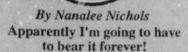
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Nichols

Well, my faithful readers, it seems that you just aren't going to let us beary the bears! My column which began on never seeing bears no matter how hard we try, has continued to bear us to friendly "fire". (What fun with the pun I'm

After the magazine articles, the phone calls and the photos I still didn't mind when Wayne and Alice Grogan of Maryl nd stopped by and made a pun or two, and reported that they hadn't stopped at a spot in Arkansas because of "bear

I didn't even mind when one of the guys at the press room swore to us that he was returning from Louisiana late one night and a small black bear ran across the highway near Marshall. I didn't mind...of course I'm not sure I believe him, either.

Then Sue Sheppard said she would like to show us the photos they took when she was a kid of the bears eating cereal and milk at a campsite. Of course, she can't do that because their house burned and the photos went up in flames. Yeah right, as likely a story like all the others!

Then George Ripley, a Bogata subscriber from Choteau, Montana sent me two ariticles from the Choteau Acantha. One was about two yearling grizzlies trapped at the feed plant, feeding on sweet cattle feed. They pair were radio collared and released away from populated areas.

bears which might have injured a calf so badly that it had to be destroyed. He included a map of Montana with a circle around the area, and mentioned that he and his wife have lived in Choteau for 31 years, and there are plenty of grizzlies. We may have to visit these folks sometime if we are ever to see a wild bear! We also

The second article deals with

enjoyed his letter But then Kandi Wright, who is all of nine years old, started making comments, and that was the

final straw! You see, the folks who started all this, the Dardens, have Darden-Sparks Department Store. And they got in a shipment of cute little banks. They feature tiny little scenes with animals, and when a coin is put in the bank these animals eat. or play or move in some way. There is a barnyard scene with cows and pigs and chickens, and cats in a living room that roll and play, and....there are bears.

An entire miniature woodland is filled with bears playing.

And this nine year old, upon seeing the display, took down the bear bank and held it up, commenting sagely "you ought to get Nanalee one of these so she would know what bears LOOK like!".

Okay, kid, that's quite enough. Obviously she thinks we couldn't recognize what a bear looked like if we saw one, right?

Well, that can't be true. We've seen them stuffed, zooed ,photographed and filmed. Of course we know what bears look like!

Don't we? Oh, I don't even want to think about that idea...I think I'll just grin and bear it one more time!

Weed-a plant whose virtues have not yet been discovered. -Ralph Waldo Emerson

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JEFFREY WILCOXEN has overcome many stumbling blocks since his accident in 1984. He is pictured here relaxing with his favorite hobby, fishing! Jeffrey was featured on Paul Harvey's nationally syndicated radio show this summer. Blossom resident, Jean Mitchell wrote Mr. Harvey commenting on Jeffrey's outstanding attitude toward his handicap. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)



Destroyed-the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Estill in Johntown was destroyed by fire early in the morning of July 13. According to reports, the Estills and their daughter were awakened by their smoke alarm at 4:00 a.m. They discovered a flame running along the living room wall and left the house quickly to evaluate the situation. Reports indicate that they tried to re-enter the house to call 911, use a fire extinguisher and get car keys the smoke was too dense for them to do so. They lost one vehicle to the fire, but managed to break a window and move the second vehcile. Bogata Volunteer Firemen say that without the fire alarm the Estills might not have survived the blaze. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)



MUCH DAMAGE-This F3 350 Ford pick up and Buick Park Avenue were involved in a collision about 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 17 in front of the Kwik

Sabre Mofle

Korner on Highway 271 in Bogata. Daniel Joseph Ray of Bogata was driving the pickup and Kenneth Athel Love of

Bogata was driving the car. Mr. Love and a passenger in the car were transported to the hospital. (Staff Photo)

Sabre Mofle in charge of honor guard

server, a Kelly Air Force Base Publication, told about the Professionalism and military bearing which are seen in members of the Kelly Air Force Base Honor Guard. He said that for many people these volunteers represent not only the base, but also the entire Air Force. The honor guard provides details for funerals, a color guard for events such as VIP visits or patriotic observances and drill team exhibitions for various civic organi-

According to Staff Sergeant, Sabre Mofle, NCO in charge of the honor guard, "It can also be the most rewarding aspect. Honor Guard members can readily feel a family's sincere appreciation.'

Mofle, who co ordinates honor guard commitments, is the only person for whom the honor guard is a full

Greg Ripps, a writer for the Ob-time duty. The rest of the members are scattered throughout Kelly's military organizations. Based on the number of enlisted members assigned to the base grade E- 6 and below, the honor guard is authorized 60 members. However, Kelly's honor guard currently has only 38 members, which means the same members are called upon more often.

Requirements for honor guard membership include meeting physical and appearance standards and having an assignment to Kelly that will continue for at least 12 more months. Recruits are normally E-6s or below. However, higher ranks are accepted. (Air Force policy requires officers to make the flag presentation at officer funerals.)

Sabre is the daughter of Dinia Burson and the granddaughter of Jettie Bond of Bogata.

Jeff Wilcoxen wheels through life with high style and determination

By Liz Irwin

Don't tell Jeff Wilcoxen that he can't do something, because in spite of his being in a wheelchair, that is all the more reason he will try

Jeff was involved in a accident in December 27,1984 involving an accidental shooting. He was cleaning his shotgun when it apparently went off for some unknown reason and he was seriously wounded.

this did not stop him. He was in the hospital for several weeks recovering. . . . this did not stop him! He remains in a wheelchair with only the use of his upper body..... this does not stop him! He overcame any obstacle that came his way in order to achieve his goals. He was determined not to let a little handicap overcome his ability to function in today's society. He graduated from Prairiland High School in May of 1989 along with his other classmates.

Not wanting to be dependent on any one person, Jeff went out and found a job at the Wal-Mart store in Paris.. This is where the reason for this story comes in. Jean Mitchell who lives north of Blossom on the Walnut Ridge Road wrote into the nationally syndicated radio show of Paul Harvey's, commenting on the fine person that Jeff was and the fact that he was handicapped and worked

at the local Wal-Mart store. Since Paul Harvey mentions this store on his show and always enjoys getting letters from his listeners on unusual circumstances, Mrs. Mitchell told her husband that she intended letting Mr. Harvey know about Jeff. After several months, she decided that the letter had not gotten to the station. But several days later a friend of hers called and told her she had heard her name and the story on the radio show and then a relative in Corpus Christi called and told her that thaey had though she was unable to listen to it to be a part of.

herself. Jean enjoyed Jeff waiting on her. She liked his attitude, his friendly personality and the fact that whatever she wanted, Jeff knew exactly where and how to get it, regardless that he was in a wheel chair, the locations was never a factor when waiting on anyone in the store. Jeff was always friendly and outgoing to the customers and always willing to help them in any way that he could. Mrs. Mitchell never failed to go into the store and not see Jeff with a smile and a hello ready for everyone. He was always busy and doing his job, never letting his handicap get in the way. According to Jeff, he stated that "There was no reason to get down

because he was not as mobile as the next person." He was only looking for ways to improve his life and himself." "Feeling sorry for himself, got him nowhere.

He now lives at Gate Two in the Maxey Community outside of Paris and in 1990 on June 5 married his wife Laurie. They are comfortable in their small home and he is looking forward to each day at his new job. You see, he was always happy working at Wal-Mart, but he was always interested in law enforcement and is now employed as a dispatcher with the City of Paris. He feels that he is doing his part to help gain experience and do what he can for the good of the city of Paris and the surrounding area.

His van is equipped to where he can drive and get around like anyone else. After all, with fishing and hunting as one of his favorite hobbies, nothing was going to slow him down. In fact, being so obsessed with fishing, he keeps his lines baited and in the water at all times when he is off. There is a small lake just outside his door and it is his constant companion. With the weather so hot though, they have stopped biting as much, but he still enjoys just going out and sitting by heard it also. Since then, several the lake and contemplating his fupeople have told her about it, al- ture, which he counts himself lucky

Lions Club rodeo and July 4 events reviewed

By David Rozell

July is here and once again the Rodeo and Frontier's Day are a memory. The Bogata Lions Club finds it necessary to give credit to the many people who were instrumental in making the monumental task of co ordinating these events work.

Sheriff Bob Edrington and his deputies along with the DPS Trooper handled the traffic superbly during

the parades.

Garland Burruss and all the city workers constructed our duck track, cleaned and mowed the park, moved dumpsters and all the other small things which go into beautifying our city for the influx of visitors.

Kenneth Jeffery was the one who cooked the fine breakfast Saturday morning. His helpers were Charles Don Lewis, Kelly Jeffery, John Denison, Kenneth Vickers, Mary Colflesh, Ricky Daniels and John Ragsdill.

Vickie Griffin at Huddleston's helped with the concession order.

Tommie Corbell used his strong voice to announce the Frontier's Day events.

The brave cheerleaders and friends did a fine job in the dunking booth. The cold water is not bad. It's the anticipation that gives you chills.

The fire department gave our ducks a westward course down the creek. The Paris Antique Tractor Club spent a hot day with us. Charles Foster from Deport brought his barrel train and provided rides for the chil-

dren. James Smith brought the pony rides which were also popular. We had people working in the concession stands, Lions Club members

> People Things

Thursday, July 25 (Today) Rosalie Lodge #527 meets at the Lodge Hall in Bogata.

and non Lions Club members too

numerous to name. It takes many people an unbelievable amount of time to put on such an event. We Lions are proud to be a part of The Rodeo and the Rodeo

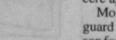
Association's activities. Just to give an idea of the multitude of people needed for an event of this size we will give a partial list of supplies we must buy: 25 cases of Nacho Chips, 500 bags of Fritos, 95 packages of hot dogs, 115 packages hot dog buns, 16 gallons dill pickles, 24 gallons chili, 36 gallons nacho cheese, 3 cases pancake mix, 100 pounds sausage, 12 pounds butter, 650 Hamburger buns, 400 bags of ice, 12 gallons sno cone syrup and 250 cases of canned drinks as well as 150 pounds of Brisket.

As you can see it is no small endeavor. We have estimated over 500 man hours volunteered. If you account for 1 minute of those 500 hours you were much appreciated.

Lions Club members braved the heat and dry conditions to shoot fireworks on July 4 at Red River Healthcare Center. Ralph Cawley and friends served free refreshments to any and all passers-by from their location at Red River Healthcare Center. The evening was made possible by the following people: Red River Healthcare Center, Guaranty Bank, Bogata Lions Club, Rosalie Store, Buckman Drug, True Value Hardware, Bogata Auto Parts, Wood Funeral Homes, Kenneth and Shirley Vickers, Masterpieces Beauty Salon and possibly others I have failed to name.

Thursday, August 1 Bogata Lions Club will meet at the community center at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 28 Cuthand will have itss annual Homecoming . A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. Everyone is urged to attend.



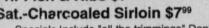
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By Liz Irwin



Our featured cook this week is not a person, but a vegetable. One that is in abundance right now in this area. OKRA! We always plant too much and have okra running out our ears! It loves hot weather and is now thriving in everyone's gardens. Even planting a small row can give you enough okra to feed an army! It can grow up to 6 feet tall and bear until frost-time and bear and bear

and bear!!!!! We fry it, freeze it, can it, chop it, dice it and everything and anything else we can think of to do withit......oh, and give away a lot!

This week's recipes inlcude an Okra Gumbo, Pickled Okra, Fried Okra Gumbo, Okra Casserole, Okra Pilaf and Texas Okra Patties.

We hope you enjoy these and we will see you in the kitchen!



July 25, 1996 Okra Recipes



OKRA GUMBO

tablespoon butter cup chopped onion /2 cup chopped green pepper 2 cups fresh tomatoes-peeled and

4 cups sliced okra 3/4 tablespoon salt

dash of cayenne pepper Heat the butter and cook the onion and green peppers until soft. Add okra, tomatoes and seasonings. Simmer for about 15 minutes or until okra is tender.

PICKLED OKRA

Fresh okra quart white vinegar 1/2 cup water teaspoon dill seed for each jar teaspoon salt for each jar hot green pepper for each jar hot red pepper for each jar clove garlic for each jar

Place 1/2 teaspoon dill seed in bottom of jar; wash okra and pack as lightly as possible in jars. Add peppers and garlic to okra. Bring vinegar, water and salt to boil; pour over okra. Seal and allow to stand 2 weeks.

FRIED OKRA GUMBO cups okra-cut in 1/2 inch pieces package corn bread mix

/4 cup oil large onion-chopped green pepper teaspoons paprika teaspoon chili powder teaspoon basil teaspoon basil

teaspoon oregano 1/2 teaspoon sage salt and pepper to taste

medium tomatoes-chopped Beat eggs in large bowl and add okra and coat with egg. Sprinkle corn bread mix on okra and mix until coated. In a heavy skillet, heat oil. Put in okra, onions and green peppers. Fry until done. Add spices and chopped toma-Heat a few more minutes and

OKRA CASSEROLE

3-4 cups okra-cut up l green pepper-chopped I chopped onion 2 bacon slices-chopped I cup raw rice I can cream of mushroom soup I can cream of celery soup I can cream of chicken soup

Saute okra, pepper, onion and bacon until done. Add rice and water. Cover and simmer until almost done. Add tomatoes and cook until rice is done Add soup. Pour into casserole dish and add mushrooms if desired. Sprinkle with cheese. Bake at 350 degrees until bubbly. Can be prepared the day before OKRA PILAF

I medium onion-chopped 1/2 medium green pepper-chopped 1/3 cup uncooked rice 2 cups sliced okra

salt and pepper to taste Fry bacon until crisp, remove from

TEXAS OKRA PATTIES pound okra-chopped 1/2 cup onion-chopped I teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 1/2 cup water egg-beaten l teaspoon baking powder

2 cups tomatoes-canned or fresh

4 slices bacon I can stewed tomatoes

pan and set aside. Add onion and peppe to drippings. Cook over medium heat stirring often, until tender, about five minutes. Add rice, okra and tomatoes Cook, continuing to stir often, until liquid is absorbed and rice is tender. Stir in reserved bacon and season with salt and

2 cuups cornmeal

Combine okra, onion, salt, pepper water and egg. Mix baking powder and cornmeal and stir into the first mixture Drop by tablespoons into hot oil and brown ovver medium heat.

Card of Thanks

Thank you for all the cards, letters, food, flowers and phone calls during our loss. Your encouraging words and sympathy have helped us more than we can say.

Mary Mantooth & Family

PJC vocational nurses to graduate Aug. 14

Graduation exercises for 72 students completing ten School of Vocational Nursing at Paris Junior Col-lege will be held August 14 in the Hunt Physical Education Center on teh PJC campus.

Vocational nurses from the PJC campus and a from the extension campus make up the 33rd graduating class of vocational nurses from PJC.

The class included graduates from Lamar, Red River, Delta, Fannina, Hopkins, Hunt, Rockwall, Dallas and Collin Counties and southeastern

Ceremonies will begin at 7:30 p.m. PJC president BobbyWalters will address the class. Sandra Chadwick, Director of Vocational Nursxnig, will present special awards. Walters and the vocational nursing staff will present the diplomas and conduct the

A reception for the graduates will be held in the McLemore Student Center Ballaroom immediately following ceremonies.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Doyle Dean Coggins would like to thank each and every one, Family and friends, for their kindness and love shown to the Coggins Family. Thanks for the prayers, food, cards, flowers, money and phone calls, in our time of sorrow and loss of a loving husband, wonderful father and great son.

A special thanks to Dr. Harbrough. Dr. Kerley, Paris Cancer Center and Saint Joseph's Hospital. A very special thanks to Mrs. Nick Turner for being with us. Also Brother Bob Bush, James Wood and family, Gayle Roach and the Pallbearers.

Thanks again, Much love to each of you, The Family of Doyle Coggins

Card of Thanks

The family of Tony Athas would like to thank Fry & Gibbs Funeral Home for the beautiful service, to Rev. Gifford Long and Jack Herrington for their words of comfort and to the pallbearers. Thanks to all our friends and family for the cards, phone calls, food, visits and prayers. Everyone was wonderful to us and we appreciate all of you.

Beverly and Ashley Athas Ruth Owen, Elaine and Daniel Burns, Lisa and John Gancel and families

The most silent people are generally those who think most highly of themselves.

-William Hazlitt



and grandson, Jarrett Langeley of Temple; and two step-grandchildren, Josh and Jeremy Langley of Temple.

Vassie Jean Ricks

dies July 14 Vassie Jean Ricks, age 51 of Detroit died Sunday, July 14 at McCuistion Medical Center, Paris.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, July 18 at the New Hope Baptist Church in Detroit with the Rev. Arthur Jefferson, Jr. officiating. Maxey Funeral Home made burial in New Hope Cemetery

Mrs. Ricks was born January 7, 1945 in Detroit, a daughter of Jack and Tommie L. Thomas. She attended Detroit schools and Bishop College and was a teacher in the Detroit Headstart Program. She was a teacher in the Detroit Independent School District for 29 years. She was a member of New Hope Baptist Church in Detroit and was vice president of its

Senior Choir. Surviving are her husband, Richard; her mother; and four sisters, Joyce A. Thomas and Velma Fountain, both of Detroit and Annette Blakemore and Peggie Collins, both of Dallas.

Bearers were Travis Bronner, Felix Bronner, Curtis Marshall, Malcolm Savage, Vincent Savage and Robert Curlee.

"Thou...savest by thy right hand them which put their trust in thee." Psalm 17:7B

Mac Weldon Jeffus dies July 16

Obituaries

Tracy G. Harvey

Tracy G. Harvey, age 34 of Paris

Bright-Holland Funeral Home

Mr. Harvey was born November

17, 1961 in Paris, a son of Charles

Harvey and Barbara Taylor Harvey.

He married Denene Johnson on

March 31, 1983 in Pattonville. He

was a self-employed auto salesman.

dren, Trey Harvey and Zach Harvey,

both of the home; his parents, Charles

and Scarlet Harvey of Pattonville and

Barbara and John Cole of Paris; his

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Tay-

lor of Paris; his mother-in-law and

father-in-law, Elna and Roger

Johnson of Blossom;a siste,r Angie

Sepulveda of Pattonvile; a brother,

Daniel Sepulveda of Pattonville and

an aunt and uncle, Sue and Buddy

He was preceded in death by a

brother, Todd Harvey and his grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.G. (Mutt)

Harvey. Bearers were Ronnie Jones,

Jim Morrison, Tony Brem, Larry

Richardson, Billy Ratliff and Jerry

Doyle Dean Coggins, age 55 of Bogata died Friday, July 19 in St.

Funeral services were held at 3

p.m. Saturday, July 20 in Cuthand

United Methodist Church with the

Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial

was in Cuthand Cemetery under the

Mr. Coggins was born June 6, 1941 in Red River County, a son of H.S.

(Seabron) and Mollie Mayes Coggins.

He was a former guard at the Texas Department of Corrections and was a

heavy equipment operator. He is sur-

vived by his wite, Carolyn Coggins;

his father and step-mother, Seabron

and Sylvia Coggins of Bogata; two

sons, Jimmy Coggins of Dallas and

Michael Dean Coggins of Angleton;

two daughters, Kim Coggins of Dal-

las and Shelia Kay Coggins of

Angleton and three adopted children,

Stephanie, Alicia and Christopher Coggins, all of Bogata.

Genell Cross dies at 47

Genell Cross, age 47 of Deport,

died Sunday, July 21, 1996 at her

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 23, in the Deport United

Methodist Church. Wood Funeral

Home made burial in Highland Cem-

Mrs. Cross was born February 19,

1949 in Deport, a daughter of Grady

and Ruby Irene Porterfield Handley.

She married Jerry Cross on June 3,

1977. She was a purchasing agent for

Swaim Printing Co., and a member

of Deport United Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband; two

daughters, Michelle Langley and

Christy Seals of Paris; two stepsons,

Lee and Allen Cross, both of Clarks-

ville; two sisters, Nelda Hair of Algoa,

Texas and Anna Deason of

Whitesboro; two brothers, Charles

(Duncan) Handley of Whitesboro and

Cecil Handley of Enid, Oklahoma;

She was a singer and musician.

direction of Wood Funeral Home.

Doyle Dean Coggins

Malone of Paris.

dies July 19

Joseph Hospital.

Pitcock.

Surviving are his wife; two chil-

died July 16 in Presbyterian Hospital

conducted graveside services at 2:00 p.m. Friday, July i 9 at Meadowbrook Cemetery with Dr. L.C. Stout offici-

dies July 16

in Greenville.

Mac Weldon Jeffus, age 85 of Dallas died Tuesday, July 16 after a lengthy illness.

Services were held at 10 a.m.
Thursday, July 18 at Trinity Presbyterian Church with burial at 4 p.m. in Meadowbrook Cemetery in Paris. Arrangements were under the direction of Lamar & Smith Funeral Directors, Dallas.

Mr. Jeffus was born April 19, 1911 in Deport, a son of Wylie K. and Willie Walker Jeffus. He was a direct descendant of Samuel Jeffus who settled in the old Red River County. near Deport in 1831

He was a devout Christian husband and father and was a member of the Central Presbyterian Church in Paris until 1941 when he moved to Wichita Falls to work for Radio Station KWRT.

He attended Texas A&M College where he majored in electrical engineering and was a member of the 1930 Fightin Texas Aggie Band. He was the first chief engineer at Radio Station KPLT when it first went on the air in 1936.

He married Mary Jane Windham and worked for WFAA radio station in Dallas as a recording engineer. He was regarded as one of the very best in broadcast engineering and sound recording. In 1960 he installed and operated the first stereophonic recording system in the southwest. In 1928 he earned one of the first amateur radio licenses in Lamar County, W5DF

He was a longtime member of the Trinity Presbyterian Church and served in various positions for many

Surviving are his wife, Mary Windham Jeffus; and two sons, Mac Raymond Jeffus and Wayne Kelly

Francis D. Gibson dies July 20

Francis Davidson Gibson, age 81 of Sulphur Springs, formerly of Bogata died Saturday, July 20 in Carriage House Retirement Center in Sulphur Springs.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday, July 21 in Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home, Pogata

She was born August 18, 1914 in Deport to Charles and Lou Davis Davidson. She married James Gibson in 1937, he died February 23, 1994. She was preceded in death by a brother, J.L. davidson in 1965.

She was a homemaker and member of the Bogata United Methodist Church.

Surviving are one daughter and son-in-law, Cerita and Paul Glover of Sulphpur Springs; two granddaughters, Tammy Cooper and Suzanne Eddings, both of Sulphur Springs; three great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. James Clyde Watson of Bogata; and one brother, Charles Davidson, Jr. of Deport.

Bearers were Frank Stubblefield, Kenneth Jeffery, Sam Barnard, Paul Reynolds, James I awson and Bill

Thomas Ruel Hudspeth dies July 14

Thomas Ruel Hudspeth, Sr., age 69, died Sunday at his home in Ar-

Services were held Friday at the First Christian Church in Arlington and his body was donated to the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in Dallas.

He was born December 26, 1926 in Arlington. He practiced law for 40 years during which time he served primarily as an oil and gas and real estate attorney for Sinclair Oil and Gas Company. He retired in 1991.

He married Carolyn Carter Hudspeth on August 13, 1955, formerly of Detroit.

Survivors include his wife, Carolyn; his children, Jan Halford of Wilmore, KY, Thomas Ruel Hudspeth Jr. of Arlington and Glen Carter Hudspeth of Texarkana; brothers, William J. Hudspeth and Emmett L. Hudspeth of Austin and Chalmers M. Hudspeth of Houston; a sister, Bonnie Hudspeth O'Hagan of Kilgore; six grandchildren; six nieces; 13 nephews and many cousins.

Barry Gardner Dies

Barry Gardner, Retired Assistant Fire Chief for the Dallas Fire Department died July 20, 1996.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:00 p.m. Monday, July 22 at Sparkman/Crane Funeral Home Chapel, Chaplain Denny Burris and Chaplain Ike Moore officiating.

Mr. Gardner was born in Deport, Texas May 13, 1939 a son of Benjamin Wilson Gardner and Mercedes Reece Gardner. He attended Deport Schools, Paris Junior College and obtained his degree from North Texas State University.

He is survived by his wife, Ellen

Gardner of Dallas.

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Mrs. Gregory Byron Goolsby



Denise Hoover to wed Eldon (Pie) Vaught

Hoover-Vaught announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hoover of Mt. Pleasant announce the engagement an approaching marriage of their daughter Denise Hoover to Eldon(Pie) Vaught, son of Barry Vaught of Cookville and Lou and Jim Waldrip of Mt. Pleasant.

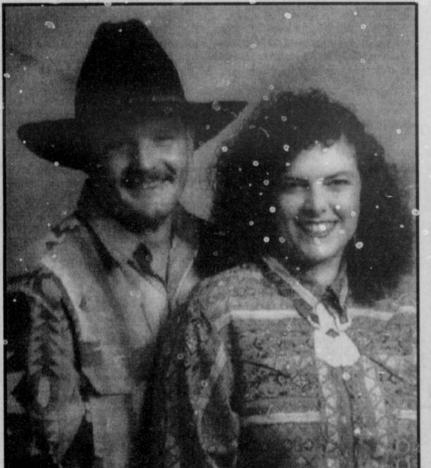
The bride-elect is a 1996 graduate of Mt. Pleasant High/School. She is currently enrolled at Northeast Texas Community College in hopes of aquiring her associates degree in nurs-

Denise is the sister of Daphne Hoover of Mt. Pleasant and is the

granddaughter of Raymond and Francies Hoover of Pattonville and the late J. T. Rogers of Bogata.

The groom is a 1992 graduate of Greenville High School. He is the grandson of Beulah Thompson and the late Jessie Thompson of Sugar Hill and the late B. C. and Thelma Vaught of Cookville.

Their wedding plans are set for Saturday, September 14, 1996 at at 2:00 p.m. at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Cookville. Friends and family are invited to attend.



Michelle Bryson & Richard Wayne Smith

Russell-Goolsby united in marriage July 20

designer gown. Its halter style neck-

line was accented with a bodice over-

Jerilyn Jean Russell and Gregory Byron Goolsby were united in marriage at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 20, 1996, at the First Baptist Church in Mt. Pleasant. Rev. Charles Russeil, uncle of the bride and Rev.. Glenn Connell, pastor of the couple, were the officiating ministers at the formal, double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dean Russell and granddaughter of Josephine Mankins and the late Eugene Mankins of Mt. Pleasant and the late Charlie and Lois Russell of Talco. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Goolsby and grandson of Burnice and Bobbie Hunnicutt and the late O.B. Sr. and Patricia Goolsby, all of Mt. Pleasant.

The altar area of the church was decorated with massive white urns of ferns, Bolivian jews and blooming pink begonias from Kelley Farms of Bogata. These were arranged among double heart, fan and spiral shaped candelabra holding white tapers on various levels entwined with English ivy and white tulle which draped to the floor. The center aisle of the sanctuary was marked with white tulle bows enhanced with pink and white flowers and ribbons.

Music for the occasion was provided by Chris Reese of Mt. Pleasant at the piano. He also sang "I Cross My Heart" and "Long As I Live". A special selection, "The Lord's Prayer" was sung by a special friend, Marla Logan of Cookville.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride was radiant in a white satin

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Lorry Randolph feted with baby shower

Lorry Randolph was honored with a baby shower on Saturday, July 13, at the home of Kim Kelsey.

Guests were served cake and punch. The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts which were displayed throughout the house.

The hostesses presented Mrs. Randolph with a baby swing.

Hostesses for the shower were: Kim Kelsey, Mary Belcher, Kathie Thompson, Linda Brown, Robbi Marshall, Ginger Foster, Donnie Lewiis, Debbie Hare, Gayla Jeffery, Donna Robinson, Neva Dell Harville, Joyce Ann buckman and Dana

Cuthand Homecoming set for this Sunday

The annual Cuthand Homecoming will be held July 28 at the Cuthand Methodist Church. Covered dish lunch will be served at noon. Come out to visit with old firends and enjoy a day of fellowship.

Church services will be held at 9:45. Sunday School will be dis-

Bryson-Smith wedding planned

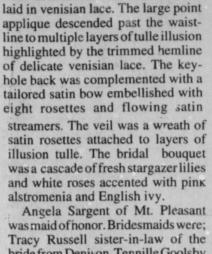
Bill and Linda Bryson of Clarksville announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Michelle Bryson, to Richard Wayne Smith of Hughes Springs.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Louise Wyatt of Tatum and Boyce Smith of Hughes Springs. The couple plans an August 10,

1996 wedding ceremony at 7:30 p.m. at First Assembly of God Church in

'A reception immediately following the wedding will be held in the

fellowship hall of the church. No formal invitations will be sent locally. All friends and relatives of the couple are cordially invited to



bride from Denison, Tennille Goolsby and Melissa Green sisters of the groom, Katina Huff and Kristy Daniels all of Mt. Pleasant They al! carried bouquets of pink and white long stemmed roses tied with pink ribbons created by Carol Leake of Talco. Their halter neck gowns were paradise pink crepe Alyce designs accented with a satin collar and three dainty buttons. The back featured a deep cut out and satin bow with

Wearing dresses of similar design, flower girls were Taylor Phillips and McKenzie Green nieces of the groom from Mt. Pleasant.

The groom and his attendants were attired in black, Christian Dior Cezanne tuxedos. The groom's tuxedo was fulldress with a white vest His boutonniere was a white rose bud with pink alstro. Best man was Tim Ball of Brownsboro. Groomsmen were Greg Russell brother of the bride of Denison, Chris Sells of Irving, Mack Harvey of Mesquite, Ashley Wilkson and Chuck Florey of Mt.

Ushers for the event were Byron Lee cousin of the groom of Liberty City, Brad Davis and Patrick Runion of Mt. Pleasant. Candlelighters were Robbie Lee of Liberty City and Carson Edney of Kilgore, cousins of the groom. Ring bearer was Heath Gipon, cousin of the bride of Wylie and Bible bearer was Blake Kelley f Bogata. Bridal book attendants were Rebecca Ball of Brownsboro and Sheri DiMaggio of Mt. Pleasant who also presented programs and ribbons

To honor the newlyweds, a reception, hosted by the brides parents, immediately followed at the Christian Life Center. The bride's cake, a white heart shaped confection topped with a crystal heart dome with doves, sat atop a flowing fountain surrounded with fresh flowers and six matching satellite cakes. Ribbons of pink flowed from the fountain to each cake. The groom's cake was a heart shaped chocolate delight resting on a mirror with three satellite cakes iced in chocolate and topped with white chocolate-dipped strawberries. Servers were Jamie Harris of Sulphur Springs, Lori Buchanan of Snyder, Tiffany Easley, Alicia Rolf and Bridgett Lancaster all of Mt. Pleasant. Jessica Daniels of Mt. Pleasant and Carrie Edney cousin of the groom from Kilgore passed out bags of bird seed showered upon the couple as they left the reception in a limousine.

Following their honeymoon to Montego Bay, Jamaica, the couple will be at home in Mt. Pleasant where he is owner of Total Lawn Care and she is teacher/coach at P.E. Wallace Junior High.

Showers and parties for Jerilyn and Greg included a bridal shower at P.E. Wallace hosted by the Green Team teachers on May 30, a personal shower on June 1 in Melissa Green's home in Mt. Pleasant, a kitchen shower on June 8 at Carol Leake's home in Talco, a miscellaneous shower in Mt. Pleasant at Mariguinn Butler's home on June 23, a backyard barbecue on June 28 hosted by Dr. and Mrs. Milas Davis of Mt. Pleasant, a bridal shower on June 29 in Talco at the home of Maxine Patton, a rice bag party hosted by Tennille Goolsby on July 12, the bridesmaid's luncheon hosted by Barbara Russell on July 13 at Jefferson's on the Square and the rehearsal dinner hosted by the groom's parents at their home following rehearsal.



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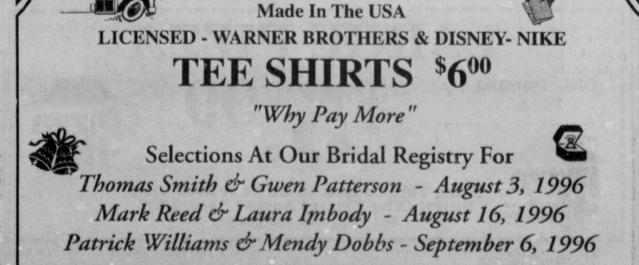
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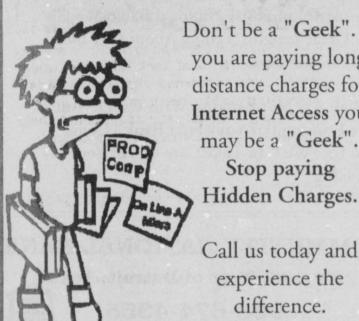
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ALL STARS-on the Northeast Texas basketball team, the Tar Heels are; (left to right back row) Coach Kip Stansell of Talco, Kyle Stansell of Talco, Andrial McNaroy of Paul Pewitt, hurcules Tarver of Paul Pewitt. Jared White of Harts Bluff, Shawn Bishop of Chapel Hill, Jeff Hutchings of Winfield, Coleman Brown of Talco and coach Bart Millsap of Mt. Pleasant; (front row left to right) Jona H. Parker of Chapel Hill, Kade Millsap of Cooper, Jarvis Hill of Paul Pewitt, Jeremy Alc-Ebrahim of Chapel Hill, Michael Logan of Winfield, Jonathan Sargent of Harts Bluff and not pictured Jimmy Wilkerson of Paul Pewitt. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

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Red River County crops update

Area producers are invited to attend the soybean field tour that will begin Thursday, July 25 at 6:00 p.m. on the Don Lawler farm. Dr. Travis Miller and company representatives will lead discussion during the vari-

The varieties in the plot include: Flyer, Asgrow 4045, Northrup King 42-60, Dekalb CX 434, Hyperformer 454, Dekalb CX 469C, KS 4694, Stine 4680, Northrup King 46-44, Stine 4650, Hornbeck 4600, ICI D478, Nycogen 470, Terra 4792, Delta Pine 3478, Hyperformer 4880, Hartz 4994 and Riverside 499. Delta Pine also has a variety plot that we will tour that contains some 60 of that companies varieties. Finally, we plan to tour a herbicide plot in Roundup Ready beans on the Junior Crouch farm. Two hours of recertification credit will be available to private pesticide license holders attending.



AREA COTTON CROPS ABOUND as summer rains continue to assist the crops in flourishing and area farmers are looking for another bumper crop this fall. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

FBC gives good Bible School report

This year's "Go for the Goal" Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church was a mixture of the tried and true and the new. As usually this Bible school was well attended with 132 pupils and 60 workers enrolled. The average attendance was 162.

The directors and their helpers were well organized and prepared and the rooms were invitingly deco-

Everyone was busy making a wide variety of crafts, painted t-shirts, prayer jars, angels, potpourri suncatchers, wall hangings, sunflower picture frames, gold maca-

From a worldly point of view, there is no mistake so great as that of always being right.

-Samuel Butler

From Clarksville, travel some two miles East on Hwy. 82, then south on FM. 412 4.8 miles, watch for signs.

A crop tour will also be held in the Deport area Thursday morning, July 25 for crop producers in the area. Included in the tour will be variety plots in soybeans, grain sorghum and cotton as well as herbicide trials with Roundap Ready soybeans and STS beans. We will meet at the Deport farm supply from 8:00 to 8:30 a.m. and leave at 8:30 to travel to a number of sites in the Deport/Cunningham area. There are a number of interesting sites to visit and all area producers are invited to attend.

According to the Farm Servi Agency, reported acreage in the following crops certified as of July 11,1996 are: corn-2,394, oats-96, peanuts-35, rice-562, sorghum-5,062, soybeans-12,399, cotton-6,395 and wheat-11,872.

roni jewelry boxes, student designed and painted ceramic plate keepsakes and acrylic picture frames, inspirational refrigerator magnets and glittered what not jars.

New to the 96 VBS was the enlistment of a refreshment director and a van director. Gwen Leath and Linda Gray took care of these posts.

Family night was a huge success. New this year was the presentation of a VBS musical emphasizing the Olympic theme. Angela Rose, Tina Williams and Susan Robinett began practicing with some of the young people in March. Lacy and Kacy

Harper, Danielle Varner, Jessica Rose, Micah Chaloner, Matthew Ross, Lindsey Robertson, Bailie Spencer and Molly and Sarah Hare had the longer speaking parts. Younger children participating were Jerad Davidson, Clay Rose, Ryan Kennedy, Cheyenne Williams, Taylor and Callie Anderson, Ethan Williams and Jesse Ross.

Church members and friends generously donated refreshments, paper goods, money and craft supplies. Many hours of volunteer time also was given . Those couldn't work encouraged those who could.



Last Friday Mrs. Joe Roach and Jonathan Roach of Mount Vernon and Mrs. Vickie Bolton of Arlington visited their grandmother, Ruby

Visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Corbell were their granddaughter, Whitney Corbell, and friend, Tiffany Clark, of Mount Pleasant. Week-end visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Corbell, Ashley and Matt of Bogata, Lauren Corbell of Commerce, Melinda Rychlik of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Corbell of Mount Pleasant.

Loyce and Ed Huddleston spent the night in Lewisville on Wednesday night with their son, Ronnie Huddleston, and his wife, Faye. Their son-in-law, Ronald Mankins had

surgery on Thursday and the Huddlestons were with him for that.

Mark Stephenson of Los Angeles, California has returned home after vacation in Bogata with his parents. Miriam and A.D. Stephenson. He attended his Rivercrest High School class reunion and visited with Dr. and Mrs. Gregory Montoya and Zach in San Antonio.

Elizabeth Colflesh of Hawkins is spending the next 2 weeks with her grandmother, Mary Colflesh.

Logan Taylor of Red Oak Allison Boyd of Paris have been visiting this week in the home of their grandparents and aunt, Pete and Lillian Taylor and Misty. Allison stayed two days and Logan is staying all

Wayne and Alice Grogan of Rockville, Maryland, arrived Tuesday, July 23rd for a two day visit with his mother, Vera Grogan in Red River Healthcare Center and with other relatives and friend sint he area.



"Shots Across Texas" coalition sets free clinics With public schools opening in a immunizations.

few weeks, the Lamar County Shots Across America immunizatin coalition is offering this year free immunizations to children of all ages.

The clinics will be held Saturday, August 3 and Saturday, August 24 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the Outreach Building of Lamar Avenue Church of Christ, 3535 Lamar Av-

Children who are brought to either clinic must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and bring any immunization records. Families are encouraged to bring younger brothers and fee. sisters who have not received proper

Staffing for the free clinics are made up from the Paris/Lamar County Health Department, McCuistion Regional Medical Center, St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Center, Lamar/ Delta Medical Alliance, Lamar County public school nurses, Paris Junior College School of Nursing and Magnolia Home Health.

The Lamar County Health Department continues to offer immunizatinos Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the clinic, 740 S.W. There is a nominal

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Red River Ponytails runners up in District

The Red River National Dixie Po- the out to Daniels at first. nytails (11-12 year old girls) completed their District 4 All Star tournament last Wednesday evening with a heart breaking loss to Hopkins County Americans with a score of 1-2 in the championship game. The team and coaches were awarded runner up trophies. The Hopkins County team will advance to the State play offs July 26 in Whitney, Texas.

Taking the mound for Red River Nationals was Molly Hare who struck out the first two Hopkins County batters. Batter number three popped a high foul ball up which was caught by first baseman, Jamie Daniels.

Pitching for the Hopkins County Americans was Robin Boshears. Red Rivernationals then went to bat leading off with catcher, Erica Williams, who was struck out. Next to the plate was Rebecça Rufial who took the walk and then later stole second and on to third base. Kim Ross hit a hard grounder between first and second base and was tagged out at first for the second out. Boshears struck Jamie Daniels out to end the inning with a score of 0-0.

Hopkins Count's Bounds hit a grounder which was scooped up by Kim Shirley and sent to Daniels on first for the out. McGill hit another to Rufial at third who threw the out to Daniels on first and Hare struck Nash out for the third out in the top of the second inning.

In the bottom of the second, Boshears faced Red River's first batter. Cheryl Griffin who went to first on a walk. Megan Graham was then walked to first. The third batter was Molly hare who struck out. Tina Carder hit the ball and was tagged out at first but advanced Griffin and Graham to second and third. Kelly

inning with no scores for either team. Hopkins County's Steele came to the plate and flew out to left fielder, fifth was Jamie Daniels who was Cheryl Griffin. Hare struck out Boshears and Goggins hit on to second baseman, Kim Shirley who threw

The Northeast Texas Basketball

League All Stars will be attending

and participating in the Tenth Annual

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The tournament will be held in

several East Texas gyms, including;

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School, Big Sandy High School,

Longview High School and Hallsville

High School. Tournament play will

begin on July 24 and finish on July

28. Teams will average playing two

games a day with a possible three or

four games on Saturday and Sunday.

National Tournament.

This put Red River in town with Erica Williams up. Williams was thrown out at first. Rufial grounded out to first. Kim Ross took the walk to give Red River a runner on base. Jamie Daniels, Cheryl Griffin and Kim Shirley's walks scored Ross and loaded the bases for Red River. Molly hare hit a line drive and hit the runner causing the third out. Score; Red River-1 Hopkins County-0.

In the top of the fourth, Hare walked the first batter, who stole on to second and third bases. Boshears hit to Rufial who attempted to get the out at first unsuccessfully. Barnett popped up a foul ball to Daniels on first for the first out. Bounds hit the ball for Hopkins County and Cross attempted a steal at home. Third baseman, Rebecca Rufial threw the ball to catcher, Erica Williams to stop the score and give Hopkins County two outs. McGill hit a screamer to short stop Kim Ross who made the catch and sent Hopkins County to the field.

Kami Hudson stepped to the plate for Red River and was struck out, Brittany Bailey took a walk and Erica Williams struck out but advanced Bailey to second on the steal. Boshears walked Rufial giving Red River two runners on base. Kim Ross fouled off three before striking out to end the

In the fifth, Red River made a pitching change to Cheryl Griffin. Griffin struck out the first batter, Cross. Steele hit a grounder to Rufial at third and was thrown out at first for out number two. Nash hit a line drive to right field which was stopped by Krystal Valenzuela. The last batter popped up between the pitcher's mound and the plate. Catcher Erica Williams scooped the ball up and Cincaid was struck out to end the fired it to Rufial at third to make the tag of the third out.

Lead off batter for Red River in the walked and stole on to second. Cheryl Griffin hit a fly ball into right field that advanced Daniels to third. Megan

to compete in national tournament

open tournament play at 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday in the Kilgore Junior High Gym against the Central Texas Stars

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Graham struck out, Krystal Valenzuela fouled two balls off before striking out and Kami Hudson hit a foul ball on the outside of the foul line which the Hopkins County first baseman played and she was called out at first, leaving two runners on. This was a costly call for the Red River team.

At the top of the sixth and final inning, Griffin struck out the first batter. Boshears hit a single and stole second. Barnett hit a single which advanced the runner. Bounds came to the plate and scored Boshears but Barnett was tagged out at second in a fields choice by Megar. Graham for out number two. With two outs on the board, McGill hit a fly ball to center field which scored Bounds for Hopkins County. Score 2-1 Hopkins County. McClendon flew out to first to send Red River to the plate.

It was three up and three down as Bailey, Williams and Rufial struck out and ended the ballgame with a score of Red River-1 and Hopkins

Previous scores for the tournament were Red River 22-Mt. Pleasant-10, Red River-25-Winnsboro-6, Red River-24- Hopkins County Americans-14, Red River-3-Hopkins County Nationals-2, Red River-3-Hopkins County Americans-5 and Red River-1-Hopkins County Ameri-

This tea, shows incredible talent and strong defense and expects to be back in the championship round again

Red River Nationals team members were; Jamie Daniels, Kim Shirley, Erica Williams, Kim Ross, Tina Carder, Molly Hare and Krystal Valenzuela all of Bogata, Cheryl Griffin of Talco, Brittany Bailey, Megan Graham, Kelly Kincaid, Kami Hudson, Rebecca Rufial and Natalie Wilson of Deport. Coaches for the team were; Mark Hare and Ricky Daniels of Bogata and Calvin Graham of Deport.

grade boys as they compete.

Team members are; Jona H. Parker

of Chapel Hill, Kade Millsap of Coo-

per, Jarvis Hill of Paul Pewitt, Jeremy

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Logan of Winfield, Jonathan Sargent

of Harts Bluff, Kyle Stansell of Talco,

Andrail McNaroy of Paul Pewitt,

Hurcules Tarver of Paul Pewitt, Jared

White of Harts Bluff, Shawn Bishop

Visiting Stasha Hume were Will-

Mamie Kennedy's visitors were

Visiting Raymon Mauldin were

Robert and Kay Kennedy and Martha

Clifton Mauldin, Mary AnnMauldin, Kimberly Benson, Sandra Benson and Shirley Smith.

iam S. Hume, Paul Hume, Ira S. Rossie Porterfield's visitors were

Connie and Johnny Mack Brown, Nelda Hare, Anna Ruth Dempsy and Tom and Bonnie Dickson.

Iva Carr's visitors were Juanita Carr, Ercelle Gooding, David Townes, Lucille Moore and Jason

Visiting Oma McKinney were Coy Coker, Ercelle Gooding, David Townes, Garvis Haley, Travis Haley, Irene Lawson, Fannie Eudv and Odella Cheatwood

Jettie Minshew's visitors were Margie Garrett, Lou Ada Franklin, Gertie Choate, Zelma Mauldin, Louise Bean, Carl Wood, Odella

Cheatwood, James Minshew, Annie McKinney and Margie Myers.

Jerry and Paula Hutson visited Pauline Hutson.

Visiting Mattie Cabell nd Inez Henson were Francis Richeson, Ann Deaton, Phyllis Finch, Cynbthia Jones, Wanda Morgan, Richard Swarts, Mildred Bennett.

Letha Brown visited Ned Morgan and Harris Brooks.

Visiting Hazel Brown were Carl and Dian Brown, Mary Broown, Dorothy Johnson, Donald Willson, Betty Evans and Cowboy Denny.

Visiting Gladys Garrettson wwere Gladen Garretson, Wayman and Joyce Alexander and Brother Perry Johnson

Louise Bean visited Bertha Ander-

Bogata Lions Club has Bingo at Nursing Home

On July 16 the Lions Club hosted Bingo at Red River Healthcare Cen-

Residents who won games were Jimmie Duffie, Iva Carr, Jessie Hunter, Ruth Wood, Dollie Carroll, Alma Lowry, Nona Reppond, Doris Skaggs and Jettie Minshew

Members of the Lions Club helping with the games were Buck Ramsey, Neil Rozell, Coy Coker, Travis Harbison and Mary Colflesh.

Inez Gill visited Alice Craig.

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Gladys Prater's visitors were Inez Gill, Roberta Scully, Leonard Wood, Mildred Allums, Margaret Prater, Shelbi Peek, Kaleb Peek, Jean Moore,

Margie LaMaster and Louise Bean. Bessie Arnett and Hattie Crabtree's visitors were Sybil Robinson, Tom Lancaster, Bobby and Sandy Henderson and Gwendolyn Bowen.

Visiting Russel Lawier were Snooky Lawler and Ida Lou.

Barney Alsobrook's visitors were Mary Ann Williams, Ethan Williams and Tracy and Michel Williams.

Pauline Alsobrook's visitors were Sue Martin and Mary Ann and Ethan Williams.

Visiting Elsie Hughes were Bobby and Sandy Henderson of Arlington

and Sybil Robinson of Lancaster. Visiting Mary Parker were Inez Gilla nd John Harden.

Louise Bean and Grady Rhodes visited Jimmie Duffie.

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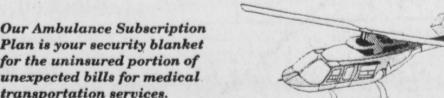
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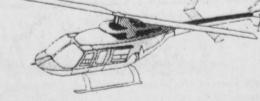
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Wheels of Life bike-a-thon to be held September 14

St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital has announced plans for the Talco "Wheels of Life" bike-a-thon to be held on September 14,1996. Coordinator for this year's event in Mayra Clark, who encourages all residents and businesses to support this community effort.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, founded in 1962 by the late entertainer Danny Thomas, is the largest childhood cancer research center in America in terms of the number of

cess. Treatment is provided at no cost to the family and all findings are shared freely with doctors and hospitals all over the world. Thanks to St. Jude Hospital, children who have leukemia, Pediatric AIDS, sickle-cell anemia and other life threatening diseases now have a better chance to

Ten year old Amy Lyon of Chicago, IL. represents all the patients who have received the benefits of St. Jude's research. Amy was diagnosed

patients treated and treatment suc- with ependymoma, a form of brain cancer in August, 1994. After surgery, Amy had a series of radiation and chemotherapy treatments which ended in December, 1994. Amy loves to swim and is an avid reader. She also enjoys rollerblading. Thanks to everyone who supports events like the "Wheels for Life", St. Jude Hospital will always be available for children like Amy.

For more information contact; Mayra Clark at 379-9645.



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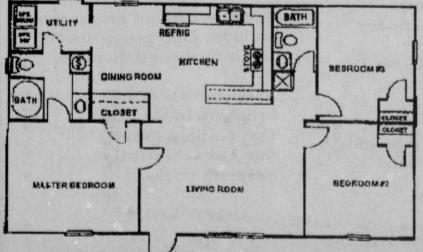
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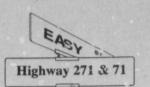
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Talco Locals

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Beth Myrcle of Jackson, Tenn. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kuhl of Snyder visited overnight with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stevens in Johntown Wednesday

Celebrating July birthdays are: Ruby Horn, Leslie Wright, Tiffany Morgan, Amber Morgan, Connie Crocker and Susan Smith.

Jason and Amy Jolley, Elizabeth and Madelin of Paris visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Presley Saturday.

Nickey Brown is reported recovering from his recent accident. Marilyn Graf of Sulphur Springs

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown Saturday afternoon. Mitzi Reed of Duscon, La. visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.

Randy Nolen, Destry and Chris. Joining them on Saturday and Sunday was Misty Vaughan of Woden. · Chad Kuhl and fiancee Michelle of Snyder visited with Mr. and Mrs.

Craig Ingram, Brad Ingram and fiancee Amy White Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Nolen and Jody vacationed in San Antonio Sun-

day through Tuesday. Mona Wright and Marta Rhoades and Robert Caul enjoyed shopping in Sulphur Springs Saturday.

Kristin Kuhl of Snyder visited over night Wednesday with great grandmother, Ruby Horn. On Friday night Kristin visited overnight with Brandi Gaddis, John and Carol.

Jack Brown and Carl Antone visited Sunday evening with Carl and Carl E. Smith in Mt. Pleasant.

Wednesday overnight guest in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail was their great granddaughter, Elizabeth

Ewing of Paris. Patsy Watts visued with Willie Rector in Bogata Tuesday.

Karen Jones and Marta Rhoades enjoyed a play in Paris Thursday evening directed by Tim Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kuhl and Kristin of Snyder enjoyed supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuhl and Maria in Mt. Vernon Tuesday evening.

Kasey Krop of Snyder visited overnight with Destry and Chris Nolen.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith celebrated their wedding anniversary July Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nolen and

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown spent Friday in La. Loretta, Tad, T.J. and Heather

Browning of Panama visited with grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail Sunday. The Brownings will soon be moving to Palestine following his release from the service.

Justin Smith, Jeremy Price and Heath Hinton are attending church camp near Henderson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nolen celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary July 20,1996.

Cindy Watts and Mrs. Kenneth Finney are vacationing in Branson, Mo. this week.

Enjoying a steak supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nolen, Destry and Chris Sunday evening were; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack and Carl Antone.

Revival to be held at Calvary Baptist

The Talco Calvary Baptist Church, located on Highway 71 East would like to invite you to be a part of revival services on the dates of July 28 through Aug. 2. The times for the services will be at 11:00 a.m. daily when a devotional and covered dish lunch will be enjoyed and 6:30 p.m on Sunday July 28 and at 7:00 p.m Monday through Friday evenings. Special prayer time each night will

be at 6:30 p.m.

The revival team will be Brother Jimmy Allen, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Bangs, Texas, bringing God's message each service, ministering through music and song will be Brother Ron Britt of Mt. Pleasant. Everyone is invited to come expecting revival and leave renewed and uplifted by being in fellowship and worship in God's presence.

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Because of continuing drought not be capable of providing erosion control. Under conditions of the CRP, erosion must be controlled.

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acreages planted to fescue have not been permitted to hay or graze during the time frame established by the Secretary of Agriculture for the Special 1996 Emergency Haying and Grazing Authority. Having or grazing plans developed for these producers limited the use of the fescue forage from November through May. This restriction was based on solid science, technology and experience and is well documented in the NRCS Field Office Technoligical Guide.

For more information about grazing or haying CRP fields or the Special 1996 Emergency Haying and Grazing Authority, contact your local USDA-NRCS office or call the NRCS Texas state office in Temple at 817-774-1214.

Until now, landowners with CRP last week.

Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers

652-6051

Betty Rodgers, Monte and Shelley Rodgers met and had lunch in Paris Thursday. Monte has been on vacation from Campbell Soup Company

Marla Crump has been attending Revival services at the Church of Christ in Bogata.

Sonny Roberts of Orange and Sue and Weldon Burgess of Dallas visited Betty Rodgers during the weekend. WEldon visited a friend in Mt. Pleasant and did some fishing.

The revival at the Church of Christ ended Sunday with luncheon at the community center.

Melissa and Gilbert Arriaga attended the concert at the Old Church

Theater in Clarksville 1Saturday night. They reported it was very good.

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DUE TO CUSTOMER RESPONSE,

Mrs. Kyle King of Reno spent Thursday with Jimmie King.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle King and Travis came for Jimmie King Saturday night and took her to the Elks Lodge for

Ethel Epps invited Jimmie King to have lunch with her at the Fulbright Community Center with the Fulbright Church of Christ.

They went to church at the Fulbright Church of Christ Sunday afternoon to hear Jimmie's grandson, Kerry King of Bells preach.

Dicky King of Paris visited Jimmie King Monday afternoon. They went to ASCS office in Clarksville on busi-

Letters To The Editor

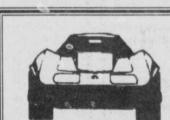
I would like to commend all of the fans who came and supported our Red River Nationals all the way to our championship game. It was very rewarding to look up in those bleachers and see everyone cheering for our team every night for six nights.

This team was made up of some of the most talented and most disciplined players I have never had the privilege of working with. Even though we didn't win the district title this year, we played extremely hard and did not give it up without a fight, as the score of our last championship ballgame reflected, 2-1. I couldn't be more proud.

The parents of these girls are also to be commended for all their efforts in getting their children to practices and games and for being the kind of supportive people they were. They were wonderful to work with.

I would like to recognize my two coaches, Ricky Daniels and Calvin Graham for all their hard work helping to prepare this all star team for competition. Also, Kay Ross is appreciated for her fine job of scorekeeping.

Sincerely, Mark Hare



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Card of Thanks

Now that I am beginning to be able to write a little better and hoping a person may be able to read this even though I still have trouble trying to connect words and handwriting all at the same time, and have to keep reaching back into my memory to try and remember where I put things like "Where is my typewriter, where did I put it?" raeaning I can't type this so you really may have trouble reading my attempt to give thanks to all the wonderful people who gave me such an honor by your public recognition of my feeble efforts to keep Bogata Homecoming alive. I can't remember ever receiving such an outpouring of love and gifts as I received the night of Bogata High School Homecoming, April, 1996. I was so touched and so grateful, I do not have all the addresses of each one in order to write a personal thank you, so please accept my sincere appreciation.

The Homecoming was a wonderful event. Just imagine all the work that was done to make it such a success. I know from keeping in touch with Durwood and Peggy Wims. I know they have worked all year toward making this happen. Just think, Peggy was a Deport person and Deport was our enemy in sports, etc. all through my school days, yet she worked as hard as anyone to make this a grand event. You never know what young loves will do when love strikes and you marry and become apart of each other's past, present and future. Durwood and Peggy not only worked hard for Homecoming, they also coped with Durwood's open heart surgery, which is a number all its own. Believe me, I've been there twice, it isn't about fun and games, that's for sure.

A large group of this class worked numerous days and nights and weekends and traveled a bunch of miles at their own expense in order to accomplish this and we owe all of them a big thank you.

I really got a thrill out of seeing and hearing Gayle Hudson Haynes as Mistress of Ceremonies. I used to babysit her when she was a baby, but that was when we said "keep the baby". She did a wonderful job. Wish Mary Ann and Peck were here to see her and know what a great lady she has become

Didn't you think Janet Trout Dodd and her group were an exciting group who brought back many memories of people and years gone by. It is always exciting to me to see and hear people from Bogata perform and to see the young people is really

There were people too numerous to mention who did so much to help assure Homecoming a success. How about Virgil Hudson, Tommy Corbell and others with their fantastic sales pitches to sell caps. I understand their effort raised extra monies and was fun, too. I feel so special to have such an honor bestowed upon me. I take a lot of teasing about my still calling Bogata "home". Although I haven't lived there full time, I still live there in love and in my heart. I can't explain this feeling, I just always feel so blessed for having been raised in such a background and I feel like people who were never lucky enough to have lived there have missed a lot. The doctors, preachers, etc. has traveled with me in my thinking all through these 74 years. The school days were filled with caring and love and respect. I feel like there is not a person who attended school in Bogata that feels as if they have been 'warped or destroyed" by having a chapel program where we prayed, sang, pledged allegiance, enjoyed coming together with talents and love and care for one another. I think we were blessed and I thank God I have that background

How fortunate we are to have so many people who never left Bogata and so many who have moved back, that are busy keeping Bogata and Homecoming alive. Let's all show our appreciation to them and if you are asked to help in Homecoming or anything else that keeps "home" alive, please accept. It gives you a feeling of worth. Let's keep Bogata School Homecoming alive. Tell everyone to mark the second Saturday in April, 1997 on our calendars and plan time off and vacations

Please allow me to express my appreciation to everyone for your concern for my family and me during this past 7 1/2 plus months. Your visits, telephone calls, mail, hospital visits, food "goodies", flowers, and offers to help in anyway that we needed you to while I was a patient in Arlington South Hospital and in Zale Lipsby Hospital in Dallas. I was a patient from early November, 1995 through February, 1996. I did not know anyone and I did not know who I was and I didn't know where I was, although my family, doctors and friends say I performed as I did. I didn't know we had Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Years and I missed the birth of my great-grandson. Please overlook the misspelled words, the grammar errors, etc. Bet Miss Penn, Miss Ethelene Williams, Miss Ruth Hall etc. would never admit I was their student, don't you?

My family says they are planning a "Let's Bang Virginia" in which they plan to tell all the terrible things I did and said. Maybe by that time my hair will have come back in and my memory will kick in. Who knows?

I am sure friends know that while I was so ill my family was having to cope with things I had no knowledge of. My daughter, Kay, moved back to Texas to help care for me, my daughter, Sheila had a car wreck, ended up with a broken leg and had to use crutches. She was also going back and forth to M.D. Anderson and local hospitals while her husband was undergoing surgeries and treatment for cancer. Their son, Chance, was in a car wreck and was hospitalized with severe injuries. Four of my granddaughters, Carmen, Chandra, Christaine and Casey were faced with the loss of two grandfathers, both of who lived in Mt. Pleasant, T.L. Milam and Bulldog McGee, both of them within two weeks apart.

While my family tried to cope with all of this, Herman, Sheila's husband, lost his fight with the dread cancer after a long and dreadful battle for two years at the age of 47. Needless to say when all of these things happened, our faith was tested over and over, yet, through all the sad times, prayers, prayer chains and friends like the ones in Bogata were steadfast with love, concern and friendship.

I do not know how we would have made it without Jim and Dee Wood and their wonderful family who made daily calls to help keep people informed and with their offers of help and to relay messages to my family. The Coats family and the Pike family are so fortunate to have them as our friends. Can anyone doubt what Bogata folks mean to us? I do not think so.

While I have been homebound, and you know how I hate that, I made a vow to continue to try and let people know how I value their friendship and love, so if I sorta go overboard with thanks and compliments I want you to know I love you all and life is precious and we need to make the most of each day.

I would like to close by enclosing An Evening Prayer, a song I sing when I pray, a song that is found in most hymnals. I am sure you are familiar with it.

If I have wounded any soul today, If I have caused one foot to go astray, If I have walked in my own willful way Dear Lord forgive. If I have uttered idle words or vain

I have turned aside from want or pain Lest I myself shall suffer thro the strain Dear Lord forgive.

If I have been perverse, hard, or cold If I have longed for shelter in thy fold When thou has given me something to hold

Dear Lord Forgive. Forgive the sins I have confessed to thee; Forgive the secret sins I do not see Oh, guide me, love me and my keeper be.

God bless everyone.

Virginia Pike Coats



JENNIFER Roberts, of Rivercrest High School, was awarded the 'Miss Upward Bound" plaque at an awards banquet at PJC held recently. Jennifer is the seventeen year old daughter of Roy and Helen Roberts of Deport and participated in the Upward Bound Program this summer at Paris Junior College. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

Red River County Sheriff's Report

July 14: Male arrested on charge of driving while intoxicated; male arrested for driving while intoxicated and no liability insurance; disturbance ported for warrants on delivery of in Avery; inmate released on bond; controled substance and criminal civil matter in Annona; male arrested on charge of driving while intoxicated; major accident on FM114; minor accident on FM1700.

July 15: Theft in Bogata; male arrested on 10 day commitment order; male arrested on warrant for violation of probation for criminal mischief, aggravated assault, injury to a child; inmate released per District Judge; inmate released on bond; welfare concern in Avery; welfare concern in Detroit; burglary in Cuthand; disturbance in Bagwell.

July 16: Male arrested on warrants for violation of probation times three; inmate released to INS, immigration; male arrested on charges of violation of probation; inmate released on bond; theft in Annona; abandoned vehicle in Avery; report of terroristic threat in Detroit; welfare concern in Bogata; male arrested on charge of violation

July 17: Male arrested on warrant

for violation of probation, burglary of a building; trespassing in Detroit; welfare concern in Aery; inmate transmischief; accident in Bogata; welfare concern in Manchester; theft in

July 18: Inmate released on bond; animal complaint on FM114 between English and Springhill; male arrested on warrant for violation of probation, delivery of controlled substance times two; male arrested on warrant for criminal trespassing; female arrested on warrant for injury to a child; male

arrested on warrant for failure to appear; inmate released on bond; theft in Detroit; suspicious activity in July 19: Inmate released to Bowie County on their charges; inmate released per probation department; male

arrested on charge of possession of marijuana less than two ounces, no drivers license and no liability insurance; inmate released on bond; request for welfare concern in Avery; male arrestedon court commitment.

WMU goes to Jefferson

By Dianne Ross

Five ladies from First Baptist Church took a trip to historical Jefferson Tuesday, July 16. None of the Women of Missions group were making their debut visit, but all were looking forward to this return trip.

After a fast and giggly ride on the road the church van arrived in Jefferson and parked near the Excelsior Hotel in order to tour the town by Mule drawn wagon. The mules and their owner weren't following their printed time schedule. We decided to take the motorized tour which proved to be longer and a little less expensive. It was an enjoyable ride. We saw the exteriors of a select group of bed and breakfast inns. One inn had recently gone through a half million dollar renovation. Another inn offered nightshirts and cotton gowns to its guests.

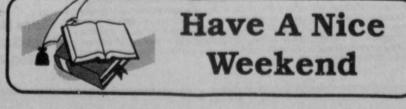
After an hour and half tour our stomachs began to speak of food. We decided to eat at The Bakery with its

homemade bread and "sinful" brownies. (We left without brownies because we'd eaten too much of the delicious sandwiches and trimmings.)

Lunch was followed by a marathon time of browsing through almost every antique and gift shop in the downtown area. Last The Fudge Shop was visited and purchases were made. At \$7. and \$8. a pound not much made it home with us for only small amounts were bought. But the chocolate treats were delicious!

The ladies looking forward to the next trip to Jefferson are: Linda Eilers, Frances Lee, Angela Rose, Dianne Ross and Mary Ann Ward.

As an added bonus to the trip we got a glimpse of Governor George Bush and Representative Jim Chapman, who were in Jefferson that day. It seemed that they were participating in some kind of photo shoot and they and the camera people didn't linger long outside in the heat.



Bogata Lions meet

The Bogata Lions Club met Thursday, July 18 at the community center for a potluck dinner.

Kenneth Vickers led the pledge of allegiance to the flag and Raymond Franklin gave the invocation.

Ex District Lions Club Governor and a member of the Detroit Lions Club, Larkin Gooch installed officers for the club. Mr. Gooch was accompanied by his wife, Texie.

Buck Ramsey was awarded the Lions of the Year Award.

After officers were installed, Newly elected and installed president of the club, Dr. Robert White, gave a short talk about his plans and expectations for the coming year. John Ragsdill is the designated membership chairman for the coming year and Buck and Betty Ramsey are once again in charge of the Flag program.

New officers, board members and committee members are: President; Robert White, First Vice President; Buford Hervey, Second Vice President; Buck Ramsey, Third Vice President; Neil Rozell, Secretary- Treasurer; Shirley Vickers, Tail Twister; Travis Harbison, Lion Tamer; Betty Ramsey, One Year Directors; Gene Bowden, Mary Colflesh and John Denison. Two year Directors; Raymond Franklin, Pat Williams, Art Spencer and Joe Rose, Scholarship Committee; Shirley Vickers, Mary Colflesh, Joe Rose, Raymond Franklin and Travis Harbison.

INSTALLATION- Bogata Lions Club Officers, Board members and committee members were installed at the meeting on Thursday, July 18, at the community Center. Installation officer was Larkin Gooch from the Detroit Lions Club and former district governor. In-President; Dr. Robert White, First Vice President; Ruford Hervey, Second Vice President; **Buck Ramsey, Third Vice Presi**dent, Neil Rozell, Secretary-Treasurer; Shirley Vickers, Lion Tamer; Betty Ramsey, One Year Director; Mary Colflesh, Two Year Directors; Raymond Franklin and Art Spencer and Scholarship Committee; Shirley Vickers, Mary Colflesh and Raymond Franklin. Not present to be installed were Tail Twister and scholarship committee member; Travis Harbison, One Year Directors; Gene Bowden and John Denison, Two Year Director; Pat Williams and Two year Director and Scholarship Committee member; Joe Rose. Mr. Larkin Gooch, the installation officer is pictured with the new officers. (Staff Photo)

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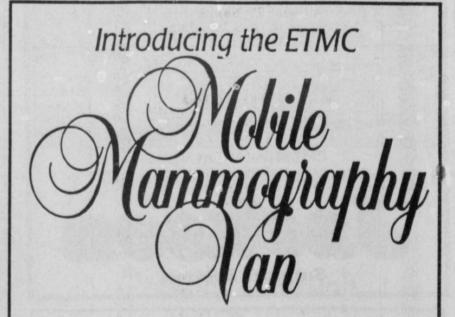
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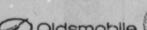
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GARAGE SALE: Ladies clothes, dresses, Rockies size 9 & 11, little girls clothes sizes 4 & 5 and shoes, toys and miscellaneous. Saturday only, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Hwy. 37 N. in Bogata.



Cunningham News By Jane O'Neal

652-6062

Billy Ray, Neva, Brandon and Georjeana Oats spent several days vacationing in New Orleans and Biloxi, Mississippi.

O'Neal and Weston Drinnon spent from Monday to Thursday with William and Nina Drinnon in Frogville,

Karla Smith, Andrea, Kara and Aaron Palmer spent a few days in San Antonio. While there they went to Sea World and enjoyed the River Walk and the Alamo.

Andrew Bazhaw of Gilmer visited Lorette Pynes this past week.

Sue Pynes is in Austin attending a TSTA meeting with several teachers from the Paris School District.

Lorette Pynes and Sue Pynes went to Longview on Monday to visit with Dean Ogden, Janie and Alicia Hawkes. On Tuesday they all went to Galveston and stayed until Thursday. They returned home on Friday.

Frankie Norwood called a Rodeo in Valliant, OK Thursday through Saturday.

Geneva Norwood had Sunday lunch for Frankie, Julie, Logan, Layton and Caleb Norwood, Scottie, Treda, Amber and Spur Norwood.

Neva, Brandon and Georjeana Oats and Frankie, Julie, Logan, Layton

and Caleb Norwood spent Tuesday at

their cabin on Lake Bob Sandlin. Clyde and Bobbye Slusher visited Nadine Nicholson and Buster Scales at the Cherry Street Annex on Tuesday. They visited Ethel Marshall in St. Joseph Hospital on Thursday and

again on Saturday. Ryan Cooper spent Thursday night with JoDelle and William Cooper. Byron and Sue Wicker of New Boston visited William and JoDelle Cooper recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain were in Johntown on Tuesday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Green and Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain had supper for Larry and Virginia Bell, Linda and Jamie Ray of Summersville, SC and Christian, Christopher and Brenton Pentecost

Mary Briscoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain on Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. George Green and Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomas also visited.

Last Sunday, Weldon and Fay Nell Nance of Ft. Stockton and Nancy and dusty Porterfield of Terrell visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain.

Velma Cox has returned home following a two week vacation. The first week she spent with Raymond and Ann Gaylord of Baytown. Lecel Baxter of Jacksonville, FL visited with them also. During this week she also visited Alton Devlin and the Ben Warren family in Praire Land, TX and Esta Sims, Dorothy Jean Randall and Carla Smith of Beaumont.

The second week, Velma Cox, Ann Gaylord, Dennis Heyea and Margaret Webb of Baytown vacationed in Louisiana, Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkarsas and Missouri. They visited the Rosemont Home of Jefferson Davis, Longwood and Rosalie Auburon Plantations in Natches, LA. In Jackson, MS, they visited the Palace of St. Petersburg Russia Exhibit. In Mansfield, MO they visited the Laura Engle Wilder Museum. On the way home they visited the Brad Aerts family in Collerville, TN. They arrived at Velma's home on Saturday. Ann, Dennis and Margaret spent the night and returned home to Baytown on Sunday.

Ida Mae Norwood and Alma Norwood had lunch at TaMolly's on Wednesday.

Jeff, Cindy, Zack, Garrett and Taylor Kennedy had Sunday lunch with Bobby Ray and Shelby Kennedy.

Having Sunday lunch with Marie Watson were, Brenda Watson, Bruce Watson, Vickie Davis, Deana and Brooklyn Legate.

Jane O'Neal had Sunday lunch for Dwayne. Lisa, O'Neal and Weston Drinnon, Karla Smith, Andrea, Kara and Aaron Palmer.

Murray and Sue Jackson spent a few days in Branson, MO. David and Kathy Jackson of Overland Park, KS joined them there for the weekend.

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Clarksville Country Club holds touwnament

Clarksville Country Club and nounces that the winners of the Ladies' tournament held July 12 and 13 were as follows:

Championship Flight-First-Childress and Williams, Second-Taylor and Littlejohn and Third- Deal and LeClaire. Lame Duck-Hughston and Goodman.

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Second Flight-First-O'Quinn and Richardson, Second- Murray and Darnell and Third-Poole and Tho-

Third Flight-First- Eidson and Jackman, Second-Roeter and Raylaine and Third- Oney and Foster. Lame Duck-Stubblefield and

Book Club holds planning meeting for upcoming year.

A planning meeting of the Bogata Book Club was held July 16. Thirteen members were in attendance and finalized plans for programs, yearbooks and scheduled hostesses for the 1996-97 year.

Juanita Sparks and Gail Hervey gave a report of activities at the Key District Meeting they attended in Pittsburg on July 13.

Regular meetings will resume on September 12 at the home of Miriam Stephenson.

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JOHNTOWN LOCALS By Jana Hawkins 632--5174

Tuesday night supper guests of Brother Kevin, DeLinda, Kyle, Stacy and Brian Clinton were Ray, Susan, Lisa, Kim, Jill and Chris Shirley, Donald, Freda, Sarah and Mitchell Jean and Mark Hawkins.

Robbie Hawkins and Billie Pirtle enjoyed shopping in Paris on Satur-

Mary Bellafatto of Florida is in Johntown this week visiting her sister, Robbie Hawkins.

Toni Combest visited with Lucille Childers on Sunday and attended church and enjoyed eating out.

Heather and Haley Hawkins spent the night Friday with James and Pauline Gibbs.

Donna Stockton honored with shower

Miss Donna Stockton, bride-elect of Bridal Gown Designer and The of Matt Lammon, was honored with a lingerie and rice bag shower on Thursday evening, July 18 at the home of Justin and Jane Strawn in Bogata.

White bridal bells, flowers and candles decorated the refreshment and guest tables. The guests were offered trays of vegetables and fruits with dips, chicken salad, assorted crackers, chips, nut, mints and iced tea.

Activities included shower games

Newlywed Game. The guests and hostesses made rice bags for the engaged couple's wedding on August 3 in New Orleans. Guests enjoyed seeing a display of childhood pictures of themselves and the honoree. The future bride received an array of lovely

Hostesses were Jane and Melanie Strawn, Carolyn Strawn, Sharon Greer and Lillian and Misty Taylor.

Annual Christopher reunion held July 6

The annual Christopher family reunion was held July 6 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Christopher at Little Chicago. Those attending were as follows: James and Ida Christopher, David and Zebrah Canter, Jessica and Cody of Houston, Melba and Joseph Espinosa of Ft. Worth, H.E. (Bud) and Mary Christopher of Bogata, Joe and Mary Christopher of Ft. Worth, Don and Margee Christopher of Caddo Mills, Jack and Jean Phillips of Clarksville, Ross and Inez Price of Clarksville, Edith McLee of

Wylie, Floydand Sarah Bartholomew of Wylie, Janice Henry of Lancaster. Paul and Jamie Brown of Ft Hancock, Thomas, Catherine and Lauren Rawdon and Maranda of Carrollton, Randy Christopher of Bagwell, Gary and Jan Christopher of Conroe, Connie Chambliss of Nacogdoches, James and Joseph Christopher of Timpson, Carl and Sarah Weaver of Blossom, Gussie Musick of Bogata and Lowell and Bonnie Griffin of Mesquitte.

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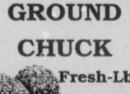
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