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By Nanalee Nichols

In our years at the paper and in our personal lives we have attended many events such as singings, variety shows, choirs performances at schools, and more.

I've always enjoyed them, but never gave them much thought until last Thursday night.

Our good friend Sam Rice as the disc jockey in the Red River County Courthouse Player's "50s Rock N Roll Show". We knew we wouldn't be able to attend Saturday, when the performances were scheduled because of being in the hay meadow, so we received an invitation to the dress rehearsal.

Because of my older brothers I can remember hearing every song they sang, "At the Hop", "Gotta Be Rock N Roll Music", "Sixteen Candles", "Ain't That a Shame" and many more.

But what really impressed me was the amount of work put into the delivery of jokes, dancing, timing and general performance, plus (And this is the biggest plus) what wonderful voices they had.

There were good musicians in the form of pianists, guitarists and a drummer. And oh, how those voices filled the courtroom!

The soloists had wonderful voices, clear, true and good.

The chorus really had their act together!

And, on the way back from Clarksville I began to ponder on voices and musicians that we had heard at those singings, shows and other places.

It led me to the conclusion that there is an incredible amount of musical talent in the world!

Think of it, the joyous voices uplifted in a church choir, the performers who never aspire to true fame, but dearly love to delight a local audience, the talent that struggles to make a name for themselves beyond a local level by gamely struggling up from the bottom towards that elusive stardom.

Think about all the people that you know with good voices, don't you find there are a lot of them?

It is truly a privilege to be able to hear these people. They, and thousands like them, are always willing to sing because of the joy and pleasure it gives them.

So, to all those singers out there that I have heard, but never had the opportunity to thank personally, Thank You. I'm glad there is so much musical talent in the world!

Bogata to have clean-up days

On Friday and Saturday, October 18 and 19, the City of Bogata will have clean up days.

Please call City Hall at 632-5315 at your earliest convenience to schedule a pickup. You may bring trash to the dumpster behind City Hall on Saturday.

There are some things which cannot be dumped such as: refrigerators, air conditioners or anything with freon in it, tires, leaves or lawn cleanings, batteries, paint or any kind of toxic waste.

For more information or to ask about what you may or may not dump please call City Hall.

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Mr. & Mrs. Bob Harden

Rosalie Community Center & VFD plan activities

By Jack Dodd
Rosalie Community Center and Volunteer Fire Department is having its annual Homecoming November 16, 1996. This is again on Saturday with dinner on the ground and all games and singing. Everyone is welcome. Just bring a covered dish and join in. Probably around 11:00 A.M.

More details later - Any volunteers for singers, pickers and grinders, a good fiddle a magic act just

contact C.D. Glass. There will be plenty of good gospel music from our local artists.

Remember October 26. Halloween Party - Rosalie Community Center. Chili, stew, desserts and drinks plus games and spooks, a scary hayride you won't forget any time soon.

Lots going on, so don't be left at home with fun for adults, young adults and children. Get involved!



STUDENT COUNCIL-Members of the Bogata School Student Council are, Back Row: Erica Williams sixth grade representative, Alison Foster sixth grade representative, Kasey Crawford eighth grade Representative, Rebecca Stewart eighth grade representative, Ryan Hawkins seventh grade representative and Brittany Barnett seventh grade repre-

sentative. Front row: Charla Hines Secretary, Chauncy Fulbright sixth grade Representative, Clinton Cheatwood Vice President, Kara Palmer President, Kim Shirley eighth grade representative, Caressa Covington seventh grade representative and Erin Stieve Parliamentarian. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

Bogata Lions Club discusses fundraiser

When the Bogata Lions Club met Thursday, October 3, the Pledge of allegiance to the flag was led by Neil Rozell and the invocation was given by Reverend B.G. Bowden.

The meeting was called to order by Club president, Dr. Robert White. The meal was furnished by Willie Clark and Pat Williams. Visitors were Claudia Vickers from Corpus Christi and Robbie Marshall.

Reports were given by the various committee chairpersons.

It was announced that a box has

been placed in the lobby of Guaranty Bank in Bogata for the collection of old eyeglasses, frames or lenses so that the public may donate at their convenience.

A fund-raiser was discussed. The group voted to have the fund-raiser. The details will be available after the next meeting. Proceeds from this fund raiser will go toward the Community Center fund.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 P.M.

VFW post plans anniversary celebration

On December 14, 1976, the doors first opened to Post Home-VFW 8187 at Bogata. The twenty year anniversary is fast approaching so they are planning a Day Out on October 20, 1996.

All members and their families are invited to come out and help the organization celebrate. There will be games for the young and young at heart alike. Since this occasion will be on a Sunday, lunch will be served at 12:30 to give everyone the oppor-

tunity to attend church. Many improvements have been made to the post home since it opened. More space has been added and a new dance floor was built. The group is proud of its achievements and offers a big Thanks to everyone who volunteered their time, and contributions to make it possible. Their devotion to the post has made this special day possible.

A covered dish will be appreciated.

Hardens first subscribers to Bogata News

By Frances Mayes Rozell

The Bogata News this month has another birthday. It was established October 1910 by R.L. (Bob) Stanley 86 years ago. Mr. Bob Harden was the first subscriber having paid a \$1.00 subscription fee to Mr. Stanley when he told Mr. Harden he was starting a newspaper in Bogata.

The news office was located at the intersection of North Main and Second Street N.W. It was housed in a two story building, the upper part being a Masonic hall. The building was destroyed, in later years, by fire. After one year, Mr. Stanley sold the paper to Brice Collins and his wife and son, Leon. Mr. Collins gave Mr. Harden a picture of the printing press. It was a large job press that printed a 6 column page, one page at a time. The paper would consist of four pages. The picture was printed in the Bogata News in 1964. We couldn't locate it for this article but we do have a picture of the first subscriber.

Mr. Collins sold the paper to J.P. Nance. Martha Tanner of Oklahoma operated the Bogata News after buying it from Nance. While living in Bogata, she married Charley Allen. They sold the paper to H.L. Kimsey who, after operating it for two years, sold it to Mr. Sam Holloway in August 1937. After Mr. Holloway's death in May 1960, it was published by his widow, Mrs. Lucille Holloway of Deport and later sold to Bob Wright

and then sold in 1982 to Bert West who only kept it a short time. The Bogata News is now owned by Thomas and Nanalee Nichols of Deport.

During the past 86 years, The Bogata News has chronicled every important event in the lives on many living in the Bogata area - births, parties, graduations, weddings and for many, an obituary. They are all there - the joyous and the sad events - the life stories of the paper's readers and their families. (notes taken from a paper printed in 1964.)

Mrs. Harden (first subscriber) was a well respected farmer in this community - well known for his good watermelons. His wife, Mattie McGill, was the daughter of Samuel and Ester Elizabeth Byrd McGill. She graduated from Bogata High School and attended McKenzie College. Mr. Harden passed away July 4, 1954 at the age of 80. Mrs. Harden kept the Bogata News coming to her until her death in March 1972 at the age of 94. Of the Harden's ten children, four are surviving: John Harden of Jowntown, Ruby Sistrunk Maggie Lee and Ruth Couch all of Bogata.

As Mr. Harden was eager to support Bogata's first Bogata News, Mrs. Harden supported the school's first Homecoming and was recognized several years as the oldest Ex Student.

Lest We Forget - 1997 Homecoming Committee Box 21 Bogata.

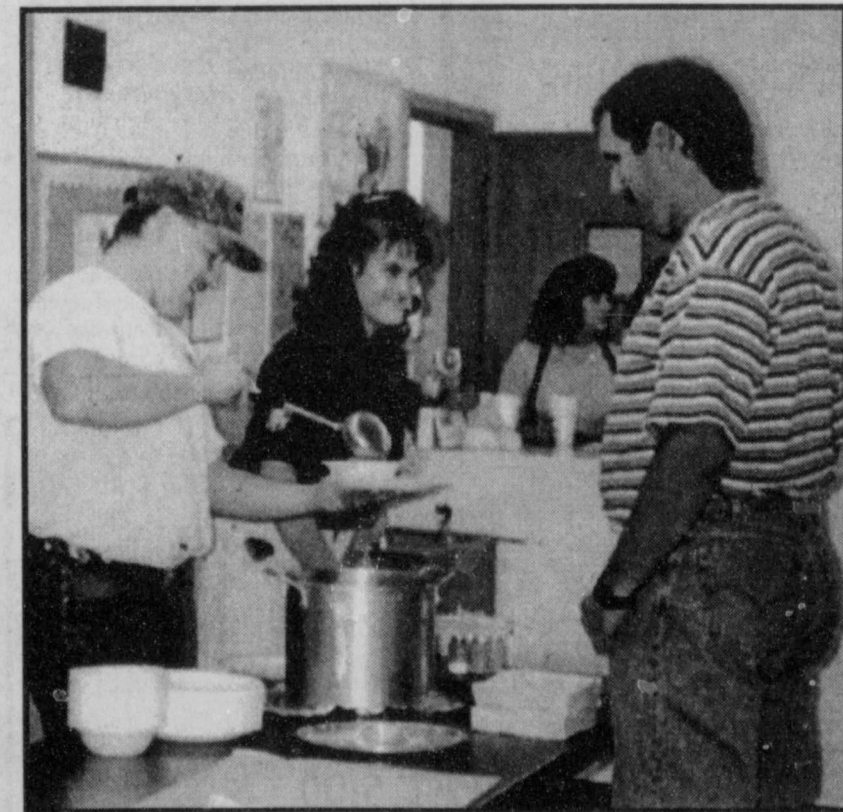
Halesboro-Marris Chapel to have homecoming

On Saturday, October 19 at 10:00 A.M. there will be a Homecoming at Halesboro/Marris Chapel. This gathering includes the 1996 Annual School Reunion as well as Homecoming for these two longstanding communities.

Mark your calendar and plan to attend this enjoyable occasion, and remember to bring a covered dish.

It is extraordinary to what expense of time and money people will go in order to get something for nothing.

—Robert Lynd



SERVING it up-stew and chili and all the trimmings were served up to those that helped make the Bogata VFD and First Responder's supper a success Saturday night. (Staff Photo)

Booster Club organizes caravan to Prairiland game

The Rivercrest Booster Club met Tuesday, October 8, with the meeting called to order by President Debbie Hare. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the financial report was given.

T-shirt sales were discussed. The Booster Club still has some short sleeved shirts for sale if anyone wants one. Contact Debbie Hare if you want one.

Everyone was encouraged to bring their shakers to this Friday's game against Prairiland and to join the caravan that will travel from the elemen-

tary school to Prairiland. Join the group at 6:30 p.m. at the elementary school to travel in the caravan and bring your shoe polish to paint your windshields. Wear your T-shirts and plan to join the spirit line to cheer the boys onto the field.

The Booster Club voted to donate a T-shirt and sign to the Talco and Bogata harvest festivals to use as prizes.

The next meeting was set for Monday, November 11 at 7:00 p.m. at the Homemaking Room.

People 'n Things

Saturday, October 12

The Turner Lake School Reunion will be held at Bogata Community Center at 10:00 A.M. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Sunday, October 13

The McCrury Homecoming will be held. Bring your lawn chairs and a covered dish and enjoy the day.

Monday, October 14

The Ladies Fellowship group will meet in the Chapel at Red River Healthcare Center at 8:00 A.M.

Friday & Saturday, October 18 & 19

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Saturday, October 19

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Sunday, October 20

A celebration will be held at Bogata VFW Post 8187 in honor of its 20 years as a club. A covered dish luncheon will be served at 12:30 to members and their families. Be sure to bring a covered dish and come out and help celebrate.

Third Tuesday of Each Month
Commodities will be distributed from 1:00 P.M. until 4:00 P.M. at the Bogata Community Center.

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 Harvest Festival Dinner hosted by the ETMC auxiliary will be held Friday, October 18 in the hospital dining room. Carry outs will be available at 5:00 p.m. Proceeds go to nurses scholarships.

The Talco-Bogata Rebels and Rivercrest Junior Varsity will host Prairiland Patriots on Thursday Oct. 10 beginning at 5:00 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support our young teams.

The Varsity Rebels will travel to Prairiland on Friday Oct. 11. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support the team. Game time will be 7:30 p.m.

Trick or Treat on October 31

According to Bogata Mayor, Mildred Eudy, after talking with school administrators she is announcing that Bogata children should do their trick or treating on Halloween night, Thursday, October 31.

Band parents concession open for home games

The concession stand on the visitors side of Rebel Stadium is being manned by parents of the band students. It is open at each of Rivercrest's home ball games for Varsity, Junior Varsity and Junior High School teams.

Some of the items being sold at the concession stand are .50 cent soft drinks, Nachos, Frito Pies, Hot Dogs, Chili Dogs, Coffee, Hot Chocolate, some candy, and gum and dill pickles.

Turner Lake School plans reunion

The Turner Lake School reunion will be held at Bogata Community Center beginning at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, October 12.

Bring a covered dish and see all the folks.

McCrury Homecoming planned

The McCrury Homecoming will be held Sunday, October 13, 1996. Tea and paper products will be furnished. Bring your lawn chairs and a covered dish.

Come out and enjoy the day.

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RUMBELLY- and Rhoda. With excellent delivery of their jokes and some good dance and musical skills Red River County Attorney Jack Herrington and Rhonda Long Exum brought down the house with laughter at their comedy Saturday at the 50's Rock & Roll Show at Clarksville. The show was produced by Herrington as well and was sold out for all performances. Funds go to aid the Red River County Historical Society. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Country Cooking

By Liz Irwin

First of all this week, let me tell everyone that sent in, mailed, faxed or otherwise, their copies of recipes for Key Lime Pie. . . Thank You! I received around 7 copies of this recipe. What would I do without my faithful readers? Guess I will have to try each and everyone of them! I will let you know which one we like the best. My daughter Cari will have to be the judge. She ate these when they were in Houston this summer at the FFA Convention and came home and told me that I would have to learn to make her Key Lime Pies. That they were absolutely delicious! While looking through my many recipe books, I could not find a Key Lime Pie recipe and relied on you readers to help me out and you came across once more.

But, this week's column is dedicated to the much maligned, lowly, Jalapeno. These Texas favorites are used in a variety of recipes from Picante Sauce on down to Jelly. Not only can they be purchased in a wide range on the heat index, from extra mild to wild and red hot, but they can also be purchased sliced, diced, minced, dry, canned and many other ways.

Where Jalapenos used to be sold in only specialty stores, now everyone sells them. They adorn nachos, though only the hearty will eat them; used for dressing up a dish and pushed aside and left to be thrown out; dropped in the occasional pot of Texas Chili to liven it up a little; are painted, stitched, ironed on and are now even seen adorning the necks and ears of high fashion models as Tex-Mex and Southwest seems to be the latest fashion craze.

A lot of gardeners plant them each year and they are canned in a variety of ways and added to the ever-popular picante or hot sauce. They now can be purchased as plants in a variety of either mild or hot, depending on the consumers stomach lining. My husband plants several (at least a dozen) plants each year and they are always loaded with a vast amount of these succulent peppers.

I know that this column is a little off the wall this week, but you know everyone is a little off the wall sometimes!

Hope you enjoy this and we will see you in the kitchen!

Obituaries

J.C. Whatley dies October 6

J.C. Whatley, age 48 of Bogata died Sunday, October 6 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Paris.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 8 in the Johntown Missionary Baptist Church with burial in Cuthand Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home.

Mr. Whatley was born July 21, 1948 in Mt. Pleasant, the son of J.C. Whatley, Sr. and Doris Jaciel Hassel Whatley. He married Mary Jo Martin on December 7, 1968 in Bogata. He was employed by Cotton Belt and Texas Northeastern Railway Co.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Doris Whatley of Mt. Pleasant; four brothers, Roy, Tommy, James and Robert Whatley; and a sister, Wanda Epperson, all of Mt. Pleasant.

The family requests in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Bogata Fire Department First Responders.

Asa E. Low dies October 3

Asa E. Low of Dallas died Thursday, October 3.

Services were held Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Oak Cliff. Burial was in Restland Cemetery under the direction of Laurel Land Funeral Home.

Mr. Low was born January 3, 1914 near Woodland, a son of Thomas Edgar and Eliza Turk Low. He had worked for Tennessee and Metzger Dairies in Dallas and was a graduate of the United Television Laboratories of Louisville, KY. He was retired from Rockwell International in Richardson.

He married Bessie Sue Paddock on September 10, 1941.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Asa E. Low Jr. of Dallas and Charles Lynn Low of Houston; six grandchildren; a brother, Thomas Newman Low of Detroit; two sisters, Audie Pearl Mills and Geneva Lee, both of Detroit.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to all your lovely people from Deport, Pattonville and Shady Grove for helping us celebrate our 50th anniversary. You are very special to us.

James & Dorothy Cunningham

Card Of Thanks

We would like to sincerely thank all of our many friends and family for all their food, flowers and prayers in the sadness and loss of our sister.

Thank you for your kindness, Delene Mauldin Mayes

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for their support during my surgery and recovery. Prayers, visits, cards, phone calls. Special thanks to Dr. Crumpler, Dr. Nada, St. Joseph Hospital and Nursing staff. Bro. Bob Bush and Bogata United Methodist Church. Also Care First since I have been home.

Roberta Watts

Card of Thanks

The family of Barney Wilson wishes to express our deepest gratitude for all the love and concern our family received in our time of sorrow.

The food, flowers, cards, thoughts, calls and memorials and most of all, your concern, mean so very much to each of us.

Our special thanks go to Bright-Holland Funeral Home, also to Dr. L.C. Stout, the Rev. Gifford Long, the Rev. Paul Bruhn and Treva Coston for their services.

Mrs. Barney (Carlina) Wilson, Betty and Jim Slayden & Family, and Martha Porterfield & Family

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When you're not feeling well, it's comforting to know that quality health care is not far away.

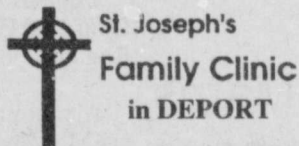
St. Joseph's Family Clinic, conveniently located on Main Street, in the heart of Deport, is headed by Nurse Practitioner Susan Scholz, R.N., C.F.N.P., while Dr. David Salas serves as medical director and Dr. Agnes Xavier sees patients one day each week.



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October 10, 1996 Jalapeno Recipes

Jalapeno Relish

1/2 gallon green tomatoes-sliced
3 quarts onion-sliced
2 aurtas jalapeno peppers-sliced
8 cups sugar
1 quart cider vinegar
1 quart water
8 teaspoons salt

Boil all ingredients for 15 minutes and pour into jars and seal.

Jalapeno Cheese Log

1 pound Velveeta Cheese
1-8 ounce package cream cheese
1/4 cup jalapenos-diced
1/4 cup pimentos-diced
1/2 cup green onion-diced

Roll cheese out into rectangle between two sheets of wax paper. Soften the cream cheese and spread over the cheese. Sprinkle the jalapenos, pimentos and onions over the cream cheese. Roll into a cheese log. Chill and serve with crackers.

Jalapeno Cheese Ball

1/2 pound mild cheddar cheese-grated
1-8 ounce package cream cheese
1/2 cup black olives(optional)
2 cloves garlic-minced
2 large jalapenos-finely chopped
3 tablespoons juice from pepper
1 cup pecans

In a medium bowl, combine cheese, olives, garlic, peppers and juice. Mix into ball and roll into chopped pecans. Serve with crackers.

Jalapeno Chicken

6 boneless chicken breasts
2 tablespoons oil
1 pint sour cream
1 tablespoon flour
1 garlic clove-chopped

salt and pepper

1-8 ounce can jalapeno peppers
1 cup mozzarella cheese-grated
1 large onion-sliced
4 tablespoons chopped green onion
Preheat oven to 350 and brown chicken in oil on both sides. Arrange in a 3 quart baking dish. In blender combine sour cream, flour, garlic, salt, pepper and peppers; blend until smooth to make sauce. Sprinkle cheese over chicken top with sauce and onion rounds and sprinkle with green onions. Bake uncovered for 1 hour.

Jalapeno Jelly

1-1/2 cups green bell pepper-chopped finely
2 jalapenos-remove seeds
3 teaspoons juice from jalapeno
1/2 teaspoon salt
7-1/2 cups sugar
1-1/2 cups white vinegar
green food coloring(optional)
1-3 ounce package Certo
Combine all ingredients, except Certo in heavy pan. Bring to a boil and boil 6 minutes. Stir frequent'y. Stir in Certo and boil for three more minutes. Remove from heat; skim foam from top and pour into sterile jars.
Pickled Jalapenos
fresh jalapenos to fill 6 quarts
garlic and carrots-sliced
1 cup vinegar
4 cups water
1/4 cup canning salt
3 teaspoons pickling spices
1 teaspoon comino seeds
1 bay leaf
1/4 cup olive oil

YWCA seeks crafters for bazaar

The 38th annual Senior Citizen's Bazaar sponsored by the YWCA is currently seeking participants, according to Priscilla Merriman, YWCA director.

Anyone who would like to have a booth at the Bazaar and is 60 years or older is encouraged to participate.

Many items are sold that are not normally thought of as crafts at the bazaar. Baked, canned items and potted plants along with more traditional crafts like woodworking and sewing.

The Bazaar will be Saturday, November 2 from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Youth Hall of the First

Christian Church. Due to the number of items the bazaar has been moved to the Youth Hall for more room. It was previously held in the YWCA Ballroom.

The Senior Citizen's Bazaar is sponsored by the YWCA as a service project to help senior citizens earn extra money for the holidays. All proceeds from the Bazaar are kept by the individual crafters, bakers and gardeners. For more information or to receive a registration form for the Bazaar contact the YWCA at 785-5221. The YWCA is a United Way agency.

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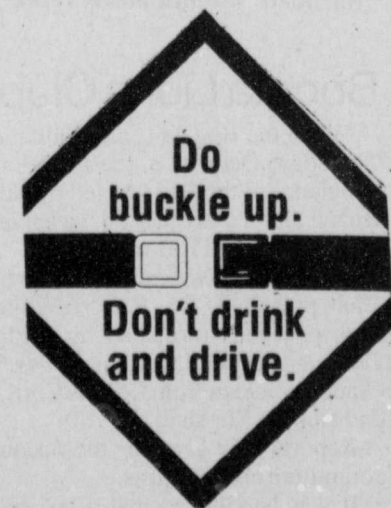
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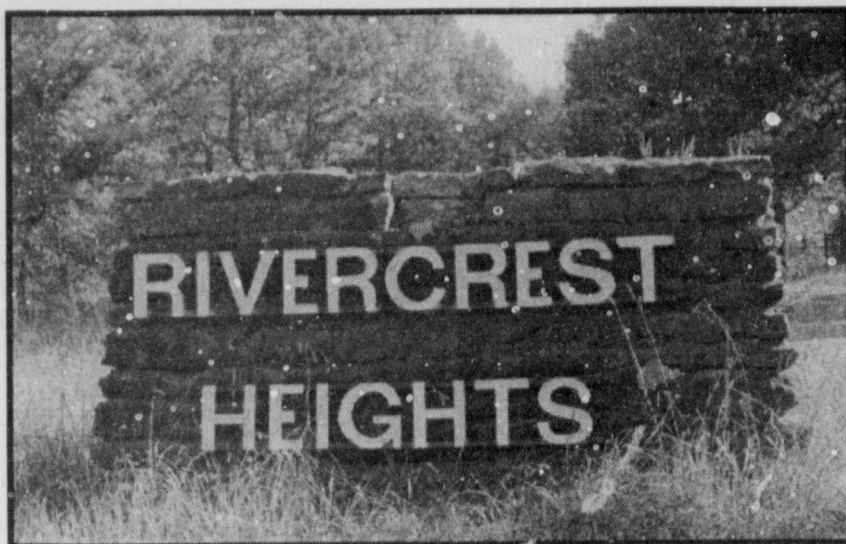
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TEE SHIRTS FOR SALE- Rivercrest Booster Club President, Debbie Hare was kept busy with sales of tee shirts at Friday night's game. The shirts have this year's school slogan on them. TEAM, Together Each Accomplishes More. The slogan was chosen from a contest sponsored at Rivercrest by the Booster Club. The winner was April Elrod. Prices are: Sweatshirts-\$15, Long sleeve-\$12, Short sleeve-\$10 and there is an extra charge for sizes over XL. Shirts may be purchased at the home football games or ordered from Debbie Hare, Booster Club President. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



A FACELIFT-Mrs. Margaret Harrison, a resident of Rivercrest Heights, decided that she didn't like the looks of the bedraggled sign announcing the

name of the area so she, at her own expense, redid it. Doesn't it look nice? It only takes one citizen with a bit of pride to make a difference. (Staff Photo)

RRCGS meeting to be held Oct. 14, 1996

Everyone is invited to attend the regular monthly meeting of the Red River County Genealogical Society, Monday evening, Oct. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Red River County Library.

The speaker for this month will be Eddie Poole, of Paris, who will speak on "Plotting a Cemetery". Mr. Poole, an expert in construction engineering, was instrumental in surveying Lamar County's Springhill Cemetery, and creating the map of it which was included in the book published on that cemetery.

All persons interested in researching their family history are encouraged to come and enjoy the program.

Paris resident to present October program

Julann Boatner, director of the Women's Health Resource Center associated with McCuiston Hospital, will present the program at the October 14 meeting of the Bereaved Parents Support Group.

The meeting will be held at the TU Electric Building at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, October 14.



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Cunningham News

By Jane O'Neal 652-6062

Nelta Musgrove will host a Ladies Christian Retreat at her home beginning Wednesday, October 16 through Saturday noon, October 19. All ladies are welcome. Guest speakers will speak in the morning, afternoon and evening services. Meals will be served. Call Nelta at 652-2084 if you can attend.

Sarah Higdon of Crossroads visited Lucy Fowler on Tuesday.

Carol and Jennifer Dorsey had Sunday lunch with Lucy Fowler. Talma Fowler visited in the afternoon.

Buddy Pynes of Blossom and Joe, Lisa and Madison Slagle of Euleus visited Lorette Pynes on Friday.

Dean Ogden brought Lorette Pynes home on Tuesday after a few days visit in Longview with her and spent the night Tuesday.

Regina Newman and Blake, Malcolm and Briana of Dallas visited Sue and Lorette Pynes Saturday.

Clyde and Bobbye Slusher visited Charles and Jackie Taylor in Paris on Saturday.

Visiting Elvis Wright and Silas and Juanita Taylor over the weekend were Cpt. Allan Wright of Falls Church, VA, Bill, Judy, Trey and Annie Low of Houston, Eugene, Lisa and Lindsey Wright of Pine Bluff, AR and Kerry and Mildred Wright of Mansfield, LA. Ann and Sheldon Lee

of Milton visited them Friday night and Howard Sparks of Minter had dinner with them Saturday.

Visiting a few days with Joe and Rhonda Merrill and family were his sister and husband, Wendell and Lisa Dennison and children of Waterville, Maine.

Georjeana Oats spent the weekend at home from Houston where she is in school.

Billy Ray, Brandon and Neva Oats, Frankie, Julie, Logan, Layton and Caleb Norwood, Scottie, Treda, Amber and Spur Norwood had Sunday supper with Geneva Norwood.

Having Sunday lunch with Marie Watson were Brenda Watson, Bruce Watson, Deana and Brooklyn Legate, Dillon Gibson and Brad, Bradley and Brett Watson.

Geneva Norwood, Nelta Musgrove and Brad Watson had supper with Marie Watson on Tuesday.

Frankie Norwood took FFA students from Prairiland to the Dallas Fair to show their animals on Monday through Thursday. On Wednesday Julie, Logan, Layton and Caleb Norwood and Deanna Merrill attended the State Fair. Logan's animal placed eighth.

Joe, Landon, Steven and Nathaniel Merrill attended the Fair on Wednesday.

It's never too late to prevent heart disease

It's never too late to prevent heart disease, says a geriatrics expert in The Debakey Heart Center at Baylor College of Medicine.

"Even if you are 70 years old, exercising and eating right can decrease your heart disease risk," said Dr. Robert Luchi, a professor of medicine and director of the Huffington Center on Aging at Baylor. "But the earlier in life you start, the better."

Heart disease is the leading cause of death of Americans and is more common in older people. The risk for heart failure increases dramatically after age 75.

Coronary artery diseases, such as atherosclerosis (artery blockage), often take up to 40 years or more to progress to a heart attack. And, like high blood pressure, heart disease is not necessarily a natural part of aging, Luchi said.

"It's not normal for blood pressure to rise with age. But when it does, it's still treatable," he said. "By lowering blood pressure, you can reduce the risk of death from heart attack and stroke."

The key is making healthful lifestyle choices, such as eating low salt, low fat and low cholesterol foods, not smoking and watching your weight.

Among the best choices? Exercise.

"Recent studies have shown that sedentary older adults who gradually

add physical activity to their lifestyle can significantly improve cardiovascular performance," Luchi said. "Walking, water aerobics, and dancing are good ways to improve blood circulation and make you feel good."

Medications like "clot busting" streptokinase and aspirin can help prevent blood clots that cause heart attacks. Studies have shown that postmenopausal women who take estrogen supplements seem to be protected against heart attacks.

According to Luchi, adults should have an annual check up by age 65 and have a stress test before beginning an exercise program.

Luchi says it's important to know heart attack warning signs:

-Chest discomfort spreading to the neck, shoulders and arm
-Sweating, nausea and shortness of breath

-Dizziness or fainting

In some older people, a heart attack can occur with few or no symptoms. "Heart attacks come in different forms - from no symptoms to severe pain," Luchi said.

If any symptoms appear, don't ignore them.

Get evaluated early, even if you have mild pain. Heart attack treatment is best when given early. An remember, by making appropriate life-style changes, you can probably prevent another attack.

McCuiston expands healthcare services

McCuiston Regional Medical Center has expanded the healthcare services available in this region with the addition of the area's first rural mobile health clinic. At present there are four other mobile units providing similar services in Texas, and the Texas Department of Human Services has encouraged the mobile clinic concept as an effective way to bring needed health services to underserved areas.

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A graduate of Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, Laura Guthrie will oversee the clinics. She previously served as the physician's assistant in the Northeast Medical Center Clinic in Honey Grove. Dr. Donald Lewis will oversee the mobile clinic.

The end result should be greater access to healthcare and improved healthcare in the areas served by the clinic.



Chelsey Leeann Watts arrived Sept. 27, 1996 at 8:06 a.m. weighing 8 lbs. 12 ozs. and 20 1/2 inches long. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Watts of Mt. Pleasant. Grandparents are: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bass of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bradley of Rowlette. Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bradley of Mesquite and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watts of Talco.

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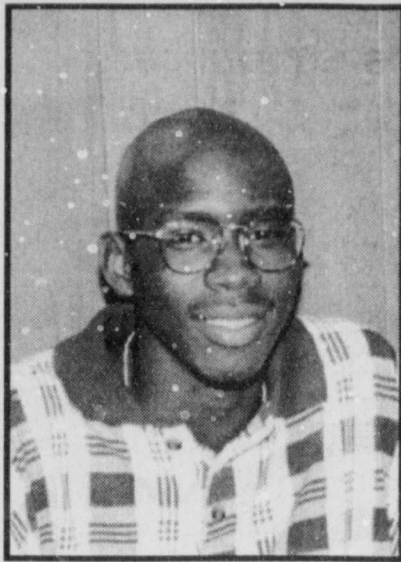
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TOUCHDOWN-Rebel Michael Deming scored the first Rebel touchdown within the first two minutes of Friday's game at Rebel stadium vs the Honey Grove Warriors. The Rebs took a 28-0 win over Honey Grove. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



DR. PEPPER PLAY OF THE DAY-was made by Rebel Jeff Savage for his 80 yard kick-off return as the Rebels met Honey Grove Friday at RHS. The Rebs shut the Warriors out with a score of 23-0. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



Rebels sweep Honey Grove in three games

The Rivercrest Rebel JV and Talco-Bogata Junior High Rebels traveled to Honey Grove on Thursday, Oct. 3. The Junior High team led off the evenings action sweeping the young Warriors with a score of 32-0. Following the Junior High win the Rebel JV took the field to play their best game of the season. Coach Steve Weddle said, "I am very proud of our team for their performance on the field this week. The Warriors had a big running back who weighed near 190, was very strong and fast but our boys did an excellent job on defense by controlling this power house. We also did a fine job on the offensive end of the game." The Rebels defeated the Warriors with a score of 35-6.

On Friday night the Rebel Varsity hosted Honey Grove. Within the first two minutes of the game, running back Michael Deming drove in to score the first touchdown of the evening and kicker, Chesley Baird added the extra point. The second quarter saw running back, Jody Gray hit pay dirt with a touchdown of his own. Baird again added the extra point and the half ended with a Rebel lead of 14-0. On the kick off beginning the third quarter Rebel receiver, Jeff Savage took the ball back to the Warriors on an 80 yard touchdown return. Again Chesley Baird added the extra point. The Rebels held a commanding 21-0 lead and had full control of the game.

In the final action Michael Deming found the end zone once again for the touchdown and Baird finished the evening with a record of 4 kicks 4 scores. Great defense for the Rebels was seen from: Charles Cruise, Michael Deming, Brian Giles, Jody Nolen, Jerad Guest, Chesley Baird, Alvin Savage, Mitch Ellis and Clint Gage. The Rebels swept the Warriors 28-0. The Junior High and Junior Varsity will host Prairiland on Thursday, Oct. 11 beginning at 5:00 p.m. The Rebel Varsity will travel to Prairiland on Friday with game time being 7:30 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support our young men as they compete in our district play.

Cross Country team competes at North Lamar

The Lady Rebel and Rebel Varsity, Junior Varsity and Junior High Cross Country teams traveled to North Lamar on Saturday, Oct. 5. In the Varsity girls division five girls competed. Candias Nickerson placed 26th with a time of 15:34, Katie Hare placed 30th with a time of 15:49, Deidre Brown placed 36th with a time of 16:32, Kristi Hines placed 43rd with a time of 16:49 and Amber Spencer finished 52nd with a time of 17:48. These girls ran a 2.3 mile course. In the Varsity boys division Joseph Lindsey ran for the Rebel team placing 7th with a time of 18:24. He received a medal for his placing in the top ten.

In the Junior Varsity boys division the Rebel team had three runners. Ryan Case won second place with a time of 20:18, Shawn Austin took third place with a time of 20:20 and Erric Martin came in for fourth place with a time of 20:56. All three boys received a medal. In the Junior Varsity girls division Tiffany Prentice ran for the Lady Rebels. She won third place with a time of 15:17 and received a medal. In the Junior High girls division seven girls competed. Charla Hines came in 17th place with a time of 15:50, Erin Miller came in 20th with a time of 16:19, Dusty Townes came in 21st with a time of 16:20, Robyn Hollis came in 31st with a time of

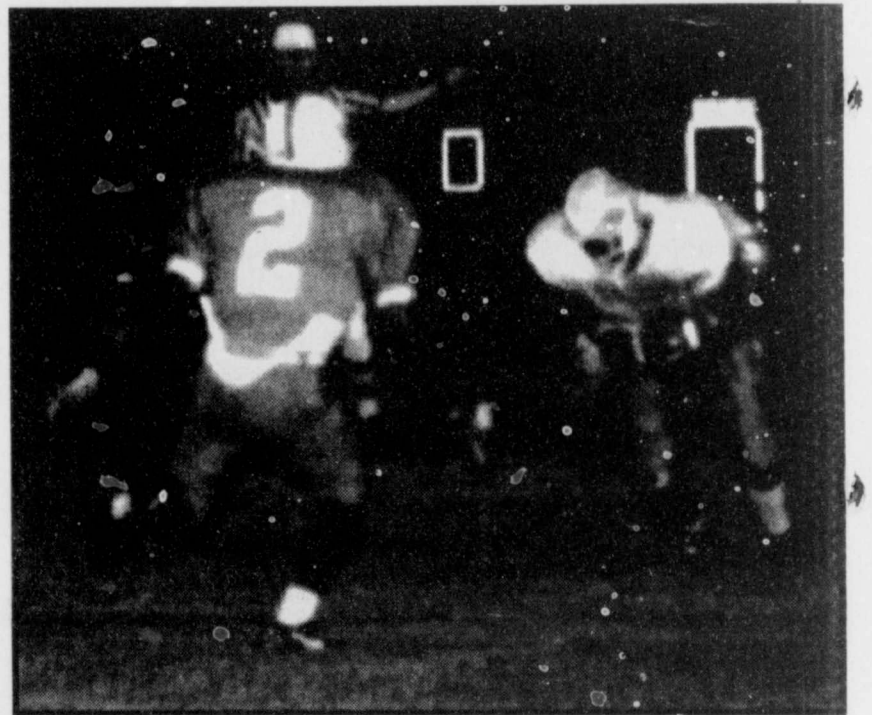
19:20, Daphanie Baird came in 32nd with a time of 19:21, Miranda Gibson came in 35th with a time of 21:03 and Kendall Stansell finished 37th with a time of 22:52. Coach Williams said, "North Lamar was a good lengthy course for our teams. We ran well and are improving weekly." The teams will travel to the Saltillo Meet on Saturday, Oct. 12 at Lake Bob Sandlin State Park. The Junior High division will begin at 9:00 a.m. The District Cross Country meet will be on Monday, Oct. 21 at 4:00 p.m. at Prairiland High School. Everyone is invited to come out and support these young men and women as they compete in the hardest of races.



JUNIOR HIGH REBEL Cliff Hopkins eluded a Honey Grove Warrior in football action last week. The young Rebels outscored the Warriors 32-0. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



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GOT HIM COVERED-Rebel Michael Allen runs head on to this Warrior receiver as the Rebels took total control of Friday's game. The final score was 28-0 Rivercrest. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

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RUNNING THE REBEL FLAG-Coach Debbie Williams and Cheerleader Sponsor Lori Franks run the flag at Friday's game vs Honey Grove. They along with several others served at the 12th man for the Rivercrest Cheerleaders. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

October workshops announced

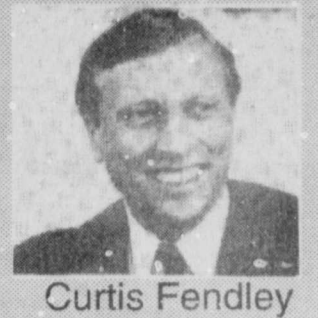
The Region VIII Education Service Center, Mt. Pleasant, is sponsoring the following workshops for October that might be of interest to school staff and parents who work with children with disabilities. All workshops will be held at the Service Center, 2230 N. Edwards.

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Cooperative Discipline	8-9	9-3:30 p.m.	-0-
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Stevenson Language Skills/Modifying	15	9-3 p.m.	-0-
P.E. Networking	16	9-3 p.m.	\$10
Cooperative IEPs	17	9-3 p.m.	-0-
Skin Disorders of Children	25	8:30-4 p.m.	\$35



MOLLIE WILLIAMS attended the TASB/ TASA Joint annual convention in Houston, September 27-30 where she represented district 8 as voting delegate. Mollie is Vice President of the Talco-Bogata CISD Board of Trustees and is currently serving her second term.



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Cindy Watts visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Watts and Chelsey Friday. Shirley Holt was honored with a surprise birthday party by her children and family Wednesday night. Vernon and Mary Fay McConnell held a birthday party and fish fry at their mobile home on Lake Bob Sandlin Sept. 29. Those celebrating birthdays were; Mary Fay McConnell, David Foster, Patrick Pettus, Haley McDorman, Kathy Gage and Robert Strittmatter. Attending were; Harvie and Sonja Fay Smith, Todd, Shona Fay and Haley McDorman all of Longview, James, Judith Quay, Virginia Lynn Foster, Garret Thomas, David, Linda, Dylan Foster all of Mt. Pleasant, Thomas and Peggie Petus of El Dorado, Ark., Robert, Nita, Christy, Kathy Gage all of Camden, Ark., Tommie, Margaret, Marcus, Patrick and Amy Pettus of Dickinson, Tx., Nady Reed of Bogata, Robert, Fran Strittmatter of Carlton, Tx., John and Darla Strittmatter and sons of Dallas, Tx., Jimmie, Kena, Justin, Kaylee Smith of Mt. Pleasant and Michael Murry of Little Rock, Ark. Everyone reported a wonderful time.

Enjoying bowling at the Mt. Pleasant Lanes Sunday evening were; Carl Antone, Jack Brown, Dani Brown, Jared Guest, Eric Martin, Jody Nolen, Andrea Palmer, Andy Speir, Jana Weatherall and Jeremy Weatherall.

Kenneth Paul Johnson, son of

Rhonda and Don Johnson of Omaha was crowned Cheerleader Beau at the Paul Hewitt Junior High Homecoming game Thursday. Kenneth is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hawkins of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Johnson of Omaha.

Jack Brown, Jana Weatherall, Jody Nolen and Joanie Swarts enjoyed playing Putt Putt Golf in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and Carl and Virginia Foster and son attended the Overton Homecoming Friday evening and enjoyed seeing granddaughter and niece, Kate Herrera represent her second grade class as Homecoming Princess. They also enjoyed seeing granddaughter and niece, Jamie Herrera who is a member of the Overton High School Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graf, Katherine, Rachel and Susan enjoyed the Canton Trade Days Saturday.

Visiting Jack and Nancy Brown Sunday afternoon were; Jeremy Weatherall, Jana Weatherall, Jody Nolen, Andy Speir, Carl Antone and Andrea Palmer.

Celebrating October birthdays are; Shirley Holt, Leanda Bass, Kayla Clemmons and Mary Fay McConnell.

Todd and Shelia Wright enjoyed the Canton Trade Days Sunday.

Mike and Kay Rector enjoyed the State Fair in Dallas over the weekend.

The purpose of psychology is to give us a completely different idea of the things we know best.
—Paul Valéry

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- Breakfast**
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Lunch
Corn Dogs
Green Peas
Pickle Spears
Cheese Potatoes
Milk
- Wednesday**
- Breakfast**
Oatmeal
Cheese Toast
Fruit, Juice & Milk
Lunch
Burrito With Cheese
Refried Beans
Carrots
Dessert
Milk
- Thursday**
- Breakfast**
Sausage, Biscuits & gravy
Fruit, Juice & Milk
Lunch
Chicken Fried Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls, Butter & Honey
Milk
- Friday**
- Breakfast**
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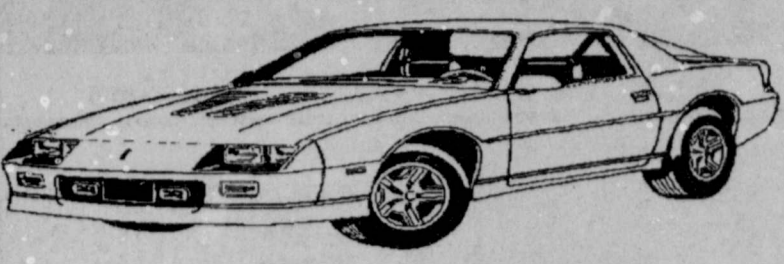
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Off to see the river...! or down the Red the hard way!

By James Crawford and Bill Pitts

On Friday, September 20, 1996, the fearless team of James Crawford and Bill Pitts of Blossom set off for their adventure down the Red River. The following is a true account of their adventures.

9:20 a.m. first day Friday, September 20, 1996:

We met at Bill and Barbra Pitts home in Blossom about 8:00 a.m. and had things placed in the pickups, hooked up Bill's 17 foot bass boat with 40 HP motor and left for the Red River, north of Clarksville. After finding the launch site at Mr. Greens, north of Clarksville by Highway 37 bridge. (We had talked to Mr. Green on Wednesday night in Oklahoma, he told us that he had a loading place back of his place on the river.) It was about 200 yards back down through high grass and crooked over some deep rocks. We back the boat first and placed things like we needed them and then loaded my 10 foot flat bottom boat and covered it with canvas and straps and then backed it down and unloaded and tied it to the back of Bill's boat.

We set off down the Red River at 9:55. After 3-1/2 hours of not seeing much to report, we saw a small boy sitting on the hood of a pickup. The water was pretty swift and flowing. Bill put up the umbrella around 2:15. He had enjoyed it for a few minutes, when the wind picked it up out of it's holder and before we could turn around, it sank; in less than 10 seconds. Five hours and 22 minutes, we saw Highway 259 bridge at 3:12.

Everything else went well for the rest of the day and we stopped about 5:10 to make camp. The clouds started to build up very quickly and by 5:45, it was raining, hailing and blowing wind. We were soaked. We dried and cleaned up and by then the storm had returned and we were soaked again. At 1:30 a.m., I got up and sat up the rest of the night. Bill put on his

rain suit and laid on a wet mattress.

Saturday, September 21-6:30 a.m.

We got up about 6:30 a.m. and cooked sausage and eggs for breakfast and then loaded up and left camp about 9:20 a.m. We put both paddles on the boat to hang and dry out things. We placed foam rubber sleeping pads (mattress) on the top of the cargo to dry out. After 3 hours, at about 12:30, we went under Highway 8 bridge north of New Boston. We kept going until 3:15 and hung upon a sand barge, but got off and came on. Had some trouble trying to find a place to camp and around 5:30 finally settled on one and threw out 5 lines that Bill had made and about 4 hooks on each line, thinking we might catch breakfast.

Sunday, September 22-5:00 a.m.

Up at 5:00 a.m. with the water rising and about 6 foot from the tent. It was very foggy and damp. We ate and started loading. We had to move the tent twice before we could load and get going. We saw trees 30 to 40 feet long rushing past and the water/trees had wiped out the throw lines. We found one and had to watch for trash and dodge things as we went our way very slowly about 12 mph. At 9:10 we went under Highway 59 and 71 north of Texarkana, then about 11:50 we went under Highway 67 and I30. Saw a flock of pelican about 4:00 and hung up 4 times on sand bars. The water pump quit pumping water on motor, so Bill cleaned sand out and got it going. We stopped for the night about 5:30 and ate and made camp and slept good for the night clear and cool.

Monday, September 23-6:30 a.m.

Bill had lost his teeth and glasses the night before somewhere and finally found them the next morning. Cooked bacon, eggs and hash brown biscuits and honey for breakfast. Sure was good. Saw a large ripple coming from toward us and finally a beaver

stuck his head up, he was going upstream. Cleaned up and left at 8:55. There was no fog this morning and a beautiful day to be on the river. 12:30 saw us under Highway 160 bridge east of Atlanta. There was a good boat ramp, on both sides of the river. Stopped to fish at 1:20 with Bill catching a bass which we ate for supper that night. By 4:15, we stopped for camp. A beautiful night with a full moon shining.

Tuesday, September 24-4:00 a.m.

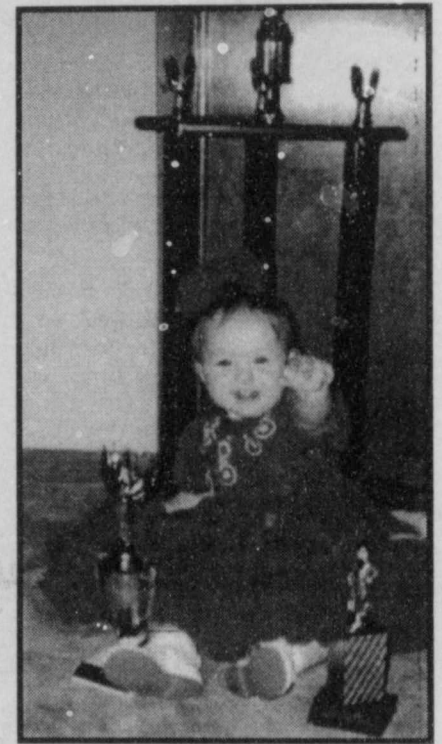
Up at 4 a.m. it was raining again and the water was still rising about 2 foot a night. By 7:30 we were out of there, wet as we could be and all our clothes and gear soaked. Almost to the end of the trip. Reached the boat ramps in Bossier, Louisiana at 11:45. Unloaded the boats as we could and layed out the stuff to dry. Mae and Barbara found us about 12:25. We were sure glad to see them drive up. We were gritty with sand, dirt and sweat. A man came over to visit and found out he was with the Texas Parks and Wildlife. He told us that we could call or write for a map of the Red River and also they plan to eventually build boat ramps up Red River like the ones to the south which were concrete and very nice.

Barbara called Barksdale Inn and made reservations for the 4 of us for the night. We had a nice room. I was concerned that the drains might stop up from all of the grit and dirt, but they did not. I figure that it took us about 36 hours on the river, not counting the time spent stopped to camp.

We suggest if you try this you will need: water tight tent-put clothes and things in plastic sealed bgs to use daily. Sleeping bag and sleeping gear in dry bags, flashlights, easy to prepare foods, telephone in case of emergency or just to call wife or family!(They like to keep up) rubber boots and be organized!



EIGHTH BIRTHDAY-Kayla Clemmons, daughter of Craig and Kristi Clemmons of Talco celebrated her eighth birthday with a hayride and weiner roast on Saturday, Oct. 4, 1996 at her grandparents, Russell and Betty Foxworthy's home in Talco. Attending and helping Kayla celebrate were: her sister Keylee, Aunt Misti Wilkerson and cousin Alan, Aunt Nicki and Uncle Shawn Roberts, Laura and Robbie Beville, Torrie, Dale and Elodia Grissom, Chassity and Brooke Hale, Alex Wright, Kelsey Clark, Monica, Monique and Megan Savage, Jeremy Moore, Destry and Chris Nolen, Blake Kelley, Robert Caul Rhoades, Carissa Carroll, Derek Morris, Tyler and Jeremy Hopson, Melanie Smith, Danica and Danielle Easterling, Teri Cabell, Angie, Jennifer and Larry White. Everyone enjoyed the hayride, weiner roast, cake and ice cream and Kayla received many nice gifts.



Brooke Ellen Spann,
County Supreme Queen

Brooke Spann crowned County Supreme Queen

Brooke Ellen Spann, daughter of Alan and Shelaphon Spann of Mt. Pleasant was crowned County Supreme Queen in teh Shriners pageant held September 29.

The children sold tickets for points and to raise money for the Sharon Shrine Temple and turned in canned items to help the shelter for Battered Women in Longview.

Brooke sold 29 books and had a total of 1,386,400 points.

She completed in the beauty segment, winning first place in her division and personality, kiddie, which she received two trophies. She received sponsorships from individuals from Mt. Pleasant, Bogata and Talco.

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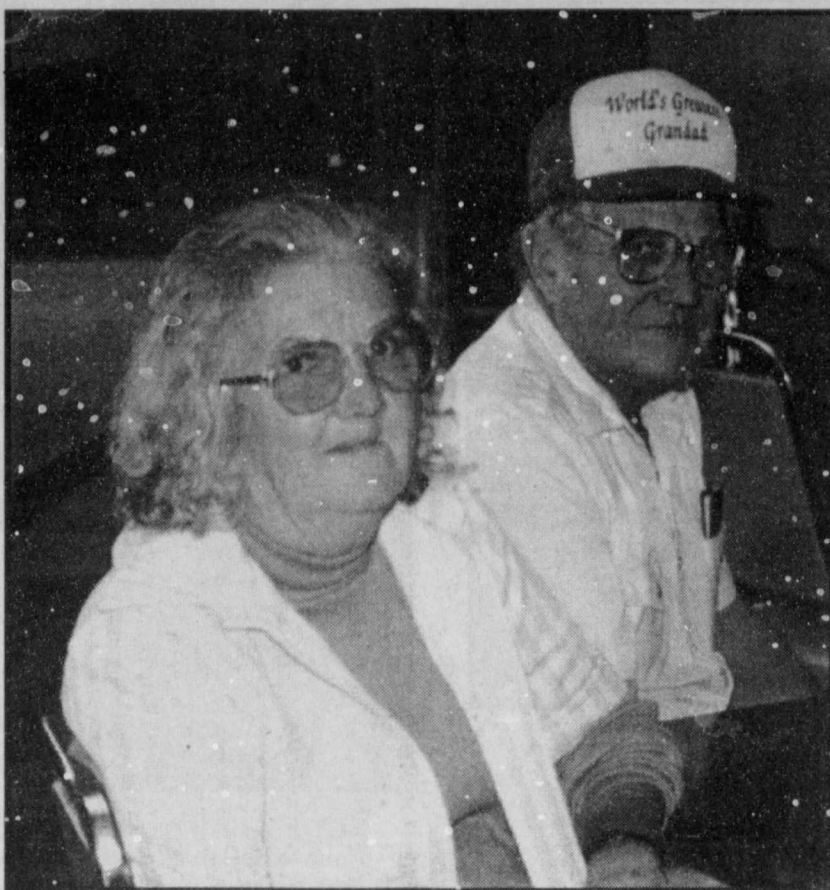

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CONTEST WINNER-April Elrod was the winner of the Rivercrest Booster Club slogan contest. April's winning theme is "Together Each Accomplishes More" or TEAM. Kay Ross presented April with her shirt Friday. The Booster Club has had tee shirts made up with this year's slogan and will have them on sale at football games and at Rivercrest. To order one you may contact Debbie Hare at 632-5150 or Kay Ross at Rivercrest 632-5204.



UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT-Earlene and Gerald Miller are the new managers of the Windjammer Cafe in Talco. They plan to serve fish, seafood and short orders. The cafe will be open at 11:00 a.m. until daily. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

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Visiting Leona Wright on Saturday and Sunday were her niece, Linda Shennick from Shreveport and Mrs. Shennick's grandson, Laiten. On Saturday they enjoyed the Bazaar at Clarksville. They rode the wagon which was pulled by mules. They ate and looked around. They ate and then came home and had a picnic in the park. On Sunday they went down to Mount Pleasant the Damascus Cemetery. After they looked around the cemetery they had lunch at McDonald's.

George and Janet Hobbs of Huntsville, Granville and Haletha Jones of Commerce and Patty Barton of Bagwell visited with their mother, Helen Williams, over the week end.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana over the weekend were Mike, Lila, Bren, Kara and Hali Screws from Deport and Chris Anna, Jerry, Christopher and Jerred Guerra of Paris.

Mike, Lila, Bren, Kara and Hali Screws of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana had dinner at Red Lobster in Texarkana Friday night in honor of Donald's birthday.

Chris Anna, Jerry, Christopher and Jerred Guerra of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws had lunch at Red Lobster in Greenville Sunday to celebrate Donald's birthday.

Jerry and Gerlyn Gray and Margaret Davis spent the week end camping at Lake Cypress. They were joined by Jessica and Danny Hines.

Colleen Eudy of North Richland Hills spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Corbell of Bogata. They attended the Paris Community Concert and also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hudson of Blossom.

Donald and Michael Don Screws went to Royce City Saturday to watch Bren Screws play volleyball. Bren plays for Prairiland Lady Patriots.

Voice of Democracy Program competition to begin

Commander Vernon Friday of VFW Post 3990 announces the start of this year's Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary "Voice of Democracy Program" competition. Students in our local area have the opportunity to compete in the 50th annual essay program and win valuable scholarships and awards. According to our local VFW commander, the students earn more than scholarships and awards when they participate in the "Voice of Democracy".

The additional benefits include increased self-confidence and poise, experience in polishing their communication skills, and the opportunity for self expression. Those that advance to become the State winners are given the additional opportunity to expand their knowledge of our nation's capital city during a full five-day tour of Washington D.C., plus the chance to meet and become friends with students from every state.

During the 50 years that the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary have been involved with the Voice of Democracy Program, more than 7 million high school students have participated. Interested

students need only write and then record a three to five minute audio essay expressing their view of the program theme: "Democracy Above and Beyond" (Democracy as a form of Government above and beyond all other forms of government).

The local winner can win \$200 and the chance to participate in this year's Veteran's Day Program. The winner from each school will advance to district competition where they will compete with students from other school districts in north-east Texas. The District winner will then compete at the state level for a top scholarship of \$3000. All state winners receive at least a \$1000 National Scholarship but could win the 420,000 first place award. A total of \$120,000 in National Scholarships are awarded to the student finalists.

Commander Friday said, "young people who participate in the competition gain a better understanding of their country, their freedoms and their obligation to America". Students wishing more information should contact Pat Friday, the Ladies Auxiliary chairman at 903-982-6732 or the VFW at 903-785-5677. The deadline for this year's local competition is November 1, 1996.

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STEW AND CHILI Supper-First Responders of the Bogata Volunteer Fire Department held a stew and chili supper Saturday evening at the Bogata School Cafeteria. (Staff Photo)



ELVIS!!!-Elvis received a standing ovation during his performance at the Courthouse Player's 50's Rock & Roll show during the Red River County Historical Societies bazaar last Saturday. Elvis was impersonated by Dan Simmons, who did an excellent job. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

Old News

Excerpts Taken From Bogata News

The Week of October 10, 1976 & 1946

Twenty Years Ago This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood held a get together for Mr. and Mrs. Furman Bell of Burbank, California and Mrs. Addie Carlton of Cleburn, who are visiting with Mrs. Vera Grogan. Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wood and Mrs. Frances Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood and Mrs. Wayne Alsbrook of Rugby, Miss Mattie Chessir, Miss Iola Franklin, Mrs. Frances Summers, Mrs. Nina Ward Hudson, Mrs. Frances Rozell, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Rozell and family, Mrs. Vera Grogan, the honorees and hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cloud of Galena Park visited with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Van D. Craddock of Longview with her mother and sister, Mrs. Amy Craddock and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood. They were enroute on a vacation trip through the eastern states to Philadelphia to visit his relatives.

Junior class officer elected at Rivercrest High School were Lori Hervey; President, Judy Bivins; Reporter, Terry Elliston; Treasurer, Chris Potter; Secretary and Joe Rhodes; Vice President.

Fifty Years Ago This Week

Bogata Bulldogs scheduled to play against Pittsburg Pirates are Left End; Cathcart, Left Tackle; Ray, Left Guard; Solomon, Center; Wilkinson, Right Guard; Williams, Right Tackle; Stubblefield, Right End; Gullion, Back; Devlin, Back; Davis, Back; Henson, Back; Berham and Back; Dempsey. Also playing will be Vickers, Corbell, King, Clouse, Hobbs, Scoggins, McCrury, L. Dempsey and Rinehart.

Mrs. Bob Childers and son, Mervin, were in Johntown at the W.J. Hawkins home to visit Mrs. F.M. Pew of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Alice Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole of Hugo and Earl Clipper of Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Armstrong and family and Mrs. Tilda Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. Ulric Legate at Fulbright.

Red River County Sheriff's Report

September 29-October 5

September 29: Inmate transported to county on charge of DWI, first offense: criminal mischief in Bogata; inmate released on bond; criminal mischief in Cuthand; theft in Bogata; recovered property in Bogata; welfare concern in Bogata; theft in Boxelder; criminal mischief in Bogata.

September 30: Criminal mischief in Detroit; criminal mischief in Bogata; dog bite in Annona; family disturbance and shots fired north of Detroit; male arrested on charges of deadly conduct, assault, family violence and evading arrest.

October 1: Inmate transported to TDCJ; vehicle fire on Hwy 271 east of Deport; inmate released to Lamar County on bench warrant; criminal mischief in Bogata; male arrested on TDCJ warrant; inmate released to Limestone County on warrant for theft by check; evading arrest in Bogata; welfare concern north of Kanawha; prowler in Bagwell; male arrested on warrants for issuance of bad checks from Red River and Titus County; activated alarm in Bogata.

October 2: Criminal mischief in Bogata; male arrested on warrant for allowing a minor to be absent from school; criminal mischief in Detroit; inmate released after paying fine; road hazard on Hwy. 37 north; DWI in Detroit; male arrested on charge of driving while intoxicated and making alcohol available to a minor.

October 3: Criminal mischief in Bogata; inmate released on bond; male arrested on warrant from Lamar County; family disturbance on Hwy. 37 north; criminal trespass on Hwy. 37 business; inmate transported to county on charge of indecent exposure; stolen vehicle north on Hwy 37; recovered stolen property on Hwy 37 north.

October 4: Inmate released to Lamar County on their warrant for theft by check; burglary in Bogata; burglary of habitation in Boxelder; inmate transported to county jail on charges of theft and false report to police officer; male arrested on bench warrant; male arrested on warrant for aggravated sexual assault; male arrested on charge of forgery by passing; disorderly conduct in Bogata; assault of a child in Detroit; disturbance in Bogata.

October 5: Minor accident in Detroit; inmate released with time served; inmate transported to county jail on charge of burglary of habitation; inmate transported to county jail on charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon; inmate released on bond; report of illegal hunting on Smith Lake Road; inmate released on bond; report of suspicious activity on South Bank of Red River; animal complaint on FM909; report of disturbance in Detroit.



A GRAVE FOR GOOSE-Goose, a black labrador retriever trained in drug detection served the Red River County Sheriff's Department since the spring of 1993. Goose was killed in the line of duty in September of this year, while attempting to retrieve a drug substance being disposed of by a subject who was arrested between Annona and Clarksville. In his retrieval attempt the dog was struck by a passing vehicle. A private ceremony was held for Goose and she was buried at the north end of the Red River County Jail by Sheriff Bob Edrington and Deputies Kenny Carpenter, Lary Springer and others. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)

First Six Weeks Honor Roll released

Bogata Junior High-Elementary School released its first six weeks honor roll. It is as follows:

First Grade-All A- Chrystal Anderson, Kristen Clark, Christine Holland, Sarah Jean, Lauren Mauldin, Kaylee McIntire, Ethan Meredith, Aaron Rolen, Jordan Stafford, Coty Townes, Chelsea Alford, Taylor Anderson, Lyzzette Gayton, Colby Horn, Ryan Lashuay, Aaron Lum, Katelyn VanDeaver and Chris Shirley.

First Grade All A and B: Colten Crawford, D.J. Gentry, Dara Williams, Jason Cunningham, Kyle Duffie, Franny Galeyan, Jesse Hanna, Matthew Shew, Ethan Tucker and Lina Rodriguez.

Second Grade all A: Collin Alford, Lauren Beers, Brian Hays, Cortney Merchant and Ashley Shew.

Second Grade All A and B: Jesse Harville, Micah Haynes, Lee Jordan, Kirby Needham, Misty Seat, Krystal Smith, Erica Tucker, Teresa Little, Callen Morgan, Brantly Morris, Sherea Roach, Rudy Ross, Cole Sheffield and Chris Watts.

Third Grade All A- Kenton Baker, Mandy Crawford, Sarah Hare, Adam Horn, Miranda Mauldin, Callie Stafford, Wendy Stewart, Hollie Bush, Wesley Haggard, Cindy Livingston, Erica Moreno, Aaron Palmer and Keith Williams.

Third Grade All A and B- Jason Davis, Dana Speir, Jeremy Mankins, Dustin Perry, Baile Spencer and Micah Upchurch.

Fourth Grade all A-Payden Franks, Koren Hawkins, Lindsey Robertson, Kacey Van Deaver, Clint Glasener,

Holly Jean, Morgan Meredith, Kerri Simmons, Lynann Sivard, Kellee Stieve and Kelsey Stringfellow.

Fourth Grade All A and B- Stacy Borders, Haley Hawkins, Keith Mauldin, R.C. Pitts, Matthew Ross, Jill Shirley, Saleena Whitaker, Heather Hawkins, Gina Lindsey, Candice Little and Katie Mankins.

Fifth Grade All A-Crystal Burrus, Alex Davidson, Kyla Harville and Mindy Riffle.

Fifth Grade All A and B- Brittany Brown, Courtney Brown, Lance Bush, Micah Chaloner, Cody Cheatwood, Jason Jones, Brent Middleton, Keith Perry, Kaleb Baker, Courtney Boyd, Kristin Simmons, Justin Tucker and Danielle Varner.

Sixth Grade All A-Ashley Beers, Michelle Bryant, Tina Carder, Alison Foster, Molly Hare, Krystal Valenzuela, Ashely White and Erica Williams.

Sixth Grade All A and B-Ashley Beers, Beckie Belcher, Timothy Carder, Lacy Harper, Alysa Hildebrand, Megan Horn, Nikki Jones, Kristy Riffle, Jessica Rose, Misti Simmons and Clayton Watkins.

Seventh Grade Academic Honor Roll-Brittany Barnett, Kayla Belcher, Caressa Covington, Kayla Sears and Erin Stieve.

Seventh Grade All A and B- Jonandrea Crane and Charla Hines

Eighth Grade Academic Honor Roll-Casey Crawford, Jennifer Hays, Kara Palmer and Kim Shirley.

All A and B-Daphney Baird, Clinton Cheatwood and Rebecca Stewart.

Rodeo Assn elects new officers

The Bogata Rodeo Association held its regular monthly meeting at the Bogata Rodeo Grounds on Monday, October 7. The membership was notified by pre-recorded phone message and there was a good turnout.

New officers were elected for the coming year. They are: PresidentRex Huddleston Vice-presidentGary Huddleston Secretary-treasurerBuck Knight Board of Directors members are Jim Branch, Jim Garrett, Jimmy Puckett, Brad Branch, Brian Williams, Woody Duffy.

The annual membership drive was planned for Saturday, October 19. This year's event will be held at Buckeye's Moonlight Jubilee on FM909 in Rosalie. Food committee consists of Jimmy Puckett, Donnie Strain and Gaylen Legate. Donnie Strain is in charge of entertainment. Jimmy Puckett will be doing the cooking, so expect lots of good barbecue brisket. All members, past and present, are encouraged to attend.

Bogata School Menu

October 14-18

Monday

- Breakfast
- Cereal, Toast & Jelly
- Juice, Milk
- Lunch
- Pizza
- Corn
- Salad
- Fruit
- Milk

Tuesday

- Breakfast
- Pancakes & Syrup
- Juice & Milk
- Lunch
- Corn Dogs
- Green Peas
- Pickle Spears
- Cheese Potatoes
- Milk

Wednesday

- Breakfast
- Sausage & Biscuit
- Jelly
- Juice & Milk
- Lunch
- Burrito with Cheese
- Carrots
- Refried Beans
- Dessert
- Milk

Thursday

- Breakfast
- Cinnamon Rolls
- Graham Crackers and Peanut butter
- Juice, Milk
- Lunch
- Turkey & Dressing
- Gravy
- Green Beans
- Mashed Potatoes
- Fruit Salad
- Rolls, Honey & Butter
- Milk

Friday

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

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PUBLIC NOTICE The Housing Authority of the City of Talco, Texas welcomes low income individuals or families who are in need of housing. The Housing Authority of the City of Talco offers safe, decent, affordable housing for low-income families, elderly persons and those who are handicapped or disabled. Applications for the program may be placed at the Housing Authority Office between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Tuesdays. There is no charge or fee to apply for housing. All registration and applications procedures are handled without charge. Only when you are leased a unit will an applicant be required to make any payment to anyone. Your security deposit and first month's rent are to be paid to the Executive Director. Apartments become vacant from time to time and are filled from the waiting list. The waiting list is made up of applicants determined by the Housing Authority to be eligible. All persons are invited to apply for housing and are processed without regard to race, color, religion, sex, family status, handicapping condition or national origin. The Housing Authority of the City of Talco is interested in you and your housing needs. Please contact the Housing Authority at 379-2841 if you need more information. There are currently vacancies and a very short waiting list. 10-31

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Rivercrest Menu
 October 14-18

Monday
 Lunch
 Pizza
 Corn
 Salad
 Fruit
 Milk

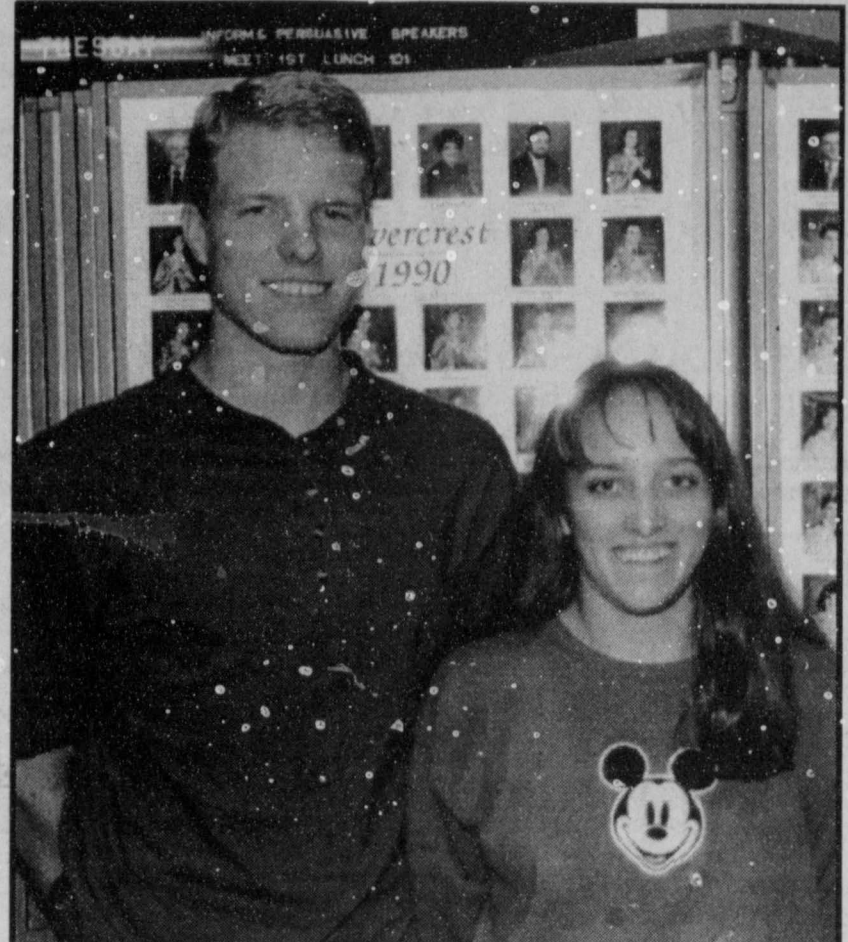
Tuesday
 Lunch
 Corn Dogs
 Green Peas
 Pickle Spears
 Cheese Potatoes
 Milk

Wednesday
 Lunch
 Burrito with Cheese
 Carrots
 Refried Beans
 Dessert
 Milk

Thursday
 Lunch
 Chicken Fried Steak
 Mashed Potatoes
 Green Beans
 Hot Rolls, Honey & Butter
 Milk

Friday
 Lunch
 Hamburgers
 Salad
 Beans
 Chips
 Ice Cream
 Milk

 Time is the most valuable thing a man can spend.
 —Theophrastus



STUDENT OF THE MONTH-at Rivercrest High School for September are; Dru Denison and Andrea Palmer. Dru is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Denison of Bogata. He is a Senior honor student, active in Varsity basketball and tennis and is a member of the Beta Club, Spanis Club and is Secretary-Treasurer of the Student Council and Reporter of the Senior class at Rivercrest. Andrea is the daughter of Karla and Kenneth Palmer of Bogata. She is a Sophomore honor student, active in Varsity basketball and softball and is a member of the Beta Club, FFA, Student Council and is President of the Sophomore class. (staff photo Nancy Brown)

JOHNTOWN LOCALS
 By Jana Hawkins
 632--5174

Saturday night guests of Heather and Haley Hawkins were Koren Hawkins, Katie Mankins, Holly Jean, Morgan Meredith, Lynn Ann Sivard, Jessica Fenner, Kacy Hammonds, Kacy Harper and Kelly. All the girls enjoyed hot dogs and dip. Lee Shipp Sivard arrived at 7:00 to surprise her daughter, Lynn Ann, with a Burgandy Rose Birthday Cake and ice cream. The girls sang Happy Birthday to Lynn Ann. Others visiting were James and Pauline Gibbs, Frances Lee, Bro. Bobby and Chessie Clark, Ryan, Darla and Allix Brunson.

Bro. Bobby Clark left Sunday for Mexico. He will be preaching several times before he returns home Saturday. Our prayers are with you, Bro. Clark.

Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins enjoyed shopping in Paris Saturday.

Jana and Mark Hawkins enjoyed fishing on Lake fork on Friday night.

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

Sunday visitors of Glenda Cox were Eugene and Pat Cox and Helen Copeland and Tye Crump and Aaron Illes.

Tuesday Mark and Jana, Heather and Haley Hawkins, Douglas Hawkins, Drue Pirtle, Bro. Bobby Clark enjoyed hot dogs and squirrel stew in the afternoon at Steven Hawkins place in Johntown. Mark and Douglas Hawkins camped Monday and Tuesday night there.


Lana and Clay Pirtle and Chris Sinkey were in for the week end from college.

Friday night supper guests of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Jerry Francis and Chad Martin.

Monday night supper guests of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Myra and Bro. Calvin Permenter and Darla, and Allix Brunson and Holly Jean.

Other week end guests of Drue and Billie Pirtle were Bro. Bobby Clark, Robbie Hawkins, Brian, Robin, Kyla and Jesse Harville, Vance and Mikki Pirtle and Stephanie and Lindsey Fischer.

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Please Watch For School Children

Melanie Strawn is honored with shower

Melanie Strawn, bride elect of Adam Thomas, was honored with a kitchen shower Sunday afternoon, October 6, at the home of Joe Travis and Kim Kelsey.

Guests were offered assorted iced cookies, coffee and punch from the refreshment table decorated in the honoree's chosen colors of fuchsia, silver and white. The table's centerpiece was fresh flowers.

Many lovely gifts, including the hostesses' gifts of selections in Melanie's china and stemware, were displayed.

Special guests for the occasion were the couple's mothers, Jane Strawn and Vicki Thomas.

Hostesses were Carolyn Brooks, Mary Joplin, Jennifer Reeder and Kim Kelsey.

Huddleston DRAWING \$50 in Groceries Saturday-Saturday-5:00 P.M.

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TOWELS Bounty Large Roll \$1.39	SUNLIGHT Dishwashing Liquid 22oz. 99¢	Mrs. Bairds DONUTS 79¢	5th AVENUE Candy Bars 3/\$1	Blue Bird FRIED PIES 2/99¢	BREAD Family Style Loaf 69¢	BREAD Fresh Bake Large Loaf 69¢
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