Lady Matadors Win District

By Kim Hand

The M.C. Basketball teams traveled to Guthrie last Tuesday night to end their 1985 district season where they grabbed 2

The Lady Matadors clinched The Lady Matadors clinched their undefeated district title defeating Guthrie 79-19. The Ladys jumped out to a 38-12 lead at half time. Kim Hand led the scorers of the night matching a career high of 30. Next were Tammie Brown with 17 and Donna Mangram with 10. Shawna Campbell cleaned up in rebounds with 12. Tammie and Penny Bearden led in steals with 5 each. Tammie and Shawna led in assists with 6 each. The leader in shooting from the floor was in shooting from the floor was Tammie with a 70% effort followed by Kim with a 68% effort. From the line Tammie led again with 75% with Darla Smith and Shawna both above 50%. The Lady's forced the Jaquars to turn the ball over 26 times but eir turnovers to 10.
BOYS VARSITY

Motley County Boys played their best game of the year at Guthrie. Motley County won the game with 74-55. The boys shot 42%, 32 out of 76. David Zarate shot 8-17. He scored 19 points and 15 rebounds for the night. The opposing team knew that they had been definitely "Zarated"!

"Zarated"!
Rodney Doran shot 9-27 for 18
points. Brandt Bearden shot 4-9.
He had 9 points and 8 rebounds.
Richard Potts shot 7-11 for 15
points and also 9 rebounds.
Cody Christian shot 3-6. He had
8 points and 2 rebounds.
The Matadors traveled to
Silverton to end their pre-season

MORE LADY MATADOR NEWS The Lady Matadors defeated the Owlettes 66-27. They jumped out to a 25-7 lead in the first quarter and 40-11 at half time. The Lady's had their best first quarter all year giving an 80% effort from the floor. Kim Hand was leading scorer with 20 pts. followed by Jelene Long with 18 coming back from a sickness. Tammie Brown also had 11 pts. Tammie Brown also had 11 pts. Kim and Donna Mangram controlled the boards with 13 RBs by Kim and 11 by Donna. Kim and Donna led in steal with 5 followed by Tammie and Jelene with 4. Kim had 8 blocked shots and 11 deflections. Koree Campbell led in shooting percentage all acquired shooting percentage all around shooting 100% from the floor and to charity line. Tammie and Jelene both shot 50% from the line and Jelene and Donna Mangram both shot above 50% from the floor. They forced Silverton to n the ballover 24 times.

M.C. BOYS FINISH SEASON

Motley County Boys finished the season last Friday at Silverton. M.C. Boys won the game 54-37. Leading scorer for M.C. was Rodney Doran who scored 19 pts. Other high scorers were David Zarate with 11 pts., French Roardon with 11 pts. were David Zarate with 11 pts., Brandt Bearden with 11 pts., Chad Stephens with 4 pts., Richard Potts with 5 pts. and Cody Christian with 4 pts. Leading rebounder for the game was David Zarate with 12 followed by Rodney Doran with

PLAYOFF PREPERATION

To get ready for the playoffs, the Lady Matadors traveled to the Lady Matadors traveled to Aspermont for a warm-up game with the lith ranked Hornets where they lost 72-70. The Ladys fell in the first quarter 12-6. They were down by 12 at the half. In the 3rd quarter they were down by as many as 18 and came back in the 4th to within 2 pts. Tammie Brown was hitting her shots with 24 pts. giving a 63% from the floor. Kim Hand was next with 20 pts. giving 100% effort from the line. Loretta Cross and Koree Campbell both shot above 50% from the floor and Loretta also

gave 100% effort from the line. Donna Mangram had 9 RB2, Kim had 8 and Shawna Campbell had 7. Donna M. had 5 takeaways and Tammie had 4. Donna Warren had 3 blocked shots. The Ladys shot 53% from

shots. The Ladys shot 53% from the line.

The Lady Matadors will be playing the winner of Roscoe-Highland game for Bi-District Thursday or Friday. The Bi-District winner will then advance to the area playoff where they will play O'Donnel or Borden county next Monday, Feb. 18 or Tuesday, Feb. 19th.

From there the winners will compete in the Regional Tournament of Levelland, February 22 & 23.

February 22 & 23.
For more information on the playoffs, contact any Basketball player. Come out and support the Lady Matadors in the playoffs and on the road. Your support is deeply appreciated.





Visitors over the weekend in the home of Jewel Landrum were John and Mary Landrum of Redoak, Don and Louise Johnson and granddaughter Sarah Trammell of Abilene, Bert and Betty Landrum of Lancaster, Jim and Irene Jarkson of Amerilla. and Irene Jackson of Amarillo, Hylois Garnett of Dallas. Local residents were Georgetta Smith, Lucille Gaines, Elgie and Roger Evans, and Ethel Jackson.

This group gathered to celebrate Jewel's 79th birthday.

ROARING SPRINGS
SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS
There will be a called meeting at the Senior Citizen Center in Roaring Springs, Tuesday, February 19 at 2:00 p.m. Ray Minkley, Motley County Extension Agent will give information on pruning fruit trees. It is that time of year before they begin to put out. Everyone is invited to attend this informative meeting.

Phil Green, formally of Matador, has returned to his home in Borger after a lengthy stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Clovis (Addie) Murphy was a recent patient at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. She received medical treatment for pneumonia.

Mary's Hospital in Lubbock following bypass heart surgery, returned home Saturday. Carl Cooper entered the Nursing Home in Crosbyton last

Frank Montgomery was a recent patient at General Hospital in Lockney.

C.R. Davis was accompanied by Kirby Campbell to Lubbock, Monday to undergo medical

Doc Cook was admitted to aprock Hospital in Floydada Monday evening.

Mrs. John Hamilton returned home last Wednesday from San Saba, where she visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter and children for

several weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Pritchett
returned home Saturday afternoon from Lubbock, where Mrs. Pritchett has recent surgery at Methodist Hospital.



Speaker Outlines Tornado Help

Eligible families whose homes were damaged or destroyed in the tornado that struck south Matador on May 1, 1984, may soon be receiving emergency fund, according to Gary Traylor of Gary R. Traylor Associated of Lubbock, guest speaker at the February 5 meeting of the Matador Lions Club.

Introduced by program chairman, Lion Howard Traweek, the speaker discussed the terms of the grant for \$350,000 from the Texas Department of Community Affairs, designated for repairing and rebuilding home-owned and tenant homes for eligible applicants. Funds have not been made available to rebuild the made available to rebuild the school plant, which was destroyed by the tornado. (Detailed information regarding the distribution of the funds and

deadline for making applica-tions was published in last week's

tions was published in last week's Tribune.)
Lion Vann Francis, club president presided at the meeting, held at the First United Methodist Church and led the club in applause for the enjoyable meal prepared and served by Lion Walter Jones.

He appropried that the

He announced that the Father-Son Banquet, which the Lions Club sponsors, had been scheduled for February 12. Committee assignments were handed to the members.

Other announcements made at the meeting included a report

on the results of the Community on the results of the Community Chest drive, by Lion Larry Hayle, and discussion of the Lions International convention scheduled for June 17-19 in Dallas. Lion Forrest Campbell was voted as delgate to the



The Mott: A Line Camp Of The Matador Ranch

By Marisue Potts
The Mott, also known as The
Cottonwood Mott, named for
the stand or motte of trees that grew around its weeping springs near the edge of the Caprock, was a natural haven for early man. There he found protection from the howling winds of the plains, shelter under the dense canopy of cottonwoods, pure water from the Ogallala aquifer, and plentiful wild game attracted to the oasis

Pieces of flint, pottery and remnants of campfires have been found in the vicinity. Small family or clan hunting parties of Kiowa and

been found in the vicinity. Small family or clan hunting parties of Kiowa and Comanche spent a portion of their summers here hunting buffalo, wild turkey, antelopes, deer and bear, and gathering grapes, plums and hackberries.

The Tanima band of Camanches, known as "the liver eaters" for their relish of raw livers of freshly killed game, were thought to roam the territory around the Mott.The Nokoni band, the real gypsies of the Comanches known as "wanderers who make bad camp" for their slovenly habits in camp, primarily roamed the Quitaque region, although they, the Tanima band and the Tenawa band, "downstream," might have overlapped territories at times.

Kiowas were controlling the Quitaque region and

territories at times.

Kiowas were controlling the
Quitaque region and
surrounding territories at the
time of the Santa-Fe
Expedition of 1841 when the invading wagon train was attacked. In their folklore Kiowas named the Quitaque Creek as "American Horse Kiowas named the Quitaque Creek as "American Horse Creek," for the large number of horses they stole from the expedition there.
Pastores, migrating down the watersheds of the Canadian, Red and Pease Rivers from New Mexico,

vintered their flock of sheep to the northeast of Mott Creek where they found good grazing in the protected valley. Traces of stone fences were visible to early settlers.

Colonel Randal Mackenzie's forces pursued and hounded the Indians, camping near the head-waters of Mott near the head-waters of Mott and Boggy Creek on at least three occasions. Once the Indians were routed, early cattle-men, such as Charles Goodnight on the nearby JA Ranch, threatened and scared off the pastores, leaving the range available for ranching interests.

The Jingle Bobs erected a log cabin at the mott prior to log cabin at the mott prior to 1880 to serve as a line camp. When the H.H. Campbell 's sought free range grazing privileges for the Matador Cattle Company, he secured live water springs whenever possible, including Mott. Mott's springs looked so promising then, that one speculator suggested irrigating speculator suggested irrigating

a vineyard from its waters.

A story often told about the A story often told about the Mott's early days occurred on January 1, 1880. Jim Harkey from the Spur Cattle Company, Jim Barbee from the Jingle Bob Cattle Co. and two freighters from San Saba, who were hauling corn to the Spur outfit on Hall Creek, were Spur outfit on Hall Creek, were spending the night at Cottonwood Mott. The boys were getting supper, when Jim Barbee started singing "Yankee Doodle." Harkey said, "That's a fool song you are singing!...No one but a damn fool would sing it."

Both drew their six shooters, firing four shots. Barbee was killed by the first shot. Harkey, who was shot square through

who was shot square through the hip and both kidneys, soon died. One of the freighters went to the corral, and catching the first horse he could, rode to Jim Hall's Spur headquarters on the Pease River where Dick Hudson was (Hall eventually sold SEE MOTT, PAGE 6



MOTT CAMP HOUSE: 1931-Clara May Allen pictured in front of house which replaced log cabin built in 1880.

(Photo courtsey of Tutt Garnett)

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Mini-Thoughts on Theology

By Pearl Alexander

"Canst thou by searching find out God?" Job 11:7. The Russian Cosmonauts declared they did not see God in outer space, our astronauts read a portion of Scripture from space affirming that God indeed was there. My father was a lover of nature and insisted, we children

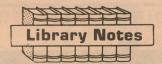
look at nature, whether we admired it or not! My exposure "took" and I have found God's handiwork in all sorts of places.

Whether you look at our bodies, those marvelous almost unbelievable machines, or gaze at the world of outer space or investigate the hobits and built in instincts of birds, fish or animals, you find that God was there!

And when scientists that a small organ between the eyes of bees, migratory birds and fish, that has magnetite in it..a built in compass.., truly you have "found out God".



OUTSTANDING AWARD- Jud P. Neighbors has received a certificate of merit in recognition of outstanding service for his help as a amateur radio operator during the Matador tornado in May of 1984. The award was presented by Paul Clements, manager of the Northern Texas Section of the American Radio Relay League, Inc. The Matador Tribune joins with the citizens in saluting Jud for this wonderful award.



The children's section is sporting a new set of Britannica Junior Encyclopedia for Boys and Girls. You are welcome to examine this 15 volume set of reference books the next time you visit the Library. Volume 1 is ready reference index, and Volume 15 contains an atlas section. This reference work for elementary grades had articles

section. This reference work for elementary grades had articles keyed to current school curricula. We welcome new 1985 Friends of the Library members: Freda Keahey, Seab and Dianne Washington, and Mrs. Edgar

We appreciate the donations of cash, green stamps, periodicals, and books given to the Library by Dorothy Knight, Isabel Barrera, Junior Bearden, Roxie Lewis, Beth Turner, the Ray Minkley Family, Our Lady of Guadalupe Bible Study Group, and Glenn Woodruff.

We also appreciate the volunteer services of Earline Vaughn and Winifred Lee.

Vaughn and Winifred Lee.
New book arrivals: Moon of
Thunder by Don Coldsmith;
Dream of Orchids by Phyllis
Whitney; Mark Twain: The
Innocents Abroad and
Roughing It; Henry James:
Literary Criticism (2 volumes);
Lork of the Plain by Max
Crawford (Floydada author);
and The Enchantress by Han
Suyin.

Suyin.

New in the genealogy section
County, Texas, are two Fannin County, Texas, publications: Union Veterans 1980 and Enlistees in the War Between the States, 1861-1864.



Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Casteborg of Dallas have returned to their home after being with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller, during his recent hospitalization.

Mrs. Polk Cooper was returned to her home by Motley County Ambulance one day last week to continue recuperation in her home here. Her daughter, Mrs. Juanita Bowen, remains to help Mr. Cooper care for her. Mrs. Armantha Martin of the Greenbelt Health Service helps

on a daily basis.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Wesleyan Guild scheduled for last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J.T. Swim was postponed for a week because of the bad weather.

last week to be there for the Postmasters' meeting held there on Friday

Rev. Eddie Marcum visited Mr. L.M. Miller Wednesday evening of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brandon

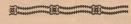
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brandon and children of Matador visited his mother Mrs. Juanita Bowen and his grandmother Mrs. Polk Cooper and Mr. Cooper Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hipp returned Sunday afternoon from Lubbock where Mr. Hipp had onen heart surgery at Methodist.

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Mrs. Bobby Mullins, Dean and Deana of Plainview spent Wednesday night with Odessa Mullins on their way to Graham to spend the rest of the week there looking for a house. They returned Monday afternoon after finding one. Bobby will be coming after them to move Friday.

and Mrs. J.E. Roller of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Roller of Lubbock spent the weekend with Odessa Mullins. Mr. and Mrs. James R. Smith of Johnson, Kansas and his mother Daisy Smith of Matador visited Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Faulkner of Lubbock spent Sunday with their mother Alma Sparberry.



Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

SERVICES HELD

FOR SISTER
Funeral services for Mrs.
Winnie Twilla, 87, of Roswell,
N.M. were held Tuesday, Feb. 5
in Roswell. She died Sunday,
Feb. 3. Mrs. Twilla was the sister
of Mrs. L.D. Bilberry and a
former resident of Turkey.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joey Lee, Robert, Jason and Ernie of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Roberts and son, Kellan and Bro. and Mrs. Byron Hardgrove of Plainview, Mrs. S.W. Skinner of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Joshua and Brandon, local residents

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and son, Randy Hunter of Canyon visited the weekend in Midland with their other son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter, Ross and Greg. En route home, Sunday they visited with Mrs. Nickie Loudermilk, a patient

Mrs. Nickie Loudermilk, a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Ervin Merrett of Plainview joined local family members in the home of Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson last Sunday and enjoyed viewing films of Mary Ellen being industed into the Covaril Hall of viewing films of Mary Ellen being inducted into the Cowgirl Hall of Fame. The T.V. films were made by Jackie Worthington of Jacksboro, good friend of Mary Ellen and also a member of the Cowgirl Hall of Fame.

Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Lane of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Moseley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Green visited in Plainview, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice and

in Plainview, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice and children and Mr. and Mrs. Billy

Green and Aaron.
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John
Jones last Sunday were Mr. and
Mrs. Bob Hambright, Alissa and Jim Bob of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan were in Lubbock, Sunday to visit their granddaughter, Shawn Degan, a patient in Methodist Hospital. Shawn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan of Kalagar.

and Mrs. Stanley Degan of Kalgary.
Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada, Mrs. Allie Hart of Matador, Mrs. Opal Martin and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Wellington, Saturday with their sister, Mrs. Liza Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nall.
Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bilberry visited in Lubbock, Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. Nickie Loudermilk, a patient in Methodist Hospital following surgery, Tuesday. Mrs.

Methodist Hospital following surgery, Tuesday. Mrs. Loudermilk of Quitaque suffered a blood clot on the brain when she fell leaving her restaurant. Mrs. Lennie Gilbert accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Bob Lane of Lockney, had medical treatment in Plainview, Thursday and gagin. Monday Thursday and again, Monday Mrs. Gilbert suffered a broken

From Sunday until Wednesday of last week in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert. His mother, Mrs. Scott (Gwen) Reed attended to business in Austin.

business in Austin.
Russell Rhodes of Amarillo
visited from Thursday until
Sunday with his grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter. Their
granddaughter, Salina Shorter
of Floydada, visited the
weekend.

ATTENDS DISTRICT

W.M.U. MEETING

Mrs. L.E. Shorter attended the
Caprock Women's Missionary Association meeting Monday morning held at the First Baptist Church in Matador. Other Baptist churches representatives attended from Spur, Floydada Matador and Roaring Springs.

Bradley Baxter Has 1st Birthday

Bradley Paul Baxter was honored with a birthday party in the home of his grandparents Doyle and Carolyn Rose, February 2 at 7:00 pm. The theme of the decoration was theme of t Care Bears.

The guests were served sandwiches, birthday cake and

punch.

There were four generations present from each side of the family and a great, great aunt to help celebrate with Bradley. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Davis, great-grandparents; Mr and Mrs. Don Baxter, Sr., grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. David Baxter and son Dek, Mr. and Mrs. John Thrasher, great-grandparents from Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rose and son Sean, Kenny Rose, Lisa Ashley and Don and Colleen Baxter.

SCHOOL MENU

Monday-Chicken patties with gravy, creamed potatoes, garden salad, mixed fruit with topping, roll, milk Tuesday-Meatballs with brown

gravy, au gratin potatoes, green beans, roll, butter and syrup,

milk
Wednesday-Frito pie, pork &
beans, mixed greens,
applesauce, milk
Thursday-Beef stew with
vegetables, peanut butter

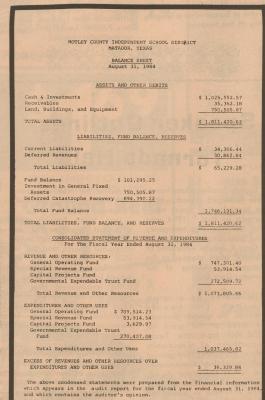
vegetables, peanut butter crackers, corn bread, raisin cup,

Friday-Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickles, hash brown potatoes, apple cobbler,

BIRTHDAYS
February 15-Nancy Cooper,
Shawn Bearden Shawn Bearden
February 16-J.C. Moss
February 17-Ross Bearden
February 18-Craig Turner
February 19-James Rankin
February 20-Arica Cummins,
Kody Hardin
February 21-Connie Gragson,
Sherry McKelvey

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- Fish: 6 dried black mushroon

- 6 dried black mushrooms
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 1 tablespoon salt
 1 tablespoon salt
 1 pound fresh or frozen
 broccoli spears
 4 to 6 scallions (or green
 onions), with tops
 12 slices (about 2 pounds)
 turbot or whitefish fillets
 12 slices Swift Premium
 Hostess Ham*, 1/8-inch
 thick (about 9 ounces)
 (about 9 ounces)
 5 to 6 thin slices pared
 ginger root
- ginger root 1/2 cup peanut oil

- Sauce:
 2 teaspoons cornstarch
 2 tablespoons water
 1/2 cup chicken broth
 1 teaspoon salt
 1 teaspoon sesame oil
 1/2 teaspoon white pepper
 1 teaspoon dry sherry
 1 teaspoon sugar

Fish: Rehydrate mushrooms according to package directions. Discard stems and cut each mushroom into 3 slices. Set aside. Bring 2 cups water to a boil. Add salt, oil and broccoli spears. Boil 2 minutes, drain. Rinse in cold water;



drain. Place scallions on heat resistant platter for steaming. Cover with fish, then ham, then mushrooms. Top with ginger root slices and arrange broccoli spears around platter. Place steamer rack in steamer or Dutch oven. Add enough water to just reach rack. Cover and bring to boil. Place platter on rack. Cover and steam dish for 7 minutes, or until fish is firm, white and just begins to flake when pierced with a fork. While fish is steaming, prepare sauce. Sauce: Blend cornstarch and water in small bowl. Pour into 1-quart saucepan; stir in remaining ingredients. Remove platter from steamer. Drain fish juices from platter into sauce and simmer until thickened. In separate 1-quart saucepan heat peanut oil and pour over fish. Drain excess oil. Top fish with sauce. Each portion consists of fish fillet(s), ham slice, green onion and broccoli spears.

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Makes 4 to 6 servings.
Note: This recipe can also be prepared in a wok as you would other fish recipes.



Father-Son Banquet Carries On Tradition

A tradition which began in

A tradition which began in 1938 was continued as an annual affair when the 47th Father-Son Banquest was held Tuesday night at the First United Methodist Church. A first banquet honoring Matadar Boy Scouts had been held in 1937.

Organized by the late Lt. Paul Eubank, Scoutmaster and school teacher as an observance of National Boy Scout Week, the Matadar Lions Club has continued to honor local and county youth with the banquet, with many notable people as speakers. These have included former Governor Coke former Governor Coke Stevenson, baseball great, "Dizzy" Dean, Cal Farley, founder of Boys ranch at Tascusa and many others. In former years, a Union Church Service also honored the youth of the

Eubank later served as Legislator from this district, and egared the Armed Forces during World War II while holding that

World War II while holding that office. He attained the rank of Lieutenant in the U.S. Navy and was killed in action in 1944.
Rusty Willmon served as Master of Ceremonies at the banquet Tuesday night. Invocation was by Rev. Greer Willis, and Lion Alan Bingham led the aroun in singing led the group in singing "America," with Lion Gerald Pipkin accompanying on the

Entertainment was a film, "Football Follies," showing "goof-ups" made by players during football games, and Lion Pipkin also entertained with piano selections.

The Scout Benediction by the assembly adjourned the banquet.

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New Grandbaby Arrives

Leota Mosley of Iowa Park is announcing the birth of a great granddaughter, Amanda Dawn Moore.

Born January 12, 1985, Amanda weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz. She has 1 big brother Danny, age 2 1/2. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Moore of

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moore of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Percey Parrish of Gainsville.

of Gainsville.
Other great grandparents are
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moore of
Roaring Springs and Mr. and
Mrs. Cox of Lubbock. Great
great grandparents are Mrs.
Myrtle Parrish of Houston and
Mr. and Mrs. Cox of Lubbock.

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A meeting of the Motley County 4-H Adult Leaders Association has been set for Monday, February 18, 7:30 p.m. at the Summit Savings and Loan meeting room. Each 4-H parent and leader are encouraged to come. Your help is peeded in come. Your help is needed in making future plans for the 4-H program and keeping it

growing. Topics on the meeting agenda will include: having a fence built at the new show barn, making improvements on the 4-H land south of Matador, and the Rifle Club building. Also we will need leaders to help 4-Hers preparing for the 4-H contests this spring. Please come.

Loyd Freudenrich

Funeral services were held Feb. 2, at First Baptist Church in Spur, for Loyd Andrew Freudenrich, 59 of White River

Lake.

He was a ginner at Roaring
Springs and Matador from 1949
to 1968. He died at St. Mary's of
The Plains Hospital in Lubbock,
January 31 after a breif illness.
Mr. Freudenrich is survived by

his wife Mae (Hull) Freudenrich of White River, his mother Jennie of Ingleside, Texas; his grandmother Sarah Heathcock of Boerne, Texas; two sons Randy of White River and Andy of Imperial; one brother John of Ingleside and one grandchild. Interment was at Roaring Springs Cemetery.

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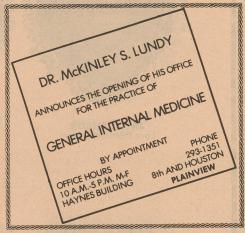
Whiteflat News

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray Saturday and Sunday was their grandson, Jonah Stan and friend, Paul Martinez of Afton. Other visitors Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buhrkuhl of

Plainview.
Skeet Jameson visited in Dougherty, Sunday with h mother, Mrs. Beulah Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, Heather Ann and Cobey visited in Lubbock, Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Haralson, Jennifer and Brent. Heather and Cobey remained to visit until Sunday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Greta Smallwood of Matador who visited during the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Haralson. Haralson.
Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon

attended to business in Lubbock Monday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Card.





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RYAN MARTIN Love to my Daddy



ALANA BINGHAM To our Valentine girl, Happy Birthday



NICHOLAS ZARATE Love to my Daddy, Mom, Joe, Mickey, David, Marianna, Teresa and Carman



JOHN BARRETT WATSON To my Grandparents



CYNTHIA AND LETRES BLUITT Love from Grandma



JILL & JASON STANLEY
Love to Uncle Fred
and Aunt Sue



To our grandchildren From Granny and PaPa You are our Valentine!



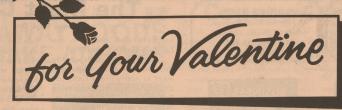
RUSSELL, HOLLY REBECCA TIPPIN We love you Daddy!



WESLEY HOLT CHANTRY MEYER Love to Grandma and Grandpa



In Memory Of Harold Casey Jones My Valentine





DEREK LOVELESS OF FT. WORTH From "Ma" Lois Bird



VANISE WILSON Love from Jerline & Melvin



JILL & JASON STANLEY To Da, Papa and Grandma



Happy Valentines from Cupid



JEREMY JONES Love to all my Grandparents



ROSALEE DAVIS Happy Valentines to my girl, Love Bob



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CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the many people in Matador who have remembered me with cards, letters, food and visits during my stay in Floydada. Your kindness and thoughtfulness are sincerely appreciated: Dorothy Rogers for appreciated. Dorbiny doges to news of folks; Bill, Mary Jo, Mrs. Elliott, Josephine, Isabell and family, Dr. Albert and Mrs. Traweek and all others who have remembered me in any way.
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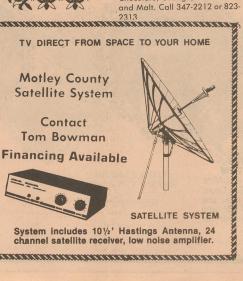
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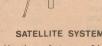
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the men were buried side by side, in a grave only eighteen inches deep, dug by an axe, on the east side of Mott Creek. UNDER

on the east side of Mott Creek. The freighters cut a new wagon sheet in hand and buried Harkey in one half and Barbee in the other.

The next May, John Hall, a brother of Jim Hall, and accompanied by a brother of Jim Hall, and accompanied by a brother of Jim Harkey, went to Mott from San Saba with a coffin. Collinson saw them dig up the bodies and he identified Harkey's. Putting him in his coffin, they nailed it down and hauled him back to San Saba. At a later date Barbee's remains were also removed by his family from the Mott.

his family from the Mott. In 1883 Cottonwood Mott was officially named as a United States Post Office by the Postmaster General of the United States. Mrs. Frank Drace served as postmistress. During the time that the Draces lived at Mott, another Draces lived at Mott, another shoot-out occurred. Two cowboys, one behind a mulberry tree in the front yard, were settling a dispute over a woman. One, severely wounded, was nursed by Mrs. Drace for a time but died.

Drace for a time but died.
Sometime after 1888 Mose
Harkey was line rider in that
territory, staying at the log
cabin on the Mott Creek.
In 1898 the J.F. Leonard
family filled on 160 acres on
Mott Creek, downstream from
the Mott Camp a mile or two. In
1903 Leonard bought the Jim
Fields claim which included 78
acres and a dugout on
Chimney Creek. Leonard's
land was in the center of the
Matador range, and perhaps Matador range, and perhaps he was freebooting for the ranch as Ranch Superintendent

A.G. Ligertwood indicated when he wrote in his 1898 diary "Taxes Paid: J.F. Leonard -\$6.32." Or perhaps homesteading surrounded by such a large ranch proved to be difficult; at any rate, in the same year he bought the Fields' claim, Leonard sold all of his holdings to the Matadors. He ceased day-working at \$1 a day, and went to work for them full time living at the Mott log cabin. Here one of the Leonard girls, Edna, was born in 1906. The cabin, with a lean-to added on the west side, had a sandstone fireplace on the east end. After the death of his mother, Houston H. Schweitzer

lived with his aunt and uncle, the Leonard's at the Mott. Houston and A.J. Daffern, as Matador cowboys, spent the winter of 1907 in the old log house.Daffern recalled that house Daffern recalled that the house orginally had a porthole from which to shoot, porthole from which to shoot, but was used for the chimney in later years. Out front was an old mulberry hitching post which bore lead and bullet

holes from a shoot-out. In 1911 Bob and Sue (Keith) Alley lived in the log house at the Mott where her sister Mary the Mott where her sister Mary Keith often visited in the summertime. (Bob later became a wagon boss for the Matadors.) Mary remembers the kitchen opening into a large fireplace room. Mary often rode horseback first

large fireplace room. Mary often rode horseback, first stopping at a windmill to water her horse, then on to Old Lyman to pick up the mail.

When Sue suffered a ruptured appendix in 1912, her husband was not free to go with her, so 18 year-old Mary accompanied her on a tast, furious, bumpy ride in a Pierce-Arrow to catch the train at Quanah, which took them to Ft. Worth for the operation. Sue pulled through, and after Sue pulled through, and after a few days of recuperation, the girls returned to Mott, the Alleys with small daughter,

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his herd and brand to the
Espuela Cattle Company.)

Two or three hands went to
the Mott at once while one
went to notify Frank Collinson
at his camp at Grapevine
Springs on Tongue River.
When he arrived the next day,
the men were huried side by

save her and she died soon after.

When Sue's things were removed from the Mott Camp, Charlie Fullingim who was staying there at the time helped with the move.

Fred Moore and Charlie batched at Mott for a time. Charlie remembers working at the Mott Camp in 1921, where his wife tried to raise some baby wild turkeys, but without baby wild turkeys, but without success. "There was nothing taller than a jack rabbit here then," he recalled on a recent visit, commenting on how the brush and trees had grown up. "We used to carry out water from the spring house," pointing down hill toward the creek where the spring house ruins lie. In a 1914 article written by

Murdo Mackenzie, Ranch Manager, he stated, "The only other house" (besides the Whitehouse at Ballard Springs) "was a log one built by the Jinglebobs for a camp at the Cottonwood Mott. This house still stands and is used as a camp by the present company." Probably in the twenties, this cabin was torn down and replaced by a twodown and replaced by a two-room ship-lap style house. (One of the few remaining line camps in usable condition, this house with modernizations added over the years such as a kitchen, a lean-to bathroom on the west, and a bedroom at the back, is still in use today on the ranch estate of J.C. and the ranch estate of J.C. and W.E. Burleson, owned by Mrs. W.E. Burleson of Floydada.)
In June of 1922, the Mott Camp Issue book (part of the

Camp Issue book (pair or mor many volumes on the Matador Ranch in the Southwest Collection at Texas Tech) suggests a family was living at Mott, and lots of cooking and washing was going on. The twenty items, including "2 sacks of flour, 1 meal, 25 lb. sugar, 6 pkts. coffee, 2 cans syrup, 11 lb. beans, 12 lb. black eyed peas, 50 lb. potatoes, 1 can bkg pdr., 5 lb. salt, 2 pkts soda, 7 lb. raisins, 7 lb. peaches, 6 lb. apples, 1 can black pepper, I bar chocolate, 2 boxes cocca, 3 bottles catsup, 3 cakes toliet soap, 3 cans lye," totaled \$19.81. any volumes on the Matadoi totaled \$19.81.

totaled \$19.81.
Oscar Benson was the next one to live at Mott. During this time the 1924 Mott Camp Issue book suggests it was a batch camp with 1-1 wash tub; Oct 1-1 Hoof nippers, 1 shoeing hammer, 1 small rasp; Feb. 2-1 pair staple pliers, 3 lamp wicks & Globes." Between 1925-26 Ben Globes." Between 1925-26 Ben Mason was at the camp, and a son of Mr. Hall from Wolf Creek lived there about 1926 or 1927, followed by Plumber Masingale in '28. Milt McGowan was there from 1929 through 1931. A picture of Clara May Allen taken in front of the new house in 1931. marks the tenure of the

taken in front of the new house in 1931, marks the tenure of the Allens from 1931 to 1934. McGowan and Frank Handley returned to watch over the Mott territory during 1934 and 1935. After that Clyde Mayes, Hub Giddens, Edd D. Smith and Shorty Smalley finished up the decade of the thirties at the camp. Joe Gordon spent what was believed to be the longest running tenure at the Cottonwood Mott Line Camp, beginning in the war years of 1942 and continuing through the breakup of the ranch, until 1956. When the 799,600 acres of the Matador Ranch were divided

the Matador Ranch were divided into holding companies for dispersal in 1951, Mott comprised one of the fifteen divisions. H.H., L.B., Harold, and Vance Campbell and J.C. and W.E. Burleson purchased the division and subdivided it again

into smaller ranches.
Since the time that
Burlesons bought the /

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The grant program will make two (2) different types of assistance available to affected families— 1) REHABILITATION GRANTS to correct damage to

GRANTS to correct damage to dwellings which resulted from the tornado, and 2) RELOCA-TION (Rehousing) PAYMENTS to assist in the rehousing of families whose dwellings were totally destroyed or irrepairably damaged as the result of the

tornado.

Eligibility for both types of assistance will be limited to residents whose homes are located in the southern portion of the city of Matador, commonly referred to as the DAMAGE AREA, and more specifically described as the portion of Matador defined by the following boundaries: North: following boundaries: North: Lariat Avenue. South: Matador City Limits. East: Campbell St., or City Limits. East: Campbell St., or City Limits. West: Roaring Springs Highway, or City Limits. Eligible locations shall also include scattered damaged structures situated along the Floydada Highway. \$81,000 has been budgeted

under the Emergency Grant for repair grants to approximately 18 families at an average of \$4,500 per family.

\$216,000 has been budgeted under the Emergency Grant for replacement housing payments to twelve families - eight owner-



whose dwellings were totally destroyed or irrepairably damaged as a result of the tornado. Under this activity, homeowners may receive a payment of up to \$24,000 which must be used to construct or purchase a replacement dwelling. Tenants may receive a payment of up to \$6,000 which must be used to rent, purchase, construct a replacement

dwelling.

The amount of grant funds received by the city of Matador from TDCA is less than the amount of funds requested by the city to totally and adequately resolve the needs of individuals and households resulting from the May 1, 1984 tornado. For this reason the actual levels of assistance authorized by the city

damages sustained and are not intended as compensation for damages or as a substitute for

Furthermore, it is considered necessary, due to the number of requests expected for this assistance, to establish fixed

assistance, to establish fixed periods during which applications will be accepted.

Applications for REHABILITATION GRANTS will be accepted by the City of Matadar until 5:00 p.m. March 1, 1985, at City Hall.

Applications for RELOCATION (Rehousing) Assistance will be accepted by the City of Matadar until 5:00 p.m.

Matador until 5:00 p.m. February 18, 1985, at City Citizens interested in making

application for assistance under this program should contact City Hall, telephone number 347-

County Agent's Corner

Get your spring garden off to a good start by growing your own transplants indoors. The key to growing transplants successfully is to

plant at the proper time so the young plants will be ready to set out when your garden is ready and weather conditions are favorable.

For the best survival and quick recovery after planting in the garden, transplants should be young, sturdy and in good nutritional condition.

good nutritional condition.
Usually four to six weeks is sufficient time to grow most transplants. Vine crops take two or three weeks to develop two to three true leaves while lettuce takes three to four weeks. Tomatoes need five to seven weeks to reach transplanting stage. To determine the optimum seeding time for most

transplants, figure back four to six weeks from the average last spring frost date in Motley County, which is around April

Some transplants such as cabbage, cauliflower, broccoli, lettuce and onions can be set in the garden four to six weeks before the last frost date.

When starting plants indoors, you may use a soilless or synthetic soil mix available at garden centers or nurseries.

Seed can be started in

Seed can be started in almost any type container such as flower pots, milk cartons or cake pans. Be sure the container has holes for adequate drainage. Other popule containers are seed flats, peat pots and peat cubes or pellets.

Once you've got the needed materials and planting time is at hand, fill the containers

with the synthetic mix, firm it in well and then water thoroughly. Space the seed evenly, cover lightly and water

again.

To improve germination, slip the container into a plastic slip the container into a plastic bag and place it in an area at room temperature but out of direct sunlight. Remove the bag when the seed first emerges and place the container in sunlight.

Once the container has been removed from the plastic bag, add water to maintain good moisture. Frequent watering will be necessary but use care to avoid saturation.

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When plants are of adequate size and outside conditions are suitable for plant growth, transplant them into the garden area and you've got a jump on the planting season.

The Mott Line Camp

Camp, amoung the families who have lived there are those of Clayton Bridge, W.E. Burleson, Pete Knight, Don Baxter, Bill Raetz, Sid McFall, Bruce McFall, Birch Lobban, and Bobby Jack Dempsey. The Dempseys are the last of a long line of families who have nestled in seclusion at the edge of Mott Creek, where buzzards nest in elderly cottonwoods along the bank, turkeys gobble in the cool of the evening as they go to roost, and

evening as they go to roost, and the coyotes howl across the hills. This is the first of a series of articles about the line camps of the Matador Ranch written as a sesquicentennial project for the General James Smith Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas and in conjunction with the Motley County Historical Commission. The next feature will be "Rustler: Line Camp of the

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"LEGAL NOTICE"

LOCAL INVITATION TO BID ON HIGHWAY MOWING

MARCH 6, 1985

Department of Highways and Public Transportation District Office at 1700 Avenue F, N.W., Childress, Texas 79201, until 9:00 AM., March 6, 1985.

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1001:Childress (Cottle, Hall & Hardeman) Co.:

U.S. 62: From South Pease River, North, to Oklahoma State Line, to include all of F.M. 2465;

U.S. 83: From S.H. 256 south to Intersection with U.S. 62.

U.S. 287: From Estelline to F.M. 268, to include all of Loop 328 and

Length: 83.63 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 724.55 Acres.

U.S. 83: From Collingsworth/Wheeler County Line to S.H. 256,

to include all of F.M. 1439 and F.M. 2467; Length: 45.8 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 374.05 acres.

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1003: Donley (Hall) County: U.S. 287: From Donley/Armstrong County Line to Estelline;

Length: 53.6 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 540.97 acres.

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1004: Wheeler County:

I.H. 40: From Wheeler/Gray County Line to Shamrock, to include all of F.M. 1547 (Wheeler County), F.M. 2474 and F.M. 3075; Length: 24.1 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 386.56 acres.

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1005: Wheeler County:

I.H. 40: From Shamrock to Oklahoma State Line to include all of F.M. 1802, F.M. 2168 and Spur 30;

U.S. 83: From Wheeler/Hemphill County Line to Wheeler/Collingsworth County Line; Length: 48.85 miles; Approximate Area: Type

osals, plans and specifications for the above contracts may be obtained at the Department Office of the following Maintenance Construction Supervisors: John W. Rothwell, Jr., Childress; Donald R. Fowler, Wellington: Donald E. Eads, Clarendon; Joe B. Hall, Shamrock; or District Office, Childress.

> LOCAL INVITATION TO BID ON HIGHWAY MOWING MARCH 7, 1985

Sealed proposals for six separate mowing contracts in Cottle/King, Dickens, Foard, Hardeman, Knox and Motley Counties will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation District Office at 1700 Avenue F, N.W., Childress, Texas 79201, until 9:00 A.M., March 7, 1985.

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1006: Cottle and King Counties:

U.S. 70: From Cottle/Motley County Line to Cottle/Foard Co.Line; U.S. 83: From South Pease River south to the King/Stonewall County

Line, to include all of F.M. 3256 and F.M. 2998; U.S. 82: From King/Dickens County Line to King/Knox County Line;

Length: 119.5 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 619.95

Funeral services for William Franklin Spray, 80, of Pecos were held at 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 5 in the Pecos Funeral Home Chapel. Jim York, pastor of the Church of Christ in Crosbyton, officiated, assisted by Larry Blaskas, pastor of the Pecos Valley Church of Christ.

Mr. Spray died at 3:00 a.m., Monday in the Pecos Nursing Home. He had been under a doctor's care following a stroke.

Home. He had been under a doctor's care following a stroke. Mr. Spray was born Dec. 23, 1904 in Grayson County. He moved to Whiteflat in 1918 and lived here until 1941. He married Virgie McMan Oct. 10, 1931 in

and a retired self employed

trucker.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Gerald Spray of Pecos; one brother, Jack Spray of Whiteflat; four sisters, Lorena Lipham of Omaha, Nebraska; Odessa Hotchkiss of Lynnwood, Washington, Aileen Briscoe and Gladys Russell of Plainview; four

Gladys Russell of Planniew; four grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray attended the services and visited from Monday until Wednesday with the family.

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1007: Dickens County:

Line, to include all of F.M. 2941;

S.H. 70: From Dickens/Motley County Line to Dickens, Texas; Length: 51.4 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 503.45

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1008: Foard County:

S.H. 6: From Foard/Hardeman County Line to Foard/Knox Co. Line;

U.S. 70: From Foard/Cottle County Line to Foard/Wilbarger County Line, to include all of F.M. 654, F.M. 1039 and F.M. 2566; Length: 66.8 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 369.4

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1009: Hardeman County

U.S. 287: From F.M. 268 to Hardeman/Wilbarger County Line, to include all of F.M. 925;

S.H. 6 : From Oklahoma State Line to Hardeman/Foard County Line; Length: 48.2 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 481.1

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1010: Knox County:

U.S. 82: From Knox/King County Line to Knox/Baylor County Line;

U.S. 277: From Knox/Haskel County Line to Knox/Baylor County Line, to include F.M. 266 from U.S. 82 to Goree;

From Knox/Foard County Line to Knox/Haskell County Line: Length: 87.58 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 556.65

CONTRACT NO. 255XXM1011: Motley County:

U.S. 62-70: From Motley/Floyd County Line to Motley/Cottle County Line, to include S.H. 70, from Matador to Motley/Dickens County Line; Length: 44.39 miles; Approximate Area: Type I: 188.85 acres

Proposals, plans and specifications for the above contracts may be obtained at the Department Office of the following Maintenance Construction Supervisors: Kenneth W. Young, Paducah; Brice P. Lindsey, Dickens; Gene R. Crabtree, Quanah; Carl L. Bruce, Munday; Clay R. Jameson, Matador; or District Office, Childress.

Proposals will not be consolidated for bidding purposes. Bidder must submit individual bids for any of the above separate highway mowing

A PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD WITH MR. LEWIS H. WHITE, DISTRICT ENGINEER, AT THE DISTRICT OFFICE IN CHILDRESS, TEXAS AT 10:00 A.M., FEBRUARY 20,1985. PERSONS INTERESTED IN BIDDING ON ANY OF THE CONTRACTS SHOULD ATTEND THIS PRE-BID CONFERENCE.

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