

Nichols
Worth



By Nanalee Nichols
Try it, you won't like it

How many times have you noticed people in wheelchairs or similarly handicapped? Do you give them much thought? Do you assume that because there are handicapped signs outside of a store the way is smooth for the handicapped? I guess that I did, until I have had to be in a wheelchair myself for several weeks.

I had my right foot fused and my left knee worked on. This has left me without a leg to stand on, quite literally.

Wheelchair bound, I have discovered the frustrations and problems that the handicapped live with constantly.

My knuckles are bruised and swollen. No matter how much I try I cannot get through a doorway without mashing a hand.

I cannot reach a glass from the cabinet, nor ice from the freezer, nor anything from the medicine cabinet. It is difficult to even wash my hands at a sink.

My clumsy attempts at cooking result in a mess, if I spill a little sugar or flour on the floor, the wheels pick it up when I leave the kitchen and track it everywhere.

Trying to take a bath is not a pleasure, it is an exhausting, difficult achievement.

If someone moves my wheelchair just a few feet too far away when I am sitting in a chair, I find myself helpless, literally. I have had to resort to capturing it with a tv tray to pull it within reach.

Probably the most frustrating part of this whole thing is how often things come up just out of reach. My portable phone, when it is on the charger, is about two feet away from my best attempts at capturing it. The wheelchair cannot fit between the heart and couch, so I am totally dependent on someone else to get it for me.

A bar of soap, a bottle of pills can be just beyond fingertip reach.

Because I was beginning to go crazy just going to work and back to the house, Thomas took me on an outing. Do you know how difficult it can be to get through a door? Do you know how impossible some rest rooms are, even though they have a "handicapped" sign up?

And, while I know that we have all been taught not to stare at the handicapped, I discovered that no one will meet my eye at all!

I don't like to be this way, and I am working as hard as I can to get out of it. And while I have learned a great deal being in the wheelchair there is one thing I haven't had to face...in a few more weeks I will get up and walk away from it. There are many who will never have that option.

Santa letters needed

The time is getting near and everyone knows that Santa needs your child's letter in plenty of time to fill their order. Please have all Santa letters in by Friday, December 5, 1997.

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Papers will publish early next week for Thanksgiving holiday

Advertisers and correspondents are reminded that the November 27 publication for the Deport Times, Bogata News, Talco Times, Blossom Times and Detroit Weekly will be one day early next week, for the Thanksgiving holiday.

All news, ads and locals must be

turned in to the Deport Times office on Monday, rather than the usual Tuesday deadline.

If you would like to FAX your news to our office, please use our new FAX number, 652-6041.

Thanks to everyone, and have a Happy Thanksgiving!!

Community Thanksgiving service to be held November 23

The Bogata Community Thanksgiving Service will be held Sunday, November 23, the Sunday before Thanksgiving. It will be held at The First Assembly of God Church in Bogata at 6:00 p.m.

The message will be brought by Reverend Mike Green, Pastor of Bogata Methodist Church.

An offering will be taken to add to the community benevolence fund. This offering and the offering taken

at the Easter Sunrise Service are combined and used to help local people with their needs through the year and to help with the baskets at Christmas.

There will be lots of pretty music by local singers and choirs as well as the school choir.

Refreshments will be served.

The public is invited to come on out and enjoy the fellowship and music.



HEAD ON COLLISION-Maurice Sellers, one month old was killed in a two car accident on FM 1402 Wednesday Nov. 12. The accident occurred when Penny Sellers lost control of her 1988 Nissan and entered the southbound lane occupied by Jerry Brown and Nicky Brown. The Brown vehicle, a 1989 Chevy pickup went into the northbound lane in an attempt to avoid the accident. However, the Sellers vehicle came back and hit the Brown vehicle head-on. Mrs. Sellers was sent to Good Shepherd Hospital in Longview for head injuries following the accident. The Browns were treated and released at Titus County Regional Hospital.

Staff Photo Nancy Brown

Child killed in head-on crash

A one month old boy was killed and three others were injured in a head-on collision on FM 1402 Wednesday afternoon.

Maurice Sellers was pronounced dead at 8:34 pm Wednesday by Precinct 2 Justice of the Peace, Gene Alexander at Titus County Regional Medical center where he was taken by ambulance after the accident, according to reports from the Texas Department of Public Safety.

DPS reports indicate Sellers was in a child safety seat at the time of the accident.

Penny Sellers, 19 of Mt. Pleasant, the driver of the 1988 Nissan Maurice was riding in, suffered head injuries and has been released from Good Shepherd Hospital in Longview.

The occupants of the 1989 Chevy pickup involved in the accident were Jerry Brown and Nicky Brown of Talco, were treated for minor lacerations and released from Titus County Regional Hospital. The two were heading south on FM 1402 when Sellers, who was going north, apparently hydroplaned, lost control of her vehicle and crossed into the southbound lane, according to the DPS reports.

Sellers' vehicle apparently went onto the southbound shoulder and then headed into the southbound lane. In an attempt to avoid a collision, Jerry Brown went into the northbound lane, reports stated. Sellers vehicle crossed back into the northbound lane striking Brown's vehicle head on.



1997-98 CHRISTMAS QUEENS-at Rivercrest High School are; (back from the left) Sophomore, Kelly Gee, daughter of Bro. and Mrs. Ray Gee of Talco and Freshman, Jennifer Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Hays of Bogata; (front from the left) Junior, Lisa Shirley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shirley of Bogata and Senior, Maribel Prado, daughter of Bernadina Garcia of Talco.

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CITIZENSHIP-award winners for the second six weeks at Talco School in the fifth grade classes and for Junior High are; (back row from the left) Fifth graders, Dellavee Waller and Cassie McCuller and Junior High student, Tiffani Cooksey and (front row from the left) Fifth graders Logan Martin, Brandyn Harris and Junior High student, Adam Davis.

Staff Photo Nancy Brown



EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK-at Talco School is Kelly Stansell. Kelly serves as counselor at all three campuses. She has begun her sixth year at the school. She is a graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School and has a Bachelor degree from East Texas State University and will receive her Masters degree from Texas A & M at Commerce on Dec. 20 of this year. Kelly and her husband Kyle, who is a freshman at Rivercrest and Kendall who is an eighth grader at Talco. Kelly enjoys watching her children play basketball and attends all of their activities. She greatly enjoys her job helping students in all capacities. Kelly received a card and flowers from Backroom Floral Designs in Bogata.

Rivercrest Ag boosters to meet

The Rivercrest Ag Boosters will meet Monday, November 24 at 6:00 p.m. Final plans will be made on the 4 wheeler fund raiser. Please make plans to attend.

Talco-Bogata Tax Office to be closed

The Talco-Bogata Tax Office will be closed on Nov. 26-27-28 for the Thanksgiving holiday.

The office will also close at 2:00 pm on Dec. 2 and Dec. 3 for the Bogata and Talco Christmas parades.



There will be no trash collection Thanksgiving Day. All areas that are serviced on Thursday will be picked up Friday with all Friday collections being serviced on Saturday. Call 903-572-9847 for information.

The Lady Rebel Junior Varsity will travel to Chapel Hill Nov. 20-21-22 for tournament play. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support the team.

The Rivercrest Rebels A-B-C boys teams will host Mt. Vernon on Friday, Nov. 21 at Rebel gym beginning at 4:30 pm.

The Talco-Bogata Junior High Rebels will travel to Honey Grove on Thursday, Nov. 20. The game will be played at Windom which is 5 miles west of Honey Grove on Hwy 56 due to a tournament at the Honey Grove gym. Game time will be 5:30 pm.

The Calvary Baptist Church is now holding Children's Church during the adult services on Sunday mornings. Children ages 2 years through second grade are included in the class which begins at 11:00 weekly.

Holiday entertainers being scheduled

If you or your group would like to volunteer to perform for the residents at Red River Healthcare Center for the holidays please contact Activities Director, Sandra Mauldin at 632-5479. Please call and schedule your performance by November 28 to get on the holiday schedule.

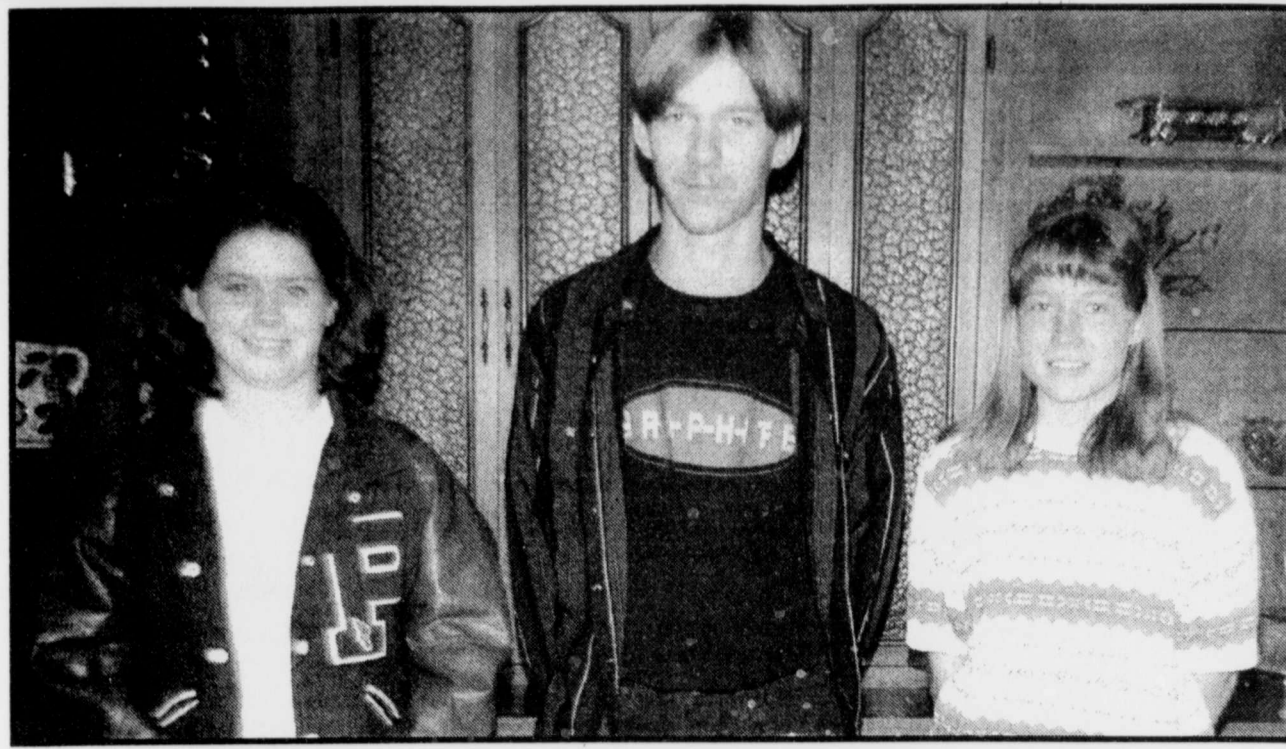
Editor's Quotes

It is all right to spend money to make character; it is all wrong to spend character to make money.

Christmas parades to be held Dec. 2-3

The Talco-Bogata Christmas parades will be held on Dec. 2-3 this year with the Bogata parade being held first on Tuesday, Dec. 2 beginning at 4:00 pm.

The Talco parade will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 3 beginning at 4:00 pm. The students at all three schools will be dismissed at 12:30 pm on both of these days.



AWARD WINNING COOK'S OF THE WEEK-These are the top winners at the **Prairiland FHA Christmas Bazaar** held last Thursday. **Scott Ellis**, center, was the **Overall Winner** with his **Apple Crisp**. **Shannon Smith**, left, prepared **Banana Bread Pudding** and **Amber Dawson** prepared **Marble Cheesecake**

November 20, 1997
Prairiland FHA Christmas Bazaar
Recipes

Apple Crisp
Scott Ellis
1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
3 tablespoons sugar
6- large or 7 small Golden Delicious apples
1 lemon-cut in half
1/2 recipe Easy Puff Pastry or 1/2 pound frozen puff pastry defrosted in refrigerator
2 tablespoons unsalted butter at room temperature
1 large egg mixed with 1 tablespoon water for egg wash
1/2 cup apricot jam
1/4 cup water

Draw and cut pattern of an apple 10-1/2 x 10-1/2 inches. Mix cinnamon and sugar in small bowl and set aside. Peel apples, cut in half and core. Rub with lemon juice to prevent coloring. Place flat side of each apple half on cutting board. Slice apples into thin slices, keeping slices in order. Roll out puff pastry on lightly floured board into 12 x 12 inch square, 1/4 inch thick. Cut around pattern to form the shape of an apple. Place pastry on rimmed baking sheet. Prick center of pastry with fork, leaving a 1-inch border all around unpierced. Arrange sliced apple halves, flat-side down, on pierced side area of pastry. The apples will fit better if you discard the first few small slices. It may seem that all of the slices will not fit, but wedge them in very tightly, as they will shrink when they bake. Sprinkle apples with cinnamon-sugar mixture. Fold sides of pastry up over apples, maintaining the shape as much as possible. Roll out remaining scraps of dough and cut out stem and leaves. Place on baking sheet. Prop leaves with foil to resemble curved leaf. Dot apples with butter cut into tiny pieces. Brush egg wash over pastry using as much as needed, being careful not to let it run underneath or it will keep pastry from puffing up. Brush leaves and stem also. Refrigerate for 30 minutes. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Bake tart for 30-35 minutes or until pastry is golden brown. Pastry stem and leaves should be removed after 20-25 minutes or when golden brown. Cool slightly and remove to serving platter. Bring jam and water to boil in small saucepan, stirring. Press through strainer over small bowl and discard all large pieces. Return to saucepan and cook until reduced to a glaze consistency. Brush warm glaze over pastry and apples, realigning any apples which may have fallen over. Put stem and leaves in place. The tart is best served within a few hours of baking.

Banana Bread Pudding
Shannon Smith
1 cup powdered sugar
8 ounces cream cheese
1/4 cup butter or margarine
3-1/2 cups milk
2 small packages instant French vanilla pudding
8 ounces Cool Whip
1-1/4 pound Oreo cookies-crushed

Cream together butter, cream cheese and powdered sugar in medium bowl. In a separate bowl blend pudding mix and milk. Fold in Cool Whip in the cream cheese mixture. In large container, alternate layers of cookie crumbs and pudding mixture ending with a generous layer of crushed cookies on top.

FOR FUN: This can be served in a new flower pot, using a new plastic handle spade. A new plastic flower can be put in the center of pot and served from around it. If you really want to be creative, you can get gummy worms and place on top of "dirt".

Guacamole
Elizabeth Ramirez
1 small tomato
1-2 green onions
5-6 ripe avacados
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon garlic salt
Chop onion and tomatoes into small pieces and set aside. Peel and pit avacados. Use a fork to mash them up. Mix all ingredients well in covered bowl. Chill until ready to serve.

Marble Cheesecake
Amber Dawson
1 cup Graham Crackers crumbs
3 tablespoons sugar
3 tablespoons Parkay margarine
3-8 ounce Philadelphia cream cheese-softened
3/4 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
3 eggs
1-ounce square unsweetened chocolate-melted

Combine crumbs, sugar and margarine; press onto bottom of 9-inch springform pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 minutes. Combine cream cheese, sugar, vanilla, mixing at medium speed on electric mixer until well blended. Add eggs, one at a time, mixing well after each addition. Blend chocolate into 1 cup of batter. Spoon plain and chocolate batters alternately over crust; cut through batters with knife several times from marble effect. Bake at 450 degrees for 10 minutes. Reduce oven temperature to 250 degrees; continue baking 30 minutes. Loosen cake from rim of pan; cool before removing rim of pan.

Chocolate Chip Cookies
Jennifer McClain
2-1/4 cup all purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup butter-softened
3/4 cup sugar
3/4 cup brown sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs
2 cups chocolate morsels
Combine flour, baking soda and salt in a small bowl. Beat butter, granulated suage, brown sugar and vanilla in large mixing bowl. Add one egg at a time, beating well after each addition. Gradually beat in flour mixture. Stir in

morsels and nuts. Drop by rounded tablespoons onto ungreased cookie sheet. Bake in preheated 370 degree oven for 9-11 minutes or until golden brown. Let stand 2 minutes and remove to wire racks to cool completely. Makes 5 dozen cookies.

Chocolate Chip Cake
Rachel Birch
1 yellow cake mix-butter
1 box chocolate instant pudding mix
3/4 cup oil
3/4 cup water
3 eggs
1-8 ounce sour cream
1-6 ounce milk chocolate chips
1 cup chopped pecans
Mix first four ingredients adding one egg at a time. On low beat in sour cream. Stir in chips and pecans. Bake in tube pan or Bundt pan for 60 minutes at 350 degrees.

Frozen Fruit Salad
LaCosta Whitley
2 cups buttermilk
1 cup sugar
1 small can crushed pineapple-drained
1 regular can fruit cocktail
Combine all ingredients and pour into an 8x8 dish (spray lightly with vegetable spray so that it does not stick). Cover with foil or plastic wrap and freeze. Cut into squares, serve on lettuce leaves and garnish with mint leaves.

Mexican Casserole
Krissy Thompson
1 pound hamburger meat
2 cans Ranch Style beans
1 can mushroom soup
1 can chicken soup
1 can Rotel
1 bag plain Doritos
Cook hamburger in a skillet; then drain. Add beans, soups and Rotel; stir well. Line bottom of 13x9 casserole dish with chips and pour mixture over these. Sprinkle with cheese and place in oven until melted.

Homemade Biscuits
Clay Elrod
2 cups self-rising flour
2 tablespoons oil
1 cup milk
Mix flour, oil and milk in medium bowl. Knead dough about 15 times then flatten out to 3/4 inch. Cut with round cookie cutter dipped into flour before each cut. Place biscuit on greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 15-20 minutes. Makes about 15 biscuits.

Brownies
Amber Gardner
1-1/2 cup flour
2 cups sugar
1/2 cup cocoa
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup Crisco
4 eggs
2 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup nuts
Mix together all dry ingredients and then liquids. Blend well and bake at 325 degrees for 30 minutes in a 9 x 13 greased and floured pan.



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/tpp>

This week's column comes from the Prairiland FHA's annual Christmas Bazaar and Bake Sale. According to Sandra Graves, one of the sponsors and homemaking teachers, the students use this bazaar as one of their main fundraisers for the year. Others include cookies and popcorn sales. Members use the funds to operate their FHA program on the campus.

The department had one hundred percent participation this year with every student submitted either a craft item or a baked item for the sale. The other sponsor, Rhonda Bangs added that the students have worked very hard this year in preparation for this yearly event baking and working on handmade ornaments for the Christmas tree that adorns the foyer at the entrance.

The overall winner this year was Scott Ellis, a senior, with his recipe for Apple Crisp. When you read the recipe you will see that it is not your everyday dish. Although it is not complicated, it does take time and patience to put the recipe together. I did see this and it was very appetizing a appealing to the eye. I can see why he won the Grand Prize.

Apple Crisp won the Grand Prize Overall award and was prepared by senior Scott Ellis.

Dirt Pudding- Shannon Smith entered this recipe. This was really an attention getter with the recipe in a clay pot, decorated up as a flower pot complete with "gummy worms"! Shannon is a senior and an active member on the annual staff.

Guacamole-Elizabeth Ramirez received first place with this entry in the Dip Category. She is a sophomore

and won first place last year with her recipe.

Marble Cheesecake-This took first place in the cheesecake division and I can see why. Along with looking good, it was delicious. Amber is a freshman and is active in sports on the campus.

Chocolate Chip Cookies-Jennifer McClain's cookies garnered top honors this year in the cookie category. Jennifer is a freshman and loves to run cross-country.

Chocolate Chip Cake-Rachel Birch won first place with this concoction of cake mix, pudding, sour cream and chocolate chips. Rachel is a senior and loves cheering and will be marching in the London Christmas parade this year.

Frozen Fruit Salad-LaCosta Whitley is another of last year's winners, placing first with her salad. LaCosta is a senior this year and HECE student.

Krissy Thompson took first place with her **Mexican Casserole**. This is Krissy first year at Prairiland.

Clay Elrod is a freshman this year and prepared **Homemade Biscuits**... from scratch... can you believe it? That is great!

Brownies were entered by Amber Gardner. You can't beat homemade brownies!

EDITOR'S NOTE: The 1998 seniors from Prairiland High School are putting together a cookbook to raise funds for their Project Graduation. Anyone wishing to contribute to the book, send your recipes to me in care of the paper. Thanks so much for helping the kids.

Winter Pet Care Tips
Sam B. Kelsey, D.V.M.

The winter season requires a little special care for our animal friends. Rabies, a disease found in all warm blooded animals and transmitted to man, should always be a concern and be immunized for. There are other viral diseases common in cats and dogs that can be protected from: by vaccination.

Proper shelter for outdoor pets, as well as indoor, is a must with flea control still in mind. A real danger to our friends that can prove fatal is the accidental consumption of antifreeze. A small amount can be fatal. An antidote is now available.

Staying warm requires extra calories, so feed your pet accordingly when the temperature drops.

Holiday decorations such as certain plants, mistletoe, holly, poinsettia leaves, even cedar, pines and fir can be very toxic to one's pets.

A little caution, concern and common sense can make the winter season safe and healthy for the entire household.

Card Of Thanks

To each of you who helped in any way to make our recent hamburger supper-auction a success, we are sincerely grateful. Without our community's support we could not continue to function.

Thanks again,
The Bogata Volunteer Fire and Rescue Squad

Card Of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for the phone calls, flowers and cards while I was in the hospital for surgery and since I have been home. Your kindness will not be forgotten.

Sincerely,
Shirley Vickers

Card Of Thanks

Your kind, spiritual bouquets and floral remembrances, your love and support during the loss of our dear loved one will forever be deeply and sincerely appreciated.

The Family of Nicie Mary (Cannon) Tully

Obituaries

Otha King Cook dies November 15

Otha King Cook, age 86 of Tulsa, OK, formerly of Cunningham, died Saturday, November 15 in St. John's Hospital, Tulsa.

Services were held Sunday, November 16 at 2:30 p.m. at the Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham with the Rev. Joe Merrill officiating. Burial followed in Restland Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Homes, Deport.

Bearers were Scotty Norwood, Frankie Norwood, James Norwood, Johnny Patterson, Larry O'Neal and Stacey Musgrove.

Mr. Cook was born in Little Rock, AR on April 1, 1911, the son of Thomas and Pearl Magness Cook. On September 23, 1933, he married Alma O'Neal in Cunningham. He was retired from Sun Oil Company where he had worked as a power operator.

He is survived by his wife, Alma Cook of Tulsa; one son, Vaughn Dean Cook of San Antonio; three grandchildren, Tim Cook of Tulsa, Jeff Cook of Pensacola, FL and Tammy Farrington of Lewisville; four great-grandchildren, Shaune and Dyllon Corbett of Lewisville and Allison and Jennifer Cook of Tulsa.

Oran Dean Stevens dies November 13

Oran Dean Stevens, age 89, formerly of Cuthand, died Wednesday, November 13 at Ladora Lodge Retirement Center in Bedford.

Services were held at 1:00 a.m. Saturday, November 15 in Cuthand Methodist Church with the Rev. Wilson Canafax officiating. Wood Funeral Home made burial in Cuthand Cemetery.

He was born November 24, 1907 in Cuthand, the son of Allison and Fannie Latimer Stevens. He married Cloney Francis Hare on November 23, 1928. She died June 15, 1996. He was a retired bookkeeper.

Survivors include his daughter and son-in-law, Shirley and Delbert Henry of Bedford; two grandchildren, Blane Henry of Hurst and Lisa Shelton of Bedford; a great-grandson, Justin Shelton of Bedford; two sisters, Aileen Hale and Ruby Corbell, both of Clarksville.

Bearers were Tommy Corbell, Alan Hale, Bill Hale, Reginald Hill, Russell Brock and Blane Henry.

Catherine V. Proctor Dies November 14

Catherine Virginia Proctor, 76, a retired secretary and native of Paris, died Friday, November 14, 1997 in Benbrook. She was a resident of Fort Worth.

Funeral services were at 11:00 a.m. Monday, November 17, in West Freeway Church of Christ in Fort Worth. Burial was in Greenwood Memorial Park under the direction of Greenwood Funeral Home.

She was born September 12, 1921 in Paris, a daughter of Chet Lowry and Una Ferguson Lowry. She married Bill Proctor August 27, 1939 in Bogata.

She was a member of West Freeway Church of Christ and was a former president and lifetime member of the PTA.

Survivors include her husband of 58 years, Bill Proctor of Fort Worth, six sons; Burl Proctor and wife Diann of Dodd City, Mac Proctor and wife, Jan of Austin, Bobby Proctor and wife Rosemarie of White Settlement, Freddie Proctor and wife Benita of White Settlement, Barry Proctor and wife Cyndi of White Settlement and Dale Proctor and wife Helen of Arlington, a sister; Elizabeth Cato of Fort Worth, 19 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren, and nieces; Ann Cohen and Sandra Bassinger, both of Fort Worth.

Surprise party honors Barbara Ward

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Barbara Ward at the Gazebo #2 in Deport on Saturday, November 8.

Attending were Maude Webb of Deport, Brandon Todd and Jamie Ward, Ted and Kay Byndas of Bogata, Marty, Rochelle and Dean Ward of Talco, Larry, Gail, Lance, Lindsey and Logan Taylor of Red Oak, Doug, Belva and Chase Byndas of Newalla, OK, Bryan, Pam, Justin and Blake Hollingsworth of Allen, Lisa and Allen Johnson of Pattonville and Carlos Ladd of Deport.

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Fulbright News
By Betty Rodgers
652-6051

Betty Rodgers visited with Marcell Wright, Sam and Jack Saturday afternoon. Monte and Melissa visited with Betty Sunday.
Mrs. Kyle King of Reno spent Wednesday with Jimmie King.
Ethel Epps and Jimmie King went to an 84 party at Seb and Maurine Mankins Thursday night in Bogata.
Harvey Bo King of Kansas City came Thursday night for a visit with his mother, Jimmie King.
Others visiting were Duane and Bobbye King of Powderly, Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Dave German of Hillsboro came to visit her mother, Jimmie King and Dicky King of Paris also visited.
Mr. and Mrs. Dave German, Bo King and Jimmie King met Duane and Bobbye King and Dickey and Jayne King at the Elks Saturday night for dinner.
Lessie Crump Parker of Grand Prairie and her niece, Frances Haire Matthews of San Angelo spent Thurs-

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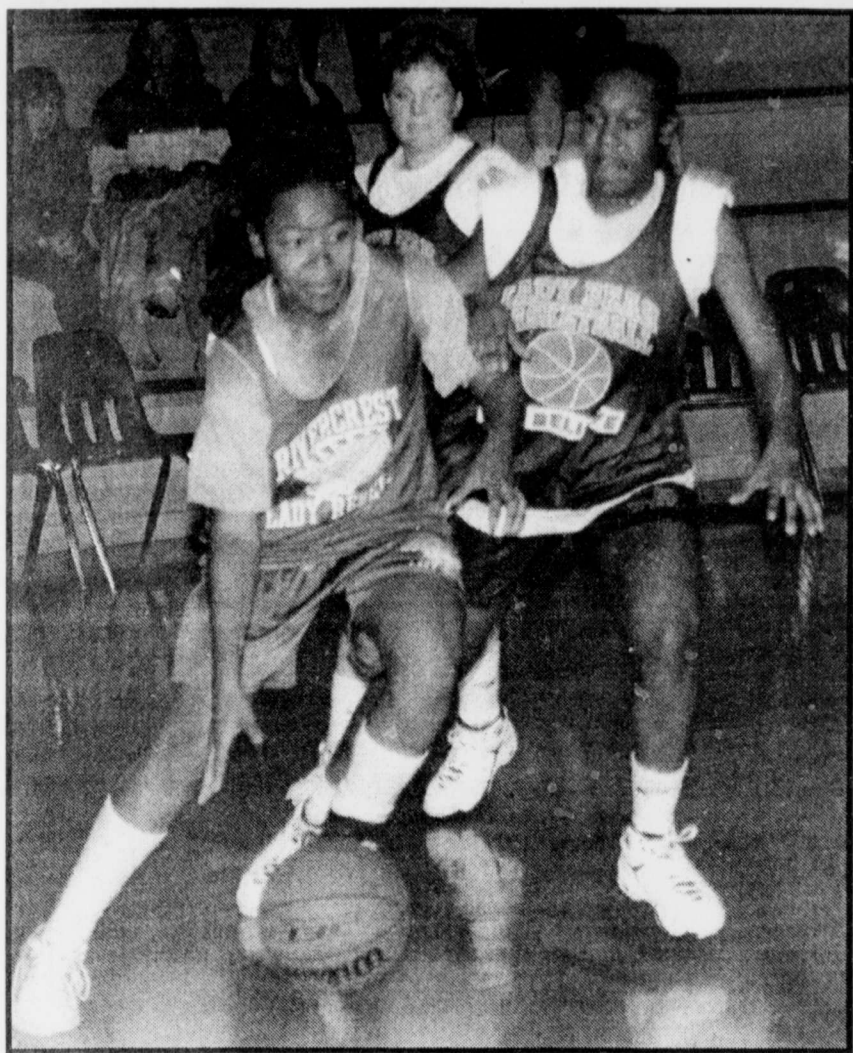
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LOOSE BALL-Lady Rebel Kristi Hines goes after the ball as the Lady Rebs scrimmaged DeKalb Saturday morning at RHS. The Ladies took 4 of 5 quarters. Hines scored a total of 32 points for the day.
Staff Photo Nancy Brown

Lady Rebels scrimmage DeKalb

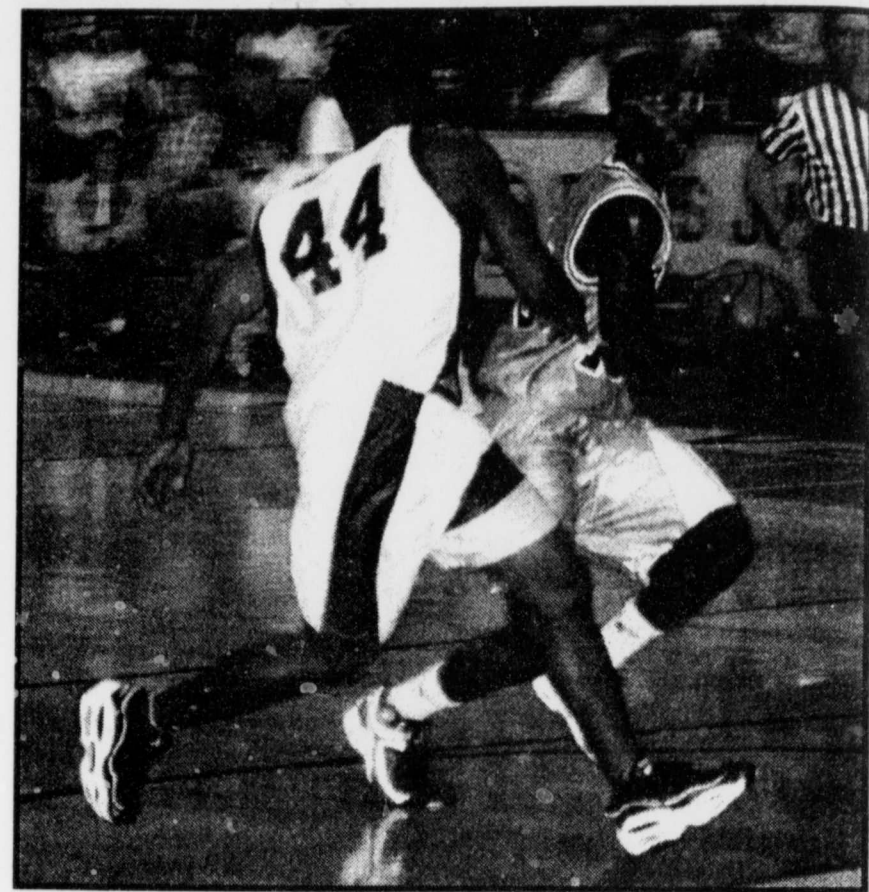
The Lady Rebel Junior Varsity and Varsity basketball teams played host to DeKalb on Saturday, Nov. 15. The Junior Varsity team took the court first under Coach Ben Connell. Five girls played quarters one and three and five girls played quarters two and four. The score was changed following each quarter. The Lady Rebels won one of four quarters with scores of 20-2, 21-2, 13-4 and 17-8. Scoring for the team were: Cheryl Griffin-4 points, Debra Janes-10, Cara Morgan-2, Kim Shirley-2, Kim Ross-6, Jessica Hinton-2, Cassie Wilcox-4, Daphane Baird-2 and Joanie Plunkett-2. The team showed good aggression and hustle throughout play. They will travel to Chapel Hill Nov. 20-21-22 for tournament play. The Lady Rebel Varsity looked

impressive in their scrimmage with the Lady Bears. Good aggression, team work and hustle was shown by the girls through 5 quarters of practice play. The Lady Rebs won four of the five with scores of 19-10, 27-15, 19-20, 29-16 and 21-15. Scoring for the team were: Deidre Brown-19 points, Missy Carroll-12, Katie Hare-11, Kristi Hines-32, Candias Nickerson-12, Joanie Swarts-10, Erin Stansell-5 and Tiffany Prentice-14. Coach Debbie Williams said, "Again the Lady Rebels are showing some promising things. They are really scrapping on the floor and of the 8 players each one has great input on the floor". The Lady Rebel Varsity will travel to Dodd City Nov. 20-21-22 for tournament play.

Rebels sweep DeKalb in scrimmage

The Rivercrest Rebels played host to the DeKalb on Tuesday, Nov. 18. All three Rebel teams played one full game. In the Rebel B team game the Rebs held a 16-9 lead following one quarter and advanced the lead to 43-18 by the half time buzzer. The Rebels running offense and pressing defense left the Bears lost. Keith Hines went to the hoop to score 24 points for high point man of the night. The third quarter ended with a Rebel score of 58 to the Bears 38. The Rebs put the icing on the cake in the final quarter and took a 79-49 win. Also scoring were: Coleman Brown-16 points, Jason Freelen and Josh Posey both with 12 points, Michael Galloway added 8 points, Paul Billingsley 5 and Joey Taylor 2. The Rebel Varsity took the court with a full roster of capable players. The Bears hit the court with determination but after one quarter of play the Rebs held a 20-12 lead. The Rebs hit their pace and finished the half

with a 41-26 lead with Broderick Fulbright in the front for scores during the half with 11 points. The Rebels had a low scoring third quarter but the defense was working holding the Bears to 9 points. Score 53-35. In the final action the Bears made a strong move and got close for a short while but the Rebels helped out as he went to the free shot line for 4 points and scored a field goal while Jody Nolen ripped the net for three plus, Brian Giles, Chad Holland and Broderick Fulbright all added scored. Final 74-53 Rebels. Posting high score for the Rebels was Cortney Huddleston with 19 points. Also scoring were: Broderick Fulbright with 15, Brian Giles with 12, Jody Nolen with 7, Ryan Giles with 4, Chad Holland with 7, Kyle Stansell with 4, Michael Allen with 4 and Jody Gray with 2. The Rebels will host Mt. Vernon on Friday, Nov. 21 beginning at 4:30 pm. Go Rebels!!!!!!



DRIVING TO THE GOAL-Ex Rebel Jeff Savage heads toward the hoop as he plays for his Grayson College team vs Paris Junior College Wednesday night at PJC. A large number of Talco-Bogata fans were on hand to see Jeff and Alvin Savage play one n.ore time.
Staff Photo Jack Brown

Rivercrest Cross Country teams attend Regional meet

The Lady Rebels received 11th place out of 21 3A teams at the regional meet. "The top three teams advanced to the State meet and that is the goal of the Lady Rebel team for next year", said Coach Debbie Williams.

The Rivercrest Boys "C" team began their basketball season in the Rivercrest gym on Tuesday night, November 18 against the DeKalb Bears. DeKalb took the tip-off, but could not score. Carey Posey took the foul on the Rebel end of the court for a trip to the foul line but could not connect with either shot. Clinton Cheatwood soon stole the ball for a quick two to open up the scoring for the night. Myron Ellis soon found Cheatwood open for a pass who then tipped the ball to Ellis for another Rebel score.

The Lady Rebs had a good cross country year and at regionals Kasey Crawford finished 23 with a time of 13:14; Tiffany Prentice finished with a time of 13:49; Candias Nickerson finished with a time of 14:09. Katie Hare finished with a time of 14:21, Kim Shirley finished with a time of 14:38; Jill Foster finished with a time of 14:44 and Joanie Swarts finished with a time of 14:59. Coach Williams said, "Each year the Lady Rebels improve. We have everyone returning next season and have high expectations for the team".

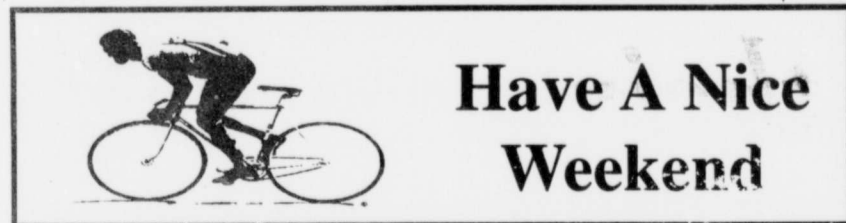
DeKalb could not get their ball to their end of the court as Cheatwood stole the ball again and passed to Bubba Abernathy when then found Cheatwood open for another two on the boards. DeKalb finally connected on one of their two shots at the penalty stripe to put them on the board again drew a foul and connected for both free throws. Cheatwood was then fouled under the Rebel goal and he connected on one of his two shots. DeKalb took the ball to their end of the court for a score, stole the ball back and scored again to tie the game. Cody Wolfe was fouled with one second left in the first quarter, but failed to connect on either foul shot and the buzzer rang with the score tied 7-7. Second quarter saw mostly defense. The Rebels kept the ball on their end of the court but could not score. DeKalb finally dropped a

Lady Rebels travel to Hughes Springs

The Rivercrest Lady Rebels JV and Varsity traveled to Hughes Springs on Tuesday, Nov. 11 for scrimmage play. Coach Debbie Williams said, "The Lady Rebels are showing some aggressive play with lots of hustle on the floor. I am pleased with their efforts". The Varsity won three of five quarters played. The JV?????????

Rivercrest "C" boys down DeKalb with first win of season

Case soon took the rebound, found Abernathy who connected for two and was fouled out. He could not hit the shot though. DeKalb bounced back with another two under their goal and took the lead at the end of three 22-20. Fourth quarter action found the Rebels up their defense. Abernathy opened up the quarter with two from the circle. Wolfe added another two under the goal. Cheatwood made a fantastic steal and was fouled on his shot, but did not connect at the line. DeKalb fought back with three minutes left in the game, but again Cheatwood's defense took the ball to the Rebel end of the court where Case added two for the Rebels. Abernathy took the ball away from the Bears, this time passing to Case who was fouled. Case missed his first two free throws, but a Bear line violation gave him another shot. This time it was good and put the Rebels up by three. Cheatwood was fouled on the floor and sank his first free throw, Rebs now up by 4. DeKalb was soon at the penalty line and they connected on their two shots pulling the Bears within two. With five seconds left on the clock Ellis was fouled and sent to the line, but failed to connect. Final score Rebels 28, DeKalb 26. Leading the scoring for the Rebels with Cheatwood 8, Wolfe and Ellis each 5, Case 4, Abernathy 3, Hall 2 and Stanley adding 1. Congratulations Rebels on your first win!



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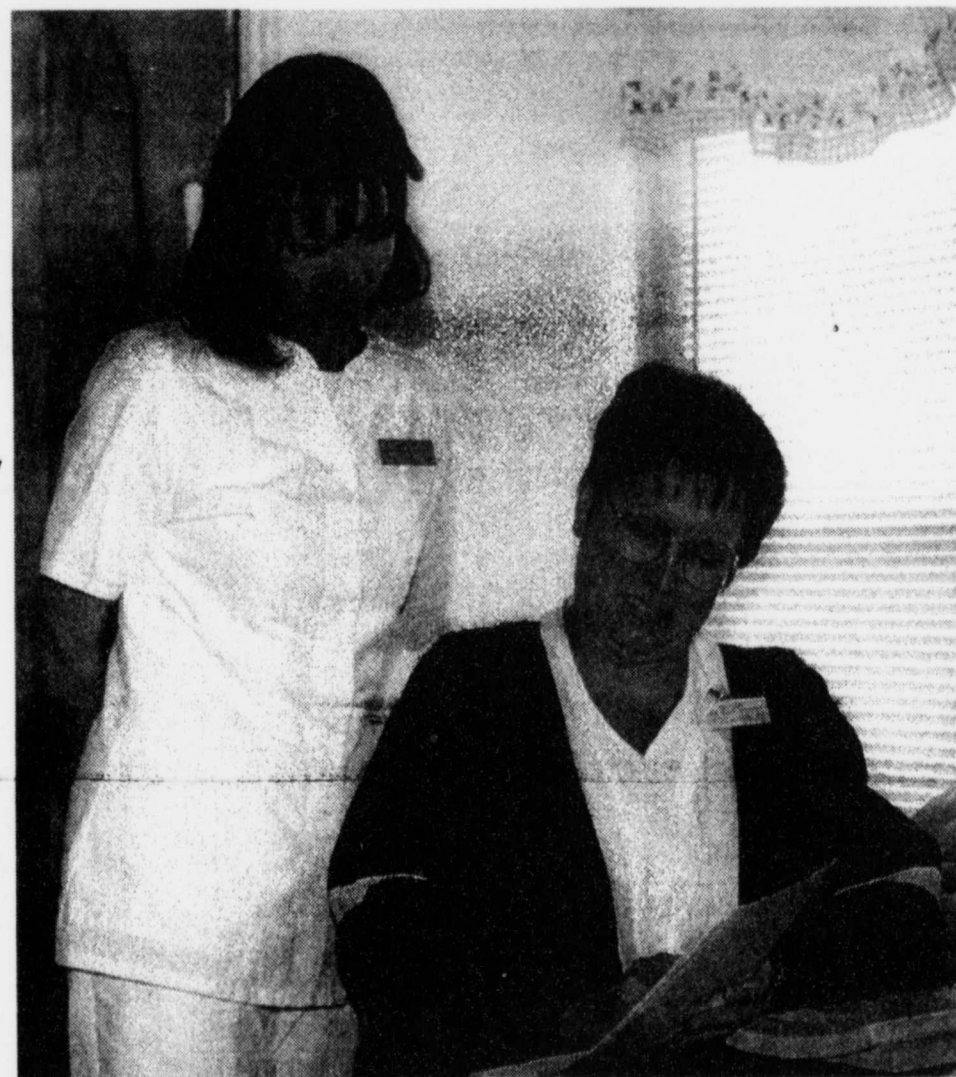
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Cunningham News
By Carol Jean Williams & Lou Hatfield
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Cunningham community extends sympathy to the family of Otho Cook. The funeral was Sunday afternoon at Life Tabernacle Church. Lunch was served in the church fellowship hall.

Recent Sunday visitors of Lucy Fowler were Fred and Joy Allen of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dunlap, Jason, Megan, Madison of Whitehouse. Wanda Sue Whitterer visited Lucy recently. Bar ara and Delano Dunlap spent Friday and Saturday nights with Lucy. Talma and Margret Fowler visited Saturday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Medlin and Brook of Mesquite, Carol Dorsey and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Moore and Cole visited Sunday and ate lunch.

Lillian King of Deport spent the weekend with Leonard and Billie Ford.

Lillie Parker, daughter of Will and Oza Crump of Grand Prairie and Francis Matthews, daughter of Orvil and Francis Haire from San Angelo were on a trip visiting relatives. Friday they visited the descendants of Seth and Francis Crump in Musgrove Store at Cunningham; Nelta Musgrove, Jean, Mike, Davy Jo Williams, Lou Hatfield and Neva Oats. Other family members who visited were Marie Watson and Charles Williams, Lillie, Francis and Nelta ate chili provided by Davy Jo Williams.

Brett Phillips visited Bush and JoDell Cooper Sunday.

Wednesday Robbie Lee Pynes from Levelland met Robert Pynes from Texarkana at the home of Lorette Pynes.

Tod and Mendy Cole, Lacy and Kelby, Tracy Norwood were guests of James and Pat Norwood for Sunday lunch.

Alma Norwood visited home for the day Sunday. She and Almer ate dinner with Charles and Cindy Nichols.

On a recent trip, Silas and Juanita Taylor visited Jack and Martha Stone in Temple. On Monday, they met their daughter, Linda Reagan and granddaughter, Stephanie, in Waco. Linda and Stephanie are from Plainview. Stephanie is a member of the Plainview Band. Silas, Juanita, Linda watched the UIL State Marching Band Concert where Plainview placed 7th in the competition. On Tuesday, Silas and Juanita had lunch with Ray and Martha Jo Hayes of Belton. Other guests were several retired USDA employees.

Kerry and Mildred Wright of Mansfield, LA spent the weekend with Silas and Juanita Taylor and Elvis Wright.

Scott, Donna, Stephen Stinson of Canada, Shane and Zarinska Morton, Jenny Brown of Paris and James Cannon ate hamburgers and visited at Musgrove Store Saturday. A Bible study was held Saturday night at the home of Johnnie and Nelta Musgrove. Teacher was Scott Stimson. A large group attended and everyone enjoyed the fellowship.

Shane and Zarinska Morton, Scott, Donna, Stephen Stimson spent the weekend with Johnnie and Nelta. Sunday brunch was served. Stacy, Linda, Stoney, Charity Musgrove, Shane and Zarinska, Scott, Donna and Stephen, Jenny Brown ate. Those present for supper Sunday were Scott, Donna, Stephen Stimson, Johnnie, Nelta, Stacy, Linda, Stoney, Charity, Jenny, Shane, Zarinska, Jenny, Richard and Ramona Etchieson, Pam and Larry O'Neal.

Marie Watson is feeling better after a two week illness.

David and Serena Bullard's baby was returned to a Dallas hospital by emergency air flight Sunday. Serena and her mother went with the baby.

Judy Westerman and son Randy of Mt. Vernon visited Vickie Davis for lunch Sunday.

Kasey McLaughlin and fiancée, Clint Hyde, spent the weekend with her grandparents, Clyde and Bobbye Slusher.

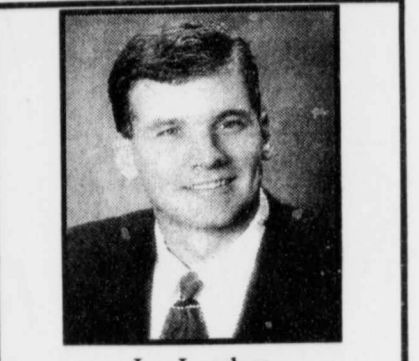


Maelle Joy White

Ashley, Kaimbri and Jordan wish to announce the arrival of their sister, Maelle Joy, born October 21 in Mount Pleasant. Maelle weighed 6 pounds 9 ounces and was 20 inches long. Parents are Blane and Teresa White. Grandparents are Dorothy Clark and the late Lewis Clark of Bogata, Tena Mahaltic and the late Henry White of Negley.

NEW ARRIVAL

Amos and Mandi Meredith are proud to announce the arrival of their baby boy, **Amos Randal Meredith, Jr.** He was born October 20, 1997 at 5:43 a.m. at Hopkins County Memorial Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds and 11 3/4 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long. Grandparents are Michael and Sharon Meredith of Bogata and Ronnie Alford and Kathy Alford of Bogata. Great Grandparents are Opal and Lynn Kerley, Carrine Alford, Sue and Ted Grant and Barbara and James Meredith.



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Claudia Cope

Cope is sweetheart

On October 10, Mesquite High School celebrated their homecoming festivities. Claudia Cope was chosen as Football Sweetheart for 1997.

Claudia is the daughter of Terry Dodd of Mesquite and granddaughter of Dorothy and Grady Dodd of Johntown. Claudia was escorted on the field by her uncle, Ed Dodd of Paris. A long stem red rose was presented to claudia by her mother before the announcement of the winner, following which Claudia was then presented with a dozen red roses.

Miss Cope is involved in the student council, National Honor Society, the All-star drill team and other various school related activities. She is a senior at Mesquite High School



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.

* Mallory Rozell drew the lucky ticket for the quilt on Veteran's day, November 11. Rabbit Wisinger was the winner. Out thanks to everyone who bought a chance. Maybe next time you will win.

* Happy Birthday to Mildred Eudy -- Happy anniversary to Dale and Sharon House. --- Get better wishes to Sue Mauldin and Joyce Wisinger.

** Happy Thanksgiving to everyone from all of us.

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This is a national program with an objective to increase retention of students; to help those people who need special support to achieve

success. Director of the new program is Deborah White.

Student Support Services, whose offices are in the PJC Student Center, is a part of the Paris Junior College TRIO Program that also includes the Educational Opportunity Center, Talent Search, and Upward Bound. A federal grant of \$180,000 was awarded PJC to start up the new TRIO project.

Participants of the program, which include disabled college students, receive tutoring, counseling and remedial instruction. Paris Junior College is one of 707 college and universities nationwide that is offering this service to students.

Alan Hubbard and John Shasteen, the two advisors in the program, will help clients develop and carry out their educational plans, help them get involved in campus and community activities. Student Support Services will work with students finishing high school as well as non-traditional, or older students. Students will be taken in the spring of 1998 at regular registration time.

In addition to advisors, the program will have two professional tutors on staff, and will utilize student tutors. Mike Cook, assistant baseball coach and dorm supervisor, will serve as one of the professional tutors.

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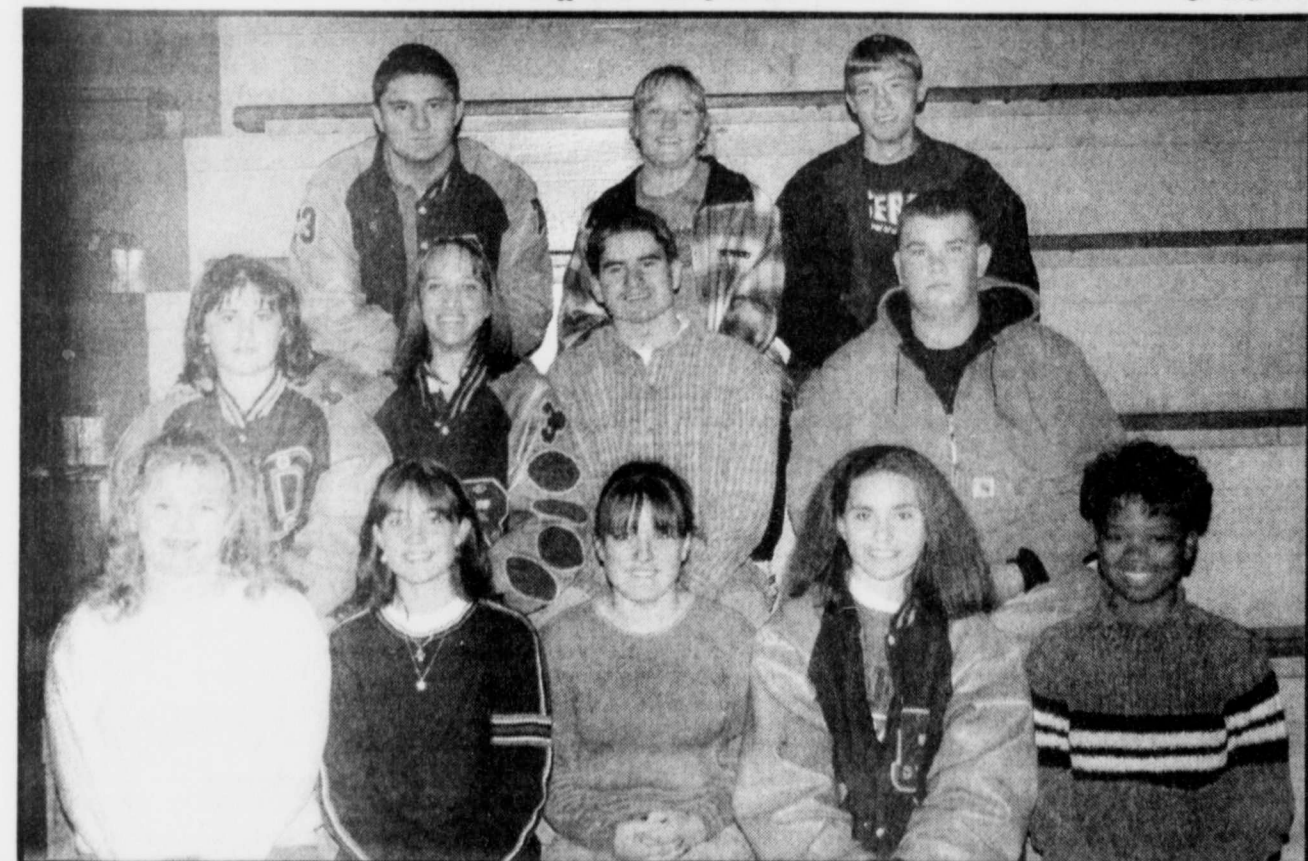
HONOR STUDENTS-from the Sophomore class at Rivercrest High School for the second six weeks are; (from the left back row) Cara Morgan, Coleman Brown, Ashlei Moles and Michelle Glosson; (third row) Sam Stanley, Brodie Belcher, Carolina Prado, Natasha Vickers and Ashley Cabell; (second row) Kaylan Bell, Missy Carroll, Jill Foster and Lissa Stoner and (front row) Erin Stansell, April Elrod, Wendy Gentry, Nicole Hervey and Bubba Abernathy.
Staff Photo Nancy Brown



HONOR STUDENTS-from the Freshman class at Rivercrest High School for the second six weeks are; (back from the left) Clinton Cheatwood, Kim Shirley, Daphane Baird and Kasey Crawford; (front from the left) Shelly Hollis, Jennifer Hays, Kara Palmer and Sara Hollands. Not pictured are; Chase Collins, Kim Exum, Courtney Jones, Eric Posey, Kyle Stansell, Rebecca Stewart and Chrissy Wilson.
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HONOR STUDENTS-from the Senior class at Rivercrest High School for the second six weeks are; (from the left back row) Deidre Brown, Kristi Hines, LaTisha Fulbright and Broderick Fulbright; (third row) Derek Belcher, Michael Allen, Jody Nolen, Jerad Guest and Tabitha Tackett; (second row) Amanda Franks, Kim Sheffield, Bonnie Phillips, Maribel Prado and John White; (front row) Lauren Robertson, Brandi Gaddis, Dustin Wolfe, Tasha Brown and Dustin Cook.
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HONOR STUDENTS-from the Junior class at Rivercrest High School for the second six weeks are; (from the left back row) Jeremy Jones, Lisa Shirley and Jeremy Price; (second row) Tiffany Shupp, Andrea Palmer, Chad Holland and Eric Aldridge; (front row) Crystal Seykora, Katie Hare, Debra Janes, Kembre Baker and Kim Brown.
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BACK FROM BRANSON-This group of Cunningham High School ex's and their spouses are already planning their trip for next year as they pose with Oak Ridge Boys Duane Allen in Branson Missouri. Left to right is Robert Bills, Melba Ladd Baker, Doug Salter, Bobby Kennedy, Rita Duff Salter, Doris Duff Faulkner, Martha Allen Shannon, Duane Allen, James White, Virgie Archer White and Shelby Ladd Kennedy.
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Recently Coach James Daughtery of Bogata School requested help from area residents for weightroom or exercise equipment for his classes at the school.
Coach Daughtery and his students have been happily surprised with the out pouring of donations for the class. Weights, exercise equipment and cash donations have come in so well that the P.E. room is too small to hold everything. A wall is being removed to make the P.E. classroom larger to hold all the equipment and will soon be completed. Everyone is invited to

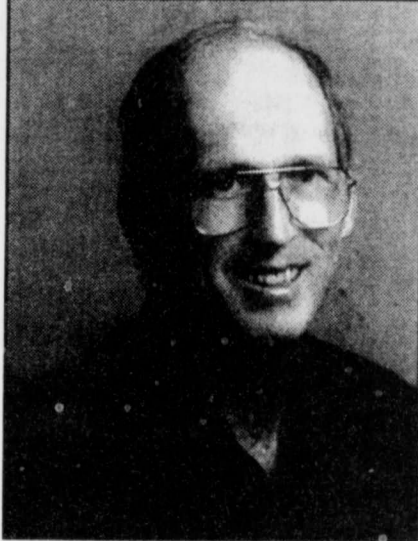
stop by and see how their donations have been put to use.
Coach Daughtery and his students would like to express their appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and the Methodist Church in Winnsboro, Tx., Mr. and Mrs. Clint Franks, Betty King, who donated items in memory of Charles King, Nathan Crane and family, Terry and Sharla Simmons and family, Rex and Sherry Huddleston and family, Chance Belcher and family all of Bogata. Everything will be put to good use.

Poet to present program at Rivercrest High School

On December 12, Brod Bagert will be at Rivercrest High School. A popular children's poet, a modern day Johnny Appleseed, Brod travels America to spread a simple idea.
Brod Bagert writes poems that are fun to read out loud, convey the thoughts and feelings of children and represent a powerful source of self-expression. "Poetry shapes the human soul," says Brod Bagert. "And the best poetry comes out when poems are performed out loud, one human being to another."
He has written four humorous collections of poems that explore the joys, fears and dilemmas of childhood for Boyd's Mills Press; The Gooch Machine; Poems for Children to Perform, Elephant Games and Other Playful Poems to Perform and

Chicken Socks; and Other Contagious Poems, Let Me Be The Boss: Poems for Kids to Perform.
A practicing attorney in New Orleans for more than twenty years, Brod Bagert graduated from Loyola University, where he also earned his juris doctorate. He served on the New Orleans City Council and the Louisiana Public Service Commission.
Brod Bagert now travels around the country performing his poems and offering teachers an array of practical techniques to develop their students' natural attraction to poetry.
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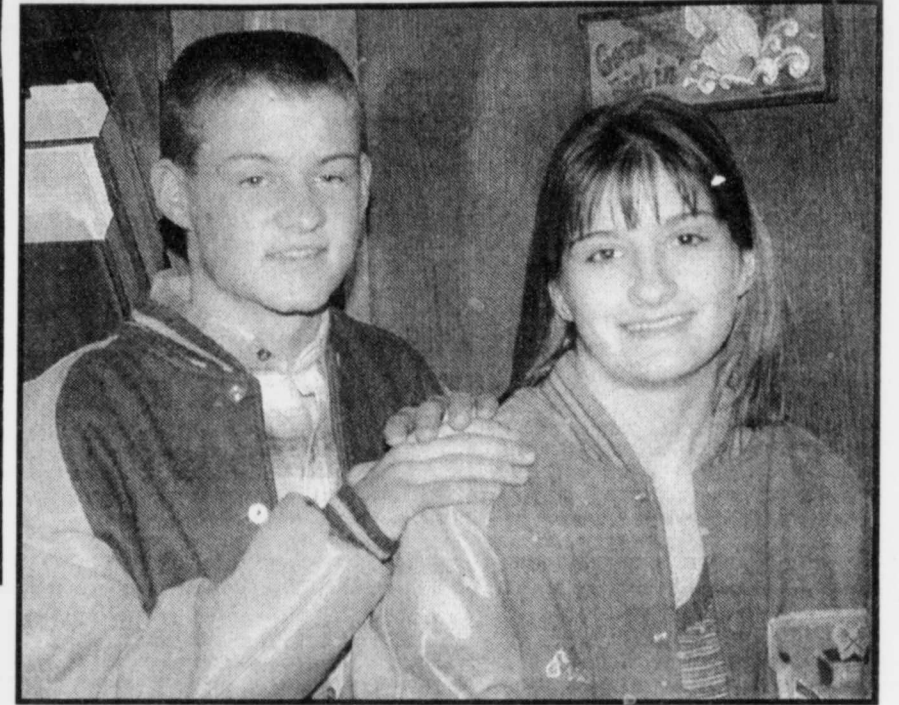
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MOST BEAUTIFUL AND MOST HANDSOME-of the Rivercrest Junior class are Joanie Swarts and Jason Freelen. Joanie is the daughter of Johnny and Ginger (Pete) Swarts of Talco. Jason is the son of James and Patricia Freelen of Bogata.
Staff Photo Nancy Brown



MOST INTELLIGENT-of the Rivercrest Junior class are Andrea Palmer and Jeremy Jones. Andrea is the daughter of Karla Palmer of Bogata and Kenneth Palmer of Bogata. Jeremy is the son of Patti and Terry Jones of Talco.
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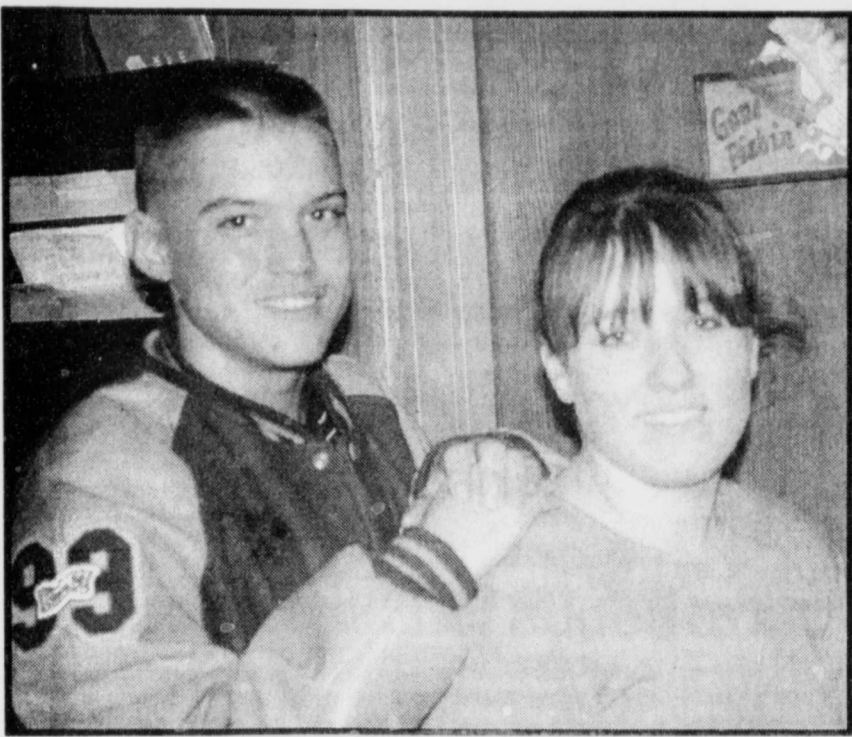
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BEST SENSE OF HUMOR-of the Rivercrest Junior class are Debra James and Joey Taylor. Debra is the daughter of Lee and Tim English of Bogata. Joey is the son of Beverly and Tim Taylor of Talco.

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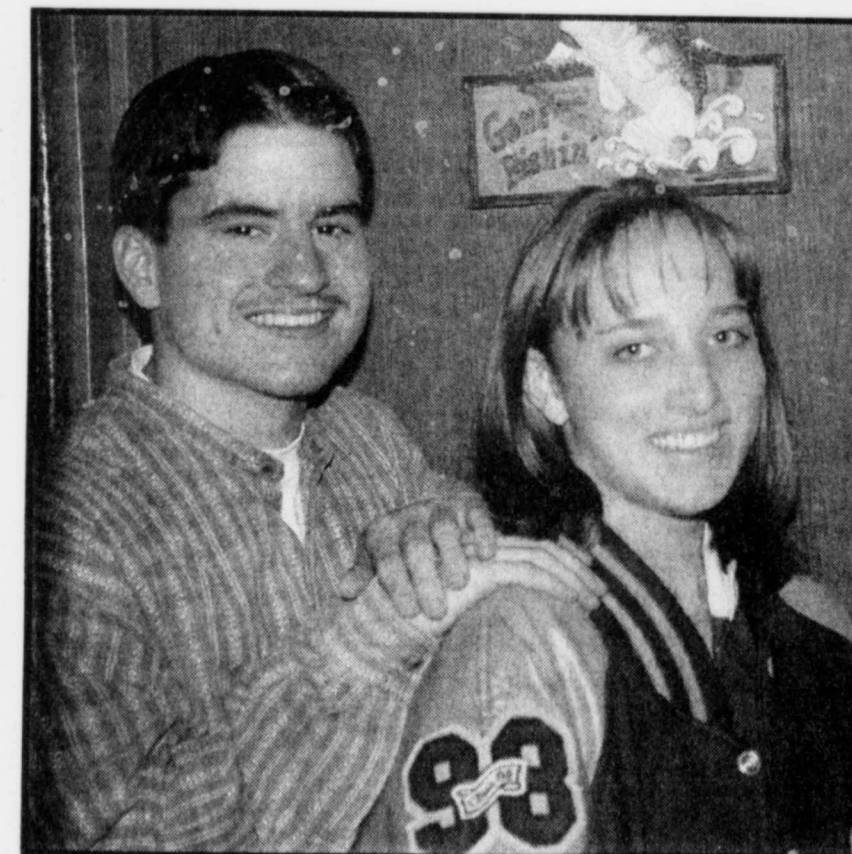
MOST ATHLETIC-of the Rivercrest Junior class are Candias Nickerson and Jason Freelen. Candias is the daughter of Shirley and Jerry Nickerson of Bogata. Jason is the son of James and Patricia Freelen of Bogata.

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BEST SENSE OF HUMOR-of the Rivercrest Senior class are Dustin Cook and Angie Elliott. Angie is the daughter of Lisa and Tom Evans of Bogata. Dustin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Thompson of Sugar Hill and Gary Cook of Powderly.

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MOST POPULAR-of the Rivercrest Junior class are Andrea Palmer and Chad Holland. Andrea is the daughter of Karla Palmer of Bogata and Kenneth Palmer of Bogata. Chad is the son of June and Ken Sloan of Bogata and Eddie Holland of Little Rock, Ark.

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FIRST PLACE WINNERS in the LAMAR COUNTY 4-H FOOD SHOW are left to right back row is Miles Bradford, Amy Bryan, Ashley Fry, Pamela Little and Latona Long. Front row is Brittney Hart, Jenni Ballard, Renee Moreland and Jessica Little.



"Songs of the Season" to be presented Nov. 25

A musical presentation that has become a holiday tradition, "Songs of the Season", will be presented on Nov. 25 in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church in Paris.

The chorales of Paris Junior College, Paris High School, and North Lamar High School, will be featured in this holiday concert that begins at 7:20 pm. The chorales will be accompanied by the eleven member string ensemble, LaMusica, from Dallas.

Tickets are \$5 for adults and children. However, children under five will be admitted free. Tickets can be purchased at the Paris Junior College Music Building, and at the Paris High and North Lamar choir rooms.

Each of the three award-winning chorales will be featured separately, singing two of their best holiday selections. The chorales will then be combined into 125 voices to perform selections from Handel's Messiah. Choruses chosen will include "And

the Glory of the Lord", For Unto Us A Child is Born", and the traditional "Hallelujah Chorus".

The men of each of the chorales will join together to present an a cappella rendition of "Ave Maria", which will include solos by a young man from each school. The ladies will be featured in "O Holy Night" featuring a soloist from each choir.

In addition, an All-State Choir selection, "To Him We Sing", by Dr. Robert Young, will be performed featuring the combined groups. An audience sing-a-long of familiar carols of the season will conclude the program.

Directing the PJC Chorale and the instrumental ensemble will be Pat Fowzer, Paris Junior College chorale director. Jan Blize will direct the Paris High School Chorale and Christi Hardy will direct the North Lamar Chorale.

Nurse practitioner added to staff

Michael Leddy, M.D., board certified by the American College of Internal Medicine, recently announced the addition of Catherine Bourn Willis, MSN, GNP to his practice.

As a Geriatric Nurse Practitioner, Mrs. Willis has the training and experience to provide direct care to patients while assisting Dr. Leddy in preparation of history and physicals for hospital admissions, nursing home follow-up, primary care, patient education, interpretation of laboratory and diagnostic testing, prepare care plans for patients discharged from the hospital and assist in all facets of the physician's practice.

Mrs. Willis comes to Paris from

Nashville, Tennessee, where she worked at Centennial Medical Center, Memory Disorder Unit. For the past 3 1/2 years she has been involved as a registered nurse at health care facilities in Tennessee and Louisiana. She received her undergraduate degree in nursing from Northeast Louisiana University, Monroe and her master's degree in nursing/nurse practitioner from Vanderbilt University School of Nursing, Nashville Tennessee.

Dr. Leddy's office is located at McCuiston Regional Medical Center, 2850 Lewis Lane, Suite 101, Paris, Tx.

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Ladies exercise class held Monday's

The Calvary Baptist Church senior ladies are enjoying an exercise class on Monday mornings at 10:00 am. The class is taught by Judy Sloan and Rhonda Brown. The ladies are working to the tape "Exercising with

Arthritis". The group reports the class to be fun while getting valuable exercise.

All senior ladies interested in joining the group are welcome to attend.

Mosaic group meets

The Mosaic Group of Women on Missions met in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church Bogata November 4. Rose Mary Swinford presided over the program. "Following Christ's Servant Example" was the theme for October. Alice Ann White opened the meeting with prayer.

Those on the program were Linda Eilers, Julie Davidson, Rose Mary Swinford, Frances Lee and Alice Ann White. At 11:30 the group was dismissed for a Salad Luncheon and fellowship.

After lunch everyone gathered for the November program, "A Heart for the Hungry". Those on the program were Julie Davidson, Frances Lee, Linda Eilers and Rose Mary Swinford. The group dismissed in prayer after reading the prayer calendar for the missionaries.

Junior High Lady Rebels travel to Dekalb

The Junior High Lady Rebels traveled to Dekalb on Thursday, Nov. 13 for scrimmage play.

In seventh grade play the 7B team played 15:00 and won the scrimmage with a score of 12-2. The 7A team played a full game and took a 38-6 win. Erica Williams led the team in scoring. Coach Debbie Williams said, "The seventh girls had a really good look. They saw how the press and trap could be a great help".

In the eighth grade division following a full game played the girls took a 15-14 loss. Brittany Barnett led the team in scoring. Coach Debbie Williams said, "We saw good things in the eighth grade girls. They can be made more aggressive and we found them showing this. The scrimmage was good for the team".

The Lady Rebels will play host to Honey Grove on Thursday, Nov. 20 at Rivercrest beginning at 5:30 pm.

The Junior High Rebel will travel to Honey Grove on Thursday also for their first game of the season.

Everyone is encouraged to come out and support a Rebel or Lady Rebel team.

JOHNTOWN LOCALS

By Jana Hawkins
632--5174

Clay Pirtle and Hamid Diab of Arlington spent Saturday night and Sunday with Drue and Billie Pirtle. Brian, Robin, Kyle and Jesse Harville, Kelley, Jacob and Kristen Harville, Vance Pirtle, Stephanie and Lindsey Fischer and two of their friends had Sunday lunch with them. Also visiting was Rhonda Rhodes and two of her friends from Paris.

84 Club meets

The monthly meeting of the 84 Club met Thursday evening at the home of Maurine Mankins. Two tables were arranged for the games.

The hostess served a delicious buffet meal to the following members: Faye Conine, Bertha Mae McCall, Jimmie King, Ethel Epps, Maggie Lee, Helen Williams, Seab Mankins, Jettie Bond, Willie Mae Gray, Bess Ruthardt and one guest Mary Ellen Kain.

The Christmas Party will be in the home of Faye Conine, at Rosalie.

Letter to the Editor:

Dear Editor:
A special thanks to Nanalee and Thomas Nichols for their special Veterans Day edition which was published November 13, 1997.

Veterans have helped preserve freedom of the press and freedom from dictators who wanted to rule the world.

As a small boy, I remember Armistice Day, later changed to Veterans Day.

Schools closed, Veterans of World War I paraded around the square in Paris. People of all ages lined the sidewalks watching, picking out a dad, uncle or cousin, who had served and was in the parade.

I, myself, had an Uncle Sam, my mother's brother and Uncle Rosco, her brother-in-law, that I and my family watched for. They were real, true heroes to us.

From the square, they went to the fairgrounds, where the night before they ate barbeque and cooked red beans. Everyone was invited and it seemed from the size of the crowd, that everyone was there.

Today's schools do not close, some children in schools don't see Veterans as heroes as I did as a boy. I did not have a football player or basketball player that I called a hero, either.

Thank you for this special tribute,
Richard Nance

Christmas pageant set for Dec. 6

All Star Kids National Pageant System will host a Christmas Pageant on Saturday, Dec. 6, in Paris, Tx. The pageant will be held at the Justice Elementary School from 10 am until noon.

Boys and Girls 0-47 months will compete in holiday wear and will be judged on personality, grooming and alertness for the Babe or Beau title. They can enter the Best Holiday Wear, Beautiful Babe or Handsome Beau.

Boys and Girls 4-18 years may compete in either or both Beauty/Beau and Talent. Also they may compete in Prettiest or Handsome, Holiday Wear and Model of the Day.

All age groups may compete in Photogenic by submitting a photo-

graph of their choosing and it will be judged by people in the print and media field that work with children. The photograph should be no larger than 8x10, color or B/W and done within the last 6 months. The photograph will be returned to owners.

The All Star Miss/Mr. Merry Christmas overall winner is determined by high point winner and will receive a trophy. All Star crown or medallion, monogrammed banner and \$100 cash. All other winners will receive a trophy, crown or medallion.

For more information and to receive an entry form please call (903) 439-4699 or the National Headquarters at (214) 319-7827.

Red River County Sheriff's Report

November 9-15

November 9: Recovered stolen vehicle; inmate transported to county on charge of criminal mischief; report of burglary of a business in Bogata; report of major accident on FM1159; assault by threat and disorderly conduct; one arrested on charge of driving while license suspended, no liability insurance and warrant for no liability insurance out of Titus County.

November 10: Cattle complaint on FM114; one arrested on warrant for violation of parole; noise disturbance in Annona; possible reckless driver in Bogata.

November 11: Report of DOA in Annona; report of theft in Bogata; aggravated assault; suspicious person in DEtroit; cattle complaint on FM412; one arrested on charge of driving while intoxicated; prowler in Avery.

November 12: Burglary of habitation; suspicious activity in DEtroit; security check in Clarksville.

November 13: Accident on FM1159; inmate released on bond.

November 14: Structure fire in Avery; minor accident on Hwy. 82 west; disturbance in Bogata; disorderly conduct in DEtroit; criminal mischief on FM195; illegal hunters off FM1159; suspicious object in DEtroit; minor accident on Hwy. 37 south; one arrested on Franklin County warrant for arson.

November 15: Disturbance on FM410; burglary of a building on FM114; burglary of a building in Avery; theft in DEtroit; burglary of a building on Hwy 82 east of Clarksville; report of extra patrol in Kanawha; burglary of residence in Avery; violation of protective order.

JMBC ladies travel to Jefferson

Tuesday, November 11, six ladies from the Jhontown Missionary Baptist Church and one visitor, Anna Belle Patton, took a day trip in the new church van to Jefferson.

Lucille Childers, Gwendolyn Bowen, Velma Hill, Lee Hood and visitor Anna Belle Patton left the church at 10:00 a.m. with Jan McCuller as the chauffeur and Billie Pirtle acting as "doorman" and photographer.

The first stop was in Mt. Pleasant where the ladies drove around the square to see the new brick sidewalks being laid and then they drove on to Hughes Springs where they stopped to see the Veal Switch and Hughes Springs Missionary Baptist Churches.

They arrived in Jefferson at noon and had lunch at The Bakery restaurant before hitting the shops. Their favorite shop was the quilt shop. They got a lot of new ideas to bring home and try themselves. A tour of the town to see the beautiful homes was next, then on to Lone Star to see the Lone Star Steel Plant.

After leaving the plant, they drove to Jenkins and saw the South Union Missionary Baptist Church where Dr. Neal Clark is pastor. They came back through Mt. Pleasant and had Braum's ice cream.

The ladies returned to Jhontown about 5:00 p.m. tired, but not too tired to plan their next trips to Marshall and Sulphur Springs.

Bogata Elementary honor roll released

Bogata Elementary School principal, Bill Mabry released the names of the students on the second six weeks' honor roll. They are as follows:

First Grade All A- Laura Arroliga, Glen Chapman, Kayce Galvin, Matthew Haynes, Niki Lewis, Kaimbri White, Cheyenne Williams, Tara Cunningham, Jarod Davidson, Crystal DeWitt, Samantha Glasener, Seth Hawkins, Tara Raulston, Joseph Stewart, Staci Whitaker and Kayla Whitney

First Grade All A&B- Kylie Nieto, Lloyd Burruss and Anthony Watkins

Second Grade All A- Taylor Anderson, Kristen Clark, Courtney Lemme, Aaron Lum, Aaron Rolen, Matthew Shew, Jessica Thompson, Katelyn VanDeaver, Chelsea Alford, Chrystal Anderson, Franny Galyean, Lyzette Gayton, Sarah Jean, Lauren Mauldin, Kaylee McIntire, Ethan Meredith, Chris Shirley and Coty Townes

Second Grade All A&B- Wade Allen, Jason Cunningham, Shelbi Elder, Jordan Stafford, Justin Stewart, Ethan Tucker, Colby Horn and Dara

Williams.

Third Grade All A- Micah Haynes, Julie Pirtle, Lillain Baird, Lauren Beers, Jesse Harville, Brian Hays, Lee Jordan and Cole Sheffield

Third Grade All A&B- Collin Alford, Alejandro Arroliga, Rachel Green, Emily Hood, Kirby Needham, Danielle Pirtle, Sherea Roach, Ashley Shew, Erica Tucker, William Vaughan, Chris Watts, Cortney Merchant, Callen Morgan, Brantly Morris, Krystal Smith and Kelsey Taylor

Fourth Grade All A- Kenton Baker, Holli Bush, Mandy Crawford, Adam Horn, Miranda Mauldin, Aaron Palmer Wendy Stewart, Sarah He're, Cindy Livingston, Josh Nailling, Meagan Olds and Keith Williams

Fourth Grade All A&B- Craig Tyler, Jake Needham, Bailie Spencer, Jason Davis, Erica Moreno, Dustin Perry and Callie Stafford

Fifth Grade All A- Lindsey Robertson, Koren Hawkins, Kerri Simmons and Kacey VanDeaver

Fifth Grade All A&B-R.C. Pitts, Jill Shirley, Holly Jean, Keith Mauldin, Matthew Ross, Lynann Sivard and Saleena Whitaker



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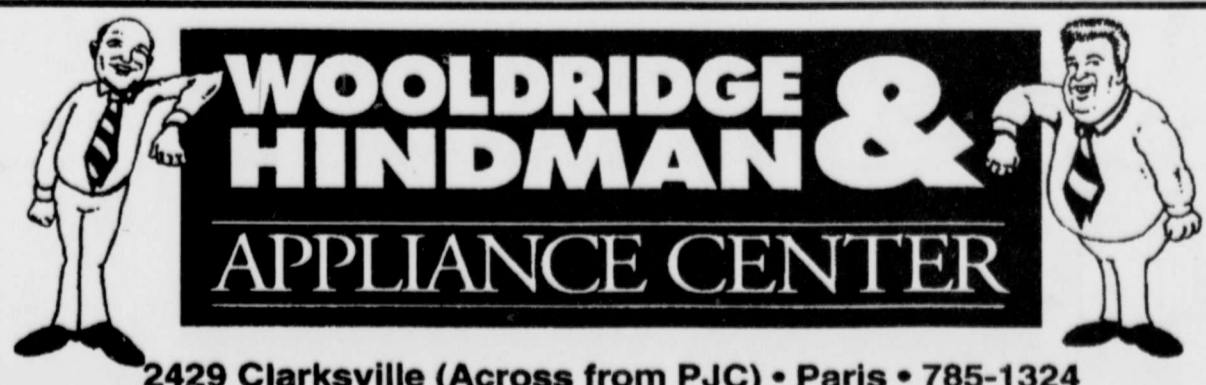
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Tinsel and Tidings heralds holiday season

Tinsel and Tidings, a holiday bazaar sponsored by the YWCA of Paris and Lamar County, will kick off the holiday season on Saturday, Nov. 22 at Love Civic Center. The event will feature an arts and crafts bazaar, entertainments, a Santa Booth, concessions and a Bake Shop.

A record number of exhibitors are expected this year. Over 65 booths will feature fine arts and crafts. Because of the response from artists and crafters, the conference rooms in the front of the building have been opened in addition to the main exhibit hall and will be filled with booths.

Live entertainment will be featured from area youth groups. Performances featuring gymnastics, singing and dancing will be staged throughout the day.

Small children will delight in their

first visit with Santa Claus this season, and can have pictures made with the elf. Supplies to write Santa letter (just to make sure he remembers everything on the list) will be available. Booths featuring opportunities to make sand art masterpieces and wax hand replicas will delight children and adults.

The YWCA Bake Shop, which will be located at the front entrance to the Civic Center, will feature cookies, cakes and pies made by board members of the YWCA. Baked goods will be available in small quantities, to meet the needs of those who need a sweet immediately. Whole cakes and pies may also be purchased, to be eaten for dinner that night, or to freeze for the hectic weeks ahead.

Homemade chili will provide a staple item for the concession stand.

Chili pie, chili dogs, chips, pickles and sodas will be available to help make sure shoppers have the stamina to see the wares of every booth at the event.

Tinsel and Tidings is a fund raising activity sponsored by the YWCA. Monies raised help support Y-Teens, a youth leadership group for girls in middle school and high school; YWCA basketball and the YWCA gymnastics program. Those attending the event are asked to bring canned or boxed food items, which will be shared with the needy during the Christmas season. Food will be distributed through the food pantry at the Department of Human Services. For more information contact the YWCA at 785-5221. The YWCA is a United Way agency.

Fad diets are not effective in maintaining weight loss

People who keep the weight off know that fat diets are no longer in style. Proper nutrition and exercise are "in."

"Fad diets that are restrictive are not effective for weight management," said Dr. Ken Goodrick, assistant professor of medicine at The DeBakey Heart Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "Consciously eating less than you want and skipping entire meals doesn't last very long."

Studies have shown that people, despite their best efforts to maintain weight loss, end up regaining the lost pounds.

In some cases, they gain even more weight.

"People who successfully lose weight and keep it off are careful about what they eat without depriving themselves."

Fad diets such as no-fat, low calorie liquid and high protein can also make you miss out on important nutrients necessary for good health, Goodrick says.

"With so many fat-free products on the market, many people could be eating too little or no fat," he said. "By contrast, a high protein diet of only beef, fish and chicken isn't good for the kidneys and the heart."

Goodrick says switching from high-fat, fried foods to healthier foods and exercising vigorously at least five hours a week is the most effective

strategy in maintaining ideal weight. The key is moderation.

"Gradually incorporate healthier habits into your life-style without tit being painful or strenuous. Follow the U.S.D.A.'s Food Guide Pyramid by eating five servings of fruits and vegetables daily, and start a modest exercise program of fast walking."

Goodrick says weight loss is not only important in terms of your physical health, but also your mental health. He says know your limits.

"You may not be able to change your weight, but you can change your behavior," Goodrick said. "If you become less obsessed with losing weight and focus on a lifetime of healthy eating and regular exercise, you'll feel good about yourself and your weight may decrease."



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Community service to be held Nov. 23

The Talco Annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be held at Calvary Baptist Church on Sunday, Nov. 23 at 6:30 pm.

All area churches are invited to come and participate in this special time of Thanksgiving. If you have a personal testimony to share or would like to provide special music, time will be allowed for all.

Canned goods and an offering will

Talco Class of 1948 plans homecoming

The 50 year class, Class of 1948, is busy working to get all of their classmates to attend the special reunion in 1998. They are trying to obtain obituaries for each of the deceased members. All members have been contacted, except Bobby Joe Case and Evelyn Buehne. If anyone has an address for either of these class members, please send it to one of the committee. For further information, also contact one of the committee: Eddie Chapman McCarty, Box 1224, Mount Pleasant, 75456, Mary Kathryn Davis Cotten-Route 1 Box 245, Bogata, TX 75417; Harry

be collected to help families of the community during the holiday season. A representative of each participating church will serve on a committee to distribute the food and funds collected.

"Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord Your God which He has given you". Deuteronomy 16:17.

Dixon, 2301 55th St. Lubbock, TX 75412; Gerald Foster-Route 5, #18 Tallwood Ln., Longview, TX 75605; Janie Wilson, 362 Park Brook Dr. Dallas, TX 75218.

If anyone is working on the other honor classes; 45 year-1953; 40 year-1958; 35 year-1963; or 55 year-1943; please send information to the Talco Times to contact as many as you can. Any planned activities, or address requests can also be sent for publication. Talco Times address: Talco Times, % Deport Times, P.O. Box 98, Deport, TX 75435.

Talco Locals

call your news in to 379-4445

Karen Jones, Marta Rhoades and Robert Caul returned to Dallas on Monday where Robert Caul will hopefully be getting his cast taken off. If the body cast is removed they will spend three days there for Robert Caul to go through therapy before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watts celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary Nov. 10, 1997.

Celebrating November birthdays are: Francis Richeson, Dayka Presley, Tammy Martinez and Bre'Ann Stroud.

Carl Antone, Jack Brown and Andy Speir enjoyed supper at Chili's in Longview Wednesday evening.

Jeff Grissom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Grissom was injured in an accident at work Wednesday. He was taken to Trinity Mother Francis Hospital in Tyler in serious condition. He is reported stable and recovering.

The Talco Baseball/Softball Association held a bake sale Friday with all proceeds going to the Bales family to help defray medical cost. \$111.00 was earned for the family.

Visiting pastor at the Talco Assembly of God Church Sunday evening was Bro. Gullie of Mt. Pleasant. Everyone enjoyed the service and visitors to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and Melanie traveled to Hawkins Friday to see Elysian Fields play Cooper in the District play off. They enjoyed seeing grandson Chad and his teammates of Elysian Fields take a large win.

Karen and Johnny Jones returned home Wednesday from a deer hunting trip to south Texas. Karen bagged a 10 point and Johnny killed a three point while there.

Gyulene Hall underwent surgery this past week. She is reported home and doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harris spent the weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Bruce and children in Keene. On Monday they traveled into Dallas where Mr. Harris had a doctor's appointment.

Karen Jones and Allen Rose enjoyed shopping at Sulphur Springs Saturday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fail of Kilgore visited with Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail Friday.

The Assembly of God Church in Talco enjoyed a singing Sunday morning. Visiting singers were Lorie and Randy Lemme and Mikal Ann Haynes of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Case, Ryan and Raheel enjoyed seeing ex-Rebel Eddie Williams play with his SAU college team at Commerce Saturday evening.

Elementary honor roll announced

Mrs. Clemmons's Pre-Kindergarten-Perfect Attendance; Kevin Yeatman, Abby Godwin, Samuel Green, Kyle McCuller, Loren Riveria and April Shumate. Citizenship Awards; morning class-Kevin Yeatman and Angel Ramirez, evening class-Kyle McCuller and Mary Beth Henley.

Mrs. Brown's Kindergarten-Perfect Attendance; Keylee Clemmons, Kelsey Franks, Lance Henley, Matthew Jones, Ashley Savage and Amber Via. Citizenship Awards; Matthew Jones and Kaitlyn Cox.

Mrs. Wright's Kindergarten-Perfect Attendance; Docota Sanders and Ashley Stinson. Citizenship Awards; Amber Brown and Fernando Lopez.

Mrs. Harris's First grade-All A-Terrance Cannon, Justin Bryan, Bud Douglas, L.B. Morris, Jillian Sloan and Chris Nolen. All A & B-Roy Guth, Bryan Jones, Emily Rector, Jesslin Rivera, Dayka Presley and Logan Whitehead. Perfect Attendance; Terrance Cannon, Logan Whitehead, Justin Bryan, Bud Douglas, L.B. Morris and Emily Rector. Citizenship Awards; Roy Guth and Emily Rector.

Mrs. Moles's First grade-All A-Ty Brown and Desiree Cameron. All A & B-Kayla Birchfield, Cody Cox, Brittney Harris, Vince Martinez, Saul Vasquez, E.J. Via, B.J. Webb and Brooke Wilson. Perfect Attendance; Desiree Cameron, Cody Cox, Brittney Harris, Vince Martinez, Tyrone Sanders and E.J. Via. Citizenship Awards; Saul Vasquez and Brooke Wilson.

Mrs. Via's Second grade-All A-Susan Smith, Megan Savage, Heather Bui and Laura Beville. All A & B-Haley Shumate and Jessica Kay. All B-Aaron Watson. Perfect Attendance; Jeffery Brooks, Gabriel Flores, Justain Norman and Megan Savage. Citizenship Awards; Colby Chitsey and Haley Shumate.

Mrs. Grissom's Second grade-All A-Emily McCuller and Samantha Rose. All A & B-Aaron Gage, Laramie Lum, Tara Martinez, Tausha Paz and Alex Savage. Perfect Atten-

dance; Emily McCuller and Dawn Smith. Citizenship Awards; Alex Savage and Tausha Paz.

Mrs. Hinton's Third grade-All A-Kayla Clemmons, Danica Easterling and Destry Nolen. All A & B-Jared Adams, Jessica Espinoza, Brittany Guth, Jeremy Moore, Robert Rector, Rachel Smith and Alex Wright. Perfect Attendance; Jared Adams, Kayla Clemmons, Jessica Espinoza, Drew Godwin, Derek Morris, Robert Rector and Melanie Smith. Citizenship Awards; Destry Nolen and Brittany Guth.

Mrs. Ingram's Third grade-All A-Carissa Carroll, Brooke Hale, Nallely Jimenez, Angie White and Andrew Deaton. All A & B-Jessica Allen, Cole Birchfield, Torrie Grissom, Taylor Phillips, Josh Stevens and Allen Rose. Perfect Attendance; Torrie Grissom Andrew Deaton, Brooke Hale, Nallely Jimenez, Dewayne Sanders, Josh Stevens and Allen Rose.

Mrs. Orrill's Fourth grade-All A-Joshua Cox, Jesi Navia, Katie Smith and Heather Presley. All A & B-Jessica Griffin, Ricky Grubbs, Ericka Jones, Matt Miller, Misti Richeson, Monica Savage, Monique Savage and Whitney Savage. Perfect Attendance; Daniel Brown, Susie Ontiveros, Alberto Flores, Ericka Jones and Cassandra Norman. Citizenship Awards; Ricky Grubbs and Ashley Isaacs.

Mrs. Holeman's Fifth grade-All A & B-Kristi Cooksey, Chad Davis, Jordan Edge, Jessica Fenner, Sarah Hargrove, Leslie Richeson and Dellavee Waller. Perfect Attendance; Kristi Cooksey, Jordan Edge, Britta Jones, Sonny Paredes and Leslie Richeson. Citizenship Awards; Logan Martin and Dellavee Waller.

Mrs. Bull's Fifth grade-All A-Brandyn Harris, Cassie McCuller and Clinton Vandever. All A & B-Kendra Birchfield, Johna Ingram and Helena Vanegas. All B-Robert Jones. Perfect Attendance; Kendra Birchfield, Tracy Galloway, Cassie McCuller, Rebecca Sanders and Clinton Vandever. Citizenship Awards; Brandyn Harris and Cassie McCuller.

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