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A Look back in Time

FEBRUARY 12, 1970

Robbers Take Safe At Roaring Springs

"Thieves entered Lee's Department Store in Roaring Springs early Monday, backed up the front door, and removed a safe estimated to weigh 500 pounds and removed money and merchandise estimated at \$1,600."

FEBRUARY 11, 1937

Business Club May Be Forced To End Effort Lack of Interest Is Blamed For Shadow On Local C.C.

"After a brilliant record through the depression as one of the most alert civic clubs in the Panhandle the Matador Chamber of Commerce is threatened with the shadow of disbandment. President R.E. Campbell said, 'We must have the cooperation of more business men in this club or we might as well disband.'"

FEBRUARY 11, 1937

Child Burned By Ignited Garment

"Billy Roy, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Neighbors, who reside in north Matador, was severely burned yesterday morning when his trouser leg became ignited from standing too close to the stove. The burns are not believed to be serious."

Shannon Davidson Planning Meeting Tonight

There will be a Shannon Davidson Pony Express Days planning committee meeting for Matador area activities tonight, February 12. The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Library. If you have any questions, please call Charles Keith, 347-2283.

No School Friday

Friday, February 13, will be a School Holiday for Motley County students and staff.

Classes will resume at the regular time, Monday, February 16.

Early Voting will begin February 23

Early voting for the March Primary Election will begin February 23 and continue through March 6 at the County Clerk's office at the Courthouse.

Local candidates seeking election are Incumbent Laverna M. Price, Democrat, and Jerry Green, Republican, for County Judge. Donald "Butch" Hughes, Incumbent, and Donnie Turner, Commissioner Precinct 2; J.N. Fletcher, Incumbent, Commissioner Precinct 4; Joe Campbell, Incumbent, and Charles Keith, County Treasurer; Lucretia E. Campbell, Incumbent, District and County Clerk; and Cora Smallwood, Incumbent, Justice of the Peace.

The Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, March 10, 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the following polling places.

Precinct 1 - American Legion Building.

Precinct 2 - Flomot Community Center.

Precinct 3 - Northfield Church.

Precinct 4 - Roaring Springs Depot.

Precinct 5 - VFW Memorial 4-H Building.

Precinct 6 - Courthouse.

Those wishing to vote Republican may do so at the home of Luther Green, on Main Street in Matador.

58th Annual Motley County Junior Livestock Show March 14

The 58th Annual Motley County Junior Livestock Show will be held on Saturday, March 14, 1998 at the Motley County Livestock Show Barn. The Livestock Show is sponsored each year

by local volunteers to provide an opportunity for 4-H and FFA members to exhibit their livestock projects. By caring and feeding their livestock throughout the feeding period, youth have the opportunity to learn responsibilities and increase their knowledge of the livestock industry.

During this year's Show, there will be 8 steers, 52 hogs, 15 lambs and 24 rabbits exhibited. In addition, a Pee

Wee Swine Showmanship Show will be held for youth under the age of 9 years and not in the third grade.

Pay-N-Save Grocery in Matador will be serving breakfast to exhibitors, donors, and local residents from 6:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at the Livestock Show Barn. The breakfast will be prepared by local volunteers.

Thank you to Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Matador, all the volunteers and donors for their continued support and dedication to the Motley County Junior Livestock Show.

There will be a concession stand open throughout the Stock Show.

Donations of \$1.00 are being accepted for a drawing of a \$500.00 gift certificate from Thacker Jewelry in Roaring Springs. The proceeds from the fund raiser will benefit the Premium Auction. Anyone interested in the gift certificate may contact a Motley County 4-H or FFA member and/or a director of the Motley County Junior Livestock Association. Directors for this year's Show are Billy Wayne Denison, Craig Turner, Bruce Lefevre, Tommy Gleghorn, J.D. Russell, and Mark Seigler.

Everyone is invited to attend the Show and Youth Premium Auction to help support the youth of Motley County.



Pancake Eaters ...

Martin Walker and Jacob Blanco enjoy a plate of pancakes at the Annual Matador Lions Club Pancake Supper, held Tuesday night at the School Cafeteria. Martin and Jacob were only two of many who enjoyed the feast.

Local 4-H, FFA members to exhibit prize animals at Houston Livestock Show

Five 4-H members and eight FFA members from Motley County will be joining other 4-H and FFA members from throughout Texas for intense show ring competition at the upcoming Houston Livestock Show, Feb. 20 through March 8, in the Astroball.

These FFA and 4-H exhibitors showcase their animal projects during the second week of livestock competition - the junior show. The first week of competition, the open show, features professional ranchers and breeders from throughout the country exhibiting their breeding stock.

Entries in both the open and junior shows combine with horse show entries to make the Houston Livestock Show the world's largest.

Those exhibiting animals from

Motley County include Todd Thomas, Cobey Turner, Brett Wallas, Kelsi Wallace, and LeAnnra Wallace for 4-H; and Clint, Clay, and Cody Cooper, Kayla Copp, Andy Jones, Chris Paul, Jerod Rieger, and Nathan Shannon for FFA.

Representing approximately 930 Texas 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters, the junior show will have close to 15,000 entries this year. A variety of animals is shown in the junior and open divisions of livestock competition: market steers, market barrows, market lambs, market poultry, beef and dairy heifers, breeding sheep, goats, commercial steers, and breeding rabbits.

The four market animal categories (steers, lambs, barrows and poultry)

represent animals raised by the exhibitors as food sources. Top animals in each of these categories are eligible for their individual market auctions. Last year, junior market auction sales totaled \$4,636,124.

"Undoubtedly, we have the most generous buyers anywhere. They understand and appreciate that the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shows kids ... and we simply allow those young people to bring an animal along with them," says John Sykes, assistant general manager/Agricultural Exhibits and Competition Department. "We are always proud to annually present to the City of Houston thousands of Texas 4-Hers and FFA members. They have worked countless hours on their projects learning specific life skills such as responsibility, time management and financial management. Our Show will forever encourage such growth in young people."

In addition to world class livestock competition for two weeks, superior horse show competition also is on the event's agenda. The Houston Livestock Show Cutting Horse Contest kicks off horse show competition beginning Wednesday, Feb. 18.

Ticket prices for the 1998 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo are \$10 and include admission to the horse show (excluding National Cutting Horse Association events), livestock show, carnival, all commercial and educational exhibits, special attractions and the rodeo.

Tickets are available at the Astrodomex Office and at all Ticketmaster outlets, including Foley's blockbuster Music, Fiesta and Randalls Food Markets.

Tickets also will be sold on the Internet at <www.ticketmaster.com>.

The 1998 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will begin with horse show competition, Wednesday, Feb. 18, followed by other livestock competition beginning Friday, Feb. 20. The first rodeo performance will be held at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 20. All events conclude March 8.

School Board Discusses Personnel

Principal's Contract Renewed

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met Monday, February 9, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. All Board members were present. Also attending were Superintendent Rick Copp and recorder, Bettye Stevens.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The list of expenditures was approved; financial statements were reviewed.

School Board Election Date was set for May 2, 1998.

Board approved the cheerleader handbook. They also approved the Dyslexia Evaluation Program, which is a program in which teachers will evaluate students with dyslexia.

The board approved 81 lots owned by Don Tonroy as payment for back taxes.

Gary Lancaster, CPA was selected as school auditor for 1997-98.

The Holiday Basketball schedule for next year was discussed, to allow Varsity to play in towns during Christmas holidays.

An Interlocal Agreement, Resolu-

tion and Memorandum of Understanding for Technology Network with ESC 17 was approved. This is a contract with the Region 17 Service Center to allow the purchase of District Learning Equipment through the Service Center at a reduced cost. The Service Center will then assume all maintenance on the equipment.

The Board went into executive session at this time.

Out of executive session the Administrators appraisals were discussed. The contract of Wayne Morren, Principal, was renewed for one year. The Board did not extend the position of Athletic Director, currently held by Ron Cox. This will be re-evaluated at the March meeting.

Board accepted the resignation of Library Aide, Tina Brooks. Mitzi Gumaer as part-time Library Aide.

The 1998-99 and 1999-2000 Football and Basketball alignment was discussed.

Meeting adjourned.

Commissioners Meet In Regular Session

The Motley County Commissioners Court met in regular session February 9, 1998 at 9:30 a.m. Present were Judge Laverna M. Price, Commissioners, John M. Russell, Don Hughes, Franklin Jameson, J.N. Fletcher, and County Clerk Lucretia Campbell.

Invocation was given by Commissioner Hughes. Minutes were approved as read. Bills were reviewed and approved. Reports of the Treasurer, Tax Collector/Assessor, County Ag Agent, County FSC Agent, Justice of Peace, and Library were approved.

Douglas Campbell, Roadway Maintenance Supervisor, Texas with Department of Transportation, discussed the bridge project in Precinct #4. Preliminary engineering will begin soon. The county's first payment in the amount of \$1,500.00 is due. This is funded by Precinct #4.

Request to use motorgrader to cut fireguards was made by Commissioner Fletcher, Precinct #4. Cost is \$40.00 per hour. This was approved by the court.

District Judge Randy Hollums met with the court to discuss the hiring of at Court Coordinator. A grant will provide 75% in counties of 110 Judicial District (Briscoe, Dickens, Floyd and Motley) will provide 25%. The court was unanimous in support and participating in this project.

Texas Agricultural Extension Ser-

vie, Galen Chandler, District Extension Director and Michael Lee, County Ag Agent, met with the court to discuss general responsibilities as related to the 4-H and ag programs in this county. Members of the court expressed the response they have received from county residents has been good.

Charles Keith reported on a meeting of Texas Department of Economic Development. The Texas Agritech Corridor Partnership was the topic discussed. The geographic corridor between Lubbock and San Antonio is an area rich in natural resources and

ripe for economic development. The Texas Department of Economic Development is committed to the creation and attraction of new industry to rural Texas. Motley County is included in this plan.

The Court approved in installation of a phone in the office occupied by nurses of Texas Coalition of Health Services. This office is located in the basement of the courthouse.

Motley County 911 maps were provided the precincts.

The court opposed the sale of salvage property located at the jail.

The item of county claims against tobacco companies was tabled. This will be discussed at a later meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Tanya Barkley Receives Air Force ROTC Scholarship



Tanya Barkley

Tanya Barkley, senior at Motley County High School and the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Barkley of Matador, has been notified that she will receive a 4-year, Type II Air Force ROTC college scholarship to be used at the university of her choice.

In addition to the \$9,000 annual scholarship, Tanya will receive \$150 per month, and all of her uniforms and Air Force instructional materials will be provided at no cost. At the present

time, Tanya is also in competition for a major scholarship at "Rhodes College in Memphis, Tennessee, and she will soon have to decide which college to attend: Baylor, University of Tulsa, Rhodes College, or Duke University.

Motley County ISD is proud of Tanya's accomplishments and encourages all students to "be all they can be," so that they, too, will have many options from which to choose.

Keeping an eye on Texas

Valentine gift: Only in Texas

If you haven't found that unique gift for Valentine's Day, you can tell your sweetie you had a town in Texas named just for her. Here's a list of towns in Texas with a lady's name:

Addielou	Dolores	Jean	Marietta	Rosalie
Adell	Donna	Joy	Marion	Rosebud
Adrian	Edna	Katy	Maud	Rosita
Alethia	Edna	Kelly	May	Rowena
Alice	Electra	Kelsey	Maydelle	Sarita
Allison	Eloise	Laurel	Maypearl	Selma
Alma	Elsa	Lavada	Melissa	Shannon
Alsa	Erin	Lenora	Merriam	Shelby
Anna	Ethel	Leona	Morgan	Shirley
Annetta	Eunice	Levita	Myra	Stacy
Aurora	Flo	Lillian	Natalia	Tara
Bebe	Flora	Lindsay	Nell	Tulp
Cassie	Florence	Lissie	Olivia	Vera
Catarina	Gail	Lolita	Ovilla	Verona
Celeste	Georgia	Lorraine	Panola	Victoria
Charolette	Harriet	Lorena	Patricia	Vivian
Christine	Henrietta	Louise	Pearl	Whitney
Clara	Hilda	Luella	Peggy	Winnie
Cleo	Ida	Lydia	Penelope	Winona
Courtney	Idalou	Mabelle	Posey	There's also:
Dabney	Inez	Margaret	Rachal	Venus
Dawn	Irene	Marie	Rochelle	Valentine
Desdemona				
Diana				

SOURCE: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.



by: Carla Meador

Due to lack of space, my column must be short and sweet this week. So I will wish everyone I love a very happy Valentine's Day, filled with lots of love and happiness. Here are some quotes about love from the little book, *The Heart's Song* —

"Love keeps the cold out better than a cloak. It serves for food and raiment."
— Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

"Love is a flame which burns in heaven, and whose soft reflections radiate to us. Two worlds are opened, two lives given to it. It is by love that we double our being; it is by love that we approach God."
— Aimee Martin

"Cultivate a heart of love that knows no anger."
— Cambodian Proverb

"The baby is practicing loving for life. The more he can love, now, and feel himself loved back, the more generous with, and accepting of, all kinds of love he will be, right through his life."
— Penelope Leach

"For me, motherhood has been the one true, great, and wholly successful romance. It is the only love I have known that is expansive and that could have stretched to contain with equal passion more than one object."
— Erma Kurtz

Donalda Letkeman to teach Jacobean Quilting Class



Donalda Letkeman displays her beautiful handmade Jacobean applique quilt.

Donalda Letkeman from Petersfield, Manitoba Canada will begin a class in March to teach the art of Jacobean Applique Quilting. Mr. Letkeman and her husband, Dennis, have been living in Matador for the winter. They plan to return to Canada soon. Mrs. Letkeman said the people of Matador and Motley County have been so wonderful to them, she wanted to be able to give something back, hence the class.

Classes will begin Tuesday, March 3 and will continue through March 11. Students will be charged only \$12.00 for the price of their kit, which will include everything they will need to make a beautiful Jacobean Hand Applique Wallhanging.

Jacobean (pronounced "jack-u-bee-un") derives from "Jacobus Britanniae Rex," the formal title of seventeenth century English King, James I, who succeeded Queen Elizabeth I. A distinctive style of literature, entertainment, furniture, architecture, and embroidery emerged late in Queen Elizabeth's reign and continued for more than a hundred years.

Jacobean embroidery differs from other forms of needlework, not by the thread or the stitch, but by the design -

usually floral or arboreal, with deeply notched leaves, undulating vines, intertwined braches and stems, coiling tendrils, and imaginative flowers. Birds often appeared in the greenery and small animals on the mounds. The thread ranged in color from deep green to contrasting rose, purple, blue and gold - calming, soothing, muted. Glorious shading gave dimension to the botanical flora and fauna. An air of fantasy and romance permeated the compositions.

Treasured family pieces of Jacobean embroidery emigrated to America in the baggage of the English colonists. The needlewomen in our country changed the name to "crawel" which referred to the soft, slackly twisted worsted yarn.

To register for this exciting class contact Mrs. Betty Bostick at the Windmill in Matador, or Mrs. Billie Clifton in Roaring Springs. The classes will be held in the Roaring Springs Senior Citizens building. There will be afternoon and evening classes at 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The first class will be held on Tuesday, March 3.

The class is open to everyone.

"A Friend ... In Jesus"



Do you ever feel like the little kid who says, "Nobody loves me. Everybody hates me. I'm gonna go eat worms?" If you answered "yes," join the human race. Loneliness and that "no one understands me" feeling are very common. Sometimes the people whom you think are your friends let you down. Other times they are too occupied with their own problems to notice that you need special help. Even if someone takes the time to try to help you, that person is often unable to understand your feelings.

Jesus wants to be your friend and constant companion, the one with whom you share your plans, your dreams, your failures, your sin, and your problems. Not only does He understand you perfectly, but He has all power, and can direct you in the right way and show you how to get out of the mess you got yourself into.

Jesus will always be your friend - no matter what. He'll be the honest friend who lets you know when you're doing something wrong, the comforting friend to whom you can pour out your heart, and the counselor who will help you make your future plans. Good friends spend a lot of time together. Jesus can't help you if you don't talk to Him, and He can't advise you if you don't listen to Him. You need a friend like Jesus. Take time to get to know Him.

I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. (John 15:15)

Roaring Springs Church of Christ

Bible Study
10:00 a.m.

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Worship
9:00 a.m.



LIBRARY NOTES by Suzanne Abbott

We appreciate the donation to the Library by June Keltz in memory of Ozzie Ferguson, mother of Jo Ann Durham. Thanks to donations such as this we have a lasting memorial to special people and we are able to keep Library materials current.

Come by the Library and look at our display case. We are all ready for an old-fashioned Valentine's Day thanks to the loan of some old Valentines by Sarah Hurt. We thank Sarah for making our display case interesting as well as romantic.

A new periodical received by the Library is *Book Page*. It contains book reviews of the latest fiction and non-fiction. Included in this issue is a review of John Grisham's newest, *The Street Lawyer*, which will, hopefully, soon be coming to the Motley County Library.

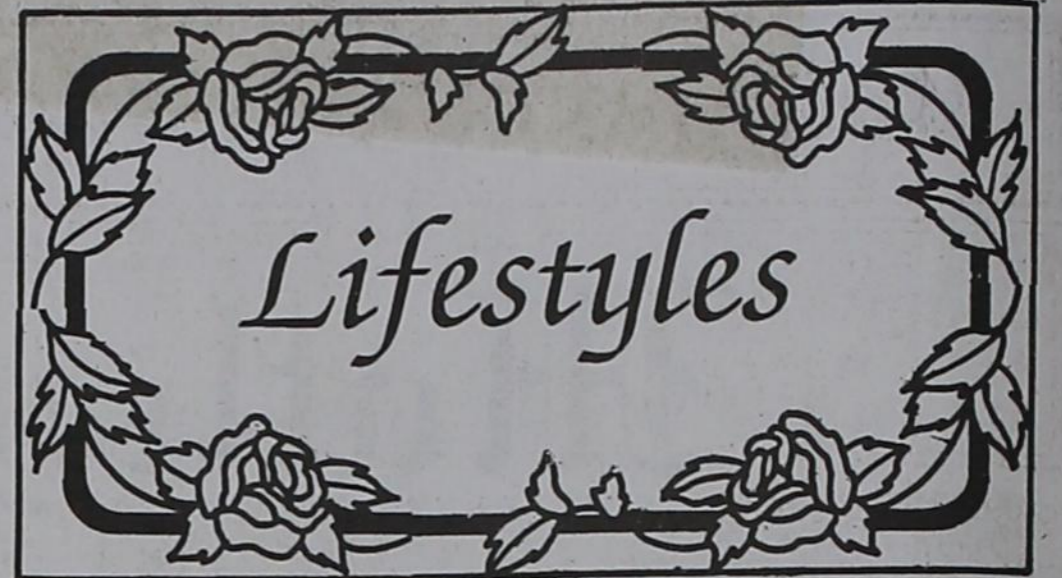
Important events coming up at the Library are a used book sale March 23-27. As usual Friends of the Library only will be able to buy books on the first day of the sale, so you'd better pay

your Friends dues so you can have an opportunity to take in this first-day preview. The other four days, the sale will be open to the public.

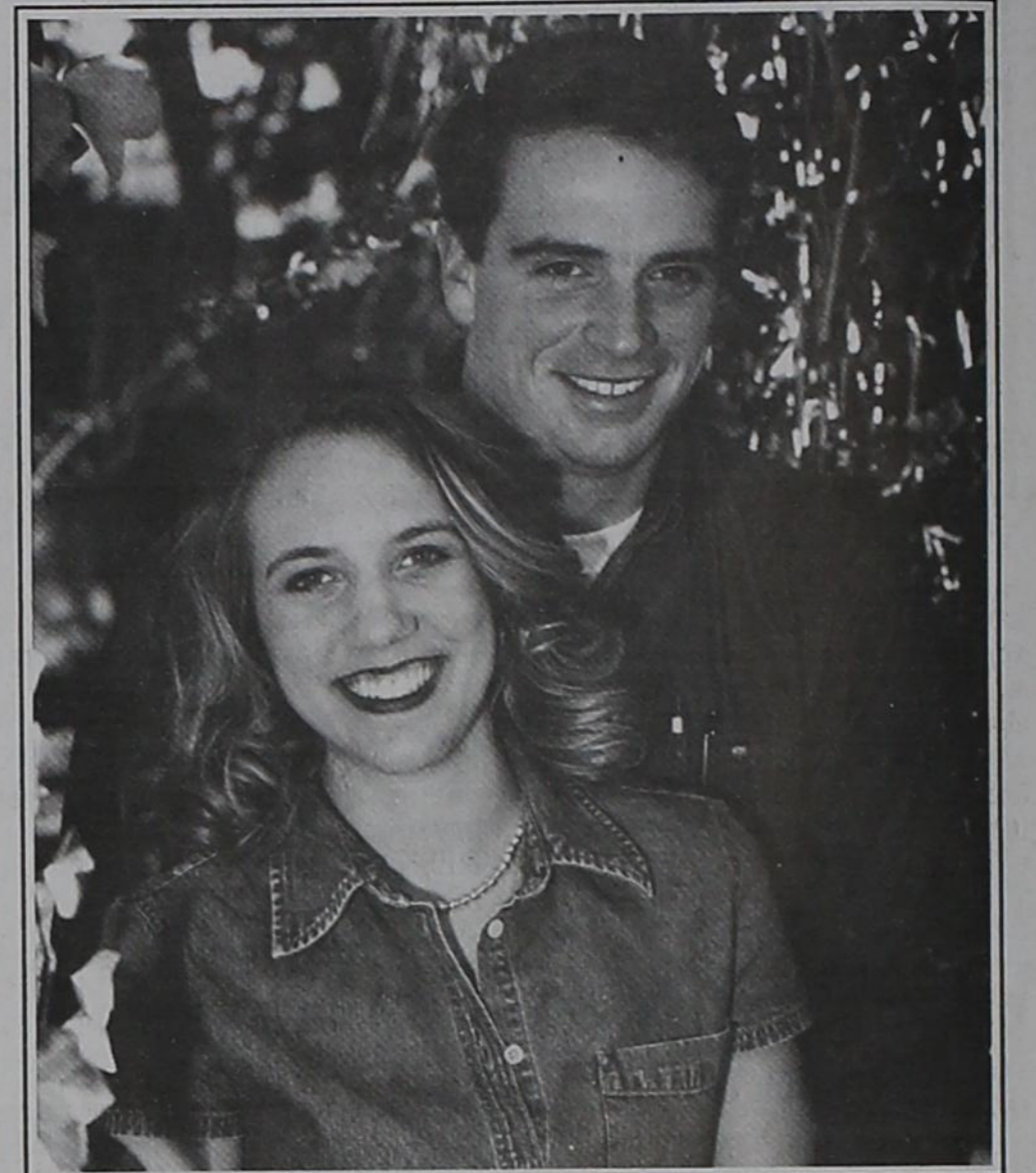
Zoe Kirkpatrick, of Post, will bring her beautiful slide show on wild flowers of this area to the Library on April 19. We are looking forward to another fascinating Sunday afternoon program. Mark your calendars now so you won't miss this exciting happening. This is a Friends of the Library sponsored event.

This coming Tuesday, February 17, there will be a meeting of the Motley County Genealogical Society at 10:00 a.m. at the Library. All who are interested in family history are invited to attend. Final plans will be made for our two field trips: first to the Southwest Collection and then to the Mahon Library, both in Lubbock.

Friends of the Library dues are now due. Individual membership is \$4.00, Family is \$10.00, supporting is \$20.00, and Life is \$100.00. You can pay at the Library.



Engagement Announced



Lisha Luster & Lee Vernon

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Luster of Cisco are happy to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Lisha Marlana to Lee Ellis Vernon of Wichita Falls. Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Vernon of Eastland, Texas and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M.D. Vernon, also of Eastland. Lee is also the grandson of Mrs. Evelyn Grace of Ft. Worth, Texas. Lisha is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Slover of Matador and Ms. Ladell Luster of Cisco. Lisha's great-grandmother is Mrs. Florine Angell of Wichita Falls.

The perspective bridegroom is a 1994 graduate of Eastland High School and is currently attending MidWestern State University. Lisha is a 1997 graduate of Cisco High School and is pursuing a degree in business. A March 7, 1998 wedding is planned at Calvary Baptist Church in Cisco. The ceremony will begin at 7:00 in the evening. All friends and family are invited to attend. The couple will reside in Wichita Falls after their marriage.



Family and Consumer Sciences News

by Arla Felts,
Extension Agent

WHY AND HOW MUCH MEAT DO YOU NEED?

The foods in the meat group are important sources of protein, iron and two B vitamins, thiamin and niacin. Protein is important for tissue growth and repair. Even if you think you've stopped growing, your body is making new tissues all of the time. Iron is needed for healthy red blood cells. B vitamins help keep your nervous system healthy and help your digestive system.

Meat is not the only source of these nutrients. Protein is found in dairy products, eggs, dried beans and peas, grains (bread and cereals), seeds and nuts. Iron is found in dried beans and peas, eggs, breads, and cereals, dark green vegetables, and dried fruits. B vitamins are found in breads and cereals, dried beans and peas, dairy products and some fruits and vegetables. An average healthy adult needs two small servings of meat or meat substitutes each day. A small serving is considered to be two ounces of lean meat. One pound of boneless meat (raw) will provide about six two ounce servings after cooking. A small meat patty or chop is also about two ounces of meat. One-third cup of cooked meat or fish (tuna, for example) provides two ounces of meat. One chicken thigh or two chicken wings will provide two ounces of meat. Other meat substitutes that are equivalent to two ounces of meat are:

- 1/2 cup of cottage cheese
 - 2 ounces of cheese (1/3-1/2 grated)
 - 2 eggs
 - 1 cup of cooked dried beans, peas or lentils
 - 1/4 cup (4 Tablespoons) peanut butter
 - 1/2 cup peanuts
- Animal proteins (meat, milk, eggs, cheese) are considered complete proteins. They contain all of the amino acids (protein building blocks) your body needs. Plant proteins are incomplete. They do not contain all of the amino acids your body requires. Your body cannot make use of the incomplete plant protein unless it is combined with a plant protein of a different type or combined with a small amount of complete (animal) protein. Some possible combinations include:
- dried beans with grains - beans and corn bread
 - red beans and rice

Churches to host Women's Luncheon

On Saturday, February 21, at 11:30 a.m., the women of the First Baptist and Macedonia Baptist Churches in Matador, will host a luncheon for all women and girls of the community. Following a light lunch and a short music presentation, Brenda Clark, Southern Baptist missionary to South Africa, will present an entertaining, informative, and inspirational speech. Theme for the day will be "Come, Go With Me!"

Following Mrs. Clark's presentation, all girls, grades K-12, are invited to visit with her pre-teen and teenage daughters about life in Africa and as children of missionaries.

- beans and corn tortillas
 - grains with nuts and seeds - peanut butter on wheat bread
 - oatmeal with slivered almonds
 - plant proteins with animal proteins
 - nacaroni and cheese
 - beans and cheese
 - cereal with milk
 - peanut butter on anything with milk
 - beans with small amount of meat
 - split pea soup and egg salad
 - rice pudding (made with eggs & milk)
- Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or natural origin.

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Handmade Quilts To Be Donated To Newborns In Need



MADE FROM THE HEART — Child Development and Parenting class members, (l-r) Kristi Williams, Samantha Osborn, ShaVonne Taylor, and Laura Sanchez display the quilts they made.

The Motley County Home Economics Child Development and Parenting Class, Kristi Williams, ShaVonne Taylor, Samantha Osborn, and Laura Sanchez, have recently constructed four infant sized blankets and stuffed animals. These items will be generously donated to the Newborns In Need Organization. This is an American all volunteer organization that makes and donates baby gowns, blankets, and other essential baby items to hospitals, homeless shelters, and other organizations that provide for premature and newborn infants. Students of the class feel that donating these items is not only good for the children who need them, but also teaches that leading a helping hand can give a satisfying feeling. They greatly enjoyed spending their time on this worth-while project.

John Wesley Stevens Wins First Place PIP Prize



John Wesley Stevens displays his ability to spin the basketball.

John Wesley Stevens, 10-year-old son of Steve and Betty Stevens of Matador competed at the West Texas PIP Happening at the Roosevelt Gym, Saturday, Feb. 7, 1998. He placed first in the "Spin" contest with boys ages 10-12; 3rd in "Pip Shots"; 4th, "Fantasy Lay-ups"; and sixth "In Between Leg Passes". There were groups from Lubbock, Post, Judy Cooper, D'Vonna Grundy, and Lamesa, New Home, and Floydada participating. PIP stands for Player in Progress and works with kids kindergarten through 6th grade to help develop basketball skills at each individual's ability. John Wesley has been in the Motley County PIP Group for 4 years (since it was first organized in Motley County). This year he is coached by were groups from Lubbock, Post, Judy Cooper, D'Vonna Grundy, and Lamesa, New Home, and Floydada D'Anna Russell.

Motley County Matadors' School News

Senior Spotlight "Class of 1998"



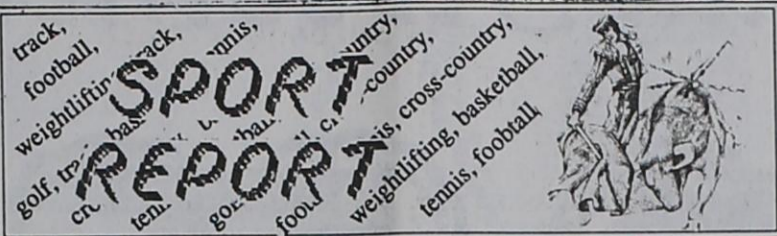
Jose Luis Gonzalez

Nickname: Pepe
Age: 19
Birthdate: 9-27-78
Place of Birth: Lockney, Texas
Parents Names: Antonio & Romana Gonzalez
Brothers & Sisters: Tony and Juan
Best advice ever received: Don't jump out of a pickup truck going 30 mph after your cap.
If you could go back in time and change anything, what would it be and why: If I could change anything about myself, it would be to keep my nose in the books.
Most valuable possession: My car
Unforgettable memory: The Chair
Favorite color: Blue
Favorite song: Don't Close Your Eyes
Favorite Movie: Friday
Best excuse ever used to get out of trouble: I didn't do it.
Favorite hangout: Out in the country.
What I like best about myself: I am a happy go lucky guy.
Favorite style of clothes: jeans and a t-shirt.
What I like most about high school: A great school system.
Most embarrassing moment: When I flunked my 4th grade year.
Advice to the underclassmen: Say No to Drugs and keep this school going.
Favorite saying or quote: Blame it on the brown box.
Plans after high school: Live a better life.



Tanya Barkley

Age: 17
Birthdate: 4-4-80
Place of Birth: Jakarta, Indonesia
Parents Names: L.J. and Eva Barkley
Brother & Sisters: Llan Barkley
Best advice ever received: Put your faith in God and trust Him always.
Most valuable possession: My friends and family.
Unforgettable memory: Going to Italy.
Favorite color: Blue
Favorite song: Push by Max Box Twenty
Favorite Movie: Titanic
Best excuse ever used to get out of trouble: It's Beck's and Monica's fault.
Favorite hangout: Cromwell
Favorite style of clothes: Anything comfortable.
What I like most about high school: Being a Senior.
Most vivid memory of Elementary or Jr. High: When all the girls got sent to the Principal's office in 4th grade.
Most embarrassing moment: When I ran into a tree playing Marco Polo in the dark.
Advice to the underclassmen: Make the most of the time you have left in high school, because before you know it, it'll be gone.
Favorite saying or quote: Beware of Desperate Steps - the Darkest Days; Live for tomorrow or it will have passed away. William Couper
Plans after high school: Attend college.



The JV team lost to Paducah, January 23, 70-65.

Jermaine Hendrix led in scoring with 20 points. Sean Rose added 12; Brant Donaldson, 11; Chris Paul, 6; Benjamin Ridgley, 5; Todd Thomas, 4; Matt Easter, 4; and Casey Lawrence, 3.

Sean Rose led in rebounds with 5. Matt Easter had 4; Brand Donaldson, 3; Jermaine Hendrix, 3; Todd Thomas, 2; Benjamin Ridgley, 2; Casey Lawrence, 2; and Jerod Rieger, 1.

Casey Lawrence and Jermaine Hendrix had 2 assists each. Jermaine Hendrix was 4 for 6, 3 point shooting; Todd Thomas and Benjamin Ridgley were 100% FT; Jermaine Hendrix, 5 steals; Brant Donaldson, 5 deflections; Benjamin Ridgley and Sean Rose, 1 forced turnover, and Sean Rose, 2 blocked shots.

The Varsity Matadors team lost to Valley, January 27, 64-42. Aaron Green was leading scorer with 9. Keane Cruse added 8; Scott Smith, 7; Ryan Martin, 5; Benji Rodriguez, 5; Jason Clauser, Aaron Binder, Brad Marvel, and Jason Barton, each added 2.

Keane Cruse led in rebounds with 7. Keane Cruse was 75% FT, 6 for 8. Aaron Green was 75% FT.

The Motley County Matadors JV boys had a big win over Crowell, January 30, defeating them 51-21. Sean Rose was leading scorer with 12 points. Jermaine Hendrix added 11; Casey Lawrence, 7; Matt Easter, 5; Brant Donaldson, 4; Ryan Moore, 5; Chase Carson, 3; Jerod Rieger, 2; and Chris Paul, 2.

Sean also led in rebounds with six. Chase had 4; Todd Thomas, 3; Brant, 3; Jerod, 2; Matt, 2; Chris, 2; Jermaine, 1; Casey, 1; Scott Jones, 1; and Ryan Moore, 1.

Casey Lawrence and Matt Easter were 100% with FTs. Ryan Moore was 50% from the 3 point range. Sean Rose and Casey Lawrence shot 60% from the 2 point range. Casey led the team with 8 deflections. Matt Easter led the team with 3 assists. Matt and Chase led the team in steals with 4 each.

Coach Ridgley stated, "The team played excellent defense allowing only eight second half points. The MC Matadors Varsity boys

also defeated Crowell, 51-45. Aaron Green led in scoring with 17 points. Scott Smith added 14; Ryan Martin, 6; Keane Cruse, 6; Dayton Grundy, 4; Aaron Binder, 2; and Brad Marvel, 2.

Aaron also led in rebounds with 11. Keane Cruse had 10; Jason Barton, 5; and Ryan Martin, 5.

Aaron Green was 9 for 10 from the FT for 90%. Scott Smith was 2 for 2, 100% FT. Keane Cruse had 4 blocked shots. Aaron Green had 10 steals. Scott Smith was 6 for 7 from the 2 point FG range.

Coach Ridgley stated, "We played excellent defense and ran our half court offensive well. The bench did a wonderful job."

The Motley County Jr. High girls basketball teams participated in the Valley Tournament, January 30. In the first round of play, they lost to Paducah, 25-39. Rachael Smith led in scoring with 7 points. Lisa Taylor added 6; Shandra Jones, 5; Brittany Moore, 4; Kelsi Wallace, 2; and Misty Young, 1.

They won their game with Valley, with a final score of 28-21. Lisa Taylor led in scoring with 9. Shandra Jones and Misty Young each added 4; Courtney Hays, 3; Rachael Smith, Brittany Moore, and Leslie Taylor each added 2.

Rachael and Brittany Moore were 100% from the line hitting 2 of 2 each. The team won 3rd place.

The 7th grade girls lost to Paducah, February 2, with a final score of 11-50. Lacy Carson led in scoring with 4. Brittany Moore, Amanda Sands, and Chasity Holman each added 2; Brittany Donaldson, 1.

The 8th grade girls also lost to Paducah, 25-36. Lisa Taylor led in scoring with 11. Shandra Jones added 10, and Courtney Hays, 4.

This was the last game of the season for these girls.

The Lady Matadors lost to Chillicothe, February 3, with a final score of 49-55. Kristi Williams led in scoring with 20. Kandi Keltz added 12; Margaret Mangram, 9; Tonia Bowden, 7; and Nesa McFall, 1.

Margaret led in rebounds with 14. Tonia had 6 and Kandi, 4.

Kristi hit 4-3's. Kristi was 75% from the 2 point range and Margaret was 67% from the 2 point range. Kristi was also 100% from the line.

Local Troop Attends District Scout Derby Race

Members of 360 Scout Troop attended the District Pine Wood Derby Race held in Lorenzo, Saturday, Feb. 7.

Cagen Denison returned home with a trophy after winning 2nd in the Tiger Cub Scout division of the race Jacob

Johannes also placed in the top bracket winning 3rd in the Cub Scout Webelos division.

Other scouts competing were Fannin Gwinn, Martin Walker and Cade Luckett. Sponsors attending were David Walker, Billy Denison, Kendra and Bill Luckett, and Mrs. Darla Gwinn.

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What's To Eat?

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16
Breakfast: Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Vegetable Beef Soup, Toasted Cheese Sandwiches, Veggie Sticks, Crackers, Dessert, Milk.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17
Breakfast: Hot Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Steak Fingers, Fluffy Potatoes, Gravy, Crisp Salad, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18
Breakfast: Cereal, Puffs, Honey, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Tacos (Beef, Cheese), Lettuce, Tomatoes, Refried Beans, Chips, Hot Sauce, Apple Crisp, Milk.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19
Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Potato Chips, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Fruit, Milk.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20
Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit, Milk.
Lunch: Chicken Pot Pie, Fried Okra, Garden Salad, Texas Toast, Honey, Dessert, Milk.

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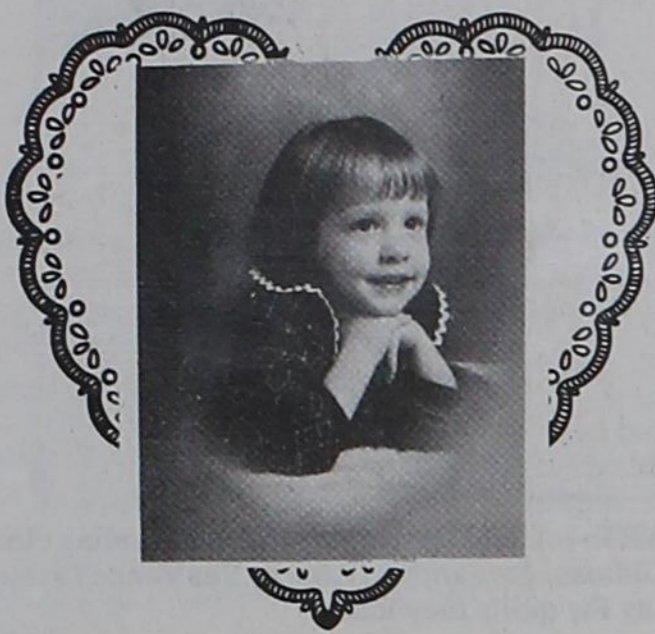
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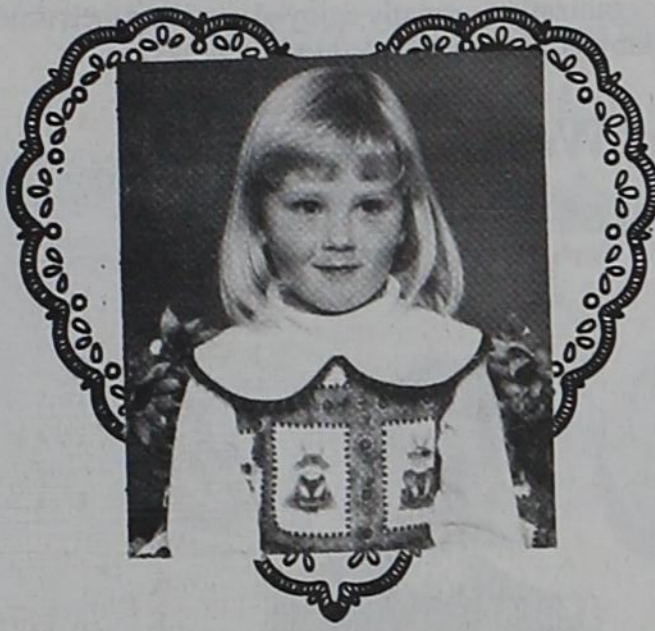
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& Donna Hoyle of Matador and
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Great-granddaughter of Mike Hoyle of
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and Virginia Dudley of Turkey



ALLISON MCCOY
Daughter of John and Jennifer McCoy
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Great-granddaughter of Ray &
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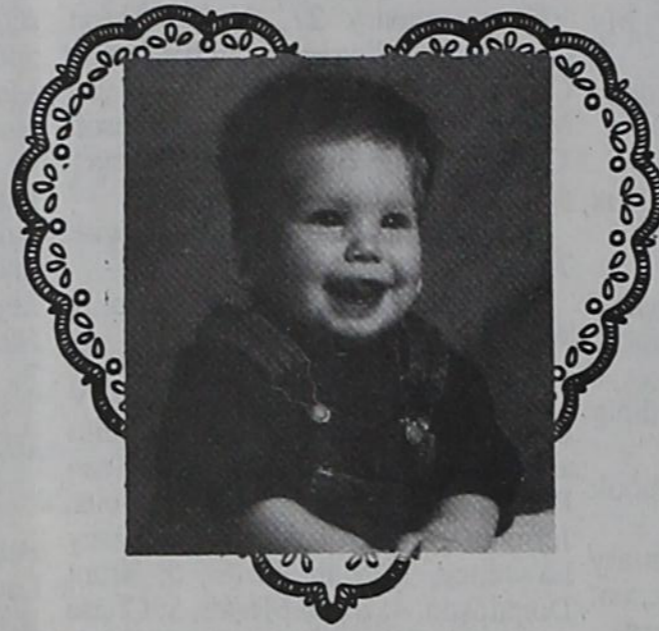
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Children of Jamie and Bunnal Zeilinger
of Longview; Grandchildren of Ray &
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Daughter of Kim Alexander
& Russell Alexander of Roaring Springs;
Granddaughter of Bill & Pauline Hand
of Roaring Springs



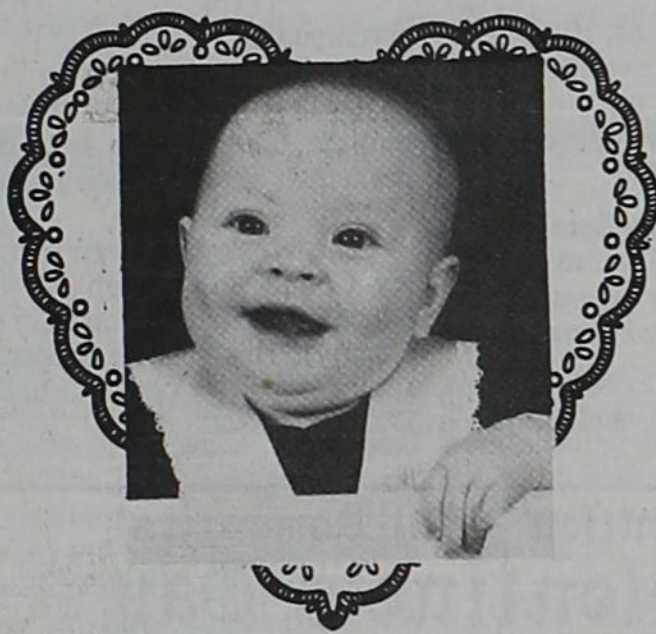
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13 month old daughter of Jarrett
& Kani Thompson of Ransom Canyon;
Granddaughter of Larry & Cheryl Bynum
of Ransom Canyon; Great-granddaughter
of Bertha Clower Moore of Matador,
and Joyce Jones Bynum of Slaton



TALOR KARMAZYN
Son of Tom & Renee Karmazyn
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Ronnie & Karen Davis, and
Great-grandson of Jack and Katie Davis
of Matador



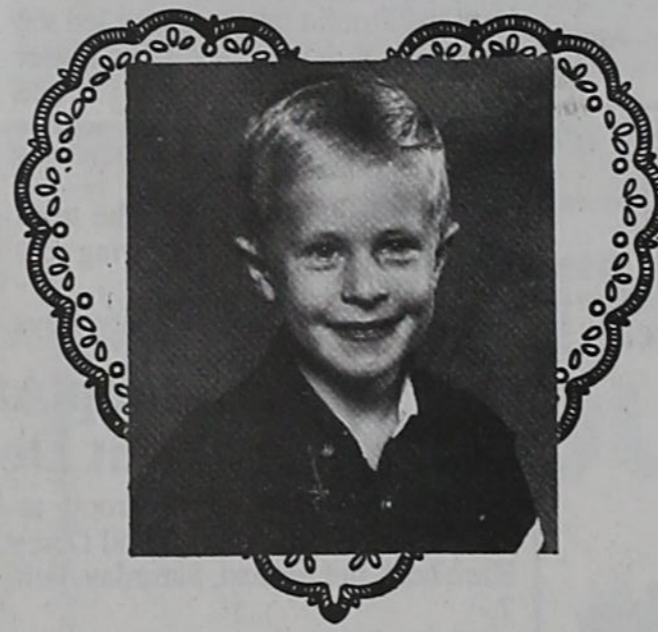
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TAMARA & KORIE WILSON**
Fritzi and Robert are the children
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Cassie Francis of Midland,
Tamara and Korie are the daughters
of Pam and Billy Wilson of O'Donnel.
They are the grandchildren of Van &
Sondra Francis, and the great-grandchildren
of John Stevens, of Matador



CASSIDY ELIZABETH TURNER
Daughter of Craig & Cathy Turner of Matador.
Granddaughter of Linda Perryman, and
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Great-granddaughter of Omar Parks of
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of Flomot



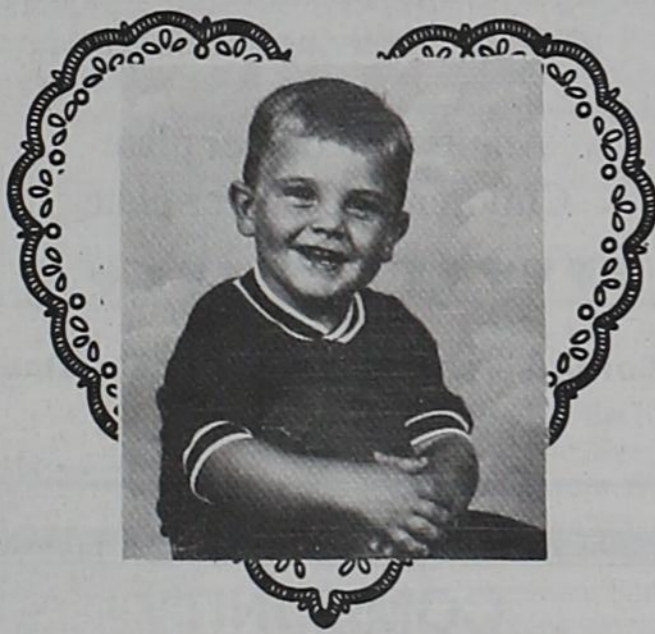
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Linda Perryman and Barbara Bryant;
Great-granddaughter of Omar Parks



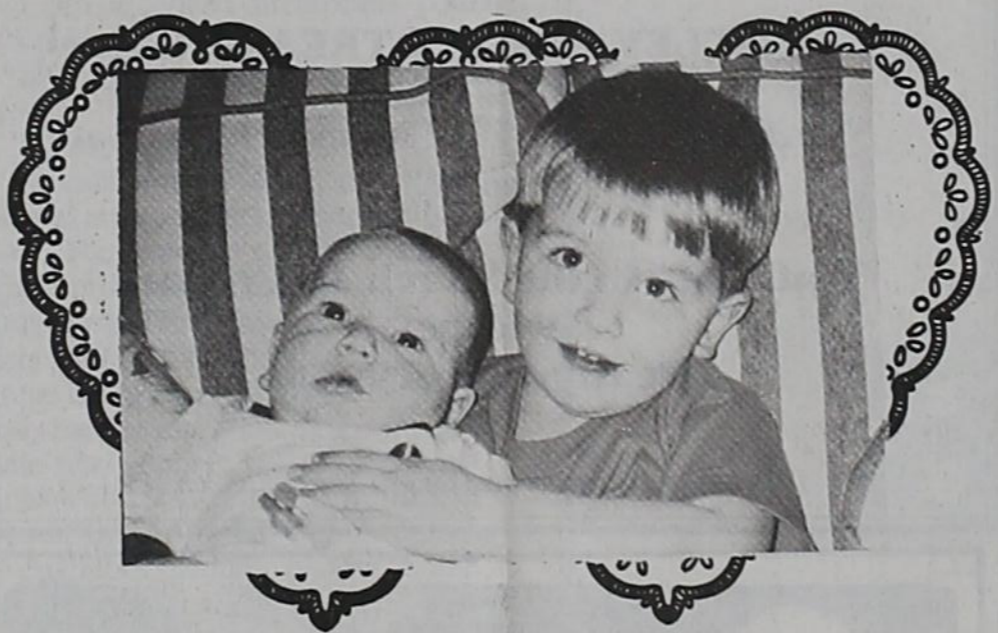
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Son of Wesley & Tammi Stafford
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and Pat & Tommy Rice of Silverton, and
Fred Edwards of Amarillo



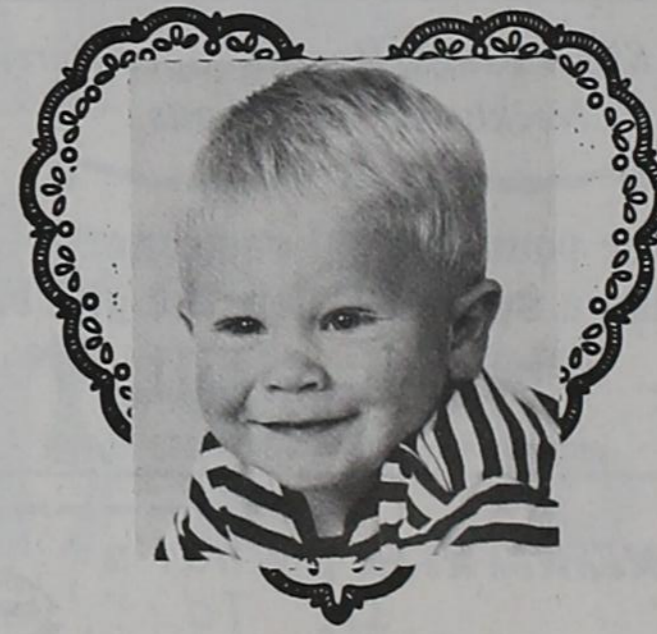
CHASE BENTLEY
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chad Bentley
of Amarillo; Granddaughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Stanley Fogerson of Abilene;
Great-granddaughter of Bailey Elliott of
Matador, and Sylvia Fogerson of Silverton



CHRISTIAN LANE BROOKS
4-year-old son of Timmy & Tina Brooks
of Roaring Springs; Grandson of
Milton and Modean Brooks of
Roaring Springs, and Ronald & Marie
Cummings of Paducah



DYLAN & TY ADAMS
Sons of James and Jennifer Adams
of Roaring Springs; Grandsons of
Debbie Malnes of Comanche,
James & Pat Palmer of Eureka, KS,
and Harold & Cheryl Adams of Dry Lake;
Great-grandsons of J.D. & Zalla Palmer
of Roaring Springs, Dorothy Scavone of Stephenville,
and Bonnie Hudson of Dickens



CUTTER GLOVER
Son of Brian & Shanna Glover
of Lazbuddie; Grandson of
Gary & Carolyn Lancaster
of Matador; and Nephew of
Wendy Lancaster of Lubbock



MAEGAN KAY JAMESON
Great-granddaughter of
Bob & Jimmie Jameson
of Matador



BRANDI JAMESON
Granddaughter of Bob & Jimmie
Jameson of Matador



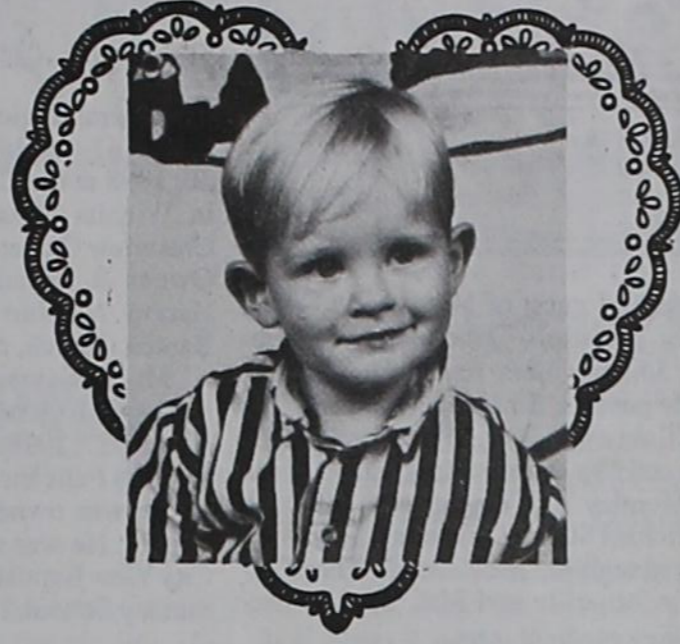
LYNDI JAMESON
Granddaughter of Bob & Jimmie
Jameson of Matador



KYLER GRISHAM & TANNER FISCHER
Kyler is the Grandson of Janie & Douglas Campbell
and the Great-grandson of Joyce Campbell of Matador
Tanner is the nephew of Janie and Douglas Campbell



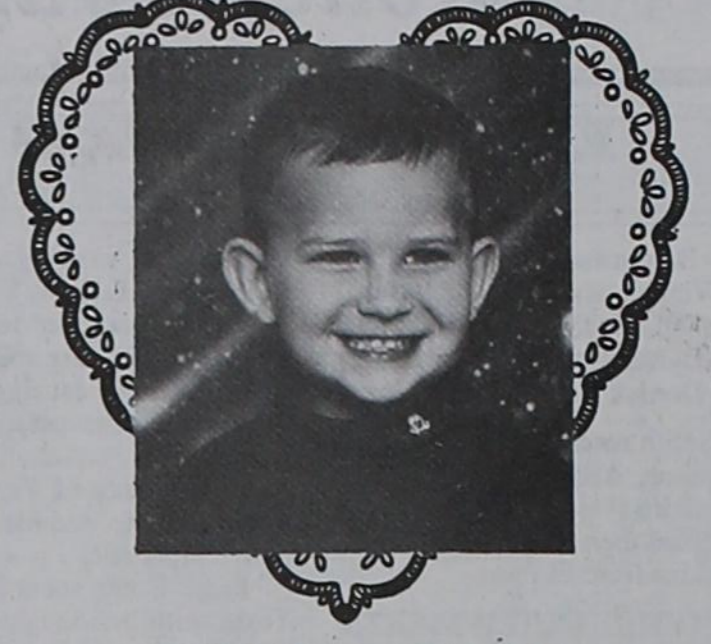
MORGAN ANNE JONES
Daughter of Jeremy & Whitney Jones of Lubbock; Granddaughter of Jim & Carla Meador, Travis & Lou Anne Jameson of Matador, and Jon & Christene Jones of Fremont, CA; Great-granddaughter of Joe & Joyce Meredith, Dena Meador, Glenn & Marion Woodruff, and Marian Jones



PARKER JAY MEREDITH
Son of Yancey & Daphne Meredith of Roaring Springs; grandson of Joe & Joyce Meredith of Roaring Springs, and Ronald & Dorothy Farmer of Hale Center



ANGELICA RENEE MEREDITH
Daughter of Cody & Leah Meredith of Plainview; granddaughter of Joe & Joyce Meredith of Roaring Springs



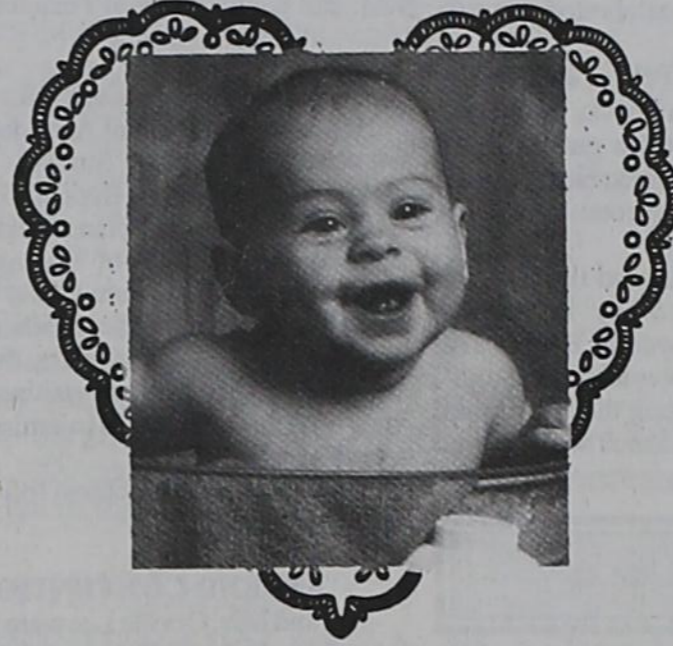
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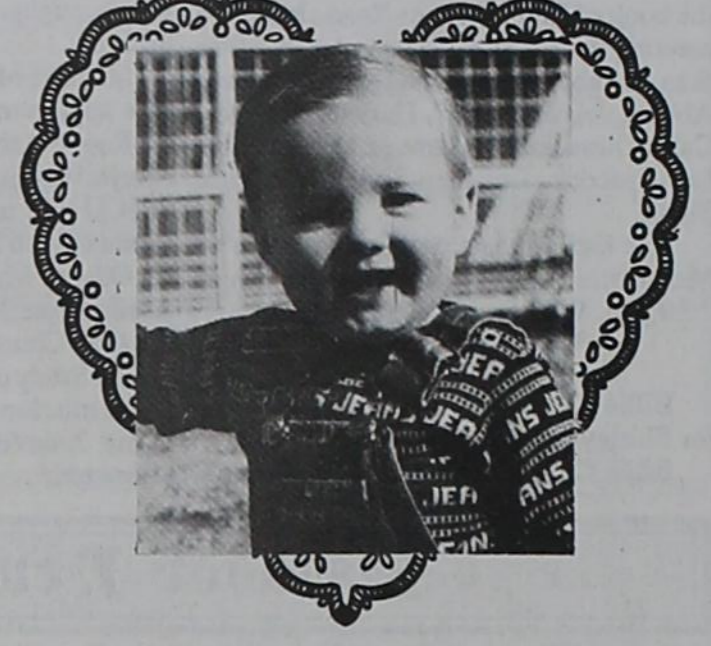
MACIE NICHOLE MARSHALL
Daughter of Brent & Jana Marshall of Matador; Granddaughter of Ken & Mary Marshall of Matador, and Scott & Jane Johnson of Lubbock; Great-granddaughter of Corky & Monta Marshall of Lubbock, Mrs. C.D. Baker of Matador, Mary Risinger of Spearsville, La., and Ollie & Willene Smith of Dumas; Great-great-granddaughter of Virgil Scott of Tulla



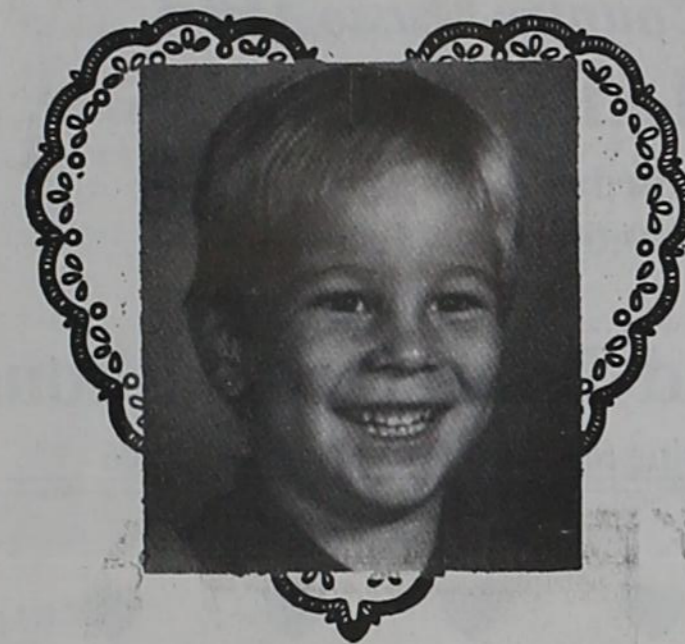
DEVIN CHASE PENNY
2-year-old son of Donna Protzman and Clint Penny; grandson of Wes & Lynn Campbell and Wayne and June Penny; Great-grandson of Juneal Kraubeck, Don Wyatt and Vance and Betty Campbell; great-great-grandson of Mrs. Bessie Glover



ROBERT D. LYONS
1-year-old son of David and Tracie A. Lyons; Grandson of Cheryle and Mike Stark and Bruce and Pam Lyons; Great-grandson of Vance and Betty Campbell, Dottie Del Stark, and Betty and Glen Lyons



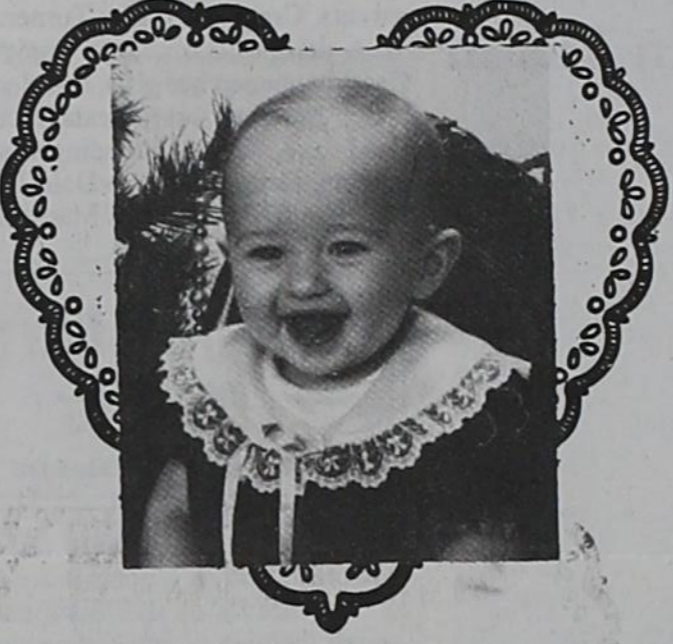
SKEE BURKES
Son of Jeffrey & Dee Ann Burkes; great-grandson of Reba Burkes, Matador and Pearl Patten, Roaring Springs; grandson of JoAnn Reagan, Quitaque.



JAY POTTS
Son of Jim & Mary Ann Potts of Matador; Grandson of Marisue Potts & Frank Potts; great-grandson of Mollie Burleson and Emily Johnston



NEAL POTTS
Son of Jay & Mary Ann Potts of Matador; Grandson of Marisue Potts, and Frank Potts; great-grandson of Mollie Burleson and Emily Johnston



KATIE ANN BARTON
Daughter of Bobby & Brooke Barton of Matador; Granddaughter of Fred & Mellane Parson and Steve & Beverly Barton of Matador. Great-granddaughter of Sue Parson and Bud Barton



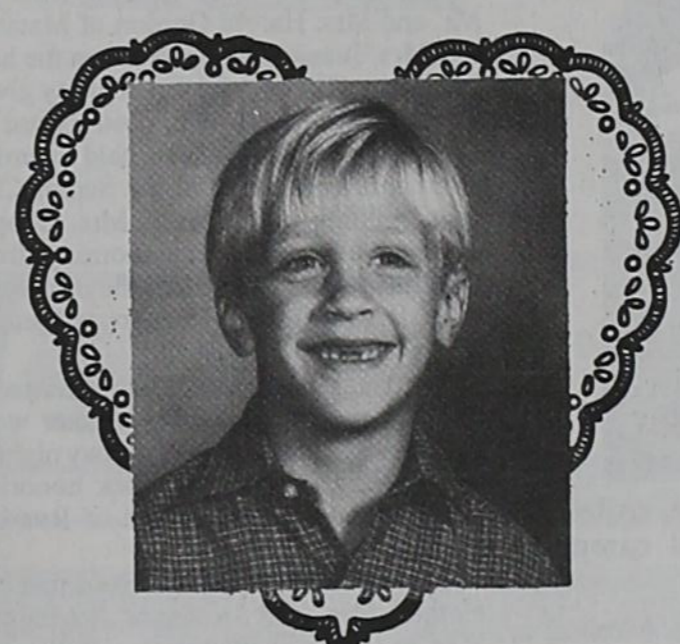
REAGAN & SHELBY ELLIOTT
Children of Shawn & Shonda Elliott of Matador; Grandchildren of Steve & Beverly Barton of Matador and Kim & Royce Butler of Dickens



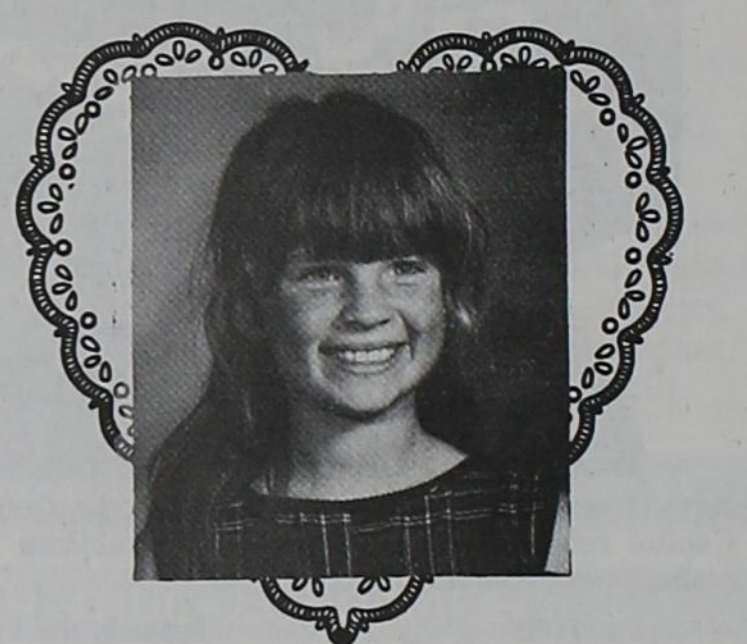
MAEGAN KAY JAMESON
Daughter of Brad & Mindy Jameson of Lake Forest, California; Granddaughter of Leslie & Linda Jameson, and Alan & Kay Bingham of Matador; Great-granddaughter of Bob & Jimmie Jameson; and great-great-granddaughter of Miriam and R.J. Bell and Lena Cook, all of Matador



CHRISTINA MOEHRINGER
Three years old
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Aunt Kathleen & Uncle Mark



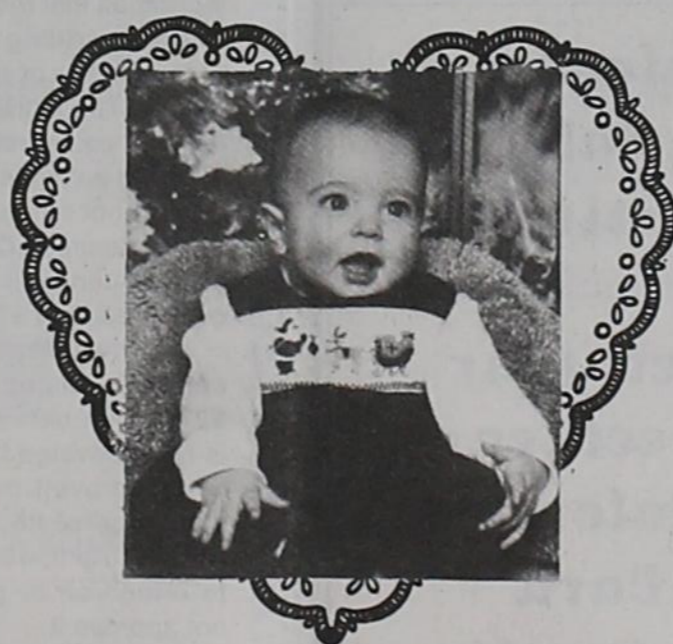
JESSE MOEHRINGER
Seven years old
HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!
Aunt Kathleen & Uncle Mark



RACHAEL BARTLETT
Ten years old
HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!
Aunt Kathleen & Uncle Mark



OLIVIA WAITS, 8
MEGAN & ALEX ADAMS, 6 months
Olivia is the daughter of Carla and Mark Waits of Fritch; Megan and Alex are the daughters of Jan and Dan Adams of Denton. They are the granddaughters of Boyce and Elaine Hart of Matador



BAILEY SAMUEL DOUGHERTY
7-month-old son of Travis & Sharie Dougherty; Grandson of LeRoy and Katherine Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Dougherty of Lubbock. Great-grandson of Mrs. Elga Evans, and the Nephew of Rodger Evans of Matador



KYLA & KORBYN SIMPSON
Children of Terry & Tammy Simpson of Matador; Grandchildren of David & Frances Taylor and James & Von Simpson; Great-grandchildren of Julie Martin, Margie Taylor, and Ruth Baker, all of Matador



Heart Stoppers



Motley County Comings & Goings

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins

Shirley Barton and her three daughters, Barbara Winkler and Nell Anderson of Lubbock, and Linda Walton of Snyder traveled to Dallas Saturday to visit Shirley's grandson, Derrick Winkler and wife.

Joyce Smith recently visited in Phoenix and Tucson, Arizona for her cousin, Glenda Dobkins Hossley's birthday party. She was joined there also by Carmen and Joyce Dobkins from El Paso.

METHODIST GUILD MEETS

The Roaring Springs Wesleyan Guild met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Dale Bungardner of Matador. Mrs. Chelsea Read presided in the absence of Pearl Patten and Debbie Martin. Mrs. Billie Clifton gave the opening prayer. The hostess gave the devotional.

Mrs. Monte Wike presented the Bible study from the third and fourth chapters of the book of Ruth. Chelsea Read closed the meeting with prayer. Those present other than the above mentioned were Suzanne Abbott, Jeanie Adams, Darlene Fletcher, Callie Giesecke, Rita Groves, Dorothy Lee, Lee Peacock, Imogene Swim, and Lula Swim.

The Guild meets next in the home of Mrs. Billie Clifton of Roaring Springs at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 18.

Billie Clifton attended graveside rites for Shirley Largent in Lubbock Tuesday. Billie Clifton and Darlene Fletcher at-

tended team meeting in Lubbock for a forthcoming Emeaus Walk in March.

Ora Stonecipher returned home last Tuesday after being in Crosbyton Hospital for a fall at home causing two cracks in her pelvis. She is recuperating with bed rest at home.

Houseguests of Venita Sedgwick last week were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rodriguez of Wichita Falls.

Pearl Patten spent last week in Boyd, Texas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Parker, Tara, Erica and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten was in Lubbock Monday for a doctor's appointment for Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Palmer, Miranda, Scotty and Nesa McFall, and James and Jennifer Adams, Dylan and Ty, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Palmer Friday night. They celebrated Scotty's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Palmer kept a doctor's appointment in Lubbock, Monday.

Roger Ashley is still a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. He is now out of ICU and in a private room. His wife, Linda is with him.

Odessa Mullins attended the Caprock Association Mission Study at Primera Bautista Church in Floydada. Bobbie Trull led the study on "A River Runs Through", about mission work along the Mississippi River. A covered dish lunch was enjoyed afterwards.

Matador News

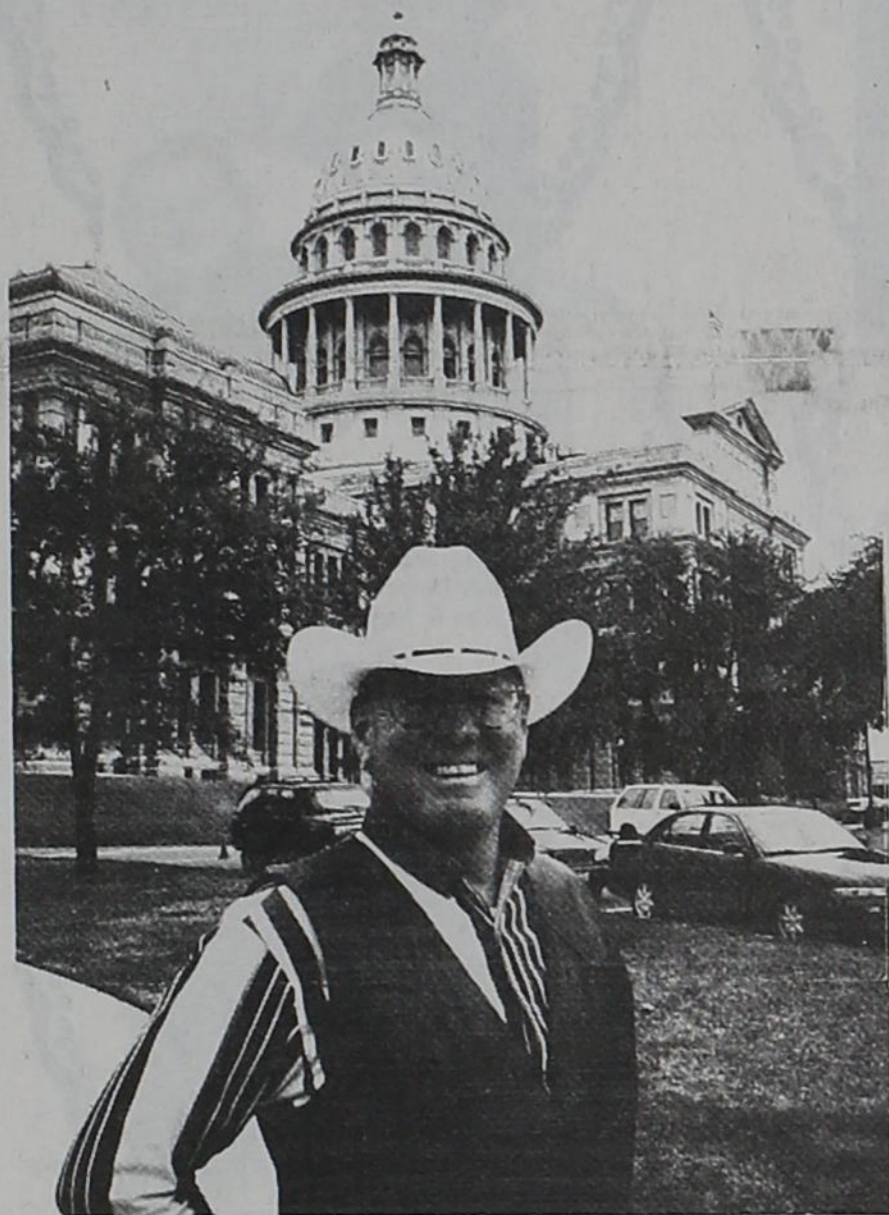
Bailey Elliott is flying to Houston to celebrate her 90th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green spent a week recently in Midland with their son and wife, Dr. and Mrs. Tom Green. They also attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Billingsly while

there. They also visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simmons in Big Spring.

Mrs. Bertha Stearns was taken by ambulance to University Hospital in Lubbock Monday. Mrs. Stearns has pneumonia. She was accompanied by her niece, Patti Hamilton, who is staying with her.

Motley County Judge Candidate Attends Republican Seminar In Austin



Jerry Green, Republican candidate for Motley County Judge, visited the Capitol recently while attending a Republican sponsored campaign management school.

by Marisue Potts

Jerry Green, Republican candidate for Motley County Judge, recently participated in a seminar held in the state capital. Over sixty-five candidates and supporters attended the Republican Party of Texas Campaign Management School on January 31 - February 1 at the Thompson Center near the LBJ Library.

According to Green, the gathering was more than a "how to win an election" school. Said he, "I showed up thinking it (the school) would be duller than homemade soap. Instead, I got to meet and trade ideas with a top-notch bunch of ordinary Texans who want to serve their communities."

The director of the school, party political analyst Royal Masset, stated that Texas is the most conservative state in the union. "Unique in the world, the Lone Star State has never been a colony and has never been subsidized or regulated," he said. Despite the current spin on revisionist history that Texas was racist, Masset emphasizes that Texans fought the

Spanish, the French, The Mexicans, the Indians, and even the United States. And after the Alamo, he claimed that Texans never lost another battle.

Republicans were not always conservative, but party lines have shifted dramatically in recent years. Although Texas did not have a Republican primary election until 1960, today finds Republican office holders a fast growing segment of the population, with 1400 in the state, including 13 congressmen and 17 state senators.

The two-day session featured 14 guest speakers addressing a myriad of Republican party topics. Of special interest was noted political analyst Karl Rove, who spearheaded the George Bush gubernatorial campaign, and public relations expert Clark Straughan.

State party vice-chairman David Barton urged candidates to articulate the differences between the parties. Republicans are for smaller government, deregulation and decentralization, mural values, and the country level, voluntary school prayers. "It is the individual, not the state, that is important to Republicans," he said in conclusion.

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

DELAYED

Bud Barton of Dougherty, Mary Ellen Barton and Wilson Barton attended to business in Dimmitt, Tuesday and in Lorenzo, Thursday.

Jackie and Tanya Starkey of Wellington visited the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey. Their mother, Mrs. Tawanna Starkey visited Sunday and accompanied them home.

Viola Stinson and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Childress, Monday with Dr. Ricky Nall.

Mrs. Erma Washington has had inner ear treatment in Lockney this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter visited in Floydada Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Speer and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nickette of Tucumcari, N.M. and Kathy Dunn of Portales, N.M.

GUEST SPEAKER

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Akande of Nigeria were guests at the Sunday morning services at the Flomot Baptist Church.

Dr. Akande told of plans to establish an international institute of evangelism in his country. He was a student at Wayland Baptist university in the 1960s and honored with an Alumni Award by the university. He and his wife are visiting in Planview with their son, Dr. Benjamin Akande, a professor at WBU.

A covered dish luncheon followed the services.

ATTEND CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee were in Austin from Saturday until Tuesday night, of last week. They attended the Texas Mutual Insurance Companies convention and seminar held at the Red Line Inn.

FIRST BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin attended a party, Thursday night in Matador celebrating the 1st birthday of great granddaughter, Cassidy Turner. It was held in the home of her parents, Craig and Cathy Turner.

A delightful time was enjoyed when Cassidy opened her gifts, crawled into the boxes and blew out her candle on a decorated cake. Others attending were grandparents, Dean and Nova Dale Turner and Mrs. Linda Perryman of Matador.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

Love is like a beautiful red rose, and with each year, it blooms more perfectly. The beauty of the blossoms far outweigh the pain of any thorns along life's way. We wish you a happy Valentine's Day!

Mrs. Frances Dixon accompanied Ed and Rita Lawrence of Matador to St. Mary's hospital in Lubbock, Sunday, February 1. Mr. Lawrence had surgery, Monday and returned home Wednesday.

Ms. Lula Swim of Roaring Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Matador and Mrs. Juanita Cooper were on the host and hostess list of a retirement party given for Mrs. Mary Jo Brown, postmistress of Dickens. The courtesy was held Saturday afternoon, February 7 at the Senior Citizens building in Dickens. Mrs. Cooper returned home Saturday morning from Amarillo where she visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dunn and daughter, Kourtney, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keith of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Johney Turner were guests at a buffet dinner, Saturday night at the Country Club in Lubbock honoring Cynthia and David Stafford of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon met her mother, Mrs. Ted Hester of Lovington, N.M. in Lubbock, Wednesday. Following medical appointments and attending to business, they visited David Dixon and Mrs. Lela Faye Jones.

Cobey Turner visited Saturday night and Sunday in Lubbock with his sister and husband, Heather and Scott Blount.

Things are beautiful if you love them. —Jean Anouilh

Valentine Sale Continues

Get your Sweetheart a Valentine Card or Goodie



Matador V&S Variety 347-2820

Weekend guest of Mrs. Leona Degan was her grandson, Dane Degan of Lubbock. Joining them for lunch, Sunday were his parents, Stanley and Donna Degan of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey visited overnight Monday in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey. Tuesday, they were met by daughter, Mrs. Jackie Davis of Fritch in Amarillo and Mrs. Starkey had cardiology medical tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin accompanied Mrs. Bessie Martin of Floydada to Plainview, Friday for a medical appointment. They visited in Quitaque, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Monk.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris visited in Matador Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine visited last Sunday in Lubbock with Elisa and Stan Wigley. They were in Lubbock, Wednesday for medical and dental appointments.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers were Ronnie Rogers and Dane Degan of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan of Calgary and Donnie Rogers of Flomot.

Mrs. Gwen Mandrell, Dustin, Shae and Peyton of Lubbock visited Sunday with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen Calvert. Mrs. Mandrell was a guest at the Oprah Winfrey Show telecast from Amarillo, shown on Monday, February 9, featuring Garth Brooks.

Luncheon guests, Sunday of Mrs. Tommie Cruse was houseguest, her mother, Mrs. Dona Browning of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clifton, Monica and Skylar of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn, Fannin and Danielle of Whiteflat; Mr. and Mrs. Brand Cruse of Turkey; Leah Cruse, student at WTA&M in Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Keane and Derrick and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse, Talon and Rogan of Flomot.

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Obituaries

Bobby J. Davis

Funeral services were held for Bobby J. Davis, 61, at 2:00 p.m., Friday, January 30, 1998 at the City View Baptist Church in Wichita Falls, Texas. Burial was at Crestview Cemetery under the direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home. Rev. Harvey McMurry, pastor of City View Baptist Church, officiated.

Mr. Davis was born November 5, 1937 in Boswell, Oklahoma. He died Tuesday, January 27, 1998. He had been a resident of Wichita Falls for 30 years.

He was owner of McGinnis Welding Supply. He was a member and deacon of City View Baptist Church, where he taught Sunday School. He was involved in Com-

munity Missions and Church outreach. He helped with the youth programs at the church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bobby Davis, of Wichita Falls; one son Joey Davis of Wichita Falls; one daughter, Lisa Pool of Iowa Park; five brothers, Junior Davis of Wellington, Sonny Davis of Rogue River, Oregon, Jackie Davis of Mansfield, Kenneth Davis of Pampa, and Danny Davis of Wichita Falls; four sisters, Frances Jones of Bennington, Oklahoma, Dorothy Daniels of Odessa, Helen Nix of Wichita Falls, and Betty Simpson of Northfield; four grandchildren, Kraig and Lyndsay Pool and Clayton and Tiffany Greene.

Mary Frances Reynolds

Services for Mary Frances Reynolds, 80, of Lubbock were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, February 10, in St. John's United Methodist Church with Bob Reynolds officiating and the Rev. Bobby McMillan, pastor, assisting.

Burial was in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

She died Saturday, Feb. 7, 1998, at her home.

She was born Sept. 10, 1917, in Plains and moved to Lubbock in 1932. She married B.D. "Pete" Reynolds Sr. on Feb. 26, 1938 in Lubbock. He died Feb. 10, 1985. She graduated from Seminole High School and Texas Tech.

She was a member of St. John's United Methodist Church. She was a golfer, a member of Queens & Kings, the Forty-Niners and the Wednesday Group Bridge Center of Lubbock.

She taught school in New Home, Ropes, Flomot, San Antonio and El Paso. At San Antonio's Davy Crockett Elementary School she was named "An Outstanding Elementary Teacher of America."

Survivors include one son, Durwood Reynolds of El Paso; two daughters, Jan Kireilis and Johanne Reynolds, both of Lubbock; one sister, Mattie Ruth Sims of Arlington; eight grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

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The 26 cents per month surcharge would not be billed to customers who receive ELC. However, customers who receive ELC and pay less than the maximum \$3.50 a month residential ELC charge or less than the maximum \$7 business ELC charge will have to pay the additional 26 cents per month charge.

Expanded Local Calling was created in 1993 by Texas legislation that requires telephone companies to provide toll-free calling between small towns that share a community of interest such as a school or hospital district. The legislation allows telephone companies to recover costs not paid through customer charges by applying a surcharge to all other customers in the state who do not receive the ELC service or who do not pay the maximum ELC rate. The maximum monthly ELC rate allowed under state law is \$3.50 per line for residential customers and \$7 per line for business customers.

Southwestern Bell estimates that the 26 cents per month per line charge will recover the \$27 million annual cost of providing ELC service that is not recovered from ELC rates.

If approved by the PUC, the monthly statewide surcharge of 26 cents per line per month will begin with the April, 1998 billing cycles, with an agreement to refund all or part of the charge if the PUC does not approve it.

For questions about the reasons for the charge, please call the Southwestern Bell Business Office listed in your directory.

The PUC assigned Docket Number 18513 to this proceeding. The deadline for intervention in this matter is March 31, 1998. Persons who wish to intervene or comment in these proceedings should notify the PUC by March 31, 1998. All requests to intervene should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, TX, 78711-3326. For information intervening, please call the PUC at 1-888-782-8477 or at 512-936-7120.

AVISO PUBLICO

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (Southwestern Bell) presentó una solicitud ante la Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Texas (PUC) para cobrar 26 centavos más al mes por línea para recuperar los costos por el servicio de Llamadas Locales Ampliadas (ELC) a ciertos clientes en Texas.

El cargo de 26 centavos al mes no se cobrará a los clientes que reciben ELC. Sin embargo, los clientes que reciben ELC y pagan menos del máximo de \$3.50 al mes por el servicio ELC residencial o menos del máximo de \$7 por el servicio ELC comercial, tendrán que pagar 26 centavos adicionales a su pago mensual.

El servicio de Llamadas Locales Ampliadas (ELC) fue establecido en 1993 por la legislación del estado de Texas y requiere que las compañías prestadoras de servicios telefónicos ofrezcan llamadas de larga distancia gratuitas entre pequeñas poblaciones que comparten un interés común tales como distritos escolares y de hospitales. Esta ley permite que las compañías telefónicas recuperen los costos no pagados mediante cargos a clientes, a través de un cargo a todos los demás clientes en el estado que no reciben el servicio ELC o que no pagan la tarifa máxima del servicio ELC. La tarifa máxima mensual permitida por la ley estatal es \$3.50 por línea para clientes con servicio residencial y \$7 por línea para clientes con servicio comercial.

Southwestern Bell calcula que los 26 centavos al mes por línea cubrirán los \$27 millones del costo anual del servicio ELC que no está cubierto por las tarifas de ELC.

Si la PUC autoriza el cargo mensual estatal de 26 centavos al mes por línea éste comenzará a partir de los ciclos de facturación de abril 1998, con el acuerdo de reembolsar todo o parte del cargo si la PUC no lo autoriza.

Para preguntas relacionadas con este cargo, por favor llame a la Oficina Local de Southwestern Bell listada en su directorio telefónico.

La PUC asignó el número de registro de 18513 a este procedimiento. El plazo de intervención sobre este asunto terminará el 31 de marzo de 1998. Las personas que deseen intervenir o hacer comentarios sobre este procedimiento deberán notificar a la PUC antes del 31 de marzo de 1998. Todas las solicitudes de intervención deberán enviarse por correo a Public Utility Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, TX 78711-3326. Para mayor información sobre la intervención, por favor comuníquese con la PUC al 1-888-782-8477 o al 512-936-7120.

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Announcement of the results from the 16th Conservation Reserve Program Sign-up should bring smiles to the faces of landowners across the Texas High Plains.

High Plains landowners enrolled 502,426 acres during the 16th CRP Sign-Up. Contracts for newly enrolled acreage will become effective October 1, 1998. One exception to the October 1 date is that landowners with new contracts covering land that expired September 30, 1997 can request their contracts become effective the month following final approval or October 1, 1998.

Crops planted on land with contracts effective October 1, 1998 can be harvested, even when normal harvest occurs after October 1, with no effect on the first year's payment. The first payment date for new contracts effective October 1, 1998 will be October 2, 1999. Contracts that become effective before October 1, 1998, will receive their first payment shortly after Octo-

ber 2, 1998.

Statewide results indicate 944,792 acres were accepted during the 16th CRP Sign-Up out of 1,397,676 acres offered in Texas. With 67.5 percent of the contracts accepted, Texas landowners have been rewarded for their efforts to maximize the Environmental Benefits Index (EBI) point total used to rank CRP offers during this Sign-Up.

The cut-off point for EBI scores accepted during the 16th Sign-Up was 247. All bids scoring an EBI of 247 or greater were accepted. Landowners will be contacted by their county Farm Service Agency office if their bid was accepted.

Nationwide 5.9 million acres were accepted into the CRP from 9.5 million acres offered, a 62.5 percent acceptance rate. The national average rental payment moved up to \$45.15. This Sign-Up brings total CRP enrollment to 29.9 million acres nationwide.

16th CRP Sign-Up Results Texas High Plains

County	Acres Offered	Acres Accepted	Total CRP (After 16th Sign-Up)	Ave. Rent
Bailey	67	0	125,605	N/A
Borden	2,013	1,704	7,336	\$39.24
Briscoe	25,627	8,046	43,652	\$30.89
Castro	37,576	37,494	86,400	\$37.79
Cochran	0	0	102,019	N/A
Crosby	16,989	15,628	34,334	\$39.05
Dawson	33,943	21,295	95,688	\$35.53
Deaf Smith	103,635	81,081	153,206	\$38.90
Dickens	11,145	383	45,013	\$32.49
Floyd	62,028	56,667	93,725	\$38.03
Gaines	19,368	19,107	187,441	\$32.90
Garza	9,105	8,884	23,772	\$35.71
Hale	65,222	60,627	101,091	\$37.80
Hockley	30,977	28,060	104,720	\$37.77
Howard	14,696	13,917	46,526	\$37.64
Lamb	36,501	24,869	132,840	\$37.67
Lubbock	19,346	18,680	40,621	\$38.46
Lynn	20,624	19,775	59,591	\$35.34
Martin	24,332	19,379	68,001	\$36.50
Midland	3,896	3,726	17,794	\$39.69
Parmer	30,235	29,293	72,390	\$38.28
Swisher	40,198	10,005	125,340	\$31.97
Terry	25,405	20,221	107,743	\$36.82
Yoakum	8,568	3,585	71,759	\$35.77
TOTALS	641,496	502,426	1,946,607	\$34.97

Source: Farm Service Agency, USDA, January 29, 1998

Producer Task Forces in the Southern High Plains Boll Weevil Eradication Zone (SHP) and in the Permian Basin Boll Weevil Eradication Zone (PB) are one step nearer to asking cotton growers to vote on eradication programs in the two zones.

During the past two weeks program proposals and preliminary budgets have been developed by officials of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation. These Proposals are now under consideration by members of

the Task Forces. It is expected that proposed assessments and details of the operational plans, together with financial details, will be published by the two groups in the near future.

Don Parrish, a Yoakum County cotton grower is chairman of the SHP Task Force. Eddie Herm, cotton grower from Ackerley in southern Dawson county chairs the PB Task Force.

Two producer meetings in the remaining nine counties of the old Southern High Plains/Caprock Zone,

at present being referred to as Caprock Zone, are apparently scheduled for February. At a recent gathering of interested producers held at the conclusion of the Caprock Cotton Conference, opinions were aired that could possibly lead to a diapause control program becoming established in Briscoe, Floyd, Motley, Dickens, and Crosby counties. Others are extremely concerned over the potentially severe boll weevil problem in the area surrounding the city of Lubbock.

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Charles Keith Attends Agritech Planning Meeting

Charles Keith, Secretary, Motley County Chamber of Commerce, attended the first of 10 planning sessions for the "Texas Agritech Corridor" stretching between Lubbock and San Antonio. This meeting was held Tuesday, February 3, at Texas Tech International Cultural Center.

With the aid of a \$500,000 grant from the U.S. Commerce Department, the "Texas Agritech Corridor Partnership" is conducting 10 strategy sessions all across the proposed corridor, which entails 67 counties, to find ways to attract the capitol investment needed to draw value-added industries to the area. The "Agritech Partnership" consists of the Texas Department of Economic Development, Texas Tech University, International Agritech Center - San Antonio, Palo Alto college, Texas A&M University, and University of Texas - San Antonio. Texas Tech's College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources will head up the strategic planning effort for the 22 counties in the Northern region of the Corridor.

4-H MEETING FEBRUARY 19

There will be a Motley County 4-H meeting Thursday, February 19 starting at 4:30 p.m. at the 4-H building. Project record forms will be worked on and upcoming 4-H activities will be discussed.

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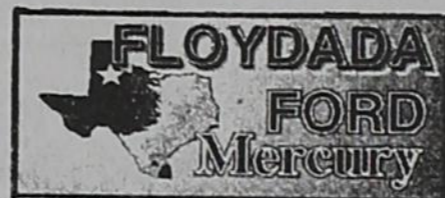
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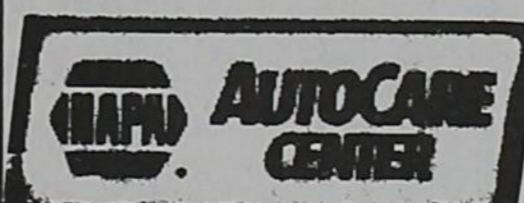
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