

By Nanalee Nichols The Bug", "Stomach Flu", or
mostcommonly "The Virus" most commonly The virus No,
let's rephrase that, let's spell the
virus with all caps 'THE VIRUS" Anything this bad has to be spelled big! I never, ever, never ever have
the virus. But, somewhere, some the virus. But, somewhere, some-
how Saturday right the vicious, nasty little bugs caught up with me and laid me low. Those of you who have been afflicted with this
malady know exactly what malady know exactly what I'm
talking about. And if you haven't talking about. And if you haven't
ever had the virus...well, I don't think I like you much! I went through the usual dis gusting and debilitating problems,
hoping for a twenty-four hour af fliction. No such luck I was in fiction. No such luck.... $\begin{aligned} & \text { was } \\ & \text { for the seventy-two hour } \\ & \text { Fever hurts me worse than ab- }\end{aligned}$. solutely anything, and I spen Monday hudded on the bed ach ing, moaning, whill I simply knew I would pering.Suil, simply new would
be able to go on Tuesday. As everyone knows, Tuesdays and
Wednesdays areourdeadline days Wednesdays areour deadline days
and getting out all five publications takes all hands on deck. Unfortunately, Tuesday dawned with I spent another day curled up in the beu moaning, whining, but a least able to swallow Jello and graham crackers. I also felt sorry
for myself because everyone was way to busy to sympathize with me. About five o'clock Tuesday af ternoon I came to myself. The aches abated, the stomach felt
empty but okay and I staggered in to take a bath.
After taking my bath and get ting all comfortable with yet an other bow of Jello it hit me that have discovered (not that it hasn't
been noted before, I'm sure) the been noted before, I'm sure) the
benchmark for recovery. BATHS.
Think about when you have had this affliction. From feeling
like it would take like it would take an improve--
ment before you could die you go to feeling dirty and desperately in need of a bath. It is at that junction when survival becomes
certain, and you actually CARE certain, and you actually CARE
whether you survive or not. whether you survic glad to reach the bath
I was gid I was glad to reach the bath
stage, and Im more glad to have
reached the "could be whipped by a kitten but and happy to be up some" stage. My co-workers
are happy I've reached that stage are happy I've reached that stage
too. I hear they were going to too. I hear they were going to
write a column about "why we hate people who get the virus on Tuesdays" and it wouldn't have made a pleasant read

Bereaved Parents group to meet St. Joseph Hospital, will be guest speaker at the March 11, 7 p.m. meet-
ing of the Bereaved Parents Support ing of the Bereaved Parents Suppon
Group of Paris. The meeting will be held in the Paris Public Library. She will speak on directives to physicians regarding the application of life-sustaining procedures and she
will provide information concerning will provide information concerning
the Durable Power of Attorney for Healthcare.


CHARLIE HINES was presented with a plaque and a citation from Bogata Mayor Mildred Eudy. Mr. Hines was cited for bravery and courage for his rescue of Shelby Durmis. (Staff Photo)

## Proclamation.

WHEREAS Charlie Hines of Bogata, Texas, being a deoted and caring citizen, husband, and father: AND WHEREAS Charlie Hines did put his own life and fety in danger on February 23, 1996
AND WHEREAS Charlie Hines did exhibit bravery and courage above and beyond in aiding in the rescue of Shelby Durmis
BE IT HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGED and recorded that I, the Honorable Mildred Eudy, acting in official capacity as Mayor of the City of Bogata, Texas, do hereby present this official proclamation of appreciation and honor to Charlie Hines.
Signed and officially sealed this 28th day of February, 1996.

Judge removed from case
On February 29, 1996, District
cases. Mr. Hall was indicted by a Red
Judge John F. Miller, Jr., on his own
River County Grand Jury on two motion, removed himself for hearing $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { River County Grand Jury on two } \\ & \text { charges of indecency with a child and }\end{aligned}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { the three felony indictments pending } & \text { a third indictment which contained } \\ \text { against Clayton L. Hall. } & 10 \text { counts of possession of child por }\end{array}$ gainst Clayton L. Hall. 0 counts of possession of child por appoint a judge to hear the three nography.

Pot Luck Supper is March 16
A pot luck supper will be spon- Anyone w
sored by the Bogata Baseball and
ered dish.
oftball Association on Saturday, This is a fundriter March 16, starting at 5:00 pmay, There is no set charge for the meal,

Warning signals to be tested $\begin{aligned} \text { The Bogata Volunteer Fire De- } & \text { mitting. The signal will be one long } \\ \text { partment and Rescue Unit will be } & \text { siren and two short sirens. }\end{aligned}$ lesting the Tornado Signals in town Please be advised, these are only

Trustees approve calendar, teacher contracts \& improvement plans
The Board of Trustees of the Talco-
Bogata CISD held their March meetingon the Talco Elementary and Junior High Campus. The Board was given a tour of the campus prior to the meeting at $7: 30$ p.m. The consensus minutes of the previous meeting, financial reports, cafeteria report, tax office report and the monthly bills. The proposed calendar for the and approved by the Board The and approved by the Board. The
school year will begin for studentson August 14 and end on May 29, 1997. Holidays on the calendar will include Labor Day, September 2; Thanksgiving, November 27-28-29; ChristDay, January 20; President's Day, February 17: Spring Break, March 10-14; Easter, March 28-31; Bad Weather Days, Aprit 11 and May 9. May 30, 1997 Friday, May 30, 1997
nd Campus Impproved the District well as the District Integrated Pest Management Plan.
The Board approved the election
judges: Talco, Rhonda Brown;
Bogata, Frances Thomas; and clerks: Bogata, Frances Thomas; and clerks
Talco, Cecelia Smith, Joan Weatherall; Bogata, Gail Hervey, Bessy Roberts. Virginia Spencer is
the absentee voting judge She is as the absentee voting judge. She is as-
sisted by clerks, Kay Ross and Janice Fristed by clerks, Kay Ross and Janic
Fing Due to missing school on Friday,
February 2, 1996, the 1995-96 school calendar had to be amended to ac count for the State Required 180 day school year. The Bad Weather Day
scheduled for April 26,1996 has been changed to a regular school day Pleasechange yourcalendars at home The Trustees went into Executive Session to evaluate teachers, counse
lor and coaches. Upon returning to lor and coaches. Upon returning to
open session, the Board voted to employ the following: Keith Brown Larann Denison, Gerry Foos, Bonnye Gage, Brenda Gunter, Pamela Hays Terry Hill, Craig Ingram, Vincent Lum, Joan Mabry, Jimmy Rogers,
Barbara Russell, Don Stockton Kenny Swinford, Bobbie Williams, Wake Wood, A.R. Worthen, Kay Kennedy, Margaret Fowler, Marilyn

Burleaud, Don Easterling, Ginger
Foster, Brenda Jackson, Jamie Huddleston, Debbie Hudson, Ginger Jordan, Kelly Kennedy, Neva Oats, Steven Weddle, Kristi Purviance, Mona Pitts, David Rains, Gayle
Reeder, Dianne Ross, Maxine Scott, Karla Smith, Stacy Spencer, Jean Stockton, Sandra Stockton, Jane Strawn, Kathy Brown, Stephanie Wright, Patsy Moles, Beth Wood, Jan Grissom, Kristi Clemmons, Lisa Via, Staci Hinton, Dianne Orrill,
Henrietta Bass, Tammy Case, Sherry Genrietta Bass, Tammy Clase, Sherry and Pamela Martin.
The Board then voted to continue paying teachers, counselor and librarian the local supplement of
$\$ 1400.00$ above the state salary $\$$ schedule. Staffing needs for the coming year were reviewed and pay for supplemental duty was discussed with no action being taken other than tabling the topic for further review.
The resignation of Casey Busby was presented and accepted by the Board. The Board adjourned at $11: 10$ p.m.

## Student Council sponsors chili cook off

## Council sponsored a chili cook off Place went to Mrs. Jordan's fifth and Charlie Hines.

 Friday for all classes. Each classeschade, Second Place-Mrs. Hudson's Following the cookoff, the Bogata chili and themes were judged and the
winner were: Junior High Division- grade and Third Place-to the

Fecond grade. The Best Theme took on the Bogata Eighth | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { winner were;-Junior High Division- } \\ \text { First Place-seventh A with their Twin }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { second grade. The Best Theme Pre- } \\ \text { sentation went to Mrs. Reeder's third }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { FirstPlace-seventh A withtheir Twin } & \text { sentation went to Mrs. Reeder's third } \\ \text { Sisters Chili, Second Place-seventh } & \text { grade class. } \\ \text { B with their Alamo Special, Third } & \text { Judging the Junior High Division }\end{array}$ Place-sixth A with their Texas Tongue Judging the Junior High Division Scorchin' Chili. Best theme Presen- Bush and Superintendent, Freddi

tation went to the sixth A class also
Wade. Judging the Elementary Divi game. Experience prevailed over youth and the Faculty were able to gain the win. Referees for the contest
were Charlie Hines and Kenneth Palmer, who would not admit to fudg-


CAR WASH-The Bogata Methodist Church youth group washed cars at the Country Store on Saturday. The group was working to
earn funds for their ski trip to be made during spring break. (Staff earn funds for their ski
Photo byJudy Screws)


Bull riding,
barrel race
to benefit Smith
A benefit bull riding and barrel race will be held this Sunday, March
10 at the Bogata Rodeo Arena to raise funds to help defray medical costs for Jim Smith of Bogata
The event will begin around 1.00 p.m., with entries for the events being taken at 12:00 noon. Entry fees for the events are $\$ 35.00$ each.
Wade White and his Plain Label Band will be entertaining for the
afternoon's activities. Also on hand will be Donnie Smith of Mt. Pleasant, CRRA Bullfighter of the Year and the CRRA Champion Bull Rider,
Mark Smith of Bogata. In addition to the events, cakes and pies will be auctioned off, and concessions will be available.
supplied by several different cong tractors.
Everyone is encouraged to come out for an afternoon of fun and fellowship.

## People <br> 'n Things

Thursday, March 7, 1996 Bogata Lions Club will meet at Monday, March 11 The Ladies Fellowship will meet at 8 a.m. at Red River Healthcare Center in the Chapel. All ladies in the are are invited to attend.
Tuesday, March 12 The Rosalie Community Center Organization will meet at 7 p.m. Alcoholics Annonymous meets every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 8 pm in the St. Joseph's
Catholic Church Rec. Room in Clarksville. Everyone is welcome. The Red River County Tax Office in Clarksville will be closed for train-
ing purposes March 11-12-13. The office will reopen on Thursday March 14 at 8:30 A.M.

Sunday, March 17 Bro. Park Robertson and family of
Ft. Worth will be at First Baptist Ft. Worth will be at First Baptist
Church in Bogata to preach in view Church in togata to preach in view
of a call to be pastor on Sunday, March 17. He will preach at both Sunday services. A covered dish
lunch will be served at noon with lunch will be served at noon with
time allowed to get acquainted and time allowed to get acquainted and
visit. The evening service will follow at approximately $2: 30$ p.m. Voting will be conducted following the evening service. All members are
urged to be present and vote your urged to be present and vote your
conviction. PTO will meet Monday, March 18 at 7:00 p.m. at RHS in Mrs. Gage's room.
Fulbright Community Stew Supper on March 9 beginning at $5: 00$.
This event is to raise funds for the improvement of the community cen

## Bogata Lions Club

needs freezers
Bogata Lions Club needs 2 non working chest will pick up. Pers donated to $632-4844$ or $632-5447$.


COOK OF THE WEEK is Becky Blackburn of Blossom. Becky and her husband Mike reside in the Sylvan community and she is a 2nd grade teacher at Blossom. Becky states that her cooking hat
slowed down some since she and Mike have been on the campaign trail with Mike running for County Commissioner of precinct 1. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

John H. Weatherall Dies February 28 John Howard Weatherall, age 86
of Talco, died Wednesday, February 28 at his residence.
Services were held at $10: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Friday, March 1 at Talco Calvary Baptist Church with interment in
Talco Cemetery under the direction Talco Cemetery under the direction
of Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robison of Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robison
Funeral Home.-The Rev. Gienn Funeral Home. The Rev. Glenn
Connell and the Rev. Ted White offi-
 II, 1909 in Vernon, TX a son of John ${ }_{\text {W }}^{\text {Weatherall }}$ Carolyn Thomason Weatherall. He was a member of the
Talco Calvary Baptist Church and Talco Calvary Baptist Church and
was retired from Humble Oil and Retinery. Erma Maywald Weatherall of T Talco
sons JohnO sons John Orrin Weatherali and Roge
Wayne Weatherall, both of Talco Wayne Weatherall, both of Talco,
brothers, Lesley Weatheral of Mid
land and Theodore Weatherall, of brand and Theodore Weatherall, of
laort Arthur; six yrandchildren; an Port Arthur; six grandchil
two great-grandchildren.


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who joined us at the grave site who joinsed us at the grave site as a
last tribute to Norman, your concern last tribute to Norman. your concern
for us made our burden a little lighter. Mabel Pearson \& Family


Betty Rodgers, Fay LaRue, Jodi Newberry and Marlaine Bolin had
coffee togehter and visited Monday. offee togehter and visited Monday.
Dick King of Paris spent Saturday morning with his mother Jimmy King.
Remember the stew supper at the Remember the stew supper at the
community center Saturday evening community center Saturday evening
beginning at $5: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. beginning at 5:00 p.m.
T.J. and Becky Weise and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Arriaga Sunday and brought a birthday cake
to helpGiilbert celebrate his birthday. to help Gilbert celebrate his birthday.
Melissa and Gilbert attended the play Melissa and Gilbert attended the play
at the community theatre in Paris on Saturday night.


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## Obituaries

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Dora Rebecca Nelms
Dies March 1
Dora Rebecca Nelms, 84 of De-
roit died Friday March 1 in
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Brigh-Aㅇiland Funeral Home conSunday, March3 3 in Manchestercem-
etery with the Rev Bill Draper officiating. 1911 in the Dew Farm community, a daughter of Will and Sara Davis Henry. She married Frankiin Nelms,

ber of the First Baptist Church of Detroit.
She
son, Fra son, Franklin Nelms, Jr. and one
grands grandsun, Billy Gilenn Watson. Sourvivors include one daugher,
Potie Watson ot Detroit: three sons, Pete Nelms of Detroit, Een Nellms o
Big Lake and Joseph Big Lake and Joseph Edward Nelms
of Monahans; one brother, Elmer Buck Henry of Midland; one sister,
Nora Henry of Midland; one sisterNora henry or May of Monahans; 16
grandchild Mren; numerous greatgrandchildren and great-great-grand
Jerry Gillie

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& \text { Dies February } 27 \\
& \text { Jerry Gillie, age 60, died at his } \\
& \text { home iis the Sylvan community on }
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& \text { home in the yylvan community on } \\
& \text { Tuesday, February } 2 \text { 2, }
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He was born Octuber 6, 1935 in
Paris. the son of Mr. and Mrs. L.I.
Gillie.
He is survived by Cherry, his wife
of 39 years; one daughter, Lanieca
of 39 years; one daughter, Lanieca
Gillie of Paris; three sons and two
daughers-in-law, Lowell and
Michelle Gillie, Kevin and Tammi
 Norma Gilie and Martha Hutchisnn
of Paris, Mary Self of Albuquerque NM and Lewis Gillie of Texarkana,
He was co-owner of Gillie's Ter-
mite Control and a member of the
Blossom Bile convor and a member of the
Blosom United Methoidst Curch.
He was a Master Mason of Blossom Le was a Master Mason of Blosson
Lotge on. .303 and a member of the
Bios Kiwanis Club.
The Rev, J. Paul Bruhn, minister Orblosson U, गerrry Putnam, minister
and the Reviry United Methodist Church
of in Denton, conducted celebration of death rite services at 7 p.m. Friday,
March. 1 at Bright-Holland Funeral Home. The family received friends immediately following the ceremony.
After cremation, private interment
followed on the family's property in
Sylvan.
Mr. Gillie requested memorials be made to Voluntary Services, VAMC
Boonham, 1201 E. 9th St., Bonham. Donald Davis Mitchell Dies March 5
Donald Davis (David) Michell.,
age 51 of Deport, died Tuesday March
5 in St. Joseph Hospital, Paris.
day, March 7 at $2: 00$ p.m. in Wood
Funeral Homes Chapec with he Rev Larry Bridges officiactiting. Burial will be in Highland cemetery. The family
will receive friend W W will receive friends Wednesday night
from $7-8 \mathrm{pm.m}$ at Wood Homes, Deport,
David washorn Memphis, TX the son of Wylic and Edith Nobles Mitchell. He was a con-
struction worker struction worker.
Survivors include his former wife Thelma Smith of Deport; his mother Will T. Mitchell of Odessa; sisters, Peggy Hanak of Commerce, Delilia
Warnack of Denton and Becky JackWarnack of Denton and Becky Jack-
son of Deport; brothers, Tommy Mitchell of Rye, Harry Mitchell of Bagwell, Nolan Mitchell of Deport and Jay Mitchell of Powderly He was preceded in death by his father, Wyic M Mchen in 1980 and
brother, Colin Mitchell in 1993

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Charles W. Harbison Dies February 27 Charles W.(Charlie) Harbison, age
69, of Dallas and formerly of Red River County, died Wednesday, FebServices were held Thursday, Feb-
uary 29 in Grove Hill Funeral Home Chapel in Dallas with the Rev. Walter . Evans officiating. Interment was in Grove Ahlli Memorial Park.
Mr. Harbison had retired from the Texas Highway Patrol in 1987 after 32 years as a State Trooper. Afte: retirement he served as Police Chief of Clarksville from May, 1987
through June, 1988. He was a World hrough June, 1988 . He was a World
War II veteran, serving in the Army He was a Mason, a member of Scot-
tish Rite an Hella Temple Shrine. He is survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Paul Dean and Margaret Harbison of Commerce; two step-
grandchildren; five grandchildren and onegreat-grandchild anda dear friend, oyce Kelley of Garland.
Sandlin
 OWNED TRUCKS





Toppings to celebrate fifty-seven years Johnny and Willie Mae Skidmorv four daughters, Wanda Lou Phipps, Topping will celebrate their fifty- Johnil Mae Watts, Linda Frances seventh wedding anniversary at their
Williams and Carolyn Kay Selmon.
home in Bogata March 16. There will
They have ten grandchildren and five home in Bogata March 16. There will be no formal celebration, just best $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Wishes from family and friends. } & \text { Friends and family are invited to } \\ \text { The couple were married on March } & \text { stop by and visit with the couple on }\end{array}$ 16,1939 at Manchester. They have this special occasion.

Community Concerts presents Brenda Boozer

has performed with the orchestras of
Philadelphia, Los Angeles, St. Louis, continues onFriday March 7 at 7:30 Philadelphia, Los Angeles, St Louis, p.m. in Paris Hight School with the Seattle and the National Symphony,
presentation of Brenda Boozer, one among others. She has appeared ofpresentation of Brenda Boozer, one
of the most well rounded and versa-
ten on the Tonight Show, hene David stage.
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## Cunningham News <br> By Jane O'Neal 652-6062

A large crowd attended the wedding of Jerrod Bankhead and Susan McDace Saturday at Abundant Life Buddy and Melba Holbert spen the weekend with Clyde Elmer, Gerrie and Chance Bankhead. They came to attend the wedding. Johnie and Nelta Musgrove had
Sunday lunch forStacy, Linda,Stoney and Charity Musgrove and Zarinska Morton. Mendy, Todd, Laci and Kelby Cole
had Sunday lunch with Pat and James had Sunday lunch with Pat and James Heath, Missy and Laytner Kennedy of Paris had Sunday lunch with Bobby Ray and Shelby Kennedy. Regina Newman and her children, Brianna and Malcoim Moore of Dallas spent the weekend with Sue and
Lorette Pynes. They were joined on Saturday by Blake Newman of Blossom.
Marie Watson had Sunday lunch for Brenda Watson, Brad, Bradley
and Brett Watson, Jarvis Watson and Rene Hendrix of Texarkana. Dora Hester in Paris. Georgia Oats visit on Sunday afternoon. Courtney Currin of Pown ited John and Cla Powderly vis

Tonya and Travis Hunter are the proud parents of a 9 lb .2 oz . baby, Jeremy Kade. His grandmother is DebbieCurrin of Powderly and great
grandparents are John and Claudia Whitney. Carl B Guthrie of Talco had lunch and visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain on Monday. On Thursday, Virginia Bellof Paris visited and had lunch with Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. George Green and Frances Thomas of Johntown visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain on Thurs-


Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins enjoyed eating at Vaughan's Catfish in Tyler on Friday night. Heather and Haley Hawkins spent
the night with James and Pauline Gibbs on Saturday night. Cindy, Sean and Steven Robertson were in Johntown Saturday and Sunday to visit with Tommie Lee, Joyce
and Glenda Cox. Cindy and Seal and Glenda Cox. Cindy and Sea
attended church with Joyce on Sunday.
Tommy Lee and Joyce Cox visited with Victor, Patsy and Dustin Cox or

Monday Ida Bell and Buster Elliott of Marlow, Oklahoma called to wish Joyce Cox a "Happy Birthday". She
also received a bouquet of flowers from Cindy, Sean and Steven Robertson. She received many cards as well.
Eugene Eugene andPatc
a Happy Birthday Happy Birthday.
Freda, Donald and Sarah Jean eled to Buffalo Friday and Saturday. Mitcheil Jean spent the night with Myra and Bro. Calvin Permenter
Mit. Pleasant on Friday night.

RR Genealogical Society to meet $\begin{aligned} & \text { Everyone is invited to attend the } \text { on Native American Genealogy and } \\ & \text { regular meeting of the Red River } \\ & \text { the History of the Choctaw Nation }\end{aligned}$ County Genealogical Society, Mon- Mannerisms and customs of th day evening, March 11 at $7: 30$ in Choctaws wil be covered as well.
All persons interested The Red River County Library,
The speakers for this month will $\begin{gathered}\text { All persons interested } \\ \text { reseraching their family history ar }\end{gathered}$ The speakers for this month will reseraching their family history are Talco who will present a program program.


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LASTCHANCE-The Rivercrest Rebels got their last chance at continuing toward state in Tyler Friday March 1 vs East Cham-
bers. Here, Rebel Eric Waller goes to the goal for a possible two, bers. Here, Rebel Eric Waller goes to the goal for a possible two.
Eric is a Senior at Rivercrest and will be missed next season. The Rebels were defeated by three points and East Chambers went on week.(staff photo Nancy Brown)

18AA All District picks made boys and girls All-District players selections from Rivercrest High School are:
Jeff Sav Jeff Savage, MVP, unanimous
choice, second year in a row; Alvin Savage, Defensive Playerof the Year, unanimous choice District Warstler was named to the All District first team while Erric Martin team. Broderick Fulbright was named


CALMING THEM DOWN-Rebel Coach, Wake Wood calms his team in a time out as the Rebels played East Chambers in the Regional playoff Friday March
took a narrow three point loss. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown

Rebel JV finishes season wel The Rivercrest Rebel JV basket-
ball team coached by Steve Weddle finished their season with a 6-1 Dis- forward to another good basketbal trict record. The team had a 13-9 season next year. overall record and were 12-2 agains
2A schools. The team consisted of Cortney Huddleston, Jody Gray, Jody Nolen, Michael Allen, Brian Giles,
Ryan Giles, Tim Peoples, Jason Freelan and Bryan Scott.
Cortney Huddlestonheldthe record Cortney Huddleston held the recor for the team in scores. H
15.6 points per game. 15.6 points per game.
"This team was great to work with. This team was great to work with.
They listened to me very well and worked very hard. I Ialso would like to thank Coach Wake Wood for his help in makingour season a success", said Coach Weddle.


The most silent people are generally those who think most highly of themselves. In overtime both teams battled to -William Hazlitt $\begin{aligned} & \text { score, however the Rebels hot streak } \\ & \text { had come to an end and they again }\end{aligned} \begin{aligned} & \text { Wood and } \\ & \text { son!!! }\end{aligned}$


## Congratulations Rebels



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John and Larann Denison
Eddie, Nancy, Kim \& Jack Brown
Sammy Joe, Velma, Myron \& McKenzie Ellis

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Lady Rebels lose season opener The Lady Rebels softiball team. play for the third out. Score 2-1 Lady
played host to the Cooper Lady Bull.
Bulldogs. In the bottom of the second played host to the Cooper Lady Bulldogs Monday at Johtown at $4: 30$ p.m.
In the first inning the Lady Bult dogs were able to score two runs. Th Lady Rebels answered one run on steal of home plate by pitcher, Jaime Swarts.
Second inning play saw Swart Second inning play saw Swarts
strike out two Lady Bulldogs and first baseman Katie Hare make the

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$\qquad$ The Lady Rebels had one more ba the bottom of the fifth, Brandi $G$ addis and Norma Jasso led off both getting
on base with a walk. Both girls scored


## VOTE FOR RICKY DANIELS

## Red River County COMMISSIONER - PRECINCT \#1

To the citizens of Red River County Precinct \#1, I have worked very hard and diligently to personally contact each one of you, if I missed you, please accept my apology. I d need your vote and support on March 12th. Ieel am very qualified and have the experience to be your Commissioner. I have worked for the County for 11 years and know that I CAN and WILL do the very best job I can for the citizens. Precinct \#1 has been budgeted for 1996, $\$ 203,000$, of this $\$ 118,000$ goes for salaries, retirement, unemployment, sociar security and uties. Thas leaves $\$ 85,000$ for materia fuel, tires and other expenses. If you divide that by 226 miles of road in Precinct \# that comes to $\$ 375.00$ per mile of road.
It cost about $\$ 3,000$ just for the rock for 1 mile of road. I know how to distribute the money and the materiais for each of the roads in a way that it will do the most good. how important it is for the rancher to be able to get down the road to feed his cows and for the farmer to have a good road in order to plant and harvest his crops. I will do my best to take care of these needs.
The County has a total budget of $\$ 3,266,423.00$, we have 30 different departments with a total of 91 employees. It is the Commissioners responsibility to set the budget for each department, he has to be able to keep the total of all budgets below the total budget in order to maintain a balanced budget.
By looking at the cuts that were made we need more revenue coming in. There are 3 ways to do this:

1. Raise taxes, but no one wants to pay more taxes, certainly not me 2. Collect delinquent taxes, we have $\$ 307,000$ in delinquent taxes, this amount is from 1975 until the present 1996. I want to work with the Tax Collector in trying to collect these taxes.
2. Raise the tax base, you do this by bringing more industry to the county. In doing this, it keeps the working class here to spend their money in our county so that our local business economy benefits.
I also want to develop a good working relationship with the people. I would like to set up certain office hours every day so that you will know when I will be there to WITH YOU, I will always try to come up with a solution for your problem

## A Vote for RICKY DANIELS

 will be a Vote for Red River County. I will appreciate your Support on MARCH 12th. THANK YOU.Pol. Adv. Paid By Ricky Daniels, Rt. 1, Box 214-D, Bogata, Tx. 75417


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## The Texarkana Gazette And Me

## By Jack Dodd

## The Year was 1939. I built a fi

 under the 1932 Dodge to thaw out the motor that I forgot to drain. Therewere 4 freezer plugs out, were 4 freezer plugs out, 2 on each
side. After the motor thawed I wrapped rags arcund corn cobs to stop up the holes untill C could drive to Bogata a ad get the freeze plugs glued back in. It was a cold winter, espe-
cially with no electricity or butane to help the fireplace. Ir remember Mother would back up to the fireplace and aise her dress up to get warm and Daddy would always say, "Birt, put down your dress,
the kids are present." It was my job to get up at 4 a.m. each morning since I was the oldest at 13. Build a fire in
the cook stove and then one in the the cook stove and then one in the
fireplace and we would go milk. At this time we milked from 12 to 16 good Jersey cows. I remember how
warm it was to put your hands in the warm to was to put your hands in the
milk to warm them up. One old cow, Blackie, was a mean old Jersey. You couldn't drive her through a 40 foot
gate but she could put her foot in a gate but she could put her foot in a
three gallon milk bucket twice a day.
It was while all this was happening three gallon milk bucker twice a day.
It was while all this was happening
out at Rosalie that here was a knockout at Rosalie that there was a knock-
ing on our front door one morning about 2 a.m. Dad and I got to the doo
about the same time. There stood a about the same time. There stood a
very cold young man. He said he was very cold young man. He said he was
delivering papers from Texarkana to delivering papers from Texarkana to
Paris and his car had thrown a fan blade and knocked a hole in the radiator. He wanted to call his boss in
Texarkana to send someone to conTexarkana to send someone to con-
tinue the Texarkana Gazette to Paris. He came in, used the phone on the
wall after Daddy woke Myrt tup. The young man got his message to the boss and Dad said for him to crawl in
bed and sleep until morning since it bed and sleep und morning since it
would take some time to come from Texarkana. On No! "I gotta stay by thempapers. Daday gave hima qui
and told him to leave it over the mail
box when he left. With box when he left. With that the young

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man returned to
the leaky radiato
Fromy radiator. ftern 2 nni. 4 is not a long time After building fires, milking and dressing to catch the 7 a.m. bus to Bogata School Itnok the cows across
the highway to the pasture. There say this young man, half frozen and still no help from Texarkana. I went back to the house and Mother fixed a tray of 6 biscuits, ham, 4 eggs, coffee, honey with lots of butter and I took
this to the young man. I never saw anyone eat like that before or since. I took the tray back up to the house and went back to catch the bus. The car
and young man and whole back seat and young man and a whole back seat
of Texarkana Gazettes were gone. of Texarkana Gazettes were gone.
The next morning when I took the cows to the pasture, there by the side of the road was a Texarkana Gazette, also the next day and the next and so
on. on. Texarkana Gazette my dad told me to
go down the next morning and stop go down the next morning and stop
the young man and tell himit was not necessary to throw a paper since he
had to be paying for it had to be paying for it. While I am sure he wasn't, bu: Daddy thought
differently differenty
Have yo Have you ever tried to stop a black
car at 2 a.m. going 60 miles per hour or so? It's there, the paper thrown and gone before you can get up off the cold ground. I tried this twice before Dad gave up. Anyway Daddy was a
Dallas Morning News man. always had been and always was. Even when we moved to Texarkana in 1943 he
still read the Dallas Moning still read the Dallas Morning News. We did leave the farm and move io
Clarksville in 1942 and still we had Clarksville in 1942 and still we had
not missed a day of the Texarkana Gazette in all this time. I really don't know why I remem-
ber this all so clearly ber this all so clearly after over 50 years, but I do. There must be a mean-
ing to all of this, maybe someday it


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and
Carey Gable

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RICKY DANIELS FOR RED RIVER COUNTY COMMISSIONER - PRECINCT \#1

JUNIOR HONOR ROLL-Rivercrest students making the academic honor roll for the fourth six weeks were; (not in order) Amanda Alford, Katie Connell, Michael Deming, Dru Denison, Clint Gage, Smith, Amber Spencer, Marla Williams and not picutred, Sonny Gibbs, Jeff Jackson and Teresa
Torres.(Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

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Emily Ward, Carl and Diann Brown, Emily Ward, Carl and Diann Brown,
Kathy Kauffman, Cowboy Denney Kathy Kauffman, Cowboy Denney
visited Gladys Garretson and Hazel visited Gladys Garretson and Hazel
Brown.
Elaine Alford, G. J. Smith and Elaine Alford, G. J. Smith and
Linda Smith visited Irene Smith. Gwnedolyn Brown visited Hattie
Crabtree. Crabtree.
Inez Gill and Jewell Williams visited Alice Craig. Raymon Mauldin, Louise Bean,
Katie Brown, Inez Gill, DudeLassiter, Katie Brown, Inez Gill, DudeLassiter,
Meat Masey, Lous McRae and Doris Meat Masey, Lous McRae and Dori
Skaggs visited Gladys Prater. Odella Cheatwood visited Lucy Eibert Lockhart visited Harvey
Brooks. Brooks.
Jimie K . Smith of Ft. Worth and
Phil HerrisSr Phil L. Harris Sr. visited Ned Mrogan.
Sonny and Betty visitied Bonnie Sonny and Betty visited Bonnie
Gamble.
Iynn and Brenda Carroll, Ernest and Billei Carroll, Mavis Jackson, of Kilgore and Lee Ware of Kilgore
visited Dollie Carroll. visited Dollie Carro
Arol Kerley and Hed Lynn Kerley.
Joan Phillips visited Doris Skaggs. Robbie visited Maude Legate. Vera Carddock, Ruby Leggate,
Robert and Jree Holt and little grand Robert and Jree Holt and little grand
son, Jerry f.llums and Rudolph son, Jerry A.llums and Rudolph
Patton, Waymon Elexander and Jerry Dodd visited Alma Lowry.
Lou Ada Franklin, Jancy Lindasy and Jean Lindsey visited Rossie Porterfield.
Pegy Strain. Hanah and Tammy McRae.Doris Skaggs and J. T visited Donovan Strain


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VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN at Red River Healthcare Center
in Bogata are Jimmy Guess and Oma McKinney. They were crowned in Bogata are Jimmy Guess and Oma McKinney. T
during the Valentine Banquet held February 14.

Mantoyas honared with baly shower
A shower to honor Stephen Brooks, Mrs. Randall Mayes, Mrs Zachary Montoya, infant son of Dr. John Purviance, Mrs. John Brooks,
and Mrs. Gregory Montoya of San and Mrs. Gregory Montoya of San
Antonio, was held Saturday, March2 . B. Haville, Mrs. Burl Robinson
and Mrs. Reach At $11: 00$ a.m. in the home of Mrs. at 11:00 a.m. in the home of Mrs.
Don Roach.. and Mrs. Reach. The hostesses pre-
sented Zachary with a play pep and Mrs. Reach. The hostesses pre-
sented Zachary with a play pen.
Out of town guests were Mrs. Dale A buffet luncheon was served by Loggins and Mrs. Rod Rodgers from
the hostesses. Mrs the hostesses: Mrs. Jimmy Lou Pope, Paris and Mrs. E. L. Millerfrom Talco, Mrs


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[^0]"I pledge to be a good judge.

Lloyd Gauntt was hospitalized a Enjoying a stew supper at the home
f Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nolen Destry - He is reported doing fair. Mr, and Mrs. Vernon McConnell celebrated their 55th wedding anni-
versary Feb. 20. 1996. versary Feb. 20,1996. Jer the wuekend wirange visited John and Brandi Caddis. He, Carol Brandi and Samantha and Courtney Jones attended the Rivercrest baske ball game in Tyler Friday night.
Veda Easley was hospitalized Titus County Regional this past week. She is reported doing fair
Randy Hollis, Nancy Brown and
Marta Rhoades attended the Dixie Marta Rhoades attended the Dixie
League Girls district meeting held in League Girls district meeting held
Mt . Vernon Saturday morning. Celebrating March birthdays ar Tommie Easley, Johnny Swarts, Randy Nolen, Kim Brown, Katy Cabell, Rachel Smith, Melissa
Norman, CoulterCurrey, LukeClark Norman, Coulter Currey, LukeClark, Johnny Jones, Stephanie Wright,
AmandaFranks, Sis Case, Shawnalisa Mercer and Mark Harris.
Hla Williams and Janie Wilson en-
ioyed lunch at the Lonesome Dove joyed lunch at the
Deport Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail celebrated their 57 th wedding anniversary Monday March 4. Their children surprised them with a fish fry in honor of the Pceasion. Attending were; Marilyn
Presley, Yvonne and Glen Harris and grandson Landon Harris, Lynn and J.P. and Laura Kernan and Paul of Dallas were home of the weekend. Visiting with them here were; Chris
Kernan of Dalias and John Kernan and friend of Ft. Collins, Ark. Johnny and Karen Jones enjoyed
camping Saturday through Wednesday ${ }^{2}$

Let us not be blind to our differ

erences-but let us also direct attention to our common interests and the means by which those
differences can be resolved. And if we cannot end now our differences, at least we can help make the world safe for diversity. John F. Kennedy

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tured are; (left to right) employee, Donna Houston and owner, Patti Fields.(staff photo Nancy Brown)


Happy March birthdays to Roy Roberts, Aunt Johnnie, Buddy Stringfellow, Kimberly Young, Jennifer Roberts, Kelsey Stringfellow,
Robin Webband Dixie Stringfellow. Robin Webb and Dixie Stringfellow.
Lucille O'Donnell toc' Chrystine Bacerite Oaris Tuesday to see Dry.Dru Temple.
Visitors who enjoyed a chicken spaghetti dinner and visiting with Clifton Joplin of Honolulu, Hawai
on Saturday, Feb. 24 in the home of on Saturday, Feb. 24 in the home of
Mary Joplin were, Audrey Rodgers, Mary Joplin were, Audrey Rodgers,
Elaine, Cara and Callen Morgan, Jane and Justin Strawn, Kevin Williams Chad Martin, Melanie Strawn o Bogata, Carolyn Str
Nikki Hall of Tyler
Betty Ramsey took Chrystine
BakertoseeDr. Kumire inClarksville Baker tosee Dr. Kumire in Clarksville
Saturday morning Ms Saturday morning. Ms. Baker had an
echo-cardiogram test while there. echo-cardiogram test while there.
Ruth and Dick Palmer of Housto visited her mother, Vera Grogan at Red River Healthcare Centêr on Saturday, March 2.
Richard and
Richard and Sandra Liddell of
Dallas visited Dallas visited over the weekend
her mother, Lucille O'Donnell. her mother, Lucille O'Donnell.
Bill, Carnl, Casey and James Bak of Athens visited Chrystine Baker Saturday afternoon. They also vis ited Ruby Corbell, Paul Baker and Mr . and Mres
Clarksville.
Yvonne Powell from Carrollton,
Jetie Minshew, Jim Jetie Minshew, Jim and Margie
Garrett, Zelma Mauldin and James Minshew over the weekend. Also visiting were Don and Cheryl Satler from Plano, Rickey Meredith and
Becky Crabtree from Murphersburg, Becky Crabtree from Murphersburg,
Ark.
Tommy Corbell, Betty and Buck Ramsey and Burl Gene Miller visited with Chrystine Baker Sunday afterwith
noon.



## We're Cheryl and Jessica Griffin and Darian Smith

Our Paw Paw is BILLY J. THOMPSON and he is running for COMMISSIONER of Precinct 3 in Titus County. We want you to VOTE for him because he will work hard for all the people of Titus County. He will work with all the county officials and community services and he will fix our roads.
We all think he is the best person for the job, so please VOTE for him on MARCH 12th.

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 and Keith Perry, Courtney Boyd, Crystal
Burruss, Lance Bush, Alex Davidson Kristin Simmons and Danielle Varner. All A \& B-Chance Belcher, Brittany Brown, Courtney Brown, Jason Jones.
Brent Middieton, Kim Young and Mindy Brent Middiiteon, Bim Young and Mindy
Riffle, Jeffery Abernathy, Donnie Burns, Cody Cheatwood, Justin Tucker and
Stephanie Williams. Fifth grade All A- Ashley Beers, Beckie Belcher, Molly Hare and Lacy Harper, Tim Carder,
Alison Foster, Clayton Watkins, Ashley White and Erica Williams.
All A \& B. Nathan Cr All A \& B. Nathan C.ane, Mathew
Gilmore, Megan Horn and Kryst Gilmore, Megan Horn and Krystal
Valenzuela, Michelle Bryant, Tina Carder, Alysa Mildebrand, Nikki Jones,
Wesley McCant Wesley McCall. Sixth grade Sixth grade
$\begin{gathered}\text { All A-Britany B arnett, Kayla Belcher } \\ \text { and Erin Stieve. }\end{gathered}$ and Erin Stieve.
All A \& B-Caressa Covington, charla
Hines, Kayla Sears and Dusty To Hines, Kayla Sears and Dusty Townes. All A\& B-Rebecca Stewart.
Eighth grade
All A \& B-Pearis Abernathy, Kaylan All A \& B-Pearis Abernathy, Kaylan
Bell. Mitch Cannon, Brian Cannon, Bell, Mitch Cannon, Brian
Michelle Lum and Nicole Hervey.
Academic Honor Roll Academic Honor Roll
Sevents grade: Kasey Crawford, Jen-
nifer Hays, Kara Palmerand KimShirley nifer Hays, KaraPalmer and Kim Shirley.
Eighth grade:A pril Elrod, Jill Foster

Red River County Sheriff 's Report February 25 : Reportof intoxicated
person in Detroit ara; person in Detroit area, inmate trans
ported to County Jail on offense of ported to County Jail on offense
driving while intoxicated; inmate re-
leased leased on bond; report of assault in Annona area; inmate released with
timeserved; time served; one arrested on outstand-
ing traffic warrants; suspicious ing traftic warrants; suspicious cir-
cumstances reported in Annona area Febmstances reported in Annona area.
Feb: Inmate released with
time served; time served; inmate transported to County Jail on offense of driving
while intoxicated; inmate released while intoxicated; inmate released
on bond; inmate released after on bond; inmate released after pay-
ing fines; animal complaint on FM410

## south Fe on

February 27: Abandoned vehicle
on FM1 159; report of assault; distur bance in Bogata; animal complaint in Avery; report of trespassing on
FM1159. February 28: Request for welfare
concern on Hwy. 37 north; animal complaint on Hwy 37 south; inmate released to Delta County after time a motor vehicle in Bogata; minor accident in Avery; inmate transported on revocation of probation.
February 29: Report of Hopewell community; one arrested on Titus County warrants while con-
fined in Red River County Jail; re port of located property in Avery: inmate released on bond; theft off Hwy. 37 north; one transported to Red River County Jail after being
sentenced in District Court to TDCI sentenced in District Court to TDCJ;
assisted Lamar County in warrant service; disturbance in Bogata.
March 1: Inmate transpoted County Jail; inmate releasedon bond; inmate released with time served; abandoned vehicle on FM1159; bur-
glary of habitation in Bogata; request glary of habitation in Bogata, request
for welfare concern on Hwy. 82 east; one arrested on commitment order; one arrested on capias, violation of probation.
March 2 :
March 2: Inmate released on bond;
report of criminal mischief in Bogata report of criminal mischief in Bogata;
abandoned vehicle on Hwy. 82 ; report of disturbance; suspicious vehicles in Detroit area; disturbance in
Bagwell; inmate released on bond. Bagwell; inmate released on bond.

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BEST THEME-Winners of the Best Theme at the Bogata School chili cookoff Friday was Mrs.
Reeder's Third gradeclass whose theme


ELEMENTARY WINNERS-Winning the trophy for first place in the chili cookoff held Friday at Bogata School were Mrs. Jordan's Fifth grade class. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

BOGATA HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING IS APRIL 13
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Boats, hunting, fishing: $1^{\circ}$ Chaparral ski rig, 187XLC; Roadmaster trailer, Mercruiser on SST trailer: $16^{\prime}$ Duracraft alum. boat $16^{\prime} \times 20^{\prime}$ fiberglass hercury motor $w /$ depth finder shape; 20 hp Chrysler motor, runs good; 16 ' boat, 55 hp Chrysler motor w/trolling motor,
depth finder; 2 deer stands, one metal; $20+$ rods $\&$ reels, some gold plated; large metal live well tank for truck; $\&$ misc. items; fish scrapers
Texas bass caps; Plano tackle boxes and more.
Miscellaneous: Wood ladder; bird bath; bird houses; metal lumber racks; swing set swing frame; lawnmowers; 12 " cedar boards and posts; old brick; alum. water drains; galv
tubs; hand tools; battery chargers; chains; jacks; wood windows w/panes; fiberg tubs; hand toris
sheets $\&$ more.
Real Estate: 5 -room house with 3+ acres, located across the street from auc
estate is being offered by the owner, auctioneer is acting as bid caller Also included in sale are: Vehicles \& Trailers: 1955 Ford Fairlane 4 -door running: 1957
Chevy 2 2-D split boom, twin winches, running; 40 'flat utility trailer, 3 axles; $5 \times 1616$ 'single axle trailer GMC \& Ford tire rims \& tires; bench trucs gate; metal tool box for wide bed pickup.
Currency and Jewelry: Approx. 40002.00 bills, over 50 years old; approx. $250+$ silver
dollars $1880-1927$; approxm $21 / 2 \mathrm{~K}$ tennis bracelet with 48 diamonds; dollars $1880-1927$; approxm $21 / 2 \mathrm{~K}$ tennis All anncelerwith 48 y amonds; appraisal available items or property sold "AS IS", no guarantees other than those made day of sale. Reserves must be met on a few items
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Bogata Homecoming plans made | Several members of the class of | cafeteria beginning at $5: 00$ p.m. on |
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| '54 met Saturday in Sulphur Springs | Saturday Aprin 13. Those present for |
| at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Claude | the meeting were; Gayle Haynes of |
| Earl Reynolds to discuss the Bogata | Murchison, Glenda Corbell of |
| Homecoming. | Bogata, Wanda Lou Bradley of Red |
| There will be barbecue catered by | Oak, Colleen Eudy of North Richland | Tommy's Barbecuc at Reno. Plates Hills and Mary Hudson of Blosson will sell for $\$ 5.00$ at the Bogata School

## SLATON FURNITURE

APPLIANCES, CARPET \& VINYL \& FURNITURE At Money Saving Prices

## PUBLIC NOTICE

## cITY OF BOGATA

TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM The City has scheduled a second public hearing at 5:05 p.m., on March 11, 1996, at Bogata City Hall, 128 North Main Street, to discuss the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. Topics to be discussed will include the application for sewer improvements in the southeast section of town. The proposed application is available for review at City Hall during regular business hours.
The City encourages individual citizens and citizen's groups to attend this hearing and make their views known. General information on the Texas Community Development Program will be available at this meeting. Comments on housing and at any time prior to the second public hearing.
at any the close of the second public hearing, the City Council will make a decision on the amount of funds to be requested and the nroposed projects. Individuals with disabilities who require special assistance should contact City Hall to arrange for such assistance at least 72 hours prior to the hearing. Para residentes necesitados de interpretes, favor de comunicarse con la municipalidad antes de las audiencia publica.
For further information, contact Mayor Mildred Eudy at the City Hall at 632-5315.
 Tuesday at $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. is pool nicht,
Thursday at $7: 00$ p.m. is " 42 " time and every Saturday at $1: 30$ is Bingo playing time. Get Well wishes go to Jettie
Minshew, J.D. Ballard, Gordon Tabb Minshew, J.D. Ballard, Gordon Tabb,
Melvin Pointer and Helen Barnett. The VFW and its Auxiliary meets every second and fourth Monday at 7

## 憲 Birth

 Gwendolyn Markell Moreno ar-ived Feb. 12,1996 at $6: 35$ p.m. weighing 9 lbs .6 ozs. and $201 / 2$ inches
long. Parents are Mark and Keitta long. Parents are Mark and Keitta
inoreno of Irving. Grandparents are; inoreno of Irving. Grandparents are;
Bill and Johnitta Gaines, Jerry and Judy Ward and Feliz and Sandra Moreno. Great Grandparents are
kathy Carey of Ft. Worth and Mr. and kathy Carey of Ft. Worth and Mr
Mrs. Leon Gable of Bogata.

Scout troop forms in Bogata
A Brownie Scout troop has been
formed in Bogata for girls in grades formed in Bogata for girls in grades
one, two and three. This troop will
meet on Saturdays from $1: 30$ until $2: 30$ at the BogataElementary Schoo cafeteria.
Scouts ha Scouts have lots of fun.; they go
camping, hiking, play games, sing


WORK OVER-the Johntown ball field has received a face lift this year beginning with a new concessionstand, bathrooms and a new concrete walks. Also dugout and field repairs have been made Field. With all of the new items how can the Lady Rebels fail to have a good season.(Staff Photo Nancy Project HeartSaver delivering CPR training Increasing public awareness of each of the ETMC System hospitals.
heart disease and medical emergency
To register for any of the Project $\begin{array}{ll}\text { rechniques is raising demand for car- } & \text { To register for any of the Project } \\ \text { HeartSaver courses scheduled in }\end{array}$ diopulmonary resuscitation training,
and Healthcare Partnersof East Texas March, call toll-free 1-800-648-8814 and HealthcarePartners of East Texas The only cost for the course is a
Inc.'s Project HeartSaver program is
requested $\$ 5$ donation to cover the delivering those training programs to cost of class materials, and each parcommunities throughout East Texas. ticipant will receive a Project
During March, the four-hour Heart During March, the four-hour HeartSaver T-shirt, wallet card and
Project HeartSaver courses, which $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { Project HeartSaver courses, which } \\ \text { follow American Heart Association }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { certificate of completion, plus litera- } \\ \text { ture on medical emergencies and heart }\end{array}\end{array}$ guidelines, will again be available at health.

The profession of book-writing makes horse racing seem like a

| Huddleston DRAWING \$50 in Groceries Saturday5:00 P.M. <br> Bogata | CIALS GO <br> N Mon.-S | EVERY DA 7:00 a.m. 632- | Thurs-Fri-Sa 00 p.m. SUN 24 | un-Mon-Tu <br> Y 9:30 a.m <br> A Week | Ved $30 \text { p.m. }$ | Honor Manufacturing COUPONS <br> MARCH 7-13 |
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| PORK RIBS <br> Lb. <br> PORK CHO STEAK <br> Lb. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| YOGURT <br> Blue Bell 1/2 Gallon All Flavors | FLOUR <br> Gold Medal A/P 5 Lb . Bag | GROUND CHUCK <br>  \$139 | PORK ROAST <br> Lb. <br> $+6$ $\$ 129$ | VIENNAS <br> Libby's Sausage 5oz. Can $\square$ $2 / 89 \dot{q}$ | PICKLES <br> Parade Dill H/Sliced 32oz. Jar $\square$ <br> 5 <br> 99 |  |
| EGGS <br> Grade A Large- | CRACKERS <br> Nabisco Premium <br> phomiom $\$ 119$ | PEANUT <br> BUTTER <br> Parade $180 z$. <br> $\$ 139$ | PORK \& BEANS | CHIPS AHOY COOKIES | CORN <br>  | ICE CREAM <br> Oak Farms 1/2 Gal. $\qquad$ All Flavors $\square$ <br> $1(1-x)$ <br> 2/\$5 |
| POTATO CHIPS |  | Philidelphia CREAM CHEESE <br> 8oz. Box - PLAIN 99 | Shedds Spread COUNTRY CROCK <br> 3 Lb. TUB \$ 169 | Carnation Sweetened CONDENSED MILK <br> 14oz. Can \$1 19 | APPLE JUICE <br> Texsun 46oz. Can $\$ 129$ | BISCUITS <br> Parade <br> ( 15 <br> 4/\$1 |
| TISSUE <br> Soft \& Gentle $\square$ 4 Roll Pk. <br> continte $\square$ | BOLD 3 <br> Laundry Detergent 420z. Box | Hostess <br> SNACK <br> CAKES <br> 59 ¢ | SNICKERS <br> sulf feis <br> Candy Bars 3/\$1 | Mrs. Bairds CINNAMON ROLLS 69 ${ }^{\text {¢ }}$ | HAMBURGER BUNS <br> County Fair 8 Pk. | BREAD <br> County Fair Lg. Loaf |
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[^0]:    TO THE PEOPLE OF RED RIVER COUNTY PRECINCT 1: I am trying to see and talk to each and everyon
    efore the election. I believe in meeting the voters.
    These are some of the ways I intend to help our precinct. Everyone knows how I feel about the roads. Now I would
    like to explain that I believe the roads are only $10 \%$ to $15 \%$ of a commissioner's duties. The first duty is protecting the taxpayer's interest. This means to see that tax money is spent wisely. Every dollar spent in the county has to be reviewed by the commissioners court. Balancing the budget is a priority
    also. If a commissioner cannot balance his budget, we the also. If a commissioner cannot balance his budget, we the
    taxpayers are at a loss. You know that if we cannot stay within taxpayers are at a loss. You know that if we cannot stay within
    our budget and meet our obligations, there is no other
     our budget and meet our obligations, there is no othe
    W.T. (Taterbill) Dodd alternative but to raise taxes. I am a taxpayer myself and I am against raising taxes. I am for better management.
    We are making payments on the jail, courthouse annex and other purchases. We will need
    four new patrol cars very soon. This is a "pushed aside" problem that has to be dealt with four new patrol cars very soon. This is' a pushed aside problem that has to be dealt with now have at least 150,000 miles on them. These cars will be unsafe and cost more in maintenance as the miles add up. This is serious business.
    From the time he takes office until he leaves, being a commissioner is a full time job. I have retired from my business; and can devote the proper amount of time to the duties of commissioner because not only does the co
    his precinct, but to all the county as well.
    his precinct, but to all the county as well.
    It has come to my attention all we have to do in order to use inmate labor, is to have certified law enforcement personnel in attendance of the work assignment. If elected, I intend for a
    couple of the county employees to become certified. Then we can use all the inmate couple of the county employees to become certified. Then we can use all the inmate labor
    available, cleaning out culverts, picking up trash, cutting brush around blind corners, and patching roads. The savings will more than pay for the training and help make Precinct I's part of the jail payment for the year.
    Also, if elected, Iintend to publish my budget quarterly because I think the taxpayers need to know where we stand. Banks and businesses do it for their stockholders--You, the taxpayers, are stockholders in Red River Co
    every 4 months instead of every 4 years. I realize that we need industry and jobs in Red River County. The only way we can expect a company or plant to move here is for us to have a smooth running county government,
    taking care of business. You, the public, have to help. Commissioners alone cannotbring jobs taking care of business. You, the public, have to help. Commissioners alone cannot bring jobs enjoys taking a Sunday ride through a dump ground. Maybe instead of using taxpayers money to clean up this trash, we should consider imposing a stiffer fine on anyone convicted of illegal dumping.
    This is not the time for the people of Red River County to point fingers at someone else and
    say "He did it. Let him fix it."
    It's time for us to join together and say, "We can overcome our financial situation and get this county back on an upward trend.'
    We need mature, experienced people in the county government. I have at least 45 years of experience and I will be a servant for you the taxpayer.
    The privilege to vote is a sacred thing. Wars have been fo
    The privilege to vote is a sacred thing. Wars have been fought and men have died for the rights of all of us to exercise the freedom to vote. So use it, VOTE!

    OU HAVE A VOICE IN YOUR GOVERNMENT, SO BE HEARD.
    VOTE TUESDAY, MARCH 12 FOR W.T. (TATERBILL) DODD

