

Merry Christmas To One And All!

May Christmas 1986 Be The Most Beautiful Ever!



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NICHOLS' WORTH
By: Nanalee Nichols

It is Christmas this week. Last minute shopping, decorating and entertaining generally keep everyone busy at this, the end of the year, the culmination of the holiday season.

Few people ever achieve all they intend to for Christmas...but it is truly a time of the year when it is thought that counts.

Christmas eve is, in many ways, a special as the day itself.

Christmas eve is a time when many people have all or part of their family get-together, opening gifts and exchanging greetings and sharing together.

It is a time for family, and the closest of friends to visit, and a time when children are so anxious for morning that it drags on interminably.

Santa Claus is "out there somewhere" and every youngster wonders if he carries in his famous sleigh that special gift that he or she has written to ask for.

It is a time read the Christmas story, to listen to Christmas music on the radio, to go carolling.

Christmas eve is a time to remember too, perhaps with sadness those who are not here this holiday, or perhaps with smiles to recall Christmas of the past, when we were children.

Christmas is a holiday that comes down through generation after generation. Customs and faces change but the joy and pleasure remains undiminished.

Christmas eve should also be a time for recalling the origin of the season...the miracle of the Christmas story that has endured for two thousand years now.

Far away from here, in a land little changed from what it was so long ago, the little town of Bethlehem will dream through Christmas eve night...exactly as it did 1986 years ago when the startling events that set the world on the path to Christianity began.

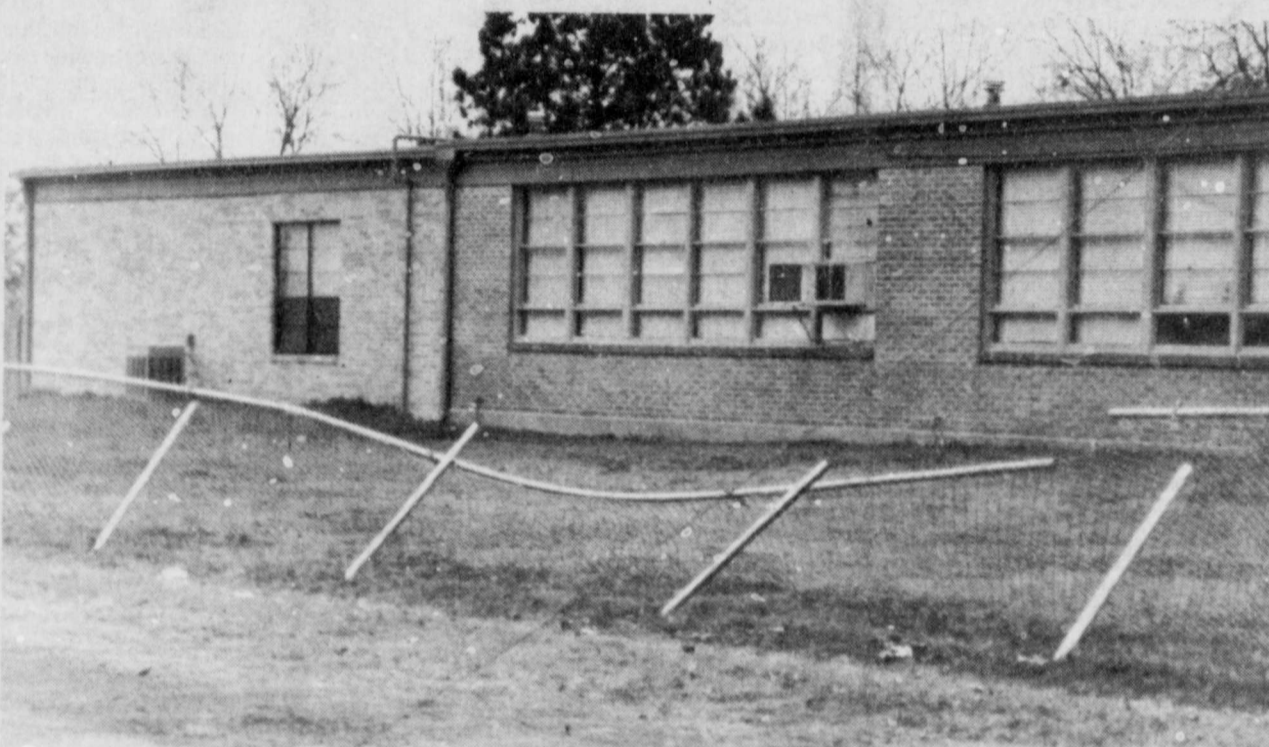
This Christmas eve...remember the reason for the season.

Merry Christmas to all.

Papers Will Publish Early Next Week

Due to the holiday next week, all news, advertising and correspondence must be in on Monday, December 29, so that the paper can be published a day early.

This is necessary to get the papers in the mail system in time for before New Year's delivery.



THE FENCE at Bogata Elementary School has been pushed over for the third time as a result of

vandalism. The repairs on the fence and other vandalism to the schools costs the taxpayers money

in tax dollars. (Staff Photo by Mollie Williams)



John Howison and Howard Ed Bryson

First National Bank Has New Board Members

Howard Ed Bryson and John Howison are new members on the Board of Directors of the First National Bank in Bogata.

Mr. Bryson has lived in Bogata area all of his life. He has been active in civic, church and business activities for many years. His business experience consists of owner and operator of an insurance agency for 26 years, a residential building contractor for 24 years, and owner and operator of a hardware, lumber and farm supply store for six years.

John Howison retired from the U.S. Foreign Service in 1976, after a 29 year career that took him to Asia, Africa and Europe. His last official assignment was an Alternate U.S. Representative on the Security Council of the United Nations.

Since returning to his native home in Bogata, he has taught part time at ETSU and PJC, and is presently serving as Red River County Public Librarian. In the latter role, he initiated adult education programs that have helped more than 75 Red River Countians to pass the GED examination. The program is now expanding to assist adult citizens who need to strengthen their skills in basic reading, writing and arithmetic.

"A strong modern bank is one reason Bogata is successfully weathering the current recession," Howison said. "I am glad to have an opportunity to support Neil Rozell and Ronald Blackstone," he added.

New Location Proposed For First Baptist Church

The building committee of the First Baptist Church of Bogata has met and discussed unanimously proposed the selling of the old church property and the buying of the Clark property to rebuild the church on.

Members are to be given a ballot to vote on the proposition Sunday,

December 28. Discussions will be allowed at that time.

Members wishing to vote, but unable to attend on December 28 may cast an absentee vote at C.D. Glass Green Light Auto Parts Store on Monday through Friday, after 1 p.m.

Sales Tax Level About The Same As '85

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday sent checks totaling \$54.3 million in local sales tax to 1,033 cities that levy the one-percent sales tax. Bullock said 1986 payments to date were down almost two percent as compared to the payments to date in December of last year.

Houston's check for \$8.4 million was the largest, bringing total payments this year to \$141.3 million, down six percent over last year.

Locally, Bogata received \$1,604.86, bringing 1986 payments to date totaling \$31,697.07, for a 31.76 percent increase over the 1985 payments.

Clarksville received \$12,061.98 for the payment this period, a 2.04 percent increase over 1985. Detroit received \$769.57 for a 15.14 percent increase over the 1985 payment for the same period.

Mt. Pleasant received \$73,400.45 for

this period, an increase of 1.13 percent over last year. Talco received \$1,038.05 for this period, compared to \$2,111.01 for the same period in 1985, marking a 22.48 percent decrease.

Blossom received \$899.76 for this period, compared to \$862.62 for the 1985 payment, for a 2.45 percent increase over last year.

Deport received no payment this period, marking a 0.99 percent decrease over last year's payment for the same period. Total payments to date are \$9,605.42, compared to \$9,701.85 for 1985.

Paris received \$148,629.03, for a 3.97 percent increase over the 1985 payment of \$130,841.52.

December checks represent taxes collected on sales made in October and reported to the Comptroller by November 20.

Red River Haven Has Activities

Residents of Red River Haven enjoyed a special Bingo and Christmas party sponsored by VFW Ladies Auxiliary. After residents enjoyed bingo, punch and cookies were served in the dining room and each were given a special fruit basket made by the ladies.

Detroit Lion's Club sponsored the December Birthday and Christmas party at Red River Haven. The master of ceremonies was Lion Jack Hood. Special religious and Christmas music was sung by Ralph Cawley and Jeff Henexson was enjoyed by all and Jim Martin as Santa, handed gifts to all birthday residents. Those residents honored were Edie Forrester, Lois Wilson, Lora Kelsoe, Ruby Jeffrey, Bill Harbison, Rosa Byram, Cora Newsome, Leroy Waller, Emmie Mitchell, Albert Forrester, James Vaughan, Susie Jennings and Charles Askins.

Neva Jean Oats with the fifth and sixth graders presented a program at Red River Haven on Wednesday, December 17. The program was "Santa Claus Goes Rock 'N Roll".

Thelma Wright presented an art illustration for the residents of Red River Haven on Wednesday, December 17. The illustration was an oil painting of chrysanthemums. Mrs. Wright is the daughter of Evie Vickers, a resident of the home.

PEOPLE AND THINGS

The Calvary Baptist Church in Talco will host an old fashioned GOSPEL SING OUT on December 31. The singing will begin at 8 p.m. and a NURSERY will be provided. For further information, call Jerry Russell at 379-3063 or Bro. Ted White at 379-3981.

Remember to give the Talco REPORTER a call about your HOLIDAY NEWS. You need to call your news in early. Deadline will be Monday at noon. After the holidays, the deadline goes back to Tuesday at noon.

Dec. 26-27, Rivercrest is hosting a basketball tournament at 4 p.m. in the gym. Dec. 30, ninth grade boys and JV and Varsity boys play at Clarksville at 5 p.m. Jan. 2, A-B girls and A-B boys play at Celeste at 4 p.m.

Last Week To Win Cash, Save Money On Subscriptions

This is the last week to renew subscriptions to the paper and save money, plus have a chance to win cash.

The sale will go off December 31, as will the contest.

The paper is on sale for \$2 off the usual yearly rate. A whole year of the paper only costs \$8 in Lamar, Red River and Titus Counties, \$10.50 in the state but outside those counties, and \$12.50 out of the state.

There has been no price increase in the paper rate for three years, in spite of increases in postage and supplies.

Anyone renewing their subscription or a subscription for someone will automatically be entered in a drawing for \$50, \$30 or \$20 in cash.

Local news, photos, public information, savings and entertainment are all available through the

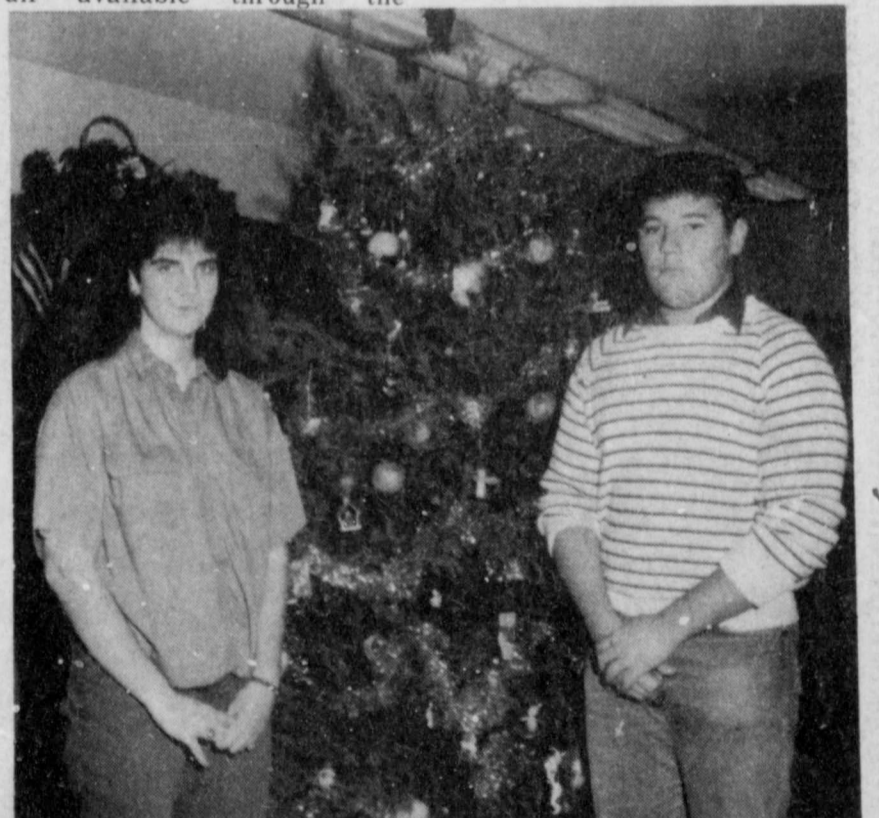
paper...which is truly your local paper...plus a television schedule, and now with that renewal you have the chance to win money.

If no renewal is desired simply mail the coupon on the ad appearing in the paper in marked "I do not wish to renew" and you can be entered without any purchase.

The cash will be presented during first week in January.

Renewal notices for December have not been sent out due to the volume, so it's a good idea to check on your subscription.

Blossom subscribers, the majority of whose subscriptions are due in January, are urged to subscribe in December to take advantage of the savings.



STUDENTS of the Month at Rivercrest High School are Cynthia Thompson and Todd Denny. Cynthia is the daughter of Bill and Jackie Thompson of Talco. She is 16 years old and a junior. She is a member of the annual staff and

the National Honor Society and is involved in Varsity basketball. Todd is the son of Eddy and Nancy Denny of Bogata. He is a 17 year old junior. Todd plays Varsity football and track. (Staff Photo by Mollie Williams)

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Merry Christmas

Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt
The Friendship Club met with Mrs. Pete McKnight Monday night for their Christmas program and refreshments.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stuart of Reno spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. George Taylor.
Mr. and Mrs. W.P. (Bill) Talley of Pensacola, Florida visited Mrs. Frankie Archibald and Mrs. Ruby Clement Wednesday. They also visited with Inez Lewis of Paris.

Jack Morgan of Denver, Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hough of Paris visited Berniece Wyatt Thursday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Claypool of Ben Franklin on Wednesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen attended a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Bob Allen of Blossom.
Mrs. Almer Norwood attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee at the Masonic Lodge building in Deport Sunday

afternoon.
Mrs. Pauline Plott of Rockford visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Saturday.
Pvt. James Bazhaw of Fort Benning, GA is spending two weeks with his wife and son and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bazhaw before being sent to Germany.
Rev. and Mrs. Don Whitt of Hot Springs, AR and Shelly Whitt of San Francisco, CA, Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Oats, Brandon and Georgeanna, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood and family and Frankie Norwood were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Norwood.
Mrs. Nancy Mathis and children of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Lutie Capps of Minter visited Berniece Wyatt Sunday night.
Lowell Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford, who has been a missionary in Norway for 18 months, has returned home.
Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas and Delores Ponder of Joliet visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Friday.
Donovan Baker, who is attending school in Weatherford, OK, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker.
Mrs. Viola Humphrey of Bogata is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith during the holidays.
A large crowd attended the Christmas program at the Life Tabernacle Church Sunday night.
Amy Ballard of Clardy visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Sunday afternoon.
Pam Allen of Bloomington, Indiana visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Almer Norwood visited Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford and family spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Arrington of Gilmer.
Aubrey Smith of Glory visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chipman and Chris spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chipman of Dallas.
Mrs. Jane Polk of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Wednesday.
Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher were Steve Slusher and Keri of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Slusher, Taylor and Timothy of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. E.C.

McLaughlin, Shane and Kasey and Mr. and Mrs. Burney Milstead, Josh, Lesa and Jonathan of Burkburnett, Harry Slusher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Bret Holbert and Kyle of Paris were Saturday night supper guests.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ruyle of Taylortown visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Tuesday afternoon.
Spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Musgrove were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith of Paris, Doyles Musgrove and Geraldine Fletcher of DeSoto, Mr. and Mrs. L.S. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Fisher, David Fisher and Lori Fisher of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cline of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Musgrove and Stoney, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Watson and Jarvis Watson were Saturday supper guests.
Mrs. Doris Ballard of Clardy visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith Sunday morning.

Obituaries

Fred A. Anderson Dies At Age 65

Fred A. Anderson, 65, of Bagwell, died Thursday, December 18 in McCuiston Regional Medical Center.
Services were held Saturday, December 20 at 2 p.m. in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with the Rev. A.B. Kellam and the Rev. James Brown officiating. Burial was in Tuggle Springs Cemetery.
Mr. Anderson was born August 14, 1921 in Red River County, a son of John and Pearl Foster Anderson. He married Myrtle Meggs on March 13, 1941 in Detroit. He was a member of the Hopewell Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army.
Surviving are his wife, Myrtle; two sons, Marion Anderson of Bogata and John Anderson of Clarksville; two daughters, Mary Mitchell and Linda Foglesong, both of Clarksville; one brother, Landy Trapp of Lufkin; five sisters, Lois Eaton of Bagwell, Ollie Ferguson of Dallas, Ann Caillet of Irving, Beatrice Huddleston of Irving and Christine Cummings of Grapeville; 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Georgia Cato Allen Dies At Age 84

Funeral services for Georgia Cato Allen of Greenville were held Saturday, December 20 at 2 p.m. in McClannahan and Sons Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ray Meador officiating. Burial was made in Oaklawn Cemetery.
Mrs. Allen died Thursday at her home.
She was born March 28, 1902 in the Mt. Joy community in Delta County, a daughter of W.B. Chambers and Ada Dewitt Chambers.
She married Roy L. Cato in 1919 and he died in 1925. She married Kruger Allen on January 10, 1939 and he died January 29, 1976. She lived in Cooper for 38 years and in Greenville for 13 years. She was a retired telephone operator and member of North Baptist Church in Greenville.
Surviving are a daughter and son-in-law, Helen and Doyle Meador; three grandsons; one granddaughter; seven great-grandchildren; one brother, W.O. Chambers of Gladewater; two sisters, Norvell Stockton of Enloe and Alma Davis of Cooper. She was preceded in death by a son, Harold Cato in 1939. She was an aunt of Mrs. Clifford Pynes of Cunningham.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were in Cypress Springs for a Christmas dinner in the lake home of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Garner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gandy, Genevieve Forten, Sandy Gandy, Gene Jeracki, Stephanie Limpod.
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Massey of Tucumcari, NM came for this week for a stay at their home here.
Betty Rodgers visited with Mrs. Jodi Crawford in Shady Grove Sunday afternoon.
Thomas VanDeaver is still a patient in McCuiston Medical Center in Paris.
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gandy were Worth Baker, Stella Ridents, Rene Embrey, Bessie Massey and Melissa Rodgers.
Mr. and Mrs. Travis King celebrated the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee at the Masonic Hall in Deport Sunday afternoon.
Visiting Mrs. Ethel Epps Sunday were Mrs. Harold Epps and children of Mt. Vernon. They also visited Thursday and had lunch and Mrs. Nell Sims of Clarksville was a visitor.

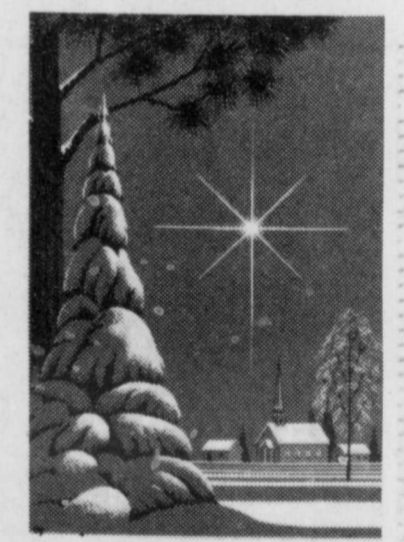
Lois Wilson Dies At Age 82

Funeral services for Miss Lois Wilson, 82, of Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, December 20 in the Joliet Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Billy Daniels officiating. Burial followed in Talco Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.
Miss Wilson died Friday at the nursing home. She was born December 21, 1903 in Talco, a daughter of George and Docia Kelly Wilson.
Surviving is a brother, George Wilson of Dallas.

'87 Should Be A Little Better For Texas Farmers

Texas farmers and ranchers should see somewhat better times in the year ahead.
"Agricultural income next year may rise moderately over 1986 levels," said Dr. Carl Anderson, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University system.
"Higher cattle prices and better cotton markets are the main reasons for the improved prospects."
Although grain prices will remain under pressure from too many supplies, government payments will support income, notes Anderson. Production expenses will be held in check by low rates of inflation.
Even though demand for grain will benefit from higher livestock prices, total feed usage is expected to decline, says the economist. As a result, combined domestic and export demand for feed grains and soybeans will be below production levels. However, stocks of wheat, rice and cotton are expected to decrease as use exceeds production.
The number of Texas farmers forced out of agriculture in 1986 due to financial reasons beyond their control is expected to exceed 2,800, says the economist. That number is up moderately from the year before and about twice the number two years ago. Heavy debt loads, low prices and low yields are the main causes forcing farmers to quit.

The largest number of farmers forced out are in the intensified farming areas of the Panhandle, Southern High Plains and Rolling Plains. Anderson estimates that more than 90 farmers will leave farming in each of three West Texas counties where crop yields have been extremely low for several years.
Agricultural prosperity will be slow in coming during the rest of the 1980's. U.S. farm exports should expand gradually while heavy government income support will continue for crop farmers, says Anderson.



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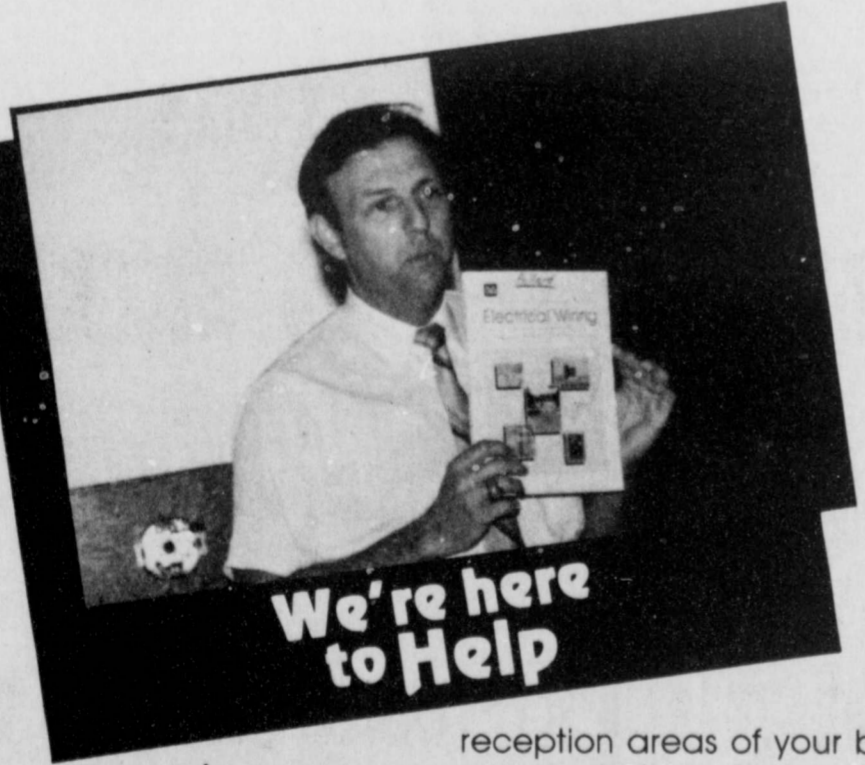
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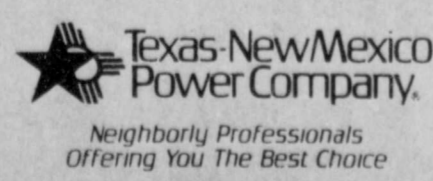
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Never allow water to stand near electrical appliances. Make sure your wiring is not exposed and complies with all codes.
For more information on electrical safety, call us. We're here to help.



PJC's Registration Set For Jan. 6-9

Registration for the spring semester at Paris Junior College will begin on Tuesday, January 6, and continue by an alphabetical and classification schedule until noon on Friday, January 9, according to Johnette McKown, director of business operations.
The registration will be held in the Rheudasil Learning Center, and students will not be permitted to register other than at their scheduled times. Registration for evening classes only will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, January 6. Persons unable to register at the scheduled time may enroll from noon to 3 p.m. on Friday, January 9, Mrs. McKown said.
Students should bring their advising planbooks with them to registration. New students may obtain their planbooks in the Records Office, Administration Building. New students are required to take the Orientation and Placement Testing scheduled on Tuesday, January 6 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Student Center Ballroom.
Sophomores will register on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning according to the following alphabetical schedule: Tuesday, January 6, S-Z, noon to 2 p.m.; A-E, 2 to 4 p.m.; and Wednesday, January 7, F-K, 8 to 10 a.m.; L-R, 10 a.m. to noon.
Freshmen will register on Wednesday afternoon, Thursday and Friday morning according to the following alphabetical schedule: Wednesday, January 7, Sa-Sm, noon to 1 p.m.; Oa-Pi, 1 to 2 p.m.; Pj-Rz, 2 to 3 p.m.; Mc-Nz, 3 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, Jan. 8, Hb-Hp, 8 to 9 a.m.; Fq-Ha, 9 to 10 a.m.; Ed-Fp, 10 to 11 a.m.; Cj-Ed, 11 a.m. to noon; Sn-Tr, noon to 1 p.m.; Ts-Wb, 1 to 2 p.m.; Wc-Zz, 2 to 3 p.m.; Bs-Ci, 3 to 4 p.m.; Friday, Jan. 9, Bb-Br, 8 to 9 a.m.; Aa-Ba, 9 to 10 a.m.; Lf-Mb, 10 to 11 a.m.; Hq-Le, 11 a.m. to noon.
Classes begin Monday, January 12.



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Lay-Away

Rebelettes Open District With Win, Rebels Lose To Paris

By Stan Anderson
The Rebelettes opened their 1986-87 district season last Tuesday night against the Wolfe City Wolves, the same team that beat the Rebelettes by a 20 point margin in the Celeste Tournament. However, this time, the Rebelettes proved ready for the task. The Wolves opened a 13-2 lead dur-

ing the first quarter, only to have the Rebelettes storm back and outscore their opponents, 16-5 and tie the game at 18 points each. The third quarter found both teams evenly matched as the Wolves managed only a two point, 26-24 lead going into the final quarter. Near the end of the fourth quarter, the Rebelet-

tes were down by one point. Rachel Smith had the opportunity to tie the game and even win it with two free throws. She connected on one of the two sending the game into overtime, but the Wolves reeled off seven unanswered points to take a 40-33 victory over the Rebelettes.

Friday night the Rebelettes traveled to Como-Pickton. The Rebelettes suffered through a dismal night from the field, connecting on only 30 percent of their shots. The Rebelettes trailed by one at the half, but pulled ahead later in the game and took a hard earned 41-36 win. Rebelette Cindy Thompson led the Rivercrest attack with 12 points. Lucinda Craig had 10 points, Barbie Rackliff had six points, Lori Alford had six and Rachel Smith had five, while Kim Clark had two.

Thursday night the Rebels hosted the Class 4A Paris High JV, a team that has averaged winning by 30 points or more per game and is undefeated.

The team fell victim to a smaller Rebel team as the Rebels posted a 53-51 win over the Wildcats. Friday night the Rebels journeyed to Paris to face the 4A North Lamar Panthers.

The Rebels jumped out to an early lead and never looked back as they coasted to a 70-48 win over the Panthers. Rebel forward Brad Anderson led all scorers with 16 points. Chris Anderson followed with 10 points and also eight other Rebel players got in the scoring column.

The Rivercrest teams will take a break during the holidays but will return to action Friday night at the Rivercrest Classic, a tournament featuring Saltillo, Harmony, Redwater and Rivercrest.

Rivercrest will face Redwater in the first round of play. While Saltillo and Harmony square off against each other also on Friday.



Nail - Bell Exchange Wedding Vows

Dottie Nail and David Bell exchanged vows in a double-ring ceremony on December 19 in the home of her parents with Loyd Nail, father of the bride, officiating.

Norma Holcomb, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and Danny Bell, brother of the groom, was best man. Harpest was Lori Smith of Tyler, who provided the music.

The bride is the granddaughter of Dorris Humble of Tyler. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Durward Bell of Bogata.

Guests included family members from several Texas cities.

The couple will make their home in Italy, Texas where he is employed by Texas Power and Light Company.

BIRTHS

A daughter, Kasie LaShae was born December 11 to Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stephenson of Galena Park. She weighed 5½ lbs. and was 18" long. Grandparents are Mrs. Lena Powell of Bogata and Mrs. M.W. Sappington of Tollock, TX.

Glad Tidings

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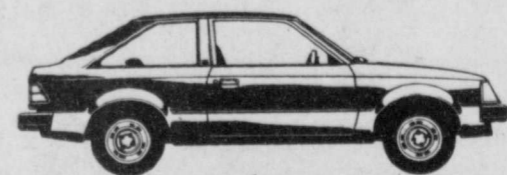
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THURSDAY

DECEMBER 25, 1986

Table of TV listings for Thursday, Dec 25, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Good Morning America', 'Superior Court', etc.

MONDAY

DECEMBER 29, 1986

Table of TV listings for Monday, Dec 29, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Good Morning America', 'Superior Court', etc.

FRIDAY

DECEMBER 26, 1986

Table of TV listings for Friday, Dec 26, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Good Morning America', 'Superior Court', etc.

TUESDAY

DECEMBER 30, 1986

Table of TV listings for Tuesday, Dec 30, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Good Morning America', 'Superior Court', etc.

SATURDAY

DECEMBER 27, 1986

Table of TV listings for Saturday, Dec 27, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Wuzzles', 'Flintstone', etc.

WEDNESDAY

DECEMBER 31, 1986

Table of TV listings for Wednesday, Dec 31, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Good Morning America', 'Superior Court', etc.

SUNDAY

DECEMBER 28, 1986

Table of TV listings for Sunday, Dec 28, 1986. Columns include channel (3 KTBS, 6 KTXL, 11 KTVT, 4 KDFW, 7 KLTU, 12 KSLA), time (7 AM to 12 AM), and program titles like 'Jim & Tammy', 'Discovery World', etc.

Advertisement for Big General Motors Sale. Features 'Santa's Lists' with a checklist of car models and prices, including Buick LeSabre, Chevrolet Silverado, and Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme. Includes contact information for J&J Floors and Smith Carpets.

Advertisement for Smith Carpets, offering 24-hour installation for carpet, tile, and linoleum. Contact: Don Wear, Mgr., 1289 Clarksville St., Paris, Texas. Phone: 785-6491.

Advertisement for J&J Floors, offering carpet, tile, linoleum, and parquet services with free estimates. Contact: Jewell A. Neathery Jr., 120 W. Main St., Clarksville. Phone: 214-427-5555.

Advertisement for Ford Lincoln Mercury, featuring a 'Big General Motors Sale' and listing various car models and prices. Includes contact information for Pat Harred, Asst. Sales Manager, 885-5503.

Attend the Church of Your Choice

Peace on Earth

ATTEND SERVICES

Christmas is a birthday — that of a child of Bethlehem who was destined to teach us of brotherhood and love. Attend your church of choice this Christmas and learn more about the spiritual happiness we may achieve through His teachings.



Area Churches and Service Times

TALCO CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Sunday Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Class 7 p.m.

BOGATA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bob Posey
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 11 a.m.
 Church Training 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Auxillary 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Service 7 p.m.

BOGATA CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST
 Don Shovan
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BOGATA CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Benny Cogdurn
 Sunday Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BOGATA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Randy Newkirk
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 5:30 p.m.

CUTHAND METHODIST CHURCH
 Worship Each Sunday 10 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Services 6:30 p.m.
 Bible Study Wednesday

MAPLE SPRINGS MISSIONARY BAPTIST
 Johnny Mack Brown
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.

HARRIS CHAPEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST
 Alvin Blalock
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 5 p.m.

HARRIS CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
 Charles E. Collins
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Sunday Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

TALCO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Gary House
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 BTS 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:45 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 6:30 p.m.

TALCO CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Ted White
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Choir Practice 5:30 p.m.
 Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study-R.A.'s 7 p.m.

BOGATA ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Bernard Escalante
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

BOGATA CHURCH OF GOD
 Earnest McCool
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship 5 p.m.
 Thursday Family Training (F.T.H.) 7 p.m.

DEPORT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Jim Spikes
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 5 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

DEPORT FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rickey Logan
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Training Union 6 p.m.
 Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Worship and R.A. 7 p.m.

DEPORT FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Chief Warden
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.

DEPORT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Sam Rice
 1st Thru 3rd Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
 Fourth Sunday Worship 9 a.m.
 Sunday School 10 a.m.

DEPORT CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Cecil Allen
 Sunday Bible School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

DEPORT HOUSE OF PRAYER
 Mae Nichols
 Assistant Pastor, David Helm
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

JOHNTOWN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Billy Daniels
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Baptist Training Course 7 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

JOHNTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Don Hindsley

PATTONVILLE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 James Hensley
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

PATTONVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST

PATTONVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
 Chief Warden
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 (1st & 3rd Sundays)

TALCO ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Patrick Smith
 Call to Worship 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Extra Curricular Services 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BOGATA FREE HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
 George Rape
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.

BLOSSOM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bob Johnson
 Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Church Training 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.

EAST POST OAK BAPTIST CHURCH
 Mike Black
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Training Service at 6 p.m.
 Worship Service at 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Leo Owen
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF GOD

BLOSSOM FIRST UNITED METHODIST
 Bob Johnson
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7 p.m.
 Youth Service at 5 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
 Adult & Childrens Choir 8 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF NAZARENE
 Jerry Hollowell
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM FEI LOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
 Ron Byers
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Training Union 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

FULBRIGHT CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Herbert (Hub) Miller
 Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
 Wednesday Service 6:30 p.m.

FULBRIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH
 J.E. Clark
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 6 p.m.

MINTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 First and Third Sundays 4 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM LIFE TABERNACLE
 Don Whitt
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Services 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Glyn Renfro
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM UNITED PENTECOSTAL
 J.B. (Bud) Watson
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Church 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 5:30 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM UNITED METHODIST
 Chief Warden
 Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Second and Fourth Sundays

BANGS WEST SIDE GROCERY
 Blossom 982-6100

BLOSSOM GULF STATION
 Blossom 982-5553

NATION BROTHERS FERTILIZER
 Blossom 982-5831

CROSSLAND'S INSULATION
 Pattonville 652-2373

CUNNINGHAM PROPANE
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 Deport 652-4295

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 Bogata 632-5515

BOGATA PAINT AND BODY SHOP
 Bogata 632-5515

BRYSON BUILDING & FARM SPLY.
 Bogata 632-5116

ALLEN'S FLOWER SHOP
 Deport 632-2532

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 Bogata Talco

HOUSE OF FLOWERS
 Bogata 632-5623

KWIK KORNER
 Bogata 632-5032

TIP TOP DRIVE IN
 Bogata 632-4112

BRIGHT-HOLLAND FUNERAL HOME
 Paris 784-6623

JOHN D. WRIGHT CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
 Talco 379-3161 or 379-2111

JONES INSURANCE AGENCY
 Talco 379-3611

Johntown News

By Eva Weisinger

Mrs. Faye Faulkenburg received word from her grandson, Jerry Dodd III of Lovington, NM, who is a member of the football team. They played Ruidoso, NM for state championship and won the title. Jerry is the son of Jerry Jr. and Susan Guage Dodd and also the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Gage of Talco.

Cody Walesiak of Borger is spending the Christmas holidays with his dad, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Walesiak.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lee Cox were Victor Lynn Cox and Andy. Patti Cox and Andy were overnight guests Sunday night.

Mrs. Martha St. Jacques of Mesquite came Wednesday night to spend a few days with her mother and children, Mrs. Marie Crafts, Josie, Stacy and Shawn Tulley and to be with Jimmy Tulley on Thursday as he underwent tonsilectomy at Mt. Pleasant Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Daniel and daughter of Kilgore visited from Friday until Wednesday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Billy Daniels. They attended services at Johntown Missionary Baptist Church on Sunday.

Miss Lois Wilson, resident of Bogata Nursing Home, who died Friday, was a cousin of Mrs. Tommy Lee Cox. Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Cox on the loss of her loved one.

Mrs. Roberta Watts is slowly improving after recent surgery in McCuiston Medical Center in Paris. She will remain in the hospital for a while longer.

Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Weisinger visited Wesley Askins and Mrs. Arieta Hervey of Red River Haven Nursing Home Saturday.

Mrs. Lucille Beakley and granddaughter LaTricia Belcher of Cuthand, are in Orange to visit her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Black visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Black of Talco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cowley were in Sulphur Springs Sunday for dinner with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Steinsick. They helped to celebrate the birthday of their mother, also a dinner guest, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Rosson of Tira. It was Mrs. Rosson's 72nd birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Evans of Mt. Vernon joined Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lee Cox for the graduation exercises of their daughter, Glenda Cox of East Texas State University Thursday night. When Glenda received her Bachelor of Science degree. She majored in graphic arts.

Amanda Newsome of Mt. Pleasant spent the night with her grandmother, Mrs. Marie Crafts Saturday night. her mother, Mrs. Margaret Newsome spent the day with Mrs. Crafts and family Sunday and Amanda returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Boots Roberts were in Longview to visit their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Patsy Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Timmy Hiltzman, Kris and Clay Sunday. Kris returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Sells were in Sherman Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Lilly Chisholm at John Wade Hospital. Latest report she had developed pneumonia but expected to be released by Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. Jo Wilson and Mrs. Dorothy Foster spent Saturday morning

visiting Mrs. Leon Blankenship of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Martha St. Jacques of Mesquite and Jimmy Tulley of Mt. Pleasant visited her mother from Friday until Sunday. Jimmy returned to Mesquite with his mother for a longer visit.

Glenda Cox of Commerce same Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lee Cox.

Dena and Crystal White are spending a few days in Clarksville visiting their dad, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick White.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hood were in Paris Monday to get in a little last minute Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Coy Vickers of Sulphur Springs Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lynch of Mabank visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kelley and children Sunday. Kimberly returned home with them for an extended visit.

Visitors of Mrs. Myra Jean the weekend were her son, Dale Jean and his friend, Dawn Tysdal of Texarkana.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cecil, Bradley and Brandi were Mrs. Cecil's dad, Mr. Herron of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Dodd, Russell and Melissa and Mrs. Neva Whitten were among those who enjoyed the annual Christmas reception hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd Sr. at their home in Rosalie Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rhodes of Clarksville were dinner guests of Mrs. Jo Wilson Sunday and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rhodes in the afternoon.

Mrs. Terry Cope, Kami and Claudia of Richardson came Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mrs. Cope returned Sunday afternoon and the girls remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Dollar of Lorain, Ohio are houseguests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Graham through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Brown of Bogata visited his sister, Mrs. Marie Crafts Saturday afternoon.

James Cawley, a senior at ETSU, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cawley.

Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Johnson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins Saturday evening.

Mrs. Dorothy Dodd, Mrs. John Blair, Kristen and Alex of Palestine, Mrs. Pat Jeffery and grandchildren Colby and Jerad Guest of Bogata visited their aunt, Mrs. Bennie Stribbling of Detroit Saturday afternoon and enjoyed her home which was decorated for the Christmas season. They also enjoyed the Christmas



RHONDA COLLINS shoots two points as the Rivercrest Rebellets racked up a win against the

Wolfe City Wolves for their district opener last week. (Staff Photo by Stan Anderson)



By 1987, every American will have a new job.

According to a recent ruling by the U.S. Government, you'll be responsible for the maintenance of the telephone wire inside your home beginning January 1, 1987. In other words, if you have a problem with any of the telephone wiring that runs through the house, it's up to you to fix it.

For this reason, Contel is now introducing a convenient new maintenance service called Wire Care.™ With Wire Care, which costs only a few cents a day, Contel will come to your home and fix any inside wiring problem at no extra charge.

So why not learn more about the benefits of Wire Care. For additional information, simply contact your Contel business office.

CONTEL Telephone Operations



AN APPRECIATION presentation was made to Frank Stubblefield, principal of Bogata Elementary and Junior High, following the

Christmas program held at the school Friday, Dec. 19. (Staff Photo by Mollie Williams)

goodies prepared by Mrs. Stribbling. To the residents of Johntown, all news items must be called in or brought to Mrs. R.W. Weisinger, 632-5629 after January 1. She will be responsible for getting them to the news office for you. Thank you, Mrs. R.W. Weisinger.



Glad Tidings

May the peace of that blessed night be with you and yours. Merry Christmas.

Marlin & Billie Mac Foster



Better be good! It's that time of year for giving and gifting and spreading joy and good will all around you!

BOGATA AUTO & EQUIPMENT SALES
HWY. 271 BOGATA
632-4284 At Bank

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Talco, Texas

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:

SUNDAY MORNING: Bible Classes 9:45 A.M. WORSHIP 10:45
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE: 6:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY: Bible Classes 7:00 P.M.

Ye Shall Know The Truth And The Truth Will Make You Free.
John 8:32

A Friendly Welcome Awaits You At The Church Of Christ

LAST WEEK FOR

BIG SAVINGS\$!

SAVE \$2

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**DEPORT TIMES, BOGATA NEWS,
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\$800 In Lamar, Red River and Titus Counties

\$1050 Within The State, But Not In Above Counties

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School Events
TV Schedule
Photos
Local News

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The Bogata News
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The Talco Times
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The Blossom Times
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1975 Malibu
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Accepting Bids On Two Trailmobil Long Haul Trailers And Two Semi Tractor Trucks

Apartment Complex For Sale -
8 Apartments, 1 & 2 Bedrooms

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Office 632-5269 or Home 632-4303

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We're neighbors and hometowners and that means a lot. It means we know the community from way back — and the businesses and the people in it. Our future, like your own, is right here. No big city bank pulls the strings, or can siphon off deposits and earnings to some central headquarters — we're home-owned.

When you make deposits here, we have that much more to lend out in our area for business expansion, consumer purchases, etc. And that means more jobs, more sales and a brighter economy. When you borrow, the products and services bought with your loan help to build a healthy volume of local trade, and that's a help to local employment, too. Think about it. Doesn't it make good sense to use your community independent bank for all your financial needs? Check our list of services below. We are here to serve you every way we can.

Our bank offers financial services (and many others):

- Savings Accounts
- Checking Accounts
- Personal Loans
- Auto Loans
- Boat Loans
- Appliance Loans
- Home Modernization Loans
- Real Estate Loans
- Commercial Loans
- Collateral Loans
- Banking By Mail
- Travelers Checks
- Safe Deposit Boxes
- Night Depository

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Bogata Locals

Elain Burgess and Chrystine Baker visited in Grand Prairie and Ft. Worth last week.

The family of Mrs. Ruby Corbell met Sunday at her home for Christmas lunch and exchange of gifts. Those attending were Carol Baker, Mark Gaddis and children, Casey and James of Mt. Pleasant, Nina Pybus of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pybus of Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Yale, Renee and Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Yale of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Welch and Mary Ann of Blossom, Esta May Hamilton, Elaine Burgess, Ailene Hale of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Corbell and Lauren of Pine Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Corbell and Jo, Mildred Eudy and Chrystine Baker of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gill visited recently with Mary Fortner in Richardson. Saturday, the Gills attended a dinner in honor of her grandson, Pvt. Derrell Fortner in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fortner of Paris. Later, the Gills attended the cantata in which her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fortner were in, at the Ramseur Baptist Church in Paris. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate spent Thursday night with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Al Kelley at Lake Tawakoni. On Friday, the four went to Katy to spend the weekend with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright. A nephew, Mr. and Mrs. James Holcomb from Kaufman and a niece and husband, Michael Stengler, Teri Stengler and Cory Stengler from Spring Branch were there on Saturday.

Bogata Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
Cabbage patch, ball, Barbie doll, bike, bike tube, doll snoopy, barbie home, Love, Stacy

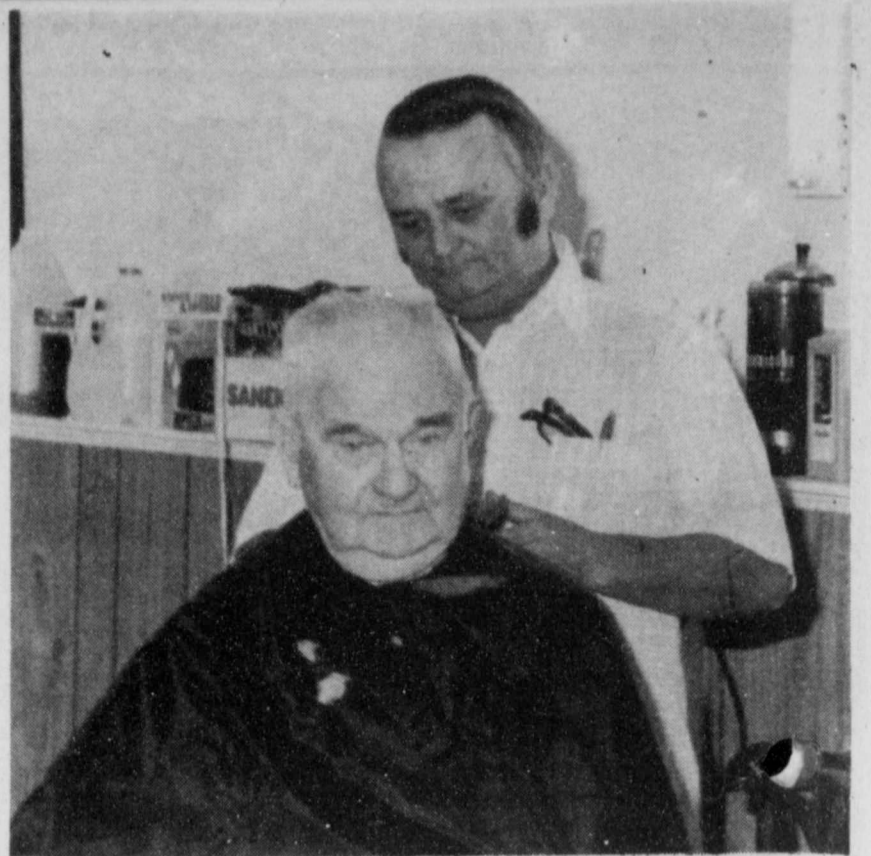
Dear Santa, Bobby, Camoflauge suit, jacket, stompers football, jogging suit, machine gun.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kelly, I want some toys and a stereo and a coloran book, color Kelly

Dear Santa,
Cabbage patch kid, baby doll, jambbox, piano, jem, rockes mirobe bakelikenmoreappliances. Dear Santa

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a pink bear watch a fieval doll a my child doll with a stroller and clouthes. Also would you bring Danielle a baby doll. Thank you, Love, Brandi

Dear Santa,
A bigger bike, belt, boots, baby that talks, watch, Santa, please give me, Thanks, kid



DANNY HENSON opened the Bogata Barber Shop on December 18. The shop is located on Main Street next door to the Bogata News office. (Staff Photo by Mollie Williams)

Bogata Gift Subscriptions

To Jimmy Regan from Kathryn Tully. To Ruth Foster from Sarah Starks and Doris Ruff.

To Linda Black from Frances and Beryl Gibson. To Joseph N. Jannise from Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Smith. To Mr. and Mrs. Tim Daniels from Rev. and Mrs. Billy Daniels. To Judy Wantland from Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Legate. To Donnie Kennedy from Lorene Kennedy. To Charles Skaggs and Jack Phillips from Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Skaggs. To Roy Mayes from Mrs. Paul Mayes. To Roy Herman from Mrs. Maudie Pittman.

To Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ramsey from Eula Faye Burke. To Roy Wade Tillman and Edward Tillman from Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tillman.

To Jace Jeffery and Mr. and Mrs. John Blair from Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jeffery. To Mr. and Mrs. David Hudson from Ora Pirtle. To Mr. and Mrs. Jo Stewart from Ella Davis.

To A.L. Shirey from Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lee Cox. To Truman Stephenson, Nancy Brown, Jerry Jeffries and Nell Barkley from Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powell. To Polly Oster from Mrs. Henry Smiley.

BOGATA BUSINESS DIRECTORY

<p>RED RIVER COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY</p> <p>Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri. 12 to 5:30 p.m. Tue. 9 to 12 a.m. 1 to 5:30 p.m. Sat. 9 to 12 Noon</p>	<p>Bogata Auto and Equipment Sales</p> <p>1973 Chevy Pickup 1980 Mazda 1978 Monte Carlo Two horse trailers 1977 Chevy Pickup</p> <p>Across from First National Bank in Bogata Call 632-4284 or 632-4303</p>
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The Gladness of Hope
The Spirit of Peace
The Warmth of Love

**WINTER BEGINS
DECEMBER 21st**

Merry Christmas

BOGATA VIDEO

The Finchers
Roy, Wanda, Leahanne, Joey, Danny

HAPPY BUCKS '50
Last Weeks Winner-Louvena Whitney

HUDDLESTON GROCERY

SPECIALS GOOD EVERY DAY
THURS-FRI-SAT- & MON-TUE-WED. DEC. 26 - 31

HOURS 7 A.M. - 7 P.M.
BOGATA 632-5624

MILK Borden's-Gallon \$2.29	SUGAR Parade 5 Lb. Bag \$1.59	GROUND MEAT Fresh Lb. \$1.29	SAUSAGE Carts 2 Lb. Reg. or Hot \$3.49	STEW MEAT Lb. \$1.29
BUTTERMILK Borden's 1/2 Gallon 79¢	EGGS Grade A Large 89¢	MARGARINE Grayson 4 Sticks 2/79¢	POTATOES 10 Lb. Bag \$1.29	TUNA Star-Kist 6 1/2oz. Can 69¢
ONIONS Yellow Lb. 19¢	CRACKERS Keebler Club 16oz. Box \$1.19	HONEY BUNS Mrs. Bairds 3/\$1	CRACKERS Parade Lb. Box 2/\$1	CHILI MEAT Lb. \$1.29
POTATO CHIPS Ruffles 7oz. Bag 99¢	BREAD MRS. BAIRDS STA FRESH LARGE LCAF 79¢	BISCUITS PARADE & AMERICAN MAID 2/39¢	BREAD WCNDR COUNTRY STYLE LARGE LCAF 79¢	PIMENTOS Sliced 2oz. Jar 3/\$1
PEPSI MOUNTAIN DEW DIET PEPSI 6 Pack Cans \$1.69	PEPSI MOUNTAIN DEW DIET PEPSI 1 Liter \$1.09	RC & 7UP 2 Liter 89¢	BLACKEYE PEAS Bush's 3/\$1	SPAM Luncheon Meat 12oz. Can \$1.69
CHEER 42oz. Box \$1.89	TISSUE White Cloud 4 Rolls \$1.09	MACARONI & CHEESE Parade-Dinner 7oz. Box 4/\$1		

Merry Christmas

Tis the season to be jolly! Here's wishing a bright and happy Christmas to all our fine patrons and their families. Your support has been wonderful.