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## Motley County Heart Association Launches 1996 Fund Campaign

The Motley County Chapter of the American Heart Association will shift its 1996 campaign into high gear during the month of February.

The American Heart Association is a worthy organization to place some of your charitable dollars. It is a way you can help provide a better life for thousands of people. Your dollars are well spent.

Cardiovascular disease is still the number one killer of adults in the USA. However, we are beginning to win the battle. A greater emphasis on cardiovascular health awareness along with improved diagnostic and treatment technology has contributed greatly to this growing success.

Those spearheading the campaign are Odessa Mullins of Roaring Springs, Mary Jo Calvert of Flomot, Myrna Blasingame and Earlyne Jameson,

Motley County representatives. Memorial donations can be made by contacting Mrs. Myrna Blasingame at the First State Bank or any of the above.

We would appreciate your continued support of this worthwhile organization. A truly spiritual man's creed is not live and let live, but live and help live. The American Heart Association is FIGHTING FOR YOUR LIFE!

### MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

## February 11 Is Last Day To Register

February 11 is the last day for citizens to register to be able to vote in the March 12 primary election.

March 5 is the last day that eligible voters may have their applications for an early ballot by mail for the primary.

Those running for election in Motley County are:

Motley County Sheriff, Incumbent, Jim Meador.

Commissioner Precinct I, Incumbent John M. Russell.

Commissioner Precinct III, Incumbent Franklin Jameson.

Motley County Tax Assessor/Collector, Elaine Hart.

### CORRECTION

It was incorrectly printed in last week's paper that Laverna Price is seeking re-election as Motley County Judge. Mrs. Price's office is not up for election this year. We apologize for this mistake.

It should have read that Elaine Hart is seeking election for Motley County Tax Assessor-Collector.



JUDY CARTWRIGHT

Judy Cartwright is a native of Roaring Springs and has lived in Motley County all of her life. She has worked at First State Bank in Matador as Assistant Cashier/Secretary for the past 33 years.

She and her husband, Garland, who is TxDOT Foreman in Motley County, have one daughter, Tina Bateman of Dallas and one granddaughter, Christina, 9 years old.

In her spare time, Judy enjoys crocheting, counted cross stitch and needlepoint, and playing golf in the summer.

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Faith without works is dead."

James 2:20

## Around Town



### MC FHA To Host Valentine Party For Kids

Motley County FHA will host a Valentine Party for children (ages 3-8) on Saturday, February 10. The party will include games, activities and treats.

If you are interested in your child at-

tending the party, please call the school at 347-2676 and ask for Shelli Neely. It is scheduled from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!

### Roaring Springs Community Volunteers To Host Stew Supper

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers will host a Stew Supper and Game Night on Monday, February 19, beginning at 5:30 p.m. in the Roaring Springs Senior Citizen's

Building. Supper will cost \$5.00 and will include stew, cornbread, and dessert. Games will include dominoes and bingo with prizes given to winners. Everyone is invited to take part in this "Winter Stew Celebration."



NEW SPEED LIMIT SIGNS — Texas Department of Transportation employees, Randy Martin, left, and Vaden Hays, begin putting up new speed limit signs in Motley County on Tuesday. They expect to complete installing the new signs by the end of the week.

## Motley County Chamber of Commerce To Begin Membership Drive For 1996

The Board of Directors of the Motley County Chamber of Commerce is launching the 1996 membership drive during the month of February. The dues will remain the same as last year: \$25 or more for businesses, and \$10 or

more for individuals. Notices will be mailed out soon to all current members.

If you want to help promote, strengthen, and improve the economic development and business environ-

ment throughout the county, please join the Chamber for 1996 as soon as possible.

The Chamber Board of Directors for this year are Jeff Thacker, President; Brian Marshall, Vice-President; Charles Keith, Secretary; Sondra Francis, Treasurer; and Directors, Michael Clawson, Darrell Cruse, Larry

Hoyle, Roy Hobbs, Billy Denison, Brent Marshall, Marisue Potts, and Laverna Price. Please contact one of the directors if you have a question about the Chamber and its activities.

The Chamber is in the process of organizing several activities for 1996 that will be announced in the near future. The next board meeting is scheduled for February 15 and anyone is invited to attend and provide input to the agenda and the new year planning.

## Barbara's Bylines

Brrrr - How about the natural eradication of boll weevils, ticks and other unwanted pests.

We stayed warm by burning lots of mesquite wood. We even covered the windows with extra curtains and sheets to help keep some of the 0° temperature out.

Sure is good to see and feel the sunshine! Even the birds are happy. We saw a roadrunner with his feathers fluffed and with his back to the sunshine.

or illness and receive special attention from nurses and doctors.

"Always call ahead and check to see if the patient is up to seeing a visitor," says Collins. "If you don't, you may be imposing on someone who really doesn't feel well."

Any you may unknowingly be a hindrance to their healing. Take Aunt Madge. Her gallbladder requires a

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I ran across the following article and thought I would pass it on.

### GUIDELINES SUGGESTED FOR HOSPITAL VISITORS

So Aunt Madge had her gallbladder removed, and you're off to the hospital bringing tidings of comfort and joy. Along for the ride are Auntie's favorite goodies - a two-pound box of candy, fragrant yellow roses to liven her room, your precious 4-year-old with the runny nose, and two hours worth of gossip from Cousin Sally's birthday bash.

Before turning the corner, put on the brakes and heed some sage advice from Lynda Collins, manager of Social Services at The Methodist Hospital in Houston.

"Some patients are too sick to visit with anyone or just don't feel up to it, and they may not tell you so," says Collins, "so you need to be sensitive to the patient's needs." On the other hand, some patients may need visitors to keep them going," Collins adds.

Hospitals aren't home, and people are there to recuperate from an injury



DERBY RACE — The Motley County Cub Scout Troop #360 held a Derby Race Tuesday afternoon. Scout members are pictured above (front l-r) John Martin, Fannin Gwinn, Marc Henzler, Michael Arneel, Martin Walker; (back l-r) Kenny Johannes, Jacob Johannes, Brandon Martin, Matthew Brandon, Brett Wallace, Chance Bingham, Luke Taylor, Colby Ashley, and Quintin Rose. Winners of the Pinewood Derby Race were: 1st. & 2nd. grades, den 1 and 2 - Fastest Car, Chance Bingham, 1st; Michael Arneel, 2nd; and Martin Walker, 3rd; Best Looking - Michael Arneel, 1st; Fannin Gwinn, 2nd; and Chance Bingham, 3rd; Fastest Car (3rd. & 4th. grades) - Quintin Rose, 1st; Brett Wallace, 2nd; and Luke Taylor, 3rd; Best Looking - Quintin Rose, 1st; Luke Taylor, 2nd; Brett Wallace, 3rd. Troop leaders are Darla Gwinn, Kenny Rose, and Robert Arneel.



PANCAKE CHEFS — Matador Lions sponsored a Pancake Supper, Tuesday night, during the Motley County vs. Petersburg basketball game. Pictured above are pancake chefs, (l-r) Alan Bingham, Larry Clifton, and Ronnie Vandiver.



## Home Economically Speaking

by Beverly A. Logsdon  
Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

### TELEVISION DIET COMMERCIALS MAY SABOTAGE DIETS

A study suggests that diet ads on television may actually encourage eating in some women.

A scene of a woman with a beautiful figure explaining how she was able to slim down with the help of a particular product may actually prompt you to eat even more.

Psychologists at William College in Massachusetts discovered when they asked a group of weight-conscious women to watch 39 tear-jerking minutes of a popular movie -- within easy reach of nuts and candy.

Before the segment began, the researchers gave each of the women a thick banana shake and told them it was high in calories. Then, 20 minutes into the segment they showed a commercial. Some of the women saw commercials for storm windows and linens. Others saw no commercials at all. And a third group saw a diet product and a hair coloring ad with an attractive, slim actress.

By the end of the movie segment, the weight-conscious women who saw the diet-body image commercials ended up eating twice as much as everyone else.

Normally, a diet ad would be expected to alert such women to strengthen resolve and keep away from the snack bowl. Instead, the diet-oriented ads may have served as painful feedback that the women had "broken" their diets, making a slimmer body seem all the more unattainable, according to a researcher.

It may be different if a woman sees

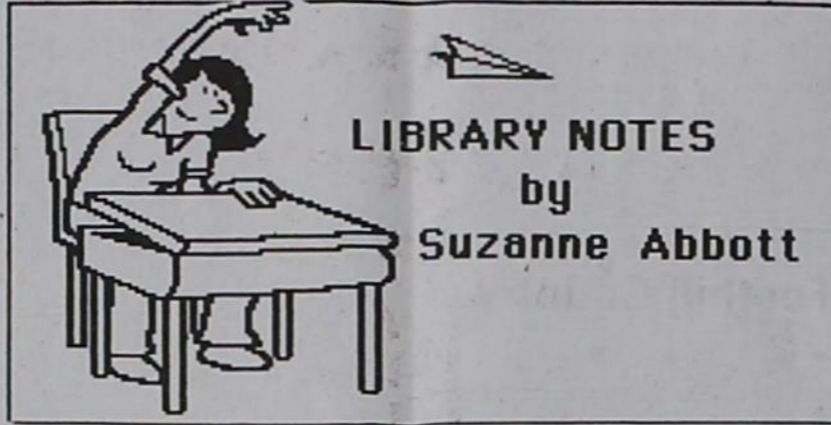
a diet ad before she starts eating, researchers believe. But for women who already see themselves in the act of overindulging, especially on foods they consider "bad" for them, may already be past the point of no return when the ads come on television. So, they end up eating even more. Being in a strong emotional state may heighten the effect.

The ad reinforces the attitude of being fat, causing viewers to think negative things about themselves. The way around such negative thinking is to remind yourself that enjoying a sweet or salty snack is not an all-or-nothing thing. Many people assume that if they have even just a little bit of typical snack foods or desserts they have "crossed the line". But munching on some candy or nuts is not the ruin of an otherwise healthful diet -- and it's certainly not the same as downing a whole bag.

It helps to focus more on developing healthful eating habits rather than reaching model-thin weight. A woman who aims simply to eat more healthfully probably won't pressure herself too much. But a woman who sizes herself up against a model in a diet ad sets too tough (and necessary) a goal, leading to frustration, and ultimately, failure.

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:** That old law about "an eye for an eye" could leave everybody blind.



## LIBRARY NOTES by Suzanne Abbott

Today, at 4:00 p.m. in the Library, there will be a meeting of the Friends of the Library. We need everyone to come to help plan a very special event that will take place in March.

New books on the Library shelves include a recipe book by Susan Powter, *Common America Let's Eat*. This book features fat-free recipes and each one gives the exact fat content and the percentages of fat, protein, and carbohydrate.

The newest shipment of books included two new mysteries. The newest J.A. Jance novel, *Name Withheld*, features police detective J.P. Beaumont. The new Jonathan Kellerman book, *The Web*, is a psychologist/sleuth. These two mysteries are ready for you to check out at the Library.

We also have a book based on Arts and Entertainment's Edgar Award-winning "Cracker" series and features a British psychologist, Dr. Edward Fitzgerald (Fitz), who freelances his services to the police as criminal profiler and master confessor. This mystery is based on Jimmy McGovern's prize-winning screenplay.

We appreciate the copy of *Texas Lost* presented to the Library by Jerry and Patricia Green in memory of his "Aunt Ruth", Ruth Green Kirksey. The photographs in this beautiful book were taken by Wyman Meinzer.

Other new books include donations by Charles Keith, *Free Money from the Federal Government* and *Free Dollars from the Federal Government*. These books with the intriguing titles feature grant programs for such entities as homebuyers, entrepreneurs, researchers, small businesses and many more. Another book, *My Prostate and Me*, includes important and valuable information for all men. This book was donated by Opal Pipkin. We appreciate these timely donations by these caring and supportive people.

The Library display case, this month, features "Snips and Snails and Puppy Dog Tails," items from a little boy's childhood.

As Valentine's Day approaches, we encourage you to be a "Book Lover" by coming to the Library to check out a good book and to pick up a "Book Lover" book mark.

## Keep your shopping dollars at home..... or we won't have shops at home! SHOP AT HOME!

### THIRD PLACE



Our Lord once said that the greatest of all commandments is to love God with all your heart, soul and mind. The second greatest, Jesus said, "is to love your neighbor as yourself." Let me ask you something. If God comes first and others second, where does that leave you? That's right! In third place. That is Biblical arithmetic. That wasn't hard at all.

It may not be hard to figure but it sure is hard on a person's ego sometimes. And to try to live by that concept is difficult especially if a person is accustomed to living by the philosophy of "I take care of number one." Some think that to be happy means getting what they want and having it their way all the time. A "Burger King" mentality is not Biblical.

Our Lord knew what He was talking about. He knew that "third place people" do derive the most satisfaction out of life. He should know, after all He was Himself a "third place person". He loved God first, then us second, and finally Himself, third. Does this help in gaining a better understanding of why Jesus went willingly to Calvary's Cross?

## Roaring Springs Church of Christ

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

Worship - 9:00 a.m.

### Barbara's Bylines

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restricted diet, and roses make her sneeze, which could cause her stitches to bust open. Not to mention that Auntie really can't afford to catch little Susie's cold while she's recuperating.

"Don't visit if your not feeling well yourself," says Collins. "And when you do visit, come alone or with another person, not with the whole family."

Knock before entering the room, and keep your visit brief unless the person tells you otherwise. Talk about things you usually talk about, Collins adds. But don't recount stories about other people who have had similar procedures and don't try to second-guess the physician.

"If a doctor or nurse comes in, excuse yourself and step out of the room," Collins says. "The patient may have questions to ask that are personal and the doctor tends to stay for a shorter time if there are visitors."

Remember, Collins says, call ahead and check with the patient or family member before visiting. It also wouldn't hurt to stop at the nurses' station for any special instructions. You may want to consider saving the visit until the patient returns home, where they'll be more likely to enjoy the company. If you don't know someone well enough to visit, Collins suggests sending a card.

Finally don't feel like you have to entertain, and don't expect the patient to entertain you.

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from "My Favorite Quotations" book:  
"The greatest griefs are those we cause ourselves."  
Sophocles (496-406 B.C.)

## Dillard - Kelly Exchange Wedding Vows

Don Dillard and Billye Kelly were united in marriage on Sunday, January 28 at 3:00 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church in Roaring Springs.

Rev. Ricky Lawrence performed the ceremony which was attended by family members.

Those attending of the bride's family were her son, Jeff Kelly, his wife, Jana, and small daughter, Abby, of Levelland. Another son, Jody, also of

Levelland, was unable to attend. The groom's family who attended were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dillard, his sister, Dana and husband, Ross Graham, and his nephews, Jerod and Joel Rieger, all of Roaring Springs.

A close friend of the bride, Gail Taylor, also attended.

The couple will make their home in Roaring Springs.

## El Progresso Club Hears Program On FFA Activities

by Winifred Darsey

An interesting and informative program on the purpose and activities of the FFA. Mr. Jim Cooper, Agriculture teacher in Motley County High School, introduced Bradley Thacker, Senior Student, and Brandi Jameson, Junior Student.

Bradley gave a very interesting resume of the aims, activities, benefits, and accomplishments of the FFA. He attended the National Convention in Kansas City in 1995.

The Convention theme of "Leadership for a Lifetime" was emphasized by Bradley, stating that young people are aided for adulthood by all the advantages of this wonderful program and education, in academics, competitiveness, in area meetings, State Convention, also, judging of livestock, and others. Bradley will study agri-finance.

Brandi Jameson added, much to the program by speaking on leadership, school, livestock raising and judging, area meetings, State Conventions, and many other benefits. Brandi is plan-

ning on a career in Veterinarian Medicine.

Many scholarships are available to students in all fields of Agriculture.

The meeting was called to order by Club President, Sue Seigler.

Mrs. Robert Darsey was program leader for the program introducing Mr. Cooper, who presented his Junior and Senior students.

Mrs. Ron Kelley gave the closing inspirational thought, quotes from *Apples of Gold*, and *Ten Commandments of Leadership*.

Refreshments of delicious spice cake, hot punch, nuts, and mints were served to guests and members, provided by Pearl Patten, JoEtta Bumgardner, and Lois Campbell. Members present were Lois Campbell, JoEtta Bumgardner, Pearl Patten, Sue Seigler, Mary Kelley, Jo Ann Dixon, Callie Giesecke, Grace Campbell, and Winifred Darsey.

The club will have their annual Valentine and Potato Party at the Senior Citizens center, Thursday, February 8 at 11:00 a.m.

## Arts & Crafts Club Members Make Valentine T-Shirts

by Winifred Darsey

The members of the Motley County Arts and Crafts Club met with fervor and anticipation Monday, February 5, for a workshop on making Valentine T-shirts, a covered dish luncheon, and an important business meeting.

Mrs. Betty Simpson was instructor for the day. It was a wonderful day, with all materials, sewing machines ready to go.

A very pretty T-shirt was the result. It was made of red or white, adorned with a heart shaped cut-out, revealing three layers of heart designed materials. They were made to perfection with Betty, Lou Ann, and Geraldine at the machines.

The covered dish luncheon was a special treat, with Lucretia (Jr.) Campbell, and Kathryn Russell as guests.

President Joy Archer, called the business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Pro-

grams were planned and discussed for the coming year, docents were appointed for the museum, and a clean-up at Ford Garage was planned for Monday, Feb. 12 at 1:00 p.m.

Mrs. Lois Campbell was a guest for the workshop and luncheon.

The program for March will be a class of painting on picket fence posts and will be taught by Winifred Lee. It will depict an Easter motif. It will be an all day session and a covered dish luncheon at noon. All members are urged to attend.

Members present were Joy Archer, Geraldine Key, Dora Watson, Elsie Thacker, Joyce Meredith, Pauline Hand, Bonnie Edmondson, Marion Woodruff, Lou Ann Jameson, Winifred Lee, Dorothy Knight, Verdi Neighbors, Betty Bostick, Erin Jones, Betty Simpson, and Winifred Darsey.

*And now abideth faith, hope, and love. These three, but the greatest of these is love.*

I Cor. 13:13

## Cap Rock Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

### Customer Notice

Cap Rock Telephone Cooperative, Inc., (Cap Rock) purchased the Dickens, Matador, Paducah, and Roaring Springs exchanges from GTE Southwest effective October 1, 1995. On November 21, 1995, Cap Rock filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas ("Commission") requesting approval of the acquisition and certification from the Texas Commission to serve the four exchanges. The application has been assigned Docket No. 15035. The Commission intends to investigate the acquisition and its impact on the public interest pursuant to Section 1,251 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act. A copy of Cap Rock's application is available for inspection at the Cooperative's business office located at 121 E. Third Street, Spur, Texas.

The local exchange access line rates of customers in the four exchanges will not change as a result of this acquisition. With respect to intrastate access rates, Cap Rock is billing access service customers in the four exchanges out of the TSTCI Access Service Tariff instead of the GTE Southwest Texas Facilities for State Access Tariff. The revenue effect on switched access rates of going to a different access tariff is estimated to be minimal. The only substantive access rate change due to the application of TSTCI's access tariff will be with special access and billing and collection rates which amount to a small percentage of total access revenues. A copy of the Cooperative's access tariff and the proposed local exchange tariff pages reflecting the inclusion of the four exchanges in the Cooperative's Local Exchange Tariff are also available for inspection in the Cooperative's business office.

Person with questions about this project should contact Cap Rock Telephone Cooperative at (806) 271-3336. Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought, should contact the Public Utility Commission at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 for the text telephone. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is February 6, 1996.

## Valentines Is Here

*This Valentines Day give her or him something different and lasting  
Maybe some Heart Jewelry, or Heart Gift Baskets filled with  
an assortment of goodies,  
Maybe some candles, or some Hand and Body Lotion or Bath Crystals,  
Maybe an Angel Pin, Wood Crafts, an Antique, or a Teddy Bear*

all this and more can be found at

## Country Spice

1210 Main Street — Matador, Texas  
Come and Shop for someone you love  
They'll love you for it.....



# Motley County School News

## MC Hoop News .....



The Motley County Jr. Varsity Lady Matadors defeated Knox City, January 26, 36-21.

Kandi Keltz was leading scorer with 12; Sam Osborn added 9; Jill Stanley, 7; Blair Thacker, 4; Kristi Williams, 2; and Nesa McFall, 2.

Kandi led in rebounds with 8. Kristi got 3 and Tanya Barkley got 2.

Kristi hit 3 out of 4 from the charity line. Sam had 4 steals.

The JV Ladies lost a close game with Spur, 23-27, on January 30. Kandi was leading scorer with 11. Blair, Kristi, and Tanya each had 4.

Kandi also led in rebounds with 7. Tanya had 6 and Blair had 3.

Kandi was 71% from the field hitting 5 of 7. Sam, Blair, and Kristi each had 4 assists. Kristi had 3 steals.

The JV girls lost to Lorenzo, February 2, 40-56. Kristi was leading scorer with 14. Sam added 7; Kandi, 5; Blair, 4; Tanya, 4; Kim Ashley, 4; and Shavonne Taylor, 2.

Kandi led in rebounds with 12. Blair had 6 and Sam had 4.

Kim was 67% from the floor hitting 2 of 3. Tanya hit 4 out of 4 from the line for 100%. Blair had 2 assists.

The Varsity Lady Matadors got a big win over Knox City, January 26, 65-30.

Kasey Parks was leading scorer with 20. Leslie Van Hoose added 14; Leah

Cruse, 13; Dodie Morris, 6; Brandi Jameson, 5; Tonie Bowden, 4; Cara Franks, 2; and Laurie Hoyle, 1.

Leah was leading rebounder with 8. Tonie had 7; Kasey, 6; and Leigh Pipkin, 4.

Kasey hit 9 of 13 from the field for 69%. Leigh had 4 steals and 4 forced turnovers. Kasey had 4 steals. Leah and Kasey each had 4 assists. Laurie, Cara, and Leslie had 3 assists each.

The Ladies lost to Spur, January 30, 56-61. Kasey was leading scorer with 18; Leah added 17; Cara, 7; Dodie, 6; Brandi, 5; Tonie, 2; and Leigh, 1.

Kasey and Dodie led with rebounds, grabbing 6 each. Leah had 5.

Three players were 100% from the line, Brandi, Leah, and Tonie. Dodie led the team in assists with 6 followed by Leigh with 4. Dodie and Leah each had 3 steals.

The Ladies lost a close game to Lorenzo, February 2, 54-59.

Kasey was leading scorer with 21. Leah added 12; Tonie, 8; Dodie, 6; Leigh, 4; Laurie, 2; and Cara, 1.

Kasey led with rebounds grabbing 10. Leah got 8; Tonie, 5; and Laurie, 4.

Leigh was perfect from the line, 4 out of 4. Laurie and Leah were also 100% from the line hitting 2 of 2.

Leigh and Dodie combined for 6 assists with 3 each. Leah had 3 steals and 2 FTO's. Lasey also had 3 steals.



MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Corn on the Cob, Bread Sticks, Jello, Milk.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Breakfast: Breakfast Bagels, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Country Steak, Green Beans, New Whole Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Eggs, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Chicken Fajitas, Pepper, Onion, Lettuce, Tomato, Pinto Beans, Chips, Salsa, Ice Cream Cup, Milk.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Steak, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Salad, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit, Milk.

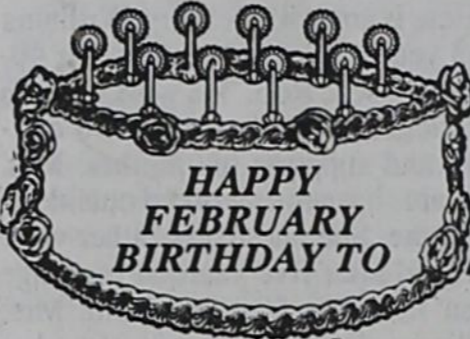
Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickle, Onion, French Fries, Chocolate Brownie, Milk.

## PTO Teacher of the Week



SHELLY AND RONNIE COX

Shelly and Ronnie Cox are this week's P.T.O. teachers of the week. Mrs. Cox teaches computer classes and Mr. Cox is the Athletic Director, head football coach and teaches Biology. They have two children, Ron and Shawn, both Tech graduates.



Students: Colby Ashley, Bradley Baxter, Stacy Perryman, Scotty Palmer, Josh Lee, Ellawiese Acy, Michael Arneel, Lorenzo Salazar, Brady O'Pry, Derrick Cruse, Ricardo Luna, Misty Thomas, Ashley Stevens, Brittany Moore, Shandra Jones, Kasey Parks, Aaron Green, Christy Acy, Joe Landin, and Ryan Martin.

Staff: Shannon O'Pry, and George Blanch.

## Tips On Choosing The Right College

If you're a college bound high school senior, getting a jump-start on your college applications should top your to-do list for the new year.

Most universities and colleges are now processing applications from students who want to enroll in fall 1996, and many will begin making financial aid and scholarship awards in February, said John Lind, vice president for enrollment management at Southwestern University, a selective national liberal arts college located in Georgetown, Texas.

Even more incentive to act quickly: students who apply early get better choices for on-campus housing and are at the head of the line for financial aid.

But where to apply?

"Some high school seniors already have decided what career path to follow, which makes choosing a college and a specific major easier," Lind said. "But the vast majority are unsure about their plans, making the task of finding the school right for them rather intimidating."

Lind said that within the last few years, many colleges and universities, including Southwestern, have created World Wide Web home pages, which students can access by using the Internet and using a search function to find the college or university that interests them. At the sites, students can find information about the school's academic and social programs.

The average student today will change majors at least once during a college career, nationwide figures indicate. Futurist John Naisbitt predicts that the typical student will change careers three or four times during a lifespan - the result of a job market that will continue to undergo major technological advances.

"Students really need to look carefully at themselves," said Lind. "What are they like? What is their ambition? In what type of environment are they most comfortable? Do they need to relate individually to their teachers? Do they want to stay in-state?"

Just don't rule out colleges on cost factors alone.

"Too many people begin by looking at cost and ultimately exclude some viable options. Students should determine what type of college suits their needs best, and if it turns out to be one their family can't afford, they should consider applying for financial assistance."

Application processes vary widely. While many schools rely solely on objective criteria like a student's class

rank and standardized test scores, others look at the strength of the college preparatory background, recommendations from counselors and teachers, impressions in a personal interview, and the ability to write, as demonstrated in the traditional essay section found in many selective colleges' application materials.

"A test score by itself is not generally a good predictor of college success. The single best predictor of success in college is the student's academic performance in high school, the quality of the courses taken and the competitiveness of the high school a student is attending.

Lind said applicants should take the process seriously, prepare themselves adequately and present themselves well at college interviews.

"College is a lifetime investment. That's why it's so important to make the right choice."

### COLLEGE APPLICATIONS DO'S AND DON'TS

Before applying to any selective college, John Lind, vice president for enrollment management at Southwestern University in Georgetown says college-bound seniors should consider these application do's and don'ts:

1) Do begin well ahead of time. Make a point to keep a calendar of all application deadlines, since they vary from school to school. Then work toward completing applications well in advance.

2) Do concentrate your time and effort on the essay portion of the application. Choose a quiet and relaxing place to write. Plan to spend enough time to create an essay that demonstrates your ability to communicate and provides insight to you as a person.

3) Do position yourself to stand out. Using your credentials, decide how you want to be remembered. Be creative, be passionate, by anything but boring. But be accurate.

4) Do complete a rough draft before filling out the actual application to avoid cross-outs and erasures. The application is the college's first impression of you. Be thorough and neat.

5) Don't use pencil, color marker or hard-to-read ink to complete your application. A typed application is preferred by schools, but legible long-hand with a standard pen is an appropriate substitute.

6) Do remember the importance of recommendations from college prep teachers and school counselors, as well as creative samples, which complement your application.

## Lindsey's Lines

by Lindsey Williams

The next two weeks are going to be filled with activities for both Junior High and High School students. Monday, we began the week with junior high games here against Valley. That day during school all students interested in West Texas A&M University met with Pam Dacus, the WTAMU representative.

Tuesday high school basketball games began here at 4:00 against Petersburg. At 5:00 the MC Lions Club held a pancake supper. Friday there will be four high school games against Valley, there. Also, the representative from Oklahoma Panhandle State Uni-

versity will be here to talk to anyone who is interested in the University.

Saturday the junior high Valentine dance will be held at 8:00 p.m. in the 4-H building. Next week begins the 6 weeks testing. Tuesday we will have first and fifth period tests. Wednesday, we'll have 2nd, 4th, and 8th and Thursday, we will have our 3rd and 7th period tests.

The next two weeks are going to be very busy ones as we end the 4th sixth weeks. Not too much longer and summer will be here!

## Congratulations to...

Laurie Hoyle, who has been accepted to the Pre-Nursing Program in the College of Arts and Sciences at Texas Tech.

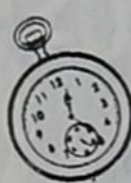
Leigh Ann Pipkin, who has been accepted to the Pre-Medicine Program in the College of Arts and Sciences at Texas Tech.



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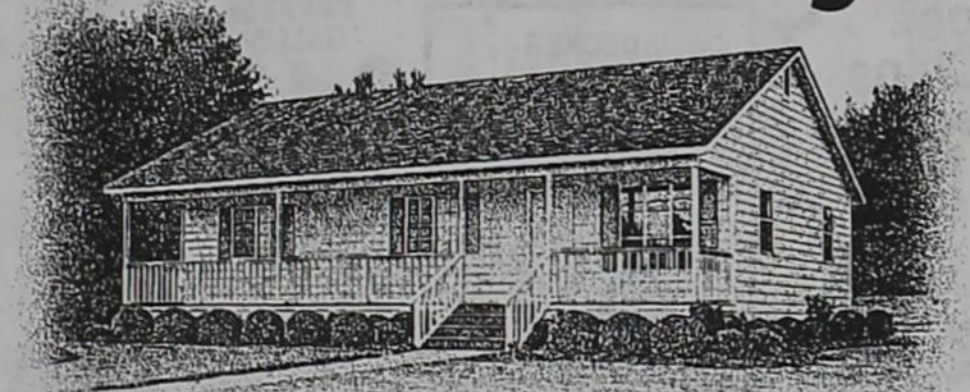
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# COTTON NEWS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

Final calculations have been made and, as expected, there will be no cotton deficiency payment in 1995. The marketing and price figures were released by USDA January 31.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the final figures as adjusted by USDA reflect a tremendous change from 1994 to 1995. Cumulative marketings fell from 18.6 million bales in 1994 to 12.9 million bales for 1995. Higher prices to producers and slackening demand are the most significant reasons for the reduction.

Overall, producers received excellent prices for the crop in 1995. On average prices stayed well above the 72.9 cent upland cotton target price. Under provisions of the 1990 Farm Bill, deficiency payments are triggered when the weighted average price received by growers falls below the target price.

Final calculations put the weighted average price received by growers at 76.85 cents per pound, 3.95 cents above the 72.9 cent target price. This is bad news for producers who took the 1995 advance payment of 1.85 cents earlier in the year.

Producers will be required to pay back the 1995 advance deficiency payment in 1996. At this time USDA is developing several options for producers who have to pay back the advance payment.

"Producers trying to pull together some sort of plan for the 1996 crop are being held back at every turn," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "Not only are they not getting the information they need regarding what type of farm legislation will be adopted for 1996, they are now going to be required to repay the 1.85 cent advance deficiency payment they received in 1995, further complicating the job of budgeting for the new year."

December figures show a total of 2.451 million bales were marketed during the month at an average of 76.4 cents per pound. The average price for the month of December was 3.2 cents higher than the average price received by growers in December of 1994.

Marketing and price figures quoted above were taken from the National Agricultural Statistics Service.

Monthly marketings and prices received through the month of December are included in the table below.

### Preliminary Marketings and Prices Received Through December 1995 \*

	Marketings (1000) bales		Prices (cents/lb.)		Weighted Avg. Price	
	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995
January	1925	2058	62.7	79.7	62.70	78.70
February	913	1097	65.7	81.6	63.67	79.22
March	722	522	66.6	86.5	64.26	79.70
April	542	232	67.5	84.5	64.69	79.58
May	491	206	69.0	82.6	65.15	79.41
June	263	249	63.3	86.3	65.05	79.40
July	193	180	58.7	86.6	64.81	79.43
August	912	444	66.8	75.2	65.11	78.82
September	836	747	65.9	75.2	65.21	78.35
October	2452	2128	66.6	75.0	65.29	77.42
November	4302	2677	69.0	75.6	66.43	76.95
December	5091	2451	73.2	76.4	68.45	76.85

Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service  
 \* 1995 Figures final  
 \* 1994 Figures from Agricultural Prices 1994 Summary, July 1995

## Social Security Tips

by Mary Jane Shanes  
 Social Security Manager, Plainview

### SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS FOR PARENTS

You probably know that Social Security pays monthly benefits to retired workers beginning at age 62. You might also know that Social Security pays survivor's benefits to widows and widowers on the records of their deceased spouses. But you probably don't know that in certain cases, a parent can receive Social Security benefits in the event of a worker's death.

Social Security pays monthly benefits to parents on the record of a deceased worker under the following conditions:

— The worker must have paid Social Security for a certain amount of years. The time required varies depending on the worker's age at death.

— The parent must be at least 62 years old and must not have remarried since the worker's death.

— The parent cannot be entitled to his/her own, higher Social Security benefit.

— The parent must be able to show that he/she was receiving one-half of his/her financial support from the worker at the time of death. This proof of support must be submitted to Social Security within two years of the worker's death.

Here is an example: Mrs. Williams is 63 years old and lives with her 40-year-old son, Rob. He works as an electrician, is married with two children, and supports his mother. Mrs. Williams has never worked outside of the home. She and Rob's father were divorced after five years of marriage when Rob was four years old. Mrs. Williams did not remarry after her divorce. One day, Rob dies in a work accident. Mrs. Williams can file for dependent parent's benefits on her son's Social Security record.

The amount the parent will receive is equal to 82 1/2 percent of what the worker would have received in Social Security benefits. If both parents are entitled to benefits, the amount is 75 percent each. However, the amount is subject to a family maximum and may be less if the worker also has children or other dependents who qualify for benefits.

The benefit can be paid only to biological parents, but to adopted parents and stepparents as well, if the child was adopted or became a step-

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### What's at Stake in the Continuing Budget Stand-off

Thomas Jefferson advised, "In matters of principle, stand like a rock; in matters of taste, swim with the current."

I believe it is important for Texans to understand that we have a budget impasse in Washington, D.C., today because of a grave difference of opinion on matters of principle, not politics. Balancing the federal budget is not a matter of taste. Requiring the government to live within its means for the first time in a generation is not a gimmick. The federal government has grown too large, spends too much, and if not reformed will spin out of control.

The Republican Congress is determined to stick to its principles and balance the federal budget. The President refused to endorse entitlement reforms and refuses to submit a budget that ever balances. That, in a nutshell, accounts for the continuing budget stand-off and the recent 21-day shutdown of many parts of the federal government.

While this argument over principles may seem remote to some Texans, it really isn't. What's at stake here has a direct impact on Texas pocketbooks.

If President Clinton had signed the Balanced Budget Act which Congress submitted to him, the average Texan would have saved:

- \* \$2,754 a year in lower mortgage payments
- \* \$262 per year in lower state taxes as a result of lower state and local interest payments
- \* \$628 per year in lower interest payments on each student loan

As they say at the circus, that's not peanuts.

The Balanced Budget Act included, as well, tax credit provisions that would have:

- \* Helped more than 2 million Texas taxpayers with more than 3.6 million dependents keep more than \$1.6 million a year.
- \* Eliminated the federal income tax bill in our state for 285,000 taxpayers with 677,000 dependents. That's \$167 million per year staying with the working families who earned it.

\* Saved state and local taxes over seven years because of lower interest rates (\$639 million over seven years). That would have been an additional \$639 million available to fund education, better roads and more local law enforcement — or to go toward lower taxes.

Here's what we are getting instead as a result of President Clinton's veto of the Balanced Budget Act: Interest rates can be expected to increase, costing American families \$979 more per year in interest on their home mortgages, student loans and car loans, along with \$1,500 in future taxes to pay for the extra \$100 billion in annual interest payments on new federal debt.

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# News Around Motley County

## Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

Sympathy goes out to the family of Lillie Gwinn Crouch who grew up here and has many friends here who share her family's loss. Her husband Larry, their children and her siblings are in the sympathetic thoughts of many friends.

The families of Buzz Thacker and Joyce Smith as well as other relatives here and at Lubbock have the sympathy of their many friends on the death of their aunt, Mrs. Wilma Wood in Tucson, Arizona, Sunday. Her daughters and grandchildren are extended special sympathy.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wayborn Mitchell of

Paducah visited his mother Thursday of last week.

Mrs. J.T. Swim kept a medical appointment in Lubbock this week. She was accompanied by J.T. and Miss Lula Swim.

Mrs. Agnes Meredith was released from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock on Sunday. She is recuperating at the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Thames, in Lubbock.

Bunni and Jamie Zeilinger, son Zachary, and 3 week old daughter, Brooke, visited her parents, Ray and Grace Zabielski, last week, Monday through Thursday.

## Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

### SNOW HELPS DRY SPELL

A snow advisory was issued by the National Weather Service in Lubbock Thursday night, Feb. 1st. Before dawn Friday, a glistening blanket of snow covered the ground. Snow flurries fell off and on throughout the day and continued until mid morning Saturday. One to two inches of snow and icy conditions were reported. Single digit temperatures and below zero WCF were registered during the weekend. Temperatures turned upward Monday, Feb. 5 with sunny skies. The moisture was a welcomed sight since the land is drier than normal and the siege of grass fires we have had in the area.

### REMINDER OF HEALTH CLINIC AND QUILTING BEE

Mrs. Erin Jones and Mrs. Kim Austin of Matador with the Total Home Health Care in Lubbock will be at the Community Center in Flomot, Monday Feb. 12 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. They will give free blood pressure and other medical services. They are welcoming this opportunity to meet area residents and are hoping for a good turnout.

The Do Gooders' Club has scheduled an all day Quilting Bee and covered dish luncheon for Monday, Feb. 12 at 9 a.m. to 7 at the Community Center in Flomot. This is a Flomot Homecoming project.

### GAME NIGHT IN FLOMOT

Not even the cold weather Thursday night, Feb. 1 put a damper on the cheery greetings and night of good entertainment at Game Night at Flomot Community

Center. A delicious variety of refreshments were served with hot coffee and tea.

Those attending were Ronald and Wady Clay, Trula and Wilburn Martin, Suzie and Bill Shannon, Erma and Bill Washington, B. and Howard Rogers, Mary Jo Calvert, Leona Degan, Annie B. Cloyd and Donnie Rogers.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. A.D. Moseley, Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Smith of Silverton and Donnie Smith of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson were in Vernon recently to visit daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Breck Dockery and Britiany. Kayla Johnson of Floydada joined them there to visit. They celebrated Britiany's second birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and her sister, Mrs. Melva Jo Shelton of Hockley visited in Floydada, Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Speer and her mother, Mrs. Bea Bilberry of Lockney.

Mrs. Faye Rogers of Plainview visited during the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon.

Mrs. Bea Bilberry of Lockney, former Flomot resident, is a patient in Mangold Hospital where she was admitted Tuesday with pneumonia.

Barbara and Willie Strain of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey, Sunday.

Bencie Hughes of Lubbock and J.J. Lake of Abernathy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes, Sunday.

## Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

### OVERHEARD

To live forever in the hearts of friends and loved ones is to never die.  
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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jennings, Tuesday were his brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jennings of Farmington, N.M. and Ralph Jennings and daughter, Teresa of Sunnett.

Mrs. Vesta Cooper is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. With her during her hospitalization are her daughter

Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett and Mrs. Vernell Hanna. Her son, Chester Cooper of Lubbock is scheduled for surgery on his hand this week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon Sunday and Monday and attending the funeral services of Mrs. Janice Dixon in Matador, Sunday was her family, Mrs. Ted Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hester, Kristen and Christopher of Lovington, N.M.

Hal Martin of Matador accompanied his mother, Mrs. Kathryn Martin to Lubbock, Monday for a medical appointment.

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If there is anything that we wish to change in the child, we should first examine it and see whether it is not something that could better be changed in ourselves.

—Carl Gustav Jung

## Obituaries

### L.C. Marshall

Services for L.C. "Curt" Marshall, 69, of Plainview were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 5, 1996, at the Ninth & Columbia Street Church of Christ in Plainview with Delbert McLoud, minister of South Plains Church of Christ in Lubbock, assisted.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park Cemetery under direction of Lemons Funeral Home.

Marshall died Friday, Feb. 2, 1996, at Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

He was born Dec. 2, 1926, in Roaring Springs. He graduated from Plainview High School, where he partici-

pated in and was the state president for FFA. He also was listed in Who's Who in Agriculture. He was a member and a deacon of the Ninth and Columbia Street Church of Christ.

He worked for United Farm Industries from 1955 to 1978, and he worked with Coffee Seed from 1978 until retiring in 1987 as a superintendent of seed.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Tony of Spring; a daughter, Brenda Martin of Lubbock; and four grandchildren.

### Mary Ellen Davis

Mary Ellen Davis, 84, 1205 S. Fourth, died Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1996, in a Duncan nursing home.

Graveside service, under direction of Don Grantham Funeral Home, were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 13, 1996, in Dunan Cemetery, with the Rev. Phil Wahl officiating.

Mrs. Davis was born May 5, 1911, in Matador, to Walter and Nellie (Harris) Higgins.

On Dec. 27, 1932, she married Dick D. Davis at Matador. Mr. Davis, who

had owned an Olds-Cadillac dealership in Duncan (Central Motors), preceded her in death May 31, 1954. Mrs. Davis was retired from Security National Bank in 1979, after 20 years of service. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Ron and Susie Davis of Albuquerque, N.M., and Mack and Pat Davis of Boulder, Colo.; and seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

### Lillie Crouch

Funeral services for Lillie Crouch, 66, of Lubbock were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 3, 1996 at the Church of Christ in Matador. Officiating was Tim Ayres, of Taylor, Texas, and Mike Crowley of Matador. Interment will be in East Mound Cemetery at Matador under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Mrs. Crouch died at 2:50 p.m. Thursday at her home in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

The former Lillie Mae Gwinn was born March 18, 1929, at Roaring Springs, Texas. She was married to Larry Crouch on December 28, 1950, in Tucumcari, N.M. She lived in California and Washington prior to returning to Texas in 1992. She was a Registered Nurse, and a member of Monterey Church of Christ in Lubbock.

She is survived by her husband, Larry of Lubbock; one son, Jeff Crouch of Vancouver, WA; two daughters, Michelle Jeffers of San Marcos and Sarah Hurt of Lubbock; four brothers, George Gwinn of Broken Arrow, OK, Benny Gwinn of Nacogdoches, Charles Gwinn of Matador and James Gwinn of Matador; four sisters, Mable Miller of Portland, OR, Bonnie Fullingim of Harlingen, Aly Gwinn of Lubbock, Marilyn Holcomb of Floydada, and Josie Ractz of McAdoo; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Tommy Holcomb, Andy Holcomb, Ricky Gwinn, Ronnie Gwinn, Jody Gwinn, Cris Gwinn, and Robert Paul Fullingim.

The family suggests memorials to the Matador Church of Christ.

### Janice Dixon

Funeral services for Janice Dixon, 74, of the Whiteflat Community, near Matador, were held at 2:00 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church of Matador. Officiating was Rev. Felton Gilmore, pastor. Interment was in East Mound Cemetery at Matador under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dixon died late Friday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born May 6, 1921 in Hall County. She was married to Marvin L. Dixon on May 6, 1938, at Whiteflat. Mr. Dixon died March 8, 1971. She was also preceded in death by a son, Dale Dixon, in 1967.

She was a member of the First

Baptist Church in Matador.

Survivors include one son, Spencer Dixon of the Whiteflat Community; three brothers, A.M. Whitefield, of Matador, Stanley Whitefield of Idalou, and Jimmy Whitefield of Spur; two sisters, Johnnie Ellis of Amarillo, and Chloe Garrett of Seminole; one grandson, David Dale Dixon of Cedar Hill.

Serving as pallbearers were Lonnie Harmon, Kenneth Vines, Fred Risser, Delwayne Whitefield, Donald Whitefield, and Ted Whitefield. Named as honorary pallbearers were C.D. Garrison, Luther Green, E.D. Lawrence, Buddy McCarty, and Tommy Harmon.

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I would like to say thank you for all the cards, flowers, phone calls, visits, food, and prayers during my recent illness. I especially want to thank Frances Hobbs for everything she did to help me.

Christene Briscoe

I want to give my heartfelt thanks to all of you, my friends and relatives, who have been so supportive to me during my stay in the hospital and in my sister's home in Plainview where I was still getting "Rehab" care and the "Tender Loving Care" of my sister and family. I appreciate every card, phone call, and visit, flowers, and gifts, your words of encouragement and especially the prayers that have gone up before the throne of God in my behalf. I brought all my cards home and am reading them over again and receiving a new blessing from each one of you. Thank you for the food that you have brought to me since I am back home again. I would like to call each one of you by name and say thank you. You have been a big part of my recovery. So a big hug to each one of you. And I love you.

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