Growing up in a small town, most of us learned to drive by the time we were fourteen or fifteen. And, parents were more lax about letting kids drive as long as they were just cruising around town.

When it came time for those first boy-girl dates, a car was definitely going to be in the picture.

There wasn't a lot to do back then on a Friday or Saturday night. In Paris the movie changed once a week. There was one movie theater (we just did not go to the Plaza back then) and much of the year it was either too hot or too cold for the drive

So, what was there to do? Not much, except to ride around, see and be seen.

There was a complex series of rules and standards. Who one was seen with and what they were driving could boost your social status way on up there. Personally, that always seemed really stupid to me, and I never gave it much though. But I have to admit that being seen (here I am really dating myself) in a yellow Mustang convertible was kind of a thrill.

We would cruise around Paris, in a set pattern, waving at people we knew, honking our car horns and generally being a nuisance.

We performed a ritual dance on wheels around and around the Sonic Drive In. We would pull in, get something to eat or drink, sit and visit, hop from vehicle to vehicle and then go around and around. It got so bad that the police department had to get an ordinance signed that we couldn't circle anymore. The line of Mustangs, Bel Aires, Camaros and T-Birds was blocking traffic for blocks.

With the typical thoughtlessness of youth, we didn't perceive it as a problem.

On other evenings, when the movies had been seen, we might load seven or eight kids into a car and go roaming around the county roads near home.

On cool nights we would stop the car, unload and decorate the hood, roof and trunk, sitting around just talking. (No, I'm not going into what couples were doing back then, but that was in a car too). In fact, sometimes we knew what couple would be parked where and found it amusing to cruise right on by, honking and flashing the headlights, hoping to give them a scare.

We used cars not as transportation, but as entertainment. Gas was 25¢ a gallon, and we ned to have an unlimited y. We knew every make and model of car Detroit rolled off the assembly line, and who owned one (or whose parents let them use one). Imports? You must be joking!

Somehow, those vehicle wheels rolled us right on in to adulthood.

Today's youngsters have a lot more to do than we did back then. And with gas so high, they probably don't roll up limitless miles the way we did. But I do know that a car is still the place to see and be seen if you are part of that strange time in life...those teenage years.

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STATE CHAMPIONS-The Red River Valley Belles took the State Championship title in Crosby last Thursday evening. They will go on to Laurenceville, Virginia and represent the State of Texas in the Dixie World Series beginning Friday, August 4, 2000. The team and their coaches are pictured with their trophies including the State Sportsmanship trophey and the State and League banners. They are; (front from the left) Molly Hare and Krystal Valenzuela, (middle from the left) Capreece Dockins, Tina Carder, Stephanie Stringer, Keely Donovan and Tiffany Nance and (back from the left) Coach Mike Screws, Erica Williams, Ashley Beers, Amanda Nichols, Coach Mark Hare, Kara Screws, Nikki Rosser and Coach Dewayne Nance.

Red River Valley Belles State Champions

13-14-15) captured the Dixie Belles State Championship in Crosby, Tx. last week and earned a trip to the Dixie World Series in Laurenceville, Virginia.

The team went undefeated en route to the state title and were also awarded the prestigeous Sportmanship trophey. They are the 2nd State Champion team to receive the honor of the Sportsmanship trophey in 25 years of Dixie softball.

The RRV team faced Hemphill in the first game on Saturday night and took an 8-3 victory. They beat Crosby 2-1 and Palestine 10-5. They met Palestine again in the final game on Thursday and easily won 11-2 to claim

The Red River Valley Belles (girls the State Championship and advance State title. Our local girls are now to the World Series.

The Red River team which includes girls from Bogata, Clarksville, Deport and Detroit, will be leaving for the World Series on Wednesday. The opening ceremonies will be held on Friday and Red River is slated to meet Georgia at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday night.

The team through the help of many businesses and individuals the group will be taking a charter bus. Parents and grandparents will pay \$100 per family and will be able to ride with the team and their coaches.

This is a huge accomplishment for a league as small as Red River to win their district and go on to win the representing the State of Texas and they will have the fans in not only their home towns but the surrounding areas and the entire state rooting for them as they compete for the World Series Title. It is the trip of a life time for the girls, their coaches and their families.

The team is coached by Mark Hare, Mike Screws and Dewayne Nance. Team members are; Molly Hare, Kara Screws, Tiffany Nance, Tina Carder, Krystal Valenzuela, Ashley Beers, Capreece Dockins, Stephanie Stringer, Keely Donovan, Erica Williams, Amanda Nichols and Nikki Rosser. WE ARE PROUD OF YOU, GO RED RIVER!!!!!!



RIVERCREST BAND DIRECTOR, CLAYTON TAYLOR-spent the week snapping the Rivercrest Band back into shape after their summer break. The band had a very successful year last year and hope to keep improving this year. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Nothing is more difficult, and therefore more precious, than to be able to decide.

-Napoleon

Talco Church of Christ to sponsor television series

soring a seven week television series. July 27, "The Second Coming" The program will introduce viewers August 3, "Grace" to the Church of Christ and the Biblical plan of Salvation.

The programs will air on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. and may be seen on Channel 54 in Mt. Pleasant; Channel 10 on Cox Cable or on Channel 22 on Heartland Cable. The lessons presented will be as follows:

The Talco Church of Christ is spon- July 20, "The Fear of God"

August 10, "Covenant" August 17, "Bible Baptism Part I" August 24, "Bible Baptism Part II" August 31, "Temptation"

Everyone is invited to view these programs and share in the blessings from the words of God.

State sales tax holiday coming up in August

Texas families have an opportunity to stretch their clothing budgets during the second annual Sales Tax Holiday, Aug. 4-6. Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander said.

"On the first Friday, Saturday and Sunday of August, no state or local sales tax will be charged on most clothing and footwear priced under \$100," Comptroller Rylander said.

The timing of the Sales Tax Holiday is intended to help parents outfit their children for the new school year. However, the tax break is not limited to children's school clothes. Highlights include: Most clothing and footwear priced under \$100 is exempt from sales taxes. Consumers may purchase as many tax-exempt items as they wish.

Clothing and footwear used primarily for athletics or protective wear, such as golf cleats or football pads, are not tax exempt. However, athletic clothes that are commonly used as street wear, such as tennis shoes, baseball caps and jogging suits

are eligible for the tax exemption. Not included in the Sales Tax Holiday are accessories, such as jewelry and watches and items that are carried rather than worn, including handbags, briefcases, wallets and

"This year I am able to make one administrative change. Customers who put clothes and shoes costing less than \$100 on layaway during the Sales Tax Holiday weekend will be permitted to take those items out of layaway at a later date without paying sales tax," Comptroller

No serious injuries in wreck caused by broken axle

There were no serious injuries in a freak accident that occurred on Hwy. 271 South Friday, July 31st between Bogata and Talco, according to DPS officer Kevin Gray's report.

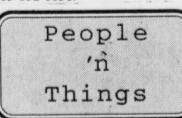
A semi truck tractor rig was travelling south on Hwy. 271 when the two wheels of the driver's side rear drive axle broke. The wheels crossed the road into the path of James Clark of Chickasha, Oklahoma, who swerved in an attempt to miss the wheels, but was struck in the right rear of his Chrysler van, causing moderate dam-

Solid waste advisory committee meeting set

A grant application scoring meet-ing will be held by the Regional Solid Waste Advisory Committee on July 20, 2000 10:00 a.m. at Northeast Texas Community College, FM 1735, Mt. Pleasant, Texas in the student union building, room 101. The pubic is invited to attend.

The Committee will review applications submitted to the Ark-Tex Council of Governments (ATCOG) for the FYO1 Regional Solid Waste Grants Programs for determination of funding. ATCOP has \$90,671 available for funding these grants.

If you have any questions please contact Diane Atkinson at ATCOG 903-832-8636.



BAM! (Bogata Area Mothers) group will meet weekly in September. All interested stay-at-home moms should call Kelly at 632-4493.

Rylander said. "This will allow hardworking families with limited budgets to pay for their purchases a little bit at a time and still receive the tax

"In the future, I think backpacks should be tax exempt, because kiddos need them for school," Comptroller Rylander said. "I also would like the Sales Tax Holiday to include fabric, buttons, zippers and other items people use to sew clothes and I would like to see the Sales Tax Holiday last couple of weeks, instead of just three days. But any change in the list of taxexempt items or the number of taxfree shopping days must wait until the

Legislature meets next year." Last year Texans spent more than \$400 million on tax-exempt clothes and shoes during teh three day Sales Tax Holiday, saving more than \$32

million in sales taxes. Retailers statewide reported crowds comparable to the Christmas shopping season.

The Sales Tax Holiday applies to all state and local sales taxes. Local communities were allowed to opt out of the event this year, if they notified the comptroller by March 31. Only Sunset Valley, a small community near Austin, chose not to waive local sales taxes. Qualifying purchases will be exempt from the state sales tax.

for more information about the State Tax Holiday and a list of tax exempt and non-exempt items, see the Comptroller's Web site at <www.window.state.tx.us. or call the tax assistance hotline at 1-800-252-

> People Things

> > First Mondays

NAMI (National Alliance for the Mentally III) Consumers meeting will be held on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church located at 4th and Madison in Mt. Pleasant, Tx. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Monday and Wednesday Rivercrest High School gym will be open for the Lady Rebels entering 7th grade through 12th grade every Monday and Wednesday evening from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Bogata Public Library/Museum The Bogata Public Library/Museum is open each Friday from 10 am to 4 pm and each Saturday from 10 am to 2 pm. A library card is available to all citizens of Bogata and the surrounding area. Come by and enjoy the Museum and check out a good book for your reading pleasure.

Volunteers needed

Red River Healthcare activity department is looking for volunteers!

If you know of a band or group who would like to come play and sing for the residents please call or come by the Healthcare center. Anyone intrested in playing the piano one or two days a week for our Rhythum Band is asked to please call Darnell Davis at 632-5479.

Church adult and youth groups interested in providing aprogram are also encouraged to call and set up a time to visit. Please help us provide activities and entertainment for the residents of Red River Healthcare. You will be glad you did!



Modie Johnson of Detroit and daughter Kay Whitley of Blossom are this week's cooks. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



Country Cooking

with Liz Irwin

Sauerkraut-this recipe is one to

use if you are going to can your own

sauerkraut. It is one that has been

passed down through the years from

Potato Soup-if you like potato

Marinated Carrots-these can be

Scalloped Eggplant-if you have

Cabbage Patch Stew-not at all

Squash Supreme-perfect for all

Squash Relish-more extra squash

recipes! Makes a perfect condiment

for sandwiches, soups, beans, etc.!

like the cabbage stew on the diet!

kept in the refrigerator for up to two

an abundance of this vegetable in

Modie's parents and grandparents.

soup, this is the recipe you need!

in the kitchen!

handmade by her father. It fits in a your garden, here is the recipe for

very interesting to see the time and of that summer squash!

Our cooks this week are Modie

Johnson of Detroit and her daughter

Kay Whitley of Blossom. Although

Modie has been featured before, she

always has some good recipes and

besides she called me the other day

when she read about the sauerkraut

recipes and told me that she had the

original dasher from when she helped

her mother make sauerkraut when

The dasher, as far as Modie could

figure was over 70 years old and

tall crock and is used to press the

liquid from the cabbage in order for

the kraut to ferment just right. The

recipe is listed in the column and is

effort that it took to can and make this

ting their recipes and we will see you

We thank these ladies for submit-

she was a little girl.



August 3, 2000 Modie Johnson-Detroit Kay Whitley-Blossom

Original Sauerkraut pounds shredded cabbage

3 tablespoons salt Shred cabbage extra-fine and gradually begin mashing down in a crock jar with a dasher, wooden spoon or your hands until it makes it's own juice. Add salt and place a weight on top and cover with cheesecloth. Let stand in a 75 degree room for 9 to 15 days. Remove scum from top and pack in sterilized jars and hot water bath for about 20 minutes to

- 6 cups diced potatoes
- cup diced onions cup diced carrots
- cup diced celery
- 6 chicken boullion cubes quarts water
- teaspoon salt
- 2 cups milk
- 4 tablespoons flour or cornstarch cup sour cream
- 12 ounces Velveeta cheese
- garlic to taste box chopped broccoli
- Boil first seven ingredients together intil tender. Add the remaining ingredients and simmer until smooth and thick-

Marinated Carrots 5 cups sliced carrots-cooked

- medium sliced onion green pepper-sliced in rounds
- 10-3/4 ounce can tomato soup 1/2 cup salad oil
- l cup sugar 3/4 cup vinegar
- teaspoon salt
- teaspoon pepper

Drain carrots and cool. Mix with pepper and onion. Combine remaining ingredients and stir well. Pour over vegetables. Cover and marinate in refrigerator 12 hours or more.

Scalloped Eggplant I medium eggplant 1/2 cup milk

- small onion-chopped
- l cup dry bread crumbs
- 1/2 cup butter beaten egg
- tablespoons melted butter

cheese over top.

Pare eggplant and cut into l-inch cubes. Cook in boiling, salted water for 8 minutes; drain. Add egg, milk, butter, onion and bread crumbs. Place in greased, one quart baking dish for 30 minutes at 350 degrees. For Spanish Eggplant, substitute 1/2 cup canned tomatoes for milk and sprinkle 1/2 cup grated American

Cabbage Patch Stew 1 pound hamburger meat 1/2 chopped onion garlic to taste

- salt and pepper to taste I small can tomato sauce I can stewed tomatoes
- 2 cans ranch-style beans I small head shredded cabbage

Brown meat with onion and drain. add salt and pepper and garlic along with sauce and tomatoes. Mix well and stir in beans and cabbage. Simmer for 15 minutes or until tender. Squash Supreme

2 cups cooked yellow squash 1/2 cup sour cream 1/2 can cream of chicken soup I grated carrot I small chopped onion bread crumbs

oleo to taste Cook and drain squash; mash with fork or potato masher. Add sour cream, soup, carrots, onion, and salt and pepper to taste. Pour into shallow casserole dish and cover with bread crumbs. Dot with oleo. Bake 35-40 minutes in 350 degree

Squash Relish

- 10 cups ground yellow squash 2 large ground bell peppers 4 cups ground onion 4 tablespoons slat 2-1/4 cups vinegar 4 cups sugar
- 3 hot peppers-optional I tablespoon tumeric I tablespoon powdered mustard

I tablespoon celery seed

add salt. Mix well and cover tightly: refrigerate overnight. Drain; mix remaining ingredients and add to squash mix ture; cook 30 minutes. Place in sterilized jars and water bath for 20 minutes.

Pineapple Ice Box Pie

2 eggs well beaten I cup sugar 1-1/4 cups pineapple juice l package pineapple jello I tall can Pet milk

1/2 cup sugar l teaspoon vanilla graham cracker crust

Boil pineapple juice, eggs and sugar and add jello; cool. Combine milk, 1/2 cup sugar and vanilla; whip. When milk mixture is almost whipped, fold in jello mixture. Pour into crust and chill.

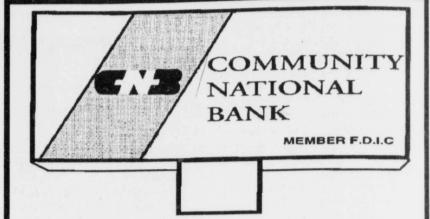
Suzann Holland earns Masters Degree

Suzann Holland has earned her Masters of Education Degree with emphasis in Supervision of Instruction and Curriculum, Gifted and Talented Education and English from Texas A & M University Commerce. With a 4.0 GPA Suzann will graduate during commencement ceremonies on August 12, 2000 on the TAMU Commerce campus.

Suzann has taught at Midolthian High School for nine years. During that time she directed the award winning Pantherette Drill Team for five years, wrote and developed the high school dance curriculum, taught English I Regular, English I Pre-Ad-

vanced Placement, English II and English IV, as well as served as high school English Department Head

As she begins her tenth year as an educator, Suzann will be teaching English I Regular and English I Pre-Advanced Placement at Waxahachie High School. Suzann is the daughter of Steve and Bobbie Holland of Midlothian and the fiance' of Michael Tabb of Red River County. She wishes to thank her family, Michael's family and dear friends for their support in reaching the goal of earning her Masters Degree.



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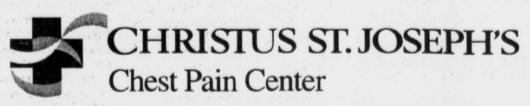
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()bituaries

Robert Shawn Smith dies July 23

Robert Shawn Smith, age 31 of Detroit, died Sunday, July 23 in Parkland Hospital, Dallas.

Services were held Thursday, July 27 at 10:00 a.m. in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with Rev. Larry Solice officiating.

Burial followed in Bluff Cemetery under the direction of Clarksville Funeral Home.

Bearers were Thomas Elrod, Sheen Alley, Joe Miller, Mike Murphy, Steve Jones, Johnny Maynard, Eddie Chesshire and Glen Brown.

Mr. Smith was born August 3, 1968 in Mt. Pleasant, a son of Jerry Von and Josephine Myers Smith.

Surviving are his grandparents, Robert and Evelyn Smith of Detroit; his parents, Von and Josie Smith of Detroit; a son, Robert Tyler Smith of Detroit; a daughter, Shawne Darlene Smith of Detroit; several aunts, uncles, cousins and friends; and a brother, Jeffery Smith of Detroit.

Mary Johnson Parks

lies July 29

Mary Johnson Parks, age 84 of Deport died Saturday, July 29 in the Paris Nursing Home.

Wood Funeral Homes conducted chapel funeral services on Monday, July 31 at 4:00 p.m. with the Rev. Jim Benfer and the Rev. C.G. Renfro officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

She was born December 6, 1915 in Lamar County, the daughter of George and Gertrude Cheatham Johnson. On December 20, 1930 she married Al Parks in Hugo, OK. He preceded her in death February 11, 1991. Two sons, Larry Dewain Parks in 1938 and Burl Parks in 1993 also preceded her in death. Mrs. Parks was retired from Belk's Department Store and was a member of the Deport United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, George and Roberta Parks of Irving; a daughter-in-law, Margie Parks of Paris; four grandchildren, Kathy McFarlin of Paris, Gary Parks of Deport, Britt Parks and Mark Parks of Irving; five greatgrandchidlren, Brandon Spears, Tyler McFarlin, David Parks, Brittany Parks and Brandon Parks; one brother, Ernest Johnson; a half-brother, Norman Tidwel; and two sisters, Mrs. Dean Wright and Mrs. Cora Braley, all of Euless.

Herman Bailey dies June 30

Herman Bailey, age 59, born in Gilmer, TX, died Friday, June 30 in Terrell.

Servics were held at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 5 at Restland Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Michael Waco officiating. Graveside services were held at 4 pm. Wednesday in Bluff Cemetery in Detroit.

Surviving are daughters, Debra Wade and husband Kenneth and Lisa Hoyt and husband Don; a son, Kenneth Bailey and wife Regina; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sisters, Kathryn Clark of Bagwell and Mozelle Dean of Detroit; a brother, Leonard Bailey; and mother and father, Caton and Lucille Bailey of Bagwell.

John Lewis Lynn dies July 30

John Lewis Lynn, age 84 of Blossom, died Sunday, July 30 at his

Bright-Holland Funeral Home held graveside services at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Knights of Honor Cemetery ev. Jimmy Ellis officiating.

Oynn was born January 25, 1916 in Osceola, MO, the son of William and Minnie Mackey Lynn. He met and married Bonnie Ewart, his wife of over 60 years, in Greeley, Colorado.

He served in the Marines in the Pacific Theater during World War II, fighting in the Battle of Iwo Jima. He retired form the Teamsters in California and moved to Texas in 1977.

Surviving are his wife; daughters and son-in-law, Mary Myers and Phyllis and Ona Berry, all of Blossom; a daughter-in-law, Marlayne Gates of Paris; a sister-in-law, Edith Marderosian and husband Martin of California; grandchildren, Cindy

sums, David Berry, Vickie cock, Debbie Jackson, Ricky Myers and Jennifer McElyea, all of Blossom, Michael Gates and Lori Perez of Caliofrnia and Giovanni Scarano of Arizona; 21 great-grandchildren; along with several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a son, Gerald Gates in 1990 and 11 brothers and sisters.

Bearers were Giovanni Scarano, Ricky Myers, David Pitcock, David Berry, Charlie Withers, Michael Sessums and Tommy Ramsey. Alan Dobbs servd as honorary bearer.



Deanie Davis Veach

Deanie Davis Veach

dies July 24

Deanie Davis Veach, age 56, died at her residence in Clarksville on July

Graveside services were held on Friday, July 28, at 10:00 a.m. at the Bogata Cemetery. Wood Funeral Homes had charge of the arrange-

She was born on July 21, 1944 in Oklahoma. Survivors include her mother, Opal Kerley of Bogata; two sons, Randy Sykora of Flower Mound, and William Veach of the US Marine Corps, stationed in Arizona; one daughter, Vickie Lutz of Wylie; one brother, Arol Kerley of Bogata; three sisters, Kathy Alford, Linda Taylor, and Susie McMillan, all of Paris; and five grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Del Davis.

Tollie Eugene Brown dies July 26

Tollie Eugene Brown, age 64 of Paris died Wednesday, July 26 at Christus St. Joseph's Hospital.

Wood Funeral Homes conducted services Saturday, Juy 29 at 11:00 a.m. in New Hope Baptist Church with the Rev. Buddy Greer officiating. Burial was in Union Grove Cem-

Serving as bearers were Calvin Day, Ronnie Reily, Troy Owens, Leslie Towers, Luther Lucas and Robert Johnson.

Mr. Brown was born November 4, 1935 in Rome, Georgia to Tollie D. and Ida Mae Robertrs Brown. He married Dora Faye Parker on December 4, 1953 in Paris. He worked for Lamar County Barn, Precinct 1 for 23 years, retiring in 1996. He was a member of New Hope Baptist

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Faye Brown of Pattonville; three sons, Carl Brown and wife Sherry of Paris, Dale Brown and wife Cindy of Pattonville, and Randy Brown of Paris; one daughter and son-in-law, Deborah and Mike McClain of Pattonville; grandchildren, Rod Brown and wife Pamela, Tonya Newberry and husband Chad, Sandra Bradley, Tenesa Brown, Alicia and Cody Brown, Jennifer and Josh McClain; one brother and sisteroin-law, Clyde and Helen Brown of Paris; several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1974; his mother in 1993; and a brother, Bill Brown in 1990.

Mrs. Neat Massey

dies July 27

Mrs. Neat Massey, age 90 of Bogata, died Thursay, July 27 in the Red River Healthcare Center, Bogata. Wood Funeral Homes conducted

services Saturday, July 29 at 4:00 p.m. in the chapel of the Red River Healthcare Center. Burial followed in Highland Cemetery.

She was born March 9, 1910 in Rugby, the daughter of Elijah Green and Nannie Threadgill Morgan. She married Harley Massey on December 26, 1928. He preceded her in death October 15, 1983. She was also preceded in death by four brothers, Solis, Sidney, Harvey and Travis Morgan; and two sisters, Myrtle Gray and Josie Fennell.

Surviving are two sisters, Ola Bryson and her husband, Howard Ed of Bogata and Gertie Dolan of Temple; several nieces and nephews.

Card of Thanks

The family of Alma Baker Norwood would like to thank family and friends for their love and support, for flowers, food, visits and prayers. We would like to express our appreciation to Red River Health Care for the loving care that they provided for our Mother and Granny for almost three years. Thank you to Wood Funeral Home and especially to James for the uplifting adjustment. The words of praise for Alma by Brother Joe Merrill will always be remembered. We are thankful for a comunity that is always there when you need them. We pray that God will bless you as you have blessed us.

Thank you! The Almer Norwood Family

Mrs. Nora Wood Braswell dies at age 91

Mrs. Nora Wood Braswell, age 91, of Longview died Tuesday, August 1, 2000 at her residence in Longview. Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at the First Baptist Church of Avery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home. The family will receive friends 1-3 p.m. Thursday at the church.

Mrs. Braswell was born August 20, 1908 in Red River County in the Lydia community. The daughter of Lewis William and Mae Florence Medford Wood. She was graduate of Avery High School and received her teachers certificate at East Texas State Teachers College of Com-

She married Kindred P. Braswell on September 22, 1931 in Texarkana, Arkansas. She was a teacher in a one room school house at the Veasy School and was formerly the dietician for Dekalb School system. She was a member of Oakland Heights Baptist Church in Longview. She was a member of the 20th Century Club and the Forum. They lived in Longview since 1974.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her brothers, Choyce, Wheeler, Harold, Buell and Theo Wood. She is survived by one daughter, Mae Frances Kunkle and her husband, Elmer of Shreveport, La. and one son, Bill Braswell and his wife Susan of Highland Village and four grandchildren, Gary Kunkle of Delft, the Netherlands, Cindy Ferree of Wichita, Ks., Brent Braswell of Highland Village and Bryan Braswell of Grapevine and a special Caregiver, Theautrice Brown.

Memorials to Oakland Heights Baptist Church of Longview or 1st Baptist Church of Avery are requested by the family.

Project SAVE

Project SAVE (Sexual Absti-

nence/Values Education), a program

of the Lamar County Coalition of

Education, Business and Industry,

will host a day-long statewide grant

contractors meeting in Paris, Thurs-

day, Aug. 10, for recipients of Title

V monies for abstinence and related

Ausburn made the announcement

this week, saying "We are exceed-

that developed at a statewide meet-

ing in Austin in May. It was obvious

at that time that new grant recipi-

ents, as well as those having prior

experience, needed a forum to ex-

change ideas and resource informa-

tion with each other. In it's third year

of operation, the SAVE project has

been a regular contributor at state

meetings and is recognized as one of

the most well-organized and broad-

based of the grant programs since

the inception of these funds. Hosting

the state meeting seemed an obvious

thing for us to do. We're anticipating

participation from between 25 and

30 contractors across the state, many

of whom have indicated that they are

bringing several people on their

Also attending are four members

from the Medical Institute fro Sexual

Health (MISH), and Jim Underwood,

from the Office of the Governor,

intention to participate. "Abstinence

and values education, as a means of

fighting high teen pregnancy and

SAVE Executive Director Bonnie

pleased to host this, an event

to host state conference

We would like to thank everyone for everything that was done during the illness and death of our loved one, Sally Flowers. Food and most important your prayers. Sally was always smiling, we never heard her complain or cry. She trusted in her Lord

We knew that morning that God was

In death our heart to see you suffer and

But you did not go alone for part of us went with you.

always at our side. Our family chain is broken now and nothing seems the same, but God will call us one by one, and the family chain will

link again. George and Maureen Richardson

Jody Gray honored

Jody Gray was honored with a Housewarming party by his family Sunday afternoon, July 30, 2000. Hosting the party were his uncle and aunt, Jerry and Gerlyn Gray.

Billie Fracis and Willie Mae Gray, Linda Gray, Jennifer and Riley Reeder, Jessica, Danny and Marli Hines, Judy, Heather and Heath Holt and Margaret Davis. Jody received many useful items and everyone had fun giving him "tips" about bachelorhood and housekeeping. Jody will be living near College Station and attending Texas A & M.

sexually transmitted disease rates, has

been a particular priority for Gover-

Ausburn said the conference will

be from nine a.m. to three p.m., in

Heritage Hall, and will provide an

overview of what works and what

doesn't on such subjects as curricu-

lum, marketing/media strategies, col-

laborative efforts, evaluation proce-

dures, medical models, and other sub-

jects pertinent to operating a success-

ful program, Among the program

speakers are Marilyn Ammon and

Becky Mosby from Waco; Art

Coleman from ISH in Austin; David

Walch of the Texas Department of

Health; Leslie Hargrove of La Marque;

and Lori Kuykendall of Richmond,

Texas. Project SAVE speakers in-

clude Bonnie Ausburn, Jennifer

Bryant and Toni Clem. Of particular

interest to those attending is the suc-

cess of the Project SAVE Student

Advisory Board, which has grown

from 10 to 31 members, a youth board

that is pro-active in production of lo-

cal commercials; live TV shows and

cil Director Linda Suarez, who helped

with plans for local accommodations

aid, "We are delighted to have such a

prestigious statewide conference here

in Paris. It demonstrates that success-

ful programs don't just originate in big

cities. Things are happening in small

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decision-making.

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nor George W. Bush.'

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parent company of Guaranty Bank, today reported net income for the second quarter 2000 of \$688,000, an incease of \$131,000 or 23.5% compared with \$557,000 for the same period in 1999. Diluted earnings per share increased \$0.13 or 14.8% to \$0.22 for the three months ended June, 30, 2000 compared with \$0.19 for the three months ended June 30, 1999. Net income for the six months ended June 30, 2000 was \$1.2 million or \$0.39 per diluted share compared to \$1.2 million or \$0.42 per diluted share for the same period of

As a result of the asset volume growth, the Company's net interest income increasd \$683,000 or 27.9% for the second quarter ended June 30, 2000 compared with the same period during 1999. The Company continues to operate in a very competitive interest rate environment and as a result, the Company's net interest margin has decreased 26 basis points from 3.83% to 3.57% for the three month period ended June 30, 1999

and June 30, 2000, respectively. Non-interest income increased for the second quarter from \$655,000 in 1999 to \$868,000 in 2000, or 32.5%. This increased income was generated

Guaranty Bancshares, Inc., the from additional service charges and fee income caused by an increase in customer accounts. Other income increased due to additional income from subsidiaries Guaranty Mortgage Company which generates secondary mortgage loans, BSC Securites, a full service brokerage company and IBS, L.P., a company that performs compliance, loan review and internal audit functions.

Non interest expense increased \$627,000 or 27.3% for the quarter ended June 30, 2000, over the same period of 1999. Salary and benefits expense increased from \$1.2 million in 1999 to \$1.6 million in 2000, an increase of \$413,000 or 33.7%. Full time equivalent staff increased from 146 at June 30, 1999 to 185 at June 30, 2000 due to additional staff relacement in the newly remodeled Paris bank, the Texarkana bank and in the Sulphur Springs and Commerce banks.

Shareholders equity ws \$27.6 million at June 30, 2000. Total Tier 1 capital was equal to 8.33% of average assets.

Guaranty Banschares paid a semiannual dividend of \$0.12 per share on June 23, 2000 to shareholders of record on June 6, 2000.



Stress management PCT auditioning is topic of group

Stress reduction expert Richard Carlson is the best selling author of 'Don't Sweat the Small Stuff' and "It's All Small Stuff". Irene Bryant will review this book at the August 14 meeting of the Bereaved Parent Support Group.

The group will meet at 7 p.m. on August 14 at the TU Electric Building in Paris.

Lorry Smith receives USAA award

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Lorry Ray Smith of Paris was named a United States National Collegiate Award winner in nursing. The award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. The Academy recognizes fewer than 10% of all American college students.

Lorry, who attends Paris Junior College was nominated for this national award by Vicki Bouffleur, an instructor at the college. Lorry will appear in the USAA Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published

The Academy selects winners upon Dorris Parker of Bogata.

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never shop for auto insurance to save

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their windows rather than turn on

their air conditioners to save a buck

The rate variances are simply what

is out there from one company to

or two on a hot day.

However, an on-line survey con-

different insurance companies.

the exclusive recommendation by professors, coaches, counselors and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a professor or college official.

Lorry is the daughter of Jerry Smith Daniel of Tahlequah, Oklahoma. Her grandparents are Jerald Smith and

Texans missing savings on auto insurance

consumers who called or visited

progressive.com between January 1

and June 30, 2000, and received a

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filings with each state's Department

Texas has produced the "Premium

Variance" reports in the past to dem-

onstrate how important it is for con-

sumers to shop around for auto insur-

ance. This does not mean savings can

come from only Progressive but that

Progressive County Mutual of

of Insurance

Nationally, the study showed a

for "Strange Bedfellows"

Paris Community Theatre has rescheduled auditions for the their fall production of Strange Bedfellows, from the original dates of August 6 & 7 to August 21 and 22 at 7:00 p.m. at the theatre. Directed by Tim Wood, the comedy is a Political Farce and will open on October 14 and run through the 22nd. Set in 1896 in the Nob Hill district of San Francisco, a wealthy senator's son has come home to run for Congress touting the party line of conservative politics and against woman's suffrage. The family is surprised to meet his new wife, the leader of the suffrage movement. Hilarity and chaos ensue as the battle of the sexes and the battle of politics is played out in the home of the Senator and his wealthy family. There are roles for 15 women and 7 men. For more information contact Tim Wood at 652-4419 or the Paris Community Theatre, 784-0259 weekdays after 1:00 p.m.

One precedent creates another. They soon accumulate and con-

stitute law. What yesterday was fact, today is doctrine.

The consumer survey was conducted

to point out the differences in priori-

ties of the average person. The 17

question survey showed that Ameri-

cans are very savings conscious when

it comes to bargain hunting for

clothes, cars and electronics but not

said they never shopped around for

their auto insurance and kept the same

insurer year after year. 36% said they

would spend less than one hour to

buy auto insurance, but a whopping

79% will use the telephone book over

directory assistance to save the extra

shop around for their auto insurance

the differences in the cost of the same

policies from leading Texas compa-

nies can be amazing. Everyone is

encouraged to shop around and pos-

The bottom line is people need to

For example, 46% of respondents

for insurance.

—The Letters of Junius

Marty, Rachel and Dean Ward announce the birth of their daughter and sister, Marta Ray Ward born July 26 at Medical City Hospital in Dallas, weighing 8 lbs. 13 oz. and 19 1/4" long. Proud grandparents are Gene and Cecelia Smith of Talco, Barbara Ward and the late Dean Ward of Bogata and great-grandmother, Maud Webb of Deport.



Brittany K. Barnett

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Bogata Lions sponsor bingo at RRH The Bogata Lions Club members Nina Hudson, Dorothy Posey and

were at Red River Healthcare for their monthly Bingo games on July 18, 2000.

Winners for the day were: Hugh Forrester, Sheila Gibson, Billie Hancock, Casey York, Geroge Hancock, games.

Stasha Hume.

Red River Healthcare would like to express their apprecitaiton to the Lions Club for the fun they bring to the residents monthly with the bingo

Upcoming events at RHS

School will soon begin and students must prepare for the coming year. Some upcoming important dates for Rivercrest High School and Junior High students are as follows:

Wednesday, August 2-schedules may be picked up at the school office. Seniors students may pick theirs up from 8:00 am to 10:00 am; Juniors from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon and Sophomores from 1:00 pm to 3:00

Thursday, August 3-Freshman orientation will be held in the Rivercrest cafeteria beginning at 7:00 p.m. All incoming freshman and their parents or new students are encouraged to attend.

Friday, August 4-Drug testing will

ricular activities.

Saturday, August 5-Football equipment check out will be done at the frield house. Senior student should come from 8:00 to 8:30 am; Juniors from 8:30 to 9:00 am; Sophomores from 9:00 to 9:30 am and Freshman from 9:30 to 10:00 am.

Saturday, August 5-Free Physicals will be given for any student in the RISD beginning at 10:00 am in the Rivercrest High School office.

Sunday night/Monday morning August 5-Midnight Madness in the Swamp at the Rebel field house. The first high school football practice will begin at 12:01 am.

Thursday, August 10-The 2000/ 20001 school year will begin with classes starting at 8:00 a.m.

Abigail Fillmore, First Lady of

President Millard Fillmore, cre-



Soybean Field meeting set for August 8th

spring of 2001.

Brittany Barnett

named in Who's Who

Billy and Evelyn Scales and sister of

Jazmin Barnett of Bogata has been

named as a National Who's Who

Student Among American High

School Students. Brittany attends

Commerce High School where she

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Brittany K. Barnett, daughter of

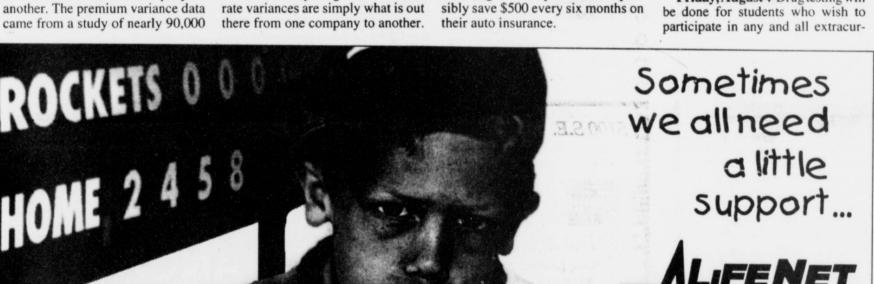
Area producers are invited to attend the soybean field tour that will begin Tuesday, August 8th at 7:00 p.m. on the Don Lawler farm. Dr. Travis Miller, Extension Agronomist and company representatives will lead discussion during the variety tour.

Some twenty-two varieties of Group IV soybeans will be featured in the tour. An evening meal will be served following the tour and is being sponsored by the various seed companies and agri-businesses. Two hours of recertification credit will be available to private pesticide license holders attending.

From Clarksville, travel some miles east on Hwy. 82, then south of FM 412 4.8 miles (watch for signs).



HUNTER MICHAEL HUD-**DLESTON-celebrated his first** birthday July 8, 2000 at his home in Corinth, Tx. with his parents, Mike and Tina, his grandparents, Diana Huddleston of Denton, Ronnie and Faye Huddleston of Corinth and Dana White of Arlington, his great grandparents, Loyce and Ed Huddleston of Bogata. He received a call and gifts from his great grandpa, Carl Henry Burns who was unable to attend. Also attending were his great aunt, Denise Burns of Austin, his aunts, Heather of Denton, Amanda, Geoff and Savannah of Lewisville, cousins, Annette and Mark Hudson of Justin and friends. Hunter received a lot of toys and clothes gifts. Everyone enjoyed the day, especially Hunter even though he didn't care much for the cake he got on his hands.





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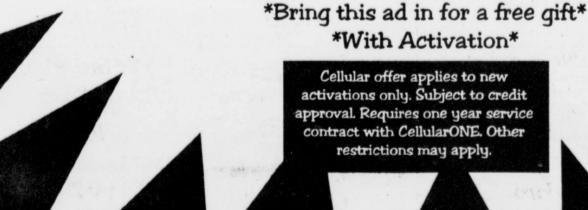


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Please no tablets, rulers, coloring books, etc. No washable crayons. First Grade 36 #2 pencils with erasers 2 pair scissors 1 box crayons, 8

2 box crayons, 16 or 24 count per semester 2-4 oz bottles glue 1 school box pkg. standard ruled notebook paper

large pink erasers 3 pkg. index cards, unruled 6 pocket folders, solid colors/with brads 1 back pack 2 lg. decorated folders, same design

1 fine permanent marker, black l pkg. washable markers, 8 Second Grade 2-4 poz. bottles white glue 2 glue sticks

l roll paper towels

1 pair pointed scissors, 48-#2 pencils 3 boxes crayons, 24 ct. I small school box, no large boxes 2 large boxes tissue 1 pkg. notebook paper, wide ruled,

200 ct. 4 pocket folders, solid colors 1 back pack 2 large decorated folders, same design 1 roll paper towels

I fine point permanent marker 1 hi-lighter 1 large pink eraser No Trapper keepers, please Third Grade small school box, 8"x 5"

I large box tissue 1 pair scissors 5 folders with pockets and brads 5 pkg. notebook paper, wide ruled,

ated a stir by installing a bathtub in the White House. Bogata Elementary School Supplies Kindergarten Back Pack 1 box crayons, 48 ct. 4 push up glue sticks 6 dz. #2 pencils per semester

2 black markers, permanent I ruler with metric & standard measure 2 big pink erasers 1 box baggies 1 pkg. classic colors markers, wide-tip, permanent If any of these items are not available, save your money until they are. Fourth Grade

2 boxes tissue 6 pkgs. notebook paper, wide ruled 5-70 page wide ruled spirals 2 push up glue sticks pair scissors box 48 count crayons plastic zipper bag, no school boxes ruler, standard and metric pkg. wide tip markers

2 pocket folders with brads 2 red pens for grading 1 highlighter marker

1 roll paper towels 20-#2 pencils Pencil sharpener Fifth Grade #2 pencils 2 red pens

Black or blue pen, optional 2 pkg. dividers 2 large boxes tissue 2 pkgs. wide ruled notebook paper 1 ruler, metric and standard 1 pair scissors

1 box crayons 1 pkg. map colors White Glue 2 pocket folders without brads 2 pocket folders with brads

3 large polybinders, soft plastic notebook 2 highlighters Protractor Pencil bag or box for supplies

No Trapper keepers or hardback notebooks Pre-Kindergarten l back pack 2 big pencils

6 large white glue 2 box-8 basic primary crayons 1 school box Scissors, blunt, no plastic 2 boxes wipes Change of clothes 1 box markers, washable 2 pocket folders

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Haletha and Granville Jones of Commerce visited her mother, Helen Williams Wednesday.

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Bren Screws of Deport visited her grandparents, Donald and Judy Screws and Aunt Tana Screws Wednesday and Thursday last week. Phil, Casey and Audrey Moore of

lleen, Tx. took Raymond and Lou a Franklin to Williston, North Dakota for the July 22, 2000 wedding of Anna Golden to Nathan Bergman. On the way, they visited Shan and David Norwood in Eaton, Colorado and Garvon and Cindy Golden in Sturgis, South Dakota.

Happy August Birthday to Kara Screws, Evelyn Roach, Lydia Hawkins, Dixie Stringfellow, Wayne Stringfellow, Joshua and Jacob Stringfellow, Lucille Childers, william Stringfellow, Jack Rhodes, Craig Eudy, Bill Mabry, Tony Livingston, Jaime Cortez, Lee Hood, Jamie Daniels, Tevor Ellison, Ryan Hawkins, Kevin Williams, Joyce Rhodes, Jana Weatherall and Glenda Corbell.

Mike, Kara and Hali Screws of port visited Thursday with Donald Judy Screws and Tana. They

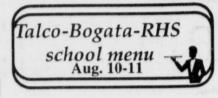
were returning home from Crosby where Kara participated with the Red River Valley Belles All Star team who not only won the State Championship but went undefeated in the

Wednesday Dixie Stringfellow, Jan McCuller and Kenneth York went to Denton to Betty Joy Puckett's home. milk Thursday Betty and Dixie took Kenneth on to his home in Cisco. Jan and Breakfast Dixie returned to Bogata on Friday and Jan stayed overnight before returning to her home in Mt. Pleasant on Saturday.

Jerry and Gerlyn Gray, Margaret Davis, Jessica, Danny and Marli Hines, Bobby and Pansy Hines spent last week camping and fishing at Lake Sardis, Oklahoma. They report the fishing was good and the weather quite comfortable for this time of year. All had a wonderful time and hated to return home.

Joan Mabry is reported doing well following surgery at a Dallas hospital

Lunch guest on Monday with Edna Earl Dodd was her sister, Dixie String-



Thursday

Breakfast Cinnamon rolls graham crackers w/peanut butter uice & milk

Rosie applesauce

Friday

toast juice & milk Lunch Hamburgers seasoned beans chips ice cream





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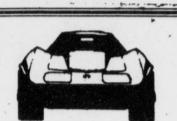


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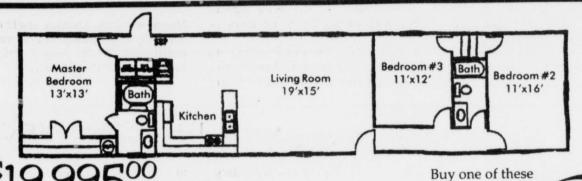




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THE Rivercrest UMYF enjoyed a camp and canoe trip at Beavers Bend State Park recently. The group poses here before their trek and trip. (Staff Photo)



THE RIVERCREST United Methodist Youth Fellowship gather before going down the Mountain Fork river at Beaver's Bend State Park recently. (Staff Photo)

MYF canoes into fun

The newly formed Rivercrest Clark, Jeremy Ward, Zach Ward, youth and nine adult sponsors traveled their way down Little River. The group had a wonderful time. A few collisions and canoe wrecks were had, but all returned safely home with a new respect for traveling by paddle and boat.

Those attending were Matt Simmons, Misty Simmons, Kerri Simmons, Kristin Simmons, Jaci Jaggers, Micah Upchurch, Jean Upchurch, Amy Holt, Nicky O'Donnell, Amanda Middleton, B.A. Middleton, Duree Williams, Cody

Methodist Youth Fellowship group Nicki Burgess, Chance Belcher, went canoeing on Saturday, July 30 Carla Belcher, Brodie Belcher, Matin Broken Bow, OK. A total of 28 thew Ross, Sam Stanley, T.J. Williams, Joe Stewart, Craig Eudy, Linda White, Chris Cannon, David Rosson, Wendy Stewart, Alicia Reynolds, Leigh Faulkner, Ryan and Marla Ballard, John and Kristi Purviance, Russell and Frances Covington and Bro. Kenny Dickson.

The Rivercrest MYF mets every Wednesday night in the summer at John Purviance's home in Cuthand for swimming and Bible Study at 6 p.m. For information or a ride, call John Purviance at 632-4469 or Kenny Dickson at 632-5241.

Judgement is not upon all occasions required, but discretion

-Lord Chesterfield

Courses scheduled at PJC

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Paramedic and EMT classes will begin soon and run through December. Students must have current CPR certification and have completed the EMT I class or be EMT I eligible.

An EMT intermediate class will begin September 5. Current CPR certification is required as well as successful completion of the EMT basic class.

To register for these or more information, call 782-0447 or 782-

Red River County Sheriff's Report July 23-29

July 23:. Assault victim at ETMC; male arrested on view on offense driving while intoxicated; report of unauthorized use of motor vehicle on FM1159; report of activated alarm on FM910; report of family disturbance in Detroit.

July 24: Inmate transported to county jail on offense of evading arrest or detention; male arrested on Sacramento, CA parole violation warrant; theft in Detroit; inmate transported back to Fannin County; miscellaneous incident in Detroit; report of family disturbance.

July 25: Activated alarm in Avery; traffic hazard on FM44 south; report of noise disturbance on 37 north; inmate released with credit for time

July 26: Male arrested on view on offense of driving while intoxicated; abandoned vehicle in Annona; recovered stolen vehicle on CR3220; welfare concern; theft of services in Bogata; male arrested on Lamar County warrant and Smith County warrants; male arrested for false report to a peace officer; report of suspicious person in Annona area; report of fire on 37 south.

July 27: Inmate released to Lamar County on their warrants; reckless driving on Hwy. 82 west; animal

complaint on FM412 and impounded animals; welfare concern on FM1159; male arrested on issuance of bad check x2; reckless driving on Hwy. 82 west; report of suspicious circumstances; inmate released with time to pay fine per judge.

July 28: Report of activated alarm in Bogata; Bowie County inmates transported to Red River County jail for housing and transported six to TDCJ; welfare concern in Annona; minor accident on Hwy. 82 west; panic alarm at courthouse; inmate released with credit for time served per Fannin County; inmate transported to county on offense of fictitious tag and possession of marijuana; report of burglary of building in Lydia; report of animal complaint at

July 29: Request to assist other agency at Clarksville Police Department; report of structure fire on CR1345; report of minor accident in Avery; major accident on Hwy. 37 south; minor accident on Hwy. 82 west of Avery; animal complaint on FM1701 west of Avery; structure fire on FM910; male arrested on Lamar County theft by check warrant.

Red River County Jail currently

holds 62 inmates.

Johntown MBC holds Bible school

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Vacation Bible School at Johntown Missionary Baptist Church was held Saturday, July 29, 2000 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The weather was warm and sunny and a lot of actvities were held outside.

The theme for this year's program was "Stop the Presses". A total of 79 attended and several visitors joined

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the group for the closing program. The day was filled with Bible study,

crafts, games, snack times and a pizza lunch. The closing program ended outside where the children released balloons with a Bible verse in themand enjoyed watching them drift away and wondering who might find them.

JOHNTOWN NEWS

By Jana Hawkins

James and Pauline Gibbs, Jana, Heather and Hana Hawkins enjoyed shopping and eating at Chili's on Monday night in Paris.

Vacation Bible School is the main talk right now at JMBC, all the workers and teachers are working around the clock on the decorations for their rooms, music, games, planning refreshements and a pizza meal, go ting the sno cone machine ready, studying God's word for each lesson so that it will touch the hearts of all that attend.

James and Pauline Gibbs, Randy and Barbara Gibbs visited with Jana and Hana Hawkins Sunday evening. They were looking at the new progress that has been made on Mark and Jana's home this week.

Sarah Jean, Larry Wayne Neeley and Haley Hawkins enjoyed visiting together and riding 4 wheelers on Saturday.

Vacation Bible School was held Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Johntown Missionary Baptist Church. The day was warm and sunny and alot of activities were held out side. The theme this year was "Sto

the Presses". A total of 79 attended and several visitors joined the group for the closing program. The day was filled with Bible lessons, snack times, music, crafts, games and a pizza lunch. A closing program ended outside where each child released a balloon filled with a Bible verse.

Ashley Beers and Haylee Gandy were overnight guest of Haley and Heather Hawkins on Monday night.

Harold, Dana, Kala and Larry Wayne Neeley resently enjoyed vacationing in Richwood, Tx. They visited with relatives, Clinton and Brenda Majors. While there they visited Texas Sea Center, Freeport, Tx. and were taken on a personal tour by Pat Forret who is a friend and neighbor of the family. They then visited Moody Gardens in Galveston where they enjoyed the Rain Forest, Discovery and Aquarium pyramids as well as 3D movies and 3D coaster rides. On Sunday, they traveled to Houston to a Houston Astro game at Enron Field. The Astros won the game against Kansas City Royels 9-6. While traveling home they went to Austin for 4 days where they saw the bats fly from the town of Lake Bridge and spent two days at Slitterbawn Water Park in New Braunfields. On Friday Dawn, Kelsey and Tyler Jean traveled with the Neeley's to Grand Prairie where they surprised their aunt, Ernestine Mauldin and Dorothy Kennemon who was visiting from Washington State. Dale Jean met the family for dinner and visiting. Later that night they traveled home to Johntown. Larry Wayne Neeley came to visit for a week with the Neeley's.

Saturday, Calvin and Myra Permenter hosted a fish fry at their home. Attending were Harold, Dana and Larry Wayne Neeley, Bro. Ronnie and Kay Stewart, Bro. Billy and Mary Lou Daniels, Ryan, Darla, Holly and Allix Brunson and Bro. Larry and Dorothy Neeley.

Bro. Larry and Dorothy Neeley spent the night with Harold and Dana Neeley Saturday night. On Sunday Bro. Neeley brought the message at the Liberty Missionary Baptist Church in Detroit.

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http://www.red-river.net/restoration.htm



Crack bust made in Ladonia

On July 26, the Regional Control Substance Apprehension Program, with the assistance of Ladonia Department, Bonham Police Sartment and Fannin County Sheriff's Office, conducted an undercover operation in the City of Ladonia, which netted approximately 30 grams of crack cocaine from Robert Plax Scott, black male, age 25, from Ladonia.

Officers made an undercover buy from Scott at his residence. During this operation, Scott stated he had to obtain more crack cocaine to sell. Of-

ficers waited for Scott to return with the crack cocaine and an arrest was then made of Scott and two other individuals. After further investigation, the other two individuals were released.

Scott was charged to deliver a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance. Scott was arraigned by Justice of the Peace Joe Dale, at which time his bonds were set at \$100,000. This is an ongoing investigation of the cooperating agencies and more arrests are likely in the near future.



Mayes family reunion held July 16

Relatives of the late Charlie and Lula Horten Mayes met Sunday. July 16, 2000 at the Bogata Community Center. This year was the highest attendance ever recorded with 86 present. Charlie and Lula have since passed away; however, their grandchildren and great grandchildren are definitely keeping the family tradition a success. In keeping with tradition, the food was bountiful and delicious. Prayer was led by Ed Lenaway. The Mayes family is known for their mouth-watering main dishes and their r so satisfying sweets. With all the siting that was going on, they still

managed to play a few games and judge a few contest. Contest winners were; Best Entree-Dorothy Tackett, with her cornbread dressing; Best Pie-Wilma

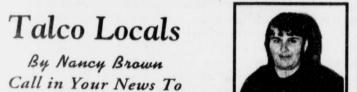
Mayes Eason, with her coconut pie;

379-4445 or 632-5322

Best Veggie-Rose Stringer, with her potato vegetable medley; Best Cake-Sonia Corbin, with her strawberry cake; Oldest Mayes present, Randall

One game all enjoyed was Touchy Feely, where each husband was blindfolded and had to feel his way through a line and identify his wife. Some of the men did this quickly, others insisted they must go through the line

Many had to travel to attend and all insisted it was well worth the trips. Toward the end of the day, many were discussing plans for next years reunion at the Bogata Community Center and Thomas Park which pleased everyone and offered the children fun things to do. Overall, the Mayes family reunion was a-mayes-



Charles Graf and Katherine retunred Judy Tate to her home in Alabama Tuesday. Mrs. Tate had visited with the Graf's and her sisters Ella Mae and Joy while here. They returned home on Wednesday.

Brian Rivers, son of Bryan and Susan Jones of Winfield was in on leave from the U.S. Army recently. He and his family celebrated his homecoming at Two Senorita's in Mt. Pleasant Friday, July 28, 2000. Attending were: Byan and Susan Jones, Roger and Lou Hall, Clay and Chasity Francis, Camen and Caley, Mason Stewart, Jabo and Merry Robertson, Nita Robertson, John, Karen and Emily Mead of Hughes Springs and his grandparents, Kenneth and Mildred Carroll of Negely. Brian is classified an E 3 in the Army and

will return to his station in Korea following his leave. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith, Melanie and Aaron returned last week from a vacation in San Antonio where they visited the Alamo, the Riverwalk , Sea World and enjoyed shopping. On the return trip home they stopped at the State Capitol in Austin and

and Leon Dunn. Kelly and Judy McCuller and children enjoyed a trip to Sea World in

dropped Aaron off at his home in

Lufkin where they visited with Sally

San Antonio last week. Ann and Herb Ellis of Pensicola, Florida returned home Thursday after a 2 week visit with Cindy Watts, Mellisa, Scott and Avanlea Sinclair, Tawala Padgett and Steve, Tina, Susan and Camron Finney in Blue

Happy August Birthdays to Jana Weatherall, Tina Nolen, Patty Kuhl,

Vickie Howard, Avanlea Sinclair, Jerrica and Jessica Weatherall, Zonetta Hawkins, Tonya Hawkins, Beth Myracle, Justin Smith, Eddie Brown, Trisha Pittman, Mona Allen, Lou Hall, Becky Linthicum, Sheila Johnson, LeKeitha Savage, Amber Forsyth, Laci Taylor, Danica Easterling, Misti Richeson and Lorena Parker.

Karen Jones and Tammy Threadgill were in Tyler Thursday where Tammy had a doctor's appointment. She is reported doing well.

Sympathy is extended to Sharon Price and family during the loss of . her mother, Elsie Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown visited • with John D. Wright and family on • Tuesday evening. They enjoyed supper at El Chico's in Mt. Pleasant before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and Melanie attend funeral services for Elsie Walter in Gainsville on Mon-

Joan Mabry is reported doing well following surgery at a Dallas hospital on Monday.

Chasity and Clay Francis were sur-prised with a birthday party in honor of her birthday July 18 and his birthday July 19 at Two Senorita's in Mt.
Pleasant on July 18. Attending and enjoying the meal and birthday cake were the couple's daughters, Camen Calvin and Caley Francis, parents, Roger and Lou Hall, of Talco Jabo and Merry Robertson, Nita Robertson and Mason Stewart all of Mt. Pleasant and Bryan and Susan Jones • of Winfield. Everyone enjoyed the evening and Chasity and Clay were completely surprised.

Resident, Dorothy Posey-Marga-

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Resident, Ada Holmes-Ruth Lee.

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Resident, Marie Legate-Sammy,

Resident, Ben Morris-David Ros

Resident, Inez Henson-Richard

Resident, Beulah Pierce-Inez Gill

Resident, Melvin Pointer-Daphne

Resident, George Hancock-Inez

and visit family and friends today.

ret Smith, Duane, Sandra and Kim

Benson and Shirley Smith.

Joshua and Stacie.

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Bogata V.F.W. Post 8187 News

day night at 7:00 p.m. *Post is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:00 p.m. until 12:00 midnight. and Saturday from 12:00 noon until 1:00 a.m.

*Meeting time is 2nd and 4th Mon-

*Thursday at 7:00 p.m. is 42 playing time and Pool and shuffleboard are open all the time.

* The VFW will be starting a pool tournament on Tuesday night at 7:00 pm. Everyone is invited to come out for competition and fellowship.

*Happy August Birthdays to George Smith, Aug. 8, Earlene Miller Aug. 23, Bill Carr Aug. 23, Jim Smyth Aug. 24 and Billy Burl Cawley.

*Get Well Soon to June and Rick Kellen, Melvin and Daphne Pointer, Bill and Mildred Eudy, Jean Smith, Betty Mullins and Marget Bean.



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Red River Healthcare News

ret Smith.

Visiting residents at Red River Kaye, Brian, Craig, Jared and Alexis. Healthcare this past week were; Resident, Stasha Hume-Weldon

Resident, Leonard Fuller-Jimmy and Ruth Hurt.

Resident, Vernona Young-Carol Young, Erica McDonald, Jalen Fos-

Resident, Pauline Alsobrook-Mary Ann Williams, Sue Martin, Travis, Tabitha and Vanessa Henry

Resident, Gladys Tucker-Clifton, Nelda and Donnie Tucker. Resident, Percy Topping-Norvil

Martin, Scooter Martin, Carrine Alford, Lucille and Jack Pettit. nt, Gladys Garretson-Bill

and Beverly Capel, Brenda Mewborn and Hanna Louderman. Resident, Dorothy Green-Charlene

Knowles, Miranda and Larry Thomas, Henry and Barbara Williams. Resident, Norman Sain-Charlene Knowles, Henry and Barbara Will-

Resident Hugh Forrester-Priscilla Blair, Ricky and Corbin Blair.

Resident, Ann Cody-Bill Cody. Resident, Nina Hudson-Sid and

David Hudson. Resident, Geraldine Ogg-Jeri

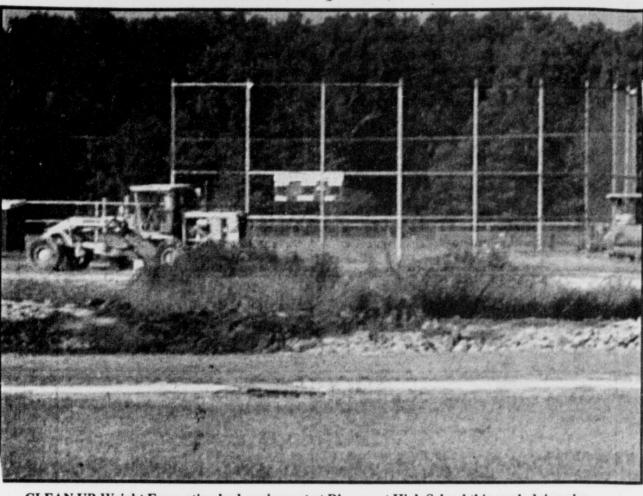
The Lennox Health Resource Cenpated at 114 North Walnut, ksville, TX. will sponsor a "Health Alert" Wednesday, August 9, 2000 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The event will be free to all adult citizens of Red River County regardless of age, sex or income. Services

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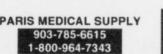
CLEAN UP-Wright Excavating had equipment at Rivercrest High School this week doing clean up work between the back of the school and the boys baseball field. The old sewer ponds were filled in and the extra space will prodive more room for activities at the school. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

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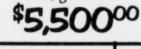
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To get free or reduced-price meals for your child, you must complete an application for Free and Reduced Price Meals form and return in

Households getting food stamps or TANF. You only have to include your child's name and case number, and an adult household member

Households that do not get food stamps or TANF. If you do not have a case number, you must include the names of all household members he amount of income each person received last month and where the income came from. An adult household member must sign the form and

iclude his or her social security number, or indicate that he or she has no social security number. Households with a foster child. You must include the child's name and the amount of "personal use" income the child received last month,

Will the form be verified? Your eligibility may be checked at any time during the school year. School officials may ask you to send written

vidence that shows that your child should get free or reduced price meals. Can I appeal the school's decision? You can talk to school officials if you do not agree with the school's decision on your form. You also as ask for a fair hearing by calling or writing to: Gary VanDeaver, Superintendent, 903-632-5204 at Rt. 1, Box 253, Bogata, Texas 75417 Must I report changes? If your child gets free or reduced price meals because of your income, you must tell us if your household size decreases, or if your income increases by more than \$50 per month or \$600 per year. If your child gets free meals because your household gets

ood stamps or TANF, you must tell us when you no longer get these benefits. Will information on my form be kept confidential:? We will use the information on your form to decide if your child should get free or duced price meals. We may inform officials with other child nutrition, health and education programs of the information on your form to

etermine benefits for those programs or for funding and/or evaluation purposes. Can I apply for free and reduced price meals later? You may apply free and reduced price meals at any time during the school year. If ou are not eligible now but have a change, like a decrease in household income, an increase in household size, become unemployed or get

ood stamps or TANF, complete another form then.

You will be notified when your application is approved or denied
RIVERCREST SCHOOL DISTRICT/CHARTER SCHOOL CARTA A LAS FAMILIAS

PROGRAMA NACIONAL DE ALMUERZOS ESCOLARES/PROGRAMA DE DESAYUNOS ESCOLARES 2000-2001 Estimados padres/apoderados:

Rivercrest I.S.D. school ofrece comidas saludables para escoger todos los dias de clase. Los ninos pueden comprar almuerzo a \$1.20 y desayuno a \$.55 y merienda despues escuela N/A. Los ninos que califican de acuerdo a las pautas del Departamento de Agricultura de los EE.UU. pueden obtener comidas gratuitas o al precio rebajado de \$.40 para el almuerzo, y a \$.30 para el desayno y a N/A para meriende despues escuela. Todas las comidas que se sirven deben cumplir con las normas de nutricion establecidas por el Departamento de Agricultura de los EE.UU. Si un nino tiene una discapacidad, segun lo haya determinado un medico y la discapacidad no permite que el nino coma la comida escolar regular, la escue 3 la hara las sustituciones prescritas por el medico. Si se necesita una sustitiucion, no habra costo adicional por la comida. Sin embargo, por favor tengan en cuenta que las escuela no esta obligada a hacer una substitucion por una alergia a un alimento, a menos que

cumpla con la definicion de discapacidad. Por favor llamen a la escuela para solicitar mayor informacion. Su hijo obtener comidas escolares gratuitas si usted recibe cupones para alimentos, o Asistencia Provisinal para Famiolias Nec (TANF). Si el ingreso total de su grupo familiar es igual o inferior al monto en el Cuadro de Ingresos, su hijo puede recibir comidas ya

Los grupos familiares que reciben cupones para alimentos, TANF. Solo tienen que incluir el nombre de su hiji y el numero del caso y un miembro adulto del grupo familiar debe firmar el formulario. Los grupos familiares que no reciben cupones para alimentos, o TANF. Si no tienen un numero de caso, deben incluir los nombres de todos

los milembros del grupo familiar, el monto del ingreso que cada persona obtuvo el mes pasado de donde provino el ingreso. Un miembro adulto del grupo familiar debe firmar el formulario y debe incluir su numero de seguro social o indicar que no tiene uno.

Los grupos familiares con un nino a cargo de los servicios sociales. Deben incluir el nombre del nino y el monto de ingreso para "uso personal" que el nino recibio el mes pasado y un adulto debe firmar el formulario.

Se verificara el formulario? En cualquier momento durante el ano escolar se puede comprobar su elegibilidad. Los funcionarios escolares

es pueden pedir que manden evidencia escrita que demuestre que su hijo debe redcibir comidas escolares gratuias o a precio rebajado. Puedo apelar la decision de la escuela? Puede hablar con los funcionarios escolares si no esta de acuerdo con la decision de la escuela sobre

su formulario. Tambien puede pedir una audiencia imparcial llamando o escribiendo a: Gary VanDeaver, Superintendent, 903-632-5203 al Rt. 1, Box 253, Bogata, Texas 75417. Debo notificar los cambios? Si su hijo recibe comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado debido a su ingreso, debe decirnos si el tamano de su grupo familiar disminuye o si sus ingresos aumentan en mas de \$50 al mes o \$600 al ano. Si su hijo recibe comidas gratuitas debido a que su group familiar recibe cupones para alimentos, o TANF debe avisarnos cuando ya no reciba esos beneficios.

Se mantendra confidencial la informacion en mi formulario? Usaremos la informacion en su formulario para determinar si su hijo debe recibir comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado. Podemos informar a los funcionarios encargados de otros programas de nutricion infantil, salud educacion sobre la informacion en su formulario para determinar los beneficios para esos programas o para proposistos de financiamiento

Puedo solicitar mas adelante comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado? Puede solicitar comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado en cualquie momento durante el ano escolar. Si no es elegible ahora, pero tiene un cambio, como una dismunicion en el ingreso del grupo familia aumento en al tamano del grupo familiar, queda cesanta u obtiene cupones para alimentos, TANF, complete un formulario en ese mom Le haremos saber si se aprueban o niegan los beneficios.

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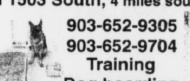
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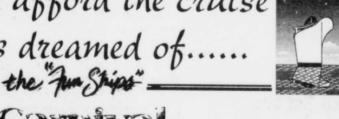
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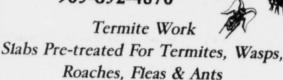
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ers, washer, dryer, gas heater, cooking utensils, linen. SHOP EQU(IPMENT: Snapper lawn mower, rear tine tiller, anvil, air compressor, gas

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tion or we have limited funds for purchase. Also table, chairs, filing cabinet. Please call 903-632-5999. tfcnc

shift and part time evening shift. Call Alice Perry at Red River Haven, 903-632-5293. MA 8-10

homes. To apply, come by 3195 Lamar in Paris or call 785-4070. 8-3

REMEMBER, we don't charge for free pets, or for your lost or found animals, we want them to have a home! Call 652-4205 or 632-5322.

<u>Garage</u> Sales

CACKLEBERRY'S: Crafts, angels, gifts, lawn furniture, Adirondacks. Hwy. 271 south, six miles from Talco. Open Thursday through Saturday or call anytime 577-7158 or 572-3825.

GARAGE SALE: Old County Line store in Deport, Saturday, August 5, 8:00 until 3:00. Antiques, glassware, clothes, dishes, lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: Friday, August 4 and Saturday, August 5, 8 a.m. until ?? Clothes, men's, women's and baby's (various sizes), 4 wheeler, toys and tons of stuff. 600 South Howison, Bogata. next to Rodeo Arena, home of Justin and Lisa Roach. 8-3

THREE FAMILYPORCH SALE at Thedford Housing in Bogata between apartments 9 & 10. Thursday and Friday, August 3-4, 7 a.m. until ?? Clothes and a little of everything. 8-3

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, August 5, 501 North Main, Bogata. Bedroom furniture, soft antique couch, clothes, lots of new items 1/2 price, toys, dishes, pictures, etc. 8-3

FREE

FREE TO GOOD HOME: Two small male puppies, found on bridges be-tween Johntown and Talco. One black & sable, other black & tan. 903-632-4032. 8-3nc

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Talco School Supply List 2000/2001

Pre-Kindergarten

l back pack

2 big pencils 6 large Elmer's Glue (white)

2 boxes of 8 basic primary crayons 1 school box

scissors (blunt) no plastic 2 boxes baby wipes

change of clothes 2 pocket folders

Please put your child's name on all supplies.

Kindergarten Change of clothes

1 mat 1 school box

3 boxes colors (no markers)

1 pair of scissors (blunt) no plastic 3 large Elmer's Glue (white)

1 back pack 2 boxes of Kleenex

2 packs of # 2 pencils

2 pocket folders 1 pack of baby wipes

First Grade 1 school box 2 large boxes of Kleenex

10 # 2 pencils 1 large Elmer's glue

1 pair of scissors 1 box 24 count crayons 2 writing, tablets (1st grade)

1 pack notebook paper (wide rule) 2 pocket folders

2 spiral notebooks 2 large pink erasers 2 packs blank index cards

1 Hide cover Second Grade 1 school box

1 large box of Kleenex 20 # 2 pencils 1 large Elmer's Glue

1 pair of scissors (pointed) 2 boxes of colors (no markers) 2 writing tablets

I package of notebook paper (wide

4 pocket folders with brads I large spiral notebook 1 ruler (inches and centimeters)

I heavy duty folders Third Grade

6 pencils every six weeks 1 school box 1 box crayons

2 boxes of Kleenex 1 back pack or book bag (a must) 1 pair of scissors Fiskars brand 2 large spiral notebooks (wide ruled)

3 packages of notebook paper (wide

ruled) 1 box map colors 2 packages 3 x 5 index cards

1 red pen 1 large eraser

No Trapperkeepers, please 1 Elmer's glue 2 Blue folders

P.E. clothes and gym shoes 1 roll paper towels **Fourth Grade**

1 school box 1 box of crayons 1 box of map colors 1 pair of scissors 1 box of Kleenex

1 bottle of glue 2 dry erase markers 1 ruler with both English and Metric 1 package of index cards (3 x 5) 2 packages of notebook paper (wide

ruled) 1 red pen 1 package of erasable ink pens (black) 1 package of pencils 3 spiral notebooks (wide ruled)

2 pocket folders P.E. clothes and gym shoes 1 container of 40 ct. Wet Ones wipes 1 large eraser

PILGRIM'S

Fifth Grade

1 box of crayons 1 box of map colors

1 pair of scissors I bottle of glue

1 ruler with both English and metric 1 package of index cards (3 x 5) with

2 packages of notebook paper 1 red pen

I package of pencils 1-2 inch ring binder notebook (no trapperkeepers please) 3 thick highlighters

I box of gallon size ziplock bags 1 folder with brads P.E. clothes and gym shoes

1 spiral notebook Sixth/Seventh/Eighth Grades

Social Studies package map colors package of markers 1 pair of scissors

2 folders 1 bottle of glue **English**

pocket folder 1 large spiral notebook 1 package notebook paper

2 black pens 1 red pen Science package notebook paper

1 blue and 1 black pen

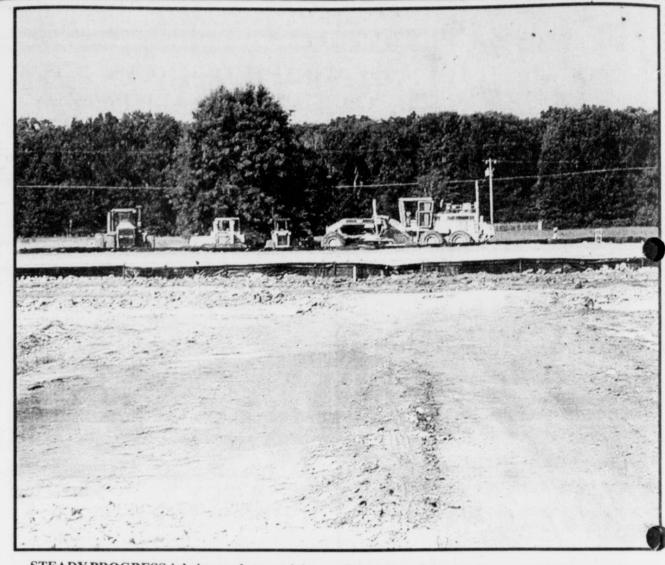
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Math 2 pencils

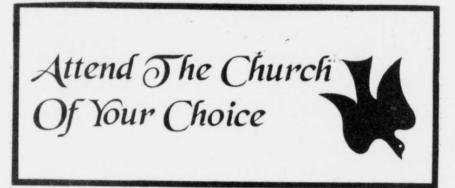
1 large spiral notebook l pocket notebook with brads 1 large pink eraser Reading

I pocket folder 1 red pen 2 black pens

1 package of notebook paper



STEADY PROGRESS-is being made toward the new Elementary School at Rivercrest. The dirt work for the building is almost complete and the construction of the building will begin sometime next week. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



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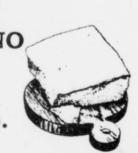
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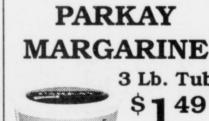
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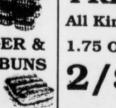
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