Having celebrated a birthday last week, I have spent some time reflecting on my life, what I've done, what I meant to do and what I haven't done.

Later, I was talking with a friend about this and they asked me "do you have lots of things you wish you'd done when you were younger and able to?".

"Oh, yes, I answered promptly, so many things I won't ever be able to do now, because of age and bad knees."

I continued explaining that I regretted I'd never tried sky diving back when we were taking flying lessons. I regret never having tried hang gliding back then, and that we didn't pursue getting our glider license either.

I regret I will never go to Africa, most likely, because of the cost and my knees, and that I'll never get to raft down the Bio Bio River in South

America.

I wish we had kept our 1968, metallic brue Mustang car, and that we had tried snow skiing.

I regret not managing to control my temper better, and I regret some pretty harsh words I may have said over the years.

I regret that I have occasionally failed a friend through insensitivity, or hurt someone for the same reason.

After listing some of these regrets my friend said "I guess I meant do you regret not being able to read the newspaper or a cookbook without bifocals, or that you didn't have children?".

That led me to pondering about how few serious regrets I have. The things I regret not doing don't amount to a hill of beans! They very definitely fall into the "so What, big deal" category. And, I realized just how lucky I am for that fact.

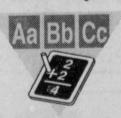
Of course there have been lots of times when thing s didn't turn cut as planned. Some goals have never been reached, some have but then weren't what we expected .. but it doesn't really matter.

I'm going to continue to do whatever I possibly can when the opportunity omes up, and try to be a better person day by day. Hopefully, when even more years have gone by, I can reflect once more and still have only petty regrets. I hope all of you teel the same way, because I think it means we're pretty content, and that's a really good thing to be and worth more than all the money in the world!

It is a form of affectation to emphasize the fact that you do not indulge in it.

—La Rouchefoucauld

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Talco-Bogata CISD approves 1996-97 budget

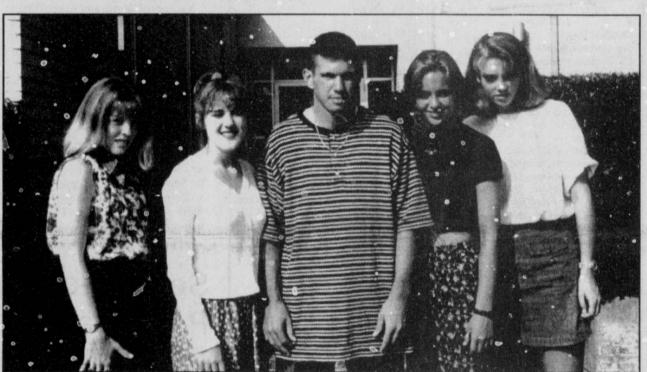
The Talco-Bogata CISD trustees heard the proposed 1996-97 budget presented by Superintendent Freddy Wade in public hearing format.

After the hearing the budget was approved. The expenditure budget was a total of \$3,858,657: Estimated revenues total \$3,658,645. The \$200,012 deficit would come from the cash surplus of the district.

Following the hearing the board acted on agenda items and approved the consensus agenda The District Insurance Committee represented by Beth Wood and Sandra Stockton presented the board with a proposal for changes in the district Health and Hospitalization program. The proposed changes were to enter into contract with Hibbs-Hallmark Insurance of Tyler for a Co-Operative Self Funding Insurance Program. The request also included a plan to increase the district contribution from \$50 to \$85 per employee without increasing the total cost to the district. In the old plan the district paid \$50 per month for an alternate insurance program for employees not participating in the Health Insurance Program in order to qualify for 100% participation. After polling the staff who received the alternate benefits, the committee found that 36 of 44 were agreeable to giving up the benefits in order to provide a better health insurance program for the district. The Trustees approved the new plan that includes co-pay on office visits, prescription card, choice of deductible policies, yearly physical allowances and child immunization allowances.

The trustees approved the substitute list, a resolution to sell property in Talco held for non payment of taxes, Co-operative Purchasing Agreement with Region VIII ESC and the use of graduated class funds to help pay for the new marque sign at Rivercrest. They approved policy Update 51 and Policy DCB Local and Legal and voted to enter into a suit with other school districts for release of Technology funds provided by Senate Bill 1 but not released to the schools by the Texas Education Agency.

The Board will meet again on August 29 at 8:00 pm. for the Tax Hearing.



SELLING ADS-Members of the 1996-'97 yearbook staff at Rivercrest High School have been very busy throughout the summer selling yearbook ads for the

1997 Sabre. If any business would like to place an ad in the yearbook, please call Rivercrest High School at 632-5204. Pictured are Donna Harrison,

Marla Williams, Dustin Cook, Amber Spencer and Sara Stanley. Not pictured is yearbook staff member, Deidre Brown



REFRESHMENTS-were served to guests at the Rivercrest Lady Rebel-Rebel Booster Club sponsored "Meet the Coaches" night held Thursday Aug. 15. Pictured serving are Kay Ross, Julie Childres and RueAnna Bell. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

People and Things

August 22 (tonight)

One more night of First Baptist Church, Bogata, revival services. Evangelist for these services is Malcolm Ellis and Music director is Ollie Lee. Services begin at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 22
Rosalie Lodge # 527 will meet at the Lodge Hall in Bogata.

Notice
Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. in the St. Joseph's Catholic Church Rec. Room in

Clarksville. Everyone is Welcome.

The Rivercrest FFA students and parents will meet Aug. 27 at 7:00 p.m.

at the Ag. building. Officers elections, activities and trips will be discussed. All Ag. students and parents are encouraged to attend.

The Rivercrest Rebels will play a scrimmage football game vs James Bowie at Rebel stadium Friday Aug.23 beginning at 5:00 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support the Rebels as they begin the new season.

The Rivercrest Lady Rebel-Rebel Booster Club will sponsor a ham-

burger supper at the first scirmmage football game of the year Friday Aug.23 beginning at 5:00 p.m. The cost will be \$3.00 for a hamburger,

chips and drink or \$3.25 for a cheeseburger, chips and drink. Come out and support the Rebels and help the Booster Club provide scholarships for this year's seniors.



2X2 District Governor speaks to Lions Club

The Bogata Lions Club met Thursday, August 15 at Bogata Community Center. The pledge of Allegiance to the flag was led by Buford Hervey and the Invocation was voiced by Raymond Franklin. The meeting was opened by Club President Robert White. He introduced Mrs. Joan Daniel, Governor of District 2X2, and her husband, Dr. Herbert Daniels. A covered dish meal was enjoyed by

David Rozell reported that 2 pads (for travel trailers) and a sidewalk at the community center have been poured. The electricity was to be hooked up of Friday and the pads would be ready for use. Neil Rozell reported that he will repair the tables next week. Kenneth Vickers reported that he will be working on the front

door next week. Raymond Franklin reported that he was seeking bids from area contractors for a fence around the playground at Thomas Park. Jack Dodd reported that remodeling of the rest room in the community Center would begin next week. Shirley Vickers has prices from one carpet place and will seek more. Mary Colflesh reported on the mural. Art Spencer reported on the Marquee. He is supposed to receive a bid this next week.

Governor Daniels then spoke on membership to the club. She asked for interaction from the group on projects and programs in the years since the club began.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM



Carmen E. Allen

Carmen Allen wins queen contest

Three year old Carmen E. Allen was the winner of the queen contest held July 27 at Union Street Baptist Church in Detroit.

Carmen's parents are Donna and Mike Allen of Bogata. Grandparents are Emma Dee Davis of Bogata and Willie Mack Allen of Mount Pleasant

Burn out shower planned for Merchants

Everyone is invited to a burn out shower Saturday for Barbara and Ronnie Merchant whose home on South Main Street in Bogata was recently destroyed by fire.

The shower to help these folks will be held Saturday, August 24 from 2:00-4:00 P.M. at Bogata Church of God.

Everyone is welcome. Homemade ice cream will be served.



RESIDENT OF THE WEEK-Rossie Porterfield, resident of the week at Red River Healthcare Center, was born in San Saba, Texas. Not long after which she moved to Arkansas. While there she met her husband at a peach orchard where her father worked. She was carrying her father lunch and walking along the railroad track. Her husband said to watch her she would fall off. She did and they were married.

Rossie and Otis moved to Bogata in 1949, where she immediately became a member of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Porterfield has 4 children, 9 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

Her hobbies include writing songs and poetry. In fact she writes a monthly poem for the newsletter at the nursing home.

Mrs. Porterfield is a resident volunteer and stays busy most of the time.

Letters



A Note From The Editor:

Dear Readers,

It seems as though I am spending a lot of time apologizing lately.

I offer no excuses. I cannot tell you whether I have been careless or lazy or just human, but I do not intentionally make mistakes or omit articles from the paper.

In the last few weeks I have messed up an obituary and a wedding announcement and failed to put an article in the paper about the Rivercrest Booster Club's meeting. (These are just the mistakes which have been brought to my attention) Tommy Childers brought the announcement about the meeting to me in pleenty of time to get it in the August 15 paper, but it got misslayed and didn't appear

in in print.

I am sorry if my carelessness caused any inconvenience for anyone.

Thanks, Judy Screws

Old News

EXCERPTS FROM THE

August 22 ,1952 BOGATA NEWS

Mrs. W.S. Stewart and sons, Jimmie and Lanny of Bogata and Mrs. Junior Mathena and daughter were in Dallas Tuesday for Mrs. Mathena to have a medical check

Reba Fisher of Mosely returned home Tuesday accompanied by her cousins, June Denny and LaNell Randle, of Bogata for a visit.

Mrs. Homer Scoggins of Bogata was admitted to the Grant Hospital Friday for surgery.

Mrs. Lawrence Wood is on a week's vacation from Turner Dry goods.

Frank Stubblefield, who is stationed at Shreveport, Louisiana and has been to Florida for 2 weeks schooling, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stubblefield. He has been promoted to Staff Sergeant.

An ad for Texas Optical in Paris featured Single vision glasses for \$15.85 and Bifocals for \$19.95

Rosalie Lodge #527 to sponsor basketball tournament

Rosalie Lodge #527 will hold a 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament August 24 at 9:00 a.m. at the Bogata Junior High Gym.

The tournament is for ages 12 and up. Cost per player is \$10.00 and cost per team is \$30.00.

Please contact Mark Hawkins at 632-5174 for more information Winners will receive T shirts.

Winners will receive T shirts.
The Rosalie Lodge is not responsible for accidents.



ELOISE SPARKS is pictured here with Deport princiapl Larry Salter as he presents her with her copy of the Deport Faculty Cookbook. The book was given to her as an expression of thanks and appreciation for her many years of service. (Staff Photo)

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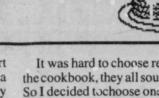
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One Topping

Pizza





This week's cooks are the Deport Faculty. They have put together a very special cookbook for some very special people. A special expression of thanks and gratitude wereincluded in the book to Elois Sparks of Deport. She is a teacher on the staff at Deport and has been in the system for 37 years. The book is dedicated to Billie Mack Foster, also of Deport who is a retired cook from the campus. You can tell that there is much love for these two people from the folks on

the campus. The books may be purchased from Guaranty Bank of Deport, Deport Variety Store, Allen's Food Mart, Deport Times and the Deport School Library for \$8.00. All monies made from the sale will go into the Deport Library Fund. Also included is a free cookie cookbook.

It was hard to choose recipes from the cookbook, they all sound so good. So I decided to choose one from each category. Stacy Huddleston's Tortilla Roll-ups are delicious. These are great for snacks and dips. Lila Screws submitted her Fresh Broccoli Salad and Terry Cavender gave her Fried Rice recipe. Mom's Hush Puppies are one of Lisa Martin's favorite recipes, while Doris Jackson shares her Strawberry Pie. Always looking for some chocolate, I found Amy Watson's Microwave Fudge recipe.

There are also handy guides included with some great tips and shortcuts. Also included are some coupons for saving a few dollars, the next time you go shopping!

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



August 22, 1996 Deport School Faculty



Tortilla Roll-ups Stacy Huddleston

(8 ounce) carton sour cream package cream cheese icante sauce totaste jalapeno pepper-chopped garlic powder to taste

Soften cream cheese to room temperature. Mix all ingredients well. spread onto flour tortillas. Roll up ans ecure with a toothpick. Refrigerate for Ominutes and slice into rolls. Serve vith additional picante sauce

Fresh Broccoti Salad Lila Screw

2 heads broccoli cup seedless grapes -1/2 cups purple onion 10-15 slices bacon 1/2 cup hulled sunflower seeds

stablespoons red wine vinegar cup mayonnaise

Chop broccoli, grapes and onions; fry bacon crisp and crumble. Add sunflower seeds and toss. Pour dressing over broccoli mixture. Toss well.

Fried Rice Terry Cavender

8 slices bacon 1/4 cup sliced green onions /4 cup green pepper cut into thin strips 2 tablespoons chopped parsley 3 cups cold cooked rice 2 tablespoons soy sauce

1/8 teaspoon pepper In 10-inch skillet over medium heat, fry bacon until crisp. Remove to paper Spoon off all but 2 tablsepoons drip-

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pings. In bacon drippings, cook onions,

reen pepper and parsley until tender-

crisp. Stir in rice, soy and pepper. Heat through. Make a well in center of rice mixture. Pour beaten eggs into mixture and as eggs begin to set, stir lightly with fork so uncoked eggs flow to bottom. Cook until set, but still moist. Gently stir to mix all ingredients in skillet. Stir in reserved bacor

Mom's Hush Puppies Lisa Maran

1/2 cup flour l cup meal l teaspoon salt 2 teaspoon baking powder 2 tablespoon sugar 1/4 teaspoon garlic

l onion-chopped fine Mix all ingredients together. Add enough boiling water to make a firm dough. Drop by spoonfuls into hot shortening and fry until brown.

Strawberry Pie Doris Jackson

I cup sugar 3 tablespoon cornstarch 10 ounce 7-up 3 cups fresh strawberries

Stir sugar and cornstarch well. Add 7up; cook until thick. Take from stove and let cool. Add strawberries. When completely cool, pour into baked pie shell. Top with whipped cream or Cool

Whip. Refrigerate. Microwave Fudge Amy Watson l pound box powdered sugar

1/2 cup cocoa I stick margarine 1/4 cup milk l teaspoon vanilla

know best.

Sift together sugar and cocoa; add minutes. Add milk and vanilla. Stir well and pour into a buttered dish. Put in freezer for 20minutes to set.

The purpose of psychology is to give us a completely different idea of the things we

-Paul Valéry

Account opened for cemetery fund

An account has been opened at the Red River Federal Credit Union for the Brewster Cemetery Mowing fund.

If you would like to make a donation, the account number is 600406. Or you may mail your donation to the Red River Federal Credit Union, 121 W. Broadway, Clarksville, Texas 75426. Any and all donations will be appreciated.

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BILLIE MACK AND Marlin Foster show Billie's copy of the Deport Faculty Cookbook that was dedicated to her recently for her many years of service as a cook on the Deport campus. (Staff Photo)



Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers 652-6051

Monte and Shelby Rogers of Tigertown has supper Sat. night with Betty Rodgers.

Visitors of Ethel Epps were William and Tonya and children, Loren and Dalton of Mt. Vernon and Clint and Dana Tabb of bogata.

Mrs. Jimmy King spent Thursday with Mrs. KyleKing of Reno. Kay Osburn of Hillsboro visited

her mother, Jimmy King, Friday thru Sunday. Theyate in Paris Saturday afternoon and then went out to Pat Mayes Lake and visited with Duane and Bobbye King.

Visitors of Worth and Karen Baker were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fieldidng of Tyler, Mrs. Jim Williams of Commerce and Mrs. Hoyt Howland of Clarksville.

Don Crump and friend, Andy, visited Preston and Marla recently, looking for equipment needed to use on a ranch near Frankston, Tx, where he is

J.D., K'Tina and girls, Cheyenne and Bailey of Cuthand, have been at the Crumps several times lately.

Everyone is taking advantage of the good weather to get as much hay in as possible.

School has started so be on the look-out for buses stopping and children crossing the road

Preston broke out the back glass of Marla's car-again-while mowing the yard. He quickly had it replaced.

Everyone should put on their thinking caps and get some items ready to enter at the Clarksville Fair this year. Fulbright has some talented citizens in many classifications who should be proud of their talent and be rewarded and recognized.

Reception to honor Lindseys

Pat. W. and Billie Scoggins Lindsey will be honored with a reception on September 1,1996 for their golden wedding anniversary from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham.

The event will be hosted by their

children, Patricia Edmunds and Priscilla Lindsey.

All friends and relatives are invited to share this special event with the Lindsey family.

Seventy-one graduate from PJC vocational nursing school

east Texas and Southeast Oklahoma were awarded diplomas in Vocational Nursing during graduation exercises at Paris Junior college last Wednesday. Receiving awards for perfect attendance from the Paris campus ciass were Vickie Thompson, Paris, Diane Woodall, Pattonville, and Jamie Fox, Clarksville.

Other awards presented included the Hopkins-Nicholas Award pre-

Seventy-one students from North- sented to Diane Woodall of Pattonville, who attended the Paris campus.

Graduates from our area included; Callie Delana Gaddy, Tina K. Gooding, Nancy Hopkins Dates and Crystal Diane Pilip of Blossom, Anita Vickers Nieto, Millissa Kathlina Sartor and Teresa Ann White of Bogata, Gala L. Francis of Deport, Patricia Diane Woodall of Patton-

Mandatory Hunter **Education Class Set**

There will be a mandatory Hunter Education Class August 30-31 to be held at the Paris Police Station Courtroom. It will beginning at 6:00 p.m. on Friday and will start again at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday. Contact 982-6893 or 737-9846.

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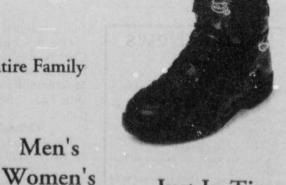
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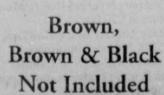




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Nicole Leigh Carmichael & Brian Christopher Matlock

Carmichael-Matlock engagement announced

Robert and Jessie Carmichael of Brooklyn, Iowa, announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Nicole Leigh, to Brian Christopher Matlock, son of Jay and Judy Matlock of Blue Grass, Iowa. The couple plans an evening wedding on September 28 at the First Unitarian Church in Des Moines,

The bride is a 1992 graduate of BGM High School. She has attended the University of Northern Iowa and currently attends Iowa State University where she is majoring in business management and accounting. Nicole works in Des Moines at Blue Cross Blue Shield of Iowa as an audit

Brian is a 1990 graduate of Davenport West High School and a 1995 graduate of the University of Northern Iowa where he earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in geology. The groom is the operations manager of Demma Fruit Company in Des Moines.

The maternal grandparents of the bride are Ennis and Nettie Moore of



Mr. and Mrs. Ken Harrison

Perrin-Harrison exchange vows

Cynthia Parker Perrin and Ken Harrison, both of Mt. Vernon, exchanged wedding vows at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, July 29.

The ceremony was held at Paradise Wedding Chapel in the mountains of Lake Tahoe, CA.

Hahn Knutsen, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Dave Knutsen, brother-in-law, was best man.

A wedding dinner followed at Friday's Station, overlooking Lake

Births A

Chance Hailee Williams, daughter

of Bobby John and Dawn Williams, wishes to announce the arrival of her

new baby brother, Chase Hunter Williams, who was born August 5,

1996. He weighed 7 pounds and was

Grandparents are Bobby Lee Williams and Linda Williams both of

Alabama Tom and Sue Jaworowski, of Montgomery. Great Grandparents are Josephine Jaworowski of Montgomery, Magdaline Hansford of Alta, Florida, Johnny and Willie Mae Top-

ping of Bogata and the late D.C. and

15 1/2 inches long.

Dorothy Williams.



Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fail

Fails to celebrate twenty-five years

Ann and Lynn Fail of Talco will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at the Talco Calvary Baptist Church from 2:00 to 4:00

The celebration will be hosted by their children, Alisa Beard of Kilgore and Victor Fail of Farmersville, LA.

and all of their grandchildren. Ann is the daughter of the late R.D.

and Cleyon Crowston of Hagansport. Lynn is the sone of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail of Talco. All friends and relatives are invited to share this special day with the Fail family.



Daniel and Tina Strain of Deport are proud to announce the birth of their son, Colton Daniel, born June 13,1996 weighing 7 lbs. and 2 ozs. and was 19 1/2 inches long. Grandparents are Ronnie and Nelda Bailey of Deport and James and Sarah Srain of Reno. Great-grandparents are Clarence and Robbie Wright of Bogata and Xenna Watkins of Ralls.

Randy and Lorry Randolph of Bogata announce the birth of their son, Reed Joseph Randolph. He was born August 15, 1996, weighing 7 pounds; 12 ounces and with a length of 20 inches.

Grandparents of the new arrival are L.R. randolph of Paris and the late Billie Adams Randolph and Pete and Cristelle McGee of Talco.

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Richard Roby, M.D.

Dr. Roby received his medical degree from Texas A&M University, Health Science Center College of Medicine, Temple, Texas, and completed internship and residency training at Scott and White Memorial Hospital, Temple, where he served as Chief Resident. He received his bachelor of science degree in Chemistry, cum laude, from the University of Texas at Dallas.

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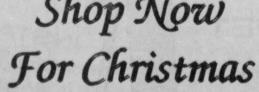
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WELCOME PARTY- A welcoming party was given for Lauren Robertson after church on Sunday, July 28, at the home of LaTonya Bell. Activities included swimming, volley ball, washers and horse shoes. Some of the girls enjoyed mudding on the four wheeler while some of the boys got a kick out of smearing watermelon in the girlls' hair. Lauren is the daughter of Reverend and Mrs. Park Robertson. Her sister Lindsey is

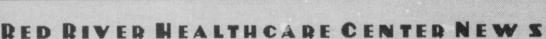
Those attending the party other than the guest of honor and the hostess were: Courtney Huddleston, Jody Gray, Allen Hudson, Derek Belcher, Clint Gage, Jerad Guest, Jason Sears, Jason Giles, Rvan Giles, Bryan Giles, John Ross, Brandon Bell, Crystal Bell, Tasha Brown, Mallory Chaloner, Chris Gentry, Brooke Belcher, Andrea Palmer, Dani Brown, Katie Hare, Joanie Swartz, Erric Martin, Jana Weatherall, A.J. Lee, Melanie Strawn and Jarrod Miller.



LADY REBEL PROUD-The first Lady Rebel softball district banner has been hung in the Rivercrest gym. Coach Keith Brown and the Lady Rebel team are very proud of this first ever district softball honor. (Staff Photo Nancy

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

-William Hazlitt



Visiting Raymon Mauldin were Dorie and Shirley Smith.

Hugli Forester and Ruth Lee visited Ada Holmes.

Stasha Hume's visitors were James Paul Hume, Weldon Hume and Ina

Oma McKinney's visitors were Travis and Garvis Haley, Ercelle Gooding and Gail McKinney.

Rossie Porterfield's visitors were Jean Lindsey, Bonnie Dickson, Connie Brown and Melissa Smith.

Visiting Iva Carr were Lou Ada Franklin, Lucille Moore, Raymon Mauldin, Johnny and Viola Coggins, Louise Bean, Seaoron and Sylvia Coggins and Bill and Marie Carr.

Mary Ann Williams, Todd Williams, Nadine Gore and JoAnn Williams visited Barney Alsobrook.

Louise Bean visited Jewel Rowe. Louise Bean visited Dorothy Wat-

Visiting Opal Watts were Louise -neninginenning in principal designation in the second in the

Bean and Dale and Peggy Watts. Letha Brown visited Ocola Mor-

Louise Bean visited Vera Grogan. Visiting Gene Smith were Connie Finsher, Carron Herring, Stanley Smith, Mary Cox and Virgie and Martha Masqill.

Donovan Strain's visitors were Louise Bean, Peggy Strain and Inez

Jimmie Duffie's visitors were Alice Martin, Gwendolyn Bowen, Darlene Foster and Carlus Potter.

Carl Wood visited Paul Wood. Betsy Brown and Sonny Gamble

visited Bonnie Gamble. Mamie Kennedy's visitors were Barbara Hollman, Gaylon and Maxine McGill, Martha Sharp and

Robert Kennedy. Visiting Jettie Minshew were John

Latimer, Margie Garrett, Jim G. Garrett, Carl Wood and Zelma Maul-

Ina Ward visited Pauline Hutson. Tony Watkins visited Mary Brown. Gerlyn Gray and Margaret Davis visited Clara Lowe.

Visiting Gladys Garrettson and Hazel Brown were Linda Smith, Delbert Harper, Louise Bean and Carl and Dian Brown.

Gladys Prater's visitors were Brother Park Robertson, Louise Bean, Jerry Allums, Margaret Prater, Mildred Allums, Jean Moore, Margie Lamaster and James and Margaret

Lynn Kerley's visitors were Arol Kerley, Opal Kerley and Linda Tay-

Visiting Rosie Kirk were Audra and Loretta Adair and Ray T. and

Martha Tilley Lynn and Brenda Carroll visited Dollie Carroll.

Gwendolyn Bowen visited Hattie



Misty Taylor

Misty Taylor receives scholarships

Misty Taylor of Bogata has received scholarships with a total amounting to a possible \$1000.00 for the 1996-'97 School terms at Texas A&M - Commerce.

She received a Phi Theta Kappa Academic Scholarship as well as a Transfer Academic Scholarship from the college (formerly East Texas State University) in the amount of \$250.00 each for the 1996 fall semester. If she attains a 3.0 grade point average, with a minimum of twelve semester hours, the scholarships will continue in the spring semester of 1997 in the amount of \$250.00 each for a total of \$1000.00 for the two semesters of the '96-'97 school year.

With a maintenance of a 3.0 grade point average, and continuing on a fuil academic load, the scholarships will be renewable for the following

Misty is the daughter of Pete and Lillian Taylor of Bogata. She is a graduate of Rivercrest High School and Paris Junior College. She will be a Junior at Texas A&M - Commerce in the fall. Majoring in Interdisciplinary Studies, Misty has a specialization in Reading and will be a candidate for graduation in December

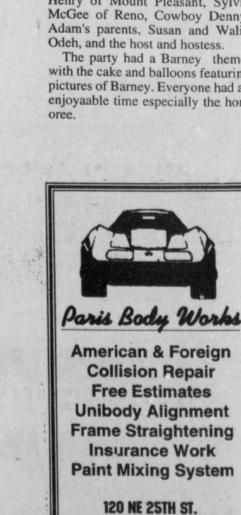


Adam Odeh Adam Odeh Honored On 2nd Birthday

Carlton and June Stanley honored their grandson, Adam Odeh, with a brithday party celebrating his second birhtday at their home. Attending were Larry, Sheila and Miranda Denny of Quitman, Jack and Ruth Henry of Mount Pleasant, Sylvia McGee of Reno, Cowboy Denny, Adam's parents, Susan and Walid Odeh, and the host and hostess.

The party had a Barney theme, with the cake and balloons featuring pictures of Barney. Everyone had an enjoyaable time especially the hon-

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were united in a double ring ceremony Saturday, Aug.17,1996 in Snyder, Texas. Uniting the couple was Dr. Marty Akins.

Michelle is the daughter of John and Nell Harper of Snyder.

Chad is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kuhl of Snyder. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Linden Horn of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stevens of Johntown. He is the great grandson of Mrs. Ruby Horn of Talco.

The ceremony was performed under a gazebo at the Wagon Wheel Ranch in Snyder. An isle marked with white tulle and iridescent bows led to the gazebo which had been decorated with Englishivy, white tea roses, white tulle and iridescent bows. Cousin of the groom, Callie Howard served as flower girl preceding the bride with pink and white rose petals.

The bride was escorted to the alter by her sons, Chris Sorroles and Kasey Crop. She wore a tea length, off the shoulder, white dress trimmed in corinthian lace. Her bouquet was made of pink and white roses and English ivy.

Serving the bride as maid of honor was Amy Hodges of Snyder, who wore a pink tea length satin dress. She carried two pink roses trimmed with pink ribbons.

The groom wore tan slacks and a

Serving as best man was Barry Gage of Lubbock, who wore tan slacks and white shirt.

Soloist was uncle of the groom, Joe Dan Kuhl of Mt. Vernon.

Serving as ushers were nephews of the bride, James Jordan and David

A reception was held following the ceremony. The guest register held pictures of the bride and groom, guest book and quill pen with a pink plume. The bible centering the table beionged to the groom's grandfather, the late Irving Horn. It was held open with stems of pink and white roses decorated with pink and white ribbons. Attending the guest book were sister of the groom, Kristin Kuhl and cousin of the groom, Ashley Man-

The brides table was covered with a pink satin cloth overlaid with white tulle. Iridescent bows with pink streamers held a drape of white tulle at the table corners and was centered in front with double crocheted white hearts hanging from pink ribbons. The table was centered with a three tier wedding cake accented with pink and white flowers and greenery .Pink and white mints in the shape of hearts in crystal dishes balanced each side of the cake. A crystal punch bowl and long stemmed glasses were used

to serve pink lemonade punch. Serving at the brides table were; aunt of the groom, Trish Kuhl and friend of the groom, Susan Gage.

The grooms table was covered with a tan cloth with a white tulle overlay. . The corners were decorated with a drape of white tulle and white streamers. One corner held a rope, the other a western hat. The table was centered in front with a real wagon wheel. The table was centered with a chocolate two layer cake. The top layer was cut into the shape of a hat. Sliced strawberries made a hat band and chocolate dipped strawberries cascaded down the front of the cake. A crystal tray filled with kiwi was placed on one end. Mints in the shape of wagon wheels boots and hats balanced each side of the cake. A crystal tray held chocolate dipped strawberries and pink lemonade was served from a tin pitcher. Serving at the grooms table were; friends of the groom; Tina Nolen and Sue Nolen.

Handing out fans inscribed with Chad and Michelle and passing out rice bags were cousin of the groom, Maria Kuhl, nieces of the bride, Temi Thompson and Jacki Thompson and niece of the bride, Katie Harper.

The couple will make their home in Snyder following a honeymoon at

> Rivercrest Menu August 26-30

> > Monday

Lunch Pizza Salad Corn Fruit Milk

Tuesday

Lunch Chicken Nuggets Steamed Broccoli Fruit Rolls & Honey Milk

Wednesday Lunch

Ham & Cheese Sub Sandwich Salad Carrots Broccoli Fru Milk

Thursday

Lunch Spaghetti Garlic Bread Salad Green Beans Milk

Friday

Lunch Hamburger Beans Chips Ice Cream

Rockwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Murl Roach of Deport visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana last Wednesday

Visiting Zelma Mauldin last Week were Tricia Bradley, Carey and

Cassey from Bismark, Arkansas. Larry Garretson is at home with his mother, Dovie Garretson, after heart surgery in Tyler last week. He is

doing well. Bertha McCall went to Big Sandy Fleming and Linda Hodges last to visit her daughter and son in law, Wednesday and had lunch at Rosalie. Billy and Linda McCall. They all Bud and Juanita (Hervey) went to Denton the spend the week

> Monday night Elisha McCall spent leaving for Arlington to re-enter nurs-

Jack and Sandy Merchant have been visiting in Odessa with her sis-Visiting Johnny and Willie Mae ter, Dorothy Jean Glover. They also Topping over the week end were Mr. visited in White House with his

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Chad Kuhl

Billie and Mary Ann Welch of Blossom visited Chrystine Baker Wednesday. The went to Clarksville to Regency Nursing Center to visit their mother and grandmother, Ruby Corbell.

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Bill, Carol, Casey and James Baker of Athens visited Chrystine Baker Saturday. They all visited Ruby Corbell, Susie and Betty Parker and Paul Baker in Clarksville.

Judy and Tana Screws attended the wedding of Beth Ann Roach and Corey Spray at First Baptist Church in Deport Saturday night.

Chrystine Baker had a phone call from Bo and Peggy Yale of Fort Worth. Peggy had knee surgery at Temple Friday and is doing well.

Friday afternoon and Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana were Chris Anna, Christopher and Jerred Guerra of Paris and Kara and Hali Screws of Deport. Christopher and Jerred stayed the night. Saturday Kara and Hali came back and stayed all day. Chris and Jerry Guerra were in Dallas and Arlington all day Saturday and came back late Saturday evening to pick up the boys and have dinner. Also visiting briefly were Mike, Lila and Bren

Linda Hodges, Beulah Fleming and Doris Hervey enjoyed eating at

Upchurch from Bisbee, Arizona vis- end with Mark Allums, who is atited Beulah Fleming, Linda Hodges, tending college there. Opal Lee Conway and other relatives. They were here for the Hervey the night with Bertha McCall before

Jonnie Kyle, Beulah Fleming and ing school. Linda Hodges shopped in Paris and ate at the Golden Corral.

Randy Corbell of Commerce spent last week visiting with Tommie and Glenda Corbell and Sammy Joe and Carol Ward. He returned Saturday to Commerce where he is attending

TaMolly's on Friday.

Glen and Mary East visited Beulah

and Mrs. James A. Watts from mother, BeDee Thorn.



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Meet the Coaches night held Aug. The Rivercrest Lady Rebel-Rebel athletes. The Rebels hold five conever district honor in softball

Booster Club sponsored a "Meet the Coaches" night Thursday Aug. 15 at

7:60 p.m at the Rivercrest cafeteria. Booster Club president, Debbie Hare called the meeting to order and introduced this year's officers who are; Vice President-Gena Gage, Secretary-Julie Childres and Treasurer-Kay Ross. Mrs. Hare told the group that although athletics plays a large part in the Booster Club's activities, they also support the band, cheerleaders and all clubs at Rivercrest, Talco and Bogata. She then introduced Athletic Director, Keith Brown. Coach Brown told the group his duties as Athletic Director, Head Football coach and Head girls Softball coach. He reported 24 boys out for Varsity football, 32 boys out for JV football and 43 boys out for Junior High football. He then asked each coach to stand and introduce themselves to the group.

First to introduce himself was Steve Weddle who assists Coach Wake Wood with boys basketball, coaches JV boys basketball and assists Coach Wood with boys baseball. Coach Weddle stated one of his goals was to beat Coach Wood in a game of one on one basketball.

Coach Wake Wood was next in line. He is the head boys basketball coach and head boys baseball coach. The Rebels basketball varsity team are picked fifth in the state so far this year and the team hold five consecutive district titles.

Coach Debbie Williams was third to introduce herself. She has come to us from Canton High School. She is the head girls basketball coach, Junior High girls basketball coach, Cross Country coach and girls track coach. She state she is very excited about the coming year and has set district, regional and state goals for her teams. Although the girls basketball team is not in the top twenty, Coach Williams said, "That is Yet". She expressed her appreciation for all the Rivercrest athletes.

Next in line was Coach Terry Hill who is the boys head track coach and assistant coach to the boys football teams. Coach Hill told the parents to just keep sending him these good.

Gold Lance •

secutive district track titles

Tammie Case introduced herself She will be the assistant Junior High girls coach at Talco. She stated she is excited to be working with Coach Williams and the girls

Coach David Murry introduced himself. He is the Junior High boys coach at Talco. He also assists with high school football. He stated he was proud to be in the Talco-Bogata

Coach Ben Connell introduced himself. He is the girls high school basketball assistant coach. He stated he along with all the coaches plan on this being the Lady Rebel-Rebel year.

Coach Trevor Upchurch introduced himself and his fiance'. He is the boys Junior High coach at Bogata and he also assists with high school football. He stated he felt he had some big shoes to fill and he and Coach Murry plan to get the Rebel Junior High boys whipped into shape and ready to win.

Last but not least was Coach Tana Screws. She will be the girls assistant Junior High coach at Bogata. She stated she is excited about the coming year and ready to go.

Coach Keith Brown ended the introductions stating, "We have a very solid group of coaches and an outstanding group of athletes and we would like to thank the parents and Booster Club for the support given to us and our students.'

Booster club president, Debbie Hare returned and asked the group, Did You Know, that the Rebel football team was third in the district last year and was one touch down away from second in the district; that Rivercrest High School scored exemplary on the TAAS scores, that the Lady Rebels and Rebels competed in district, regional and state in Cross Country Track, Track and Tennis; that the Lady Rebels had the best record in four years, last year; that Rivercrest had district, regional and support the Booster Club gives the state participants in U.I.L., FFA, Band and Cheerleading; that the Rebel baseball teary took third in the district last year, that the Rebel basketball team were district and area champs and regional participants or that the Lady Rebels won the first

ever district honor in softball.

Bro. Glen Connell led the group in prayer and refreshments were served. Parents and guests spent time visiting with the coaches before the meeting

Debbie Hare re-called the meeting to order. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary, Julie Childres. Motion was made by Mark Hare to approve the minutes and it carried. Treasurer, Kay Ross reported a balance of \$2,463.56. Debbie Hare reported on last years activities and fund raisers. They were; balloon sales, fighting Rebel signs, concession stands at track meets and sponsorship of a bonfire at homecoming and a hospitality room at basketball tournaments. She reported the purchase last year of an ad in the year book. Motion was made by Tracie Asbourn and seconded by Connie Giles to purchase a \$100 ad in the year book this year. The group voted to leave the Booster Club membership at \$10.00 per family or \$5.00 per person this year. Motion was made by Julie Childres to hold a hamburger supper at the first Rebel scrimmage football game. It was seconded by Rueanna Bell and carried. The supper will be Aug. 23 beginning at 5:00 p.m. with a cest of \$3.00 for hamburger, chips and drink or \$3.25 for cheeseburger, chips and drink. Everyone was asked to sign up if they would be available to help with the evening. Rueanna Bell was put in charge of this year's membership drive.

Homecoming was discussed. It will be Sept. 20. Plans for homecoming were tabled for the next meeting, which was set for September 10 at 7:00 p.m at the Rivercrest homemak-

The motion was made by Rueanna Bell and seconded by Kay Ross and the group voted to have Sept. 6, the first home football game, as Spirit Night. Everyone will be encouraged to wear their Rebel tee shirts.

Debbie Hare thanked everyone for their attendance and support and asked that they continue to support the Booster Club with their time and money. Motion was made by Mark Hare and seconded by Trevor Upchurch to adjourn at 7:55 p.m.





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Not all Olympian feats were recognized events!

Former Talco resident tells tales of parking efforts

The following story, turned in by Nadine Caldwell, had us laughing a lot before it was over. It is the account, written by Joan Conway, of her day as an Olympic parking attendant! Jean is the daughter of Francis Smith of Daingerfield and the late Gene Smith. The Smiths lived in Talco for many years. She, her husband lee, and two children, April, age 14 and Brian a college student live in Congers Georgia. She is a flight attendant with Delta

Airlines. April, my daughter, was afraid she would miss out on the opportunity of a lifetime with the Olympics and herself with no tickets, but I'll tell you an Olympic story! April was supposed to work as a volunteer for the International Horse Park on Friday for 6 hours, I bowed out gracefully because I had a flight that day. But they called her and changed her shift to Monday, which was for 12 hours (I didn't know that part) and she accepted. I had no excuse, and as April had to be at the park at 4:30 in the morning, I figured since I had to get up, dress and drive her to the school to catch a shuttle to the park, I would just join her. I also wanted to make sure April would be treated humanely and I was feeling generous and good about helping out the schools.

See, the deal is that the three high school is Rockdale County would get 10% of the proceeds from the parking lot if they provided the volunteers and they had been having trouble getting people to work since most people work anyway and the ones who don't work may not have children in sports or band. I figured though, How hard can it be to show people where to park?? You see, I have a small mind and it thinks very small. I come from a small town, a small school and have a small family.

I just don't think big, big, BIG! Well, armed with the backpack, my most comfortable tennis shoes, regulation beige shorts a big T-shirt with EVENT PARKING written on the back, snacks, water, squeezebreeze water an, sunscreen, chapstick, money, extra socks, a straw hat fancied up with my Olympic pins, poncho, Kleenex, sunglasses, fanny pack and only 3 hours and 55 minutes of sleep April and I were on our way to the park. We felt like we were on an adventure.

We were carried to our respective parking lots on golf carts and it was very chilly. We were briefed on procedure. I was assigned to the handicapped lot and April to the upper handicapped lot. I could see April in the darkness and we flash SOS back and forth. I was feeling pretty cool in my hat, bright orange net vest, new snirt and my very cool vector flashlight. For the first hour we mostly stood around and played with the flashlights and tried to stay warm. The backpack started to get mighty heavy so I dumped it in the dirt along the fence. The sun was rising and I could see the parking field didn't have a blade of grass nor a tree, it looked like a dirt desert. I still felt excited, like something important was going to transpire. I'm also figuring I'm pretty luck to be here in handicapped parking- how many people could be handicapped compared to the ones who weren't. I felt I would spend the day taking 30 minute breaks, eating, drinking Gatorade and waving to people who drove by. It would be fun, and we would see horses and there would be people from foreign countries and we could show them Southern hospitality.

Why, we might even see movie stars! The cars started to trickle in, then to line up, then to gridlock and back up into Conyers, then to the other side of Conyers. The officials came and took away my flashlight and gave me an orange flag, then they stripped me of my orange vest and flag and told me I could be cashier now and someone under 18 could direct parking. I donned 2 Ace hardware aprons, was given a huge roll of tickets and green parking stickers and \$150 to make change. I had to take \$10 from everyone in a car, \$20 form RVs and \$30 from bigger buses and autohomes. OK, I still though it couldn't be hard. The math as easy, I had to tell them the price, make change quickly and give them tickets, the parking sticker and tell them to put on their rear-view mirror and had about 3 seconds to do so.

I had to wave 2 cars past me to the next cashiers, there were people who had their money out the window trying to give it to me all at once, and I was trying to keep from getting run over by the cars on my backside (including a huge RV with large, dangerous mirrors) and the cars kept trying to run over my toes. I had to keep screaming "blue" for handicapped parking "Red lot" for the VIPs who didn't have to pay, the ACOG officials who didn't pay, answer everyone's questions about when things started, how they broke their foot yesterday so could they park in the handicapped parking, how to get to an auto repair shop, if there was shopping in the park, where could they turn around and did they really have to pay, was there a discount for compact cars, if they could ride a horse, which was the quickest way to this or that, sorry, but they had nothing but a \$100 bill, where was the shuttle, could they ride the bus to downtown Atlanta from here? and more! One person took the ticket away from me and drove away without paying and the boss screamed at me. I finally said I was just a volunnot to get snippy with me! Soon I was bing money from their hands, slapping the parking ticket in their palm and yelling "rear view mirror, please". I exhausted my right arm waving them through. Three vans tried to run over me because they were from a foreign country, didn't speak English and had no intention of paying anything. I figured I'm only a volunteer and I didn't intend to throw myself in front of the vehicle for \$10.

One guy ignored me and drove right by. April said a lady asked her which was the quickest way to the exit. April said just to follow the exit signs and the woman told her not to be a smartass. The boss kept popping his orange flag to speed people up, but the line of cars stretched for miles. The highway system was in a gridlock. There were around 10,000 cars and my aprons quickly filled with money. Every half hour we went into the mobile home where a guard emptied our pockets. I took in \$4000 myself and there were 13 of us working. We had no breaks except a porto-let and water break. At noon someone came around with flattened biscuits and bags of potato chip crushed into cereal and partially rotten fruit. The biscuits were actually BBQ sand-

Did I mention the heat? It was only 85 but the sun seemed to burn a hole in the top of my head and the humidity made us sweat. I had little sweat blisters on my back and my feet after 12 hours without sitting were terrible. The T-shirts wee new and good quality and thick and that made them hot. Everyone had put on lots of sunblock which made us giant dirt magnets. There was no way to ward off thirst and the cars just kept coming even after the vents were over!

At 1 the horse park events were

over and I kind of had a plan to leave due to the exhaustion I felt, but I couldn't find April and couldn't leave her there alone. They proceeded to assign me to the orange parking lot where I directed traffic until 4. Hundreds of cars, all trying to crash into each other knew not which way to go. The lot had to place to sit except in the dirt, and I had to wait until someone provided water and make a port-o-let when the traffic died down. I spent 3 hours there in complete discomfort and loneliness, because I was the only one there. Others wee supposed to come, but ended up at other lots. At 3:30 p.m. I decided to quit. I personally had had enough. After all, I had been in the sun for nearly 11 hours and I wasn't getting a penny for it and if they wanted the darn shirt back, so be it! What could they do, fire me? Ha!!! I grabbed a ride with the closest golf cart driver and headed for the rendezvous tent and turned in my sticky, sweaty orange vest and sat down and dared anyone to say a word. was exhausted, hot, tired, made, hungry, thirsty tired and mad. I felt abused, I knew why they couldn't get volunteers, if they did, they worked them to death! I looked around and every ne else looked the same way. teer and didn't do this for a living and The poor kids were sunburned dirty and just pitiful. April looked awful was still remarkably cheerful. She slept for 19 hours, breaking her alltime record of 16 hours when she returned from swim camp. She said 'I wouldn't have missed the experience but I won't be back". I agreed. I asked her seriously the next day if wanted to go to the horse park for some of the events and she said "Absolutely not, Mom" I always said she was smart

If a nation values anything more than freedom, it will lose its freedom; and the irony of it is that if it is comfort or money that it values more, it will lose that too.

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Cats, dogs and newspapers galore!!

By Liz Irwin

We may have to change the name of the papers....instead of Thunder Prairie Publishing, we may have to be known as Thunder Prairie Publishing and Animal Shelter, Inc.

When I signed on here to work, I never anticipated the canine and feline aspects of the situation (you can tell I'm not an animal lover, although I have nothing against people that are). Oh, I always knew Nanalee had a soft spot for animals. . . . soft spot is not the word! This lady has cats, dogs, ducks plus one husband! Needless to say, Thomas can't be left out either. He has a few soft spots, too! One in particular is red-headed with long ears, loves rib bones and goes by the name of Lacey! But, more on that later.

There have been numerous rescues to Nanalee's credit. Since Thomas is president of the Deport Volunteer Fire Department and Nanalee goes to take pictures, they are always running upon animals that have been hurt or injured. She has found homes for a variety of various animals. Bringing them home, cleaning them up and nursing them back to health. One kitten in particular had most of his hair burned off in a fire. He is now fully recovered and was placed in a loving home.

Just recently, Cindy, (you know Cindy. . . . drives a white Chevrolet and has a penchant for buzzards!) brought in two baby kittens, less than 24 hours old. Nanalee has her own mid-wife supplies in readiness. One basket, complete with "blankie", coke bottle full of warm water, used as surogate mother and she even buys "kitty" baby formula from the veteranarian. I believe she keeps the vet on retainer.

Every two hours, she would have to stop whatever she was doing. . . even sleeping. . . . warm the milk, feed "baby" in a small doll-like feeding bottle and rub his tummy to get it all settled back down and sleeping.

When I have an amazing anecdote about Allison (my 2-1/2 year old friend, that I spoil outrageously) Nanalee usually has one to add about one of her "babies"

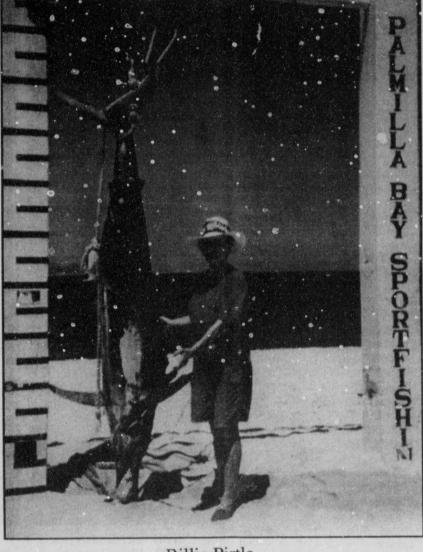
The office door is always open to folks as they parade through with a variety of wounded canines and felines. Thomas' Lacey always keeps a constant watch at the door for everyone that comes by. Everyone knows, or will know when they come in that she gets her petting first, before they are waited on and any transactions or business is transacted. Just a scratch or simple pat will do!

Tuesday is usually rib-day at the Lonesome Dove and Lacey waits by the window and is very hurt if she is not brought back a bone. Cindy, of course, has thoroughly spoiled her by bring her beef jerky each morning and Cheetos and by teaching her the finer points of "Toilet Tissue Shredding". Lacey senses Thomas' return in the afternoon from his trips to Mt. Pleasant on Tuesday and anxiously awaits for his greeting. She even likes me, even though I have run over her tail a couple of times with my rolling chair and expects a "tummy rub" each time she sees me.

Needless to say, a name change would be seemingly appropriate in our case as strays come and go.

NOTE: As I said, not being a great animal lover myself, I have recently been blessed with a large, yellow Tomcat that was "deposited" on our doorstep. "Mr. O'Malley, as Allison has named him, now sleeps at the door and knows our every move, irritates our watchdogs unmercifully and has adopted us as his new mas-

Nanalee says, "Animals are like small children, they know who loves them and will care for them." Besides, Allsion has become attached to him and how could I dissapoint her by not keeping Mr. O'Malley!



Billie Pirtle

Billie Pirtle fishes off Baja

Billie Pirtle of Bogata is pictured after being out only one hour. above with the 250 pound Blue Marlin she caught while fishing off the southern tip of the Baja Peninsulas in the Sea of Cortez...

Billie and children Ken, Kathy and Kati Miller of Commerce vacationed one week in San Jose Del Cabo, Mexico. Billie caught her Marlin

They also caught yellow fin tuna and dorado. Kati, age nine, caught a twenty pound tune and three in the twelve to fifteen pound range.

Billie's hobbies include hunting and fishing and she says that this catch is going to be hard to top!



Katha Crawford shown with "I Am A Ten Too", winner of the Hunter Under Saddle class at the 1996 Texas State 4-H Show,

Katha Crawford still winning

Katha Crawford has successfully teamed up with 2 AQHA geldings this year. She is the recepient of a \$6,000 college scholarship from the San Antonio Stock Show, after receiving the Reserve All-Around Texas youth in the Quarter Horse division with "I Am A Ten Too".

Katha nationally qualified and recently competed in the 1996 AQHYA World Show at Fort Worth with "Black Jacks Demon" in Equitation Over Fences. This show, with over 2,000 entries, is one of the largest in

the world. At the 1996 Texas State 4-H Show, Katha and "Jack" won the Equitation Over FEnces as well as placing in the top ten in 6 other events. Several of the classes had over 160

Katha is the daughter of Benn and Marilyn Crawford of Deport and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Castlebury of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Crawford of Bogata, Robert Rose of New York and Mrs. Jean Morrissey of Steamboat Spring, Colorado. She is a junior at Prairiland





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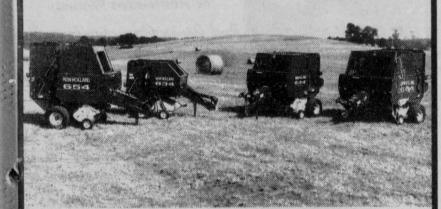
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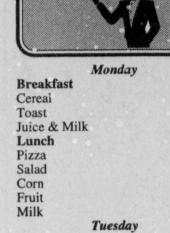
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Bogata School Menu

August 26-30

Breakfast Waffles & Syrup Juice & Milk Lunch Chicken Rings Steamed Broccoli Fruit Jello Rolls & Honey Milk

Wednesday **Breakfast** Sausage& Biscuit Jelly Juice& Milk Lunch Ham & Cheese Sub Sandwich Salad Carrots & Broccoli Ranch Dressing Fruit Milk

Thursday **Breakfast** Cinnamon Rolls Cereal Juice, Milk Lunch Spaghetti with Hamburger meat Salad Green Beans Milk

Friday

Breakfast Cereal Toast Jelly Juice, Milk Lunch Cheeseburgers Salad & Pickles Seasoned Beans Chips Ice Cream Milk

will hold a public hearing on a proposal to



Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser fate, or even decrease, depending on the

change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on AUGUST 29, 1996 at RIVERCREST HIGH SCHOOL 8:00 P.M.

FOR the proposal: EDDY BROWN, RICKY FRANKS, MOLLIE WILLIAMS, KIP STANSELL,

increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1996 by 12.92

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revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.



NEW BUSINESS IN BOGATA-The 909 Diner opened over the week end on highway 909 just off Main Street in Bogata. They serve a full menu including short orders and lunches. The new



Thursday at 7:00 p.m. is "42" time and every Saturday at 1:30 is Bingo playing time.

The VFW and its Auxiliary meets every second and fourth Monday at 7

* Plan to attend the dance September 7. Broadway Junction Band will provide dance music from 8:30 PM until 12:30 AM. Admission is \$3.00

each. You must be 21 to attend. * Happy Birthday to George Smith,

Bill Carr and Jim Smyth. Thinking of you and hope you feel better to Gordon Tabb, Jettie Minshew, Iva Carr, Audrey Gillis, J.D. and Helen Barnette, Melvin Pointer and to all our comrades and sisters we may not know about who are ill.

Regional Food Bank being established

in Red River Co. S.A.I.N.T.S (supporting all in need through service) will be opening up a Regional Food Bank to serve theneeds of Red River and East Bowie Counties. Currently we are operating with canned goods and some perishables, but plan to expand as needs within the region warrant. If you feel like you would qualify for our program you may come by the Fellowship Hall at the Avery United Methodist Church in Avery and pick up an application. The application must be completely filled out and returned to Avery United Methodist Church. Your application will be screened and you will be notified of your qualification and of the location of this service by mail. This service will open on Thursday, August 22, 1996 to all who have qualified for this

If you are interested in participating in this ministry you can do so by volunteering your time, donating canned and paper goods, donating clothing that is in servicable condition and monetary donations. For further information you may contact Rev. Michael Green at 684-3527.

business features a full service fountain with Blue Bell Ice Cream, shakes, malts, sundaes and banana splits. They are open Tuesday through Saturday 6:00 AM until 8:00 PM and

Sundays 11:00 AM until 8:00 PM. Pictured are Kazan Lynch, Angela Iles, Teresa Smith, Manager and Barbara Smith, Owner. The telephone number is 632-5719.

Red River County Sheriff's Report

August11-17

August 11: Report of minor accident in Detroit; civil matter on FM909 south; inmate released on bond; activated alarm in Avery; inmate transported to County Jail on DPS warrants for failure to report striking a fixed object, no liability insurance, driving without license and operating an unregistered vehicle; inmate released on bond; report of disturbance in Detroit.

August 12: Report of suspicious vehicle on FM410; inmate released with arrangements to pay fine; inmate released per Judge; male arrested on warrant for asssault by threat; male arrested on warrant for violation of probation, assault family violence; report of criminal mischief

in Bagwell times two. August 13: Report of suspicious circumstances on FM114; report of prowler in Annona; inmate released with arrangements to pay fine; inmate released into custody of Titus County; female arrested on charge of harassment by telephone; inmate released on bond; report of minor accident in Rosalie; report of theft in

Bogata; report of harassment.

August 14: Male arrested on charge of public intoxication; inmate released on judges order; report of criminal mischief times two; inmate released on bond; report of family disturbance in Bogata.

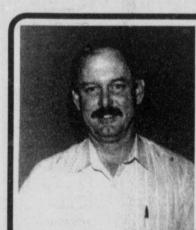
August 15: Male arrested on commitment order; report of harassment in Detroit; report of animal complaint in Avery; inmate transported to county jail on DPS warrants; report of disturbance in Manchester area; disabled vehicle on Hwy 82; animal complaint on FM1159; inmate released after paying fine.

August 16: Abandoned vehicle in Annona; disorderly conduct in Avery; male arrested on charge of violation of parole, no drivers license, failure to identify, no insurance and no registration.

August 17: Welfare concern in Avery; report of theft on FM271 and FM909; report of family violence in Bogata; report of family violence south of Rugby; report of disturbance



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AGAINST the proposal: NONE			
PRESENT and not voting: NONE			
ABSENT: MIKE RECTOR			
The statement above shows the percentage increase the pr	oposed rate represe	ents over the _0.9932	
tax rate that the unit published on AUGUST 8, 1996			age
home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on t			
taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable			
	Last Year	This Year	
Average home value	\$ 19,308	\$ 19,269	
General exemptions available			
(amount available on the average home,			
not including senior citizen's or disabled			
person's exemptions)	\$ 10,000	\$_10,000	
Average taxable value	\$ 9,308	\$ 9,269	
Tax rate	1.1500/\$100	1.1078/\$100 (proposed)	
Tax	\$_107.04	\$ 102.68 (proposed)	
Under this proposal taxes on the average home would	DECREASE	_by\$5.64	
or 5.26 percent compared with las			out
adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate w			
per \$100 of taxable value or 3.66 per			tax
rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the tax			
Criminal Justice Mandate (for counties): N/A			
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County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state



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'91 GMC Suburban

Low Miles-White

w/Camper-2 Tone

'79 Chevy Crew Cab SW 350-V8 Auto

'96 Chevy Cavalier

'96 Chevy Caprice-Beige

'95 Chevy Corsica-Green

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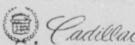
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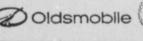
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SALES

OUT OF BUSINESS SALE: Sidewalk sale, August 23-24, downtown Blossom. Refrigerator dolly; 4-wheel flat dollies;110 volt clothes dryer; Kitchen Aide trash compactor; large wooden step ladder; 25 amp generator, tractor powered. Many other items. Must come and see. Many oil paintings. 8-22

HOUSEFURNITURE SALE: Door will not be opened to public until 7:30 a.m. Saturday, August 24. 620 High Street, Blossom, Please, these things should not have been sold: Dr. McGee's biography, I will double the price if you bring them back: "Go home and tell, Bertha Smith" the video tapes, only if the sign language dictionary is not erased; two large 3" red 3-ring notebooks. 8-22

NOTICE

TAKING BIDS on approximately 80 acres standing grass. You mow, rake and bale. 903-674-2119. MA 9-5

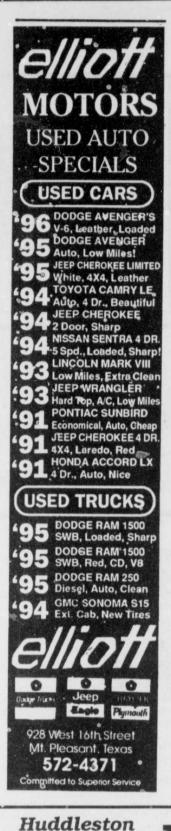
LOST

& FOUND FOUND: White puppy, Deport area, Sunday, August 11.2 to 3 months old. 903-632-5445. 8-29nc

LOST: Hubcap from 1989 Buick LeSabre. Lost on the route between Moore's Texaco, the Kwik Korner and post office in Bogata. Call 903-632-

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JOHNTOWN LOCALS By Jana Hawkins

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Jay Ward received his degree of Bachelor of fine Arts in Radio, Television and Film at the Commencement Exercises at Sam Houston State University on August 17, at Barnard G. Johnson Coliseum in Huntsville. Jay's wife is Kristin Magee Ward, granddaughter of Gene and Lydia Hawkins. Jay is the son of Lynn and Linda Ward of Holly Lake.

Mrs. Reba Cecil of Talco visited Gene and Lydia Hawkins Saturday afternoon.

Sunday after church a group from Johntown enjoyed eating at the West-ern Sizzlin' in Mount Pleasant. Attending were Holly Jean, Robbie Hawkins, Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins, Larry Wayne Neeley, Drue and Billie Pirtle, Clay and Lana Pirtle and Chris Sinkey, MIkki and Vance Pirtle, Lindsey and Stephanie Fischer, Dr. Bobby and Chessie Clark, Bro. Calvin and Myra Permenter. Afterward everyone enjoyed going out to the Permenter's home in Mount Pleasant for a visit and fellowship.

Enjoying hamburgers, swimming and fellowship at the home of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Harold Neeley,

Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins, Robbie Hawkins, Darla, Ryan and Allix Brunson and Holly Jean, Brother Calvin and Myra Permenter, Dr. Bobby and Chessie Clark

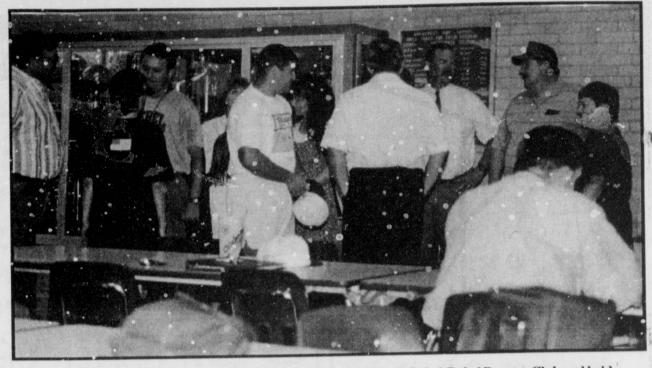
Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins, Pauline Gibbs and Felina and Jerrica White enjoyed shopping in Clarksville on Monday night.

Robbie and Doug Hawkins, Lucille Childers, Jana, Mark, Haley and Heather Hawkins enjoyed eating hamburgers and all the trimmings Saturday night.

Friday night Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins enjoyed playing Chisum Miniature Golf and eat-

Visitors this week in the home of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Dana and Harold Neeley, Jay Hancock, Matt Childers, Larry Wayne Neeley, Chris Sinkey and Lana Pirtle, Myra and Brother Calvin Permenter, Jerry Francis, Robbie Hawkins, Brother Larry and Dorothy Neeley, Dr. Bobby and Chessie Clark.

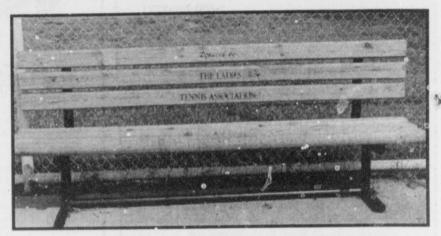
Sunday visitors of Tommy Lee, Joyce and Glenda Cox were Eugene Cox, Angela and Erin Iles and Dorothy Foster.



MEET THE COACHES- night sponsored by the Rivercrest Lady Rebel-Rebel Booster Club and held Thursday Aug.15 at 7:00 at the Rivercrest cafeteria was well attended. Parents had the opportunity to meet and talk with Junior High, JV and Varsity girls and boys coaches. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

I would like to extend our thanks and gratitude to GTE Telephone Company for helping us get charges for voice mail we didn't authorize removed from

In every respect they proved helpful. We appreciate them. Nanalee Nichols



NEW BENCHES- have been donated to the Rivercrest High School tennis court by the Ladies Tennis League. The benches were built by Craig Easley. The Ladies Tennis League were able to give one scholarship to a Rivercrest senior tennis player this past year and they plan to give one or more schorlarships to this year's senior tennis players. (staff photo Nancy Brown)

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VEGETABLES

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Hostess

SNACK

CAKES

89¢

Parade

Parade Cut

14 1/2oz. Can

Kraft Salad

DRESSINGS

8oz. Bottle French &

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Parade Cream Style 14 1/2oz. Can

3/\$1

SYRUP Garden Club Corn

99¢

32oz. Bottle

Mrs. Bairds CUP

CAKES **79**¢

MARGARINE



69¢

3/\$1

COFFEE

CREAMER

Parade

16oz.

HOT DOG

BUNS

8 Pk.

Fresh Bake

PEAS Parade Sweet 14 1/2oz. Can

ICE CREAM

MILK

Oak Farms 1/2 Gal. **All Flavors** (-)

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Parade

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Fresh Bake Lg. Loaf

BREAD

WHITE ONIONS

29¢ Lb. **CANTALOUPES**





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