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Rebels Lose Bi-District Crown

Take any two teams as well matched as the 1979 Rebels and the Hawkins Hawks and the one which doesn't make mistakes will win the ballgame. The Rebels made the mistakes, and lost to Hawkins for the fourth time Friday night, a bi-district playoff, 21-8.

Fumbles and interceptions lost the game for the Rebels, but it was the Hawks who were penalized for unsportsmanlike conduct when a Hawkins player flailed away at Billy Froelich in the fourth quarter, while Froelich coolly walked away.

The Rebels won their second District title in a row to qualify for the playoffs, but for the second year in a row could not outgun Hawkins for Bi-District.

The Rebels stopped the hard running of the Hawks cold following Paul Froelich's opening kickoff, and started their first drive on the Rivercrest 18. From there Jimmy Strickland went through the center of the line for 11 yards. Strickland was a surprise to everyone, since he has been playing backup quarterback to Dale Jean all year.

Jimmy Via crashed around left end for 29 yards, and into Hawk territory, the 39 yard line. On second down and eight from the Hawks 35 yard line, Rebel bad luck began when Jean dropped the football. Five plays later Jean intercepted a pass which Via had tipped up, and the Rebels were back in business at mid-field.

The Rebels moved the football to the Hawkins 28 yard line, where they faced fourth down and five yards to go. A long pass by Via was intercepted at the Hawkins seven. Hawkins was unable

to move the football from deep in their own territory, and punted to Via on the 43 yard line. Via returned the punt 27 yards to the Hawkins 30, and the Rebels again had excellent field position. Hawkins recovered a Via fumble on the first play, however, then marched sixty-one yards for the first score of the game.

The next Rebel possession ended on the third play when Scales lost the football on a pitchout deep in Rebel territory. Hawkins turned that play into a score in two plays.

Strickland punted the ball away on the Rebel's first possession of the second half, then Hawkins marched 54 yards for the final score. The second Rebel possession of the quarter ended when Jean fumbled at the Hawkins 32 yard line.

Via intercepted a Hawkins pass on the first play of the fourth quarter, but the Rebels had to punt the ball away on the second series.

The Hawks were penalized 48 yards during the fourth quarter, which was a help to the Rebels. The unsportsmanlike conduct call gave the Rebels a first down on the Hawkins 30 yard line, then Via went over the right side to the one yard line. On the next play, Via scored the Rebel touchdown, then ran for two points after. Hawkins never relinquished the football after the Rebel kickoff.

Individually, Via carried 12 times for 119 yards, Strickland three times for a net of nine yards, and Merchant carried four times for none yards.

STATISTICS

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11	First Downs 15
4	Fumbles Rec. 4
3	Fumbles Lost 3
2	Pass Int. By 1
2-44	Pass for Yds. 4-56
10	Pass Att. 8
143	Yds. Rushing 194
6-49	Penalties 11-98
2-104	Kickoff Yds. 4-191
5-114	Kickoff Ret. 1-21
1-21	Punts 4-142
8	Score 21



NEW DECORATIONS—Talco Chamber of Commerce is sprucing up Talco with pretty Christmas decorations this year making

downtown look very festive. This will be the first time since the energy crisis started in 1975.

Lone Star Methodists

To Hold Revival

George W. Joehnk of Deport will be the evangelist in services at the Lone Star United Methodist Church, Dec. 2-6. The Rev. Joehnk received his B.A. Degree in Psychology and Sociology from Pan-American University. He was born in Los Angeles but grew up in Phoenix, Az. He entered the Coast Guard in 1969. Joehnk entered Perkins School of Theology after 15 years with Credit Service Bureau where he was district manager.

Joehnk decided to enter the ministry in 1977 and is now pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Deport.

Services will be at 7 p.m. each evening, with the public cordially invited to attend.

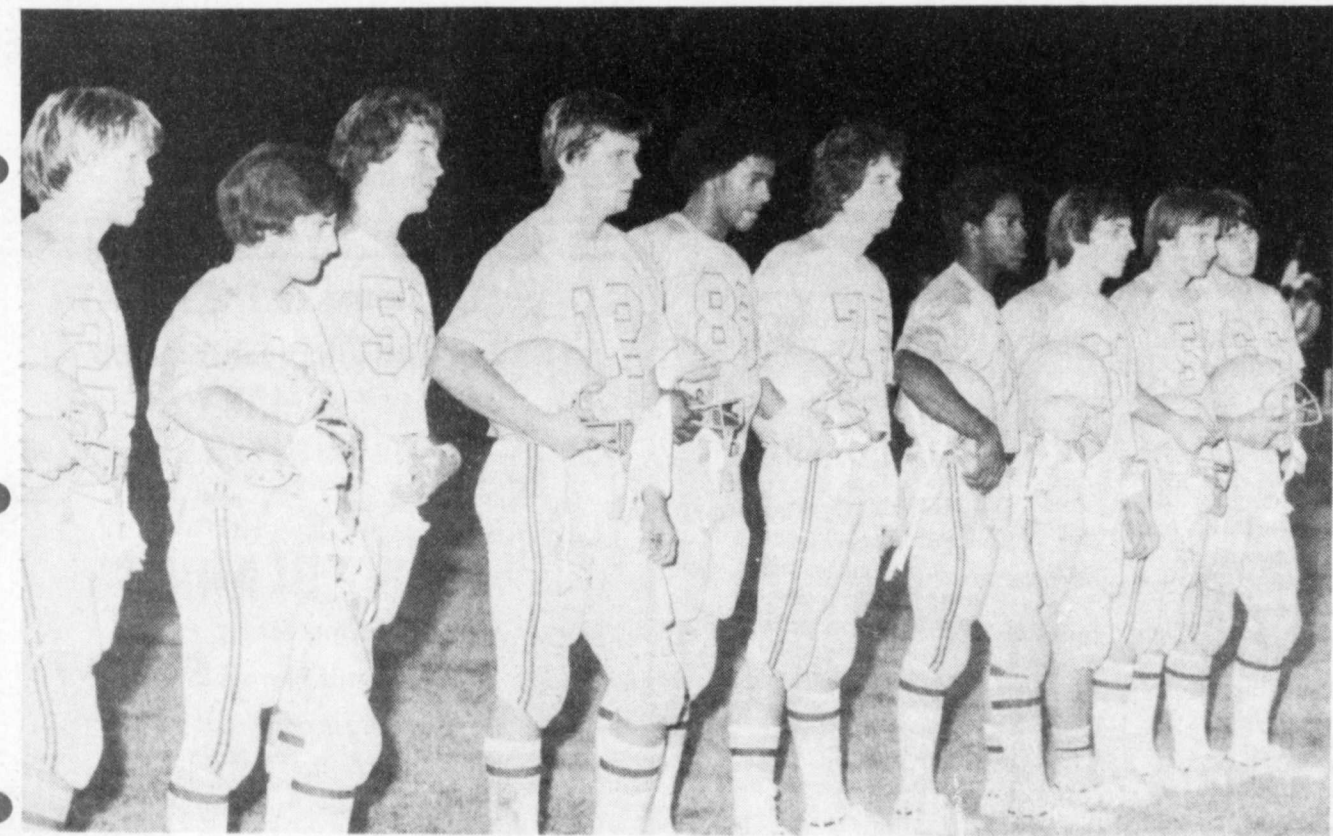
Band Entertained

At Bonfire

A marshmallow roast and bonfire were enjoyed by the Rivercrest Band and Rebel Corps on Friday, Nov. 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen White after the ballgame.

Adult sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Reigert, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holmes, Mrs. Carlton Stanley, Mrs. Lee Shipp and Lydia Ochoa, band director.

Refreshments were marshmallows, popcorn and hot chocolate.



Rodeo Association Honors Wing Rodeo

At the close of the 1979 rodeo season for some 2,000 cowboys and cowgirls who belong to the Central Rodeo Association, headquartered in Fort Worth, Tx., year-end awards were presented to the champions in each of the contest events and to the champion bucking stock for the year of 1979.

Accepting five of the six awards given for outstanding bucking stock for the 1979 season was Jerald Smith, Wing Rodeo Company, Bogata, Tx. Acknowledged as the best

bucking bull of the year in CRA competition was No. 22, called "Half 'n Half". The charolais crossbred bull was featured over 50 times in competition during the year and was ridden only three times.

In the bareback riding, the sorrel, streak-faced horse fire-branded AL, and called First Chance, garnered both the Bucking Horse of the Year and Bucking Horse of the Finals awards.

Saddle bronc riders in the Central Rodeo Association honored the outstanding gray saddle bronc horse, No.

61, known as "Oasis", by bestowing the Saddle Bronc of the Year title as well as the Saddle Bronc of the Finals. Livestock that has been selected for the Finals by the Top 15 in each riding event is eligible for the Finals stock award.

In the 1979 rodeo season, the Wing Rodeo Company produced over 30 rodeos in the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana. More than \$200,000 in prize money was paid to winning contestants in each of the seven championship events at Wing Rodeos, with the largest single rodeo payoff being Pasadena, Texas, Sept. 23-30, where \$25,1170 was paid to event winners.

Livestock from the Wing Rodeo Company was selected to perform at five state rodeo association finals: the East Texas Rodeo Association and Central Rodeo Association finals in Texas; the Louisiana Rodeo Association finals in Louisiana; the Arkansas Rodeo Association finals in Arkansas and the Central States Rodeo Association finals in Oklahoma.

Fulbright, Jean's Grocery and S.E. Dodd Grocery in Jolintown, and in several locations in Bogata.

Enough non-refundable donations have been made to keep the ambulance service operational for a short time, Howison said. The Bogata ambulance unit made 12 emergency runs in the last 60 days, and 10 transfers, according to Roy Lee Hutson, driver.

Ambulance Service

Subscriptions Needed

A few more subscriptions are still needed to keep the Red River Ambulance Service operational for another year, according to John Howison, a member of the board of directors of the non-profit organization.

Local subscriptions may be purchased in your community from Mrs. Charles Davidson in Deport, Mrs. Travis King in

Rebelettes Overtake Mt. Pleasant

By Mary Fortner

The Rivercrest Rebelettes tromped the Mount Pleasant Tigerettes in a 67-24 victory Tuesday night at Rivercrest. Annette Harris tipped off to give the Rebelettes an early lead. At the end of the first quarter of play, the Rebelettes held a 17-11 lead.

The second, third and fourth quarters were much like the first in that each time Harris tipped off to set up Rebelette drives.

Leading the defensive charge against the Tigerettes was Judy Via with five offensive rebounds and seven defensive rebounds. She was accompanied by Robyn Reeder, Annette Harris, Sarah Scales and Margaret Hines.

Once again Scotti Wood led the offensive scoring drive with 22 points, followed by Judy Via with 18 and Donna Hines with 14.

High scorers for Mount Pleasant were Sherry

Bowden with 10 points and Lynn Shaw with six.

Adding another victory to the Rebelette seasonal record, the Rebelettes stung the Elysian Fields Yellowjackets 45-28 on Saturday in Carthage.

As the ball went into the air for the first time, the Yellowjackets tipped off, however the ball was snatched away by Rebelette Scotti Wood and sent down court to the Rebelette team. The first period of play closed with the Rebelettes on top 16-8.

The second quarter began with Elysian Fields tipping off once again, but unsuccessful in their attempts to score. During this period, the scoring dropped with the Rebelettes hitting four baskets and the Yellowjackets only one. As the buzzer sounded to end the first half of play, the scoreboard read 24 for the

Rebelettes and 10 for the Yellowjackets.

In the second half, Rivercrest went to a man-on-man defense for the remainder of the game and extended their lead to 34-16 by the end of the third quarter.

Heading up the offense for the Rebelettes were Robyn Reeder and Scotti Wood hitting eight points each.

On defense, Judy Via came up with two offensive rebounds, one defensive rebound and seven steals followed by Margaret Hines with two offensive rebounds, one defensive and one steal. Also in on the attack were Annette Harris, Janet Webb, Sarah Scales and Donna Hines.

High scorers for the Yellowjackets were Rosemary Mosley with 12 points and Alice Howerdian with eight points.

SENIORS on the Rivercrest football team served as Captains and went to mid-field for the toss of the coin before the Rivercrest-Hawkins game Friday night. The Rebels couldn't minimize turnovers, and lost to Hawkins 21-8. (Staff Photo)

Birthdays

Noted

At Home

Sponsoring the November birthday party at Red River Haven were members of the Jolintown Missionary Baptist Church. The party was held Tuesday, Nov. 20.

Those with birthdays were Lessie Malone, Rena Tucker, Stanley Bell, Bessie Blankenship, Sally Tipping, Della Redburn, Stella Smith, Minnie Lawrence, Sudie LaMaster, Sarah Hathaway, Lewis Clark, Joel Clouse, Mary Cato, Reeta Evans, Jessie Bryson, Edith Godfrey. Mrs. Hathaway, who was 98 this month, was honored as the oldest. Red River Haven presented each honoree with a gift.

Mrs. Billy Daniels read a Thanksgiving poem during the program. Happy Birthday was sung to the group. Robbie Hawkins and Drue Pirtle sang duets of religious songs.

Cakes prepared by the ladies of the church were enjoyed by all.



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Christmas Parades Set

Talco

The annual Talco Christmas parade has been set for Tuesday, December 4 at 3 p.m. The parade is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Special attractions at the parade this year will be the drawing of a 19" color television. The drawing will be held after the parade. Tickets may be purchased from the Chamber of Commerce or local merchants.

Area clubs and organizations are invited to enter this years parade to compete for cash prizes. For best decorated float or car, cash prizes will be awarded on the following bases: \$50 for first, \$25 for second and \$15 for third.

Rivercrest band and school Christmas Queens will also be featured in the parade.

Bogata

The Bogata Chamber of Commerce set the annual Christmas Parade for Wednesday, Dec. 5 at 2:30 p.m. The date was set at a meeting of the Chamber on Tuesday, Nov. 27.

Something new for the Bogata Parade will be an opportunity for children under six years old to visit with Santa Claus after the parade at 3 p.m. in the Community Public Service office on North Main Street. Santa will have candy for children six years old and under.

This year's parade will feature decorated cars and

floats, and the Hella Temple Clowns will participate in the parade.

Separate prizes will be given for first, second and third places for both cars and floats. A \$5 prize will be given for the best decorated bicycle.

First prize in each division will win \$25, second prize, \$15 and third prize, \$10. Galen Legate will be the parade marshal.

The parade will assemble on south Main Street and travel north, circle a block on north Main, and return to the starting point.

School will be dismissed for the parade.

The Chamber suggested that the merchants place a lighted tree in their windows, and plans were made for prizes for the best decorated business and the best decorated home.

Homeowners should contact Jim Wood, president

of the Chamber, if they are interested in entering their home in the contest. Judging will be Saturday, Dec. 21.

A Community Singing, to be held the week before Christmas, was discussed by the Chamber.

Dues for membership in the Chamber for 1980 were set at \$25 for businesses and \$12.50 for individuals. Placards will be printed for members, and Kenneth Jeffery was put in charge of the membership drive. Funds from the membership drive will help finance the Chamber for another year, and the organization now has \$103.71 in the bank. Most of that, \$100, the Chamber owes the Kiwanis Club of Clarksville for the use of the grills used during Frontier Days.

Steve Alford

Is Wrestling

Champ

Steve Alford won the middle weight division and the best overall to take a grand prize, a man's watch, in the first Arm Wrestling Competition in Bogata last week at the Tip Top Drive In. The proceeds from the event were for the benefit of the First Baptist Church Youth.

Larry Smith of Clarksville won the heavy weight division, and Gary Cheetwood won the lightweight division.

A special event match between the Rev. Bobby (Tubs) Posey and the Rev. David (Hercules) Griffin highlighted the matches. A rematch has been called for the event.

Rivercrest Opens Basketball Season

The Rivercrest Rebels will be in the North Lamar Tournament on Thursday, Nov. 29, and Friday, Nov. 30. Rivercrest Rebels officially started varsity basketball practice on Monday, Nov. 26.

A large number of boys reported for practice. Freshmen coming out for basketball numbered 14, sophomores 12, juniors 2, and seniors 8.

Wake Wood will be the varsity coach, Milford Groves will coach the junior varsity, and Perry Cowan will coach the 9th grade team, which will consist only

of 9th graders. The junior varsity will consist of mostly sophomores and probably one or two freshmen.

The varsity will consist of the best players selected from the 9th through 12th grades.

Probable starters will be Jimmy Via, Charles Savage, Greg Norman, Billy Scales, Dale Jean, Terry Runnels and Keith House.

The Rebels will field a strong team with quickness, but somewhat lacking in height.

The district is expected to be well balanced with no one

team rated as a strong favorite.

The teams in the District 20A are: Rivercrest, Queen City, Redwater, Ore City, Maud, Detroit and James Bowie.

Games scheduled now are: Monday, Dec. 3, Wimbors, junior varsity and 9th grade, starting at 5:00 p.m. at Rivercrest; Girls A and B teams against North Lamar at 6:00 p.m. at North Lamar, Dec. 6; Junior varsity at Paris, 6:00 p.m. and the varsity boys and girls will be in the Cooper Tournament on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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Monday
Hot dogs w mustard
Seasoned beans
Cole slaw
Peach cobbler
Milk

Tuesday
Chicken & dumplings
English peas
Tossed green salad
Cornbread
Fruit cup
Milk

Wednesday
Chicken fried steak w gravy
Mashed potatoes
Pear salad
Hot rolls
Milk

Thursday
Tacos w cheese
Mexi beans
Rice w sugar & butter
Milk

Friday
Cheeseburgers
Pinto beans
Potato chips
Lettuce, tomatoes
Onions, pickles
Ice cream
Milk

Kitchen Safety

Using fingers to unjam food in an appliance such as an electric blender is an easy way to get badly cut. Unplug the appliance before reaching inside it with a wooden spoon or rubber scraper. Do not use your hands or a metal utensil to unjam food.



91st BIRTHDAY—
Leonard Frank Fail celebrated his 91st birthday Tuesday, Nov. 27 at his home in Talco. He was born in 1888 in Freestone County. He and his family moved to Talco in 1943 where he was a pumper for the B.G. Byars Oil Company for 17 years. Fail and his wife were the parents of two sons, J.C.

Fail of Talco and Clarence Fail, deceased; eight grandchildren; and fifteen great-grandchildren. He and a neighbor, Dave Neeley, celebrated with a dinner at the Neeley home the Sunday before Thanksgiving. Mr. Neeley had his 90th birthday.

HOSPITAL NEWS

John Watkins is a patient at Titus County Memorial Hospital in Mount Pleasant. Eddie Denny has been dismissed from St. Joseph's Hospital and is recuperating at home.

Mrs. Roy Lee Hutson entered Red River General Hospital Monday.

Louis Henderson is a patient at Red River General Hospital and so is Howard Nolen.

Carob Facts

Carob is 46 per cent natural sugar and contains about 175 calories per 100 grams. Carob consists of seven per cent fiber, 100 mg. sodium per 100 grams and 950 mg. potassium per 100 grams. Carob is also known as St. John's bread because it is believed to be the food that sustained John the Baptist in the wilderness. It is produced chiefly in the Mediterranean area where the long brown pods grow on large trees.

Green Thumb Workers Attend Seminar

Over 80 Green Thumb workers and sponsors from five surrounding counties recently attended a training seminar at the Hagansport Senior Center.

Speakers for the meeting included Jane Crump, Hopkins County Extension Agent; Coy Vicars, Sulphur

Springs TEC Manager; Joe Ricketson, Lamar County HRC Nutrition Centers; and Red River County Judge, Connie Sullivan.

Texas Green Thumb, a federal employment opportunity program for disadvantaged senior rural workers, is funded through the Department of Labor and sponsored by National Farmers Union.

Green Thumb workers are placed with non-profit organizations serving the

needs of rural communities throughout the state. Local Green Thumb workers and sponsors attending the seminar included Sam Dickinson, Eunice McFadden, Rosa Parks, Hattie Garland, Bertha McNeal, Mary Francis Hendricks, Joe Ricketson, Orby Ritchy, Obie Rogers, Kathryn Little and Ruby Smith.

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Talco Church Calendar

Tim Dishongh of Houston presented a mini-concert at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday night. This young man has won many awards with his voice and music and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mathews of Talco. He also presented special music for the church Sunday morning.

There will be a youth rally, designed for all ages at the First Baptist Church Saturday night, Dec. 1. All who are interested in going are to be at the Calvary Baptist Church in Talco and ready to leave at 5:45. The Cornerstones will be performing at the rally and everyone is invited.

The Calvary Baptist Church will be celebrating its 25th anniversary with three days of thankfulness and festivities beginning March 30 and continuing through April 1, 1980. The pastor, Rev. Barry Jernigan asks that anyone having any information concerning the past history of the church to bring it to him at any time.

The Royal Rangers of the Assembly of God Church have planned a cook out Friday night, Nov. 30.

Sheriffs Report

Nov. 14, 1979

Deputy Bob Storey responded to a disturbance call in Annona. Settled at the scene.

Sheriff's office received the report of an assault at a residence in Annona...subject did not wish to file charges.

Nov. 15, 1979

Deputy Doug Jackson arrested one subject from Bagwell area for criminal mischief.

Deputy Doug Jackson arrested a subject for aggravated assault.

Nov. 17, 1979

Deputy Bob Storey arrested an Annona subject on a warrant out of Lamar County for aggravated robbery.

Deputy Doug Jackson received the report of burglary on Route 6, Clarksville.

Nov. 18, 1979

Deputy Doug Jackson is investigating the report of shooting firearm from public roadway.

Deputy Carl Wolfe responded to a family disturbance call on Route 1, Clarksville.

Nov. 19, 1979

Deputy Carl Wolfe reported a 30-30 rifle taken from a pickup parked at a deer camp.

Sheriff Avret Vaughan and Deputy Doug Jackson received the report of aggravated assault with firearm that occurred near Scatter Creek.

Deputy Mary Wilburn arrested a subject for issuance of bad checks.

Sheriff's department received the complaint of subject stealing gas and trespassing on private property.

Sheriff's department received the report of the theft of a 30-30 rifle taken at deer camp from a pickup parked there.

Nov. 20, 1979

Deputy Carl Wolfe arrested a Bogata subject for auto theft and also issuance of bad checks.

Deputy Carl Wolfe investigated the report of two guns being taken from an unlocked auto parked at a residence on Route 1, Bogata.

Nov. 23, 1979

Deputy Carl Wolfe stopped subject involved shooting firearm from highway.

Nov. 24, 1979

Deputy Doug Jackson responded to a domestic disturbance near Bagwell. Matter settled at scene.

Chief Deputy Carl Wolfe and THP Trooper Blake arrested four subjects on Hwy. 37 South of Bogata. Subjects were charged with public drunk and held on warrants out of Oklahoma for auto theft.

Deputy Doug Jackson received a burglary call at the Woodland Farms on FM 410 north of Detroit.

Deputy Doug Jackson received a call of a missing dog from the Hopewell community.

Deputy Carl Wolfe investigated the report of the theft of a gun taken from a pickup while parked at a business in Bogata.

Nov. 26, 1979

Deputy Mary Wilburn arrested a female from Clarksville for the issuance of bad checks. Subject taken before Judge Holley where she paid check and fine and was released.

Deputy Doug Jackson arrested a Detroit subject for issuance of bad checks.



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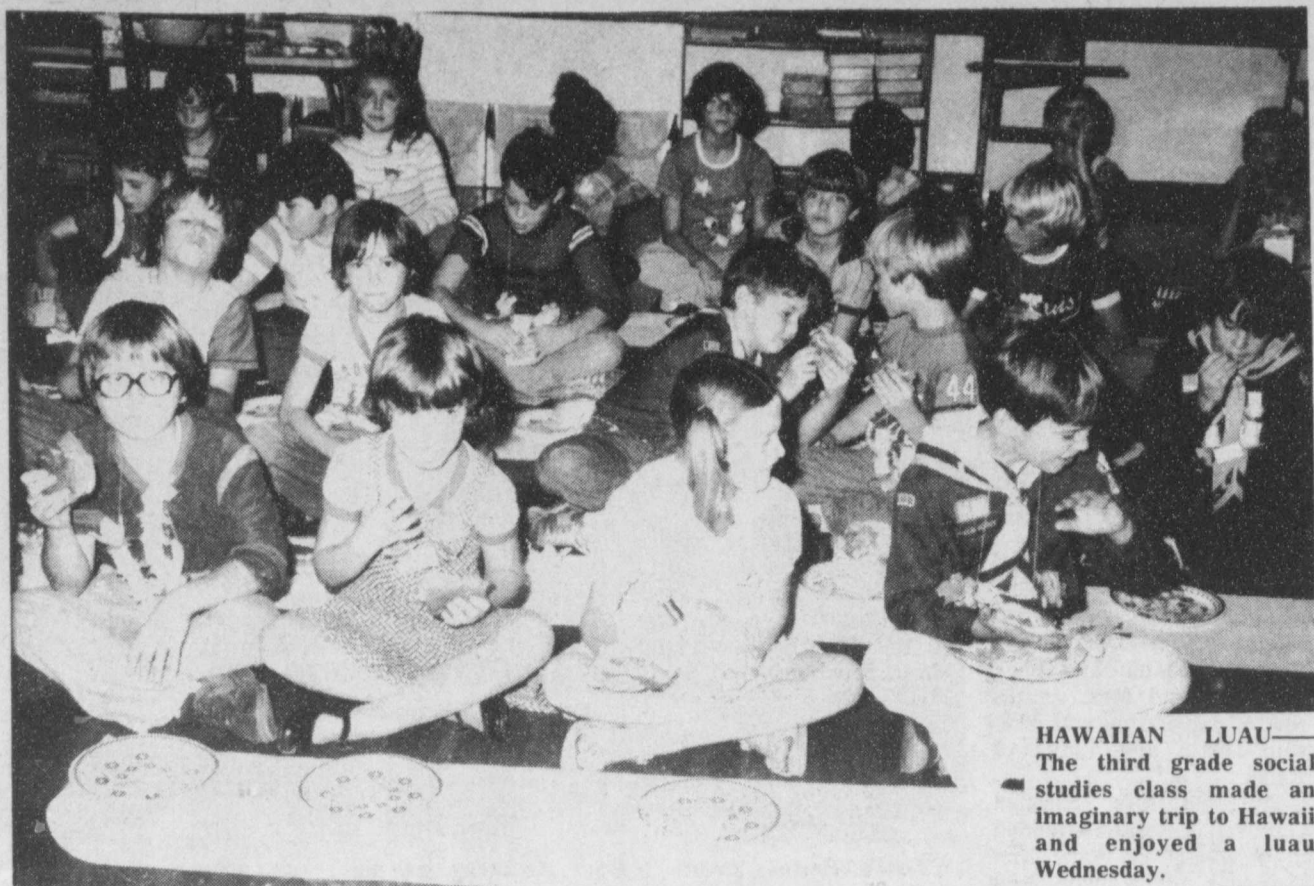
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HAWAIIAN LUU—
The third grade social studies class made an imaginary trip to Hawaii and enjoyed a luau Wednesday.

Social Studies Class Takes Trip

Mrs. Mae Hobson's third grade social studies class took an imaginary trip to Hawaii. Much reading, class participation and stories have made this trip enjoyable.

Since Chad Parrish's grandparents and sister took a trip to Hawaii this past summer, his stories have brought Hawaii closer to the class. Mrs. Cooper, former retired second grade teacher, also took the tour to Hawaii and she brought slides and photographs for the group's viewing. The colors were fabulous. The monument built over the Battleship Arizona stirred everyone's memory of the great number of men buried in the watery grave. David Stansell reminded the class of the Japanese bombing Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941 which caused Roosevelt to bring the United States into World War II.

It was decided that the class would invite Mrs.

Orille and Mrs. Hudson's class to celebrate a Thanksgiving tasting luau on Wed., Nov. 21 during the noon hour.

Leis were made to wear and white paper tables were spread on the floor before the rows of Hawaiians. Traditional hamburgers, chips and milk were served first. Then the classes sampled food brought by the "Hawaiians".

Lance Hudson brought bite size meatballs, Shawn Tully, potato salad; Clay Simmons, banana-split cake; David Stansell, pecan pie; Chad Parrish, pecan pie; Tammy Franks, sugar cookies; Bradley Woods, no-bake cookies; Jackie Whitney, brownies; Susan Grissom, cookies; Chaney Walker, peanut brittle; and Mae Hobson, fudge on crackers.

The luau was enjoyed by all who attended. One day, each child dreams of making this imaginary tour into a real experience.

Plains Bluestem Shows Promise

By Charles VanDeaver

Plains Bluestem seems to be an answer to several hundred acres of erodible soils in Red River County. It is one of several grasses in trail plantings on the Interstate Land and Cattle Company.

Weldon Haddock, ranch manager, planted 15 acres of Plains Bluestem on Morse clay last spring. Other trial plantings included Kliengrass and Alamo Switchgrass.

Haddock is very pleased with the first years growth on plains bluestem. He planted 20 pounds of seed on 15 acres using a brillion seeder. The entire 15 acre plot is on morse clay which is an eroded red soil found in east Red River County. The grass was planted in May and made lush growth and a good seed crop this year. Plains bluestem is a perennial warm season grass which means it will come back from root stock each year.

Plans are to increase the acreage of plains bluestem on the ranch next year. It seems to do well on the problem soil that has produced very little edible forage in past years. It is also believed to be well adapted to other soils in the county, such as the eroded blacklands.

Bogata Personals

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Faye Smith were Mr. and Mrs. R.O. Scruggs, Carroll and Jackie and Pat Bass, Carla Murphy, Roy Tyngle and Mike Woolsey of Fort Worth, Mrs. Studie Varner of Lone Star, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dugan Varner and DeAnn and Mrs. Maggie Hunsaker and Buddy.

Mrs. Rubie Bell and Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Bell and David had as guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wilkinson and Mrs. Wilma Rakers of Albuquerque, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Storey Hamilton of Garner, N.C., Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hamilton and family of Baton Rouge, La., Mr. and Mrs. Danny Lynn Bell of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bell and Jamey and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Reese of Paris, Morris Floyd Trimm of Avery and Craig Trimm of Lubbock.

Mrs. Evelyn Stillwell had as holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pope and Frankie Williams of Mount Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson of Norman, Ok. and Joyce Woodie of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. E.R. Andrews of Ennis and a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Stephens of Beeville and her

Mrs. Forrest Whitten of Rockwall and Bruce Whitten of Clarksville.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd, Jr. and family and Lyle Dodd of Lovington, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. David Hendrick and family and Mrs. Linda Farris and children of Kilgore.

Johntown News

By Mrs. E.V. Pirtle

Mrs. Gene Hawkins and Mrs. Jim Pirtle visited Verah Cotten in Geras Nursing Home in Mount Pleasant Wednesday afternoon.

The Rev. and Mrs. Billy Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle attended the American Baptist Association for 1979 in Garland at the New Liberty Missionary Baptist Church Tuesday through Thursday. Mmes. Florence Pirtle, Edd Childers, Effie Oliver, Mildred Mayfield, Ruby Pirtle, Myra Jean and Daniels attended the Ladies Auxiliary meeting Tuesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lynn Hitt of Paris.

Wesley Askins was admitted to McCuiston Hospital Thursday and had eye surgery Friday.

Mrs. Hubert Horn was involved in a car accident in Talco. She was not injured, but her car was damaged. Coming home from work, Mrs. Horn hit a deer in Sulphur bottom, which caused extensive damage to her car.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean were supper guests of Mrs. Ruth Colquhoun of Irving Thursday.

Mrs. Florence Pirtle and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cecil were in Mena, Ark. Tuesday to attend the funeral of a

cousin, Mrs. Annie Miller, the former Annie Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hervey and his mother, Mrs. Odie Hervey were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hervey of Liberty City.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Green of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Leffel of Mount Pleasant, Tony Hinson of Bogata, and Rev. and Mrs. Ronnie Stewart, Jannie and Ronnie Lee were Thanksgiving guests of R.C. Hinson, Rupert Lynn, Mike, Lucy and Daniel.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Parker were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Pirtle and Kyle of Beaumont, Mrs. Ruth Colquhoun of Irving, Vance Pirtle of Texarkana and Mrs. E.V. Pirtle. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Stansbury, Mrs. Pokie Whitby and Jimmy Cotten of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cotten of Midland were Thanksgiving dinner guests in the home of Verah Cotten. They brought Miss Cotten home from Gerald Nursing Home and kept her through the holidays.

Mrs. Carl Jones of Terrell, Mrs. Bonnie Toliver of Oregon, Mrs. Elsie Toliver of Los Angeles, Ca., and Junior Black of Fort Worth visited friends here Friday. They are the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Black.

Rev. and Mrs. Billy Daniels and Timmy visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daniels of Fruitvale and Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Carter of Grand Saline Thursday and Friday.

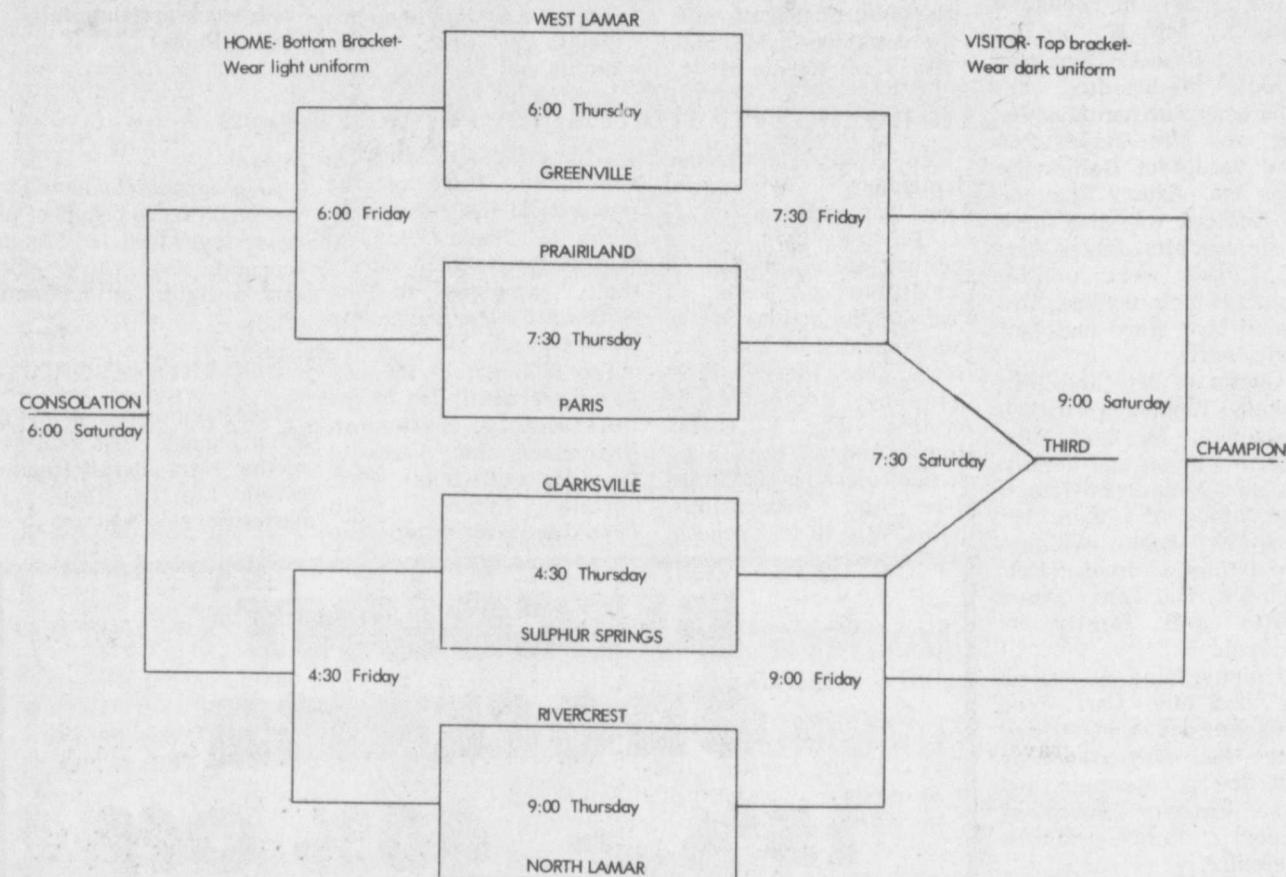
Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hood of Dallas were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle and attended church at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Anderson were dinner guests of his mother, Mrs. Nina Anderson of Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson of Paris were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reverence Wilson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hawkins and Stephanie of Monticello, Ark. were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hawkins, Mark and Stephen.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Neva Whitten were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Horn and family of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vandyriff and family of Bonham, Mr. and



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Spirit Caravan left for the Hawkins-Rivercrest Bi-District Game Friday. (Staff Photo)

Haven Personals

Entertaining residents of Red River Haven on Saturday night, Nov. 17 was a group of musicians from Clarksville. The group consisted of Ben Leverett and Joe Reeder of Clarksville, Johnny Hall of Annona, Lem McGuire, Bobby Applegate and Calvin Kabler of Clarksville.

There was lots of singing and foot-stomping music. Everyone had an enjoyable evening.

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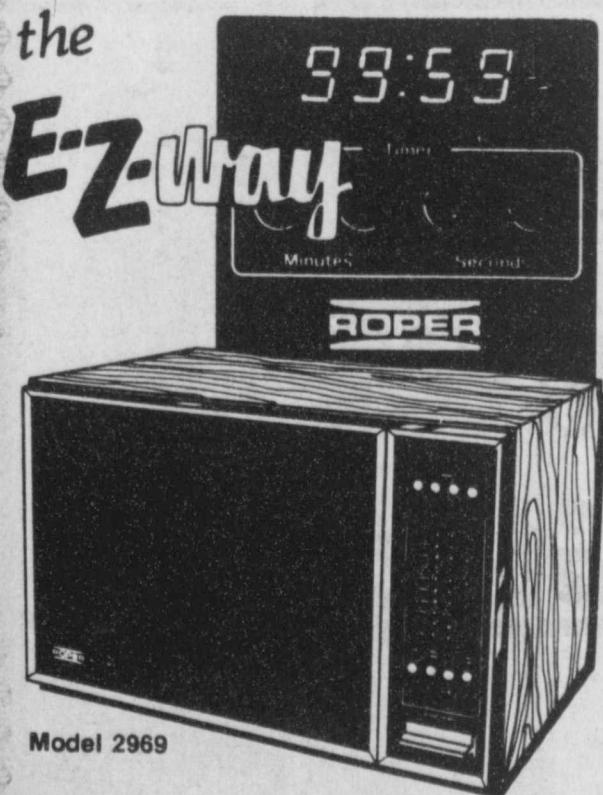
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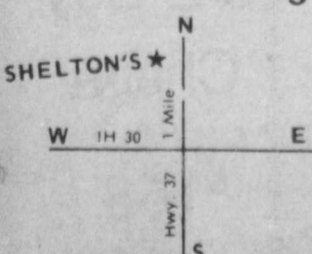


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Bogata Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Franklin and Mrs. Maurine Butler of Lancaster and Mrs. Angeline Thompson Gillin of Great Falls, Mt. were Saturday guests of Bogata relatives.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Bryson were Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Bryson, Britt and Duwanna of Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryson and children of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryson of Dallas, also Mrs. Jessie Bryson and Mrs. Sara Jo Smith of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. William Guion of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hood had as Thanksgiving dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hood of Detroit, Jan Hood of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Benham of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ford of Houston were guests of his daughter, Mrs. David Griffin and family.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Lydia Mauldin were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mauldin, Mrs. Merle Hughes of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mauldin and family of Clarksville, Mrs. Margaret Piano and Jan and Mrs. Debbie Salazar and Brandi of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Geese were in Madill, Ok. Friday to visit his mother, Mrs. Fred Geese.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Watts and daughter of Fort Worth visited over the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Watts and Mrs. Roy Gullion. Mrs. Gullion and her guests spent Thanksgiving day in Paris with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Gullion. Others present for the day were Mrs. Neva Weete of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Humphrey of Clarksville and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Humphrey and Allison of Houston.

Thanksgiving guests of J.B. Harville were Mr. and Mrs. John Sales, Josephine Sales, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean, Donald Jean and Daria Jean and Neva Whitten of Joliet, Mr. and Mrs. V.D. Harville of Cuthand, Morris Harville, Duke Harville and Stan Harville of Daingerfield, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harville and Brandy Harville of Lewisville, Robin Pirtle of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. John Horn, Scott Horn, Bill Horn of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sales of Boxelder, Mrs. Nelda Oliver and George Duffy of Jeffery City, Wy., and Mrs. Mandy Parker of Red River Haven.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gibbs of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hood.

Visitors over the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard

Mauldin and Opal Callihan were Mrs. Dollie Russ and grandson, Billy Woodward of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Cunningham and Jeff of Garland, Cathy Cunningham of College Station, Joel Cunningham of Tomball, Tom Hartry of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Posey, Paul and Joy of Fayetteville, Ark.

Larry Whitney of Mount Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mauldin and family of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mauldin and David, and Mrs. Dollie Russ and grandson remained for an extended visit.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Cage were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Douglas and Mike of Huntsville, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Major Hubble, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hollingsworth, Richard and Kris and Mrs. Dora Wright of Garland, Mrs. J.C. Douglas of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bickenback, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bickenback, Sam and Leah Doug of Van Alstyne, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wright of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wright and Robyn Wright of Gilmer, Kerry and Kelly Hubble of Denton. Part of the guests spent the weekend.

Christine Baker went to Dallas Tuesday with a bus group from Bogata and spent the night with her niece, Mrs. Bob Myers of Dallas and went to Fort Worth to spend Thanksgiving with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. K.C. Yale. Other Thanksgiving guests were her mother, Mrs. Ruby Corbell of Bogata, Mrs. Carol Gaddis and Mark of Mount Pleasant, Mrs. Nina Pybus and Von, John and Annette of Grand Prairie. Mrs. Corbell attended the 50th anniversary of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Stevens of Hurst.

Blanch Mauldin spent Tuesday until Saturday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Mauldin of Taylor-town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montgomery visited with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip May and April Ann of Brownwood. They also visited Mrs. Vivian Collins of Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. Hill Collins of Blum and Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Peaden of Greenville.

Van Craddock of Longview and Mrs. Jim Adams of Dallas visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Amy Craddock Friday and attended the funeral of Miss Jodie Craddock.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Moore were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jackson, Latricia, Paul and Rickey of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Burrow of Arlington. Thanksgiving guests were Tom Jackson of Washington, D.C. They all visited Mrs. Nellie Crawford and Mr. and

Mrs. Woodrow Holloway of Annona.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Mildred Allums and Betty were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Allums and family of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Allums and family of Florida and Mrs. Bill Longacre and children of Terrell.

Mrs. Gus Swaim and Mrs. Nina Hudson were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Hudson and family of Talco.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Prater were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Elliott, Donnie and David of Slaton and their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Prater and family and Mrs. Ann Maria and Tonya of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Garrison of Rosalie attended the wedding of Mary Ann Macsisk and Wallace Fred Wilson, Jr. in Leonard Saturday, Nov. 17.

Mrs. Frances Summers spent Wednesday and Thursday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Polk and family of Gainesville. Her son, Johnny Summers of Lubbock was also there.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward of Dallas were holiday guests of their mothers, Mrs. Annie Mae Ward and Mrs. Evie Bolen.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Topping were their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Phipps and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Selman and family of Lufkin, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Williams and family of Omaha, Neb. and Mr. and Mrs. James Watts and family of Mesquite.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clayton, Becky and Jon of Mesquite and Mrs. Johnnye Clayton of Deport and Mattie Chesshire.

Charles Don Lewis, age 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis, killed a seven point deer at Oak Ridge Hunting Lodge north of Clarksville Thursday. It weighed 243 pounds.

Shan Watkins and Kathy Brooks of A&M University spent the holiday with their parents, Mrs. Lou Ada Watkins and Dr. and Mrs. E.E. Brooks and family.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. F.P. Brumley were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brumley and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Brumley and family of Dallas, Ann Mutchler of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Art Hesch and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brumley and family of Bogata.

Miss Iola Franklin spent Thanksgiving with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Frances Franklin of Deport.



WENDY Horton, great-granddaughter of Bill Harbison of Bogata and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Horton of Ft.

Knox, Kentucky, was one of the shoppers at Jenie and Sue's Sewing Shop in Bogata this week. Janie Martin and Sue Hart are

the owners of the shop, which is now open, with new stock arriving daily. (Staff Photo)

Homemakers Hold Achievement Event

The Annual Extension Homemaker Achievement Event was conducted Nov. 14 at the American Legion Building in Clarksville. A Christmas program on Foods for the Holiday Season was presented by Rose Ann Rawls, Texas Power & Light Company, Home Service Advisor. The Extension Homemakers then exchanged ideas for Christmas gifts and decorations. Following a salad luncheon,

a white elephant sale was conducted. Part of the proceeds of the event were given to Treva Lee and Kathy Ray to help defray their expenses to the National 4-H Citizenship Short Course.

The highlight of the day was the presentation of the Outstanding Extension Homemaker Club Award to the Clarksville club. Mrs. Lorene Lester, Club President, accepted the

award. All programs conducted by the TAES serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Bogata Personals

Jones Humphrey of Irving spent Sunday night with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Raney, enroute to St. Louis on business.

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INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF LOW RENT PUBLIC HOUSING

TX16-P539-001, Blossom, Texas
The Housing Authority of the City of Blossom will receive proposals from interested Builders and/or Developers to design, develop and construct 20 units of low rent housing on a Turnkey basis, for ultimate purchase by the Housing Authority.

Proposals will be received at the Housing Authority Office, Burks Home South Center Street, Blossom, TX, or Certified Mail, P.O. Box 286, Blossom, TX until 5:00 p.m., December 27, 1979. Proposals will then be considered and evaluated by the Housing Authority of the City of Blossom. The Housing Authority reserves the right to select a Builder-Developer based on the best site, design, and amenities offered. The Authority also reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

The composition of the project will be as follows: 20 one bedroom units. On site improvements: Community Center including kitchen, restrooms, manager's office and maintenance building.

The project will be developed in accordance with the requirements of the Public Housing Development Handbook, 7417.1, March, 1977. The design of the project must comply with the latest Minimum Property Standards.

HUD Forms, Guidelines, etc. will be available in the office of the Local Housing Authority. (No office available) Burks Home, South Center Street, Blossom, TX.
1. Project No. and City TX16-P539-001, Blossom Prairie, TX.
2. City, Blossom Prairie.
3. Number of Units: 20.
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Edsel Eugene Blake
Edsel Eugene Blake, 48, of Houston died Sunday in a Houston hospital of a heart attack. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Germany and Carden Funeral Home in Missouri City with a graveside service and burial in Whitesboro on Wednesday.

He was born Dec. 2 in Saltillo, the son of A.M. and Josie Wallace Blake. He married the former Julia Rae Hall, who survives with four sons and a daughter all of Houston, and his mother, Mrs. Josie Blake of Bogata.

A brother, Ray Blake, preceded him in death several years ago.

Mrs. Clifford Steele
Mrs. Clifford Steele, a niece of John Lee of Bogata, died at Mexia last Friday.

Services were held Saturday in Mexia. A cousin, Mrs. Rufus Williams of Bogata, attended the services.

Mrs. Lula Quinton
Mrs. Lula B. Quinton, 93, of Bogata, died Friday, Nov. 23 in Red River Haven Nursing Home.

Services were held Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Bogata with the Rev. Dickie Golden officiating. Grant Funeral Home had charge of burial in Bogata Cemetery.

Bearers were Mike Haydock, F.A. Woodall, Gordon Isbell, Clyde Barham, Jerald Barham, Clarence Gardner, Luther Wright and Dean McCoy.

Jessie Kilgore Jr.
Jessie Kilgore, Jr., was killed early Friday morning when his 1980 Oldsmobile Cutlass left the road near Pattonville on U.S. 271 east.

Kilgore's auto was east-bound about 1:30 a.m. when it left the roadway, ran about 200 feet along a ditch, struck a guard rail and turned over twice.

Funeral services for Jessie Kilgore of Deport were conducted Saturday afternoon, Nov. 24 in the First Baptist Church at Deport with the Rev. Frank Reeves officiating. Grant Funeral Home made burial in Highlands Cemetery.

Bearers were Mike Haydock, F.A. Woodall, Gordon Isbell, Clyde Barham, Jerald Barham, Clarence Gardner, Luther Wright and Dean McCoy.

Funeral services for Mrs. Cason were held Friday at 11:00 a.m. at the Bogata United Methodist

OBITUARIES

Joe Bailey Ward

Joe Bailey Ward of Corpus Christi died there Friday, Nov. 23.

Funeral services were Tuesday in Lanes Chapel Church. Interment was in Sulphur Bluff Cemetery under the direction of Jolley's Funeral Home.

Joe Ward was born Aug. 21, 1927, son of Gus and Lillian Tillery Ward. He married Audie Percer on Sept. 8, 1945 in Mount Vernon.

Survivors include his wife of Clarksville; six sons, Nelson Ward, Kenneth Ward, Bobby Ward, Paul Ward and Donald Ward, all of Clarksville and Robbie Ward of Vider; five daughters, Mrs. Inez Shockome and Mrs. Naomi Roark, both of Vider and Mrs. Nell Larzeleere of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Ann Guthrie of Germany and Karen Ward of Clarksville; five brothers, Curtis Ward and Frank Ward, both of Garland, J.C. Ward of Johnstown, Johnny Ward of New York and Dewey Ward of Mississippi; six sisters, Hattie Thomas of Deport, Ann Mae Hatchell of Saltillo, Mrs. Donnie Nelson of Fort Worth and Ruby Smith, Hazel Brumley and Erma Hill, all of Garland; and 18 grandchildren.

Mrs. John Cason

Mrs. John Cason of Paris died in St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday, Nov. 20.

Services were Thursday in Fry & Gibbs Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Leslie O. Evans officiating. Grant

Funeral Home made burial in Highland Cemetery in Deport.

Mrs. Cason was born Aug. 23, 1913 in Pattonville, a daughter of W.N. and Elsie Channess Dennie. She was married in 1934 to John Cason.

Survivors are her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Jerrell (Deborah) Woods of Paris; one brother, Joe Dennis of Paris; one grandchild, Rebecca Woods.

Mrs. Cason was a retired employee of Corner Drug Store and a member of the Seventh Street Baptist Church.

Mrs. Ruth Brewer

Mrs. Ruth M. Brewer, 58, of Bogata died Friday, Nov. 23 in Talco.

Graveside services were held Monday in the Bogata Cemetery with the Rev. David Griffin officiating. Bogata Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Brewer was born June 21, 1921, in Culman, Ala., a daughter of James L. and Mamie Whitehead Brewer. She was a retired nurse and a Methodist.

Surviving are two sons, Danny Henson and Bill Henson, both of Talco; one sister, Mrs. Merle Truman of Dallas; one brother, F.L. Brewer of Morgan and two grandchildren.

Miss Jodie Craddock

Miss Jodie Craddock died early Wednesday morning, Nov. 21.

Funeral services were held Friday at 11:00 a.m. at the Bogata United Methodist

Church, where she was a member.

The Rev. David Griffin officiated with burial in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were nephews, Dean Jeffus, Van Dorn Craddock, Bob Gifford, Jackie Seaman, John Van Coats and Barnard Craddock.

Miss Craddock was born Feb. 17, 1901 in Red River County, the daughter of Dr. Van Dorn and Dixie Redding Craddock and was a retired school teacher.

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The family of Mrs. John (Earline) Cason extends appreciation for the prayers, visits, food and flowers. Our special thanks to Bro. Leslie Evans, Norma Little and Ricky Wood for the consoling words and beautiful music, also to Dr. McMillan and the nurses at St. Joseph's Hospital, to the pallbearers, and to the James Grant and Fry & Gibbs Funeral Homes. May God Bless You.

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BILL BUCKMAN of Bogata got this six-point buck near Oakridge Lodge with a 44 mag. handgun at 100 yards. He made his kill at 9:15 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 22.

Baptist Women Meet

Isaiah 2 with the theme "God So Loved the World" was the scripture for Bible Study when the Baptist Women of the First Baptist Church of Bogata met Monday morning in the Fellowship Hall.

Mmes. Ann Cody, Sylvia Shupp, Glen White and Jim Bankston gave the program. Women's hymn of the year was sung to open the meeting.

Mrs. Clara Cothorn read the Prayer Calendar and led in prayer. Eight members were present.

Drinking Ditty

The first drink makes you a playful gazelle, the second a dashing zebra, the third a roaring lion and the fourth a silly jack-ass again.

Talco Locals

James Gieger.

Mrs. Lynn Carroll and Brenda and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Carroll spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oglesby of Stinnett.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. E.W. Burks were W.R. Sneed of Fort Smith, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Watts of Kemp, Mrs. Effie Jackson and Lillian Inman of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. John Terrell and Steve of Argo, Mrs. Mary Ruth Miller and Richard of Mount Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Crawford and Mrs. Johnnie Crane of Hagsport, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fail, Alisa and Dwayne of Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Garretson and Gary Ray of Vicksburg, Miss. spent the holiday with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Garretson.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hood were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hester, Michael and Rhonda of Bryan, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones of Winnsboro, Mrs. Heath Roberts and son of Winnsboro and Mrs. Jannie Wright and Michael of Mesquite.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander were their daughters, Mrs. Don Mewborn, Lea and Shelly of Mineola, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Capel of Houston, Mrs. Alexander's brother, Durward Garretson, his wife and Gary Ray of Vicksburg, Miss. and Mrs. Gladys Garretson of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Frye were in Arlington to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson and Kelly, Casey and Paul Frye.

Mrs. Linda Vandagriff, Kim and Terri of Hallsville spent Wednesday and Thursday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Fuller. Coach Ray Miller of Leonard was a Thursday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gieger met their son, James O. Gieger and family of Beeville in Fort Worth Wednesday where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives. Saturday guests of Mrs. Marshall Sikes were Rex Sikes and wife of Powderly, granddaughter, Mrs. Mike Newman, husband and daughter of Little Rock, Ark., and grandson, Robert Sikes of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leake of Memphis, Tenn. spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leake. Coming for the holiday was another son, Phillip Leake, his wife and Dwayne of Waco.

Mrs. Elmer Luttrell and Gypsy met Mrs. Weldon Cahil, her husband and two sons from Fort Worth at the home of Mrs. Luttrell's other daughter, Mrs. Robert Richie and Mr. Richie in Paris for the holiday.

Michael Wright of Grand Prairie spent from Tuesday until Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Hood and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Green and boys of Burk Burnett spent from Wednesday until Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Stockton. They spent the weekend visiting relatives in Paris.

Dinner guests in the home of Mrs. John Northam on Friday were her son, J.D. Northam, his wife, daughter and husband from Manchester, Tenn. Mrs. Northam's daughter, Mrs. H.E. Stuart with Mrs. Brenda Wishard and boys of DeQueen, Ark. and Mrs. Karen Mills and two boys of Gilliam, Ark. Also a son, Gerald Cound, his wife and children from Ozark Mountain Boys Camp, Ark. and Mrs. Jewell Butler, Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Foster accompanied by Mrs. Gertrude Goolsby met Mrs. Becky McDonald and boys of Arlington and Mrs. Mack Reeder, husband and children at the home of James A. Foster and family for Thanksgiving dinner. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Couch of Texas City.

Mrs. Ruby Harcrow left Tuesday for Santa Ana, Ca., where she will make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Northam and Mrs. Mark Goddard and husband from Manchester, Tenn. spent the holiday with Mrs. John Northam and Mrs. Jewell Butler.

Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller were Jerry Ray Miller and wife of Jacksonville and Bill Miller and wife and children of Monticello. Weekend guests were Mrs. Carl Tillett and husband of Kansas City, Mo. The Tillett's also visited Mrs. J.C. Miller.

Lea Mewborn of Mineola spent from Thursday until Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander.

Clarksville Parade Set

The Clarksville Christmas parade has been set for Saturday, Dec. 1, and will reach the square about 6 p.m.

The commercial and school floats, antique cars, and other units to be judged will meet on the new Industrial Street north of West Main by 4:30 p.m. for the judges' inspection beginning at 5 p.m.

Float prizes of \$100, \$75, and \$50 are being offered, in addition to trophies.

The line of march will move out from the Industrial Park area about 5:30 p.m. Units including bands will join the parade along the way down Main Street but the entire march will not be fully assembled until near the square.

The parade will march to the Chamber of Commerce corner, turn north, then west on Broadway and exit for dispersal. The parade officials strongly urge that all spectators plan to be present on the square for best viewing of the units, which will face to the right.

That is, viewers will be best situated along the south side of the square, the east side of the square, and the north side of the square.

The parade will not pass along the west side. The winning floats and other musical units will turn into the Monument Circle as the remainder of the parade leaves in order to give spectators a second look at the top entries.

Santa Claus will then make his usual spectacular entry into the center of the square where he will be available to talk with youngsters concerning their Christmas wishes.

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BUTCH HOOD killed this 10-point buck Sunday, Nov. 25 in Sulphur River bottom.

Rivercrest YHT Meets

Ms. Janette Tatum, Consumer Information Specialist for Lone Star Gas Co., Greenville, presented the program "A Christmas to Remember" for Rivercrest Young Homemakers of Texas at the November meeting. Christmas foods including cookies, candies, cake, and snack items were packaged as unique Christmas gifts. Recipe leaflets were distributed to the 22 members and guests present. Ms. Tatum was presented with a gift of appreciation.

President Marcelle Abernathy presided over the business session. Plans were made for a family Christmas party to be held with Rivercrest Young Farmers on Tuesday, December 18. Refreshments of punch, cookies and candy were served. The door prize was won by Rue Ann Bell.

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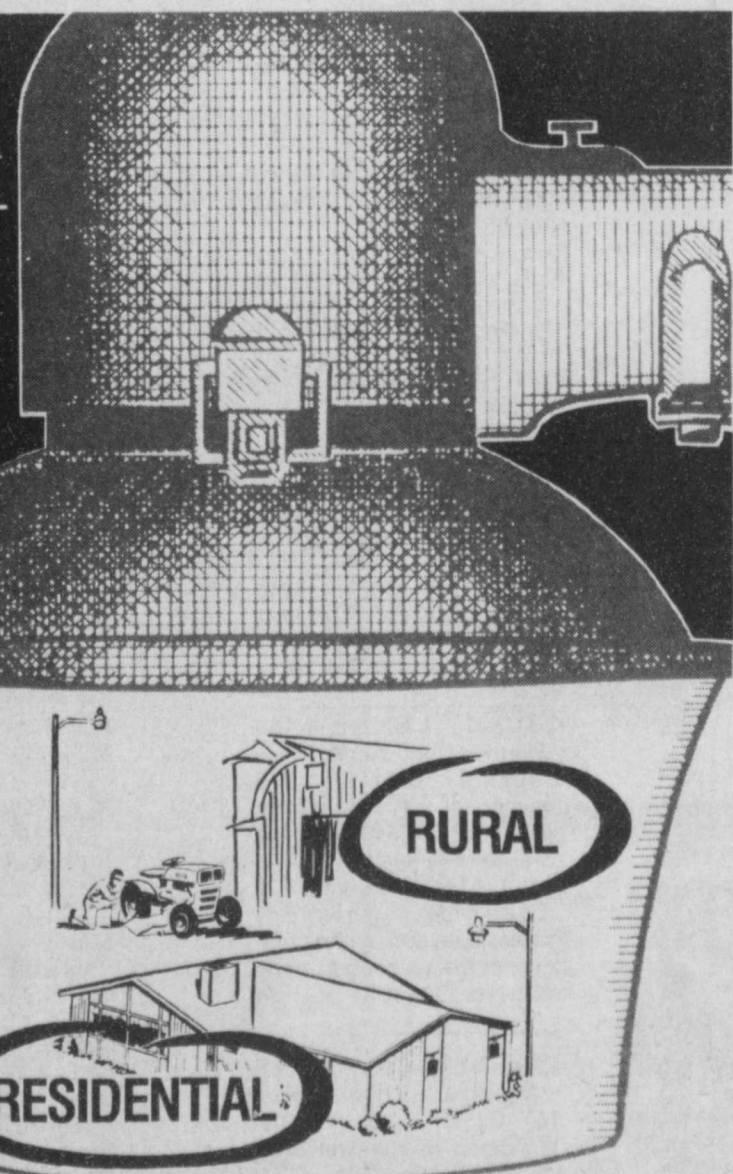


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