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MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR



JUDY RENFRO

Judy Renfro is the Secretary at the PCA office in Matador. She has worked there since 1976. She graduated from Matador High School in 1963. She and her husband, Butch, have two daughters, Renee (Mrs. Frank) Mzyk, who lives in Grapevine, and Rachelle, a sixth grader at Motley County Elementary.

In her spare time Judy enjoys playing Golf, Bridge, and working in her yard.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"The closest to perfection that a person ever comes is when he fills out a job application form."

— Stanley J. Randall

Methodist Church To Hold Wills And Planned Giving Clinic

Attorney Tom Hood, a partner in the Hinkle Law Firm in Amarillo and Dr. Clifford Trotter from the Texas Methodist Foundation will conduct a Wills and Planned Giving Clinic at the First Methodist Church, Matador at 1:00 p.m. this coming Sunday, March 5. All county residents are invited to attend worship services at 11:00 a.m. Join the church members for Sunday Dinner and stay for the Clinic. The Clinic itself is open to all to attend after Sunday worship at other county churches, according to Pastor Ron Kelley. There will be opportunities to ask questions which would otherwise be costly when done individually according to Kelley.

Men of the County Invited To Breakfast Saturday

The men of Motley County are reminded to bring their prayer requests to the next Motley County Men's Breakfast this Saturday at 7 a.m. The meeting for March will be at First Baptist Church, Roaring Springs. All county churches are urged to have representatives, according to the Motley County Ministerial Alliance. Hearty singing and great devotional are part of the gathering.

Whiteflat Reunion Set For April 1

It's time again to make your plans to join in the fun for the annual Whiteflat Reunion Homecoming, Saturday, April

1, at the Matador Senior Citizens building, north of the Courthouse. The doors

will be open at 8:30 a.m. A covered dish lunch will be served at noon.

A business meeting will follow lunch to elect new officers for the 1995-96 years. All exes and friends are invited to

attend for a good day of visiting.

If you have old time pictures, please give to Nora Bell Dunning or the Motley County Tribune.

For more information call Nora Bell Dunning, 806-347-722.

Motley County Ex-Students Association Sets Homecoming Dates For 1995

The Executive Committee of the Motley County Ex-Students Association met last week and set September 29th and 30th for the 1995 Homecoming. On Friday night, September 29, the Motley

County football team will play Paducah, so it could be a "great" game!

The 1995 officers are: Charles Keith, President; Grace Zabielski, Vice-President; Hazel Donovan and Olivia Barton, Co-Secretaries; Brenda and Billy Osborn, Past Co-Presidents; and Directors, Reneigh Burns, Dana Graham, Geraldine Key, Mark Wason, Seven Alexander, and Barbara Armstrong.

Classes wishing to coordinate class reunions may contact Grace Zabielski, (806) 348-7202, for assistance and/or scheduling. Dues (\$1.00) or contributions

may be mailed to Mrs. Hazel Donovan or Mrs. Olivia Barton, Matador, TX 79244.

Longtime Motley County Resident Remembers Days Gone By



Katherine Barton King is pictured here in the room in which she was born. Mrs. King resides in her childhood home.

by Emily Roy

The following story was written by Texas Tech Journalism student, Emily Roy, provided to this newspaper by Tech's School of Mass Communications through a grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation.

"Dance all night, dance a little longer," might have been the motto at Katherine

We would remove all of the furniture from two bedrooms, and the band would play in the doorway between the two, King said. We couldn't all dance at the same time, so we would dance in sets so that everyone had a turn, she said.

My mother allowed no drinking or smoking so other parents liked for their kids to come out, and anyone was welcome if they abided by these rules, King said. Often the band consisted of just two people, Jim and Jim Rob, better known as Bob Wills, she said.

"Some of the local boys would play until about midnight and pass a hat, if no one put any dollars in, they would quit. But Jim and Bob would play all night," King said.

People came from surrounding towns such as Matador, Lakeview, Quitaque, and Turkey, Wills' home town. One time people claimed that 300 were served lunch at the home before such a dance, King said.

My mom and Bob Wills' mom and dad grew up together in Limestone County. Mom enjoyed the dances, and after she quit having them at the house, Wills would always save her a place to set close to the band, King said.

King recalls other memories of the home as well. She has two brothers and one sister, and all of them were born in the house in different bedrooms, she said.

Recently, on King's birthday, she made it a point to be in the same room at the same time that she had been born.

"How many people can say that they were in the same room that they were born in 84 years later?" King asked.

The east room of the home was the first school house in Barton, and another room was the sight of King's wedding to Pat King in 1928, she said.

Mr. King, originally from Ralls, worked at the Matador Hardware Store. King said that most of the boys in town were afraid of her mother because she was so strict. She recalls being sent to the hardware store to buy a part for their broken windmill and being waited on by Mr. King.

"Do you suppose your mom would care if I came out to see you sometime?" Mr. King asked her.

After they were married the Kings moved to Portales, N.M. and then on to Plainview until they returned to Matador in 1970. Shortly after retiring in Matador and moving King's childhood home, Mr. King passed away.

King said she worked at the El Matador and then the drug store until 1980, and enjoys playing cards, dominoes, and especially golf. In addition to many hours spent playing golf, as evidenced by the many trophies she has accumulated, King talked about a recent ten mile hike she took near the sight of a cabin her father owned.

Katherine King has seen the years pass in Motley County, and enjoys life not only in remembering the good times of the past, but in enjoying living today.



ROARING SPRINGS QUILT — This beautiful quilt, on display at the Songbird Cafe in Roaring Springs, is being raffled by the Roaring Springs Community Volunteers. The winning ticket will be drawn at the Roaring Springs Reunion, June 17.

Roaring Springs Business Celebrates 75th Birthday



Buzz Thacker, left, is holding a hammer which was presented to them for over 50 years of service and Jeff is holding a clock for their 75th Anniversary, both presented by Amarillo Hardware. Mrs. Buzz (LaVoe) Thacker is also pictured.

The 75th Anniversary at Thacker Supply, Saturday, February 25, was a very successful day. Over 400 friends and relatives attended.

Friends and former employees came from far and near, including Charles Owens, who was their repairman for 22 years. Two vice presidents from Amarillo Hardware, their primary wholesaler, came and presented Buzz Thacker with a mounted gold plated hammer for over 50 years of service. This makes two of the hammers for the Thackers as there is already one hanging on the office wall which was presented to Mr. Melton Thacker at the store's 50th anniversary.

Family of all ages attended from Lillian Thacker from Lubbock to the

newest member of the family, Canaan Isaiah, son of Joey and Ann Thacker, of Roaring Springs. Thacker cousins came from as far away as Ft. Worth and Cleburne.

The Thackers stated that they never dreamed so many people would take the time to come and enjoy the special day with them.

Door prizes were given away to the following: Diamond ring, Milton Brooks, Roaring Springs; Pocket Knife, Lula Swim, Roaring Springs; Pocket Knife, Fred Risser, Matador; Cordless Drill, Billy Carson, Afton; Mixer, Venita Sedgewick, Roaring Springs; Table Top Grill, Sandra Gage, Afton; Shop Vac, Nan Preston, Farwell, Texas.

Ron Cox Is Hired As Athletic Director

Superintendent George Blanch announced this week that Ron Cox of Wichita Falls has been hired as the new Athletic Director and head Football Coach for Motley County I.S.D.

Mr. Cox is currently a football coach and Biology teacher for Jr. High and High School in the Wichita Falls school system. His wife, Shelly Stevens Cox,

teaches Computer Literacy, Business and VEH classes in High School.

Ron is the son of Leona Terry and the late L.M. Cox. Shelly is the daughter of John V. Stevens and the late Helen Stevens, all of Matador.

Mr. Cox will report to Motley County ISD April 1.

Spray - Bennett United In Marriage



Mrs. Bo Bennett (nee Brandee Spray)

Brandee Shay Spray and Bo Derick Bennett were united in marriage in a candlelight service February 4, 1995 at the First Baptist Church of Matador. Rev. Ray Rodgers, Possum Kingdom Lake, performed the double ring ceremony. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Joel D. Spray of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bennett of Ballinger.

Honor attendants were Lyndee Spray Jameson, sister of the bride, of Matador, and Dale Howard, Jr. of Azle. Leanne Jameson, the bride's niece, was the flower girl. Guests were seated by Jason Jameson and Billy Smith of Spur. Music was provided by Darren Rodgers, soloist of Possum Kingdom Lake and Stuart Brummett, pianist, of Lubbock.

The bride wore a designer gown of ivory satin featuring a sweetheart neckline and lace-capped puffed sleeves. The bodice, sleeves and skirt were appliqued with cut lace adorned with pearls and sequins. The formal train was also designed with lace appliques, pearls and sequins and was attached to the full skirt with a satin bow. The bride kept the wedding tradition of carrying something old, a lace handkerchief given to her on

the day of her birth; something new, her gown and veil; something borrowed, a 3 carat diamond ring belonging to Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Dirickson worn on a gold chain necklace, belonging to Lindsey Williams; and something blue, a blue topaz ring.

Following the ceremony, a reception hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Joel Spray and Mr. and Mrs. Jason Jameson was held at the Roaring Springs Ranch Club Welcome Center. The buffet supper was catered by Virginia Sailsbury of Roaring Springs. After cutting the cake, the new couple made a toast using toasting glasses brought to them from Spain by the groom's parents.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bennett on Friday night. They also cooked breakfast Sunday morning for Brandee and Bo and their own out of town guests. Other courtesies held for the bride and groom included a lingerie shower hosted by Amber Brandon of Lubbock and a bridal shower held in the home of Mrs. Bobby Williams.

Brandee and Bo will make their home in Ballinger with future plans of returning to Possum Kingdom Lake.

Nicole Green Top Speller In Lynn County Bee

Nicole Green, a Tahoka fifth grader completed 13 rounds and correctly spelled the final words "pioneer" and "knifeflike" to win the Lynn County Spelling Bee recently, in competition with 21 other students from 4th - 8th grade in all four schools in Lynn County.

Miss Green, daughter of Ricky and Jackie Green of Tahoka, advances to the Regional Spelling Bee on Saturday, April 1, at Cavazos Junior High in Lubbock.

Nicole is the granddaughter of Jack Bearden and Betty Bearden of Matador, and Ted and Nelta Green of Plainview. Her great-grandmother is Olene Edwards also of Plainview.



Nicole Green won the Lynn County Spelling Bee. She will advance to the Regional Spelling Bee in Lubbock, April 1.

Matador First Baptist Church Men's Roundup Enjoyed By Men of the Community

The Matador First Baptist Church Men's Roundup was held Wednesday night February 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. It was hosted by the W.M.U. ladies of the Church. Men from the community enjoyed a good meal of hamburger meat and red beans, cornbread, salad, hot peppers, pickles, and wonderful cobbler.

Billy Donaldson led the group in several choruses with music on his guitar and Rev. Jim Hancock, interim pastor, spoke to the group and kept everyone in stitches through it all with comical jokes.

Some of the men were ill and other things kept them from coming. It is hoped they will be able to come next year. There were 28 people present besides the ladies serving the meal.

El Progreso Club Celebrates Valentines Day

Thursday, February 9, at noon El Progreso Club celebrated Valentines Day with their annual baked potato luncheon and guest day. The meeting was held in the Motley County Senior Citizens building where the tables were decorated beautifully for the holiday by Mrs. JoEita Bumgardner. The front door was covered with a full length Valentine greeting, the tables had hearts and red streamers with candy hearts on them to add to the festive appearance. The serving table had a large red candle with a variety of colored paper streamers surrounding it and the table holding the Bingo prizes had a tree with glass hearts suspended from it so it was truly a Valentines day celebration.

The meeting was called to order by the club president, Mrs. Jo Ann Dickson who also was presented the District President's pin by resigning President Mrs. Sue Seigler who, due to health problems, resigned as Santa Rosa District President. Mrs. Dickson, as President-elect took over the reigns on Jan. 1. A former club president will serve in that position for the balance of the 2 year term. Mrs. Dickson lauded Mrs. Seigler for all her work in compiling the district directory

and doing the business for the district so well. Lining up the district officers is a challenging task and Mrs. Seigler did it with a lot of phone calls and letters being written to where all will serve until the Spring of 1996. As of now, Mrs. Loys Campbell will serve as Club President and Mrs. JoEita Bumgardner will serve as Secretary-Treasurer.

It was noted by Mrs. Opal Pipkin, Mrs. Imogene Hampton Harbour who had been an early Sorosis Club member in Matador in the late 1930s had died. The Sorosis club was formed before El Progreso and met for several years after El Progreso began.

A thank you letter from Vernon Cen-

ter for the monetary gift from the club for Christmas was read. This is a yearly project of the club to help with gifts for the Center.

For the program Mrs. Dickson read from a Valentine booklet that she had received some years ago. The poems were so meaningful to all of us for they made us recall the Valentine box of the grade school era, handmade ones and who they went to, those we received from "that special someone".

Mrs. Dickson distributed red cardboard heart with a pin saying I Love You on it which everyone wore for another way of showing the Valentine "spirit".

Baked potatoes with all kinds and types of toppings were served with tea and coffee and cherry dessert.

With Mrs. Dickson calling out the Bingo numbers for a time White- elephant prizes were given out. Mrs. Beverly Vinson called out the numbers until all the "prizes" had been distributed. It was an afternoon filled with fun and excitement as to who would come up with a card first to get one of the "coveted" prizes.

Members attending were Mrs. JoEita Bumgardner, Mrs. Loys Campbell, Mrs. Lucretia Campbell, Mrs. Winifred Darsey, Mrs. JoAnn Dickson, Mrs. Bailey Elliott and her guest, Mrs. Mary Jo McCreeless, Mrs. Callie Giesecke, Mrs. Pearl Patten, Mrs. Opal Pipkin, Mrs. Lola Pohl, and her guest, Mrs. Una Simpson, Mrs. Sue Seigler, Mrs. Beverly Vinson and Mrs. Grace Campbell, and her guest, Mrs. Opal Johnson.

Members were reminded of the next meeting which will be held in the Methodist Church for guest evening with Michael Clawson as guest speaker. It will be at 7 p.m. and all are encouraged to bring a guest. Please let Mrs. Lola Pohl know who your guest will be.

Terry F. Carson & Teresa Smith would like to announce the marriage of their daughter

Amanda Marie Carson

to

Cody Shay Barclay of Flomot

on March 4, 1995, 8:00 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Matador

Reception and Dance following at the V.F.W. Memorial 4-H Building

Friends and Family are invited

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Home Economically Speaking



by Beverly A. Logsdon Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

LATEST ADA NUTRITION RECOMMENDATIONS

The American Diabetes Association's recently published 1994 nutrition recommendations for nutrition guidelines for diabetes give new direction to the "oldest" treatment of diabetes - diet.

The changes in nutritional management of the disease emphasize that no longer is there one "ADA Diet" given as a prescription for caloric intake with the carbohydrate, protein and fat distribution. Today the recommended diet can only be an individualized dietary prescription based upon the nutritional findings and treatment goals by the physician and dietitian (American Diabetes Association, 1994).

Most notable are the changes to the nutrition recommendations with less emphasis on restricting specific types of carbohydrates (i.e., sucrose, fructose and other nutritive sweeteners). The American Diabetes Association report states that for most of this century the most widely held belief is that all "simple" sugars should be avoided with replacement with complex carbohydrates. These recommendations should be given to the total amount of carbohydrate consumed rather than the source. Research revealed that even 38 percent of calories from sucrose lasting up to four weeks also found no adverse effects on glycemia such as a rise in blood glucose levels. Thus, restriction of sucrose in the diabetic diet because of adverse effects on blood glucose levels is not justified.

The new guidelines have liberalized the types of carbohydrates that can be used. Formerly the rationale was to pay close attention to the amounts of simple and complex carbohydrates whereas now the research findings support the need to pay close attention to the total intake of carbohydrates.

More research is needed to see the effect, if any, on sucrose on serum lipids. Sucrose and sucrose-containing foods can be substituted into the meal plan within the limitations of the recommended diet plan.

Fructose - a common natural monosaccharide with taste similar to sucrose - produces a smaller rise in plasma glucose and most starchy vegetable. When other carbohydrates in the diet of subjects with diabetes are replaced with fructose, a reduction in glucose levels after eating resulted. The bad news is that fructose may contribute to adverse effects on serum lipids - especially LDL cholesterol. One study of subjects with diabetes were given a high fructose diet (20 percent of daily calories) in comparison to one nearly devoid of fructose. The fructose diet increased blood sugar levels prior to eating by 7 percent higher and LDL cholesterol or the bad cholesterol by 11 percent higher.

Based on available data at this time no reason exists to recommend that individuals with diabetes avoid fruits, vegetables and honey in which fructose occurs naturally. Another concern about potential adverse effect of fructose in large amounts on serum lipids discourages its recommendations as the "sweetening" agent of choice.

Other nutritive sweeteners such as honey, maltose, sorbitol, mannitol, or other sweeteners provide no advantage over sucrose in terms of neither glycemic response nor caloric content. Because each nutritive sweetener contributes about the same amount of calories as sucrose or fructose, therefore it must be accounted for in meal planning.

Non-nutritive sweeteners - intense, low caloric or alternative - approved for use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) are as follows: Saccharin, acesulfame-K and aspartame. Consumers can be assured that all these products undergo rigorous scrutiny by the FDA and are disallowed on the market unless proven safe for the public, including people with diabetes, to consume.

Fiber recommendations for persons with diabetes of 20 to 35 grams per day from a variety of sources is prudent for not only the general public, but for people with diabetes also. Other notable changes focus on emphasizing the overall nutritional value, including fats, proteins and consumption emphasizing the overall nutritional value, including fats, proteins and consumption of carbohydrates in relation to the entire diet.

Protein recommendations for people with diabetes are neither higher nor lower than for the general population. About 10 to 20 percent of total daily calories could come from protein.

If dietary protein contributes 10 to 20 percent of total calories in the diet, then 80 to 90 percent of calories should be distributed between carbohydrate and fat. Because diabetes has a three- to four-fold increase in risk for cardiovascular disease (CVD) nutrition recommendations for patients with diabetes have traditionally followed the same guidelines. The abnormalities in carbohydrate and lipid metabolism associated with CVD in people with diabetes must not be aggravated by amounts of carbohydrates and fats in the diet. Other nutrition recommendations for weight control, hypertension, consumption of alcohol and micronutrients such as cadmium or magnesium are of importance to the individual having diabetes are given.

Today you could be placed on a variety of dietary or meal plans such as food guides (for example the USDA Food Guide Pyramid), exchange systems, carbohydrate counting or other forms of counting total available glucose (TAG) in foods. If you have diabetes and you have not been provided an updated diabetes meal plan, you will need to contact your local physician for a referral to a registered dietitian to help individualize a meal plan for you. Meal planning for persons with diabetes should become even easier with more variety and interest in the healthful approach to eating.

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age, or national origin.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: Middle age is when you burn the midnight oil around 9 p.m.



Stars on flags usually stand for unity. The number of stars may show how many states are united in that country.

Victory Through Jesus



"Be a winner" is a phrase which is often used by coaches, sales managers and others to promote better performance. We are a nation accustomed to victory. Whether it be pro football or our hometown kids in the Little League, we expect victory. That is what we expect as payment for our interest in sports. We can all agree, that there is no virtue in defeat. Nor is it wrong to desire to win. However, we should put things in perspective and strive for victory in things that really matter.

The Apostle Paul often referred to athletic events in his writings. In I Corinthians 9:24, "They that run in a race run all, but one receives the prize. Even so run that ye may attain." Later in this letter Paul discusses life and death, and shows that the resurrection of Jesus is a pledge of our own. In another statement he adds, "Thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

In "the game of life" we can all be winners, for God gives us the victory. That is the reason why Paul says in Romans 8:37, "We are more than conquerors through him that loved us." Victory is indeed through Jesus Christ.

Roaring Springs Church of Christ

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

Worship - 9:00 a.m.

Motley County School News

Hoop News....



PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK

The Motley County I.S.D. Cafeteria personnel invites you to eat with the students on March 9, 1995 or March 10, 1995 in observation of Public School Week.

The menu for Thursday will be baked chicken, potatoes, gravy, hot rolls, etc.

The menu for Friday will be cheeseburgers with all the fixins.

Parents, please let the school know which day you will eat with us so that we can prepare enough food. The price for a guest lunch will be \$4.00. Thank you and hope to see you there.



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER
Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

The young boxer had been slated to fight the champ but he held back.

"Sluggo," said his manager, "just keep saying, 'I'm gonna lick 'em!'"

"That's no good," replied the

boxer, "because I know what a liar I am."

I believe in success. Not because of who I am, but because of Whom I follow. My Lord's a winner. He doesn't believe in failure.

Give Him an invitation to take over in your heart, and He'll give you the inspiration. As you make the preparation, mixed with perspiration, He'll give the wisdom and power for success.

"Fear not," He says, "I will uphold you with My victorious hand."

M.A.S.H. Kids

The following students have met the requirements for M.A.S.H. for the 4th Six Weeks. These students will enjoy a break next week with soft drinks and ice cream. They have met the criteria through perfect attendance or being on the Principal's "A" or "A-B" Honor Roll.

ELEMENTARY

Pre-K: Bradley Brown, Stacey Perryman, Scott Webb, Savannah Rose, Whitney Browning, Leonardo Espinoza, Danielle Ho-Gland, Gracie Ho-Gland, Jasmine Porter, Christine Smith, Karrie Valdez, Makayla Warren.

Kindergarten: Chrystal Scanz, Michael Arneel, Chicagra Brown, Efrén Chavez, Marc Henzler, Martin Walker, John Martin, Fannin Gwinn, Gene Salazar, Ryan Langer, Jackie Starkey.

First Grade: Chance Bingham, Migan Combs, Samantha Davilla, Zane Graves, Rachel Saldana, Jose Ramirez, Ashlee Green, Colbey Ashley, Matthew Martin, Jacob Johannes.

Second Grade: Timothy Bowman, Obadiah Saldana, Clay Cooper, Cody Cooper, Rosemary Chavez, Matt Henzler, Annie Green, Kenneth Johannes, John Stevens, Seagram Sims, Juan Mendoza, Brittany Moore, Sabrina Osborn, Natasha Ramirez, Thomas Rice.

Third Grade: Dumont Darsey, Cole Grundy, Quinten Rose, Aleda Ross, Lucas Taylor, Antwonette Aey, Stachia Baxter, Amanda Hurt, Brandon Martin, Lorenzo Salazar, Joel Rieger, LaShea Rose.

Fourth Grade: Lacy Carson, Amanda Sands, Clinton Cooper, Derrick Cruse, Brittany Donaldson, Brenda Gillespie, Boyd Long, Ricardo Luna, Timothy Mangram, Christopher Tye, Brittany Moore, Kyle Neal, Nicolas Perieda, Britany Perryman, Julio Davilla, Marcelino Ramirez, Joshua Van Hoose.

Fifth Grade: Ysef Alvarado, Lisa Taylor, Doyle Atkinson, Brandon Moore, Christa Brooks, Skylar Clifton, Kayla Copp, Rachael Smith, Courtney Hays, William Ho-Gland, Justin Jameson, Shandra Jones, John Salazar, Adam Sanchez, Shantel Sanchez.

Sixth Grade: Leigha Burns, Brooke Decker, Matthew Easter, Jermaine Hendrix, Rhonda Ashley, Casey Lawrence, Brandon Lee, Nathaniel Meyer, Rebecca Morris, Leandra Wallace, Stephanie Prather, Rachelle Renfro, Ashley Stevens, Scott Jones, Chase Carson, Denise Shannon, Elizabeth Ho-Gland.

JUNIOR HIGH

Seventh Grade: Llan Barkley, Brant Donaldson, Vanessa Easter, Andy Jones, Ryan Moore, Jerod Rieger, Quin Hays, Miranda Palmer, Steven Barton, Paul Gonzalez, Dustin Jackson, Sean Rose, David Urtega.

Eighth Grade: Ty Barclay, Keane Cruse, Robert Gillespie, Shella Graves, Kandi Keltz, Nesa McFall, Stacie Neal, Samantha Osborne, Kaci Risser, Blair Thacker, Kristi Williams, Jason Clauser, Devin Perryman.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Thursday, March 2: Girls Golf in Floydada.

Friday, March 3: PTO Meeting, 7 p.m. in School Cafeteria.

Saturday, March 4: Motley County Relays, Junior High and High School.

CORRECTION

In the Career Day story printed in last week's paper, it did not state that Gwen Sims was with Betty Henry, The Windmill, Cody Campbell was with Tony Rose, Farm Bureau Insurance, and Mandi Farley was with Daphne Meredith, LVN, Home Health.



MONDAY, MARCH 6

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Spaghetti, Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Bread Sticks, Apple Crisp, Milk.

TUESDAY, MARCH 7

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Assorted Sandwiches, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Potato Chips, Cake, Fruit Salad, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

Breakfast: Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Frito Pie, Green Salad, Crackers, Pineapple Chunks, Cookie, Milk.

THURSDAY, MARCH 9 Public School Days (Grades K-5)

Breakfast: Breakfast Bagel, Fruit, Milk
Lunch: Oven Fried Chicken, Creamed Potatoes, Pea Salad, Homemade Bread Sticks, Banana Pudding, Milk.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10 Public School Days (Grades 6-12)

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Cheeseburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, French Fries, Chocolate Brownies, Milk.

"For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."

Ephesians 2:10

**DRY
CLEANING
TWICE
A WEEK**

**TUESDAY
&
FRIDAY**

**Matador V&S
Variety**

Lady Matadors

The Lady Matadors wrapped up a good basketball season February 10. The girls were defeated by Petersburg February 7, 47-70.

Leading scorer was Kasey Parks with 17. Leah Cruse added 8; Leslie Van Hoose, 8; Dodie Morris, 5; Laurie Hoyle, 4; Heather Turner, 3; Cara Franks, 2.

Leading rebounder was Kasey with 13. Leah had 7 and Leslie had 6.

Team freethrow percentages was 73%. Laurie was 100%, 2 for 2. Kasey was 85%, 11 of 13 freethrows; Dodie, 75%, 3 of 4 freethrows. Leah had 4 assists, Kasey had 3 blocked shots, Leah, Leslie, and Kasey each had 2 steals.

The JV Ladies were also defeated by Petersburg, 30-52. Tonic Bowden scored 17 points for leading scorer. Brandi Jameson added 12 and Crystal Christopher, 1.

Brandi hit 5 of 6 from the line, 83%. The JV Ladies were defeated by Valley, 38-42, giving them a 4-12 overall record in the second half of district, for their last game of the season.

Brandi was leading scorer with 13 points. Tonic added 10; Jill, 5; Tanya, 4;

Monica, 4; Crystal, 3; and Rebekah, 1.

Brandi was leading rebounder with 5. Tanya was 2 for 2 from the line, 100%. Monica and Jill were each 2 for 2 from the floor. Crystal had 2 steals.

The Varsity Ladies were defeated by Valley in a very close last game of the season, 68-69, giving them an overall record of 10-16. Kasey was leading scorer with 32. Leah scored 12; Lesa, 8; Heather, 7; Leslie, 3; Cara, 2; Leigh, 2; Laurie, 1; and Dodie, 1. Everyone scored.

Kasey was leading rebounder with 16. Leah had 7.

Leslie was 75%, with 3 of 4 freethrows. Leigh, 2 of 2, 100%; Heather, 1 of 1 100%; Kasey, 10 of 14, 71%. Kasey was 52% from the floor. Kasey led the team with 7 assists and 5 steals. Lesa had 3 steals.

The Lady Mats had an exciting season and improved every game. We lost six games by 2 points or less.

Coach Kim stated, "One thing that makes a coach proud is no matter what the situation, I had 18 girls that gave 110% doing whatever they were asked to do."

Methodist Senior Youth Group Meets

The Methodist Senior Youth Group met on Thursday, February 23 for a regular meeting.

Mary Kelley opened with a prayer. The ski trip, taken the week before, was discussed. Everyone had a story to tell.

Also discussed were possible fundrais-

ers that can be done in the future, such as Mission work in the Matador community, as well as in other places. New monthly duties were assigned.

Meeting was dismissed with a prayer. The next meeting will be Thursday, March 9 at 7:00 p.m.

Congratulations to...

Heather Turner, who has been awarded a \$22,400 4-year Scholarship to Eastern New Mexico University, and ... who has been selected as a finalist for the Herkimer SMU Alumni Scholarship! Heather and

her parents will be in Dallas on March 26 & 27 for interviews and workshops for this prestigious honor that could amount to \$12,000.

Songbird Cafe

Downtown Roaring Springs
Thursday - Fiesta Buffet
Friday - Fried Shrimp
Friday - Fajita Buffet
Sunday - Fried Chicken and Beef Tips



The Community Volunteers' Quilt is on display in the Cafe!

Appreciation to our Friends.....

THE response to our 75th Anniversary Celebration Sale has exceeded our hopes and expectations. We are grateful to you, our friends and customers, some for over 1/2 a century.

We want to thank everyone who contributed in any manner to the success of the event. We are especially grateful for the flowers, messages of congratulations, attendance, and well wishes received for our open house celebration. We want you to know that your friendship and confidence are our most valuable assets.

We want you to know that the policy of this firm will continue, and that we will never, knowingly, violate the confidence a customer has placed in our merchandise and in our service.

Again, our sincere thanks to each of you.

Buzz & Jeff Thacker
Joey & John
all our families
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Producers interested in burning Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) land need to do so soon according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

PCG officials warn that time is short because of the narrow window available to producers. Winter months provide the best time for burning CRP grassland since the plants are dormant and do not suffer any adverse effects from the practice.

Burning also provides producers with several added benefits in addition to promoting healthier stands. The benefits include control of weeds and control of accumulated thatch as winter cover.

An example of this is the boll weevil which has been able to effectively use CRP grass for overwintering in some areas of the High Plains. The main reason for the boll weevils' successful use of this cover is the recent string of four mild winters on the High Plains. In past years CRP grass has been found to be poor winter habitat for the weevil when normal winter temperatures prevail.

"The recent string of mild winters has allowed the boll weevil to gain a significant foothold on the High Plains and it

appears as if it will make further gains since the current winter is shaping up to be the mildest experienced in the last five years," notes PCG Boll Weevil Program Coordinator Roger Haldenby. "What we need is a pipe-busting winter that will not allow the weevil to survive in CRP grass. What we have gotten so far is exactly the opposite."

Haldenby notes that producers can expect to see boll weevils move out of CRP grasses into their 1995 cotton as this year's crop gets planted.

Recommendations coming soon from the Boll Weevil Task Force, on which Haldenby serves, will encourage growers to hold off planting where possible until at least May 1.

Growers looking for advice on CRP burning should contact Plains Cotton Growers for a copy of the three page "Guidelines for Boll Weevil Management in CRP Grasses" pamphlet put together by PCG, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission, and the United States Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service.

Statewide Campaign To Avert Tobacco Use Among Youngsters

The Texas Department of Health's (TDH) Office of State and Health (OSH) is sponsoring a statewide advertising campaign to combat smoking among young people.

Meant to counteract tobacco industry advertising which presents tobacco use as glamorous, the OSH campaign billboards and posters combine three pictures of the backsides of animals, with a fourth picture of a snuffed-out cigarette, all above the caption "Butts Are Gross."

According to Dr. David R. Smith, Texas Commissioner of Health, although it is illegal in Texas to sell tobacco products to minors, research has shown that children have easy access to cigarettes. "Besides the legal deterrent against the onset of smoking and chewing tobacco among kids, we also need to break the social climate which makes smoking look 'cool' to youngsters," he said.

"This imagery makes the point to the most elementary reader that smoking is

far from glamorous," Dr. Smith said.

The "Butts Are Gross" campaign in Texas is funded by a grant from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. It originally was developed by the State of Minnesota Health Department, using suggestions from youngsters on how best to prevent their friends from smoking. The State of Pennsylvania also has used the concept in a multi-media campaign to prevent smoking among minors.

Sharon Kohout, OSH director at TDH, said that Dallas-based publicists, KWGC, Inc. Advertising & Design, are offering the Texas campaign to a variety of media. Statewide, the campaign includes more than 90 billboards, as well as announcements on 86 radio stations and 53 television stations, plus newspaper features. In addition, posters have been distributed to 45,000 worksites, schools, health care providers and community organizations.

Kohout said, "We hope this campaign will help to counteract some of the mis-

leadingly attractive images used to induce people to try tobacco products. Despite all of our previous efforts, the number of young people who begin smoking continues to increase. To date, public response to these ads - especially from people who appreciate the uphill battle we are fighting to prevent youngsters' tobacco use - has been very encouraging."

Kohout said that community coalitions of organizations concerned about youth tobacco addiction are joining to support the TDH campaign. Among their contributions are planned distribution of bumper stickers and T-shirts carrying the "Butts Are Gross" caption and images.

For information about participating in the "Butts Are Gross" campaign, callers may dial the TDH Office of Smoking and Health at 1-800-345-8647.

ROARING SPRINGS COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS

Has been a group of citizens actively engaged in raising funds for civic projects since 1991. Funds have been raised to buy and pay for the playground of the grade school, a fence, R.V. hook-ups and a 50' x 80' starter slab as foundation for a Community Center. Digging of water well is in progress. We have mailed letters of explanation to all exes and friends in hopes of raising funds for the Architect's fee in preparation for applying for a Grant. If Grant is approved we will then need help in raising a portion of cost of building to qualify for Grant. We need donations for Architect by April 1, 1995. We are a #510 (C) (3) Organization (Tax Deductible)

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We have planned and persevered through 4 years of chili and ice cream suppers, Roaring Springs Cookbooks sales, etc. We really want to provide a place for us to use and for you to come home to for Family Reunions, School Reunion, Funerals, whatever your need. We love you and we love having you come home. We've done all we can alone. We hope you'll want to be a part of our plans.

Thanks

4 CEU's To Be Offered At Cotton Production Seminar

The Motley County Spring Production Seminar will be held on Wednesday, March 15th at the Flomot Community Center. The seminar will start at 9:00 a.m. with registration. Four (4) CEU's for recertification of private applicators license will be offered at the event which is sponsored by Motley County Agriculture Committee and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Roger Haldenby, Director of Plains Cotton Growers - Lubbock, and David Kostroun, Extension IPM Agent - Crosbyton, will address the proposed Enhanced Boll Weevil Suppression Program and upcoming referendum. The referendum will effect cotton producers in Motley County. Producers will vote on the referendum in April.

Kater Hake, Extension Cotton Specialist - Lubbock, will be on hand to discuss cotton production in Rolling Plains and give an update on cotton market trends.

A fajita lunch will be provided courtesy of Zeneca Ag Company, Rhone-Poulenc, Dow-Elanco, and Stockman's Supply. Flomot Gin will provide donuts and coffee and the Flomot Do Gooders Club will help serve the meal and provide desserts.

All cotton producers are encouraged to attend. Please RSVP before Monday, March 13th in order to have an estimate for the meal. For further information or to RSVP, call Michael Clawson, Motley County Extension Agent, at (806) 347-2733.

WTU Files Rate Review As Previously Announced

West Texas Utilities Company (WTU) will file a rate review with the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Austin, as previously announced by the company last August. A similar filing will also be made with several of the cities WTU serves.

After performing a study on the cost of providing service, WTU determined that a \$14.6 million increase was fully justified. If approved, such as increase would be spread over WTU's 52,000 square-mile customer service territory. The average bill for a typical residential customer could increase by \$7, based on the average usage of 1,000 kwh per month.

In a separate action, WTU announced a settlement offer to parties in the proceeding that could continue a base rate revenue reduction of \$5.9 million.

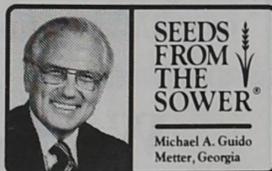
Under the settlement proposal, the bill for a typical residential customer could be \$1 to \$2 less per month than their bill under the current permanent rates. The company established a period until April 17, 1995, to consider this settlement.

"As part of the proposal that would position WTU for the future, we are introducing new pricing structures to help us attract and retain business in West Texas," said Larry Clifton, area manager.

Under WTU's proposal, new pricing structures would result in some customers experiencing an overall rate decrease greater than the current interim reduction of 3.25 percent. At the same time, some customers would experience an overall rate decrease of less than 3.25 percent. But, with the exception of standby customers, no customer would see their overall rates increase above rates in effect prior to Oct. 1.

However, WTU said it won't know what the final outcome will be until after the conclusion of either a settlement or hearings in Austin.

WTU's base rates have not increased since 1987. Since that time, the Consumer Price Index has increased 34.2 percent.



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER
Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

A young man fell in love with his beautiful neighbor, but he was too timid to tell her. One day he admitted to a friend, "I've been slipping love notes into her milk bottles every morning."

"Did she know you were the one who wrote them?" came the question.

"I guess not," he confessed. "She eloped with the milkman this morning."

As in love, so in leading one to the Lord; tact is good, but contact is better. Andrew not only said to his brother, "We have found the Messiah," but "he brought him to Jesus."

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Agriculture Workers And Pesticide Handlers Training Set For March 11th

A pesticide safety training for agricultural workers and pesticide handlers will be held in conjunction with the Spring Cotton Production Seminar on Wednesday, March 15th at the Flomot Community Center. The registration will start at 8:30 a.m. with the training to begin at 9:00 a.m.

To comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS), all ag workers and pesticide handlers must be trained in pesticide safety. The training must follow WPS guidelines and be conducted by a certified or licensed private applicator. A card will be issued to the employees to verify that they have been trained. The card is valid for five (5) years.

Ag worker is anyone employed for any type of compensation and performs tasks related to the production of agricultural plants. This includes harvesting, weeding, and watering. Pesticide handler is anyone hired for any type of

compensation by an agricultural establishment and is responsible for any tasks related to pesticides. This includes mixing, loading, transferring, applying, and incorporating pesticides.

All agricultural producers are responsible to assure that their farm employees are properly trained. All producers are strongly encouraged to bring their farm employees to the training in order to meet WPS regulations.

If your farm employee plans to attend the training, please contact the Motley County Extension Service, at (806) 347-2733, before March 13th in order to prepare for the meal.

For further information regarding the training of ag workers and pesticide handlers or the Worker Protection Standard, contact Michael Clawson, Motley County Extension Agent, at (806) 347-2733.

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News Around The County

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse of Flomot and Mrs. Darla Gwinn of Whiteflat attended the funeral services of Mrs. Dona Marie Mullin Kennedy of San Antonio held Wednesday, Feb. 15 at the Church of Christ and the Dreamland Cemetery in Turkey.

C.D. Garrison of Matador and Furman Vinson attended the funeral services of Ray Garrison Smith, 48, held in Baptist Church in Silvertown, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Browning of Rising Star visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Viola Calvert and son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson visited in Vernon Sunday with their daughter and family, Lucretia, Breck, and Britany Dockery, also visiting was Kayla Johnson of Floydada, and Mrs. C.J. May of Quitaque.

Mrs. Patricia Standlee of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and Mrs. Tina Whittington of Quitaque visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson.

TIFFINS OBSERVE 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Glen D. Tiffin of Flomot observed their 50th wedding anniversary, Tuesday night, February 21 at the Big Texan in Amarillo with a dinner and musical band entertainment. Mr. Tiffin and the former Laverne Whitford of Turkey were married February 24, 1945 in Hollis, Oklahoma. They have lived in Flomot where Mr. Tiffin is engaged in agriculture.

Those sharing the golden wedding anniversary celebration were Sue Tiffin and daughter, Debra of Memphis; Mrs. Ann McDonald and Tawny of Amarillo; Mrs. Betty Lindsey and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lindsey of Canyon; Clark and Lura McDonald and Mavon McDonald of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Tiffin of Silvertown and Mrs. Velma Moseley, E.G. and Barbara Reed and Garret Clayton of Flomot.

ARRIVAL OF GREAT GRANDSON

Mrs. Gordie (Edith) Washington is proud to announce the arrival of a great-grandson, Christian Hunter Hamilton, who was born Sunday, February 19, 1995 in Glendale, Arizona. He weighed eight pounds, fourteen ounces and was 22 inches long.

Also welcoming the new arrival are his parents, Captain and Mrs. Bruce (Melynn) Hamilton and 2 1/2 year old brother, Chantz of Glendale, Ariz. and maternal grandparents, Max and Gayle Washington of Anton.

Matador News

DELAYED

Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Green spent a week with grandchildren Adam and Katye Green

of Keller while their parents Andy and Gay Green went on a business trip to Old Mexico.

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

DELAYED

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Roller of Lubbock visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne, Sunday.

Leslie Mullins and his son, Michael and Todd Mullins and his son, Josh of Lubbock visited their grandmother, Mrs. Odessa Mullins, Saturday afternoon.

Saturday would have been a good day to take the census here for the downtown streets were full of cars. Many had come for the celebration of Thacker Supply's 75th Anniversary. Relatives and friends from out of town attending the celebration were Wayne and Lorene Garrett, Decatur; and Wayne's sisters, Nita, Vernell, and LaJauna from Ft. Worth; from Lubbock were Ennis Moss, James and Frances Moss, Hoyle Moss, Sherry (Forkner) Dickey and Curt Forkner came with Margaret Aycock from Farwell, and brought Jettie Moss, and Bennett and Darlene Reeves; Mr. and Mrs. Clark Self, Mrs. Amy Havis, Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Young, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon, Sylvester; Robert Collier, Idalou; Nan Preston, Farwell; Gene Adams, President of the First National Bank of Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. John Moss, Francis Gunter, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens, Haskell; from Amarillo, Butch Streeter, Vice President, and Chuck Short from Amarillo Hardware Company; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lowrance and grandson, Ben, Mrs. Cora Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Cockerham and son Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Andrews, Denver City; John and Jana Thacker, Abilene; Amy and Melanie Thacker of Lubbock.

Mrs. Lillian Thacker's Lubbock address is c/o Mrs. Jolene Nichols, 1324 59th Street, Lubbock, 79412.

Mrs. Beth Hinson went by mini-bus to Plainview Tuesday of last week. She was the only person from this community to ride the mini-bus that day. She reported a pleasant trip.

Mrs. Algie Groves of Quanah, here for the Thacker Open House visited Mrs. Roxie Lewis Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. George McClintock, Mrs. Peacock's cousin, of Platte, Missouri, visited the B.L. Peacocks over the weekend.

Steve Leebhard, Mr. Peacock's great nephew from Minnesota visited the B.L. Peacocks last Sunday.

Three families in our community have been saddened this week by the death of a loved one. The sisters, Dorothy Lee of Roaring Springs, and Daisy Smith of Matador, of Ernest (Tooter) Davis who grew up in the TeePee Flat Community and had lived in Jersey where he died and where he was buried. Friends and relatives of Gladys Hoyle Moss, who lived here before and after her marriage to Ennis Moss, were saddened by news of her death in Lubbock. She was a sister of Mrs. Melton (Lillian) Thacker. The Delbert Perryman family lost a mother and grandmother, Mrs. Clemmie Perryman of Matador. Our sympathy goes out to the friends and relatives of these three longtime residents in our county in their sorrow. May it help them to know that others care.

Joyce Smith recently flew to Carrollton to attend the State Team Wrestling Championship tournament in which her grandson, Chad Smith, participated. His team won the State Championship title.

Roaring Springs

Community Volunteers Meet

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers held their monthly meeting February 14 in the home of Billie Clifton with President J.N. Fletcher presiding.

The quilt to be given away during the Roaring Springs School Homecoming June 17 has been completed. The quilt is thirty 12x12 blocks of historical memorials in and around Roaring Springs. The blocks are appliqued painted and embroidered. Tickets are now being sold for \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. The quilt is now on display in the Songbird Cafe in Roaring Springs.

It was reported the Roaring Springs Yellowjacket T-Shirts are selling well as are the Roaring Springs Yellowjacket caps have been ordered and will be on sale soon.

A calendar of events for the year was

made as follows.

February 25: Newcomers Party, 7 p.m. Roaring Springs Senior Citizens Building. Eats, games, fellowship.

March 25: Gospel Singing, 7 p.m., Roaring Springs Senior Citizens building, Salad Supper.

April 15: Easter Egg Hunt, 3 p.m. City Park.

June 17: Roaring Springs School Homecoming.

July 4: Ice Cream Supper, 8 p.m., City Park, Fireworks, 9:30 p.m., Tennis Court.

August 24, 25, & 26: Arts and Crafts Show, RSCV Property by School building, 1103 3rd St.

October 14: Gospel Singing, 7 p.m., Roaring Springs Senior Citizens building, Chili and Stew Supper.

December 9: Christmas Party.

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Obituaries

Gladys Moss

Memorial services for Gladys Moss, 95, of Lubbock were held at 3 p.m. Friday, February 24 in Second Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Foster Johnson officiating.

Private burial was in Resthaven Mausoleum under direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

She died Thursday, Feb. 23, 1995 in Lubbock.

She was born Jan. 10, 1900, in Mount Calm. She graduated from Roaring Springs High School, and she married Ennis E. Moss, Sr. on Oct. 24, 1920, in

Dickens. He died Oct. 30, 1963. She was a member of Second Baptist Church, Agape Sunday School Class, Lubbock Rose Society, Victory Forty-Two Club and the Needle Club.

She was a homemaker.

Survivors include three sons, Ennis E. Jr., James P., and Hoyle G., all of Lubbock; a brother, Mike Hoyle of Matador; a sister, Lillian Thacker of Roaring Springs; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Meals on Wheels or to a favorite charity.

Clemmie Perryman

Services for Clemmie Perryman, 84, of Matador were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, February 25 in Afton Baptist Church with the Rev. Tommy Henderson, pastor of First Baptist Church in Dickens, officiating.

Burial was in Afton Cemetery under direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

She died Tuesday, Feb. 21, 1995, in Crosbyton Hospital.

She was born March 14, 1910, in Mount Pleasant. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Matador, and she

moved to Matador from Afton in 1964. Her husband, Jimmy Perryman, died Dec. 18, 1975.

She and her husband had operated a motel in Matador until 1975. Two sons, Roy and Ray preceded her in death.

Survivors include three sons, Elvis of Dickens, Delbert of Roaring Springs and Dean of Beaumont; a daughter, Dortha Whitefield of Matador; 15 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

Vera Estelle Thomas

Services for Vera Estelle Thomas, 81, of Jayton were at 2 p.m. February 17 in the Jayton Baptist Church with Rev. Glenn Shock, church pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Jayton Cemetery under direction of Campbell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thomas died February 14, 1995 in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. She was born in Rusk County, Texas and had lived most of her life in Kent County. She married Earnest "Check" Thomas in Jayton in 1933. He preceded her in death on June 21, 1986.

Mrs. Thomas was a homemaker and a Baptist. She was a member of the Home Demonstration Club for 50 years and a

member of the Kent County Senior Citizens.

She is survived by one son, Harold D. Thomas, Ruidoso, N.M.; four daughters, Donna Major, Lubbock; Winnie Gardner, Franklin, Pennsylvania; Linda Boudreaux, Franklin, Louisiana and Zana Lewis, Corpus Christi; four brothers, Preseton Baker, Spur; Leonard Baker, Plainview; Orville Baker, Bracketville; W.T. Baker, Medford, Oregon; two sisters, Eunice Mearor, Brownwood and Bobbie Strickland, Deer Park; ten grandchildren, one of which is Roy Thompson, former of Matador, and 14 great-grandchildren.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

On spur of the moment, my wife invited a visiting family to share a meal, as long as they didn't object to it being "thrown together".

As our younger guest left, he told his hostess, "Thank you for a very nice thrown-up dinner."

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Riley, Cylenna and Chris of Amarillo visited last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Jane Cartwright and granddad, John Barton.

Visiting in Lovington, N.M. from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Ted Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hester, Kristen and Christopher were Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon and his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin.

Lyn Hanna and Darren Wilkerson of Abilene visited the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Vernell Hanna. Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett accompanied her mother, Mrs. Vesta Cooper to Lubbock, Friday for bronchitis medical treatment.

Mrs. Morris Stephens taught classes at the Childress Correctional Unit Friday. She and Mr. Stephens visited Mrs. Juddie Stephens in Lockney, Sunday and had lunch in Plainview.

Ted Jennings of Haskell visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon visited in Lockney, Sunday with Mrs. Liller Garrison.

Don Langston of Lubbock and Gale Stafford of Matador visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson, Tuesday. Visitors in their home, Sunday were son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Jameson and children of Wichita Falls.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

PTO MEETING MARCH 3
A PTO meeting will be held March 3, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria. Everyone is encouraged to attend. Items discussed will be the Father-Son Banquet, Little Dribblers, and Project Graduation.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET IS MARCH 7
Mother - Daughter Banquet will be March 7th at 7:00 p.m. in the High School gym. Tickets will go on sale February 21. Price is \$6.00 each. The theme this year is "Circus Circus". Make plans to attend. For girls grades 4-12.

DONATION BEING ACCEPTED FOR PROJECT GRADUATION
Project Graduation is just around the corner. Donations are a major part of the successful event. Please mail your donation to Motley County PTO, c/o Motley County School, Matador, TX 79244. There will be a meeting in early March to discuss everything that will be involved in this event. Watch the Motley County Tribune for more information. Your support is appreciated!

FATHER-SON BANQUET TO BE HELD MARCH 24
The Father-Son Banquet will be held March 24. More to come later. Check your newsletters and the Motley County Tribune for more information.

ROARING SPRINGS HOMECOMING JUNE 17, 1995

THANK YOU

I wish to thank the EMS crew, Lisa and Tony, and Brother Mike Crowley for checking on me so regular. My family for their concern, the Lady Matadors and Coach Brewer for the get well balloons, to those who sent flowers, cards, and phone calls.

A big thank you!
Bill Hand

We wish to express our gratitude and sincere appreciation to all the folks from Matador and surrounding area who were the friends of our beloved Mother, Mrs. Margie Smauley.

Your friendship and support over many years contributed and helped her through a life that had many hard times. Our mother never amassed material wealth but she had a fortune in friendship that spanned two continents. We cannot name individuals because the list would be too long but you know who you are. God bless each and everyone of you.

The sons of Marge and Shorty

Thank you to everyone who remembered us at the time of my mother, Thelma Haggard's death. May God bless all of you.

Lu & Don Largent

Thanks to all our friends in Roaring Springs and Matador who helped us with the loss of our beloved husband and father, Howard Henson. Especially Lula Mae, and the Methodist ladies for the nice lunch, also the Matador Masonic Lodge #824. God bless all of you.

Gay Hallford Henson
Ellen Henson Scerey & family

To the Methodist Church - thanks for the flowers, cards, food and the Valentine and also thanks to the sixth grade students and their teacher for the nice basket of homemade cookies. Everything was appreciated.

Catherine Henderson

I want to thank my many friends for remembering me with cards and calls on my eighty-seventh birthday.

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