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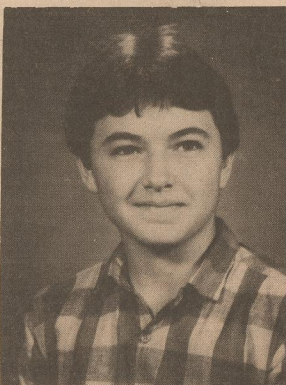
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8th Grade Graduation Honor Students Named



BONNIE RICHARDS



MATT WASHINGTON

Valedictorian of the 1987 Eighth Grade is Bonnie Richards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Richards of Matador. Bonnie's overall average was 93.54.

Matt Washington, whose overall average was 89.62, is the salutatorian. Matt is the son of Mr.

and Mrs. Tim Washington of Flomot. Other honor students in the class are Brandee Spray, Billy Lefevre, Tony Gonzales, Clinton Raetz and Natalie Burkes. Graduation ceremonies for the group will be on Friday, May 29, 1987 at 8:00 p.m. in the Motley County Gymnasium.

School Board Votes To Acquire Satellite System

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met May 13, 1987 in the school cafeteria for a demonstration of IBM Computer Hardware and Texas Educational Consulting Service Software. This was to show how schools would do their bookkeeping, etc., and be tied in with the Texas Education Agency in Austin. This system could be mandatory by 1990.

Adjourning to the boardroom for their regular meeting were President Donnie Cruse, Secretary Bobby Williams, Trustees Coy Franks, James Palmer, Randy Barton, and Guy Campbell, Roy G. Stephens was absent; Principals Don Ewing and Michael Patrick and Superintendent Ron Cummings were also present.

Williams read the minutes of the three April meetings. First order of business was to amend the budget for the completion of this school year. This included the special education department, substitute teachers, tutorials, general supplies, etc. This was voted on and passed 6-0.

Cummings informed the board that he had replaced the stolen 18hp tractor mower with a smaller 8hp tractor-mower.

Cummings explained the tie in to the satellite for classes that the school can use for honor student work and for extra courses that could be taped and used when needed, also the board can get part of their hours of board training on this. The Board passed 6-0 to purchase this satellite system.

Cummings explained the proposed plan to build a new track field. No action was taken.

Cummings asked the trustees to decide whether or not to finish the tree planting and the sprinkler system before it gets too hot. They decided to finish the tree planting on the southside, using 11 red oaks, 4 pinons, and 1 colorado spruce. Quail Pipe is donating the pipe for the sprinkler system and the board decided to look into the rest of this system. The PTO are working on a plan for the playground equipment.

The board discussed, again, buying an activity bus with the money from Washington; this bus will be a 46 passenger Trailways bus for the travel of all sports events. This passed 5-1.

Cummings gave proposed plans to have all Motley County School records put on Micro-fiche files by a company that would come and photograph all records. The office personnel would then have easier access to records when they get calls for information and also the records would take up less room. This issue was tabled.

Cummings gave the bid on the repairs of the teacher's house in Roaring Springs for \$4,750 by Dennis Jones; this passed 6-0. Discussion on building another teacher house followed and they decided to request submission of bids for this building.

The board went into closed session.

"In The Ruff" Steakhouse Opening For Business Soon

A new business is opening at the Springs Ranch Golf Course Clubhouse. Lucretia E. Campbell and Margaret Barnhill will open the doors of **In The Ruff Steakhouse** this weekend, May 23, for evening meals 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. A luscious menu of mouth-watering steaks, golden chicken strips, home-battered chicken fried steak, juicy hamburgers, homemade rolls, and fresh salad bar. The Steakhouse will be catering on Tuesday night for

the Golf Scramble. Everyone will be welcome if they call before noon on Tuesday.

The new proprietors stated they hope to be open for noon meals after they get better organized and the business becomes steady. They are both excited about this new business venture and want the public to know everyone is welcome. **You do not have to be a member of the Springs Ranch Co. to come and eat.** See ad inside for more details.

City Council Sells Stanley Building To Hospital Board

The Matador City Council met May 14 at the City Hall at 7:30 a.m. with Mayor Gary Lancaster, Councilmen L.B. Campbell, Doyle Rose, John Briscoe, Travis Jameson, Bill Jameson Water Superintendent, and Nell Berryman, City Secretary, present, Joe P. Smith was absent.

First on the agenda was the reading of the minutes and the outstanding bills of \$4253.00 for approval.

Bids were read for the 'ditch diager'. It was decided to buy the one from Les Jameson of Goree if he would take the lease price from the total price. Bill Jameson was put in charge of talking to him and finding out his decision.

Travis Jameson suggested that the council reconsider the Stanley Hospital Building if the Hospital Board would reconsider. After a discussion, it was decided to call Larry Hoyle, Hospital Board President, and propose selling the building for \$1.00 or leasing it for 99 years. Rose stated he thought it needed to be given back to the tax payers to be used. The Mayor was not in favor of this proposal but explained the proposal to Hoyle. The Hospital Board will be responsible for the expenses of the transaction when Tom Hamilton, Lawyer for the city, could get the papers ready.

Travis Jameson asked what would the city council would do with the old generator that had belonged to the old hospital in case of emergency. Campbell explained that it would be kept by the city for any future use. Hoyle stated that they didn't see any reason to keep it.

Keith Paschal and Royce Scott attended the meeting with Keith requesting that the city let him have all the jobs they could for his backhoe. Keith stated that "the city had been doing jobs that he could have had." Bill Jameson explained that he had never intentionally taken any jobs from him. L.B. Campbell asked what he charged and explained that it was a city policy not to compete with private

enterprise. The City charged \$45.00 an hour and Keith stated that he charges \$35.00 an hour.

Paschal also asked about dumping sewer waste when he cleaned out a cesspool. Campbell said they would set a policy that Bill would dig a specific pit at the city dump and Keith could dump in it and would be responsible for covering it up to state specifications or hire the city backhoe to cover it up.

Rodney Williams, Fire Chief, requested the city to look into the Block Grant for a new Fire Truck. The council agreed to do this.

Gid Simpson asked if the city could help the county do something about the trash being dumped on the road and creeks going to the dumpground when it was locked and also about the fact that people were not picking up trash as they passed it coming back to town. It was stated that the State Health Inspector was here last month and said that the dump ground was in better shape than ever before. Rose stated that by keeping it locked, it had kept the abuse down. The dumpground is open all day on Saturday, Sunday and Monday and the key is available from Tuesday through Friday. Briscoe suggested that the county put up a sign on that road stating a warning to all violators.

Jessie Turner and Weldon Davis of West Texas Utilities Company explained that they would like to install all mercury vapor lights in place of all the older incandescent lighting in the city. This service would be done free of charge and would cut down on service calls and only be thirty more dollars a month which was going to happen anyway. They explained that doing it this way for the same price, the city and the utility company would benefit. There would be about 90 lights changed by the first of July. The council agreed to this.

It was also decided to request bids for paving and sealcoating city streets this summer.

***** ATHLETIC ROYALTY



ATHLETIC KING AND QUEEN, Jeffrey Burkes and Koree Campbell, royalty for the All Sports Banquet, May 18.



SPECIAL AWARD WINNERS: (front row) Track Fighting Heart Award, Kathy Mangram; Miss Spirit Memori Assiter; Basketball Fighting Heart, Shawna Campbell; (back row) Track Fighting Heart, Brandon Eddleman; Basketball Fighting Heart, David Zarate; Dayton Graham Award, Jeffrey Burkes.



AARP WARNING AGAINST MISLEADING MAILINGS

In the April 1987 issue of AARP News Bulletin is an article warning older Americans from sending money as a result of a wide-range of direct-mail practices used to procure funds from the elderly.

One such organization is the National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare. Social Security Commissioner Dorcas Hardy called these organizations irresponsible. "Irresponsible is putting fear into people that if you don't send (the National Committee) \$10 then you won't get your Social Security check."

This particular group, formed in

1982 by James Roosevelt, son of Franklin D. Roosevelt raises more than \$30 million a year in annual dues and member contributions.

"Still other questionable mailings seek payment of a fee in exchange for information available free from the Social Security Administration or some other government agency. Hardy states that while these practices are deplorable, they are not illegal. The mailings are illegal, and confusing but not in the category of being fraudulent.

The moral of this story is before you send an organization money that they are soliciting, make sure you know what it's actually going for.

LION news and notes

Taking Pride In A Healthy Community

The Matador Lions Club met Tuesday May 19, in the Methodist Fellowship Hall with 21 Lions attending and 2 guests for a delicious meal prepared by Lion Walter Jones.

Boss Lion Campbell reported on the directors breakfast. Due to higher costs the dues will go up from

\$11.50 to \$15.00 a month. They had also decided to donate \$100 to the Motley County Youth Baseball Organization for the lights at the baseball field. The MCYO is trying to raise \$1500 for this project.

There was no program available at the meeting. The meeting was adjourned.

Flooding Rain In Flomot

by Earlyne Jameson

A sudden downpour at midafternoon, Thursday, May 14 produced 3 and 4 inches of rain in Flomot and west of Flomot. Within the city limits, a bridge located between the two gins, was estimated to have over four feet of water gushing across the road. Residents said this was the first time they had seen this much water at the bridge. One and a quarter miles north of Flomot at the George Pope location, Mrs. Gordie (Edith) Washington was terrified when her car was washed off the pavement

by force of the water as she was trying to return to her home. When she reached her home, northeast of Flomot, only .50 of moisture was registered.

Flash flooding filled cellars and garages and some of the roads were impassable. Hail accompanying the rain covered the ground, but no hail damage was noted. In other adjacent areas, the rain varied from 2 to .50 inches. Only light showers of rain was reported east of the Flomot and Whitetiat communities.



Mary Lou Williams, recently opened a new business, Tumbleweed Togs, in Spur. Mary Lou is the wife of Dr. Pat Williams of the Motley County Clinic.

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"Son Beams"



By June Keltz

Rain has always played an important role in our rural area. It's character has sometimes been a curse, but more often than not, a blessing. No doubt when the content of our prayers, (which are recorded in heaven), is revealed, we will find that rain has been requested as much as salvation for the lost.

down pour came at Pentecost when Jesus returned to the Heavenly Father and the Holy Spirit was sent back to earth to empower believers. Since that early rain there have been many showers, but we are living in a time when the "roar" of the Holy Spirit is getting louder as the latter rains are falling. He is pouring out His Spirit on all mankind. Our sons and our daughters are prophesying. Our old men are dreaming dreams, our young men are seeing visions; even the male and female servants of God. All of this is to take place before the "Day of the Lord", so it is time to run to the river of living water.

Growing up in the Barton Community where entertainment was a deficiency, a big rain was cause for excitement. From our house we could hear the roar of the river as it rose to its banks. A loud roar was the signal to jump in the car or on the horse and race to the river to watch the bridge washout. A heavy, but less intense rain, was a cause for rejoicing also, because it meant we could remove our shoes, hold up our dresses and wade knee deep in the eroding gullies. The alto and base croaking of the frogs gave us assurance that the storm had passed and even afforded us a certain rhythm to fall asleep.

The third type of "rain" we have not seen yet, but by faith we know that it is as certain as the others. We read about it in Rev. 20:6 "Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no power, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will REIGN with Him for a thousand years." Then after judgement, a new heaven and a new earth, these whose names are written in the "Lamb's Book of Life" shall REIGN with the Lord God forever and ever. (Rev. 22:5)

"Thank you Jesus for the physical rain, the spiritual rain and soon coming reign with you." Amen.

The word of God speaks of another type of rain in Joel 2:23. So rejoice, O sons of Zion, and be glad in the Lord your God; for He has given you the early rain for your vindication. And He has poured down for you the rain, the early and latter rain as before." The heavy

In The Rough

By Hazel



EAGLE ON NO. 8
Thursday, May 7 - on play day - Olivia made an eagle on No. 8 (Ladies par 4-215 yd). She reported the last time she drove the green on her tee-shot she had 3 putts. But this time she was lucky and had a 1-putt. Geneva and LaVoe were playing with her. Quite a record to have an eagle! Olivia is playing

great golf these days. (Thanks, Alan, for the tip).

PLAY DAY

It was Most Putts play last week for Olivia, Leona, Geneva, Louise, LaVoe, Marion and Winifred. LaVoe won the ball. Leona, Marion and Winifred played 9 holes.

THE DIFFERENCE

I got up early one morning, and rushed right into the day; I had so much to accomplish that I didn't have time to pray.

Problems just tumbled about me, and heavier came each task. "Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered. He answered, "You didn't ask."

I wanted to see joy and beauty, but the day toiled on, gray and bleak; I wondered why God didn't show me. He said, "But you didn't seek."

I tried to come into God's presence; I used all my keys at the lock. God gently and lovingly chided, "My child, you didn't knock."

I woke up early this morning, and paused before entering the day; I had so much to accomplish that I had to take time to pray.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Dishwasher
Q: How can the chipping and breaking of glasses be avoided?
A: Improperly loaded glasses will chip or break say home economists from Whirlpool Corporation. Glasses should be loaded in the top rack only and be sure they are loaded between the prongs, not over them.



Q: What causes etching and how can I prevent it?
A: Etching is a permanent film which will appear as a rainbow hue during its early stages. It occurs because of an excessive amount of dishwasher detergent used in the wash cycle or because of inadequate rinsing. Whirlpool home economists advise using less detergent or one that has a lower phosphate content. If water pressure is the problem, when using the dishwasher do not use water for any other purpose to assure appropriate rinsing.



Home Economically Speaking
By Carolyn Halsell

SALT-FREE PICKLING

If you love pickles, but have to cut back on your salt, making your own saltless or low-salt pickles can be an alternative. This process is safe because vinegar is the main preservative in fresh pack pickles. Sweet pickles generally taste better without salt than dill pickles, but don't expect either to taste just like regular pickles. Dill pickles will taste better with at least 1/2 to 3/4 teaspoons of salt per pint jar. Add

hot peppers, herbs and garlic to improve the flavor.
Avoid using salt substitutes or lite salt in pickling. They don't serve the same function as the sodium chloride in regular salt. The large amounts of potassium in these products can also leave a bitter aftertaste in the pickles.
Any fresh-pack pickle recipe that calls for as much or more vinegar than water and produces a finished product with at least 1.4 cup 5% (4.6 grain) acetic acid vinegar per pint, can be made successfully without salt.
As with regular pickles, it's necessary to process saltless or low-salt pickles in a boiling water bath.
I have free canning and freezing information available. Just call Carolyn Halsell at 817/552-9941 or write to me at Box 2159, Vernon, TX 76384-2159.

"If all printers were determined not to print anything 'till they were sure it would offend nobody, there would be very little printed." — Benjamin Franklin

Jo Ann's Jots & Jingles

By Jo Ann Dickson

CONCERNING CHAIRS

What's the first chair you remember? Mine was actually a wood-frame canvas contraption hung from the ceiling on a spring in a kitchen. The kitchen was painted gray. I can see it yet.
The old Morris chair stood in my grandfather's house. When he remarried, his new wife had benches at her dining table. I'd never seen such as that!
Mama had a mahogany rocking chair which belonged to her mother. My uncle has it now. It fascinated me because I thought the two decorations on top looked like baby pacifiers turned upside down.
I look at the old cane-bottomed, high-back chair which is in my living room now. Wish I knew what Mama did with the matching rocker. My brother and I used to sit on its arms

as Daddy read us the "funny" papers or "comics" as we call them now.
The antique carved high-back, velvet covered chair and the carved and velvet love seat that I admired in my aunt's home for decades, now adorn my living room. Of course, since placing them there I hardly use my living room! It seems the heaviest person always sits in the most delicate chair!! This goes for the harp-back and lion-paw chairs from my husband's family, too.
Chairs bring memories. The highchair which my girls used in the garage. The maple rocker I used to rock my daughters resides in the attic. I have long since given my daughters their baby rocking chairs. Wish I had the chair in which my mother rocked me!
Just remembering!! But chairs and memories go together like 'love and marriage'!!

Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself: I am the Lord. (Lev. 19:18)

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Ephesians 4:31,32



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Pastor, B.L. Anderson

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Pastor, Edna Dillard
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Pastor, E.J. Browning
Church Service - 10:30 a.m.

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Pastor, Bill Whitaker
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Church Service - 11:00 a.m.

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Pastor, Greer Willis
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Morning Church Service - 11:00 am
Sunday Evening Service - 7:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7 pm

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Church Service - 11:00 am
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MYF - Sunday, 7:00 pm

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Pastor, Kevin Creed
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Morning Church Service - 11:00 am
Sunday Evening Service - 6:00 pm

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Evangelist, Raymond M. West
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WE GIVE

Remember When

By Annie B. Cloyd
Box 22
Flomot, TX 79234

Hello Neighbors - isn't this cloudy, rainy weather nice? Some of the older folks here in Flomot say that they don't remember but one or two times seeing so much water come down the Alamosa as it did the other day. Sure didn't take long for it to fill up the tanks east of here.

The water got way over the little bridge over the creek just north of town and that just never happened since I have been here. We talked about that bridge and some of the folks that went to school here say that you used to be able to walk under that bridge with room to spare. But the creek has filled in with so much sand and has grown up in brush till you can't even crawl under the bridge now. So the water had to go over it.

I've been told about a lot of things that went on under that old bridge in the years past. That was

when it was where you could walk under it. Seems like that was where the boys went to fight out something they were mad about. Or it was the place to slip off too if you wanted to sneak a smoke. I expect a lot of kids just hid under that bridge to get away from school for a while. Anyway I bet if it could talk, it would have a lot of tales to tell.

There was so much water coming out of the fields from the west that water was all around Mrs. Pope's house and even got in her garage and up in her car. It was way over the highway in front of her house and brought a lot of soil with it. Heard that one car drowned out there - when they drove in the water it was deeper than they realized.

A lot of terraces were washed out in the fields west of town and that just turned the water loose and it was almost too much coming down the creek at one time. But we did need the rain and we got it even if there was too much in places. Now some folks are talking of getting ready to plant cotton soon. Most rains are always welcome in this country because we can all remember the times when we needed a rain so bad and didn't get one. So be thankful for every drop.

See you next time and "remember when" again.

WTU FILES FOR INCREASE IN ELECTRIC RATES

West Texas Utilities Co. has filed for an increase in its retail electric rates, citing the costs of completing a new coal-fired power plant as making the move necessary.

"We have said over and over again that it would be necessary to increase rates when our Oklaunion Power Station was completed," said Jesse Turner, WTU's local manager in Matador, adding that WTU's last rate request came almost three years ago.

The rate changes being sought would add \$50,361,475 to the Company's annual retail revenue. This is a 23.9 per cent increase over the test year ending March 31, on which the case is based. The request was filed May 19 with cities in the WTU service area and with the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Austin.

Turner said there is no such thing as a "typical customer," but that the new rates, if approved, would mean that a residential electric customer using 625 kilowatt-hours per month would pay \$10.83 more per month than previously. A commercial customer using 1,500 kilowatt-hours would pay \$29.94 more.

"To put this request in its proper perspective, our overall residential revenues will be only six to eight per cent higher than they were two years ago," Turner said. "The decline in fuel costs since then just about offsets this increase."

The Oklaunion Power Plant, situated near Vernon, went into commercial operation Dec. 24, 1986. WTU's share of the cost as

majority owner is \$275 million, which increased the Company's total investment in facilities by 75 per cent.

"Until this cost is reflected in our rates, the Company does not have the opportunity to recover its expenses and earn a reasonable return on its investment," Turner explained.

Construction at Oklaunion started in May 1982, and the plant was completed on time and well within the original budget. Industry surveys show that Oklaunion was the most economically constructed coal-fired power plant built during the mid-1980's.

The plant will provide 25 per cent of WTU's total generating capacity. The long-term contract for low sulphur western coal diversifies the Company's fuel base and will help stabilize fuel costs, which in recent years have been affected by sudden changes in natural gas prices.

Other company's owning shares of the plant are Public Service Co. of Oklahoma and Central Power and Light Co., both associated with WTU as members of the Central and South West System; the city of Brownsville and Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority.

Usual procedures at the PUC indicate that a full-scale hearing of WTU's case would be held in late summer, with a final order by the Commission coming late this year. This would make it almost three years since WTU's last change in basic retail rates.

Recollections

by Duff Green

THE ALLURE OF THE WEST

You have often heard the expression, "The Lure of the West." A descriptive generality that is more than expressive, yet indescribable. I have yet to find a man that can tell you exactly what "Lure of the West" is composed of, its component parts. Its elements may be few or many.

Having spent a lifetime in its abode, and felt its magnetic, tranquil influence, I, like others for my life, cannot define it. It is like the invisible germ that produces physical ailments and as yet defies isolation and segregation. Some are conscious of its presence and effects and are ignorant of its origin.

Is it the earth, the air, the sunshine, the lovely fresh scenery at seasons; or the detestable dried, seared, cooked conditions when the droughts came and nature frowns upon man's effort? At times you are more than disgusted and marvel why you stay to endure it. One is oft times led to feel restless and occasionally accumulates a wander lust that may lead him in search of greener fields and pastures that lay beside the still waters?

Travel as you may wish and to your heart's content, but you will seldom find an Eden that can displace "The Western Lure" in your heart. One will usually return empty handed, though with a feeling of happiness and contentment and glad you have had a small part in it, and that you are an integral of that West. That is an enigma that defies

a definition. Should I assume the temerity to tell what the lure of the West is, I would say that it is composed of that "champaign" land, its sunshine, and its ozone air, that thrills and feeds your hungry, starved lungs with the purest oxygen. A life giving element, so essential to plant and animal life, making them healthy and happy.

Those things resting on a foundation of frontier hospitality, the natural customs that once prevailed, its historical background and the freedom of action and the lack of restraint. A country that was not plastered on every hand with "Posted Signs," or "Thou Shalt Not" signs. That, I think was the "Lure of the West!"

A lovely fresh garment when new, but it is beginning to fade, losing its freshness, as the years come and go and ugly patches are showing where the original cloth has worn thin by usage.

In time, "The Lure of the West" will appear like Joseph's coat of many colors, and then it will disappear to become a memory and a tradition. A thing spoken of without knowing its feelings or influence.

"The Lure of the West" may be only a figment of the imagination, or it may be any and all things, to all people at all times. Who knows? "Home, home, on the range where the deer and the antelope play,

Where seldom is heard a discouraging word

And the skies are not cloudy all day!"



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Ex-Addict Finds New Direction

By Danny Andrews
Plainview Daily Herald
Managing Editor

The last time the Plainview Police Department had any dealings with Gavino Sepeda Jr., he was so high on inhalants he couldn't find his own phone number in the directory.

But the 21 year old Sepeda surprised the folks who had arrested him some 20 times when he showed up at the police station last week and told of a turnaround in his life.

A ninth grade dropout from Plainview High who became involved in drugs - mostly inhaling spray paint fumes - after seeing others try it, Sepeda said friends would offer him drugs and assure him by saying, "They'll do you alright."

But, he said, acknowledging personal responsibility for his actions, "I did these things on my own to see what I could feel."

Sepeda says he tried marijuana, alcohol and took large quantities of diet pills he ordered from magazines, but was afraid to try cocaine and other harder drugs.

As his addiction became stronger and money became more scarce, he turned to burglary. "I broke into Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co. and was walking around high (from sniffing paint) and the police picked me up. I was put in jail for two months and got seven years probation, a \$2,000 fine and had to make \$800 restitution. I'm still paying that back at \$100 a month, he said.

However, three weeks after being released, he was jailed again on revocation of probation for sniffing inhalants and breaking curfew.

This time, it seemed like a trip to Huntsville was a certainty.

But Sepeda was told a Ramiro Torres from Victory Outreach in Lamesa, which works through probation departments, wanted to talk to him about their rehabilitation program - an

alternative to prison.

"I didn't want to accept it at first and when I did it was a cop-out of going to prison," said Sepeda.

Sepeda said that at the Victory Outreach Center, "I learned the plan of salvation and accepted Jesus Christ. I started reading my Bible and learned from the counselors that Jesus had the power to change and transform my life. I can't compare the joy I thought drugs gave me with the power the Lord Jesus Christ gives me. I'm happier, more comfortable within me. And my family is happier knowing I'm in a good place."

"At first, it was all craziness to me. I thought, 'How am I going to believe in something I can't see?' As time went by, I began to feel the love of Jesus in my life and God putting the desire in me to work with others," Sepeda explained, "I felt a burden inside for the way they were living because of the way I had lived."

Sepeda now serves as a counselor and home director in Lamesa, working with dope addicts, alcoholics, prostitutes, homosexuals and people with marital problems.

He helps support himself by doing farm work.

Part of a statewide organization started by former drug addict Freddie Garcia in San Antonio, Victory Outreach works with people for three to six months at no charge at their centers. Some of the people are referred by probation departments while others seek help on their own.

The work is supported by love offerings as well as civic and social organizations and is non-denominational.

Sepeda says the Lamesa center has five counselors and currently has eight clients - ranging from age 17 to the early 50s - but can handle 40 to 50.

The daily regimen at the center includes arising by 6, chores around the center, worship services, Bible study and counseling sessions.

Sepeda says sincerely, "I am convinced that no program and no

man on this earth can change and transform people - only the power of the Lord Jesus Christ. Victory Outreach is working with what society calls "lost causes" but 65 percent of the people make it after going through this program.

"I was called a 'lost cause' by some people but I'm a witness that God has the power to change people.

"You know, I kept telling myself, 'I can stop doing drugs and spray. I had the will but I needed the power of the Lord Jesus Christ to overcome."

"We who work in the program know the way we were and that Christ has changed our lives. We have gratitude to God and want to help others," says Sepeda.

Sgt. Carol DeBerry of the Plainview Police Department's Juvenile Division said she and her colleagues were shocked at the change in Sepeda when he visited here last week.

"You know, we're here for more than just putting people in jail. The police can be a person's best friend if they'll let us help them. I had tried to talk sense to him, but he'd get out of jail and get right back in. He was always running because he was so high. He'd break out a window to steal spray so he could get high.

"The last time I saw him he was skin and bones. His brain was about gone. He could hardly remember where he lived or what his name was. Sepeda, who previously had done some impressive pencil sketches for Sgt. DeBerry, "couldn't hold a pencil the last time I saw him."

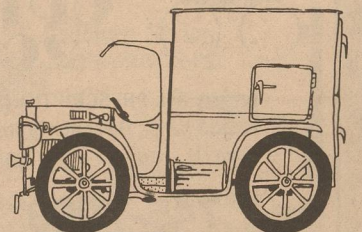
Said Sgt. DeBerry, noting she has worked with "hundreds just like him" in her 16 years on the force here, Sepeda's change was "one of the most rewarding things I've seen in my career. Everybody was shocked to see the change in him and to hear his testimony. I sincerely believe that he's changed."

New Testament
In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

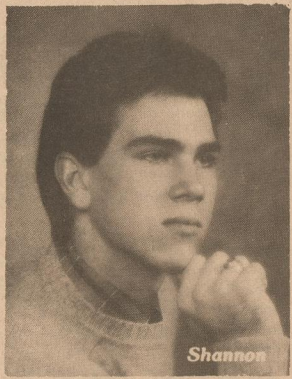
John 1:1

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SHANNON VINSON NAMED SALUTATORIAN OF FLOYDADA CLASS OF 1987



SHANNON VINSON

Shannon Vinson will graduate from Floydada High School May 29, 1987 as Salutatorian of the 1987 graduating class with a 3.460 grade point based on 4.0 grading. Shannon was born at Hamilton Air Force Base hospital at Ignacio, CA while his father, Roger was in the U.S. Army at Petaluma, CA. They lived in Motley County for ten years before moving to Floydada about four years ago. Shannon has been active in all phases of school

while at Floydada. He is a member of the National Honor Society and student council as well as being active in football, basketball, track and F.F.A.

Carr Academic Scholarships have been awarded Shannon and five other Floydada High School Seniors who are going to attend Angelo State University. These scholarships are made possible through funds provided by the Robert G. and Nona K. Carr Scholarship Foundation. Carr Academic Scholarships are awarded annually to approximately 1,000 undergraduate and graduate students who enroll at Angelo State. They may be renewed annually until graduation for qualified students who maintain exemplary academic and personal records. Awards are based on the student's outstanding academic records and personal achievements.

Shannon has enlisted in the 8-year Marine Reserve program and will leave June 1 for San Diego for summer training, returning in August to attend Angelo State majoring in pre-med.

Shannon is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson of Flomot.

Kevin Hicks To Graduate From Kermit High School

Kevin Hicks will be graduating with the Kermit High School Class of 1987 on May 29, 1987, with an advanced academic diploma.

During high school, Kevin was named to Who's Who Among High School Students for two years, was a class officer for four years, was a member of the National Honor Society, was named most athletic for two years, and was an officer for the Yellowjacket Choir for one year.

Athletically, Kevin lettered in football and was named to the All-District Team for three years, All-West Texas Team for two years and the All-State Team for one year. He

lettered in basketball for three years, being named to the All-District team two times. Kevin lettered in baseball two years, making All-District both years. He lettered in track four years. He was a regional qualifier in the shot put and discus two years and placed fourth in state in the shot put his junior year.

Kevin will be attending Texas Tech in the fall.

Kevin's grandparents are John M. and Dorothy Russell of Matador and his great grandmother is Olive Russell of Matador and Meddie McElroy of Crosbyton.

AREA GRADUATES NAMED FOR SPC COMMENCEMENT

LEVELLAND -- Four students from Matador were among 592 South Plains College students who received diplomas and certificates during SPC's 29th graduation ceremonies May 8 in Texan Dome.

"We are very proud of our 1986-87 graduates," said Dr. Robert Cloud, SPC vice president for academic affairs. "They have done exceptionally well during their two

years of studies at APC and we expect they will continue to do so, whether they transfer to a four-year university or enter the workforce."

SPC graduates from Matador are Alex Guerrero IV and John Meador, associate of applied science, law enforcement; Joe Zarate, AAS, refrigeration air conditioning, and Chad Stephens, associate of science, computer science.

Alicia Martin Graduates From WTU

Alicia Wilson Martin graduated May 16, 1987 from West Texas University with a B.S. degree in Social Sciences. Alicia is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wilson of Jayton, formerly of Roaring Springs and Motley County teachers.

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Isaiah 61:1

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Society News



Engagement Announced



THOMAS SMEAD & CAROLYN HALSELL

Mr. and Mrs. John Glenn Halsell, Jr. of Crowell are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyn Anne to Thomas Kent Smead, both of Vernon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smead of Wichita Falls.

The wedding is planned for August 22, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church in Vernon. Carolyn received her B.S. from

Texas Christian University in Vocational Home Economics Education. She is Extension Agent-Home Economics for Hall, Motley and Throckmorton counties. Kent

received his B.S. from Texas Christian University in Criminal Justice. He is employed by the Vernon Fire Department. They will reside in Vernon following the wedding.

Elisa Ross and William Wigley Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross of Flomot announce the engagement of their daughter, Elisa Ann of Lubbock to William Stanley Wigley of Lubbock, son of Mrs. Eva Wigley of Lubbock and Manuel Wigley of Duncanville. The wedding is planned for

Saturday, June 13, 1987 at 2:00 p.m. at the Church of Christ in Flomot. Miss Ross is the granddaughter of Mrs. Hoyte Paschal of Olton and the late Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Ross of Flomot.

Spring Piano Recital

Mrs. Howard Traweek presented her piano pupils in a spring recital in the Methodist Church in Matador on May 10.

Acknowledgements were made for the following contests:

Lubbock Music Teacher Hymn Festival, Sonatina Contest, Student Affiliate Recitals, Gold Cup Winners (Lavenia Bowden and Marcus Cave), as well as the Federated District Contest which was held at Texas Tech in March.

Winners in this contest were as follows:

Excellent with a grade of A: Jill Stanley, Rebekah Jameson, Leah Cruse, Joy Stanaland, Stephanie Stanely, Luke Richards, Marcus Cave, Caryn Cave, Desiree Bowden and Bonnie Richards.

Students making the rating of Superior (A plus) were as follows: Solo Division:

Lavenia Bowden, Daniel Alexander, Aimee Martin, Lori Freemyer and DeDe Freemyer. Hymn Division: DeDe Freemyer.

Those five students qualified to enter the Federated State Contest which will be held in Arlington on May 23. Over 900 students from all over the state of Texas are expected to attend.

The program for the recital was as follows:

The Caterpillar Crawl, Bastien; Lindsay Holder; Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, Cat At Night, The Woodpecker, Bastien, Burnam; Jill Stanley; Follow the Leader, Puppy Dog, Parade of C Chords, Olson, Gillock, Bastien; Rebekah Jameson; Yellow Ribbons, Little Brass Band, Bastien, Gillock; Leah Cruse; German Dance, Fish Scales, Tijuana Trolley, Beethoven, Bastien; Aimee Martin; Captain Candy, Indian Celebration, Can't Get The Tune, Clover, Olson, Noona; Joy

Stanaland; Cricket Serenade, Super Boogie, Why Witches Have Black Cats, Olson, Bastien, Noona; Stephanie Stanley; The Swinging Sioux, Got the Blues, Flamenco Dancer, Gillock, Bastien; Luke Richards; Blazing Trumpets, Spooky Footsteps, Olson, Gillock; Sheryl Davis; Russian Folksong, Sonatina No. 3 in a minor (I), Fireworks, Dixie, Beethoven, Olson, Bastien, Emmett; Marcus Cave; Sonatina I (I), Dark Eyes, Little Flower Girls of Paris, Gillock; Whitney Jameson; Old West Rodeo, Across the Desert, Little Lead Soldier (Duet), Bastien, Olson, Ketterer; Heather Turner; Minuet in G, Jumping Jacks, America, Costa del Sol, Haydn, Bastien; Caryn Cave; Minuet, The Haunted Tree, Beethoven, Gillock; DeDe Freemyer; Square Dance Tune, Rocket Boogie, Bastien; Trent Willmon; Sonatina I (II), Old Time Piano Rag, Teresita, Sutton, Bastien, Cobb; Daniel Alexander; Ecossaise, Rag March, Beethoven, Olson; Desiree Bowden; Queen's Minuet, A Memory of Paris, Gillock; Renee Davis; Minuet in C, September Serenade, Sweet Texas Rose, Beethoven, Olson; Bonnie Richards; Waltz for Juliana, Lotus Flowers in the Wind, Hula Dancer, Athayde, Scher, Garrow; Tricia Palmer; Sonatina in F (I), Swingle Set, Shades of Blue, Beethoven, Olson; Lavenia Bowden; Invention No. 14, Raging Windstorm, Love Story, Sea Nocturne, J.S. Bach, Sanucci, Austin; Lori Freemyer.

Refreshments were served in the Fellowship Hall after the recital by Sue Freemyer, Eleanor Traweek, Rita Holder, Margaret Stanley, Brenda Stanaland, and Carol Ann Turner. They furnished cookies and punch for the tea table. Noilene Bowden made a sheet cake topped with a miniature Grand Piano.

Wedding Vows Read In Las Vegas Ceremony



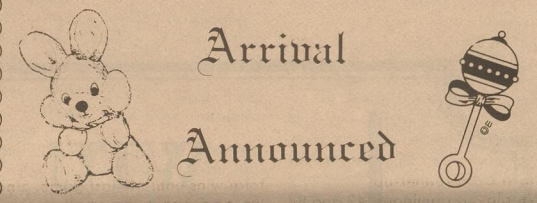
MR. AND MRS. BARRY BOSTICK

Tracey Haslett Roe and Green Barry Bostick were married April 17 at the "We've Only Just Begun" Wedding Chapel in Las Vegas, Nevada. The Rev. George M. Stover, Jr. officiated.

The bride is the daughter of the late Thomas A. Haslett, III and Mrs.

E.D. Halvorson of San Antonio, TX. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bostick of Matador and the grandson of Mrs. Thelma Roberts of Amarillo.

The newlyweds are making their home in Diamond Bar, Calif.



Arrival Announced

Derik Scott Roys

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Roys of Flomot wish to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Derik Scott Roys. He was born in the Lockney General Hospital, Tuesday, May 12 at 9:17 p.m. He weighed 7 pounds and 2 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Roys of Flomot, Ms. Linda Auston of Silvertown and great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ned Childers of Silvertown, Mrs. Tommy Valdez of Lubbock and Mrs. Maddlin Roys of Amarillo.

Zara Houston Ballew

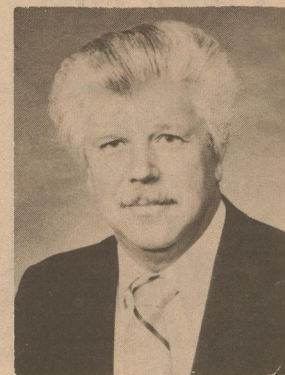
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ballew of Ladson, South Carolina are proud to announce the arrival of a baby son, Zara Houston, born Wednesday, April 22. He weighed nine pounds and one ounce.

Grandparents of the new arrival are Don Monk of Flomot, Sharon

Gabbard of Ladson, S.C., Phyllis Like of Booker and Mike and Carol Ballew of Austin.

Great grandparents are Mrs. James (Lucille) Monk and Mrs. Jeff (Lillie) Sperry of Flomot and bob and Dru Fleming of Perryton.

Rev. Don Martin To Be In Revival At Assembly of God Church



Don Martin

Evangelist Don Martin, ordained with the South Texas District of the Assemblies of God will be in revival

at the Assembly of God Church in Matador May 24, 25, 26 and 27. Better known as the Singing Martin Family, their evangelistic team consists of Mr. Martin's wife, Mary, their daughter Deanna and her husband Ric Garza and Rev. Martin.

They have traveled extensively the past twenty years holding extended revivals, camp-meetings, and crusades. The Lord has blessed them with several recordings, and a T.V. ministry. They also have several years of pastoral leadership behind them.

The Martin's primary purpose is to see souls saved, and an outpouring of God's Holy Spirit among believers and feel honored that God has called them to help fulfill the great commission to reach the World for Christ.

Because of it's nature in general, wine is a mocker and beer a brawler; whoever is led astray by them is not wise. Prov. 20:1
The Lord reigns; Let the earth rejoice, and let the earth be glad; The Lord reigns; Let the earth rejoice, and let the multitude of isles be glad! Psalm 97:1

School's Out Party

All youth, grades 7-12 are cordially invited to attend the School's Out, Jump and Shout, Down and Out Bowl of Soup Supper at the First Baptist Church, Friday, May 22.

The event, sponsored by the Baptist Women, begins at 7:00 p.m. in the Church basement. Graduating seniors will be

recognized and presented a gift. There will be games, entertainment and prizes. Each student is encouraged to dress like a hobo in order to carry out the hobo theme of the evening.

If you cannot dress like a hobo, wear jeans. Admission for the evening is one can of vegetables to go in the hobo stew.



May 25 - 29, 1987

MONDAY, MAY 25
BREAKFAST: Sausage, Biscuit/Honey, Fruit Juice. **LUNCH:** Corn Dogs, Spinach, Pork & Beans, Applesauce.

TUESDAY, MAY 26
BREAKFAST: Puffs/Honey, Fruit Juice. **LUNCH:** Tacos/Cheese, Mexican Corn, Green Salad, Pear Half.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27
BREAKFAST: Cereal/Milk, Toast, Jelly, Fruit Juice. **LUNCH:** Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles, Chips, Ice Cream Bar.

THURSDAY, MAY 28
BREAKFAST: Scrambled eggs, Toast, Fruit Juice. **LUNCH:** Salad Plate, Sliced Tomato, Lettuce, Crackers, Jello.

FRIDAY, MAY 29
BREAKFAST: Cereal/Milk, Toast, Fruit Juice. **LUNCH:** Sack Lunch, Sandwiches, chips, apple.



During the Accreditation Monitoring Visit of the visiting team from the Texas Education Agency, it was recommended that the district conduct a self-study to determine the immediate and long range goals for our school. As part of this process, your input will be solicited through questionnaires, and through public meetings to be held in the near future. We would appreciate your help to be sure we continue to progress and to provide the best possible school for our students.

One of the frustrating things about receiving state and federal money in the schools is the restricted

use of that money. The money from the federal grant was awarded for designated purposes, and the choices as to what can be purchased are limited and very difficult. Money designated for the library must be spent there, money designated for the playground must be spent there, etc.

No newsletter can begin to "cover all the possibilities," unfortunately, but if you have a question you want answered, please drop by my office and I will make every effort to answer any question you may have.

School Schedule

Friday, May 22 - All School Jam Day, Everyone - Faculty, Administration, and Students come dressed in JAMS. Please, no tank tops worn as single tops. This fun day is sponsored by the Student Council and prizes will be awarded in different categories.

The P.T.O. will meet Friday, May 22, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The lay-out and plans for the proposed playground

will be available for inspection and comment. Come see the proposal and voice your opinion. Come for a few minutes or for the full hour.

Party time for Junior High and High School and their faculty. "Hobo" party at the First Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m. until 8:45 p.m. This party is in honor of the Seniors. Plan to attend! Everyone bring a can of vegetables for the "Hobo Stew."

4-Hers Are Going Places

Nine 4-Hers and Leader Billie Willmon traveled with the county agent to Brownwood, Texas last week, May 8-10 to Teen Leader Lab. Teen Leader Lab is a district 4-H leadership development camp held each year. The lab included educational workshops, vespers, recreation and district council officer elections. Motley County was represented by two candidates in the election, Tricia Palmer and Rusty Willmon. They were not successful in this their first election, but came very close. Other members representing the county were Jenifer Davis, Walter Linson, Trent Willmon, Brandi Spray, Cathy Perryman, Billy Lefevre and Jeremy Davis. All had a very good time with the other 190 participants at the event.

Ten 4-Hers, the agent and seven parents traveled to Vernon this past weekend for District 4-H Round up. Round up is held each year as a group of 30 contests, mostly Method Demonstrations, but also including share the fun skits and judging contests. The five Method Demonstration teams from Motley County, made up of two members each, placed four firsts and one third. Four senior level 4-Hers qualified for state, Jenifer Davis, Rhonda Long, Tricia Palmer and Rusty Willmon. Junior level 4-Hers participating were Heather Hobbs, Cathy Perryman, Trent Willmon, Matthew Linson, Billy Lefevre, and Lacey Parks. Congratulations are in order for these active 4-H members, and the volunteer leaders and parents that helped them.

"Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body."
 Sir Richard Steele



Ease up on restricting usage of acreage not planted to program crops, make full use of authorized advance payments, eliminate cross-compliance requirements and allow acreage base adjustments at the producer's option.

Those are the four major thrusts of a recent letter to the U.S. Department of Agriculture from Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. The letter was sent in response to the Department's request for comment on proposed program decisions applicable to 1988 crops of cotton, rice, wheat and feed grains.

USDA in an April 28 Federal Register notice of proposed determinations declared its intent to prohibit haying, grazing or the planting of non-program crops for harvest on conservation use acreage, underplanted permitted program crop acreage and acreage idled under diversion programs. If adopted, this rule would be a continuation of regulations in effect for 1986 and 1987.

PCG objected to the restrictions in both previous years and still believes they are unjustified, says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson.

The severe financial difficulties of agricultural producers, PCG contends in its comment, "should dictate that they be given every opportunity to utilize all acreage to produce income in any way possible consistent with program objectives."

USDA asked whether advance deficiency and diversion payments should be made on 1988 crops as

was done in 1986 and 1987, and if so, in what amounts and in what manner.

PCG replied that advance payments should be continued at the maximum rates permitted by law and, if surplus commodities are available for certificate redemption, should be made one-half in generic commodity certificates and one-half in cash. Advance payments "encourage program participation, are a valuable aid to producers in obtaining crop financing and reduce government storage costs," PCG said.

USDA proposes to continue 1987 "limited" cross-compliance regulations which require producers participating in any one of the four major crop programs on a farm to limit plantings of all program crops on that farm to the farm's assigned acreage base. PCG urges that the proposal be reconsidered for 1988 on grounds the requirement impedes farm management decisions necessary to maximum efficiency.

The 1985 farm act authorizes USDA to give farmers the option to increase one crop's acreage base by up to 10 percent if they agree to decrease the base of another crop by a corresponding amount. USDA chose not to use that authorization in 1986 or 1987 and, according to the Federal Register notice, does not intend to use it in 1988.

PCG contends that producers should be allowed to shift bases between commodities to encourage the planting of each commodity on the land best suited to its efficient production.

VA News Feature

Q. -- Does a general discharge from military service qualify me for benefits from the VA?

A. -- Yes. Honorable and general discharges qualify veterans for benefits, unless other statutory bars to entitlement exist.

Q. -- I am a Vietnam veteran and I am rated 10 percent for a service-connected disability. Am I subject to the eligibility assessment procedures?

A. -- No. The following veterans are exempt from the eligibility

assessment procedures: service-connected veterans, former prisoners of war, veterans exposed to certain herbicides while serving in Vietnam and to ionizing radiation in connection with atmospheric testing of nuclear weapons and in the occupation of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, veterans receiving a VA pension, veterans of World War I, the Spanish-American War and the Mexican Border period, and veterans eligible for Medicaid.

'Round Town



Home Ec. girls and first graders at recess.



Mrs. Lucille Gains with her rare 'Smoke Tree' in full bloom on Hwy. 70.

Texas Buckle-Up Week
 May 18-25

Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

John 3:3

Obituaries

HARRISON GEORGE

Funeral services for Harrison George, 79, of Flomot were held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, May 15 in the Flomot Baptist Church. The Rev. Byron Hardgrove, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in the Flomot Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Home of Quitaque.

He died at 1:35 p.m., Wednesday in the St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Mr. George was born in Portales,

N.M. and moved with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Calvin George to Flomot in 1925. He was the grandson of pioneer residents of Flomot, Mr. and Mrs. Sample "Samp" Orr. He married Oma Lee Kuykendall, April 27, 1930 in Hollis, Okla. He was a retired grocer.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. J.B. (Mable Sue) Barrett of Bovina; a brother, Roy of Mathis; a sister, Willie Sue Rochelle of Antioch, Calif.; two grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Jimmy Ross, Herb Martin, Donnie Turner and Johnny Turner of Flomot, Lloyd Hedrick of Lubbock, Jay Be Barrett of Bovina and Kenneth Baldwin of Santa Fe, N.M.

JAMES OTTIS CORNETT

Funeral services were held Sunday, May 10, 1987, at 2:30 p.m. at the Afton Baptist Church with Greer Willis of Matador officiating. Burial was in East Mound Cemetery at Matador under the direction of Mynatt Funeral Home of Matador.

James Cornett was born December 22, 1912 in Matador in the Motley County Jail to Joe W.

and Myrtle Jones Cornett, who were caretakers of the jail that James' grandfather J.T. "Pat" Cornett built in 1892. As a child his family moved to Dickens County in the Afton community where he resided the rest of his life as a farmer and rancher.

Survivors include three brothers, J.E. and John both of Afton, C.J. of Wingate, one sister, Gaynell Cook of Spur, two nieces, Virginia Nunn of Afton and DeAnne Kirkendall of Crosbyton, three nephews, Joe, Chris and Ken Cornett of Afton.

Senior Citizens Report

by Nora Belle Dunning

The Matador Senior Citizens met on May 12 for our regular luncheon with 24 people present. Our reporter is off on a trip visiting with daughter Pauline and her husband Walter Ray, so you will have to put up with my report this time. We miss you Iris, have a good time.

We voted to elect our Senior Citizen of the year and Artie Wason was elected, with Ocie Smallwood being a close runner-up.

We played dominoes, 42 and 84 after lunch. Ruby, we are sorry you are ill and couldn't come. Hurry and get well!

We ask all Senior Citizens to come join us for 2nd and 4th Tuesday Luncheon and each Friday beginning at 2:00 for games.

Our group went to the Senior Citizens Olympics at the Frontier Living Center in Lubbock Saturday May 16 for a real fun day. You had to be 65 or over to participate in any event. Coming home with honors were Bill Dunning with 1st. Place Washer thrown, 1st. place fish bait casting, 3rd place walking,

and 3rd place 3 wheel racer.

Laura (Fannie) Webb, 2nd place softball toss, 2nd. 3 wheeler race.

Elga Evans, 1st. place softball toss, 3rd Washer toss.

Kate Henderson, 3rd place walking; Nora Belle Dunning, 2nd. fish bait toss and 3rd, 3 wheel race.

We had a tie between Lubbock, Plainview, and Matador until the last game was over for 1st. place in total wins until the last game. Since we had about the smallest group there, we were real proud of ourselves. Eight people went from Matador with only 6 eligible to participate.

Senior Citizens met last Friday morning at 7:00 to clean the yard and inside the building. Artie Wason, Ocie Smallwood, Zelma Crump, Bill and Nora Belle Dunning, Roger and Elga Evans, Jimmie D. Smith, Kate Henderson, and Ruth Baker. Things look a lot better around here again. We'll expect the rest of you when we do it again.

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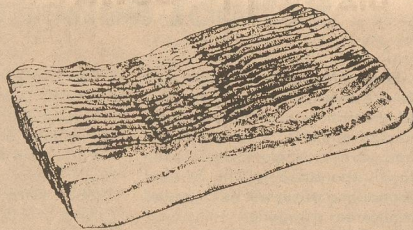
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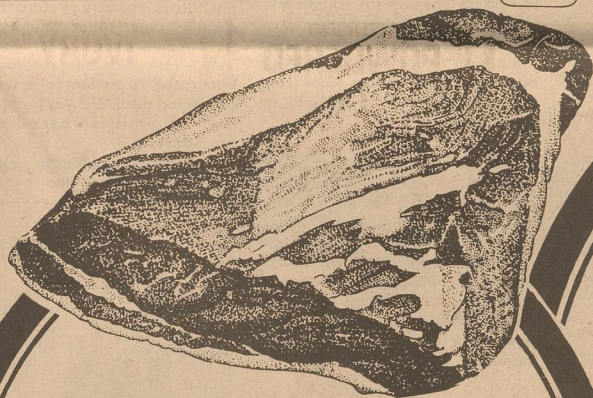


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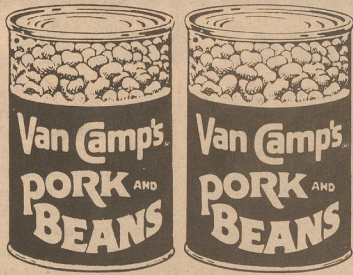
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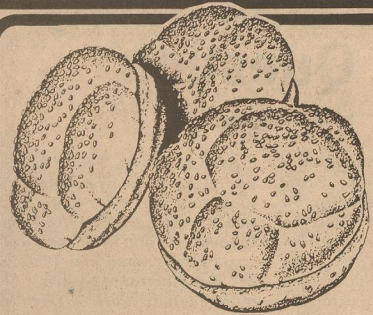
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DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

Power Line Safety In Question

by Michelle Bearden

The recent trial of the Matador Ranch vs. Southwestern Public Service brought up more than a few questions regarding the effect the gigantic line of utility wires has on people and animals. The questionable safety considerations are rampantly spreading across the United States--wherever these power line wires have been strung.

A growing body of scientific research points strongly that the low-frequency electromagnetic fields from power lines have numerous adverse effects on the human body. The Energy Daily reports that a scientist in charge of radiation studies at the Electric Power Research Institute, Leonard Sagan, states, "If you had asked me two years ago if electromagnetic fields were harmful, I would say there was no evidence of harm or potential harm, but, now, I have to say there are some issues that have arisen that have to be resolved." Sagan whose research is funded by the utility companies adamantly hedges on coming out and declaring the risk, however.

Not so, however, with a study by Nancy Wertheimer, a psychologist, and Edward Leeper, an electrical engineer and physicist, published in 1979 in the American Journal of Epidemiology. This study identified children in Denver who had cancer, drawing the conclusion that electromagnetic fields caused it. They based their findings on that (1) the power lines could be seen from each child's home, (2) the amount of electricity flowing through the lines (3) an above normal incidence of childhood cancer noted. This was the first time power lines had been linked with cancer.

Wertheimer and Leeper also looked at occupations involving work around electromagnetic lines and found that station operators and electricians had an increased risk of having leukemia.

Leonard Sagan, however, plays down the research Wertheimer and Leeper did, noting that "there was no measure of exposures...in no study was a dose response relationship investigated."

However, two weeks after the paper's were published, New York Public Service Commission conducted two epidemiological studies which involved dose measurements. These studies also looked at children with cancer and established a correlation between the power lines outside the homes and doses of electromagnetic fields in the home with cancer. These homes were found to be within 15 meters of primary wires carrying very high electric currents or within 7.5 meters of wires that carried lower currents.

Science News, Feb. 14, 1987, addressed this study in detail which supported the Wertheimer-Leeper studies conclusively. Wertheimer-Leeper have also taken their work a step further, noted in a 1986 issue of Bio-electromagnetics. They reported that users of electrically heated beds, which give off ELF fields (extremely low electromagnetic fields) are more likely to have miscarriages and longer gestation periods than normal during the months from Sept. to Jan., when heated waterbeds and electric blankets were in use.

Another study, by Jerry Phillips, director of biochemical research at the Cancer Therapy and Research Center in San Antonio, establishes in recent experiments that exposure to ELF fields causes an abnormal increase in the growth of cancer cells, specifically colon cancer cells. Phillips states, "Those cells also show a 60 to 70 percent greater resistance to disruption by the body's naturally occurring killer cells."

American Health, July/Aug. 1986, expands on this theme with a report of Nov. 1986 case in Houston when the Texas Supreme Court halted the activation of Houston Lighting and Power Company's power lines. Texas courts also hit the Power Co. with \$25.1 million in punitive damages on the charge of installing high-voltage electrical power lines and towers through the middle of three schools in suburban Klein I.S.D., with callous disregard of the children's safety.

Non-ionizing electromagnetic radiation is invisible, an ever-present form of energy sent from power lines and a wide range of common household devices such as computer video display terminals (VDTs), microwave ovens, TV and radio transmitters, radar and, of course, the previously mentioned electric blankets.

Unlike ionizing radiation, such as X-rays, gamma rays and nuclear radiation which are at much higher frequencies, non-ionizing radiation is too weak to rip electrons away from atoms and molecules, converting them to charged ions, according to an article by US News and World Report, March 30, 1987. Instead, it just holds them and shakes these bits and pieces of matter. At relatively high frequencies, the shaking generates heat-which is how a microwave oven cooks food. At lowest frequencies, the consequences of the shaking is less well known.

Next week: Electromagnetic Fields: What can be done about it?

The Immigration Reform And Control Act of 1986

Sanctions under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 against employers who knowingly hire illegal aliens take effect on June 1, 1987.

Agriculture producers, and anyone else who may hire illegal aliens, need to understand the basic provisions of the law so that they do not subject themselves to fines and other penalties, according to Joe Pena, agricultural economist-management with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Uvalde.

Objectives of the Law

The primary political objective of the act, which was passed on November 6, 1986, was to "regain control of U.S. borders," Pena said. "As a result, a concentrated effort to enforce this law is to be expected," he added.

Employer Sanctions And Penalties

The employer sanctions are what give this new law its teeth, he said. "If an employer knowingly hires an illegal alien, he could be subject to a maximum fine of \$2,000 for the first offense and up to \$10,000 for each offense after the second," Pena said.

If an employer repeatedly breaks the law, the violation will be declared a "pattern or practice" and the penalty climbs to a maximum six months in jail and a \$3,000 fine for each unauthorized alien hired, he added.

Phases of Implementation

The Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) granted both a public and information period and a warning period, he explained.

The public information period expires on May 31, 1987.

"This period allowed both workers and employers time to learn about the law's provision," Pena said.

The warning period begins June 1.

The law will be enforced, but only warning citations will be given to first time offenders.

"The full force of the law will be enforced on second time offenders during this warning period," Pena emphasized.

The law will be fully implemented with three-tier sanctions which will go into effect May 31, 1988.

Worker Verification

Employers must verify a job applicant's identity and right to work in the United States, he said.

This verification can be done in several different ways, he explained. One document will be needed to prove identification, such as a driver's license, passport, naturalization certificate, birth certificate (with photo identification), or state-approved identity card, the economist said.

A person's legal right to work in the United States can be established with documentation such as a social security card or birth certificate (with photo ID).

"These two documentation requirements could be embedded into one single document, such as a passport, certificate of U.S. citizenship, certificate of naturalization, unexpired passport with a valid employment certificate, or a 'green card,'" the economist noted.

These documents must be requested from every employee, including close relatives, Pena emphasized.

"Failure to do so could open the employer to discrimination charges or fines for not verifying a worker's status," Pena stated.

Anti-Discrimination Provision

An anti-discrimination provision was written into the law to prevent discrimination against citizens who look as though they could be illegal aliens, Pena pointed out.

Failing to hire a person authorized to work because of their citizenship status or national origin could result in fines up to \$1,000 for the first offense and up to \$2,000 for the second offense.

Grandfather Clause For Current Employees

Employer sanctions do not apply to the employment of an individual who was hired, recruited or referred before the enactment of this law.

This means that verification requirements must be met for all employees hired since November 7, 1986, Pena said.

Eligibility Verification

Once an employer is satisfied with the worker's eligibility, the employer and the employee must fill out an I-9 eligibility verification form, the economist pointed out.

The form is available from most INS offices.

The form requires the employer to attest that he has reviewed the documentation establishing the worker's identification and legal right to work in the U.S., Pena explained.

"The employee must attest, under penalty of perjury, that his documentation is legitimate," he said.

This form must be kept on file the entire time the worker is employed, Pena emphasized.

"When the employee leaves, the form must be kept on file for either a 3-year period after the hiring date or one year after departure, whichever is longer," he explained.

Not complying with any of the verification procedures carries its own set of fines and penalties,

ranging between \$100 and \$1,000 for each individual violator, the economist pointed out.

"These fines are in addition to those associated with employer sanctions for hiring illegals," he said.

Authenticity of Documents Not Required By Employer

Although employers are required to ask every applicant for the necessary documentation and jointly fill out the eligibility verification form, the employer will not be responsible for proving the authenticity of the documents presented by the job applicant, Pena stated.

Labor Contractors

Labor contractors must follow the same verification procedures required of other employers, the economist pointed out.

"What appears unclear at this time, however, is if the use of labor contractors will relieve agricultural producers of verification responsibility," he added.

INS representatives were unable to clarify this technicality, he said.

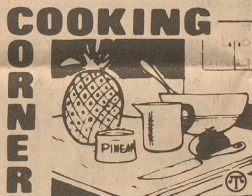
Implementing regulations will be needed to establish responsibility, Pena stated.

"In the meantime, growers should obtain copies of eligibility verification forms from contractors," he emphasized.

Search Warrants

The new law requires that all INS officials obtain a search warrant, using the same procedures as law enforcement officials, before they can legally enter a field to check employee's residence status or work authorization, the economist said.

Search warrants will not be needed if the proprietor grants permission, the INS official is in "hot pursuit" of a suspect, and/or the property is within 25 miles of the U.S./Mexico border.



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Housing Program Available

Guadalupe Economic Services Corporation, through grants from the Farmer's Home Administration, has established a program to provide low interest loans for home repairs. Loan monies are still available for the following counties: Bailey, Motley, King, Lynn, Terry, Garza, Cochran, Lamb, Floyd, Crosby, Yoakum, Dickens, Hockley and parts of Hale County.

Applications from home owners desiring to repair their residences may complete applications at the GESC office, 1416 1st. St., Lubbock. Application times are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and appointments are encouraged.

Funds are available for major repairs such as roofing, electrical wiring, plumbing, insulation, storm windows and doors, handicap accessibility and some foundation work.

The maximum loan allowed is \$5,000.00. Income, credit history, need for repairs and ability to repay will all be considered. Income limits will be based on

family size and combined yearly income. Loans are repaid at 5% interest, with length of time for repayment to be on a sliding scale.

Priority will be given to elderly, handicapped and to low income individuals. Each applicant should bring proof of home ownership such as the Deed (must have been living in home for one year immediately prior to applying); income verification for 1986, such as W-2 or Social Security determination letter and, Property Tax Receipts (taxes must be current).

GESC has also been designated as an approved counseling service by HUD and the Texas Veterans Land Board to provide information, assistance, and advice to prospective and current homeowners regarding housing questions or problems. These services are open to everyone and there is no charge to the client for them.

Anyone wishing more information or wishing to apply is encouraged to phone Mary Baiza or Margy McMennamy at 1-800-692-4425 or locally, 744-4416.

Social Security Tips

by Terry J. Clements

Everyone who works in Social Security-covered employment and that means almost everyone - should keep his or her records up to date. This means reporting changes in circumstances that could affect the person's eligibility for, or the amount of, Social Security payments. Among the changes that should be reported is a change in name.

Many newly married women

continue to use their maiden names at their places of employment. A woman who intends to use her married name, however, should report the change to any Social Security office and apply for a new social security card. The new card with the same number but a new name is usually issued within two weeks.

To effect a change in name, a newly married woman can use the

original or a certified copy of her marriage certificate, showing both her old and new names. If she is foreign born, she will also need proof of United States citizenship or current alien status.

Social Security makes no charge for a name to be changed on its records. Some firms advertise that they will provide this service for a fee; however, Social Security offers this service - as it does all other services - free of charge.

The process can be started simply by phoning the social security office, our telephone number is 293-9623 or you may drop by at 1401-B West 5th if you need any further information.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Although it reads like an episode from a nighttime soap opera with its corporate intrigue and sudden plot twists, the Texaco-Pennzoil battle has serious implications for our state and the outcome will affect Texans for generations to come.

The heart of the current struggle between the corporations is a question of fairness. Texas law has squeezed Texaco between the proverbial rock and a hard place. The rock is court procedures that force Texaco to post a bond equal to the trial court's judgement, in this case, a whopping \$11 billion plus interest. The hard place is that amount of bond money simply does not exist -- the total worldwide bonding capacity is only slightly more than \$1 billion. Even if Texaco could have posted such an outrageous bond, current law still would permit Pennzoil to place liens against Texaco's property, thus forcing defaults on loans and bankruptcy.

Lien statutes and rules of appellate procedure regarding bonds forced Texaco into bankruptcy. It had no choice but to protect its employees, shareholders and suppliers in the only manner possible.

No one - no matter how big or small - should be forced into that situation, just to preserve the right to appeal. It is a fundamental constitutional right to have a full day in court. Our laws should enhance - not block - our access to the appellate judicial system.

In an effort to open access to our courts and our constitutional right to appeal, I am sponsoring Senate Bill

1414. This legislation would allow trial court judges flexibility in setting bonds, with a ceiling established at \$1 billion, an amount sufficient to protect the interests of alleged injured parties while being fair and reasonable to the party seeking an appeal. In addition, it would prevent the placement of liens against property during the appeals process once a bond has been established.

If either party disagrees with the trial judge's decision on the bond, it can be appealed.

Today, 39 other states and the federal courts provide such flexibility. The proposal cannot guarantee that Texaco will emerge from bankruptcy tomorrow or even six months or a year from now, though had it been in effect a month ago, Texaco would not have been forced into bankruptcy. However, without this bill, Texaco cannot safely emerge from bankruptcy during its appeal because as soon as it does, it will be forced to sell assets to post the \$11 billion bond and will face the spectre of Pennzoil attaching liens to its property.

The situation affects not only Texaco's 13,000 Texas employees, 30,000 Texas shareholders and 23,000 Texas suppliers, it affects Texans who would be denied their full day in court because they could not post an unreasonable bond.

Opponents like to brand SB 1414 as "special interest" legislation for Texaco. Quite the contrary, it is "special interest" legislation for TEXANS.

Sincerely,
Sen. Carl Parker

Dear Editor:

In this way I would like to congratulate once more all the adults and children who did such a great job in staging the spring musical "The Greatest Miracle" last Sunday evening. It took a lot of dedication and twice as much work and long hours that went into this production.

The theme under which the Children's Choir of the First Baptist Church sang this year was "Make a

Joyful Noise Unto The Lord". I know the Lord heard the children, also the families of the choir members were present to hear their presentation, but unfortunately not many other people of this small community came forward to show their appreciation for the children and adults who worked so hard to bring you something different.

Sincerely,
Eva Barkley

AMERICA THE DREAMTIME

College Scholarships Available

Brad and Kristen, twin children of an Air Force pilot who was killed in action in Vietnam, are attending the University of Kansas. Their attendance at college was encouraged by the generosity of a special scholarship fund that was created to help provide a brighter future for the sons and daughters of American veterans.

In 1987, at least 100 students like Brad and Kristen will be able to pursue their educational goals with the help of the Coors Veterans' Memorial Scholarship Fund. "During their years of service, the men and women of America's armed forces made a commitment to the future of our country," said Peter Coors, Brewing Division President, Adolph Coors Company. "Now, Coors has made a commitment to the future of the children of these special individuals."

Each year the fund provides more than \$500,000 to dependents of American veterans through at least 100 scholarship awards with a maximum value of \$5,000 each. To be eligible, an applicant must have completed at least one year of college, be under 22 years of age as



The Coors Veterans' Memorial Scholarship Fund helps the dependents of American veterans pursue their educational goals.

of July 1, 1987, and be the dependent of honorably discharged American service personnel or of veterans who died in the line of duty.

Students can obtain a scholarship application from Coors distributors, participating veterans organizations or by writing to Coors Veterans' Memorial Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 3111, Northbrook, IL 60065 or by calling 1-800-49COORS. The deadline for completed applications is July 1, 1987.

AREA AIRPORTS TO BE DISCUSSED

AUSTIN - A Texas Aeronautical Facilities Plan regional planning meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, May 22, 1987, in the Party Room, Pioneer Memorial Building, 101 W. Main, Crosbyton, Texas.

Development of airports in Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, King, Lynn and Motley Counties will be discussed. The meeting will be conducted by the Texas Aeronautics Commission.

All area citizens with an interest in air transportation and airport development are invited to attend. Participating in the meeting will be city and county elected officials, airport board members, airport managers, representatives of the South Plains Association of Governments, and other citizens.

During the meeting, the airport development needs currently identified in the Texas Aeronautical Facilities Plan (TAFP) for area airports will be reviewed. Preservation and development of airport facilities in the area will be covered. The availability of state and federal funds for airport development will be discussed. Information in area economic development, community goals and objectives, and other factors that may influence the need for, or timing of, airport development will be requested.

The TAFP has been developed for Texas and the Federal Aviation Administration by the Texas Aeronautics Commission. The Plan was first published in 1974. The latest Plan revision was published in August, 1984. Completion of this TAFP revision is scheduled for mid-1988.

Garden Tips

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by Robert Kirkpatrick
World Champion Gardener

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The following day, the banquet hall was filled with royalty and nobility dressed in dazzling jewels and costly finery. Then came the great moment when the students entered with their beloved teacher. A startled cry arose from the crowd. For here were their young men dressed, not in the garments of the noble, but in simple sack-cloth robes, each carrying a mortar board - the mark of a common workman. "Let me explain," spoke the teacher as he raised his hands for silence. "Your sons are dressed in the clothing of the mason, for their destiny is to build. Some will build cities, some will build lives - perhaps one of them may even build, perhaps one of them may build an empire. But all will be

builders in the solid foundation of knowledge."

And thus, over the years, the cap and gown have become the traditional part of graduation, symbolizing the fact that our young men and women are builders of their own future - and the future of our world.

And to our Christian seniors regarding the building up of the church, 1 Cor. 3:10-14 also comes to mind:

"According to the grace of God which was given to me, as a wise master builder I laid a foundation, and another is building upon it. But let each man be careful how he builds upon it. For no man can lay a foundation other than the one which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any man builds upon the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, each man's work will be come evident; for the day will show it, because it is to be revealed with fire; and the fire itself will test the quality of each man's work. If any man's work which he has built upon it remains, he shall receive a reward."

We congratulate our seniors on their accomplishments. May they always build upon the foundation of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Quilting Bee Held At Do Gooders' Club Meeting

The Do Gooders' Club met Tuesday afternoon, May 12 at the Community Center in Flomot and enjoyed a Quilting Bee.

Mrs. Wilson Barton, president, presided at the business meeting. The members voted to have a concession stand open for business all day Saturday, July 4 at the Flomot Tri-Annual Homecoming. They will also sell chances, a dollar each, for a bandana quilt that will be on display during Homecoming activities. The winner will be announced Sunday, July 5 at the Community Center and does not have to be present to win.

Hostesses were Mesdames Howard Rogers, L.E. Shorter and Donnie Rogers. Refreshments of assorted cheese, crackers and cookies were served with fruit punch. The table was laid with a white cloth centered with a beautiful arrangement of iris in an ivory vase encircled by water floating wild purple daisies in bowl of same color.

Members attending besides those mentioned above were Mesdames James Monk, Clayton Bond, George Pope, Billy Morris, D.M. Gilbert, Bill Washington, Wayne Hunter and Doyle Calvert.

Cooking Corner

Cherry Crisp

Sink your sweet fang into this delight.

- 1/2 cup flour
- 3/4 cup rolled oats
- 1/2 cup margarine
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 16-ounce can pitted sour cherries
- 1 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice

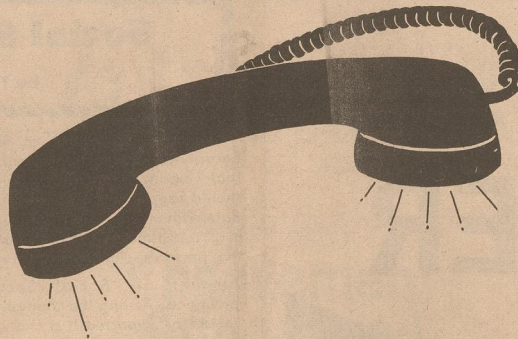
Combine the flour and rolled oats. Cut in the margarine until the mixture is crumbly; mix in 1/2 cup of the sugar. Set aside for topping.

Drain the cherries reserving the juice. Combine the remaining sugar with the cornstarch, spices and lemon juice; slowly blend in the cherry juice. Cook over low heat stirring constantly, until the sauce is thick and clear. Add the cherries. Pour into a greased 8-inch square baking pan. Sprinkle with the topping.

Bake at 375°F. for 30 minutes.

Yield: 9 Servings

Approximate Calories/Serving: 185



County Chit-Chat

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

Cecil Suddeth of Fort Worth was a luncheon guest of his aunt, Mrs. James Monk, Thursday.

Bob Deavours of Manteca, Calif. visited Saturday and Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Doris Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross visited in Olton, Monday with her mother, Mrs. Hoyte Paschal and houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Paschal of Dearborn, Michigan.

Mrs. Sherrilyn Cook and son, Keith of Lubbock visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen.

Wendell Morris attended to business in Kansas, Oklahoma, Georgia and South Carolina the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Moseley and Mr. and Mrs. V.D. Tiffin visited in Clarendon, Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Lane.

Tom Ross returned home recently from Dallas where he was a patient in Veterans' Hospital following major surgery.

Visiting overnight Thursday in the home of Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson were Mr. and Mrs. Roy George of Mathis. Joining them Friday to attend the funeral services of Harrison George were Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada and Mrs. Allie Hart of Matador. They also visited Mrs. Opal Martin.

Mrs. Leland Heiskell, Christi and Lance of Dalhart visited the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert. Visiting in the Gilbert home Tuesday was Mrs. Gladys Stroup of Quitaque.

Melvin Pope of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. George Pope, Saturday. Mrs. Pope's cellar and

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

Mrs. Jack (Betty) Aldridge of Carter, OK visited from Monday until Wednesday with her father, John Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spray and daughters, Rhonda and Misty of Bedford visited during the weekend

with his parent, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon accompanied his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon to Lubbock, Friday and to Paducah, Saturday for medical treatment.

Matador News

Jodie Jameson of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Peg Spray of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jameson, Saturday.

Mrs. Tim Green of Austin spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Curtis King, and other relatives.

Miriam Garner received word that her brother Alton Adams of

Carlsbad, N.M. was severely injured working cattle on May 19.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Edwards visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Edwards at Ranger and the Tom Edwards family in Houston and enjoyed fishing at both places.

Dorothy Bird has been moved to the Four Season's Nursing Home, Room No. 15, 1800 Englewood, Odessa, Texas 79760.

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Garcia were Plainview visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kingery of Corpus Christi who had been here with his mother Mrs. Eliza Kingery, who has a severe case of shingles left for home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Kingery's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Dickson of Amarillo came Saturday, remaining until Sunday afternoon when they took Mrs. Kingery to the home of her son Ted in Silverton as they went home. She will remain there until she is well enough to stay alone.

Miss Lula Swim, accompanied by her sister-in-law Mrs. J.T. Swim, kept a medical appointment in Plainview for a periodic checkup Tuesday of last week.

Mesdames Fay Griffin and Elsie Woolley of McAdoo visited Mrs. Roxie Lewis Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Larry Burkes and daughter Angie of Afton visited her grandmother Mrs. Vera Mitchell Saturday.

B.L. Peacock flew to Gautier, Mississippi, Sunday of last week where his brother Alex is in the Singing River Hospital, critically ill; he returned Tuesday. A news item, his brother's condition remains critical.

Mrs. Clara Youngblood returned Monday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Azle. Her sister Mrs. Gladys Parker and sister-in-law Mrs. Elvey Harris drove her home Monday morning and went home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Marshall attended the annual meeting of the East Afton Co-op Gin Saturday night. It was a dinner meeting. He is a member of the Co-op Board.

Jim McClesky was in Lubbock Friday and Saturday for tests and diagnosis. He was kept overnight at Methodist Hospital and was found to have a stomach ulcer for which he is taking medication while carrying on his usual activities. Mr. and Mrs. McClesky are the efficient **Avalanche Journal** carriers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Thacker of Corpus Christi and son Tod, a student of Texas Tech, were overnight visitors with Mr. Thacker's mother, Mrs. M.S. Thacker Saturday night.

MARSHALL REUNION

Descendants of pioneer residents of the county, A.A. and T.E. Marshall who moved to Tepee Flat in 1916, recently held their annual reunion at the Senior Citizens Center here. It was declared the biggest and best such gathering the family had enjoyed. Several of the third generation descendants attending for the first time, and some coming from as far away as California. Local residents involved were the W.H. Marshalls, the J.N. Fletchers, the John Greens, also residents of Bakersfield, Calif., and Mrs. Hattie Marshall. Several Matador families were also involved.

J.R. SWIM COMPLETES GENERIC DRUG GUIDE

J.R. Swim, known to friends and teachers here, when he was growing up, as Roger, of Abilene, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim has compiled **Generic Drug Identification Guide** to meet the expanding need for the identification of generic drugs which has become acute in the last few years; it is for the use of pharmacists, nurses, physicians, and other professional people dealing with drug products. The **Guide** seems to have met with wide acceptance as he has already sold 500 of the first printing and has received a second 500 from his publisher. J.R. is a graduate of the University of Texas with a degree in Pharmacy and is presently Pharmacist of Texas Department of Health Resources, Nursing and Convalescent Home Division.

May God give you peace and joy today.

Card Of Thanks

Thank you for the cards, visits and phone calls. For the flowers we thank Thacker Jewelry, Danny and Linda Scott, Johnny, Debra, Scotty and Jody Scott and the Texas Hwy. Dept.

The James Simpson Family

We would like to thank each individual and business for their donations for the Easter Egg Hunt. Community projects are a big part of our Club's work and the support we receive is very important. Thank you!

GFWC Eternas Study Club

We would like to express our sincere appreciation for the kindness shown to our family during the loss of our loved one. Thank you so much for the food, flowers, memorials, cards, and prayers. Your caring has meant so much to us.

The Cornett Family

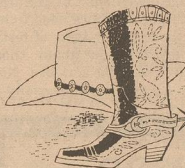
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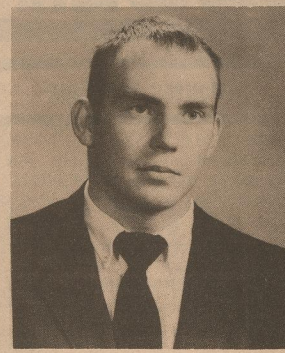
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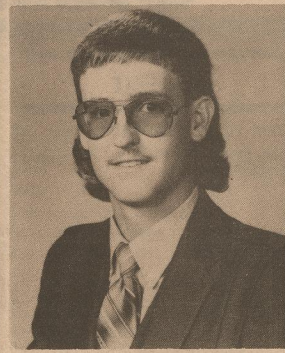
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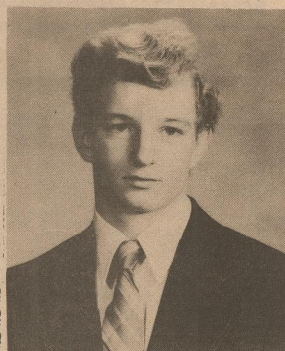
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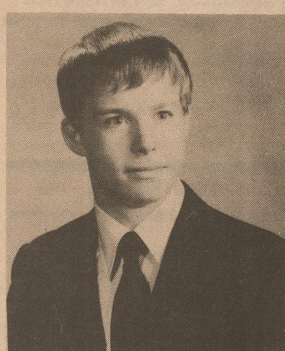
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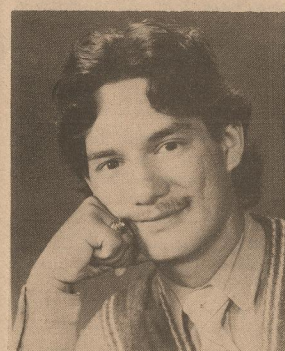
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Patton Springs will confer high school diplomas upon eight students May 28 at 8:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium, Afton, with Reverend C.L. Atkinson of Dickens delivering the address.

David Niblock is valedictorian of the class with a four-year average of 90.097. Kevin Scarbrough is the salutatorian of the class with a four-

year average of 88.434. The graduating seniors are: Travis Bateman, son of Stanley Bateman and Judy Bateman; Sammy Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Little; Creg Marshall, son of

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Marshall; David Niblock, son of Cean Cooper; Racquel Kay Osborn, daughter of Lorine Osborn; Lee Perryman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Perryman;

Norman Ramirez, son of Victor Ramirez; and Kevin Scarbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Scarbrough.

Grade school graduation will be held Friday morning, May 29, at 10:15 in the school gymnasium. Graduating into high school will be Joe Baeza, son of Fanny Ramirez; Billy Bob Bumpus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bumpus; Ken Cornett, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cornett;

Stephen Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones; Stephanie Mayfield, daughter of Kathy Hughes and Alan Mayfield; Rhonda Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith; Lonnie Williams, son of Binky Hughes.

Salutatorian of the class is Rhonda Smith with an average of 92.628. Valedictorian of the class is Stephanie Mayfield with an average of 96.514.

Bubba Jennings Speaks At Patton Springs



BUBBA JENNINGS

Bubba Jennings, assistant basketball coach at Texas Tech, was the guest speaker for Patton Springs All Sports Banquet Friday night, May 15. Jennings, a former All Southwest Conference basketball player for three years and a former professional basketball player, gave a motivational speech on setting goals and being a winner, illustrating many points with personal experience.

Concluding his talk, Jennings gave this advice: Now, go out and drink, swear, lie and steal every day. DRINK life to the fullest. SWEAR to be a better student and a better athlete. LIE down to rest and thank the Lord for the blessings you enjoy. STEAL a few moments from each day to set and achieve your goals. Approximately one hundred and thirty people attended the banquet honoring Patton's young people.

To start the presentation of awards, Coach Ed Shepler expressed his appreciation for the

support given the athletic program and named Bud Jones as "Supporter of the Year" and presented him a plaque.

Carolee Hughes, freshman, and James Lewis, junior, were announced winners of the prestigious Ralph Marshall and Frank Ragland Athletic Honor Roll awards. This honor is bestowed each year upon the high school girl and boy participating in athletics and having the highest academic average for the year. Carolee's name has been added to the Ralph Marshall plaque; James' to the Frank Ragland plaque, for the third consecutive time.

Kevin Scarbrough received the U.S. Army Reserve award for academic and athletic excellence. Upon graduation, Kevin will go into the U.S. Army Intelligence as Signal Interpreter, Korean.

Kim Cline, Sophomore, and Kevin Scarbrough, senior, received the special honor of being the first students to have their names inscribed on a new plaque presented by the three coaches, Ed Shepler, Curtis Smith, and William Cochran. This plaque is for the Best All Around Athlete, boy and girl, selected by the coaches.

Sue Shepler was given the Winged Victory Award by Superintendent Barlow for being the school's Number One "Go-Getter."

School board president Mike Smith then presented Special Appreciation Envelopes to each of the three coaches.

After each grade school and high school sports participant had been recognized with a certificate and lettermen recognized with jackets, the guest of honor accommodated students by posing for pictures and by autographing their certificates.



Patton Springs Lunchroom Menu

May 25 - 29, 1987

MONDAY, MAY 25
BREAKFAST: Juice, Cereal, 1/2 pint milk. LUNCH: Chalupas & Cheese, Salad, Okra, Brownies, 1/2 pint milk.

TUESDAY, MAY 26
BREAKFAST: Juice, Toast & Jelly, 1/2 pint milk. LUNCH: Chili Dog with Cheese, French Fries, Pickles Spear, Onions, Applesauce, 1/2 pint milk.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27
BREAKFAST: Juice, French Toast, 1/2 pint milk. LUNCH: Salisbury

Steak & Gravy, New Potatoes & Sauce, Green Beans, Rolls, Jello, 1/2 pint milk.

THURSDAY, MAY 28
BREAKFAST: Juice, Pancake, 1/2 pint milk. LUNCH: Sloppy Joes, Tater Tots, Mixed Vegetables, Onions, Pickles, Relish, Pudding with Topping, 1/2 pint milk.

FRIDAY, MAY 29
BREAKFAST: Juice, Toast & Jelly, 1/2 pint milk. LUNCH: Sandwiches, Tuna, Pimento Cheese, Peanut Butter, French Fries, Fruit, Cookies, 1/2 pint milk.

Patton Springs Announcements

The Patton Springs FHA Chapter is sponsoring a Little Olympics Track

meet Friday, May 22, 1987, at 1:00 p.m. Grades K thru 5 will be

participating in the track meet. A concession stand will be open. The public is invited to attend.

The Patton Springs Home Economics Department is sponsoring a "Summer Time Fun Fashion Show" Thursday, May 21, at 7:00 p.m., in the Home Ec. Cottage. The Patton Springs students will be modeling class projects and clothing from Elaine's Fashions of Spur. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Patton Springs Young Homemakers Elect New Officers

On May 7, the Patton Springs Young Homemakers elected new officers: president Sue Jones; Vice President Donna Stokes; Treasurer

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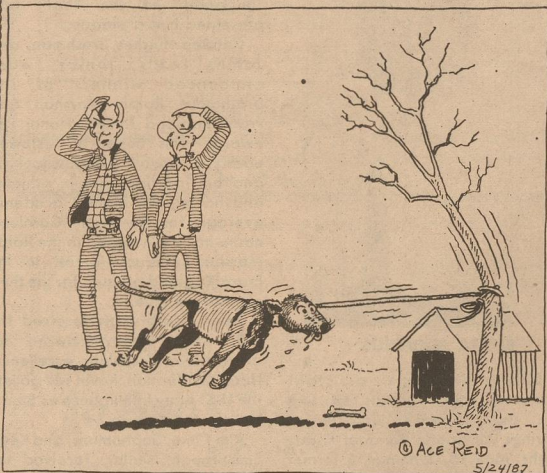
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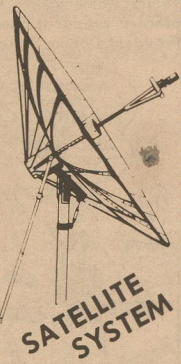
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I would appreciate people helping the county, their friends and neighbors who use this road in being more aware of this problem and helping us to stop it without us taking more drastic measures.

Gid Simpson
Precinct 3
Commissioner

Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Texas Department of Health will change their Health Clinic to May 22 in Roaring Springs 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. and May 26 & 27 in Matador, 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT 4-H WORK DAY

4-H Families please come to the 4-H Work Day Saturday, May 23 for all or part of the day. Bring your lunch for a picnic. We will be re-roofing and working inside at the new 4-H Building formerly the VFW.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The P.T.O. will meet Friday, May 22, from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The lay-out and plans of the proposed play ground will be available for inspection and comment. Come see the proposal and voice your opinion. Come for a few minutes or for the whole hour.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Cap Rock Telephone Company, Inc. hereby gives notice it has filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for authority to delete services no longer provided, to de-tariff the maintenance and installation of simple and complex inside wiring in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order in Docket 79-105, and to offer for sale single line business/residential premises equipment to customers of the Company. The changes for inside wire to become effective on June 1, 1987 and the sale of single line business/residential customer premises equipment to customers will become effective upon August 31, 1987 or commission approval if at a later date.

The proposed changes will cause reductions in annual regulated revenues to the Company of \$23,779.20. Persons with questions or who desire more information about the requested rate changes are encouraged to contact the Company at 806-271-3336 or 121 East Third Street, Spur, Texas 79370 where a complete copy of the filing is available for inspection.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 450N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at 512-458-0227, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.