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## Bogata Red Sox, First Place Winners



—Photo by James M. Hulien

Bogata Red Sox team winners in Little League Baseball for the 1970 season, were presented first place trophies at Depot Thursday night by Kenneth Burks, president of the Paluxy League, having won 13 games and lost one.

Members of the Red Sox team pictured above are: Front Row,

left to right — Aaron Sessum, Kenneth Rape, Allan Ward, Billy Scales, Mark White, Nathan Mankins, Garry White, Terry Sessum. 2nd Row, left to right — Barry Hanna, Stacey Embrey, Glen Fulbright, Curtis Sessum, Kenny Baker, Donald Geene, Ronny Rape, Ben Ed Geese, Milton Scales, Coach Leonard Bond.

## Prairieland CISD Assigns Teachers

Teacher assignments for the newly formed Prairieland Consolidated Independent School District are as follows:

### HIGH SCHOOL

Supt. Grady Wright; Principal, Leslie Taylor; Mrs. Virginia Bardwell, Business; Mrs. Margatha Dewese, Math. & Foreign Language; Johnny Hatcher, Social Studies, Freshman Girls Coach; Murray Jackson, Math, Freshman Boys Coach; Mrs. Virginia Kirkland, Librarian; Mrs. Glenda Loven, English; Don W. Norrell, Science; Larry Salter, Business; Bill Scudder, History, Coach (Boys); L. C. Stout, English, Coach (Girls); Mac Webb, Social Studies; Roy White, Science; Mrs. Charles Martin, Homemaking; Mrs. Tom Watson, Homemaking; Bill Jones, Agriculture; B. M. Ballard, Agriculture; Mrs. Jerry Allen, Secretary & Clerical.

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Principal, William Geer; First Grade, Blanche Morgan; Second Grade, Ivy Fendley; Third, Gladys Woodson; Fourth, Lois Griffin; Fifth, Laura Kincaid; Sixth, James Lowry; Sixth, Eddie Black; Seventh - Eighth, Leo Dodd, Glenda Hatcher, Anna Beth Allen, William Geer; Remedial, JoAnn Gerringier, Ella Maddox; Teachers Aides, Dorothy Ellen Gray, Mary Jane Lowry.

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Principal, Charles Martin; First Grade, Maggie Lee Morgan; Second, Bernice Wyatt; Third, Zet-Marie Salter; Fourth, Mary Helen Salter; Fifth, Zillia Kennedy; Sixth & Seventh, Margaret Parks, Lon Ellen Hayes; English, Ina Sparks; Math and Coach, Gordon Isbell; Remedial, Eloise Sparks, Katherine Suggs; Teachers Aides, Linda Gray, Margie Taylor.

## Cheshire Receives Award Heroism

A Bronze Star Medal has been awarded Warrant Officer Kenneth D. Cheshire, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cheshire of Andrews, for heroism during May in Vietnam.

He received the award for "bravery and devotion to duty under extremely hazardous conditions," according to information released by the U. S. Army.

On May 9 he was proceeding to Coggio with six loaded ammunition barges when the tug received rocket fire. When the first two rockets went over the top of the wheelhouse, Cheshire, who was on the starboard machinegun, commenced firing at the suspected launching site. A split second later two more rockets made direct hits to the starboard side of the wheelhouse.

Although Cheshire received serious shrapnel wounds from this explosion, he continued firing at the suspected enemy site. After the firing stopped, he took care of some of his wounds and also helped with the others who were hurt. Minutes later he was medicated to Long Binh.

Cheshire, with his father, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cheshire of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Vaughan of Bogata, recently.

## Ronnie Barnard Funeral Service

Funeral services for Ronnie Barnard, 22 of Talco, were held Thursday, July 30 at 3:00 p. m. at the Assembly of God Church of Bogata with Rev. Bill Pirtle, pastor, officiating. Mr. Barnard died Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock while working at the Co-Op Gin at Deport. Cause of death had not been determined.

Mr. Barnard was born April 11, 1948 at Johtown, son of H. M. and Ida Childress Barnard. He was married Sept. 7, 1967 in Dallas to Patricia Ann Evans. Survivors are his wife, one son, Ronnie Mack, his parents, three sisters, Hazel Fox of Irving, Geraldine Hammett of Johtown, Wanda Wilson of Waco; one brother, Ronald Edward Barnard of Johtown and several nieces.

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## Vo. Ag. Teachers At Workshop Aug. 3-7

Vocational Agriculture Teachers, some 1300 strong, will parley in Dallas, August 3-7, 1970, for an annual meeting and in-service Education Workshop.

Attending the conference from Rivercrest High School will be Morris Trimm, Pete Taylor and Craig Ingram, Vocational Agriculture teachers and FFA Advisors.

The Adolphus and Baker Hotel will be the sites for the meetings which kick off Monday, August 3, with registration beginning at 3:00 p. m., announces David T. McVey, El Paso, VAT and President of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas. A full slate of events make up the agenda for the annual affair.

Entertainment and activities are also planned throughout the four-day meeting for the ladies who will attend the meeting.

## George Leake Gets Air Force Medal

Captain George W. Leake, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Leake, Rt. 2, Mt. Pleasant, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Keesler AFB, Miss.

Captain Leake was decorated for meritorious service as chief of the communications - electronics maintenance branch of the Tactical Air Control Center, 601st Tactical Air Control Wing at Sembach AB, Germany.

He is now at Keesler serving as commander of the 1839th Electronics Installation Group's headquarters squadron, a unit of the Air Force Communications Service which provides global communications and air traffic control for the USAF.

The captain was commissioned in 1964 through Officers Training School, Lackland AFB, Tex., and has also served in Vietnam.

A 1953 graduate of Talco High School, he received a B. S. degree in electrical engineering in 1964 from the University of Wyoming.

He and his wife, the former Jessie C. Ware, have two sons, David and Daniel.

## First Baptist Hosts District WMA

The Fellowship District Woman's Missionary Auxiliary met Thursday with the First Baptist Church.

The President, Mrs. Harold Williams, called the meeting to order. Rev. L. D. Mullinix, pastor of the Macedonia Baptist Church, Pittsburg, delivered the morning message. After the noon hour a short business session was held, then the program chairman, Mrs. Judy Marshall, introduced the afternoon speaker, Mrs. Jimmy Albright from Sulphur Springs, who is vice president of the State WMA.

Next meeting will be with the Macedonia Church, Pittsburg.

Mrs. J. C. McGonagill, Reed and Terry went to Love Field, Dallas, Sunday to meet Mrs. Onis Welch, who had spent the week in Long Beach, Calif., visiting the late Mr. Welch's relatives, W. E. Lewallen, Mrs. H. P. San-son, Mrs. Helen Engle and Mrs. Stuart Hanson. While there they toured Knotts Berry Farm, CBS and NBS Studios, Portacool (a new shopping center over the ocean), Disneyland, enjoyed a Chinese dinner and attended a baseball game in Los Angeles between the Dodgers and Expos from Canada.



Austin.—As fast as the state's major finance agencies moved out of the capitol into the new Finance Building, contractors' bids were opened for remodeling of the old quarters to the tune of more than \$1 million.

Work soon will be underway on all floors of the capitol, including the basement.

Senators plan to get private offices of at least 550 square feet each. Bulk of the new Senate space will come from quarters long occupied by the State Comptroller.

House members will have smaller offices — but at least a private office — in the old first-floor State Treasury quarters and the basement.

Senators plan new committee rooms, including one specially wired for sound and tv lights.

Capitol station post office will make an early move into the new Finance Building, clearing the east entrance of the statehouse for restoral to its original splendor.

ENROLLMENT LIMIT ASKED — Soaring public college enrollments prompted a request from the Coordinating Board of the Texas College and University System that each school give "immediate consideration" to the problem.

If voluntary curtailment does not result, Board officials indicated they will ask the Legislature for power to order mandatory ceilings. Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin held in a recent opinion that the agency does not have such authority. University of Texas system regents, meanwhile, approved a UT enrollment-control plan and a lottery system for use when units reach capacity.

Coordinating Board at its last meeting also placed the student loan program under federal loan insurance to guarantee repayments, advised expulsion of students who are involved in campus disruptions, and directed studies of free credit exchange among all public institutions and possible elimination of unnecessary college courses.

INTEGRATION PRESSED — Federal negotiators conferring with representatives of Texas school districts found 49 not in compliance with desegregation provisions of the 1964 civil rights act.

Sessions are seen as a last-ditch effort to get voluntary integration without a massive lawsuit by the U. S. Justice Department demanding immediate compliance.

Negotiators included three teams representing the civil rights division of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, plus Justice Department Washington headquarters and Dallas regional office.

Texas Education Agency has contacted all 48 districts following receipt of a letter from the Justice Department asking TEA's help in ending school segregation.

School districts were limited to a maximum of three on their negotiating teams — preferably the board president, superintendent and school attorney or board vice-president or another board member.

Federal teams limited each district to one-hour hearings. Any agreement, if not worked out in that time, will be communicated to HEW as soon as possible after local board discussions.

Each district was requested to bring copies of its own desegregation plans to the Austin meetings.

## Mrs. Robert Griffin Gets M. A. Degree

Mrs. Robert Griffin, the former Elaine Phillee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Phillee of Deport, has completed work toward a Master of Arts Degree in English at East Texas State University at Commerce. She teaches in the Mesquite school system, having been on the faculty for eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin and their two children, Robbie and Jana, live in Mesquite.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gieger, with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Northam and Deborah and Mrs. Jewell Butler, visited Wednesday in Grannis, Ark., with the formers daughter, Mrs. H. E. Stuart, Mr. Stuart and Keran.

Mr. and Mrs. John Northam, with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Northam and Deborah and Mrs. Jewell Butler, visited Wednesday in Grannis, Ark., with the formers daughter, Mrs. H. E. Stuart, Mr. Stuart and Keran.

## Mrs. Mattie Finch Registration Has Rites Saturday Begun At PJC

The funeral of Mrs. Mattie B. Finch, 99 years old, who died at Bogata Thursday in Red River Haven Nursing Home, was held Saturday afternoon in the Assembly of God Church by the minister, Bill Pirtle. Bogata Funeral Home made burial in Post Oak Cemetery, north of Blossom.

Grandsons were bearers. Born Nov. 11, 1870, in Alabama, Mrs. Finch was married to Felix Finch at Post Oak June 6, 1911, and he died in 1934.

She leaves three children: Pete Finch of Bogata, Roy Finch of Blossom, and Miss Mayme B. Finch of Paris also 26 other descendants.

Counselors and department heads at Paris Junior College were in the Ballroom of McLemore Student Center Monday, July 28, at 8:00 to begin early registration for the fall semester at the college. They will be there from 8 until 4 each week day through August 14.

According to Ralph W. Webb, Dean of Student Affairs, students will be able to complete registration and pay their fees in the ballroom. This three-week period of early registration will allow the students time to plan their courses of study and arrange class schedules with the assistance of counselors and members of the faculty.

Admission forms are available in the Registrar's Office and must be completed and returned to that office prior to registering in the Ballroom.

A transcript from the last high school or college attended along with the student's ACT or CEEB test score must be on file in the Registrar's Office. Students will be permitted to register without having an ACT test score on record, but arrangements will be made to take the test at a later time.

Dormitory reservations are being received daily, and students who plan to live on campus during the fall semester are urged to make living arrangements as soon as possible.

## R. R. County Farm Bu. Queen Contest

The annual Red River County Farm Bureau Queen Contest and Talent Find will be held Friday evening, Aug. 7 at 8:30 p. m. in the Rivercrest High School auditorium.

Girls between the ages of 16 and 22 on Sept. 1, and who have a father or brother actively engaged in agriculture or has agricultural income, and are members of the Red River Co. Farm Bureau, are eligible to enter.

Contestants will be judged on appearance, poise, and personality. Each contestant will be asked to make a one minute speech on "Why I'm Glad My Family is a Member of Farm Bureau." The winner will be awarded \$35.00 toward the purchase of a new costume for her next appearance in the District Contest later in August.

Queen contestants and their mothers will be guests of Farm Bureau for a tea in their honor at 3:00 p. m. Friday, the 7th, in the Rivercrest School Cafeteria.

Participants in the Talent Find must be between the ages of 17 and 30 on Dec. 1. Married persons may enter. Entrants must hold a membership in the Farm Bureau, or be members of Farm Bureau family. County winners will advance to district competition.

Mrs. J. R. Spurgeon of Rice, is visiting her with his sister, Mrs. W. R. Prestidge and Mr. Prestidge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Northam and Deborah of Manchester, Tenn., are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Northam and Mrs. Jewell Butler. Together they went to Pasadena to visit relatives and friends. Mrs. Butler and the J. D. Northams visited Mr. and Mrs. Leahon Lee. The Northams visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Northam, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Northam and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Welch and girls. The group also visited Astro-World and the Astrodome.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. May and three children took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oley May to their home in Steins, Miss., Sunday after a two weeks visit here. Before returning home they will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Odom also in Steins.

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**JOHNTOWN**

By MRS. FRANCIS FOSTER

Mrs. Lucille Hawkins had as visitors over the week end her brother, Kenneth York and son, Stevie Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Wilkerson and Sammy Jo of Whitewright, Mrs. Robbie McCuller and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Butch Combest and children of Ore City, visited her on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carroll of Dallas, spent from Sunday till Wednesday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Mahaska Coe. Another daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox of Dallas, spent from Friday till Saturday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mayfield were supper guests Saturday night of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Mayfield of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Anderson had as guests during the week end the week end their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mauldin and family of Dallas, her nieces, Mrs. Gladys Ottinger of Hagansport and Miss Glenda Sue Bise of Dallas, another daughter, Mrs. Lucy Lawson of Bogata, their son, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Anderson and son of Sulphur Springs and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Anderson of Mt. Pleasant.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Foster were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. (Boots) Roberts of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hervey and children of Channelview, spent Saturday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hervey.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron White of Bogata, visited Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shockey.

Mrs. Roger Fox and children of Dallas, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnard.

Mrs. M. J. Dodd and her mother, Mrs. Josie York of Bogata, visited Wednesday in Mt. Pleasant with their niece and cousin Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Blankenship.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Sport and family of Dallas spent from Sunday until Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sale.

Mrs. R. C. Hinson and children visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ward of Lone

Star. Visiting Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hinson were Mrs. Albert Boyd of Dalhart and Mrs. Jackie Johnson of Runcemed, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ward of Lone Star and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Stewart of Avinger wer eweek end guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sport and Edward Conway of Dallas, spent the week end in the home of Charles' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sales and Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mauldin of Grand Prairie visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean and family. Other visitors were his mother, Mrs. Manry Parker of Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Hervey and Mr. and Mrs. Dale House and family attended the Red River Valley Crusade Saturday night in Paris.

Mrs. Mary Kelly and children of Reno and Mrs. Lizzy Kelly of Vernon, visited Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Mildred Mayfield and Marys grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Rector.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hervey had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Hervey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and family of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Blagburn and children of Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Cisero Rhodes of Hugo, Okla., visited Sunday in Grapevine in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nuel Wickarsham, where a family reunion was held.

Sunday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Marion G. Foster were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Malone of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Estill and family of Ft. Worth were week end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Askins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kennedy of Cunningham visited Sunday with the ladies' sister, Mrs. Willie Cotten in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Sidney Frugia has returned home after visiting in Eunice, N. M., with her brother, Floyd Williams and family. Mrs. Frugia with the Williams family and their daughter, Mrs. Bobby Tate and boys, visited in Panhandle, Texas, with their sister, Alva Nell Williams and another brother, Homer Williams and family. Other members of the family met them there.

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MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Blalock were Rev. and Mrs. Charles Labell and grandchildren, Tim, Charles and Donnie Martin of Cooper.

Mrs. Winnie Bragg was a Friday visitor of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crook of Midway community.

Mr. Alvin Blalock and Mrs. Roy Blalock and girls returned home Friday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holcomb and family of Wagner, Okla.

Mrs. Moody Belcher returned home Wednesday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Doyel Price and children of Denison.

Mrs. Eunice Winkle of Bagwell, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock.

Susan and Sondra Blalock of Austin, are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and son, Bryant, and Mrs. Blalock's mother, Mrs. Winkle, spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gaston and daughter, Winda of Krum.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cass of Paris. Sunday evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Humeke of Hooks.

Rev. Garnett Walker of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Phillips.

Mrs. Cordie Phillips is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lillie Hammonds

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**Johnson - Tucker Nuptials Friday**



The First Assembly of God Church, Bogata, was the setting for the Friday evening double-nuptials of Miss Joy Nell Tucker of Fulbright and James Harold Johnson of Bogata. The couple exchanged vows at 8 p. m. before the Rev. Bill Pirtle, pastor of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Tucker of Fulbright are the parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Johnson of Bogata.

A table in the entrance of the church held the couple's wedding book in which guests registered. A single blue taper accented the table.

Miss Diann Potter of Talco, soloist, and Miss Debbie Pirtle of Bogata, organist, presented "More" and "Till the End of Time." Miss Pirtle also presented nuptial selections prior to the ceremony and the traditional wedding music.

When the bride was escorted to the altar to be given in marriage by her father, they paused at her mother's side and presented her a long-stemmed red rose.

For her wedding the bride chose a full-length gown of white peau de soie. Chantilly lace formed the yoke and long sleeves of the empire gown and the bride's; Watteau train, also of Chantilly lace, was chapel length. Appliques of Chantilly lace flowers were scattered over the skirt. The bride's shoulder-length veiling of illusion was held by a forward tilt cluster of silk illusion petals. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and miniature chry-

santhemums, and kept the tradition of "something old, new, borrowed and blue."

Mrs. Laney Benedict of Deport was matron of honor.

Vicki Tucker of Clarksville, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Laney Benedict of Deport was best man. Victor Allen Wells of Mt. Pleasant, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Ushers were Clyde Johnson, the groom's brother, and Tommy Childress, a cousin of the groom.

As the couple left the wedding scene, they paused while the bride presented a long-stemmed red rose to her bridegroom's mother.

The bride is a graduate of Deport High School. Her husband, a graduate of Rivercrest High School, is an employe of the Good Hope Ranch near Woodland.

FOLLOWING the ceremony, the bride's parents honored the couple at a reception in the Bogata Community Center.

Serving cake and punch were Miss Judy Bridges, Miss Janet Allen, Miss Marilyn Glover and Miss Linette Keys, all of Deport.

Rice bags were distributed by the Misses Arlene and Darlene Johnson, twin cousins of the groom. They wore identical blue dresses.

When the couple left on a short wedding trip to Greenville, Mrs. Johnson was attired in a pink dress with matching accessories. Her corsage was of white chrysanthemums.

of Mt. Pleasant.

Saturday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barry and son, Dennis of Hughes Springs.

Sunday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were Mrs. James DeLaughter and daughter, Tracy and Mrs. Ray King and boys, Jerry, Ronnie and Jeff of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the home of Mrs. Winnie Bragg, Tuesday and also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hall Riddle.

Supper guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke were

their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke and children of Mt. Pleasant. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Smith and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Sunday.

Mrs. Curtis Abston and son, Chris of Dallas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and other relatives here the past week.

Cecil Ship of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and Mr. and

**Moore Family Has Reunion At Bogata**

The Moore family reunion was held at the Bogata Community Center Sunday, July 26. Families and friends attending were from California, Alabama, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indiana, Missouri and South America as well as different points in Texas. About 200 attended and a great fellowship was enjoyed by all. The next reunion will be observed the 4th Sunday in July, 1971 at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Black and Danny visited last week with their daughter, Mrs. F. J. Harrell and Carla Jo and their son, Butch Black and family.

Douglas Duffee came Saturday and brought his grandsons, Ricky and Dewayne Hearron, home after they had visited two weeks with the Duffees in Midland. Mr. Duffee and the M. L. Hearrons attended the Moore family reunion at Bogata Community Center Sunday. Three hundred people attended.

Mrs. Cecil Ship of Mt. Pleasant, Wednesday.

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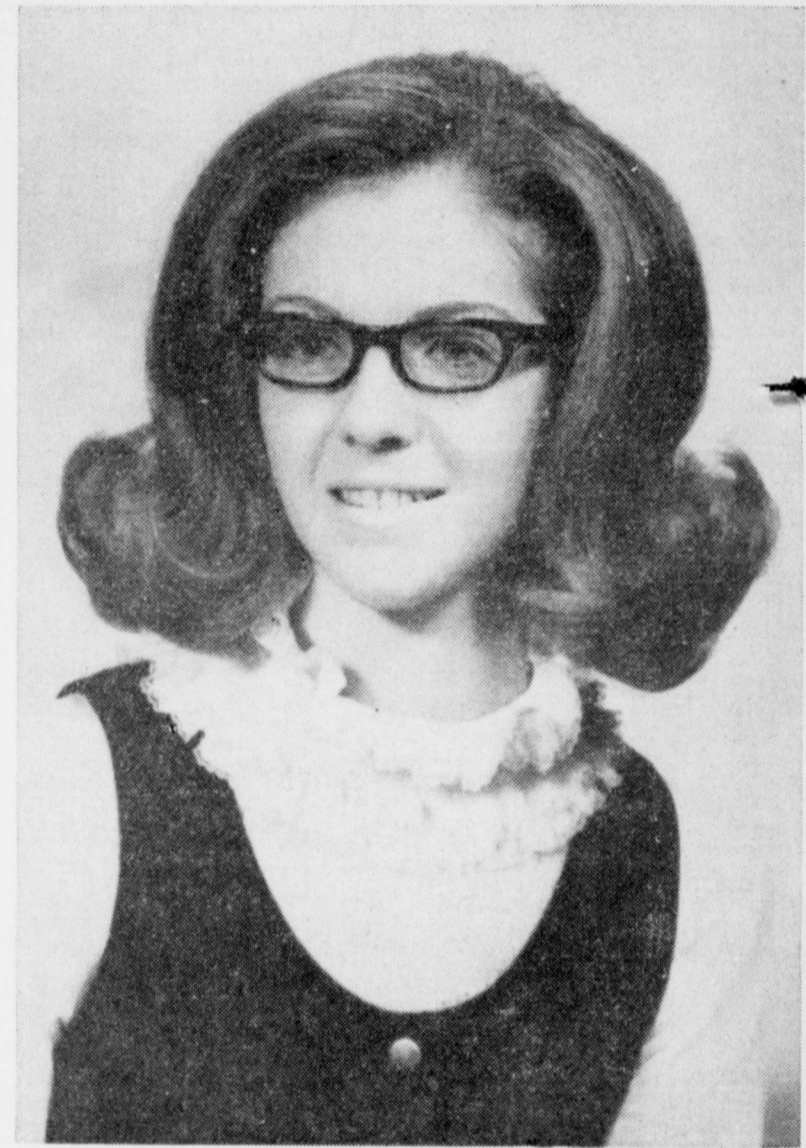
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**Engagement Announced**



Mr. and Mrs. David J. Myers of Mt. Pleasant, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Danny Glaazer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dickinson of Talco. The couple has set the wedding date on September 6 in the First Baptist Church Chapel in Mt. Pleasant.

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# LOCAL NEWS

MRS. WAYMAN ALEXANDER  
Local Reporter  
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Mrs. Cliff Jones, Mrs. R. G. Hood, Mrs. Don Logan and son were in Longview, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vann Cato of Bogata, spent Saturday with Mrs. B. L. Gieger.

Mrs. Charlie Russell has been a patient in Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic.

Miss Vicky Jackson of Garland, spent the week with Miss Amelia Bolin.

Mrs. Bill Smith of Mt. Pleasant visited Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roberts spent Sunday in Quitman visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harris of Mt. Pleasant, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sifford and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harris.

Mrs. Jerry Hood and daughter, Treacia, returned to Longview Thursday after visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood.

Miss Mona Haynes of Dallas, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Haynes.

Mrs. J. H. Dickerson, Mrs. Milton Carroll and Mrs. Roy Wooten were dismissed from the Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Frizzell of Commerce, were week end guests of Mrs. Frizzell's grandmother, Mrs. B. L. Gieger.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lewis and Jana of Texarkana, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis.

Mrs. Louise Mitchell has been dismissed from Titus County Memorial Hospital and is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Sanford and Mr. Sanford.

Mrs. Elmer Hall of Mt. Pleasant and her daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Wooten, Mr. Wooten and two daughters of Huntsville, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harris.

Mrs. Jerry Russell and Gregg and her mother, Mrs. Eugene Mankins, visited in Wylie Monday with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Arnold Ray Gipson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid have returned after three weeks visit in Galveston with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Kelso and family. The Kelsos accompanied them home for the week end.

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# CUNNINGHAM

By MRS. BERNIECE WYATT

Bud Archibald became suddenly ill Sunday morning and underwent surgery at the McCuiston Hospital. He is reported doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Mary Pitner of Tipton, Ind., spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Capps and Mr. Capps.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper had as dinner guests Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Joe Betterton of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and children of Dallas. Saturday afternoon visitors were Mrs. Grady Handley of Deport, Mrs. Gene Vickers and daughter of Paris, Mrs. Dempsey Deason and daughter of Orange.

Gary and Randy Allen, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Malcolm Allen of Ft. Worth, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen.

Miss Kathy, Jarce and Teri Archibald of Garland visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. O'neal and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Archibald over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cruise and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Henderson and family of Garland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cruise, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ora Crump spent Monday night with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Harvey and Mr. Harvey of Clarksville.

Mrs. Ethel Williams visited her sister, Miss Hazel Deshazo of Paris, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Beard of Biardstown, were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Capps and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byers and family of Mesquite visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baker, last week.

Rep. and Mrs. John L. Allen of Longview, spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Harris of Dumas, left Wednesday night after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Womack of Houston are visiting her mother, Mrs. Lessie Malone. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bolton of Paris, Mrs. Lorene Chandler of Clarksville and Mrs. Earl Flenniken and Phebe of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byers and family of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baker had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis of Bogata at the cabin on the lake south of Bogata. Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Cook of Tulsa, Okla., spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. O'neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Page spent Thursday night with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ellis of Bonham.

Visiting Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ural Deshong were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ray and family of Evansville, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell and sons of

Rev. Roy Crossland of Itasca, was visiting speaker at First Baptist Church Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. Crossland and three daughters were guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fitch and Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster returned home after a vacation trip with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brack McDonald and children of Arlington, to San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Padre Island, Aransas Pass, Houston and Galveston.

Mrs. Ora Stephenson, Mrs. Lena Brown and her daughter, Glenda Jo, have returned after visiting her son, F. W. Stephenson and family in San Jose, Cal., for 16 days. While there they went to San Francisco where they toured Chinatown, saw the Golden Gate Bridge and other places of interest.

Julie and Sherry Swope of Santa Susanna, Calif., have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Swope. The Swope's carried the girls to Dallas Monday to meet their parents, Mr and Mrs. Douglas Swope. Together they visited Mr. Swope's mother in Killeen before each returned.

# Engagement Announced



—Photo by James M. Hulen

Mrs. William Rozell of Bogata, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Mary Elizabeth to Raymond Keith Park, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Park of Stinnett, Texas.

Miss Rozell is a 1969 graduate of Rivercrest High School, Bogata. Mr. Park is a 1968 graduate of Stinnett High School.

The wedding is set for Friday, August 21 at 8 o'clock in the evening in the Meneely Memorial Presbyterian Church at Bogata.

The reception will follow in the fellowship hall of the church.

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# To Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harris will be honored on their Golden Wedding Anniversary with an open house on Sunday, August 9.

All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to call at their home, located south of Talco, during the hours of 2-5 p. m. on that date.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris were united in marriage on August 8, 1920, in the Midway community in Franklin County by the Rev. L. Tuley.

Hostesses are her sisters, Mrs. J. D. Harris, Mrs. J. C. Cooper, Mrs. Fred Sifford, and Mrs. Elmer Hall, sister-in-law; Mrs. Jimmie Wooten, niece; Mrs. Constance Brown, sister.

Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain and Mrs. Mae Posey of Talco. Mrs. Posey remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Herman Hester and Mr. Hester of Hugo, Okla.

Mrs. Ora Wicker accompanied her sister, Mrs. Walker Devlin

# Jim Shivers Note 50th Anniversary

The Nurses Lounge at Red River Haven Nursing Home, Bogata, was the setting for the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shiver of Deport. They were married July 23, 1920 at Bogata, the Rev. George B. Ferguson officiating. They have lived in the Bogata-Deport area.

The theme of gold and white was carried out throughout the Nurses Lounge. Mr. and Mrs. Shiver received many lovely gifts including a large table lamp and a beautiful friendship quilt top of gold and white with names embroidered of the hostesses, the employees of Red River Haven Nursing Home.

The refreshment table was covered with a white and gold cloth centered with a beautiful three-tiered white cake with golden rose buds of spun sugar and topped with a miniature bride and groom. Gold punch was served from a large crystal punch bowl.

Fifty-two employees registered in the bride's book and these friends and neighbors from Deport: Mrs. Donald Sullivan, Mrs. Dale Gray, Mrs. Marvin Betterton, Mrs. Imogene Wright, Mrs. Martha Wright, Mrs. Gene Moore, Mrs. Nellie Crosson, Mrs. Sandy Roach.

Mrs. Shiver will retire from Red River Haven Aug. 1, having been employed there for 6 1/2 years.

Mr. Shiver, a retired farmer, was unable to attend the event due to ill health.

and Mr. Devlin to Nashville, Tenn., Saturday to visit relatives.

Rev. Weldon Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence O'neal and Mrs. Joe B. Williams attended church service at the United Pentecost Church in Mt. Pleasant Thursday evening. Rev. Allen occupied the pulpit for Rev. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson and family are vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor, Mrs. Berniece Bledsoe and Mrs. Berniece Wyatt enjoyed a Sunday afternoon drive to different points in Oklahoma.

Visiting during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Page were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kennedy

# Miss Branch Feted With Shower

A bridal shower honoring Miss Rita Branch of Greenville was held at the home of Mrs. Bill White in Bogata Friday night.

Decorations were in the future bride's chosen colors of blue and green. The serving table was laid with a lace cloth over blue and the center piece was blue and green carnations with fern and green candies were used. Punch and cake squares were served by Mrs. Donnie Smith, Linda Lee Hutson and Kay White.

Mrs. Bill Buckman presided at the register which was signed by several out of town guests from Paris, Talco and McKinney.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. White, Maxie Lewis, A. D. Stephenson, Aubrey Buckman, Gilbert Huddleston, L. P. Taylor, H. E. Bryson, Horace Adams, W. S. Stewart, Ed Huddleston and Ward Baker.

Miss Branch is the bride-elect of Lyndon Reed of Talco.

of Clardy, Mrs. Ellen Riddle of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby R. Kennedy and sons and Mrs. Della Howe.

Mrs. Dorothy Dean Baker and Janie of Longview, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen, with their guests, Randy

# RUGBY

By MRS. VERA GROGAN

Polk Alsbrook returned from a Paris hospital Friday, where he was a patient several days. He and Mrs. Alsbrook have had as guests, his brother, Jack Alsbrook of Manchester, her nephew, John Wright of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McDonald of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Legate of Bogata.

CW2 and Mrs. Don Driggers returned from Columbia, S. C., where they visited his relatives. They went to Ft. Wolters Monday, where he will be stationed. CW2 Driggers recently returned from Vietnam.

and Gary Allen of Ft. Worth, enjoyed a picnic and outing at the City Lake Sunday.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 1-d, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 1-d. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm and forest lands, which shall be based upon the capability of such lands to support the raising of livestock and/or to produce farm and forest crops rather than upon the value of such lands and the crop growing thereon." Sec. 2. The foregoing con-

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