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Rebelettes - Tigerettes Go Back To Austin

RIVERCREST REBELETTES ARE AGAIN CHAMPS REGION 2-AA

The Rivercrest Rebelettes are scheduled to play Robinson of Waco, Friday at 2:30 p. m. The championship game for Class AA will be played at 3 p. m. Saturday.

The other two teams in Class AA are Spearman and Calallen of Corpus Christi.

The Deport Tigerettes, rated No. 3 in Class B, are scheduled to play Trent, rated No. 1, at 8:45 a. m. Saturday.

Roundup - Carmine, rated No. 4, plays Follett, rated No. 7, at 10 a. m. Saturday.

The winners of these two games are scheduled to play at 8:30 p. m. Saturday for the state Class B championship.

This area will again be represented at the State Girl's Basketball Meet in Austin this week end, when the Rivercrest Rebelettes, winners of Region 2-AA championship and Deport Tigerettes, winners Region 4-B will be playing for the State title in their respective divisions.

Deport girls had to win three games at Kilgore to take the crown, and Rivercrest came out champions by winning both their games at Denton last week end.

Many fans from both places were on hand to cheer their teams to victory. Not many people were left in town Friday and Saturday, and those who could not go, listened to the exciting play on radio. Practically everyone for miles around kept up with progress of the games — nearly all towns and communities in Lamar, Red River and Titus Counties were represented at the tournaments.

In the last 11 seconds of the game the Rivercrest Rebelettes pulled a hot one out of the fire by defeating Bridgeport 33-32 Saturday night to win the championship of Region 2-AA at Denton.

The Rebelettes now advance to

the State Tournament at Austin this week end.

Bridgeport led 32-31 in the fourth quarter but the Rebelettes came back with the important last two points. The Rebelettes scored 13 points in the second quarter to pull ahead. In the first half Rivercrest made 82 per cent of its field goals.

The second half saw Bridgeport again take the lead with a score of 30-27 in the third quarter. The Rebelettes didn't have any free throws in the second half but made 35 per cent of their field goals.

High scorers for Rivercrest were Rosie Brown with 18 points and Joan Walesiak with 11. Bridgeport's top point-makers were Brenda Ford with 18 and Susie Fag with nine.

In Friday night's game, with Llano, the Rebelettes opened with a cold streak, but still managed a 13-11 first quarter lead.

The second period of play was even colder as Rivercrest scored only seven points and Llano collected only three points.

The Rebelettes warmed up in the third quarter and bombarded the basket for 20 points while holding Llano to only three. Rivercrest scored 19 points in the final period of play to take the 61-31 win in the opener.

Leading the scoring for the Rebelettes were Joan Walesiak with 21 points, Rosie Brown with 18 points, Freida Whitten with 15 and Jean Cook with seven.

Llano's Theresa Holloway scored 13 points.

Rivercrest hit only 16 per cent — 5 of 32 — of their field goals in the first half, but hit 15 of 28 in the second half for 54 per cent. The Rebelettes hit 10 of 15 free throws in the first half for 67 per cent and then hit 11 of 12 in the last half for 92 per cent.

The Rebelettes now go to the state tournament to be held in Austin this week end, starting Friday, Feb. 27.

Talco Man Hurt When Tree Falls

Forrest H. Blair Jr., a logger, who suffered two fractures of the left leg and sliver from the backbone, was taken to Titus County Memorial Hospital at Mt. Pleasant, after he was struck by branches of a falling tree.

He was working alone at the time, near Winnsboro. When a tree he was sawing down caught against a second tree, he started work on another one nearby. Then the first tree, being dislodged, started falling, the branches striking him.

His wife, the former, Marguerite Whitten of Bogata, alarmed when he did not return home, asked a friend to look for him and he was found about 9 p. m.

Three Trustees To Be Elected

As of February 24, 1970 only one candidate had filed for the three positions to be filled on the Board of Trustees of the Talco-Bogata Schools in the April 4th trustees election. A. D. Stephenson of Bogata, an incumbent member of the Board, has filed for a place on the ballot. Other members whose terms are expiring are Carl Williams of Bogata and John D. Wright of Talco.

Prospective candidates may make application for a place on the ballot at the superintendent's office at Rivercrest until Wednesday, March 4th at 5:00 p. m. when the ballot list will be closed.

Jim Vickers Dies Unexpectedly

Jim Vickers of Bogata, a retired carpenter, was dead on arrival at Clarksville hospital Wednesday morning after suffering an attack while talking with friends at McDonald Service Station in Bogata. He had been in ill health several years.

Services were pending Thursday morning, but will be held at the United Methodist Church in Bogata, with the pastor, Rev. Clay Yeager, and Rev. Dickie Golden, Baptist minister, in charge. Interment will be made in Highland Cemetery at Deport by Bogata Funeral Home.

Born in Lamar County, Oct. 17, 1895, deceased was married to Miss Blanche Robinson on Oct. 17, 1916. She survives. Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Hobert Bell of Bogata; seven sons, J. M. Vickers of Midwest City, Okla., Ray Vickers, in France, J. D. Vickers of Corpus Christi, A. L. Vickers of Covington, Okla., J. G. Vickers of Ardmore, Okla., B. J. Vickers of Talco, H. F. Vickers of El Paso;

Three brothers, Loyd Vickers of Terrell, Carl Vickers of Clarksville, H. W. Vickers of Bogata; five sisters, Mrs. Robert Mitchell of Deport, Mrs. Raymond Scarborough of Irving, Mrs. Carl Fodge, Mrs. Russ Fodge, Mrs. Jack Miller of Detroit.

Also surviving are eight grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and ten great-rear-grandchildren.

Moore's Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Moore of Bloomington celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday.

The couple was married on Feb. 14, 1920 in Talco. They have six children and 14 grandchildren.

Present for the anniversary observance were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Miller of Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore of Monahans, Lt. Col. and Mrs. C. L. Siefert of San Antonio and daughter, Sally, and the honorees' children and their families. Dr. Victor Moore of Premont, Mrs. Ronald Peck of Victoria, Royce Gayle Moore of LaPorte, Mrs. Melbourne Metzler, and Jimmie Moore of Bloomington and Paul Moore of Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown received word that their son, Alton Ray Brown, who is in Vietnam, was promoted to the rank of Sergeant.



Austin.—Homeowners throughout Texas apparently are in for a substantial increase in their insurance payments.

State Insurance Board's staff has recommended these average hikes:

- Statewide extended coverage, 6.9 per cent.
- Fire insurance, 1.7 per cent.
- "Homeowners' policies, 18 per cent.

Recommendations were made as the insurance board held its annual hearing preparatory to promulgating new rates and possibly some new changes in its rules concerning these forms of insurance.

Board will set new rates around the end of next month, making effective date early July.

Rates actually will vary according to location, building use and construction.

Another jolt would be Texas Insurance Advisory Association's recommendation of mandatory \$250 deductibles statewide on all windstorm, hurricane and hail coverage. Mandatory deductible now applies only to seacoast territory for this type coverage, and that is limited to \$100.

TIAA further suggested one-year optional "homeowners' policies be permitted. Present policies now run for three years.

DRINKS LAW TO BE ENFORCED—Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission served notice it still intends to enforce the law against sale of liquor by the drink despite the court's invalidating its private club "guest" rule.

Case involving the rule is on appeal to the State Supreme Court. Meanwhile, ABC said club owners are mistaken in interpreting the Court of Civil Appeals' decision as giving the go-ahead for mixed-drink sales to walk-in guests.

ABC also predicted an early court test of the law under which distribution of Coors Beer has been restricted in Texas. Court already has held invalid a 1966 directive which said that Coors' requirement of warehouse refrigeration was termed a forbidden "inducement."

BUSING REFERENDUM CONSIDERED — Gov. Preston Smith asked the State Democratic Executive Committee to consider putting the question of school busing to achieve racial balance on the May 2 Democratic primary ballot as a referendum issue.

While not stating his own position, Smith argued that Texas voters should have a chance to express their opinions. He noted that the problem is "a federal and local issue," and called on federal officials to "assist us at the state and local level to upgrade our neighborhoods and our schools."

Meanwhile, the busing issue came in for attention from Democratic Senatorial candidate Lloyd Bentsen, who called compulsory busing "the most disruptive threat facing public education in America."

Smith sent a telegram to Sen. John Tower in Washington, urging him to "use your influence with the Republican administration" to obtain "more realistic, impartial and reasonable" treatment of Texas school districts by

the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. He cited his meeting with 150 citizens from East Texas school districts (particularly Tyler and Longview) as motivating his request.

COURTS SPEAK — Court of Criminal Appeals upheld the new state anti-riot law which permits prosecution of a participant in a disturbance even though there is no evidence he committed acts of destruction.

Supreme Court backed the San Antonio Court of Appeals in ruling that a juvenile can be sentenced for as much as five years in a reformatory for an act punishable by no more than a year in prison if committed by an adult.

High Court reversed the Third Court of Civil Appeals and concluded that a two-way radio service in McAllen is not a telephone service subject to state gross receipts taxes.

CRIME INCREASING—Major crime in Texas increased 15.9 per cent last year — to a rate of one major crime every one and a quarter minutes — Department of Public Safety Director Wilson E. Speer reports.

Statistics show 432,251 major criminal offenses in Texas during 1969 as compared to 372,912 in 1968. Of the total, 389,969 occurred in urban areas and 42,282 in rural sections. Murder and homicide rate was up 1.5 per cent, rape up 33.2 per cent, robbery 53.1 per cent, burglary 17.1 per cent, aggravated assault 22.7 per cent, theft 12.5 per cent and auto theft 22.8 per cent.

HALL APPEALS ELECTION RULING — Frustrated in his State Supreme Court effort to get on the Democratic ballot as a candidate for governor, Sen. Ralph Hall of Rockwall went to Washington to try to get an appeal before the U. S. Supreme Court.

State Court ruled that the constitutional provision on prohibiting a lawmaker from holding an office for which the pay was raised during his elective term makes Hall ineligible. Governor's pay was raised last year. Hall's senate term runs until 1973. He claims the provision was not intended to apply to the governor's office and discriminates against 15 senators.

Hall hopes to get before the U. S. top court on the contention that the restriction violates due process and equal protection under the law guaranteed by the federal constitution.

SHORT SNORTS — Texas Department of Public Safety has been awarded by the National Highway Safety Bureau a \$335,500 grant — to be matched with State funds — for training of highway patrol recruits.

ATTORNEY GEN. RULES — New family code prohibiting remarriage for six months after divorce applies only to divorce proceedings commenced after Jan. 1, 1970.

County clerks have no discretion to refuse to record declarations of informal marriage where all required information is given on the form.

New owner of a store can operate under its current occupation license until it expires if transferred to the purchaser along with the business.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills and Randy spent Sunday in Dallas, visiting their son, James Mills and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander visited in Stephenville during week end with his brother, Warren Alexander.

Mrs. Ruby Cogburn visited in Garland, during the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Bud Hank and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelso of Galveston, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid.

Mrs. Judy Walker and Tracy of Dallas and Jim Lodwick of Commerce, spent the week end with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Swope.

Public School Wk. To Be Observed

The week of March 2-6 is Public School Week in Texas schools. Parents and the general public are invited to visit the Talco-Bogata Schools during this week and to make a special effort to attend the Open House in the school or schools your children attend.

Open House will be held at Rivercrest High School on Tuesday, March 3rd; Talco Elementary School on Thursday, March 5th; and at the Bogata Elementary School on Friday, March 6th. Open House in each school will be from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. with the exception of the Bogata School which will be from 7:30 to 9:00 p. m.

Public School Week was originated in 1950 and has won widespread approval with Texans. In celebrating this 117th Anniversary of the founding of the public free schools in Texas, we are given an opportunity to reflect upon the great heritage of freedom in our schools. We should be reminded that it is our great public school system, among all of our free institutions, that has been most responsible for preserving and extending our liberty, our prosperity, and our democratic way of life.

The school board, administrators, and teachers of the Talco-Bogata Schools cordially invite all parents to express an interest in the school program of their children by attending Open House and visiting the schools during the week of March 2-6.

Rivercrest Places Six All-Dist. Band

The following people won positions in the All-District Band last week:

Vicki Hinson, clarinet; Bonnie Montgomery, clarinet; Deborah Scott, clarinet; Patti Story, clarinet; Monte Smith, alto saxophone; Cindy Watkins, bass clarinet.

The clinic was held in Commerce Saturday, February 21. The day was climaxed with a concert in the evening, directed by Bob Cartwright of Greenville.

Col. and Mrs. Jerry Dismuke and Bill, formerly of Atlanta, Ga., visited here Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cato and Christelle. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Dismuke of Commerce.

Texas Masons Promote Schools

One hundred and sixteen years ago, Texas Schools began a climb that today makes them some of the finest in the nation.

Texas Masons have been largely responsible for the recognition granted Texas Public Schools. Masonic Lodges throughout Texas have been active since the early 1800's in achieving education for everyone in the state. Today, Masonic Lodges are the force behind the action in promoting Texas Public Schools Week, this year being observed March 2 thru 6.

But the Masons can only initiate. Your support is essential and will be appreciated; if you're a parent, friend, or relatives of a student, show your interest in him and his school.

Rebelettes In State Basketball Tournament At Austin

The Rivercrest Rebelettes will play Robinson (Waco) on Friday, Feb. 27 at 2:30 p. m. in Gregory Gym on the University of Texas campus.

The winner of the Rivercrest vs. Robinson game will play the winner of the Spearman vs. Calallen (Corpus Christi) game at 3:00 Saturday afternoon, February 28 for the State AA Championship.

In this trip to the State meet for the Rebelettes it will tie a record of five consecutive times that any girls team has participated.

Rivercrest Book Fair March 2-4

The Rivercrest High School Library Club will sponsor a student book fair from March 2-4. Students will be able to browse and purchase books. The fair will be open during school hours and from 7-9 on March 3rd.

The purpose of the fair is to spur student interest in reading. All reading areas of interest to students will be represented, including classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature, crafts, mystery, and reference books.

A daughter was born Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tucker at the Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Kirkland Named District Office

E. E. Kirkland was recently appointed District Deputy Grand Master, 2nd Masonic District for Grand Lodge of Texas. A member of Deport Lodge 351, AF&AM, he has served the lodge in various capacities.

Kirkland is executive administrator of Red River Haven Nursing Home in Bogata. He has held that position since February, 1965. Active in civic affairs in both Deport and Bogata, he is a former member of Deport School Board and City Council. He serves the United Methodist Church of Deport as lay leader, and is a member of the official board of the church.

Mrs. Ethel York Dies Amarillo

Mrs. Ethel York, 72, former Johtown resident, died February 14 in an Amarillo hospital. Services were held Feb. 16 at Amarillo, with graveside rites and interment the following day in Ada Memorial Cemetery, Ada, Okla.

Born at Sulphur Bluff, Mrs. York moved to Amarillo 27 years ago from Snyder, Okla. Survivors include her husband, N. L. York, two sons, Nathan of Ada and Frank of Harlingen; one daughter, Mrs. N. F. Edmonson of Harlingen; two brothers, Clyde Gibbs of Amarillo and Jessie York of Dallas; eight grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Lunch Room Menu

Bogata, Talco and Rivercrest Schools, March 2-6.

MONDAY

Ground meat and spaghetti casserole, pinto beans, tossed green salad, corn bread, plain cookies, ½ pt. milk.

TUESDAY

Bar-B-Q TV steaks, green beans, mashed potatoes, corn bread muffins, fruit cobbler, ½ pt. milk.

WEDNESDAY

Fish portion, tartar sauce, French fries - catsup, blackeyed peas, corn bread, sweet rolls, ½ pt. milk.

THURSDAY

Meat loaf - brown gravy, small lima beans, cabbage, carrot and pineapple salad, assorted fruit, ½ pt. milk.

FRIDAY

Hamburger pattie on toasted bun, chili beans, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles and onions, ice cream, ½ pt. milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roberts visited in Gilmer Sunday with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Puckett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Jackson of Kilgore and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carroll and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carroll, during the week end.

Three Injured In Auto Accident

Three persons were injured in an auto accident Sunday noon. Mrs. Mildred Young of Pattonville, Mrs. Donald Huff and her son, Mike of Winnsboro were taken by ambulance to a Paris hospital. Mrs. Young and Mike received multiple fractures. Mrs. Huff was taken to Dallas shortly after noon suffering a broken jaw and facial injuries. Three other passengers in the Huff car were uninjured.

It was reported that Huff's 1964 Chevrolet was traveling west on U. S. 271 just east of Pattonville, when the second vehicle attempted turning into a private drive. Both cars were heavily damaged.

Mrs. Young was reported improving Tuesday at McCuiston Hospital, according to her daughter, Mrs. Roger Allen.

Mrs. Ella Burgin returned home Monday after spending several days in Daingerfield, with her son, Ray Burgin, Mrs. Burgin and children. Little Belinda Burgin has been in the hospital and David Burgin has been ill at home.



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TALCO

RUGBY

By MRS. VERA GROGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Arvis Butler and baby of Arlington, spent part of the week with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McDonald and family. They were called to Clarksville by the death of his mother, Mrs. J. D. Butler.

Mrs. Francis Bailey had as Sunday guests her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rogers and family of Idabel, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Arvis Butler and baby of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen and family had as guests during the week end his brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fowler and families of Dallas.

Buddy Thomas of Lubbock, visited his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Westbrook part of the week.

Mrs. Don Driggers is visiting in Columbus, S. C., with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Driggers. She had a call from WOC Don Driggers in Vietnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Alsobrook had as Saturday visitors their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and family of Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bell and family of Clarksville, and Mrs. Nannie Hart of Clarksville. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Riggs and family of Nashville, Ark., were Saturday night guests.

Mrs. Lilly Slaton of Deport, spent Sunday night with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slaton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon McGill and family of Daingerfield, were supper guests Sunday of her sis-

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Ora Stephenson has been dismissed from the Titus County Memorial Hospital, Mt. Pleasant.

Marcus Black spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Walter Mayes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ewing were in Clarksville Monday on business.

Mrs. Naomi Fitch and Mrs. Eunice Harris spent Monday at Beaver's Bend, Okla.

Mrs. Herbert L. Smith returned to Austin Sunday after visiting her sister, Mrs. O. D. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Welch, with their four grandchildren of Ft. Worth, visited here Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch.

A former resident, Mrs. John Cates of Dallas, visited friends in Talco last week. Among those visited were Mr. and Mrs. William Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burleson and sons, Clark Allen and Cary Joe of Grand Prairie, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fussell Jr., Mike and Rickey of Houston, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fussell Sr. during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGonigal and Terry and Rusty Jones attended the regional basketball games at Denton during the week end. Others attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holmes and Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Goodroe, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cecil and Steve. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cook.

ter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Allen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stevens had as Sunday visitors their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Barker of Longview and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hume and family of Deport, also Mmes. Carrie Stevens and Jessie Griffin of Deport.

JOHNTOWN

By RUBY PIRTLE

Supper guests of Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Gardner Tuesday night were Rev. and Mrs. Augustus Downing of Avery, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Johnson of New Haven and Rev. and Mrs. Loyd Roper of Clarksville.

Mrs. Etta Hood and daughter, Mrs. Fay Huckabee of Lorenzo, visited Mrs. Charles Shockley, Mrs. E. V. Pirtle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ward of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dryden of Longview, over the week end.

Jackie Duvall received a call Saturday saying his brother, Andrew Duvall of Amarillo, was ill and in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitlock and sons were week end visitors of her father, Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Wicks.

Vance and Mike Pirtle were in Longview Friday night to see Mt. Pleasant and Carthage play basketball.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Foster were Mr. and Mrs. Jim (Boots) Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCann of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pope of Bogata, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Sales and Jo, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jr. Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Northcutt were in Denton to see the Rivercrest girls in the playoff there Friday and Saturday. They each have girls playing, Freida Whitten, Terry Dodd and Joan Walesiak, from our community.

Jimmy Parker suffered a back and hip injury while hauling logs with a team and wagon to Dan Davis' saw mill last week. One of the logs slipped and caught him. He was carried to the Talco Clinic for medical attention. He is married to the former Rachel Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Reig Weisinger visited in Mt. Pleasant Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones.

Mrs. Will Bolen has returned to her home here from Talco, where she was carried to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Kirl and Mr. Kirl, after having a blood clot in her leg.

Mrs. Ina Hutton and son, Glen of Biloxi, Miss., are on an extended visit with her father, Sammy Davis and Mrs. Davis. Klen enrolled in kindergarten Monday in Talco.

Little Delsia Wright of Irvin, has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Davis for three weeks. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wright were here from Tuesday to Thursday and Delsia accompanied them home. Dinner guests Sunday of the Davises were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sam Davis and Mrs. Bessie Davis of Bogata.

Thomas Patterson entered the Titus County Memorial Hospital Monday, ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Brown of Lone Star, visited Mr. and Mrs. Odell Belcher, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wims of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Reid and Mrs. J. C. McGonigal attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Wicks at the Bogata Recreation Center Sunday afternoon.

WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK

Tuesday evening visitors of Mrs. Winnie Bragg were Mrs. Rockie Crook, Mrs. Elsie Aaron and Mrs. Hugh Crook of Midway community.

Rev. Garnett Walker of Mt. Pleasant, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock returned home Saturday morning after a week's visit in Austin with their son, Sgt. C. D. Blalock and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Deaton of Winfield visited her mother, Mrs. Winnie Bragg, Saturday night.

Little Rachel Blalock of Mt. Pleasant, spent Friday night with her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock.

Saturday night and Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Sgt. and Mrs. C. D. Blalock and children of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Riddle and children of Irving.

Mrs. Moody Belcher returned home Friday evening after a week's visit in Dallas.

Mrs. Jennie Belcher of Maple Springs visited in the home of Mrs. Winnie Bragg, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belcher and children of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Robertson and little son, all of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke, Sunday.

Hal Anschutz, Dale and Teddy Robertson spent Saturday night with Thomas Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Andrews and children of Mt. Pleasant, were dinner guests Saturday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cabell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brown and children of Talco.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris were Mrs. Cecil Shipp and Mrs. Jimmy Bob Shipp of Mt. Pleasant.

Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Anschutz were Mrs. Calvin McGee and children of Maple Springs and Mrs. Tony Anschutz and children of Talco. Mrs. Charles Nixon of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Adams of Gladewater community. Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel Wyant and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Collins of this community, Mr. and Mrs. Cody White of Pittsburg, granddaughters of Mrs. Ethel Wyant, were Sunday dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Mary Lou Woodley of Maple Springs.

Supper guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Byram were Rev. James Sykes and boys of Maud, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie

WANT ADS

Rates: 3 cents per word first insertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 50 cents per issue. Terms cash unless you are a regular advertiser in this newspaper.

MONUMENTS, Talco. Mrs. Felix Jones, Phone 379-2163. t-tfc

FOR SALE — Registered polled Hereford bulls. See Aubrey Buckman, Bogata. tb-tfc

SMALL PUPPIES to be given away. See Mrs. O. F. Stevenson, 379-3601. t3-p

FOR SALE — Good prairie grass hay, 75c bale. Bill Ward. Telephone 632-5244, Bogata. d5t4b22p

GOOD pickup for sale. Hollis Mathena, Bogata. Call 632-5623 or 632-5331. t3b21-c

HAY FOR SALE — Lespedeza, prairie hay and mixed hay. Clyde or Marion Mitchell, 632-5385, 632-5444, Bogata. t4b22-c

NEED a new pool, land cleared or other dozer work, see or call Jimmie Sparks, Phone 652-5256, Deport. dbt-tfc

COMMERCIAL and chain yard fences installed, free estimates. Call collect — Gladebranch exchange 588-2281. Glenn Fowler. t13-p

SINGER SEWING Machine Co. Sales, rentals and expert service. All kinds machines, fabrics and notions at Brookshire Shopping Center, Paris. Phone SU 4-7423. dbt-tfc

REGISTERED NURSE Wanted — immediate opening at Deport Nursing Home for RN as supervisor of nurses. Contact Mrs. B. J. Crawford, Deport, Texas 75435, Phone 652-4410 or 652-4755. dbt-tf

Logan of Talco.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sims of Argo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Martin of Argo and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gentry were Thursday supper guests of Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barto and son, Jerry of Texarkana, spent Monday night with her mother, Mrs. Sally Haren. Jerry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barto, is back from the Navy after serving three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Phillips of this community are the proud parents of a baby girl. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Phillips of this community and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sims of Argo.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anschutz were Mrs. Calvin McGee and children of Maple Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nixon of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Anschutz and children of Talco.

Visiting in the home of the L. B. Kaylors Wednesday were O. B. Moon of Eastland and Harold Trimble of Mt. Pleasant.

Political

Announcements

The following announcements for public office are made subject to the action of voters at the Democratic primaries in 1970:

For Representative, District 2: JAMES L. SLIDER (Re-Election)

For District Clerk: LOUISE BROCK (Re-election Second Term)

For County Clerk: ALLEN LAPRADE (Re-election Second Term)

For County School Supt.: PAUL BLACKARD

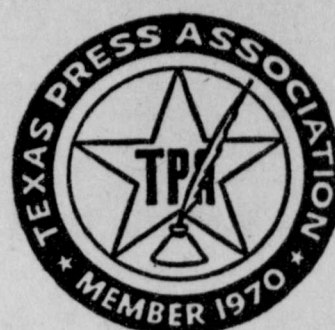
Visiting in the home of the Boyd Hortons during the week end were Mrs. Nancy Presley of Dallas, Mrs. Jack Williams of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Horton and Jace of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Horton of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Horton of Mt. Vernon.

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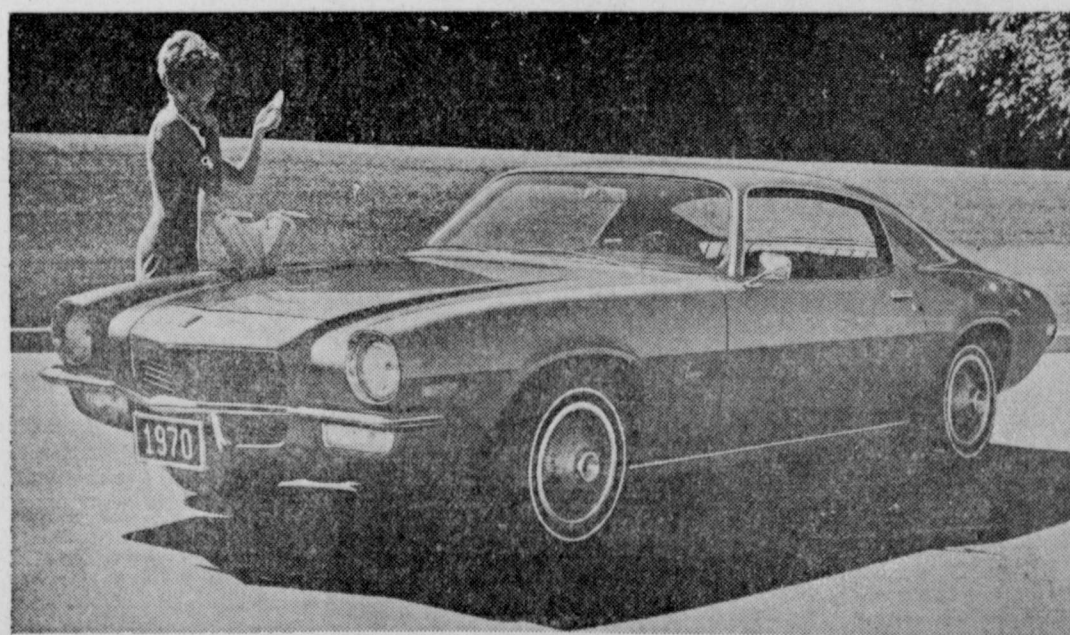
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Mrs. Roy Worthey returned Sunday from the Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith of Garland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Clark, all of Mt. Pleasant, were visitors at Calvary Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith returned home Saturday after attending the funeral of Mrs. Smith's brother, Addis Hargrove of Snyder.

Recent visitors of Mrs. O. B. Hopwood were Mrs. Ruth McCoy, Mrs. Camron Noland and son and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman, all of Douglasville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Prestidge, Mrs. Ruby Cogburn and Mrs. O. J. Holland attended the Llano and Rivercrest basketball game Denton Friday night.

A son, weighing 7 lbs., 4 ozs. was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson in a Dallas hospital. He has been named Shelton Brent. The mother is the former Miss Robbie Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Locke and Mrs. Locke's mother, Mrs. Desser Ramey of Mt. Pleasant, visited in Austin during the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Ray Sedlacek and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis accompanied by their daughter, Miss Janice Davis of Dallas, attended the funeral Sunday of their niece, Miss Elizabeth Davis of Graham, who was killed in a car wreck.

Mrs. J. D. Butler of Clarksville, sister-in-law of Mrs. Jewell Butler, died in the Red River County Hospital Tuesday. Services were held Friday afternoon at Friendship Church at Clarksville. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Butler and Mrs. Vera Fry, all of Smackover, Ark., attended the services and visited here Friday night and Saturday night with Mrs. Jewell Butler.

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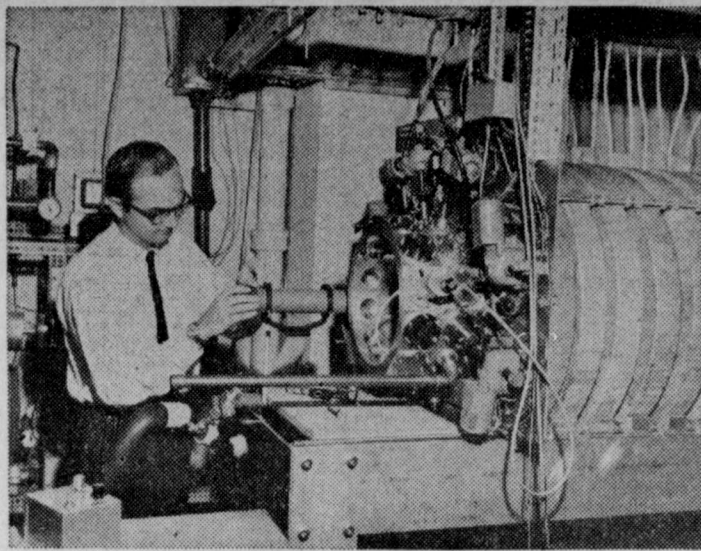
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The Senior Class play, "Our Gal Sal," will be presented Friday evening, March 6.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Abernathy, Marcelle and Buddy attended the MYF rally at the Daniel Chapel Church Saturday evening.

Zeb Page was admitted to the Veterans Hospital in Bonham, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ural Deshong visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sain of Talco, Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baker during the week end were Hugh L. Baker of

Cameron, La., Mrs. Paul Pitmon and Mrs. Ray Byers of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis and family of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baker of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and sons of Paris, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slusher, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Crump of Commerce, were Sunday afternoon visitors of his grandmother, Mrs. Ora Crump.

Mrs. Cassie Bledsoe of Cooper, spent from Monday until Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Pynes and Mr. Pynes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Travis Pettit visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kee and Tenaka at Powderly, Sunday.

Mrs. Bess Pope, Mrs. J. N. Quinn and Mrs. Winston Clark of Marshall, attended the funeral of their uncle, Dee Cheyne of Clarksville, Friday.

Mrs. Carl Wood, Mrs. Inez Peaden spent the week end in Waco, Mrs. Wood with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Clayton Jr. and family, who were ill; Mrs. Peaden with her sister, Mrs. Ozell Slaton and family.

Mrs. A. M. Francis and Tommy of Bonham, called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper and family attended church services at the Lone Star Church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wicker of New Boston, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Ora Wicker.

Robert Eudy returned to his home here last week after spending four months in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Fowler and Mrs. Boaz Allen of Dallas, spent the week end at the Fowler home here.

Gordon Cox of Houston and Morris Cox of Grand Prairie, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox.

Miss Neva Yancey has been dismissed from the McCuiston Hospital after undergoing minor surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Abernathy, Marcelle and Buddy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nix and Paula of Hooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Oats and son spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Oats. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bazhaw and children of Arlington. On Friday night the Pynes with their guests visited Mrs. Dorothy Dean Baker and Janie of Longview. They also attended the basketball games in Kilgore.

Mrs. Cora Cox of El Paso and Mrs. Cuie Kennedy of Dallas, are visiting relatives here and attending their brother, Zeb Page, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Bonham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and Gaylia of Hooks, called in the home of her brother, Clifford Pynes and Mrs. Pynes, Sunday.

A. T. O'Neal has been admitted to the McCuiston Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sharp of Garland, spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bobby R. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ladd.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and son of Wichita Falls, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Malone. Also visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon of Fort Worth and Claudell Malone and son, Mark of Whitesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell and sons and Mrs. Etta Bartlett visited Mr. and Mrs. Ural Deshong Monday evening.

Mrs. John A. Streun, 79, of Sherman, who was the grandmother of Rev. John Streun, former pastor of the Methodist Church here, died Sunday. Services were held Tuesday. Mrs. Streun visited the minister and his family here several times.

Mrs. Oscar Leggett, Miss Tom Underwood, Mrs. Bess Pope and Mrs. J. A. Cox spent Saturday and Sunday in Bonham visiting

Mrs. Neal Blankenship. Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Pettit and Julia Ann of Grand Prairie, Dennis Pettit of Dallas, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pettit. Mrs. Hattie Butler,

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