

By Nanalee Nichols Christmas is over. Most of us breathe a sigh of relief. As much as we love the season, we still had so much to do. Now it is done and it's easy to get "down in the dumps". After all the excitement, rushing around and family visiting it all comes to a screeching halt. We feel exhausted, let down and rather empty.

Here at our place of business we are left with wierd, incomplete feelings that something is wrong. Because of the mid-week holidays, both Christmas and New Years, we have to change up our publication and mailing schedule. Our readers don't care for this. We care for it even less.

Add in to this the annual newspaper sale winding down and it's hard not to feel stressed and depressed. We've burned more midnight oil than a refinery. We're tired. Don't get me wrong, I'm not complaining. It's nice too.

But sitting at my desk writing check for taxes, bills and postage I found myself getting lower and lower. Our biggest edition of the year was done.

Our year was ending.

Our gift giving was through. More for distraction than anything else I found my mind wandering ahead to what day Christmas might fall on NEXT year.

With relief I noted that it would be a Friday...a wonderful boon that would keep us from having to juggle such a frantic schedule! Since the calendar had '93 and

'94 on it I looked at them too. With delight I realized that it would be four years before we had to dread another mid-week publication.

And, with that simple thought realized how useless our postYour Community Newspaper....Serving Local Folks, And Local Businesses For 81 Years

BOGATA NEV January 2, 1992 79TH YEAR, No. 8 **BOGATA, RED RIVER COUNTY, TEXAS** Thursday,

As another great year comes to a close, we'd like to extend our warm wishes and heartfelt thanks to all the good folks we've had the privilege to know and serve.



Drue Pirtle Files For Re-Election

H. Drue Pirtle announces he has filed for a place on the Democratic Party 1992 Primary Ballot for reelection to the office of County Commissioner, Precinct 1 of Red River County.

Pirtle stated, "We have made a lot of progress in county government in the last four years and I hope to contiue to serve you for the next four years."

In reviewing the last four years, some of the accomplishments made by the county to the courthouse include: a new roof, cleaning the outside of the building, installing central heat and air conditioning in the hallways; new rest rooms, a concrete ramp and an elevator to make the building handicapped accessible, an automatic sprinkling system for the lawn and new landscaping. A concrete parking lot was built on the North side of the building and new sidewalks were built on the East side. Additional improvements are planned for the future.

Within the last years, the county has also purchased a larger computer system and the Red River Bank building which has been renovated and is being used as the courthouse annex. During the last four years, the working equipment in Precinct 1 has been up-graded to include: new motor grader, used track loader, used dump

truck, new pickup truck, and a new Ford tractor. Also, fifteen steel railroad tank cars were installed to replace bridges that had to be removed. Additionally, twelve large bridges have been rebuilt. Several miles of roads have been re-oiled and two

miles of roads have been paved. Pirtle stated, "All of the above improvements have been made in the last four years with a tax rate decrease. The county tax rate four years ago was 61.350 and the current tax rate is 57.490 cents per hundred."

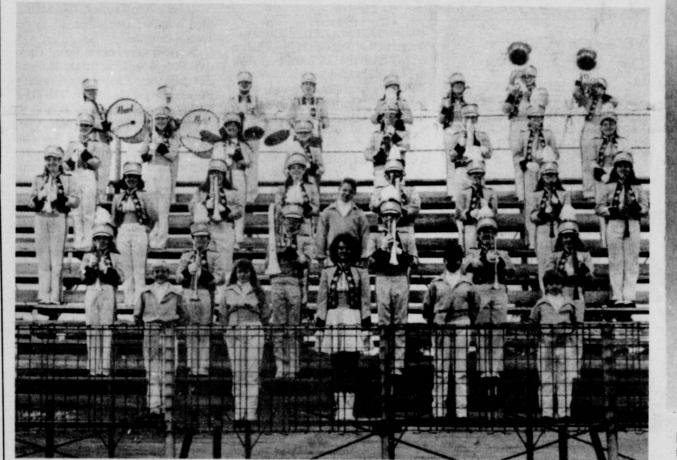
Plans for the future include a new bridge across Sulphur River. If the bridge is built by the State Highway Department, the county will apply for a new Farm to Market road from Cuthand to Sulphur River.

"I hope to visit with as many of you as I can before the election on March 10,1992." Pirtle said.

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H.Drue Pirtle, Files For Re-Election As **Red River County** Pct. 1 Commissioner



hristmas blues really are.

Without consciously knowing it my mind was placing faith in the next four years just as it should. In a flash all my worries about what the future might hold were

gone. My subsconscious had

prompted me to look ahead instead of simply worrying.

My subsconscious knew best. It does no good to worry about the future. Work towards it ... surely. But the very things we usually spend time worrying about don't usually come true anyway so why bother!

So, I put my worries away in a mental "File 13" (the trash) and got on with doing my work.

It was so simple as soon as I gave a little thought to what looking ahead four years on the calendar meant!

Happy New Year, everyone.

People 'N Things

The Talco-Bogata CISD Tax Of-fice will be closed Dec. 23-27, 1991 and Jan. 1-3, 1992. The office will be open Dec. 30 and 31, 1991, from 9am 3pm. The office will resume regular ays, Monday-Friday, and regular

hours, 8am - 4pm on Jan. 6, 1992. Oops! In the Dec.12 issue we printed an anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Hontas Pettit. It should have been for Mr. and Mrs. Houston Pettit married for 50 years instead of 5

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY will be hosted by the Bogata VFW Tuesday, Dec. 31. There will a cover charge of \$5 per person and a live band

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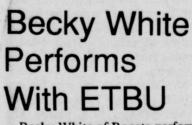
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HONOR BAND-The Rivercrest Band was voted by the prinicipals in District 17AA as the most

outstanding band for the district. They were selected Nov. 20 at a meet held at Leonard

High School. The band has done a super job this year!



Becky White of Bogata performs with the Concert Choir at East Texas Baptist University in Marshall, Texas, according to Dr. Charles Fuller, choral director and assistant professor of music. Sharon Faulkner is chairman of the Department of Music.

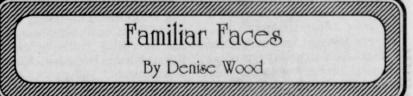
Becky, a senior, is an all - level music education major at ETBU.

ETBU has seven performing organization s in the Music department, which include: Opera Workshop, Handbell Choir, Wind Ensemble, Instrument Ensemble, Chapel Choir, University Singers, and the Concert Choir. The ETBU Department of

Music is fully accredited by the National Assoication of Schools of Music (NASM). The curricula are designed to prepare students for pro-fessions in church music and public school music teaching, according to Department Chariman Faulkner. The Department offers the Bachelor of Music degree with majors in sacred music, all-level music education, and secondary music education. Other music education students desiring certification on the elementary level may prusue the Bachelor of Science. in Education degree. Minors in music and church music are also offered.



BIG HEART- Bobbie Cawley is this week's Familiar Face. She is well known for her "big heart" and kindness. (Staff Photo by Denise Wood)



There are three things that gives life to Bobbie Cawley - her family, church, and job. It gives little time for Bobbie to do much of anything else; but what she does manage to give- it comes from her heart.

Bobbie was born in Johntown; but was raised in Bogata by her parents, M.E. and Lore Roach. She comes from a very strong family of three sisters and one brother.

Thirty- two years ago, she married her high school sweetheart, Ralf Cawley. Together they have two daughters, Becky and Kristi. She and Ralf enjoy being grandparents to Phillip and Aaron.

In January 1968, Bobbie began work as an office clerk at the Red River Haven. She was talked into taking nursing home administration classes at PJC by Mr. E.E. Kirkland, who was the administrator at that time, in 1971. After Mr. Kirkland's unexpected death in 1974, Bobbie became Red River

Haven's administrator.

An ordinary week consits of a 45 50 hours. What Bobbie enjoys most about her job is the interaction of people. Meeting the needs of the residents makes her meet the needs for herself.

When Bobbie is away from her job, she escapes the rat race by being with her children and grandchildren. Teaching a Sunday school class for the First Assembly keeps her busy, too. She tries to study her lessons six to eight hours each week.

Bobbie's passion for life and her job makes it easy for her to be successful.In today's world is is something to see someone who is caring, campassionate, and concern about the people in her life. Bobbie has made her work a mission to others. The next time you see Bobbie take time to say "Thanks for a iob well done."

V.F.W. Post 8187 Hosts Voice Of Democracy

Sunday, December 1, the V.F.W. Post 8187 hosted the Voice of Democracy at the post home.District chairpersons, James and JoAnn Faulkner of Paris Post 3990 help organize the program. Judges of the event were Mildred Eudy, John Howison, and Tommy Corbell. A total of twenty-one tapes were entered with no disqualifications.

The winners were: Annie Griffin of

Mt. Vernon (first place); Mike Barley of Detroit (second place); Joe Hale of Marshall (third place); and Joyce Blackmon of Gilmer (fourth place). The trophies will be given at the District meeting in March.

Jim Smith and B.F. Rhodes cooked the stew and the Ladies Auxilary furnished the desserts for the lunch served at 12:30.

Judson, J.W. Howison, C.C. De-Berry, Wilford Lowry, and Carl Wimms. SCHOOL FOR SALE- J.C. Topping, secretary of Bogata School Board, was accepting bids for the sale of Cuthand and McCrury school buildings.

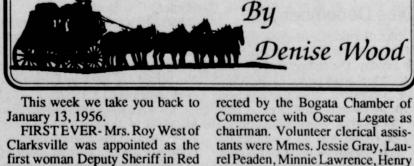
A STEAL-The Hub in Clarksville was offering a steal of boys blue jeans for \$1.00, Ladies better shoes for \$2.00, and Round House overalls for \$2.29.

Cladwell Motor Co in Paris was seslling '51 Studebaker Champion for \$375.00; '50 Ford Tudor for \$425.00; and '49 Ford Sedan for \$295.00.

Marshall's in Bogata had 21 inch Philco T.V. with antenna for \$239.00 or \$2.79 a week.

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Backward Glances From 1956

first woman Deputy Sheriff in Red River County by Sheriff J.C. Beville.

NEW BUSINESS-Shoulders and Pettit opened their new upholsters business in the McDonald building on south Main Street.

LOST-Bogata High School girls basketball team lost to Annona with a score of 40-62. Bobby Roach and Nelda Huddleston scored 18 points each. The girls also lost to Queen City with a score of 34-64 with Bobby Roach scoring 25 points. The boys were aslo defeated by Queen City with the "A" team 50-73 and the "B" team 30-61.

FREE X-RAYS- A mobile unit

for free chest x-rays were given to

338 people which was sponsored by

Red River County Tuberculosis

Association. The project was part of

the Community Chest program di-

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SHOWN WITH her cheesecake, buttermilk cake and some chocolate chip cookies is Kathryn Wright, who is sharing in this week's Country Cooking Column. (Staff Photo by Gerrie Bankhead)



The Country Cooking article is coming to you this week from the dining room of Kathryn and Grady Wright. They have been married for 45 years and have lived the past 14 years in Deport and the previous 13 years in Blossom.

Grady and Kathryn have four children: Mike, wife Sharon adn child, Dakota of Blossom; Pam Hunt and husband Ken and Brad, Bob and Troy of Deport; Kyle and wife Lisa, Jamie, Katie and Kandi of Deport; and Kent, wife Ann and Brandon of Pattonville. The Wrights attend the New Hope Baptist Church in Paris.

Kathryn's hobbies include growing plants, reading country magazines, playing 42 with family and friends, entertaining on special occasions and holidays and cooking. She loves to spend time with her grandchildren and her mother, who is in the Deport Nursing Home.

Kathryn's favorite things to cook are desserts.

Several recipes Kathryn is sharing this week would make a delicious feast for Christmas. The Brown Sugar Delites have been a favorite of hers for about 30 years. The recipe came from her sister, Cindy, of Campbell. The Creamy Praline recipe came from her daughter Pam, and she has used it about 20 years. The Egg Custard Pie recipe and Buttermilk Cake recipe came from her mother, Allie Burks. These recipes are at least 35 years old. The Cheesecake recipe came from a friend in Tyler, Mrs. Don Fry, and she has used it about 28 years. A note about the cheesecake is while she prepares the ingredients, she keeps everything refrigerated and cold as she uses it. This makes th epie stand up better. The Easy Chocolate Ice Cream recipe came from her pastor, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Greer of Paris and she has used it for about 3 years.

The Crock Pot Mexican Dinner is a long-time favorite and she enjoys it because you can cook it while you are As I stepped into her home, I could away. When ready to eat, add chips smell the fresh, baked desserts that and salad and you have a complete meal.

Thursday, January 2, 1992

Egg Custard By Kathryn Wright

4 slightly beaten eggs 2 1/2 cups milk, scalded 1 9" unbaked pastry shell 1/4 tsp. salt 1/2 cup sugar

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Thoroughly mix eggs, sugar, salt and vanilla. Slowly stir in hot milk. At once, pour into unbaked pastry shell. Dash top with nutmeg. Bake in very hot oven, 475, for five minutes. Reduce heat to 425 and bake until custard sets. **Creamy Pralines**

3 cups sugar 3/4 cup white Karo syrup

- 1 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- 2 1/2 cups pecans 1 1/2 cups homogenized milk

1 pinch soda 3/4 stick Parkay margarine or butter Cook sugar, milk and soda and karo over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture reaches soft ball stage. Test in cold water, even if you use a candy thermometer and remove from heat as soon as a small amount forms a soft ball in cold water. After removing mixture from heat source, add vanilla and margarine or butter. Stir until candy begins to hold its shape, then stir in pecans and drop onto buttered cookie sheet. Cooking time is extremely important. Cook too long and mixture will be too hard--for too short a time and the candy will not hold its shape. Crock Pot Mexican Dinner

2 lbs. ground meat l can cream of mushroom soup 1 can Ro-Tel tomatoes tortilla chips or nacho chips 1 medium onion, chopped can enchilada sauce

1 lb. American cheese, grated Brown ground meat with chopped onion. Place in crock pot on low setting. Heat soup, tomatoes and enchilada sauce and add to crock pot, along with cheese. Let cook several hours or all day. About 20 minutes before control of the set of the set 20 minutes before serving, mix in de-sired amount of chips. This makes a complete meal when served with green salad

Brown Sugar Delites
2 sticks margarine
1 tsp. baking soda
1/4 tsp. salt
6-12 oz. hocolate chips
2 large eggs
4 cups flour
1 tsp. vanilla
2 cups brown sugar, packed
1 cup nuts, chopped
Cream sugar and margarine to
Add eggs and vanilla and mix we
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ell. Add oda and salt and mix well. Stir in uts and chocolate chips. Form into small balls on lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake at 325 to 350 until lightly browned. Cheese Cake

ogether

Crust and topping: 2 pkgs. from a box of graham crackers,

Vera Lee Ward **Dies December 28**

Vera Lee Ward, 81, of Bogata died Saturday, December 28 in McCuistion Regional Medical Center.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, December 30 in the Fulbright Church of Christ with Johnny Robertson officiating. Burial was in Smith Cemetery at Rosalie by Bogata Funeral Hom

rolled fine 1/4 lb. margarine, melted Mix together and line bottom of 9x13x2'' pan with 1/2 of the mixture. Press down firmly.

Filling: Chill one large can of pet milk in freezer until very cold. Beat to the consistency of whipped cream. Set aside. Beat together

8 oz. pkg. Philadelphia Cream Cheese cup sugar

tsp. vanilla Combine the cream cheese mixture

with whipped milk. Set aside. Mix on pkg. lemon jello in 1/2 cup boiling water and place in bowl of ice water to thicken. As soon as the mixture bgins to thicken, beat it until foamy and add to cream cheese/whipped milk mixture. Pour mixture over graham cracker mixture in the pan. Top with remaining graham cracker mixture. Chill.

Easy Chocolate Ice Cream 1/2 gallon chocolate milk 1 can Eagle Brand milk -12 oz. carton Cool Whip

Pour in one gallon ice cream freezer and finish filling with homogenized milk. Freeze.

Lemon Bars 1 cup soft margarine 2 1/4 cups flour, divided 4 eggs, beaten

2 cups sugar dash of salt

1/3 cup lemon juice

1/2 cup powdered sugar 1 tsp. baking powder Combine margarine, 2 cups flour, 1/2 cup powdered sugar; blend until smooth. Press into greased 13x9x2 baking dish, forming 1/2" sides around the pan. Bake at 300 about 30 minutes or until lightly browned.

Combine beaten eggs, sugar and lemon juice and mix well. Add 1/4 cup flour, salt and bakin gpowder. Beat well and pour over pastry. Bake at 300 for 30-40 minutes. Sprinkle with powdered

sugar. Buttermilk Cake 1 cup Crisco 3 cups flour cup buttermilk cups sugar 1/4 tsp. soda 2 tsp. vanilla 6 eggs 1/2 tsp. salt

Cream sugar and shortening. Sepa-rate eggs; add one egg yolk at a time to sugar and shortening, beating after each addition. Sift dry ingredients together. Add to first mixture alternately with buttermilk. Beat egg whites and fold in ast. Bake in greased and floured tube pan at 325 for about one hour and 10 minutes

Bruce Linden of Lewisville and Bill Westbrook of Salt Lake City, Utah; a sister, Mrs. Belle Griffin of Deer Park and five grandchildren.

don Isbell, Marlin Foster, Charles Langston, Duane Glover and Johnny Dawson.

Dies December 22

Edith Etta Sonnier, 44, of Deport, died Sunday, December 22 at Baylor Medical Center in Dallas.

Obituaries

farming and lived in Pattonville from 1946 until 1989 when he entered the nursing home. He was a member of the Pattonville Church of Christ.

Mr. McDowra is survived by his wife, Ruby Lee McDowra of Paris; one son, Marlin McDowra of Paris; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Bell of Levelland, Mrs. Jimmie Goodson and Mrs. Doris Young, both of Paris and Mrs. Lafawn Young of Levelland; one sister, Mrs. Novella Teems of Deer Park; 16 grandchilren; 31 greatgrandchildren and one great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by a son, Burl McDowra in September, 1982.

Pallbearers were grandsons.

Pallbearers were deacons of First Acie Edward Tiffie **Dies December 22**

Acie Edward Tiffie, 96, of Bogata, died Sunday, December 22 in Red River Haven Nursing Home. Services were held at 2 p.m. Tues-

day, December 24 at Old Shamrock Cemetery with Billy Daniels officiating. Clarksville Funeal Home had charge of arrangements.

Mr. Tiffie was born at Wolfe City on February 19, 1899, a son of Charlie and Mattie Payne Tiffie. He was a Baptist.

Surviving are a son, A.C. Tiffie of Bogata; three daughters, Mattie Lee Williams of Esteline, Margrette Martin of Bogata and Melba Garman of Antlers, OK; 23 grandchildren; great-grandchildren and several great-great-grandchildren.

Edward Jackson Dies December 24

Edward Jackson, 81, of Clarksville died Tuesday, December 24 in Red River General Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 26 in Lindeman Chapel of Clarksville Funeral Home with the Rev. Carl Raleigh and the Rev. A.B. Kellam officiating. Burial was in Whiteman's Chapel Cemetery

Mr. Jackson was born April 29, 1910 in Goodwater, OK, a son of Staley and Katheryn Prater Jackson. He was a retired sawmill operator and a Baptist.

Surviving are two sons, Gerald Jackson of Negley and J.R. Jackson of Clarksville; one daughter, Mary Hutton of Mesquite; one sister, Mary Randolph of Bogata; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Eddie Loyd Davis Dies December 21

Eddie Loyd Davis, age 79, of Dallas, died Saturday, December 21 in Arlington Memorial Hospital in Arlington. Services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, December 24 in Woodland Methodist Church with Rev. Willie Johnson officiating. Burial was in Woodland Cemetery under the direction of Grant Funeral Home. Mr. Davis was born August 6, 1912 in Ellis County, the son of Dorsy and Maggie Epps Davis. He married the former Myrtle Wix October 28, 1933 in Dallas. He worked as a truck driver for the City of Dallas for 37 years retiring in 1972. He worked for 15 years at NCNB Bank in Dallas. He was a member of Tyler Street Methodist Church in Dallas. He is survived by his wife, Myrtle Davis of Dallas; one son, Randy Davis of Dallas; three grandchildren, Cheryl VanHouser of Arlington, Patrick Davis and Candy Davis, both of Dallas; one great-granddaughter, Kari Lynn Selbo of Arlington; three brothers, J.D. Davis of Mesquite, Bernice Davis of Lancaster, Buck Davis of Cockrell Hill; three sisters, Charleen Childers of Corsicana, Ruby Helberg and Florine Kemp, both of Waxahachie and numerous nieces and nephews. Bearers were Buddy Duncan, Patrick Davis, Stacey Jumper, Jerry Butler, Bradford Springstun and Jason Tucker.

Bearers were Hobert Loven, Gor-

Edith Sonnier

married Norma Jean Lowry Novem-

ber 2, 1936 in Paris. He served in the Air Force during World War II and

Ray Starnes officiated.

Reg Weisinger Dies December 20

pital in Dallas.

services.

Rivercrest.

Reginald (Reg) Winford Weisin-

ger, 77, of Bogata died Friday, De-

cember 20 at Humana Medical Hos-

Services were Monday, December

23 at the First Baptist Church in Talco

with the Rev. Gary House, Rev. Brett

Castle and the Rev. David Webb

officiating. Graveside services were held at 3:30 p.m. in Richland Ceme-

tery in Mertens, TX. Bates-Cooper-

Weems Funeal Home in Mt. Pleasant

had charge of local arrangements.

Marshall and Marshall Funeral Home

of Hillsboro had charge of graveside

Baptist Church. Honorary bearers

were his neighbors and former em-

ployees of Texas Power and Light at

Mertens, Hill County, a son of Bert

and Violet Browning Weisinger. He

attended Mertens school and barber

college in Dallas. He owned and

operated a barber shop in Mertens for

14 years. He was an electrician and

19, 1936 in Mertens. In 1979 he re-

tired after 27 years of service with

Texas Power and Light Company, 24

years at the Rivercrest Plant in Bogata.

deacon and a teacher of the Adult

Surviving are his wife of Bogata;

two sons and daughters-in-law, Jim-

mie C. and Linda Katherine of

Longview and Royce Dean and Carol-

ynn of Bedford; six grandchildren,

Jimmie Lynn, Leslie and Lisa Weisin-

ger Lobae of Longview and John of

Henderson and Cary Lynn of

Longview and Toni DeAnn of Hen-

derson; one great-granddaughter,

Michelle Nicole of Henderson; one

brother, Browning R. Weisinger of

LaMesa, CA; one niece and three

Robert (Pete) Hudson

Robert (Pete) Hudson, 67, of Paris,

Services were held at 3 p.m. Tues-

died Sunday, December 15 in St.

day, December 17 in Bright-Holland

Funeral Home Chapel with burial in

Meadowbrook Cemetery. The Rev.

Mr. Hudson was born January 21,

1922 in Jennings, a son of Marshall

Hudson and Ruby Owen Hudson. He

Dies December 15

Men's Bible Class.

nephews.

Joseph Hospital.

He was a member of First Baptist Church of Talco where he served as a

He married Eva Marie Cook April

was in Oakridge, TN in 1945.

He was born June 4, 1914 in

had the air smelling or Christmastime.

Kathryn said she doesn't have any traditional foods to prepare for Christmas, she likes to cook new recipes she collects during the year. She also enjoys baking and preparing for showers and dinners at the church.

Card of Thanks

We, the family of Natalie Grantham, wish to express our gratitude and appreciation for the loving support we received during our time of loss.

Card of Thanks

To the Rosalie Community, I want to thank each and every one of you for your kindness when our home caught fire. I really appreciate the Volunteers and the Bogata Fire Department for a job well done. Wishing all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

The Smiths

David Sr., Penny, **Billy and James Douglas**

NOTICE

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The Lemon Bar recipe cam from a sister-in-law, Ruby Wright, and she has used it about five years.

The Country Cooking Column wishes all the readers a Merry Christmas and "Happy Baking".

Jon Newsom

Dies December 27

John Randall Newsom II, infant son of Jon and Stacie Tully Newsom of Mt. Pleasant, died Friday, December 27 at Parkland Hospital in Dallas.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. December 31 in Midway Cemetery in Titus County with Shaun Tully and Rev. Billy Pirtlke officiating. Bogata Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his parents; his grandparents, Carroll and Martha Elrod of Pattonville, Louise Moren of Granbury and Loyd and Margaret Newsom of Mt. Pleasant; great-grandparents, Marie Crafts of Bogata, Frankie Tully of Saltillo and Bertha West of Sulphur Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Chestnut of Graham.

Mrs. Ward was born November 23, 1910 in Red River County. She married Alvis Morris Ward on january 27, 1932 in Hugo, OK. He died May 28, 1975. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are a son, Alvis M. (Sonny) Ward of Lafayette, TN; two sisters, Ethel Epps of Fulbright and Bernice Conlan of Clarksville; a sister-in-law; Pauline Lawler of Clarksville; three grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Nephews served as pallbearers.

Mary Alice Westbrook

Dies December 27

Mary Alice Westbrook, 90, of Deport died Friday, December 27 in Lewisville Memorial Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, December 29 in the First Baptist Church of Deport with the Rev. Tim Brown officiating. Grant Funeral Home made burial in Highland

Cemetery. Mrs. Westbrook was born January 4, 1901 in Lamar County, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Martin. She married William Odis Westbrook on May 18, 1922. He died March 21, 1975.

Surviving are two grandsons,

Services were conducted a 2 p.m. Saturday, December 28 in Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham with the Rev. Duane Light officiating. Gene Roden's Sons, Directors of Funerals, made burial in McCrury Cemetery in Red River County.

Mrs. Sonnier was born July 14, 1947 in Salina, KS, a daughter of Thadus John Thornhill and Edith Matilda Williams Thornhill.

Surviving are a daughter, Jackie Sonnier of Commerce; her father, T.J. Thornhill of Paris; her mother, now Edith Alfred of Deport; and two brothers, Earl and Dean Thornhill, both of Dallas. She was preceded in death by a twin sister, Audrey Arnold in 1986.

Bearers were Allen Gifford, Tim Gibson, Patrick Arnold, Lee Arnold, Timmy Mitchell and Pete McKnight. **Bernice Bledsoe**

Dies December 29

Mrs. Bernice O. Bledsoe, age 86, of Cunningham, died at her residence on Sunday, December 29.

Services were set for 3 p.m. Monday, December 30 in Cunningham Baptist Church with Rev. Chief Warden and Dr. Myer Phillips officiating. Burial was in Cunningham Cemetery under the direction of Grant Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bledsoe was born July 23, 1905 in Cash, TX, Hunt County, the daughter of William Sam and Ada Diffie Phillips. She married Elbert Bledsoe May 4, 1935 in Cunningham. He died November 8, 1968. She is survived by several nieces and nephews and was preceded in death by several brothers and sisters.

Pallbearers were William Cooper, Rickey Cooper, Bud Abernathy, Weldon Smith, Buddy Pynes, James Norwood, Bill Boehme and Buddy Taylor.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank you for all the cards, visits, calls, flowers, food and prayers while we were in the hospital and since we've come home. God bless everyone of you.

The Forrest Parks Family

Card of Thanks To my friends, a big thank you for your thoughtfulness during this year. Your friendship is dear to me. May you have health and happiness in 1992. Edna Bell

had worked at Lamar Creamery. Champion Box Co. and Speas Vinegar. He was a retired truck driver for

Biard Oil Company. Surviving are his wife; two sons and daughters-in-law, Mark and Nancy Hudson of Paris and Brad and Karen Hudson of Deport; three grandsons, Chris and Joel Hudson of Paris and Brandon Hudson of Deprot; oen granddaughter, Kami Hudson of Depot; and a brother, William Hudson of Sulphur Springs.

Beryl Gibson

Dies December 21

Beryl Gibson, 82, of Bogata died Saturday, December 21 in Red River General Hospital in Clarksville.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, December 23 in the Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Carroll Caddell and the Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gibson was born October 20, 1909 in Red River County, a daughter of Spencer and Eva Carol Underwood. She married Marcus Gibson November 11, 1933 in Deport. He died September 12, 1982.

Surviving are her stepmother, Exa Mae Gill of Bogata; two brothers, Jim Fortner of Grand Saline and Roger Fortner of Reno; three half-brothers, Don Fortner of Denver, Colorado, Ted Fortner of Reno and John Fortner of Mt. Pleasant; and a half-sister, Mary Fortner of Dallas. She was preceded in death by four brothers, Roy, Archie, Ray Lee and Arnold Fortner.

Bearers were George Allen, Bobby Watts, Skip Glover, Dale Watts, Neil Rozell, David Rozell and Bobby Fortner.

William McDowra **Dies December 24**

William (Bill) McDowra, age 88 of Pattonville, died Tuesday, December 24 in McCuistion Regional Medical Center.

Services will be held Friday, December 27 in Grant Funeral Home Chapel in Deport with Haskell England officiating. Burial will be in Shady Grove Cemetery under the direction of Grant Funeral Home.

Mr. McDowra was born February 11, 1903 in Pattonville, the son of R.L. and Nancy Ladell Sams. He married the former Ruby Lee McMinn July 26, 1924 in Pattonville, He was retired from the oil field and

W.N. Hackler **Dies December 21**

W.N. (Newt) Hackler, age 74, of Paris died Saturday, December 21 in St. Joseph Hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday in Grant Funeral Home Chapel in Deport with the Rev. Billy Daniels officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Grant Funeral Home.

Mr. Hackler was born June 21, 1917 in Red River County, the son od William Basil and Ivie Mae Denny Hackler. He was a retired electrician.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Irene Hackler of Paris; one son, William Hackler, Jr. of Paris; four daughters, Jan Reppond, Brenda Roberts and Kathy Travillion, all of Clarksville and Elizabeth Whie of Atlas; two brothers, L.G. Hackler of Caviness and David Hackler of Longview; one sister, Mrs. Ruby Spencer of Lubbock; 15 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were George Spencer, Ronnie Spencer, Ray Spencer, Billy Spencer, Billy Kee and Junior Presley.

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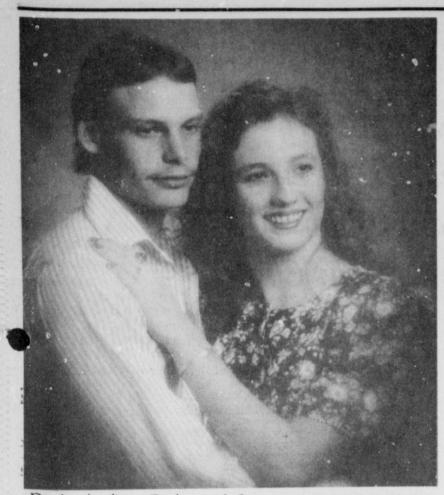
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Regina Anelique Parker with fiance Nelson Owen Heran

Parker - Hearn Wedding Set

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Parker of Blossom announce the engagement nd approaching marriage of their aughter, Regina Angelique, to Nel-son Owen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Hearn of Deport.

The couple will be married at 7pm Saturday, January 4, 1992 in the DeShong Chapel. The Rev. Billy Daniels will officiate the semi-formal ceremony. The reception wil be held at 8pm at El Chico's.

The bride -elect is a 1990 graduate of Prairiland High School and is attending Paris Junior College. She is employed by Arby's in Paris.

Her fiance is a 1986 graduate of Rivercrest High School and a 1987 graduate of Universal Technical Institute of Houston. He is employeed by Pilgrims Pride in Mt. Pleasant.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and reception.

Johntown Locals

Smile! It's your day!

Christmas visitors of Dan and Mary Cotten were their daughter and family, Lisa and Rick Graham, Jay and Eric of Midland; Larry and Jerri Cotten and Ryan, Amanda, and Rex of Frisco; Janice Davis of Dallas; and Jim and Thelma Davis. Other guests during the Holidays were Bob and Ginger Fikes and Bill Fikes and fiance, Jenna of Mt. Pleasant.

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Christmas Eve at Myra Jean's house was celebrated by a family dinner. Those attending were Drue, Billie, Lana, and Clay Pirtle; Vance Pirtle of Texarkana; Dale and Dawn Jean of Coppell; Darla and Holly Jean and Ryan Brunson of Paris; Dana and Randy Anderson; Donald, Freda, Mitchell, and Sarah. Everyone enjoyed the dinner and exchanging of gifts.

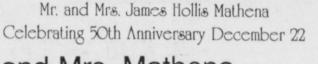
Sammy and Shirley Hervey's

Sam Houston, Dena, Brittany and Bobby Luttrell of Mt. Vernon, Denny Webb of Talco, Tim Thompson of Sugar Hill, Linda Wisinger of Maple Springs, Sgt. Charley Riggs of Mesquite and David Anderson of Commerce.

Nadine and Grady Rhodes visited in Clarksville Thursday with Jess and lewel Morris and the Jerry Alfred Rhodes family.

Those attending were Joe and Jodi Hervey of Midlothian; Rickey, Lori, Clint and Kelsey Franks of Sugar Hill; Butch, Kathy, Amy, and Nicole Hervey; and Chad Day of Pattonville

Celebrating Christmas with Marie Craft were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Henderson of Dallas and their daughter Michelle Hanson and sons; Martha St. Jacques and children of Pattonville; Carol Elrod and son; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Newson and children all of Mt. Pleasant; Shane Craft and girlfriend of Mt. Pleasant; Valerie Brown and con of Mt. Pleasant; and Johnnie Kidd and son of Bogata. Donald, Freda, Mitchell, and Sarah Jean's Christmas lunch guests included Mark and Kathy Riddle of Wilkerson; Nadine Burk and Eric Cabell of Mt. Pleasant. Later that day the Jean family visited with Freda's grandmother, Mae Cabell of Talco.

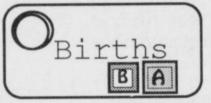


Mr. and Mrs. Mathena To Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary

James Hollis and Wilma (Sally) Meacham Mathena will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, December 22.

The couple was married Decem-ber 22, 1941 in Deport. They attend the Church of Christ in Blossom.

They have three daughters, Mrs. Roy (Roxie) Massey of Blossom, Mrs. Edward (Evelyn) Tillman of Beckville and Ms. Sandra Adams of



Traci Woodward is proud to announce the arrival of her new brother, Trey, born December 12,1991. Trey weighed 8lbs and 15 oz and was 21 inches. His parents are Dean and Lynda Woodward of Longview. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Ron Woodward of Kingsport, TN and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hervey of Johntown. Greatgrandmother is Mrs. Oda Hervey of Bogata. Chelsey Marie is the name of the daughter born to Wayne and Melanie Gideon of Lewisville December 9,1991. Chelsey was born at Lewisville Memorial weighing 8lbs and loz and 20 1/2 inches. Grandparents include Jerry and Judy Ward of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Phillips of Lone Oak Pat and Melissa King of Corpus Christi are proud to introduce their new daughter, Melody Dianne, who was born December 18,1991 weighing 6lbs and 7oz at the Humana Hospital. Her grnadparents are Donald and Mary Ann Warren of Corpus Chrisit and Bettye King of Bogata

Garland; five grandchildren, Jeff Adams, Jim Massey, Mrs. Brett (Monica Massey) Price, Eddie and Andy Tillman; three great-grandchildren, Mallory, Kenneth and Kaleb Price.

The occasion will be celebrated with a family gathering and dinner at their home in Blossom on December 22.





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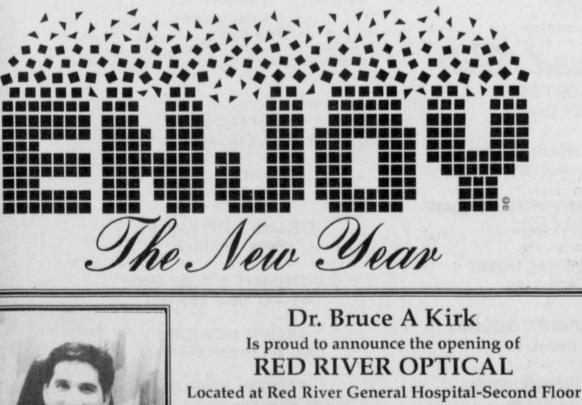


family had Christmas dinner together.

Visiting Nadine and Grady Rhodes during the holidays were Tommy Dee, Ruth, Jeanne, Tommy Wayne, Jerry Lynn, Diane and Clayton Lynn Anderson, all of Mt. Pleasant, Jerry Alfred and Linda Rhodes of Clarksville, Richard, Kay and Brandi Fryar of Dimple, Ginny Jo and Debbie Rhodes of Oklahoma City, Carol Black, Crystal, Stephanie and James Don White, James Pat White of Ft.

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

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

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study 5-7 p.m.

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Sunday School 10 a.m. Church 11 a.m. Evening Service 5 p.m.

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

TALCO CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Bro. Brett Castle

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Choir Practice 5:30 p.m. Evening Service 6:30 p.m. As 1991 Becomes History Resolve To Remember To Pray For The Truly Important Things in 1992 Attend The Church Of Your Choice

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

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

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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.

DEPORT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Tim Brown Sunday School 10 a.m. Church 11 a.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m. Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

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

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

> DEPORT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. Tom Foley Sunday Worship 11 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 Pastor, David Ham Sunday School 10 a.m. Church 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

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Burgie Thompson 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 MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

E.R. Reynolds Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. Training Service 6 p.m. Worship Service 7 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

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

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF GOD Rev. Larry Bridges PR

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BLOSSOM FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Don Covington Sunday School 10 a.m. Church 11 a.m. Evening Service 6:30 p.m. Youth Service at 5 p.m. Wednesday Service 7 p.m. Adult Choir 8 p.m. Elementary Choir 6 p.m. - Toddler Choir 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM CHURCH OF NAZARENE

Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

BLOSSOM FELLOWSHIP 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

Randy 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.

Wednesday Bible Study-R.A.'s 7 p.m.

TALCO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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BOGATA ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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ROSALIE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Robert Bush Sunday School & Worship 9 a.m.

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CUNNINGHAM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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.

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Rebel **Sports Report**



Paris Wildcats, Lady Wildcats Defeat Rivercrest

By Rosie Jasso

knew that facing the 4A Paris Wildcats would not be an easy task. Unfortunately, their tough efforts did t pay off for either varsity team. The Lady Rebs played strong ball throughout the game. A 3-point play by Krista Weatherall in the first quarter tied the game at 7-7, but the Lady Cats jumped ahead for a 17-13 lead after the first quarter.

The Lady Rebels came back strong

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Traveling to Paris, the Rebel teams in the second quarter as Tiffany Parish scored two to tie the game at 17-17. Unfortunately, the Lady Cats scored 13 points to the Lady Rebels' six. Scoring at the half was 30-23.

> The final score was 62-48 in favor of the Lady Cats with Weatherall leading the Lady Rebs at 16 points, followed by Parish with 13.

In boys action, the Paris Wildcats exercised great tactics upon the Rebs

as the first quarter ended with a 22-6 lead. Building upon their lead, the Cats never stumbled as the 54-17 halftime score showed.

Through team work, the Rebs outscored Paris 21-11 during the last stanza, but the game resulted in a 81-48 loss for Rivercrest.

Corey Gable led the Rebels with 10 points followed by Dean Tiffie with 9.

Hot dogs French fries/catsup Beans Cookies Milk Wednesday Spaghetti with meat sauce Salad Mixed vegetables Combread Milk Thursday Steak fingers Potatoes Green beans Hot rolls, butter and honey Milk Friday Hamburgers Burger salad Seasoned beans

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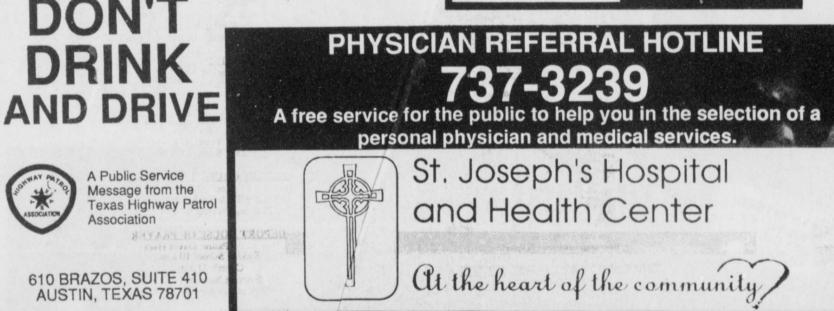
Bogata-Talco-Rivercrest Lunch Menu January 6-10

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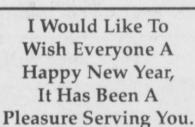




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DAVID JONES holds these 10point and 12-point bucks killed in South Texas by his parents, Johnny and Karen Jones. Karen bagged the 12-pointer while Johnny's 10-pointer had a 5inch base. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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CLAYTON HALL **County Attorney Red River** County

Thursday, January 2, 1992

Red River Haven News

Visiting their grandmother, Lillie Massey, recently were Lori and Johnny Robertson, Chay and Micah of Atlanta, GA.

Visiting Ms. May King were Patricia and Harold Mathena of Bethany, OK

Visitors of Thelma Davis was Janie Wilson of Dallas.

Lantie Smith spent the holidays with the Wimpy Beers'.

Ruby White spent Christmas eve and day with Norris Woodall. Grady and B.F. Rhodes visited her there. Mattie Cabell's family visited her

recently Oma Hudson and Margie Critten-

don visited Gertrude Shoulders, Dorothy Forester and Lucy Lawson.

B.G. Crittenton, Margie and Avery Crittenton of Wichita Falls visited Stanley Bell, Charles Davidson and Ruth Skaggs.

Dorothy Watkins, Tom Watkins and Fave Brooks visited Ruth Harrison, Judy Wantland and son, Blake. George Estill, Rob Cannon and

family spent Christmas at Bobby Estill's home.

Clyde and Ardena Roberts, Wanita Fisher, Anita Folcolm, Patricia Fletcher and children.

Oma McKinney spent the holiday with her daughter and son. Alma Lowry spent Sunday at

Vivian Westbrooks.

Beulah Roddam spent the holi-days at the home of Mike Harper. Donovan Strain spent Christmas

day at his son, Donovan Strain's home. Casey York spent the holidays with his sister, Lavern Bowen and Mary and William Dean, nieces and nephews

Gertrude Gifford, Jimmy and Sue Clifton, Thurman and Marie Franks, all of Paris, Buck Slaton and wife, Robbie Nell visited George White, Gene Martin, Mrs. Janice George and mother, Ruth Terrell and Bruce Terrell.

Nappie Payne spent the holidays at home

Irene House spent the holidays at home Vera Grogan was visited by Ruth

and Dick Palmer of Houston.

Johntown Missionary Ladies Hold Annual Luncheon

The Ladies Auxiliary and Ladies Childres, Mary Lou Daniels, Dorothy Sunday School Class of Johntown Missionary Baptist Church had their annual Christmas luncheon on Tuesday, December 17 in the home of Mary Lou Daniels with Rev. Billy Daniels presenting a devotion. Those present were- Lucille

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Foster, Lee Hood, Vaughdeau Lee, Reba Eceil, Mildred Mayfield, Oleta McAlister, Lucille O'Donnell. Other guests included Jana Hawkins, Haley and Heather, Rev. Billy Daniels, Buford Hood, Ray Shirley and Chris, and Willie Lee.

How To Understand Your Child's Development

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Just as important as how to talk with your child is how to listen as he or she talks with you. The most valuable thing you can give your child is your time and attention. Communication is a two way process. With a child it requires more listening than talking on your part, for it often takes a great deal of time to grasp his problems and concerns between the lines of what he says. Giving your child time each day for her alone to talk with you indicates you really care about your child's concerns.

The basic ingredients of your relationship should be love and warmth, liberally laced with respect and understanding. The child who drinks in the security of these attitudes from a parent is more able to develop a healthy personality and to grow ever outward into the world. To your child, the most crucial words in your vocabulary may well be, "I understand how you feel.

Every child needs his or her parents to impose some limits on freedom. Otherwise, the world is too big and disorganized for the child to adjust to it. But it doesn't matter very much whether a home is "permissive" or "strict" about the number or kinds of limits enforced. More crucial to a child's development is how the parents place the limits, how they discipline, and how well they understand their child's special needs.

Some generalizations about chilr at the various stages of their lives ca help you understand your children and communicate with them more meaningfully. To use these clues effectively, you must recognize the individuality of your children, love and respect them for the individuals they are, and adapt what you say to your own situation.



Living Wills

This is not one of my favorite subjects, but one which I believe needs to be considered, so here goes.

What would you want done to keep you alive? Recent court rulings on the

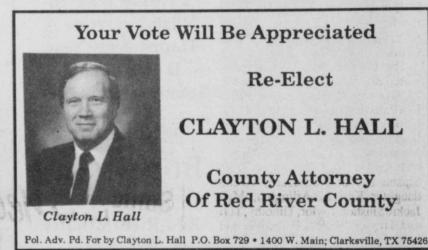
"right to die" have a lot of people thinking about that. The U.S. Supreme Court has ruled that there must be proof of a patient's wish to die rather than be kept alive in a vegetative condition. To provide that proof, a living will is essential say lawyers, doctors, and others who council individuals on patients' rights.

An estimated 15-20 percent of Americans have written living wills already, but many are not specific enough to assure that the patient's wishes will be followed.

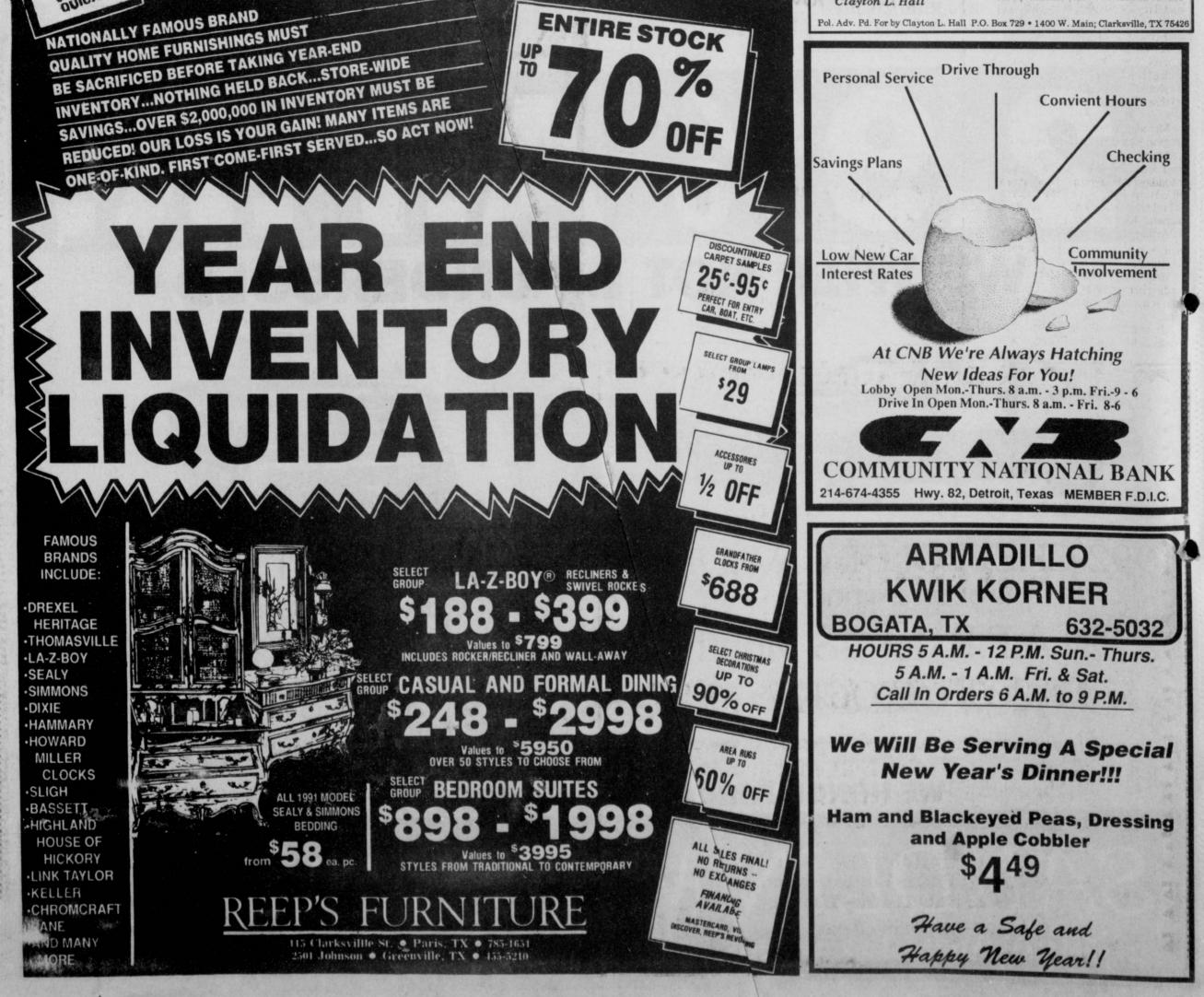
If you're interested in more information, you can contact the Society for the Right to Die. Write, them at 250 West 57th Street, N York, NY 10107.

Living-will forms are also available for \$1 and a self-addressed, stamped envelope from The Medical Directive, Harvard Medical School Health Letter, 164 Longwood Ave., 4th floor, Boston, MA 02115

After completing a living will, one copy should be given to your doctor and one copy to your next of kin. A living will should be reviewed periodically, as you might not feel the same in years to come.







Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Guests enjoying Christmas dinner with Chris and Traci Chipman of Minter were Ruby Dougless of Shawnee, OK, Ruby Chipman and Peggy Chipman of Dallas, Tammy Chipman and Sydney of Garland, Don and Dani Elm of Powderly, Riley and Mabel Lynn and Verta Lynn of Deport, Bill and Ruth Chipman and Joel Chipman of Minter, Edith Wise and Dee Francis of Ft. Worth, John and Susan Hendricks and Heather of Milton and Berniece Wyatt.

Connie McKnight has been dismissed from HCU Hospital in Plano.

Goldie Brown of Blessing and Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Brown of Bloomingon spent the holidays with Mr. and s. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong.

Regina Newman and Blake and Alley Coston attended services at Baptist Church Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Loretta Pynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickey and family of Sulphur Springs, Debra Currin, Billy Currin, Michael, Billy Wayne, Josh, Tonya, Christian Lee Currin of Lamar Point had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Drake of Glenrose, Brittany Drake and Rachelle Drake of Seagoville, Steve Drake nd daughter and friend of Seagovle, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lynch and don Smith and son of Lewisville, Mrs. Tammie Lawrence and chiland Mrs. Charlie Smith of Paris.

The Clyde Slusher family cele-21. One son, Jackie Slusher of Wic-Mr. and Mrs. E.C. McLaughlin, Shane and Kasey of Burkburnett, Steve Slusher and of Greensboro, NC and daughter Keri of Arlington; Mrs. Jackie Slusher, Taylor, Timothy, Tori and Trey of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Smith, Joshua, Lesa and Jonathen of Montgomery, AL.

children and families for Christmas day dinner in Detroit. They also attended a Christmas evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Taylor and family in Paris.

David Jackson, student at A&M, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper attended the Christmas program at Lone Star Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slagle and son of Euless and Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Gif-

ford, Fair Shea and Trea of Deport and Buddy Pynes of Paris spent Saturday with Mrs. Loretta Pynes.

The Almer Norwood family enjoyed Christmas eve supper at the Life Tabernacle Church Tuesday night. Attending were Almer and Alma Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols of Deport, Danny Norwood and Kenny of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Creamer, Cameron and Tyler of Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood of Katy, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Norwood and Hailey of Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood, Delphia Walker and Zackery Walker of Paris, Shelia Norwood of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Oates, Brandon and Georjeana, Geneva Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Norwood, Amber and Trevor, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Norwood, Logan and Layton, Mr. and Mrs. Norwood.

of Houston last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lutch Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Lutch Sr. and Susan of North Richland Hills visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn over the weekend.

Carol Dorsey and Jennifer had Christmas dinner with Lucy Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Talma Fowler of Pattonville visited in the afternoon.

T.L. and Carol Ladd, Swede and Brittney, Bobby and Shelby Kennedy, Jeff Kennedy, Zach and Garrett, Melba Baker, Jason Baker, Tuttle Jordan, Heath Kennedy, Missy York, Cindy Ross, Jim Bo and Lisa Thompson, John and Jayme Syrus, Jennifer and Landon, Andy and Janet Syrus, Danielle and A.J. and Scooter Bills had Christmas eve lunch with Steve and Carolyn Ladd, Craig and Shelley at Pattonville.

Heath Kennedy, Missy York, Cindy Ross, Shelton Kennedy, Chuck Kennedy, Melba Baker, Scooter Bills and Tuttle Jordan visited Bobby and Shelby Kennedy, Jeff Kennedy, Zach and Garrett on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas of Johntown visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Saturday.

Ruby Dougless of Shawnee, Ok spent the Christmas holidays with Berniece Wyatt.

Velma Cox spent Christmas day with Dora Hester of Paris.

and Mrs. Tommy Pressley.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Tuesday.

Dorothy Dean Ogden of Longview spent the holidays with Mrs. Loretta Pynes.

Dorothy Dean Ogden of Longview, Sue Pynes, Regina Newman and Blake, Clifton Bazhaw, Buddy Pynes of Paris, Jamie Bazhaw and Andrew Bazhaw had lunch with Loretta Pynes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Green of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas of Johntown, Ann Thompson of Blossom, Terry Creamer and Cameron of Milton, Jim and Kathy Larance and Daniel of Paris visited Mr. and Mrs.

Norman Sain and Mrs. Ida Deshong Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cox and family of Alvarado, Morris Cox of Bogata, Monica Cox of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gaylord and Lecel of Baytown came Thursday to spend the weekend with Velma Cox.

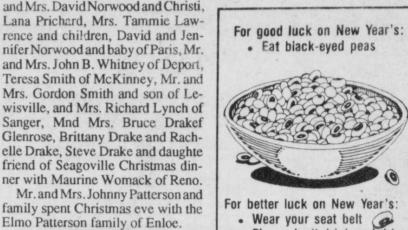
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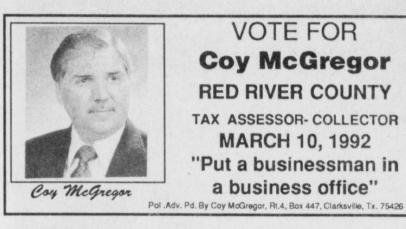
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith, Mr.

and Mrs. David Norwood and Christi, Lana Prichard, Mrs. Tammie Lawrence and children. David and Jennifer Norwood and baby of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney of Deport, Teresa Smith of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith and son of Lewisville, and Mrs. Richard Lynch of Sanger, Mnd Mrs. Bruce Drakef Glenrose, Brittany Drake and Rachelle Drake, Steve Drake and daughte friend of Seagoville Christmas dinner with Maurine Womack of Reno. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson and family spent Christmas eve with the

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pressley, Dona and Diann, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pressley of Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Webster of Calvin, OK spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Golden of Cooper.



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Bogata Locals

Spending a happy Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Benham, were Johnny Benham of Dallas, Jerry Benham of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Logan of Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Rebecca Taylor of Tyler spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ann Randolph, grandmother, Mrs. Paul Griffin, and her sisters, Suzanne and Kelsey, Patricia Talyor, Julie Randolph and Camille.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barlow of Ft. Worth and son Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Ward of Los Angelos, CA spent the holidays with their father and grandfather, John Lee Bell.

Mrs. Luella Swaim enjoyed Christmas dinner in Talco with Mr. and Mrs. Ois Swaim, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Leake, Miss Annette Swaim of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Garrett,

Bill Dixon of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kelley and son Blake. Mrs. Dora Thompson spent the Christmas week with her sister, Mr.

and Mrs. Arnold Glover of Tyler. Mrs. Ann Walker spent Christmas

in Paris with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parker, Amy and Scott Ball.

Mrs. Mary Colflesh spent the holi-days with her son and family, Eddy Phillips, Elizabeth, Ricky, and Jerimany in Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer of Houston visited her mother, Mrs. Vera

Grogan Friday. Mrs. Janie Davis spent Christmas in Longview with her sister, Mrs. Mollie Edmondsared and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Eudy, formely of Paris, have moved to Bogata to live on Circle Drive.

Mrs. Opal Watts visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Watts of Sulphur Springs during the weekend.

Mrs. Frank Lipscomb came Monday and accompanied her mother, Mrs. Iva Hooker to Dallas to spend Christmas with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Bryson had their sons and families visit for the holidays which included Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bryson and family of Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryson and family of Lone Star, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryson and family of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Starks and daughter Mrs. Kay Wright Lindsey and Ashley of Paris visited his sister Mrs. Ethel Hood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson were holiday guests of their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glover and family of

Sulphur Springs. Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Crawford and family were holiday dinner guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Brown and family at Rosalie.

USAF Major (Ret.) Pene Bishop of Dayton, Ohio is visiting her mother, Billie Bishop, her sister, Melanie White and family and other relatives and friends.

Christmas eve supper guests of Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow were Buddy and Ellen Stringfellow and Randy and Mary Nell Hendricks of Clarksville; Jimmy and Linda Stringfellow and Joe Stringfeliow of Paris; Dan, Vicki, Danny, Michael and Dee Tabbof Pine Branch; Felina and Jerica White of Charleston, SC; Billy and Kathy Stringfellow and Kelley and Kelsey Stringfellow of Bogata. Christmas day Mrs. Stringfellow's guest was her sister, Mrs. Lucille Childers of Johntown, also her other sons, William R. and Wayne Stringfellow called to wish her a Merry Christmas. On Thursday, Jimmy, Linda an Paul Stringfellow of Paris visited Mrs. Stringfellow.

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To Joe and Thelma Stewart from

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Ella Davis.

Ruby McClure.

To Berry Hanna and Helen Chandler from Janice Martin. To George Green from Francis

Thomas. To Mr. and Mrs. David Hudson from Nina Hudson.

To Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hudson trom Ed and Loyce Huddleston.

To Jace Jeffery from Kenneth and Pat Jeffery. To Deanna Damron, Scott and

Dusty Pettiet and Ray Lou and Rusty Damron from Buddy and Bobbie Damron.

To Hazel Giddens from Mr. and

Mrs. G.A. Presswood. To Roy W. Tillman and Edward

Tillman from Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Tillman. To Cindy Robertson from Tommie Lee Cox.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Logan,



Jerry Benham and J.T. Benham from Mr. and Mrs. Horace Benham. To Harvie T. Pruitt and Robbie

Hunt from Hattie Mae Seals. To Sue Huffman from Virginia

Cox.

To Forrest Grogan, Wayne Grogan, Lloyd Grogan, Ralph Grogan and Mrs. Richard Palmer from Vera Grogan.

To Mrs. Gracie Sanders from Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Harville.

To Harley Scoggins and Pat Lindsey from Mary Scoggins.

To Zula Reep from Kathy Belcher. To Mrs. C.B. Elliott from Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lee Cox, Betty Evans and Donald Wilson.

To Betty Evans from Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lee Cox and Donald Wilson. To Pauline Hutson from Jerry Hutson.

Lori and Johnny Robertson and children, Chay and Micah of Atlanta,GA are here to visit with family and friends for the Holidays. They are staying with Lori's parents, Jo and Gabby Gordon.

Jo and Gabby Gordon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilkerson of Tyler visited Mrs. Dude Lassiter Wednesday.

Lee and Buford Hood received Christmas phone calls from their daughter, Sondra Daniel of Wellington, Buford's sister, Fay Hickabee of Lubbock, cousin Frances Crane of Corpus Christi, their daughter Loretta Orr of Sherman.

Mrs. Albert Legate visited Friday and Friday night with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Al Kelley in Taueakoni. Saturday they went to Mrs. Legate's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. James Holcomb in Kaufman. They SANTA HELPERS - Pictured are part of the many who helped give out food baskets for the

Bogata Locals

were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright, Mrs. Carolyn Stengler, Terri and Cary of Houston. Sunday the Wrights visited Mrs.

Albert Legate.

Holiday guests of Jay and Wilma (Mayes) Eason were Maudie Pittman and Kenny Baker of Bogata, Harold, Karon, Ben,Becky, and Matt of Clarksville, Doris,Gail, and Roy Herman of Sulphur Bluff, Susi Smith of Mesquite, James Minnie of Racine ,Wisconsin, Dianne Mayes, Ralph and B.J. Mayes, Mechelle Woodley, Jessie, Shelia and Mallory Jones, Tim, Shere and Amy Filsgerald all of Irving, and Mary Stafford of DeQueen, AK

needy. (back row) Reagan Bell and Ross Eilers (front row) Rue Anna Bell, Linda Eilers, Debbie

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Lee and Buford Hood spent Christmas day in the home of their son, Bruce and Susan Hood in Paris. Other present were their grandson and family, Bruce Allen and Diana Hood, Stewart and Spencer of Frisco, their granddaughter and family Bo and Karen Miles and Patrick of Paris, Susan's parents, Ruth Roller of Hot Springs, AK and Ed Roller of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ray of Sallisaw,OK were visiting his sisters, Mrs. Dude Lassiter and Mrs. Jewel Summers last Thursday and Friday. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Ray's daughters, Mrs. Donna Spyres of Marble City,OK and Mrs. Susan Fulbright of Sallisaw,OK. Hare, Sarah Hare, and Shirley Vickers. (Staff Photo by Denise Wood)

Those having Christmas dinner and supper at Jerry and Paula Sulsar of 1410 Cape Drive in Paris were Howard Sulsar of Tulare, CA, Beverly Fiem of California, Andy Wayne Sulsar of Arlington, J.D. Sulsar, Tim and Sandy Yates, Chris and Chau Jerry and Angie Sulsar, Jennifer, Amber, and Heather; Mark, Roberta, Bradley, Ashley, Page, and Rachel; Paula Decker and Christi, Pauline Sulsar, and Edith Bronmer all of Paris; PVT Brad Sulsar of Ft. Leonardwood, MO; Jerry and Paula Condore and Cara Jordon. Everyone enjoyed the meal and the fellowship.

Mrs. Inez Montgomery visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Sburgeon Peaden of Rockwall and family for Christmas.



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