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## Rebelettes Rumble Over Ore City

The Rivercrest Rebelettes began their quest for a third consecutive District Championship Friday, January 2, by leaving behind their slump at the Duncanville Tournament and taking an enormous 91-22 win over Ore City.

The Rebelettes have worked very hard and are considered one of the top AA teams in Texas. Coach Frank Stubblefield said, "The girls need the support of the local fans as they work to repeat a State Championship for 1981." They are looking forward to playing on their home court for this

reason. So far all but three of their pre-district games have been on the road, many very far away.

Judy Via claimed top honors by scoring 20 points against Ore City. Veronica Howerton produced 14 big ones, with Monica Belcher contributing 13. Scotti Wood and Sarah Scales produced 12 apiece. Donna Hines and Jean Norman contributed 8 each, and Debbie Mankins four.

The girls had no trouble throughout the entire game with Ore City. The score at the end of the first quarter was 30-8. In the second

quarter the Rebelettes held them to only four points. The second half saw the Rebelettes scoring forty points to Ore City's ten.

The game served to put the girls back on top after losing a close game in the first round of the 30th Annual S.W.A.U. Duncanville Tournament on December 29.

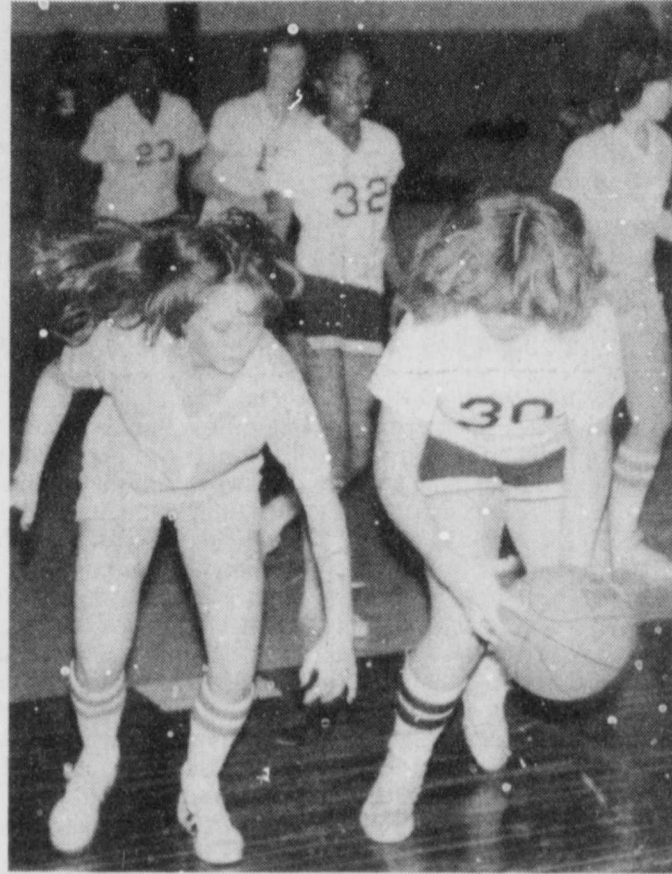
They played against the Wichita Falls Hirshi and lost a heart-breaker at 48-46. They then went on to win their next four games for the Consolation Championship.

In consolation play, they defeated Granbury 66-48, Cypress Fairbanks 54-51,

Cooper 58-45 and Phillips in an overtime game, 54-50. Scotti Wood was selected as a first team All-Tournament selection. Veronica Howerton was named to the All-Tournament third team.

In all five games, the girls showed outstanding scoring abilities, plus some excellent ball handling.

The Rebelette fans can look forward to some more exciting action during the upcoming play and are urged to "come on out".



OH NO YOU DON'T—This eighth grade Rebelette keeps the ball to herself as an Avery

bulldogette attempts to steal it in last week's game. (Staff Photo by Glen Glosson)

### Seal Coating Bids Scheduled

Bids for seal coating over 62 miles of highways in Delta, Fannin, Hunt and Red River Counties are scheduled to be received in January by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The work will consist of seal coating the roadways with an application of asphalt and rock to promote waterproofing and help maintain pavement strength.

Paris District Engineer Robert S. Thornburrow said seal coating will be applied to portions of the following highways: Delta County, SH 24; Fannin County, SH 78; Hunt County, SH 50, SH 24 and FM 512; and Red River County, US 82.

## Rebels Drop Leonard Games

The Rivercrest Rebels played inspired basketball against the taller and quicker Sam Rayburn Rebels, but fell in defeat by a score of 65-53. The Rebels led in the game for three quarters, but were outscored in the final quarter by a score of 22-9.

Rivercrest was able to contain Sam Rayburn's Billy Mize and held him to 11 points. This was the 6'3" posts lowest total of the season. However, Karl Taylor, Rayburn's 6'6" post had free roaming under the basket and put in 25 points for Rayburn. This raised Rayburn's season record to 13-1.

For three quarters the Rebels of Rivercrest played perhaps their best game of the season, but missed several easy shots in the last quarter to let Rayburn sneak away with the victory. The Rebels had three players in double figures as Stan Wood had six field goals for 12 points, James Strickland had 11 points from the post position, and Roger Edge, 5'6" forward, had 10 points. Other players seeing action on the varsity and contributing were Bobby Thompson, John Hines with six points, Bradley Moore, Tony Cline, Terry Fulbright, Rusty Reeder, David Rozell with five points and David

Weissingner with eight points.

The Rebels, after a hard game Monday, could not get their press, nor fast break going Tuesday and fell in defeat to the Wylie Pirates, 59-38. Wylie jumped out to 17-11 first quarter lead and the Rebels could not overcome the tree-top Pirates as the District favorites of District 17 AAA had three players over 6'4". The Rebels fell behind at the half by a score of 31-19. Wylie continued to gradually pull away from the Rebels and hit a bucket at the end of the game to take their largest margin of 21 points.

The Rebels were paced in scoring by post-player James Strickland. Strickland put in 14 points for his highest point total of the season. Other players scoring for the Rebels were Stan Wood with eight points, John Hines with eight points, Roger Edge with two points, Bobby Thompson with two points, Rusty Reeder with two points, and David Weissingner with two points.

Despite two losses at Leonard the Rebels continue to improve. The Sam Rayburn team had beaten Rivercrest by 25 points earlier in the year, and this time beat the Rebels by a mere 12 points with the Rebels shooting very poorly from the free throw line and missing several lay-ups the last quarter. The Rebels presently have no players over 6'0" starting, but with David Rozell moving up to the varsity, they should get some help inside.

### Baptist's Schedule Study Course

Beginning Sunday night at 6:00 p.m. Training Hour, the pastor, Bro. Bob Posey will be teaching a study course at the First Baptist Church in Bogata.

This will be a study of the letter to the Philipines. It will continue through Wednesday night with the meetings Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday being from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Study course books will be available and the public is invited to attend.

### Eighth Graders Lose, Win One

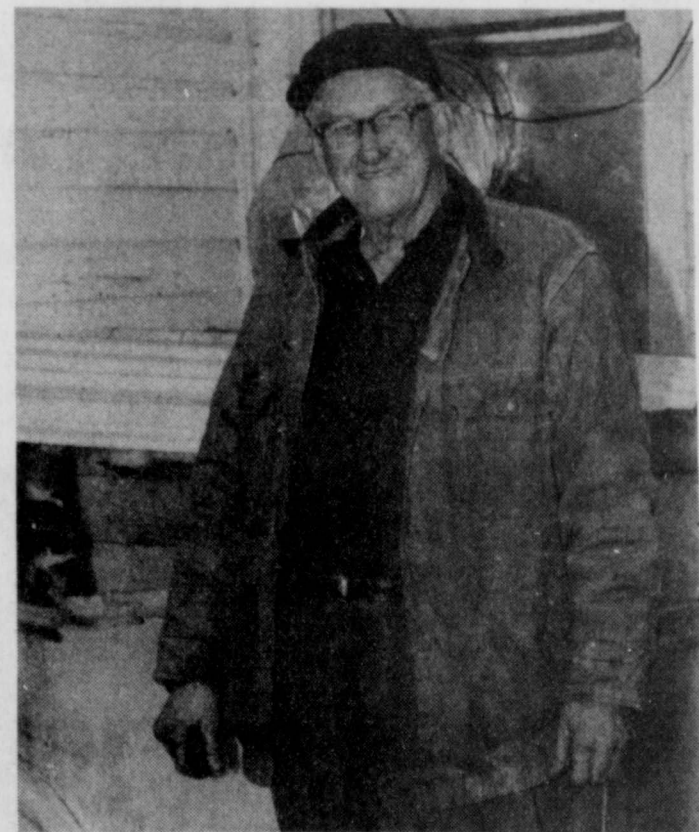
The Bogata eighth graders took one game and lost another in boys and girls Junior High play against Avery this week.

The junior Rebelettes took a decisive win over the Bulldogettes with the final score 40-20. Carla Belcher led the scoring for the Bogata girls with 16 points. Debra Moore had 12 points, and Becky Brooks and Jerri Smith four apiece.

The Bogata 8th grade girls are in competition for first place in district with Talco and Delmar and they have a 10 win and only three loss record so far. It was noted that the girls hit 50 percent from the field in their game.

The Rebel boys weren't able to handle the tough Avery Bulldogs however. They fell to Avery 71-48. Tony Jasso did some outstanding scoring however, with 23 points. Haden Martin contributed 10 points and Charlie Roberts, nine. The boys played by far their best game thus far, but still haven't won a game this season.

Their improvements are evident, however.



INVENTOR—Johnny McLemore invents many things. One of the most practical is this wood heater that sits outside his home. (Staff Photo)



A FIRE of undetermined origin destroyed the home of Mrs. Pam Stockton on FM 71 west of Talco Thursday night. Mrs. Stockton was in the process of moving into the house and had gone for the last load when the fire occurred. The house and all contents were a total loss. Also burned in the fire was a car parked on the west side of the house and the family's pet dog which was in the house.

## Johnny McLemore—An Ingenious Inventor

Johnny McLemore used to be a mechanic. He was supposed to have retired in 1970. However, his retirement seems to be on the questionable side.

He and his wife, Virgie, live in a neat frame house on a gravel road a few miles northwest of Deport.

Most any day Johnny can be found out in his shop, working on a neighbor's tractor, or welding for someone down the road.

He grins when you mention his work and says "Well, you just can't turn your friends down."

A wizard with wiring, welding or the peculiarities of any machine, Johnny is also an ingenious inventor.

One of the most interesting projects he has created is a wood heater that has completely eliminated the use of his expensive electric heat at his home.

Constructed from a used 200 gallon tank, an old school bus frame and a lot of common sense, the heater sits outside the house. It features double tin walls, which are filled with hard packed earth. There is an air chamber which the walls of the heater warm, and an insulated stove pipe which

fits into a metal plate in one window of the house. The heated air comes into the building without a blower, and Johnny has to add wood only once or twice a day. The house is warm all night. They never have to build a fire after their first one, just rake up the coals, add some wood and enjoy the warmth and comfort. A safer, more efficient system is hard to imagine. Johnny says the secret is the thick insulation the earth provides and the heavy insulation on the roof of the heater. The only problem with the heater is keeping the house from getting too warm!

After devising the heater, Johnny set out to find an easier way to handle his wood.

He hit upon the method of using his front end loader to load a whole tree on and then drive it to the house. There he can adjust the loader to the proper height and cut away. That way he only handles the tree once.

After that he made his own log splitter which runs off the PTO on his tractor. He used the shaft from an old round hay baler and purchased a point for it which splits the

logs quick and easy.

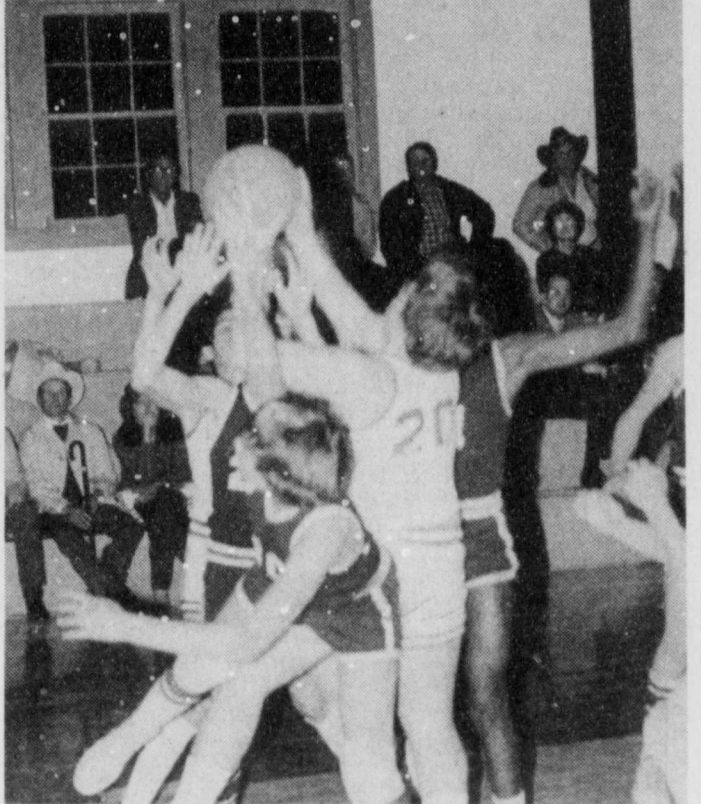
Only slightly less practical are the Martin houses he builds. These are for he and his wife's pleasure, since both enjoy watching the purple martins soaring and raising their young.

However, the martins keep them from being bothered much by mosquitoes or other insects. Last year, they had fourteen pair at their houses.

Instead of raising and lowering the poles of the bird houses, Johnny again uses his front end loader and stops and unstops the entrances into the houses as the season demands.

Johnny uses his mind to figure out all sorts of useful devices, and his clever hands construct whatever his mind comes up with. He stays busy with his welding and other work, but states that he "could have gone into the wood heater business after folks saw mine, but wasn't interested in that much work."

What Johnny will create next is anyone's guess. One thing's for sure though, it definitely will work!



TIE BALL—The Bogata eighth grade boys tied up the ball with the Avery Bulldogs. (Staff Photo by Glen Glosson)

## Red River Haven December Happenings

The month of December was a busy one for residents at Red River Haven. Ten groups presented special programs, in addition to the regular activities at the nursing home.

The New Hope Baptist Church from Paris came early in the month to visit with the residents. Group singing, specials and a short message made up the evening. At the close of the evening, bags of fruit and candy were distributed. A relatively new church, New Hope has been to the nursing home several times over the past two years.

The Girl's Auxiliary from the First Baptist Church of

Bogata visited on the 13th of December. They presented each resident with a hand-made Christmas card. They also sang Christmas carols.

Also on the 13th of December, the Hagansport Youth Group came caroling. They sang in the halls and entertained those in the dining room with carols while they ate.

The Bogata V.F.W. and Auxiliary entertained residents on the 16th of December with their annual Christmas party after their monthly Bingo game. Chips, dips and punch were served to a large crowd.

On the 17th, the fourth graders from Bogata Elementary visited the nursing home. They, along with their teachers visited each resident's room and presented them with a decorated box of homemade candy and cookies. The fourth graders had made the boxes, and the homemade candy was made by their teachers.

The choirs from the Bogata Christian Academy entertained residents on December 18. Christmas songs were sung by all age groups. Mrs. Ron Graham, former Activity Director at Red River Haven is in charge of the school's choirs.



Edith V. Enox

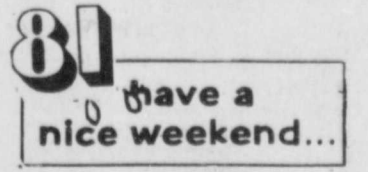
### Bogata Has Postmaster

Bagwell, Blossom and Detroit and worked in the Texarkana post office there.

The Bogata Post Office has a new postmaster. Edith V. Enox of Detroit has taken the post after the retirement of Mrs. Parrish.

Mrs. Enox has two children, Kim, age 17 and Kacey, age 8.

She has worked in Detroit as a mail clerk since July 7, 1972 and has served as Postmaster replacement in



## Landmark Given Way To Progress

By Iva L. Hooker

Bogata's oldest landmark is being razed to make way for a new modern home on Main Street. The home was built by P.W. McCain when he came to Bogata around the turn of the century. McCain and A.S. Dietz bought the land directly in front of this house and erected a modern gin, which they operated for several years. Dietz built his home across the street and north of the gin lot.

After a few years, Dietz's health failed and he and his family sold out his interest in the gin and moved to Snyder, Texas where he passed away a few months later. Dietz had ten children, all of which were much respected by the citizens of Bogata.

McCain finally sold the gin to J.A. Underwood and entered the banking business when a bank was organized in Bogata in 1907. L.W. Lassiter was president of the bank, McCain was vice-

president and J.W. Howison was cashier.

McCain continued in the banking business when the store buildings were moved to what we called "new town" after the railroad came through Bogata, and continued in this business until he passed away in the early '20's. He built the first brick home in Bogata in 1911 on Main Street in front of where the Methodist Church is located.

It is good to accept the new, but it is also good to remember the old.

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Arnold Glasow

# Fulbright News

**By Betty Rodgers**  
Mr. and Mrs. H.L. King, Leslie, Britt and Tim and a friend, Susan Jones, of Kansas City, Ks. visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis King during the holidays.  
Visiting Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Osburn, Mary and Randy III of Paris were Mr. and Mrs. Travis King, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lee King, Leslie, Britt and Tim and Susan Jones. Others enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Dugane King, Kristi, Kala and Asa Chambliss, Mrs. Kyle King and Nicole, Mr. and

Mrs. Dick King and Jeff and Drew Temple of Paris.  
Russell Kerbow and Becky Ford of Lewisville were visitors with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow on Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kerbow of Lewisville were Friday and Saturday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Kerbow.  
Mrs. Eva Matlock entertained her guests New Year's Day with lunch. They were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stevens of Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis VanDeaver and Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Stevens of Fulbright.

Mrs. Bob Crawford, Mary and Debbie of Paris visited Betty Rodgers, Melissa and Monte Friday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Spell of Orange visited Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Roberts, Renee, Lori and Tonya during the holidays.  
Mrs. Frank Herring and Gina visited relatives in Plano during the holidays.  
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts and Margaret Ann of Bogata visited Betty Rodgers, Melissa and Monte Wednesday.  
Eric Wood has been a patient in St. Joseph Hospital in Paris for a few days.

## Don't place this responsibility on your family



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## Postal Service Trying To Halt Scheme

U.S. District Judge Barefoot Sanders has issued a preliminary injunction allowing the United States Postal Service to detain incoming mail addressed to American Service Directory, American Service, and American Commercial Publications, at four separate Dallas addresses, pending the outcome of a Postal Service attempt to obtain a mail stop order for mail addressed to the companies.  
The Postal Service claims that the three Dallas firms have misrepresented work-at-home projects in advertisements soliciting home workers for envelope stuffing jobs. Classified ad-

vertisements placed by the companies in publications throughout the United States claimed that persons could make up to \$2500 per month addressing and stuffing envelopes at home. Other advertisements read, "Home addressers wanted, \$500 per week possible, no experience required."

If successful in obtaining the mail stop order, the Postal Service will return to sender all mail received addressed to the firms relating to the work-at-home offers. Postal Inspector in Charge W.R. Newsome stated that the action being taken against the firms was the result of an investigation by Postal Inspectors from the Dallas Office. Inspector Newsome indicated that the issuance of the mail stop orders was one of several methods currently being used by Postal Inspectors in their continuing efforts to prevent postal customers from being defrauded through the U.S. mails.  
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MEMORIES—This old Deport Elementary School used to be a three story building and housed the entire school complex. (Staff Photo)

## Old School Scene Of High-Jinks

**By John Worth Hood**  
When I was a small boy I spent a lot of time in the old Deport School building.  
I first entered school as a seven year old, and part of that first year was in the Deport School. Then we moved to a farm south of town, and transferred to the Halesboro school, then to the Lone Oak school, where I attended for five years. Then I transferred back to Deport.  
As a freshman at Deport High School, I went through some rough times until they banned the practice of hazing. The bad thing about the ban was that those of us who were the last to be hazed never got their revenge on other lower classmen.

The school building had at one time a third story. That was where we kids tried to slip away from the teachers, with some excuse about practicing for a school play or some such excuse.  
At one time, myself and another pupil got the bright idea of hiding in the old stoves they had for heating the auditorium. There were some cross braces on the jackets that were around the stove, and we could get in there. The teachers couldn't find us.  
Sometimes we took a shot put and rolled it down the stairs. That really brought teachers out of class!

There was no inside plumbing back then. Only the "Little Houses Behind the Big Houses". That was where we went to smoke, which was strictly illegal.  
We had one teacher we all loved, but also loved to aggravate. We used to tease or irritate her, just to see her throw whatever she had in her hand at the desk in exasperation.  
However, as bad as we all seem to sound, we seem to have become responsible businessmen, wives, parents and citizens.  
Perhaps we should remember this when we look upon our own student's pranks!

## Wing Ranch To Host Bullriding, Bullfighting

Another "first" will come to East Texas on January 16 and 17 when the Wing Ranch Rodeo Company of Bogata, Texas will play host to a 100 head bullriding competition, along with an innovative exhibition of bullfighting.  
On Friday, January 15, one-half of the cowboys who enter the bull riding contest will compete, along with an open Ladies Barrel Race, and on Saturday, January 17, the remaining contestants will compete in the bull riding and the Bullfighting Exhibition will be featured.  
The bullfighting competition, which is a new concept, will feature four professional bullfighters, representing the Four States area, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana. An invitational exhibition, the bullfighters will work with fighting bulls, which they will draw for themselves, for a three minute time limit or until such a time as they deem they have used the bull to his full potential. The exhibition will be judged by two highly respected professional bullfighters, Larry Minchey of Soper, Oklahoma and Dennis Taylor of Tyler, Texas. Cash prizes for the winners in the exhibition have been sponsored by The State Bank of DeKalb.  
Invitations for the first exhibition were sent and accepted by Fuzzy Carey of Conway, Arkansas; Scott Morgan of Houma, Louisiana; Stanley Hart of Paris, Texas; and Raymond Morrison of Tahlequah, Oklahoma.  
Top names from Texas, Oklahoma and several other states have been entered into the bull riding contest, including the champions of the Central Rodeo Association, Central States Rodeo Association, Arkansas Rodeo Association and Louisiana Rodeo Association. The cowboys will be vying for a \$5,000 payoff.  
Livestock will be provided for by the Wing Ranch Rodeo Company, nationally known stock producing company, which features the rankest bulls in rodeo today.  
The competition will prove most exciting, since the caliber of cowboys and livestock will be one-on-one for a thrilling three hours of entertainment.  
Though the usually seen "rodeo clown" won't be doing anything funny in the bullfighting exhibition, it will be sure to add yet another dimension to the rapidly growing sport of rodeo.  
The contests will be held at the Western Sports Indoor

Heated Arena in DeKalb, Texas, and will begin at 8:00 p.m. each night. On Friday, ticket prices are \$1.50 for children and \$2.00 for adults, and Saturday, ticket prices are \$2.00 for children and \$4.00 for adults. Advance tickets may be obtained now at the Cotton-Burr Western Store, Clarksville; 271 Texaco Station in Bogata; and Blackmon's Machinery & Equipment Company in DeKalb.

**American Viewpoints**

I never did anything worth doing by accident, nor did any of my inventions come by accident; they came by work.  
Thomas Edison

## Society To Prevent Blindness Attacks Glaucoma

Glaucoma is the main target of a statewide attack the Texas Society to Prevent Blindness is mounting against unnecessary blindness with a new fleet of "Vision Vans" bought with grants from the Moody Foundation, Galveston; the Brown Foundation, Houston; the Lee Fikes Foundation, Dallas; the Robert J. and Helen C. Kleberg Foundation, Kingsville; the James R. Dougherty Jr. Foundation, Beeville; and the Don and Sybil Harrington Foundation, Amarillo.  
Four vans equipped with noncontact tonometers have been purchased and will operate out of Houston, San Antonio, Dallas, and Amarillo.  
The Moody Foundation got the Vision Van project off the ground with a \$25,000 grant conditional upon TSPB's raising another \$75,000 so that the entire state could be covered by the four vans.  
The Brown and Fikes Foundations also made \$25,000 grants each, the Kleberg Foundation \$15,000, the Harrington Foundation \$12,500 and the Dougherty Foundation, \$10,000.  
TSPB State President Clymer L. Wright, Jr. said the vans and noncontact tonometers make possible a great expansion of the glaucoma screening program because these tonometers do not require the physical presence of an ophthalmologist.  
"Glaucoma is our primary

target because it is the leading cause of irreversible blindness," according to Wright. "Some 102,000 Texans have this disease and face blindness if this sneak-thief of sight is not detected and treated in time."

**Charles V. Riddle**  
Charles Vernon (John) Riddle of the Wilkenson Community, east of Talco, died at 8 a.m. Sunday in Titus County Memorial Hospital.  
Services were held at 4 p.m. Monday in Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home Chapel in Mount Pleasant with Dr. Gaylon Riddle and Garnett Walker officiating. Burial was in Damascus Cemetery.

# Obituaries

## Stella Marie Powell

Funeral services for Miss Stella Marie Powell, age 69, of Carthage, were held Wednesday, December 31, 1980 at 2 p.m. in Jimerson Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Charles Dodson officiating. Interment was in Restland Memorial Park of Carthage.  
Miss Powell was born September 20, 1911 in New Boston. She had lived in the Carthage area for the past 28 years, moving from the Bogata area. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Carthage and was a retired clerk. She died Monday, December 29 at Panola General Hospital following a short illness.  
Survivors include one brother, John Stanford Powell of Carthage and one sister, Mrs. Susie Mae Lockridge of Carthage.  
Pallbearers were H.A. Clinton, Reba Jay Bolton, Dean Jones, William D. Landers, Dave Creel and Boyd Harris.

## Mr. Riddle, 74, was born April 24, 1906 in Titus County.

He is survived by a son, Vernon Riddle of Mount Pleasant; one sister, Mrs. Winnie Braggs of Wilkenson and one brother, Harry Riddle of Mount Pleasant.

## Mrs. Hugh Evans

Mrs. Hugh Evans died Tuesday morning, January 6 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where she had lived for 26 years.  
Funeral services were in Lubbock in the Rix Funeral Home on Wednesday and graveside services with burial in Highland Cemetery in Deport will be at 4 p.m. Thursday.  
Russie Dickson Evans was married to Hugh Evans in Deport where they made their home until he died in 1951.  
She is survived by one son, Dr. William Garner Evans of Lubbock; his three daughters, Shelly, Sharon and Lori and an adopted daughter of her son, Hugh Dickson Evans, who died in 1980.  
She was a member of the Presbyterian.

## Lucian D. Grant

Lucian D. Grant died Saturday, January 3 in El Paso where he had lived for several years. Memorial and burial services were held there Wednesday.  
Mr. Grant, formerly of Deport was the son of Dr. Ben and Mary (Johnson) Grant. He married Eva Brown, daughter of Rome and Betty Brown in Deport. She preceded him in death on August 17, 1980.  
Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Betty Lockhart; a grandson and granddaughter; two sisters, Mrs. Marvin Nobles of Deport and Mrs. Dorris Nesbett of Sparta, Tenn.; and several nieces and nephews.

## Mrs. Florence Warren

Mrs. Florence Warren, 84, of Live Oaks Convalescent Center died there December 29. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. in Lindeman Chapel on Tuesday with the Rev. Tom Porter, Presbyterian minister, officiating. Clarksville Funeral Home directed interment in Fairview Cemetery.  
Mrs. Warren was born in Red River County on August 2, 1896, daughter of William A. and Mary Mills, and she lived most of her life in this area. She was a Presbyterian. She was a resident at Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata for several months.  
Survivors include one son, Kenneth L. Warren, Richardson; one daughter, Neva Spellman, Dallas; one sister, Helen Cunningham, Annona; one brother, Harvey Mills, Mason; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

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## Nichols Worth

By Nanalee Nichols  
After all this holiday, it's time to stand back, cut back on eating, and reflect on the past month. One of the first reflections I hit kinda hurts my eyes. Several "Yankees" who are transplanted down here approached me on the subject of my criticism of dressing. Now, I won't relinquish my position that the stuff tastes awful, but I will explain that I wrote the article mostly to aggravate my mother.

See, my mother comes from Missouri, which is not exactly New England, but kept her from learning about some of the finer things in life. Things like slow cooked pinto beans, biscuits and cornbread.

Mostly though, it's things that contain hot sauce or peppers that she can't get a grip on.

She's done really well considering she's only been here for about forty years. She can cook a mean biscuit, good beans and cornbread.

But when it comes to chili, well that's another story. Her chili possesses none of the finer qualities such as chili powder in quantity, hot pepper or thickness.

The mess isn't fit for

consumption by humans, and I politely pointed that out the other day. She informed me that at least it wouldn't eat holes in one's stomach. What a silly thing to worry about!

It just goes to prove that some things even a lifetime wouldn't prove to a hard-headed mother.

## Public Hearing Rescheduled

The Ark-Tex Council of Governments' public hearing originally scheduled for January 13, 1981 has been rescheduled for January 27, 1981 at 7:00 p.m. at the Community Room of State First National Bank, State Line Plaza, Texarkana, Arkansas. The meeting is scheduled to consider the engineers' recom-

mendations on the preferred treatment alternative to be utilized in the proposed Wagner Creek Waste Treatment Plan.

### Can't Win

Hear about the employee who prayed for a raise? The boss heard about it and fired the poor guy for going over his head.



BOGATA Junior High Boys basketball team consists of Hayden Martin, Charles Lewis,

Michael Howard, Mark Moreno, David Mauldin, Leon Kaelke, James Martin, Billy

Stringfellow, Charles Roberts, Bryan Williams, Tony Jasso, Chad Legate,

Ricky Kennedy and Jerry Simpson. (Staff Photo by Glen Glosson)

# Bogata Personals

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Willie Watkins were Rev. and Mrs. Garvin Golden, John Watkins and John David of Paris, Bob Guess of

Houston, Carol Mills and Chance, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Russell and Jeff, Ted Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Phillips and Lindy and Bonnie Sue of Clarksville, Mrs. Vernon Thomas, Trudy and Shelli, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watkins, Tish, Dawn and Kevin and Miss Donnie Mills of Baytown, Greg Lampard of Colorado Springs, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lampard of Detroit, Shan Watkins and Bill Zogger of A&M University, Casey Watkins of Temple and Mrs. Louada Watkins.

New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Legate, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward and Mrs. Stella Ridens of Fulbright.

Neale Mauldin of Houston spent the holidays with his aunt, Mrs. Vera Craddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins visited their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. C.O. Magee, Jr., Kimberly, Clarence and Kristin in Little Rock several days during the holidays. On Sunday night, they attended a pageant at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church where Kristin Magee sang a solo. On Monday, Kimberly Magee honored her parents, grandparents and brother

and sister with a luncheon at Casa Bonita Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Dryden in Longview Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hawkins, Jeremy and Aaron of Corpus Christi arrived December 26 for a five day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Allums of Phoenix, Az. have returned home after spending the holidays with relatives here. They were accompanied by his sister, Elizabeth Allums for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allums and family of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Allums and family of Dallas spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Allums.

Air Force Capt. Pene Bishop of Honolulu, Hawaii and Mrs. David Cantrell, Jennifer and Jeremy of Grand Prairie were Christmas guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop. Charles Franklin of Sumner and David Franklin of Odessa were visitors Friday evening.

Mrs. George Sloan of Clarksville visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter King.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Mauldin of Clarksville and Daryl Soward of Tulsa, Ok. visited Friday with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Bess Pope.

New Year's guests of Mrs. Edie Stogner were Mmes. Audrie Scott, Cleone Sullivan, Bess Pope, Gus Swaim and Mrs. Mildred Millsbaugh of Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Geese have returned after visiting relatives and attending his mother, Mrs. Fred Geese, a patient in a Madill, Ok. hospital.

E.L. Buckman of Dallas was a New Year's guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Buckman.

Mrs. Gus Swaim and Annette Swaim of Houston and Bill Dixon of Talco were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Swaim of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee Suggs of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Lora Suggs and his sister, Mrs. Pat O'Donnell.

Mrs. Frank Haynes and daughters of Murchison and James Haynes of Dallas were Friday and Saturday guests of their aunt and uncle, Miss Tom Underwood and Jimmy Underwood and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed King of Katy spent the New Year holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter King and visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin of Paris.

Mrs. Lydia Mauldin has returned home after spending the holidays with relatives in Dallas and New Year's with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Mauldin of Clarksville.

T.C. Lassiter of Fort Worth has returned home after visiting his sister in Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stogner and daughters of Louise visited his mother, Mrs. Edie Stogner during the holidays.

Her sister, Mrs. Nita Schuh of Dallas was a visitor.

Lallie Maud Grant of Houston visited last week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hale.

Dr. Gerald Farri and daughters of Longview were holiday guests of his mother, Mrs. Bill Wilkinson and the Lassiter families.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Puckett of Corpus Christi spent last week at their home here.

Mrs. Dora Thompson has returned after a visit with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Wilkinson of Hartman, Ark.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Art Hesch and Wendy were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hesch of San Diego, Ca., Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hesch and Stephanie of Arlington, Anne Mutchler of Paris, and Mr. Hesch's mother, Mrs. Carrie Bishop of Spring Valley, Ca. Mr. and Mrs. F.P. Brumley were visitors on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brooks have returned home after spending the holidays with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Juneau of Wilmington, N.C. They also visited her sister, Mrs. L.C. Emery and Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Emery of Grapeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sasser and Eric of Dallas were Christmas guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ebbie Sasser.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Watson returned Monday

## First Baptist Church Entertains Residents

The children's choir from the First Baptist Church of Bogata entertained residents on December 18 at the regular weekly worship service. The choir sang several songs, and then other specials were presented. The church then gave each resident, child and adult a present. One of the largest crowds of 110 people were counted. Mrs. June Stanley is in charge of the children's choir.

A puppet show was presented by the Lone Star Methodist Church on the 19th. A large crowd gathered to watch the show concerning the birth of Christ.

The adult choir from the First Baptist Church presented their Christmas Cantata on December 20. A lovely message in song was presented to the residents.

The combination Christmas and birthday party was held on December 22 in the chapel. Those residents with birthdays

were Ernestine Houck, Maggie Gillis, Zura Newsome, Mary Smith, Edie Forester, Lois Wilson, John Sanders, Lora Kelsoe, Ollie Gipson, Billie Forester, John Maye, Callie Elson, Clara Jones, Maude Sells, Lennie Medley, Beunice Forester and Maggie Pendergraft. Mrs. Mary Smith, who was 95 on the seventh of December was the oldest honoree.

Billy Harris, Minister of Youth and Music led the group singing. Happy birthday, Christmas carols and favorite hymns were sung as Billy accompanied the group on the guitar. Birthday presents were distributed to the honorees and Christmas presents from the nursing home were presented to each resident.

The group then enjoyed punch and homemade cookies made by the following employees: Donna Robinson, Tommie Nichols, Eunice Turner, Maurine Mankins, Guin Smith, Robbie Head, Barbara Ellis, Mary Woods, Nettie Moore and Robbie Hawkins.

Kenneth Logan of Mount Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hood of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Scott and sons of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Rogers of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huffman of Pittsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Benham.

Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Van Craddock of Longview, Mrs. Regina Bates and children and Mrs. Ronnie Washburn and children of Dallas.

Christmas visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tully were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Francis and sons of Deport and her sister, Miss Jimmy Regan of Dallas.

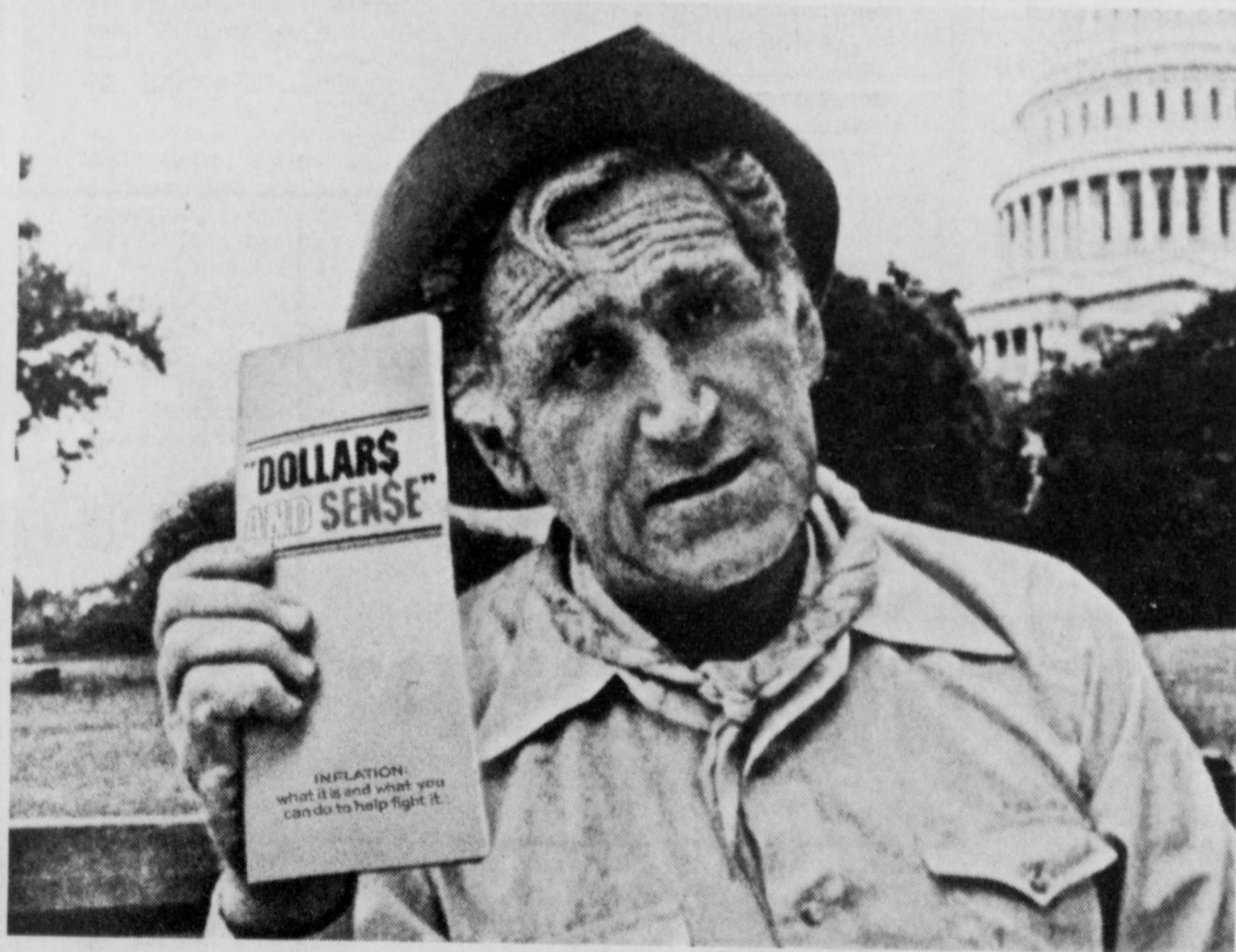
Christmas visitors of Mrs. Josie Fennell were Mr. and Mrs. Dub Harville and sons of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Leon McAllister of Paris, Troy Gray of Hammond, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gray.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Ora Tyer and Mrs. Jettie Minshew were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Latimer of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Latimer and family of Sulphur, La., Mr. and Mrs. John Latimer and Jeffery and a friend from Colorado.

Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dary Cage were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Douglas of Van Alstyne. They accompanied Mrs. Cage home after a visit with her mother, Mrs. J.C. Douglas of McKinney.

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**Bogata Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cheatham were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart of Greenville. They were met there by her brother, Coy Williams of Carrollton.

Dr. and Mrs. W.E. Martin of Bellevue, Washington spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson of Denton were weekend visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Williams and Denton Wilson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin spent Christmas Eve with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Meredith and family of Ashdown, Ark. and the weekend with their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mauldin and Lisa and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mauldin, Amy and Holly of Irving.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin were Mr. and Mrs. James Beers of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morman and Cris of DeSoto, Mrs. Willard Anderson and Jessica of Ball Plains, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mauldin and girls of Irving and Lewis Parks of Clarksville.



**BOGATA Junior High Girls are in competition for first place in the eighth grade division of**

**basketball competition. They are Jerri Smith, Becky Brooks, Tricia Duffer, Deborah Moore,**

**Carla Belcher, Nancy Smith, JoAnn Ward, Jennifer Gray, RaNell Burns, Lee Warren,**

**Deanna Damron, Donna Sessums, Kathy White, Jennifer Glass and Jena Mangrum. (Staff Photo by Glen Glosson)**

**Cunningham News**

By Berniece Wyatt  
A large crowd attended the New Year's Eve night singing at the Life Tabernacle Church. Out of town visitors were Vicki Booth of Mount Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson of Paris, Laura and Linda Duncan of Blossom and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Richardson of Dallas.

Mrs. Berniece Wyatt with Mrs. Tommie Denison of Minter and Mrs. Blake Bonham of Belk attended funeral services for Mrs. Florence Warren of Clarksville Tuesday.

Jay Ingram of Shady Grove and Joel Smith spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen spent Friday with Mrs. Ross Warren of Deport.

Brad and Bruce Watson spent the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Polk of Dallas.

The Rev. Kenneth Linden of Greenville was the speaker for services at the Life Tabernacle Church Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Black and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black and Bryan of Paris spent Sunday with Mrs. Delcia Wilson.

Mrs. Berniece Wyatt had dinner with Mrs. Faye Pearson and Mrs. Inez Lewis of Paris Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler and Melanie of Pattonville visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Fowler Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson

and family spent from Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Polk of Dallas.

Mrs. Willie Wilson of Reno and Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Taylor Tuesday.

Fran McKnight who is attending T.C.U. in Fort Worth spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Pete McKnight.

Mrs. Ida Deshong has received word of the death of her uncle, Abe Farris in Fort

Worth on December 29.

Mr. and Mrs. A.F. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey of Dallas visited Mrs. Katie Carroll during the holidays. Jeremy Newberry, three-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Newberry was admitted to the St. Joseph hospital Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sanford of Sumner spent Thursday with Mrs. Lillian King.

Mrs. Walker Devlin of Minter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Williams

Sunday afternoon.

Harrell Wyatt of Montgomery attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Florence Warren of Clarksville Tuesday and spent the night with Mrs. Berniece Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Blossom visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Smith spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Haskell and family of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain of Talco and Mrs. Goldie Brown of Bloomington spent Saturday with Mrs. Ida Deshong.

Mrs. Kathy McCarty of Paris, Davy Jo Williams of Greenville and Jennifer Williams spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams.

Mrs. Ida Deshong spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain of Talco. David Jones of Paris was a

**Jones-Stansell United In Marriage**

Mrs. Barbara Stansell announces the marriage of her daughter, Patty Ann, to Terry Lynn Jones, son of Mrs. Imogene Lewis of Talco and Charles Jones of Mount Pleasant.

The couple were married

**GARDEN**

**Calendula Grows Well As A Potted Plant**

Calendula, a member of the Compositae family, was introduced in the Mediterranean approximately three hundred years ago. The perfect annual for summer gardens has found its way indoors as a winter pot plant. It is more widely known as pot-marigold, common marigold or Scotch marigold.

Calendulas are easy to grow in pots, need little attention and have a long blooming period. Not only is the calendula decorative as a pot plant, it is edible as well. The outer leaves have a sharp taste that adds a tang to fresh salads. The petals create an appetizing look when used as a garnish in various dishes. It can also be used as a substitute for the expensive saffron.

Calendulas can grow up to 18 inches in height. However, the smaller dwarfed double varieties are more suitable for indoors. Plant the seed in an 8 inch pot



filled with ordinary garden soil that allows good drainage. Place in a sunny location and water whenever the soil feels dry to the touch. A cool temperature is preferred for successful growing.

In outdoor gardens, the marigold is known as a companion plant. The scent from the foliage is reputed to repel insects, and chemicals produced by the root system will kill roundworms, eelworms and other nematodes.

**East Texas Eating**

By Margie Rice  
Hot Cranberry Lemonade is a warm, welcome beverage that fits marvelously into these cold January days. The cheery red color looks equally pretty in a pottery mug or in a punch bowl. I've served it as a party accompaniment to squares of gingerbread, in big mugs to the work crew that built our fireplace, and chilled as a wedding punch. It keeps well in the refrigerator and can be reheated quickly for guests or family members who come in out of the cold.

Hot Cranberry Lemonade (2) 6 oz. cans frozen lemonade  
6 1/2 cups water  
1 quart cranberry juice  
2 sticks cinnamon  
6 whole cloves

Combine lemonade and water and spices in a four quart saucepan. Bring to a boil. Turn heat off and let sit three minutes. Remove spices. Serve or refrigerate and reheat later.

Deep Fires  
Coal mine fires burn with the fury of a volcano, last for decades, and cost millions of dollars to control.

More than 250 known fires are burning in abandoned deep mines and on refuse banks throughout the United States, most of them in the mining states of Montana, Colorado, and Pennsylvania.

**Jimmy And Jody Stringfellow Honored**

Present to help celebrate the occasion were Mrs. Jimmy Stringfellow, Billy, Felina and Paul of John-town; Danny, Michael, and Dee Tabb of Pine Branch; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stringfellow and May Nell Kennemer of Paris; Wayne Stringfellow, Vincent McCoin, Mrs. Rector, the hosts and honorees.

Jimmy and Jody Stringfellow were honored with a birthday party Sunday, January 4, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tabb at the home of Mrs. Dixie Rector.

**Choir Holds Reception**

The members of the Chancel Choir of the First United Methodist Church of Bogata met with Mrs. Gordon Allen Monday evening for a reception for Cathy Jones.

Miss Jones is moving to Fort Worth where she will be employed. She has been the organist at the church for several years and will be greatly missed.

Best wishes of the church and choir go with her to her new home.

**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor announce the birth of a son born December 28, 1980 at 12:35 a.m. in McCuiston Hospital in Paris. He was named Jonathan Heath Taylor. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Taylor of Winnsboro and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bounds of Hagan-sport.



**Beef Prices Up, But Incomes Are Higher**  
The average retail price for red meat has risen over 250 percent since 1950.

During that same time, the amount of meat eaten by each American has increased 18 percent, to an estimated 148.5 pounds per person.

Despite these increases, however, consumers are devoting a smaller proportion of their disposable income to red meat.

While meat prices and consumption have increased rapidly over the last three decades, incomes have risen even faster. Consumers, therefore, have been able to purchase more red meat, even at the much higher prices, for a smaller share of their income.

Americans are not only eating more meat than they did in 1950, they are eating different kinds of meat.

**BOGATA BUSINESS DIRECTORY**

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**SCHOOL Lunch Menu**

Talco, Bogata Rivercrest School Lunch Menu

**Monday**  
Tacos with cheese  
Brown beans  
Tossed green salad  
Peach cobbler  
Milk

**Tuesday**  
Hot dogs with chili  
French fries  
Cole slaw  
Banana pudding  
Milk

**Wednesday**  
Pork steak with gravy  
Sweet peas  
Mashed potatoes  
Hot rolls  
Milk

**Thursday**  
Chicken stew  
Assorted sandwiches  
Jello  
Milk

**Friday**  
Hamburgers  
Pinto beans  
Tater rounds  
Lettuce, tomatoes  
Pickles, onions  
Ice cream  
Milk

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**Mrs. Swaim Entertains With Holiday Parties**

Mrs. Luella Swaim entertained Wednesday afternoon with a holiday party. Refreshments of sandwiches, chips, dips, olives, pickles, cake and punch were served to Mmes. David Hudson, Ora Pirtle, Emmie Mitchell, Ethel Hood, Ruth

Wood, Russell Benham, Clyde Fortner, Vashti Hood, Carl Wood, Britt Lassiter, Carlos Vaughan, Josie Fennell, Mattie Cheshire and April Hudson.

The table was decorated in the holiday motif.



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