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By Nanalee Nichols

I believe that my training is complete. My animals have finally managed to turn me (and it wasn't easy) into an obedient, faithful and well trained human.

This sure knowledge occurred to me after I had stumbled to the back door at 2 in the morning to let Grayson the bob-tailed-wonder-cat in.

To show you what a perfect pet-servant I am...I can tell which of my pets wants in by their sound. Grayson "screeches" his claws on the glass with a quick, urgent sound. Dougal picks delicately at the door screen. Buzzy and Sissy, being very young, simply hang on the screen and meow loudly. Fergus, the terrier, jumps up and down at the door flinging loud "woooo, wooo, woos" about. The big Siamese doesn't ever come in (his choice). He does, however, have a strange, muffled wail that means I'm supposed to open the door, observe whatever prey he has limp in his jaws and tell him what a GOOD cat he is.

All of the cats, when they want out, go to the bedroom door and take a casual paw and rake the mini-blinds there. This rattle is my signal to arise from the depths of sleep, stagger to the door and let them out. If I'm too deep in sleep to respond to this, they come and take a paw and pat my face until I get up!

Often it is like a parade. I get up and let Dougal out...Grayson comes in. I go back to sleep...Buzzy and Sis want in too. I let them in. A short period of good sleep follows. Then Dougal wants back in and Grayson wants back out.

Do you get the picture? It's quite ridiculous.

Then, there is the food bowl signal. At first they will sit patiently (after all, I'm just a human) around their bowl. If I don't notice this they begin to meow softly. If that fails they will manage to trip me as I walk by. At that point I can almost hear them thinking "boy, is she dense...lucky I'm a tolerant human-master".

They don't like to drink from a water bowl on the floor. They prefer a bowl up on the ledge of the bathtub. I am hardpressed to remember to keep fresh (preferably run while they wait) water in this little bowl.

Of course Fergus can't reach it there, but wants to drink from it. That means I can be reading or watching tv or working on something and a loud series of "Wooo, wooo, woos" will issue from the bathroom. He will sit there making this odd noise until I fill the bowl, set it down and he can drink. Then, of course, I have to refill it and put it back up on the ledge for the next cat!

My fish (this is a fact, I swear) knows when I enter the room. If I sit down in the morning without feeding him I'll glance up from my coffee to see this fish at the side of his bowl closest to me swimming fretfully back and forth. When I arise and head towards him he shivers and dances with delight!

So, as you can see, I'm an exceptionally intelligent human. Thomas views all this with a disgusted eye. My pets have me trained until I'm a model of good behavior. Please, don't anyone tell them that I'm supposed to be in charge. It would just devastate them! But then again, they probably wouldn't believe such an outlandish theory anyway.

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Thanksgiving Ice Storm Causes Power Outages, Tree Damage

It was a chilly Thanksgiving...and a lot of folks really felt that chill as a massive ice storm came through the area Thursday, Nov. 25th.

While the Dallas area received lots of sleet, this area received lots of rain, mixed with sleet.

The icy stuff promptly froze, building up on trees, power lines, roofs and bridges.

By late Thursday afternoon power company employees knew they were in for a n all-night ordeal.

Transformers set trees on fire as ice coated them and wires began sparking.

Huge limbs, and often entire trees

crashed down on electric lines. Hwy. 271 just west of Deport was blocked for nearly three hours as crews and volunteer firemen worked to clear a big tree that fell across both lanes of traffic that night.

Power crews worked through the night to restore power to town after town, including Deport, Bogata, Blossom, Talco, Detroit, Clarksville and many more. In some areas power could not be restored for two to three days, while most areas were out only a matter of hours.

In the woods the groans and gunshot sounds of trees and limbs giving

way under their burden of ice could be heard. Steps and sidewalks, bridges and in some places roads were dangerous and slick.

Friday morning, however, the more cheerful side of the storm could be seen. The world was a glittering fairyland of ice castles, fantasy trees and diamond studded grass.

Much de-icing took place Friday, with Saturday completing the process.

And, as is typical of Texas weather (and everywhere else) temperatures climbed into the seventy-degree range Monday.



DAIRY IN A TRAILER- Tommy Tucker and Serendipity, the cow, wait for another

group of children to come from Bogata Elementary School so that they may learn dairy things from the Dairy Class-

room. Tommy headquarters out of Sulphur Springs. (Photo by Judy Screws)

A Thanksgiving Reminder! Losing Electricity Pointed Out

Two Things To Be Thankful For By Nanalee Nichols

Did you miss them? The lights, I mean. Plus all those hundred little things we never think about...like television, hair dryers, hot water, washers, dryers, coffee pots, electric blankets, heat, ice makers...the list just goes on and on and on.

Thanksgiving Day, after the freezing rain had managed to encase power lines, transformers and trees in a heavy layer of ice, things began to give, really give! Tree limbs crashed down on power lines and wires broke, creating havoc.

Pretty soon, most of us were in the dark...literally. Candles were dug out, kerosene lanterns lit, flashlights found. But things weren't the same, were they?

Of course, while we may have been grumbling about it being chilly, or missing our favorite tv program, power crews were out working to restore power...they worked all night without rest, then continued right on working the next day and beyond. For some of us it was only a few hours before things were returned to normal, for others it was much longer.

And, while those power crews were doing their very best, volunteer fire departments everywhere were assisting in directing traffic, cutting away tree limbs, keeping watch over dangerous situations. And the highway department crews were also out all night long...sanding bridges, clearing roads. There were others out that night too: highway patrols, deputies, emergency vehicles.

I was out in it for several hours myself...and I can testify that it was was cold out there...really cold, wet and nasty! And yes, of course they were paid for their work...but they don't make enough money to make up for the misery and weariness they must have felt.

So there are two points to this little article.

One is that we owe these hard working people a vote of thanks. Of course everyone didn't get their power on as soon as they wanted it...the job was too enormous. But they worked long and hard until the job was done. All the people out there were trying their hardest to get things back to "normal".

The second thing is...on Thanksgiving Day we were all reminded of a few of those things we have to be thankful for...like warmth and light, communications and conveniences, security and privileges!

PEOPLE N THINGS

Slated meeting of the Rosalie Masonic Lodge 527 is the 4th Thursday of every month at 7:30 p.m.

Bogata Lions Club will meet the first and third Thursdays of each month at 7 pm.

The Texas Dept. of Health will hold Immunization Clinics on the first, second, and third Thursday of each month. Hours are from 9-11:30 am and 1:00 - 2:30 pm. The clinics will be conducted at 1300 Highway 37 north in Clarksville. Parents are reminded that all children must be accompanied by an adult and bring the child's immunization records and Social Security Number if it is available.

Tuesdays at 7:30 is pool playing time at VFW 8187 in Bogata. Thursday at 7:00 is "42"night, and every Saturday at 1:30 is Bingo playing time.

The Bogata Ball Association is in need of a refrigerator for the concession stand. They are starting early hoping that they will find someone to donate one or maybe get enough donations to purchase one before spring. Call June Young at 632-4863 or Regan Bell at 632 5885.

The Bogata Christmas Parade will be Tuesday, December 7, at 3:30 p.m.

Rivercrest basketball schedule changes include -Dec.6-9th grade boys, and JVB at Mt. Pleasant 6 p.m. and Dec.7-JVG, VG, VB games will be played at the Talco Gym beginning at 4:30 p.m.

A shower for Dale and Pam Sulsar, whose home burned recently, will be held Friday, December 3 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Fulbright Baptist Church in Fulbright. Everyone is invited.

Bogata Volunteer Fire Department Needs Financial Help

Bogata is very fortunate to have a Volunteer Fire Department, as are most small towns, but the operative word here is "volunteer". The only compensation they get is the knowledge that they are desperately needed and that they help lots of people. This is the only compensation they ask.

Compensation is not the problem. Equipment is. There has been no equipment bought in quite a while. They hate to start fundraising projects, because so many people are

doing that at this time of the year.

The organization needs new beepers, (6), Bunker Gear (coats, hats, etc.), and air bottles.

The city council will discuss this at the next meeting, but there is not much chance that there will be enough money. Right now, the group is just asking for suggestions as to how they can get the money to keep up the caliber of service to which we have become accustomed.

Reminders

Don't forget the Bogata Christmas Parade will be December 7th at 3:30 P.M.

There will be Christmas boxes in various stores in Bogata. Please let your heart lead the way when you put food and gifts in these boxes so that everyone can have a Merry Christmas.

Red River Haven will need gifts donated for the Christmas Store to be held on December, 18. The residents will shop with FUN money. Gifts need are toiletries, jewelry, and any small useful gift you would like to donate. Call 632-5479 and talk to Sandra Maudin, if you'd like more information.

Meet Us On Main Street- Let Us Pray

On December fourth at 9:00 A.M. there will be a community wide prayer service on Main Street, in Bogata. Reverend Rocky Stephenson is encouraging all churches and all people whether they attend a church or not to come together for this town prayer meeting. We call

upon the Church to support in this effort. If there has ever been a time when our Country and our community needed prayer, it is now. Parents, your children need your prayer. Children, your parents need your prayers. Americans, your country needs your prayers.

Community Meeting Called In Rosalie

A community meeting will be held December 7 at 7:00 p.m. in Rosalie at the Rosalie Methodist Church.

The meeting is being called by the Rosalie Community Club to discuss future plans to construct a new com-

munity center building. Also on the agenda will be the election of officers and in general reorganization. Everyone interested in this worthwhile project is urged to attend the meeting.

Don't Miss The Paper Sale!

Don't forget to renew your subscription to the Deport Times, Bogata News, Talco Times or Blossom Times during December to take advantage of the paper sale.

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HEAVY ICE- The ice was so heavy on the trees in the Ed Spencer's yard that one of them fell on the family vehicles. (Staff Photo)

This is \$2 off the regular price. For your convenience the Deport Office will be open on Fridays through the month of December and the Bogata office will be too.

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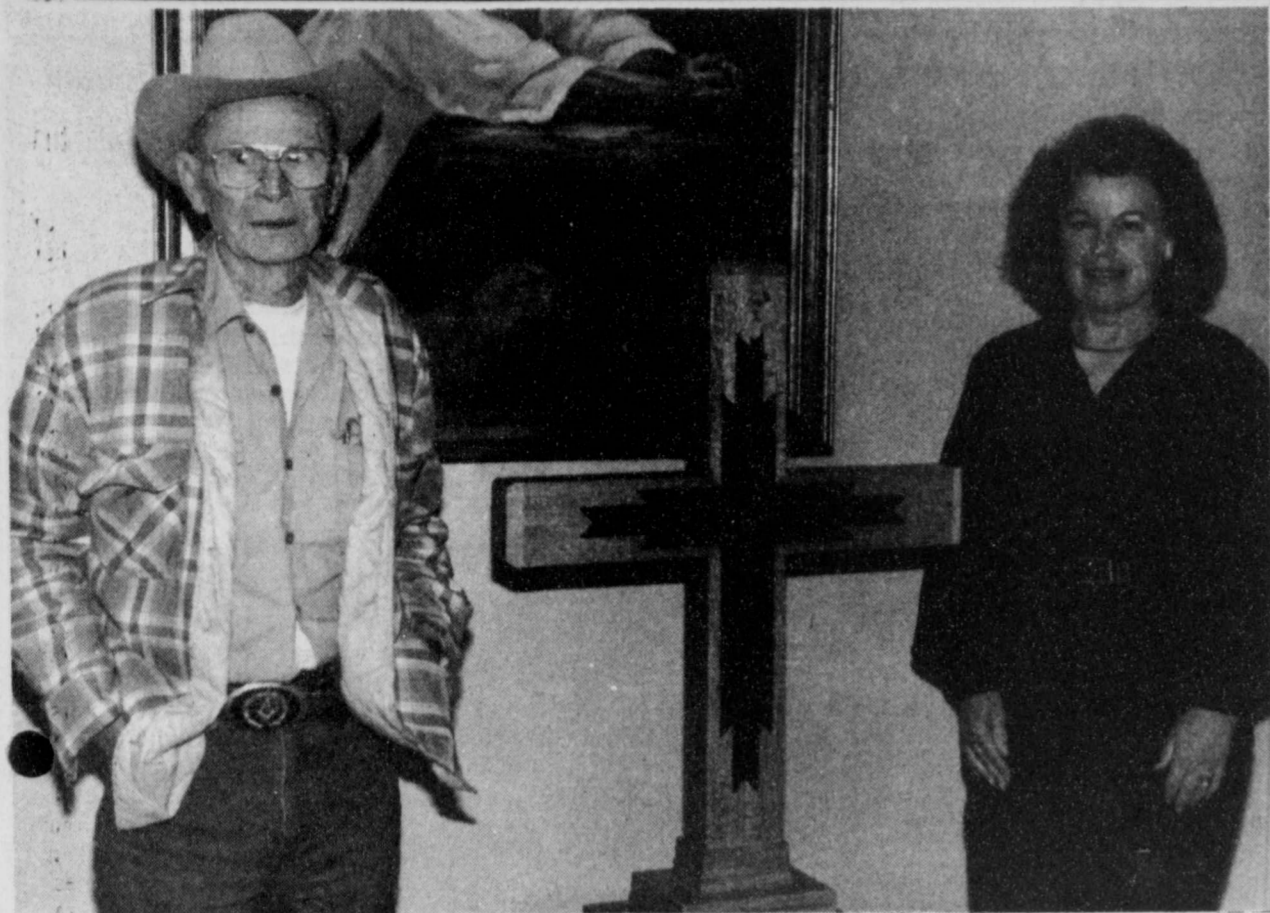
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CROSS IS PRESENTED- Berniece Hartman and Lewis Williams is pictured with the

Cross whic was donated to Red River Haven Nursing Home by

the families of Iva Williams. (Photo by Judy Screws)

Talco Bogata Schools
Menu For The Week
December 6- 10

- Monday**
Pizza
Salad
Corn
Dessert
Milk
- Tuesday**
Burritos
Cheese Sauce
Seasoned Beans
Fruit
Milk
- Wednesday**
Chili with Beans
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- Thursday**
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Johntown Youth Group Attends Rally

The Johntown Missionary Baptist Youth attended the Red River-Bowie Association District Youth Rally in Avery on Monday night. There were 21 churches represented with approximately 196 in attendance. There were present from Johntown driving a distance of 35 miles. The youth won both the points and attendance banners to bring back with them. Those

attending were: Bro. Roddy Jackson, Brenda, Travis, and Tracy, David, Megan, Adam and Colby Horn, Ray, Susan, Kim, Jill and Chris Shirley, Drue and Billie Pirtle, Myra Jean, Dana Anderson, Jana, Heather and Haley Hawkins, Jamie Daniels, Billy and Michelle Jordan, and Donald, Freda, Mitchell and Sarah Jean.

Family Of Mrs. Iva Williams Presents Cross

The family of the late Mrs. Iva Williams presented Red River Haven Nursing Home with a beautiful handmade wooden cross in appreciation for the care Mrs. Williams received while she was a resident at the facility. The cross stands over three feet tall and is about six inches thick. It was made by Mr Darwin Burch, who is a resident of the lake resort owned by Moose and Berniece Hartman, in Washington State. Mrs. Hartman is one of Mrs. Williams'

daughters.

The inscriptions on the plates located on the cross read; In Loving Memory of Iva Williams 10-17-01...1-4-92. The other inscription gives the names of Mrs. Williams' children who shared in the generous donation. Those names are; Lewis Williams, Willie Clark, Berniece Hartman, Nola Blount, D.C. Williams, and Mickey Williams.

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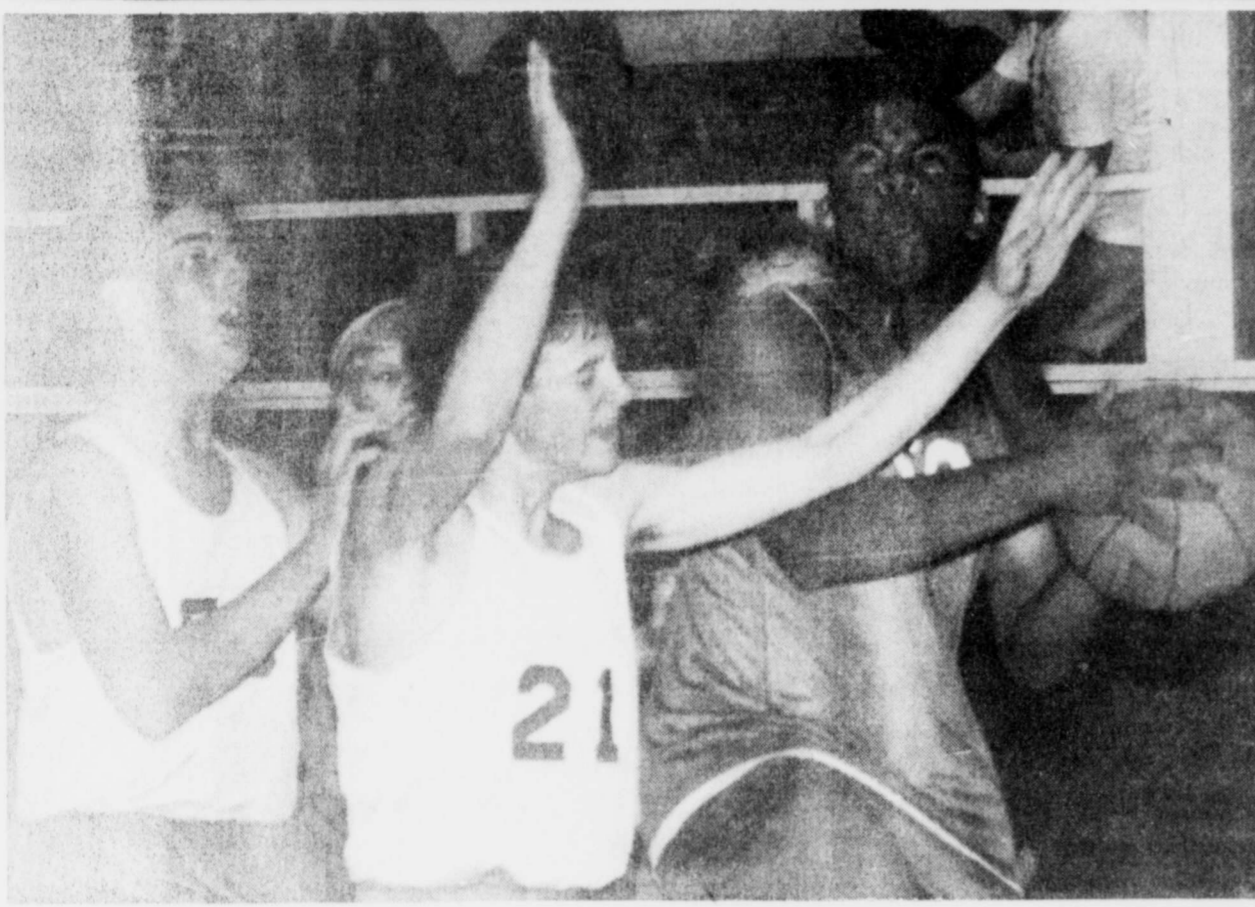
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BRODERICK FULBRIGHT fights for position against these Blossom defenders in last week's contest between the eighth grade boys. The young Rebels took an easy win in the contest. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

JV Rebels Win At Pleasant Grove

The Rivercrest JV Rebels traveled to Pleasant Grove on Friday and Saturday, November 25-26 to play the Pleasant Grove ninth grade and JV.

On Friday, the Rebels took a whopping win over the Pleasant Grove freshman team. Final score was 89-33. High scorer for the Rebel team was Eric Waller. Rebel Andy Speir netted four 3-pointers for the Rebel team, plus several 2-pointers. Also scoring were Jack Brown, A.J. Lee, Dru Denison, Jay Hancock, Steven

Thomas, Todd Barker, Eric Martin, Mitch Ellis, Justin Smith and Alvin Savage.

The Rebs returned Saturday to play the Pleasant Grove JV. The Rebels again began with the lead and ended with the win. Final score was 70-60. Eric Waller was the team leader in scores, also scoring were A.J. Lee, Jack Brown, Andy Speir, Mitch Ellis, Jay Hancock, Dru Denison and Alvin Savage.



JV REBEL Jack Brown drives for a shot in basketball action last Friday night against the Pleasant Grove JV team. The young Rebels posted a 70-60 win in the contest. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



Talco-Bogata JH Take 3 of 4

The Talco-Bogata Junior High seventh and eighth grade boys and girls traveled to Blossom November 21.

The seventh grade girls began the evening, taking the win 31-20 over Blossom. Scoring for the team were Joanie Swarts, Courtney Jones, Kate Hare, Dani Brown, Candias Nickerson, Tiffany Shupp and Andrea Palmer.

The seventh grade boys repeated the girls with a win. Scoring for the team were Aaron Martin, Chad Holland, Joey Taylor, Steven Hearron, Jason Freelan.

The eighth grade girls took the court for a tough game. The team simply could not get the game to go their

way. The final score was 42-8.

Scoring were Deidre Brown, Maribel Prado and Tabitha Martin.

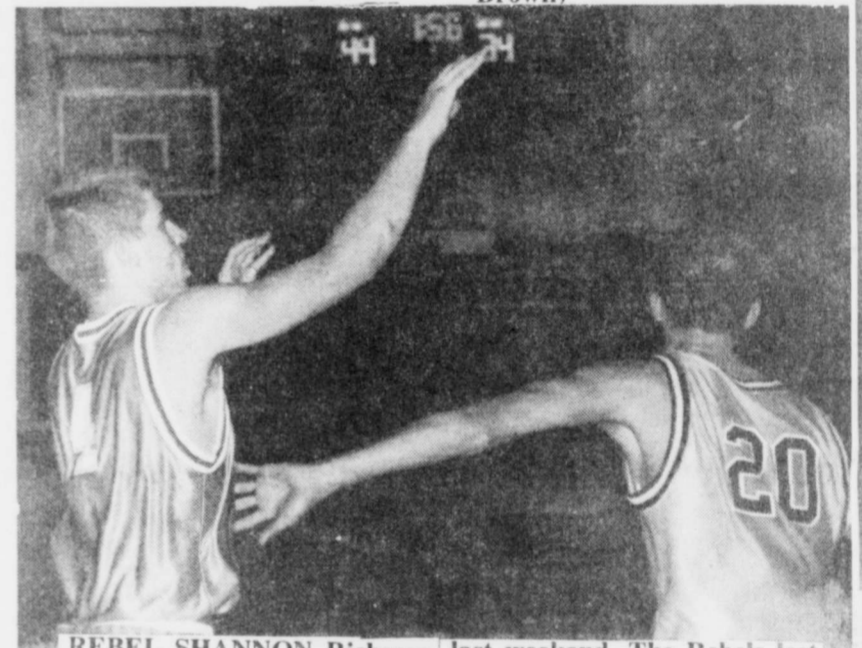
The eighth grade boys shut out the Blossom team, taking an easy win. Scoring was lead by Broderick Fulbright. Also scoring were Jody Gray, Jody Nolen, Dustin Wolfe, Courtney Huddleston and Michael Allen.

On Monday, November 29, the seventh and eighth grade girls traveled to Chisum. The seventh grade team won 27-17. The eighth graders were defeated.

The seventh and eighth grade boys hosted Chisum at Bogata. Both teams were defeated.

AARON MARTIN goes up for the basket in basketball action last week. The Talco-Bogata

Junior High boys won the contest against the Blossom team at Blossom. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



REBEL SHANNON Richeson last weekend. The Rebels lost shoots the basketball in the face the pre-season contest. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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TRAVEL TIPS

By

Marlene Pendleton, C.T.C.

Thanksgiving Day, improvising a sled out of a garbage can led, my grandchildren and I took advantage of the sleet and snow and slid down our small hill until Grandma's back gave out. It brought back memories of my first ski experience.

Skiing was one of those things I wanted to do sometime in my lifetime, just never seemed to "get around to it". Then a friend coaxed me on a ski trip with her. I took the lessons and managed to get down the bunny hill without breaking anything and realized I was hooked on skiing. My family thinks I'm "crazy...what could I possibly find in skiing at my age?"

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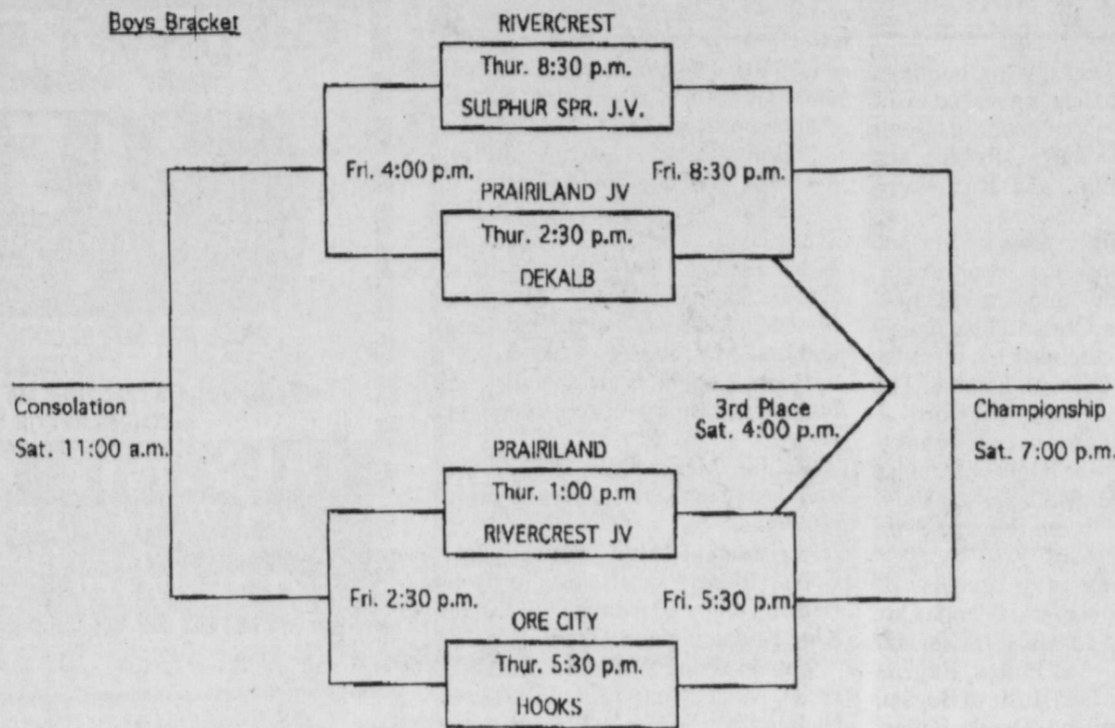
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Boys Bracket



Girls Bracket (Round Robin)

Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ORE CITY 4:00 p.m.	DEKALB 1:00 p.m.	PAUL PEWITT 9:30 a.m.
DEKALB	PAUL PEWITT	ORE CITY
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PAUL PEWITT	ORE CITY	DEKALB

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Hosts for the tour are Byron and Ann Rushing, end of 12th Street in Country Estates; James and Diane Hawthorne, 109 W. Main Street; M.C. and Kay Jonston, FM 114, English Community; and the Old Church

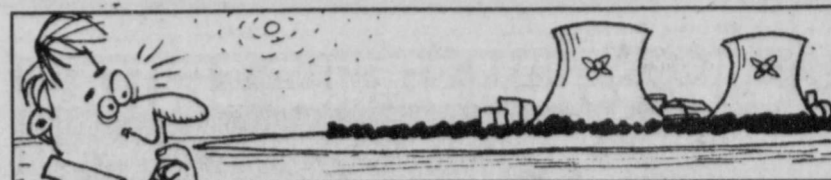
Theatre, corner of W. Main and Delaware.

The Church Theatre will feature piano music, the McKinsey Bell Choir and refreshments during the tour.

Tickets are available from PRIDE members, the Broadway Emporium, The Carousel, and at the door of each home. Tickets are \$4.00 for the tour.

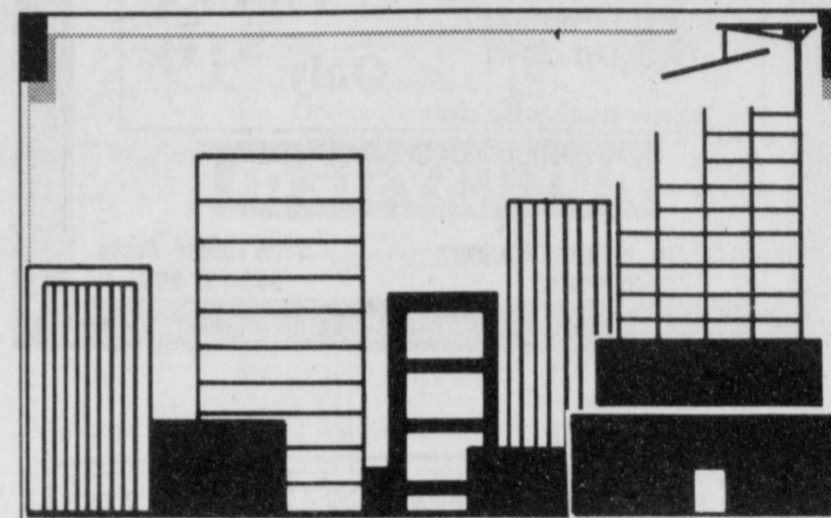
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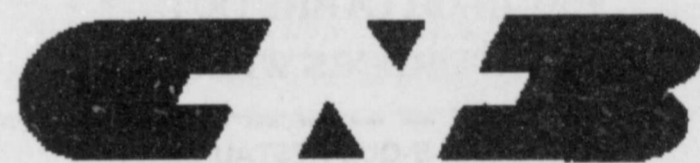


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Over the Thanksgiving holidays, Nelda and Bob Belzung visited in the homes of Faye Faulkenburg, Boots Cooper, Linda Farris, Robbie and B.J. McLaughlin, and Rita Weisenfluh.
Thanksgiving visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins were Roger, Suzanne, Jeremy, and Aaron Hawkins, of Corpus Christi. The family helped Roger celebrate his birthday on November 26, with lunch at The Lonesome Dove Cafe in Deport.
Lucille Childers enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Douglas and Robbie Hawkins along with Steven, Kathy, Ryan, Koren, Seth, and Seaton Hawkins.
Thanksgiving day guests of Tommy Lee, Joyce, and Glenda Cox were Cindy and Gary, Sean and Steve Robertson, of Eules, Eugene and Pat Cox and Lori Bush, of Bogata, Angela Crump and Derek Eailles, Victor, Patsy and Dustin Cox.
Thanksgiving day guests of Drue and Billie Ruth Pirtle were Dale and Dawn Jean, of Austin, Vance Pirtle, of Daingerfield, Myra Jean, Clay and Lana Pirtle, Michael Reed, of

Marshall, Donald, Freda, Mitchell and Sarah Jean, Dana and Randy Anderson, Ryan and Darla Brunson and Holly, Dale and Dawn arrived on Tuesday and stayed until Sunday.
Thanksgiving Day guests of Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins were Pauline and James Gibbs, Randy, Barbara, Sonny, Shannon, Shane Gibbs, Judy and Kevin Guess and Lisa McGuire.
Boots Cooper is recuperating at home after surgery on a crushed right arm.
Robbie McLaughlin is at home after a stay in the hospital with heart problems.
B.J. and Robbie McLaughlin, Boots Cooper, and Nelda and Bob Belzung enjoyed a dinner at Catfish King Friday night in Mt. Pleasant.
Thanksgiving guests of Donald, Freda, Mitchell and Sarah Jean were Nadine Cabell, of Mt. Pleasant and Mark and Kathy Riddle, of Sugar Hill.
Billie Pirtle and Freda Jean enjoyed shopping in Hughes Springs, Marshall and Longview Friday.

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The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has received an application for financial assistance from Red River County Water Supply Corporation located in Clarksville, Red River County, Texas to improve/expand the existing water distribution system to serve existing and new customers in Red River County, Texas.

The specific components of this proposed action are to provide two (2) new water supply wells, two (2) elevated water tanks, one (1) remote water pressure tank, one (1) pumping station with pressure tank, and approximately forty-one (41) miles of water main along with necessary valves, fittings and appurtenances to serve their existing 1,490 water users and additional 160 new water users.

The project, if implemented, has the potential to impact two categories of important land resources: Important Farmlands and Floodplains. The important farmlands are designated by USDA-SCS (Soil Conservation Service) Soil Survey Maps. Since Floodplain Maps are not available for Franklin County, it has been determined that important flood prone zones and wetlands occur within the services area of the water corporation and are located where highways, farm-to-market, and county roads across Anderson Creek, Blanton Creek, Morrison Branch of Little Mustang Creek, Little Mustang Creek, White Oak Bayou, Dillard and Peters Creek in Red River County, Texas.

The Red River County Water Supply Corporation proposes to mitigate potential adverse impacts to the resources by prohibiting service to structures proposed to be built in the floodplains, and restricting water service to future customers in the important land resource areas.

Anyone desiring to make comments or review maps showing the locations of important land resources, or to obtain additional information about the project may contact the office below. Written comments may be made by mail but must be received within thirty (30) days of this publication for consideration by Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) in preparation of the environmental review. Farmers Home Administration District Office, Attn: Donus W. Ricks, Regional Environmental Specialist, 2212 Arlington Downs Road, Suite 105, Arlington, Texas 76011.
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For further information, contact FmHa at (903) 427-5646, Frank B. Stroud, County Supervisor, Farmers Home Administration



NEW EMPLOYEE- Kathy Holt is the newly employed office clerk at Welchgas in Bogata. Kathy and husband, Johnny, and their 2 children, Chris and Renea, live at Milton. Johnny is engaged in farming and ranching. Renea is a Deport 8th grader and Chris works for Paris Air Conditioning. (Photo by Judy Screws)

Region VIII Education Service Center Is Sponsoring Workshop
Region VIII Education Service Center is sponsoring a workshop on "Creating Units That Integrate the Classroom". The workshop is to be held on Wednesday, December 8, 1993, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. at the service center. Teachers will be taught how to develop an objective-based, cross curricular unit which can be a unifying factor in a multi-level classroom. Strategies will be presented to increase the amount of time students are engaged in constructive, skills-based learning activities. Participants will be able to make/use skills-based, action oriented manipulatives. The target audience will be all teachers, grades 1-6, including special education and aides. The presenter will be Dinah Zike of Dinah-Might Activities, Inc. in San Antonio. There is a \$15.00 fee. Please call Dorothy Morgan at 903-572-8551 for registration information.

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Erica Has A Brand New Liver

Erica Woods' illness was pretty much common knowledge to folks who knew her mother, Tommie and to those who knew the family, but it really peaked last year, and they were told that in order for Erica to live, she must have a new liver. She was put on a waiting list and Tommie wore a beeper so that if a liver became available, they could reach her regardless of where she was at the time. Besides feeling better, and having hope for a healthier life, Erica also has whites in her eyes. While she was sick, the jaundice made the whites of her eyes yellow. Erica put her story on paper, and we'll share it with you all:

My name is Erica Woods. I am 16 1/2 years old. I know I am a miracle because the Lord let me live for 16

years with this liver problem without anything happening. Last year when I turned 16 I got really sick. That's when they told me that they would start looking for me a new liver. I had to wait 9 months for a liver. For a while there I didn't think I was ever going to get it. I just couldn't believe it when they called. We had a hard time getting there but we made it just in time. The Lord worked his miracle to see that the doctors made their way through the 12 hours and brought me through. I was up and about sooner than they thought I would be. I am happy that I'm home. It seems like I have a new lease on life. I know that I have to take medicine all my life now, but that's nothing new. I am proud of my new liver. It gives me a new chance to grow.

CHECK FOR ERICA- Tommie Woods looks on as Shirley Vickers presents Tommie's daughter, Erica, with a check for \$1206.00. Shirley is a representative of the Bogata Lions Club as secretary-treasurer and Red River Haven Nursing Home as Nursing Secretary. When Erica's plight was discovered, the Lions started an account in her name at the bank with an initial deposit of \$100.00, the nursing home took up a good collection and added it to the account, then folks around the community added to it until it was time to take it out and give to Erica to help with the expenses which built up due to her illness and subsequent liver transplant. (Staff Photo)

Red River General Hospital Admissions and Discharges

Admissions:
Nov. 22, 1993 - Grace Covington, Pilot Point; Larry D. Smith, Annona; Frances Hendricks, Bogata; Amanda Jones, George Coleman, Calvin Brannan, Clarksville.
Nov. 23, 1993 - Emma Jean Wooten, Jeffalona Warren, Mildred Conine, Blanche Taylor, Thad Bell, Rubie Wade, Clarksville; Margaret Glass, Bagwell.
Nov. 24, 1993 - Lewis Wilkerson, Bogata; Sue Montgomery, William

Nystrome, Woodrow Wright, Clarksville.
Nov. 25, 1993 - Tommy Eddins, Detroit; William Nystrome, Clarendia Giddens, Myrtle Downs, Clarksville; Lola Crook, Deport.
Nov. 26, 1993 - Henry Mankins, Bogata; Ada Jean Taylor, Lee Bridia Ricks, Clarksville.
Nov. 27, 1993 - Bonnie Humphries, Ollie Lee, Bogata; Lola Crook, Deport; Sharon Booth, Clarksville.
Nov. 28, 1993 - Willie Tarrant, Estha Mae Hamilton, Oma Peters, Elsie Dale, Thelma Jarrett, Clarksville; Dewie Davis, Avery.

Discharges:
Nov. 22, 1993 - Lavada Eudy, Thomas Curley, Alvin Barnes, Bogata; Thomas Backus, Mamie Potts, Sharlet Ellis, Clarksville.
Nov. 23, 1993 - Burnice Taylor, Edwina Mitchell, J. T. Smith, George Coleman, Clarksville; Larry R. Smith, Detroit; Larry D. Smith, Annona.
Nov. 24, 1993 - Grace Covington, Pilot Point; Tom Williams, Jake Washington, Horace Cruce, Thad Bell, Emma Wooten, Sue Montgomery, Clarksville; Frances Hendricks, Larry English, Bogata.
Nov. 25, 1993 - Jack Stringer, Clarksville; Samuel Wilkerson, Bogata.
Nov. 26, 1993 - Allie Black, Bogata; Tommy Eddins, Detroit;
Nov. 27, 1993 - Rubie Wade, Calvin Brannan, Mary Taylor, Lee Birdia Ricks, Clarksville.
Nov. 28, 1993 - Margaret Glass, Bagwell; Dewey Davis, Avery; Lola Crook, Deport.

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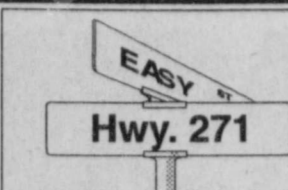
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Thanksgiving Day guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Tommie Easley were Mr. & Mrs. John Easley of Bogata, Tim Easley of College Station, Craig Easley of Kilgore and Tiffany Parish of Sugar Hill. Tommie Williams of Kilgore spent the week-end with the Easleys.

Celebrating Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Kuhl and Kristin were Mr. & Mrs. Linden Horn, Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Howard, Ashley and Callie, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Stevens and James Smith of Johtown.

Thanksgiving Day guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Ottinger, Bryan and Kevin were Mr. & Mrs. Billy Ottinger and Jody, Mr. & Mrs. Jackie Ottinger, Mr. & Mrs. Roy Ottinger, Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Cox, Mike and Jon Vilella, Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Cox, Heather, Josh and Katlynn, Mr. & Mrs. Kenny Bender, Dale and Cody Watson, and Mr. & Mrs. Dale Grissom and Torrie.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Scott Rackliff were Mr. & Mrs. David Shaffer and Joshua of Ponca City, Okla., Jeffery Rackliff of Tyler, Linda Ford and sister Shannon of Denton.

Celebrating Thanksgiving Sunday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Weldon Hawkins and Tonya were Mr. & Mrs. Don Johnson, Carey and Kenneth of Omaha, Tony Cline, Ashley and Stormy of Omaha, ReDonna Holden and Raven of Dallas, Alisa Pullen and Chase of Longview, Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Gentry, Mr. & Mrs. Shane Gentry and Brandon, all of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. & Mrs. Donnie Gentry, Joshua, D. J., and Dustin of Bogata, Mr. & Mrs. Tim Gentry of Clarksville, and Jamie Brown of Broken Bow, Okla.

Patty Kuhl and Vickie Howard enjoyed shopping in Longview Friday.

Anita Baker, Jennifer and Gina visited Nancy Brown Wednesday

afternoon. Jim Cupler underwent surgery at Mother Frances Hospital in Tyler this week. He is reported doing well.

Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mr. & Mrs. Mike Smith, Ricky and Michael were Buford Nolen, Mr. & Mrs. Ray Parsons, Kim McGee and Josh, Mr. & Mrs. Danny Beene and Dalton and Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Nolen, Julie and Jody.

Enjoying Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Brown, Kim and Jack on Wednesday were Mr. & Mrs. Carl Smith of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Graf, Katherine, Justin, Rachel and Susan and Laura Cochran of Bogata.

Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Swarts, Jaime and Joanie spent Wednesday evening at the home of Virginia Roach in Mt. Pleasant for a family Thanksgiving dinner. On Thursday they enjoyed Thanksgiving at the home of Florence Swarts in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. & Mrs. Dwayne Wilson and girls spent Thanksgiving with family at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Hinson in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Case, Ryan and Rachel and Judy Stevens and Laura celebrated Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Buster Case.

Visiting with Charline Black over the Thanksgiving holiday were Faye, Bill and Weylon Perdue and David, Cathy McMoreland, Lance and Chrystal Swanner all of Kilgore, Bobby and Jackie Crowley, Jolee, Justin and Amanda Kirkland of Mt. Pleasant, Danny Black of Paris, Roger and Carla Harrell of Dallas, Maxine and Frankie Harrell of Talco. They received a call from Butch Black of Garland.

Celebrating Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Gene Norman were Mr. Milton Norman of Mt. Pleasant, Levene Norman and Rashanda of Dallas, Darlene Newton and family, Bobbie Williams and family, all of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. & Mrs. Cleveland Cannon and Terrance of Paris.

Mr. & Mrs. Glen Harris enjoyed Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Stockton and family.

Visiting Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Fry over the weekend were Jackie, J. W. and Jeromia Stinson of Forney.

Celebrating Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Roger Hall were Mrs. Jo Robertson, Bryan Jones and friend Susan and Chad, Chasity and Camen Calvin.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Leake enjoyed Thanksgiving at their home in Talco Monday. Joining them were Phillip Leake and Tom and Nancy Leake of Tyler.

Gene and Cecelia Smith will celebrate their wedding anniversary Dec. 9, 1993.

Mabry O'Keefe spent the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Black in Longview.

Spending Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Martin and family were Mr. & Mrs. Butch Hood and Ginger, Mr. & Mrs. Scott Lum and Laramie and Misti Richeson.

Lou Hall, Chasity Calvin and Camen met Betty and Troy Jones and Carla and Jessica Johnston in Sulphur Springs Saturday and enjoyed shopping and visiting.

Celebrating Thanksgiving early on Nov. 7 at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Jack Mills were Mr. & Mrs. James Mills and Kenny of Ennis, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Mills, Dawn, Ashley and Lacey of Tom Bean, and Mr. & Mrs. John Shrum and Colton of Pittsburg.

Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Fry and Mr. & Mrs. Jackie Stinson and children enjoyed Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Fry in Mt. Pleasant.

Celebrating Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ronny Presley and Paul were Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Fail and Mr. & Mrs. Jason Jolly of Paris.

Celebrating December birthdays are Marilyn Thompson, Barbara Smith, Charles Graf, Stacy and Tracy Howard, James Mills, Ashley Mills, Mike Smith, Rhonda Johnson, Carol Laing, Michelle Johnson, Tawala Padgett, Jeromia Stinson, Natasha Goolsbee, Erin Stansell, Paul Presley, Kevin Mercer, Ashley Fail, Gerald Tate, Ronny Fail, Destry Nolen, Wade Cline, Jerry Pittman, Tommie Williams, Jill Milner, Cecelia Smith, Roger Hall, Mary Robertson, Kaysee Hatley, Bobby Cox, Chad Kuhl, Jo Horn, Jennie Belcher and Laura Cochran, Donna Taylor, James Taylor, James Raleigh, Robert Lee Holt.

Gary and Daniel Fail spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. & Mrs. Ronny Fail and family and Mr. & Mrs. Wesley Causey and family in Gladewater.

Mr. & Mrs. Stan Bruce and family of Keene spent the Thanksgiving holiday visiting Mr. & Mrs. Ed Hale and family and Mr. & Mrs. Glen Harris and family.

Celebrating Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Dean Leake were Mr. & Mrs. Otis Swaim, Bill Dixon, and Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Kelley and Blake.

Those visiting Mrs. Gladys Garretson in the Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata were Larry Garretson, Bogata; Dixie Garretson, Ft. Worth; Bill and Beverly Capel, Houston; Brenda Mewborn and daughters, Lea and Shelly, of Mineola; Vivian Westbrook, Talco.

Visiting with John Gaddis and Carol Laing over the Thanksgiving holidays were Jeremy Abshier, Joshua Abshier, Carmen and Nicholas Alexander and David Green, all of Orange, Texas.

Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Green, Wade and Brian of Burkburnett spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Louise Stockton.

Those visiting during the week with Mr. & Mrs. Wayman Alexander were Mr. & Mrs. Bill Capel of Houston, Mrs. Don Mewborn, Lea and Shelly of Mineola, Mrs. Ethel Crooks and Mrs. Billie Jo Grant of Avery.

First Baptist youth and young-at-heart will have a skating party at the Mt. Pleasant rink on Dec. 9 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

A Christmas Cantata, "Home For Christmas," will be presented by the First Baptist Church choir on Dec. 19th.

Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mrs. Dorothy Worthey were Mr. & Mrs. Olen Worthey and family of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. & Mrs. Frank Hunnicutt, Jr. and son of Daphne.

First Baptist WMA will have their annual Christmas party Dec. 6 at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Sloan were Mr. & Mrs. Tony Sloan, Sonny, Steven and Teala of Mt. Vernon, Mr. & Mrs. Scott Jones and Lane of Cookville, Lana, Leah and Chris, Gloria of Ft. Worth and Mr. & Mrs. Mike Sloan and Chase of Talco.

Mr. & Mrs. Mike Sloan, Chase and Jillian visited Mr. & Mrs. George Rosenbaum and family in Ashdown, Ark. Friday and Saturday.

Note: If your local news did not get reported, due to not being able to reach me, please accept my apology. Due to family illness, I was out of town early Tuesday. When you cannot reach me, please call Joyce Alexander at 379-2985, or jot your news down and drop it at J. E.'s Food in Talco.

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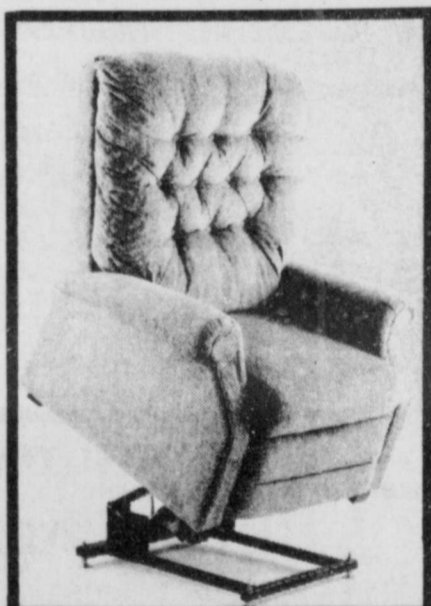
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Tiffany Parish Honored With Showers

A bridal shower honoring Tiffany Parish, bride-elect of Craig Easley, was held Saturday, November 27 in the home of Barbara Russell.

The hostesses presented corsages to Tiffany, the mothers and grandmothers of the prospective bride and groom, Linda Parish, Lucille Whitney, Judy Easley and Veda Easley.

Milk glass and silver appointments were used to serve finger sandwiches, cake, nuts, mints and punch. Marcella Roberts and Carla Jones presided over the refreshment table. Jerilyn Russell and Angela Sargent registered approximately 43 guests.

The couple received many nice and useful gifts.

Hostesses were Barbara Russell, Zoenetta Hawkins, Marcella Roberts,

Carla Jones, Nona Moles, Angela Sargent, Jerilyn Russell, B.J. Smith,

Sangra Ingram, Lou Hall, Krista and Joan Weatherall.

On Saturday, November 27, Tiffany was honored with a lingerie shower in the home of Judy Easley.

She was presented a long-stemmed red rose from the hostesses.

The guests enjoyed watching Tiffany open many nice and useful gifts and some that made her blush. The bride's chosen colors of purple and fuschia were carried out in decorations. A large, double-heart chocolate chip cookie decorated with love doves and the couples' names on it was placed on the refreshment table.

The guests were served chips, dip, fruit and vegetables, homemade cookies and candy and punch.

Hostesses for the shower were Tommie Williams, Regina Easley and Donna Stockton.



INDIAN AT LUNCH-Kindergarten students at Bogata Elementary School proudly display their Indian costumes as they eat lunch on the day before Thanksgiving. (Photo by Judy Screws)

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Thanksgiving. (Photo by Judy Screws)

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PILGRIMS HAVE LUNCH-Kindergarten, First and Second grade students at Bogata Elementary wear costumes portraying Pilgrims on Thanksgiving Eve. (Photo by Judy Screws)

Arvin Starret And Friends To Present Concert

Arvin Starrett and Friends, of Paris, will present a special Christmas program on December 11, at The Old Church Theatre in Clarksville. Mr. Starrett will be accompanied by singers Mark and Dianna Welch, also of Paris.

Starrett, an accomplished musician, is organist for the First Methodist Church, in Paris. He had traveled throughout the United States and

abroad, giving concerts and lectures on keyboard theory and presentation. At a performance earlier this year at the Old Church Theatre, Mr. Starrett played to a captivated group. This special Christmas Concert is guaranteed to delight listeners of all ages.

Lu Mitchell, singer, songwriter, and satirist is booked for the January 15, 1994 program.

Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brady Johnson, of Asheville, North Carolina, are the proud parents of Brady Lynn, born on November 11 at 2:25 P.M.. She weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs, and was 17 3/4 inches long. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Johnson, of Dallas, Mrs. Carolyn Perkins, of Plano, and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Perkins, Atlanta, Georgia. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wofford, of Eureka Springs, Arkansas, and Irene Johnson, Dallas, and the late Cecil O. Johnson, formerly of Talco. Nadine Caldwell is great great Aunt "Sissie".

Jordan Daniel Smith was born November 23, weighing 8 lbs. 13 oz. Parents are Shaunda Jones and John Smith of Talco. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones of Talco and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Richeson and Imogene Lewis of Talco.

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Mills To Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary with renewal of their vows at the First Baptist Church in Talco on Saturday, December 4 at 2:00 p.m.

A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall of the church. All friends and relatives are invited to celebrate with them. The couple requests no gifts.

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Sonja Gayle Stephenson
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I did not know the pain you had,
Or hear your final sigh,
I only know you went away
Without a last good-bye.

I know God had to take you,
But you did not go alone;
For part of me went with you
The day He took you home.

To some you are forgotten,
To others just the past
But to me who loved you and lost you,
Your memory will always last.

God gave me the strength to face it,
And the courage to bear the blow,
But what it means to live without you,
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Christine Baker, of Bogata, Carol Baker, of Mt. Pleasant, and Billie Welch, of Blossom, visited their mother, Ruby Corbell, at the Regency Nursing Center, in Clarksville, on Tuesday.

Christine Baker enjoyed Thanksgiving Dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eudy and John David Hudgeons. Also visiting were Sheila Hudgeons and John Howison, of Dallas, and

Susie Campbell and Teri Speir.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Corbell and Whitney, of Mt. Pleasant, visited Christine Baker Saturday.

Thanksgiving guests of Billie and Jay Hancock were: Duane, Sandra, Jayson, and Kim Benson, and Brandon Kuhlengel, of Clarksville, Randy Hancock and Bobra Montgomery, of Garland, Donnie, Shirley, and Dorie Smith, Muri Jean and Johnny Hawks, Raymon Mauldin, and Ike Roach, of Bogata.

Helen Williams spent Thanksgiving Day in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones at Commerce, other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones and Naci of Raleigh, N.C., Lisa Jones, of Austin, Tim Jones and sons Kyle and Robert, of Commerce.

Week end visitors in the home of Mrs. Sam Holder were Dr. Bob Holder, of Baytown, and Dr. and Mrs. Sammy Holder, of Lindale.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clar-

ence Cheatham were their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Brasier and girls, T.J., Casey, and Morgan, of Katy.

Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Jerry and Betty Dodd were Neva Whitten and Linda Farris, of Jolntown, Gary and Anna Moore, Ronald, Janie, and Tamara, Moore, and Douglas, and Marilyn Moore, all of Cuthand, Bill and Angela DeBerry, Gail Vickers, and Sharon Dickson, of Bogata, Bob and Nelda Belzung, of Mesquite, and Ronny, Freida, and Jade Welch, of Bonham.

Lore Roach, Brian, Robin, Jesse, and Kyla Harville spent Wednesday to Sunday at Martha Jo and Ed Pirtle's lake house, at Crockett. Others visiting were Kyle and Cindy Pirtle, and Todd Pirtle, from Houston. On Friday, Brian, Ed, and Todd went to Lampassas for deer hunting, but had no luck. Kyle and Cindy started up in Oklahoma Friday, but had to turn around and come back because of the ice.

Visiting with Bill and Geraldine Ogg during Thanksgiving were Geri Cannon and Jerred Smith, from Dallas, and Stefan, Bryan, and Craig Cannon, from Cuthand.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, from Oklahoma City spent Wednesday through Friday with his mother, Mrs. Georgia Miller. Linda Sikes, and sons, from Paris, visited with Mrs. Miller, on Thursday. Friday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miller, grandson David, and Great grandchildren, Brian and Tina, from Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Miller received phone calls from her daughters, Velma Paris, of Houma, La., and Shirley Collins, of Lake Fork. On Sunday Mrs. Miller's visitors were her brother Mr. and Mrs. Odell Scruggs, of Powderly

and Dora Flennikin, of Bogata.

Dr. Brooks and Carolyn and Joe Travis and Kim Kelsey were in the Dallas area with relatives for Thanksgiving. Visiting in Bogata during the holiday week with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hale, Dr. and Mrs. Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey were Kenny, Becky, and Jonathan Paysee, of Temple, and Ronnie, Staci, Travis Dalton, Grant, and Caroline Chappell.

Thanksgiving breakfast guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana were Mr. and Mrs. Muri Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Screws, Bren, Kara, and Hali, from Deport. For lunch on Thursday, Donald, Judy and Tana visited in Paris with Chris Anna Screws, Jerry, Christopher, Yolanda, and Jerred. Thursday night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woods, in Talco, were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Screws, and girls, Mrs. Mildred Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Screws, Mr. and Mrs. David Mauldin and girls, and the Woods' sons, Michael Alford, Bradley Woods, and Jessie Woods, and Stephanie.

Loyce and Ed Huddleston had Thanksgiving dinner at Ronald Mankins' home in Lewisville. Also dining at the Mankins home were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hudson and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McKenzie and

family and the Ronnie Huddleston family.

Mrs. Dora Thompson spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Glover on Lake Palestine at Emerald Bay. Also visiting in the Glover home were their son Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glover and Suzanne.

Recent visitors of Doris Strain were her sister Noreen Rowe, of Las Bamos, California, her brother and sister Bruce Springer and Mildred Dixon, of Davis, Oklahoma, and her daughter and great grandson, Karen Whitaker and Kyle Sparrow, of Arlington.

Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor and Misty were Larry, Gail, Lance, Lindsey, and Logan Taylor, of Red Oak.

Mrs. Cordell Alexander, from Talco, had lunch with her sister, Mrs. Georgia Miller, on Tuesday.

Enjoying Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woods were son Michael Alford of Fayetteville, AR, son Jesse Woods of Commerce, Jesse's friend, Stephanie Kennemer of Cooper, Donald and Judy Screws, Gerry and Nelda Screws, all of Bogata; Mike and Lila Screws, Bren, Kara and Hali of Deport, David and Sandra Mauldin, Alison and Lauren of Bogata and Mrs. Bob Mauldin of Bogata.

Linda Woods name was listed in the Robert E. Mauldin obituary last week instead of Linda Alford.

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