At a recent party Ann Lee, who lives with her husband Sheldon at Milton, told this story to us. She made me promise not to print it....but after I begged that it was "just too good to pass up" she graciously consented.

You see, Ann and Sheldon are related to Morris and Mary Lawler, also of Milton. The Lawler's "dog sit" for Ruth Skaggs' dog Pepper.

Pepper is a poodle, and is getting along in years. He sometimes is a little finicky about eating his food.

One day, when Ann came in the Lawler's door they exclaimed "Oh Pepper, here comes Ann. If you don't eat your food she's going to eat it all up for you!"

Ann fell right into the little act, going to the food bowl and making "Yum, Yum, I'm going to eat this good food allllll up" noises.

Pepper promptly set to his dinner with a will and sure enough, polished off his plate!

From then on it was a sort of family joke. Any time Ann entered the Lawler's home Pepper ran to make sure that his food dish was good and empty. Any time he was feeling a little off his feed Ann could be called upon to threaten to consume his doggy dinner and he would eat it rather than let this woman take his food.

His awareness of Ann's threat to his food extends to his home in Deport, too. Ruth swore to Ann that he wouldn't eat one day when he was at home

Ruth walked L. be window and said "Pepper you'd better eat, here comes Ann and she'll eat your food!". Ruth claims he rushed to his food bowl and gobbled down his

Ann claims most folks look at her a little funny when she tells this story. "I guess it's all over everywhere that Ann Lee eat: dog food" she laughs.

That's all well and good as long as it lasts. What I want to ask Ann is, "on the day Pepper doesn't clean his plate when you merely threaten, are you prepared to actually take a bite to prove to him you actually will eat his food". That's going to be one tough decision to make!

## GTE offers initiatives

GTE officials remind eligible mathematics and science teachers that the application deadline for the company's Growth Initiatives for Teachers grant program is January 7, 1997. GIFT provides teachers with grants for professional development and an educational school enrichment project that integrates mathematics and science in an innovative

and one science teacher. Of this teacher for his or her professional

To apply for the GIFT grant, one science and one math teacher (grades 7 through 12, grades 6 only if in a middle or junior high school) from the same school apply as a team. Together, they submit a detailed school enrichment proposal which links science and math in an innovative way, including a discussion of the need for the project, as well as its content and a budget. Each teacher submits his or her own plan for pro-

the program, contact Sherry Kimbell, public affairs manager at 972-413-7363. Completed applications must be postmarked by January 178, 1997. Grant recipients will be notified in mid-April.

## Serving Local Businesses and Local People

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Thursday, January 2, 1997

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## Consumer alert!! Watch 809 area codes!

According to the Texas Press bulletin, consumers are advised to watch for any business that uses a phone number with the area code 809. The number is in the Caribbean and in each case, the owners of the number receive a large kickback from foreign telephone companies.

Many consumers are finding messages on their answering machines asking that they return a call to an 809 number. When the number is dialed, the caller receives either a lengthy prerecorded message or a conversation with a person who pretends to

speak in broken English in order to extend the length of the call.

While some people are promised that they have won valuable prizes, the typical story left on an answering machine has to do with information about a family member who has fallen ill or been arrested.

This type of call is difficult to prosecute since it is foreign and the consumer willingly makes each call. The caller's only recourse is to contact the foreign phone company who will likely deny any wrongdoing.

#### John Denison nominated for award

New Year's

Wishes

As a new year unfolds, we wish for you

Success, good times, good health,

Plus love, faith and contentment,

Enlightenment and wealth.

May all your dreams come true this year,

And may troubled times be few.

We couldn't wish for all of this

For nicer folks than you!

John Denison, drafting instructor at Paris Junior College, has been nominated by the faculty for the Minnie Stevens Piper Professor Award that recognizes teaching excellence in Texas colleges and uni-

Denison's nomination will be entered in competition with other nominees across the state. When the final selection is made in May, 10 individuals will be selected to receive the 'Piper Professor" award, which carries with ti a \$2,500 stipend.

Denison said he was surprised and delighted to be chosen by his faculty peers as the nominee for the Piper

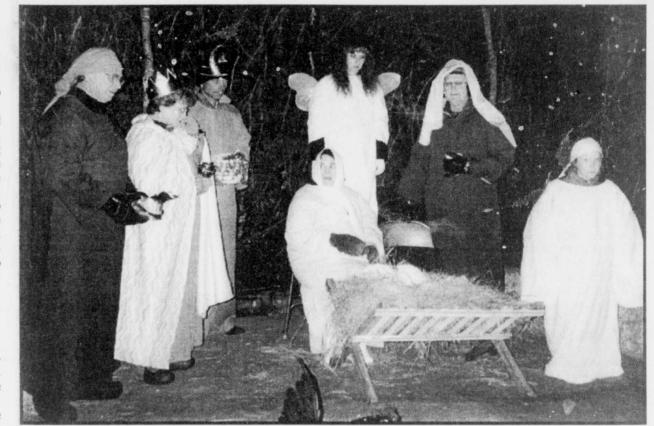
"I appreciate my fellow faculty members recognizing me," he said.

"PJC has many outstanding instructors who are deserving of this award. I am pleased they saw fit to nominate

Denison has been a member of the faculty at PJC for 25 years, coming to Paris after spending a year at Jasper High School.

A native of Deport, Denison attended Paris Junior College before transferring to East Texas State University, where he earned his Bachelor of Science degree. He earned his masters degree at Texas A & M University in College Station.

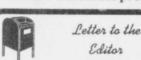
Denison, his wife, Larann and son, Dru, reside in Rosalie. Larann is a teacher at Rivercrest High School where Dru is a senior



a live nativity during the Christ-

mas season. (Staff Photo by Judy

JOHNTOWN MISSIONARY **BAPTIST CHURCH presented** 



Editor

Dear Editor: I read with interest the stories on the Bogata Telephone Exchange. While they were interesting, not all the facts were presented. My mother, Sue Puckett Hudson, worked as an operator for a number of years for "Uncle Charlie" Pearson when the phone company was located upstairs over the old bank building and then for a number of years for Guy Smelser, both as a full time operator. Myrtle Speir was also an operator at the same time. This was before she married my father, O.W. Hudson. She also worked part time for Guy when I was in my early teens. I even learned to work the switchboard! Mother used to tell me things that happened while she was an operator.

I definitely remember the wall telephone that had batteries and that you had to crank. I even remember that our telephone number was 31. We were never on a party line, but I heard some stories from some people who were on a party line.

I know most people remember Myrtle as an operator but I am sure there are some people who do remember that Mother was also an operator for quite a number of

I think that she should at least be recognized as being an operator for "Uncle Charlie" and Guy for all those years.

Sincerely, **Bettye Jane King** 

19 at the community center. A short business meeting was held. They then moved on to the Christmas Party (a covered dish meal supplied by members of the club). After enjoying the delicious meal they exchanged gifts.



Screws)

MR. AND MRS. CLAUS talked to Dustin and Clay Rose at the open house held at Guaranty Bank of Bogata on Monday, December 23. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

Bogata Lions Club met December

Lions Club meets

The next meeting will be January 2. All members please make plans to

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about that too. We didn't fool her

very many times and she let us know

we weren't nearly as sly as we thought.

Growing up in Bogata was a great

experience and people like Mable

Hale made it so. Those of us who

were lucky enough to have had her as

a teacher and friend are fortunate

Bogata Homecoming Committee

1997 members are June Stanley, Sue

Huffman, Mary Jo Porterfield, Patsy

Ward and Neil Rozell, Box 21,

Robert Rhoads

inde

Bogata.

#### Memories of a teacher are shared by a former student

I think the one characteristic of

Mable that I admired most during

By Frances Mayes Rozell

The Homecoming committee received a letter from Robert Rhoads with an article about one of his teachers. We will share it with you. Robert Rhoads grew up in Bogata and graduated from Bogata High School in 19963. He is the son of the late Jack and Commie Brooks Rhoads. His mother, Commie Brooks, graduated from Bogata High School in 1933.

Robert is excited about the 1997 Homecoming and plans to be here. He comes to Bogata often and he and his wife, Susan have plans to build a home here so he can spend even more time in the community where he grew

Robert and Susan make their home in Dallas and own a very successful business Brentwood Construction Co., Inc. They have given much to

> Mrs. Mable Hale By Robert Rhoads

The articles each week in the paper lead me to think about growing up in Bogata and about special people who had a positive influence on me during The name that continues to surface in

Mable was my eighth grade teacher and worked very hard at the three 'R's" of education. However, the reading, writing and arithmetic lessons seem to pale in comparison to the other lessons of life that Mrs. Hale high school was that she treated us all alike. A kid was a kid to her. She didn't seem to care what our names were, who our parents were, or what

side of town we lived on. She wanted the best for all of us and seemed to give each one of us her special attention at the exact time each one of us needed it most. She seemed never to

get frustrated with us and always laughed. Mrs. Hale could be quite firm when the need was evident. She knew the

meaning of discipline and taught us

People Things

Thursday, January 2 Bogata Lions Club will meet at

Third Tuesday of Each Month Commodities will be distributed

Notice



Mable Hale

#### beginning with H through K will begin at 8:00. From 10:30 until noon, students whose names begin with E through G can register. Students

He has one sister Nancy Jack Ewald.

Bogata's Thomas Park.

junior high and high school times. my mind as an outstanding teacher and person is Mrs. Mable Hale.

7:00 P.M.

from 1:00 P.M. until 4:00 P.M. at the Bogata Community Center.

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.

Each GIFT grant totals \$12,000 and is shared by a team of one math amount, \$2,500 is awarded to each development. In addition, each school receives \$7,000 to fund an enrichment project. A key feature of GIFT is the integration of mathematics and science in a school's curriculum through a school enrichment project.

fessional development.

To receive a GIFT application booklet or for more information on

## Bogata News

Registration for spring

Registration for the spring semes-

Registration begins at 8 a.m. and

Students whose names begin with

R through U will register from 8 to

10:30 a.m. Students with names be-

ginning with V through Z will regis-

ter from 10:30 to noon. Students with

names beginning with N and Q will

register from noon until 3:30 and the

last names beginning with L and M

On January 9, students with names

will register from 3:30 to 5:30.

ter at Paris Junior College is January

8-9 in the Mike Rheudasil Learning

continues until 5:30 each day.

semester is January 8-9

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### Spanish Club to have hamburger supper, Boosters to serve dessert

whose last names begin with C

through D can register from noon to

3:30 and A through B will conclude

scheduled registration from 3:30 to

nighttime students will be Monday

and Tuesday, January 13-14 from 8

a.m. to 6 p.m. First day of classes for

the fall semester is Monday, January

For information, call 784-9425.

Late registration for both day and

5:30 p.m.

The Rivercrest Spanish Club will sponsor a hamburger supper January 4 at the Rivercrest-Prairiland Basketball games.

The Rivercrest Athletic Club will sell cakes and pies by the piece at the games. The first ballgame starts at 4:00 P.M.



COOK OF THE WEEK is Sis Case of Talco. She enjoys cooking and visiting with friends and family. She has three grandchildren and loves spoiling them. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

#### Country Cooking By Liz Irwin

Our cook this week is from the Talco area and is an excellent cook and loves to talk and visit with friends and family. She is Sis Case and is married to Buster Case.

The couple have two children. Judy Stevens and Bruce Case and Bruce is married to Tammie. Sis and Buster have three grandchildren, Laura Stevens, Ryan and Rachel Case. Mrs. Case is active in her church

#### Card Of Thanks

I want to thank my family and friends for their visits, calls, cards and prayers during my heart surgery and recovery.

**Margie Garrett** 

#### Card Of Thanks

We would like to extend a very special Thank You to everyone for all your prayers, thoughts, flowers, donations to the cemetery and acts of kindness during our mother's illness and recent home going.

A special thanks to Life Tabernacle Church for support, Brother Joe Merrill for his words of comfort and Wood funeral Home for their special care. To all our friends and family for their phone calls and cards

The children and grandchildren of Mary Magdalene Scoggins

in Talco and dotes on her grandchil-

dren, who really keep her busy. Her recipes include a Marvelous Banana Cake with Banana-N5ut Frosting. A delicicous sounding Cider-Baked Ham, Candied Sweet Potatoes and Easy Baked Beans.

We hope you enjoy this week's recipes and we will see you in the

#### Lizzie Lee Wright dies December 22

Lizzie Lee Wright, age 103 of Deport died Sunday, December 22 in St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Cen-

Wood Funeral Home conducted graveside services at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 24 at Highland Cemetery with the Rev. Sam Campbell officiating.

Mrs. Wright was born March 23, 1893 in Deport to Albert and Eleanor Grant Fagan. She married Charles Reese Wright in 1911. He died in 1952. She was also preceded in death by a son, Capt. Wayne F. Wright, USAF, in 1986. She was a member of the Deport United Methodist Church.

Surviving are a son, Weldon Wright of Monroe, LA; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Season's Greetings

land some seasonal ideas

to start '97 right)

January 2, 1997 Sis Case - Talco

Marvelous Banana Cake cup butter of margarine-softened cups mashed banana eggs-beaten

cups sifted all purpose flour teaspoon soda cup buttermilk teaspoon vanilla tablespoons bourbon

cup chopped pecans Combine butter and sugar in large owl; cream until light. Add bananas; mix untel smooth. Stir in beaten eggs. Sift together flour and soda. Add to panan mixture alternately with buttermilk, mixing well. Stir in vanilla, bourbon and nuts. Pour batter into 3 greased and floured 9-inch cake pans. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes or until cake tests done. Cool for 10 minutes; remove from pan and cool completely on wire racks. Spread frosting between ayers and on top of cake.

Banana-Nut Frosting /2 cup mashed banana teaspoon lemon juice 1/3 cup butter or margarine-softened (16 ounce) package plus 3 cups powlered sugar tablespoons mild

cup firmly packed coconut-toasted 2/3 cup finely chopped pecans 3 drops yellow food coloring(optional)

Combine bananas and lemon juice; et aside. Beat butter until creamy in a large bowl. Add sugar, bananas and milk; beat until fluffy. Additional milk may be added if needed in order to obtain prper consistency. Stir in coconut and chopped pecans. Add food coloring, if desired. Yield enough frosting for one 9-inch layer cake.

Cider-Baked Country Ham 1(15-20 pound) country ham 1(46 ounce) bottle apple cider whole cloves spiced crab apples(optional) resh parsley(optional)

Place ham in a very large container cover with cold water and soak overnight. Scrub ham thoroughly with a stiff brush. Drain. Place ham, skin down in roaster. Coat exposed portion generously with brown sugar. Pour cider into roaster; cover and bake at 350 degrees for 4 hours; basting every 20-30 minutes. Carefuly remove ham from cider remove skin; place ham fat side up on a cutting board. Score fat in a diamond design and stud with cloves. Drain off half of cider. Return ham to roaster; far side up; coat top generously with brown sugar. Continue baking, uncovered for hour basting frequently with remaining cider. Garnish with crabapples and parsley, if desired. Yield 30 servings NOTE: a larger r smaller ham may be used. Bake 20 minutes per pound and uncover during the last hour of baking after fat is scored and studded with cloves. Also, if you prefer, leave the glaze off, but use the apple cider. Candied Sweet Potatoes l cup light Karo syrup

1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar 2 tablespoons margarine

12 medium sweet potatoes In small saucepan, bring corn syrup, brown sugar and margarine to boil over medium heat. Reduce and simmer : minutes. Pour 1/2 cup of syrup into 13x9x2-inch baking dish. Arrange potatoes in syrup. Top with remaining syrup. Bake at 350 degrees basting often for 20 minutes ore until done.

Easy Baked Beans 4 small cans pork and beans I cup firmly packed brown sugar l medium onion-chopped 2 tablespoons prepared mustard 1/2 pound bacon

Fry bacon until crisp. Set aside. Add chopped onion at bacon drippings and cook until tender. Add remaining ingredients and spoon into a lightly greased 10x6x2 inch baking dish. Bake uncovered at 350 degrees for I hour.

#### Lloyd Gauntt dies December 27

Lloyd Gauntt, age 85 of Talco died Friday, December 27 at Trinity Mother Francis.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. on December 30 at the First Baptist Church of Talco with the Rev. Perry Johnson officiating. Burial followed in Talco Cemetery

Mr. Gauntt was born November 4, 1911 in Omaha, the son of Sim and Emma Towler Gauntt. He was preceded in death by his wife, Iva Lee Gauntt and a brother, Boyd Gauntt. He was a retired contract pumper.

Surviving are daughters, Thelma Puhura of Globe, AZ and Carolyn Gauntt-Westermon of Talco; grandchildren, Heather Edge of Talco, Emma Catherine Carpenter of Daingerfield, Samuel Ross of Omaha, Beverly Dutton of Globe, AZ and Donna Puhura of Arizona; and seven great-grandchildren.

#### James Wilburn Nichols dies December 20

James Wilburn Nichols, age 69 of Pattonville died Friday, December 20 at his home.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, December 22 at Wood Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. C.G. Renfro and the Rev. L.C. Stout officiating.

Burial followed in Highland Cemetery by Wood Funeral Homes of Deport.

Mr. Nichols was born August 9, 1927 in Red River County, the son of Murphy Columbus and Martha Ember Jane Caldwell. He married Nance Sue Pettit Barnes on january 14, 1984. He was a retired heavy equipment

Surviving is his wife; one brother, William (Oscar) Nichols of Battle Creek, MI; one sister, Mary Elrod of Bogata; three stepsons, Anthony and Michael Barnes of Pattonville and Nathan Barnes of Ft. Worth. He was preceded in death by his parents; five brothers, William Luther, Ortha, Marvin, John Melton and Marshal Nichols; and a sister, Martha Mae

Nephews served as pallbearers.

#### Rosie May Kirk dies December 27

Rosie May Kirk, age 98 of Bogata Healthcare Center, died Friday, December 27 in Titus County Memorial Hospital, Mt. Pleasant.

Graveside services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at Gladewater Cemetery in Titus County with the Rev. Michael Thompson officiating. Wood Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Kirk was born November 28, 1898 in Carrol County, GA, the daughter of Benjamin Franklin and Janie Elizabeth McWhorter Willson. She married John William Kirk on March 25, 1947 in Royce City. He died October 16, 1964.

She is survived by nieces and nephews, Dean Brownlee, Raymond Brownlee, Roy Tex Lilly, all of Titus County, Johnny Lewis Willson of Australia, Opal Fay Hall of Houston, Cewilla Duffee of Ft. Worth, Barbara Willson of Titus Couty and Vernell Hitchcock of Boyd.

#### Zona L. Bailey dies December 21

Zona L. Bailey, age 84 of Paris died Saturday, December 21 in McCuistion Regional Medical Cen-

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 24 in Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Sid Young officiating. Burial followed in East Post Oak Cemetery.

Mrs. Bailey was born December 11, 1912 in Mena, AR to Jim and Fannie Castleberry Ford. She married Lafayette (Pete) Bailey on December 20, 1930. She was a sales clerk at Palace Drug Store #2 for a number of years and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband; a son and daughter-in-law, Gaylon and Wanda Bailey; two grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; one greatgranddaughter; four step-great-grand-children; and a sister, Ruby Crawford of Paris.

Bearers were James Crawford, Jimmy Ford, Johnny Crawford, Stephen Newton, Mike Newton, Craig Bailey and Cary Bailey. Honorary bearers were B.J. Crawford and Albert Boren.

## **Obituaries**

#### Gilbert Allen Huddleston Ronald Mankins dies December 24

Gilbert Allen Huddleston, age 77 of Bogata died Tuesday, December 24 in St. Joseph Hospital in Paris.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, December 26 in the First Baptist Church of Bogata with the Rev. Park Robertson officiating. Burial followed in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral

Mr. Huddleston was born August 25, 1919 in Dimple, the son of Will and Mattie Walker Huddleston. He married the former Bonnie Ruth Williams on June 12, 1942 in Clarksville. He was a veteran of World War II, a member of the Deport American Legion Post and the Parks Elks Lodge. He was a retired operator and owner of heavy equipment. Surviving are his wife, Bonnie Ruth

Huddleston of Bogata; three sons and daughters-in-law, Gary Huddleston, Berney and Jamie Huddleston and Rex and Sherry Huddleston, all of Bogata; six grandsons and two granddaughters-in-law, Allen and Stacy Huddleston of Deport, Randy and Liberty Huddleston, Clayton and Cortney Huddleston, Chase and Jared Huddleston and one great-granddaughter, Charity Huddleston, all of Bogata, three brothers and sisters-inlaw, Ed and Loyce Huddleston of Bogata, David and Deva Huddleston of Kemp and Bob and Betty Huddleston of Irving; numerous nieces and nephews and many friends. He was preceded in death by a sister, L.E. Freeman of San Diego, CA.

#### ReBecca P. Austin dies December 28

ReBecca Pittman Austin, age 85 of Mt. Pleasant died Saturday, December 28 at her residence.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. December 30 at Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robison Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Clint Davis officiating. Burial followed in Nevill's Chapel Cemetery

She was born October 21, 1911 in Mt. Pleasant, the daughter of Charlie and Dona Blalock, who preceded her in death. She was married to Wm. M. Austin for 66 years, who survives. She was a homemaker and a member of the Wilshire Baptist Church in Dallas for 36 years.

Survivors other than her husband include a daughter and son-in-law, Billie and Earl Heitman of Mt. Pleasant; grandchildren Stanley and Cindy Heitman of Colleyville and Steven and Kim Heitman of Southlake; brothers Rayford Pittman of Mt. Pleasant and Carl Winfred Pittman of Billings, OK; and sisters, Verbeth Wyatt, Charlene Black, Thelma Westerman and Frankie Brown, all of Mt. Pleas-

#### Winifred Fagan Hudson Dies December 28

Winifred Fagan Hudson of Park Hill, Oklahoma passed away December 28 in Kansas City, Kansas. Services will be under the direction of Bill Merritt Funeral Home in Oklahoma City. Visitation will be Thursday night at the Funeral home from 7 until 8 p.m. Services will be at 11:00 a.m. Friday, January 3 in the chapel of the funeral home with burial in Oklahoma City.

Winifred Fagan Hudson was born June 4, 1919 at Deport, Lamar County, Texas the son of Ona Winifred and Odille Fagan Hudson. He married La Verne Goode on March 8, 1943 in Bonham, Fannin County,

His survivors include his wife, LaVerne, of Park Hill, Oklahoma, one daughter, Linda Lawson of Overland Park, Kansas, one son, Phillip Hudson of Scottsdale, Arizona, two grandsons of Scottsdale Arizona, one brother, Virgil E. Hudson of Blossom and two sisters, Mary E. Colflesh and Betty J. King of Bogata.

#### Sandra S. Edwards Dies at Age 56 Sandra S. Edwards, age 56 of Paris

died Sunday, December 29, 1996 at her home. Gene Roden's Sons, Directors of

Funerals conducted graveside services Tuesday, December 31 at Evergreen Cemetery with the Rev. Deverle Archer officiating.

Mrs. Edwards was born July 12, 1940, in Paris to Guy Doris and Mary Buford Shelton. She married William Travis Edwards, Aug. 31, 62. She was a member of the Pentecostal church and was a homemaker.

Surviving are her husband; two daughters, Stephanie Wesley of Deport and Leslie Clifton of Paris; two granddaughters, Leslie Nicole Clifton of Arthur City and April Michelle Wesley of Deport; David Shelton of Pattonville; two nieces, Ann Long of McKinney and Marilyn Green of Port Aransas; a brother-inlaw and sister-in-law, George and Norene Melton of Paris. She was preceded in death by her parents and

Honorary bearers will be Leslie Towers, Carl Wesley, Calvin Day and Larry Freeman.

## dies December 19

Ronald Mankins, age 59, formerly of Bogata, died Thursday, December 19 at his residence in Lewisville.

Services were held at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, December 22 in the First Sue and Baptist Church in Bogata with the las spent Rev. Walter Buckahan and the Re Park Robertson officiating. Burial f of Tigertov lowed in Bogata Cemetery under t Deport vis direction of Wood Funeral Home. opened pre

Mr. Mankins was born Februar, Lonny 28, 1937 in Cuthand, the son of Lester grandfathe Ottis (Coot) and Lamora Annie Monday. Se Minshew Mankins. He married the lay at Fry former Gayle Huddleston on Novemann Paris. ber 1, 1958 in Bogata. She died Feb. Kay osbr ruary 10, 1991. He was also preceded weekend v in death by his twin brother, Donald King. Chris Mankins on November 30, 1995 and 34 friends a sister, Pansy Williams on March Mr. and 23, 1981. He was a member of thegirls of Mic First United Methodist Church of Karen F Bogata and retired from Texas-Newspent Chris Mexico Power Company in 1992 af Irs. Jery 1 ter 31 years of service. He was cur resent w rently working part time at the Old urleson a Town Meat Market in Lewisville. "nd Mrs. Le

He is survived by his two daugh lso visited ters, Annette Hudson and Andrea landy and McKenzie, both of Lewisville; two Worth B brothers, Morris Mankins of Alvarado irthday S and Dolan Mankins of Bogata; five Healthcare grandchildren; his mother and father elping him in-law, Ed and Loyce Huddleston oler, Karen

Pallbearers were Dickie Grant, Ne Grant, Richard Farha, Bobby Pack Kenneth Jeffery and Duane Bryson

#### Robbie Jean Skidmore dies December 28

Robbie Jean Skidmore, age 64 of Paris died Saturday, December 28 at St. Joseph's Hospital and Health Cen-

Graveside rites were held at Shady home of M Grove Cemetery with the Rev. Jerrychildren w Moore and Dr. L.C. Stout officiating. Horn of M Fry-Gibbs Funeral Home had charge G.W. Smi of arrangements. Mrs. Skidmore was born August and son Ba

17, 1932 in Lamar County, a daugh- Futchings ter of Elmer D. and Mary A. Parkess Jullivan of Pomroy. She was a graduate of East Talco, N Lamar schools and a member of the Whiterock Bethel Baptist Church in Clardy. She Mrs. Lesli worked for Philips Lighting for more than 27 years before her retirement. Christmas

Poster and She married Fred Skidmore on August 10, 1951 in Paris.

Surviving are her husband; a son AM, Brya and daughter-in-law, Paul and Phillip Bro Stephanie Skidmore of Clardy; a Mr. and M. daughter and son-in-law, Karon and via. Gary Smith of Vidor; Ciro Peralta, whom she raised as a son; a grandson, Justin Smith of Vidor; a granddaughter, Shannon Draper of Clardy; her mother, Mary Pomroy Stone of Clardy; two brothers and their spouses, J.C. and Barbara Pomroy and Bobby and Judy Pomroy, all of Clardy; two sisters, Barbara Allen and her husband Rex of Blossom and Neva Dillard of Duncanville.

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Pallbearers were Rufus Merrit, James Kennedy, Johnny Hatcher, Chet Downs, Bobby Winters and Harold Eatherly. Honorary bearers were Carl Hatcher, James Jackson, Troy Cutbirth, Lewis Clement, Meredith Harper and Kenneth Tho-

#### Carl W. Bivens dies December 20

Carl W. Bivens, age 91 of Paris, died Friday, December 20 in McCuistion Regional Medical Cen-

He was born September 23, 1905

in Atlas, a son of John and Mattie Bivens, and married Lou M. Williams on June 1, 1929. He was a member of the Southside

Baptist Church and retired from Babcock and Wilcox's boiler divi-

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday, December 23 in Gene Roden's Sons Chapel with the Rev. M.G. Ralston officiating, assisted by Dr. Mike Lawson. Burial followed in Highland Cemetery, Deport.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, Raymond and Jeanette Bivens of Paris; three granddaughters and their husbands, Regina and Burrell Dean Kincaid of Deport, Teri and Bobby Jimmerson of Paris and Lisa Bivens of Paris; eight greatgrandchildren and six great-greatgrandchildren.

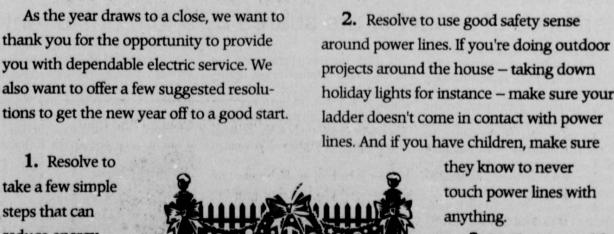
He was preceded in death by his wife; one great-grandchild and 11 brothers, of which he was the oldest.

Bearers were Alfred Fangio, Steve Helms, Bobby Kincaid, Weldon Fos ter, Hershel Blankenship, John Draper, Sammy Bivens and James McGinnis.

## Card Of Thanks

We want to thank everyone for their thoughts, prayers and geneerosity of gifts and donations after the loss of our home to the fire. It is appreciated more than words can say.

**Bruce and Linda** Derek and Colton Hemmingsen



1. Resolve to take a few simple steps that can reduce energy waste. If you have a fireplace, that's a

good place to begin. When the fireplace is not in use, keep the damper tightly closed to prevent warm air from escaping. You also can manage the amount of energy you use by keeping your thermostat set no higher than 68 degrees in the winter and no lower than 78 degrees in the summer.

holiday lights for instance - make sure your

ladder doesn't come in contact with power lines. And if you have children, make sure they know to never touch power lines with anything.

3. Resolve to simplify your life. One way might just be our automated bank drafting program.

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**Fulbright** News

By Betty Rodgers 652-6051

he First and Weldon Burgess of Dalas spent last weekend with Betty Redgers. Monte and Shelley Rodgers f Tigertown and Melissa Arriaga of eport visited Christmas Eve and ened presents.

Lonny Tribble of Tigertown, andfather of Shelley Rodgers, died onday. Services were held Wednesat Fry and Gibbs Funeral Home Paris.

Novemed Feb-Kay osburn of Hillsboro spent the receded weekend with her mother, Jimmie Donald King. Christmas Eve night there were 995 and 34 friends and relatives for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Osburn and er of the girls of Midlothian visited Monday. Karen Baker and Larry Parker as-New spent Christmas day with Mr. and 1992 af- Mrs. Jery Murray of Dallas. Others sent were Mr. and Mrs. Jim urleson and Jeff of Dallas and Mr. nd Mrs. Lee Little of Mesquite. They daugh- also visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Turman,

Andrea Mandy and Jenny of Allen. ille; two Worth Baker celebrated his 89th Alvarado birthday Saturday at Red River ata; five Healthcare Center in Bogata. Those d father helping him celebrate were his daughleston of ter, Karen Baker, Larry Parker of

Dinner guests Christmas eve in the

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Dorothy Foster was a dinner guest

Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. Marion

Foster and Ken of Bridges Chapel,

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Mr. and Mrs. Low Brooks of Geor-

Dinner guests Christmas day of

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Mrs. Leslie Morgan of Deport.

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ara Allen Mark, Jana, Haley and Heather

Detroit, Linda Miller of Hugo, OK, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Little and Cole Murdock of Mesquite and other residents of the center.

The Crumps attended the funerals of two family members recently. His sister's grandson, Justin Remmers of Wills Point and a few days later, the funeral of Marla's cousin, Anne Duncan of Terrell.

The Crumps visited Mary and A.T. Coker of Kaufman, had Christmas dinner on December 22 with three of their sons, Don and Vickie Crump, Tommy Crump of Frankston,m Charles Crump of Dallas, their granddaughter, Heather and Shannon Lynch and Victoria of Beaumont. They were at the home of Marla's parents, J.T. and Lois Lane of Alvarado on Christ-

On December 29, the Crumps hosted Christmas dinner and a party for their two other sons, Terry and Deana Halbert, Abby, Micah, Shawna and her son, Matthew Blake, all of Paris, J.D. and K'Tina Crump and their children, Ty, Chey and Bailey of Cuthand and Leon and Fannie Lamb of Deport.

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LOCALS

By Jana Hawkins

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Wilmar, Ark

Robbie Hawkins, Haley and

Holiday visitors in the Drue Pirtle

home were: Jimmy, Judy, Jonathon,

and Danielle Attaway from Shreve-

port, La., Dale and Dawn Jean from

Austin, Mitchell Jean, Chad Martin,

Amber Spencer, Marla and Mandy

Williams, Gregg Sherill, Denny

Huggins, Vance, Micki, Lindsey and

Stephanie Pirtle, Brian, Robin, Kyla

and Jesse Harville, Jeff, Kelley, Jacob,

and Kristen Haraville, Dorothy Fos-

ter, Jana, Haley and Heather Hawkins,

The Friendship Sunday School

Class of the Johntown Missionary

Baptist Church enjoyed a Mexican

Supper at the home of Drue and Billie

Pirtle December 14, 1996. Those at-

tending were Robbie Hawkins, Rev.

Calvin and Myra Permenter, James

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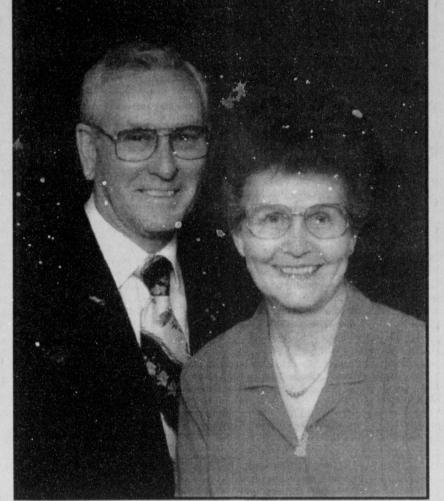
Bobby and Chessie Clark, Brenda

Lee, Glenn Smallwood, Vance and

Donna Strain and Doug Hawkins.

Heather Hawkins, Koren and Ryan

Hawkins spent the weekend in



Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith celebrate 50th anniversary

## Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith honored on 50th anniversary

Weldon Douglas Smith and Melba Joyce Cooper were united in marriage December 21, 1946 in Paris.

They were honored with a private 50th anniversary party on Saturday, December 21, 1996 at their home in Bogata by their children, grandchil-

Those who celebrated the happy

Randall, Mona and Jason Childres of Magee, MS, Stephen and Brandi Childres of Ellisville, MS, Charles and Jenita Baker of Cunningham, Donoven, Sherry, Brock, Hilliary Baker, Randy, Jenissa and Heather Stephens of Paris.



Lunch Crispito with cheese Refried Beans Carrots Fruit

Tuesday

Lunch Chicken Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes with Gravy Green Beans Hot Rolls with Butter Honey

Wednesday

Lunch Nachos with Meat & Cheese Seasoned Beans Corn Crackers

Thursday

Spaghetti with Meat sauce Carrots Garlic Bread

Friday

Lunch Cheeseburgers Burger Salad Seasoned Beans Chips Ice Cream Milk

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dren and great-grandchildren.

Lingerie shower honors

Misty Taylor

Misty Taylor, bride-elect of Clint-Gage was honored with a lingerie shower Saturday, December 14 at the home of Sandra Stockton.

Finger foods were served from a table trimmed with Christmas decorations. A picture of the couple was displayed on the registry table. Games were played and gifts were presented

Those attending wrapped the wedding bubbles to be used at the wedding reception. Special guests included the bride-elect's mother, Lillian Taylor and her sister, Sherrie Boyd, and the prospective groom's

Hostesses were Sandra Stockton, Shirley Anderson, Mollie and Mandy Williams, Keitha Gillis and Larann

mother, and sister, Debra Gage and

Misty presented thank you gifts to

the hostesses.



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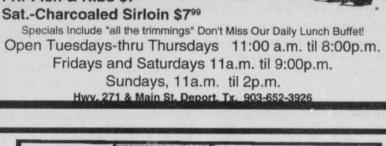
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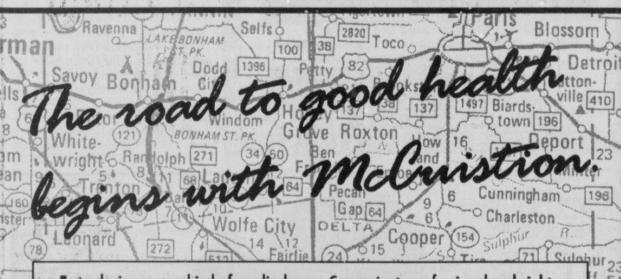
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GUARANTY BANK of Bogata President, Joe Rose, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claus at the bank's open house ceremonies on December 23. (Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

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We simply overlooked them in the scramble to get a record 30-page pa-

However, rest assured....they went to the North Pole FIRST, so Santa didn't miss them!

Dear Santa.

My name is Jerred Guerra. I am five years old and I go to school at. T. G. Givens in Paris, Texas. I have been a good boy sometimes. Will you please bring me a Nintendo 64, 2 Gameboys, one for me and one for my Brother, Christopher, a Mortal Kombat Ultra.If you can't find my house, leave my stuff at the News Office with my Granny.

Love. Jerred Guerra

Dear Santa,

My name is Ryan and I have been good. I would like to have a VCR, a football suit, an ABC Computer and a Jumping ball.

Love, Ryan

Dear Santa,

I want a keyboard and a cabbage patch snacktime kid, Gold and white house shoes, a pink robe and fill my stocking with lots of treats because I have been very good all year.

Love Taylor Anderson.

I want for Christmas some clothes. (In Style.)

Love.

Holly Jean

Dear Santa.

I want for Christmas a big box of cowboy Leggos. I want for Christmas the new megazords. I want for Christmas some chocolate.

Love,

PLease bring me a tie down, saddle, halter, saddle blanket, bridle, ropes and roping bag. 2 woodburning sets with Jeremy on it, wolf decorations, spurs, team roping watch, football phone, bicycle tires.

Jeremy Mankins

Dear Santa,

For maina I want a ring, for Daddy a pair of boots, Becky some boots and for Franny a train.

Franny Galyean

I want some jewelry and a 10 speed and a radio with a CD player and some roller blades and 4 pairs of jeans and 3 sweat suits

Your friend, Dana Crawford

Dear Santa,

I would like a Ninja Sword, a Safari Jeep, A cassette player, games, a learning computer, Galactic Robot, Air Bomber.

Love Glen

Devil, Junior Vacuum, A Tugggles Walking Pup, an Easel, a new bike, Toober and Zots, a Nick Lightening Sketch and a Fisher Price black and green race car. Mom says I can't have everything but there is a lot to choose

Thank you, Sean Robertson

## Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,

My name is Carter. I'm trying to be a good boy this year. Please bring me a Big Jake, a car garage with cars and a fire truck with a loud siren.

I'll leave you a snack. Tell Rudolph, Love.

P.S. Don't forget my cousins.

Dear Santa,,

Carter Kelsey

My name is Jacob Harville and I am three years old. I have been a very good boy this year. Please bring me a Big Foot Monster Truck, a chain saw like my daddy's and some Sock 'Em Boppers. My little sister, Kristen, has been a good girl this year too. PLease bring her some toys. We will leave you some milk and cookies.

Love. Jacob

Dear Santa, My name is Christopher and this is my first Christmas to enjoy. I have been really good all year. I would like to have a fire truck you ride on and a rocking worm, a football, a barking Dalmation Dog, Some clothes, a book of animals that make noises, some blocks and a VCR to share with Ryan. I'll leave cookies and milk out for

Love ya, Christopher Kennedy

Dear Santa,

I want a Barbie Dream House, Barbie Roller Skates, houseshoes with Balloons on them, a horn for my bike, Barbie Light up shoes, blue mittens a Barbie Car and a Ballerina Barbie with purple suit.

Callie Anderson (Age 4)

P.S. My sister wants a Ballerina Barbie with a purple suit and I want a red headed Cabbage Patch Snack Kid.

Dear Santa,

My name is Heather Holt. Heath is my brother. I have really tried to be good this year and my Granny says I'm a " Wonderful little helper". PLease bring me a Barbie Doll, a camera to take pictures, some big fluffy Pom-poms and a little Lap top Computer like my Aunt Jen's. Oh, and please bring my daddy a new Rolodex because I accidentally glued his cards together.

Love, Heather Holt

Dear Santa,

My name is Heath Holt. I am one year old. I have been extra good this year. My Mamma told me you bring really neat toys to good little boys like me. So I would like for you to bring me a sleeping bag with pup pups on it, some little coveralls to wear when I go with my PaPaw and Mammy to check the cows, and a big truck like my daddy's. I'll have to leave you a glass of water to drink with your cookies, because the milk is mine!!

Heath Holt

Dear Santa, Ti am really excited about you coming to see me this year! I would like for you to bring me a big boy bicycle and some new video tapes. My daddy is tired of watching Toy Story every day! While my mommy and daddy are at work, I go to " School", and I think it would be neat to have my own backpack. We haven't found the perfect Christmas tree yet, so just put my gifts under my bed if you need to.

Riley Reeder

Dear Santa,

I love you and I wish you a happy day. Please bring me a Hot Potato game, a Chicken Limbo, Toss Across, Penguin Shuffle, Space Shooter, Spitfire by Milton Bradley, Leggo System Race Cars with a gas station, a Buzz Light-year Spaceship, a Dirt

For Christmas I want a doll, clothes dishes, games and hair barrettes and

Christina Jimenez

Dear Santa.

For Christmas I Want a doll and doll stroller, clothes, coloring book, and dress shoes.

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Love. Felicia Jimenez

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want cars, a motorcycle, Nintendo games, shoes and

Martin JImenez

Dear Santa,

It's Christmas time again Time for your work to begin Hitch up your reindeer all neat in a row.

I know that you're coming and it's a As it's always been in the past. Bring me some presents and good

Laughing merrily and away you go!

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and make up will do Thank you! Courtney Boyd, fifth grade

Dear Santa,

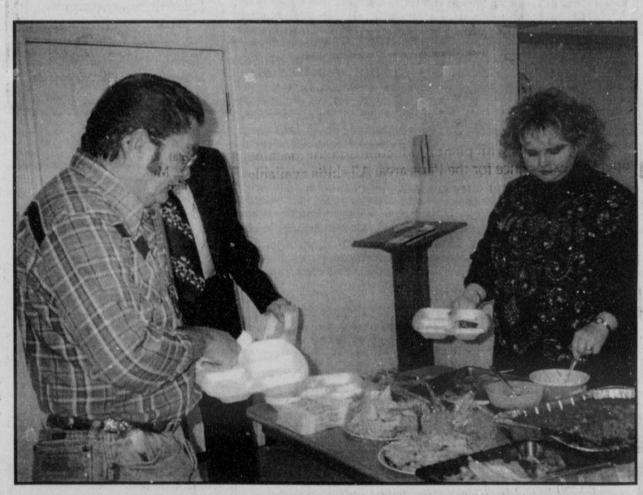
My name is Steven and I am three years old. Please bring me a green gorilla, blue dinosaur with black stripes and an orange gorilla with blue muscles. I also like Batman toys and Star Wars.

Thank you, Steven Robertson

Dear Santa,

Fro Christmas I would like: Baby Go Bye Bye, Skating Ken Doll, Computer, Toy Story and Dancing Barbie. Thank You

Haley Lemme Age 3



**HEART-** Bogata townspeople served between 50 and 60 people Christmas dinner at the Methodist Fellowship Hall on Christmas Day.(Staff Photo by Judy Screws)

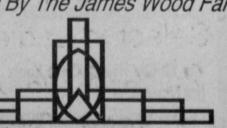




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Morris, Denise and Matt and Marissa

Sonny Gamble visited Bonnie

Visiting Inez Henson were Wanda

Velma Rector, Dovie Garretson

Russel Lawler's visitors were Ralph

Visiting Jettie Minshew were Jim

Inez Gill and Doris Strain visited

Inez Gill, Leonard Prater of

Longview, James and Margaret Prater

of Paris, Lou Ann and Wayne Elliott

of Princeton, Louada Watkins and

Jean Moore of Clarksville visited

Dollie Carroll's Visitors were Lynn

Gwendolyn Bowen, Kenny and

Visiting Barney Alsobrook were

and Brenda Carroll Randy and Lisa

Carroll, Mavis Jackson and Ernest

Marilyn Loge, and Cotton Garrett

Doug and Wayne Alsobrook and

Tracy and Mary Ann Williams, Karen

Visiting Worth Baker were Mary

Ann Williams, Karen Baker, Larry

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Baker, Larry Parker, Jessie and

Gerald Sr. and Lou Ada Franklin.

Brown, J.D. Lawler and Ida Lou and

Morgan, Don Morgan, R. Swarts and

And Jo Coil visited Mrs. Bowen.

G. Garrett and Zelma Mauldin.

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Visiting Raymon Mauldin were Billie Hancock, Shirley Smith, Sandra Benson, Dorie Smith and Kelly and Keifer Williams Kim Benson and Weldon and Joyce Smith.

Ina Ward, Weldon Hume, Paul Hume, Erbert Hume and Lindsey Ward visited Stasha Hume.

Casey York visited with Rhonda Storey, Cindy and Fern Bowen.

Frances Franklin, Deloris Norwood and Sue Martin visited Pauline Alsobrook

Visiting Jewel Rowe and Kate Guest were Laura Stevens, Betty Puckett and Mary Ann Ward.

Terry and Tony Watkins visited Dorothy Watkins. Nina Hudson's visitors were Mr.

and Mrs. Chris Hudson and baby, Garrett Wynn Hudson. John Keith's visitors were Billie

Nolen and Louise Ross, Morris Foster, Kay Read, Beverly Babb, Brian Keith, Hester Keith, and Neva

Visiting Clyde and Ardena Roberts were Katie Brown and Karen Forsythe.

Irene Smith's visitors were S.J. Smith, Linda Smith, Elaine Alford, Joe and Frances Jones, Kyle Jones, Lauren Jones, Donna Smith and Evelyn Roach.

Carmen Hall, Nancy Roberts and Milke Roberts visited Hobert Rob-

Mary Brown's visitors were Stanley and Jimmy Williams, Eva Watkins and Tony and Terry Wat-

Inez Gill and Doris Strain visited Parker, Pauline and Albert Mitchell,

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Linda Smith, Annette Skaggs, Ray Lou and Kristie Damron and Scott, Dusty and Haley

Billie Hancock went home for Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. Billie's and Jay's visitors at home during the holidays were Bob and Jitter Thornton from Artesia, Californiia, Bobra Montgomery and Randy Hancock from Garland, Howard and Helen Armstrong of Paris, Duane, Sandra, Jayson and Kimberly Benson of Clarksville, Raymon Mauldin, Jesse and Willie Mae Gray, Jerry and Gerlyn Gray, Jackie, Linda and Marty Gray, Donnie, Shirley and Dorie Smith, Ike Roach, Brandon Williams and Darian Smith.

Brown, Mary Brown, Tina ad Emily Ward and Nina Stoner.

Wayman Bryant and Mike, Naomi Dingmann and C.L. Smart visited Bertha Anderson.

Visiting Nellie Butts were Franklin and Dorcas Eilers, Homer and Peggy Butts and Don Shovan

Gussie Musick had surgery December 10. She appears to be pro-Kay Osborne, Connie and Lee Little, gressing nicely. She is recuperating Wayne Williams, Cole Murdock and at her sister's home in Little Chicago.

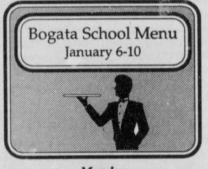
Penny Bishop, who is retired from the Air Force and living in Dayton, Ohio is spending the holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Robert Bishop and other relatives in Bogata. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and

Visiting Lewis Wilkerson were Paulyne Gibbs, Buddy Damron,

Billie Hancock's visitors were Jay Hancock, Sandra Benson, Kimberly Benson, Shirley Smith, Dorie Smith, Kathy Williams, Bobra Montgomery, Randy Hancock, Don Guess, Tiffany Giles and Don and Amelia

Hazel Brown's visitors were Danny

Lucille Moore visited Iva Carr.



Monday

**Breakfast** Cereal, Toast & Jelly Juice, Milk Lunch Crispito with Cheese Refried Beans Carrots Fruit Milk

Tuesday

Breakfast Cinnamon Rolls Graham Crackers & Peanut Butter Juice & Milk Lunch

Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes with Gravy Green Beans Hot Rolls wit Butter & Honey

Wednesday

Breakfast Sausage& Biscuit Jelly Juice& Milk Lunch Nachos with Meat and Cheese Seasoned Beans Crackers Milk

Thursday

**Breakfast** Pancakes & Syrup Juice, Milk Lunch Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Carrots Garlic Bread Milk

Friday Breakfast

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

#### Rivercrest to open district at Lone Oak Rivercrest Rebels will open their

district play at Lone Oak Thursday, January 2. B-Boys at 5:00 p.m., A Girls at 6:30 p.m. and A Boys at 7:45

Tana attended a pre Christmas get-

together at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Murl Roach in Deport on Sunday,

December 22. Also attending were

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roach of Milton,

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Roach, Mike,

Lila, Bren, Kara and Hali Screws,

Mrs. Johnnie Warren and James and

Jenny Asbery all of Deport, Chris

Anna, Jerry, Christopher and Jerred

Guerra of Paris, Cory and Beth Spray,

of Reno and Susie Ray and Shyanne

Happy January Birthdays to Jimmy

Stringfellow, Jody Stringfellow,

Dwayne Young, Crystal Bell, Ross

Eilers and Patricia Freelen, Mike

Screws and Murl Roach, Neil Rozell,

Frances M. Rozell and Morgan Ro-

zell. Happy anniversary to Linda and

Ross Eilers and Curtis and June

Chrystine Baker had Christmas

Dinner in Blossom with Billie and

Horace Welch. Also having dinner

with the Welches were Mary Ann

Welch and Arlie Elrod, Mary Ann

came and got Chrystine to come to

Chrystine Baker received long dis-

tance Christmas greeting calls from

her nephew, Billy Baker, Junior in

Ada, Oklahoma, her niece and

nephew, Cheryl and Joseph Hamilton

from Tuscon, Arizona, her nephew,

from Paul Corbell in Sun City, Ari-

Roberts of Tyler

The Rivercrest Rebels will take on District 17AA newcomer in the Lone Oak Buffaloes on Thursday night at

The Rebels defeated Lone Oak last year in the first round of the state play-offs in overtime. The Buffaloes have three starters returning from

"We will have to cover their 3 point shooters in their guard #33 and the #22 who plays forward and post. We must take away their number one threat in their 3 point shooting. Secondly we must stop their fast break, thirdly their inside game. Then of course, we have to be able to score against their man to man pressure,"stated Coach Wood.

Saturday night at Rivercrest Gym the Rebels play Prairiland in a crucial district 17AA match up. B Girls play at 4:00; A Boys at 5:30; A Girls at 6:45 and A Boys at 8:00.

District 17AA is about to start its district play. Thursday's games feature Rivercrest at Lone Oak, Cooper at Prairiland, Honey Grove at Como Picton and Alba Golden at Chisum. Saturday's games have Lone Oak at Chisum, Prairiland at Rivercrest, Como Picton at Cooper and Honey Grove at Alba Golden. Thursday, January 7, Alba Golden will play at Lone Oak, Rivercrest at Como Picton, Cooper at Honey Grove and Chisum at Prairiland. Friday, January 10, Cooper will be at Alba Golden, Como Picton at Chisum, Prairiland at Lone Oak and Honey Grove at Rivercrest.

A social system that cannot be changed cannot be maintained.

-Holbrook Jackson

zona from her sisters, Peggy Yale,, in Fort Worth and Carol Baker in Ath-

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Bogata Locals

By Judy Screws

Guests of Betty and Jerry Dodd of Rosalie Christmas Eve night included; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and girls of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Moore and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Moore and son, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Eudy and children all of Cuthand, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Roberts and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Long and children of Paris.

Celebrating Christmas Day in the Jerry Dodd home at Rosalie were: Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Horn, Linda Farris and friend, Ray of Bogata and Mrs. Neva Whitten of Johntown.

Gary and Anna Moore of Cuthand ate supper with Betty and Jerry Dodd Christmas night at their home in

Christmas Eve guests of Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow were Buddy and Ellen Stringfellow, Jimmy and Linda Stringfellow, Wayne, Lynsey and Jamie Stringfellow, Dan, Vicki and Dee Tabb, Jody, Debbie, Josh and Jacob Stringfellow, Aaron Toland, Billy, Kathy, Kaley and Kellen Stringfellow, Chad, Felina and Jerica White, Paul and Payton Stringfellow, Mary Nell and Randy Hendricks, Danny Tabb, Michael Tabb and Amy Gladden.

Kenneth York of Cisco spent the pre Christmas week end with his sister, Dixie Stringfellow. Visiting with them on Sunday were Lucille Childers, Doug Hawkins, Jan McCuller and M.J. and Edna Earl

Grady Rhodes visited with Dixie and Wayne Stringfellow Thursday. Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow had sup-

per with Jimmy and Linda Stringfellow of Paris Christmas Day. Other guests were Joe, Debbie, Josh and Jake Stringfellow, Aaron Toland, Billy, Kathy, Kaley and Kellen Stringfellow, Felina and Jerica White, Paul and Payton Stringfellow and Lynsey and Jamie Stringfellow.

Gussie Musick had surgery December 10. She had many visitors.

Christmas Eve Dinner guests of Jim and Margie Garrett were Lynn and Brenda Burdette, Cory Fleming of Fort Worth Barclay and Audrey Powell and children, Ashley and B.J. from Jakarta, Indonesia, Don and Cheryl Sidler of Plano, Yvonne Powell of Carrollton, Jerry and Belinda Mauldin of Irving, Sussie Meredith of Arkansas, Jettie Minshew, Zelma Mauldin, Ken and Phyllis Duffer of Bogata.

Visiting Jim and Margie Garrett over the Christmas Holidays were Annette Swaim of Houston, Edith Swaim, Dean and Carol Jean Leake of Talco, Bill Dixon of Longview, Cyndi Hopkins of Dickinson, Joslyn Vickers, Grant and Jessica of Knob Noster, Missouri, Julie Moreland and Owen of Texarkana, Arkansas.

Dan and Mary K. Cotten spent Christmas Day in Frisco with their son, Larry Cotten and family.

On Sunday, December 22, Monroe Rector enjoyed Christmas at the home of his daughter, Dan and Vicki Tabb of Miro. Others present were his grandchildren, Danny, Dee and Michael Tabb and Amy Gladden.

Johnny Shows died Saturday, December 28 at Springfield, Missouri. The funeral was held December 21 in Natchez, Mississippi. Mr. Shows was a cousin of Willie May Gray.

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Wesley Davidson

#### Birthday celebrated

Wesley Davidson, son of Gary Paul and Julie Davidson, celebrated his second birthday, Thursday, Decem-

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Jamie Stringfellow

#### Birthday Celebrated

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#### Birthday celebrated by Leon Tuck

Visiting Leon and Ellen Tuck on Leon's 87th birthday were: Mr. and Mrs. James Freelen, James and Jason of Rugby, Kelly Cantrell of Blossom, Helen, Jennifer and Wesley Roberts, Nannie Bell Ham, Nell Shull of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Williams, Brandon and Kevin and Gena Haggard of Bogata.

Cake and punch were served to everyone. The honoree received many

The celebration for the evening ended with a trip to Fulbright to the Fulbright home to see the beauutiiful Christmas lights.

Everyone enjoyed a wonderful



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-Henry Adams

#### Morris was born in Deport, the son of Marlin and Billie Mac (Marris)

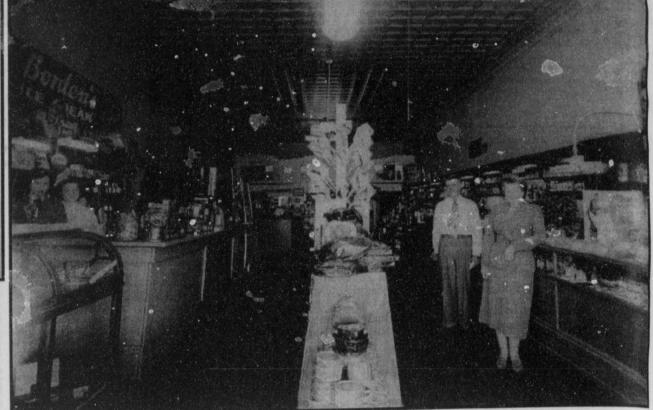
Mary O. Christopher had Christmas Dinner December 8, 1996 at the Hazel Goodbar Center at 3000 Con-

cord in Dallas. In the midst of a hurried December month the family still took the time for a family get together. They had a wonderful time of fellowship, eating delicious food and sharing gifts. They say that most of all it is so good to be able to be with everybody. It is very

There was a count of forty five people. Very young, older and all in

Attending were Darrell and Sherry Warren of McKinney, Lowell and Bonnie Griffin of Mesquite, Melba Henry of Fort Worth, Joseph Espinosa of Fort Worth, Lesa, Cortney, An-

Christophers have holiday dinner Ben Whettey, Paden's friend, of Athens, Thomas, Catherine, Lauren and Shannon Rawdon of Carrollton. Gussie Musick of Bogata, Gene and Carolyn Davidson of Garland, Floyd and Sarah Bartholomew of Wylie, Pistol, Kathy, Brittni and Trey Rawdon of Tyler, Carol Sue Christo-pher of Dallas, Zebbie, Cody and Jessica Cantu of Houston, Edith McTee of Wylie, Don and Margee Christopher of Caddo Mills, Jack and Christine Christopher of Dallas, Rob Chaney of Longview, Robert A. Ward of Dallas, C.D. and Zella Warren of Athens, Tim Rawdon of Denton, Linda Chaney of Dallas, Jamie David-



Lucille Mayes, Margaret Palmer Bell, Aubrey Buckman and Bess Pope

## Buckman Drugstore, Inc. remembered By Frances Rozell By Frances Rozell

Buckman Drug began in August of 1942 when Mr. Aubrey L. Buckman came to Bogata and purchased the DeVaney Drug. It had been established in 1910 in the building by M.B. Peyton. A Mr. Smith from Naples owned the drugstore for a short time before selling to Mr.. John DeVaney

Aubrey Buckman received his pharmacy license in 1933 at Danford School of Pharmacy in Fort Worth. He grew up in Delta. County and married Johnnie Worden of Charleston. He worked in drugstores in Munday, Texas; Deport and Talco. He went to Stiles Drug in Clarksville in 1937. While living in Clarksville, a son, Jerry, age 2 1/2 died in 1939. A son, Earl Lynn, was born in 1940 and was two years old when they came to make their home in Bogata in 1942. A third son, Billy Lee, "Bill", was born in 1945.

Johnnie's sister Lydia, "Sis", lived with them in Clarksville. Mr. Buckman said he would buy DeVaney only if Sis would come help him. Mr. Buckman bought the drugstore and Sis worked in the pharmacy until Mr. Buckman bought the drugstore and Sis worked in the pharmacy until she married Paul Hamilton of Bogata also Clarksville and operated the City Drug there for 45 years. Paul died in September of 1991

Mrs. Bess Pope came to work at Buckman Drug in 1947 and worked for about 30 years before retiring.

Many Bogata ex students can recall their days working in the drugstore for Mr. Buckman. The business was open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. week days and open until 10:30 and later on Saturday nights in the 40's and 50's when the town's businesses were booming.

Bill, the Buckman's younger son, after graduating from Bogata High School in 1963, attended college at East Texas State University in Commerce and graduated from Southwestern Oklahoma State University School of Pharmacy in Weatherford, Oklahoma in 1968.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckman gave the Buckman Drugstore to their two sons, Lynn and Bill. Lynn owns and operates a business in Dallas, The Ivy House, Specialist in Fine Table Warein old Town in the Village. He sold his part of the business to Morris Foster in January 1976. The business

is now Buckman Drugstore, Inc.

High School and attended East Texas State University. He graduated from Southwestern Oklahoma State University School of Pharmacy in 1974.

Bill married Joyce Ann Lewis. They built a home on Highway 37 south of town. Morris married Ginger McConnell. They live on North Main Street and have two daughters, Jill, age 15, and Allison, age 11.

Mr. Buckman continued to work with Bill and Morris a day or so a week until his health failed. He died in 1981. Mrs. Buckman died in June of 1994. Mr. Buckman spend 35 years serving his friends and neighbors in this community... in the same space that housed Bogata's first drug store

In July of 1988 Bill and Morris moved about three doors north into their present location. They took a few of the old furnishings with them. The Buckman Drug Store, Inc. is still the center of business in Bogata. Bill and Morris are here to serve you their friends and neighbors.

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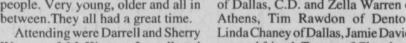
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KEITH MAULDIN is pictured with his sister, Dayna. He is the son of Derrell and Kelly Mauldin. Keith was the winner of the giant stocking given away at Huddleston's Grocery.

people Things

The Rivercrest Cheerleaders have tattoos and ribbons on sale at the Talco, Bogata and Rivercrest campuses on Thursdays and Fridays. Either item is .50 cents and may be purchased in the school offices. Support your cheerleaders while supporting your team.

Rivercrest High School for \$1.00



RETIREE-J.D. BARNETT of Bogata received his 50 year certificate, pin and U.A watch from Local Union 669 on his retirement. .He worked as a

**BOGATA GIFT SUB** 

To Jan Hurst and Sam Speir from Willie Mae Speir.

The Rivercrest Lady Rebel Varsity and Rebel JV and Varsity will travel to Lone Oak Jan. 2 with play beginning at 5:00 p.m. The Lady Rebel and Rebel JV and Varsity teams

sprinkler fitter for an automatic

fire protection service, mostly in the Houston area for 50 years. Barnett is pictured with his wife, Helen. They retired to Bogata where they have family.



B.J., Robbie and Jewell McLaughlin had early Chuistmas in Bowie. Robbie's son's family was there. Saturday, December 28, Nelda Belzung hosted late Christmas dinner at Faye Faulkenburg's home in Johntown. She had turkey, ham and

and Judy Jackson.

JOHNTOWN LOCALS By Jana Hawkins 632--5174

Paula Speir is honored with party On Saturday, December 28 an it looked pretty black. The theme of

"over the hill" party was given in honor of Paula Speir. Paula turned 40

Jack Dodd off of the Rosalie Vol-

unteer Fire Department started the

celebration with sirens. He escorted

Paula from Gwen Leath's house to

the Bogata Community Center in

style, riding in the Rosalie Fire Truck

with all the whistles and sirens blar-

The rest of the party awaited her

arrival at the community center where

on Saturday

Addison, Monique and David Huckabee of Grand Prairie, Joe P.

TALCO GIFT SUBS

all the trimmings. Faye cooked the

good turkey and ham. Those attend-

ing were Nelda and Bob Belzung of

Mesquite, James Lyle Dodd of

To T.J. Williams from Wayne and Jelu Binion. To Mike Medlin from Ann Roberts.

To Ginger Bruce and Mark

Farris of Dallas, Linda Farris and Faye Faulkenburg of Bogata and B.J.,

"over the hill" was definitely visible.

The birthday cake was black with a grave and tombstone marking the

passing of Paula's youth. She was

even too weak to blow out the candles!

Barbeque was the main course for

dinner but good ole' fashioned fun

and "payback" were the main attrac-

tions. The party was given by Paula's

'so called" friends and family: Andy, Teri, and Andy Speir, Gwen Leath, RuAnna Bell, Kay Ross, Linda Eilers

Dakota Lane Beene arrived on Dec. 18, 1996 weighing 6 lbs. 8 ozs, 17 1/ brother, Dalton. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bryan of Winfield. Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Keith (Fat) Smith of Talco and Bobbie Fitch of Mt. Vernon.

12:49 p.m. on Dec. 23,1996 weighing 4 lbs. 12 ozs., 17 inches long. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Forsyth of Talco. Richard joins sisters Amber and Jessica and brother Jimmy. Grandparents are David Stephen of Talco and Ruie Forsyth of

Get your Rebel Pride bumper stickers and support the school in all activities. They can be purchased at

The Talco-Bogata Tax Office will be closed Dec. 23 to Dec. 28. The office will be open Dec. 30 and Dec. 31. It will be closed Jan. 1 and Jan. 2 and will reopen on Jan. 3 to being the

The Rivercrest Seniors are reminded to turn in their baby pictures by Jan. 10 for the year book.

will host Prairiland on Friday, Jan.4 Harris from Yvonne Harris. beginning at 4:00 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support Fussell from Mrs. Omie Hanks. the teams as they enter district play.

To Derrell Stockton from Cecil Stockton. To Mrs. Hubert Smith and Allean

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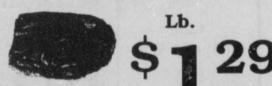


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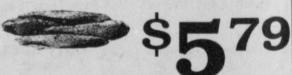
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Robbie and Jewell McLaughlin of Johntown. Gifts were exchanged and all enjoyed the day. Boots Cooper came down for a while before lunch. **NEW ARRIVALS** 

2 inches long. Parents are Danny and Darla Beene of Talco. Dakota joins

Richard Lee Forsyth arrived at

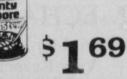
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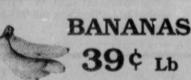
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