

Sylvan Dunn, Director
Southwest Collection Texas Tech
Lubbock, TX 79409

Motley County Tribune

Voice of the Foothill Country

106 YEARS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1998

ISSUE NO. 5

50¢
per copy



A Look back in Time

January 5, 1961

YOUTH CITED BY LIONS FOR ACT OF HEROISM

"Heroism of Morris Burkes in extinguishing flash fire that might have cost Buddy Davis his life on December 17, was the occasion Tuesday for special recognition by the Matador Lions Club.

Davis' clothing became ignited after gasoline splashed on him from a 'belching' truck tank. Burkes caught the boy and extinguished the fire which is believed would have claimed his life.

Burkes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Skee Burkes of Matador."

January 26, 1961

J.D. PALMER HURT WHEN T.V. TOWER FALLS

"J.D. Palmer, 35, of Roaring Springs was injured about 10:30 Monday morning while aiding in the moving of a T.V. tower at Whiteflat.

He suffered a broken bone in his heel. He will be in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock for two or three weeks."

January 26, 1961

FATHER - SON PROGRAM TO BE OUTSTANDING

"In the almost quarter century that has passed since the late Lt. Paul Eubank organized the first Father-Son Banquet here. It is probable that the program this year will be the most outstanding in the entire period.

Programs through the years have included notables such as Dizzy Dean, Cal Farley, and Gov. Coke Stevenson.

The Phil-Originals is recognized as one of the finest entertainment teams to ever come out of the west.

Lt. Eubank was killed during World War II as he was taking off from an aircraft carrier."

TRAIL DUST

By
DOUGLAS MEADOR



I am afraid of poets. Unfortunately I am not certain that I have ever known a true versesmith, but only members of that guild to which a stroke on the head in early youth permits charter affiliation. Having been a member for many years, I feel free to divulge the secrets of the organization. I am fully convinced that a poem sounds good to the poeminspired with its creation, the principal difficulty arising when an appreciative audience is needed. It is bitter to have a listener yawn at the beginning of canto nine and inquire about the weather — I have shut my eyes and visioned unclean swine wading knee-deep in fields of white pearls.

Perhaps my fear of poets can be traced to an old scrap-book with frayed leaves, written and inserted at intervals when I felt that nothing remained of life but to compose a few immortal lines for an eager posterity. The intervals were many. I shudder when I think of the poor victims tied to the stake of my friendship and bound to the wheel of my sincerity. I did not understand their eyes, pleading as a trapped animal as the trapper approaches.

It is significant that I have never written a line of poetry since marriage overtook me. It is only seldom that a flood of courage will allow me to peep into that old scrap-book and then with apprehension that a retributive nemesis will strike before I can close it.

Motley County Heart Association Launches 1998 Fund Campaign

by Earlyne Jameson

"Community projects have succeeded, because someone cares and has learned the joy of responding and caring."

The Motley County Chapter of the American Heart Association will shift its 1998 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 and being used for a vital cause.

Volunteers serving on the Motley County Heart Association board and spearheading the campaign are Odessa Mullins of Roaring Springs, Mary Jo Calvert of Flomot, Myrna Blasingame at the First State Bank in Matador and

Earlyne Jameson, chairman. If you wish to make an AHA donation or memorial please contact any of the above.

We would appreciate you including the AHA in your giving in February. Your donation is a worthy investment, because hearts heal faster from surgery and medication than from the loss of a loved one. **WE'RE FIGHTING FOR YOUR LIFE!**

Second Annual Shannon Davidson celebration to combine with Motley County Junior Rodeo

The Motley County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors made the decision to hold the second annual Shannon Davidson Pony Express Days celebration on July 10-11, 1998 and combine it with the Motley County Junior Rodeo at its January 22nd

meeting. It was also decided to jointly sponsor the dance on Saturday night, July 11, and to contract with Jody Nix and his dance band to play for the dance.

At this first meeting of the new year, the Chamber board also voted to retain the current board members for another year and the 1997 board officers were re-elected for 1998. The officers are: Jeff Thacker, President;

Rodney Williams, Vice-President; Charles Keith, Secretary; and Sondra Francis, Treasurer. It was then decided to launch the 1998 Membership Drive during February with a goal to exceed the 1997 memberships of 165 members and \$2,985 dues collected.

Chamber members and other county citizens present at this important meeting were Jeff Thacker, Charles Keith, Brent Marshall, Brian Marshall, Rodney Williams, Ronnie Vandiver, Darrell Cruse, Jerry Green, Sondra Francis,

Michael Lee, Tommie Jo Cruse, Craig Turner, Douglas Campbell, and J.D. Russell.

The next Chamber Board meeting was scheduled for Thursday, February 19.

American Legion holds first meeting of the new year

The American Legion Flemming Post #337, held its first meeting for 1998 on Monday night with thirteen members and many guests present. With the largest turn-out for a Legion meeting in over ten years, the group enjoyed an abundant and extremely delicious covered dish supper before the program.

The program was Lee Jones and Scott Smith, recent Boys State attendees, sharing their boys State experiences with the group. These presentations were very well received by all in attendance.

At the business meeting, the Legion agreed to sponsor two (2) boys for Boys State during 1998, appointed a committee to plan a county-wide celebration for Memorial Day 1998 on May 30th, and a committee was appointed to recommend improvements and refurbishments to the Legion building.

The Memorial Committee is composed of Glenn Woodruff, Jerry Green, and Buzz Thacker. The building improvement committee is composed of Charlie Johnson, Charles Keith, and Luther Green.

It is extremely important for all county military veterans to become Legion members and become active in the organization to save our Post and to insure that support of our military forces and the spirit of patriotism remains alive in Motley county.

Any veteran desiring membership information and/or general information on Legion activities should contact James Meador, 347-2258 or Joe Campbell, 347-2430 or 347-2800. Scheduled Legion meeting dates for the remainder of 1998 are March 30, May 25, July 27, September 28, and November 30.



FIGHTING FOR THE BALL — Lady Matador, Kandi Keltz #14, scrambles for the ball, with help from Ladies ShaVonne Taylor and Kristi Williams #21, during last Friday night's game at Paducah.



UP FOR THE REBOUND — Motley County JV Matadors and Paducah Dragons go up for the rebound in last Friday night's game at Paducah. Matadors in view are (beginning with #20 l-r) Todd Thomas, Sean Rose, Matt Easter, and Benjamin Ridgley.

For more pictures and related story, see page 3

Aide outlines Gramm plan to rebuild Texas' crumbling highways

An aide to U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm visited Matador on Monday, January 26th, to outline a new Gramm proposal that would make an extra \$2 billion in federal funds available to rebuild Texas' crumbling highways.

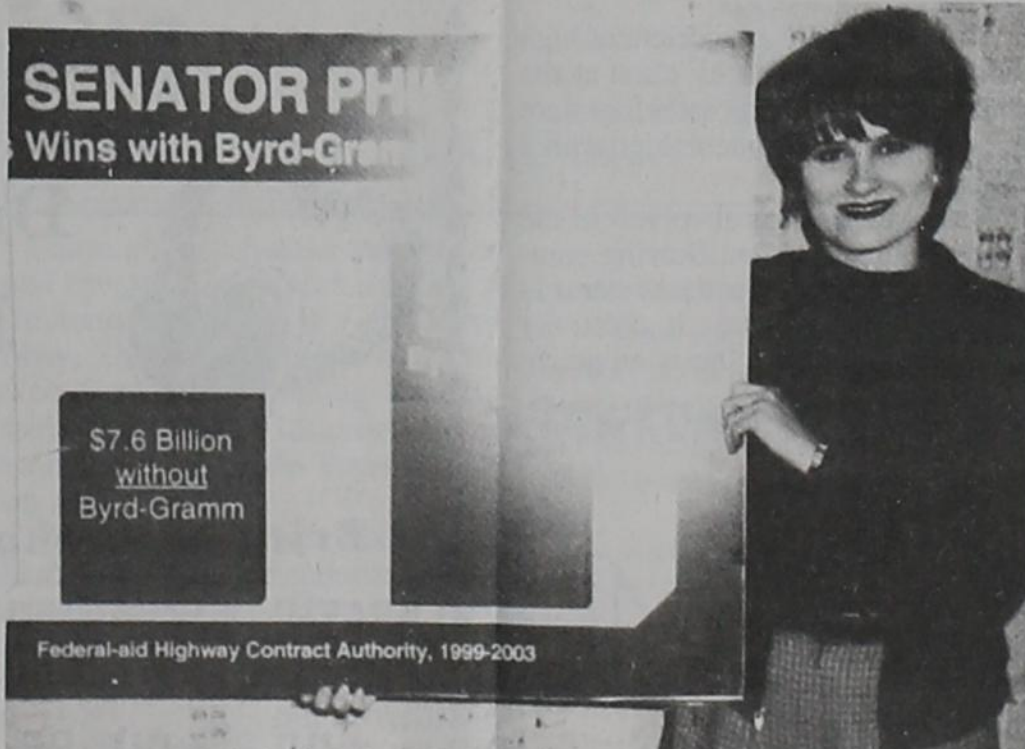
Gramm regional director, Sondra Ziegler, is meeting with officials in several West Texas cities this week, highlighting the Senator's road building plan to ease the congestion that often turns long stretches of Texas' interstate highways into parking lots.

Ziegler spoke to city leaders at 10:00 a.m. in the conference room at City Hall in Matador.

"Heavy traffic is a sure sign of economic growth and opportunity, but it is pounding out major highways into concrete dust. Too many parts of the main north-south artery in our state, Interstate 35, are parking lots on most days, and virtually every other big highway in Texas is in desperate need of repair and upgrading," Gramm said. "We should have started this program 10 years ago, but we can do it today."

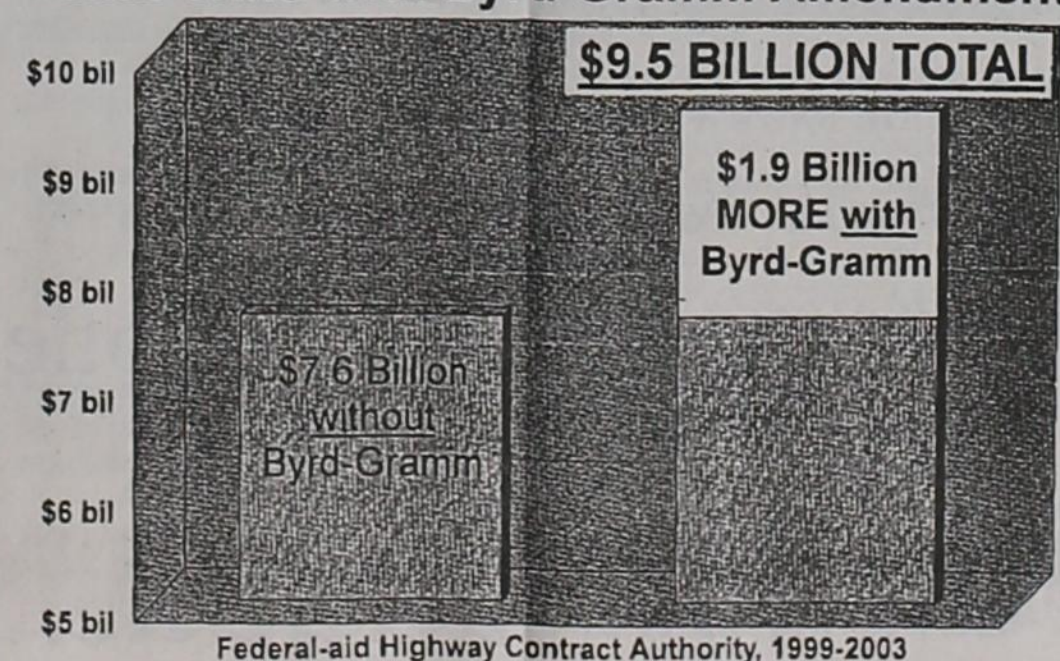
Gramm's proposal, co-sponsored by U.S. Sens. Robert Byrd, D-West Virginia, John Warner, R-Virginia, and Max Baucus, D-Montana, will direct federal highway authorities to begin using the money collected from the 1993 gasoline tax increase.

The proposal will provide \$1.9 billion in added highway funding for Texas. It also creates a \$450 million fund to finance such programs as the special "NAFTA Highway" designations that are being sought for I-35, the planned I-69 in South and East Texas and the I-10/I-25 link at El Paso.



Sondra Ziegler, Senator Phil Gramm's aide, from Lubbock, is pictured with the chart she used when she presented a program outlining Senator Gramm's plan for state highway aide.

U.S. SENATOR PHIL GRAMM Texas Wins with Byrd-Gramm Amendment



Federal-aid Highway Contract Authority, 1999-2003

Flomot Grass Fire Burns Over 70 Acres

by Earlyne Jameson

The Flomot, Matador, and Quitaque Volunteer Fire Departments responded to a grass fire southeast of Flomot, Wednesday, January 21.

Craig Turner spotted the fire around noon on the Ronald Clay farm. The fire moved southwest and also burned

land of Travis Kendall and Dick Guest. With the help of TxDOT and Precinct II maintainers, they got the fire under control before reaching the home of Donnie Turner.

The good and efficient work of those fighting the fire limited the loss to an estimated 70 acres of land and no buildings were damaged.

Deadline Nears For Sweetheart Brag Pages

The Motley County Tribune will once again print the special Valentine Brag page. This special part of the paper will be printed in our February 12 issue. Pictures of your special someone will be printed in a heart, with information under. Each heart will be only \$10, a small price to pay to show off those beautiful children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, etc. A double heart will be \$19.00. Deadline will be noon, Friday, February 6. Be sure to bring in your sweetheart's picture no later than that day, to allow us to have time to get everything situated for the pages. See an example of the heart in our ad on page 2.



Well, well, well, our President seems to be in trouble again. I must admit I have never been much of a politician. I haven't really kept up with politics, and don't know the things I should, but I would say if Mr. Clinton is as popular with the girls as reports indicate, he must have some hidden studliness that is not outwardly visible.

Now, don't get me wrong, I basically like the guy. I don't have anything really against him. I think, he, as most other presidents, have done some good, and some bad. But it seems like all we ever hear about him is bad.

I saw an interview with Mrs. Clinton on the TODAY show this morning, and she was like a rock. She really seems to hold up well with all the rumors and talk about her husband. I really sympathize with Chelsea, though. Can you imagine what it must be like anyway, a college freshman,

first time away from home, and - the President of the United States' daughter, to have to deal with all this. Talk like this would hurt to the bone, no matter who's daughter you were!

And if it's true, does she really need to know. Well, you would always want to believe in your father, but in her case, there's no way she could keep it quiet!

Like I said, I'm not much of a politician. And I'm not going to express an opinion on this man or this subject, in this column, except to say this guy must really get around, if all these allegations are true. How does he get away from all the secret service guys, while he's on his little rendezvous?

I tell you, if I were one of these girls, I think I would probably keep my mouth shut anyway, after all - it takes two to tango!

Licensed plumber uses tricks to entertain, deliver message

by John Wise
Avalanche-Journal
NOTE: This article appeared in the Monday, January 19th issue of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal. Mr. Paschal is a former Matador resident.

TAHOKA - Friends and acquaintances of Keith Paschal know what to expect when he's around - the unexpected.

Actually, his quick-handedness is no secret. He admits he's always got a few tricks up his sleeve, even if he doesn't have sleeves on that day.

A licensed plumber by trade since age 17, Paschal also has been practicing parlor magic all his life. Most of his tricks involve coins and cards.

His interest was piqued by an uncle who liked to make his handkerchief disappear.

"He never showed me how it was done," Paschal recalled. "I guess that curiosity has always stayed with me."

Paschal spent much of his free time figuring out tricks on his own. Then, six years ago, he met a Lubbock magician named Mark Lankford who helped him hone his skills.

"He kind of took me under his wing and taught me how to be more professional about it."

Paschal started performing and teaching magic to local Cub Scouts. Before he knew it, he was performing for youth groups, rotary clubs and anyone else who would have him.

Paschal said he sticks to the parlor tricks because while they seem simple, they're actually more difficult. He likes the challenge.

"If you can do that, you can do about anything on stage," he said. "It's the most fun because you get so up-

close and personal with people. It happens right there in their hand."

Though magic is entertainment to Paschal, he plans to use it as a teaching tool and is developing three shows in which he gives an anti-drug or anti-gang message to youngsters.

"I've just noticed it makes (children) be quiet," he said.

He said he encourages anyone interested in magic to join a magic society or club.

"All you have to do is seek it out," he said. "It's really not that secretive."

Paschal has a tendency to disappear from time to time, but it's no magic trick.

He volunteers his time to the Lynn County Emergency Medical Service, which requires him to put down what he's doing at the throw of a hat. He said he picked up the bug 12 years ago when he served on the Matador Volunteer Fire Department.

"It's kind of one of those things that gets in your blood," he said. "You have to want to do it."

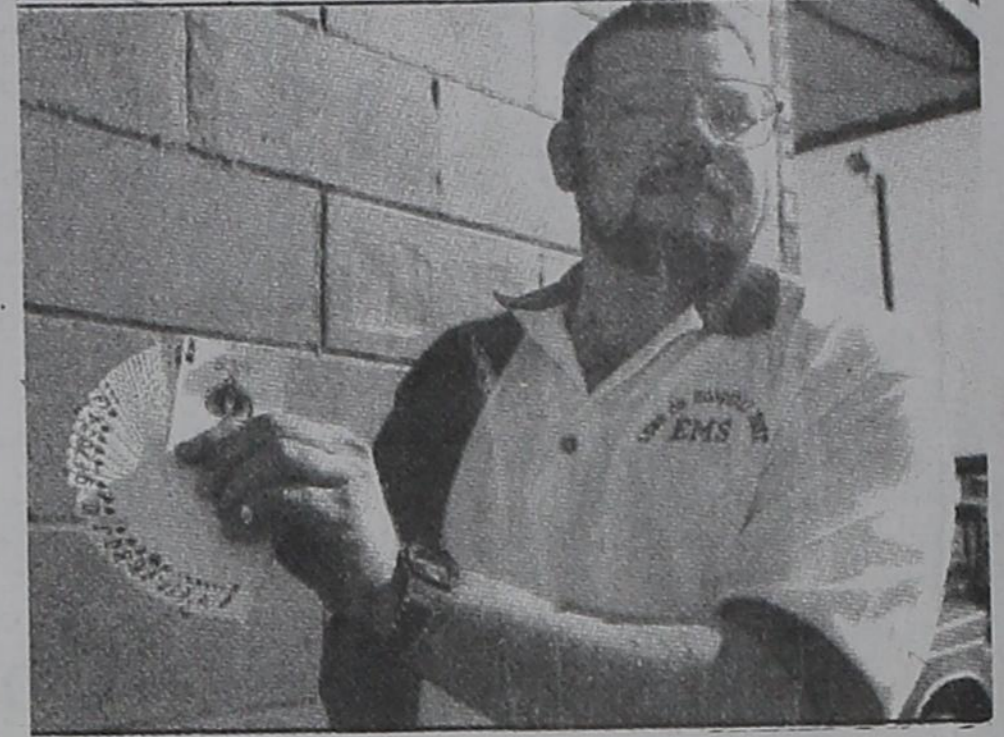
Paschal recently completed his intermediate-level emergency medical technician training, which qualifies him to conduct more-involved procedures on trauma patients, such as set up IV drips, he said.

But his trade is plumbing, he said. He learned it from his father. He was proficient enough by the age of 17 to pass the state licensing test.

That didn't matter, though. He said his age hampered him from getting business at first.

"Everybody said, 'He's just a baby. How does he know how to fix a faucet?'"

Keith is 33 years old and was born in Paducah. He is married to the former Sherry Green, of Matador, and



Keith Paschal demonstrates one of his card tricks.

they have one son, 12-year-old Bradley. He is involved with the Lynn County Emergency Medical Service, Lynn County Storm Spotters, West Texas Wizards' Organization, and International Brotherhood of Magicians.

Youth Have Clothing Project Opportunity

Youth in the county have an opportunity to learn more about clothing selection and construction, grooming, color, and fashion through a 4-H Clothing & Textiles project to be offered in the County. Objectives of the project are to build self-confidence and poise by enhancing personal appearance, develop skills in wardrobe planning and purchasing clothing and accessories, and, if desired, clothing construction. Activities are selected by participants and leaders. Among many other areas, most projects include comparison shopping related to selection of clothing, accessories, and make-up. Others include experimenting with hair styles and modeling. Any young person interested in the clothing project should contact Janie Campbell at 347-2657. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Ex-

tension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or natural origin.

Youth need adults willing to offer one or more training sessions for them. It is your opportunity to share a talent for make-up application, modeling, organizing closets or a skill such as how to place pattern pieces for a simple project or decorative touches for jackets or T-shirts. We need you! Young people learn best by someone who loves to do what they are teaching. Without a doubt that there are several who live here who love what they do with fabric, yarn, or textiles of other kinds, and experimenting with make-up and hair styles. Please call the County Extension Agent at 347-2733 if you would consider serving even one day as a leader.

Thank you for reading the Motley County Tribune

HALE'S 1/2 PRICE SALE!

Women's Ready to Wear & More!

Downtown Floydada — 983-2388

Shelley Seigler Merchant Receives Teaching Award

Shelley Seigler Merchant, was awarded the Texas Association for Gifted and Talented Advocacy Award at a recent Iowa Park School Board Meeting. Shelley has been a teacher for nine years at the Iowa Park Junior High. The past three years she has been actively involved with the Gifted and Talented program in the Iowa Park School District.

Robbie Walker who heads up the regional program at Region IX nominated Merchant stating, "The gifted and talented program has a bright future because of Shelley."

Mrs. Merchant is a Motley County graduate of 1978. She graduated from Texas Tech University with a bachelor's degree in education and a master's degree in educational administration. She is the daughter of Pat and Ann Seigler and is a veteran teacher of fifteen years. Her first two years as a teacher were in the Paducah School District, where she developed a Gifted and Talented program.

Mrs. Merchant is actively pursuing the establishment of a regional parent organization pulling parents from across Region IX together to explore parenting and educating their gifted children.

Mrs. Merchant described the gifted program at the junior high for sixth, seventh and eighth grades as a reading based program headed toward interdisciplinary programming with social studies.

She also teaches an accelerated high school world geography class at the junior high that incorporates literature and will give these students high school credit.

Mrs. Merchant is involved in the Texas Future Problem Solving competition which exposes the students to problem solving, research, creativity and verbal fluency. She is an active

member of the Texas Association for the Gifted and Talented.

In November, Mrs. Merchant attended the National Association for the Gifted in Little Rock, Arkansas, as well as the Texas Association for the Gifted conference in Austin. These conferences allow teachers to be exposed to the latest research as well as hear from experts in the field.

Mrs. Merchant and her husband, Jim, a science instructor at Vernon Regional Junior college have three children, Michael, a second grader, Patrick, four, and Kathryn, one.

10% off All Dry Cleaning - Jan. 28 - Feb. 3

NEW SHIPMENT OF WOOD CRAFTS!

Shelves, Tables, & More ...

For your special someone... let us make a special Valentine gift basket!

The Windmill

downtown Matador — 347-2233



Show off your little Sweetheart!

With our special Sweetheart page, to be printed in the February 12th edition

Deadline is noon, Friday, Feb. 6

Bring us a photo of your special sweetheart, and we'll print it in a heart like the one shown on the right

Cost is only \$10.00 for a single heart & \$19.00 for a double heart



Zachary Norris son of Robert & Chandra Norris of Mead, Kansas

Submission to God



Submitting to God, as we are directed in the Scriptures, means for us to accept His will for our lives. Sometimes we might be guilty of imposing our will expecting it to be sanctioned by Him. But if we seek an understanding of God's provision for us, then the superiority of His will is easily seen.

Think on this. It is self or God. Which is tantamount the same thing as the Devil or God. For a self without God is ruled by the Devil. Submission to God is where hope is staid.

Submission to God is accepting His providence as being the best provision for our lives. This is not always the easiest thing to do. But when we do accept it and as we learn more of how to do that, it brings a peace that "passeth all understanding." We are only discontented when we think or act as if God doesn't know what is best for us. We can then become the "chronic grumbler," the one who will only be involved on his or her terms.

Those who will not be submissive to God will find that peace will always allude them. Those who do submit to God, know what real peace and true victory are all about.

Roaring Springs Church of Christ

Bible Study 10:00 a.m.

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Worship 9:00 a.m.

LONE STAR 4

Hwy. 287 & 83 Childress, TX

Monday thru Thursday - 7 p.m.

Friday - 7 p.m. & 9:30 p.m.

Sat. - 4:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Sunday - 4:30 p.m. & 7 p.m.

JANUARY 30 - FEBRUARY 5

JACKIE BROWN - R

STAR KID - PG

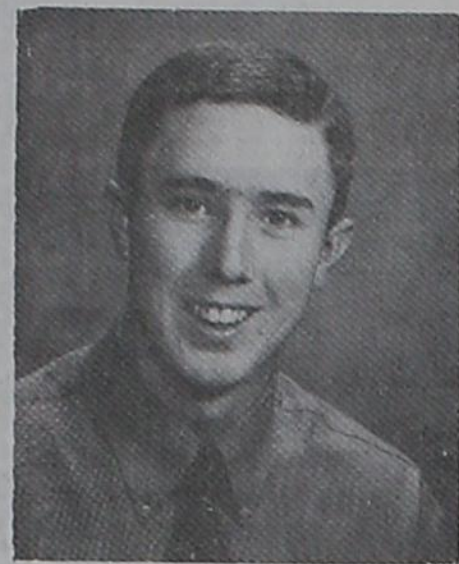
HOME ALONE 3 - PG

AMERICAN WEREWOLF IN PARIS - R

Motley County Tribune

Motley County Matadors' School News

Senior Spotlight "Class of 1998"



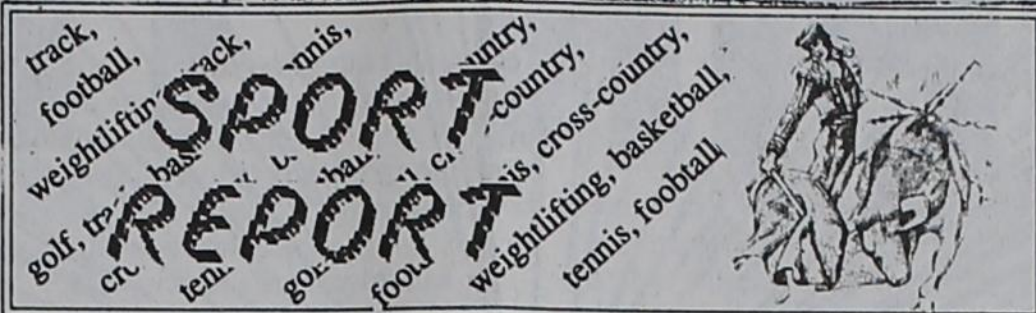
Cobey Turner



Scotty Palmer

Name: Cobey Dee Turner
Age: 18
Birthdate: 10-19-79
Place of Birth: Lubbock, Tx
Parents Names: Johnney & Carol Ann Turner.
Brothers & Sisters: Heather Blount
Best advice ever received: Treat everyday as if it were your last, because who knows what tomorrow will bring.
Most valuable possession: Family
Unforgettable memory: Houston Calf Scramble.
Favorite color: Green
Favorite song: When You Walked In.
Favorite Movie: Tombstone
Best excuse ever used to get out of trouble: Ryan did it, too!
Favorite hangout: My recliner.
What I like best about myself: My personality.
Favorite style of clothes: Western.
What I like most about high school: Being a Senior.
Most vivid memory of Elementary or Jr. High: When Mr. Willmon cried after we read "Where the Red Fern Grows."
Most embarrassing moment: When I shot at the wrong goal in Little Dribblers.
Advice to the underclassmen: Don't let anyone steal your dreams away.
Plans after high school: Attend Tarleton State University and major in Agriculture.

Name: Scotty Palmer
Age: 18
Birthdate: 2-6-80
Place of Birth: Lubbock Methodist Hospital.
Parents names: Johnny and Tammy Palmer.
Brothers and sisters: Miranda Palmer.
Best advice ever received: Never underestimate a rank horse.
Most valuable possession: Family and friends.
Unforgettable memory: July 4 weekend, 1997.
Favorite color: Red
Favorite song: "Where the Cowboy Rides Away."
Favorite Movie: The Last of the Dogmen.
Best excuse ever used to get out of trouble: It was Dusty's idea.
Favorite hangout: Matador
What I like best about myself: I accept people for who they are.
Favorite style of clothes: Western wear.
What I like most about high school: Graduation.
Most vivid memory of Elementary or Jr. High: Nap time.
Advice to the underclassmen: Study hard.
Plans after high school: Get a job and live life a little.



The 7th grade girls basketball team lost to Floydada, January 17, in the Motley County Junior High Tournament, with a final score of 6-49. Lacy Carson, Brittany Moore, and Brittany Donaldson each scored two points.

Brittany Moore scored her two points from the line and was 100%.

The 7th grade girls also lost to Valley, in a close game, with the final score being 23-29. Chasity Holman was leading scorer with 12 points. Brittany Donaldson put in 5, and Lacy Carson, 4.

The 8th grade girls defeated Valley in the first round of the tournament, 37-16.

Courtney Hays was leading scorer with 12 points. Shandra Jones added 8; Lisa Taylor, 5; Misty Young, 3; Kelsi Wallace, 3; Rachael Smith, 2; Kayla Copp, Mylinda Gilmore, 2.

In the Championship game, the 8th grade girls lost to Floydada, 15-55. Lisa Taylor led in scoring with 10 points. Courtney Hays added 3, and Rachael Smith, 2.

The girls placed 2nd in the tournament.

The 7th grade girls team won over Crowell, January 19, with a final score of 32-23. Chasity Holman led in scoring with 18 points. Brittany Donaldson added 10; Brittany Moore, 2; and Britany Perryman, 2.

The 8th grade girls team won over Crowell, 31-28. Courtney Hays led in scoring with 11. Rachael Smith added 8; Misty Young, 8; Lisa Taylor, 2; and Shandra Jones, 2.

The 8th grade girls defeated Lakeview, 40-12, January 27. Shandra Jones led in scoring with 8. Rachael Smith added 6; Courtney Hays, 6; Kelsi Wallace, 6; Lisa Taylor, 5; Misty Young, 4; Kayla Copp, 2; Leslie Taylor, 2; and Mylinda Gilmore, 1.

Every girls who played, scored. The Lady Matadors lost to Chillicothe, January 16, with a final score of 43-63, giving the Ladies an overall record of 6 wins and 15 losses and a district record of 1 win and 2 losses.

Tonie Bowden led in scoring with 13 points. Kandi Keltz added 11; Margaret Mangram, 8; Kristi Williams, 5; and Kim Ashley, 2.

Tonie Bowden also led in rebounds with 14. Margaret Mangram grabbed 12.

Margaret and Blair Thacker each had 2 assists. Tonie had 6 steals and 3 FTO's. Blair also forced 3 turnovers.

The JV girls lost to Silverton, January 20, with a final score of 15-65, giving them an overall record of 2 wins and 9 losses, and a district record of 0 wins and 1 loss.

LeAndra Wallace and Rabeca Morris were leading scorers with 4 each. Brooke Decker, Leigha Burns and Stephanie Lynch each added 2; and Rachelle Renfro, 1.

The Lady Matadors lost to Paducah, 51-85, January 23. Kandi Keltz

led in scoring with 14. Jill "Stanky" Stanley added 13; Ashley Stevens, 8; Margaret Mangram, 6; ShaVonne Taylor and Kim Ashley each added 4; Kristi Williams and Rabeca Morris added one each.

Kandi was also leading rebounder with 8. Margaret had 7 and Jill, 5.

Kandi was 10 of 14 from the line. Kandi and Ashley had 5 steals each. This is the last District game of the first round.

The Matadors lost to Chillicothe, January 16, 74-51. Benji Rodriguez was leading scorer with 12. Keane Cruse added 10; Ryan Martin, 7; Jason Barton, 6; Brad Marvel, 4; Jason Clauser, 3; Aaron Green, 3; Aaron Binder, 2; Scott Smith, 2; and Bobby Fritzier, 2.

Keane Cruse and Benjie Rodriguez each had 8 rebounds.

Keane Cruse was 100% FT; Benjie Rodriguez, 100%, 3 point shots; Jason Clauser, 50%, 3 point shots; Scott Smith, 100%, 2 point shots; and Jason Barton was 50%, with 2 point shots.

The JB team got a big win over Chillicothe, with a final score of 30-18. Sean Rose and Brant Donaldson were leading scorers with 8 each. Jermaine Hendrix put in 7; Chris Paul, 6; and Matt Easter, 1.

The team held Chillicothe to 2 field goals in the second half.

The Matadors defeated Silverton, January 20, 71-68. Aaron Green was leading scorer with 22 points. Keane Cruse added 12; Scott Smith, 11; Benjie Rodriguez, 10; Brad Marvel, 5; Jason Clauser, 5; Jason Barton, 4; and Aaron Binder, 2.

Keane Cruse led in rebounds, grabbing 7.

Keane had 2 steals and 2 deflections. Benjie took a charge. Aaron Green was 4 for 4 with 3 point shots. Scott Smith was 3 for 6 with 3 point shots. The team only committed six turnovers for the ballgame.

Coach Ridgley stated, "The team shot the ball well. We ran the offense and didn't force shots, and we took very good care of the basketball."

The JV team also won over Silverton, 44-36. Brant Donaldson was leading scorer with 11. Sean Rose added 9; Casey Lawrence, 7; Jermaine Hendrix, 6; Chris Paul, 4; Todd Thomas, 2; Matt Easter, 2; and Jerod Rieger, 1.

Jermaine Hendrix and Sean Rose led in rebounds, grabbing six each. Brant Donaldson and Casey Lawrence each had 4; Todd Thomas, 3; Chase Carson, Ryan Moore, and Jerod Rieger, each got 1.

Donaldson and Easter shot 100% FT; Hendrix had 3 assists. Carson, Donaldson, and Lawrence each had 1 assist each. Carson and Donaldson got one block each. Paul had 2 forced turnovers. Hendrix, Donaldson and Lawrence each had 4 steals, Easter had 3 steals.



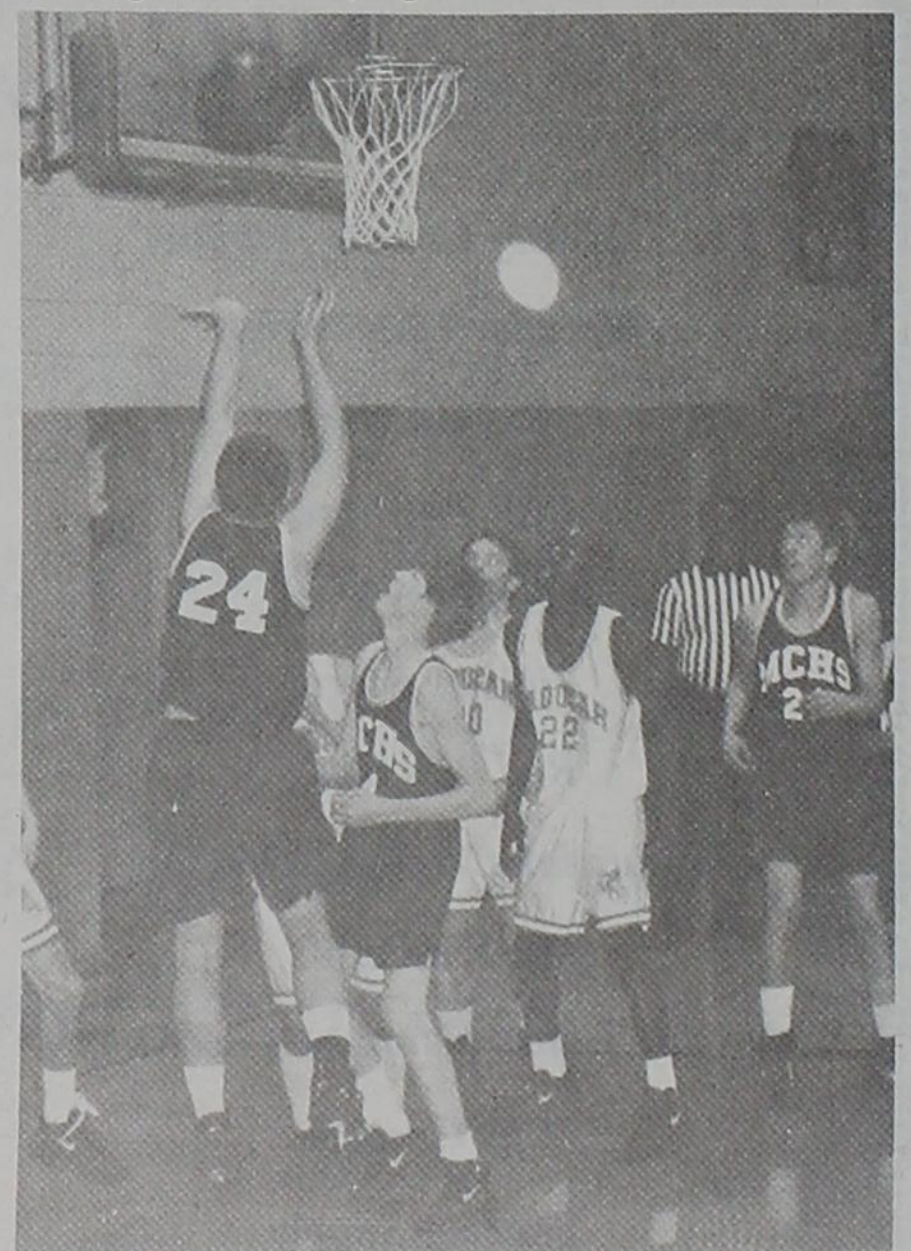
RECEIVING INSTRUCTIONS — Motley County Matadors Varsity boys receive instructions from Coach Ridgeley during last Friday night's game at Paducah.



WILL IT COUNT? Lady Matador, ShaVonne Taylor, #20, is keeping her eyes on the ball as it goes up when another Lady, (unidentified) shot for two during last Friday night's game with Paducah.



WHO'S GOT THE BALL? Players seem to be looking for the ball, while the Motley County Matadors Varsity boys team were in action with the Paducah Dragons last Friday night.



UP FOR TWO! Motley County Matadors JV boys team member, Brant Donaldson, #24, goes up for two, during last Friday night's game at Paducah. Other Matadors pictured are (l-r) Chris Paul, Sean Rose, and Casey Lawrence.

Jr. Class Talent/Gong Show and Cake Auction Date Set

It is once again time for the Jr. Class talent show, however this year it will be done a little different. Not only is it a talent show, but a gong show division has been added. The Talent/Gong Show will take place on March 5, at 7 o'clock in the school gym. Age categories for both the talent and gong show participants are: pre-K through 2nd; 3rd through 5th; 6th through 8th; and

9th through 12th; and an adult category.

There will also be some yummy cakes auctioned off, with the proceeds to benefit the Jr. class.

So, if you have talent (or even if you don't have talent), get in touch with Mr. Gleghorn or any Jr. class member. All talents are accepted.

Honey, Milk.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4
Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Assorted Sandwiches, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Potato Chips, Peanut Butter Cookie, Milk, Apple.
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5
Breakfast: Hot Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Oven Fried Chicken, Creamed Potatoes, Gravy, Pea Salad, Bread Slices, Banana Pudding, Milk.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6
Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, French Fries, Carrot Cake, Milk.

4-H FASHION GROUP TO MEET

The Motley County 4-H Fashion Group will meet at 4:00 p.m. Thursday, January 29 in the home of Joyce Campbell to make fabric valentines.

Anyone in 3rd - 12th grade who are interested in sewing or consumer buying are encouraged to join. Hope to see you, Thursday!

A Message from the Principal...

I hope you are finding the articles that I have written helpful. Reading is a lifelong skill and it is a wonderful hobby. The material below has been taken from the Beginning Reading Instruction, Practical Ideas for Parents that is published by the Texas Education Agency.

When children hear books read aloud, they come to understand why learning to read is important. They learn that people read for different reasons - books that tell a story can be read for pleasure; books full of facts and information can be read in order to learn new things. Children learn a great deal when they listen to books read aloud - they hear new words, learn new ways of saying things, and are introduced to new ideas, different people, and faraway places.

When Reading a book with your children, you can:

- Let them hold the book and turn the pages.
- Talk about different parts of the book such as the front, back, title page, first page, and last page.
- Take your time reading Do not rush.
- Point to the words as you read. Help them to see that there are spaces between words, that you read from the top of the page to the bottom, and that you read from left to right.
- Ask them to think about the story as you read it.
- Point to the pictures and talk about them.

— From time to time, talk about specific letters and words in the story.

— Read expressively; talk the way the story's characters would talk; make sound effects and funny faces; and vary the pitch of your voice throughout the story to make it more interesting.

— Encourage them to ask questions about the story's characters and events.

— Talk about the story and relate it to their personal experiences.

— Get library cards for your children and let them choose books to check out.

— Let your children participate in community literacy programs. Enroll them in library sponsored summer reading programs.

— Swap books with family and friends so that your children will have more books to read.

— Encourage your older children to read with your younger children.

— Remember to keep reading aloud to your children even after they read on their own.

Reading with a young child is a wonderful experience for both the parent and the child. This one on one attention with our children is very rewarding for them as well as us. As a parent, it is a wonderful feeling to have a child crawl up into our lap and ask us to read a book with them. If you would like to have a copy of this booklet please contact Wayne Morren at 347-2676.

Mid Winter Clearance

GM Program

Used Vehicles

- '96 Bonneville SE **SOLD**..... \$12,995
- '97 Sunfire \$ 9,600
- '97 Grand AM \$10,700
- '97 Bonneville SE \$15,200
- '97 Trans Sport Van \$15,500
- '97 Skylark Custom \$ 9,700
- '97 LeSabre Custom \$14,200
- '97 Jimmy SLE 4X4 \$19,995
- '97 Blazer LS 4X4 \$19,700

CITY AUTO, INC

FLOYDADA 983-3767
Buick • Pontiac • GMC
Toll Free, 1-888-CITY AUTO
www.cityautoinc.com

New to You SIDEWALK SALE STARTING FRIDAY!

75% off all Winter clothes
Most sidewalk sale items 2 for \$1.00

"A Quality Clothing Consignment Store"
Annette Hollinsworth - Owner Downtown Matador — 347-2388

HOOPIN' IT UP!



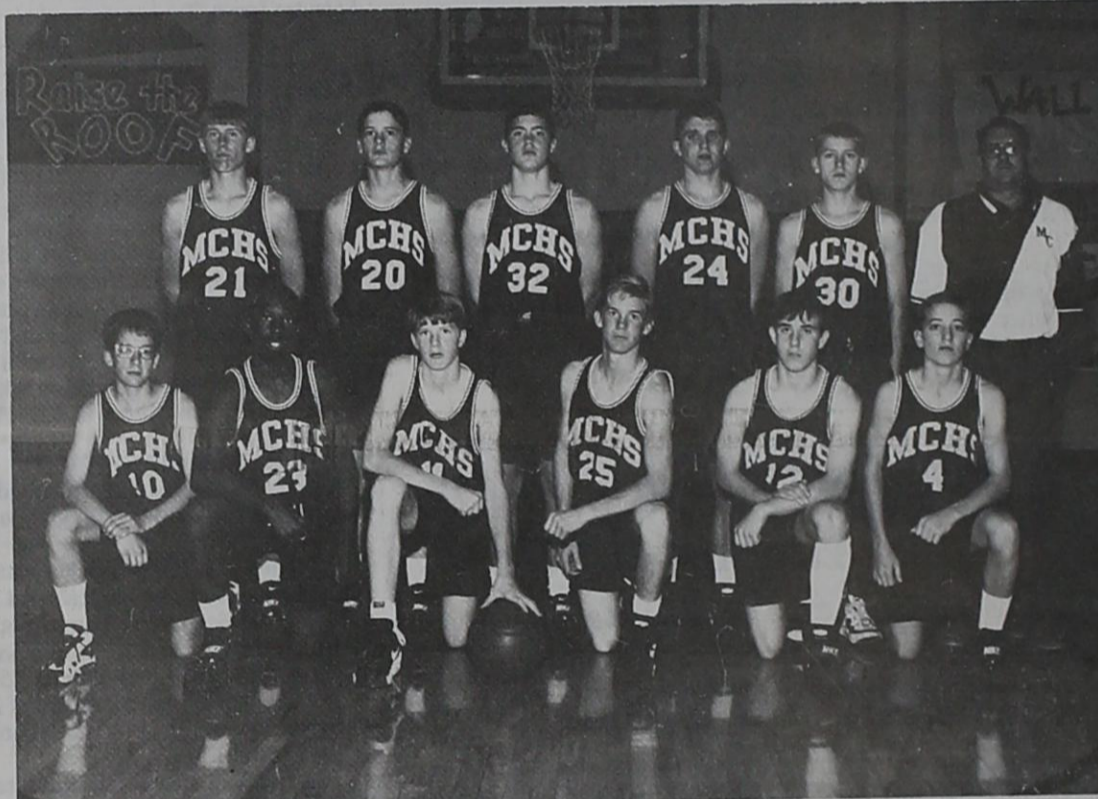
LADY MATADORS — Pictured left to right (top) Margaret Mangram, Kandi Keltz, Tonie Bowden, Kim Ashley, Jenny Lewis, Manager; (2nd row) Crystal Christopher, manager, Nesa McFall, Coach Kim Alexander, ShaVonne Taylor, Rebecca Long, manager; (front) Jill Stanley, Blair Thacker, Kristi Williams, and Ashley Stevens.



J.V. LADY MATADORS — Crystal Christopher, manager, Rhonda Ashely, Rachele Renfro, Coach Kim Alexander, LeAndra Wallace, Miranda Palmer; (middle) Jenny Lewis, manager, Rabecca Morris, Llan Barkley, Candace Marvel, Rebecca Long, manager; (front) Stefanie Lynch, Charity Bartlett, Leigha Burns, and Brooke Decker.



VARSITY MATADORS — Back row, Dayton Grundy, Jason Barton, Keane Cruse, Scott Smith, Brad Marvel; (middle) Ryan Martin, Jason Clauser, Aaron Binder, Robert Gillespie, manager; (front) Joe Gonzales, Bobby Fritzer, Aaron Green, Benji Rodriguez.



J.V. MATADORS — Pictured left to right (back) Sean Rose, Todd Thomas, Matt Easter, Brant Donaldson, Chase Carson, Coach Ridgley; (front) Ryan Moore, Jermaine Hendrix, Chris Paul, Jerod Rieger, Benjamin Ridley, Casey Lawrence.

WE LOVE THE MATADORS!

Motley County Tribune

Matador V&S Variety

Flomot Gin

CSR PolyPipe

Alexander Fuel

Vickie's Floral

Red Ball Gin

Production Credit Association

The Windmill

Meredith Construction - Gas & Supply

City Grocery

Thacker Supply

Thacker Jewelry

Rose Garden

Feed Trough Steakhouse

ADM Paymaster Gin

Higginbotham-Bartlett

Quality Discount Outlet

Matador Implement

Cap Rock Telephone

R. S. Cafe

Motley County Judge, Laverna Price

Steve, Bettye & John Stevens

Charles & Joan Keith

Billy, Terree & Brittany Donaldson

Terry & Ronda Miller & Brittany

James, Kathy, Robert & Brenda Gillespie

Billy, Pam & Dodie Morris

Kelly, Pennie, & Kevin Keltz

Alan, Kay, & Chance Bingham

Jeff, Pam, & Brad Thacker

Tony, Sherry, & Shea Rose

Randy, Bonita & Lanie Barton

Charley & Opal Johnson

Darrell, Brenda & Derrick Cruse

James, Margaret & Jason Stanley

Donnie, Kelli, & Dusty Jackson

Rickey & Naomi Lawrence

Steve & Reneigh Burns

L.J., Eva, & Tanya Barkley

Tom & Jackie Binder

Rodney, Glenda, & Lindsey Williams

Hal & Kellie Martin

Buckey & Debbie Marvel,
Kris, Angie, & Amanda

Phillip & Barbara Sharp,
Kelsi & Brett

Butch & Judy Renfro

Jim & Carla Meador

Lee & Misty Jones



BASKETBALL

Church & Social News

Easter - Jones Exchange Wedding Vows In December Ceremony

Misty Lynn Easter and Clovis Lee Jones exchanged vows Saturday, December 27, 1997 at 5:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Matador with Rev. Rickey Lawrence performing the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Billy and Cory Easter of Roaring Springs. She is the granddaughter of Elsie Easter of Lubbock and James and Jean Burton of Lubbock. The bridegroom is the son of Jerry and Shane Jones of Matador. He is the grandson of Bill and Mary Jones and John Stevens of Matador.

Escorted down the aisle and presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full length white satin gown with a hand beaded bodice, and long puffed organza sleeves. The skirt was long and free flowing with a long train. She completed her attire with a pearl and satin headpiece with a fingertip length tiered illusion veil and matching satin bridal slippers.

She carried a bridal bouquet of wine poinsettias, wine roses, holly berries, white Star of Bethlehem, and greenery.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails, black vest and bow tie. His boutonniere was fashioned of a red rose and ivy.

Attending the bride as Maid of Honor was Erin Jones of Matador. Bridesmaids were Vanessa Easter, sister of the bride of Roaring Springs, Brooke Barton, and Lou Ann Talamentez, both of Matador. They wore identical full length, sleeveless dresses with long sleeve jackets made of burgundy velvet. They carried Christmas bouquets made of pine and red roses and burgundy and gold ribbon.

Best man was Jade Jones, uncle of the groom, of Matador. Groomsmen were Jeremy Jameson, Bobby Barton, and Shawn Elliott. They wore traditional black tuxedos with vests and ties.

Ushers were Kacy Hood of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, Matthew Easter, brother of the bride, and Chooch Long, both of Roaring Springs. Candlelighter was Amy Easter,

sister of the bride. She wore a tea length burgundy dress and black velvet shoes.

Flower girls were Samantha Easter, sister of the bride, and Stormy Guerrero, niece of the groom. They wore matching dresses, also of burgundy velvet with white grape lace.

Serving as ringbearer was Robert Francis, cousin of the groom. He wore a black tuxedo matching the groomsmen.

Guests were registered by Lisa Guerrero, sister of the groom.

The altar was adorned with a beautiful Christmas tree, Christmas greenery, and burgundy and gold ribbon. The candleabras were entwined with burgundy ribbon and greenery with green candles. A table was positioned in the middle of the altar, surrounded by two large Christmas wreaths and greenery on each side. The unity candle was centered on the table with the parents' candles on each side. Mother's of the bride and groom lit the two candles before they were seated. The unity candle was lit by the couple during the ceremony.

After the ceremony, guests were directed to the church basement for the reception.

The bride's table was laid with a white lace cloth, and a beautiful white, 3 tiered cake, decorated with Christmas berries and greenery. Punch was also served.

The groom's table was decorated in a fireman's theme with a red and white checked tablecloth. German chocolate cake and coffee were served.

REHEARSAL DINNER

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents, the night before the wedding, in the Church basement. The decor carried out the red and white fireman's theme, with red candles and Christmas greenery on the tables. Guests were served Mexican food.

BRIDAL COURTESIES

The bride was honored with a lingerie shower, hosted by friends. She was also honored with a bridal shower in the home of Eva Barkley of Matador.



Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones



Family and Consumer Sciences News

by Arla Felts, Extension Agent

HEALTHY HEART MONTH

Start today shaping the right mental attitude to make the most of learning more about health and wellness. Sunday, February 1, begins HEALTHY HEART MONTH of the American Heart Association. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service and many other agencies network with the American heart Association to fight the No. 1 killer of American women. One of the State of Texas goals in Vision 2025 is "To educate Texas to take more responsibility for improving their health, safety, productivity, and well-being."

The Family & Consumer Sciences Extension Agent working with local leaders is working toward a similar goal. This year the emphasis will be related to the following modifiable aspects of aging: Building cardiac and pulmonary reserve, physical endurance and strength, lowering serum cholesterol and systolic blood pressure.

The Family & Consumer Sciences Committee has selected a variety of methods to share information and promote better health. There will be several educational programs offered near your home. These programs serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or natural origin. In addition, at this time we are offering a Change of Heart newsletter which will help you learn how to shop, cook, and eat to lower your blood cholesterol.

The newsletter is provided free of charge and includes six issues mailed to your home over six months. Call the County Extension Office at 347-2733 or send a card to Arla Felts, County Extension Agent - Family Consumer Sciences at Box 670 Matador, TX 79244 if you would like to receive the newsletter and invitations to the educational programs of lowering dietary fat and cholesterol, exercise, and food preparation ideas and recipes.

Local Girls Compete In Tumbling Meet



Bailey Denison, left, and Lexie Osborn competed in a Tumbling meet recently. Both girls brought home ribbons.

Bailey Denison and Alexis Osborn competed in their first tumbling meet Saturday, January 17. The meet was held in Lubbock. The girls did very well for their first meet.

In the 3 & 4 year division, Bailey placed first in tumbling and second in trampoline. Alexis placed fourth in tumbling and fifth in trampoline. Also competing was Sabrina

Osborn. Sabrina was in the 11 & 12 year division and she placed first in trampoline and 6th in tumbling.

All three girls are coached by Shannon Beard, who operates Airborn Athletics in Floydada.

Bailey is the daughter of Billy Wayne and Debbie Denison, and Alexis and Sabrina are the daughters of Billy and Brenda Osborn, all of Matador.



Betty Moore; and Treasurer, Georgia Witcher. Trips to the Southwest Collection and the Mahon Library are planned for March and April. A new project for the society is the copying of obituaries for thirty years of Motley County newspapers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Key and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West surprised us with a delightful visit and gift last week. They donated two copies of Waybourn Trails to the Library. Also taking part in this donation were Charlene Waybourn Durfee, Janie Waybourn Brooks, and William W. Waybourn. One copy of this book is in the Texas Collection and may be checked out by our Patrons. The other copy will remain in the Library as reference in the genealogy section.

We greatly appreciate the gift of these books to the Motley County Library. They present a valuable picture of a pioneer family, and everyone will enjoy reading about the Waybourns.

Another new book in the Library is The Texas Cowboys, text by Tom B. Saunders, IV and photography by David R. Stoecklein. The photographs in this book are breathtaking. Especially beautiful are the many portraits of horses. Information about the featured ranches is condensed in the back of the book. Anyone interested in horses, ranching history, or cowboys will enjoy this book.

The Motley County Genealogical and Historical Society met last week and elected new officers for 1998. They are President, Lee Peacock; Vice-President, Dee Litteken; Secretary,

Roaring Springs First Baptist Church Planning 100th Anniversary

Plans are underway for a big celebration for the First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs, which will celebrate their 100th Anniversary, October 25, 1998.

Current mailing addresses of all former members and friends of the Church are being requested.

Those interested in obtaining detailed information about the celebration, should send names and current mailing addresses to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 246, Roaring Springs, Texas 79256.

Have a good week!

NEW MOVIES
at Rose Garden Floral & Gifts
ConAir — Speed 2 — Gone Fishin'
B.A.P.S. — Soul Food — Leave it to Beaver
Buddy — Night Fall On Manhattan
Richman's Wife — Trial & Error — Spawn & more!
FAVORED COFFEE - 1/2 PRICE
ORDER EARLY FOR VALENTINE'S DAY!
♥ Lots of unique bouquets & gift ideas ♥
homemade candy and cookies
COME SEE!
Rose Garden
downtown Matador — 347-2711

A Sincere Thank You
to my Children and
Grandchildren
for my
Surprise Birthday Party!
Gary, Peggy, Scott,
Anthony, Tommy, Susan,
Paula, Ronnie, Jim,
Renee' & Frank

I love you!
Irene Welling

Thank you for reading the Motley County Tribune

Valentine Special at Caprock Cafe

Dickens, Texas

Saturday, February 7, 6 - 9 p.m.

- ♥ Make Reservations now and give your Valentine a special evening to remember! Call 806-623-5547
- ♥ Enjoy Live Entertainment & a Free Valentine Gift

VALENTINE SPECIAL

STEAK DINNER FOR TWO - \$20.00

(includes 12oz. Ribeye for Him & an 8 oz. Ribeye for Her)
Both come with baked potato, salad, hot rolls, & drink



New! Tuesday Shrimp Special

Fried Jumbo Shrimp, Fries or Baked Potato,
Salad & Drink - \$6.95

Don't forget our

Wednesday - Mexical Food Buffet

Friday - Fish Buffet

Motley County Comings & Goings

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins

Pat Groves, wife Kathy, and daughter Courtney, of Los Altos Hills, CA, were weekend guests of his parents, Algie and Rita Groves of Roaring Springs.

METHODIST WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

The Roaring Springs Wesleyan Guild met in the home of Mrs. Tom Adams on Wednesday night. Pearl Patten gave the opening prayer. The study was led by Noma Wike on the 2nd chapter of Ruth. Lee Peacock gave the devotion on "What do you see?" Chelsea Read gave the closing prayer.

Those attending were the following: Debbie Martin, Lula Swim, Pearl Patten, Billie Clifton, Eugenia Bethard, Grace Zabielski, Dorothy Lee, Suzanne Abbott, Callie Giesecke, Noma Wike, JoEita Bumgardner, Chelsea Read, and one guest, Mary Lumsden of Lubbock, and the hostess, Jeannie Adams who served refreshments to the group.

91ST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Ora Stonecipher celebrated her 91st birthday with a party in her home Satur-

day. Bringing cards, gifts and a beautiful decorated birthday cake and punch made by Odessa Mullins, were her niece and nephew from Lubbock, Darlene Tyson and Ray Pierce, and local friends Vera Mitchell, Mary Lou Martin, Carolyn Moose, Odessa Mullins, Deanna, Vickie Pierce, Jo and Walter Trammell, Rev. Don Jones, Shirley Barton, Charlie Long, and Ouida Gunnek.

Mary Webb has been in Lubbock Methodist Hospital the past two weeks for tests and medication, has been transferred to Crosbyton Care Center to recuperate. Her niece, Joan Lawrence visited her Saturday.

Odessa Mullins spent Wednesday night in Midland with grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stoney Mullins and attending funeral services Thursday morning for Leveta Lee Laddox, mother of her granddaughter-in-law, Mrs. Leslie Mullins of Lubbock. Mrs. Lester Mullins of Hereford had been there helping the family all week.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Jones tended to business in Plainview, Saturday afternoon.

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

GUEST SPEAKER AT BAPTIST CHURCH
Guest speaker at the Flomot Baptist Church services Sunday morning was Dina Livingston, a missionary journeyman of Brazil. She showed scenic slides of the country and told of educational and religious progress.

A covered dish luncheon followed the services. Miss Livingston was accompanied to Flomot by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Livingston of Floydada.

Larry Clay returned home, Tuesday from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following surgery on his ankle he injured in a farm implement accident. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clay, Kelsey and Tanner, Saturday were here parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Metcalf of Panhandle, who accompanied home their daughter, Sarah who visited them the past week.

Mrs. Tim Mandrell, Dustin, Shae and Peyton of Lubbock visited Saturday night with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee and son and wife, Joey and Brenda Lee of Clarendon met for lunch in Plainview, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited in Borger, Saturday with daughter and family, Marilee and Fred Cooper.

Visitors during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were Mrs.

Bessie Reid and Christina of Amarillo, Michael Starkey and granddaughter, Taylor of Canyon and Mrs. Jackie Davis and Michael of Fritch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughter, Mrs. Kevin (Keri) Schon of Ropesville enjoyed the entertaining FABULOUS 50'S performance at the Cactus Theater in Lubbock, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were guests at a Super Bowl supper in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Speer in Floydada, Sunday. Following the victory of the Denver Broncos, they called their brother, Walter Speer in Colorado Springs, Colo. and he said they wouldn't believe the celebration going on there!

Art Green visited in Plainview, Saturday with his daughter, Mrs. Alta Mae Rice. En route home, he visited in Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green.

Visiting Mrs. C.W. Starkey, Sunday were L.T. Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd T. Starkey and Wendy of Ralls. Arriving at her home Sunday night to visit this week were Johnny Starkey of Lebanon, Missouri, Mrs. Nola Long of Winnewood, Okla. and Mrs. Bobbie Hanna of Warner, Okla.

Members of the Do Gooders' Club met at the Community Center for a Work Day, Thursday afternoon. They completed one quilt and are "moving along" on a second quilt.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD
Father to son: "When Abraham Lincoln was your age, he walked 12 miles to school."

Son: "Dad, when Abraham Lincoln was your age, he was President of the United States."

Mrs. Kathryn Martin, her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin of Roaring Springs and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Newman of Spur visited in Odessa, Saturday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Osborn and Shane. Her brothers and families joining them there to celebrate Mr. Osborn's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Martin of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin of Lovington, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin of Iraan.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner visited in Amarillo Friday night with her mother, Mrs. Joe Luckenbach of Silverton, a patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital following

knee replacement surgery. Their son, Cobey and friend, Ryan Martin of Matador attended the Bull Riding event at the Civic Center in Amarillo, Saturday and visited Mrs. Luckenbach before returning home.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings were Tim, Donnic and Matt Jennings of Haskell.

Fannin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn, was in Floydada, Friday and received medical treatment for a strep throat.

Ms. Lula Swim of Roaring Springs, Mrs. Harold Gordon of Matador and Mrs. Juanita Cooper attended the funeral services of Lolla Bell Harmon, Saturday afternoon held in Quitaque at the First Baptist Church.

Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson, Saturday were Mrs. Aurene Bevers of Amarillo, Mrs. Dana Wardell of Houston, Len Bevers and daughter, Amanda of Austin and Mrs. Kay LeVey of Hobbs, N.M.

Obituaries

Thomas Anderson

Funeral services for Thomas "Turk" Anderson, 68, of Matador were held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, January 23, at the Macedonia Baptist Church of Matador. Officiating was Rev. Tommy Wilson, pastor of the Macedonia Baptist Church. Interment was in East Mound Cemetery at Matador under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Mr. Anderson died late Sunday, January 18, 1998, at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock following a short illness.

He was born March 12, 1929 in Ellis County, Texas and came to Motley County in 1941. He had worked at Matador Motor & Implement Company for over thirty years.

He is survived by two sons, Lucious Ray Jeffery of Wichita Falls and Jesse Nelson of Arkansas; two brothers, James Anderson of Amarillo, and Albert Anderson of San Antonio; and five grandchildren.

William Buryl Nichols

William Buryl "Red" Nichols died Friday, January 23, 1998 at his home in Fort Worth, Texas. Rev. Calvin Hoffman, pastor of Edgepark Methodist Church officiated at rites held at 10:00 a.m. Monday in Fort Worth at Laurel Land Funeral Home, and interment was in Laurel Land Memorial Park.

Buryl was born October 17, 1924 at Roaring Springs, TX. He died 74 years exactly after his parents moved there. He started to school there in a kindergarten class taught by his mother and graduated from high school at Roaring Springs. He worked for Mike Hoyle in the grocery and market business until he was inducted into the Navy and served in World War II. He came out of the service in 1946 and entered Texas Tech where he earned a degree in business administration. He went immediately to Fort Worth where he worked for Texas Electric for thirty-six years as an account executive. Since retirement he has done accounting for friends and spent thousands of hours as a volunteer at All Saints Hospital.

He is survived by his wife Bonibel whom he married in Lubbock on Thanksgiving Day 1948. Perhaps his other closest survivor is Jacob Eckber, now a University student in Santa Fe. Jacob and Red became friends when Red started lifting Jacob over

the garden fence to visit with him and Bonibel who had no children. Other survivors are two brothers, Claude Nichols and his wife, Eva of Quanah, Jack Nichols and his wife, Patricia of Pampa, two sisters, Madge Renfro of Carrollton, TX and Rita Groves and Algie of Roaring Springs, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ralph Nichols of Lubbock.

Surviving nieces and nephews are Vada Beth Watt of Bryan, Virginia Martin, Rita Little and Carol Dennis Nichols of Lubbock, James Truman Groves of Arcadia, CA, Pat Groves of Los Altos Hills, CA, and Mike Groves of Houston; Becky Barker and Brenda Tabor of Quanah, Robert Harold Renfro of Houston and Beaumont, Curtis Renfro of Goose Creek, SC, David Renfro of The Woodlands, TX, Melvin Renfro of Carrollton, Rebecca LaFleur of Silver City, N.M. and Sharon Brown of Spur.

Buryl was first a member of Roaring Springs Methodist Church and later the Edge Park Methodist Church in Fort Worth. He has many friends who mourn his passing, both in Motley County and Fort Worth. He was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Eunice Morton Nichols of Roaring Springs, his brother Ralph Nichols, and a sister Birdie Nell Green of spur. The seven Nichols kids who graduated at Roaring Springs are now only four.

Dan Bevers

Memorial services for Dan Morris Bevers, 72, of Amarillo were held at 11 a.m. Friday, January 23, in Polk Street United Methodist Church Chapel in Amarillo with the Rev. Bill Wade, associate pastor, officiating.

Burial was at 11 a.m. Saturday, January 24, in East Mound Cemetery in Matador with the Rev. Monte Wike, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Matador, officiating. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors, 2820 Virginia Circle, Amarillo.

He died Wednesday, Jan. 21, 1998.

Bevers was born in Wellington and had

been a longtime Amarillo resident. He worked in sales and management in the automobile business. He also was the owner of a dealership.

He served with the Army Air Corps during World War II. He was a Mason and a member of the Khiva Temple. He also was a member of Polk Street United Methodist Church in Amarillo.

Bevers married Aurene Jameson in 1974 at Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Dana Wardell of Houston; a son, Malcolm Len Bevers of Austin; a brother, Denzel Bevers of Lubbock; and two granddaughters.

Lolla Harmon

Services for Lolla Belle Harmon, 80, of Quitaque were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, January 24, in First Baptist Church in Quitaque with Rev. Anthony Sisemore, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Cemetery in Quitaque under direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

She died Thursday, Jan. 22, 1998, in Memphis, Texas.

She was born July 16, 1917, in Nacogdoches. She married Robert J. Harmon in February 1941 in Guthrie. He died Oct.

4, 1992. She was a member of First Baptist Church, Order of the Eastern Star and The Women. She taught Sunday School for 30 years, and she was named Women of the Year in Quitaque.

She was a beauty operator for 40 years.

Survivors include two sons, Rex of Childress and Robert J. of Quitaque; a daughter, Ronda Langdon of Ralls; two sisters, Lou Ida Nutt of Groves and Sybil Davis of Richland Hills; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Charles Lee

Services for Charles William Lee, 72, of Dickens were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, January 28, in Bethel Baptist Church with the Rev. Tommy Henderson, pastor, officiating.

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

Lee died Sunday, Jan. 25, 1998, at his residence.

He was born June 22, 1925 in Matador. He married Gladys Moore on Nov. 6, 1943, in Spur. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He was a self-employed carpenter. Survivors include his wife; four sons, Charles William Jr. and Rickey Lynn, both of Waller, Kenneth Harold of New Orleans, LA, and Jerry Dan of Amarillo; a daughter, Debra Kay Browning of Del City; two brothers, Obie of Lubbock, and Alvis of Spur; a sister, Rosa Venable of Fort Worth; 10 grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

"How sweet the name of Jesus sounds In a believer's ear! It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds, And drives away his fears."

— John Newton, Olney Hymns

White Elephant Sale



Selected items 1/2 Price!

Our Trash Your Treasure Save on our Mistakes!

Matador Variety

If you have Roaring Springs news items, please call 348-7962. If no answer, leave message. Or stop by Odessa's house.
If you would be interested in collecting the Roaring Springs news, please contact Odessa Mullins or the Tribune
Out of town folks like to know what is going on at home!

Happy 35th Anniversary
1963 Feb. 1 1998
Mother & Daddy
Granny Betty & Granddad Carter
We thank you &
love you very much!
Carlene & C.B. Sutton
Avery & Andrea
Bill & Kendra Lockett
Cade, Gavin & Gunner

MOTLEY COUNTY VOTERS!

- It is extremely important that all eligible citizens of Motley County vote in the Primary Election on March 10, 1998.
- If you are eligible to vote, but are not registered, the deadline is February 9, 1998. Voter registration is done by Elaine Hart, Tax Assessor-Collector at the Courthouse, 347-2234.
- If you are eligible to vote and are registered, you should consider the following deadlines:
 - February 9 is the first day to submit application for ballot by mail for the March 10 Primary Election. Applications for ballot by mail are available at the County Clerk's Office, Lucretia Campbell, 347-2621.
 - February 23 begins early voting in person. Early voting for Motley County is done at the County Clerk's Office in the Courthouse.
 - March 3 is the last day to submit applications for ballot by mail for the March 10 Primary Election.
 - March 6 is the last day of early voting in person.
 - March 10 is Primary Election Day!
- I will be available to deliver Voter Registration Applications and Application for Ballot by Mail forms to anyone who is unable to get to the Courthouse. Please feel free to contact me at 347-2283, P.O. Box 610, Matador, 79244.

CHARLES R. KEITH
for
MOTLEY COUNTY TREASURER
"Dedicated to serving our county as I served our country."
Political advertisement paid for by Charles R. Keith

PUBLIC AUCTION
Saturday, February 7, 1998 - 10 a.m.
Farm Equipment, Vehicles, Shop Equipment, Household Items, Etc.
Owners: Mr. & Mrs. J.C. Martin and Others
Location: 14 miles East of Floydada on US HWY 70
Consignments Welcome
For Information Contact:
LARRY OGDEN AUCTIONEERING
P.O. Box 31, Floydada, Texas 79235
(806) 983-5808 1-800-395-7298 (806) 983-1808 Mobile
Texas License Number 9240

FLOYDADA • FORD • MERCURY

OUR BIGGEST USED CAR SALE OF THE YEAR!
We've Special Priced Over 50 Used Cars
any not sold will be offered at wholesale to other dealers - BUT - YOU GET A CHANCE TO BUY THEM FIRST
HERE THEY ARE!

TRUCKS		CARS	
91 Ford F-150, Reg. Cab, Auto.	\$7995	93 Plymouth Sundance	\$5,995
88 Ford F-150 Spercab, 4x4	\$7995	93 Buick Century	\$5,995
93 Mazda B2600, Auto	\$8995	96 Ford Aspire	\$6,995
95 Nissan Reg. Cab, Auto	\$8995	94 Ford Escort, Sunroof	\$7,995
95 Ford F-150 Spercab, 6 cyl.	\$11,995	94 Chevy Corsica	\$7,995
96 Ford Ranger Splash	\$11,995	93 Ford Probe	\$7,995
94 Ford F-150 Spercab XLT, 6 cyl.	\$11,995	93 Ford Probe	\$7,995
93 Ford F150 Spercab XLT 8 cyl.	\$12,995	95 Ford Contour	\$9,995
96 Chevy S-10, Extended Cab, 6 cyl, Auto	\$13,995	96 Chevy Corsica	\$9,995
95 Mercury Villager, 25,000 miles	\$14,995	96 Chevy Cavalier	\$9,995
94 Chevy Suburban, Silverado	\$16,995	96 Olds Cutlass Supreme	\$13,995
97 Ford F-150 Spercab XLT	\$19,995	96 Mercury Cougar, 2 to choose from	\$14,995
96 Dodge Club Cab, 4x4	\$23,995	97 Ford T-Birds, 2 to choose from	\$14,995
97 Ford Explorer, 4 x 4 Eddie Bauer	\$24,995		

IF YOU'RE GOING TO BUY A USED CAR THIS YEAR
DON'T MISS THIS ONE!
FLOYDADA FORD 806-983-3761
FLOYDADA FORD 806-983-3761
You make the drive, we'll go the distance!
Ralls Hwy., Floydada, TX

WE HAVE OVER 100 USED TIRES IN STOCK!
All Sizes - 14 - 15 - & 16 inch
WE WELCOME
RICK ALEXANDER
With over 30 years experience in Auto Body Repair
Call us for any of your vehicle needs!
Alexander Fuel
Roaring Springs — 348-7958

Farm & Ranch News



Farm Bureau President Darryl Cruse is pictured above with Motley County Judge, Laverna Price. Judge Price signed a proclamation designating February 2-6 as Farm Bureau Membership Week in Motley County.

Farm Bureau Membership Week February 2-6

County Judge Laverna Price has signed a proclamation designating February 2-6 as "Farm Bureau Membership Week" in Motley county.

The week is part of a statewide observance during which county Farm Bureaus will make a special effort to enroll new members, according to Darrell Cruse of Flomot, president of the Motley County Farm Bureau.

Les Woolsey of Matador is chairman of the membership committee which is responsible for membership acquisition and maintenance. Other committee members are: Johnny Turner, Craig Turner, Coy Franks, and Seab Washington.

"The Texas Farm Bureau, with more than 300,000 members families, is influential in both state and national

affairs on behalf of agriculture," the proclamation reads.

"Farm Bureau is a grass-roots organization, its foundation is the county unit. There are 211 organized county Farm Bureaus in the state including the Motley County Farm Bureau," the proclamation states.

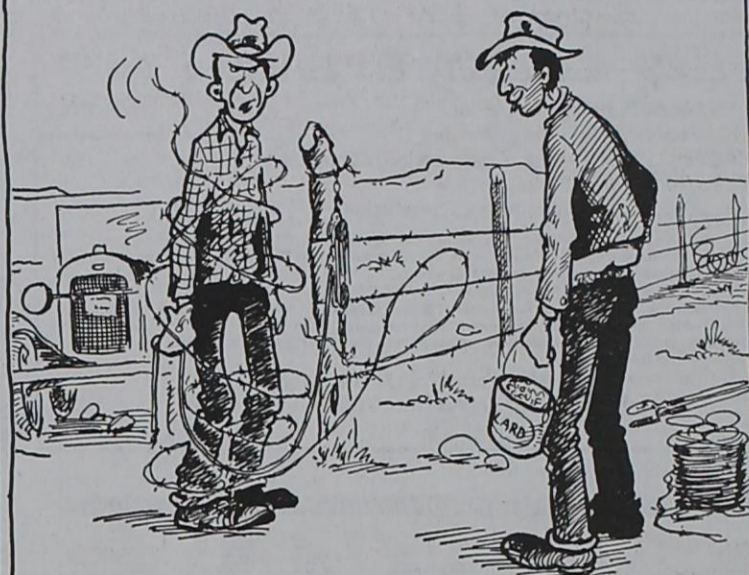
Darrell Cruse said the local county Farm Bureau has 205 member families and is seeking to exceed that number in 1998.

He said that the Farm Bureau is a general farm organization that seeks to improve the income of farm and ranch families. The organization represents the farmer and rancher at the local county courthouse, in Austin, and in Washington, D.C.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid

http://www.cowpokes.com



"Yeah, I'm all wrapped up in my work!"

This Feature Sponsored By
First State Bank

Matador
Your "Hometown" Bank Member FDIC

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy.

Psalm 103:8

AUCTION

Saturday, February 28
10:00 a.m.

Roaring Springs Gin Yard
Owner - Fred Risser

Consignments Welcome on
Farm & Ranch Equipment

Sale conducted by
FIVE STAR

AUCTIONEER'S

Plainview

CONTACT JIM SUMNERS, 806-864-3611

SPECIAL
Natural Tub 24%
for Cattle
\$42.00



STOCKMAN'S

Matador 347-2845



The 1997 Texas Stock Dog Association Dog of the Year honor went to Larry Burkes' Border Collie, Skipper. Competing in the Stock Dog trials across Texas, Skipper was able to out distance all competition to win the coveted trophy. Mr. Burkes is pictured above with the trophy he received. He and his wife live in Afton. He is the son of Mrs. Skee Burkes of Matador.

**SPORTS ETC.
& BEEZLO'S VARIETY**
"Something for Everyone"

ATHLETIC SHOES — ATHLETIC EQUIPMENT
SPORTSWEAR & CASUAL WEAR
CUSTOM GRAPHICS

Ed Busby, Owner 912 9th St. 492-3706



For Ad Results You
Can See...
Advertise With Us.

Put your ad where it will be seen and get a response. Newspaper advertising works. Call 347-2400 for advertising information.

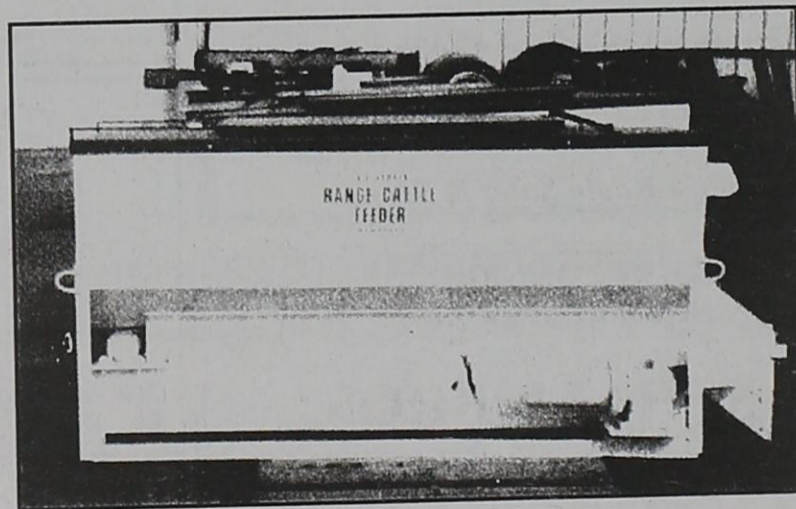
**Motley County
Tribune**

Business picks up when you pick up the newspaper.

Spur Farmer's Co-op Gin
has added *Bulk Range Cubes* to
its product line.

• These are the same high quality cubes we have been handling, but are much more economical than the bagged cubes.

In Addition,
we now stock the
**T & S Trip Hopper Range
Cattle Feeders**



• This is the best range cube feeder in the industry, and is an extremely accurate and simple method of feeding range cubes to livestock.

You are invited to come see us for your range cube needs and for range cube feeders.

Higginbotham-Bartlett

WE NOW SELL
Fafnir Stripper Bearings
— APPLIANCES —

Washers & Dryers, Stoves, Freezers, Microwaves

"LEON VALLEY"

10' Portable Cattle Panels 4' Walk Thru Gates
12' Trough Feeder 4' Trough Feeder
Round Bale Feeder

FARM & RANCH SUPPLIES
PURINA FEEDS
HI-PRO VET SUPPLIES



PORT-A-HUT HOG
RAISING SYSTEMS

STORAGE BUILDINGS

RENTALS:

Chop Saw Roto-Rooter Dutch Witch
Roto Tiller Tandem Trailer Welder
Steam Cleaner

STORE HOURS - 7:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. MONDAY - FRIDAY & 7-12 SATURDAY
FREE LOCAL DELIVERY

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE AFTER HOURS CALL
DONNIE 347-2889 OR FRED 347-2304

THE CLASSIFIEDS

Motley County Tribune

Carla Meador - Publisher & Editor
 Mary Meason - Proofreading, Writing
 Misty Easter - Proofreading, Composition, Circulation
 Brooke Barton - Circulation
 LeAnnra Wallace - School News, Circulation

The Motley County Tribune, (ISSN: 0897-4323), purchased on September 3, 1996, is published weekly each Thursday, except Christmas week, at Matador, Texas. The office is located at 724 Dundee, Telephone number, 806/347-2400. Periodical-class postage paid at Matador, Texas.
 Postmaster: Send address changes to Motley County Tribune, P.O. Box 490, Matador, TX 79244-0490.
 NOTICE: Any erroneous reflection upon the character, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of the Motley County Tribune will gladly be corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher. Only signed letters to the Editor will be considered for publication and should not exceed 250 words in length.
 PUBLICATION NO. 333700

Subscription Rates — Motley County, \$19; All others, \$20.
 9 month student, \$18; over 60 may deduct \$1.00

P.O. Box 490 806-347-2400 Matador, TX 79244-0490



JANUARY
Subscriptions Due
 Motley County - \$19
 All Others - \$20
 If over 60 you may deduct \$1.00

MOTLEY COUNTY
 Paige Williams Barnes, Matador
 Harold Campbell, Matador
 Foy Moore, Matador
 Bobby Williams, Matador
 Geneva Wilson, Matador
 Steve Burns, Matador
 Mary Webb, Roaring Springs
 Robert Forbbs, Roaring Springs
 Billy Morris, Turkey

ELSEWHERE

Ron Cox, Petersburg
 Caprock Girls Council, Lubbock
 Mrs. Ethel Hicks, Abilene
 Shawn Cox, Sanger
 David Grant, May

H.N. Seigler, Kerrville
 Charles Cammack, San Antonio
 Phil & Nita Green, Borger
 Ruth Smith, Fritch
 Dax Rattan, Amarillo
 W.L. Rattan, Amarillo
 Lighthouse Electric Coop, Inc., Floydada
 Maurice H. Cox, Grain Valley, MO
 Granite Memorial Co., Granite, OK
 Sue Rochelle, Antioch, CA

REAL ESTATE

HOUSE FOR SALE: 517 North Main, Matador. Call 806-347-2722 or 806-423-1220.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT: 2 bedroom, fenced backyard, close to school. 1719 Scotch Street, 806-347-2610.

ctfn

MUST SELL: Wood frame house. 3 bedroom, 1 bath, with Cellar in backyard. needs painting. Abstract current. \$10,000.00 or best offer. Serious inquiries only. Will finance with 20% down. Call 347-2310.

Lost and Found

MISSING: 2 Yearlings, branded with L on left shoulder. If seen call 689-2371.

Help Wanted

BILLIE DEAN'S RESTAURANT will take applications for a part-time waitress. Apply in person at Billie Dean's.

HOME HEALTH AGENCY in Floydada is seeking a professional, self-motivated RN for contract field nurse position. Home health experience preferred. For more information please contact Irma Rubalcado at (806) 983-3001 or (800) 851-6977 or pick up an application at 115 E. Missouri in Floydada.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Used Maytag Washers and Dryers, rebuilt and guaranteed. THACKER SUPPLY, 348-7216.

ctfn

DSS 18" DIGITAL SATELLITE SYSTEMS. \$149.99. THACKER SUPPLY CO., INC. Roaring Springs, Texas, 1-800-481-2828.

FOR SALE: 5 piece wood dining set. 10 speed bike. 347-2610.

FOR SALE: Mahogany 3 pedestal drop leaf dining table with six chairs. 347-2436.

FOR SALE: Refrigerator, Electric Cook Stove, Couch, Full Size Bed, Washer & Dryer, Coffee table with cabinet underneath, 2 infant carriers, play pen, portable crib, baby bathtub, Booster seat. 348-7516.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE: \$90 a cord; \$50 for 1/2 cord. Call Quinn or Vaden, 347-2416.

2tc-5

G.E. EXTRA LARGE CAPACITY Washer for sale. Also 18 cu. ft. True Cold Chest Freezer. 347-2898.

1tp-5

Specialties

1998 TEXAS WILDFLOWERS CALENDAR available at the MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE!

LOTS & LOTS OF NEW BOOKS! Come see for yourself. A real bookstore in downtown Matador! MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE.

Announcements

NEW MOVIES at ROSE GARDEN. Flavored Coffees, 1/2 Price!

1tc-5

LOTS OF NEW MARY ENGELBREIT BOOKS! MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE.

NICE SELECTION OF COOKBOOKS at the MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE.

Public Notice

1998-99 TEXAS ALMANAC available at the MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE. 724 Dundee, Matador, 347-2400.

ORDER EARLY FOR VALENTINE'S DAY! Homemade fudge and divinity, and heart shaped cookies. Many other ideas! ROSE GARDEN FLORAL.

1tc-5

DON'S MUFFLER SHOP
 219 W. Calif. - Floydada

FREE ESTIMATES
 1-800-866-3670

Political Calendar

MOTLEY COUNTY

JUDGE

LAVERNA PRICE

Democrat

JERRY GREEN

Republican

MOTLEY COUNTY

JUSTICE OF THE

PEACE

CORA SMALLWOOD

MOTLEY COUNTY

TREASURER

JOE CAMPBELL

CHARLES KEITH

MOTLEY COUNTY

COUNTY & DISTRICT

CLERK

LUCRETIA ESTES

CAMPBELL

COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT 2

DONALD "BUTCH"

HUGHES

DONNIE TURNER

COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT 4

J.N. FLETCHER

Each candidate has paid a fee to be included in this Motley County Political Column.

TEXAS STATEWIDE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING NETWORK



TexSCAN WEEK OF 01-25-98
ADOPTION
 Note: It is illegal to be paid for anything beyond medical and legal expenses in Texas adoptions.

ADOPTION: HAPPY COUPLE would love to provide a newborn with love, joy and security. Call Ed and Ellen at 1-800-484-7011. PIN# 4523.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
 LOCAL CANDY ROUTE. 30 vending machines. Earn approximately \$800/day. All for \$9,995. Call 1-800-998-5500. Multi-Vend, Inc.

MAIL ORDER MONEY MAKER. Companies use our "Trees in EnviroTubes" by the thousands! Buy & Mail our postcards. \$400 mini-mum investment. Money back offer! PIS Evergreen 1-713-226-2288.

DRIVERS WANTED
 \$51,000 SIGN-ON BONUS. PFT/ Roberson, CK/ Roberson's looking for flatbed and van semi-drivers. Up to 30.31¢/mile to start. Need Class A CDL. 1 year OTR. 1-800-473-5581. EOE/DFW

\$5 SIGN ON BONUS! OTR drivers - Great benefits and bonus programs. Driving school graduates welcome. Continental Express. 800-655-4472/800-727-4374.

\$5000 SIGN-ON BONUS! Driver OTR. Great benefits. 95% no touch. Minimum 23 yrs. At least 6 months experience. Continental Express. 800-727-4374/800-695-4473.

DRIVER - \$10,000 BONUS, \$10,000 top pay. flexible home-time, great benefits. Must be 23 yrs with 6 months OTR experience. Vernon Sawyer 1-888-829-5565.

DRIVER FLATBED. NEW Regional opportunity. Texas based drivers wanted. Start up to \$48K. More experience more pay. Great benefits + profit sharing. 3yrs OTR required. Combined Transport. 1-800-657-4407.

Call this newspaper for details on how to advertise statewide.

DENTURES
 \$400 Full Set
 Satisfaction Guaranteed
 Closed Fridays
 1-800-789-5331
 Mangum, OK

SHAKLEE PRODUCTS
 Peggy Probasco
 983-5246 or 800/536-5246

A Note of Thanks

Dear Friends,
 What a great word, FRIENDS. You all mean so much to me. All your expressions of love and caring since having surgery and time for healing have truly helped in the healing process. And Jesus said, "For as much as ye have done it unto the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me." God bless you all. I can never repay.

Love,
 Devonne Dillard

We would like to say thank you to the Matador Fire Department for their quick response and help in putting out the grass fire on our land, Wednesday afternoon. We appreciate the work your department does for our county.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay

We would like to give a big thank to the Flomot Fire Department for their help and response to the grass fire on our land last Wednesday. We appreciate the time and effort that you put into this department.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay

Thank you to the Texas Department of Transportation in their help with the fire that was on our land last Wednesday. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay

We would like to say thank you to Commissioner Precinct 2, Butch Hughes, for his help with the fire on our land last Wednesday. We appreciate everything that you did.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay

BUSINESS REVIEW

NEED THE PERFECT GIFT?
 A Subscription to the MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE keeps on giving, every week, all year long!

Lex S. Herrington
 Attorney At Law

Carr, Fouts, Hunt 1001 Texas Avenue
 & Wolfe, L.L.P. P. O. Box 2585
 (806) 765-7491 Lubbock, Texas 79408

Authorized Agent of Caprock Cellular

Gillespie Communications
 JAMES GILLESPIE - (806) 347-2208
 Land Mobile Radio Sales & Service

CALL DAY OR NIGHT
 FOR PROPANE & ELECTRICAL SERVICE
MARSHALL BROS.
 347-2290
 PROPANE ELECTRIC

Germania Insurance
 Homeowners, Auto, Personal, and Farm
 Liability and Life
LEE'S INSURANCE AGENCY
 Flomot, Texas 79234 806-469-5370

PALMER SERVICE CENTER
 FULL SERVICE
 FARM DELIVERY
 OIL CHANGES
 CAR WASHES
 347-2346 NEW & USED TIRES Matador

INAPA AUTO PARTS
 Floydada
 1-888-658-6272
 FREE DELIVERY

Payne Pharmacy
 200 S. Main — Floydada, Texas 79235
 Ph: 983-5111 or 1-800-345-7961
 Denise Payne, R.Ph.
 M-F - 8:30 - 6:00 We will be happy to
 Sat. - 8:30 - 2:00 mail your prescription!

A TASTE OF TEXAS RANCHING
 Cooks & Cowboys
 A book about Texas Ranches with good cowboy recipes, featuring Dale & JoEtta Bumgardner and the Matador Ranch with some of JoEtta's special recipes
 \$18.95 + tax
 NOW AVAILABLE
 AT THE
MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE

MEREDITH CONSTRUCTION & Gas and Supply
 New Construction No Minimum Order on Gas
 Remodeling, Painting & Electrical Work We welcome all new customers
 Complete turnkey work 24 hour service
 Concrete work and all types of roofing
 JOE G. MEREDITH & SONS - ROARING SPRINGS
 (806) 348-7516 269-0095 (local call) (806) 348-7528

Carpet Rolls Remnants Area Rugs
 Wood Floors Vinyl Flooring Ceramic Tile
Stubblefield's Rugs & Remnants
 — Professional Installation —
 — Financing Available —
 (806) 296-7387 Plainview, TX 79072 2804 West 5th

Fred Thayer & Dianne Washington
 Certified Public Accountants
 Hwy. 70 - Next to PCA Office
 OPEN TUESDAY
 and other times by appointment
 806-347-2911 or Floydada, 1-800-536-3122

www.roberthall.com
 (806) 237-2182
ROBERT HALL
CHEVROLET / OLDSMOBILE
 501 Main Street
 Jayton, Texas