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Motley County ISD Selected For 1993 TSSAS Performance Gain Award



Motley County ISD Superintendent George Blanch and Principal Dick VanHoose are pictured here with Commissioner Lionel Meno when they received an award for 1993 TSSAS Performance Gain.

Motley County ISD has been selected for a 1993 Texas Successful Schools Award System (TSSAS) Performance Gain Award. Mr. George Blanch, Superintendent, and Mr. Dick VanHoose, Principal, attended the awards ceremony in Austin, July 17. The award is \$30,000 or higher. The ceremony was held in Austin at the Performing Arts Center on the University of Texas campus.

To be eligible for the monetary awards the schools had to meet certain performance criteria on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test. The drop-out rate and student performance on college entrance exams are also included in the criteria for selecting secondary schools for the award.

The criteria for the Performance Gain Award is as follows:

— Current year performance must

exceed the criteria set by the Texas Schools Award System.

— Performance must be in the top 10% of demographic group on overall gain; and

— Gain must be 2% minimum.

Schools must have a minimum of three years of TAAS data in one grade level.

The criteria were adopted by the Texas Commissioner of Education based upon recommendations made by an advisory committee.

The amount appropriated to TSSAS awards this year is \$20 million. Last year almost \$10 million was disbursed among 139 Texas public schools for performance gains on the TAAS. Non-monetary awards are also given to selected campuses for outstanding effort on the TAAS. Twenty-two campuses in Region 17 have been selected for these non-monetary awards.

What Senate Bill 7 Means To Motley County ISD

by Superintendent George Blanch

Most people have read Articles dealing with the new finance bill (SB7) passed by the legislature to equalize school funding.

The most significant affect of the new bill is most schools will receive less state aid (rich or poor) causing school districts to rely more on local taxes to operate their schools.

The basic impact of SB7 on Motley County ISD will be:

1. Basic allotment per student was dropped from \$2400.00 per student to \$2300.00 per student. Motley County will lose approximately \$27,000.00 in state aid.

2. Local incentive was dropped from \$22.50 to \$20.00 per WADA. Motley County will lose approximately \$20,000.00.

3. School districts are required to raise school taxes by at least 4¢ (86¢ plus 1 and B).

4. The effective tax rate for 1993-1994 is \$1.12. (an effective tax rate is the amount of taxes required to raise the same amount of revenue that was needed the preceding year).

We are receiving information, several items each week regarding different parts or phases of SB7 that deal with school funding. There are still some unanswered questions but as of today, SB7 does not look good for the tax payers of the State of Texas.

10th Annual Burleson Memorial Roping To Feature Craig Cameron "The Gentle Way"

The Burleson Memorial weekend, July 23, 24, 25, has an added bonus for this, its tenth year of horse activities, that benefits the scholarship fund in the Ranch & Feedlot Operations course at Clarendon Jr. College. A horsemanship seminar known as "The Gentle Way" will be presented both Saturday July 24 at 10 a.m. and again on Sunday, July 25 at 10 a.m. by Craig Cameron, spectators and participate will have the opportunity to see this cutting horse guru of sports from Giddings, Texas. Craig Cameron, a seasoned PRCA Bronc and Bull Rider with 15 years of experience operating a commercial cow calf operation, now concentrates on horse-breaking. His methods produce a foundation for trust and responsiveness. You can see the dramatically successful techniques that have made Craig one of the nation's top trainers. He has trained horses for Bum Phillips in Houston, at the Ralph Lauren Ranch in Colorado. Craig's methods work for him, and they will work for you.

This year's honored guest as in years past will be the 1993 Scholarship Recipients Donald Edwards, Mineola, Texas; Jason Sherwood, San Jon, N.M.; Trisha Austin, Claude, Texas; and Jon David Fennel, Amarillo.

To date, July 1993, there have been 34 Scholarships provided in the Ranch & Feedlot Operations course at Clarendon.

Friday, July 23, 9 a.m., begins with the Caprock Cutting Horse Association working the Cutting Horse events. You do not have to be a member to participate and there are twelve classes available for Cutting enthusiasts to enter. Following the Cutting events on Friday evening will be the popular Team Penning Activity. This year's prizes, bits made by Wade Bran-

non of Silverton, have been donated by D.M. Cogdell, Jr., Lockney; Craig and Dean Turner, Matador; Carl and Dorothy Bomar, Silverton.

Saturday morning begins early, 7 a.m., for the Youth Horse Riding events. Cowgirl Hall of Fame inductee, Dude Barton, will be on hand to help with the youth activities for the three ages, Pee Wee, Junior and Seniors. The Trophies have been donated by Ronee Thornton Paton of Lubbock. All Around Boy and Girl will receive Head Stalls made by Alvin Durham of Roaring Springs.

The Hay Barn, 9 a.m., will be the headquarters for the Annual Washer Pitching Event, overseen by Swisher County Judge, Jay Johnson, and his wife, Patsy.

Craig Cameron will present his horsemanship seminar at 10 a.m. at the Barn. Known as the "Gentle Way."

The Alford Family, Circle A of Hereford, will be ready to get the Team Roping divisions underway at noon in the arena. A Twister Saddle will be given as prize to the high-point winner of the day in the Team Roping events.

Sunday morning, July 25, begins at 9 a.m. with a number #3 Team Roping which will be followed with the thrilling and spilling Pasture Roping narrated by Floyd Hardin of Childress.

As in the years past there is a gate admission of \$3, and all the gate admissions and proceeds go toward the scholarships. So whether you are a horse participant or just enjoy watching them, give the Burleson Memorial weekend a place on your calendar July 23, 24, 25 at Burleson Arena, Farm Road 2009 Flo-mot, or between Turkey and Matador off Hwy. 70.

Hospital Board Accepts Resignation of Board Member

The Motley County Hospital District Board of Directors held their regular monthly meeting, Wednesday, July 7 at 7 a.m. at the Motley County Clinic. Minutes were read and approved. Bills were paid and approved. The Budget Hearing was set for August 11 at 7:00 p.m.

The Board accepted the resignation of Board Member, James Stanley. They elected to appoint a replacement at the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned.

Record Number Of Contestants Show Their Stuff At 19th Annual Motley County 4-H Junior Rodeo

The 19th Annual Motley County Junior Rodeo was held at the Roaring Springs Old Settlers Rodeo Arena, Friday and Saturday, July 9 and 10. Just under 200 contestants participated during the excitement filled nightly performances.

"This year's Jr. Rodeo was a huge success with a record number of contestants entered," says County Extension Agent Michael Clawson. "We greatly appreciate all the hard work and time put into the Rodeo by the Board of Directors, adult leaders, 4-H members, and other volunteers. Without their assistance, the Rodeo would not be possible."

Every contestant was a real winner, and results are as follows:

PRE-KIDS:

All Around Boy, Stetson Vest, Monahans; All Around Girl, Lacey Townsend.

Barrels - 1st., Joe Ed Word, Vernon; 2nd., Lacey Townsend; 3rd., Sterling Smith, Post; 4th., Brittany Jones, Aspermont; 5th., Riley Abbott, Aspermont; 6th., Tana Bateman, Electra.

Flags - 1st. Brittany Jones, Aspermont; 2nd., Stetson Vest, Monahans; 3rd., Tana Bateman, Electra; 4th., Lacey Townsend; 5th., Casey Lawrence, Seymour; 6th., Riley Abbott, Aspermont.

Poles - 1st., Casey Lawrence, Seymour; 2nd., Joe Ed Word, Vernon; 3rd., Lacey Townsend; 4th., Riley Abbott, Aspermont; 5th., Hannah Clawson, Bula; 6th., Sterling Smith, Post.

Goat Ribbon Pull - 1st., Stetson Vest, Monahans; 2nd., Lacey Townsend; 3rd., Brittany Jones, Aspermont; 4th., Tana Bateman, Aspermont; 5th., Joe Ed Word, Vernon; 6th., Sterling Smith, Post.

Calf Riding - 1st., Sawyer Vest, Monahans; 2nd., Stetson Vest, Monahans; 3rd., Steve Bowen, Childress; 4th., Cole Grundy, Matador; 5th., Clay Cooper, Matador; 6th., Perry Whitaker, Matador.

PEE WEE:

All Around Boy, Byron Fields, Guthrie; All Around Girl, Becca Clawson, Bula.

Barrels - 1st., Becca Clawson, Bula; 2nd., Shandra Jones, Matador; 3rd., Jennifer Fowler, Rotan; 4th., Jayme Rowland; 5th., Clayton Brooker, Whiteface; 6th., Cassie Lamb, Haskell.

Flags - 1st., Becca Clawson, Bula; 2nd., Nicole Jones, Aspermont; 3rd., Jennifer Fowler, Rotan; 4th., Vandon Vest, Monahans; 5th., Sommer Portwood, Seymour; 6th., Brad Blount, Paducah.

Poles - 1st., Jennifer Fowler, Rotan; 2nd., Cassie Lamb, Haskell; 3rd., Becca Clawson, Bula; 4th., Emily Smith, Post; 5th., Sommer Portwood, Seymour; 6th., Ronnie Morrow.

Goat Tying - 1st., Emily Smith, Post; 2nd., Becca Clawson, Bula; 3rd., Ronnie Morrow; 4th., Sommer Portwood, Seymour; 5th., Clayton Brooker, Whiteface; 6th., Vandon Vest, Monahans.

Steer Riding - 1st., Byron Fields, Guthrie; 2nd., Bonner Cooper; 3rd., Casey Short, Justiceburg; 4th., Josh Halsell, Crowell; 5th., Robert Merrick, Guthrie; 6th., Jake Merrick, Guthrie.

Break-A-Way - 1st., Jake Merrick, Guthrie; 2nd., Jace Rowland; 3rd., Hegan Lamb, Haskell.

Steer Daubing - 1st., Andy Paul Jones Roaring Springs; 2nd., Seth Lee; 3rd., Jennifer Fowler, Rotan; 4th., Byron Fields, Guthrie; 5th., Casey Short, Justiceburg; 6th., Hegan Lamb, Haskell.

JUNIORS:

All Around Boy, Casey Crow, Lovington, N.M.; All Around Girl, Sarah Byars, Vernon.

Barrels - 1st., Sarah Byars, Vernon; 2nd., Lori Hudman, Post; 3rd., Misty Morrow, Haskell; 4th., Shawna Rowland; 5th., Tacy Condon, Benjamin; 6th., April Bateman, Spur.

Poles - 1st., Sarah Byars, Vernon; 2nd., Tacy Condon, Benjamin; 3rd., Lori Hudman, Post; 4th., Sunday Portwood, Seymour; 5th., Jody Avent, Stinnett; 6th., Jessica Fowler, Rotan.

Tie Down - 1st., Casey Crow, Lovington, N.M.; 2nd., Tee Hale, Spur; 3rd., Brad McGuire, Seymour; 4th., Scott Bearden, Crowell.

Goat Tying - 1st., Lori Hudman, Post; 2nd., Sarah Byars, Vernon; 3rd., Leslie Elliott, Stinnett; 4th., Kasey Parks, Roaring Springs; 5th., Kendra Atkinson, Spur;

6th., Jessica Fowler, Rotan.

Steer Riding - 1st., Clint Long, Girard; 2nd., Elwyn McCleskey, Hedley; 3rd., Casey Crow, Lovington, N.M.; 4th., Cody Graves, Hedley; 5th., Ryan Posey; 6th., Jerry Martin, Memphis.

Break-A-Way - 1st., Tacy Condon, Benjamin; 2nd., Sarah Byars, Vernon.

Ribbon Roping - 1st., Ty Wheeler, Lovington, N.M.; 2nd., Brad McGuire, Seymour; 3rd., John Gregory, Amarillo; 4th., Scott Bearden, Crowell; 5th., Jay Burns, Paducah; 6th., Heath Burns, Paducah.

Girls Steer Daubing - 1st., Kendra Atkinson, Spur; 2nd., Kasey Parks, Roaring Springs; 3rd., Jody Avent, Stinnett; 4th., Jessica Fowler, Rotan; 5th., Tacy Condon, Benjamin; 6th., Sunday Portwood, Seymour.

Boys Steer Daubing - 1st., Zack Brooker, Whiteface; 2nd., Casey Clark, Aspermont; 3rd., Justin Walker, Seymour; 4th., Casey Crow, Lovington, N.M.; 5th., Jay Burns, Paducah; 6th., Ross Dauby.

Team Roping - 1st., Ty Wheeler, Lovington, N.M. and Casey Crow, Lovington, N.M.

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Roaring Springs City Council Meets

The Roaring Springs City Council met Thursday, July 15 at 7:30 p.m. with all council members present, Mary Webb, Mayor Pro-tem, Gene Brannon, Kelly Keltz, Gary Smith and Bruce Lefevre, and Frances Walters, City Manager.

The Council heard the minutes and bills read, and approved. Walters explained the high cost of \$281 (\$206 for the glass and \$75 for the installation) for the replacement of the window in the city backhoe that was shot out while parked by the fire department garage. Walters explained that it had been turned in to the Sheriff's Department and they are looking into the shooting. Walters stated they would appreciate any help from citizens.

Walters also informed the Council of the changes that will be coming with the passing of approximately 100 new bills that will effect the cities. One to do with competitive bids for expenditures of more than \$5,000 and another with new requirements from the American with Disabilities Act (ADA).

Mayor Joey Thacker arrived at 8:00 p.m. to finish the meeting and hear Mayor Wayne Bishop of Dickens. Bishop explained the latest news from SPAG concerning the landfill situation. As of June 24 EPA has announced that cities with less than 100 tons of solid waste a day will be given 6 months extension.

They also have a plan to propose adding a two year (April 9, 1996) extension to small arid and remote landfills.

Bishop explained they are doing everything possible to keep their landfill and keep the City of Roaring Springs as participants with them. They also want to work with other rural arid landfill owners to get fulltime exemptions.

They are concerned with the quantity of solid waste coming from Quail Pipe Company, and may have to cut down on outside waste coming in.

Council went into executive session at this time to discuss personnel and finances. Meeting adjourned.

School Board Meets New Girls Basketball Coach Hired

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met Wednesday, July 14. Board members Gale Stafford and Randy Barton were absent.

Items approved were the following: * minutes, * bills, * budget additions, * to advertise for bids for Milk, Bread, LPG, Gas and Diesel, Fleet Insurance, Property/General Liability Insurance and Student Insurance.

* To set School lunch prices. It was decided to set the price the same as last year. This will be published at a later date.

The Board went into executive session at 8:00 p.m. and out at 8:20 p.m. It was decided to hire Jack McNew as Girls Basketball coach.

Superintendent Blanch explained Senate Bill 1342 had not been clarified at present. This bill states that a person cannot be a board member and do business with the School.

Blanch announced that the Motley County School had been awarded \$30,000 for being rated one of the good schools by the Texas Education Association. Meeting adjourned.

U.S. Representative Sarpalius' Mobile Office to be in Matador

U.S. Rep. Bill Sarpalius' mobile office will be in Matador on July 23 from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the courthouse.

The mobile office allows the congressman to bring his office's services directly to his constituents.

"I have always believed that to be an effective public servant you have to go to the people and hear their wants and needs,"

Sarpalius said. "I was elected not just to represent you, but to serve you. That's why I have this mobile office."

The mobile office will be travelling to each town in the district on a periodic basis. For more information contact Doug Dodson, Community Representative, at 806/371-8844.



Rhonda Long McCleskey is a new face around the courthouse. She is now working as the Bonding Officer for the 110th Judicial District in Motley County, which is funded by a grant from the Criminal Justice Assistance Division. Her office is located in the Judge's office.

Cravens Celebrate 60th Wedding Anniversary

About 100 brave souls came to the Senior Citizens Building in Matador, Texas July 11, 1993 to help J.D. and Opal Craven celebrate sixty years of married life in spite of the hot weather. They came from Sundown, Levelland, Odessa, Plains, Hereford, Tulia, Kress, Jayton, Childress, Quanah, Amarillo, San Saba, Midland, Lubbock, Dickens, Brownfield, and Matador, Texas; and Locust Grove, OK and North Carolina.

The Cravens' four lovely daughters: Cora Ann, Rachel, Francine, and Patti with their husbands hosted the celebration. A lot of visiting and reminiscence went on for the family and friends. Patti and family could not attend the party as they had to catch salmon in Alaska for us "land-lubbers" to buy, but they were here in spirit.

The serving table was beautifully

decorated with a white embroidered linen cloth over blue satin cloth. The centerpiece of blue and mauve flowers with blue candles centered the table with a beautiful white, blue and mauve decorated cake and lime punch, nuts, and mints served by the Craven daughters.

On July 10, 1993 Opal and J.D., attended by her sister, Bertha and Alvin Stearns, were united in marriage in Clayton, N.M. at the Methodist parsonage. They went on to Lake City, Colo. for a three week honeymoon.

The cards, telephone calls and visits were appreciated so very much by the Cravens. Mr. and Mrs. Craven stated, "We hope each of you have as happy a sixty years of married life as the good Lord has blessed us with, and four daughters, nine grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren. Thank you so much."

Matador Senior Citizens Report

by Bill Dunning

The Matador Senior Citizens met on July 13, 1993 for our first luncheon of the month with 27 people attending. So many of you were ill or gone to visit relatives. J.W., we were glad to have you and Earley with us.

Rev. Gaylon Cox gave the blessing for the meal. A good meal was enjoyed by all.

Jean Cooper called the meeting to order, minutes of the last meeting were read and treasurer's report was given. As it is almost time for the Lubbock Fair, we

elected our Senior Citizens of the Year to represent our Matador center. Kate Henderson nominated Daisy Smith and J.W. Pritchett as Senior Woman and Man of the Year. The motion carried.

We will elect officers of the year soon, be thinking about who you want to serve. We will be electing President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer and Reporter.

Artie, Iris, Addie, and Ruby, we missed you four. Get well and get back home, we need you.

Heirloom Exhibition At Do Gooders' Club

The Do Gooders' Club was given an exhibition of family heirlooms Tuesday afternoon, July 6 at the Community Center in Flomot.

Among the treasured possessions handed down from generation to genera-

tion was a blue velvet picture album covered with celluloid displaying distinct family pictures. It belonged to Mrs. Jimmie Hunter's great-great grandmother. She also had a darning egg and curling irons that found a chimney when heated to curl your hair. Mrs. B. Rogers brought a 1939 November publication of LIFE magazine, her wedding date; a square COKE bottle and a DR. PEPPER bottle with a 10-2-4 engraved on the side. Mrs. Bernice Bond had a family Bible.

Adding to the museum decor, hostesses Mrs. Erma Washington and Mrs. Donna Beck had an old HONOR BUILT cattle cube cotton sack on the table centered with a Cathartic pill jar filled with early day kitchen utensils including an ice shaver. Flanking the centerpiece was a glass aspirin bottle with a tin lid, wooden cigar box and baby bottle. They presided at a Carnival glass service, Snuff glasses and antique aluminum feed scoops. They served dip and chips, cake, Amish bread, fruit punch and coffee.

Mrs. Washington, president, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Bond, secretary and treasurer, gave a financial report of the chances sold for the western designed jacket, donated by Mrs. Coleen Morris Burns of Granbury, the oil painting, donated by Mrs. Ernestine Wanon Payne of Quitaque and the club's quilt. Mrs. Payne's name was drawn for the jacket, Mrs. Mary Turner of Lubbock won the painting and Howard Rogers of Flomot the quilt.

In other business, it was announced the Do Gooders' Club will have a Tasting Bee at the next meeting, August 3 and each member is to bring her favorite beverage, dessert, canape or etc. They were advised to bring recipe cards if they wanted the ingredients of a recipe.

Concluding the meeting, Secret Pal gifts were given. Those attending were Mesdames Lucille Monk, Barbara Payne, Mary Jo Calvert, Jimmie Hunter, Bernice Bond, Donna Beck, Erma Washington, Christeen Gilbert, B. Rogers and guest, Brooke Rogers of Lindale.

OBITUARIES

REV. E.H. LOCKE

Graveside services for the Rev. E.H. "Hollice" Locke, 71, of Lubbock, former pastor of the Flomot Baptist Church, were held at noon, Saturday, July 3 in the City of Lubbock Cemetery. The Rev. Dan B. Wimberly officiated. Burial was under the direction of Rix Funeral Home Directors.

Locke died Friday, July 2, 1993 in the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Big Spring.

He was born August 14, 1921 in Lamar County. He married Nina Bell Bates. He was U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War. He moved to Lubbock in 1951. He was a warehouse foreman for Olen Stewart Storage for 34 years and a Baptist minister for 29 years. He was a member of Mount Olive Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, David of Lubbock; three brothers, Melvin of Paris, Weldon of Bonham and T.J. of Lubbock; and a grandson.

CECIL B. SWIM

Services for Cecil B. Swim, 75, of Roaring Springs were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday, July 16 in First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs with the Rev. Donnie Howell, pastor, officiating.

Burial in Roaring Springs Cemetery was directed by Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Swim died at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 14, 1993, at his residence.

He was born Jan. 25, 1918, in Wilbarger County and was a veteran of military service in World War II. He was a mechanic and operated a catering business in California. He moved to Roaring Springs from Littlefield in 1987. He was a member of the Roaring Springs Methodist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Cecil B. J. of Blue Jay, Calif., and John of Aspen, Colo.; a daughter, Rebecca Knight of Buena Park, Calif.; two brothers, J.T. and S.A., both of Roaring Springs; a sister, Lula of Roaring Springs; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

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ington, N.M.; 2nd., Stoney Jones, Aspermont and Bay Hecht, Aspermont.

SENIORS:
All Around Boy, Josh Crow, Lovington, N.M.; All Around Girl, Shawna Davidson, Lubbock.

Barrels - 1st., Jill Voss, Snyder; 2nd., Heather Dickson, Post; 3rd., Shawna Davidson, Lubbock; 4th., Jodi Boykin, Northfield; 5th., Cassie Short, Justiceburg; 6th., Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs.

Poles - 1st., Heather Dickson, Post; 2nd., Chrissy Lawrence, Seymour; 3rd., Jody Morris, Muleshoe; 4th., Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs; 5th., Jill Voss, Snyder; 6th., Cassie Short, Justiceburg.

Tie Down - 1st., Josh Crow, Lovington, N.M. 2nd., Randall Reid, Breckenridge; 3rd., Wes Avent, Stinnett; 4th., Andy Hale, Spur; 5th., Clay Shelton, Vernon; 6th., Will Yoakum.

SENIORS:
Goat Tying - 1st., Shawna Davidson, Lubbock; 2nd., Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs; 3rd., Cassie Short, Justiceburg; 4th., Chrissy Lawrence, Seymour; 5th., Heather Dickson, Post; 6th., Jody Morris, Muleshoe.

Break-A-Way - 1st., Cassie Short, Justiceburg; 2nd., Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs.

Ribbon Roping - 1st., Heath Mitchell, Wheeler; 2nd., Josh Crow, Lovington, N.M.; 3rd., Jimmy Mardis, Muleshoe; 4th., Wes Avent, Stinnett; 5th., John Walker, Paducah; 6th., Clay Shelton, Vernon.

Girls Steer Daubing - 1st., Shawna Davidson, Lubbock; 2nd., Neva Hamilton, Paducah; 3rd., Jody Morris, Muleshoe; 4th., Cassie Short, Justiceburg; 5th., Heather Dickson, Post; 6th., Chrissy Lawrence, Seymour.

Boys Steer Daubing - 1st., Chris Littlefield, McLean; 2nd., Marty Vahlenkamp, Aspermont; 3rd., Trevor Brazette, Krum; 4th., Heath Mitchell, Wheeler; 5th., Kody Fort, Lovington, N.M.; 6th., Josh Crow, Lovington, N.M.

Team Roping - 1st., Ryan Rankin and Jim Locke, Miami; 2nd., Trevor Brazille, Krum and Jarrett Blessing, Paradise; 3rd., Tim Smith and Billy Cooper; 4th., Will Yoakum and Tommy Burnett; 5th., Chris Littlefield, McLean and Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs; 6th., Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs and Ken Gleghorn, Lubbock.

Bull Riding - 1st., Mike Craddock; 2nd., Jeremy McCoslin, Plainview.

Bareback - 1st., Ken Gleghorn, Lubbock; 2nd., Casey Sims, Childress; 3rd., Johnny Mayhugh, Abilene.

"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it."

Proverbs 22:6

Thank You

Thank you to all the people who volunteered their time to work at the gate and concession stand during the 4-H Jr. Rodeo. Without your help it could not be put on and be a success.

Bob Davis,
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News Around Motley County

Matador News

Flomot News

by Carlene Jameson

DELAYED

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Barham of Kress visited Mrs. Jeff Sperry, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse were in Altus, Oklahoma from Thursday until Saturday and attended the annual Browning family reunion. Also attending were E.J. Browning of Rising Star, former Flomot resident, and his mother, Mrs. Dona Browning of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, Donnie Rogers and daughters, Natalie and Brooke of Lindale visited Saturday in Kalgary with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shay and Dane. Shawna Degan of Lubbock joined them there. They celebrated the birthday of Shay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd visited in Amarillo, Thursday with Mrs. Leona Bell. Mr. and Mrs. Martin attended a birthday party honoring Mrs. Ruth Berry in Paducah, Sunday afternoon.

Art Green visited in Silverton, Sunday with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve

Green. He visited in Matador, Saturday with another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers and daughters, Natalie and Brooke of Lindale, who are visiting here this month, were guests, Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Duetherhaus and sons in Lubbock. They honored Paul Roberts of Lubbock on the occasion of his birthday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shay and Dane of Kalgary, and Mrs. Paul Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Kandy Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rogers, all of Lubbock.

Mrs. Judy Heiskell of Dalhart and Christi Heiskell of Lubbock visited from Saturday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert.

Mrs. James Monk and her houseguests, son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Monk of Tahrump, Nevada visited in Tulia, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope. Mr. and Mrs. Monk returned home, Tuesday.

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

Sympathy went out to the family of Cecil Swim who died at the home of his sister, Miss Lula Swim, July 14, after a long illness. J.T. Swim and his wife, Imogene, had assisted Lula in the care of Cecil during the last weeks of his illness. Another longtime resident gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hinson were Paducah visitors Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Veda Lou Koopecky of Palacios, Texas, arrived Wednesday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Vera Mitchell.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Thomas of Conway, Arkansas, and Mrs. Margie Oldham of Lufkin, Texas, were guests of the ladies' sister, Mrs. Minnie Dye the past weekend.

Mrs. Dorothy Lee took her granddaughter, Kelli Lee of Bocal, Washing-

ton, who had spent the week with her, to Clovis, N.M., Saturday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Evelyn Davis.

Postmistress Doris Neff attended a Leadership Sharing Postal Service Meeting in Amarillo Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Naomi Lawrence, 'held down the fort' here.

Mrs. Odessa Mullins was in Lubbock Wednesday of last week for a post surgery check-up.

Bill and Lee Peacock left Thursday of last week for Ruidoso, N.M. to attend the Mountain Hoedown, which was sort of a dream come true for them as ardent square dancers, not having attended one before.

Visiting the past week with Freda Keahey was her niece Rhonda Sarrell of Ft. Worth.

J.J. "Pappy" Davis Reunion

The J.J. "Pappy" Davis family reunion was held June 26 and 27 at the Senior Citizens Building in Matador.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fritz of Artesia, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and Amy, Tony Thompson, Charla and Dustin Howard, all of Garland; James Ray and Lois Smith of Johnson, Kansas; Odessa Mullins; Dorothy Lee, Roaring Springs; Eddie and Connie and boys, Devin and Dylan Mullins of Hereford; Lester and Irene Mullins of Hereford; Robert and Evelina

Goodnight of Floydada and her niece Deire Guffee; Helma and Charles Bow of Colorado Springs, Colorado; Rusty Ballard, Abilene; Allie Lawrence, Plainview Nursing Home; Johnnie Lee Ballard of Hawley; Mary Eules Beacham, and Gracie Lee Ballard, Snyder; Lillie Herron and granddaughter, Linda, Rotan; Bess Ferguson of Roaring Springs.

There were thirty members of the family attending and all really enjoyed visiting and talking over what had happened in the past year.

and Mrs. Carl Hester, Kristen and Christopher. Ted Hester is seriously ill.

Whiteflat News

by Carlene Jameson

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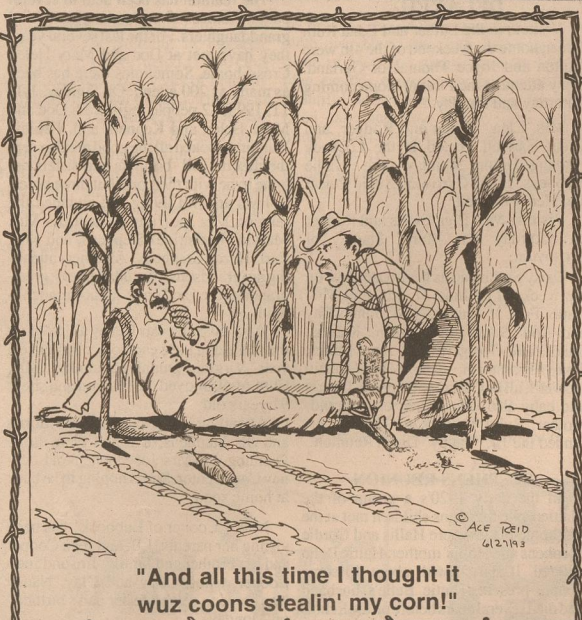
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NOTICE

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Adrianna Moreno Torres is not responsible for any debts incurred or checks written by Jessie Torres.

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF R.A. STAFFORD, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that Original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of R.A. Stafford, Deceased, were issued to the undersigned on the 21st day of June, A.D., 1993, in the proceedings indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate which is being administered, in the county below named, are hereby required to present the same to me at the address below given, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law.

Ruth M. Stafford, Executrix of the Estate of R.A. Stafford, Deceased, Cause No. 2405 in the County Court, Motley County, Texas
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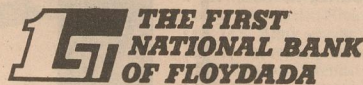
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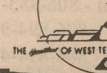
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