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By Nanalee Nichols

"Kills Bugs DEAD" the lable on the bug spray can proclaims. Excuse me...but isn't that a little redundant? Doesn't the word "Kill" mean to make something dead?

Think about it. Wouldn't the statement "Kills Bugs" be sufficient. Obviously, if it kills them they are dead! But the statement seems to imply that somehow, this poison will kill bugs a little bit deader than another spray would!

But, such is the world of lable advertising...in some sort of frenzy to impress the American buyer with a product's tremendous power the lables seem to go overboard.

Another rather stupid statement that one sees fairly often reads "IT REALLY WORKS!"

Well, did they think we were going to buy it if it didn't work? Would they put on the lable "Doesn't work worth a flip"?

Of course not. If we don't think it would work we wouldn't buy it. But it makes me wonder just a little when they try to assure us of that.

Another thing. How many times can a product be "New Improved Better Stronger More Powerful... Better Flavor... Healthier... etc.?"

Does that mean it wasn't very good to begin with? Why didn't they make it the very best they could at the start of marketing instead of "improving" the product fifteen times in it's first year or so of production?

The answer is obvious...they do it to sell more.

But Sometimes I wonder just a little about their techniques.

Still, those lables with outrageous or silly claims don't bother me nearly as much as the new packaging strategies.

The pound of coffee that isn't a pound is a well known thing, now.

We adjusted to the fact that we don't buy coffee by the pound anymore.

Soon, I suppose, we will adjust to the sneaky fact that a five pound bag of sugar usually contains only 4 lbs.

Marketing does this to avoid upping the price, so they say.

Of course any fool knows that when you pay the same price for 4 lbs. as you do for 5 lbs. there HAS been a price increase.

But, like I said, they are pretty sneaky and hope no one notices.

Bacon, little sausages, various canned goods are doing much the same thing, putting less into a package and charging the same. Somehow, the size of the container never seems to shrink either!

It doesn't matter much, we have to have the food items anyway. But somehow, somehow, I can't help but wish that the marketing strategists would realize that the public isn't a bunch of idiots falling for these little tricks.

No, we know what they are up to, we just have to buy the stuff anyway!

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# Talco Times

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## Talco Principal Resigns

Ben Tyler, Talco School Principal, resigned his position as principal, effective last week.

Mr. Tyler will be moving to Mt. Vernon to accept a new position there.

## Library Program Begins In Talco

The summer library program opened last Tuesday in Talco as a big success with 15 little students and seven big students.

Beth Wood was the storyteller, who told two versions of "Little Red Riding Hood". The two versions are American and French.

Mrs. Wood made a scene from a cardboard box and yarn puppets. After the story, she showed the students

how to make the scene and the puppets.

The students had the opportunity to tel the story using the props. Then they had a drawing for the scene and a puppet. Leann Sanders won the scene and Glen Vaughn won the puppet.

The summer library program will be every Tuesday in June from 1-3 p.m.

## Frontier Day Is June 27!!

The Bogata Lions Club has announced the date for this year's Frontier Day as Saturday, June 27 at the Bogata Community Center.

There will be concessions available all day long and lots of shade trees. For information on craft booths, call Donnie Lewis at 632-5387 and for other information, call David Rozell at 632-5617.

A number of Bogata residents

have already volunteered for the Dunking Booth this year. So far, they are Jimmy Lee, Lore Bush, Eddie Belcher, Mary Childres, and Wade White.

Special all-day guests will be Bent Country Band and the Red River Valley Antique Tractor Club Exhibition.

This year's schedule of events includes:

- 7:00 a.m. .... Free Pancake Breakfast, Everyone welcome.
- 8:00 a.m. .... Treasure In the Sand
- ..... Pole Climb
- ..... Jail Opens
- ..... Dunking Booth.
- 8:30 a.m. .... Men's Nail Driving
- 8:45 a.m. .... Women's Nail Driving
- 9:00 a.m. .... Balloon Bursting (8 and under)
- 9:15 a.m. .... Square Hay Bale Rolling
- 9:30 a.m. .... Bobbing for Apples
- 10:00 a.m. .... Egg Toss
- 10:30 a.m. .... Men's Log Sawing
- 10:45 a.m. .... Women's Log Sawing
- 11:00 a.m. .... Turtle Race
- 11:15 a.m. .... Terrapin Race
- 12:00 Noon .... Pig Scramble (winner has option to keep pig)
- 1:00 p.m. .... 4th Annual Duck Race
- 6:00 p.m. .... Parade



SEVERAL TREES and a picket fence were damaged at the Talco State Bank last week by someone who apparently ran over the trees and broke a section of the fence with some-

thing similar to a pickup truck. Titus County Sheriff's Department is investigating the incident. (Staff Photo by Thomas Nichols)



IT'S RODEO TIME AGAIN! Jack Crane (left) will be serving B-B-Q again this year. Judge Watson "Law North of the Sulphur" (right) will be serving

this world famous snow cones. This is the Lion Club annual fund raising project. Everyone come out and have a good time at the Rodeo and Frontier Day.

## People 'N Things

PROMPICTURES can be pick up at the Rivcrest office.

Calvary Baptist Church Youth Rally will be June 11-13. Mark Fryed will sing and bring a short message.

June 11 after church, hamburgers and volleyball will be enjoyed at teh Calvary Baptist Church. On June 12, after church, build your own Sundae and fellowship. On June 13, Special Service, also parents' night. After church, popcorn and movie.

The Class of 1952 will have a reunion at the school cafeteria June 27 at 4 p.m. following the Talco School Reunion. The class will have a buffet meal at 7 p.m. at the Alps Restaurant in Mt. Pleasant, for \$5.95. For information, call Wanda Hearron Stephens, 785-5428, Carol Jean Leake 379-4793 or Anita Hanks Hood 379-3643.

The Calvary Baptist Brotherhood group will meet June 27 for a work-day. The group will be doing home repairs for local widows and the elderly. All men are invited to join the group.

A housewarming will be held soon for the Arthur Smith family, whose home and all contents was destroyed by fire recently. Details will be announced as they are finalized.



CALVARY BAPTIST Church in Talco held Vacation Bible School June 1-5. The group averaged 95 children and adults

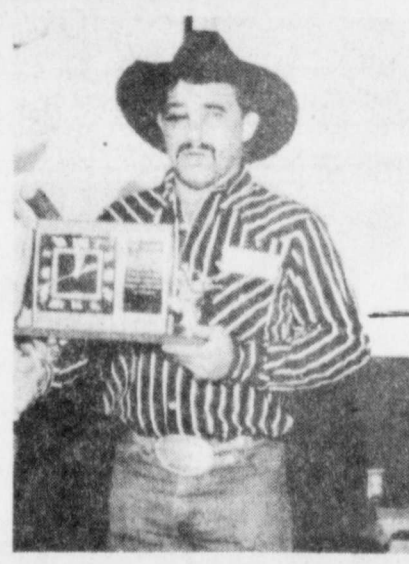
all five nights. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

## Kristen Kuhl Honored At End-Of-School Party

Kristen Kuhl of Talco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kuhl, was honored with an end-of-school year party at her home on Friday afternoon, June 5.

Kristen had missed her school party because she had the chicken pox. Attending and enjoying a ham-

burger supper were Rusty and Christine Benfield, Courtney and Smantha Jones, Brandi Gaddis, Amber Morgan, Tabatha Hackler, Tanna Simpson, Dusty Henry, Jeremy and Robert Jones, Jeremy Price, Jason Brown, Nathan and Amy DeVane and Mrs. Jo Horn.



DAMON HOLMES of Bogata was presented "The Champ" award at the 1991 Cowboys Regional Rodeo Association Finals Awards Banquet. The award is given by the CRRA in memory of his father, Marvin Holmes, a noted saddle bronc rider and rodeo judge.

## Sunshine Club Meets

The Calvary Baptist Church Sunshine Club met Tuesday, June 9. The group enjoyed hearing the youth group singing. Kathleen Wilhite was the door prize winner. Nicholas Castle

was the only June birthday present. Twenty-six attended and enjoyed the covered dish lunch and fellowship.

## Bogata Junior High To Hold Chapter 1 Advisory Meeting

As directed by federal program guidelines and Texas Education Agency regulations, a Chapter 1 Advisory Committee meeting will be held at 1:00 pm in the library on the Bogata Junior High campus on Thursday, June 18, 1992.

The purpose of the Advisory Committee meeting is to review the Chapter 1 Program held on the Talco and the Bogata Elementary and Junior High campuses. A review of the 1991-1992 budget and program for the Chapter students on the Talco and Bogata campuses will be the primary area of attention for the meeting. A priority, however, will be the success of the Chapter students and possible areas for needed improvement for the 1992-1993 school year.

Chapter students locally have been any student, in grades 2nd through the 8th, that have scored lower than the 50th percentile on the Reading, Language, and/or Math portion of the standardized Achievement Test used by the District. These students have also been able to attend summer school at no cost.

Those of us on the Committee would like to invite any parent of a Chapter 1 Program student to come to the meeting. Not only do you as parents need to understand the programs that may help your child, but we as teachers and administrators need your assistance in order to provide better instruction to your child.

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## Country Cooking

By Gerrie Bankhead



The Country Cooking Column is coming to you this week from the breakfast room of Marise Fontenot of Pattonville.

Originally from Lake Charles, Louisiana, Marise retired 15 years ago and has made her home in Pattonville for the last three years. Marise chose this area because of her family

members living there. She is the proud mom of two children: Barbara and husband Jon Young and two children of Pattonville; and Roxan DeRosier and husband John and one child of Lake Charles.

Hobbies include traveling, fishing, quilting, cooking, walking and growing roses. One of her favorite



MARISE FONTENOT is sharing some of her favorite Cajun recipes with us in this week's

Country Cooking Column. (Staff Photo by Gerrie Bankhead)

places to travel is Alaska to visit her sister, Eva Smith. She also enjoys visiting Michigan and Pennsylvania.

Cooking any kind of Gumbo, especially seafood gumbo is her favorite food to cook. Of course, being from Louisiana, she was reared on this type of cooking and has lots of recipes, some of which she is sharing this week with us. There are very few "Texas" foods she will eat. She says she does like blackeyed peas, rice, sausage and a very few more items. She strictly likes Cajun food and is trying to keep the traditional taste acquired in her children and grandchildren.

Marise recalled during the many years her husband was living, how she cooked a lot. He was in politics and always thought someone had to eat with them. He was very particular about what he ate and what was served. One instance she wanted to share was about eight years ago when she was asked to make three gallons of Roux (an oil and flour mixture) to make Quail Gumbo to be served to the President and guests at the White House. This was exciting for her. She has cooked many, many meals and served to the Governor of Louisiana and members of the Congress in Washington. She also uses Roux in lots of recipes. She makes it or buys

it either one. We hope you enjoy the recipes Marise is sharing this week.

The Shrimp and Okra Gumbo was handed down from her late mother and she has used this recipe all her life. The Blend of Bayou Seafood was from Roxan, her daughter, about four years ago. Missy, a granddaughter, was visiting and stated this recipe is delicious. This is one of their holiday favorites.

The Cajun Smothered Chicken recipe is another that is handed down from her mom many years ago. The Crawfish Etouffee came from a nephew, Jay Fontenot, about 20 years ago. The Syrup Cake (Gateau Sirok), which is French for syrup cake) has also been used as long as she can remember.

If you have enjoyed the article, want to request a recipe or make a suggestion, please call 652-6032 or write to Rt. 1, Box 67A, Deport.

Next week I plan to share several recipes I have collected from many different readers who have generously shared with me. Keep sending in any type of recipe that is new, different, or one your family has really enjoyed. There are lots of readers that live miles away in many different regions that I cannot interview, but you can still share your recipes with us.

### Shrimp and Okra Gumbo

By Marise Fontenot

- 1/4 cup of oil
  - 2 tablespoons of Roux
  - 3 lb. of fresh okra, cut in 1/4" pieces
  - 2 tomatoes, peeled and chopped
  - 1 large onion, chopped
  - 2 qts. water
  - add salt, black pepper, cayenne pepper
  - 2 lb. peeled and deveined shrimp
- In oil, cook okra, tomatoes and onions until okra is no longer roapy, about 30 minutes. Add water, roux, salt, black pepper, cayenne pepper and simmer for 30 minutes. Add shrimp and continue to cook another 10-15 minutes. Serve in soup bowl over cooked rice.

### Blend of the Bayou Seafood Casserole

- 1-8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
  - 1 stick margarine
  - 1 lb. peeled shrimp
  - 1 large onion, chopped
  - 1 bell pepper, chopped
  - 2 ribs celery, chopped
  - 2 tsp. margarine
  - 1 can cream of mushroom soup
  - 1 can mushrooms, drained
  - 1 tsp. garlic salt
  - 1/2 tsp. tabasco
  - 1/2 tsp. red pepper
  - 1 pint crabmeat (white)
  - 1 cup cooked rice, grated sharp cheese, cracker crumbs
- Melt cream cheese and oleo. Saute shrimp, onions, pepper and celery in 2 tsp. oleo. Add to first mixture. Add soup, mushroom, seasonings, crabmeat and rice. Mix well. Place in 2 quart casserole. Top with cheese and cracker crumbs. Bake at 350 for 20-30 minutes, until bubbly. Serves 8.

### Cajun Smothered Chicken

- 1 chicken cut in serving pieces
  - salt, black pepper, cayenne pepper to taste
  - 1/2 cup oil
  - 2 large onions, chopped
  - 1 large bell pepper, chopped
  - 2 cups water
  - 1/2 cup chopped green onions
  - 1/2 cup chopped parsley
- Season chicken with salt, black pepper, cayenne pepper. Brown chicken in hot oil in large heavy skillet. Add onions, bell pepper and celery. Cook until onions are transparent, add little water at a time. Cover and simmer 25-30 minutes. Add green onions, parsley, just before serving. Serve over cooked rice.

### Crawfish Etouffee

- 1/4 cup chopped onions
  - 1/4 cup chopped celery
  - 1/2 cup butter
  - 2 lbs. peeled crawfish tails
  - 1/4 cup water
  - salt, cayenne pepper to taste
  - 1/4 cup chopped parsley
  - 1/4 cup chopped green onion tops
- Saute onions and celery in butter until onions are transparent, add crawfish and simmer 15 minutes. Add water, salt, cayenne pepper and simmer 15 minutes longer. Add parsley and green onion tops and serve over cooked rice.

### Syrup Cake (Gateau Sirok)

- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 cup sugar cane syrup
- 2 eggs
- 2 1/2 cups sifted all purpose flour
- 1 tsp. salt
- 2 tsp. baking soda
- 1 tsp. ginger
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 cup hot water

Cream shortening and sugar until light and fluffy. Mix in sugar, add eggs one at a time, beat well after each addition. Sift together flour, salt, baking soda, ginger and cinnamon. Add to creamed mixture. Add hot water. Pour into greased and floured pan 9" square and bake at 350 for 40 minutes.

### Chocolate Chip Pie

- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup all purpose flour
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
- 3/4 cup butter, softened
- 1 cup chopped nuts if desired, 1 use pecans sometimes
- 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips
- 1 9" unbaked pie shell

Preheat oven to 325. In large bowl, beat eggs until foamy, beat in flour, sugar and brown sugar until well blended. Beat in softened butter, stir in nuts (optional) add chocolate chips. Pour into pie shell.

Bake about 50 minutes, until knife inserted comes out clean and top is golden brown. Cool on wire rack. This is good served with whipped cream, ice cream or with no topping at all.

## Cunningham News

By Berniece Wyatt

Employees of Liberty National Bank and their families spent Saturday at the Flying M Ranch Camp.

Daily Vacation Bible School began at the Baptist Church Monday. All children were invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Taylor met Kai and Roxie Kennedy Tominasen of Torrance, CA in Las Vegas, Nevada and visited with members of the warehouse of the western branch of the USCA of Kansas City in the Cemidly Office from Saturday until Thursday.

Wayne Crafton is a patient in a Dallas hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Black of Paris, Faye Black and Frankie Archibald of Deport visited Mrs. Delsa Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barnes of Vidor visited Mrs. Winnie Evans of Nixa, MO and Lena Mackey and Cora Hampton of Sparta, MO the first part of the week.

Larry Bell of Paris and grandson Christopher Horton visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Thursday.

Ethylene Wyatt and Jewel Quedest of LaPorte and Colleen Eudy visited Berniece Wyatt Saturday.

Marie Watson, Geneva Norwood, Alma Norwood, Neva Jean Oats, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Musgrove and Charity, Mr. and Mrs. Pete McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson, Johnna Shae and Jeanna Rhae and Rev. Dewayne Stewart visited Rev. and Mrs. Don Whit of Hot Springs, AR Friday and attended church there.

Mabel Lynn visited Faye Pearson and Bonnie Baumgardner of Paris Saturday.

Velma Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams and Mrs. Madge Watson in Cherry Street Nursing Home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barnes of Vidor, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lynn of Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Chipman of Minter had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chipman.

Jo Gordon of Ft. Worth spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Delphia Malone.

Uvalde Landrum of Paris was honored with a party on his 72nd birthday on June 3. Guests were, in addi-

tion to Mrs. Landrum, Teresa Landrum, Gene and Carol Jones, Cody and Jeremiah, Patsy and Larry Smith and Penny and Larry Jr., Mrs. Landrum's brother, Don Winn and wife Carolyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis of Elm Grove, LA spent Monday through Wednesday with Mrs. Lucy Fowler. She returned home with them, and visited through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited Mr. and Mrs. Ford Taylor and Whitney of College Station in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor.

Ruth Chipman and Tracie Chipman attended a personal shower for Melissa Michael, bride-elect of Joel Chipman in Arlington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and family of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson, David and Janee and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Drinnon and family had lunch with Mrs. Jane O'Neal Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frierson and Mrs. Edith Smith of Paris and Geneva Norwood had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Odus Watson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher visited Harry Slusher and Mrs. Lena Powell, residents of Cherry Street Nursing Home on Saturday.

Irene Davis of Elm Grove, LA and Lucy Fowler visited Johnny Warren in Deport Nursing Home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Talma Norwood had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Saturday night.

Virginia Bell of Paris visited Mrs. Ida Deshong and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cherry of Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Sunday.

Velma Cox visited Rosa Lee Archer and Dora Hester of Paris Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain attended the Sain reunion at Dellwood Park in Mt. Pleasant and visited Ollie Ruth Guthrie at Mt. Pleasant Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wester of Washington, AR spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood.

## Fulbright News

By Betty Rodgers

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hammer of Aikin Grove visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Travis King.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pate Jr. of Dallas were Sunday visitors of Hurley Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis VanDeaver. Mrs. Larann Denison of Rosalie visited Sunday afternoon.

Betty Rodgers and Melissa Arriaga were hostesses Friday evening for a Home Interior party with 13 ladies attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane King of Paris and Kala King, Kallemb Chambless and Bo Savamich of Corpus Christi visited Jimmy and Travis King Wednesday.

A birthday party was given for Marie Legate by her son, Ruben Johnson and family, in Nashville, AR Sunday. Thirty-three relatives attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baker are residents of Deport Nursing Home now.

Mrs. Alice Jean Garner of Dallas visited her mother, Faye Gandy, this weekend.

Gilbert Arriaga honored his wife, Melissa, with a birthday party Sunday evening. Those attending were

### Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our friends who provided food, phone calls, flowers and kind words during our time of sorrow in Bogata. Also a big thank you to James Wood, Bob Bush and all those who helped with the services.

Jewel Barnard and Family

### Card of Thanks

The family of Mrs. Levella Simpson wishes to express our sincere thanks to our many friends, relatives and neighbors for all the calls, flowers, cards, food and all the support and care during the illness and death of our loved Mother.

A special thank you to Rev. Ozell Roberts, Jr., to the staff of Brownrigg Funeral Home, Dr. Terance Babcock, Dr. Joseph Xavier, St. Joseph Hospital, nurses and rehabilitation employees on the seventh floor. May God bless each of you.

### Card of Thanks

Thanks to everyone for all the flowers, gifts, food, calls and prayers while I was in the hospital and since I have come home.

Vicki Sawyer

### Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for the cards, visits, calls and food while I was in the hospital and since I came home. Thanks for your concern.

Dwayne Rhodes

## Obituaries

### Harold Spitznas Dies June 8

Harold Edward Spitznas, 69, of Bogata, died Monday morning in Red River General Hospital.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 10 under the pavilion of Bogata Cemetery with the Rev. George Thomas officiating. Interment followed at the cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Spitznas was born November 30, 1922 in Bayonne, NJ, the son of Charles and Marie Jelm Spitznas. His first wife, the former Ethel Thomas, preceded him in death in 1981. He married the former Opal Mauldin on December 30, 1983. He was employed by the Talco-Bogata Schools in vehicle maintenance and was retired from the United States Navy. He was a veteran of World War II.

Mr. Spitznas is survived by his wife; a sister, Mrs. Jake Reigert of Bogata; a brother, Edward Spitznas of Covington, Connecticut; one niece; one nephew; and several great-nieces and nephews.

### Dudley P. Keith Dies June 7

Dudley Pace Keith, 74, formerly of Odessa, died June 7, 1992 at Medical Center Hospital.

Services were held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Robert Guido officiating, preceding burial at 10 a.m. Burial was in Sunset Memorials Gardens.

Mr. Kelley was born January 9, 1918 in Sweetwater. He married Helen E. Howison on December 21, 1947 in Bogata.

He graduated from high school in Roxcoe in 1937 and went to Odessa in

1946 from Roscoe. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and a survivor of Pearl Harbor. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge. He was a clerk for Exxon for 20 years.

Surviving are his wife, Helen of Odessa; son, John Keith of Horse-shoe Bay, TX; sisters Gussie Bratcher of Sweetwater and Ruth Knapp of Midland. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Kathryn Keith.

The family requests memorials be made to the First United Methodist Church or your favorite charity.

### Osie E. Barnard Dies June 3

Osie E. Barnard, 84, formerly of Bogata, died Wednesday, June 3 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Services were held Friday, June 5 at 2 p.m. in Bogata United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bob Bush officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery at Deport by Bogata Funeral Home.

Mr. Barnard was born September 25, 1907 in Aberdeen, Washington, a son of Mac and Margaret Jane Leach Barnard. He married Jewel Green on October 13, 1937 in Sinton. He was a member of the Bogata United Methodist Church, Dallas Scottish Rite bodies and Friendship Masonic Lodge #16 of Clarksville. He was a retired plasterer and rancher.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Wanda Williams of Lubbock; two grandchildren, Shelli Renee and Richard Wade Williams and a great-grandson, Brody Kyle Williams.

### Card of Thanks

Thanks to my many friends for their kindness on my birthday. I received many cards, some letters, gifts, food and telephone calls.

Dude Lassiter

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Monte and Shelley Rodgers of Tiger-town, Betty Rodgers of Fulbright, George Wages of Palestine, Herman LaRue of Deport, Don and Donna of Lamar Point. She received many nice gifts.

Dick and Jeff King of Paris visited Jimmy and Travis King Friday.

Kay Osbourn of Paris went to church and had lunch Sunday with her parents, Travis and Jimmy King. Kay and Jimmy spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Osbourn and girls of Midlothian. Jimmy had an appointment to see her doctor for an eye check up after surgery in Dallas Monday.

Betty Rodgers and Marcella Wright went to the flea market in Bonham Saturday.

Monte and Shelley Rodgers visited Betty Rodgers Sunday night. They were on vacation and going to Branson, MO for a few days Monday.

Betty Rodgers visited Wanda and George Wages, Annis Dobson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dobson and Mrs. Wages of Seymour in Deport Sunday.

### Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all of you who came to visit, sent cards, flowers and food and all your prayers while I was in the hospital. God bless each and every one of you.

Dorothy Williams

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### Red River Haven Locals

Margie Myers visited with James Hancock this week.

Neva Whitten was the guest of W.N. Dodd.

Alma Lowry spent the weekend with Vivion Westbrook.

Ruby White's guests were Grady Dodd and B.F. and Nedd Rhodes.

Janie Bogie visited Lizzie Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hervey, Raymond Melion of Deport and Buford Hervey were guests of Oda Hervey.

Liz Legate was the guest of Ruth Harrison.

Dollie Carroll was visited by Brenda and Lynn Carroll.

Gene Martin visited George White.

Guests of Josie Fennell were Martha Clove Humphries of Monroe, LA, Irene Humphries of Carthage, Willie Wilson, Ima Gene Wilson, Leslie Reed of Reno, H.E. and Ola Bryson, Julie Rowe and Inez Peedon.

Peggy Strain visited with Donovan Strain.

Doyle and Sharon Reppond were guests of Nona Reppond.

Betty Harper visited Beulah Roddam.

Travis Haley, Urcella Gooding and Sue Tucker of Houston were guests of Oma McKinney.

Zelma Wood was visited by Nancy Clayton and Glen Clayton.

C.J. Stubblefield, Mrs. Nan Allen, Frank and Anita Stubblefield were guests of H.L. Stubblefield.

Betty Roe of Beggs, OK was the guest of Bonnie Gamble.

Vera Grogan was visited by her sons, Lloyd Grogan and Ralph Grogan.

Minnie and Elbert Stogner were visited by Sarah Stogner and friend, Norman Stogner.

Doris Rodgers was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Phifer of Detroit.

Helen Brown, Connie Pyles, Sherry, Amber and Kyle visited with Ida Brown.

Rosa Speir's guests were Dale Williams and Ruby Williams.

Raymond Mauldin visited Vurna Motter.

James Gibson and Bill White were visitors of Opal Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Maddox of Arlington, Mrs. Frances Lane of Irving visited Friday with their cousin, Mrs. Opal Benham.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gill of Ft.

Worth visited his brothers and her brother, Donovan Strain.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller from Garland visited with Vurna Motter and Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Bryson.

Red River Haven had an ice cream social Saturday, June 6 with approximately 15 gallons of homemade ice cream were made by the Family Council and staff. Everyone had a good time eating and enjoying the sunshine. Thanks to everyone who helped our Family Council and residents.

Elise Parker from Paris visited with Anne Walker Sunday.

Iva Hooker spent Sunday afternoon with Mary Lassiter.

Guests of Elzie Sales were Frances Sales, Pearl Williams, Ila Mae Morris, Kim and Kathy Love.

Morris Smith, Mark Beers, Joyce Smith, Orvil and Doris Lewis, Dewey and Marlene Thomas were guests of Lantie Smith.

Oma Hudson was visited by Teresa Ricks, Kendra Ricks, Katie M. Brown, Jossie Dozier and Benny Cogburn.

Staci Alford, Susie Bryan, Opal Kerley, Arol Kerley, Linda Taylor and Lewis Williams were visitors of Lynn Kerley.

Roy and Gladys Prater were visited by Melissa Vivion, Bruce Spencer, Lou Anne and Wayne Elliott.

Alice and Janice Martin were visitors of Ida Mauldin.

Guests of Clydus Vivion were Flave Vivion, Bob Vivion and Flave Vivion Jr.

Inez Montgomery visited Bonnie Humphries.

Lona Elliott was visited by Nelsean Pemington, Rudean Barrett, Edward and Lou Ann Elliott and James Odell.

Ruth Cox's visitors were Naomi Smith, Jillian Day, Stephen Jannise and Kathy Agricola.

Carlos and Corene Potter of Kaufman were visitors of Jimmie Duffie.

Betty Mullen and Pat McFarren visited with Ollie Lee.

Clara Lowe was visited by her daughter, Gerlyn Gray and her granddaughter, Jessica Hines of Clarksville.

Lillie Massey's guests were Janice Martin, Jo Gordon, Beth McIntosh, Onnie and Mildred Tucker.

### United Methodist To Host Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Bogata June 15-19 from 9:30-11:30am.

The theme for this year is "Festival '92." It is a celebration of religious observances.

Plans are being made for a very exciting week. On Friday, June 19,

we will have an awards ceremony and an old fashioned outdoor picnic at the Cuthand Methodist Church. All parents are encouraged to join us on Friday for all events.

A van will be running to Cuthand, Talco and in the Bogata area. If you need transportation please call 632-5610 or 632-5241.

### Rivercrest Announces Academic Honor Roll

The Academic Honor Roll was released for the 6th six weeks. The following students were listed:

Ninth grade- Jennifer Cantrell, Mary Childres, Misty Deming, Rodney Elliott, Stephen Hall, Gerianne Harper, Robert Kennedy, Felishia Lemonds, Wendi Mears, Andy Speir and Emily Spencer.

Tenth grade- John Bell, Matt Childres, Amanda Durock, Jerry Francis, Keitha Gillis, Tracey Green, Clay Pirtle, Ashley Ross, Kelly Sheffield, Teri Speir, Joey Southern, Misty Taylor and Eddie Williams.

Eleventh grade- Latrichia Belcher,

Jeremy Belyeu, Lore Bush, Giles Christie, Melissa Dodd, Marty Gray, Marian Green, Cody Guest, Annette Harper, Ginger Hood, Jonathan Jordan, Amy Lemmonds, Tina Morris and Brandon Williams.

Twelfth grade- Staci Alford, Joe Aisup, Becky Aisup, Clint Burns, Russell Dodd, Melanie Franks, Corey Gable, Michelle Harper, Felicia Hobson, Brad Ingram, Rosie Jasso, Justin Kilgore, Chad Martin, Mary McKelvy, Tiffany Parish, Lana Pirtle, Paul Presley, Ryan Simmons, David Stringer, B.J. Thompson, Jesse Watts and Krista Weatherall.

### Detroit Rodeo Club Schedules Play-Day

The Rodeo Club at Detroit has scheduled a play-day for Sunday, June 21 at 10 a.m. The play-day will be held at the arena located on Highway 82 between Detroit and Clarksville behind the roadside park. Signs will be posted.

The Rodeo Club is a non-profit organization trying to promote the sport of rodeo as well as getting area youth involved in activities for the summer.

With the guidance of officers and adults as Board of Directors, the Club has been busy getting their arena in shape to host playdays and rodeos. They have purchased some livestock and are getting the experience from many riders and cowboys in the area.

The June 21 play-day will begin with check-in at 10 a.m. Price will be \$3.00 for a single event or four events for \$10.00. Everyone is asked to bring lawn chairs.

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### Births

Mr. and Mrs. Scot McClain are the parents of a 5 lb. 11 oz. baby daughter, Lindsay Scot. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wake Wood and was born June 3 in Baylor Hospital in Garland.

William W. (Billy) and Kathy White Stringfellow are the proud parents of a daughter, Kaley Annell. She was born at 7:20am June 8 at Titus County Memorial Hospital in Mt. Pleasant, weighing 9 lbs and is 20 inches long. Grandparents are Jimmy and Linda Stringfellow of Faight and James and Peggy White of Bogata. Great grandparents are Mrs. Dixie Stringfellow, Mrs. Sophie White of Bogata and William L. Stringfellow of New Iberia, LA. Great-great grandmother is Mrs. Maudie Smith-Pitman of Bogata.

### Becky White Receives Honors At ETBU

Among the dozens of awards and honors recognized at the annual Honors Day Convocation held at East Texas Baptist University, Becky White received three awards.

Dr. Joyce Ellis, vice president of Student Affairs, was in charge of the Honors Day Convocation, which was held in the Rogers Chapel.

The Honors Day Convocation is held each Spring prior to Commencement to honor those students named to the Dean's List and Dean's List with Honors, the Alpha Chi, Phi Alpha Theta, and Sigma Tau Delta initia-

tives, students receiving special scholarships and awards, the Teacher of the Year award and recognition of students who have been named to the "Who's Who in Departments of the University."

Becky White received the Dexter Lee Riddle Music Award, Sigma Alpha Iota College Honor Certificate, and was among the Alpha Chi initiates who were recognized. Becky is a senior All-Level Music Education major.

Her parents are Glen and Alice Ann White of Bogata.

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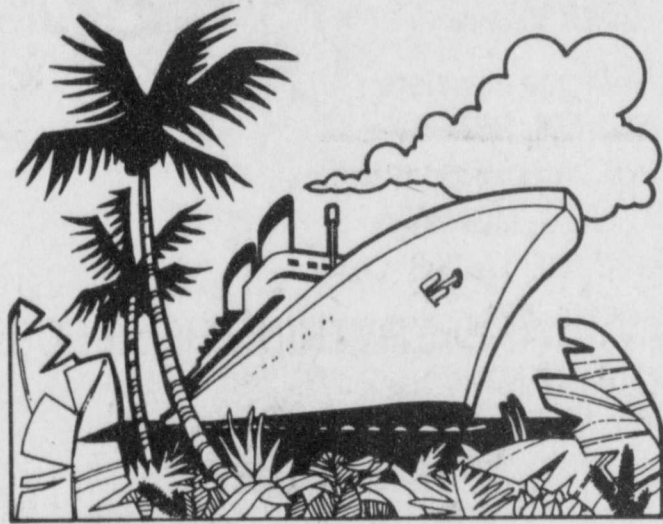
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**Familiar Faces**

By Denise Wood

If you need Betty Ford, you can find her where she always seems to be - her restaurant, Betty's Place. She's usually there on Mondays through Fridays from 6am to 6pm and on Saturdays from 6am to 3pm.

Betty grew up in the Hopewell Community with her parents, Luther and Jewel Lewis along with their three sisters and two brothers. Her father was a farmer and rancher and her mother was a housewife.

She and her husband, O.L., raised their family, Kaye, Cathy and Jackye in Clarksville. Betty worked for Red Cap for twenty years in Clarksville and Dallas. She and O.L. also ran and operated a number of service stations over the years. Raising a family and working has never been a problem to Betty. She believes a woman can have both a family and a career.

In 1979, Betty and O.L. moved to Bogata. She was helping her daughters, Kaye and Cathy, run a beauty shop and tanning salon, My Friends and Me, in Paris. O.L. was wanting to open a service station where the restaurant is today. For some reason, Betty decided that running a restaurant

would be better. So in July 1987, she opened Betty's Place.

The only restaurant experience she has had was when she was fifteen. Her first job she worked as a waitress until her mother made her quit. For a few months, she worked in a drug store as a waitress in Lubbock. Everything else about the business she has learned in the last five years.

Within the first year, Betty had to extend her building. She simply had too much business! The next year she had to extend her kitchen as well. Betty said that the customers automatically came.

Working in the restaurant, Betty likes talking to the customers the best. She has gotten to know the community over the years better and has become attached to her customers. When she's not at the restaurant, she is only resting to go back to work.

Betty hopes that her restaurant is remembered as a good place to eat. For someone who opened a restaurant on only an impulse, she certainly made the right decision.



BETTY FORD is featured in this weeks Familiar Face. (Staff

Photo by Denise Wood)

**Watts Family Holds Reunion**

The descendants of Morris and Lillie Watts held their annual family reunion at Leakey, Texas over the Memorial Day weekend in memory of Morris and Lillie.

In attendance were six of their nine children; twenty grandchildren; eighteen great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Spouses, relatives and friends played games, visited and went tubing down the Frio River. A good time was had by all.

Family members attending from Bogata were Eddie and Jo Watts, Sam Austin, Shane Black and Jason Bell. Those attending from Corpus Christi were Cathy Reeves, Sandy Cyr, Phillip Cyr, Lisa and Morgan Jones, Terri, Alisa and Daphanie Reeves, Bob, Diane, Trey and Autumn Reeves, Chris Reeves, Glen and Bea Reeves, Mickey, Mardi and Shawn Sinnreich, David, Norma,

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**Lindsey and Ina Ward To Celebrate 50th Anniversary**

Lindsey and Ina Ward will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception from 2-4 p.m. Saturday, June 20 at the First Baptist Church fellowship hall, Bogata. Hosts and hostesses will be their children's families, Dr. and Mrs. Michael Ward and Rev. and Mrs. Bryan Morgan.

Lindsey and Ina were married June 19, 1942 at the home of Rev. LeRoy Thomas in Douglas, AZ. Lindsey was employed by Phelps Dodge Corp. Copper Mining after three years duty

in the Navy and worked 35 years for Gulf Oil Corp. in Longview and Midland. Since retirement, they have enjoyed raising cattle, gardening and friends in Bogata. They have three grandsons they especially enjoy, Ward E. Jones at Oxford University in England, Christopher and Andrew Morgan in Coweta, OK.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the reception. The couple requests no gifts.

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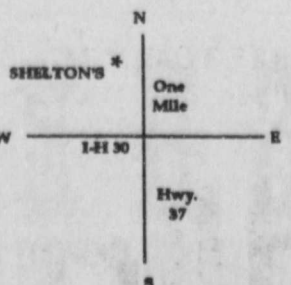
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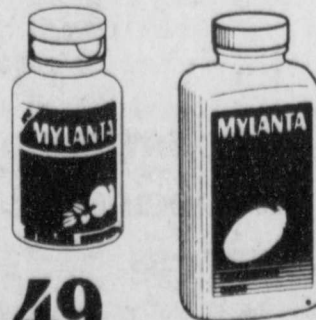
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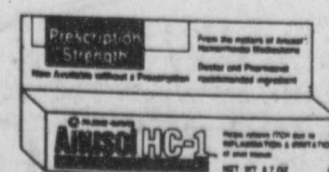
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## Bogata Rodeo, June 25-26-27, To Kick Off Frontier Days

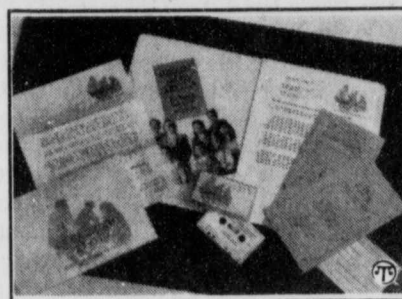
The annual Bogata rodeo, sponsored by the Bogata Rodeo Association, is in the final planning stages, with the 1992 dates set for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 25-26-27. Three big performances of action-packed rodeo thrills and chills will be coming to rodeo spectators at the Bogata Rodeo Arena. Special events are planned in conjunction with the Bogata rodeo this year, one being the appearance of local country/western singer, Wade White, who will perform pre-rodeo. White has won numerous competitions and is coming off his latest big

win at the "Showdown In the Desert" in Las Vegas, Nevada. Seven championship events are being featured at the Bogata rodeo, with the Rodeo Association offering \$400.00 in added money to each event, for a total of \$2,800.00 in added money. Entry fees for the contest have been set at \$40.00 for all events, with the exception of the team roping, which will be \$70.00. The Rodeo Princess contest is in full swing, with girls ages 7-12 and living in a 75-mile radius eligible to enter. The winner will be determined

by overall ticket sales; horsemanship; personality and appearance. The new Princess will receive a trophy buckle. The Rodeo Queen contest is open to contestants ages 13-19 who live in a 75-mile radius of Bogata. The winner will be determined by: selling tickets; horsemanship; dress; and personality. The new Queen will receive a trophy saddle donated by Peoples National Bank. Further details on dates and times will be released when the information is available.

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Red River Haven Happenings June, 1992

June 5	2:30, Mystery Bunch
6	2:00, Ice Cream Social
7	2:00, Church of Christ
8	2:30, Bill Booth
9	1:45, Bingo
10	3:30, First Baptist Church
11	2:30 Residents Rights bing
12	1:30, Ladies Looking Good
13	2:00, 42 Tournament
14	2:00, Talco Assembly of God; 6:00, Mennonites
16	6:00, Bingo, Lions
17	3:30, First Baptist Church
18	3:00, Mystery Bunch; 6:30, Pam King & Company
19	3:30, Rev. Rushing
20	2:00, Sing-A-Long with Mary Jane Lowry; 6:30, Lake Chapel
21	2:00, Church of God
23	6:00, Bingo, VFW
24	3:30, First Baptist Church
25	2:30, Domino, Bingo
26	11:00, Picnic; 2:30, Stand and Walk; 3:30, Rev. Rushing
28	1:00, United Methodist Church
30	2:00, Birthday Party

## Johntown Locals

Monday night guests of Heather and Haley Hawkins was Jill Shirley. Dan and Mary Cotten attended the annual Mobil Retiree Bar-B-Que Saturday at Whistle Stop Ranch south of Tyler. Visitors of Mr. R.C. Hinson Sunday were his niece, Mr. and Mrs. Moyd McGines and son of Long Beach, CA. Visiting Mark and Jana Hawkins was her aunt, Ruth Van Curen of Harrah, OK and her two cousins, Janet and Tia Payne also of Harrah, OK. They were here to attend the

graduation ceremony of Shane Gibbs. Vic Cox attended an art show in Longview Saturday at the invitation of a friend who is a member of an elite group of artists known as "The Texas Wild Bunch." While there, he had the opportunity to meet several other members, including Duck Unlimited, "Artist of the Year," Don Easterwood. Spending the night with Heather and Haley Hawkins Wednesday night and attending church services was Koren Hawkins of Cuthand. They returned home to spend the night with Koren.



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## Journey To Scotland Lit By Landscape

Once again we have been on our yearly vacation trek. Once more we feel a little embarrassed to print an account of our journey, but folks tell us they do enjoy them. If you don't care about them...just pass this story by!

After our long journey overseas and our trip to Leeds Castle all of our little band opted to sleep late the next morning. That meant we were up by 8, still confused by the time changes. We ate a continental breakfast (rolls, yogurt and croissants) while Thomas and Richard fussed about not having bacon and eggs. Not being a "breakfast" person, I didn't mind at all.

We took a cab in a light rain over to Baker Street where we went to the Sherlock Holmes Museum.

In spite of the fact that the famous detective never really existed, he still receives over 50 letters a week!

The 221b Baker Street address is complete down to the tiniest detail, including havnig 17 steps up to Holmes' sitting room and tiny bedroom.

Gaslight, candles, worn velvet chairs welcomed us in, and the coal fire burning on the grate felt good after the chill rain outside.

Books, well worn, a violin, knick knacks and letters created the sense that the world's formost sleuth MUST have existed!

Upstairs were Dr. Watson's rooms, and above that a little museum area that housed a collection of absolutely fascinating, and often hilarious letters.

Fans, children, even serious pleas for help made fascinating reading. One 8 year old boy wrote that he feared for Mr. Holmes' safety since he KNEW Dr. Moriarity was on his bus he took to school every day. He said he was disguised as an old age pensioner...but it must be him because he was so hateful to children!

Every letter is responded to, and a full time secretary is employed to write people. The official line is that Holmes is retired to the country and is no longer taking cases!

We took another one of the boxy black taxi cabs through London's narrow streets to the Frames Rickards tour station. The cabs aren't the cheapest way to get around London, but they efficient, comfortable and talking with the knowledgeable cabbies is a treat.

Arriving early we wandered around until we found a pub serving lunch. The pub seems to be the only reason-

able place to get a lunch in London, which is getting very expensive.

We climbed steep steps up to the dining area, which looked as if it came from a movie set. Aged oak fire places, green glass shaded lamps and victorian pictures gave the big room a cozy feeling.

Richard, Helen and Thomas had Gammon steak (ham ) with chips (fried potatoes) and I had steak pie, served with cabbage and brown gravy. You may notice I said steak pie...not the famous steak & kidney pie. Once was quite enough for that particular delicacy!

Thomas and I were very put out with the guide that took us around for our half day tour of London.

London, with about 15 million people, is huge, busy and not a little disconcerting to the newcomer.

We still know of its beauties and glorious monuments from the past.

Richard and Helen, as newcomers, were not treated to a glimpse of the city's best side. Inside, John the guide harried and rushed, made fun of people and was generally rude and unacceptable.

St. Paul's -usually so awe-inspiring, became a blur of rush, rush rush.

The tower of London was little better. The crown jewels, however, put on their usual breath-taking display as the light sparkled from diamonds, rubies, emeralds, pearls and gold in profusion.

Other than that, most of our time had to be spent rushing after our umbrella-waving guide.

The exchange rate this trip was horrible. It now takes about \$1.90 to equal a British pound.

Back at the hotel we discovered hoards of red and white clad young men running down the sidewalks, yelling strange sloagns to one another. Some had obviously been over-indulging in drink.

We inquired what was going on and learned that the Rugby stadium was only half a block away from our hotel. These crazed people were heading for a major rugby match.

We didn't linger long over dinner that night, because we had a 4:45 a.m. wake up call so that we could join our tour and head for Scotland.

The drive up to Edinburgh (pronounced by any good Scot as Edinborough) was absolutely beautiful.

Our guide for the next 10 days was David Fleming, a charming, very funny man whom told so many tall tales it was sometimes difficult to sort the truth from fact!

Our bus driver, Frank, was excellent and funny too, so we set in, our group of 40, to drive the length of the nation.

That's still something that amazes us, as Texans...the idea that the United Kingdom consisting of England, Scotland and Wales, can be driven across in a few hours! The entire length of the nation is only a little over 600 miles long.

As we drove up the motorway we were entertained with rolling fields dotted with clouds of sheep with wisps of lambs trotting along beside them.

Golden fields of rape, a crop grown for oil, lit the landscape as far as the eye could see.

The further north we proceeded the more meandering dry stone walls crisscrossed the rolling dales, hedge-

rows sprang up, and ruined abbeys, towering cathedrals and Hadrians wall gave mute evidence of the Normans, Romans and Celts that sprang up centuries ago.

The shires were so lovely, we drove through Lincolnshire, Nottingham, Yorkshire and across the river Tweed.

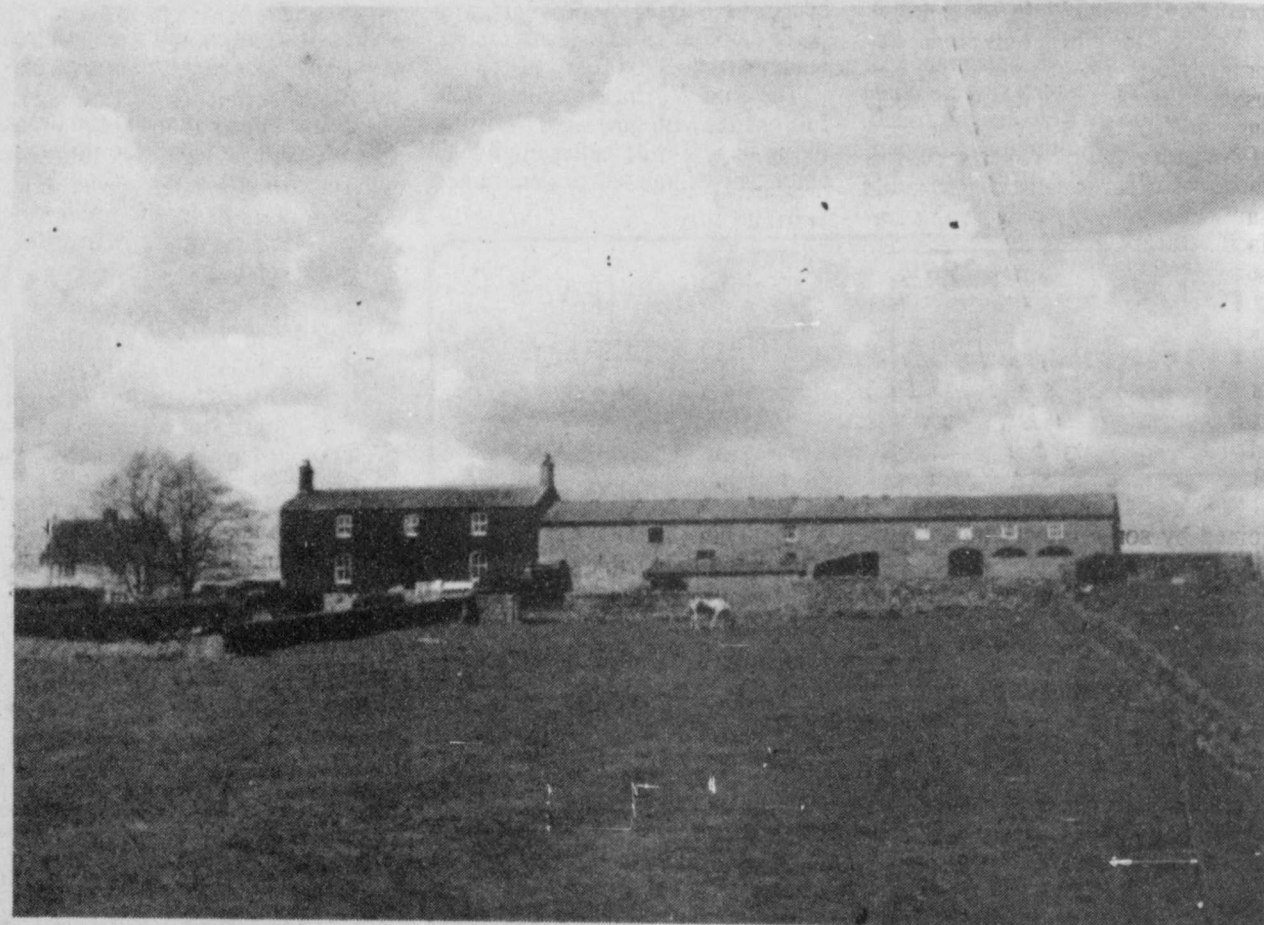
Throughout the day we listened as David Fleming explained history, agriculture and various aspects of what we were seeing in a lovely Scots accent, rolling his Rs and referring to a "wee cuppa tea" or a particularly "bonny" view.

We made a brief stop in Jedburgh and saw a 500 year old tree. When raiders used to come down and were caught the locals would hang them from the branches of the tree by their feet and decapitate them. Then, they played a game with the heads! That was one of our first hints of the bloody history that Scotland and all the country is drenched in.

Our hotel was right on Edinburgh's famous Royal Mile, in the center of the things to see. The city is divided into two sections...the Old Town and the New Town. Of course, the new town is over 200 years old.

We popped across the road to the Royal Mile pub and restaurant for a Hot Pot meal...thick stew and vegetables with crusty bread.

Thomas, Richard and myself dressed for our evening out, in the rain.. We were scheduled to go on a Murder, Mystery and Ghost tour! Helen had decided that walking around in the narrow, dark alleys and closes of Edinburgh hearing about torture and witches simply wasn't her cup of tea. This mystery tour was a highlight of our trip, and I'll tell you about it next week!



HILLSIDE Farms with dry stone walls and billowing clouds are a common sight along the

motorways on the road through "James Harriot" country in the

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# A Nighttime Tour Of Old Edinburgh Can Be A "Spooky" Experience!

Murder, mystery, ghosts and torture...a walk through the darker side of old Edinburgh was how we spent our first night in Edinburgh!

And, to make it even creepier, the evening was, as our guide said "Dreek". Dreek meaning very very damp.

Our group of thrill seekers gathered outside a restaurant on castle hill called "The Witchery". Our guide introduced himself as one Adam Lyle, deceased, hanged for his crimes in the 1700's.

He came to us dressed in a black cloak, white shirt with lace at collar and cuffs, and a dead white face.

We scrambled along wet cobblestones up to the grounds just down from Edinburgh castle.

There we stood at the witch's fountain while Adam explained about the terrible witch trials of long ago.

In Scotland there were over 4000 people executed as witches! Where we stood had seen the deaths, by strangling, then burning, of over 300 poor souls.

The civil authorities, he explained, were corrupt and they took possession of the worldly goods of a convicted witch. For that reason many wealthy people were accused of witchery! Others were poor old women caught talking to their cat, or simply mumbling to themselves as they wandered around the marketplace.

A list of crimes, taken from the registers of the city, included "Talking to the devil; causing people to lose the power of speech; causing people to fall from their horses and break bones, or enticing the devil up".

The manner of confession was pretty tough, too. It seems that they used to sit a poor woman on a "ducking stool" and duck her into the loch. If she drowned, then it meant she was innocent. If she was a witch she would save herself by popping to the surface! Then, they took the "witch" and strangled her and then burned her.

Hmmmm, what a system of justice.

We followed our ghostly guide up and down narrow single file alleys called closes. We heard of hangings, ghosts, and the way things were in old Edinburgh centuries ago.

We also, at unexpected times, were joined by some rather strange visitors.

Ghosts and old women came to join us, popping out of dark corners

and places at the least expected of times.

No matter how hard we tried to anticipate their appearances, they always managed to surprise us enough to make us jump in spite of our vigilance!

It seems that back in the 1600 and 1700's hanging used to be about as much entertainment as baseball is today.

Up to 25,000 or 30,000 people would come to see a "good" hanging! Rooftops and windows were rented out if they had a clear view of the gallows.

All these stories were told to the accompaniment of blowing wind, falling, ice cold rain and pitch darkness! Needless to say there was quite an atmosphere to go along with the tour.

We were finally in a wet, very dark place at the back of a building. There our guide began his tale of the much famed Burke and Hare...the body snatchers who used to murder people and take them up the hill to Edinburgh Medical College. Dr. Robert Knox bought the nice, fresh cadavers for dissection.

The infamous pair would entice some indigent, village idiot or stranger to an evening of hard drinking, then smother them (so there wouldn't be marks on the corpse) then take them to the doctor, who paid 10 pounds per body.

They were finally caught when they killed a young woman who was a "lady of the night" whom many of the medical students recognized! This aroused suspicion since she was known to be healthy the day of her death.

One of the two men turned state's evidence and the other was hanged for his crimes. Ironically, he was wheeled up to the back door of the medical school for dissection after his hanging.

About the time these horrendous stories were being told a yell erupted, there was a crash and some strange creature dashed right through the middle of us. We jumped, some of our party screamed, and away we went again, up stone stairs to yet another narrow close.

The mad monk came to visit them. A small, hunched figure in a monk's habit, he had a horrible skeletal face, and muttered and whined most convincingly.

We had a lengthy discourse on the horrors of the plague, which killed so many people. Adam Lyle then pulled out the famous plague carrier...a rat!

This brought on more shrieks and screams than anything so far...even though the roden t proved to be stuffed.

We also learned about the closes sanitation...or lack of it.

Everyone would throw all their garbage and other unmentionable stuff down into the street from their windows for collection. The odor must have been horrible!

At the very last we rounded a corner to be greeted by boiling, foul smelling smoke rolling down stairs towards us.

As we began up the steps, almost choking on the eery, backlit vapors, the mad monk plunged among us, setting off fire-cracker like flashes and pops from something!

It thinned us out pretty quickly! We wound up back on the Royal Mile, wet, tired and as happy as a bunch of clams.

The tour had given us a look back in time, to Deacon Brodie, the model for Robert Louis Stephenson's "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, to tortures and accusations of witchcraft, to hangings and the cruelty of an earlier age.

The whole evening was filled with lots of fun as our ghostly guide cracked jokes and filled the evening with lots of chatter. It wasn't designed to be really frightening, only fun, and they certainly succeeded.

But it also brought home the harsh realities of what life must have been like hundreds of years ago.

In the dark and wet the stories of a plague-filled world stalked by death, of a justice system capable of stacking all the facts in their favor, and a city of filth and garbage became much more real than if they were told in the bright sunlight which revealed the autos, luxuries and modern conveniences we take for granted now.

We walked back down the hill to our hotel for a hot cup of coffee a hot shower and dry clothes.

Our night time tour of Edinburgh proved to be one of the most interesting parts of the whole trip, and our video of it is a real "scream" to watch!

The next morning we were up nice and early to take a daylight look at castle hill, and the castle on top of it.

We'll discuss that next week, as Archie, our 84 year old guide, gave quite a history lesson.

## Entertaining Ideas

### Banana Gingersnap Pudding

Try this up-to-date version of an old favorite and give your family a unique nostalgic treat.



1/3 cup sugar  
2 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch  
2 cups low-fat milk  
1 large egg, beaten  
3 tablespoons dark rum  
4 medium bananas, sliced  
12 gingersnaps or ginger crisps

Mix sugar and cornstarch together. Pour milk into medium-size microwaveproof bowl. Whisk in sugar mixture until cornstarch dissolves. Microwave on high 4 minutes, stirring once. Whisk a little of the hot milk mixture into beaten egg; return to bowl. Stir in rum. Microwave on high 1 to 2 minutes longer until custard thickens. Remove from heat; cool slightly. Slice a layer of bananas into each of 4 individual dessert dishes. Pour custard over top bananas. Serve warm or chilled. Makes 4 servings.

**Conventional Method:** Mix sugar and cornstarch in medium saucepan; stir in milk. Cook, over medium heat, stirring constantly until mixture begins to boil. Whisk some of hot milk mixture into beaten egg; return to saucepan. Bring to boiling, cook 1 minute. Follow procedure above.

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**GHOSTLY FELLOW!** Adam Lyle...deceased, was a guide around Old Edinburgh for a night time tour. The "Murder and Mystery" tour provided a humorous and informative look back into the days of witch trials,

public hangings and plague. In spite of (or perhaps because of) the icy rain falling, it proved to be a highlight of a Scottish vacation. (Staff Photo by Nanalee Nichols)

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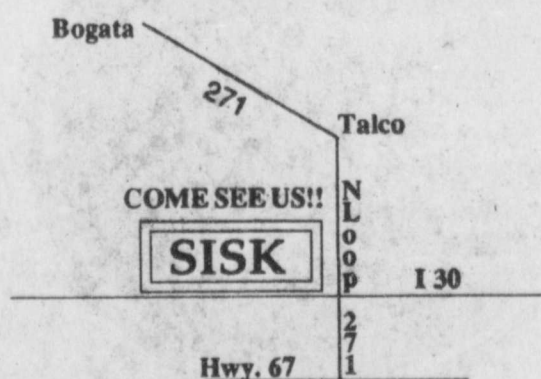


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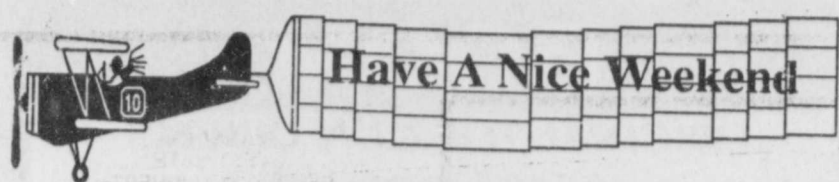
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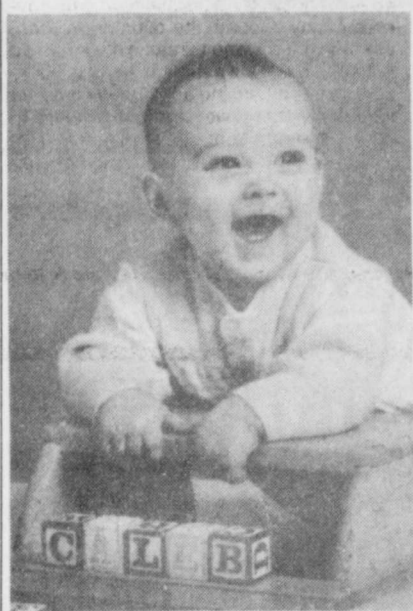
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### Fire Ants Are Increasing

By Paul D. Payne  
 Fire ant activity is on the increase in Lamar County this spring as the insect continues to move out from Paris to all parts of the county. The insect was first confirmed in the county in 1984 in a vacant lot on SE 36th in Paris and at the then new Lamar National Bank. There was a mound of the ants in a shrub at the front and back door of the bank leading one to believe that they were brought to the spot in shrubs.

In 1985 we began to find them scattered throughout the city. It was at about this time that we had an outbreak along Loop 286 near the Comfort Inn and Paris Lumber Company property. Now, it is not uncommon to find the Red Imported Fire Ant from many areas of the county. They are moving east of Paris along Highway 195, Pine Mill Road and Highway 82. This is not to say that you do not have a problem where you live.

Everyone wants to eradicate the pest. However, it would appear to me that that is impossible with the present know how. We have been attempting to eradicate the insect since it arrived in North America at Mobile, Alabama around 1920. It took them 30 years to reach Texas and another 30 years to reach Lamar County.

In this 70 year period, millions of dollars have been spent on efforts to eradicate the insect. There have been quarantines, treating of entire areas with insecticide materials, free insecticides for the public provided by the government, new product development and the loss goes on. And so has the fire ant.

The ants disperse naturally through mating flights, mass movements of colonies or by floating to new locations in flood water. Fire ants can travel long distances when newly-mated queens land in cars, travel trailers, boats, trucks or trains. Shipments of nursery stock or soil from an infested area may relocate entire colonies or nests.

Available from our office is bulletin B-1536, "Fire Ants and Their Management" which outlines many management systems for the homeowner, home gardener, farmer and rancher. You may have one by stopping by the office or at the County Agent offices in your county.

It is not possible to cover everything on fire ants in this article and list all of the treatments. There are some home remedies such as the use of boiling water that are effective, but boiling water can also kill plants and grass. I recommend you get a copy of the above mentioned bulletin.

### Chloride Control Funding Approved By Subcommittee

U.S. Rep. Jim Chapman today announced that the House Energy and Water Appropriations Subcommittee, at his request, has approved \$6 million for the continued construction of the Red River Chloride Control Project.

"Despite the Administration's opposition to the Red River Chloride Control Project, and even their attempt to rescind approved funds, my colleagues on the Subcommittee have approved \$6 million for FY93 to continue this necessary project on the Red River," Chapman said.

"This project is needed for every Texas county on Red River's banks.

There is a dire need to lower the chloride levels in the Red River so that communities in our state, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana can have a safe and dependable water supply," Chapman said.

"From hearings held earlier this year, the Corps indicated that \$6 million represented their full needs to continue the project. I am pleased my subcommittee colleagues have agreed with my position on the project and I will continue to garner support as the legislation moves to the full Appropriations Committee later this Summer," Chapman concluded.



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Wayne Brower, from the Comptroller's Tyler field office will be on hand to meet and discuss tax questions at the PJG Gabbart Building

from 10 to 12 noon.

"Our agency tax expert will be delighted to sit down with you, one on one, detailing which state taxes may affect you as a business person, assist you with sales tax forms, or provide you with information that can be useful in the future," said Sharp.

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 FOR SALE: Vermeer 605 C hay baler. Baled lots of hay, but been cared for. Call (903) 652-5823 or (903) 652-4205. MAnc

**GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 325 Monroe Street, Deport.** Mens, womens, childrens clothes, miscellaneous items, more. 6-11

**SHOP SLATON Furniture** in Clarksville, TX for furniture, appliances, carpet and vinyl floor coverings. Quality at Money Saving Prices!! MA t/c

FOR SALE: John Deere 430 hay baler monitor, excellent condition. Ready to go to the field. Call (903) 632-5617. MA 6-18

**GARAGE SALE: Cleaning out my kitchen, storage room.** Mounted bull horns, stained glass, lots of goodies, not much junk. 632 Monroe, Deport. Friday, 8 until ? No sales before 8. Cancel if raining. 6-11

**STONE DAMAGED Windshield?** Call Glass Technology Windshield Repair & Replacement mobile service at (903) 572-7636 or (903)785-7374 or 1-800-272-8371. Most insurance covers entire cost. MA t/c

**Services**  
**ELECTRICAL WORK**--Small or large jobs. Rewiring, repair or new construction. 21 years experience. Also do carpenter work. Ronnie Burns, (903) 632-4456. MA t/c

**TWO FAMILY Sale: Extra nice clothes, toddler to large, color TV, Lane recliners, exercise equipment and lots more.** Fulbright, FM 411, 7 1/2 mi. from Deport. Tolison residence. Free kittens. Friday and Saturday. 652-9611. 6-11

**WILLIAMS PLUMBING**, (903) 632-4646. All types plumbing, carpenter, painting, roofing & ditch witch for trenching. MA t/c

**ALL TYPES OF carpentry, painting and roofing.** Experienced and dependable. Call Terry Brown, (903) 652-9805, evening or night. MA t/c

**GIGANTIC YARD SALE: 221 S. Sulphur Street in Bogata.** Thursday-Friday, starting at 8 a.m. Wash pot, iron tea kettle, kitchen items, children's clothes, furniture, lots of miscellaneous. 6-11

**LEE'S GREENHOUSE:** Vegetable and flower plants, baskets and pot plants. We still have lots of bedding plants, baskets, houseplants and cactus. Hwy. 909, third street to left in Bogata. Open 7 a.m.-7 p.m. six days a week and Sunday 1-6. Call (903) 632-5013. MA t/c

**TOMMY'S BARBEQUE**--We do catering and custom smoking. Also we serve mighty good food. Highway 82 East, Reno. Call (903) 785-2808. MA t/c

**FOUR FAMILY Garage Sale:** Conoco Station next to ballfield, Hwy. 271, Deport. New, hand-painted clothes, kids and adults clothes and miscellaneous. Saturday, 9 until ?? Cancel if raining. 6-11

FOR SALE: Carpet and padding, 13.3x13.3 autumn color, 8 months old. Charlotte Rodgers, (903) 632-4256. 521 N. Howison, Bogata. MA t/c

**BOGATA BARBER SHOP** will be open Tuesday thru Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday 8-11. MA t/c

**HELP WANTED:** LVN, full time, two days, 7-3 shift; two evening, 3-11 shift. Equal opportunity employer. Contact Sharon Fisher at (903) 632-5293. MA 6-11

FOR SALE: Portable building, can be seen at Michael's Motors in Bogata. \$2,500. Call 632-5617 for more information. MA 6-18

**PAUL'S ROOFING**--30 years experience, free estimates, all labor guaranteed. Call (903)632-5503. MA t/c

**HELP WANTED:** Nurses aids, all shifts. Contact Bessie Roberts, (903) 632-5293. Equal Opportunity Employer. MA 6-11

FOR SALE: Boat, motor, trailer, trolling motor, battery and flip top camper. Call George Thomas, (903)632-4809. MA 6-18

**STARCOY SPRAYING Service.** We kill roaches, termites, fleas and ticks. Call Randy or Donna Miller, (903) 632-4870. MA t/c

**CRUISE SHIP JOBS**--Hiring, \$2,000+/mo.. Summer/year round. Bartenders/casino workers/gift shop sales/ tour guides/ etc. Free travel. Hawaii, Caribbean, Bahamas, Europe. No exp. necessary. 1-206-736-7000 Ext. 8835N8 6-18

**ADVANCE TICKETS for Bogata Rodeo.** June 25-27. Queen Contestant Tina Smith, daughter of Roger and Bonnie Smith. Call 632-5803. MA 6-25

**BOGATA SELF STORAGE:** All sizes, \$18 and up. Call (903) 632-5685 or 632-4842. MA t/c

**FREE!! Kittens to good homes.** Outstanding grey tigers. House-trained and full of fun. Great pets and super mousers. (903) 632-4045. Charterhouse, Johntown. MA 6-18

**Homes & Real Estate**  
 FOR SALE: By owner, large brick home, fireplace, game room, 2-car garage, 5 acres land and water well, barns & sheds, pecan and pine trees. Six miles east of Bogata off 909. Call (903) 632-5631. MA t/c

**HORSHOEING:** Milton McElroy. Call (903) 632-5115. MA t/c

**FREE to good homes: Kittens, blue, striped, yellow.** Call (903)652-6915. nc

FOR SALE: Johntown area, 2 3/4 acres building site. 20 wooded acres, 52 wooded acres w/small lake, good hunting. Call (903) 632-4148. MA t/c

**DO YOU NEED REPAIRS?** Husband and wife maintenance team. Plumbing, painting, carpentry, electrical, wallpapering. Free estimates. Call (903)632-4094. MA t/c

**FREE KITTENS**--two females and one male; two grays and one black. No shots. Call (903)632-5844. MA 6-18

**JOHNTOWN**--Home on 2 lots, pecan trees, cellar, storage shed. \$15,900. Call Robin, (903) 632-5725. MA t/c

**FOR YOUR FREE Mary Kay facial and your Mary Kay Needs,** call Shirley Anderson, (903) 632-5243. 7-23

**FREE to good home or owner claim black Lab, mixed male.** Small, white spot on chest. Call 652-9875. 6-25nc

**40 ACRES FOR SALE:** South of Bogata, off Hwy. 37, turn left at dairy, about 1 mile. Call (817) 295-2927. MA 6-11

**WANTED:** Yards to mow and weed eat. Bogata only. Call Charles Don Lewis, (903) 632-5320. MA 6-11

**Livestock & Supplies**  
 PURINA ANAPLASMOSIS blocks are in stock at Pattonville Fertilizer in Pattonville, TX. (903) 652-2522. MA 6-18

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**Rosalie 2/1 frame** with 2 acres, central H/A \$22,500.

**Rosalie.** 65 acres, sandy soil, spring stream \$550 per acre.

**Corner of St. John and Clarksville Street,** 1 bedroom, 1 bath on 1 acre, remodeled inside and out. \$20,000.00

**3/1 with large patio, utility building, 2 car garage.** 215 Circle Drive, \$34,500.00 **SOLD**

**Rosalie:** 5 acres, 3 BR frame house, fenced yard. Call for appointment. \$60,000.00.

**3/2 w/3 car carport, 17 acres, fenced.** Owner says sell. \$75,000.00.

**Renee Harvey, Broker** 427-3500  
**Mary Joplin** 632-4536  
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Federal Housing Administration Loans Available In This Area.

**Public Notice**  
 In accordance with ordinances 1-L-92 and 1-T-92 Sections 3 and 4 states that in the event that any person, firm, or corporation owning, claiming, occupying or having supervision or control of any real property occupied or unoccupied within the corporate limits of the City of Talco, fails to comply with the provisions of Sections hereof, it shall be the duty of the City personnel to give ten (10) days notice in writing to such person, firm or corporation, violating the terms of this ordinance, or be letter addressed to such person, firm or corporation, at its post office address or by publication 2 (two) times within ten (10) consecutive days in the City's official newspaper. If such person, firm or corporation fails or refuses to comply with the provisions within ten (10) days after date of notification in writing or date of second publication of notice in the City's official newspaper, the City may go upon such property and do or cause to be done the work necessary to obtain compliance with said ordinances.

The expense incurred pursuant to these sections in correcting the condition of such property, and the cost of publishing notice in the newspaper shall be paid by the City and charged to the owner of such property. In the event the owner fails or refuses to pay such expense within thirty (30) days after the first day of the month following the one in which the work was done, the City shall file with the County Clerk a statement of the expenses incurred in correcting the condition on the property. When such statement is filed, the City shall have a privileged lien on such property, second only to tax liens and liens for street improvements, to secure the payment of the amount so expended. Such amount shall bear interest at the rate of ten (10) percent per annum from the date the City incurs the expense. For any such expenditures and interest, suit may be instituted and recovery and foreclosure had by the City. The statement of expense filed with the County Clerk or a certified copy thereof shall be prima facie proof of the amount expended in such work; improve-

ment or correction of the property, all as more particularly specified in Art. 4436, Vernon's Annotated Texas Civil Statutes, which is hereby adopted.  
 The following persons named are in violation of these ordinances: Sallie Gage Est., Nancy Teague, John L. VanBuskirk, C.W. Flaverly, B.F. Creekmur, Mary Jones, Mahon & Stokes, Ann Simpson Est., Mrs. M.A. Coker, Sam Mayfield Est., James H. Harbour, James Dunn, Frank Blalock Est., Talco Townsite Co., H.C. Huckeba, Petgo Inc., Beck & Rotundi, T.C. Sinclair, Ronald Whittington, Sam D. Robison, C.O. Goldsmith, Virginia D. Magness, Charlotte Perkins, Jim Walter Homes, Gregory Don Neal and Mrs. Riley Gibson.  
 City of Talco  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
 Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ALVIS LEE KING, Deceased, were issued on June 8, 1992, in Docket No. 6269, pending in the County Court of Red River County, Texas, to: CATHY CLIFTON LIVINGSTON.  
 All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present the claims within the time and in the manner prescribed by law addressed in care of the representative's attorney: Gerald L. King, Attorney at Law, 26507 Dean Street, Post Office Box 698, Spring, Texas 77383-0698.  
 DATED this 8th day of June, 1992.

**Gerald L. King**  
 Attorney for the Estate  
 6-11

The City of Bogata, an Equal Employment Opportunity employer, will accept applications through Friday, June 19, 1992, for a part-time worker in the Street Department. Apply at City Hall. 6-18

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 652-4205 or 652-5823

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KATHLEEN WILHITE was the lucky door prize winner at the Talco Sunshine Club on

Tuesday. Nicholas Castle was the only June birthday present. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

### Talco Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watts, Nathan Hinson and friend Maxine of Winnboro enjoyed camping at Kelley Creek on Lake Texarkana Saturday and Sunday. They report catching lots of catfish.

Mrs. Lula Whitney was hospitalized in Mt. Pleasant last week. She is reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watts met William Lee Watts in Pittsburg Wednesday evening. They enjoyed visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Linden Horn and Mrs. Ruby Horn attended a cemetery working at Negley on Sunday.

Winning first place in Division 3 Tennis in the Mt. Pleasant City League was Tina Nolen of Talco. Patty Kuhl of Talco took second place in Division 3, also. Carla Jones of Talco won first place in Division 2.

Enjoying a hamburger and homemade ice cream supper at the home of Ricky Howard Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Linden Horn, Mrs. Ruby Horn, Vickie Mankins and Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kuhl and Kristen, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and granddaughter, Mandy.

J.C. Fail visited Monday and Tuesday with Foy Lowe in Sherman. They enjoyed fishing at Lake Texoma.

Bro. and Mrs. Tim Jones attended the District Council for the Assembly of God Churches in Wichita Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harris and Landon visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harris and Ginger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Henson will celebrate their 31st anniversary June 16.

Mrs. Juanita Aston was hospitalized in Paris last week. She is reported doing well.

Visiting Mrs. Virginia Roach and enjoying swimming at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Don Rhea, Cody and Carrie on Sunday were Nancy Brown, Kim and Jack, Jody Nolen, Diann Duffie, Pete Swarts, Joanie and Jaime, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Banks, Jennifer and Kendra and Mr. and Mrs. Rod Calhoun, Shane and Lori.

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Fry enjoyed the Stinson, Crooks and Pope reunion at the Argo Community Center Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fail and Ashley of Kilgore visited Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Fail in Talco and Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Crowston in Hagansport Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Benfield, Stacey, Rusty and Christine and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Jack enjoyed Mt. Pleasant rodeo Thursday night.

Celebrating June birthdays are Bub Fail, Elizabeth Ewing, Geraldine Causey, Robert Caul Rhoades, Todd Wright, Anita Hood, Bert Hanks, Grace Hanks, Susan Richeson, Lillian Blalock, Sue Nolen, Jody Nolen, Cindy Watts, Mrs. Lois Parker, Mrs. Nora Hearn and Mrs. Omie Ellenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hearn will celebrate their anniversary on June 10.

Mona Wright and Doug and Danielle Wright vacationed in Hawaii last week.

Peggy Benfield, Stacey, Rusty and Christine visited Mr. and Mrs. Odus Carpenter and children on Sunday. They attended Cody's birthday party held at Lake Hawkins.



SUGAR HILL Store is under new ownership. Henry (not pictured) and Mary Lou

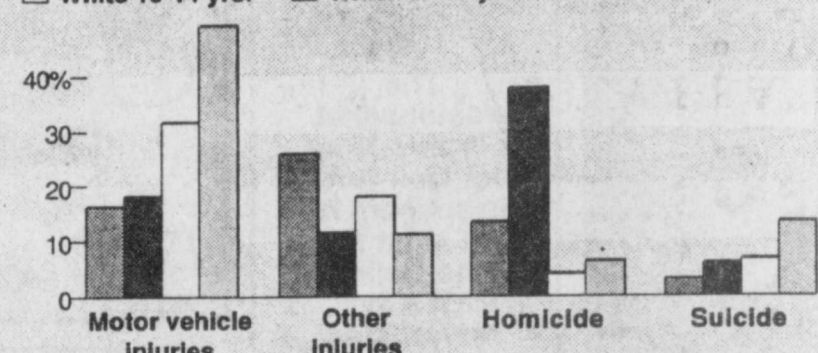
Collins invite everyone to come by and see them. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)

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### Leading causes of death for teens

Death rate by race and age group for top causes of death for teenagers.

■ Black 10-14 yrs. ■ Black 15-19 yrs.  
 □ White 10-14 yrs. □ White 15-19 yrs.



SOURCE: Office of Technology Assessment

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<b>Huddleston DRAWING \$50 in Groceries</b> <b>SPECIALS GOOD EVERY DAY; Thurs-Fri-Sat-Sun-Mon-Tues-Wed</b> Saturday 5:00 P.M. <b>OPEN Mon.-Sat. 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. SUNDAY 9:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.</b> Bogata <b>632-5624</b> <b>7 Days A Week</b>		<b>HUDDLESTON'S GROCERY</b> JUNE 11-17 We Honor Manufacturing COUPONS				
<b>CHEESE</b> Wisconsin American Lb. <b>\$1.89</b>	<b>SUGAR</b> Parade 4 Lb. Bag <b>\$1.39</b>	<b>TOP SIRLOIN</b> Boneless - Lb. <b>\$2.49</b>	<b>WEINERS</b> Decker 12oz. Pkg. <b>89¢</b>			
<b>EGGS</b> Grade A Large-Dozen <b>69¢</b>	<b>ICE CREAM</b> Borden's 1/2 Gallon <b>\$1.99</b>	<b>SAUSAGE</b> Carls 2 Lb. Roll Reg. & Hot <b>\$2.99</b>	<b>PICNIC HAMS</b> Lb. <b>69¢</b>	<b>BOLOGNA</b> Decker - Lb. <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>SHORTENING</b> Snowdrift 3 lb. Can <b>\$1.69</b>	<b>ICE MILK &amp; YOGURT</b> Blue Bell 1/2 Gallon All Flavors <b>\$2.99</b>
<b>CATSUP</b> Del Monte 28oz. Squeeze Bottle <b>99¢</b>	<b>PINTO BEANS</b> Parade 1 Lb. Bag <b>4/\$1</b>	<b>BLACK EYE PEAS</b> Bush's 15oz. Can <b>4/\$1</b>	<b>RANCH STYLE BEANS</b> 15oz. Can <b>2/99¢</b>	<b>PEAS</b> Del Monte Sweet 17oz. Can <b>2/99¢</b>	<b>CORN</b> Del Monte Cream Style 17oz. Can <b>2/99¢</b>	<b>GREEN BEANS</b> Del Monte Cut 16oz. Can <b>2/99¢</b>
<b>GATORADE</b> All Flavors 16oz. <b>2/\$1</b>	<b>HAWAIIAN PUNCH</b> 1/2 Gallon <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>POST TOASTIES</b> 18oz. Box <b>\$1.79</b>	<b>WAFERS</b> Allison Nilla 16oz. Can <b>59¢</b>	<b>MARGARINE</b> Blue Bonnet 4 Sticks <b>69¢</b>	<b>HAMBURGER BUNS</b> Wonder 8 Pk. <b>89¢</b>	<b>BISCUITS</b> Parade <b>5/\$1</b>
<b>SUNLIGHT LIQUID</b> 22oz. <b>99¢</b>	<b>TISSUE</b> Charmin 4 Roll Pk. <b>99¢</b>	<b>SURF ULTRA</b> 30 Load Box <b>\$5.49</b>	<b>Hostess DING DONGS</b> <b>3/\$1</b>	Mrs. Bairds <b>CINNAMON ROLLS</b> <b>2/89¢</b>	<b>COOKIES CHOCOLATE CHIP &amp; OATMEAL</b> Allison's 1 Lb. 5oz. <b>\$1.29</b>	<b>BREAD</b> Wonder Large Loaf Country Style <b>69¢</b>
<b>PRODUCE</b>		<b>POTATO CHIPS</b> Lays Reg. \$1.49 <b>89¢</b>	<b>DR. PEPPER DIET DR. PEPPER</b> 2 Liter <b>99¢</b>	<b>DR. PEPPER DIET DR. PEPPER</b> 6 Pack Cans <b>\$1.59</b>		
<b>BANANAS 29¢ Lb.</b> <b>LETTUCE 49¢ Head</b> <b>CARROTS 29¢ Lb. Bag</b>	<b>POTATOES 10 Lb. Bag 99¢</b> <b>White ONIONS 29¢ Lb.</b> <b>BELL PEPPER 5/\$1</b>					