

Home Alone Like the little boy in the movie "Home Alone" sometimes getting what you wish for just isn't quite as much fun as we think it is going to be.

The one small, bright spot in having my second knee replacement was, (I thought) the chance to have a little time to myself. You know, that precious time most of us simply don't have where we can get caught up on some reading, mending, some craft project there never seems time to do.

So, after the first few days of feeling so bad I would have had to make substantial improvement to die, I was all ready for some alone time.

My husband strapped me into the CPM machine, which slowly flexes the leg back and forth, back and forth, then took off for work. Somehow, the joy of having uninterrupted reading time was tempered by the fact the only way to read was by holding the book up above my face, since I was flat on my back. Even getting a drink form a glass of iced tea was a clumsy, uncomfortable ordeal. After my machine time my sister-in-law Mary came and got me unstrapped from the tor-ture machine. Then she had to go back to work. More alone time. Painting my special Christmas ornaments wasn't possible, I can't sit up long enough to get a straight shot at them. Embroidery was much the same, about half an hour and I was worn out from the uncomfortable way I had to sit. I crawled back into bed and settled down with a book. After about 4 hours of reading I was heartily sick of it! I don't watch TV much in the evenings, and I can't believe what's on daytime TV!

I discovered that being home alone and having fun means being home alone and healthy! Not being able to sit on the porch and watch the hummingbirds, wander for the kitchen with a snack, stroll out to the wash room to play with Teddy, my latest cast off kitten makes being alone no fun at all. What it translates to is that it isn't any fun to be alone unless one is also self sufficient, not helpless!

When Thomas came home late that night from work I was sooo glad to have some company. When he left to repeat the next day's work schedule I hated for him to go. Each day someone appears to take me from my exercise machine, throw me a sandwich and then rushes back to work. It complicates their life worse than mine, too.

But, I don't particularly like being home alone this way. What I really can't figure out, though, is how, since it's only been five months since the first knee surgery, I could possible have forgotten how lonely, frustrated and left out I felt!

Like I say, I need to be careful what I wish for. I have it. I can't wait to get back to work!

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SAMMY ANDREWS, owner of Dodge Bodacious, displays the bronze statue of bronc riding legend Casey Tibbs that "Bo" received upon his induction into the Prorodeo Hall of Fame on August 14 in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Other awards that Bo has gathered for the Andrews Rodeo Company, including the 1994 and 1995 PRCA Bucking Bull of the Year honors and the PBR Bull of the Year awards, can be seen behind Andrews. Bodacious has put his home in Addielou on the map, as evidenced by the number of tourists who drop by the ranch to get a glimpse of a rodeo champion. (Staff Photo)



CAPTAINS-for the Rivercrest Varsity Rebel football team this season and Head Coach are, from left, Cody Wolfe, Scotty Goodwin, Coach Keith Brown, Coleman Brown and Craig Eudy. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



# It's Time For Football!!





BEAUTIFUL SCENERY-Sarah Lawrence recently flew to Arizona to visit former Talco resident, Carl Antone. As a birthday present Carl and family took Sarah to the Grand Canyon. Sarah is pictured with one of the beautiful scenes they saw while visiting at the Grand Canyon.

# McCrury Cemetery Association to meet

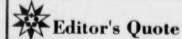
The McCrury Cemetery Association will hold a business meeting on Sunday, Sept. 12, 1999 at the McCrury Cemetery at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to bring their lawn chairs and attend.

# School reunion set

The ninth annual reunion of the Daphne School will be held Saturday, September 11 beginning at 10:30 a.m. in the Bridges Chapel Community Center.

All Daphne students, teachers and their spouses and friends and anyone connected with the school are invited to attend.

Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish for lunch. Drinks and tableware will be provided.



Silence isn't always golden... sometimes it's just plain yellow!

# "Bodacious" inducted into ProRodeo Hall of Fame

first opened its doors in Colorado Springs, Colorado in 1979, rodeo's greatest athletes have been immortalized within its walls.

On August 14, on the Hall's 20th anniversary, six new inductees joined the legends who preceded them.

And included in the 1999 inductees was J31A, Dodge Bodacious, the baddest bull in the world of rodeo today.

Sammy Andrews of Addielou, owner of Bodacious, accepted the award on behalf of "Bo" during the induction ceremonies, accompanied by his wife, Carolyn.

Inductees were welcomed by more than 700 guests at the new location in the Hall's outdoor courtyard. Personal introductions gave way to video footage of each inductee's career, offering the spectators a glimpse into the past.

Bo was born in 1989 and at the height of his rodeo career, weighed in at 1,850 pounds. The famous Charbray bull brought home numerous awards during his active rodeo career, the highlight of which were consecutive Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association Bucking Bull of the Year honors in 1994 and 1995. He was also named National Finals Rodeo Bucking Bull of the Year for the same two years, along with being named the Texas Circuit Champion for 1994-95. He was named the Professional Bull Riders Bull of the

Year in 1995 In 1995, Bo bucked off three-time World Champion Bull Rider Tuff Hedeman at a bull riding, fracturing most of his face. Just a few weeks later at the National Finals Rodeo, Hedeman drew Bo again, but opted to take a no-score and "gate" the bull, in light of what had previously happened. Just two rounds later at the NFR, Bodacious knocked Scott Breding unconscious and it was at that point that Andrews made the tough decision to retire Bo at the con-

Since the ProRodeo Hall of Fame clusion of the 1995 National Finals

His popularity hasn't diminished, though his presence in the arena spotlight has faded. Bodacious is still #1 in the minds of rodeo fans all across the country.

Bucking bulls are noted for possessing many qualities, such as strength, athletic ability, intuition, intelligence and heart, to name a few. But only the right combination in just the right amounts makes a champion bucking bull, and Bodacious got the mixture just right!

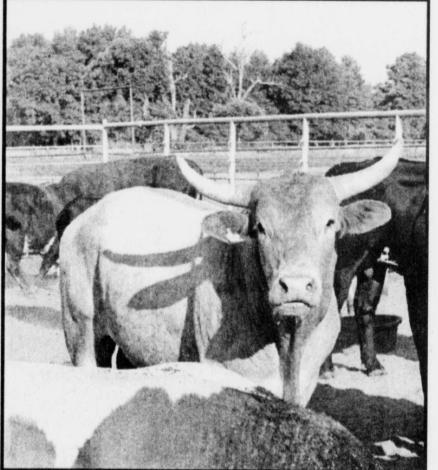
He has been featured in Sports Illustrated two times, GQ (Gentleman's Quarterly), Western Horseman and Penthouse, in addition to the "rodeo" oriented magazines.

In his career, Bo bucked off 127 of his 135 oppponents, and most of those 127 fell short of making the two-second mark. His first two jumps out of the chute were awesome, and he got harder to ride from that point

And though Bo won't be competing himself anymore, he's left a legacy that only he could, a herd of young bucking bulls just waiting for their turn out of the chutes. Bull riders better not be squeamish, either, these "Baby Bo's" are loaded and ready.

Andrews humbly accepted a Casey Tibbs bronze on behalf of Bo and in his acceptance speech said "I guess I'll speak on behalf of Bodacious, seeing as how he'd probably wreck this place if we tried to bring him in

here.' The other inductees joining Bodacious in the prestigious circle include PRCA announcer Hadley Barrett of Kersey, Colorado; rodeo producer Bob Thain of Reno, Ne vada; saddle bronc rider Mel Hyland of Ponoka, Alberta, Canada; pickupman Charles "Lefty" Wilken of Hillsboro, New Mexico; and six time All Around Champion Cowboy Tom Ferguson of Miami, OK.



BABY BO-dacious, that is! This young bull is on his way to filling his father's hoof prints as a rodeo champion. He is just one of several Bodacious sons that will start his professional rodeo career next year under the tutelage of Sammy Andrews, owner of Andrews Rodeo Company. (Staff Photo)



September 3 Friday, Sept. 3-Talco School 3 weeks reports will be sent home to parents. September 3

The Rivercrest Rebel football team will begin their season on Friday night Sept. 3 at Rivercrest stadium vs Detroit. Game time is 7:30 p.m. Come out and support the Rebels as they begin the 1999-2000 football season.

September 6 The Talco-Bogata Schools will be closed on Monday, Sept. 6 for the Labor Day holiday.

A Christian based weight loss program will be held September 7 at Talco Calvary Baptist Church. Orientation will be at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Lennox Health Resource Center in Clarksville will host a free glucose screening, free blood pressure check and free dietician consultation on Wednesday, September 1 from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.



By Liz Irwin

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Our recipes this week come to us from a copy of the Greenville Morning Herald. What is so strange about that you ask? Well, this particular issue is dated April 26, 1956. Remember the kitchens back then... of course most of you don't, but a few will. Spotless. No microwaves, food processors, bread makes or other such frivolities. Just your average "Leave It To Beaver" kitchen. You know the one where everyone eats at the same time. . . at the dining room table, no less!!! Everyone dresses for dinner. . . . even down to wearing shoes. . . and sometimes dad even wore a tie!!! Can you imagine!!! Certainly no fast foods graced the table. Lots of greasy fried foods, starches, high carbs and other "heart

A simple glance through this paper gave you a walk through time. Robin Hood flour was 5 pounds for 43 cents. Cake mixes were 27 cents each. Catsup was 19 cents for a 14 ounce bottle. Apples were 19 cents a pound while grapefruit rivaled at 8 cents per pound. Decker Bacon was 2 pounds for 75 cents. Brisket roast was 17 cents per pound. Large size Tide was 30 cents a box.

You could even buy a pair of Naturalizer shoes at the shoe store for \$9.95 and they look a lot like the ones everyone is wearing today. Chunky heels with straps.

Marilyn Monroe, Milton Berle and Marlon Brando were hot in Hollywood while the cotton market closed

## Card of Thanks

We would like to express our thanks for the wonderful food, calls, cards and visits since I have had my second knee joint replacement.

Each card brightens my day, each act of kindness reminds us that living in this part of the world is a joy.

Thank you all so much. Thomas and Nanalee Nichols

## Card of Thanks

My children and I would like to thank everyone for the food, visits, calls, cards, flowers and kindnesses shown to us during our time of loiss.

God bless you all Tammy Nicks and Children at \$1.05 a bale. You could buy a 1948 Ford Sedan for \$175.00 and a John Deere Slide Delivery Hay Rake for \$150.00. Hamburgers were 10 cents and a 6 room house with a double garage went for \$6,000.00.

Now that we have taken this little walk down memory lane, sit back and enjoy the recipes from the "50's. and we will see you in the kitchen!

Green Beans in Mushroomsthere is nothing extraordinary about this dish. . . . but can you imagine putting it before our youngsters in this day and age!

Jam Pie-don't believe I have ever tasted a Jam Pie. But the jam is spread on the bottom of the baked crust with custard and meringue on

Individual Pizza Pie--this is the one that caught everyone's eye. . sounds more like a hamburger to me!

Chicken with Almond Sauce-Isn't it strange have tastes have changed. . .the only way anyone frys chicken anymore is at the Colonels or Popeye's!

Poppy Seed Dressing-There are many variations of this recipe and nowadays folks enjoy it over a fruit salad as much as anything.

French Fried Cauliflower-I love cauliflower, but I am not sure this is the way to eat it!

Jam Cake-this is a tried and true recipe that has been handed down through many generations. Check out instructions for preparing pan to

## Card of Thanks

We would like to thank Dr. Strom for his words of encouragement, concern and professional care. We would like to give a special thanks to every staff member and worker at the Deport Nursing Home for their excellent service, concern, attention and loving care given to both our parents, also their support to us in our time of sadness. We also appreciate the workers of the McCuistion Hospice for the wonderful service they are performing. God bless all of you. We also appreciate the concern and help of the Wood Funeral Home.

The Family of Bill Power

September 2, 1999 Greenville Morning Herald 1956

Green Beans in Mushrooms cup mushrooms

tablespoons butter cups cooked string beans 3 cup sour cream

teaspoons chopped parsley Cook beans unsalted water until barely ender. Saute mushrooms in butter and dd beans, sour cream and salt. Sprinkle arsley over the mixture and serve.

Jam Pie -1/4 cup sugar

egg yolks level teaspoons flour cup sweet milk

-1/4 cup any favorite jam outter the size of one egg teaspoon vanilla

Mix and cool custard in the usual way, dding butter last. Let cool. Bake pie shell, let cool and spread jam evenly in oie shell. Spoon the custard carefully over jam. Beat egg whites and add usual mount of sugar. Top custard with meingue and bake slowly till brown, Cool

Ivdividual Pizza Pie Flatten out Ballard biscuits and put on cookie sheet. Spread with catsup and to with meat pattie, well seasoned with garlic and salt. Bake ten minutes. Then lace a slice of onion, tomato and slab of hin cheese on each, Return to oven until cheese is melted. Serve at once.

Chicken with Almond Sauce ry a young chicken until golden brown n hot Wesson Oil. Put on hot platter and nake the sauce. Thicken I table spoon of il in which chicken was fried with I ablespoon flour, season and add I pint ream and I tablespoon chopped parsley with I cup chopped blanched almonds. et boil a few minutes and pour around

# Card of Thanks

We want to thank all of you who helped us in any way at the time of our accident and recovery.

We especially thank the emergency teams that were so readily available when we needed them.

Thanks to those who have sent food, cards and made visits. We especially thank all of you for your prayers and other acts of kindness at

May God bless all of you, Clovis & Katy VanDeaver

# Card of Thanks

Thank you all for your cards and gifts welcoming our new addition. You have all been so kind and thoughtful. We thank the Lord for our new baby girl and wish to thank you for your kindness as well.

Pastor Mike, Trish Ashley and Payton Ryherd

# Poppy Seed Dressing

3 teaspoons dry mustard 2-1/2 teaspoon salt

2 cups sugar cup apple cider vinegar

2 teaspoons grated onion 3 cups Wesson Oil 3 teaspoons poppy seed

Mix mustard, salt, sugar and vinegar Beat well and add slowly the oil a few drops at a time, When thick, add onion and poppy seed. Keeps well. Use or lettuce or any salad desired.

French Fried Cauliflower Cook cauliflower in salted water until just tender after breaking the head up into flowerets. Dip in beaten egg and then in cracker crumbs. Fry in deep fat. Servi immediately.

## Jam Cake

cup butter cup brown sugar cup white sugar 3 slightly beaten eggs cup blackberry jam

3 cups flour teaspoon cinnamon I teaspoon allspice cup buttermilk teaspoon soda

Cream butter and sugar well. Combine jam, eggs, spices and flour. Add butter milk and soda. Bake in stem pan line with buttered brown paper on bottom Bake for 50 minutes at 325 degrees Keeps for days and freezes well.

# Card Of Thanks

Just a note to say thank you to everyone who supported me as I fought my battle with breast cancer. To Mike, who was there every second of every day to encourage, bolster and cheer and who took care of all the little things that I didn't have the strength to do and never once complained. To Chase and Jillian, who stepped up to the plate and did everything asked of them without a whimper or moan and who even proved that they could cook and clean when they had to. The three of you are my life and I love you! To our church family who lifted us up in prayer and who was always ready and willing to do anything needed to take care of us physically and emotionally. And, last but not least, thanks to everyone in the community who called, sent cards or food and gave support in ways so numerous I can't begin to list them all. I'm not sure I could have sailed through this experience so smoothly without each and every one of you. Thank you! Judy Sloan

# **Obituaries**

## Bill Power dies August 26

Bill Power, born August 2, 1906, passed from this life on Thursday, August 26 in the Deport Nursing Home. Funeral services were held Sunday, August 29 at 2:00 p.m. in the Wood Funeral Home Chapel of Deport. Burial was in Highland Cem-

His wife of 70 years, Jessie Power, preceded him in death October, 1998, also his parents, Jim and Dinah Power; brothers, Roy, Frank, Charlie, George, Steve and Earl Power; and a sister, Oma House.

He leaves to mourn his daughter and son-in-law, Ida and Morris Lamkin of Onalaska; two granddaughters and husbands, Brenda and Robert Clark of Crosby and Cheryl and Robert Royall of Highlands; four great-grandsons, Craig Clark of Webster, Kevin Clark and wife Cindy of Fresno, Trey Royall and wife Becki of New Jersey and Justin Royall of Highlands; one great-granddaughter, Carrie Clark of Crosby; one sister, Dearie Adams of Houston; and a host of nieces, nephews and other rela-

He was born around the Cunningham area and lived most of his life in Byrdtown community and Pattonville. He was a member of the Pattonville Baptist Church.

Jerrell Kelley

dies August 19

Jerrell Kelley, age 72, formerly of Red River County, died August 19, 1999 at his home in Midkiff, Texas

Services were held Monday, August 23, 1999 at the First United Methodist Church in Rankin, Texas. Masonic burial rites followed at Rankin Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mr. Kelley was born February 10. 1927, in Fulbright, Texas, to Russ Kelley and Minnie Brewer Kelley He married Winnie Belle Dean on August 5, 1950, in Midland, Texas She died April 18, 1993.

Jerrell joined the Masonic Lodge in 1948, and he was a lifetime member of Lodge 690 of Lockhart, Texas and a 32nd degree Mason member of the Scottish Rite, Austin, Texas.

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He is survived by his sons, Rory Kelley of Oklahoma City, OK and Ricky Kelley and wife, Barbara of Odessa; daughter, Rosemarie Whitlock and husband, Edward Whitlock of Oklahoma, City, OK; four grandchildren, Kerry Whitlock, Kelley Whitlock, Wendy Kelley and daughter and Michael Wayne Kelley and wife, Heather and son.

The family requested memorials be directed to West Texas Boys Ranch, San Angelo, Texas or Masonic Children's Home in Waco. Texas

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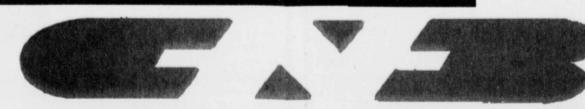
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May God bless you! Otis Phifer & Family





Post 8187 News

\*Meeting time is 2nd and 4th Monday night at 7:00 p.m.

\*Post is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:00 p.m. until 12:00 midnight. and Saturday from 12:00 noon until 1:00 a.m.

\*Thursday at 7:00 p.m. is 42 playing time and pool and shuffleboard are open all the time.

\* The VFW will be starting a pool tournament on Tuesday night at 7:00 pm. Everyone is invited to come out for competition and fellowship.

**Labor Day** The VFW and Auxiliary will hold a barbecue brisket lunch on Labor Day, Monday, September 6, 1999 beginning at 1:00 p.m. Mark the date on your calendar and plan to attend for good food and fellowship.

September 10 James Case and his Hallmark Country band will provide dance music Sept. 10 from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight. Make plans to come out and enjoy.

\*Happy Birthday to B.B. Cawley. \* Get Well Wishes to Jean Smith, Bill Farris, Audrey Gillis and Jettie Minshew.

\*Sympathy is extended to Betty Baker and the family of Ernest

\*Everyone is enjoying the beautiful old bar given to the post by Paul



Roy C. Finch

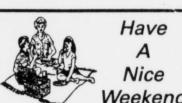
# Finch named Eagle Scout

Roy C. Finch, age 16, has been awarded the rank of Eagle in the Boy Scouts of America program.

Fince is the son of James and Phillis Finch of Tyler and the grandson of Clyde and Gertrude Lane of Paris and the late Roy and Ruby Finch of Blossom.

He was presented the award in ceremonies recently at Green Acres Baptist Church in Tyler.

He has received many scouting awards and held many positions, including Arrow of Light, World Conservation Badge, Cobra Patrol Leader, Scribe for Troop 370, God and Familiy and God and Church, Donor Awareness Badge and 21 Merit Badges. He began in scouting as a Tiger Cub with Pack 354.





# PCT to present "A Streetcar Named Desire"

Tickets are currently on sale for Paris Community Theater's first production of its 23rd season, "A Streetcar Named Desire", which opens on September 9 and runs through September 19.

The Pulitzer Prize winning drama by Tennessee Williams will include Deport resident, Tim Wood, who will

duction. Dr. David Brock has designed the set.

For information, call 784-0259 weekdays after 1 p.m. or FAX reser-

# McCuistion Gala is filled with "Intrique"

Saturday, October 2. Arvin Starrett is

chairing the event. Guests will dress in theme cos-

vation inquiries to 784-4195.

er Endowment Fund Gala set for the gala.

Bill Kennedy, long-time PCT board member, is directing the pro-

"Innocence and Intrigue-The 50's" and white T-shirts to formal attire. is the theme of the 13th annual Each year more than 200 volunteers McCuistion Regional Medical Cen- are involved with the preparation of



JUNIOR VARSITY REBEL-Josh Cabel, # 5,heads downfield in Friday's scrimmage play. The Rebels scored on both Union Grove and Waskom and held both teams scoreless to keep a no score record for the Rebels opponets thus far this year. (Staff Photo

# relay planned October 9

A 10K and 5K run, a 10K relay and a one-mile pet walk has been set for Saturday, October 9 at Camp Maxey, about seven miles north of Paris on Hwy. 271.

The event, tagged "Run With the Big Dogs II" is being sponsored by Christus St. Joseph's Health System's

Aerofit Fitness Center. Activities will begin at 8 a.m. near Camp Maxey's main gate. Signs will direct visitors and participants.

After the race, a barbecue dinner and drinks will be provided for participants. Also, a free pet dip will be offered by Brenda's Room and given all participants.

Cash prizes will be awarded to the overall male and female runners in each race. Other prizes will be awarded. Drawings for door prizes for race participants will also be made during the meal.

The event promisees to be fun and exciting for all ages, including pets.

# Disaster seminar to be held in Clarksville

The Lennox Health Resource Center and American Legion Auxiliary Unit #45 invites everyone to attend a seminar on Tuesday, September 14 at 7 p.m. at the American Legion Post Home on Hwy. 82 east in Clarksville on disaster readiness.

The seminar will include organization guest speakers and what to expect from government and local agencies.

# "Run With the Big Dogs" New nursing director named at McCuistion

McCuistion Regional Medical Center Executive Director Michael McBride, announced recently the selection of Cathy Dyke, RN, BSN, as the new Director of Nursing. Ms. Dyke comes to Paris from Bakersfield, CA where she had served as the Nursing Executive for Bakersfield Memorial Hospital.

Prior to that, she worked 15 years at Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas, in a variety of leadership positions including unit manage for the surgery and Trauma Emergency Department in the Level I Trauma Center and head nurse in the Surgical Groom, and free T-shirts will be Intensive Car Unit where she began her career as a staff nurse.



STEVEN D. ROWAN, M.D., has been named Chairman of the McCuistion Regional Medical Center Board of Governors. He accepted the gavel from long-time McCuistion Board Member and most recent Chairman, Dick Amis. Rowlan joined the McCuistion staff in 1983 and is a practicing partner of the Paris Orthopedic Clinnic and is board certified by the American Board of Orthopedic Surgery.

# Stewart Blood hosts Laborless Day Blood Drive

Stewart Regional Blood Center will host a Laborless Day Blood Drive on Labor Day, Monday, September 6. Each person who donates blood that day will be put in a drawing to receive a free house cleaning from The Clean Team or a 30-minute massage from Therapeutic Massage and Body Work. In addition, each person who donates blood the week of August 30 through September 7 will receive a

special Labor Day T-shirt. Stewart Regional Blood Center is located in Chisum Square at 3715 Lamar Avenue in Paris. Operating hours are 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

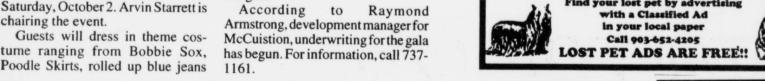
For more information, contact the center at 903-785-9399. Potential donors must be at least 17 years old and in good health. Photo ID is required to donate blood.



KAY BELL will serve as the music teacher for K-12 grade and chori director for the Prairiland district. She is the wife of Mac Bell of Rosalie and they have three children, Jason, Johns and Kaylan. SHe graduated from Texas A&M-Commerce with a BSIS degree.







Car Show is upcoming in Pattonville The second annual Pattonville Center. Volunteer Fire Department Car Show will be held Saturday, September 11 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Pattonville Firehouse and Community

Entry fee for the contest is \$10.00 before September 4; day of show is

\$12.00. All makes and models are wel-

come. All proceeds benefit the Pattonville VFD.

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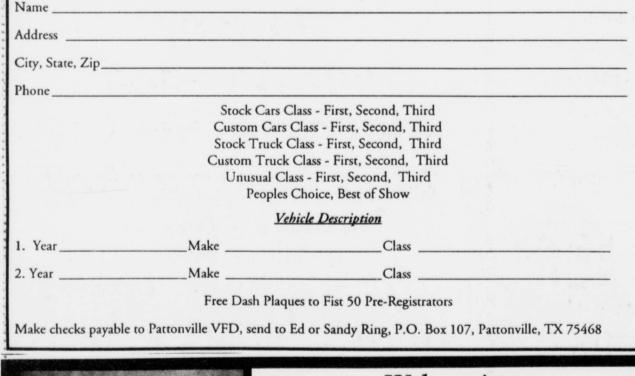
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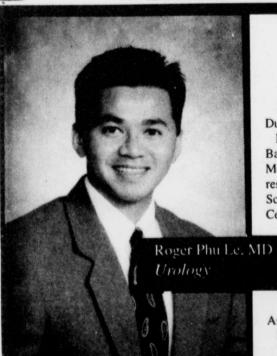
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# Welcoming Roger Phu Le, M.D.

Roger Phu Le, M.D., has announced his affiliation with the Tijerina-Dunnington Urology Clinic in the practice of urology.

Dr. Le received his B.S. degree in biology and chemistry from Houston Baptist University, and his medical degree from the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston in 1994. He then completed his internship and residency in general surgery at the University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center and his residency in urology, also at the New Mexico

A native of Vietnam, Dr. Le came to the United States in 1978 and grew up in the Texas Gulf Coast area. His wife, My-Linh Nguyen, M.D., is a family practice

He is a member of the American Urological Association, the American Medical Association and the Association of Residents and Physicians

Dr. Le enjoys golf, saltwater fishing, and cooking.

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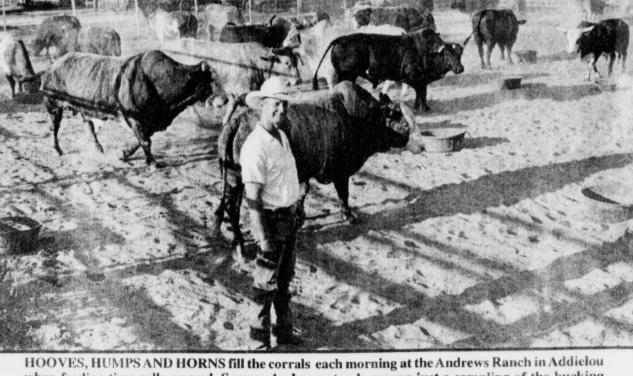
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HANAH ELDAHER-daughter of Kal and Tammy Eldaher celebrated her 5th birthday on August 3, 1999 with a swimming party at her home in Plano. Guest were treated to pizza and served cake. The theme of the party was Cinderella. Hanah received many nice gifts and everyone had a great time. Hanah is the granddaughter of Donnie and Peggy Strain of Bogata and Abdalla and Taman Eldaher of San Antonio. Maternal great grandmother is Lorene Broadfoot of Pomona, California.





HOOVES, HUMPS AND HORNS fill the corrals each morning at the Andrews Ranch in Addielou when feeding time rolls around. Sammy Andrews stands among just a sampling of the bucking bulls he hauls to PRCA rodeos all over the United States. The rodeo company just finished a short tour that included Oklahoma City, Abilene, KS, Colorado Springs, CO and Denton, TX, all in just 17 days! These boys were ready for a well-deserved rest, so were the cowboys! (Staff Photo)

# Talco Locals

By Nancy Brown

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The Talco girls 11 & 12 year old fall softball team played their first games Saturday. Following the games they returned to cool off with a swimming party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graf, Katherine, Justin, Rachel and Susan. Enjoying swimming and a sandwich supper were Jennifer and Kayla Morgan, Lorena Parker, Erika Jones, Kasey Graham, Cassandra Norman, Kristi, Kayla and Keylee Clemmons, Jillian Sloan, Patsy and Melanie Smith, Cindy Livingston and coaches Carol Laing and Nancy Brown.

Happy August birthday to Tina Nolen, Vickie Howard, Sara

Lawrence and Travis Antone.

Bobby Jack Brown of Quitman visited Eddie Brown Sunday after-

noon. He also visited with Tommy Easley and family.

Happy September birthday to Karen Jones, Sue Currey, Doug Wright, Carl Smith, Tony Cline, Laquitta Norman, Ricky Nolen, Jerrica White, Bobby Kuhl, Kristin Kuhl, Tabatha Hackler, Whitney Savage and Gene Duffie.

The Talco School staff honored Stephanie Wright with a baby shower luncheon on Wednesday, Sept. 1. Stephanie received many nice gifts.

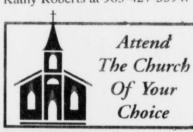
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown will celebrate their wedding anniversary September 20.

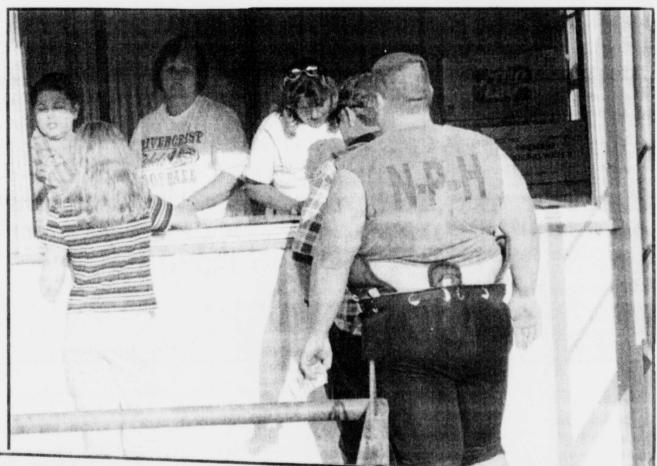
The Calvary Baptist Church in Talco reports a great turn out for the going away reception held in honor of Bro. and Mrs. Glen Connell.

Seay family reunion

The annual Seay family reunion will be held in a different location this year. The group will meet at the Clarksville Housing Authority Meeting Building located at 700 South Deleware in Clarksville on September 5, 1999

For more information contact Patricia Boyd at 903-427-5840 or Kathy Roberts at 903-427-5394.





MEMBERS of the Rivercrest Athletic Booster Club served hamburgers to Rebel fans and guest from Union Grove and Waskom Friday night at the scrimmage football game. The money earned will go (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

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She earned her medical degree from the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston where she also completed her residency and internship training.

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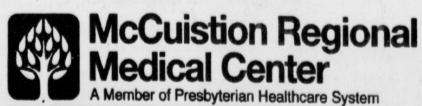
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MEMBERSHIPS & TEE SHIRTS-Rivercrest Booster Club members Kay Griffin and Tina Nolen took membership dues and sold Rebel football tee shirts at Friday's scrimmage game at RHS. Pictured joining the club and purchasing tee shirts are Carol Laing and Kay Kennedy. The short sleeve shirts are \$10 each and the long sleeve are \$12 each and can only be purchased by order. If you would like to order contact Kay Ross, President at 632-5204. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

**JOHNTOWN** 

**NEWS** 

Calvin and Myra Permenter drove

to Wall Eye Park on Lake Cypress to

visit with daughters, Angie and Deb-

bie and their families. They enjoyed

watching the grandchildren ride sea-

Jana Hawkins enjoyed traveling to

Greenville with Mark Hawkins on

Saturday afternoon. Robbie Hawk-

ins visited with Heather, Haley and

Hana in their home while their par-

The Permenters recently traveled

to Austin for a week to help Dale and

Dawn Jean move into their new home

in south Austin. Myra enjoyed baby-

sitting the twin grandbabies, Tyler

and Kelsey. While there Bro. Per-

menter worked with the Texas Mis-

sion Builders who are building a

church for Faith Missionary Baptist

Church in Round Rock. They also

stopped in Loreana and visited church

member, Birdie Adams, who is recu-

perating from heart surgery. On their

return trip they spent Friday night in

Ft. Worth with daughter, Paula and

family and had breakfast on Saturday

morning in Bedford with daughter

Jana, Haley, Heather and Hana

Hawkins attended the bridal shower

for Lauren Robertson and Sonny

Gibbs at the First Baptist Church in

and Saturday at Barefoot Bay Marina

with grandparents Steve and Bunny

Terrell of Daingerfield. Jacob spent

Saturday night with David, Robyn,

Candace and Scott Stansell of Mt.

spent Sunday afternoon playing golf

in Paris at Pine Ridge Golf Course.

Robyn, Candace and Scott Stansell

spent Saturday in Longview shop-

ping for the girls who will begin

dance class this week. While in Long-

view they enjoyed eating at Red Lob-

Friday night Haley and Heather Hawkins attended the birthday/slum-

ber party given for Sarah Jean by her

parents, Donald and Freda Jean. Jana and Hana Hawkins also enjoyed vis-

iting with the Jean family that evening. Candace Stansell spent Sunday and

Sunday night with Jacob and Kristen

Kelly, Jacob and Kristen Harville on

Judy and Luke Speir visited with

Mark Hawkins and Aaron Eudy

Kelly and Kristen Harville and

Jacob Harville spent Friday night

Bogata Sunday afternoon.

Debbie and family.

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dos and sail boating.

ents were away.

By Jana Hawkins



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how their feet mirror their body's general health. And when the body hurts, the pain demands attention, and it is especially important for diabetics to heed this demand. At DOCTORS FOOT CLINIC, we strongly recommend having foot problems attended to professionally to prevent them from becoming serious, as well as to keep a check on the rest of the body. We may not be able to prevent disease, but we can help deal with some of the serious problems that may accompany it. Hours are by appointment. Call 784-5585.

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P.S. A person with diatetes should never ignore any sign of foot irritation or injur. Call your podiatrist

Letter to the Editor: During this past year we have had to call 911 several times for medical attention for Drue. Each

time the First Responders were at our home in a matter of minutes. They were very professional in their work but also a comfort to us because they showed they cared

Letters

to the

Editor

for us as friends and neighbors. When Drue had his last heart attack, the doctors at Baylor Hospital in Dallas said "The people in the field did everything right or

Drue would not be alive today." We thank God and the First Responders of Bogata for his recovery and want to say Bogata is so fortunate to have such well trained emergency personnel available. Drue and Billie Pirtle



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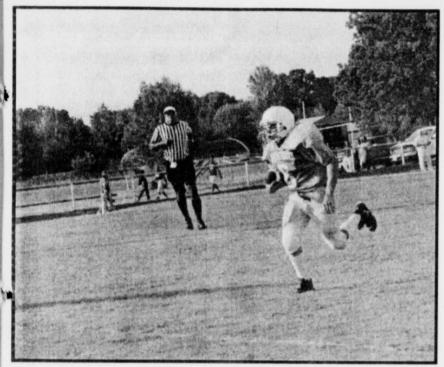
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VARSITY REBEL QUARTERBACK #10, Cody Wolfe looks for an open receiver as the Rebels met both Union Grove and Waskom in scrimmage play on Friday night. The team will open their season vs Detroit on Friday night at Rivercrest. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



INTERCEPTION-Junior Varsity Rebel #6 C.A. Middleton picked off two passes during Friday's scrimmage games against Union Grove and Waskom. C.A. also scored a touchdown on a pass reception. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

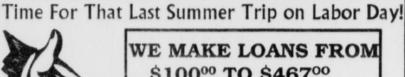




FIVE GENERATIONS-Charline Black is at the head of five generations in her family who were all in the same place at the same time for a family get together. Pictured are Charline holding great great grandson, Tyler Chisten of Kilgore and (back from the left) daughter, Faye Perdue of Kilgore, granddaughter, Kathy McMullen of Dallas and great granddaughter, Crystal of Kilgore.



EMILY CHRISTIE-will begin attending the University of Georgia in Athens this fall. She is a recipient of the Hope Scholarship and is majoring in Communication Sciences and Disorders. She and her husband, Giles Christie are both Rivercrest High School graduates. Emily is the daughter and sister of Othal and Virginia Spencer, Amber and Bailie of Bogata. Grandparents are Pearl and Othal Spencer and Robert Canfield and the late Mary Canfield.

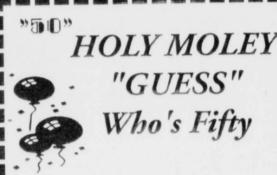


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# **Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase**

The City of Bogata will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll by 36.31698 percent. Your individual taxes may increase or decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property and the tax rate that is adopted.

The public hearing will be held on September 13, 1999 at 7:00 PM at Bogata City Hall, 128 North Main Street, Bogata, Tx 75417.

FOR the proposal:

Randy Kennedy

Jack Crane

**Edd Spencer** Tracie Osborne

W. T. Harbison

AGAINST the proposal: None

None

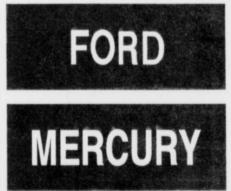
PRESENT and not voting:

ABSENT:

The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

Last Year This Year Average residence homestead value \$20,400 \$20,870 \$0 General exemptions available (amount available on the average homestead, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions) \$20,870 Average taxable value \$20,400 0.64691 0.49936 Tax rate (per \$100) \$135.01 \$101.87 Tax

Under this proposal, taxes on the average homestead would increase by \$33.14 or 32.53 percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$0.14755 per \$100 of taxable value or 29.55 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.



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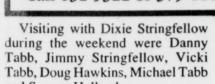


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# **Bogata Locals**

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and Suzann Holland. Christopher and Jerred Guerra visited over night Friday with their grandparents and aunt, Donald and Judy Screws and Tana. On Saturday the boys parents, Chris Anna and Jerry Guerra came to pick them up and visited with the Screws.

On Thursday, Doyle and Nina Smith of Denton visited Chrystine Baker. They all traveled to Blossom to visit with Billie Welch. Also visiting at the Welch home were Mary Ann Elrod, Sue Miears of Plano and Peggy Yale of Ft. Worth. They had dinner at TaMolly's in Paris.

Dan and Vicki Tabb celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary August 30, 1999

Kenneth and Phyllis Duffer visited with their children, Richard and Tricia Bradley, Corey and Casey in Bismark, Arkansas over the week-

Happy September Birthday to; Kenneth York, Randy Hendricks, Clay Elrod, Donna Rozell, Hali Screws, Tana Screws, Jerred Guerra, Nelda Screws, Gerry Screws, Kenneth York, Maxine Topping, B. B. Crawley, Randy Hendricks, Jerica White, Payton Stringfellow, Frances R. Rozell, Regan Bell, and Kathy Sue



Melba's Cafe in Bogata. Recent visitor with Dan and Mary Kathryn Cotten was their granddaughter, Amanda Cotten of College

Doyle and Nina Smith of Denton and Chrystine Baker attended funeral services for Aileen Hale Friday morning in Clarksville

Visiting Chrystine Baker Friday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Henry of Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reece of Lubbock and Mildred Eudy

Hayden Holt is reported still running a temperature and still hospitalized in Dallas. Harold Holt, Heather and Heath visited Hayden and Judy in Dallas on Sunday.

Recent visitors with Jettie Minshew, Bill and Margie Farris and Zelma Mauldin were Yvonne Powell of Carrolton and Ray Morris of Ft.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and Tana enjoyed supper at TaMolly's in Paris Wednesday evening.

Billie Welch of Blossom picked Chrystine Baker up on Saturday and they traveled to Johntown to shop at Kelley's produce stand. Chrystine returned home with Billie to visit over the weekend.

Weekend visitors with Jerry and Gerlyn Gray and Margaret Davis were Jessica and Danny Hines and Marli.

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BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The Rivercrest ISD will hold a public meeting at 7:00 PM, September 14, 1999 in Rivercrest High School

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below

unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

Total

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Last Year

\$20,290

\$5,290

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Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an

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to discuss the revised notice.

Last Year's Rate

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Last Year's Rate Adjusted

Rate to Maintain Same

Level of Maintenance &

Operations Revenue &

Average Market Value of Residences

Average Taxable Value of Residences

Taxes Due on Average Residence

Increase (Decrease) in Taxes

rollback rate of \$1.59673.

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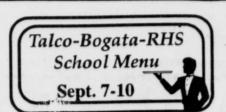
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value

Pay Debt Service \*\*

**Proposed Rate** 

Tax Relief

for Tax Relief



Monday Holiday

Lunch

Holiday

milk

Tuesday

Breakfast Waffles w/syrup & butter fruit juice milk Lunch Pizza salad com brownies crackers

Wednesday

Breakfast Sausage patties biscuits w/jelly Lunch Sloppy Joes seasoned beans pickle spears fruit salad

Thursday

Breakfast Cinnamon rolls craham crackers w/peanut butter Lunch

Sliced turkey roast w/gravy cream potatoes rolls w/honey milk

Friday **Breakfast** cereal toast w/jelly

milk Lunch Cheeseburgers seasoned beans burger salad



POETS-These students from Bogata Elementary and Junior High had poems published in the Anthology of Poetry by Young Americans, 1999 Edition. Their themes covered many areas: concern and delight about nature, thoughts about God, family, pets and friends, feelings about leaving things behind and they were all explored with the diversity and individuality of each child. Parents and faculty are indeed proud of the accomplishments of these young poets. Pictured not in order are; Kristin Simmons-8th grader, Chris Watts, Brian Hays and Micah Haynes-5th graders and Courtney Lemme, Chrystal Anderson, Jessica Thompson, Taylor Anderson, Katelyn Van Deaver, Kaylee McIntire and Ethan Meredith. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



# Sue Currey honored August 28

Sue (Wright) Currey was honored by her husband David, children Demi, Mark, Coulter and Zeke and grandchildren with a surprise party for her upcoming 50th birthday Saturday, August 28, 1999 at Hudson on the Bend on Lake Travis in Austin.

Guest were served a four course meal and Sue's life was reviewed with memories from each person attending and those who could not at-

Local Revenue

Per Student

\$1,499

N/A

N/A

\$1,621

\$1,557

State Revenue

Per Student

\$3,498

N/A

N/A

\$4,168

tend sent special memories and birthday wishes.

Attending were Sue's sisters, nieces and nephews, Karen Jones, Mayra Clark, Jesi and Luke, Marta Rhoades and Robert Caul, Mona Wright andLaura Kernan all of Talco and 35 other guest including her children and grandchildren. Everyone enjoyed the meal and memories and Sue received many nice gifts.

Bogata PTO to meet The Bogata PTO will hold their first meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 7, 1999 at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The group has some very important issues to discuss and decisions to make. Input is needed for everyone. Please make plans to attned.

# Thedford Homes

residents enjoy service

A covered dish lunch was served August 17 in the Recreation Center at Thedford Homes. A great time of fellowship was shared by 28 friends Pointer. and neighbors.

Following lunch a time of gospel singing was held. Rev. Bill Pirtle brought the message, "Pleasing God" based on I Thessalonians 4:1. The next service will be held September 7 with Bro. James Martin, pastor of Lake Chapel House of Prayer bringing the message. Everyone is invited to attend.



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# Rebel JV and Varsity host Union Grove and Waskom

sity and varsity football teams hosted Union Grove and Waskom for scrimmage games on Friday night.

The JV team showed a great deal of improvement at the "Swamp" and came out victorious against both teams. The evening started off with one touchdown to none showing against Union Grove. The JV defense were smoking, holding Union Grove to one first down. Union Grove used players who were also involved in the varsity scrimmage. The Rebel TD was taken in by Josh Cabell on an outside pitch.

The JV offense showed up against a very athletic Waskom team. The Rebels scored 2 touchdowns on back to back plays. Chance Wolfe scored on a 45 yard play and C.A. Middleton took a 70 yard bomb from quarterback, Nathan Carroll to score, Middleton also picked off to passes during the evening. Coach Steve Weddle said" We invite everyone one out to watch our team. The defensive standouts for every scrimmage this season have been all 15 players on the team. Everyone hustles and we have not been scored on yet".

In Varsity action the Rebels offen-

The Rivercrest Rebels junior var- sive stats vs Waskom were passing yards- 5-9-0 for 77 yards, rushing yards 19-53 for a total of 130 yards. Offensive stats vs Union Grove were 2-6-0/24 yards, rushing yards 12 for 76 yards for a total of 100 yards. Offensive highlights were Rebel quarterback, Cody Wolfe passed 7-15-0 for 101 yards, Rebel running back, J.C. King had 20 carries for 101 yards and Rebel wide receiver, Michael Galloway and 4 receptions for 39

> On the defense Union Grove had 20 yards total offense and the Rebels caused 3 turnovers. Waskom had 25 total yards.

Coach Keith Brown said, "We had outstanding effort and we played extremely physical. If we continue to improve our playoff hopes are

The Rebel JV were scheduled to go to Detroit on Thursday, Sept. 2 That game has been changed. The JV will travel to Honey Grove on Thursday, Sept. 2. Game time will be 6:00 p.m. The Varsity Rebels will host Detroit on Friday, Sept. 3 at the "Swamp". Everyone is encouraged to come out for both games and support the Rebels.

# Red River Healthcare Center News

Visitors at the Red River Healthcare facility this week and

those visited were; Resident Melvin Pointer-Daphne

Residents Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail-Richard Swarts, Jimmy Fail, Mari-

lyn Presley and Inez Henson. Resident Leonard Fuller-Irene

Fuller. Resident Ada Holmes-Maudie Lee

and Ruth Lee. Resident Billie Hancock-Linda Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Albritton. Resident Irene House-Linda Gray

and Mary Ellen Kain. Resident Agnes and Jimmy Guess-

Linda Gray. Resident Evie Smith-Linda Gray.

Resident Lucy Jenkins-Linda

Resident Gladys Sykes-Linda

Resident Pauline Hutson-Linda Gray and Jerry Hutson. Resident Bertha Anderson-Linda

Resident Alice Craig-Inez Gill.

Resident Roberta Watts-Mary Ellen Kain, Travis Harbison, Odella Cheatwood, Mildred and Nelda Tucker, Marcus and Shirley Allums, Teresa and Ray Alford, Bessie Roberts, Dorothy Dodd, Frances Thomas and Charlene Green and Carrine

Resident Wayne Alsobrook-Reba

Resident, Percy Topping-Carrine Alford J. Topping and Lucille Pettit. Resident, Mary Dike-John and Charlene Dike.

Resident Oma McKinney-Ercella Resident Shelia Gibson-Betty Gib-

Resident Nina Hudson-Mary K.

Cotten and Zona Parrish. Resident Ruth Wood-Mary K. Cotten and Zona Parrish.

Resident Doris Glover-Mary K. Cotten, Zona Parrish and Sue Henry Resident Nettie Moore-Mary K.

Cotten and Zona Parrish. Resident, Carl Wood-Mary K. Cotten and Zona Parrish.

Resident Allie Swafford-Mary K. Cotten, Zona Parrish, Merle Hughes,

Eunice, Tony and Linda Miller. Resident Ann Cody- Mary Ellen Kain, Janette Brooks and Cleavie Cof-

Resident Oma McKinney-Merle, Hughes.

Resident Neat Massey-Nell and Dub Harville.

Resident Mae Eudy-Gay Eudy

and Neoma Goodman.

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vision, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas

NOTICE OF CALLED MEETING OF THE PRAIRILAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL

DISTRICT Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of September, 1999, the Board of Trustees of Prairiland ISD will hold a CALLED meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the administration building in Pattonville, Texas 75468. The subjects to be discussed are listed on the genda which is part of this notice.

. Invocation Call to order

Determination of quorum 4. Approval of minutes Old Business

New Busines Notice of public meeting to discuss budget and proposed tax rate. On the 1st day of September, 1999 this notice was posted on the bulletin board at the school administration building at 2:30 p.m. on said date. ... C. Stout, Superintendent

SMALL TAXING UNIT NOTICE OF PROPOSED TAX RATE

The City of Detroit will hold meeting at 7:00 p.m on September 13, 1999 at Detroit City Hall, 190 East Garner, Detroit, Texas 75436 to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 1999. The proposed tax rate is 0.47000 per \$100 of value.

The porposed tax rate would in crease total taxes in City of Detroit by 2.90 percent.

PUBLIC NOTICE The City Council of Blossom, Texas hereby gives notice of a public hear-ing September 16, 1999 at 7:00 p.m. to be held at the Blossom City Hall at 1240 W. Front Street, Blossom, Texas. Purposes of public hearing:

A. To take comments from the pub lic and to consider 1999 tax levy of \$.5204 per \$100 valuation. B. To take comments from the public and to consider adoption of the

preliminary budget for fiscal year C. To take comments from the pub lic and to consider necessary amend-ments to FY 1998-99 budget.

The public is invited to attend and participate.
Tony Chance, City Administrator

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stopped to get sandwiches and drinks the car, I happened to look down and out of the trunk of the car. Then on the road again. Some 60 miles down the road we made a rest stop. I missed my billfold. We looked around the car, in the car, under the car. No luck. We drove back to where we had stopped and hunted there. No luck. I decided that I had better go on into the DPS office in Eastland and see about a temporary license. When I got out of

Red River County Sheriff's Report August 22-29

August 22: Report of family disturbance in Bogata; report of animal complaint in Cuthand area; report of trespassing on FM44 south; report of disturbance; report of disturbance in Bogata; male arrested on warrant, capias pro fine offense public intoxication; report of family disturbance in Rosalie; report of family distur-

August 23: Report of attempted burglary of a vehicle; report of reckless driver in Annona; criminal mischief in Detroit; report of credit card abuse north of Clarksville; burglary of a motor building north of Clarksville; male arrested on warrant for theft over \$20,000 and under \$100,000; inmate released per District Judge; animal complaint on FM909; report of disturbance on Hwy. 37 north; request of assist; male arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated third or more, driving while license suspended, speeding, ride not secured by safety belt; female arrested on Lamar County warrant for motion to revoke/theft.

August 24: Male arrested on warrant for theft; inmate released on bond and fine paid; male arrested on DPS warrants from Childress; inmate released to Lamar County on their warrant; male arrested on warrant for speeding; male arrested on 8 warrants for issuance of bad check and 7 warrants for failure to appear/issu-

ance of bad check; report of domestic disturbance in Rosalie.

August 25: Theft in Bagwell; inmate released on two bonds and arrangements to pay fines; cattle complaint on FM910; request for assistance on Co Rd. 2229; inmate transported to Franklin County.

August 26: Intoxicated person in Avery; assistance form other agency; report of suspicious circumstances; male arrested on bench warrant and transported to County jail for court; male arrested on warrant for delivery of controlled substance/SAFP commitment; animal complaint in Boxelder; activated alarm in Avery; family disturbance in Bagwell; male arrested for failure to appear/possession of marijuana ana failure to appear/unlawful carrying of a weapon.

August 27: Activated alarm in Avery; inmate released on two cash bonds; male served with warrant for theft of cattle;; male served with warrant for theft of cattle; inmate transported to county on charge of aggravated assault w/deadly weapon.

August 28: Report of suspicious person on 376 north; suspicious circumstances in Boxelder area; civil mater on FM2120; activated alarm on FM114; assault in Negley area.

Red River County Jail currently holds 94 inmates, one female housed in Franklin County for a total of 95.

there was my billfold between the seat and door. What luck! No harm!

While driving long we decided to put my billfold in Jean's purse since my pocket on my coveralls was ripped out. No problem you say? A few miles past Waco we stopped for gas. Jean handed me my credit card and put my billfold back into her purse. She was going to the restroom and left her purse, also containing my

billfold, in the car. When I finished and stared to pay, I decided that since her purse was still in the car, I had better lock it. When I came back out, I discovered that I had locked my keys in the car. Since we do this every once in a while, we have an extra keys that I keep IN MY BILLFOLD and Jean keeps IN HER PURSE!

The lady in the convenience store made a call to a local locksmith. He got there and had the car unlocked within 45 minutes of the call. After

the delay and \$35.00 extra expense we were on the road again. We finally got to the graduation party that evening and made the ceremony the next morning with no more prob-lems. WE HAVE THE GRANDSON GRADUATED!

We only have the granddaughter, Shanna, to go. This took place this August 13. This time we took our van so that all the family could ride together. We had both sets of grandparents, the parents and one uncle.

My main reason for all going to. gether was so that I could push the driving to our son, Lynn. By doing this we had no lost billfolds and no locking ourselves out of the car. No problems, right? Wrong! We drove to College Station with no delays or problems. When we parked in the motel lot and got out we noticed that the right front tire was going down. We went in and checked in and took our things to our rooms. Lynn and I

went back to get the tire fixed. We put my can of fix-a-flat into the tire and drove to a station. They were busy and would be about 45 minutes before they could get to us. We went to another place. They were even busier. Back to the first place. They got us in. took the wheel off and found that we had a tread separation and the tire could not be fixed. They did not have 1 our size tire. The wheel was replaced and we went to Wal-Mart. They finally got to us about 4:30 p.m.

We had brought food with us and were to go to Shanna's ex-roommate's apartment at 5:30 p.m. to eat before going to the graduation exercise at 7:30 p.m. Lynn and I were sort of rushed. Then after we got to the apartment and got the food ready, Lady Jane, Shanna's other grandmother, discovered that she had left the paper plates, napkins and such at home.

Shanna wasn't sure that she was graduating cum laude until she got there and they told her. We were not sure until we located her in the crowd and saw the yellow collar around her neck. Naturally her cheering section went wild as she walked across the

Shanna did her internship at the Barter Creek Country Club in Austin. At the close of her internship they hired her as the pool manager and fitness specialist. She is getting married on September 4 to Jeff Crain [1] who is a 1998 graduate of A & M. Our grandson, Byron, now works for Fox TV in Dallas where he recently received a promotion along with a



RED RIVER ALL STARS--The 9 & 10 year old Minor League Red River All Stars baseball team had a terrific year. Pictured are, back row from left; Coaches Phillip Cashion, Donnie Hays and Randy Nolen. Team members not in order are: Tyler Jones, Tyler Graham, Ryan Cashion, Coley Harp, Tel Pitcock, Riley Lewis, Jeffery Nichols, Seth Hawkins, Brian Hays, Destry Nolen, Jeremy Moore and Jesse Harville. This year's team advanced further in the playoffs than any team in many years. They placed 2nd in the sub-district tournament played at Blossom. Each boy received a silver medal. Congratulaions boys!!!

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