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## A Look Back

Call

## Citizens invited to attend Open Forum

by Michael Lee  
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What are the issues and concerns that need to be addressed in Motley County to help the citizens and our total county in the years ahead? What can be done to assure a better quality of life and prosperity in the 21st century as we plan for the future?

Everyone interested in a better future for themselves, their family and their community is encouraged to participate in the Texas Community Futures Forum on Monday, March 29th starting promptly at 7:00 p.m. in the Motley County School Cafeteria. The Forum is being conducted in every county as a statewide effort of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of The Texas A&M University System to bring together a diverse group of individuals, groups and organizations to identify issues and concerns. Once needs are identified, focus teams will be organized to develop specific plans of action.

We want to get broad-based input into this process so that a plan can be developed for the future of each county and Texas as a whole. We es-

pecially want other local, state and federal agencies and organizations to participate. Many of the needs and concerns of people can best be addressed through partnerships with other groups and organizations.

The Futures Forum process will help the Extension Service develop its long-range plan for the next four years 2000 to 2003. The true goal is to facilitate the identification of common issues and define a process whereby these issues can be solved to create a better economic, environmental and social situation for Motley County. Participating agencies, groups and organizations can better focus on issues and programs related to their missions and interests and the needs of the local people. This is a partnership effort with all of us working together for the future of Texas.

So, if you want to have a voice in the future of Motley County, be sure to attend the Futures Forum on Monday. This is your opportunity to help shape the future of Motley County!

If further information is needed, feel free to call Michael Lee, County Extension Agent - Agriculture in Motley County at 347-2733.

## Fire Department receives equipment

Matador Volunteer Fire Department took advantage of equipment aid available from the Texas Forest Service. The department acquired a free flatbed truck, courtesy of the Federal Excess Personal Property (FEPP) equipment program administered by the agency. Under the FEPP program, equipment acquired through the military is transferred to qualifying fire departments at no cost.

The passage of legislation minimizing liability to industrial companies that donate used firefighting equipment for volunteer fire department use has made additional equipment available, and more donations are likely. Companies interested in donating industrial fire equipment should contact the TFS Rural Fire Defense Section at 409-639-8130 for information on the Industrial Helping Hands program. The value of equipment received to date now exceeds \$4 million.

Volunteer fire departments may save money in another way. A self-insurance vehicle liability insurance pool also administered by the Texas Forest Service offers liability coverage for \$250 per vehicle, ambulances excluded.

Detailed information on volunteer fire department assistance programs is available from the Rural Fire Defense Section, Texas Forest Service Fire Control Department, P.O. Box 310, Lufkin, TX 75902-0310, phone 409-639-8130.

Volunteer fire departments can also purchase firefighter clothing, hand tools and water handling accessories at discount prices through the Fire Safe program. Fire Safe sales to date exceed \$4.5 million, according to the state forestry agency.



BEST FRIENDS — The old saying 'a dog is man's best friend' seems to hold true, as seen in this picture of Gage Renfro and his dog, Lassie. Gage's grandma, Mary Renfro, snapped this picture at just the right time, as Lassie gives Gage a hearty greeting. Gage is the 18-month-old son of Andy and Becky Renfro of Matador. He is the grandson of Charlie and Mary Renfro, and Bruce and Ann McFall, of Matador.

MARCH 23, 1951  
House Okay's Bill Boosting Cotton Quotas

"Washington, March 16 -- The House passed a bill Thursday adding about 1,250,000 acres to cotton which can be planted under government controls. Texas will get almost half the increase. The same bill, a compromise measure - added 100,000 acres to peanut allotments - about 48,000 acres for Texas."

MARCH 30, 1950  
Black Dusters Cast Gloom On Crop Prospects  
Prairie Fires and Car Accidents In Sandstorm's Wake

"Rolling 'Black Dusters' and months without rainfall have suspended a shadow of gloom on 1950 crop prospects. Immediate rain could not produce more than 50% average crop.

Over the weekend more prairie fires broke out in the ranch country north of Amarillo to be followed by a series of automobile accidents by blinding dust in the areas of both Lubbock and Amarillo.

MARCH 30, 1950  
Pre-measurement of Cotton Is Offered

"Cotton growers of Motley County can arrange for official measurement of their 1950 cotton acreage allotment prior to planting. The rates for this service was established at \$6.00 per farm plus \$1.25 per plot to be planted plus 3 cents per acre in the allotment."

## Around Town

News Briefs of area events

## Methodist Church to host Passover Seder and Dinner

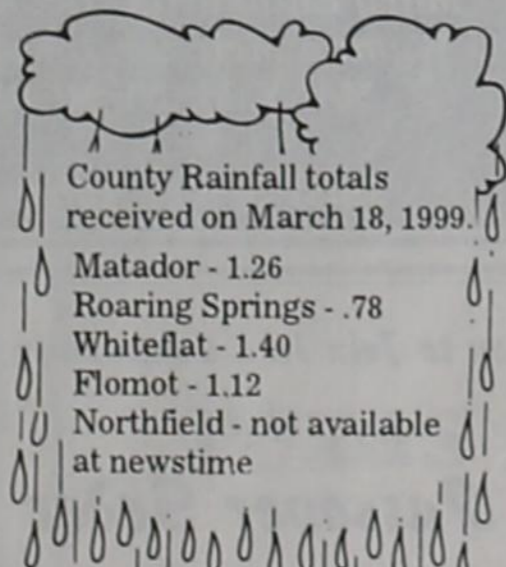
The First United Methodist Church will host the traditional Passover Seder and Dinner once again this year, presented by Joan Keith. The date and time are Good Friday evening, April 2, at 6:30. Ladies of both Matador and Roaring Springs United Methodist Churches help with preparing the sumptuous feast. There is no charge, but donations are welcomed to help defray some of the costs.

Each element in the Passover is explained, the significance of the bitter herbs, hard-boiled eggs, drink offering, lamb meat, leeks, and hiding the bread are tied to the teachings of Jesus and to the Lord's Supper/Holy Communion memorial.

Due to seating limitations in the fellowship hall, reservations are requested. Please call Joan Keith, 347-2283, or Monte Wike, pastor, 347-2727 to indicate the number in your group planning to attend.

## Whiteflat Reunion set for April 3

The Annual Whiteflat Reunion will be held Saturday, April 3 at the Senior Citizens Center in Matador.



## Eight Matadors receive All-District honors



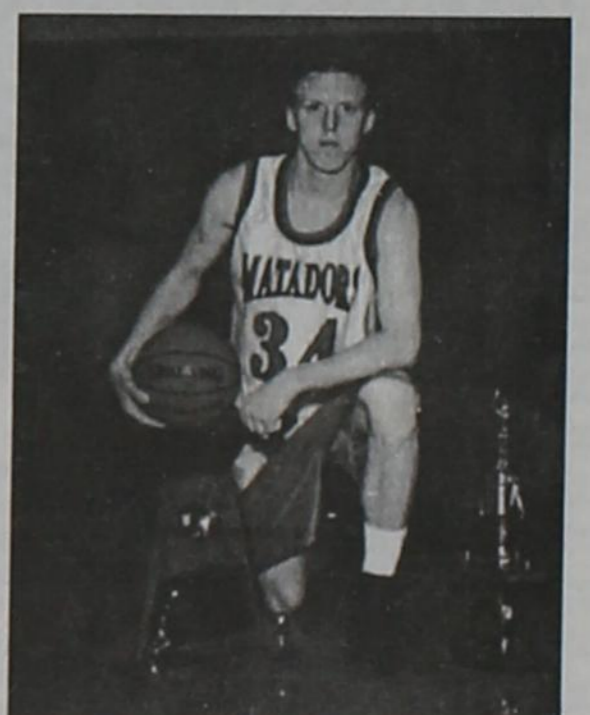
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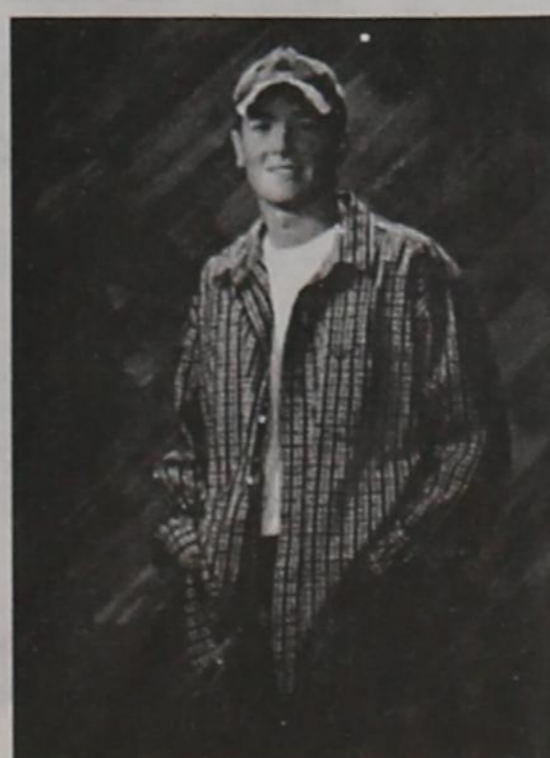
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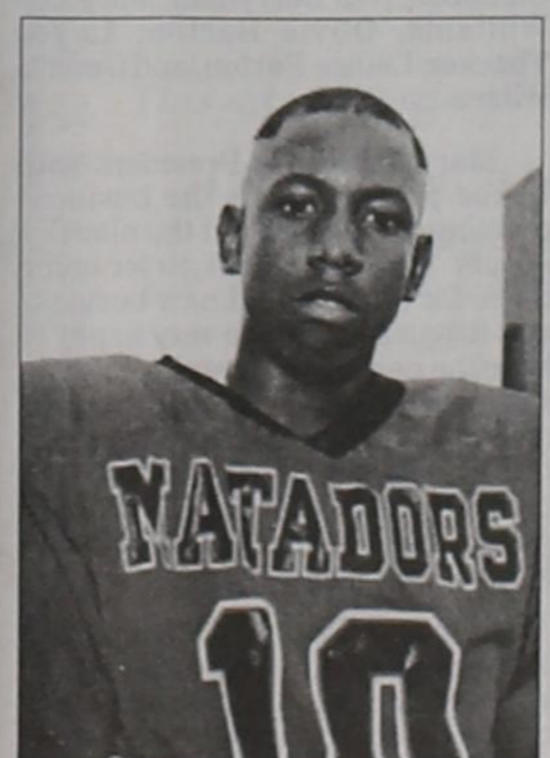
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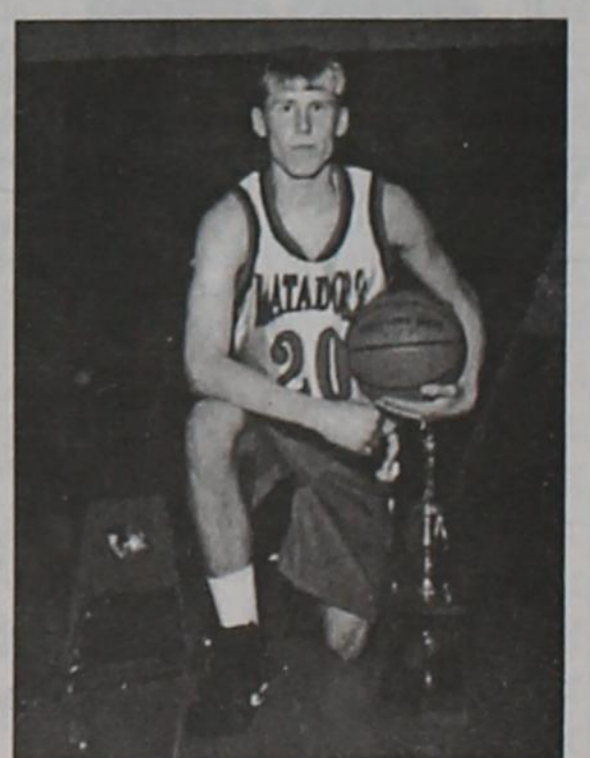
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Jermaine Hendrix



Brant Donaldson



Sean Rose

## Ruling made on Matador couple's shooting deaths

The deaths of Matador couple, Eugene and Rose Saldana, have been ruled a murder/suicide, according to Motley County Sheriff Jim Meador. Autopsies were performed in Lubbock last week. Rose Saldana, 43, died of a gunshot wound to the head, and Eugene Saldana, 46, died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound to the head. Graveside services were held for the couple at the Roaring Springs Cemetery on Saturday.

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We all have had people in our lives, at one time or another, who get on our nerves, make us a little mad for some reason, or we just can't get along with sometimes. It's sometimes hard not to be judgemental and say something about someone that we really don't mean and usually regret saying later.

I read the neatest little story the other day about a challenge that would probably benefit everyone in some way at some time. It's sure worth a try!

**The Ninety-Day Challenge**

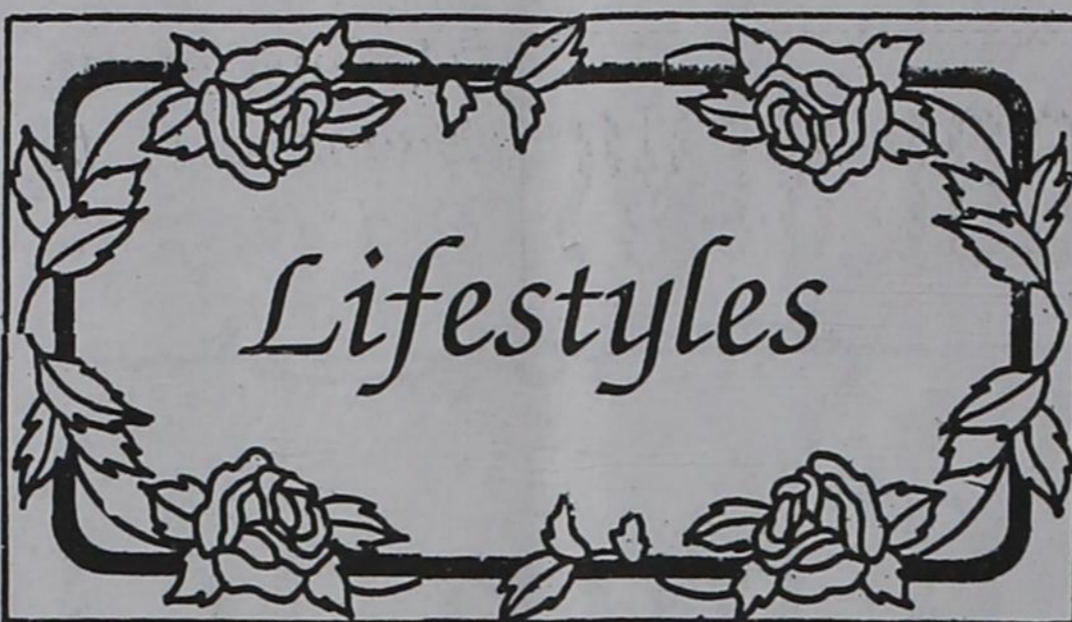
"I am trying a new tactic to help me get along with my sister," said nineteen-year-old Ann. "It is called 'the ninety-day challenge,' and I read about it in a book. It goes like this: choose a person you find hard to love.

For ninety days you:

1. Speak well of that person, not a word of criticism;
2. Think only positive thoughts about the person;
3. If you are with people who are criticizing this person you must remove yourself from their company;
4. If you fail to keep your resolution - for instance, if you criticize the person - you have to start again at day one."

"So how is it going?" I asked her. "I'm up to day twenty-seven," she replied. "It's amazing the effect this has had on me. I have started to notice all these positive qualities about my sister which I never knew she had!"

Isn't that a neat story? I think we all could benefit from that challenge.



**Roaring Springs Volunteers discuss upcoming events**

The regular meeting of the Volunteers Board of Directors was held Tuesday, March 9, in the home of Lula Swim. Present were Billie Clifton, Darleen and J. N. Fletcher, Algie and Rita Groves, Bill and Lea Peacock, Corky and Monta Marshall, David and Cynthia Stafford, Grace Zabielski, Dorothy Lee, Ossie Brown, Jo and Walter Trammell, Lula Swim, Venita Sedgwick, K. D. and Suzanne Abott, and Mary Lumsden. Minutes were read and the Treasurer's report revealed gifts from two more Angels, Monta and Corky Marshall, and Shirley Randolph Barton. Corky and Monta are new members.

and amended where necessary, from Darleen about work begun on the Community building, and from the Calendar Committee on the schedule of events for the year.

The EASTER EGG HUNT is scheduled for April 3 at 3:00 P.M. Contact Zella Palmer for more information at 348-7917. The EASTER SUNRISE CITY-WIDE CHURCH SERVICE will be Sunday, April 4 at 7:00 A.M. Call J. N. Fletcher for further information at 348-7284.

Thank you notes have been received from both Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts who each received gifts from the Volunteers. A salad buffet followed the business meeting.

**Couple Celebrates 50th Wedding Anniversary**



Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson

Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, Friday, March 26, with a family dinner in Lubbock. They are the parents of Lance Jameson of Vernon and Shannon Jameson of Santa Fe, New Mexico. Jameson and the former Lou Earlyne Jameson were married March 24, 1949 in Matador. They have two granddaughters.



**STYLE SHOW WINNERS** — The Motley County 4-H Style Show was held Monday, March 22 at 5:30 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose room at the school. Winners are pictured above, left to right, Sherri Thomas, Senior Construction, Formal; Courtney Hays, Senior Buying, Formal; Kattie Campbell, Jr. Construction, Casual; LeAnnra Wallace, Senior Buying, Specialty; Emily Hurt, Jr. Construction, Specialty; Shandra Jones, Senior Buying, Casual; and Kelsi Wallace Senior Buying, Dressy. Not pictured are Mandi Ream, Intermediate Construction, Casual; Charli Ream, Intermediate Construction, Dressy; and Cassie Campbell, Intermediate Buying, Dressy. The District Contest will be held at Vernon, April 17, 1999. Leaders are Joyce Campbell and Janie Campbell.

**Do Gooders Club holds Health Screening Clinic**

The Do Gooders Club sponsored a Health Screening Clinic at their monthly meeting, Tuesday, March 2 at the Flomot Community Center. Nurses from the Home Health Care of Floydada who gave the medical tests were Sheri Davis, Norma McGowen and Irma Rubalcado. They were pleased with the good response of this medical service.

A buffet homestyle covered dish luncheon was served and hostesses, Mesdames Judy True, Suzie Shannon and B. Rogers provided iced tea, coffee, punch and hot rolls. A beautiful arrangement of red tulips encircled with greenery was on the arched dividing bar. They sold chances on this arrangement and Mrs. Barbara Payne returned home with it. They sang Happy Birthday to Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin.

Mrs. Mary Jo Calvert presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Alma Shorter, program chairman, announced that Ms. Kay Harris with the Women's Crisis Center in Plainview would be the guest speaker at the

club, Tuesday afternoon, April 6. The club has completed the 1999 Flomot Homecoming quilt on which chances will be sold. They have begun another quilt for an individual.

Mrs. Kathy Shorter asked if anyone was interested in being part of the Walkathon Cancer Drive at Valley School track field to please contact her. Mrs. Trula Martin said the Motley County Museum would like to be open every afternoon, and if there were any volunteers she would appreciate them calling Wilburn Martin.

Closing the meeting with humor and laughter, they exchanged Secret Pal Gifts. Those attending besides those mentioned above were Mesdames Jimmie Hunter, Erma Washington, Tommie Jo Cruse, Christeen Gilbert, Annie B. Cloyd, Anna Beth Clay, Connie Franks, Leona Degan, Waydette Clay, Edith Washington and Carmen Lee. Guests were Mrs. Ernestine Payne of Quitaque and Mrs. Nova Turner of Matador.

**A Special Time**

March 24, 1949 was the date. A girl, who graduated from high school at the age of 16, enrolled in Harden Simmons University and majored in music, transferred to Texas Tech a year later to become a nurse and was from the big city of Matador, Texas whose population was 1319 at the time.

This was the girl that would sleep until lunch and only got up then because Daddy would make her. Our mother could sleep that late too. She would clean the house only after several threats and a few spankings (I really mean whippings - she was hard headed), and practiced her piano for three or four hours each day and spent most of her younger life tending to me, when she wasn't aggravating me! Believe me, when she was awake she was something else.

Yet this little gal got married to a farm boy from Whiteflat, population 89, who graduated from the same high school, served in Germany during World War II. He had just returned from the service and bought a brand new 4-door '48 Ford. This is a man who couldn't sleep past 6 AM with an overdose of morphine! Now you would have thought he had been through enough in his young life, but this was a man who liked a challenge. Yes, you guessed it. He married into a family who could have a knock down drag out four times a day and kiss and make up five times a day.

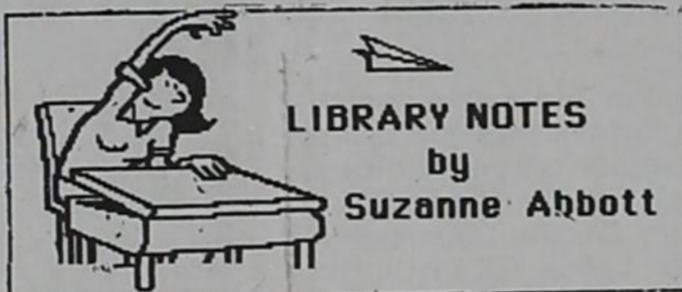
I remember thinking when I was lighting the candles at their wedding (do you believe they would let me handle fire in those days) that I'd give this marriage about three to six months. How could these people really be in love? They are as different as night and day. But that shows you what a 14 year old kid knows. LOVE can conquer the universe. It heals all wounds and illnesses. It makes the difference when there are differences. Even when I wrecked your new '48 Ford your love for each other helped you to forgive me. I thought I was a goner at the time, but I survived to wreck again!

This marriage has suffered a loss of a daughter, Connie Lou, and some close calls from a bad accident and serious health problem but there was never a time we had any doubts this marriage was the example that God intended for us to follow. A stronger love would be hard to find.

Our marriages, Sis, have produced two wonderful families. I know Mom and Dad would be proud of our four boys even though Mom wanted a granddaughter too. Our boys may not have followed in the footsteps we had planned for them, but we did rear them to follow their convictions. Regardless, God is in their hearts and we are very proud of them.

We love you EARLYNE and SKEET JAMESON and are looking forward to the celebration trip up to Branson, Missouri in April. Happy 50th Anniversary.

Love,  
Gary and Rene



We appreciate the donation to the Library from Ruth and Orville Lee in memory of Ava Crump. Also, our thanks go to Earline Vaughn for helping at the Library on Tuesday so that I could accompany the Motley County Genealogical and Historical Society members to Jayton.

New videos in the Library are "A Shirttail to Hang To," which is the story of Cal Farley and his Boys Ranch. For the kids we have a Peanuts classic, "It's the Easter Beagle, Charlie Brown." Also we have "Goosebumps, Welcome to Horrorland" and "Veggie Tales, a Lesson in Telling the Truth." These four new videos belong to the Library and may be checked out for two weeks.

We have a new shipment of overnight videos - that is, they must be

returned to the Library the next day. This group of videos includes "The Charlie Brown and Snoopy Show," "Wishbone The Slobbery Hound," and A Spanish language version of "Casper Ver para Creer," or Casper Seeing is Believing." We have three Magic School Bus videos in this shipment as well as one entitled "What's

Under My Bed?" This entire shipment consists mostly of colorful, animated children's entertainment and has 30 videos to choose from. If you check one out on Friday, you don't have to have it back until Monday. Come in today and pick up a video for your children to enjoy.

New books in the Library include two best sellers. One is Tami Hoag's *Ashes to Ashes* and the other is John Le Carre's *Single and Single*.

**Pivots & Divots**

Ladies Golf Luncheon

The first Ladies Golf Luncheon was held March 18, 1999. Those attending and paying dues were Mary Jones, Lucretia Campbell, Loys Campbell, Nell Berryman, Mary Lou Williams, Olivia Barton, LaVoe Thacker, Louise Barton, and Geneva Wilson.

Mary Jones, Co-President with LaVoe presided over the business meeting and passed out the play day sheets. (Thanks Mary Lou for doing these for us). Old and new business was discussed. We are very happy to have the new Divan upstairs. It is just what we needed. Mostly we discussed play days and ways to make the Ladies 2-Lady Scramble door prizes more interesting. Some very good ideas were discussed. Some ideas to be taken before the board.

Please, ladies, let's all come out and play this year and try to get some new members interested. We need everyone to come out and have a good time with us.

Play will start at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, March 25. Join us!

Thank you for reading the Motley County Tribune

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**"Not Forgotten"**



Several years ago while driving around in the county I stopped and walked through an old forgotten cemetery. In my walk I discovered some very old tombstones with no writing upon them at all. How sad for a person to die and for all practical purposes, not be remembered at all. Simply forgotten. I had no idea about who they might have been or of what family they had been a part of. There was nothing left behind to mark their passage through this life. How sad.

You and I will die one day. Yet, for those in Christ, we will not die forgotten. We will leave behind memories of a faithful life. We will leave behind a Christian influence which will have touched the lives of our families. We will have left behind mile-markers for our loved ones to follow our eternal footsteps. Our names will be called, somewhere in eternity vastness. For our names are penned in the Book of Life and we will join the victorious from all the ages past.

No one was ever created to be forgotten. Our great God desires to spend eternity with Him. The song writer has captured the thought, which all who are found in Christ should want to say, "When the roll is called up yonder I'll be there."

**Roaring Springs Church of Christ**

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.  
Bible Study - 10 a.m. Worship - 9 a.m.  
Radio Programs K-96 FM  
Daily - 10:15-10:30 and Sunday 10:30 a.m.

**We Invite You to Join In a Community Celebration of a Traditional Passover Seder & Dinner**

Friday, April 2, 1999  
6:30 p.m.

First United Methodist Church of Matador  
902 Dundee Street, Matador, Texas

For Reservations, call  
Pastor Monte Wike (806) 347-2727 or  
Darleen Fletcher (806) 348-7284, Joan Keith (806) 347-2283

(There is no charge, but donations are welcomed to help defray some of the costs.)





# News around the County

## Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Largent of Lubbock visited his mother, Mary Lumsdem last Tuesday.

Jo Etta Bumgardner and Pearl Patten drove to Childress Sunday and had lunch with Janie Hardin.

Venita Sedgwick and grandson, J.C., drove to Anson Monday and visited her granddaughter, Brandy Sedgwick toured her new home.

Pearl Patten, Mary Lumsdem, and Zella Palmer had lunch Wednesday at Sr. Citizens in Dickens and visited with friends.

Dorthea Lee kept a doctor's appointment in Lubbock last week.

Dora Hurt of Matador drove her sister, Audrey Jones to Lubbock, Monday, for a doctor's appointment.

Linda Evans of Chickasha, OK and Kevin Hart of Lubbock spent Friday night with their aunt, Odessa Mullins. She was taking Kevin home after spending two weeks with her for doctor appointments. Mrs. Mullins accompanied them to Lubbock Saturday spending the night with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie (Bud) Roller. While Linda went on to Levelland to visit family they returned home Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jordan over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Osborn and Zeke of Lubbock, Zeke

had spent Spring Break here with his grandmother. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Chad Jordan of Granbury and Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Smith, Tanya, and Kevin of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jordan left Tuesday for Hallettsville for a German Polka Dance. They returned home Thursday.

### METHODIST LUNCH

The Roaring Springs Methodist group enjoyed a bring a dish lunch Sunday in the home of Lula Swim. Those attending were the following, Rev. and Mrs. Rod Skelton of Lubbock, Rev. and Mrs. Monte Wike of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trammell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Peacock, Mrs. Harriett Marshall of Oklahoma City, Kim Lee and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Abbott, Mrs. J.N. Fletcher, Mrs. Billie Clifton, Roberto, Jose and Cecil Rameriz, Mrs. Mary Lumsden, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zabielski, and host Lula Swim.

Mrs. Imogene Swim carried Lula Swim to Plainview, Monday afternoon, to keep a doctor appointment.

Houseguests of Dianna Hollman and Joe Martinez this weekend were his brother, John Martinez from Ohio and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Salarski from Arizona.

## Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

### CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Leah, Keane and Derrick and her sister, Mrs. Bennie (Charla) Marricle of Snyder, celebrated the birthday of their brother, Mark Wason of Matador, Friday, March 19 with a luncheon, decorated cake and all the trimmings in Matador in the home of their mother, Mrs. Marihelen Wason. Charla visited Thursday night and Friday with Marihelen. Kathleen, wife of Mark, was in Lubbock with their son, Dalton, who is under medical treatment for an ear infection.

The birthday of Shae Lynn Reed of Lubbock was celebrated Wednesday, March 17 in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert. She blew out her thirteen candles on a Shamrock decorated cake. Others enjoying the happy time were her brother, Dustin Reed of Lubbock and uncle, Glen Calvert of Flomot. Wednesday afternoon she was greeted with a Happy Birthday chorus by women at the Flomot Community Center attending a Quilting Bee.

### WEATHER REPORT

Mrs. Tommie Cruse, NWSV of Flomot, registered 1.12 of rain, Thursday, March 18 for a total of 2.92 inches for the month. Jim Stockton of Whiteflat reported 1.40 inch of rain, Thursday, March 18, bringing the total rainfall for the month to 2.25 inches.

### FESTIVE BIRTHDAY

A festive time was held Monday morning, March 22 when friends arrived at the home of Mrs. Geneva Martin to observe her birthday. She received cards, gifts and best wishes. Refreshments of cake, fruit bars and coffee were served.

Those attending were Mesdames Trula Martin, Kathy Shorter, Waydette Clay, Leona Degan, Mary Jo Calvert, Anna Beth Clay, Suzie Shannon, Alma Shorter and B. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin enjoyed a tour of the Big Bend National Park from Wednesday until Friday, located along the Rio Grande in western Texas. Among tourist attractions were the Chisos Mountains, fossil trees, geological relics of ancient civilization and animals including bighorn sheep, antelopes and Sonoran deer.

Katie Hamilton of Amarillo visited

during her school spring holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms. Her mother, Seritha Pearce of Amarillo visited during the weekend and accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Washington, who spent the winter months in their mobile home near Orlando, Florida, visited during the week with his mother, Mrs. Edith Washington and other relatives. They were in Lubbock, Monday for medical tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee were in Amarillo, Sunday to visit her sister in law, Mrs. Ellen Skinner of Quitaque, a patient in the CCC unit at Northwest Texas Hospital where she was conveyed by ambulance.

Trent and Kevin Tiffin of Weatherford visited during the spring holidays with their great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen D. Tiffin. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tiffin visited Friday and accompanied them home.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson attended to business in Plainview, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan of Kalgary, Mrs. Jackie Davis and Michael of Fritch and Donnie Rogers of Flomot were supper guests, Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers. Visiting them Sunday was son, Ronnie Rogers of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Barclay, Colton and Kayla of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Cody Barclay, Lane and Ashton of Flomot visited during the weekend with their family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay and Ty.

Mrs. Kevin (Keri) Sehon of Wolforth visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter.

Mrs. Tommie Cruse visited the weekend in Rising Star with her mother, Mrs. Dona Browning and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Browning.

Visiting Friday with Mrs. Leona Degan were son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan of Kalgary. Leona visited in Plainview, Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Mildred Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter, both on the sick list, have been receiving out patient medical treatment in Floydada. They visited Mr. and Mrs. John Speer, Thursday in Floydada.

Mrs. Jackie Davis and son, Michael of Fritch visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey. Art Green attended to business in Plainview, Friday.

Floyd T. Starkey of Ralls visited his mother, Mrs. C.W. Starkey, Sunday.

## Matador News

Mrs. Barbara Luster and daughter, Amanda of Cisco visited from Tuesday until Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Slover.

Mrs. Joyce Campbell had knee surgery, Monday, March 22.

Mrs. Virginia Nimmo is a patient in Lubbock at Covenant Medical Center.

Friends may write Wynona Gilbreath at her new address, 1701 30th St., Lubbock, TX 79411.

## More Neighborhood News

trip to New Orleans with daughter Carolyn and Mr. Limmer. She said, when her husband Frank died, that Matador is a wonderful place to live, but to die there is Heaven. Her friends have supplied her with food, on occasion, and Brother Monte Wike has been good to bring her mail, or run other errands, if needed. The Study Club sent food from their Gentlemen's banquet; the Methodists at Roaring Springs sent a huge plate from their Sunday dinner at Lula's the 21st. She did miss Eastern Star Friendship night, as did some of the others of us.

"The time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land." Songs of Solomon 2:12. Third version is speaking of the turtle dove, which is defined by Webster as its Old World dove characterized by its wistful cooing in the Spring. We see more Robins, and you can be persuaded that the ones around your house know you in person; they are so friendly.

Seeing the Carrie Burnham obituary in the Tribune prompted us to read the story of the Jesse Dudley Perkins story in Eleanor's book. It is a beautiful story involving many pioneer families of Motley County. It brings back memories to me of the time when I was 8 years old and lived just north of Dockum Creek on the 'old Luce Place' just north of Spur, Tx. Preacher Burnham lived down our lane directly east across the Spur-Dickens Turnpike. My mother sent me with a gallon syrup bucket each evening to the Burnhams for milk. As I remember I took a dime to pay for the sweet milk, and was often given buttermilk free. When mother paid Mrs. Burnham a call, I was a nuisance; I wanted to play the little table model disk phonograph. The twilights I walked through were all warm and pleasant, and the roads sticker-free.

R.L. and Lillie Brandon were precious neighbors. He worked with Algie Groves for the highway department and they were Masonic Brothers. Our thoughts are with the family.

Mike Groves has been in Park Plaza Hospital in Houston since Tuesday, March 16, being treated for malnutrition and dehydration due to a virus. He is a longtime survivor of the Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome, although testing HIV positive in 1990 and has hopes of returning soon to his high-rise apartment in Memorial Towers. He was able to eat and walk Sunday. Mike's cousin Dr. Rob Renfro of Beaumont reported to us after he visited Mike on Sunday. An AIDS patient has only Hope and Faith, and the total support of his family and friends, including doctors. Mike has that.

Son Pat passed his 59th birthday Saturday without incident. He and daughter Courtney just may be able to come to see us while his wife Kathy flies with her mother to Hong Kong and a cruise to other port cities.

Son James Truman "Jim" Groves in Arcadia still plans to be in Lubbock in

## Obituaries

### Eugene Saldana, Jr. Rose Saldana

Graveside rites for Eugene Saldana, Jr. 46, and Rose Saldana, 43, both of Matador, were held at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, March 20, at the Roaring Springs Full Gospel Church. Interment was under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Saldana died early Wednesday, March 17 at their home in Matador.

Eugene Saldana was born July 7, 1952 at Luling, Texas.

Rose Ann Saldana was born May 15, 1955 at Biloxi, Mississippi. They were married January 3, 1978 in Dallas, Texas, and moved to Matador twelve years ago from San Antonio.

Eugene Saldana operated an auto body repair shop in Matador, and Rose Saldana was manager of Allsup's Convenience Store in Matador.

They are survived by their children: two sons, Eugene Saldana, III, of Odessa and Obadiah Saldana of Matador; three daughters, Rose Marie Carroll of Odessa,

Eva Jean Saldana of Odessa, and Rachel Saldana of Matador. Mr. Saldana is also survived by one son, Joel Saldana of San Angelo; two daughters, Linda Ho-Gland of Roaring Springs, and Lisa Nieto of Big Spring; his mother, Janie Torres of Matador; three brothers, Ben Saldana of Big Springs, Joe Saldana of San Angelo, and Juan Saldana of Matador; four sisters, Arelia Salazar of Matador; Rose Ho-Gland of Roaring Springs, Janie Espinosa of Clayton, N.M., and Tina Ho-Gland of Matador; two half sisters, Simona Chavez of Vernon, and Casmira Ramirez of Tahoka.

Mrs. Saldana's survivors also include her mother, Ernestina Rodriguez of Matador; three brothers, Ralph De La Cerda of San Antonio, Gavino De La Cerda of San Antonio, and Jacinto De La Cerda of Matador; four sisters, Cynthia Lopez of San Antonio, Ernestina Gomez of Matador, Amelia Rodriguez of San Antonio, and Otilia Hernandez of San Antonio. They are also survived by several grandchildren.

### Deryl D. King

Graveside rites for Deryl D. King, 73, of Dallesport, Washington, were held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, March 19, at the Roaring Springs Cemetery in Roaring Springs, Texas. Officiating was Rev. Rickey Lawrence, pastor of the Roaring Springs Full Gospel Church. Interment was under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Mr. King died Monday, March 15, at Houston, Texas.

He was born December 31, 1925, in Carroll County, Arkansas. He was a former resident of Roaring Springs, and had lived in the Dallesport, Washington

area for about forty years. He was employed as a pipeline construction supervisor and worked in the middle East countries for several years. He was a member of the Carpenters and Joiners Union of America, a member of the Grange, and was Assistant Fire Chief of the Dallesport, Washington Volunteer Fire Department. He also operated a small wrecking yard near his home.

He is survived by one brother, Joe King of Austin; two sisters, Linda Turcotte of Sacramento, CA, and Bonnie Sue Boyd, of Roseville, CA; six nieces and five nephews.

## Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

### OVERHEARD

A loving marriage under God is the oldest and most fundamental institution of our society.

### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Mrs. Nathan (Carol) Gilbreth, daughters, Kathy and Susan and friend Curtis Mitchell of Sundown visited Friday and Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Martin.

They celebrated Kathryn's birthday Friday night with a family dinner, decorated cake and gifts in her home. Other guests at the happy occasion were her son and family, Hal and Kellie Martin of Matador and their son, Ryan, a student at Tarleton University in Stephenville.

Mrs. Frances Dixon accompanied Mrs. Ines Bailey and Mrs. Nora Belle Dunning of Matador to Tulsa last Monday, March 15 to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Hoyet Burnam, nee Carrie D.

Perkins, held at the First Baptist Church and burial in the Rose Hill Cemetery. She was a former resident of Whiteflat. Art Green of Flomot and Mrs. Kathryn Martin visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin. Other visitors were Raynita and Wendell Newman of Spur.

Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner and Cobey, Saturday were Mrs. Carolyn Luckenbach and Mrs. Bess McWilliams of Silverton. Cobey returned to Stephenville Sunday afternoon where he is a student at Tarleton University, after visiting his spring holidays here.

Mrs. Juanita Cooper accompanied her granddaughter, Kourtney Dunnam, who visited during the spring holidays, to her home in Amarillo, Wednesday. She visited her parents, Kay and Ken Dunnam and returned home, Sunday.

Mrs. Skeet Jameson attended to business in Plainview, Saturday.

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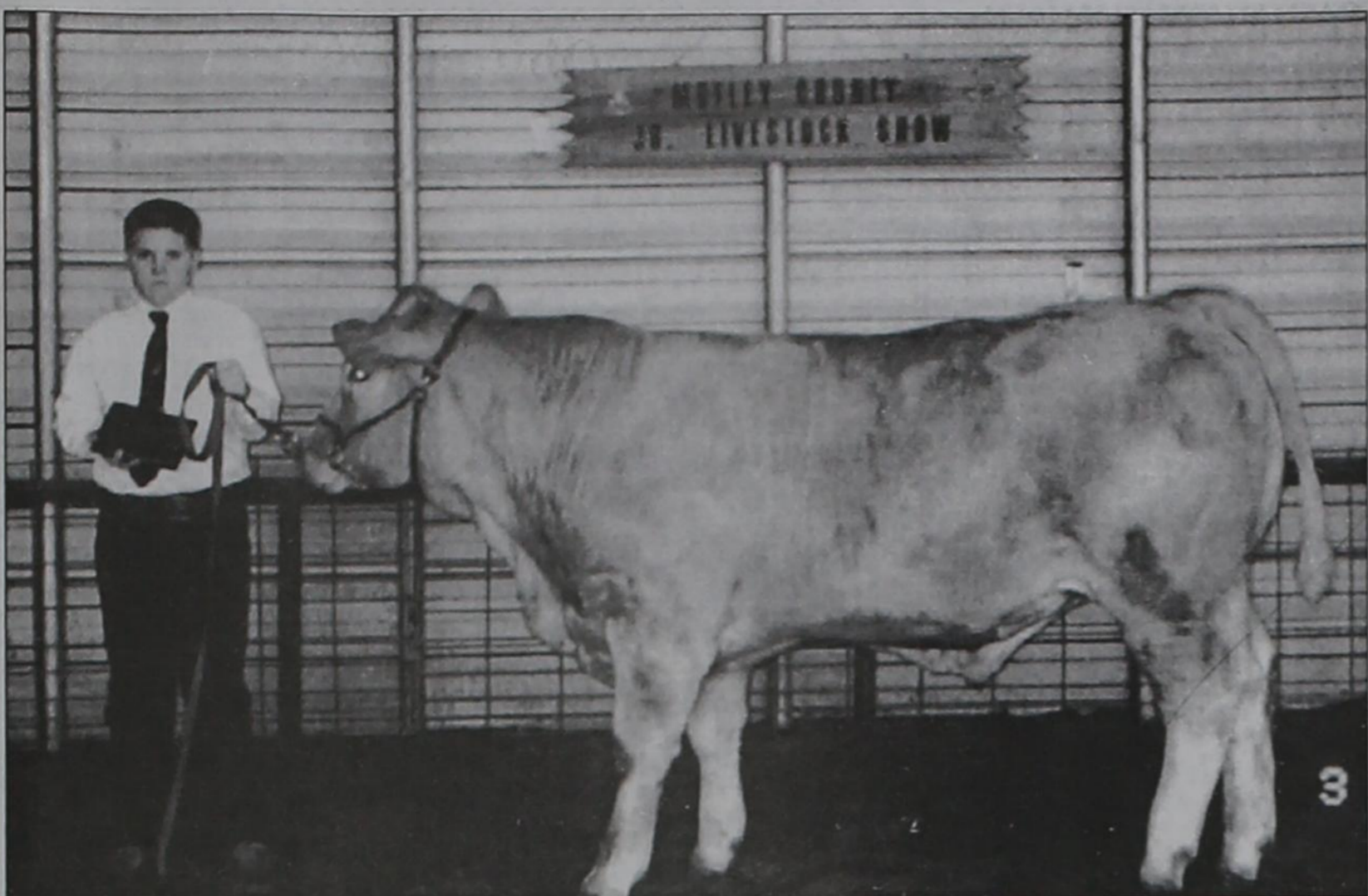


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### Stock Show winners

Colton Russell received the Rate-of-Gain award with his steer, pictured above, at the Motley County Stock Show, held March 13.

Pictured at left are Justin Todd and Shane'a Russell, only two of the many participants in the PeeWee Hog Show.

Colton and Shane'a are the children of J.D. and D'Anna Russell and Justin is the son of Ben and DVonna Grundy of Matador.

Photos courtesy of Cathy Turner and D'Anna Russell



## Cotton



### PCG INTERPRETING 1999 CROP INS. PROVISIONS

With the end of the sales period for crop insurance ending March 15, questions about how the program will work in 1999 are abundant.

One of the biggest concerns among producers is how newly enacted changes to the late planting period will affect them. It appears that the program will work much as it has in the past and individual situations will continue to be evaluated on a case by case basis.

PCG is seeking clarification on several different aspects of the program and will communicate any definitive answers received to producers as they are received.

### KFLP CONFIRMS INCREASED COVERAGE ON 900 AM

Boosting its AM coverage area, Floydada radio station KFLP is rapidly becoming a reliable source of up to date agricultural information. KFLP can be found at 900 on the AM dial and at 95.3 FM.

KFLP recently reinstated broadcasts on its 900 AM station with a more powerful transmitter that significantly expands the stations coverage area.

KFLP 900 AM can now be heard from the Amarillo area down as far as portions of Dawson, Gaines, Howard, and Scurry counties in the south. East to west KFLP reaches areas from as far away as Munday, Chillicothe and Hollis, Oklahoma across to Muleshoe, Plains and past the New Mexico state line at Texico, New Mexico.

KFLP's return to the AM dial is good news for High Plains cotton producers who have another reliable source they can turn to for market and news information wherever they happen to be in the High Plains region.

KFLP provides regular market updates, reports from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. and a variety of guests that will include in coming weeks Billy Dunavant of Dunavant Enterprises in Memphis, Tennessee, Mark Lange from the National Cotton Council and regular visits from area legislators such as Congressman Larry Combest and Charles Stenholm.

### WASHINGTON UPDATE

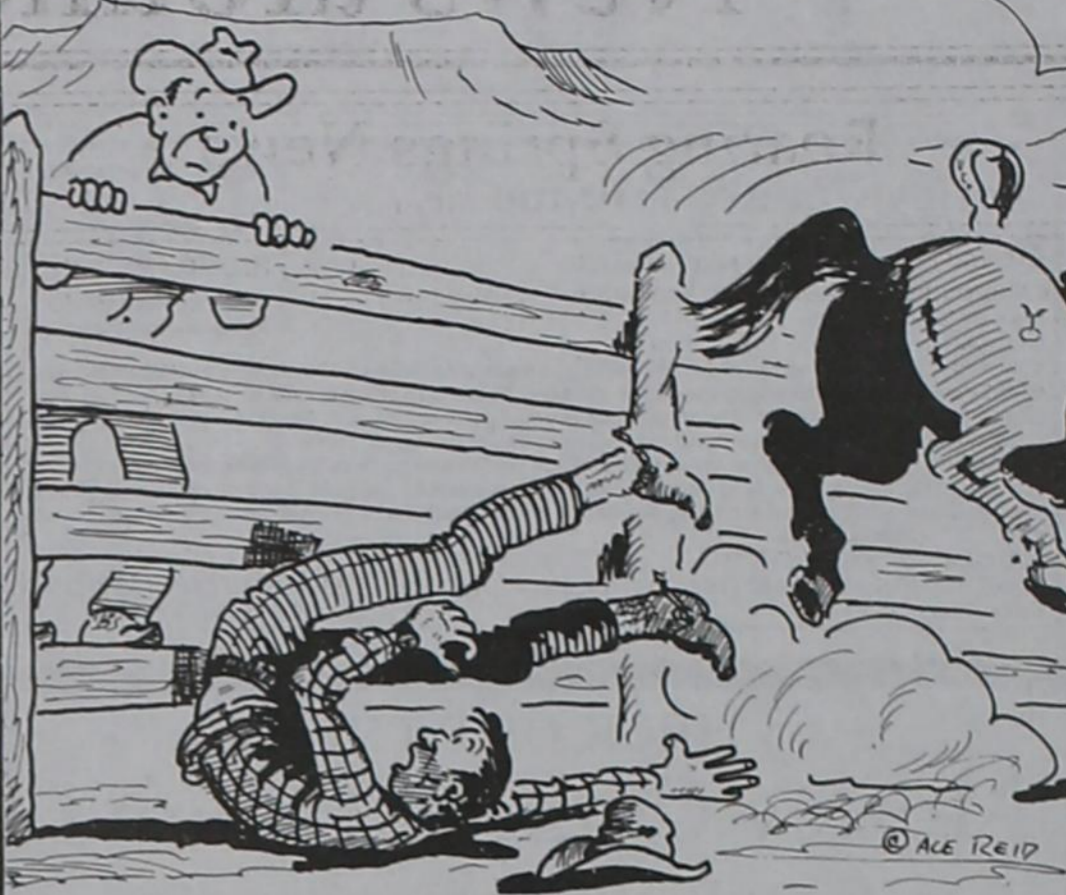
New agricultural spending totaling as much as \$6 billion dollars over four years has been announced as part of the House Budget Committee's \$1.74 trillion spending proposal.

The \$6 billion in additional spending authority for agriculture could mean as much as \$1.5 billion a year in additional funding for the crop insurance program. House Agriculture Committee Chairman Larry Combest (R-Lubbock), who has been outspoken in his desire to strengthen the economic safety net for producers, called the money a triumph for America's farmers.

The Senate Budget Committee is expected to pass a similar budget resolution today. The budget resolutions will act as a blueprint for discussion and helps layout priorities for future legislative discussions.

### COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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## Green Thumb promotes Older Worker Week



Green Thumb workers and sponsors join Judge Laverna Price, center, while she signs a proclamation promoting Older Worker Week in Texas, March 14-20. Pictured, back left to right) are Florence Gallagher, Field operator assistant; Tressie Warren, George Brinsfield, Castulo Gonzalez, Georgia Witcher, Odessa Mullins, and Bobbie Brown, Sponsor for Caprock Community Center, Suzanne Abbot, is not pictured.

Waco, Texas --- Each year Green Thumb promotes Hire the Older Worker Week which spotlights our senior work force and the contributions they bring to the labor market and encourages employers to profit from their skills, abilities, and experience. Since 1965, Green Thumb, Inc., has operated the Senior Community Service Employment program which provides mature workers with part-time employment and training opportunities.

Funded through the U.S. Department of Labor, the program serves primarily the rural areas in 132 Texas counties. Green Thumb gives older, economically-disadvantaged job seekers the opportunity of sharing their years of experience, hard work, and dedication through work assign-

ments in locally-based organizations. Through their participation, the seniors maintain their independence as production contributors to their communities and profit from job-skills training which allows for transition back into private sector employment.

For more information regarding senior employment and training opportunities, contact Green Thumb, Inc., P.O. Box 7898, Waco, Texas 76714, 817/776-4081.

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