

By Nanalee Nichols "Life sure gets interesting when you take the Deport Times out to dinner" the voice over the phone exclaimed.

Glad to know that our publications made lifeinteresting, I still had to ask "How"?

Mary Ann Rozell Morehead of Longview was happy to explain. It seems that Mary had taken her Deport Times with her when she went to meet her daughter at Papacita's, a Longview restau-

jant. She wanted to show her the feature article we had run on Geneva Norwood of Cunningham.

As she was sitting at a table waiting for her daugher a young man came up, spotted the Deport Times and asked "are you from Deport?"

She explained she was from Fulbright. The man's face lit up. "I know Roberta Anderson of Fulbright," he exclaimed.

"Roberta is my cousin!" Mary replied.

It turned out that he was Bill Dixon, a Rivercrest High School Graduate who was from Talco and had been close friends with Roberta's son. He talked to Mary about the entire area, from Talco, through Bogata and Fulbright to Detroit and Deport! He was familiar with the Bogata News, Talco Times and Deport Times, and even the Blossom Times, although it was a little "out of his stomping grounds"

When the rest of her party arrived, Bill Dixon faded away.

Later Mary got to thinking about how long it had been since she talked to cousin Roberta, so she gave her a call and had a long, pleasant visit with her catching up on family and friends, includ

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BOGATA NEWS

BOGATA, RED RIVER COUNTY, TEXAS

Public Hearing Set On Allegations Against Preston J. Brooks

According to a news release dated allegations that Mr. Brooks violated September 16 from Frank Vance, office of the Comptroller of the Currency, a public hearing will take place on September 22 in Dallas, Texas, relating to a \$25,000 civil money penalty and a permanent removal from the business of banking against Preston J. Brooks, former president and chairman of the board of directors of the First National Bank of Deport, Deport, Texas, the Offfice of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC) announced. Mr. Brooks was dismissed by the board of directors on November 5, 1990.

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The OCC is the federal agency that regulates national banks. It examines national banks to determine if they are operating in a safe and sound manner and are complying with banking laws and regulations.

The hearing will address OCC

banking laws and regulations an engaged in unsafe and unsound banking practices and breaches of fiduciary duty. The OCC alleges that in four separate instances, Mr. Brooks manipulated bank-controlled accounts for the benefit of his mother, Jenelle Brooks, his brother, Edward Brooks, and his sister-in-law, Cynthia Brooks. In each transaction, Mr. Brooks initiated a wire transfer of funds out of the bank's correspondent account at another bank and into the accounts of his family. The amount of the transfers varied from \$300 to \$18,150. None of these wire transfers received the prior approval of the board or the loan committee nor were any of the transfers documented with the financial statements of the recipients. The OCC alleges that Mr. Brooks

tried to conceal these actions from national bank examiners. In addition, Mr. Brooks caused the bank to pay the expenses of his real estate agency. Further, Mr. Brooks caused the bank to declare and pay an illegal divident to the bank's holding company in 1989, of which he is a principal shareholder. The law prohibits the payment of dividends in exccess of the current year's net profits plus the retained net profits of the prior two years without OCC approval.

OCC administrative hearings are public as required by the Crime Control Act of 1990.

The hearing will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Administrative Courtroom, OSHRC, United States Couthouse and Federal Building, 1100 Commerce Street, Room 7B11B, Dallas, Texas.



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KEVIN SARTAIN, CERTI-FIED DIVING INSTRUCTOR of Sulphur Springs is shown during his recent talk to the combined third grades at Bogata Elementary. He demonstated the use of an oxygen tank and let each child use one. With and actual objects found in the sea, he told the story of his travels and dives in such far away places as Australia, Florida and the Texas coast. It was well presented and the children and adults were fascinated.Staff photo by Donna Rozell)

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ing one who had to take refugeon the fourth floor of a New Orleans hotel from hurricane Andrew.

Mary was kind enough to call long distance last week to tell us about this coincidence and to tell us how much she enjoyed her paper. We really appreciate it.

It adds to our list of "Wow, it's really a small world" occurances.

Once I was wearing a "Blossom Times" shirt up in Colorado Springs, Colorado when a young man asked if I knew Kim Allen from Blossom. I not only knew her, but we had art lessons together for several years!

Yet another time we were going through customs in Canada when he Customs official spotted our business cards. Turned out he was from Bogata! We had a nice visit with him, and one of our friends was his kinfolk.

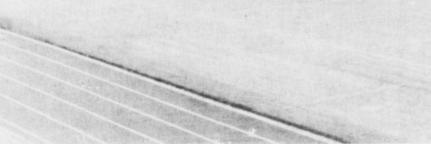
There have been lots of these chance encounters over the years, and it's gratifying to find friends out in the "big wide world" as well as the many we have right here

We've long suspected that this part of North East Texas simply MUST be the center of the known universe.....and these encounters just confirm it.

Hold on now ... Wait ... before you send me a nasty letter I'm only kidding about the center of "the universe thing! But it's a small world after all, oh yes it is!



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THENEW TRACK SURFACE AT RIVERCRST HIGH SCHOOL is now ready for



Commodities will be given on September 24, at the Methodist Church between 9a.m. and 4 p.m.

There will be a shower in the Educationa Building of the Methodist Church in Bogata, September 19, from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. for Randy and Betty Lou (Geese) Maynard. Their home and all their possessions were recently destroyed by fire. Clothing sizes for the family are: lady's dress size 6, lady's top 10, little girl's size 2-3 toddler, girls size 5, man's shirt size 161/2, jeans 33-32. Everyone is invited.

There will be a Bake Sale at Red River Haven September 18, in front of the nursing home. Will start at 9 a.m. and last until all goods are sold. Bogata Loins and their spouses will have a covered dish supper for all the city employees and their spouses to express their appreciation for the work these people have done at Thomas Park. All Lions please make plans to attend; Bar-B-Q will be furnished so please bring a sidedish or dessert.

The Class of 1987 will have a reunion on September 25-26 in conjunction with the Rivercrest Homecoming. Contact Wade White for details.



action as the final touches went on this week. The new state-ofthe-art surface is a first class

place for our young athlets to work and train.(Staff photo by Donna Rozell)

Work Is Completed On New Track Surface Rivercrest

A new surface has been applied to least fifteen years service as it has the track at Rivercrst High School. Bids went out last year and after considering bid submmissions it was decided that the school would subcontract the work itself. Their decision saved approximately \$10,000 to\$15,000. Porterfield/Guess of Bogata, did the sub-base work. Buster's Paving, Sulphur Springs, did. the asphalt work and Track Masters, Dallas, was the surfacing contractoor. The new surface is patented from Amlite. To create such a surface five layers of shredded rubber, bonded with latex binding agents, are sprayed on creating a running surface 3/8" thick.

This new process should give at

Talco/Bogata School Board Sets Tax Rate For 1992

1991.

The Talco/Bogata CISD Board of be \$1.00 per \$100.00 of property Education met Thursday, September 10. General business that was conducted included the approval of the minutes of the pervious meeting. It discussed and voted to pay the district bills for August, 1992. Action was taken to approve the Staff Regulation Handbook that had been reviewed by the board at the August 20th meeting. The amended budget for the 1991-1992 school year was reviewed and adopted.

In open forum the board heard from members of the community on the matter of the 1992 tax rate. Superintendent Wade presented a tax proposal with explanations. After deliberations the board voted to set the tax rate at 13 cents per \$100 of property valuation.

When the 13 cents local tax rate is added to the CED 87 cents per \$100 valuation the comb.. ' tax rate will

inhibitors that reject ultra -violet rays which cause latex breakdown in older surfaces.

Rivercrest has been invited to host the High School and Junior High district meets to be held in April.. Spring plans are in process to hold at least one aditional invitational meet for high school and junior high track teams.

A Rebel Track Club is being organized. Members will be called on to help hold meets as it takes many people to conduct such events. Anyone interested in the Rebel Track Club please contact Ray Miller at Rivercrest High School.

valuation which is the same rate as

Re-assesment of property values

may change the dollar amount of

taxes paid from last year as property

values have increased in our district.

The increase is approximately 7.5%

according to Superintendent Wade.

substitute list. The board also heard

reports concerning master schedules

and current enrollment on all com-

puses. These reports indicated that

total enrollment is down thirteen

students from the 1991-1992 school

year. Talco enrollment remained the

same, Rivercrest enrollment in-

creased by one and enrollment in

next meting is scheduled for Tues-

The board adjourned at 10:35. The

Bogata has decreased by 14.

day. October 6 at 7:30 p.m..

Action was taken to approve the

the use of slides, videos, books



BIRTHDAY DANCE TIME athe V.F.W. will be Saturday night September 19. The Southerners Band will provide good dance music. Admission is \$3.00 each which includes breakfast at midnight. Must be 21 to attend. We look forward to seeing all of you.

Don't forget the monthly meeting Monday night September 21 at 7p.m. All members are urged to attend.



By Donna Rozell

Mr. Answering Machine has won another round from us. I am ready to throw in the sponge but Nanalee is still in the fray. We have all had a 'go" at this fellow, individually and in groups. We have produced frustration and very little else. Tempers have flared and much verbal abuse had been directed machineward but still it sits, silent and obstinate and one or twice I think I caught it smirking.

We have hauled people in from the streets and out of the barber shop next door. I called in friends, family and people I hardly knew; sent it home with one fellow and once 1 hit i.t. I hope no one saw me do that.

The latest word I have on this matter is that I am to return it to Deport where they will transport it to Paris to someone who obviously has a frustration deficiency, about to be remedied.

It is with great relish I do this bidding from Nanalee who is a com-

passionate person and realizes that she's dealing with someone of limited abilities in the small machine department. She was here the day I discovered that for two weeks I'd been trying to sharpen my pencil in a small battery charger!

Compassion deserted her and she fell about the room laughing hysterically and pointing at me, unable to speak. During the remainder of her stay, which was far too long, she had another laugh or two at my expense. At length she was composed enough to drive and left. I was glad to see her go, she has a sadistic streak I hadn't noticed. I saw absolutely no humor in this. There I was being pinned to the mat by a computer, an answering machine that wouldn't answer, a pencil sharpener that wasn't and my publisher, who should have been helping, was limp with laughter. Clearly this has been too much for her.

So, at each day's end I gather my little pencils and take them home for sharpening and that is as it will be for now and evermore. Amen.

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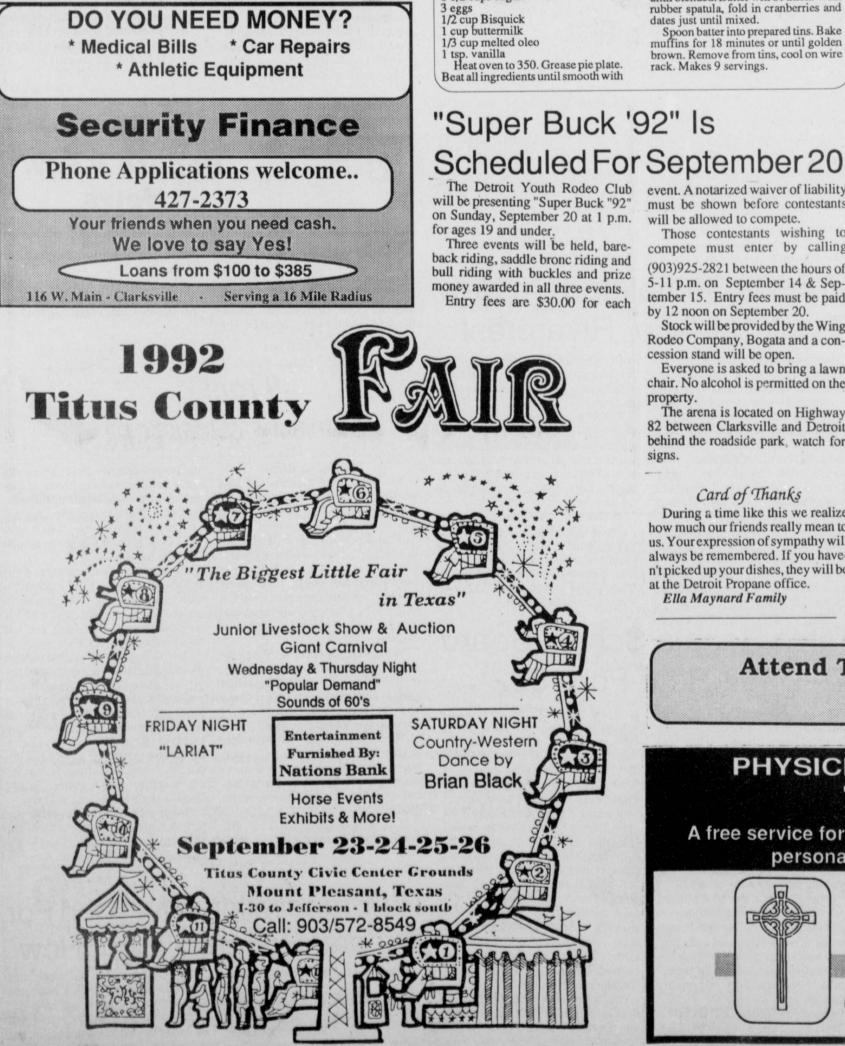
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JORENE CARPENTER is pictured with a platter of pork chops she prepared for dinner. She is sharing some of her fa-

vorite recipes with readers in the Country Cooking column this week. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)





Thursday, September 17, 1992

Country Cooking By Judy Screws

The publishers of this newspaper thought that since they had just acquired the Detroit Weekly, it would be nice to feature a Detroit cook this week. It made good sense to me and seemed like a reasonable request, so I started trying to remember who I knew in Detroit. I had been given a phone number, but the lady was never at home.

Just as I was about to give it up as a lost cause, I remembered an old buddy of mine who had lived in Detroit for many years. She was able to give me a list of names to call. I called Jorene Carpenter and hit pay dirt. I've not met many peole who are so helpful. Not only was she able to add to my list of names, she was also gracious enough to help me out by letting me come over and visit with her and her husband, Russell.

The Carpenters own a ranch and are active members of the Martin Memorial United Methodist Church. They, along with their three chidlren, are involved in all sorts of activities. Nineteen-year old Rusty attends PJC where he is vice-president of the Collegiate FFA. He plans to become an Ag teacher. David, who is 18, attends Detroit High School and is a team roper. He will compete in the US Team Roping Finals this November. Karen, who is 15, is a student at Detroit High also.

I asked Jorene if she had a job. She has many. Besides helping her husband, she is superintendent of the Exhibit Building for the Red River County Fair Association, director on

September 17, 1992

Hominy & Green Chili Casserole **By Jorene Carpenter** l can hominy, drained 1 can cream of mushroom soup 1 small can chopped green chili 1 cup Velveeta cheese, grated 1 cup cracker crumbs or stove top stuffing 1 small chopped onion 1 then butter l tbsp. butter Saute onion in butter. Mix hominy and soup in mixture to warm. Mix in

green chili, place in casserole. Place grated cheese topped with stuffing on top of mixture. Bake 20 minutes at 350. Small pyrex or corning ware

dish works well. Mother-In-Law's Impossible Buttermilk Pie

1 1/2 cups sugar

Heat oven to 350. Grease pie plate.

the AIA Fair Board, a member of the Red River Cancer Board and was runner-up Regional Homemaker of the Year for the Soil Conservation Service. Jorene and Russell are also camp leaders and do workships in archery. I've heard that if you want a job done, ask a busy person.

Jorene's hobbies are cooking, sewing and photography. She says that her homemade cinnamon rolls are probably her family's favorite. When I asked what she enjoyed cooking, she said that she thought she enjoyed cooking authentic Mexican food the most. She is from New Mexico and even has New Mexico green chilies shipped in to do her cooking with. I think I must just cook Texican food.

I asked how she ended up in Detroit from New Mexico. She said in March of 1970, Russell made a stop in her hometown. They went on a blind date, married in May, and have been married for 22 years.

Most of Jorene's recipes were passed down to her from her ancestors. She is sharing her mother-inlaw's Impossible Buttermilk Pie, a Cranberry-Date Muffin recipe she got out of a magazine, and a Hominy and Green Chili recipe which was given to her by Elizabeth May from Deming, New Mexico.

Jorene extends an invitation to everyone to attend the Red River County Fair, Sept. 15-22. She said be sure and come by the Exhibit Building and see all the things people have made and are displaying.

Obituaries

Jo Robert Brooks **Dies September 10**

Joe Robert Brooks, 61, of Bagwell died Thursday, September 10 at his home

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 12 at Clarksville Funeral Home with the Rev. Jeff Davis officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Brooks was born August 8, 1931 in Bagwell, a son of the late Harold E. and Nina Pryor Brooks. He was retired from Phillips Lighting Co. in Paris. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and was a member of Martin Memorial United Methodist Church of Detroit.

Survivors include his wife, Norma of Bagwell; one son, Lance Robert Brooks of Paris; two daughters, Pamela Higginbotham of Arlington and Gayla Ann Fennell of Paris; three brothers, Dr. James W. Brooks of Ft. Worth, Dr. E.E. Brooks of Bogata and John Brooks of Terelingua; three sisters, Bess Simmons of Austin, Pat Brown of Irving and Brenda Collins of Dallas; two grandchildren, Brooke Ann and Brandon Higginbotham.

Mrs. Geneva Wolf Dies September 10

Mrs. Geneva Wolf of Deport died Thursday, September 10 at Deport Nursing Home. She was 83.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 12 at Grant Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Olan Bigler officiating. Intement was in Highland Cemetery.

Mrs. Wolf was born December 4, 1908 in Hunt County, the daughter of W.R. and Ethel White Crump. She married Delbert Cleveland Wolf in 1928 in Hunt County. He preceded her in death November 2, 1971.

She is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law, Carl and Alva Wolf and George and Nell Wolf, all of Deport; one daughter, Bobbie Chambless if Cash; two brothers, George Crump of Farmersville and Walter Crump of McKinney; four sisters, Melba Roland of Mesquite, Frances Bench of Chandler, Madelene Bacon of Hugo, OK and Louise Hass of Farmersville; two nieces, Paula Parr of McKinney and Wanda Uselton of Wylie; 13 grandchildren and 19 greatgrandchildren.

Grandsons served as bearers.

Ruby Stricklin Dies September 10

Mrs. Ruby Stricklin of Paris died Thursday, September 10 at St. Joseph's Hospital at age 85.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 12 at

1986. She was a member of the Ramseur Baptist Church.

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Survivors include a daughter-inlaw, Betty Stricklin of Powderly; three grandchildren, Sherry Blackett of Corpus Christi, Debbie Shaffer of Powderly and Don Stricklin of Abilene. She was preceded in death by a son, Louie Stricklin in 1976 and one daughter, Rena Valera Stricklin in 1941.

Wallace Woodall **Dies September 12**

Wallace Weston Woodall, 77, died at St. Joseph's Hospital Saturda September 12.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 15 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Gene Strother officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Woodall was born May 21, 1915 in Paris, a son of Thomas and Lurella Tedder Woodall. He attended Pattonville schools and was a graduate of the high school there. He married Mary Elizabeth Upchurch on July 25, 1936. They lived in Shady Grove until 1946 when they moved to Blossom. He worked at the Lamar Creamery until 1946 and was a farmer until 1959 in Blossom. He owned and operated Woodall's Truck Stop from 1961 to 1971. He moved to Pari 1971 anfd owned and operated . 271 Truck Stop until 1979. He donated seven acres of land for Woodall Field to the Breakfast Optimist CLub of Paris for its Little League baseball program. At the time of his death, he was employed by Montgomery Exxon.

Surviving are his wife; two sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary R. Woodall of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Woodall of Dallas; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Cliff Martin of Blossom, Mrs. Loula Richards of Blossom and Mrs. Lela Jackson of Paris. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Arthur and Henry Woodall and two sisters, Edna Chesney and Virgie Ayres.

Lillie Mae Jones Dies August 31

Lillie Mae Jones, 85, of Lake Jackson, died August 31 at Country Village Care Nursing Home in Angleton.

Services were held at 5 p.m. at Lakewood Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Larry Craig officiating.

Burial was in Restwood Memorial Cemetery.

She was an area resident since 1943, and a member of the First Baptist Church of Lake Jackson. She is survived by two sons, Louis

mixer. Pour into pie plate. Bake until center comes out clean with toothpick. Bake 30 minutes. Cranberry-Date Muffins 1 3/4 cups unsifted all purpose flour 1/3 cup sugar 1 tsp. baking powder

1/2 tsp. baking soda 1/2 tsp. salt l cup sour cream

1 large egg 1/2 cup cranberries, coarsely chopped

1/2 cup dates, coarsely chopped Preheat oven to 400. Grease 9-3" muffin tins. In large bowl, mix flour, sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt. In small bowl, with fork, blend sour cream with egg. With fork, stir sour cream mixture into flour mixture just until blended. Batter will be thick. With rubber spatula, fold in cranberries and dates just until mixed.

event. A notarized waiver of liability

must be shown before contestants

Spoon batter into prepared tins. Bake muffins for 18 minutes or until golden brown. Remove from tins, cool on wire rack. Makes 9 servings.

will be allowed to compete. Those contestants wishing to compete must enter by calling (903)925-2821 between the hours of 5-11 p.m. on September 14 & September 15. Entry fees must be paid by 12 noon on September 20. Stock will be provided by the Wing Rodeo Company, Bogata and a con-The Orphan Family will be singcession stand will be open. ing at the Faith Baptist Church in Everyone is asked to bring a lawn Deport on Sunday, September 20 at 4 chair. No alcohol is permitted on the p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend property. this special service. The arena is located on Highway The Orphan Family is an Indian 82 between Clarksville and Detroit gospel singing group from Ada, behind the roadside park, watch for Oklahoma consisting of Levi, Sue, Rebecca, Maria and Mandy, and are signs. Chickasaw and Choctaw Indian. They have traveled many miles in Card of Thanks Oklahoma and to other states minis-During a time like this we realize tering the gospel in song and testihow much our friends really mean to mony. The Orphan Family has been in the singing ministry full time for a

us. Your expression of sympathy will always be remembered. If you haven't picked up your dishes, they will be at the Detroit Propane office. Ella Maynard Family

Bright-Holland Funeral Home with Dr. Wilbur Simmons and Rev. Lorenzo Johns officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Stricklin was born September 15, 1906 in Red River County, the daughter of William Amos and Amanda Owens Patterson. She married Lawrence Stricklin on November 30, 1922 in Red River County. He preceded her in death September 2,

Harld Jones of Freeport and James Paul Jones of Clute; three daughters, Jo Marie Reid of West Columbia; Bettie Joyce Decker of Hitchcock and Norma Jean Hazelton of Lake Jackson; one sister, Jenny Womack of Dallas; 12 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Central Emergency Medical in West Columbia, or to the West Columbia Liosn Club.

"Orphan Family" To Sing At Faith Baptist Church

sades, etc.

The Orphans sing a southern style of gospel music which includes a variety of songs ranging from old convention songs to the latest in southern gospel music. They might even sing a couple of songs in the Choctaw language. Their songs and singing appeal to all different ages and many people appreciate their sincerity and close smooth harmony.

Wherever the Orphan Family may go, or whatever songs they sing, the main purpose in their singing is to uplift the name of the Lord and see. souls saved and sing songs that may be a source of encouragement to others.

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little over a year and sing in many

different denominations of churches

as well as at various functions such as

festivals, banquets, meetings, cru-

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wade Stevenson

Stevenson-English Exchange Wedding Vows

ELLillian Ann English became the cascade of pink and teel roses, acbride of Virgil Wade Stevenson in a cented with baby's breath and long double-ring ceremony at 7 p.m. Monday, August 24 at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Brian Baggett heard the couple repeat their vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. English, Sr. of Bogata. She is the granddaughter of Opal English of Bogata, Lewis Williams of Clarksville and the lat eJess English and Lorene Mays.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Owens of Haworth, OK and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Elva (Red) Owens of Haworth, Barbara Barber and Alvin Stevenson. Great-grandfather is Harvey Carroll also of Haworth.

12 Wade White of Bogata sang "As in-law, Lawanda Owens, with a long-Long As You Belong To Me'. Traditional wedding music was played as the bride was escorted by her father and given in marriage by her parents. The bride presented he rmothe with a long stemmed pink rose anda kiss before the ceremony. The double ring vows were repeated on the porch with the bride's colors of pink ribbons and teel bows. For her wedding, the bride chose a floor length white silk dress, long princess sleeves trimmed with lace and pearls, the train was floor length with sequins an pearls. She carried a

teel roses. Her necklace was a single strand of white pearls.

Camie Eilers of Cuthand was maid of honor. She was attired in a pink knee length dress and carried flowers of pink roses with long teel ribbons.

Kayla Brooke Whitney, niece of the bride, was flower girl and Ricky Owens, brother of the groom, was ringbearer.

Jessilyn Nicole English, niece of the bride and Courtney Bond carried the bride's train.

Richard Owens, father of the groom, was best man. Melanie Strawn served at the registry.

The bride presented her motherstemmed pink rose and a kiss after

the ceremony.

National Guard.

OK.

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Dawn Monique Jaworowski with fiance Bobby John Williams

Williams-Jaworowski **Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee Williams of Montgomery, Alabama are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Bobby John Wiliams to Dawn Monique Jaworowski.

Bobby is a 1991 graduate from Auburn University at Montgomery with a bachelor of Science and Business Administration. He is a computer programmer for CCC Associates of Montgomery, AL.

Bobby is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Topping and Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Williams, both of Bogata.

Dawn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Jaworowski of Montgomery. She is the granddaugh-

ter of Mrs. Josephine Jaworowski of Montgomery and Mrs. Magdalene Hansford of Altna, Florida.

Dawn is a 1992 graduate of the University of Alabama at Birmingham with a bachelor of Science degree in Nuclear Medicine. She is a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta, Phi Eta Sigma, and Golden Key National Honor Society and is a registered staff Nuclear Medicine Technologist at Jackson's Hospital of Montgom-

The couple will exchange vows at p.m. Saturday, October 3 at the Children's Chapel in Children's Harbor, Alabama. The couple will reside in Montgomery.



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Allums Graduates STSU

Michael L. Allums of Bogata was among the 1,137 Southwest Texas State University students who were candidates for degrees awarded in summer commencement ceremonies

August 14-15. Allums, son of Mildred L. Allums of Bogata, received a bachelor of applied arts and sciences.

"Nothing astonishes men so much as common sense and **Ralph Waldo Emerson** plain dealing.

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Pastor of Methodist Church

Watts-Brady United In Marriage

William Lee Watts and Sun-He Brady were united in marriage at the Assembly of God Church in Talco Saturday, September 12 at 2 p.m. with Bro. Johnny Mack Brown officiating.

* Walkers

Bettie Pace - Owner

* Commode Chairs

* Soft Spot Shoes

* Hospital Beds

* Wheel Chairs

A small family reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watts following the wedding. Cake and punch were enjoyed by

After a wedding trip to Lafayette,

LA, the couple will reside in Haworth,



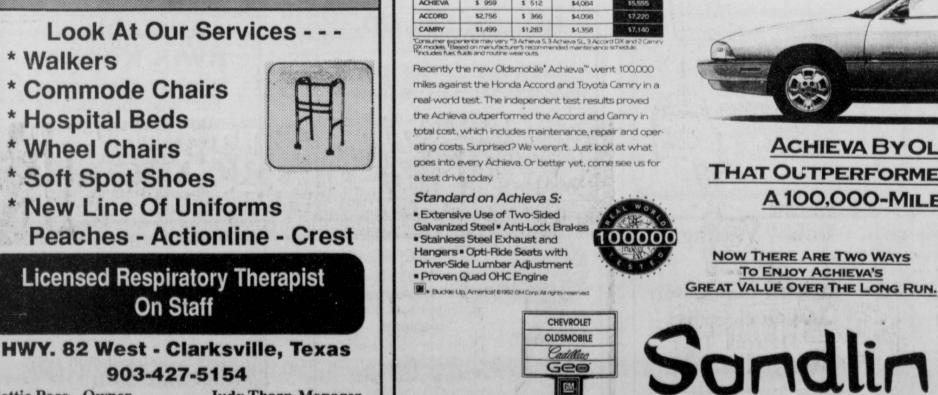
fellow of Paris are the proud parents of a daughter, Payton Cheyenne. She was born at 12:52 p.m. September 11, 1992 at Hopkins Co. Memorial Hospital in Sulphur Springs. She weighed 7 lbs. 9 1/2 ozs. and was 21 inches long. Her grandparents are Jimmy and Linda Stringfellow of Faught and Richard and Vicki Finley of Paris. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow of Bogata, William L. Stringfellow of New Iberia, La., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Finley of Paris and Bill Springs of Hugo, Ok. Her great-great grandmother is Mrs. Maudie Smith Pittman of Bogata.

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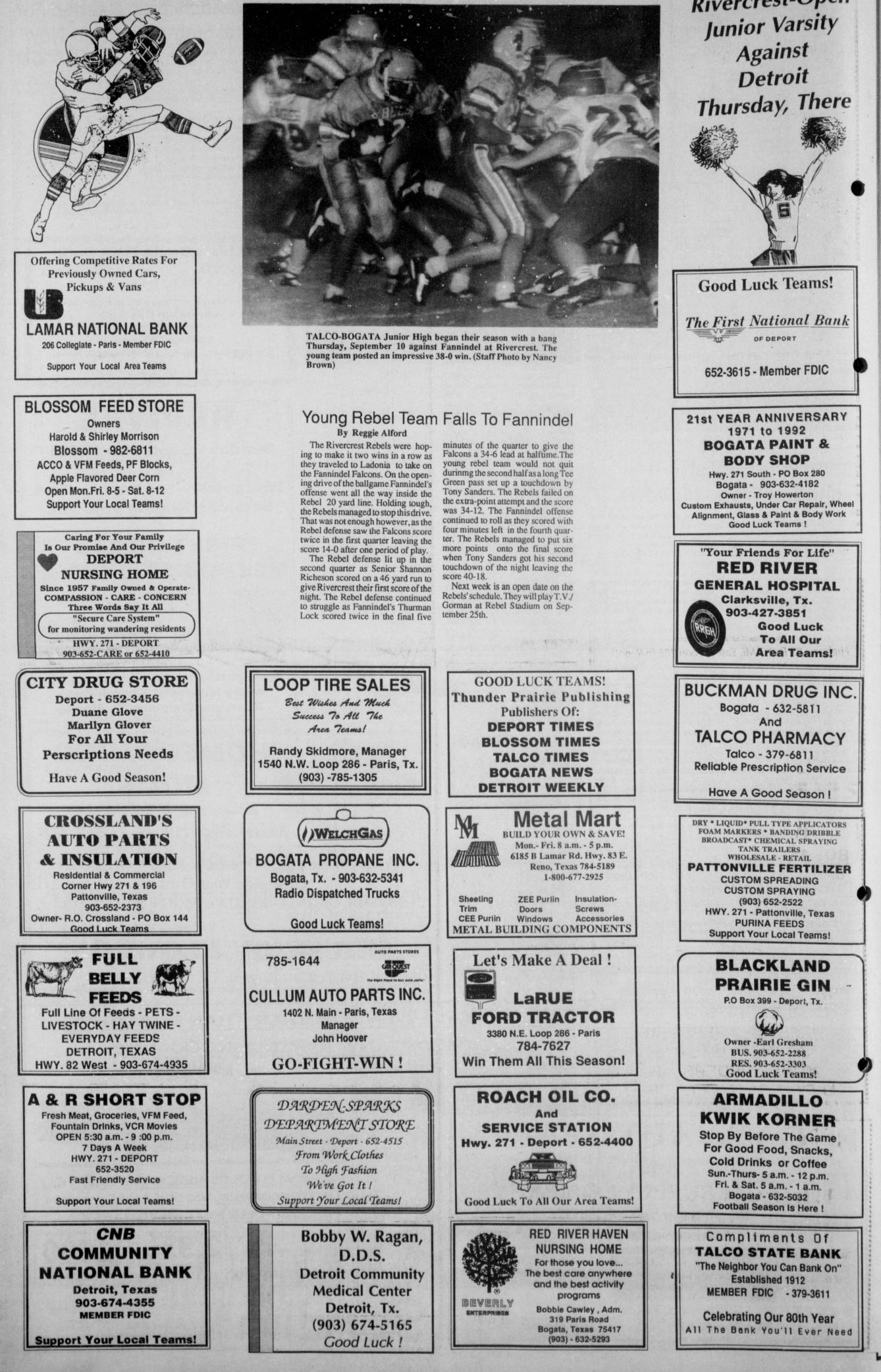
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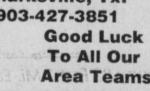
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CHEERING the Talco-Bogata Junior High Rebels on this season are, not in order, from Bogata Brooke Belcher, Mallory Chaloner, Amber Spencer and Mandy Williams. From Talco, Tawana Sanders, Kristi Hines and Maria Prado and Sara Stanley. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

Halesboro Cemetery Needs Donations 86th Birthday Party

The need to preserve the past has ng been with us and to this end it is cessary to maintain and upkeep the local cemeteries. To do this requires money, the source of which is donations.. All of us have loved ones in cemeteries around the country and at times have visited and remarked that the conditions were this or that but mostly never gave a thought to helping. It takes manydollars to keep a cemetery mowed and graves maintained. Those in charge of getting this done are usually volunteers, but actual maintenance must be hired and that requires your donations.

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Without the care and upkeep of the old cemeteries, much of the hostory of the area will be lost to future generations. The information found on these monuments is the only link many people have with their ancestors

The Halesboro cemetery is one of those in need of funds for mowing and general upkeep. It is one of the oldest in the area and is about all that remains of a once thriving community, it would be a great sadness if it was to become lost in neglect and weeds.

Any donation would be appreciated. Please send to: Halesboro Cemetery

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The Miller and Scruggs Families held a reunion a Bridges Chapel, Sunday, September 13, 1992 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miller. There were 46 attending this function and Mrs. Miller had five generations attending the party. from Oklahoma,

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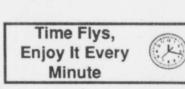
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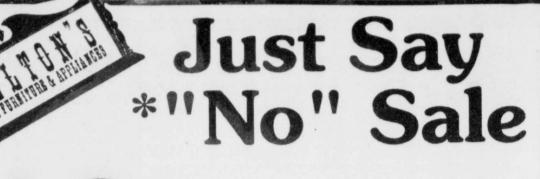
The First Baptist Church observed an week of prayer for the state missions. Ann and Glen White shared with the congregation their work in church building and how the program works.

The church had a walk-a-thon at Thomas Park with the men of the church in charge. The women held a meeting and a program at the nursing Home. The program consisted of what missions are doing in Texas and plans for the future.

There was good attendance at all these programs.



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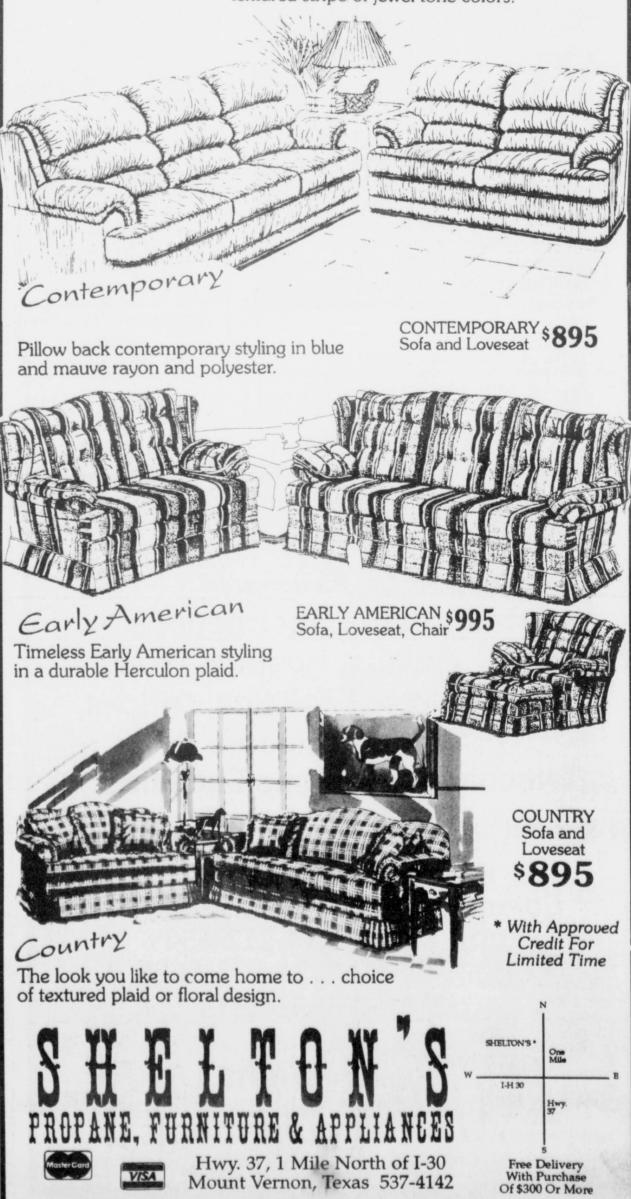
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June Stanley is shown here looking very professional on one of her Tennessee Walking Horses. One Of Them Will Be 53 September 16!

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Equipment Leasing Available At PCA

Association has expanded its line of services by including equipment leasing as an alternative for customers seeking equipment financing. "We are excited about this new service," said Tommy Welch, vice-president existing loan agreements." of North Texas Production Credit Association. "Our customers will be find that it offers many benefits. It able to realize a noticeable improvement in cash flow by leasing new equipment acquisitions," Welch rates. In addition, lessees may be able Rental payments may be made to use their full lease payment as a tax deduction.

The leasing program offered by PCA allows eligible borrowers of the need to deal with fluctuating interest

North Texas Production Credit Farm Credit System to work with local dealers in the selection of their equipment. When price and delivery dates are negotiated, the equipment user contacts the Association for lease added, "and do it without disturbing

> Those who use equipment leasing helps the lessee improve cash flow because a lease provides 100% financing. There is no down payment. monthly or annually, whichever, best fits cash flow patterns. Rates are fixed for the entire lease term, so there is no

pricing. The standard leases offered through this program are 60 months in duration. During that time, only 90% of the original cost of the equipment is amortized, keeping payments low. At the end of the lease term, the lease may be renewed for an additional term, the equipment may be purchased for the remaining 10%, or returned with no further obligation.

North Texas Production Credit Association's leasing program is supported by Farm Credit Leasing Services Corporation, a Minneapolis based entity of the Farm Credit System. FCL's nearly 20 years of experience exclusively serving the leasing

needs of agriculture has thrust FCL into national leadership in agricultural leasing.

FCL has seen a rapidly increasing demand for leasing by the nation's producers, according to Ed Hennen, FCL's director of marketing. "The streamlined lease program offered by the Associations can meet the majority of customer requirements, although more elaborate leases are also available for more complex projects," Hennen added.

North Texas Production Credit Association is located in Clarksville and serves producers in Red River and Bowie Counties.



BAND MEMBER OF THE WEEK FOR LAST WEEK was **MIGUEL TORRES a junior at** Rivercrst . He plays the saxophone and has been in the band for six years. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ted Torres of Bogata. (Staff photo by Donna Rozell)



TALCO-BOGATA eighth grade football team members for this year are, back row, left to right: Andre' Savage, Michael Deming, Clint Gage, Deon Williams, Dru Denison and Matt Stockton. Second row: Čoach Brown, Eric Martin, Kenny Rector, Chesley Baird, Nicholas Castle, Alvin Savage and Justin Smith. Front row: LaDarryl Savage, manager Kyle Hines and Mitch Ellis.





WEEK FOR THIS WEEK is Sam Austin a junior at Rivercrst. He plays the baritone horn and has been in the band for six years. His mother is Leslie Watts of Bogata.(Staff photo by Donna Rozell)

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TALCO-BOGATA seventh grade football team members for this year are, back row, left to right: Jeff Brown, ERic Davidson, Jody Gray, Dustin Wolfe, Brad Cecil and Jimmy Threadgill. Second row: Manager John White, Coach Brown, Jerad Guest, Brian Scott, Derek Belcher, Jody Nolen, Michael Allen, Roger Richards and Coach Easlon. Front row: Bryan Giles, Wiley Anderson, Courtney Huddleston, Wayne Martin, Cory Tucker, Nathan Thomas and Ryan Giles.

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Horse Events Highlight **Titus County Fair Next Week** In addition to the regular sched-

uled events for the upcoming Titus County Fair, September 23-26, several horse-related events will be held.

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On Wednesday and Thursday, September 23-24, a Ranch Hand Rodeo will be held at 8 p.m. at the Fair Arena. Entry fee is \$200.00 per team and prize money will be paid on the fastest time and the average.

On Friday, September 25, a jackpot barrel race will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Fair Arena.

Open barrels will be held first, with entries taken from 6 to 7 p.m. Exhibitions are welcome for \$3.00

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The open barrels will be a two-run average with a \$40.00 entry fee. A saddle will be awarded to the winner, plus \$200.00 in added money. The junior barrel race will be held

for 16 and under with a \$20.00 entry fee. The winner will receive a trophy buckle.

In addition, a \$250 novice barrel race will be held with an \$18.00 entry fee and a \$50.00 novice class will be held with a \$13.00 entry fee.

The arena will be worked and the electric timer used.

On Saturday, September 26, an Open Horse Show will begin with books opening at 8 a.m.

All age groups will be available and a negative Coggins test is required on all horses. Booking fee is \$2.00 and the entry fee is \$3.00. For more information, contact Mike Kellam at 572-4872

On Saturday night, September 26, a jackpot team roping will be held at 8 p.m. at the Fair Arena.

ners. For more information, contact Danny Dunn at 572-9324.

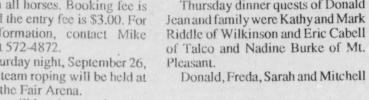


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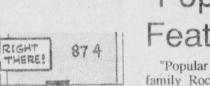
Teacher: Wrote 87.4 on the board. To show the result of multiplying the number by ten, she rubbed out the decimal point. Teacher: "Now Peggy, where is the decimal?'

Peggy: "On the eraser."





Saddles will be given to the win-



Pleasant has been visiting with family in Johntown. A Saturday visitor of Tommy and Thursday dinner quests of Donald Jean and family were Kathy and Mark

of Clarksville on Monday.

Joyce and Tommy Lee Cox and Dorothy Foster enjoyed shopping at the New Super Center in Mt.Pleasant Thursday.

"Popular Demand" Will Be Featured At Titus County Fair

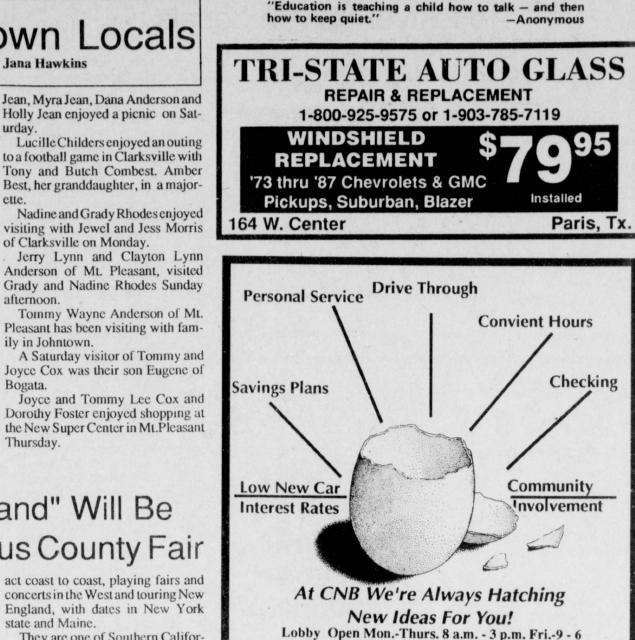
"Popular Demand", a fabulous family Rock and Roll band from southern California that specializes in classic rock and roll from the Fab Fifties to the Surfin' Sixties will be featured at the Titus County Fair on Wednesday and Thursday nights, September 23-24 in Mt. Pleasant.

Their harmonies capture the warm sound of the Beach Boys with many of the surf and good time hits. Over the summer of 1991, they took their

act coast to coast, playing fairs and concerts in the West and touring New England, with dates in New York state and Maine.

They are one of Southern California's most popular bands and have performed for more than 40 city sponsored concerts and special events.

The group will appear at the Outdoor Stage during the Fair.





It's Titus County Fair Time! September 23rd through 26th

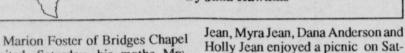




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visited, Saturday, his mothe Mrs. Dorothy Foster.

Darlene Hutchison and her son, Clay, visited with Mrs. Dorothy Foste r Saturday and with the David Horn family

Jane, Don and Rawanza Barnard have been to Streetman to visit his uncle and aunt Jim and Gladys Childres.

A week ago last Saturday m Mark, Jana Haley and Heather Hawkins and James and Pauline Gibbs went to Mt. Pleasant shopping to dine out.

Freda and Sarah Jean had lunch with her mother, Nadine Burke of Mt. Pleasant on Monday.

Joyce Cox was their son Eugene of Bogata.

Red River Haven Locals

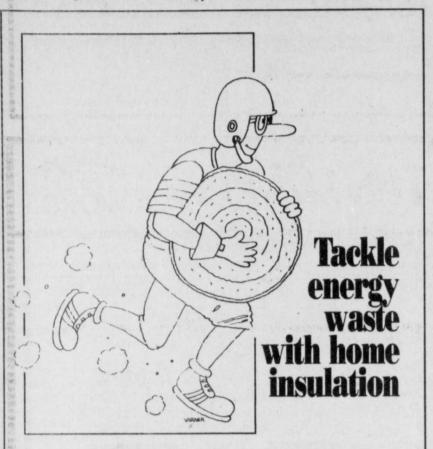
Red River Haven enjoyed an inhouse parade, Friday, September 11. Approximately 25 residents participated. The activity Departmant decorated wheelchairs, walkers, canes and individual residents with balloons, streamers and ribbons. Mr. Bill White judged the parade entries and the following were chosen: Most Original-Ruth Harrison; Most Colorful-Lantie Smith; Most Fun-Casey York. After the parade went down every

hall the residents enjoyed rfreshments. A good time was had by all. Visising Stanley Bell was Charley Davidson.

Lantie Smith's visitors were Jery, Pam and Brent Beers, Nida Lewis Mark and Lauren Beers.

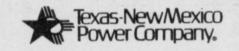
Lynn Kerley was visited by Susie and Jim Bryan, Kristi, Mandi, Kathy and Staci Alford. Linda Taylor, Opal and Arol Kerley.

Oma Hudson's visitors were Ila



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Scoggins, Edie Collins, Maggie Love, LolaMae Crook, Emma Cummings, Earnestine Lee, Katie Brown, Lois McRae, Louise Bean, Rev. McGRaw, Emma Davis, Bonnie Ricks and Rev. H.G. Goodlow.

Mae King was visited by Fayette Clifton, Patricia King, Lois McRae and Kirk King.

Roy and Gladys Prater were visited by James Prater.

Eunice Turner was visited by Willie Mae Gray, Ann White, Rosemary Swinford, Mary Ann Ward, Maurine Mankins, LaRann Dennison and Martha Wood.

Bonnie Humnphries was visited by Inez Montgomery, Ruby Legate, Lois McRae and Louise Bean.

Clydus Vivion's visitors were Lois McRae, Louise Bean and Flave Vivion.

Bess Summers was visited by Carl Summers.

Arlena David's visitors were David Akin Poley, Rob Cannon and wife. Clara Lowe was visited by Gerlyn

Gray, Jennifer Reeder, Jessica Hines, Judy Holt, and Mrs. Jessie Gray. Opal Watts's visitors were James

and Frances Gibson, Dale and Peggy Watts.

Ruby White was visited by Glenda Moore, Sandra Woodall and Grady

Rhodes.

Josie Fennell's guests were Willie Wilson, Leslie Wilson, Ima Gene Wilson all from Reno, Nell Harville and Allen Harville from Hurst.

Jimmie Duffie was visited by Louise Roberts, Mildred Mayfield, Linda Eilers, Nadine Rhodes, Leona Wright, Katie Brown, Kathy Guess, Lee Price, Grady Rhodes, Velma Watson, Blanche Mauldin, Blu Miller from Denver City, Nell Shipp and Mr and Mrs. A.D. Mowery.

Myrtle Morsman was visted by Charlene and C.W. and Kara Miller. Jewel and Delbert Harper were visitd by Jerry Harper.

Dollie Carroll was visited by Nathan, Lynn, Brenda, Randy Carroll and Teresa Treece and Cary Oglesby.

Clyde and Ardena Roberts were visited by Katie Brown and Dean Cannon.

Gertrude Gifford was visited by Linnie Bailey, Lorene Bogie, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Franks, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clifton, Ruby Blevins, Mary Ann Williams, Helen Moore, Jessie Marie Woodard, and Janie Bogie.

Dorothy Watkins was visited by Wretha Watkins, Lou Ada Franklin, Inez Montgomery, Teri Watkins, Julie, Amy and Clayton.

Ida Brown was visited by Connie Pyles, Sherry, Kyle, Paula and Tonya Pyles and Grace Dean.

Alta Bell was visited by Bill White and James Gibson.

Oma McKinney had visitors who were Nuke Eudy, Tannie Eudy, Elzie Hughes, Louise Eudy, Seband Sylvia Coggins, Raney and Gail McKinney.

Ann Evans was visited by Dr. T.H. Glover, Curtis Glover, Joseph Ladd Paul Wood, Jr. and Mrs. Earl Legate. Beulah Roddam was visited by

Betty Harper and Jim Roddam. Alma Lowery visited with Vivian Westbrook over the weekend.

Mack Gloer was visited by Dr. T.H. Glover and Curtis Glover.

Thelma Davis was visited by Andy and Evelyn Bowman and Alec Mareno.

Mattie Cabell was visited by Frances Richeson, Ann Deaton and Cody Deaton.



Titus County Fair Offers Scholarships To Area Youth

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Association awards a graduating boy and girl who live in Titus County scholarships to further their education at a college or university. Each scholarship will be in the amount of \$500.00 and will be paid upon proof of college or university enrollment,

for two semesters. Selection of the recipients will be based on merit as determined by the Out of County Judging Committee. The selection criteria includes the student's high school academic record and eligibility for university admission, leadership as demonstrated in school and community activities, participation in the Titus 23 at 6 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Each year the Titus County Fair County Fair, financial need, character and future plans.

Each applicant should attach a small photograph, high school transcript and a statement concerning plans for college and career. Include personal and/or biographical information which you think will help or be of interest to the selection committee

Applications are available from high school counselors at all schools with student enrollment from Titus County. The scholarship winners will be announced at the Opening Ceremonies for this year's Titus County Fair on Wednesday night, September



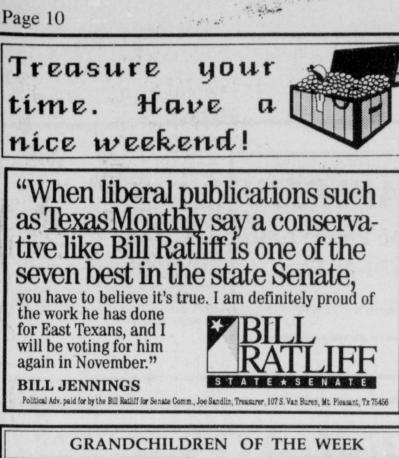
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Bogata United Methodist Women Meet

The Bogata UMW met Wednesday, September 9 at the church, for a general meeting.

Judy Marshall presided at the business meting and led the opening prayer. Roberta Anderson read the minutes. Eleanor McCluer gave the financial report.

Plans and projects for the fall season were discussed. They included the annual fall bazaar which will be

Turk Reunion To BeHeld

Caleb L. Turk, who lived in Monroe, Meigs and McMinn counties, Tennessee in the mid-1800's is to be held Saturday October 3, 1992 at the Post Oak Community Center, six miles northeast of Blossom on FM 1502. Several of Caleb Turk's children moved from Tennessee to Lamar or Red River Counties, some settling here, while others moved on to Oklahoma or Arkansas.

In the past two annual reunions, representatives from families of seven Turk brothers and sisters were present: Robert Andrew Turk, John Crawford Turk, Ozina Matilda Turk LWest, James W.B. Turk, Margaret J. Turk Nelson, Benjamin Newton

held Saturday, November 14. A clean-up day for the church will be held Tuesday, November 3. Plans for the annual UMW District meeting which will be held September 26 at Caddo Mills was discussed.

The next meeting will be a joint meeting of both circles at 10:00 a.m., September 16.

The meeting was closed with dismissal prayer.

A reunion of the descendants of Turk and Elizabeth Caroline Turk

McCuistion.

It is hoped that more edescendants of the above, as well as descendants of the following Turk brothers and sisters canbe reached with news bout the upcoming reunion: Sarah Turk McCuistion, Mary Thompson Turk Harris, Laura Analiza Turk kShell, Hugh L. Milton Turk, Amanda Harriet "Hattie" Turk and Susan F. Turk Roberts.

Starting time will be 10:00 a.m. and there will be a covered dish lunch. If the reader has Turk ancestry, but is not sure that he descends from this line, or for more information about the reunion, call Johnie Lee at 903-982-5309.

Bogata Book Club Begins Year

The Bogata Book Club met Thursday night, September 10 for the first meeting of the club year.

The meeting was held in the home of Miriam Stephenson with Jimmie Lou Pope as co-hostess. The president, Mary Margaret Vaughan, presided during the business session.

The program was given by the District president, Betty White, of

Gilmer. Her program was on motivation, and working together. A test was presented to each member to determine what type of personality they were.

New yearbooks were distributed to the members present.

Refreshments were served to 13 members and one guest.



Mr,. and Mrs. Tommy Williams of Lake Bob Sandlin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams on Sunday.

Jay and Wilma Eason, of Bogata, and Raymond and Dorothy Melton of Deport have returned from a vacation trip to points of interest in south Texas. They toured in Austin where they visited the State Capital. In San Antonio they toured the Alamo and strolled along the River Walk. Their trip included San Marcos where they visited the Aquarena Springs Resort where they took the glass-bottom boat cruise. Among the other points of interest visited by these wanderers was the Natural Bridge Wildlife Safari and many more points of interest . They returned home Sunday afternoon.

(put in Deport and Bogata if possible)

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cheatham of Bogata went to Lubbock last week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Virginia Wright and their granddaughter, Mrs. Tommy Elkins, her husband and daughter. While there they also had a wonderful visit with Mrs. Jewel Banard, formerly of Bogata.

Bogata Locals

Call Donna At 632-5322

To Report Your News

Bobby and Linda Williams, their son Bobby John and his fiance, all of Prattville, Alabama recently visited Mr. and Mrs Johnny Topping and Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Williams.

Clint Selmen, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Topping was seriously injured in an auto accident on Monday, September 7. He and a friend were returning from a church outing when they were involved in a seven car pile up in Lufkin where he lives with his parent Kay (Topping) and Jerry Selmen. He is in serious condition in Tyler Medical Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huddleston were in Lewisville this weekend visiting their son Ronnie Huddleston and their granddaughters Annette and Andrea. They also visited Ronald Mankins.

Mrs. Gussie Musick was in Dallas recently on business. Returning with her for a visit was Ruth Smith of Dallas.

