Weber, Midlothian, Linda Hodges, Beulah Fleming, Debbie Williams, Mary Ann Williams, Opal Lee Conway, Bobby Hervey, Bogata, David Horn, Wendell and Bobbie Hervey, Buford and Gale Hervey, Johntown.

The next reunion will be the first Saturday in August 1998.

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Visiting Tommy Lee and Joyce Cox on Saturday were Cindy, Sean and Steven Robertson of Paris, Victor Lynn, Patsy and Dustin Cox and Eugene Cox.

Glenda Cox spent a few days in Paris with her sister, Cindy Robertson, this week.

Tommy Lee and Joyce Cox visited her brother, Donald Wilson of Bogata. Robbie Hawkins visited that afternoon.

Sunday lunch guests of James and Pauline Gibbs of Bogata were Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins, Robin, Kyla and Barbara Gibbs.

Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins enjoyed eating at Western Sizzlin in Mt. Pleasant on Saturday.

On Monday night, Mr. Conine's

daughter, Sue was supper and overnight guest of Robbie Hawkins. Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins were also supper guests.

Robbie Hawkins, James and Clara Gaddis, Drue and Billie Pirtle enjoyed being in Tyler Saturday to hear the gospel quartet "The Cathedrals". They also enjoyed supper at Shoguns Japanese Steak House.

Sunday lunch guests of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Vance Pirtle, Stephanie and Lindsey Fischer and friend Sarah, Jeff, Kelley, Jacob and Kristan Harville, Robin, Kyla and Jesse Hasrville, Bro. Bobby and Chessie Clark. Everyone joined the celebration of Stephanie and Kelley's birthday.

**PIPS preparing for another year**

The PIPS, Players in Progress, of the Talco-Bogata schools are preparing for the coming year beginning this week.

Forms were sent home with students Aug. 19 for sign up. The deadline for the return of these forms is Sept. 5. The cost of the program is

\$40 per child and each member receives a basketball and tee shirt.

This will be the second season for the PIPS program and expectations are high following the successful season last year. For more information contact Lori Franks at 379-9430.

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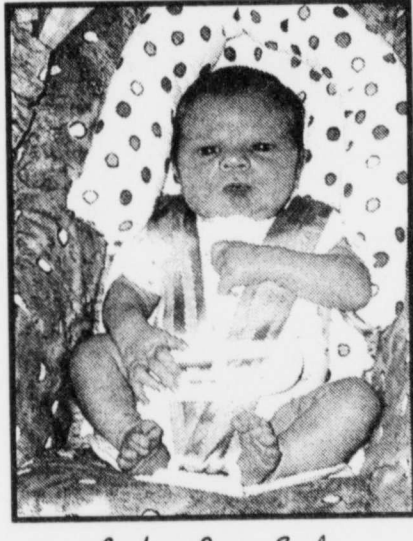
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**Baird's to celebrate 50 years**

August 23, 1947 Truman E. Baird, son of the late Walter and Susie Baird and F. Elaine Harville Baird, daughter of the late Albert W. and Lillie M. Harville, were married in Kermit, Texas.

In celebration of their golden wedding anniversary, open house will be held at their home in Cuthand, Saturday August 23, 1997 from 2-3 p.m. Family and friends are invited to at-

tend. Hosts for the event will be their children and spouses, Jim and Barbara Branch of Bogata, Rick and Ferby Baird of Cuthand, Gary and Karen Cooper of Gilmer, Jason and Brenda Garrido of Whitehouse and Keith and Laura Winn of Ennis. The Baird's have 9 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.



**OLYMPIC GOLD-Katie Hare**, a member of the Texas High Rollers, competed in the American FastPitch Association Nationals held in Houston July 28-August 2. Keynote speaker for the opening ceremonies was Crista Williams, member of the 1996 Olympic Softball Team. The Hare girls enjoyed meeting Ms. Williams and Sarah was thrilled to pose wearing her Olympic Gold Medal. (from the left back) Molly Hare and Katie Hare; (from the left front) Sarah Hare and Crista Williams.

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**84 Club meets with Ethel Epps**

Ethel Epps was hostess for the monthly meeting of the 84 Club at her home in Fulbright Thursday evening. Two tables were arranged for the games following a delicious buffet dinner.

Members attending were Willie Mae Gray, Faye Conine, Georgia Hudson, Maggie Lee, Helen Williams, Shirley Allums, Jimmie King, Seab and Maurine Mankins, Jettie Bond, Willie Clark, the hostess and one guest, Cathy Reeves of Corpus Christi.

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**Rivercrest  
Band Notes**

Rivercrest High's new band director, Richard Davis is working hard to get the year off on a good note. A special meeting was called on Monday, Aug. 18 at the band hall at Rivercrest for all sixth grade band students and their parents. The meeting was a "come and go" event. Jim Gaylon of McKay Music Co. in Paris was present with instruments and accessories for the students and their parents to view and to have rental/purchase plans explained. Mr. Davis reported a good turn out of students and parents whom he enjoyed meeting and who made instrument arrangements.



**RIVERCREST**-new band director, Richard Davis greeted parents and students Monday at the band hall at Rivercrest. Mr. Davis discussed instruments with the parents and students and Jim Gaylon of McKay Music Co. in Paris was on hand to show instruments and accessories to those attending.  
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**Rivercrest Athletic Booster Club gearing up for new season**

The Rivercrest Athletic Booster Club is ready to kick off a new year. Plans have been made for the upcoming football season. Come out to the games and help support our team in another quest to reach the playoffs.

The Booster Club will host a Hamburger Supper for the scrimmage game on Aug. 28 at Rivercrest. The supper and the game will start at 6:00 p.m. Hamburger baskets will sell for \$3.50 and cheeseburger baskets will sell for 3.75. In addition, the booster Club will sell "Rebel Freezes" (sno cones) for .75¢ each.

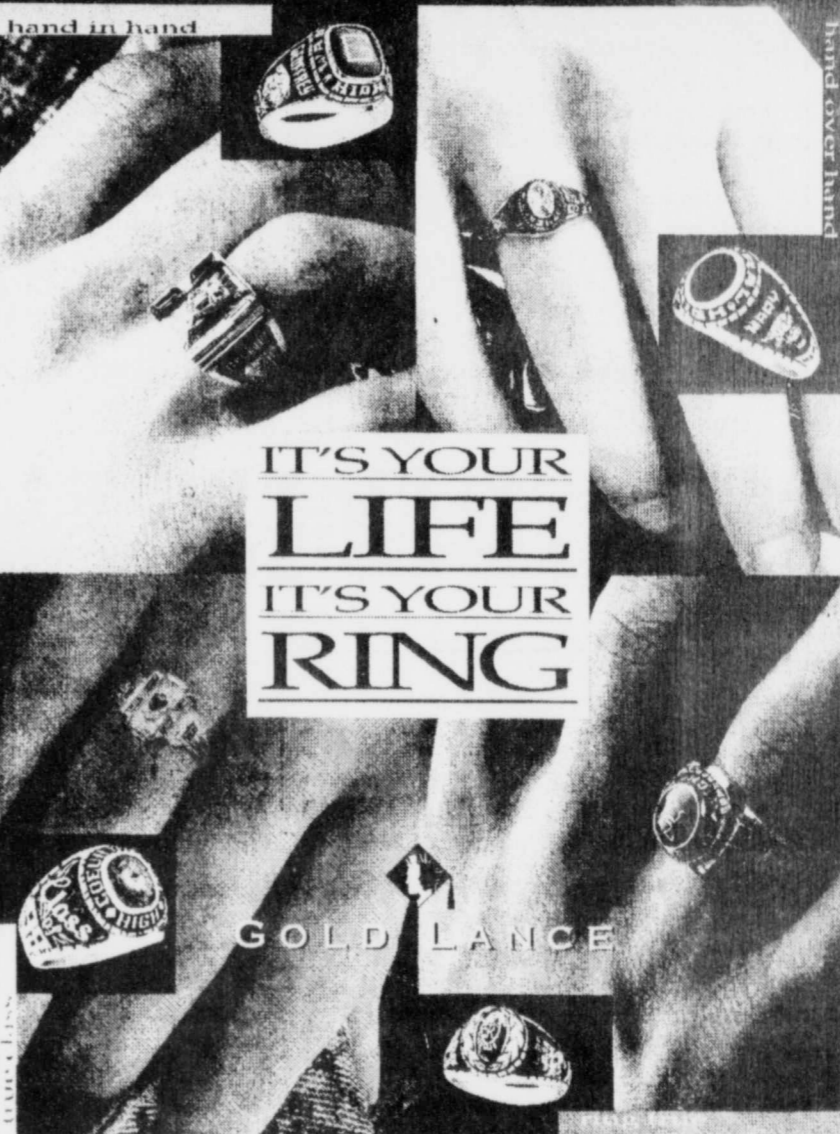
The annual membership drive will begin on September 28. Family memberships are \$10.00 and individuals memberships are \$5.00. Please buy a membership and help support our teams.

On September 4, the Booster Club will host a Fall Kickoff at the JV game at Rivercrest vs Hawkins. All Jr. High, JV and Varsity team members will be introduced as well as the coaches for each team. Come out and meet the teams. Refreshments will be served.

Tee shirts will also be for sale on September 4 with the theme chosen by this year's contest winners. The theme is "Rebel Pride"; Learn It, Love It, Live It.

September 12 has been designated as Spirit Night when we play Clarksville at Rivercrest. The Booster Club will be selling cowbells that night which are blue and white for \$5.00 each. These are great noise makers please make plans to purchase one and help the boys on the field hear their fans. Fans will be urged to bring their bells to off games so everyone knows the Rebels are in town. All proceeds earned by the Booster Club go to support the Rivercrest student body in the form of scholarships. Come out and support the Rivercrest Rebels and Lady Rebels this season and help the Athletic Booster Club help Rivercrest students!!!!

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## Ponytails take second place at district

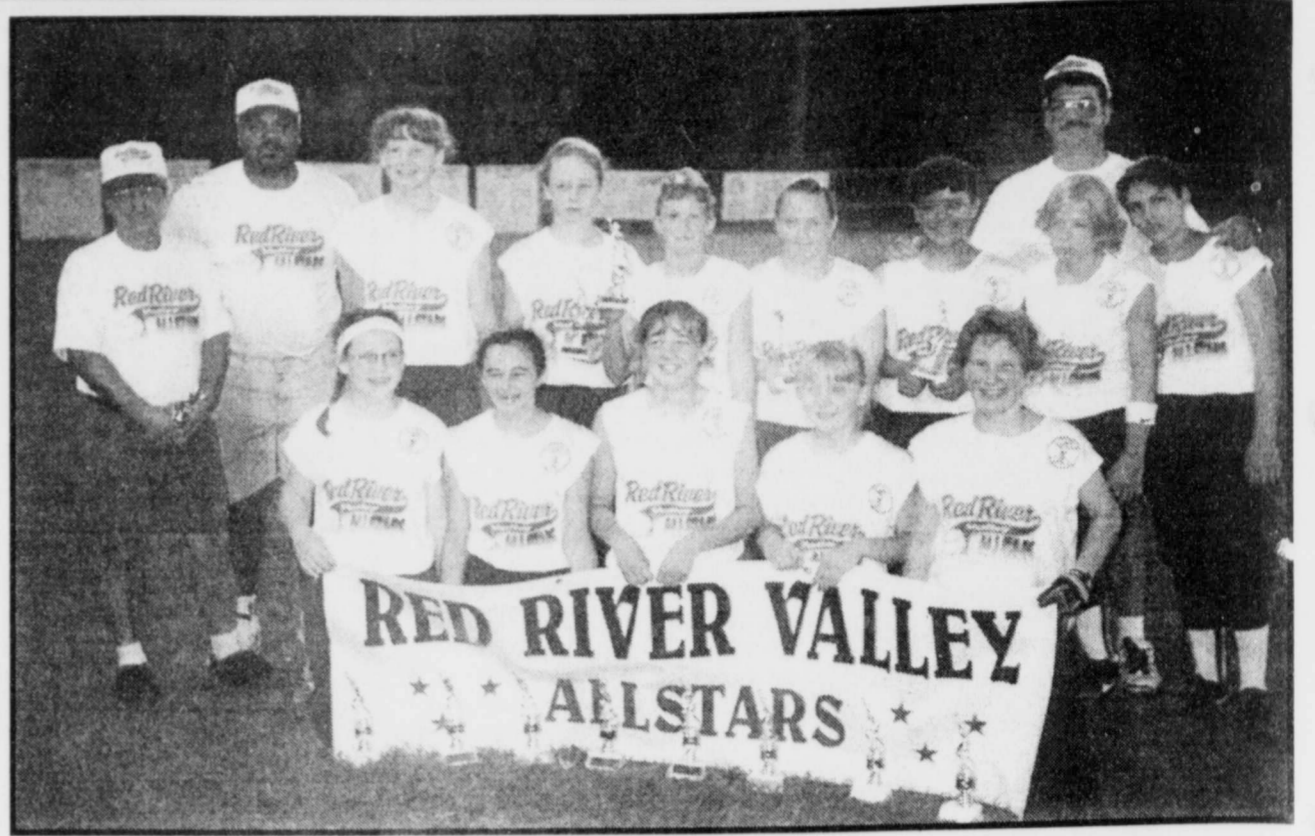
The Red River Valley All-Stars in the Dixie Ponytails division (11-12 year girls) finished as district runner-up in the District 4 tournament July 4-10 in Mt. Vernon.

Teams competing in the double elimination tourney were: Mt. Vernon, Winnsboro, Hopkins County Americans, Hopkins County Nation-

als, Red River Valley and Mt. Pleasant. The team played 5 nights to advance to the championship round but were defeated by Mt. Pleasant. The Red River Valley team, comprised of girls from Bogata, Talco, Deport and Clarksville were awarded runner-up trophies. This is the second year the Red River Valley team has finished

as district runner-up.

The team was made up of; Keely Donovan, Stephanie Stringer: Clarksville, Molly Hare Tina Carder, Erica Williams, Michelle Bryant, Krystal Valenzuela: Bogata, Megan Graham, Rebecca Rufial, Natalie Wilson, Kelly Kincaid: Deport and Rachel Case: Talco. They were coached by Mark Hare, Billy Scales and Jerry Don Kincaid.



1997 Red River Valley All-Stars (front row from the left) Keely Donovan, Stephanie Stringer, Molly Hare, Tina Carder and Erica Williams; (back row from the left) Jerry Don Kincaid, Billy Scales, Rachel Case, Natalie Wilson, Michelle Bryant, Kelly Kincaid, Krystal Valenzuela, Megan Graham, Rebecca Rufial and Mark Hare.

## Crawford rides exhibition

Kasey Crawford showed her skills as a Hunter-Jumper in an exhibition at the Southern Classic Fox Trotting Horse Show in Sulphur Springs on Saturday.

The Southern Classic consists of a five state area. Kasey and her sister Cristie have been learning about the fox trotting horse at Pleasant Valley Farm in Bogata owned and operated by Johnny and Murl Hawks. The

girls both are excellent riders and brought home several ribbons from the show.

Also showing were; Linda Crawford and Murl Hawks with Johnny being the groomer. Others attending the show were; Barry, Colt and Mandy Crawford, Bob and Gwin Womack and Jerry and Pat Crawford who also came to help celebrate their granddaughter, Cristie's birthday.

## Rebel coaches expecting good year

The Rivercrest Rebel Coaches have been busy the past two weeks starting training on the Rebel football teams.

Head Coach, Keith Brown said, "We have a total of 60 boys out for football, all of which have tested drug free. We have more size this season than we have had in several years. The boys are working hard and looking good in practice and although we do not have alot of speed what we have will be a threat to any team we meet." Varsity Assistant Coach, Terry Hill said, "With the right improvements the Rebels will go even farther than we did last year".

Junior Varsity Coaches Steve Weddle and Ben Connell are also well pleased with the turn out and with the amount of effort the boys are giving as they prepare for the season in this hot weather. The JV will be made up of mostly Freshman boys who have not reached their full size but are rich in heart. Coach Weddle said, "I am expecting a good season. We have a strong group of boys com-

ing in from the eighth grade and the entire JV group have good attitudes on their side".

The Talco-Bogata Junior High team has 30 boys suited out but of the 30 only 8 are eighth graders. Coach Gary Schultz said, "I am not sure exactly how we will play but Coach Daugherty and I hope to play seventh grade games and not be forced to put seventh graders up to fill an eighth grade team. At this age the year separating the two is a large gap and we would like our seventh grade boys to compete with their own age group. The guys are giving 100% in hustle and we will work hard at whichever way we play".

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 Margie Garrett and Zelma Mauldin visited Jettie Minshew.  
 Stasha Hume's visitors were Lindsey and Ina Ward.  
 Visiting Lynn Kerley were Opal Kerley, Staci Alford, Arol Kerley and Mandi Meredith.  
 Gladys Prater's visitors were Inez Gill, Leonard Prater, Margaret Prater, Lou and Wayne Elliot, Mildred Allums, Margie LaMaster and Charles Prater.  
 Mavis Jackson, Carol Jean, Lynn and Brenda Carroll and Lesa and Randy visited Dollie Carroll.  
 Gaylon McGill visited Russel Lawler.  
 Visiting Nina Hudson were Mammie Dean Tower, Sidney W. Hudson and David Lee Hudson.  
 Visiting Irene Smith were S.J. Smith, Linda Smith, Elaine Alford and Raymon Mauldin.  
 Inez Gill visited Donovan Strain. Visiting Irene House were Evey Hinson, Darnell Davis, Bernice Beers, Deloris, Margaret, Mary Sue, Virginia Lane and Charles House.  
 Louise Ross, Billie Nolen, Dean

and Edith Smith and Brian, Brandon and Jeremy Keith visited Agnes Guess and Hester Keith.  
 Ruth Wood's visitors were David Craddock, James Grayson, Davey Craddock, Robbie Cloud and Tedd Grayson.  
 Tony Watkins visited Dorothy Watkins.  
 Ken Dingman and Naomi Dingman - Smart visited Bertha Anderson.  
 Gladys Garretson's visitors were Berenda Mewborn, Joyce Alexander, Beverly J. Capel, Dovie Garretson, Wayman Alexander and Hanna Louderman.  
 Sandra Benson and Shirley Smith visited Raymon Mauldin.  
 Billie Hancock's visitors were Shirley Smith, Eva Weisinger, Robin Johnson, Sandra Benson and Jay and Randy Hancock.

**Rivercrest Menu**  
 August 25-29



**Monday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Pancakes/Sausage on a stick  
 Syrup  
 Fruit Or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Pizza  
 Corn  
 Salad with Dressing  
 Garlic Sticks  
 Pineapple Chunks  
 Milk

**Tuesday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Blueberry muffins with butter  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Steak fingers with ketchup  
 Mashed potatoes & gravy  
 Sweet peas  
 Peaches  
 Hot Rolls, Butter & Honey  
 Milk

**Wednesday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Sausage-biscuits with Butter & Jelly  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Barbecued chicken  
 Corn  
 Salad with Dressing  
 White Bread  
 Blueberry muffin  
 Milk

**Thursday**  
**Breakfast**  
 French Toast with Syrup & Butter  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Salisbury steak with gravy  
 Scalloped potatoes  
 Purple hulled peas  
 pear halves  
 light bread  
 Milk

**Friday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Cereal with Toast, Butter & Jelly  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice  
 Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Cheeseburgers  
 Pork & Beans  
 Burger Salad with pickles  
 Ice Cream  
 Milk



**MRS. RHONDA MERRILL** is the new sixth and seventh grade Reading/English teacher at Bogata Junior High School. Mrs. Merrill, along with her husband Joe and their four children reside at Cunningham where he is the pastor of Life Tabernacle Church. The Merrill's children are: Deanna, a senior at Prairiland High School; Landon, and 8th grader at Bogata Junior High; Stephen, a 7th grader at Bogata and Nathaniel, who is in Kindergarten at Bogata. Mrs. Merrill taught 3 years at a private school, Dierigere Christian Academy in Maine. She taught the '97 spring semester at Texas A&M Commerce in the Education Division. She enjoys writing songs, choruses, poetry and short stories. (Staff Photo)

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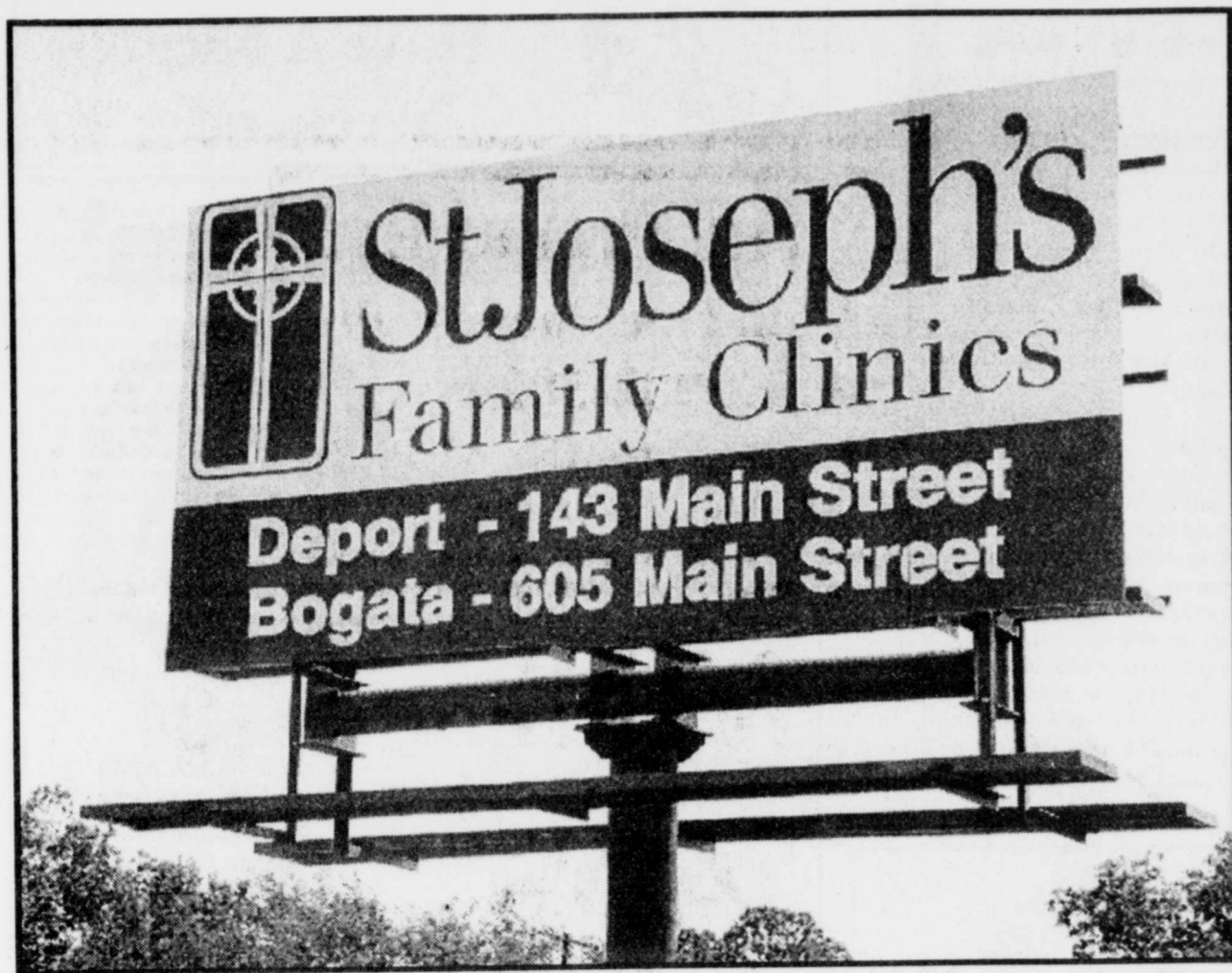
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ST JOSEPH SIGN-big signs have been erected on Hwy. 271 in Deport and Bogata promoting the St. Joseph's Family Clinics in Deport and Bogata. Installation of the signs took place over the past week and weekend. (Staff Photo)

## A History of Rosalie

By JOHN N. GIBSON

An account of the early history of Rosalie should be interesting to most everyone. For those days were quite different from the present. It would be somewhat difficult for us, if we should have to live now like people once did. Most of us now think we have a hard time, but before this is brought to a conclusion, we should all think, and be more content. Practically everyone was grandmothers and grandfathers now living who knew the hardships of their life in those days.

Since 1880 and up until recent time there has been great progress made here as well as everywhere else. The old order has passed and new things have developed, however, Rosalie once had more industrial building than it now has.

There were four stores here, in the year of 1873. They were operated by Cox, Parks, Sid Smith and Dowell. Another little hut or shack sat where Mr. Gibson's store is now located. They sold whiskey or liquor there. You could buy these beverages then like buying groceries or anything else at present. But as the country became more densely populated, drinking caused so much confusion and disturbance that the sale of whiskey was prohibited. One Sunday afternoon the people were singing in the little old log school house and two men on the outside were drunk. One man fired at the other and came very near shooting one of the ministers; consequently they had no more singing there, for everyone was afraid to go.

The blacksmith shop was just in front of the present one. Later it was moved just beyond the store. Not many years ago it was moved by Mr. Parker to where it is now operated by Mr. Morgan.

For just an old saying they once called the village "Smith's Town and Greenmen's Street, Edward's Hotel and nothing to eat." At this time Rosalie was named Wayland and Bogata was called Maple Springs. Bogata people most all came to Rosalie to do their shopping, for they had only one grocery store there. Rosalie has fallen away until there are only two stores and a blacksmith shop, the decline having start-

moving to Bogata when the railroad came to the town in 1910. Bogata began to grow, things could be shipped in by train. They could keep new things in town all the time.

The telephone office was first operated by Mrs. Julian Frances. The first telephone was put in at Smith's store in 1900, so when any one wanted to use the phone, they had to call from the store. They had no switch but there were several telephones put in afterwards. You could call anyone who had a telephone for everyone was on the same line. The first switchboard was kept in Miss Ellen Garren's house which was just west of Gibson's store, but has since been razed. While it was in Miss Garren's home it was owned and operated by Millard Moore, but was later sold to and operated by C. C. Pearson, who built the telephone office. This building is on the Dr. Bension homestead. In 1909 Mr. Pearson moved into a new building, which is south of the Joe Ragsdill house. During the last ten years of existence the telephone business was operated first by Jim Ragsdill, then by Jodie Dood who held possession until he sold to Joe Ragsdill who later sold it to the Bogata Telephone Exchange.

The postoffice was located where the blacksmith shop now stands. W. A. Douglas was the postmaster. In the early days the mail was carried on horseback by Bill Stephens from Clarksville, through Rosalie on into Sulphur Springs. The mail was delivered only about three days out of a week, for it usually took about two days to make the journey. The postman is now required to deliver mail six days each week unless there is a holiday and his route is usually made in half a day.

There was for several years a newspaper in Rosalie, named the "Rosalie Courier," published and edited by W. A. Crooks. The paper was one of the earlier publications of this area and was established about 1890, 49 years ago. We can not be sure of what year it was established though the only copy now existing of which we have any record is Volume 6, No. 25, published in April 1898, indicating the paper was more than six years old at the time.

The History of Rosalie at left is from the February 24, 1939 edition of the Bogata News.

There are gaps in it where the copy is obscured, and this is only a portion of the story. We will be running the remainder of it in future editions.

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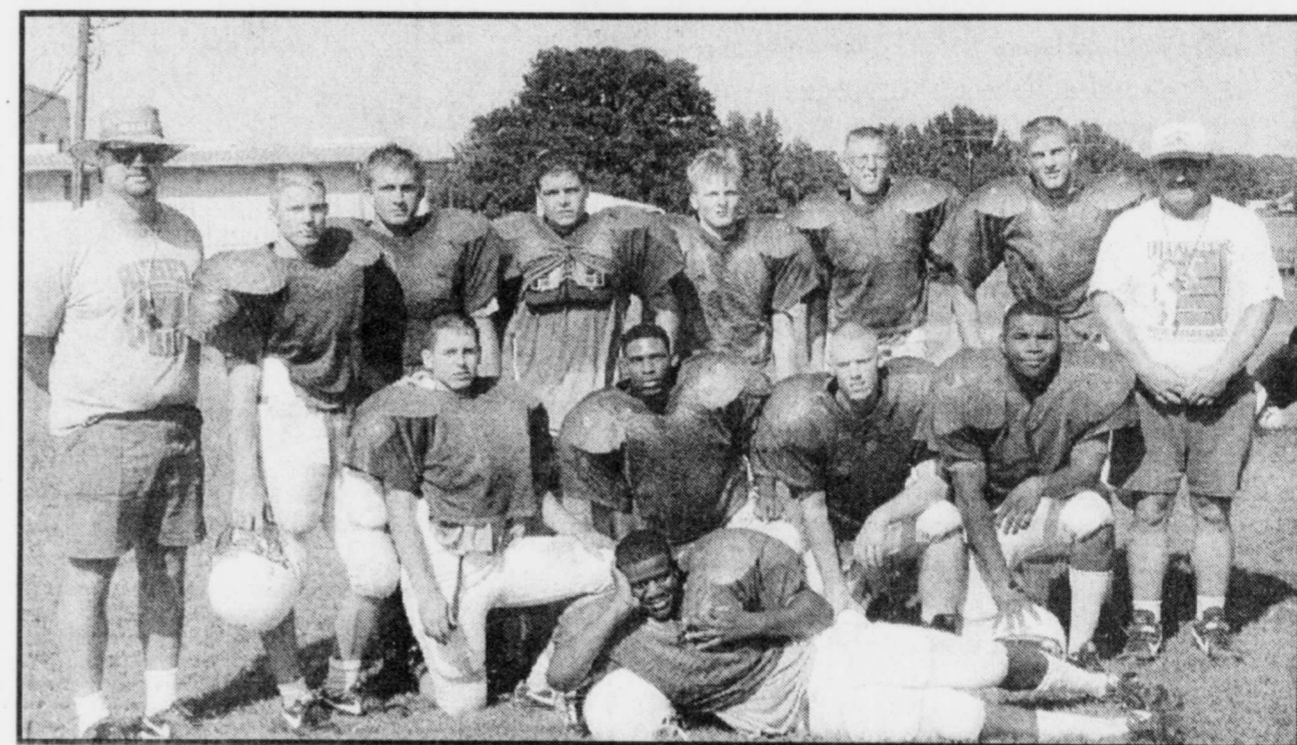
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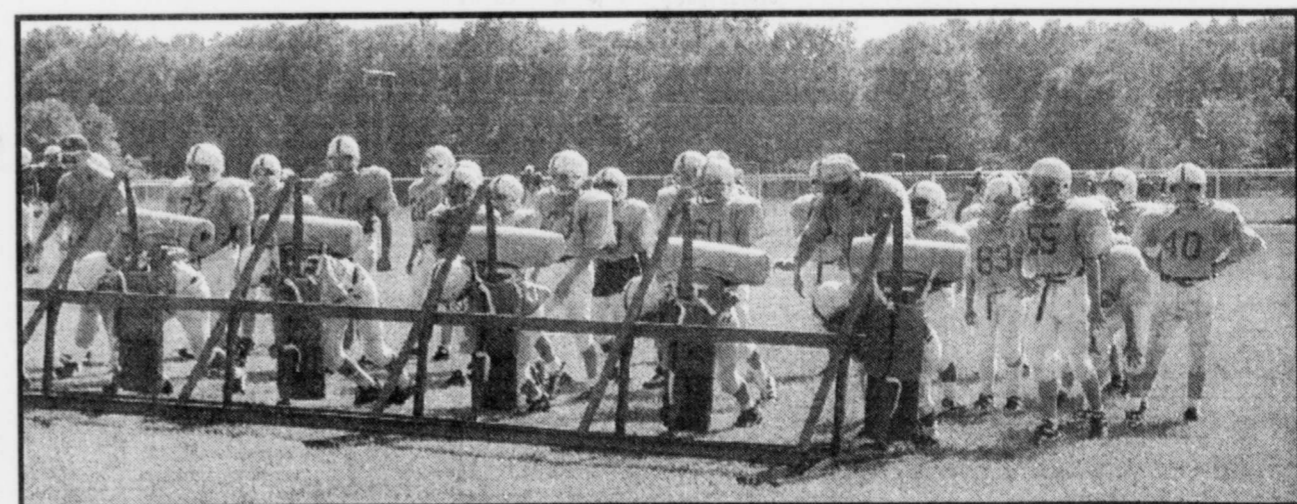


TALCO-BOGATA JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS-participating in a cheerleader camp this week taught by Joette Heim are back row- Erin Miller, Kendall Stansell, and Rachel Case. Middle row- Alison Foster and Ashley Beers and front row-Dusty Townes and Danielle Easterling. Not pictured is Charla Hines. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)



REBEL SENIORS- The Rivercrest Rebel Varsity football team has 11 senior players this season. They are pictured with Coaches Keith Brown and Terry Hill. (from the left back row) Coach Keith Brown, Jody Gray, Dustin Wolfe, Jerad Guest, Scott Davidson, Ryan Giles, Brian Giles and Coach Terry Hill; (middle from the left) Derek Belcher, Michael Allen, Jody Nolen and Broderick Fulbright; (front) Jeff Brown. GO REBELS !!!!!!!

Staff Photo Nancy Brown



COACHES-James Daugherty and Gary Schultz drive the Rebel Junior High into shape as they prepare for the coming season. Coach Schultz stated there are 30 Junior High boys out for football but unfortunately only 8 of the boys are eighth graders. The game schedule remains unset.

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- CHILD CARE AVAILABLE:** A loving mother of one would like to babysit your child in my home. Lots of experience and references available. Please call Misti, 652-9791. *MA 8-21*
- K & K CLEANING SERVICE-** Will clean homes or offices, day or night, weekdays or weekends. We will service the whole newspaper area. Call 903-632-5923. *MA 9-4*
- Sales:**
- GARAGE SALE:** Friday, August 22, 7 to 4. 316 Church St., Deport, across from school. Lots of glassware, microwave, 2 dining room sets, desk, several cross-cut saws, rocker, coffee table, books, ladder rack for a van, single-row cotton planter, 31-day wall clock, 1950's W.S. George stoneware, 5 gal. brown crock. 8-21
- FIVE FAMILY GARAGE SALE:** 170 Jeffus St., Deport. Friday, August 22, 8 a.m. Some furniture, little bit of everything. 8-21
- GARAGE SALE:** Friday & Saturday, August 22-23 on 368 Depot St., Deport. Dresses, pants, shirts, shorts, shoes & lots of kids clothes. 8 until 4. 8-21
- GARAGE SALE:** August 21-22-23. Absolutely no sales before 8 a.m. 1/2 mile east on Highway 909, Bogata, Vickie Bryan's. Follow signs. Excellent school clothes, infants, mens, womens, dishes, treadmill, too much to mention, too good to miss. 8-21
- Free:**
- HUGH'S kitties** need a home! Spayed, bright calico cat, about 1 year old, is inside/outside cat; also brindle and white Tom, same age. Call 903-652-4205 or 652-5823. *nc*
- FREE TO GOOD HOME:** Siamese mother cat and four black kittens. Call 903-785-5412. *MAnc*
- Wanted:**
- WANT TO CONTACT** members of Adolphus King's family. Lived in Blossom area during 1920's. Contact F.A. Helley, P.O. Box 188, Wheeler, TX 79096. *MA 8-28*
- NEED:** 22" seat wheelchair, reasonably priced, good condition. Call 903-652-4193. *MAnc*
- NEED TO RENT** house for elderly couple. Prefer 2 bedroom with carport or garage in east part of Blossom. 903-982-5469. *MA 9-4*
- Lost & Found:**
- LOST DOG:** Black and tan miniature Daschund, answers to "Rowdy". Please call 903-632-4998 or 632-5269. Ask for Cindy. Reward offered. *MA 8-21*
- NOTICE**
- BEAUTY FASHION** in Bogata has a new phone number. It is 903-632-5546. *MA 8-21*





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August 25-29

**Monday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Pancakes / Sausage on a stick  
 Syrup  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Pizza  
 Corn  
 Salad with Dressing  
 Garlic Bread  
 Pineapple Chunks  
 Milk

**Tuesday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Blueberry Muffins with Butter  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Steak Fingers  
 Mashed Potatoes & Gravy  
 Sweet Peas  
 Peaches  
 Hot Roll, Butter & Honey  
 Milk

**Wednesday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Sausage-Biscuits, Butter & Jelly  
 Fruit Juice & Milk

**Thursday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Barbecued Chicken  
 Corn  
 Salad With Dressing  
 White Bread  
 Blueberry Muffins  
 Milk

**Friday**  
**Breakfast**  
 Cereal & Toast  
 Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk  
**Lunch**  
 Hamburgers  
 Pork & Beans  
 Burger Salad  
 French Fries with Ketchup  
 Ice Cream  
 Milk

**Talco Locals**

By Nancy Brown  
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379-4445



Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wisinger and Shari visited Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Wisinger in Arkansas over the weekend.

Terry Howell of Longview visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Pittman and family over the weekend.

Jackie (Black) Fowler and Chuck Fowler were honored with a wedding reception Saturday evening at the Nevils Chapel Church in Mt. Pleasant.

Paul Presley of Paris visited over night with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Presley Thursday.

Celebrating August birthdays are: Tina Nolen, Patty Kuhl, Vickie Howard, Alex Savage, Danica East-erling, Verbeth Wyatt, Justin Smith, Nona Moles, Agnes Buchanan, Tony Livingston and Tom Scott.

Bro. Ladell of Sulphur Springs was the visiting pastor at the Talco Assembly of God Church Sunday Aug. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack spent the day in Hot Springs, Arkansas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Presley and Vivian Fail visited Ann Fail in the Kilgore Hospital Sunday, Aug. 10. They also visited with Lynn Fail while there. Mrs. Fail is reported home and doing well.

Carla Harrell of Dallas was honored with a wedding shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Pittman Saturday, Aug. 16, 1997. Guests were served cake, punch, nuts

and mints. Carla received many nice and useful gifts. Carla is the daughter of Frankie and Maxine Harrell of Talco.

Kim Anderson and Katherine Graf enjoyed shopping in Mt. Pleasant Monday.

Bro. and Mrs. David Trawick and daughters attended their last Sunday at the Talco Assembly of God Church Aug. 10. The family have moved to Stuttgart, Arkansas where Bro. Trawick will serve as pastor and teacher. Also visiting for Bro. Trawick's final service in Talco were his mother of Washington and her parents of Wylie. They will be missed in the community.

Enjoying a fishing trip Monday were Jack Brown, Justin Smith, Eddie Williams, Jeff Savage, Alvin Savage and Dru Denison.

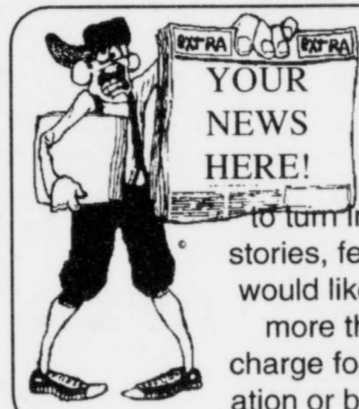
Visiting with Charline Black and family over the weekend were Danny Black of Paris, Faye Perdue of Kilgore, her daughter Kathy and granddaughter, Crystal.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Pitts celebrated their 12th wedding anniversary Aug. 12, 1997.

Mona Wright and Marta Rhoades enjoyed shopping in Texarkana Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Grissom and Torrie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack Saturday evening.

Gary Fail of Gladewater visited Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail Sunday.



REMEMBER THE TALCO TIMES WANTS Your news, photos, stories and ideas. Call Nancy Brown, 379-4445 to turn in visitors, or to tell us of ideas for stories, features, cooks, or ANYTHING you would like to have published. We'll print it, more than likely. Remember, we don't charge for weddings, engagements, graduation or birth announcements or obituaries.

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