







REBEL TEAM CAPTAINS-for the 1997-98 season are; (from the left) Jody Gray, Jared Guest, Coach Keith Brown, Dustin Wolfe, Jody Nolen and standing Coach Terry Hill. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



REBEL COACHING STAFF-for the 1997-98 football season are; (from the left back row) Ben Connell, JV Coach, Steve Weddle, JV Coach, Gary Schultz, Junior High Coach, Terry Hill, Varsity Coach and James Daugherty, Junior High Coach and (front) Athletic Director and Head Varsity Coach Keith Brown. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



1997-98 JUNIOR VARSITY RIVERCREST REBEL CHEERLEADERS-(from the left back row) Joanie Plunkett, Cassie Cannon and Chrissy Wilson; (front from the left) Kim Exum and Kim Shirley. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

**Schemes and scams are On-Line**

It is estimated that more than 50 million people use the Internet worldwide, and most of them are accessible to marketers at a very low cost. The speed and convenience of shopping by computer can be a boon to businesses and consumers alike. Be forewarned: These advantages are a strong incentive for scam artists to go on the Internet, too.

Most of the scams on the Internet are not entirely new ideas. They have been around for years. But the Internet version of a timeworn scam may have a sleek new look, and you are advised to be on guard by the Office of the Texas Attorney General. Whether it is a phony investment or business opportunity, a fake job placement service or a simple chain letter pyramid scheme, the goal is to separate you from your money.

On-line investment scams have involved gold mines, snail ranching, movie production, live on-line "virtual Shopping malls; and prime bank instruments; (a non-existent type of security). They are often set in exotic, remote corners of the world, where buyers can not just drop by to check on the progress of their investments.

Other common Internet scams:  
 \* Miracle health or technology products, such as satellite or cable decoders and free long distance phone call devices (if they were legal and actually worked, you would see them in stores tomorrow).  
 \* Bogus job opportunities and help-wanted ads.  
 \* "Universities" that only exist as web sites.

Look out for hot tips on stocks and other investments found in chat groups. If they involve genuine issues, such as small-time penny stocks, the comments may be an attempt to manipulate the stock. Moore often, however, the whole setup is a scam.

Never give out credit card or financial information to anyone who

approached you through an unsolicited e-mail. (also known as junk e-mail). Don't give your password to anyone for any reason. Also stress the importance of this to children in your family who use the Internet.

Never invest in anything you heard about through unsolicited e-mail until you have thoroughly researched the offer, even if it appears to come from a well-known company. Call the company to make sure they really sent you the solicitation.

Never do business with any outfit that will not give out a street address, telephone number or other form of verifiable information. Before investing, find out where the firm is based, whether it is regulated, and which country's laws will apply in case a dispute arises.

It costs very little to set up a web site that looks expensive. Do not confuse glitz with legitimacy. Use your common sense and a healthy dose of skepticism, just as you would with traditional sales offerings.

As always, be wary of claims that sound too easy or offer huge returns for little or no effort or risk. Remember to take your time, and do not fall for high pressure sales tactics. A good deal today will still be a good deal tomorrow. And when in doubt, check out the company with the Better Business Bureau, the Securities and Exchange Commission, or the Texas State Securities Board.

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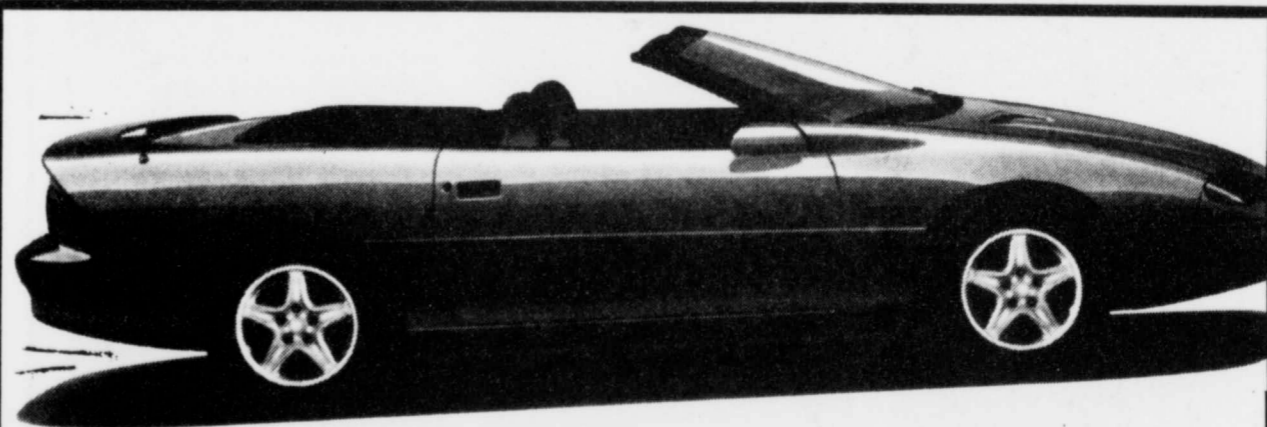
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Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Name of recruiter \_\_\_\_\_



**Fall Bazaar scheduled for October 11**

The Red River County Historical Society's 18th annual Fall Bazaar is scheduled for October 11 in Clarksville.

Crafters, collectors, food vendors are urged to reserve their booths now for the upcoming event.

The bazaar is held annually around

the historic Red River County Courthouse.

The whole family is invited to attend the day-long activities, featuring crafts, foods, souvenirs, children's fun corner, a western shoot-out and street dance.

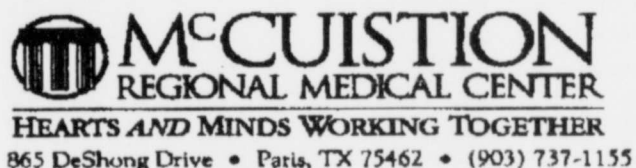


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To better meet the healthcare needs of the citizens of Detroit and the surrounding area, the McCuiston Mobile Clinic has enhanced its hours and changed the days in which it will be in Detroit.

Beginning Tuesday, September 16, the Mobile Clinic will be in Detroit on Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

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THE BAND STUDENTS were presented after the ball game Thursday night during the Rivercrest Athletic Booster Clubs Fall Kickoff.

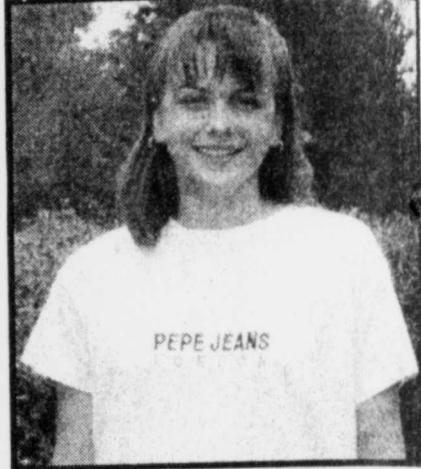


(Staff Photo by Pam Fenner)

**THE NEW MASCOT - Rivercrest Rebel Mascot for 1997-1998 is Brandi Gaddis.** Brandi is a senior at RHS and a member of the Spanish Club, Youth for Christ and on the Student Council.



**BAND STUDENT OF THE WEEK - at Rivercrest High School is Latisha Miles.** Latisha is a senior at RHS. She is Captain of the RHS Flag Corp and a member of the Spanish Club. She is the daughter of Linda and David Miles of Bogata and the granddaughter of Nadine Gore and the late Charles Gore and Evelyn and Dan Compton.



(Staff Photo by Pam Fenner)

**BAND STUDENT OF THE WEEK - at Rivercrest High School is Bonnie Phillips.** Bonnie is a senior at RHS. She is a member of the Spanish Club, Youth for Christ, and Flag Corp. Bonnie is the daughter of Brit and Anaya Phillips of Bogata and the granddaughter of Ted Phillips of Lone Star and W.A. and Jo Delle Cooper of Cunningham.

**Thank you**

We would like to thank everyone that came out and took part in the benefit for Hayden Holt. Everyone was very generous with their donations and with the bidding on the auction items. We had many sponsors and we would appreciate if you would go by and let them know how much their support was appreciated.

Sandlin Motors, Bogata Lion's Club, Harper's Detail, Huddleston Gro., 909 Diner, Tommy's BBQ, Kim's Kuttin Korral, Transformations, The Beauty Fashion, Rickey Moore's Texaco, Nicholson Motor Sports, El Chico, Shutter Snapper, Rychlike's Auto Service Center, Elliott Motors, Bogata Paint & Body, Flowers Bread Company, Buckeye's Moonlight Jubilee.

We would like to extend a special thank to: Tommy Nichols & Nancy Wileman of Sandlin Motors, Raymond & Jackie Knight, and Bobby & Ann Simmons.

We would like to thank the band for donating their time and talents Wade White & the Plain Label Band, Deep South Band and Blackland Band.



**Cunningham News**

By Carol Jean Williams & Lou Hatfield

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Mary and Alford Jenkins visited Rob Ashford Monday, Perry and Geneva Ashford visited Rob. They visited with others at Musgrove Store.

Velma Cox spent the day Wednesday with Dora Hester in Paris. Velma visited Walker and Willie Devlin on Sunday.

Talma and Susie Norwood spent Labor Day weekend at Lake Bob Sandlin with all their grandchildren.

Dee Williams spent Labor Day weekend and this weekend with his father, Charles Michael Williams.

Marie Watsons guest Sunday were Chad Deana Brooklyn Legate and Dillon.

Jeff, Cindy, Zack, Garrett and Taylor Kennedy from Beaver Creek, Heath, Misty and Laytner Kennedy from Reno had lunch and visited Sunday with Bobby and Shelby Kennedy. Sunday afternoon Melba, Scooter, Jason Baker, Christi and Anna, Taylor Ladd visited Bobby and Shelby.

Jenay and Eldon Jackson were married Friday. David and Kathy Jackson of Lees Summit, MO came for the wedding and spent the weekend. Jane O'Neal had a birthday supper for David. Attending were David, Kathy Jackson, Murray and Sue Jackson, Karla and Kara Palmer, Dewayne and Lisa Drinnon, O'Neal and Weston.

Geneva Norwood's family attended

Eldon and Jenay Jackson's wedding Friday night. They spent Saturday in Hugo at the football games. Her guests for lunch Sunday were Jennifer Syrus, Laci Davis and Stoney Musgrove. Sunday night, Billy Ray, Neva Oats, Brandon and Georjeana, Frankie and Julie Norwood and boys, Scottie and Treda Norwood and children, Bradd Nutt and Deanna Murrell were guests for supper.

James and Pat Norwood's guests for lunch Sunday were Mendy, Lacy, Kelby Cole, Rodney, Tracy and Brent.

Norman and Rachel Sain's visitors Monday were Olie Ruth, Carl Bufford and June Guthrie. Monday afternoon Dorothy Green and Francis Thomas visited. Friday afternoon Olie Ruth, Carl Bufford and June visited and Saturday evening Virginia Bell visited.

Nelta and Johnnie Musgrove's guests for lunch Sunday were Stacy, Linda and Stoney and Charity Musgrove, Larry and Pam O'Neal. For supper were Stacy, Linda, Stoney and Charity Musgrove, Shane and Zarinska Morton, Randy Hoover, Tim, Kevin and Hunter Brashear and Marie Watson.

Bobbye and Clyde Slusher attended the funeral of Shorty Abbott and also attended JoAnn Kennedy's funeral.

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Doyle & Telia Baughn  
married 50 years

Doyle & Telia Baughn celebrate  
50th wedding anniversary

Doyle and Telia Baughn celebrated their 50th anniversary with a reception at the First Church of the Nazarene on August 30 from 2 to 4 p.m. in El Paso. A pre-reception dinner was held for family and out of town friends Friday night at Griggs Upper Valley Restaurant in El Paso. Doyle is the son of the late Raymond and Mae Baughn and Telia

is the daughter of the late Luke and Nora Bailey of Blossom High School. Doyle is a retired school teacher of Canutillo School District near El Paso and Telia is a retired medical secretary. The Baughns have one daughter, Beverly Beth Baughn of El Paso.



Billie Irene and Hoil Don Nolen

Nolens celebrate 50th Anniversary

Billie Irene and Hoil Don Nolen of Bogata celebrated their 50th anniversary Saturday, August 30 with a family dinner in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Donald and Janis Nolen in Smithville, TX. The couple were married August 30, 1947 in Kermit by the Rev. Strauss Atkinson.

They have one son and daughter-in-law, Donald and Janis Nolen of Smithville; a granddaughter, Cassie Nolen of Smithville; grandson and wife, Marvin and Carol Nolen of Giddings and great-grandchildren, Cristina Nolen and Joey and Jenni Gonzales of Giddings.

Camen Calvin celebrates 4th birthday

Camen Calvin celebrated her 4th birthday with a Barbie party at Mt. Pleasant Skating rink. The party was hosted by her parents, Clay and Chasity Francis. Here guests were Lou and Roger Hall (grandparents) Crystal and Sharon Francis (grandmother), Bryan and Susan Jones, Brian and Crystal Rivers, Angie and Jeremy Wheat, Chad and Kelly

Calori, Chase Chadwick, Ginger and Richard Jones and Cawyer, Amber, Laramie, Joyce Lumb, Jabor & Merry, Venita Robertson, Todd & Courtney and Rylie Robertson, Debbie Roberts, Lencie Lehman and Jacob and Penny and Taylor Moles.

She enjoyed a Barbie Cake and the trimmings. She received many gifts.



Camen Calvin, celebrates  
4th birthday



Tres and Lorrie Andrews of Cooper are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Adrienne Leslie Andres, born September 7, weighing 6 lbs. 8 oz. and 18" long. Grandparents are Eddie and Sue Sheppard of Deport, Mary Ressler of Paris, Gene and Deb Andrews of Hudson, CO. Great-grandparents are Dorothy Lynn of Deport, Shirley Lawrence of Deport and Big Gene and Jo-Mo of Hudson, CO and dMary Lou Wells of Paris.

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- Lunch**  
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- Tuesday**
- Breakfast**  
Blueberry Muffin / Butter  
Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk
- Lunch**  
Crispitos with Cheese  
Refried Beans  
Salad With Dressing  
Apple Cobbler  
Milk
- Wednesday**
- Breakfast**  
Sausage/Biscuits  
Butter & Jelly  
Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk
- Lunch**  
Pizza  
Corn  
Salad With Dressing  
Pear Slices  
Garlic Sticks  
Milk
- Thursday**
- Breakfast**  
Pancakes  
Butter & Syrup  
Fruit or Fruit Juice & Milk
- Lunch**  
Soft Taco With Cheese  
Refried Beans  
Salad With Dressing  
Apple Slices  
Crackers  
Milk
- Friday**
- Breakfast**  
Cereal & Toast  
Butter & Jelly  
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- Lunch**  
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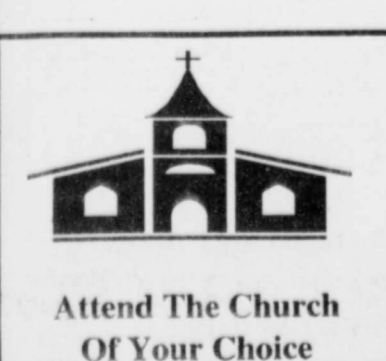
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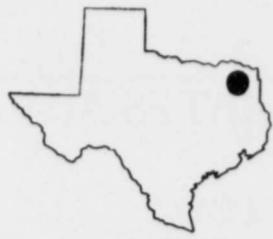
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Tuesday night Drue and Billie Pirtle met Lana Pirtle and Nancy Fry at the Carson House Restaurant in Pittsburg to celebrate Drue's birthday.

Robbie Hawkins, James and Clara Gaddis and Drue and Billie Pirtle had dinner Friday night in Paris and Magel's Grill.

Sunday lunch guests of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Brian, Robin, Kyla and Jesse Harville, Jeff, Kelley, Jacob and Kristen Harville, and Matthew Haynes, Heather and Haley Hawkins and Casey Hammond visited later to help celebrate Jacob's fourth birthday.

Other visitors with the Pirtles during the week were Myra Permenter, Dorothy Foster, Sarah Jean and Mike Pirtle.

Johnny and Pat Horn, Robin, Kyla and Jesse Harville visited Jeff, Keley, Jacob and Kristen Harville on Saturday morning August 30th.

Jeff, Kelley, Jacob and Kristen Harville enjoyed a day at the lake on Saturday, August 30th with family and friends. While there Jacob was

given a birthday party. Jacob spent Sunday with David, Robyn and Candace Stansell of Mt. Pleasant.

Tuesday night Jeff, Kelley, Jacob and Kristen Harville met family and friends at Pizza Hut in Clarksville to celebrate Jacob's Birthday.

Jeff, Kelley, Jacob and Kristen Harville enjoyed supper Saturday evening at Western Sizzlin in Mt. Pleasant.

Douglas Hawkins visited with Grady Rhodes and Joe Black on Saturday.

Sunday lunch guests of Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins were Robbie Hawkins, Steven, Kathy, Seth, Seton, Ryan and Karen Hawkins, Casey Hammonds.

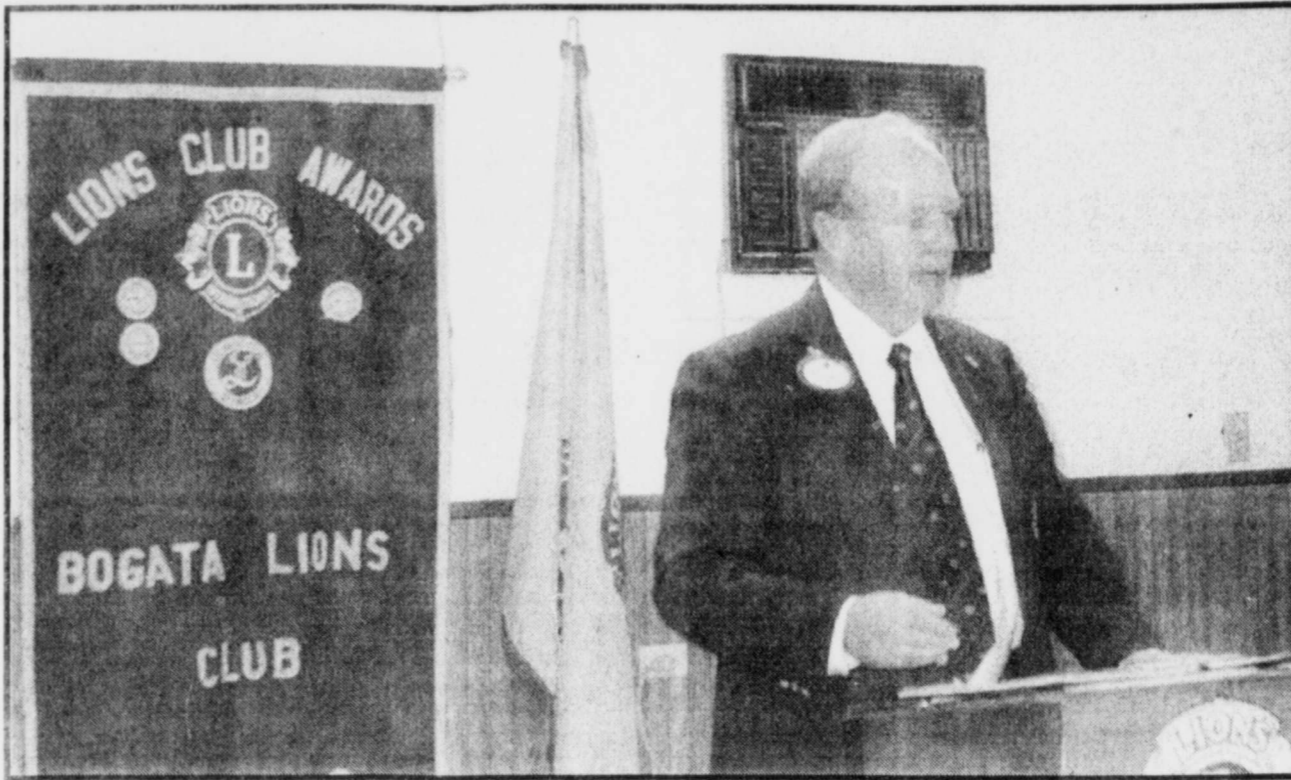
Those visiting with Bro. Bobby and Chessie Clark on Monday night were Tracey, Aaron, Joshua Eudy, Elmer, Bonnie and Amy Green, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins.

Jana, Heather and Haley Hawkins, Aaron Eudy and Jacob Harville enjoyed swimming at Drue and Billie Pirtle's on Friday night.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Green and D.C. and Frances Thomas honoring Dorothy Green September 8 on her 88th birthday were Darrell and Carol Green, Christopher Brennan, Ray Pittman, Kerry Amanda and Kerri Ann, Cindy Fortner, Christi and Matthew Harris all of Mount Pleasant, Chene and Wayne Knowles of Kaufman, Delores Potter and Wendell Hervey of Johtown and Laverne Thommas and David Townes of Bogata.



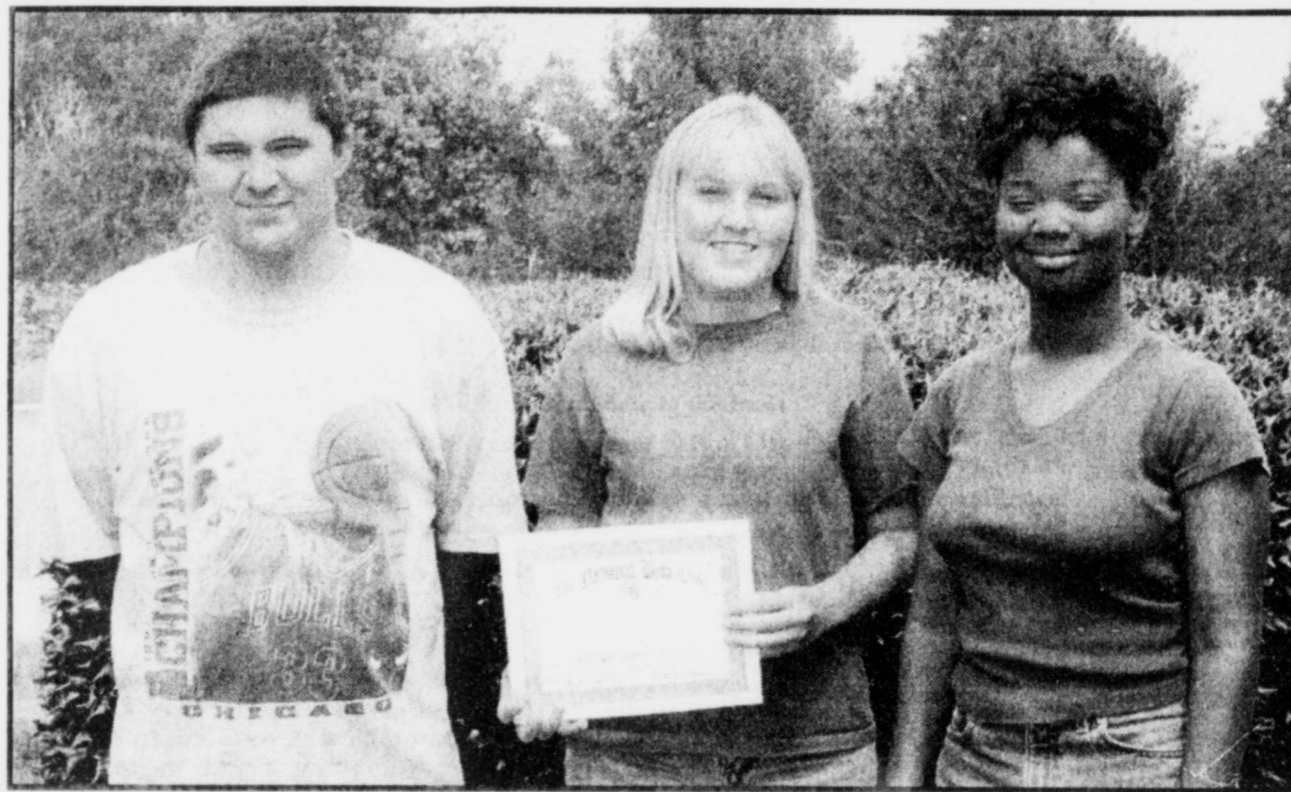
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GLEN JENNINGS, GOVERNOR OF DISTRICT 2X2- Texas Lions Clubs spoke at the Bogata Lions Club meeting last Thursday night.

**Red River County Roots**

This week's query is from Patricia R. Spencer, P.O. Box 196, Sonoma, CA 95476-0196. She is searching for information about her great-grandfather, Benjamin J. Spencer born April, 1826 in Jackson, Tn. He was licensed as a minister of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Red River County in 1848. Later he was on the board of trustees of Trinity College in Tehuacana, Limestone County, TX. He died in February, 1905 in Garland. Any information anyone might have for her would be greatly appreciated. Write to her at the above address.



SERVICE AWARD-The Rivercrest Beta Club has received a National Beta Club service award for their programs. They are following the motto of "Let us lead by serving others". Pictured with the certificate are Jeremy Jones, Kim Brown and Lisa Shirley. (Staff Photo by Pam Finner)



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**RC Beta Club receives service award**  
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**NEW FRIENDS**-Dr. and Mrs. Sam Kelsey of Deport have adopted a wild Mustang and colt. The pair came from Nevada, via Oklahoma and the Mt. Pleasant Adoption Center. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

### Kelseys adopt Mustangs

Dr. Sam Kelsey and his wife, Suzy of Deport are the proud owners of a wild Mustang mare and her colt. The pair were captured in January of this year in Nevada.

After their capture, the pair of Mustangs were moved to Oklahoma and then to a special adoption center in Mt. Pleasant in August where the Kelseys adopted them.

The popular view of the Mustang origin stretches back to the Conquistadors, but sources say only a small fraction of wild horses are descendants. Columbus and Hernando Cortez also brought horses to North America and burros were brought to the west by Jesuit missionaries and were later used extensively by miners. When mining camps failed, the burros were freed to roam the deserts.

In eleven western states, there are now approximately 46,000 wild

horses. The horses and burros are protected and managed by the Bureau of Land Management.

In December, 1971, Congress passed the Wild Free-Roaming Horse and Burro Act, providing a home for wild horses and burros. Between 6 and 8 thousand horses and from 500-1,000 burros are offered for adoption each year. The adoption fee is \$125.00 per head for the wild horses and \$75.00 per head for the wild burros. A qualified person can adopt up to four wild horses and burros within a 12-month period.

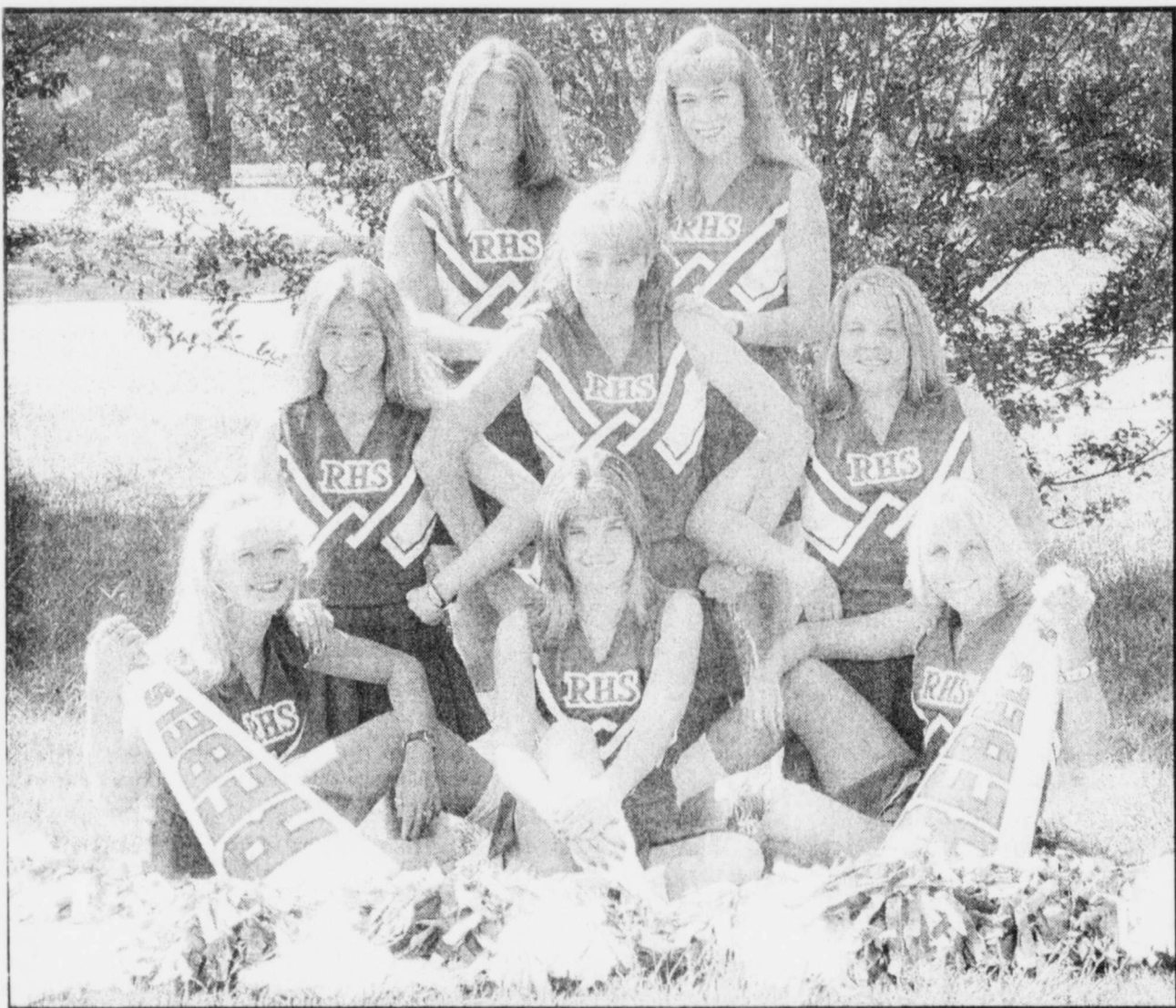
The Kelseys are enjoying the new addition to their animal family and their grandchildren ahae joined in to help with the chores of caring for the Mustangs.

Dr. Kelsey keeps a close eye on their physical well-being while Suzy and grandchildren distribute the feed.

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### Pecan crop looks good

*By Mike Morrow  
County Extension Agent*

The pecan crop in Lamar County generally looks good at this time on both native and improved varieties. Producers should now be scouting trees for the pecan weevil.

Adult weevils begin to emerge in late August and feed on nuts in the water stage, causing them to drop. After the pecan reaches the dough stage, it is susceptible to attack by the pecan weevil larvae.

Applications of Sevin may be needed to protect the pecans if weevils are found. One application followed by a second application 7-10 days later should provide good control.

Does the time of day you cut hay affect quality? USDA researchers have recently uncovered a surprising difference in hay cut at different times of the day. Hay was cut either in the morning or afternoon. Both cattle and sheep consumed about 50% more of the hay cut in the afternoon. It is known that carbohydrate production in plants peaks about mid-day, so livestock may select the more digestible material.

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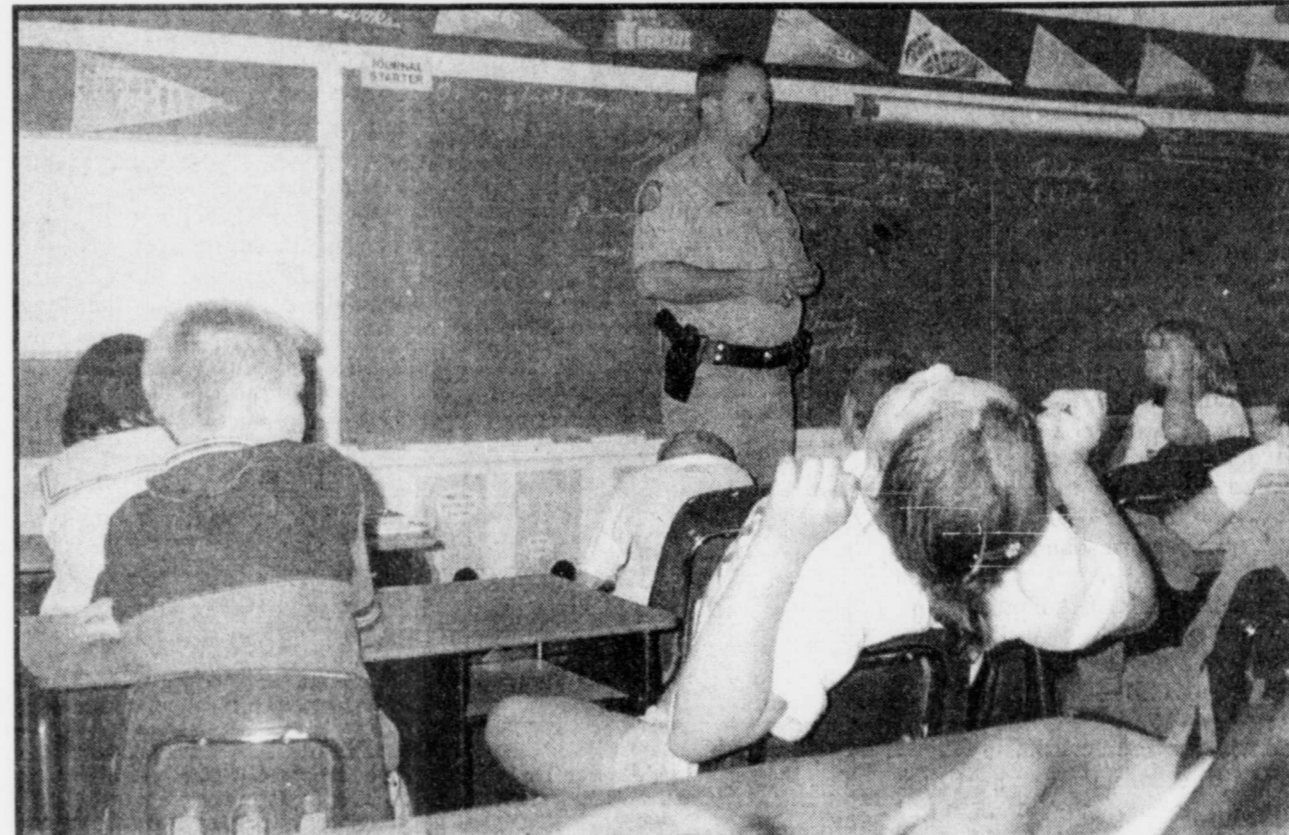
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**TEXAS FORESTRY SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES**-Mark Elrod, Tony Potts and Jimmy Caldwell talked to the third and fourth grades students at Bogata Elementary School about Forest Fires and safety. They defined PLT (Project - Learning - Tree) for the students.(Staff Photo)



**MRS. STRAWN'S AND MRS. PURVIANCE'S** - fourth graders welcomed guest speaker, Jerry Gordon on Friday after. Mr. Gordon is the Red River County Game Warden. The students had recently completed research projects on Texas Animals. Mr. Gordon discussed the four animal categories: endangered species, game animals, non-game animals and fur - bearing animals. He also explained the wildlife protection laws and hunting, fishing and water safety regulations. The presentation also included a question and answer period.

**People  
'n  
Things**

**Notice**  
Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. in the St. Joseph's Catholic Church Rec. Room in Clarksville. Everyone is Welcome.

### Sunday School children enjoy trip

The Bogata United Methodist Church Sunday School children enjoyed a trip to the Paris Community Theater to see "The Miracle Worker". Mike and Sallie Green, Kathie Thompson, Kathy Stringfellow, Melissa Merchant and Mary Vaughan and seventeen children saw the play and enjoyed an ice cream at Braum's

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### Bogata Methodist Youth have meeting

Seventeen youth and four adults met in the Fellowship Hall Sunday, September 7. This was the first meeting for the new 1997-'98 year. Business topics discussed included fall rally, upcoming programs, guest speaker and fund raisers for the new year. The youth were encouraged to bring suggestions for speakers and topics they would be interested in hearing.

The group will be having a "Rack and Run" fund raiser in late September or the first of October. Advanced tickets will be on sale in November to the "Christmas Tour of Homes". The group will be selling 50 tickets to this candle light dinner and tour. More information will come on these two subjects.

A worksheet titled "People Pleasing"/Topic: Peer Pressure. Verses for references were Romans 12: 1-2, 1 Corinthians 15:33 and Hebrews 11:24-26 was completed by all attending.

For the next meeting September 14, time will change to 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.. This will be a hot dog supper and a start up celebration held at the home of Doug and Kathy Williams. If weather permits the group will play volleyball and swim. Coke floats were provided for everyone attending by Kevin Williams. Special prayer requests were voiced. The meeting closed with the group joining hands and praying together.

### K.U.C. meets

Kids Under Construction met at The United Methodist Church in Bogata Monday, September 8. There were 18 children present. The children drew pictures of their favorite Bible Story and made bookmarks. They enjoyed a snack of popcorn and punch, talked about the Bible and sang songs.

K.U.C. meets every Monday from 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Bogata

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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.

\* Ghost Riders will play for a dance September 20. Make plans to come dance to good ole country music from 8:30 p.m. 'til 12:30 a.m.

\* Happy Birthday to Audrey Gillis.

\* The VFW and its Auxiliary will sponsor a drug awareness program Sunday, September 29, starting at 5:00 p.m. at the Bogata Community Center. Anyone and everyone is invited. We will served hot dogs, chips, cookies and kool ade. This program will alert parents on signs of early drug use, and the explain to the kids about the problems drugs can cause in their lives.



### St. Joseph's Family Clinic Bogata

Conveniently located and handicapped accessible, St. Joseph's Family Clinic is open weekdays from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., with the exception of Thursdays when the clinic closes at noon. In addition to a comfortable waiting room, St. Joseph's Family Clinic - Bogata features three exam rooms, offices and a laboratory.

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### Bogata News Locals

By Judy screws  
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Enjoying Sunday night supper with Jimmy and Linda Stringfellow of Paris were Paul Stringfellow, Debbie, Josh and Jake Stringfellow, and Aaron Toland of Paris; Felina and Jerica White of Jhntown, Billy, Kathy, Kaley and Kellen Stringfellow, Danny Tabb and Dixie Stringfellow of Bogata.

Lucille Childers of Jhntown visited Friday with Dixie Stringfellow. Thursday Patricia Freelen, Kathy Williams, Leon and Ellen Tuck, Nell Shull and Nannie Bell Ham spent the day in Liberty City with Leon and Nannie Bell's sister, Martha Smith.

Saturday, Linda Eilers, Kathy Williams and Mary Ellen Kain spent the day in Dallas. They visited the Hyatt Regency Look-out tower, enjoyed sight-seeing in downtown Dallas and had lunch at El Fenix. Part of the

afternoon was spent touring South Fork Ranch. They visited two newly decorated show homes in Parker before making their final stop at Crossroads Mall in Greenville.

Lillian Taylor of Bogata and daughter, Misty Gage of Paris visited in Frisco with Lillian's sister-in-law, Jo Sanders. They were met there for a visit by Lillian's sister, Betty Wise from Cedar Creek Lake and her daughters, Karen Wise from Carrollton and Kim Wise from Dallas.

Christopher and Jerred Guerra of Paris spent the night Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana.

Mike Screws of Deport visited with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana Sunday afternoon.



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Red River Healthcare Center News

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Gerlyn Gray visited Clara Lowe. Visiting Evie Smith were Sandra Benson, Shirley Smith, Billie Hancock and Misty Vandiver.  
Jettie Minshew's visitors were Margie Garrett, Jean Mullin, John Latimer, Zelma Mauldin, Phyllis Duffer and Yvonne Powell.  
Weldon Hume and Ina Ward visited Stasha Hume.  
Opal Kerley visited Lynn Kerley. Jean Moore, Margie Lamaster and Louise Bean visited Gladys Prater.  
Dollie Carroll's visitors were Lisa, Nathan and Chase, Lisa Carroll, Mavis Jackson, Ernest and Billie

Carroll, Hazel Nichols and Ann Robbins.  
Betty Deneson, Kay Read and Ida Lou Read visited Russel Lawler.  
Gladys Garretson's visitors were Berenda Mewborn, Hanna Louderman and Wayman and Joyce Alexander.  
Shirley Smith visited Raymon Mauldin.  
Shirley Smith, Jay Hancock, Joni Shaw, Sandra Benson and Duane Benson visited Billie Hancock.  
Oma McKinney's visitors were Louise Bean and Tony Watkins.  
Visiting Pauline Alsobrook were Harley and Pansy Vaughan and David Vaughan.  
S.J. Smith, Linda Smith, Elaine Alford and Frances Jones visited Irene

Smith.  
Lou Ada Franklin, Billie Lindsey, Bessie Roberts, Janette Brooks and Carl Williams visited Ann Cody.  
Visiting Barney Alsobrook were Mary Ann, Todd, Tracy and Ethan Williams, Harley and Pansy Vaughan and David Vaughan.  
Eva Watkins and Clayton Watkins visited Mary Brown.  
Sonny Gamble and Louise Bean visited Bonnie Gamble.  
Homer and Peggy Butts, Frank and Dorcas Eilers and Weldon and Joyce Smith visited Nellie Butts.  
Donovan Strain's visitors were Inez Gill, Donna Strain and Michelle Strain.  
Hester Keith's visitors were Louise Ross and Billie Nolen.



Aaron Greer

Aaron Greer honored on birthday

Clint and Sharon Greer hosted a cook-out and birthday party at their home for his son, Aaron, on Friday evening to celebrate his sixth birthday.

Justin and Jane Strawn, Kelley, Deana and Courtney Boyd, L.B. and Peggy Bryant, Carolyn Gibson, Mary Joplin and Matt Greer enjoyed hamburgers, hot dogs, a Batman cake and punch. Unable to attend but sending congratulations were great grandparents, Chris and Maudine Beaton of Mellwood, Arkansas and Aunt Melanie Thomas of Bossier City, Louisiana.

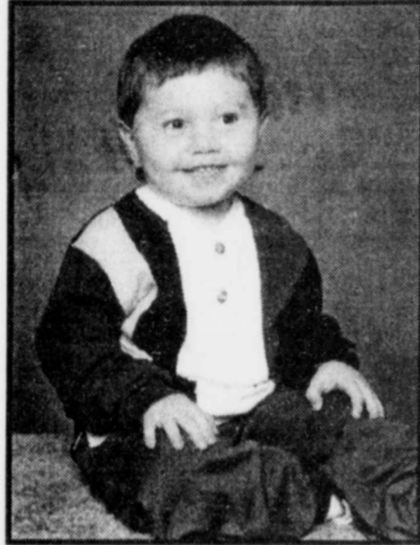
Aaron received many nice gifts. Jacob Harville celebrates birthday

Jacob Harville turned 4 September 2, 1997. Because Jacob has a large family and his birthday falls during a holiday, he was given three parties.

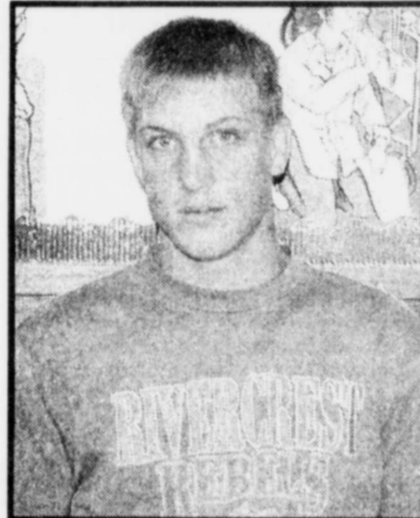
On Saturday, August 30, he had his first party at the lake with family and friends. Along with his parents and sister, Jeff, Kelley and Kristen Harville, those attending were Robyn, David and Candace Stansell, Steve and Bunny Terrell, Tanna Simpson and Wayne and Terri Blalock.

On Tuesday, September 2, family and friends met at Pizza Hut in Clarksville to celebrate his birthday again. Those attending were Jeff, Kelley and Kristen Harville, Bo and Neva Harville, Wootie Harville, Robin, Kyla and Jesse Harville, Jana, Heather and Haley Hawkins, Stacy Dodd and Darian Smith and Amy and Kaylan Green.

On Sunday, September 7, Jacob was given a swimming party at the home of Drue and Billie Pirtle. Those attending were Jeff, Kelley and Kristen Harville, Brian, Robin, Kyla and Jesse Harville, Robbie, Heather and Haley Hawkins and Casey Hammonds. Jacob received many fun and exciting gifts at all three of his parties.



Jacob Harville



DR. PEPPER PLAY OF THE DAY in the Rivercrest vs Hawks game was made by Brian Giles for his 2nd quarter touchdown grab that put the Rebs up for good.

Red River County Sheriff's Report

August 31-September 6

August 31: Report of prowler in Annona; one arrested on charge of DWI; report of assault on FM114; trash dumping in Bagwell; assault in Bogata; one arrested on Lamar County charges; inmate released to county jail on charge of possession of prohibited weapon; assault family violence; assault victims at ETMC; disturbance in Bogata; assault by threat in Manchester; report of family disturbance; assault by threat.  
September 1: Disturbance in Bogata; inmate released with fine paid; welfare concern on CR2825; male arrested on charge of no liability insurance and no drivers license.  
September 2: Motorist assist in Bogata; disturbance in Bogata; criminal mischief in Detroit; illegal hunters in Clarksville; one arrested on charge of no front license plate; report of terroristic threat.  
September 3: Welfare concern on

Hwy. 37 north; shots fired on Hwy. 82 west; burglary of building on FM412; criminal mischief in Bogata; male arrested on charge of burglary of vehicle.  
September 4: Theft in Bogata; burglary of habitation in Avery; burglary of vehicle on FM114; deadly conduct on FM114; minor accident in Bogata; disturbance in Bagwell; civil matter on FM410 north; one arrested on public intoxication; one arrested on charge of criminal mischief, resisting arrest and assault by threat.  
September 5: Report of prowler in Detroit; livestock complaint in Annona; intoxicated pedestrian in Bogata; juvenile disturbance in Avery.  
September 6: Minor accident on FM1149; criminal mischief in Annona; burglary of habitation in Annona; report of assault in Clarksville; disturbance in Bogata.

Red River County Commissioner's report

By Precinct One Commissioner, Ricky Daniels  
August was a good productive month for us. We were able to get some things done that have been needing to be done for a long time. We were able to pull a few ditches. We haven't done nearly all that we wanted to yet, but we're still working at it. We also started hauling the railroad rock the last part of this month. I hope this will increase the amount of rock we can haul. We still have one more road that someone lives on that will be impassable this winter. Hopefully we can get to it in September. Then we can start working on the rough roads and try to smooth them out a little. We do appreciate everyone's patience. We will continue to work as hard as we can.  
In August we hauled 12 loads of Railroad Rock, 50 loads of red rock and 3 loads of white rock to different roads. We also hauled 3 loads of red rock to the yard and 2 loads of white rock. We installed 5 culverts this

month and were also able to do some tree trimming.  
In Commissioner's Court this month we approved the annual report from Child Protective Services, canvassed ballots for the constitutional amendment election, passed a resolution authorizing County Judge to execute a deed conveying real property to Carl and Glenda Hendrix, approved budget amendment for Sheriff's Department, approved a bond of Pam Laster. We also approved a revised Shawnee Creek Ranch Phase I, Section A Plat; approved appointment of Pam Jackson to the Board of Trustees of Northeast Texas MHRM Center, approved authorizing County Judge to execute a deed conveying property to Wilson Hill and approved an agreement for the abatement of taxes for Phase II, Inc.  
If I can ever be of any assistance to you, please call me. I will do whatever I can to help.

Web Tracks

By Dave Seber  
For those who want to know more about the internet but don't know where to start!

Someone at GTE must have read one of my previous columns. We are getting fiber optics. Wonders never cease.  
On the 4th of July, when Mars Pathfinder enthusiasts (including myself) threatened to overwhelm the Internet, traffic was channeled onto a special high-speed research network. There, the traffic swelled to more than triple the capacity of the normal network connection, though still only a fraction of what NASA's experimental Research and education Network (NREN) could carry. NREN is just one of several projects supporting continual innovation in Internet technology.  
The very-high speed Backbone Network Service (vBNS), operated by MCI, upgraded to 622 megabits per second this last spring. That is 10 times faster than current Internet capacity and 22,000 faster than conventional modems. They hope to achieve 2,400 megabits per second in three years. The National Science Foundation is spending \$10 million a year on this project.  
The Internet 2 Project consists of 108 research universities and is developing a national network 100 times faster than today's Internet. An experimental network operating at 2,400 megabits per second recently started

service.  
The Clinton administration has pledged \$100 million annually for the Next Generation Internet (NGI) over the next 5 years. If funded, NASA, the Defense Department, the Energy Department and several other agencies will meld their high-speed research networks into the vBNS network. Federal officials want to connect research groups at speeds 1,000 times faster than today's Internet with in 5 years.  
In Europe, 16 national research networks, led by Dante, a nonprofit company in Cambridge, England, is spending \$45 million a year on the Ten-34 Project for private high-speed links of up to 622 megabits per second across national borders.  
We have outgrown a lot of the original Internet Technology and part of the problem of designing for tomorrow's Internet is that no one understands what is going on in the one we have today.  
At the San Diego Supercomputer Center, researchers are developing a new generation of measurement tools. New system monitors and flow meters could help answer the engineering mysteries posed by the accelerating complexity of Internet traffic patterns. (to be continued)

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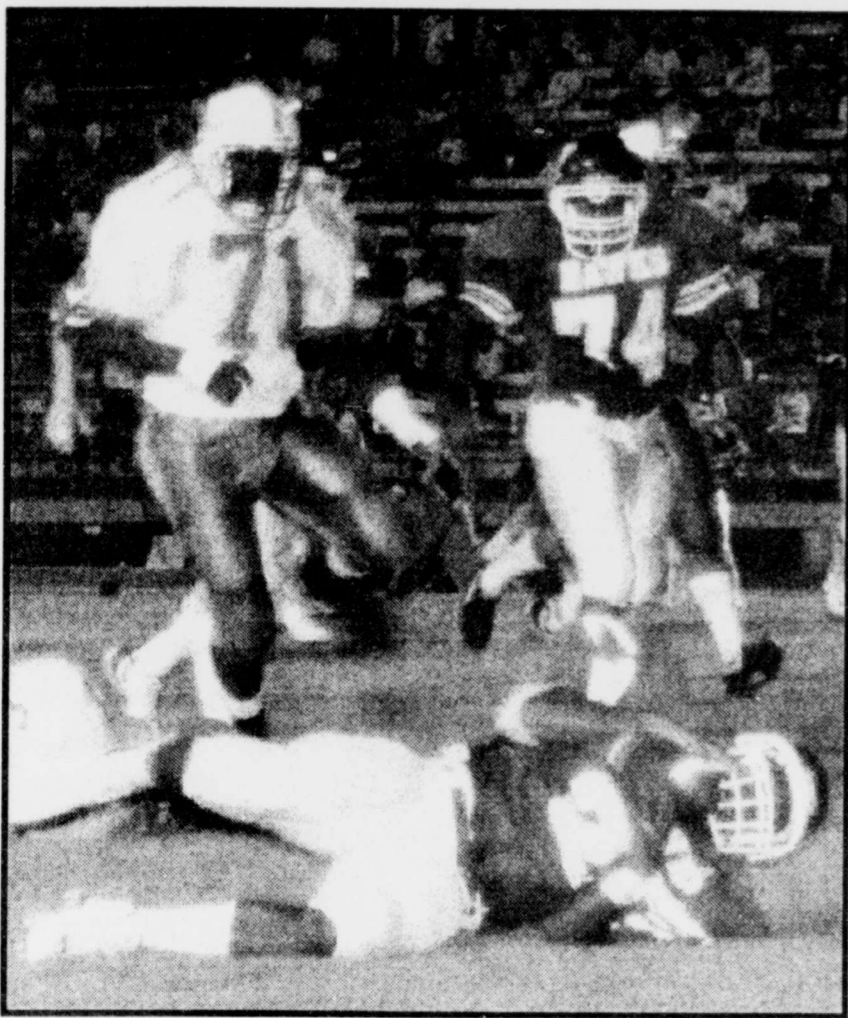
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Descendants of R.T. and Tina Anderson meet for reunion  
The descendants of the late Pick and Tina Anderson for reunion at Pat Mayse Lake on September 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. Anderson lived in the Deport community for many years where he was Constable. Their children are Virginia Ragsdill of Allen, Velma Floyd of Dallas, Gladys Hadley of Canton, Roy Anderson of Paris and the late Uyllus Anderson and the late Billy Joe Anderson. Everyone enjoyed lunch and visiting.  
Attending were Norris and Virginia Ragsdill of Allen, Jeff, Jeny, Taylor and Davis Gill of Allen, Angie Byous of Richardson, Nina and Ina Sparks of Deport, Elois Sparks of Pattonville, Deania and Julia Piper of California, and Gladys Hadley and grandson Stephen of Canton. From Paris were Roy and Helen Anderson, Johnny, Reva and Macy Stout, Marlin and Nora McDowra, Jeff and Ashley McDowra, Marla, Kati and Trent Evans, Billy, Pam and Leia Butler, Tammy and Anne Stankus and Billy Wayne and Sue Anderson.  
Visiting earlier in the week were Barbara and Allison Parham of Georgia.

The office of Paul T. "Chip" Jackson, M.D. is now scheduling patients.  
Dr. Jackson specializes in the field of Internal Medicine. He will see patients beginning Monday, September 15, 1997.  
Dr. Jackson received his bachelor's degree, Magna Cum Laude, in Music from Lambuth College, Jackson, Tennessee. In 1994, he received his medical degree from the New York Medical College, Valhalla, New York. He recently completed his residency training in Internal Medicine from the University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, Tennessee. An accomplished vocalist, Dr. Jackson enjoys all types of music. Dr. Jackson has named Lori Stephenson as office manager.  
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*Staff Photo*  
**THIS HAWKS PLAYER** was tripped up by Rivercrest defender on the gridiron in football action Friday night in Hawkins. The Rebels blast the Hawkins Hawks from the sky with a 14 - 6 win.

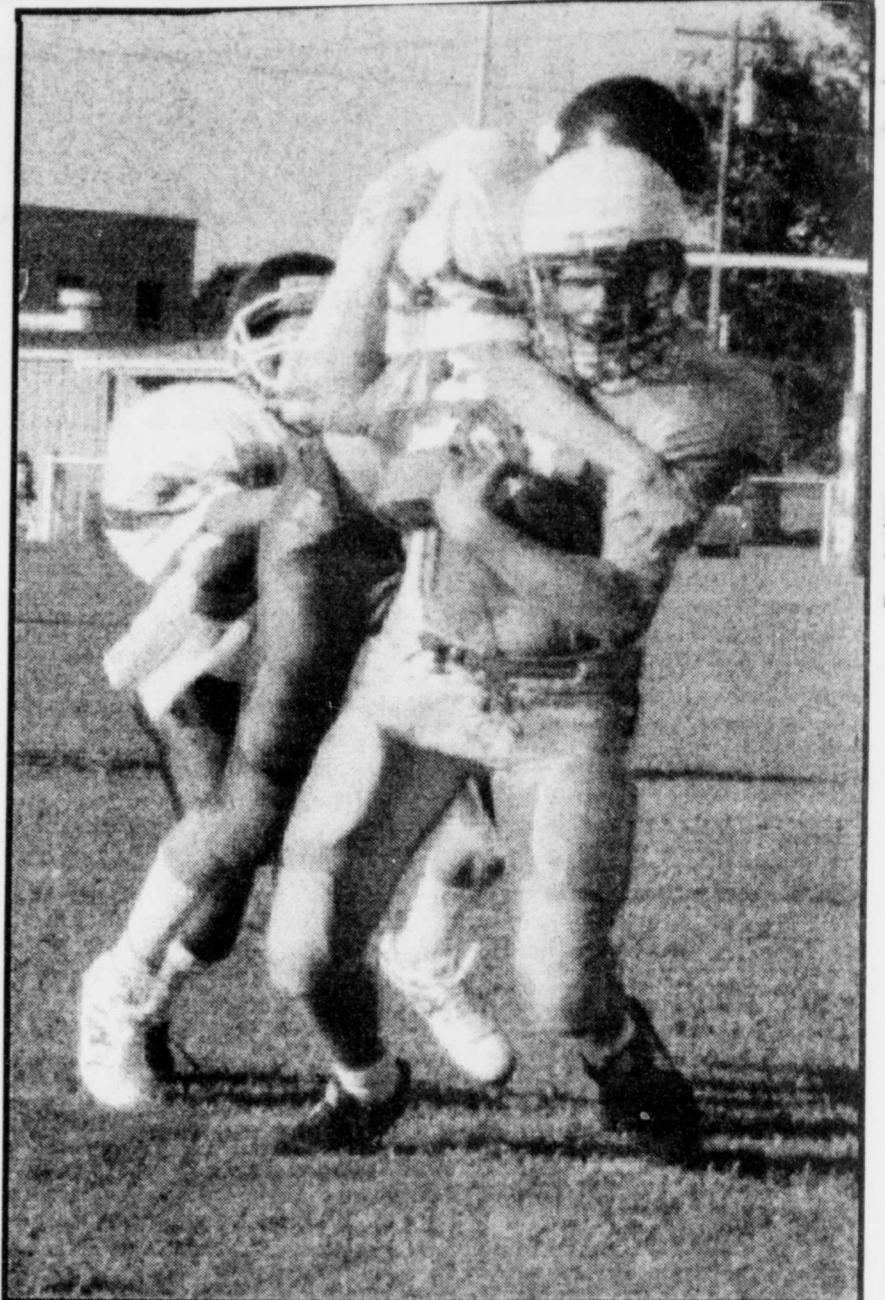
## Gray leads Rivercrest to victory over Hawks

Jody Gray rushed for 207 yards and scored once to spark the Rivercrest Rebels to a season-opening victory over Hawkins Friday night. The Rebels came away with a 14-6 win over the Hawks as they used two second-quarter touchdowns to get the triumph. Hawkins took the early lead when Cody Carpenter scored on a 1-yard run. The two-point conversion attempt failed and Hawkins had a 6-0 advantage. Rivercrest tied the game early in the second quarter when Gray scampered eight yards for the touchdown at the 10:57 mark of the period. The extra point was no good, leaving the Rebels and Hawks tied at 6. Later in the period, the Rebels came back and took the lead for good with

the go-ahead touchdown. This time, Rivercrest went to the passing game to score as quarterback Jody Nolen connected with Brian Giles on a 26-yard touchdown pass. The Rebels converted two points when Nolen hit Michael Allen with a pass and 14-6 lead with 2:40 left before the half. Rivercrest maintained the lead for the rest of the game. Gray did have to leave the contest with an injury in the second half. Allen added 62 yards on the ground for the Rebels, while Nolen had 21. Nolen connected on four of 10 passes for 50 yards. The Rebels finished with 349 yards of offense while Hawkins had 236. Rivercrest is home this Friday as they host Clarksville.

**Statistics**

Scores by Quarters	
Rivercrest	0 14 0 0 14
Hawkins	6 0 0 0 6
<b>Team Stats</b>	
Rivercrest	Hawkins
13	16
41-299	31-195
50	41
349	236
4-10-0	3-21-1
2-2	1-1
3-37.3	5-31.4
3-25	5-52
<b>Individual Stats:</b>	
Rushing- Gray 18-207, 1TD; Allen 9-62; Nolen 10-21; Billingsley 4-9.	
Passing-Nolen 4-10-0, 50 yards.	
Receiving-Allen 2-11; Giles 1-26, 1 TD; Gray 1-13.	



**THIS JUNIOR VARSITY REBEL** fights off attacker while gaining yards against Hawkins in Thursdays football game. Rivercrest Jr. Varsity won over Hawkins 44 - 0.



*Staff Photo Nancy Brown*  
**A HOST-of Rebel JV** defenders were in pursuit of Red Waters running back #41 in Thursday scrimmage game at RHS. Although the Rebels did not win by stats, they improved with every play.

## JV is victorious over Hawkins Hawks

The Junior Varsity Rebels began their season with a huge victory over the Hawkins Hawks on September 4. The Rebels took possession of the ball on the opening kick-off. The Rebel offense under the field command of Cody Wolf moved the ball well and a pass to Ryan Case gave the Rebels the first down they needed to continue their march to the endzone. The two point conversion was made and the Rebels led 8-0. The Hawks took possession of the ball only to lose it to Rolen who easily marched in another six. Michael Galloway's extra point conversion fell short and the Rebels led 14-0. The second quarter began with the Rebel defense forcing the Hawks to punt. In no time at all the Rebel offense had added six to the score, with a kick by Daniel Vasquez and a safety the Rebels were up 29-0 with 7:05 left in the half. The Rebel defense was tough and time after time the Hawks had difficulty moving the ball. The Rebels were able to put up a field goal by Vasquez to add points to the Rebels lead. The only bright spot of the evening for the Hawks was a 95 yard return of the kick off. The Hawks came up scoreless though, because of

a holding penalty. Rebel J.C. King was able to put the ball in the endzone one more time before the end of the half to put the Rebels up 38-0. The second half of the game was just a repeat of the first. All Rebels saw play time and many showed their talents by playing both offense and defense. The young Rebels finished their scoring attack with Keith Hines putting the score at 44-0. The 41-player roster is one of the largest in recent Rebel history. These young men played well together and the future looks promising for them. Key defensive plays were made by Myron Ellis, Keith Hines, Coleman Brown, Phillip Rolen, Ryan Case, Jimmy Forsyth, Michael Smith, Bubba Abernathy and Shane Crabtree. Following Thursday's game, the Athletic and Band Booster Club presented each band member, cheerleader, football player, manager and coaches to the hometown crowd. These young people put in many practice hours to represent Talco-Bogata School District. The Booster Clubs served cookies and punch following the presentation.



**PASS COMPLETE**-Rebel Brian Giles, # 10 catches the pass from quarterback, Jody Nolen to move the Rebels near the end zone. Following the play, Jody Gray took the ball in for the score. The Red Water team was no match for the Rebels in this second scrimmage of the year.

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### Guaranty Bank makes service pin presentations

Cappy Payne, Executive Vice President of Guaranty Bank, made service pin presentations to Melissa Merchant, three years; Kim Ragsdale, Bry Baker, Virgil Jones and Devry Garrett, five years; and Cindy McLeroy, ten years.

Melissa Merchant joined Guaranty Bank-Talco in April, 1994 as a loan secretary and currently assists Virgil Jones with loan preparation responsibilities.

She has taken banking related courses at northeast Texas Community College to further her education.

She and her husband, Jerry, reside in Bogata with their one child, Courtney. They attend the First Baptist Church.

Kim Ragsdale joined Guaranty Bank-Mt. Pleasant in April, 1992 in the Bookkeeping Department. She transferred to the Loan Floor as a loan secretary in May, 1993, where she currently assists Mike Rhea.

Kim is a graduate of North Garland High School and Richland Community College with Associates Degree in Arts and Sciences. She has continued her education by taking

bank related courses at Northeast Texas Community College. She is a member of the Chapel Hill PTO and Booster Club and volunteers at the Cypress Basin Hospice Thrift Shop.

She and her husband, Greg, have two children, Allison and Connor. They attend St. Williams Episcopal Church in Pittsburg.

Bry Baker joined Guaranty Bank-Mt. Pleasant in August, 1992 part-time in the Note & Credit Department. She became full-time in the Credit Department in January, 1996.

She is a graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School and has graduated from Northeast Texas Community College to further her banking education.

Bry is married to James Baker, Jr., and they attend East New Hope Baptist Church.

Virgil Jones joined Guaranty Bank-Deport in August, 1992 as President of the Deport location. He currently oversees the Talco and Deport locations as President of Talco/Deport. Prior to that time, he spent seventeen

years as Executive Vice-President and Director at Farmers and Merchants National Bank in West Texas.

He attended Abilene Christian College and is a graduate of the Southwest School of Banking. He is active in the community by serving on the Board of Trustees at Prairiland CISD, member of Prairiland Band Booster and Athletic Booster Clubs; member of Texas-New Mexico Consumer Advisory Group; member of St. Joseph Hospital and Clinic Advisory Board and consultant for Lamar County Junior Achievement program.

Virgil and his wife, Helen, have three children, Anissa, Kenlea and Lance. They are members of the Blossom Church of Christ.

Devry Garrett joined the staff at Guaranty Bank as Legal Officer in July, 1992. Prior to joining Guaranty Bank, he was a partner with the law firm Baker & McKenzie in Dallas.



SERVICE PIN PRESENTATION-Cappy Payne, Executive Director of Guaranty Bank, made service pin presentations recently to employees with three, five and ten years service. Pictured are Virgil Jones, Melissa Merchant, Kim Ragsdale, Bry Baker, Cindy McLeroy, Devry Garrett and Payne.

A graduate of the University of Houston, Garrett completed his bachelor's degree in 1971, graduating Magna Cum Laude, and in 1975 graduated Summa Cum Laude from the University's Law School. He is a member of the Dallas Bar Association, State Bar of Texas, American Bar Association and the Texas Association of Bank Counsel. He serves as an adjunct Professor at Northeast

Texas Community College and works with Habitat for Humanity, Safe-T Shelter and the Literacy Council.

He and his wife, Janelle, are members of the First Baptist Church of Mt. Pleasant.

Cindy McLeroy joined Guaranty Bank-Mt. Pleasant in March, 1987 as part-time teller. In January, 1993, she became full-time in the Note and Credit Department, where she currently

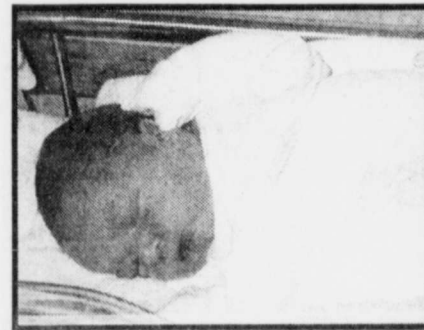
serves. She is a graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School and has attended Tyler Junior College. Cindy has also attended numerous seminars to further her banking education. She is a member of the Chapel Hill PTO.

She and her husband, Rickey, have two children, Kimberly and Jacob. They are members of the South Jefferson Baptist Church.

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Tate Bentley Daniels

### Birth

Teisha, T. Andrew and Teal-Elizabeth are tickled to announce the arrival of their new brother, Tate Bentley Daniels. Tate joined the family on August 7, 1997 at 8:37 a.m. He weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces. He was 20 inches long. He was born in Indianapolis, Indiana. Mom and Dad are Tim and Tina Daniels of Fishers, Indiana and Dallas, Texas. Grandparents are Reverend and Mrs. Billy Daniels of Johntown and Mr. and Mrs. O.H. Bentley of Garland. Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Carter of Grand Saline, Mrs. Daniels of Fruitvale and Mrs. Bentley of Bristol.

### Births

William Dean Ward arrived at Baylor Hospital in Dallas on September 4, 1997 weighing 4 lbs. 5 ozs. and was 16 inches long. His parents are Marty and Rachel Ward of Talco. Grandparents are Gene and Cecelia Smith of Talco and Barbara Ward and the late Dean Ward of Bogata.

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