

MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Matador Tribune

Voice of the Foothill Country

Harvey Lee Chosen Player Of The Year

Motley County senior runningback Harvey Lee has been named All-South Plains Class 1A Player of the Year, and three of his team mates were named to the All-South Plains offensive and defensive teams.

Joining Lee in the honor ranks in All-South Plains were Tim Shannon, junior running back; Glen Calvert, senior kicker; Wesley Stafford, senior defensive lineman. Lee was also named All-South Plains defensive lineman.

Lee, despite suffering a broken hand early in the season, gained more than 800 of the Matadors' 3000 yards total rushing yards and scored 13 touchdowns.

The 6-1, 200 pound senior is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lee Sr., and was also anchoring the Matadors' defense that ranked second among area teams by allowing

an average of only 164.3 yards per game during the regular season.

Calvert, 6-3, 240 pound senior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert of Flomot. Stafford, 6-3, 215 pound senior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Stafford of Matador.

Shannon, 5-11, 165 pound junior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shannon.

Class 1A All-South Plains Offense
QB - Richie Fuston, Valley, 6-6, 190, Sr.; RB - Lester King, Sudan, 5-9, 170, Jr.; RB - Kevin Hendrix, Valley, 5-9, 150 Sr.; RB - Tim

Shannon, Motley County, 5-11, 165, Jr.; SE - Billy Bishop, Wilson, 6-0, 170 Sr.; TE - Brent Brown, Valley, 6-2, 200, Sr.; G - Stacey Price, Valley, 5-9, 160, Jr.; G - Duane Hirt, Garden City, 6-1, 185, Sr.; Kirby Chandler, Valley, 6-0, 185, Sr.; T - Glen
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Businesses To Close For Christmas Holidays

Most local businesses will remain open Thursday for the last minute shopper but a few have announced they will be closed on Thursday, Christmas Eve.

Matador First State Bank will close at noon on Thursday and remain closed until Monday. Plainview Savings and Loan will close at 1 p.m. Thursday for the holiday break. They will open again on Monday, December 28.

Billy's Grocery will be closed Christmas Day only as well as Davis Oil Company, Cooper Oil Company, and Giesecke Butane Co. Giesecke said their office would be closed on Saturday but the truck would be running.

Billie Dean's Drive Inn will close Christmas Eve, December 24 and remain closed until 6 a.m. January 2, 1982.

Bob Stanley Pharmacy will be closed on

Friday and Saturday, along with Higginbotham-Bartlett, Matador Auto, Matador Motor and Implement, Matador Variety, Thacker Supply of Roaring Springs and Matador Hardware.

Businesses planning to close Thursday are Matador Floral, Production Credit Association, West Texas Utilities and the Matador Tribune.

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FIRST VISIT WITH SANTA -- Crystal Davis, daughter of Beanie Davis has her first visit with Santa on December 12th at the "Old Fashioned Christmas Day" held in Matador. (Photo by Mary Renfro)

Local Red Cross To Help In Drive For Polish People

Miss Rachel Patton, Chapter Chairman of the Motley County Chapter, has announced a formal appeal for funds, launched by the American Red Cross, to assist the Polish Red Cross Society in coping with the needs of certain groups of people in the current crisis. This appeal will

offer all Americans the opportunity to express their concern during this holiday season.

The Polish Red Cross has responsibility for 50,000 low-income aged and handicapped persons and for 20,000 children from families with social problems and handicaps for at least a four-month period. The

American Red Cross has made an initial donation of \$100,000.

Because of the high cost of transport, the Red Cross stressed that financial assistance is the most effective way of meeting the needs of these vulnerable groups. The funds will be transferred to the League of Red Cross Societies in Geneva, which will purchase, in

Europe, food, clothing, blankets and other items for shipment to specially designated Red Cross warehouses in seven Polish cities for distribution to individuals or institutions.

Checks should be sent to the American Red Cross, Box 116, Matador, Texas 79244. Checks should be earmarked for "Polish Emergency Relief"



GIN FIRE -- Matador Firemen were called to West Texas Gin two miles North of Matador shortly after noon Monday to extinguish a cotton lint fire on the east side of the gin. Some of the flames had reached inside the gin when firemen arrived. Damage was said to be light.

(Photos by Leon Watson)

Speed and Alcohol Are Holiday Killers

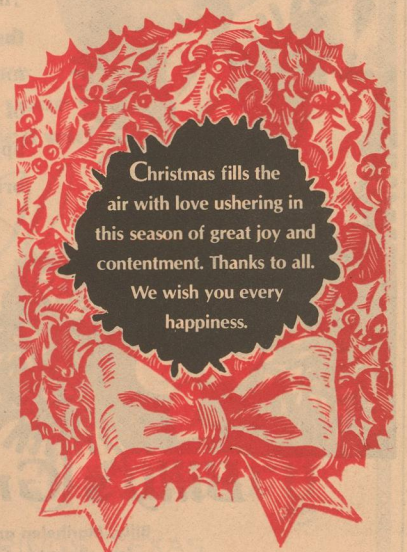
"Traditionally, excessive speed and alcohol are the leading violations that cause holiday traffic accidents," said Major C. W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, Region 5. Because of this, special emphasis will be placed on these violators during the Christmas-New Years seasons and all DPS personnel will make a special effort to try and reduce this needless waste of lives.

Major Bell noted that Texas is running 6% above last year in traffic fatalities, and a new record was set last year when 4,424 persons were killed. Last year in Texas he

stated someone died in a traffic accident on an average of one each hour and 59 minutes, and someone was injured every 2 minutes and 50 seconds. "There is no excuse for this waste of human lives and human suffering," he stated.

This time of year should be a happy and joyous time. For most people it will be -- but for others it will be a tragic time because of an accident.

Major Bell concluded by saying, "Most of these tragic traffic deaths could be prevented if the motorist would use good judgement and obey traffic laws."



Christmas fills the air with love ushering in this season of great joy and contentment. Thanks to all. We wish you every happiness.

MERRY CHRISTMAS



May the Angel of Light watch over you and those dear to you, now and forever. Have a Merry Christmas!

We truly hope that every glowing moment of your holiday is radiant with joy and gladness. Warm thanks.

C. R.'s
Conoco

C.R., Sis and Charles

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El Progreso Club Has Christmas Tea

Annual Christmas Tea was held by El Progreso Club, Dec. 10, at the First United Methodist Church, with high school senior girls and their mothers as guests. Also special guests were Blake Northam and Sherman Aten from Wayland Baptist University, Plainview.

Mrs. Furman Vinson, president, welcomed the members and guests assembled in the church sanctuary, where Mrs. Frank Pohl presented a medley of organ selections. After disposing of business items, Mrs. Vinson turned the program to Mrs. Douglas Meador, as leader for a most enjoyable program in

keeping with the season.

A narrative, "The Innkeeper Remembers," presented by Mrs. John Hamilton was an impressive story about the keeper of the inn where Jesus was born. The appreciative audience was carried back in time by Mrs. Hamilton's convincing recitation, which set the mood for special music by Mr. Northam, Youth and Music Director of the First Baptist Church. He led the assembly in singing a Christmas hymn, "Silent Night," and followed with solo singing of popular yuletide songs, closing with "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas," with Mr. Aten as accompan-

ist.

Inspirational Thought was by the leader, who read a quotation from Trail Dust by the late Douglas Meador.

After the program, the club members and guests assembled in the Fellowship Hall for a holiday tea, served by a committee composed of Mesdames J. E. Edwards, Frank Price, Phil Green and Ted Elliott, and Miss Rachel Patton.

The serving table was resplendent with a centerpiece of red tapers in a silver candelabra surrounded by greenery and complemented by a silver coffee and tea service and a variety of holiday cookies, other sweets and canapes.

The senior girls received gifts from the club, and members received miniature lapel Santa faces made of yarn, as mementoes from the president.

Girls and their mothers present were, Sonja Schuder and Mrs. Robert Schuder; Carlene Luckett and Mrs. Carter Luckett; Brenda Renfro Osborn and Mrs. Charlie Renfro; Derinda Cruse and Mrs. Ray Cruse; Rhonda Stephens and Mrs. H. A. Stephens; Susannah Woodruff and Mrs. Glenn Woodruff; Kim Campbell and Mrs. Bundy Hal Campbell; Sarah Marvel Hoggland and Mrs. Kenneth Marvel.

Members present, in addition to those mentioned were, Miss Mary Keith and Mesdames W. N. Pipkin, Una Simpson, Harold Campbell, W. F. McCaghen and W. D. Lipscomb.



Rickey Green and Jackie Bearden

Bearden-Green Reveal Plans For Wedding

Mr. Jack Bearden and Mrs. Betty June Bearden of Matador announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jackie Elizabeth, to Rickey Norris Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Green of Matador.

The wedding vows will be exchanged on January 23, 1982 at 2 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

Miss Bearden is a 1980 graduate of Motley County High School and attended Vernon Regional Junior College for one year. She is presently

employed at the Red X in Matador. Mr. Green is a 1975 graduate of Motley County High School. He is presently employed as a painter

and carpenter.

All friends and relatives of the couple are cordially invited to attend the wedding and reception.

J. W. Pritchett Honored On Birthday

The gaily decorated home of Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison was the scene of a holiday party recently. The occasion was the birthday of J. W. Pritchett.

After many games of

88 and lots of camaraderie, and just before the witching hour the group left after wishing the honoree "Many Happy Returns".

Those present other than the host and hostess were, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Lipscomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dirickson.

A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

The beauty of Christmas lies in the thought that we live in the memory of our friends. We think of you with warmth and appreciation and wish you a bright and glowing holiday season.

Billy's Grocery

Billy, Marihelen and Mark
Joe, Richard, Charlie
Pauline, Teresa, Dorothy, Donna

BEFORE CHRISTMAS SALE SAVINGS GALORE!

New Ladies Holiday Wear
Donavan Galvani
Catalina
Bobby Brooks
Hedy Sweaters

Men's Boots
Tony Lama
Justin
Cowntown

Resistol Hats

All Sizes of
Children's Clothes

Lacy's Dry Goods

Turkey, Texas

Shop With Us For
Holiday Bargains

Joy and PEACE

May all our friends and neighbors savor the quiet contentment of Christmas spent with those they love.

Charlie, Mary
Dena and Andy

Christmas Silver Tea Held By Garden Club

A Christmas Silver Tea was held Monday, Dec. 14, at the Plainview Savings and Loan Community Room by the Matador Garden Club, with Mrs. Tom Spears as hostess. Donations were made to Texas Garden Clubs Ednowment Fund, an annual project of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc.

Mrs. Ted Elliott was program leader, and presiding was Mrs. Douglas Meador, president.

Mrs. Edgar Lee reported that the club made \$29.00 on the grab-bag sales during the Old Fashioned Christmas observance Dec. 12. She also said that the windmill wheel that was placed on the stand at Pioneer Park, would be permanent. The wheel makes an effective background for the Christmas wreath which was put up for the second year. It was also noted that

poinsettias had been placed in the tubs at places of business, by the Garden Club.

Mrs. W. N. Pipkin, secretary, read a letter to the club, informing of the recent death of Robert McCoy of Goldthwaite, husband of the State President of Texas Garden Clubs. Sympathy will be extended Mrs. McCoy, from the club. The members signed a Christmas greeting which was sent to Mrs. W. W. Clements of Carlsbad, N.M., a former member and president of Matador Garden Club.

Roll Call was conducted by the leader and the "show and tell" response was for members to bring an evergreen branch from one of their trees or shrubs and identify it. Norfolk pine, nandina, pine and cones, and holly were some of the greenery brought in the

100% participation of the members present.

The Beauty of Christmas was the subject of a paper by Mrs. Pipkin, describing the origin of the use of wreaths, bells, trees and other symbols for Christmas decorations. Luminaries and other decorations were discussed. Mrs. Meador concluded the program with a review from the

National Gardner, including a Christmas message by Mrs. Francis A. Fink, President, National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc.

Mrs. Spears, Mrs. J. D. Craven and Mrs. W. D. Lipscomb formed a tea committee for refreshments. The serving table was festive with a centerpiece of greenery and

ornaments, surrounding a large white candle. A variety of cookies and canapes, fruit cake and nuts were served, together with hotspiced tea and coffee from a silver service. Individual tables were centered with original Christmas decorations, made by Mrs. Spears, and a beautiful vase arrangement, displayed in the entry, was a gift

to Mr. and Mrs. Spears from former residents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seale of Snyder.

Attending the tea, in addition to those mentioned, were Mrs. Alvin Stearns, Mrs. Artie Wason, Mrs. Robert Birchfield, Mrs. W. F. Jacobs and Miss Rachel Patton.



"WAIT'LL AFTER CHRISTMAS. WE'RE GOING ON SALE."

FHA Has Christmas Program

By Rhonda Stephens
For the 1981 F.H.A. Christmas program, Miss Karen Burgess was

invited to give program on how make money using gifts. Included, recipes

to be made and packaged for inexpensive gifts. It also included some decorations, that could be made from odds and ends around your house.

All the F.H.A. members would like to thank the community for the support that has been given to us in our bake sale and for the projects in the past.

The F.H.A. Chapter would also like to wish everyone a Happy Holiday season.



HOLY HOLY Let us rejoice in loving adoration as we celebrate and remember the miracle of Christmas.
The Rex Johnson Family



Christmas Cheer
Skating in with friendly wishes for a shining Christmas. Thanks.
The Dugout and Clay's Car Wash
Clay, Barbara and Jason

Dorothy's
Annual Clearance Sale
Sale
Starts Monday, December 28 9:30 a.m.
Don't Miss These GREAT BUYS!!!
Biggest Sale Of the Year
Dorothy's Ladies Apparel
1511 W. 5TH ST. PLAINVIEW, TX.
LOCATED IN GABRIEL-WAYLAND SHOPPING CENTER

Christmas Wishes

Let there be love at Christmas when all the world is warm and bright with dreams. In the hushed landscape of this glorious season, we send tidings of comfort and joy and continuing thanks to all!

Joyce & Caldwell Smith

Red Ball Gin

Roaring Springs, Texas

Deck the halls and gather 'round to share in a festive celebration. Hope your holidays are trimmed with treats!

Merry Christmas

Thacker Jewelry

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TURN ME LOOSE -- Ryan Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin thinks mom is too far away for comfort as he visits with Santa. Looking on is Dusty Whitaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Whitaker. Also shown is Mrs. Whitaker.

(Photo by Mary Renfro)

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy. I've been short on money would you please give me some. I want a twenty two or a motorcycle. I want a recorder. I want a little motorcycle stunt dirt bike and a electronic basketball game. I want a television set instead of an atari.
Your good boy,
Cary

Dear Santa,

I want a calculator, football suit with the jersey, shoulder pads, helmet, thigh pads, pants and shoes. I also want a compound bow with six arrows. I want a walkie-talkie that changes channels and I want some roller skates.
Brand R. Cruise

Dear Santa,

How are you? I'm just fine. I have been a good nice boy. I am ready for a big happy Christmas. I can't wait until it snows, I'm sure it is real cold and snowy their at the North Pole. I will make a list for you. Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I want a shotgun, racetrack, and more.
Good-Bye!
From Donnie Wittler
To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

I want some shoes train and track, clothes, a pet squirrel, 90 trail yamma, and a race horse. But most of all a mini magnum compound bow and arrows is what I want.
Your friend,
Rusty Willmon

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a recorder, a achery set, school clothes, a set of walkie-talkies and a new football.
Jarrett Jameson

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy. I want a go-cart for X-mas. I also want a cross bow for X-mas and I want a rubiks cube and a pair of shaps.
A good boy,
Walter Linson

Dear Santa,

I would like a new pair of boots, a compound bow and arrow. By the way I've been a real good boy this year. I'm in the 4th grade. My name is Todd Cummins. I would like a pair of basketball shoes this year too. I want a complete football suit.
From Todd Cunnins
I wish you a Happy New Year.

Dear Santa,

I've been a good boy. I want a motorcycle, train set, 22 rifle, a go-cart, a bicycle, a Dallas cowboy football suit, and a walkie-talkie.
Your friend,
Cory Franks

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. How are all of your reindeer today? All I want for Christmas is a rubick's cube, a golden dream barbei doll, and a cut and grow doll. That's all I want for Christmas.
Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Your Friend,
Bargie Guerrero

Margie Guerrero

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. Thank you for last year's presents. How is your rainders? How is Mrs. Claus? We're all fine down here at Flomot.
This year for Christmas I would like to have a record player, some clothes and a rubick's cube. That's about it.
Love,
Priscilla Roys

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. I want a stereo for Christmas and I want records this year. Thank you for last year's presents. How are your reindeers. I will leave you fudge and hot chocolate.
Brandi Barton

Dear Santa,

I want a lot of things for Christmas but mostly I want people to love each other. You adults are always preaching about brotherly love and the preacher says "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." And then ignores, brushes off, puts down or neglects the poor, less well dressed, less privileged ones that comes his way.
And did you know Santa that where I go to church that none of us little children ever are asked to sing or recite Bible verses? Neighther are the older children. If we are to be the spiritual leaders of tomorrow as we've been told, why aren't we allowed to do some of the things now that will be expected of us later? Some times I think our preacher must be jealous of us or just doesn't want to be bothered.
Really Santa, we sing real good for little children and the truth is we do better than some of the adults. I just want to remind them that they are not doing what God said to do when he said "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of God." And also "As ye have done it unto the least of these my brethern, ye've done it unto me."
Santa, I hope God opens some adults eyes and touches some old, hard hearts this Christmas. What we need most of all is the gift of love.
I love you, Santa -
From Suzie Samples
P.S. I'd like to have a baby doll this year.

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. How are all of your reindeers? I am doing fine. Thank you for last year's presents.
Love,
Yulanda Campbell

Dear Santa,

My name is Brandi and I am three years old. I have been a good girl this year. I would like for you to bring me a Stove, Table and Chairs and a baby doll. I have a big brother, his name is Bradley and he wants a Backhoe and a Dukes of Hazzard race car set. He has been a pretty good boy this year.
I Love You Santa,
Brandi Jameson

Dear Santa,

My name is Salina and I am four years old. I have been a good girl this year.
I want a Tippee-Toes Doll, a Strawberry Shortcake Snail-Cart and The Strawberry Short Cake Family.
Love,
Salina Shorter

Dear Santa Claus,

Hope you don't get too cold coming to our house. I have been a good boy this year.
Please bring Dane

and I some toys. We will leave cookies and milk for you on the table.
Love,
Dowell Garrison

Dear Santa,

I've been a good boy. I will write a list of what I want for Christmas. Football, car maker, gun and pen havees. My name is Heath Campbell.
Love, Heath

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. How are all your reindeer today? I hope they are doing good. How is Mrs. Claus? I hope she is doing alright too.
For Christmas I want a Rubick's cube, a calculator, a pair of pants and a shirt to go with it. That's about it.
Thank you for last year's presents.
Love,
Cindy Shorter

Dear Santa,

My name is Yulanda Campbell. I have been a good girl. I want a gocart, calculator, watch, shoes, tenny shoes, clothes, doll and a sleeping bag for Christmas.
How is Mrs. Santa? I hope she's doing fine. How are all of your reindeers? I am doing fine. Thank you for last year's presents.
Love,
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Love,
Salina Shorter

Joy

A holiday chock full of happy times to all our neighbors and friends. Serving you has made us happy. Thanks.

Doc's Garage
Doc & Lena Cook

holiday Cheer

You're on our list of special people and so we hope your Christmas is a treasury of merriment and pleasure.

Thacker Supply Company
Roaring Springs, Texas



Merrily, merrily, we sing a song of Christmas and hope its love will add a bright note to your celebration.

Irene, Boyd & Thiry

Happy Holidays

Wishing you everything bright and beautiful in this and all seasons. We prize your continuing friendship and say "thanks."

Matador Motor & Implement



SISTERS VISIT SANTA -- Lacey and Casey Parks, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parks visit with Santa during the "Old Fashioned Christmas Day" held in Matador December 12. (Photo by Mary Renfro)



NOW LET'S SEE -- Joe Anthony Mangram looks thoughtful as he tells Santa what he wants for Christmas. (Photo by Mary Renfro)



SALINA SHORTER, daughter of Connie Shorter and Louis Shorter looks happy as she talks to Santa on Saturday, December 12 in Matador. (Photo by Mary Renfro)



Cathey and Darryn Perryman, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perryman visit with Santa on December 12.

Best Wishes

Wishing you happiness by the yard!
A Merry Christmas to all.

Joe & Loys Campbell

Bible Study Led By Mrs. Edgar Lee

Baptist women met Tuesday, Dec. 15 in the church parlor for Bible study, led by Mrs. Edgar Lee. "Theme of the study was, "How Spiritual Is my Check-book?"

Scriptures studied included Luke, chapters 12 and 15; Matthew, chapters 4 and 14; Deuteronomy 8; and John 14:26. A study of these scriptures provide answers to questions, such as, "What is the relationship between

my use of money and my commitment to Christ?"

After the program, Mrs. Lee served refreshments of hot, spiced apple juice and snacks, including a cheese roll from Mrs. Odis Killingsworth of Lovington, N.M., a former Matador resident and member of the Baptist W.M.U.

Christmas Greetings

Merry Christmas
&
Happy New Year
Everybody!
Jo & Curtis

Your friendship adds to the variety and spice of our life. So we extend greetings of the season and thanks to you all.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Matador Variety

Midst the glow and glimmer of Christmas we are reminded of the many dear friends we cherish. We hope our friendship will continue to burn brightly through this and every season.

Davis Service Station and Davis Oil Company

Roaring Springs Ronnie and Jack Davis Matador

May the heavenly sounds of Christmas bring our grateful message to you all . . .

PEACE ON EARTH GOOD WILL TO ALL MEN!

Billie Dean's Drive In

Will Close December 24th
Open January 2 at 6 a.m.

Sale Of Crude Oil Reported In County

HOLY NIGHT

We give thanks for the sublime and holy spirit that means Christmas.



Clarence and Gussie

The sale of crude oil and natural gas from Motley County wells in 1980 boosted the county economy and accounted for \$3.4 million of the \$31.2-billion value placed on Texas production last year.

In a report on the economic impact of oil and gas industry operations in the top producing counties of Texas, Dallas-based Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association said the county ranked 187th among Texas' 254 counties on the basis of value of its marketed petroleum production. This includes condensate and casinghead gas.

The county's wells produced 155,571 barrels of crude oil, valued at \$3.4 million, and 18,039 Mcfs of natural gas, valued at \$26,824. Owners of royalty in the county received \$423,978 as their share of the output, the Association said.

"Although crude oil and natural gas production in Texas declined slightly last year from 1979 levels, we in the industry are encouraged by the fact that drilling starts in 1980 were up 16-percent over the previous year," said the Association's chairman, Avery Rush, Jr., of Amarillo. "Since petroleum remains the

cornerstone of our state's economy and its tax base, Texas must continue to encourage the development of its energy resources," Rush added.

In addition to paying local, county, and state property taxes, producers in the county also supported state government through production tax payments estimated at \$156,802, according to the Association. Crude

oil taxes amounted to \$154,790 while natural gas levies totalled \$2,012.

In the search for new petroleum reserves in the county, oil and gas operators spent a reported \$240,065 in the drilling of one wildcat, or exploratory, well. It was a dry hole. As of March 1, 1981, there were 25 producing oil wells in the county.

PLAYER

Calvert, Motley County, 6-3, 240, Sr.; Zane Stephens, Anton, 5-9, 170, Sr.; K - Glen Calvert, Motley County,

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Defense

DL - Bryan Patterson, Amherst, 5-8, 210, Sr.; DL - Wesley Stafford, Motley County, 6-3, 215, Sr.; DL - Duane Hirt, Garden City, 6-1, 185, Sr.; DL - Mike Kern, Nazareth, 6-2, 225, Sr.; LB - Ronnie Whitaker, Sundown, 5-7, 150, Sr.; LB - Harvey Lee, Motley County, 6-1, 200, Sr.; LB - Mike Taylor, Smyer, 6-2, 185, Jr.; DB - Mike Arismendez, Klondike, 5-8, 150, Sr.; DB - William Moseley, Smyer, 5-8, 140, Sr.; DB - Shane Reagan, Silverton, 6-0, 170, Jr.; LB - Barry Johnson, Amherst, 5-10, 170, So.; P - Calvin Schulte, Nazareth, 6-0, 185, Sr.

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Harvey Lee, Motley Co. COACH OF THE YEAR

Stewart Cooper, Garden City



Church Christmas Play Portrays Life of Jesus

A Christmas play Sunday night at the First Baptist Church, titled, "Tell Me The Story of Jesus," presented the life of Jesus Christ from His birth to His crucifixion and resurrection.

Children and youth in the Sunday School departments presented a message of spreading the gospel throughout the world as they told about the life of Lottie Moon, an early missionary to China, and enacted the scenes surrounding the life of Christ, to a group of children dressed in costumes of other countries.

Theme of the opening scene was "Who Are Our Missionaries?" with Kim Campbell directing, assisted by Mrs. Kenneth (Mary) Marshall, and Mrs. Gary (Cindy) Hillyard, with Coke Barton and Holly Hobbs operating the lights, which were used intermittently during the program.

Lisa Jones portrayed Lottie Moon, and Paul Barton was the Apostle Paul. Other characters were played by Dixie Nimmo, April Vandiver, Kim Campbell, Paka Barton, Leigh Barton, Jeff Taylor, Brent Marshall, Johnny Taylor, Brandi Barton, Heather Hobbs, Shannon Lancaster, Korea Campbell, Brian Marshall, Kim Phillips and Dena Renfro.

Rev. Gary Hillyard, pastor, extended a welcome to the congregation, and singing was conducted by Blake Northam. Mrs. Fred Risser and Mrs. John Stevens served as pianists and Mrs.

Douglas Meador as organist.

The play continued with Part III, "Tell Me The Story of Jesus," with Holly Hobbs and Mrs. Stanley (Melissa) Martin directing, assisted by Renee Renfro, Mrs. Dan (Frances) Brandon and Sharla Green. Carla Christian and Deanna Durham were narrators, with Natalie Burkes filling in, in answering questions of the children from other lands: Tonya Hoyle, Mindy Hillyard, Maybry Hillyard, Russell Tippin, Jason Stanley, Ginger Martin, Jeremy Davis and Amber Brandon. The prophet Isaiah was Cody Christian, and Micah was Wade Vandiver. Cris Gwinn portrayed the Angel Gabriel, Brandee Spray was Mary and Forrest Hillyard, an Angel. Shepherds were Jennifer Davis, Kenneth Jackson and Jeffrey Burkes.


"The Journey of the Shepherds, Wise Men and Angels," was directed by Mrs. Dan Brandon and Mrs. Jess (Caron) Perkins, Randy Gregg, Andy Renfro, and Lee Jones. Angels were Kobi Risser, Brooke Brandon, Holly Tippin; Rebecca Tippin and Laurie Hoyle.

For the finale, all the cast carried lighted candles as they marched around the auditorium, singing the hymn, "Tell Me The Story of Jesus."

During a fellowship hour in the church basement following the program, "finger foods" were served in abundance and many varieties, and money tree gifts were presented the pastor's family, Rev. and Mrs. Gary Hillyard, and to Blake Northam, who has been serving as Music and Youth Director.

PEACE ON EARTH

Santa's on top of the world about the coming holiday. We know it's going to be the best Christmas of them all... out of this world! Greetings to all!



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LG Decal Deadline Nears For Residents

State Comptroller representatives from Lubbock and Plainview will be at Motley County Courthouse to help LG users fill out their forms to receive their LG Decals on December 31.

"LG users need to bring their renewal forms and their current mileage if they need

help filling out the forms," Ellen Giesecke of Giesecke Butane Company said Monday. To get the new decals the miles driven in 1981 must be determined.

1982 rates will be based both on gross weight and mileage.


Under the law the

1981 decal expires December 31. However, because of the holiday season and the Comptrollers delay in getting the renewal information to customers, a user may

purchase LG through January with his 1981 decal.

The change in the law may show that decal holders will find their renewal fee is less in 1982.


Greetings



THE LORD HAS COME

May our spirits be uplifted and our hearts filled with contentment at this Glorious and Holy Time. As an expression of our thanks we wish all our friends a memorable Yuletide season.

Bob Stanley Pharmacy



Letter To The Editor

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12-16-81

Dear Sir:
Please print my brothers new address in the paper. He recently fell and broke his leg at the knee. I'm sure he would appreciate cards from old friends.

Thanks,
Helen Sanders
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HOLIDAY GREETINGS

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Lila Meador

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Donna Mullins Named Miss Patton Springs

By Yolanda Zarate
Patton Springs seniors Donna Mullins, senior, and Sammy Kautz, junior. The most dependable girl and boy are Mullins, and Barry Atkinson, seniors.

Runners-up were Adair, Danny Kautz, freshman, Serena McNutt, junior, Shannon Slaton, sophomore, Mick Perryman, sophomore, and Sammy Kautz.

Most studious girl and boy are Mickey Mowrey, and Atkinson, seniors.

Runners-up are freshman Sheila Lewis, junior Jon Mayo, Mullins, and senior Monty Lewis.

Most beautiful girl and most handsome boy are Mullins and Louie Jiminez, seniors.

Runners-up are seniors Ozborn, Park and Tilley, and junior Alicia Zarate.

Best groomed girl and boy are Mullins and Jiminez.

Runners-up are Perryman, Tilley, Ozborn and Mayo.

Most congenial girl

and boy are Mullins and Sammy Kautz.

Runners-up are Adair, Atkinson, McNutt, and Slaton.

Girl and boy school flirts are Perryman and Jiminez.

Runners-up are Adair, Park, Ozborn Sammy Kautz and Monty Lewis.

more, Scott Park, senior, Angela Ozborn, senior, and Sammy Kautz, junior.

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Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Word reached Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell Sunday that their daughter-in-law, Carolyn Kingery, wife of Roger Kingery, had passed away at M. D. Anderson hospital in Houston.

Funeral services are pending with Adams Funeral Home of Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence (Preacher) Brooks, Meadow; Mrs. Ruby Whitaker, Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smallwood and Nessa, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carpenter and Randall, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. McElton Skaggs, Abilene; Mr.

for their annual Christmas house party the past week end. It has been their custom to have their family gathering the week end before Christmas Day for several years. The following family members attended, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brooks, local residents; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence (Preacher) Brooks, Meadow; Mrs. Ruby Whitaker, Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smallwood and Nessa, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carpenter and Randall, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. McElton Skaggs, Abilene; Mr.

and Mrs. James Price, Lubbock; Mrs. John Avara, and Stacey, Denver City (Mr. Avara was hospitalized Friday); Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Edwards and Heather of Ranger; a number of married grandchildren were also here, but list of their names was unavailable.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim visited her mother, Mrs. Hastings, her brother and wife, the Dean Hastings, and her sister Mrs. Donna Hawkins in Bovina a few days the past week.

The Elmer Osborns shopped in Lubbock

one day this week. Jody Graham of Saudi Arabia and Kevin Graham of Austin, visited their son and brother, Ross Graham in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Myles with whom he makes his home. The Grahams were called to Matador for the funeral of their brother and uncle, William C. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Marshal entertained her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Belaska of Cedar Hill Sunday with a luncheon honoring Mrs. Belaska's birthday.

Merry Christmas

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer had their Christmas early this week end so their children could be with their other parents on Christmas. Visiting were Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer, Trish and Josh of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Palmer and Scotty of Paducah.

The children of Mrs. Edith Brooks and her late husband, Rev. Charlie Brooks gathered at the Brooks home

Graham Services Held Here

Funeral services for William Curtis Graham, 50, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Sunday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Mark Rickman, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the East Mound Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home. Mr. Graham passed away at his home on Wednesday night following a sudden illness.

A native of Matador, he grew up and graduated from Matador High School in 1948. He attended Tarleton College in Stephenville. He then joined the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean Conflict. After his discharge, he lived for a number of years at Graham, Texas before moving back to Matador about seven years ago.

He was a heavy equipment operator and was a member of the United Methodist Church.

He is survived by two sons: John Lane of Bakersfield and Shannon Curtis of Matador; seven daughters: Vicki Findley, Ann Reilly, Tori Michelle Graham and Regina Kelley Graham, all of Bakersfield, Calif.; Sherri Dawn, Kemberly, and Jennifer of Matador and their mother, Sherrie; his mother, Mrs. Duetta Graham of Childress; two brothers, Jimmy of McAllen and Jody of Saudi Arabia; one sister, Mrs. Eddie (Wanda) Leary of Childress.

Pallbearers were Billie Ray Slover, Billy Joe Whitaker, Ben Charles Grundy, J. B. Cooper, Ed Jameson, Bobby Jameson, R. C. Giesecke and Harry Hamilton.

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Church Emphasizes Christmas Offering

With emphasis on the Lottie Moon Christmas offering for foreign missions, Baptist Women's groups this month have studied the work of Baptist missionaries on foreign fields. Theme for this year's study is "How Shall They Hear?" During Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions, group meetings were held in the church parlor of First Baptist Church, and in the homes of Mrs. Bobby Davis and Mrs. Bill Dunning. Participating in the programs were Mesdames Hal Martin, Fred Risser, Roy Tipping, Stanley Martin, C. M. Barton Jr., Stuart Dixon, Cecil Shelton, C. D.

Garrison, Douglas Meador, Edgar Lee, J. D. Craven, Eddie Russell, Audie Poteet, and Mesdames Davis and Dunning. Calendar of Prayer for Baptist missionaries was presented in an original manner at the Davis home. Small tree ornaments were attached to slips of green construction paper containing names of the missionaries having birthdays, Dec. 1.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 2.103 miles of Gr., Strs., Found Crse. & Surf. from FM 94, 20 Miles E. of Matador S, on Highway No. FM 1380, covered by A 3428-1-2 in Motley County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 a.m. January 12, 1982, and then publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of James G. Freeman, Resident Engineer, Childress, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin. Usual rights reserved. Published in Matador Tribune, Dec. 24 and January 1.



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Joyous Noel



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