

Nichols Worth



By Nanalee Nichols

Every rope has two ends...every coin has two sides...and sometimes we forget that.

Last Wednesday night, when the highways were a glaze of ice and more was falling, we crept around in four-wheel drive, first to Paris to print, then back to Deport, then on to make deliveries at Pattonville, Blossom, Detroit, Bogata, and finally our stop at Talco. At a convenience store a young man with a beautiful chocolate Labrador Retriever on a leash walked up. He had tried to make a curve just outside of Talco, went into a skid and wound up on a driveway culvert. The car was only two weeks old, and was pretty badly damaged. He and his wife lived in Tyler, but she was working in Paris that week and he was on his way to Paris to see her when the trip came to an abrupt end. Both were originally from New York state and were quite unfamiliar with the area.

Thomas and I listened to him trying to give directions to his wife and make arrangements for her to get a vehicle so she could come and get him.

We discussed the options, and finally told him we would take him on to Deport, where he could meet his wife. This would cut down on her road time by half.

We were a little nervous about this move...after all, he was a stranger, and we knew nothing about him. Was he telling the truth? Was he what he seemed to be? Actually the dog was probably the deciding factor, she was due to have puppies in a week, and he was much more concerned for her than for himself or the car.

We loaded the pair up and took them back to his car to get his suitcase and briefcase, which he put in the back of our vehicle. The dog was in the back seat also and he said he needed to find his checkbook, since the door to the car was damaged enough that it wouldn't shut.

While he searched, Thomas decided to turn around. As Thomas drove down the shoulder of the road the young man leaped up and was running down the road, screaming "Stop, stop" at the top of his lungs. I barely heard him, and told Thomas to stop. He did, and the man collapsed into the back seat of the Jeep, panting and shaking all over.

The poor man thought we had loaded up his dog, his suitcase and briefcase and were leaving him! The minute we stopped, he realized this wasn't the case. He and Thomas were apologizing to one another right, left and center, both of them feeling bad. Thomas that he had frightened the young man, and the stranger because he knew he had misjudged us.

But, the episode made me think about the fact that while we were worried about him...while we were uncertain about his honesty HE must have had the same thoughts about us! He had to weigh the possibility that we could do him harm...just as we had weighed the possibility of him doing us harm.

All was well, his wife was waiting for him, we were safely home after a long, icy trip. But I think I'll always remember about the rope having two ends...and as we face each other across that rope, it helps to remember that the person on the other end doesn't know our mind and intentions any more than we know theirs!

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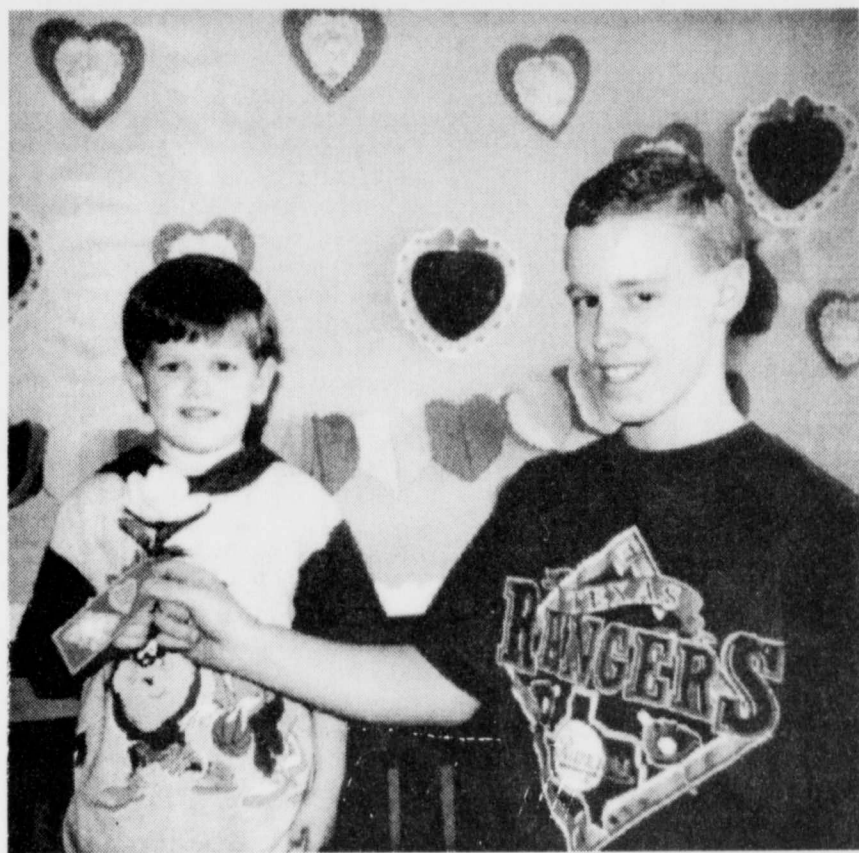
# Talco Times

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TALCO, TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS

Thursday, February 17, 1994

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TALCOSTUDENT COUNCIL sold Valentine roses and delivered them to students and staff on Monday, February 14. Pictured are Jody Nolen, Student

Council officer, delivering Destrly Nolen his ordered yellow Valentine rose. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

## Trustees Extend Principals Contracts

The Talco-Bogata School Board met in regular session Monday, February 14 in the Board Room at Rivercrest High School.

The Board called the meeting to order and invited comments from guests in the open forum. The Board then went into closed session to discuss a parental concern involving personnel.

Upon returning to the open session, the Board met with Dick Kordsmeier, contractor, concerning final payment for the Rivercrest High School bleachers. Final payment was granted to Mr. Kordsmeier after an agreement to reduce the bill by \$200.00 due to the scoring table being part of the base bid. Final cost of the project was \$17,700.00.

The Board approved the consensus agenda including minutes, financial reports, cafeteria report, tax report and the bills payment list.

Principal Jimmy Lee of Bogata gave a report on changes made in campus supervision during the lunch time. Superintendent Freddy Wade gave a report on the sports offered in the

district and recommended that the district continue the same sports program for the coming year. The program would be handled with one less coach.

Approval was given by the Board to replace the heat exchanger at Rivercrest High School. The approximate cost would run \$5,000.00.

The Board reviewed a TASB policy and approved the changes as presented by the TASB Policy Service.

The Board voted to enter executive session for the purpose of evaluation of principals.

When the Board returned to open session, they voted to extend the contracts of Jimmy Lee, Johnny Gable and Ray Miller through 1996. They then approved the hiring of Lila Simmos as a Chapter Aide at Bogata for the remainder of the 1993-94 school year. The Board then accepted retirement resignations from Jane Holmes, Bogata teacher and Margie Mayes, Rivercrest cafeteria manager.

The meeting adjourned at 11:09 p.m.

## Coalition Sets Monthly Schedule

The Titus County Christian Coalition will hold a lunch and letter writing on Tuesday, February 22 at 12 noon at the Western Sizzlin in Mt. Pleasant. If you have an issue, bring pen and paper to write letters to congressmen, senators, etc. regarding current issues of interest.

On March 1, the Christian Coalition will hold their monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Christian Life Center on Johnson Street in Mt. Pleasant. Sue Fancher, Christian Coalition Coordinator for Lamar County, will meet with the group.

Call 572-6661 for information on these meetings.



The Talco Assembly of God W.M. Class will sponsor a church-wide supper Friday, Feb. 18. The chicken spaghetti meal with all the trimmings will cost \$3.75. Proceeds will go to missions and other church projects. For more information, contact any W.M. member or Bro. Tim Jones.

The Assembly of God Church in Talco will hold their 4th Sunday covered dish dinner on Feb. 27 following morning services. At the evening services the W.M. class will help with services in honor of National Women's Ministry Day.

Tracy Lynn Martin, bride-elect of Greg Russell, will be honored with a Bridal Shower on Feb. 19 from 2:00-3:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Russell Foxworthy in Talco. Chosen colors are burgundy and mauve. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

A Personal and Get-Acquainted Shower will be held for Tracy Lynn Martin, bride-elect of Greg Russell, on Sunday, Feb. 20, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Scooter Parish. Hostesses for the occasion are Tiffany Easley and Jenilyn Russell.

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A NEW BUSINESS is open in Talco, Sam's Auto Care, owned and operated by Sammy Ellis, opened this week. Auto care available is hand wash, wax,

shampoo or complete detail. The business is located at Wilson & 3rd in Talco. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



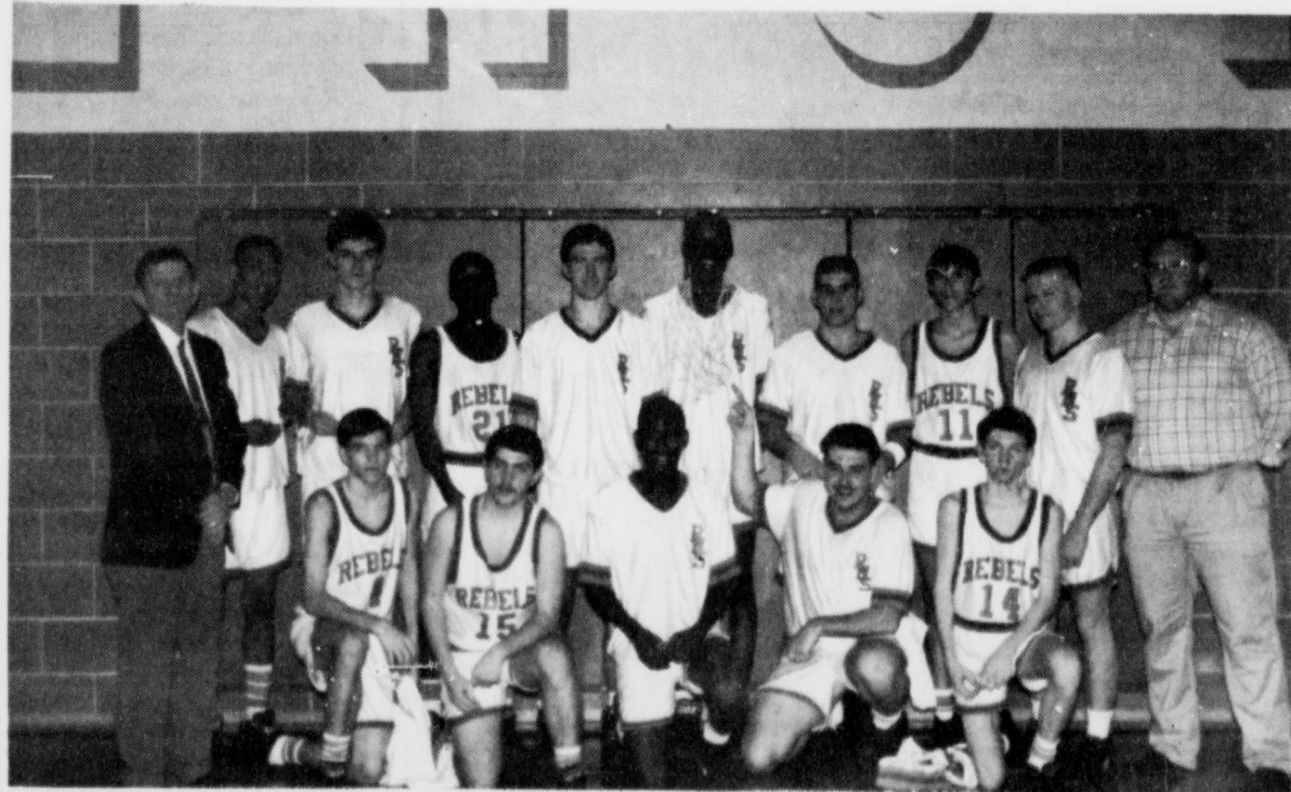
ANN'S LITTLE ANGELS Day Care opened for business this week. Pictured is owner, operator, Ann Francis and two of her first arrivals, Robert Caul Rhoades and Kelsey Clark. The state registered day care will

serve hot lunches daily, provide activities for children up to 12 years of age and is located 5 1/2 miles south of Talco on Hwy. 271 on FM 1896. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



CUTTING IT DOWN-Senior Mike McGee takes his share of the net as the Rivercrest Rebels

celebrated the first win in district 17AA Tuesday at RHS. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



THE RIVERCREST REBELS finished as District 17AA champs. From left to right are: back row, Coach Wake Wood, Elliott Pogue, Mike McGee,

Eric Waller, Jerry Francis, Eddie Williams, Clay Pirtle, Jack Brown, Jay Hancock and Coach Gary Schults. Front row,

l to r are Steven Thomas, Andy Speir Jeff Savage, Jeremy Weatherall and A.J. Lee. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



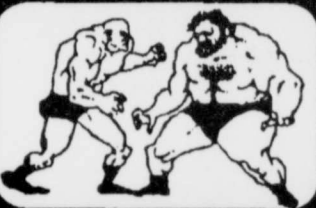
## Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers

Dicky and Jeff King of Paris visited with Jimmie King Saturday. Harvey (Bo) King of Kansas City, Kansas spent Sunday night with his mother, Jimmie King. Clovis and Katy VanDeaver attended the Fireman's Hamburger & Chili Benefit at Detroit Saturday night. Mr. & Mrs. Kerry King and Jeremy of Decatur, TX spent the weekend with Beryl Jean Miller. Kerry preached at the Westside Church of Christ in Clarksville on Sunday. He is a student at Brown Trail School of Preaching in Ft. Worth. Steve Corbell of Mt. Pleasant, TX preached at Fulbright Church of Christ on Sunday.

Dinner guests of Mr. & Mrs. Randy Miller Sunday were Beryl Jean Miller, Mr. & Mrs. Kerry King and Jeremy, Marie Legate and Randa Burns. Dinner guests of Betty Rodgers on Sunday were Mr. & Mrs. Gilbert Arriaga of Deport and Mr. & Mrs. Monte Rodgers of Tigertown. Betty Rodgers attended a kitchen gadget party Sunday afternoon in the home of Mary Pritchard in Shady Grove. Karen Baker visited Mr. & Mrs. Worth Baker over the weekend. Mrs. Charles Epps and Mrs. Ethel Epps were in Clarksville Saturday on business. The Community Club held their monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Ethel Epps Monday evening. Composing the yearbook was the topic of discussion. Six members attended. The next council meeting will be March 22 at Clarksville and the awards banquet will be April 8 at 8 p.m. in the Clarksville Elementary School cafeteria. Cake, coffee, and tea were served. The next meeting will be held in the home of Katy VanDeaver on March 14.

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## Country Cooking

By Judy Screws

While I faxed at the Funeral Home, I talked with Dee Wood. She was reading a book which had recipes and tips for using Idaho Potatoes. They said that the true good baked potato is one which is baked without foil. The folks from Idaho, who should know about potatoes, said that if you use foil, you get a potato which tastes like a boiled potato. They advise that you use the no foil method and cook it until you can insert a fork into it easily. Dee is going to test this out for us and report. She is going to bake a foil wrapped and a bare potato side by side. We will wait for her potato report. A few months ago, I read a recipe in a magazine for roasted potato salad. I seems that you take new potatoes, cut them in quarters and roast them in the oven. When they are done you add chopped green onions, some other vegetables and a dressing and seasonings to make a potato salad. I can't remember all the ingredients and I don't know which magazine I was reading. I'd like to have this recipe if anyone else knows it.

With a lady who told me that while she didn't know about the recipe for cornbread which is made with grits, she noticed a recipe for cornbread made with cream of wheat in the Bogata First United Methodist Cook Book. I will check on this. It could be that you could just use the grits instead of cream of wheat. About six months ago, Nelda Belzung, of Mesquite (Nelda Faye Dodd) was looking for a congealed salad which had sour cream in it. I found the recipe and then lost it. Now I have it again. The recipe contains; 1 package cherry gelatin, 1 cup hot water, 1/2 cup cold water, 1-1 pound can whole cranberry sauce, 1/2 cup diced celery, 1/4 cup walnuts, and 1 cup dairy sour cream. You make the jello, let it chill, break up the cranberry sauce with a fork and stir into the cold jello. Then you fold in the celery and nuts, and last you fold in the sour cream. Sorry I took so long on this, Nelda. Maybe you can use it next year during the holiday season or at Easter. Have a good week.

While attending the Valentine Banquet at the nursing home, I spoke

February 17, 1994

**Coconut Treasure**  
2 boxes instant coconut pudding mix  
3 cups milk  
1-8 oz package cream cheese  
1 large carton Cool Whip  
1 cup powdered sugar  
1/2 cup flour  
1 cup chopped pecans  
2 Tbsp. sugar  
1 stick margarine  
toasted coconut

- Mix melted margarine, flour, sugar, and pecans. Spread in 9x13x2 cake pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 15 minutes.
- Mix 2 boxes of instant coconut pudding and 3 cups of milk. Cool in refrigerator.
- Soften package of cream cheese; stir in 1 cup of the Cool Whip and 1 cup powdered sugar.
- Spread cream cheese mixture on baked crust. Spread thickened pudding mixture on top of the cheese layer. Spread the rest of the Cool Whip on top of the pudding and sprinkle with toasted coconut.

**Cold Weather Quick Chili**  
1 lb. ground beef  
2 Tbsp chili powder  
1 Tbsp flour

1 tsp salt  
2 cups canned tomatoes  
1 cup water

Brown ground beef. Drain fat. Stir in chili powder, and flour. Add salt, tomatoes, and water. Mix well. Cover and cook for 35 minutes. (For hot chili, you may use Rotel tomatoes and green chillies for one or two of the cups of tomatoes in the recipe)

**Pork Chops Cajun Style**  
4 pork chops  
1 tsp. salt  
1 Tbsp Paprika  
1 tsp sage  
1/4 tsp. cayenne pepper  
1/4 tsp black pepper  
1/2 tsp garlic powder  
2 Tbsp margarine

Mix seasonings, and coat pork chops. Brown in melted margarine. Lower heat and fry until brown on both sides and done in the middle.

**Broccoli and Cheese Casserole**  
1 cup uncooked rice  
1 (10 oz.) Pkg frozen chopped broccoli  
1 can cream of chicken soup  
1 jar jalapena cheez whiz

Cook rice according to directions on package. Cook and drain broccoli. Combine rice, broccoli, soup, and cheese whiz. Pour into baking dish and cook at 350 degrees for 15 minutes.

**Card of Thanks**  
I would like to thank everyone very much for the prayers, visits, cards and flowers during my recent illness and hospital stay. Good friends are invaluable.  
Sincerely,  
Brenda Scoggins

**Card of Thanks**  
We sincerely thank everyone for the flowers, food and each expression of sympathy shown during the loss of our father and husband. May God bless each of you.  
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R.V. Parker

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## Obituaries



Flossie Marie Ballard  
Dies February 15

Mrs. Flossie Marie Ballard, age 80 of Deport, died Tuesday, February 15 at St. Joseph Hospital in Paris. Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, February 17 at the Abundant Life Church in Minter with the Revs. Tony Corso and Glynn Rentro officiating. Burial was in Shady Grove Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home of Deport. Mrs. Ballard was born in the Marvin community on November 23, 1913, the daughter of Fate Lafayette and Effie May Turner Upchurch. She married L.D. (Shorty) Ballard on January 28, 1933. She was a member of Abundant Life Tabernacle Church. Surviving is her husband of 63 years, Shorty Ballard of Deport; two sons, Joe Ballard of Deport and Jack Ballard of Texarkana; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Irene Bayless and Mrs. Paralee Short; three brothers, Sam Upchurch, Curt Upchurch and Kenneth Upchurch, all of Amarillo. She was preceded in death by an infant son, Loyd Wayne Ballard. Pallbearers were cousins.

**Everett Garrett**  
Dies February 10

Everett Garrett, age 77 of Bogata, died suddenly at his residence on Thursday, February 10. Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, February 14 in Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home. Mr. Garrett was born April 14, 1916 in Detroit, TX a son of Jim and Effie Bailey Garrett. He married the former Netha Heath on January 24, 1939. He was a member of the Bogata United Methodist Church, the Paris Elks Lodge and Red River County Wagonmasters. He retired from Haliburton Oil Company in 1977 after serving a number of years in Santa Cruz, Bolivia. He is survived by his wife, Netha Garrett of Bogata; a son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Thomas W. and Syble Garrett of Centerreach, NY; four grandchildren and one great-grandson; one brother, Jim Garrett of Bogata; and one sister, Mrs. Edith Swaim of Talco. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Carolyn Damron in 1973. Bearers were Johnny Ragsdill, Jack Crane, Ed Huddleston, Donald Mankins, J.C. Smith and Mark Hare.

**Odia Lovel Story**  
Dies February 3

Odia Lovel Story, age 73, of Talco, died February 3 at home. Services were held February 5 at 2 p.m. at Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robison Funeral Home Chapel with the Revs. Don Malone, Tim Jones and L.F. Hess officiating. Burial followed in Macedonia Cemetery in Pittsburg. Mr. Story was born September 24, 1920 in Oil City, LA, a son of Henderson and Ada Yelley Story. He married Lucille Wilkinson in Talco. He was a member of the Talco Assembly of God Church and was a veteran of World War II serving in the Navy. He was in oil production, employed by American Petrofina. Surviving is his wife of Talco; his mother-in-law, Marie Wilkinson of Arizona; sons and daughters-in-law, Kenneth and Peggy Sawyer of DeRidder, LA and William and Wanda Sawyer of Leesburg, TX; a daughter, Pattie Hackler of Talco; a sister, Velcie Jones of Mt. Pleasant; ten grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one grandson and three great-grandsons. Donations may be made to the Cypress Basin Hospice.

**Margaret C. White**  
Dies February 11

Margaret Charlotte White, 71, of Cuthand died Friday, February 11 in Bogata Health Care Center. Graveside services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Sunday, February 13 at Cuthand Cemetery. Wood Funeral Home of Bogata had charge of arrangements. Mrs. White was born December 31, 1922 in Kallninkin, Memilland, Lithuania, a daughter of David and Anna Cerkus Felieps. Her husband, Warren White, died July 17, 1980. Surviving are a son and daughter-in-law, Richard and Pamela White of Wake Village and a grandson, Bradley White of Wake Village.

**R. V. Parker**  
Dies January 31

R.V. Parker of Talco, age 82, died Monday, January 31 in Park Manor Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant. Services were held at 11 a.m. on February 2 in Bates-Cooper-Weems-Robinson Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Don Malone officiating, assisted by Tim Jones and Glenn Mangrum. Burial followed in Talco Cemetery. Mr. Parker was born April 19, 1911 in Comanche, TX, a son of Ola and Lona Parker. He married Lois Hearron in Talco. He was a member of the Talco Assembly of God Church and was an independent drilling contractor. Surviving are his wife of the home; sons, Douglas G. Parker of Talco and Michael P. Parker of Oak Leaf, TX; daughters, Robbie Johnson of DeSoto, Judy Mangrum of Garland and Dolora Mangrum of Oak Leaf, TX; brothers, Jackie Parker of Midland and Richard Parker of Mineral Wells; and a sister, Tauline Reasoner of Mineral Wells; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.



Clyde Bankhead  
Dies February 11

Clyde Bankhead, 87, of Cunningham, died Friday, February 11 in McCuiston Regional Medical Center. Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 13 in Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham with the Rev. Tony Corso and the Rev. Don Whitt officiating. Burial followed in Restland Cemetery in Cunningham under the direction of Wood Funeral Home.

Mr. Bankhead was born May 29, 1906, in Bug Tussel, TX, a son of John William and Eliza Bell Littrell Bankhead. He married Thelma Watson on October 8, 1928 in Minter, who survives. He was a retired farmer. Surviving are his wife; two sons and daughters-in-law, Erma and Loyd Marshall of Ft. Worth and Gerri and Clyde Elmer Bankhead of Cunningham; two daughters and sons-in-laws, Melba and Buddy Holbert of Lubbock and Elaine and Roy Wheeler of Denver, CO; 16 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; a sister and brother-in-law, Marie and Odus Watson of Cunningham and a sister, Mrs. Audie Reed of Canton and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a great-grandson, Jimmy Travis on January 10, 1980. Serving as bearers were grandsons, Mike Marshall, Brian Marshall, Robby Holbert, Jerry Don Holbert, Justin Wheeler, Jerrod Bankhead, Chance Bankhead and Edd Pascasio. Honorary bearers were Frankie Norwood, Scotty Norwood, Johnny Musgrove, Pete McKnight, Billy Joe Oats, Allan Gifford and James Norwood.

**Mildred Millsbaugh**  
Dies February 14

Mrs. Mildred Millsbaugh, age 85, of Paris, died February 14, 1994 in Colonial Lodge Retirement Center in Paris. Services were held Wednesday, February 16 at 3 p.m. at Wood Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under the direction of Wood Funeral Home, Deport. Mrs. Millsbaugh was born March 23, 1907 in Birdstown, the daughter of Edgar and Ada Sanders Smith. On April 5, 1929 she married Dea Millsbaugh in Hugo, OK. He preceded her in death on October 29, 1975. Mrs. Millsbaugh was a teacher, teaching in Red River County for several years before moving to Wilbarger County, where she was a librarian for the Carnegie Free Library. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Deport. Surviving is her daughter and son-in-law, Virginia and Jim Meler of Irving; her grandson and his wife, Dr. J.D. (Jamey) and Kate Miller; and her granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Kelley and Devin Haley, all of Irving.

**Herman Johnson**  
Dies February 13

Herman Johnson, 74, of Deport died Sunday, February 13 in McCuiston Regional Medical Center, Paris. Services were held at 3 p.m. Monday, February 14 at Wood Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ch. Warden officiating and the Rev. Glynn Rentro officiating. Burial was in Morris Chapel Cemetery by Wood Funeral Home in Deport. Mr. Johnson was born January 14, 1920 in Deport, a son of George R. and Gertrude Cheatham Johnson. Surviving are these brothers and sisters, Mrs. Mary Parks of Deport, William E. Johnson of Deport, Cora Braly, Ruby Dean Wright and Norman Tidwell, all of Eules, Imogene Wilson of Paris, Estelle Chesshire of Deport, Helen Flemmings of Burkburnett and Hershell Tidwell of Mississippi and numerous nieces and nephews.

**Card of Thanks**  
In our time of sorrow, it was friendship and prayer that helped us bear our loss. We want to thank everyone who helped in any way during the illness and death of Roy Tillman. We will always remember you.  
Esther Tillman  
and Family





*Elizabeth Scott,  
Essay Contest Winner*

ESSAY WINNER- Elizabeth Scott, a sophomore at Rivercrest High School won 2nd place in the Red River Soil Conservation District Essay contest. She will advance to Regional competition. Elizabeth is the daughter of John and Maxine Scott, of Bogata. (Photo by Nancy Brown)



LORI FRANKS displays the Rivercrest Rebel T-shirt. The Rebel Bi-District basketball game will be designated as Rebel T-Shirt Night. You may purchase your Rebel shirts at the

high school office. They come in gray or white, sizes L or XL for \$15.00 each. Support the Rebel team as they work on the road to STATE! (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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**Wright Receives Honor**

Mona Wright recently qualified for membership with the PHITHETA-KAPPA Society. The group is an international honor society. Mona held a 4.0 grade average at Kilgore College while studying physical therapy. She is presently doing her internship as a physical therapy assistant at Mother Francis Hospital in Tyler.

**Wesley Shannon Roberts Joins U. S. Army Reserve**

Wesley Shannon Roberts, a resident of the Talco, Texas area, has joined the U.S. Army Reserve. Sergeant First Class Tavie J. Spivey of the Army's Recruiting Station at 414 West Loop 281, Post Haste Shopping Center, Suite 12, Longview, Texas, who recruited Roberts, says he had formerly been in the U. S. Navy, having transferred in October 1993 to the U. S. Army Reserve. Roberts has been assigned to Company L, 158th Aviation, in Grand Prairie, Texas, where he will serve three years in the Active Reserve. He reported for service on January 21, 1994. Roberts attended Florida Keys Community College, Key West, Florida. He is the son of Richard Roberts of Lake Charles, Louisiana, and Rosemary Gartman of Knoxville, Tennessee.

Good night! The average person will sleep some 200,000 hours in a lifetime.

**Army Spec. Trenton D. Couch Receives Commendation Medal**

Army Spec. Trenton D. Couch has been decorated with the Army Commendation Medal. The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Army. Couch, a heavy wheel vehicle mechanic, is the son of Jackie D. and Anita R. Couch of 311 Hudson Street, Bogata, Texas.

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**Rivercrest FFA Attends Area Meeting**

Rivercrest FFA Students and sponsor and teacher, Craig Ingram, attended the Area FFA Meeting and Dinner at Mt. Pleasant High School Tuesday, February 15. Since there is no longer an FFA Sweetheart elected by each chapter, (this would probably a fact brought on by the inclusion of both girls and boys in the FFA, instead of a separate club for girls and boys), there was no sweetheart to go to the meeting, but there will be a Mr. and Miss FFA elected by each individual club. Awards presented at the meeting were the belated awards to Marty Gray and Todd Ward from 1993. FFA students will be involved in Judging from the different categories soon.

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**BE MY VALENTINE!** Teachers and students received flowers, balloons and candy on Monday at Rivercrest High School.

Counselor Kay Kennedy and senior Ashley Ross were among the lucky ones receiving gifts from their sweethearts. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



**VALENTINE KING AND QUEEN-** At the Bogata Healthcare Center's annual Valentine Banquet Queen Georgia Easterling, from Talco, and King George Hancock, of Bogata, were crowned by Sandra Mauldin, Activities Director. (Photo by Judy Screws)

**Johntown Locals**

By Jana Hawkins

632- 5174

Enjoying a Valentine meal at The Fish fry Saturday night were Mark, Jana, Haley, and Heather Hawkins, James and Pauline Gibbs.

Robbie and Douglas Hawkins, Kathy, Ryan, Saton, and Seth Hawkins, Mark, Jana, Haley, and Heather Hawkins enjoyed treating the children to a trip to McDonald's on Saturday.

Eugene and Lance Cox visited with Joyce and Tommy Cox on Saturday.

Tye Crump, great grandson of Tommy and Joyce Cox spent Friday

**Johntown**

**Missionary Baptist Church Brotherhood Meets**

Johntown Missionary Baptist Church had their monthly Brotherhood Meeting at the Church.

A devotional was brought by Brother Roddy Jackson. The subject was controlling the tongue.

Breakfast was prepared by Mark Hawkins and the brotherhood discussed being available to the seniors and sick members in the community. They hope to do minor repairs and yard work to help them. Buford

**Athletic Booster Club Meets**

On Monday, February 7, 1994, the Athletic Booster Club had a called meeting to discuss the upcoming track and baseball season. A special event was discussed, and the club decided to help sponsor, along with the cheerleaders, a Variety Show. The date was tentatively set for April 7th, starting at 7 p.m. If you are interested in being a part of this event, please contact Mrs. Lori Franks, or Mr. Larry Hinsley.

The club also decided that it would operate the concessions during the Jr. High District track meet, and also the 17-AA District meet to be held at

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12-23

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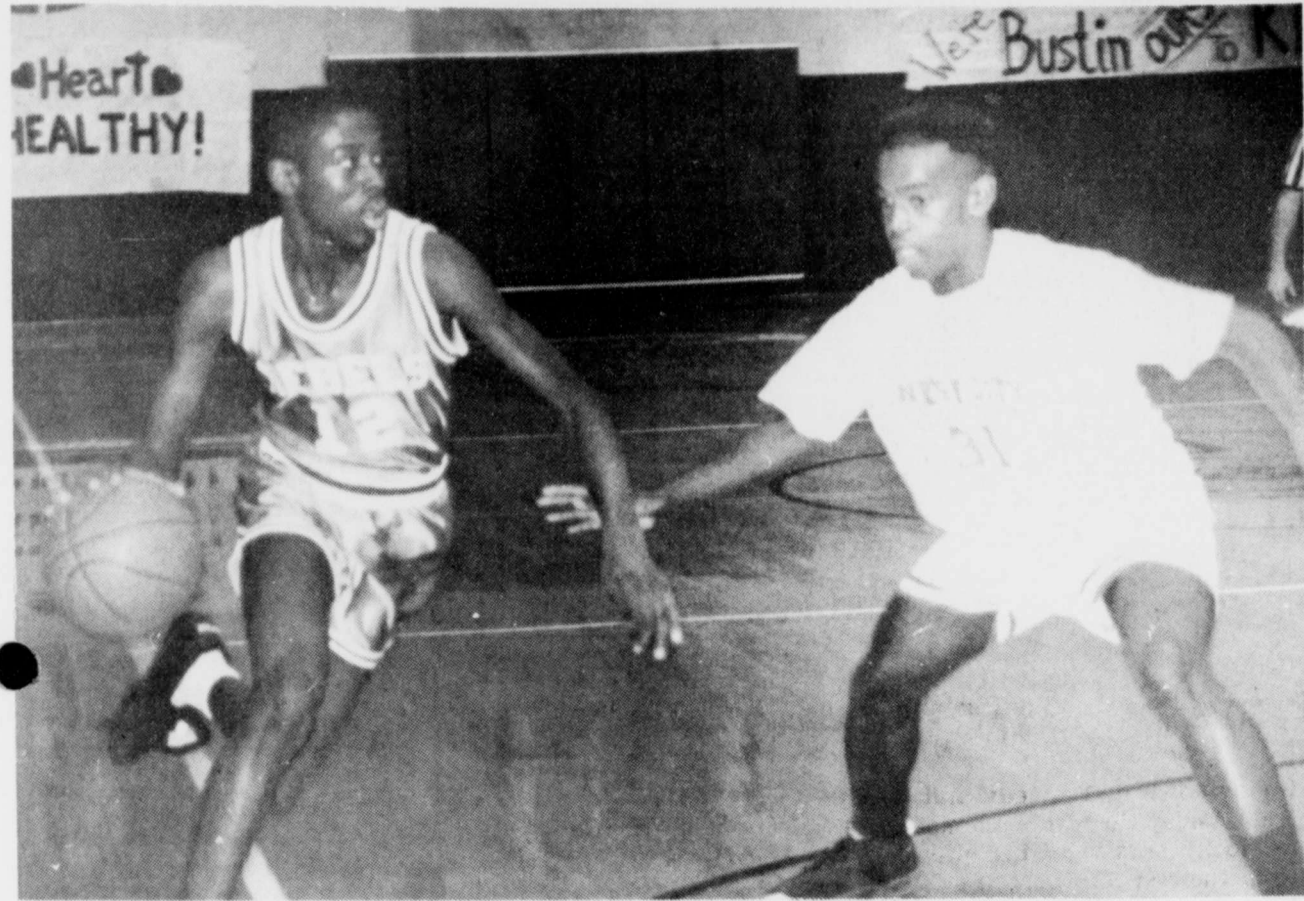
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THE RIVERCREST Varsity Rebels and Lady Rebels played Wolfe City there last Friday. The girls were defeated in their last game of the season and the

boys won in overtime by two points, 65-63. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

### How The Cookie Crumbles

Just for information from the Girl Scout Council:  
 Out of the \$2.50 per box paid for a box of Girl Scout Cookies this is the way the money is dispensed:  
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 35% goes to the cookie manufacturer.  
 Food for thought-65% of the money you spend for a box of Girl Scout cookies provides money for the girls, the troops, and the council to pay for services to pay for services, activities and fun.

### Boys District 17AA Standings (Prior to Tuesday's Games)

Team	Wins	Losses
Rivercrest	8	1
Wolfe City	7	2
Honey Grove	7	2
Prairiland	3	6
Chisum	2	7
Cooper	0	9

**Tuesday's Games**  
 Cooper at Rivercrest  
 Prairiland at Chisum  
 Wolfe City at Honey Grove

**Friday's Games**  
 Rivercrest at Wolfe City  
 Honey Grove at Prairiland  
 Chisum at Cooper

### 1994 Rivercrest Rebel Baseball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
<b>March</b>			
1	Yantis	There	4:00
4	Yantis	Here	4:00
8	Como-Pickton	Here	4:00
11	Saltillo	There	4:00
22	Detroit	There	4:00
24-26	Yantis	There	TBA
28	Detroit	Here	4:00
31	Chisum	There	4:30
<b>April</b>			
5	Honey Grove	There	4:30
8	Prairiland	There	4:30
12	Cooper	There	4:30
22	Chisum	There	4:30
26	Honey Grove	Here	4:30
<b>May</b>			
3	Prairiland	Here	4:30
6	Cooper	Here	4:30

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 Menus For The Week February 21-25

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 Crackers  
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 Milk

**Tuesday**  
 Vegetable Beef Stew  
 Assorted Sandwiches  
 Jello with Fruit  
 Crackers  
 Milk

**Wednesday**  
 Nachos  
 Cheese Sauce  
 Beans With Meat  
 Salad  
 Brownies  
 Milk

**Thursday**  
 B B Q Chicken  
 Peas  
 New Potatoes  
 Hot Rolls  
 Butter and Honey  
 Milk

**Friday**  
 Hamburgers  
 Burger Salad  
 Seasoned Beans  
 Chips  
 Ice Cream  
 Milk

**Bogata V.F.W. News**

Tuesday at 7:30 is pool night, Thursday at 7:00 is "42" night and every Saturday at 1:30 is Bingo playing time.

The VFW and it's Auxiliary meet every 2nd and 4th Monday at 7 p.m. All members are urged to attend. Nursing Home bingo is 4th Tuesday.

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OUCH!-Jerry Francis makes the underhand layup in spite of a smack to the head. The Rebel

won over Cooper Tuesday finishing the year as district 17AA

Champs. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



WILL SMITH, advisor of the Talent Search Program at PJC, helped RHS seniors with college financial aid Tuesday. Pictured are Mr. Smith and RHS senior Amanda Durock. A county-wide parents meeting will be held in

Clarksville at 6 p.m. on Thursday, February 17. RHS seniors are having F.A. workshops in all English fourth classes this week. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

1994 Rivercrest Track & Field Meets  
Boys & Girls

March	
5	Chisum
12	Tom Bean
26	Rivercrest
April	
2	Commerce (ETSU)
9	Bonham
15	District 17AA, Rivercrest
22/23	Regional Qualifications (TBA)
29 & 30	Regional Meet, Palestine
May	
6	State Qualifications (TBA)
12-13-14	State Meet, Austin

Rebels Look To Playoffs

The Rivercrest boys basketball team will play either Ore City or Paul Pewitt in the State Playoffs.

The game will be played either Thursday, February 24; Friday, the 25th; or Saturday, the 26th.

Coach Wood said, "I hope we can play the game at Mt. Pleasant or Clarksville or someplace close. Our students and fans deserve the opportunity to see us play in the State

would get to watch us play. If we can win in Bi-District then area play will be on February 28, Monday or Tuesday, March 1, hopefully at Sulphur Springs or someplace within 50 miles.

The boys regional tournament will be at Tyler Junior College on Friday, March 5 and Saturday, March 6."

Playoffs. Of course, the closer we play to home, the more people that

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## Bogata Locals

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana were in Paris Saturday and Sunday to watch Bren and Kara Screws play Little Dribblers basketball at Chisum, to visit with Chris Anna Screws, Christopher, Yolanda, and Jerred, to pick up Christopher so that her could stay overnight, and to take Christopher back home.

Donald Screws had dinner with daughter, Chris Anna, and her children: Christopher, Yolanda, and Jerred on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Pettit, of GrandPrairie, and Linda Pettit, of Dallas, visited with their mother, Mrs. Jimmie Pettit over the week end.

Mrs. Lore Roach visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hood on Sunday afternoon.

Lana Pirtle, of Johntown, visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Lore Roach, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cawley and Mrs. Lore Roach, of Bogata, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carrell and Mrs. Oma Ellingberg, of Talco, attended a Gospel Singing at Sulphur Springs, on Saturday night.

Visiting with Mrs. Georgia Miller Saturday, were her daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Collins, of Lake Fork, her daughter in law, Darline Miller, and granddaughter, Trina Miller, of Bridges Chapel, and her brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Scruggs, of Powderly.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cheatham over the week-end was Mrs. Pauline Sulsar, of Paris.

Helen Williams visited in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones, of Commerce, Sunday. They had lunch in Dallas and enjoyed shopping later.

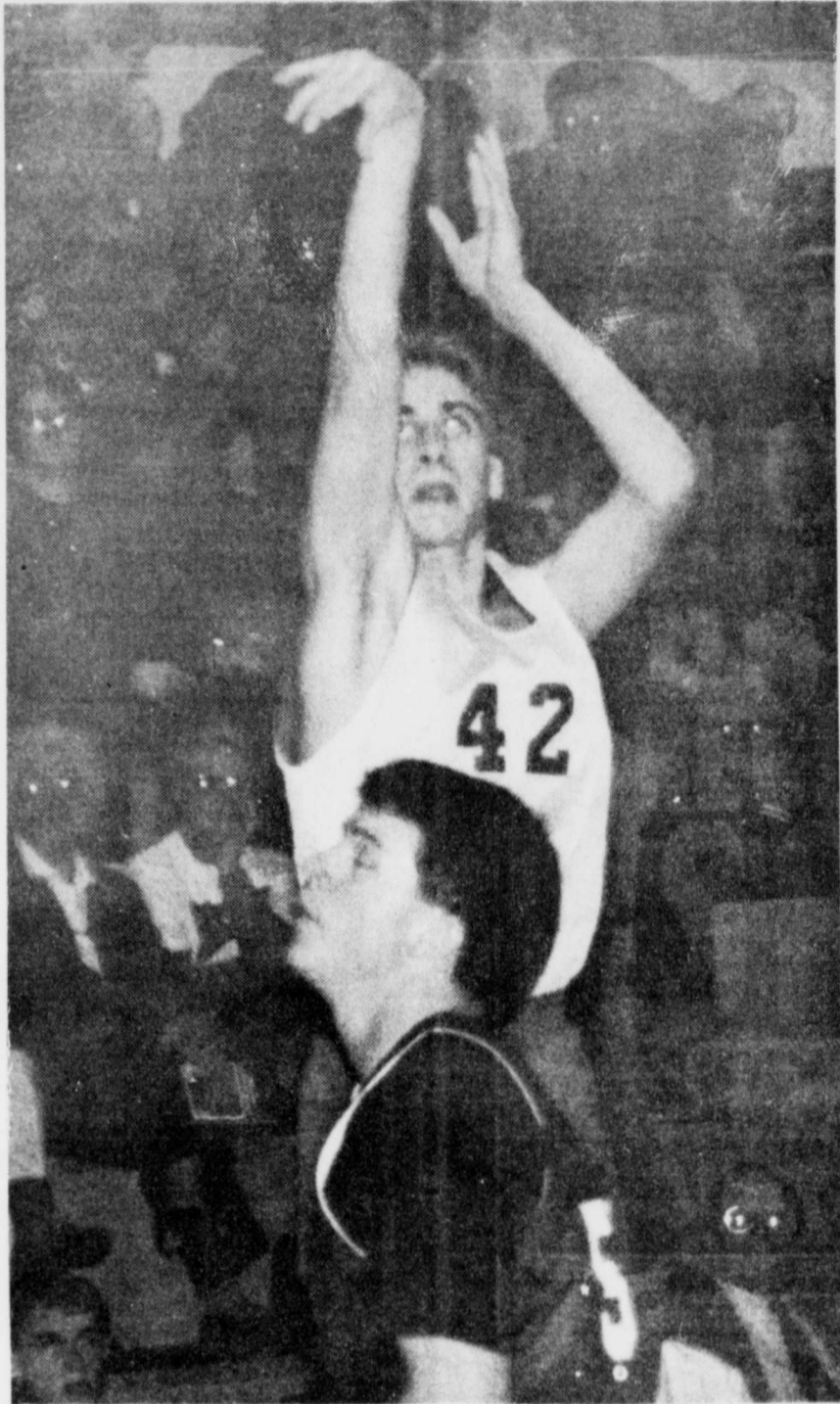
Visiting with Pete and Lillian Taylor over the week end were Larry, Gayle, Lance, Lindsey and Logan Taylor, of Red Oak. Saturday night the Taylors accompanied by Jerry Francis, Sherrie and Alan Boyd, Shannon and Allison had dinner at the Fish Fry, in Paris. They celebrated Larry and Sherrie's birthdays.

Happy 40th anniversary to Pete and Lillian Taylor.

Christyne Baker and Lucille O'Donnell were in Paris on Monday to see their doctors.

Carol Baker, Casey and James Baker, of Mt. Pleasant, and Christyne Baker were in Clarksville Tuesday to visit Ruby Corbell at Regency Nursing Center.

Happy Birthday James Earl Freelen, Ellen Tuck, P.W. Stringfellow, and Cindy Roach.



REBEL CLINT Gage shoots for two vs. Cooper Tuesday

night. The 9th grade Rebs took an easy win. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



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**Jared Scott Dixon**

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02-09-94 - Carla Scales, Alma

**Thank You**  
*We would like to thank all of our friends for their support and concern during Ann's hospital stay after her accident and since her return home. It was really appreciated.*  
**Bobby & Ann Simmons**

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02-09-94 - Amanda Jordan, Bogata; Gary Letras, New Boston; Barbara Peek, DeKalb; Jimmy Doolittle, Mary Perkins, Julious Black, Frank Stringer, Jr., Clarksville.  
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**ICEY JOURNEY**-Trucks and cars alike found travel perilous last Wednesday and Thursday after freezing rain and sleet blanketed the area in a sheet of treacherous slippery white stuff. The severity of the storm was worse on Hwy. 271 than Hwy. 82, and worse from Deport to Bogata and Talco than to the west. A warming trend on Friday soon cleared the dangerous conditions away. Numerous accidents, wrecks and injuries occurred during the ice storm. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

**Red River County Sheriff's Report**  
February 6-12, 1994  
February 6: Disturbance reported. Vehicle disturbance reported. Four inmates released. Burglary of a motor vehicle reported. Assault by threat. One male arrested on charge of driving while intoxicated and assault on a peace officer. Welfare concern reported. Minor accident reported. February 7: Stolen property recovered. Burglary of a building. Inmate released on bond. Report of intoxicated driver. Suspicious circumstances reported. One male arrested on ten year TDC commitment. Report of gunshot victim at St. Joseph's Hospital. February 8: Five inmates released. Theft reported. One male arrested on charge of issuance of bad check. Road hazard reported on FM 195. Traffic hazard reported. One male arrested on warrant for non-child support. February 9: Animal complaint reported. Subject transported from City. Three inmates released. Major accident reported. Report of vehicle in the ditch. Prowler reported. February 10: One male arrested on charge of aggravated assault. One male arrested on speeding charges. Subject transported from the City. Inmate released on bond. Theft reported. Report of missing livestock. February 11: Two assaults reported, turned over to Clarksville PD. Inmate released to do community service. Assault reported, Detroit area. Inmate released on two bonds. Family disturbance reported. February 12: Report of a prowler. Road hunters reported. One male arrested on charge of aggravated assault. Subject transported from the City. Stolen vehicle reported, later located. One male arrested on outstanding DPS warrants. Subject paid fines and was released. Report of gas drive off, Bogata area. Family disturbance reported. One male arrested for driving while intoxicated. One male arrested on outstanding DPS warrants.

## Rivercrest Atop District 17AA

The Rivercrest Rebels traveled to Wolfe City Friday night, tied for the District 17AA lead with Wolfe City. The Rebels gave the Wolves their second District loss with a stunning 65-63 overtime victory. A victory Tuesday night over the visiting Cooper Bulldogs will give the Rebels their third straight District 17AA Championship. The Rebels started out at Wolfe City, playing with confidence as they umped out to a 16-12 first quarter lead as Jerry Francis pumped in 10 points. Francis hit for two long range three pointers during the first quarter. However, Wolfe City began to continuously get the ball in J.O. Fuller's hands and he made things happen. Fuller finished the night with 24 points, hitting two three pointers, 9 of 10 from the charity stripe and 5 of 8 two pointers. During the second quarter, Fuller had 11 points to give the Wolves a 7 point lead at halftime. Fuller hit a three from mid-court as the buzzer sounded ending the half. The second half continued to look like all Wolfe City. The Rebels opened up the third quarter, as Clay Pirtle hit a three to cut Wolfe City's lead to four points. However, again Wolfe City hit clutch baskets to close the third quarter with a 48-42 lead as Rivercrest had cut only one point off the 7 point lead WC had enjoyed at halftime. As the fourth quarter opened, Wolfe City's Gerald Woodberry, 6'6" post, hit an easy two pointer to give the Wolves an eight point lead. Clay Pirtle nailed a three pointer for the Rebs to cut the lead to five, but two free throws by Roy Williams and another clutch two pointer by Woodberry moved the Wolves out to a 9 point lead. The Rebels then turned their defense up a notch and held Wolfe City

to one field goal during the last six minutes of play. Clay Pirtle with help from teammates, held Fuller to zero points the last quarter. Offensively Eddie Williams took over with 8 points, the last quarter. With the Rebels trailing 18 foot jumpers and on his third attempt was fouled aggressively by Wolfe City, but Williams made both free tosses. From this point on, the Rebels and Wolves battled viciously to gain the upper hand, but neither team could get ahead as the game ended in a 60-60 tie. In the overtime, the Rebels held Wolfe City to no field goals. Williams and freshman Jeff Savage hit key shots for the Rebels in overtime. The win assured the Rebels of at least a tie for their third straight District 17AA Championship in a row. Coach Wood commented, "The win at Wolfe City was a great victory for a great team. The Wolves got a lot of breaks and played well and they played hard. There were many situations where we played hard and a break for Wolfe City would set us back. The average high school team would have folded, but not this one. We are not an average high school team, but a great team. Their guards are the best two guards we have played against, period. Wolfe City's Fuller and Brown are nearly impossible for us to guard. Our defense and continued hard play just absolutely wore Wolfe City down and they did not have the energy to beat us at the end. Our shots did not fall for us, and our defense and hustle kept us in the game. I was glad to see Jerry Francis get his shooting touch back, and be more aggressive on offense. Jerry finished the game with 20 points. We needed a big game from Jerry! Jeff Savage, our freshman point

really came through in the clutch: Jeff's going to be a great player. Jeff hit a clutch basket with :20 seconds left to give us the lead. Then during overtime, Jeff hit another 15 footer to ice the game for us. No, it did not surprise me, because Jeff hit 19 straight 14-15 foot jumpers in practice last week. I really thought Eddie Williams made some big time plays on offense and defense when we really needed them. Eddie is just a big time player. Clay Pirtle although fouling out, really came through for us. Clay scored 10 points the second half and really put the stopper on Fuller the last quarter. Clay is a very confident person and that encourages all of us. Elliott Pogue was the big rebounder for us as he had 8 big offensive rebounds. These rebounds turned into fouls on the Wolves and free shots for Elliott. However, Elliott didn't cash in on these opportunities. If he had done so, then we would have put Wolfe City away earlier. There's just a lot of pressure to make those free shots and Wolfe City's gym is a very tough place to play and shoot the ball. Elliott has worked very hard on his shooting and I know he will make a much higher percentage in the play-offs. Mike McGee had his best defensive game of the year. He did a great job on Woodberry. Mike fronted Woodberry well and blocked him off the boards. Actually, Mike's defensive play got the Wolves in for trouble with their big inside player. Jeremy Weatherall gave us a big boost off the bench as his strength inside wears on the other team's post players. I'm proud of Jeremy's tough defensive play. I thought that this game was one of the hardest fought victories the Rebels have ever earned. They deserved the win."

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FECHA: 2/9/94  
Bobbie Cauley, Administrator  
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# Talco Locals

By Nancy Brown  
Call In Your News To 379-4445

The Talco School students enjoyed exchanging Valentines Monday.

Jeanne & Houston Howell were married Saturday, Feb. 12, in Cleburne. On their way to their honeymoon in Tennessee, they stopped to visit with Mr. & Mrs. Lester Watts.

Vickie, Ricky and Callie Howard visited Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Kuhl Sunday. They also visited with Mr. & Mrs. Linden Horn.

Ashley Mankins spent Sunday night with her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Linden Horn.

Visiting Carol Laing and John Gaddis over the weekend were Jeremy Absheir, Joshua Absheir, Carmen Alexander and David, all of Orange. Josh & Jeremy served as pall bearers at the funeral services of their cousin, Sandra Peacock.

Mr. & Mrs. Randy Jones will celebrate a February wedding anniversary.

Torrie Grissom underwent surgery at Sulphur Springs this past Thursday. She is reported home and doing well. Torrie is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Dale Grissom.

Ann Deaton returned home Friday from a hospital stay in Dallas. She is reported doing well.

T.J. Williams of Kilgore visited Mr. & Mrs. Tommie Easley and family over the weekend.

Enjoying a fish supper at Vaughans Saturday were Lou Hall, Chasity, Calvin and Camen, Nita Robertson, Jo Robertson, Betty Jones, Mr. &

Mrs. Jabo Robertson.

Mr. & Mrs. Marty Ward and Barbara Ward vacationed in Vicksburg, Miss. over the weekend.

Patty Kuhl, Vickie Howard and Ashley enjoyed shopping in Paris Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. Linden Horn will celebrate their wedding anniversary Feb. 19, 1994.

Kaleb & Kaysie Hatley of Kaufman visited Saturday through Wednesday with Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith.

Mr. & Mrs. Carl Smith of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack Tuesday afternoon.

Barbie Shaffer and son of Ponca City, Okla. visited Mr. & Mrs. Scott Rackliff this past week. She enjoyed attending the R.H.S. vs. Chisum basketball game while here.

Mr. & Mrs. Roger Hall celebrated their wedding anniversary Feb. 9, 1994. On Friday they enjoyed an anniversary supper in Paris.

Visiting Saturday night with Mr. & Mrs. Randy Nolen, Destry & Chris were Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Kuhl, Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Nolen and Jody, Nancy Brown and Jack.

The Talco Student Council hosted a Valentine Dance at Rivercrest Saturday, Feb. 12 for 6-7-8 grade Talco and Bogata students. They report a good turn-out and lots of fun.

Celebrating February birthdays are: Ashlei Moles, Tiffany Prentice, June Banks, Jane Rhea, Don Rhea, Carrie Rhea, Rachel Ward, Ramon

De Leon, Wanda Vickers, Jerry Curtis, Marie Norman, Sedrick Cuellar, Anthony Brown, Teri Easterling, Randy Jones, and Alvin Savage.

Mrs. R. V. Parker and her granddaughter, Gena Mangraw of Oak Leaf, Texas, visited her son, Doug Parker, over the weekend. Mrs. Parker attended church and Sunday School with Doug at the Assembly of God Church. Mrs. Parker visited in the home of her brother and his wife, Mr. & Mrs. I. L. Hearron. Also visiting in the Hearron home were Mr. & Mrs. Ray Hearron of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. Jerry Hearron, Joshua, Joey and Katie of Mt. Pleasant Sunday afternoon. Everyone enjoyed being together again.

Mr. & Mrs. Dewayne Hearron and little son Blake of Mt. Pleasant visited in the home of his grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. I. L. Hearron, and took pictures of the Hearron four generations. Also visiting there and taking pictures were Melvin and Hazel Hearron of Lake Cypress and Mrs. Donna (Hearron) Poole and her son Justin of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Green of Burkburnett spent from Thursday until Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Louise Stockton.

Mrs. Billie Jo Grant and her mother, Mrs. Ethel Crooks, were recent visitors of Mr. & Mrs. Wayman Alexander.



TALCO PIRATES Little Dribblers: Back row, left to right: Shalina Richeson, Amber Jones, Ashley Jones and Marcus Deming. Front row: Lorena Parker, Deanna Delong, Delores Parker and Chase Sloan. Coaches Mike Sloan, Mike Deming and Ron Parker.

## Baby Shower Honors The Robert Smiths

B. J. and Robert Smith were honored with a baby shower on Saturday, February 12 at the funeral Baptist

Church in Talco. Decorations were done in pink. Refreshments were served to

guests. Little Darian Marie received many nice and useful gifts.

## First Baptist UMA Meets

The First Baptist WMA met February 7th for their monthly Bible study and social.

Nancy Keck voiced the opening prayer. Prayer requests were made for the sick.

The January minutes were read and approved.

The WMA ladies made plans for a bake sale to be held March 4 at NationsBank in Mt. Pleasant.

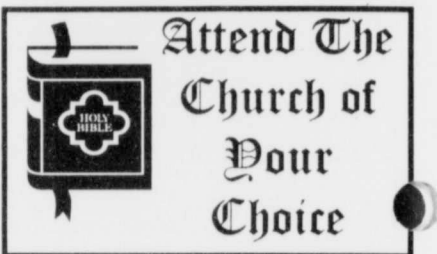
Ann Roberts brought the lesson, asking what we thought of when we heard the word "church." Then she illustrated what the word church should mean. C - Christ-centered; H - heart-felt religion; U - urgency of the message; R - reach of the church's mission; C - crowning of the church's efforts; H - honor of His presents.

The meeting was dismissed by Linda Johnson.

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John Wooden



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<b>PIMIENTO</b> Sunshine Sliced 2oz. Jar  <b>2/89¢</b>	<b>TOSTITOS</b> Chip Reg. \$2.99  <b>\$1.99</b>	<b>POTATO CHIPS</b> Lays Reg. \$1.49  <b>89¢</b>	<b>CRACKERS</b> Zesta Lb. Box  <b>99¢</b>	<b>SNICKERS CANDY BARS</b>  <b>3/\$1</b>	<b>WHIP TOPPING</b> Parade 8oz.  <b>59¢</b>	<b>BISCUITS</b> Parade Buttermilk  <b>4/\$1</b>	
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