

Voice of the Foothill Country

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# **Big Tree Contest Winners**



This large mesquite tree is in the backyard of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Barton in Matador.

Over twenty trees, representing an interesting array of species, were submitted by proud owners for the first Big Tree Contest sponsored by the Motley County

Mrs. Archer concluded, "That mulberry tree stands with a full view for miles in each direction. If only it could talk, it could be 'Our Family Tree."

Historical Commission.
Leading the field with the number of trees nominated was the team of Leo and Joyce Archer who live on the Dutchman Creek in the southwestern quadrangle of the county. Although Mrs. Archer's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I.E. Martin, planted many trees around their ranch home in the early 1900's, the old cottonwood is located on the creek where early Indians. located on the creek where early Indians and later the Dutch man, for whom the creek was named, camped.

oreek was named, camped.

Only one mulberry tree among the many the family planted remains. "The tree,like the family," explained Mrs. Archer, "has many new limbs and the old ones die off each year. If only this tree could tell of all the good times!

"The old dirt tank was for overflow from the house windmill - the tank was used for swimming and fishing in summer and ice skating in winter. An old swing was hung in one of the bigger cottonwoods."

could be 'Our Family Tree."

This southwestern part of the county produced the most entries, probable because of the seep springs which allowed the trees to survive drought and the protection from the harsh plains winds.

Wes Campbell said of the majestic black walnut on the Campbell Farm & Ranch, "My granddad, H.H. Campbell, told us the tree was there before he was born which would make the tree well over 100 years old."

s born which would make the tree well over 100 years old."
From the Campbell Ranch headquarters, Harold Campbell notes a sixty year old apricot tree which has survived with no care and an 85 year old elm.
On the old Randolph place belonging to Waybourn Gunn, among the sandstone cliffs on the headwaters of the Middle Pease, is a wonderful grove of white oak. Pease, is a wonderful grove of white oak trees. Since the trees are not thought to be native to this area, Indians are given credit for planting the first acorns. The Bois d'arc tree of Osage-Orange was planted by the early settlers, tradition says it grew

# School Board Hires New **Teachers**

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met June 14 with Guy Campbell, Donnie Cruse, Coy Franks, James Palmer, Alvin Alexander, Leslie Jameson. L.J. Barkley was absent. Also present were Don Ewing, High School Principal, Oran Hamilton, Elementary Principal and Ron Cummings, Superintendent.

Trustees met June 14 with Guy Campbell, road off if the school doesn't need question is, is it a county design of a county design of the purpose in t

for Depository Funds

Ewing explained the At-Risk program at House Bill 1010 has set up. This bill that House Bill 1010 has set up. This bill was designated to keep a low drop-out rate. This plan was adopted.

Hamilton distributed and went over the Student/Teacher Handbooks. They are not complete. No action was taken.

Cummings explained the present bus situation. He stated that except for minor repairs and clutch replacements on a few

of the buses, they had one small bus to sell and none to purchase this year. The Board passed the sale of the one 14 passenger bus.

Donnie Cruse had a question from a landowner in the Flomot area. A road

going across his land is used at times by the school bus and he wants to close this

The Motley County ISD Board of road off if the school doesn't need it. The question is, is it a county designated road or has it been used by the public for approximately 30 years, was discussed. The concensus was to check into this, for

Hamilton, Elementary Principal and Ron
Cummings, Superintendent.

Cummings read the minutes of the
past meeting and explained the budget
ammendments. The Board passed these
and voted to pay the bills.

The board elected to advertise for bids

Cummings explained the career ladder. They have 3 types of ladders to
choose from to set up for the 1989-90
ladder. The Board received a list with
only eligible points, with no names. The
Board chose, 4 votes to 2, to add one new
member placing eight teachers on the

Cummings handed out resumes for 3 teacher positions. These were read and discussed. This passed 5 votes to 1 for. Assistant Coach and Teacher, David Oldham; Spanish and English, Shanna Monroe; Irene 'Sis' Stephens for 6th grade.

Cummings reported on the following: The TEA Audit only required minor adjustments; Lawyer, Tom Hamilton, was negotiating with the hospital and insur-ance Bankruptcy Court.; read report on State Finance from Bob Bullock's office;

Impact Aid will be finalized July 12 and the funds should be in by Sept. 1;

Cummings, Carolyn Ewing, Judy Woolsey and Bettye Stevens attended a software course in Alpine.

The board elected to go into closed

from a fence post, near the old brick- Archer west of Matador making site.

Except for B.L. Peacock, residents of the tree oasis of Roaring Springs did not submit entries. Peacock's trees were planted by Mr. McDorman and are wa-tered by the subsoil moisture provided by

the Tongue River or South Pease.

Barbara Jameson stated she and her Dad Gus Bird used to picnic under the huge hackberry on the Bird Ranch, then she would climb the tree and play on the branches, which two of them made good

In Matador the Inez Bailey's elm tree was described by Hazel Donovan as "the oldest tree in town" so far as she knew. June Dirickson who lives on Hackberry Street submits, what else? an eighty year

Street submits, what else? an eighty year old hackberry tree.

Kenny and Olivia Barton recall the colorful history of their giant mesquite tree. "The tree has been here for as long as anyone can remember. It grew on the old Roy Burleson place in Matador, then on the Harry Campbell place. Like many owners, the Bartons noted that the trunk was much larger when measured below was much larger when measured below designated four and one half foot

Anyone can nominate a champion by submitting the name of the species of tree and its measurements. Champion status does not afford a tree any special protec-tion, other than recognition.

To receive a registry of Champion Big

Trees in Texas, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Big Tree Program, Texas Forest Service, College Station, Texas 77843.

Here are the trees to beat: the winners of the 1989 Big Tree Contest. The circumference of the tree trunks are measured by owners at 4 1/2 feet above the ground; the largest and smallest diameters of the tree's crown are averaged for

Apricot: cir. 48.5"/crown 35' Harold H. Campbell west of Matador White Ash (Texas record: 207"/crown 81'): cir. 77"/crown 38' Leo and Joyce

1989 for vacation. There will be an early deadline for next week's paper. Please bring all news and ad copy in no later than noon Friday, June 23 for the June 29

Chittamwood: Cir. 55'/crown 17', Barbara Bird Jameson, Southeast of Matador

Cottonwood (Texas record: cir. 372"/ crown 100'): cir. 201"/crown 80' Leo and Joyce Archer west of Matador

Elm ( Texas record for American Elm: cir. 230" crown 105'; Texas record for Siberian Elm: cir. 173" crown 73'): cir. 138"/crown 43 B.L. Peacock S of Roaring Springs; cir. 115"/ crown 46'6" Leo and Joyce Archer west of Matador; cir. 108" Inez Bailey of Matador; cir. 75"/ crown 35' Harold H. Campbell west of

Hackberry (Texas record: cir. 230/ crown 105°), cir. 128/crown 74′. Barbara Bird Jameson, southeast of Matador; cir. 102°+72° (tree trunk split) crown 63′c°, Leo and Joyce Archer, west of Matador; cir. 103° crown 55′, Glynard and Doris Moore, SE of Matador; cir. 83° crown 42′ June Dirickson, Matador.

Mesquite (Texas record for Honey Mesquite, cor. 152'/crown 71") cir. 106"/ crown 5'6" (Pruned), Leo and Joyce Archer, Westof Matador; cir. 99.5"/crown 63', Kenny and Olivia Barton, Matador; cir. 80"/crown\_\_\_, Wynona Ford Gilbreath, east of Matador.

Mulberry (Texas record for White Mulberry: (Texas record for White Mulberry: cir. 240"/crown 36") cir. 132"/crown 58'6" Leo and Joyce Archer West of Matador.

Oak, (White) cir. 90"/crown 50'8",

Oak, (White) cir. 90"/crown 508", Waybourn Gunn, west of Matador. Osage-Orange (Texas record: 196"/crown 40") cir. 64.5"/crown 36'9", Waybourn Gunn, west of Matador. Pecan (Texas record: cir. 230"/crown 112") cir. 122"/crown 66', Leo and Joyce Archer, west of Matador; cir. 80"/crown. Wynona Ford Gilbreath, east of Matador; cor. 69.5"/crown 52', Mollie Burleson, west of Matador.

Black Walnut (Texas record: cor. 168"/ crown 74") cir. 150"/crown 61', Wes Campbell, west of Matador.

Thank you so much for your coopera-

# **Roaring Springs City Council Says Yes To 911**

The Roaring Springs City Council met Tuesday, June 13 at 7:30 p.m. with Mayor Eugene Watson; Council members De-vonne Dillard, Joey Thacker, Bill Hand, Don Wilson. Bill Moose was absent due

Don Wilson. Bill Moose was absent due to a death in his family.

Karen King and Tim Pierce of SPAG were present to explain the revolving loan fund plan they had ready to present to TDOC (Texas Department of Commerce.) This plan is a book of requirements set up for the city to use when loaning money for the economic development grant money.

Pierce informed the Council that since

ment grant money.

Pierce informed the Council that since 1977, Motley County was designated a redevelopment county. They need an Advisory board to okay this revolving loan plan so SPAG could service this plan and meet State requirements.

King reminded the Council they would

King reminded the Council they would still have to meet wit the \$70,000 match for the EDA (Economic Development

for the EDA (Economic Development Administration) application. King also stated that the bids could possibly be higher than the original 2 years ago.

James Gillespie and Rodney Williams of the Motley County Fire Department presented the 9-1-1 Emergency petitions to view and the contract and resolution to sign. After brief questions and answers the Council passed the resolution and signed the contract.

lution and signed the contract.

The Minutes and bills were approved as read, with the Council electing to place funds on hand in an interest/checking

account until the matching grant was ready.

Other business approved was a request for the Dream Cafe to trade in 2 side-by-side refrigerator/freezers for one side-by-side reingerator/freezers for one large refrigerator at Thacker Supply; to replace the roof on the Confection Technology building by New Shield Roofing of Spur; a bid from Fred Thayer CPA to do the City Audit for \$2,700; for Bill Moose to represent the Council on the county Tax Appraisal Board.

The Council heard a report from James May He is still working on the Imboff at

May. He is still working on the Imhoff at the City Sewer Plant. May requested some more tools to keep working on the City pickup. The Council wants to hold off on trading pickups at this time.

A decision was made concerning flooding on 2nd Street. After a lengthy discussion, the Council elected to request

a guy wire be removed that keeps the ditch from being cleaned out so the water can run down the ditch and not through yards and homes.

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Anna Wilson announced that the council was to meet in Vernon on June 20 with the FmHA and also hold 2 public meetings for FmHA, July 6 and 18 at the Depot. Wilson requested to attend a Community Development Block Grant Application Workshop in Plainview June 22. Request was granted.

The Council elected to go into closed session at this time.

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# **Ann Richards Announces Bid for Govenor**

Calls for old values and new beginnings

young people who are with us here today and those all across this state," Richards

AUSTIN -- Calling for an ethical campaign that addresses the future of Texas and the need to build a strong new economy for the 1990s, Ann Richards announced Saturday, June 10, she is a candidate for Governor.

"This campaign is about Texas," Richards said, "about the future we build together -- about saving the best of our old values and traditions and creating new beginnings that measure up to the high standards of our history.

"It is a campaign about a very select group of Texans, about the children and young people who are with us here today."

"We need leadership that understands

"We need leadership that understands the state budget and state finance," Richards added, "leadership that knows how to give the taxpayers the most for their tax dollars and won't be shy about "We're going to attempt to carry out this campaign on the highest level, to talk about what the people of Texas need and



SUMMER WORKERS: Leah Barton, Joely Ewing, Brian Marshall and Brent Marshall, 1989 Motley County graduates, are working the summer for the

# Summer Reading Program Sponsored By Motley County Library

invited to join the fun at First Baptist Church, Matador, on Sunday afternoon, June 25, at 4:00 p.m., for the Vacation Bible School Preparation Day Parade. Children three years and older (up to those who have just completed sixth grade) will meet at the church for enrollment, followed by the parade and refresh-

ment, followed by the parade and refresh-

The Motley County Library Summer Reading Program will be held on Tues-day mornings at 10:00 a.m., June 20-Aug. 8, for ages 2-Kindergarten and on Thursday mornings at 10:00 a.m., June 22-Aug. 10, for grades 1-6.

This year's theme is "CREATURE FEATURES." Lots of fun activities are being planned such as films, stories and crafts. Besides being a fun time, this is an excellent opportunity to keep your child's reading skills at their best.

The Library hours for the summer are:

Monday - 2:00-5:00 p.m. (by volun-

TRIBUNE TO CLOSE

FOR VACATION

The Motley County Tribune office issue. We will put 2 papers together this will be closed next week, June 26-30, week, so our readers will not have to miss

Matador First Baptist Church

Vacation Bible School to begin

an issue

Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - noon; 1:00 5:00 p.m.; Tuesday night - 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. (by

Saturday - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

6号4 Chelsea Read to give Swimming

Lessons
Chelsea Read will be giving one session of swimming classes this summer, they will be held July 3 through July 14. ore information call Chelsea Read.

# Lions Club Report

After a delicious meal, served by Lion presented a plaque to Jesse Turner for his Walter Jones, Boss Lion Jesse Turner outstanding service while he was presibrought the meeting to order and Lion dent. Donaldson introduced Dennis Gaines, Matador Ranch Cowboy and poet, who recited some very funny poems for the group. Everyone enjoyed the pro-

The Matador Lions Club met Tuesday, June 20 at the United Methodist Lions for their support while he has been Church for their regular meeting with twenty members present and three guests. After a distinct present controlled in the support with the president and introduced the new president and children and the support with the president and introduced the new president and children are the support with the sup

Boss Lion Billy Donaldson then handed out a list of new committees for

next year. Meeting adjourned.

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# In The Rough by Hazel Donovan

winning with 16 putts.

After fivers - Dortha Grundy, Loys
Campbell. Debra Scott, Donna Barton,
Nell Berryman, Judy Renfro, Leona Terry
and June Moss.

June won low putt 14.

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TUESDAY SCRAMBLE

First team winner (30) Vann and Sondra Francis, Ellis and Leona Terry; second and third (32) teams tied with exact scores per hole were: Alfred and Louise Barton, James and Frances Moss; Joe and Loys Campbell, Rob Francis, Ron Cox, Billy Wilson.

Other players - La Voe Thacker, Howard Edmandson, Charlie and Nancy Long, Kenny and Olvia Barton, Butch and Judy Renfro, Jake Goodson Mand Nell Berryman. Geodson Mand Nell Berryman Mand Nell Berryman. Geodson Mand Nell Berryman Mand Nell Berryman. Geodson Mand Nell Berryman. Geodson Mand Nell Berryman Mand Nell Berry

Long, Kenny and Olvia Barton, Butch and Judy Renfro, Jake Goodson, Wade and Nell Berryman, Geneva Wilson, Roy Grundy, Ben and Mary Lou Grundy, M.C.

Jones.

Jake Goodson won closest to the pin on No. 3 with 17'5".

#### JACK AND JILL SCRAMBLE

Thirty-two teams entered this tournament on Saturday and Sunday, June 17

and 18.

In Championship flight: 1st, Alfred and Louise Barton, 131; 2nd, Mike Porter and Pam Holmen, 136; 3rd, Roy and Dortha Grundy, 138.

First flight: 1st, David and Vicki Cates, 143; 2nd, Bill and June Cartwright, 145; 3rd, Alan and Kay Bingham, 145.

On these two teams, second and third winner was determined by play-off on

THURSDAY PLAY

Morning players - Vida Elkins, Louise Barton, Dorothy Day, La Voe Thacker, Olivia Barton, and Geneva Wilson.
Play was for low putts - with La Voe

and Louise Crittenden, 155; 3rd, E.A.

had low putts.
First flight: Raynita Newman, low net;
Doris Staggs, low gross; Geneva Wilson,

Second flight: Leona Terry, low net; Gladys Hinson, low gross, Lena low putts. Medalist was LaVoe Thacker, low net

of field was Loys Campbell. Prizes were crystal stems, always give in this tourna-ments. Some of the winners are getting a good collection.

Upon arrival players enjoyed a good breakfast, juices, coffee, sausage balls, coffee cake and rolls, and had a good lunch, sandwiches, cakes and other good-

Hassell and Diane Ratliff from Paducah were in Abilene for the 55th Annual Women's West Texas Golf Association at Fairway Oaks Country Club.

No. 2 handicap hole.

Second flight: 1st, Steve and Tonya
Rainbolt, 147; 2nd, Tommy and Janell

The tournament will continue for 5 days. Jean and Diane were missed at the Foothills play.

LIBRARY BY JIMMIE HUNTER

We would like to welcome Crystal Rodgers as a member of the Library Board. She has volunteered to help with the books that are taken to the gins in Flomot. The books that are currently at the Turner Gin are: Red Sky At Moming, by Bradford; Sundance And Hondo by Slade; Texas Anthem by Reno; Unto A Good Land by Moberg; Friends Till The End by Strasser; Winter Draft by Young; The Pain And The Great One by Blume; The Waltons (The Faster Story) by Weyerka:

Pain And The Great One by Blume; The Waltons (The Easter Story) by Weverka; Heard The Owl Call My Name by Craven; Moon Dragon by Hampson; No Strings Attached by Murray; Haunted by Lamb; Peterkin Pollensnuff and Mr. Squint by Partridge; The Regatta Mystery by Christie; Wyoming by Ross and A Journey to the Center of the Earth by Verne.

The books that are currently at the Flound Gin are: Spiders In The Fruit Cellar by Joosse; The Train To Estelline by Wood; Megan by Magill; There's No Such Place As Far Away by Bach; A Season of Mists by Woodhouse; Reflex by Francis; The White Robin by Read; Mousekin's Mystery by Miller; Love From Aunt Betty by Parker, Nebraska by Ross; The Prince And The Pauper by Twain; To Tame A Wolf by McAllister, Kwaharie by Hicks; and Rimrock Riders by Field. Those patrons in Flomot may callor contact Crystal or Jimmie for more information.

Recent visitors to our Library were: The books that are currently at the

Recent visitors to our Library were Claudia Hirst, Ralls; Norma McCarroll and Vergel C. Neskorik. Cottle Co. Librarian from Paducah; Clay Robertson, Bryan, TX; Jack and Patty Crews, Mt. Pleasant, Tenn; Melissa Martin, Tulsa, OK; Ken and Jeannette Groves and Zena May Groves. A dingroty, Jesh Owens. Maw Groves, Arlington; Josh Owens, Hastings, NE; James and Norma Cooper, Milan, N.M.; John W. Jackson, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Armstrong, Dallas; Ronald G. Bailey; John andMary Jones, Thatcher, AZ; Howard and Bessie Jones, Las Cruces, N.M. Bill and Tanda Jones, Las Cruces, N.M. Bill and Tanda Jones, Tucson, AZ; Art and Ruby Wil-liams, Benson, AZ; Marian Alice Jones, Los Gatos, CA; Jerry Lindley, Dallas; Rev. and Mrs. Joe A. Walder, Blackwell;

Heather Alexander, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs.
Vernard Alexander, Freeport, Tx; Mrs.
Jim S. Dixon, Sylvester, TX and Wilberta
Jackson of Levelland.

The following is a list of the new
books now ready to be checked out:
Emma. Who Saved My Life by Wilton
Barnhardt; Hantu by John Halken; Don't
Worry. He Won't Get Far On Foot by
John Callahan; Power & Greed by Allen
Friedman and Ted Schwarz; Moon Passage by Jane Le Compte; Will Rogers
World by Bryan and Frances Sterling; A
Country Made War by Geoffrey Perret;
The Age of Miracles by Catherine MacCoun; Talking God by Tony Hillerman;
Hank, The Cowdog: Fiddle Plaving Fox
and Hank The Cowdog: Fiddle Plaving Fox
and Hank The Cowdog: Lost in the Dark
Unchanted Forest by John Erickson;
Clear Pictures by Reynolds Price; Dave
Barry Slept Here by Dave Barry; and
First Night by Jane Aiken Hodge.

The first meeting of the Read-to-Me
Club met this morning, June 20 and approximately 40 children attended. Kathy
Gillespie director, explained the difference between fantasy, fact or fairy tales

Gillespie director, explained the difference between fantasy, fact or fairy tales and read Where the Wild Things Are as an example of stories of imagination or fantasy. Then the children created a Pet Rock and colored an imaginary creature called Leopold. called Leopold.

#### \*\*CORRECTION\*\*

Time for Read-to-me Club is 10:30 am to 11:15 am each Tuesday except the first meeting in July which will be on Wednesday, July 5 at 10;30 am.

Each child was also given the rules for the Create-A-Creature Contest and any child that was unable to attend may come to the library and pick up the rules for the contest which will be held June 27, 1989.

We hope you were here Thursday morning to register for the Creature Features Summer Reading Program and don't miss Eric Strong of Lubbock, who will be our special guest for the second meeting on Thursday, June 29, at 10:00 am.

SEE YOU AT THE LIBRARY!!!

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"Let no one be found among you....who practices divination, or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft, or casts spells, or is a medium or spiritist or who

SEEDS FROM THE SOWER



But not God's. His is one of joy, and of it Jesus said, "No one can rob you of that joy."

bed,

"you've got grandpa's

can rob you of that joy."

The Devil can't, for the Bible says, "Submit yourselves to God, resist the Devil and he will flee from you." Sin can't, for the Bible says, "Sin need never again be your master." Trouble can't, for "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens through Christ who strengthens Death can't, for "I shall dwell in the house of the Lord

Want joy? Take Jesus, won't



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"All that is necessary for the forces of evil to win in this world is for enough Good People' to do nothing ..

# Senior Citizens Report

by Iris Blevins

Monday, the bus went to Lubbock and they had a bus full of people riding.
Tuesday was our regular luncheon day and we had 22 people sign the register.
We were so pleased thave Pansy and J.D.
Streat to iple seed they be added.
Thursday, the bus made its regular run to the people with th Spray to join us for lunch and play games with us, and we want you to come be with us any and all the time. Roger, we were happy to have you again and we will be glad when Elga is well enough to be back with us, and we were happy to see Duke and Vena again. Glad you were feeling

Our president, Norabelle Dunning, called the house to order at 11:45 a.m. for a short business meeting. She also gave the reading of the minutes. Everything

Norabelle.

Thursday, the bus made its regular run to Plainview with eight people riding. We all ate Hamburgers for lunch and they were delicious. And we arrived back in Matador at 5:00 p.m. We used some of our time in an Antique Shop. There were so many pretty things, and a lot of History.

Friday evening is our time for games and a lot of visiting. We had one table of eighty-four and we finished the games with a tie. We had eight people to enjoy

Be kindly affectioned one to another with brotherly love; in honour preferring one another; Not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord; Rejoicing in hope; patient in tribulation; continuing instant in prayer; Distributing to the necessity of saints; given to hospitality. Romans 12:10-13

Don't miss the classifieds.....

You may miss a bargain!

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**Barbeque Sauce** 

These specials are in addition to our weekly sale every Thursday, Friday and Saturday of another 12 - 16 items.

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Fresh Produce from the Dallas Farmers Market

Your Business is Appreciated



# Vacation Time

We will be closed for Vacation

June 26-30, 1989

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# Society News

# Couple Celebrates 67th Wedding Anniversary



SIXTY-SEVEN YEARS and still counting.....Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Woodruff celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, June 6. They were honorees Monday evening at an anniversary dinner for family and close friends at Smart's Kountry Restaurant. Hosts for the occasion were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Dailey, of Grapeland and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Woodruff, of Matador. Jim Woodruff and the former Lucy Glenn were married in Ft. Worth on June 6, 1922. For forty-five years, they made their home in Matador where he was a rancher and owner of a Ford and Mercury dealership. For the past nine years, they have made their home in Grapeland. In addition to their son and daughter, the Woodruffs have five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

# Kimberly Moore Receives **Bachelors** Degree



**Kimberly Moore** 

Tell yourself - believe it too - that you are too big for worry, too noble for anger, too brave for fear, too happy to allow troubles to destroy your life

**UNDER CAR** 

Tires

Exhaust

17 ITEMS

CHECKED

· Oil Leaks

Suspension

Kimberly Moore, a Hardin-Simmons University student, has completed the requirements for a bachelor of education degree and received a diploma during

commencement exercises held May 6,

Moore, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayland F. Moore of Matador. She is a graduate of Motley County High School,

### **New Testament**

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

UNDER HOOD

INSPECTION

Wiper Blades

· Belts

**TOTAL VACATION SAFETY** 

CHECK FOR ONLY

Washer Level

19 ITEMS

CHECKED

· Eng. Tune-up

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**VACATION SAFETY CHECK** SPECIAL

# Mickey Meador Inducted Into National Honor Society

On May 3, 1989 Mickey Meador was inducted into the National Honor Society for a Social Society for Social Workers.

The induction involved a brief ceremony presided over by Dr. Mark Rodfor a Social Society for Social Workers.

The induction involved a brief ceremony presided over by Dr. Mark Rodfor a Social Society for Social Workers. Alfa Beta, the chapter at Monmouth and refreshments were served following College, is one of the many chapters the ceremony.

Mickey is a junior at Monmouth Col-

In order to become a member, students must be nominated by the depart-

Work degree

dents must be nominated by the department chairman, must be actively involved Springs High School. Mickey is the wife in the social work program, and must be of CPT Danny Meador and daughter-in-law of Dena Meador of Matador.

# Barbara Waybourn West Receives Teacher Excellence Award

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Editor's Note: This article was taken from the *Childress Index*. Mrs. West is the former Barbara Waybourn, daughter of Edna Waybourn, formerly of Matador and the late Gerald Waybourn.

Randall High School homemaking department head Barbara West of Amar-illo, formerly of Childress, was the recipient of the Teacher Excellence Award at the school's graduation ceremony re-

She is the daughter of Mrs. Gerald Waybourn of Childress and late Gerald

received a plaque and flowers.

The former Barbara Waybourn, is a graduate of Matador High School in 1957 and a graduate of Texas Women's University at Denton in 1961 with a degree in home economics education. She has taught in Childress Independent School District for four and a half years and

Canyon Independent School District for Teachers nominated their peers for the

award, which cites time given to stu-dents, helping with student problems and over-all interest in students. A ballot Waybourn. based on the nominations was produced When the award was announced, West was greeted with a standing ovation and school's baccalaureate service.

# **TEXAS Musical Drama Begins In Canyon**

gala celebrations honoring the members of its producing non-profit organization, The Texas panhandle Heritage Founda-tion on Wednesday, June 14th.

The story highlights the early struggles between the cowboys and the ranchers as they fight each other and nature's ele-ments, eventually combining efforts to bring great personality and prosperity to

umbrellas as the latest in sound and light technology bring a storm to life. Thunder shatters the silence and a lightning bolt sizzles 600 feet down the canyon wall,

exploding a tree.

During the evening, cowboys battle ballet dancing "flame" as a smoky prairie fire threatens, Indians interrupt a party

scene, a new town is built and an authentic train whistles across the plains.

Reservations are encouraged and obtained by writing "TEXAS", Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015 or by calling 806-6550-2181. Tickets are \$10,\$8 and \$6 for adults and \$10,\$4 and \$3 for children.

An optional chuckwagon barbecue

An optional chuckwagon barbecue dinner is served prior to each performance from 6:30 to 8 p.m. by Sutphen's of Amarillo in the patio area of the theatre for \$5 per person.

While in the area see the largest and oldest state museum in Texas, the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Convention and the properties of the convention of the properties of the convention of the properties of th

Canyon, savor sourdough biscuits on the canyon rim during an authentic cowboy morning breakfast at the Figure 3 Ranch or catch robotic dinosaurs at the Don Harrington Discovery Center in Amar-illo.

# Friendship Social At Do Gooders' Club Meeting

The Do Gooder's Club of Flomot met plant.

Tuesday afternoon, June 13 at the Community Center in Flomot and enjoyed a Priendship Social.

Hostesses were Mesdames James Monk, Billy Morris and Roger Lee. They served refreshments of vegetables and dip, cookies, brownies, lemonade and Pope, Jack Starkey, L.E. Shorter, Junior fruit punch from a table laid with a white Payne, D.M. Gilbert, Billy Morris, Roger cloth and centered with a beautiful pot Lee and James Monk.

Collossians 3: 23, 24

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.

COXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOX

# Dixons Attend Southwestern Rendezvous



Wilda and Spencer Dixon in Rendezvous dress.

by Wilda Dixon

After weeks of sewing period clothing and making all our other preparations, we left on May 25 to attend the 5th Annual NMLRA National Southwestern Rendezvous, held this year at \$t. Jo, Texas. Upon our arrival at the entrance gate, we registered and purchased a medallion and they drove in and found a place to set up our drove in and found a place to set up our camp. We unloaded everything and while I returned the pickup to the parking area, Spencer began setting up our wedge tent (seen in the background of the picture). After I returned, we finished setting up the programment of the picture of the pict our tent and arranged the bedding, ice chests and the other items for camp liv-ing. Since we were camped in the primiing. Since we were camped in the primi-tive camp, we had to keep everything from the 20th Century out of sight or covered up with blankets, burlap sacks or white canvas. We dug our fire pit and arranged the tripod and trivet so we could cook the next day. By this time, it was getting dark and we ate sandwiches, then went over to another camp and visited until bedtime.

Friday morning we had to be dressed

Friday morning we had to be dressed in our pre-1840 clothing and after dress-ing, we cooked breakfast over the fire, Ing, we cooked breakfast over the fire, which was an experience since I had on a long skirt. I discovered that it was fairly easy after only one meal and even if it is the same things that we do all the time, it is a lot more fun to do the cooking, cleaning up and other chores outside.

After the camp was cleaned, we went to After the camp was cleaned, we went to trader's row and began looking at all the trade goods that were available. Believe trade goods flat were available. Believe me, a person could purchase everything to set up as a buckskinner, including a Teepee, clothes, footwear, eating and cooking essentials as well as guns, toma-hawks and knives.

About the time we finished looking around the first time, more buckskinners were arriving and setting up camp and also other traders arrived. There was one also other traders arrived. There was one man who is a blacksmith and he makes things for you on the spot because he carries his forge and all the other equipment with him. One of the other traders had Indian Fry Bread meat and fruit pies, plus plain fry bread. He also had lemonade and iced tea. We began meeting many of these people and making new friends and about noon we went back to our camp to eat lunch, which because of the heat we to eat lunch, which because of the heat we did not try to cook anything. After lunch we again began meeting new people and visiting other camps. After it cooled off a little we went back to our camp to cook supper. About the same time, another buckskinner decided his camp would have to be placed behind our camp and asked if he could walk around our fire to get to if he could walk around our fire to get to it. Spencer helped him unload and carry everything over there and we invited him to eat with us when the stew got ready. At rendezvous, the rule is bring you own bowl or plate and eating utensils and clean them up yourself when you are invited to eat with someone else. (Ladies, isn't that a good idea).

Early Saturday morning we woke up to the sound of rain and wind, but nothing inside the tent got wet. However, it was very difficult to start a fire for breakfast and finally Spencer borrowed some live

and finally Spencer borrowed some live

and smoke from everyone's fire sure was thick. Saturday was almost a repeat of Friday, except that about 1:30 p.m. a young boy went through the camp invit-ing everyone to the wedding at 2:00. We did not attend but we later saw the bride and groom as they walked around camp.
They both were dressed in period clothing and the only way to know they were the bridal couple was because they had flowers pinned to their clothes. They were not the only honeymooners in camp, however because we had met another. however, because we had met another couple from Louisina that got married Thursday and came to the rendezvous on Friday and stayed until Monday, when they left to attend their wedding recep-

One thing that was different on Saturday was the man we met who is an expert at starting fires with a flint and steel. Since we want to learn how to do this, we talked to him and he figured out a way for me to do it as well as told us both many things we had been unable to learn from books.

Sunday morning there was goern!

Sunday morning there was gospel singing and prayers for those who wanted to attend, but the rest of the day was much the same as the others. All day Saturday and all day Sunday the camp was open to the public and the town of St. Jo was celebrating Pioneer Days, so there were many, many "pilgrims" that came out to visit and see just exactly what a rendez-

All day Monday there were many of the over 100 camps that began leaving to go back to work or to put children back in school. There were several people that lived close enough that they left their tent or teepee set up and were going to come back Friday for the last weekend. Now remember there are no locks on the tents and teepees but they knew their property would be perfectly safe while they were

Tuesday morning we packed up and got ready to leave. After we packed everything back in the pickup, we took showryning back in the pickup, we took show-ers and put our period clothing back on so we could go back down to tell all of our new friends bye. Now folks if you have never taken a shower where the water comes straight from the well to an over-head barrel set atop a platform around which is a tarp for privacy and where you. which is a tarp for privacy and where you stand on a pallet, you haven't lived yet. Talk about a cold shower!!

As you can see from the photograph, we look like our own ancestors, but it is lots of fun. There is a lot of preparation involved, but that is also part of the fun.
Personaly one of the best things about buckskinning is getting to meet the buckskinning themselves. The people we have met are some of the nicest people I have ever met. Another nice thing about buckskinning is that it is a fooily activity. skinning is that it is a family activity.
Men, women and children of all ages are
encouraged to participate. There are blackpowder shooting events, 'hawk and knife
throws and other games and activities for all sexes and ages.

Have you ever wondered about what the life of a mountainman in 1820-1840 was like? If you have or are interested in finding out or interested in blackpowder shooting and in participating in re-enact coals from another camp to get it started.
All day it sprinkled and was misty but a lot cooler than Friday and by night the fog Library, 347-2717.

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Henry David Thoreau

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Yes, U.S. cotton should be price-competitive in world markets. And the Secretary of Agriculture should deter-mine and perpetuate an adjusted world price for U.S. cotton that will make it competitive.

But no, the effectiveness of the non-

recourse loan program as now administered need not be and should not be sacrificed in pursuit of a competitive price. And the Secretary should not adopt proposed loan program changes that would have that effect.

These two points will constitute the

would have that effect.

Those two points will constitute the nucleus of a statement from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, in response to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Federal Register notice proposing alterations in the administration of two basic features of the current cotton program.

The first proposal would produce a proper accurate and therefore more com-

more accurate and therefore more competitive adjusted world price (AWP) for U.S. cotton. It would give USDA authority, when needed after arriving at an AWP under the existing formula, to inject additional criteria into the formula to give a further adjustment. New factors to give a further adjustment. New factors to be used would include U.S. spot market prices relative to the original formulacaculated AWP, actual sales prices of foreign competitors, the volume of U.S. sales for export compared to world markets, and other relevant data.

PCG is in full agreement with this proposal, and according to Executive Vice President Donald Johnson the organization is recommending that it be activated

tion is recommending that it be activated in accord with guidelines detailed in eiin accord will guidelines detailed in ci-ther or a combination of two suggested procedures developed by the industry through the seven-segment National Cotton Council. One should compare the actual U.S. share of world exports to the

traditional U.S. share as a means to detertraditional U.S. sare as a means to deter-mine the need for action to lower the U.S. world price. The other advises an adjust-ment in the U.S. price at any time the quoted price of representative Memphis territory cotton is not one of the three heapest growths used in the current AWP

There is also a difference under the two plans in the way the size of any adjustment would be determined, Johnson explains, "and it is our thought" that the

explains, "and it is our thought" that the authority to use either will give the Secretary the flexibility to make an adjustment that will do the job under the market circumstances that exist at thetime.

The objectionable part of USDA's proposed change in the administration of the loan program, Johnson says, concerns the disposition of interest and carrying charges when producers use the rying charges when producers use the option to extend loans another eight months at the expiration of the original ten month loan period. It is proposed that, as a condition of permitting loan extensions, producers be required to prepay the full eight month interest and warehouse

full eight month interest and warehouse charges or provide documentation from the warehouse that the government will not be held responsible for such charges. That would be a reversal of current policy which allows charges to accrue as they are incurred, to be paid by the redeemer if the cotton is sold, and assumed by Commodity Credit Corporation if forfeited in payment of the loan.

Producers could not afford to use extensions if advance payment of charges were required, Johnson contends, "which

tensions if advance payment of charges were required, Johnson contends, "which for practical purposes means the legal authorization for extensions would be repealed and the effectiveness of the loan as a marketing tool would be reduced accordingly."

# Tax Payments

AUSTIN, Tex. — State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday that local sales tax alocations to cities, counties and transit authorities across the state increased 14.2 percent during the first state of 1989,

compared to the first half of 1988.

"The Texas economy continues to strengthen and expand, and the local sales tax rebates reflect that growth," Bullock said. "Even payments to economic areas that haven't fully recovered, such as Austin

and San Antonio, are improving." loc
In the first six months of 1989, statewide city allocations totaled \$512.5 mil-

lion. Last year's payments for the first six months were \$465.9 million. Checks totaling \$66.3 million were sent Friday to 875 cities that impose local sales tax at either one or one and one-half percent, Bullock said.

Bullock added that the June 1988 monthly allocation was unusually large,

so this month's payments compared to June 1988 payments may appear to be slightly lower than they actually are. "The best indicator of sales tax rebate

of 13.9 percent. This month's rebate is the first to reflect new MTA tax rates in San Antonio and Austin, which went into effect on April 1.

Another \$6.8 million was allocated to

92 counties that collect the one-half per-cent county sales tax.

June's checks represent taxes collected in April by monthly filers and reported to the Comptroller's office by May 22, Bullock said.
Totals for Motley County are as fol-

Matador: net payment this period, \$1,027.04; comparable payment prior year,\$2,436.57; %change, -57.85%; 1989 payments to date, \$11,376.10; 1988 payments to date, \$12,657.63; % change, -10.10.07

Roaring Springs: net payment this period, \$1,594.56; comparable payment prior year, \$524.38; % change, 204.08%; 1989 payments to date, \$9,799.40; 1988 payments to date, \$5,581.09; % change, 75.58%.

trends is the year-to-date totals. One payment won't give as accurate a comparison as six payments," Bullock said. The state's six metropolitan transit authorities and one city transit departpayment received \$33.5 million, an increase 16.10%.

# 1987 Texas Taxes Lower Than All Other States

AUSTIN, Tex. -- State Comptroller corrections;

Bob Bullock today announced that a new study by his office shows that Texas collected and spent fewer tax dollars per person than any other state in 1987.

An agency analysis of consus data

person than any other state in 1987.

An agency analysis of census data reveals that Texas received \$1,168 per son; capita in general revenue in 1987 and spent\$1,148 per person - in both cases, an amount about one-third less than the national average for all 50 states.

According to the study, Texas' total revenue collections per person are the lowest in the nation, largely because the favor state has no personal income tax.

state has no personal income tax.

"Our state government asks less from and basically gives less to each of its citizens than does any other state," said Bullock

omptroller's study indicates that, in 1987, Texas ranked:

lected per person'
-- 50th in spending per person;
-- 50th in per capita salary and wage

49th in per capita welfare spending; 48th in health spending per person; 46th in per capita expenditures on interest for general debt;

35th in highway spending per per-

- 29th in per captia education spend-

ing; and -- 25th in per captia motor fuels tax

"Some people would favor a higher level of taxes and spending while others favor a low level of taxes and services. I think these figures speak for themselves," Pulledk exid. Bullock said.

Census Bureau figures are based on total dollars paid by each state's citizens. The bureau counts some revenue sources, such as motor vehicle registration, as taxes, while others are counted as fee For the Comptroller's analysis, all such revenues were considered taxes.

Highlights of the study are summa-

rized in the June issue of Fiscal Notes, a financial newsletter published by the comptroller's office and available free by 48th in health spending per person; 46th in per captia expenditures on st for general debt; 37th in spending per person on 78711-9831.

> Say No To Drugs!

# **Social Security Tips For Motley County**

by Mary Jane Shanes

If you want to avoid the risk of waiting in line at the Social Security office, or getting a busy signal when you call, you may want to consider making an appoint-

ment.
Interviews by appointment have been provided in many offices in recent years and have proven to be very popular. Now the service is being offered by every Social Security office.
To set up an appointment, you merely call the Social Security office. You can either arrange to visit the office at an agreed upon time, or you may arrange to have the Social Security office call you at a certain time. If the office calls you, the a certain time. If the office calls you, the

interview may be taken by phone and any papers to be signed may be sent to you through the mail. Applications mailed in are handled just like applications taken in

Offices that have used the appointment system note that people tend to be more prepared for the interview. During the initial contact, they have an opportunity to find out what documents they need to handle the matter and can have them on hand during the interview. This de-creases interview and claims processing time. And this means a savings for both you and Social Security.

For more information or to file a claim call 1-800-2345-SSA.

# **DPS TRAINING** SCHOOL

Recruiting efforts by the Texas Department of Public Safety are picking up for the next trooper-trainee school, sched-

uled to begin on September 12, 1989.
"Our field recruitment personnel are informing interested persons about the informing interested persons about une professional and dependable nature of this state agency," according to Colonel Joe Milner, Department of Public Safety Director. "The Department of Public Safety has a national reputation of excellence in law enforcement, and we're looking for peel, who will beln us maintain for peel, who will beln us maintain. ing for peole who will help us maintain this tradition."

More than 100 applicants will be ac-

cepted for the 22-week trooper education program at the Department of Public Safety Academy in Austin. A major part

of the department's recruiting goal is minority and female hiring.
"We earnestly seek qualified minority persons for employment with the Department of Public Safety," Colonel Milner pointed out. "And, as in the past, we will do our best to start the recruit class with at do our best to start the recruit class with at least 40 percent minority enrollment." Milner also indicated that his agency

offers competitive salaries. "The Texas Legislature recently authrorized a five percent increase in salaries for state employees, including the commissioned and non-commissioned personnel of the DPS. This action will increase the pay for trooper-trainees to \$1,622.00 per month. "Also, our training does not end on the day of recruit graduation. Throughout the

day of recruit graduation. Throughout the careers of our officers, we offer quality instruction in the DPS Academy to keep

them at the top in their law enforcement profession," Colonel Milner noted.

The DPS Director also had a few comments regarding the commissioned ranks. "Our troopers have many opportunities to advance in responsibilities and rank and we make every effort to make rank. And we make every effort to make sure that our officers have equal promo-tional opportunities."

The deadline for submitting an application for the next trooper-trainee school is Friday, July 28, 1989. Colonel Milner requested that interested persons should contact their local DPS Trooper or any DPS Office during normal business hours.

# **Tick Season Brings Threat** of Lyme Disease

"Lyme disease can cause a number of health problems, including arthritis or problems with the nervous system, that can be prevented if people recognize symptoms early and see their doctor," said Judi Moulton of the Arthritis Foundation's Northwest Texas Chapter.

Most people do not spot or remember a tick bite because the tick is so small. People are more likely to spot early symptoms of Lynd skin rash. The rash

flu-like illness and a skin rash. The rash can appear from three days to as long as a month after the bite and often looks like

Warm weather signals the start of tick season in many areas of the country, including Texas. According to the Athrito years after the tick bite and often are of tick can also pass along Lyme disease. "Lyme disease can cause a number of more difficult and less successful if Lyme health problems including arthritis or disease is not recognized until these later. disease is not recognized until these later

Ms. Moulton explained that Lyme disease can also affect pets and farm animals. Symtoms in animals can often be the first clue that infected ticks are in

There are precautions people can take to avoid tick bites. These include wearing protective clothing, checking for ticks when returning from the outdoors, and clearing your yard of brush and other attractions for ticks.

an expanding red ring with a clear center.

Early treatment of Lyme disease with antibiotics can prevent more serious medical problems, said Moulton. If left untreated, Lyme disease can cause problems with the nervous system, heart, and red ring from the Arthritis Foundation by writing: 3145 McCart, Fort Worth, TX 76110 or by calling (817) 926-7733 or outside Fort Worth call: 1-800-283-7733.

God Bless You

# Health Watch

Walkers burn calories, get fit

Walking an hour a day can help you get in shape. Calories burned per hour by body

Weight in pounds Calorie burn-off per hour at 3.0 mph 3.5 mph 156 120 140 219 245 308 348 280 315 315 Source: Family Circle magazine

# VA NEWS Questions

& Answers

Q. - I filed a claim with the Department of Veterans Affairs a few years ago for Agent Orange exposure. The claim was denied. Should I file another claim in

was deficted. Should I the another claim in light of the recent federal court ruling on Agent Orange?

A. - No action on your part is necessary. Once the new regulations are in place, VA will begin to review decisions which were affected by the original rules.

All veterans will be notified of the outcome of this review, even if there is no change inthe original decision on the claim Q. - Are VA educational benefits payale for an "incomplete" grade?

A. - Yes, provided the incomplete converts to a credit or punitive grade within a calendar year. If the course is not completed within a calendar year, a retroactive overpayment will be created to active overpayment will be created to recover payments made during the pe-

riod instruction was offered.
Q. - Can I get a release of liability from the VA if a non-veteran assumes my VA-guaranteed home loan?

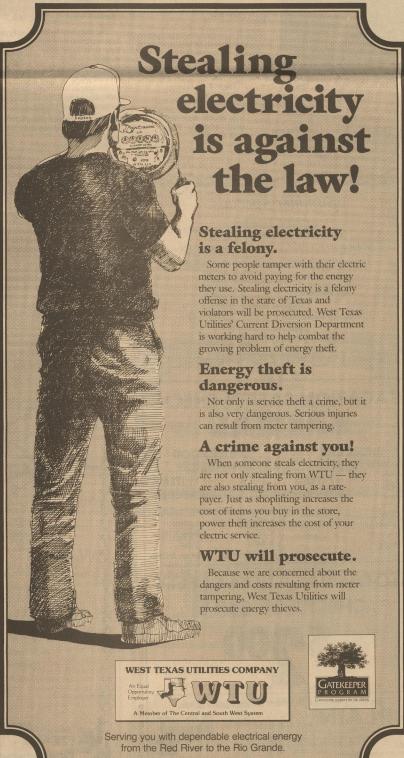
VA-guaranteed home loan?

A. Yes. If the buyer meets the income and credit standards of the Department of Veterans Affairs you may be released from liability. If your VA-guaranteed loan was committed to be made after March 1, 1988, you must obtain the approval of the loan holder or the VA before the lean conloan holder or the VA before the loan can be transferred or assumed.

> \*\*\*\* **God Bless You \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\***

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# The Way It Was

by Emmett Jenkins

L.B. (Bob) Robertson came to Matador in the 1920's. He worked for J.H. Sample in the Spot Cash Grocery.

Later the Mission Service Station was built. It was located where the little park is, and where the Windmill now stands.

Bob made a success of operating this station. However, Bob had a dream. He built his dream on a corner, where U.S. Hwy. and State Hwy. intersect, in the form of an oil derrick which housed a service station

Two years later he built the adjoining

He opened for business in 1932, in the very depth of the depression. His dream had come true in the physical form, yet it was to be seen if it would be a financial

was to be seen it it would be a success.

Bob was a very energetic, enterprising man, with a flair for advertising.

The derrick was lit with hundreds of lights which could be seen for miles, before the town could be seen.

The "Bob's Oil Well" signs could be seen hundreds of miles any direction from Matador.

from Matador. Bob would drive as far as three hundred miles, to place signs. The speedometer would be read at the outset, and the exact mileage to the location of the sign from Bob's Oil Well, Matador, would be placed

on the sign.

Truck drivers would be, furnished with

post hole diggers, signs, and paid to place them hundreds of miles away, with the exact mileage to Bob's Oil Well. People began asking, "Where is Mata-dor" and what is Bob's Oil Well. Others drove out of the way to see for them-selves.

Signs were seen on the way to Detroit.

Signs were seen on the way to Detroit, Michigan. The state of New Mexico was covered to the Arizona line, and reported from farther out. Even some in Old Mexico. Thousands of motorist read the signs and wondered where Matador, Texas was located.

Bob's Oil Well cards were printed and given to the truckers, who distributed them in Service Stations, Cafes, and everywhere. One was reported seen in a New York Cafe.

Other attractions were added. A menagarie which housed they lions that

As I listened to the thunder; Saw the lightening flash;

reach to the ground in a frenzied, unreal lash;

I wondered, Lord;

When the day is done;

I know there is a God

God is so good!

And answers when we call.

Watched the wind-whipped limbs

that it would bend and break them

or just bring them to their knees?

All your creations are not fragile By any standards that we know But are they jealous, critical or partial, Unthinking as they go.
As I sometimes listen to the thunder; Watch clouds mingling with the sun;

The wind whipping up new mysteries

Is the tornadic wind jealous of the beauty of the trees

Who is watching over all more closely in our stormy times

were acquired from the Denver, Colorado Zoo, as a gift. There was a monkey, raccoon, bobcat, a buffalo and a pen of large rattlesnakes, and other attractions.

There were cars from all over and people looking. The snakes were the chief attraction.

attraction.

Bill McCaghren worked for Bob for fourteen years. Loyd (Ox) Fulkerson and Buford Williams drove transports, hauling gasoline and oil. Arthur Fulkerson was the bookkeeper, for sometime.

One of the cooks was Ira Haskins, a brother-in-law of Joe Merrel's. He and his wife, a sister of Mrs. Murrel, also worked in the Cafe.

worked in the Cafe.

Many other people worked at the Service Station and Cafe. They are too numerous to name.

numerous to name.

In 1946 he built the rock building, south of the oil well, it housed a modern cafe. The kitchen was all stainless steel.

A soda fountain bar and mirrors were moved from Childress and installed. The bar was decorated with pertrified wood, found in this area. The furniture was elaborate. The Cafe was a success from the opening day. It was also a credit to a town of this size.

Bob started his business in the midst

of the worst depression in modern history, and made a brilliant success. Bob

had a dream, and he made it come true. Jan 13, 1947, tragedy struck. Bob was found dead in his room at the Motley

The business began to flounder. The rock Cafe, under different management

was the first to close.

The small Cafe was re-opened and was run in conjunction with the service station. It changed management several times. The Cafe and station locked for the last time in the late 1950's.

The buildings are now boarded up and June 14, 1989 a sad state of dis-repair, overgrown with weeds.

There are no more welcoming lights shinning from the tower.

What a sad monument for the ingenu-

ity and years of labor, to the man who made it come true.

That's the Way it Was.

(Thanks to Bill McCaghren for the information which helped me to write

this story.)

Stormy Times

by H. Soltwisch

We haven't made much progress since the last report. Presently we're held up by rain in a border town named Spread Eagle, Wis. A very gracious family of 3 sons and two daughters have provided us with shelter and comfort. It's a beautiful sum-per home overlooking as lake Welsen

Tim, Sue and Steve in City Park in Hoven, S.D.

Traveling Cross Country

Sue and Steve with friend Kevin Leckey, display their catch

shelter and comfort. It's a beautiful summer home overlooking a lake. We've equipped for guests. The parents are at the year-round family home near by. The year round family home near by. The children range in ages from 19 to 29. Theirnames are Lars, Nils, Kristin, Robert and Tring Robm. and Trina Rahm

Last night they took us out to a club called Joe Bug. We had a good time meeting their friends, shooting pool and sometimes being a little crazy. Today, Tim is out with Robert cruising the lake in the family boat. Sue went with Lars to rent some movies. I'm here, alone, enjoy-ing a quite moment with Van Morrison's

Avalon Sunset album.
Things were fairly uneventful from Ashland to Eagle River, Wis. The only new experience was riding the roughest, narrowest, and busiest road thus far on this trip. Approximately a 10 mile stretch of road on 70 leaving St. Germain, Wis. was hazardous. It had no shoulder and was full of pot holes. Traffic was conjested with many bigger trucks, which seem to compete with one another in how close they can get to bievelist without close they can get to bicyclist without actually hitting them. We were thankful for the end of that stretch.

In Eagle River we stayed at a camp called Chain-O-Lakes, owned by Sue's Uncle and Aunt. Our expectations were throughly proven inaccurate when we

arrived. We planned to spend a couple of days with our tents set up in a shady spot next to a lake. We figured that we would have the same bout with mesquitoes and ticks, as we've had regularly since entering Minnesota and Wisconsin. What we experienced, though, was a luxury 3 bedroom condo with all amenities. Our pown boat dock with a capoe and rowboat own boat dock with a cance and rowboat. A heated swimming pool, laundry room, camp store, the friendliest people, and no

camp store, the friendliest people, and no mesquitoes or ticks!

From the moment we arrived until our departure 3 days later we were given the red carpet treatment. Friday night we were taken out by Gorden and Lois Parnitzke, (Sue's aunt and uncle) for an all-you-can-eat fish fry. Saturday night we played blackjack under the Big Top with about 25 other campers. Prizes were given away at the end. Later we partied with some retired couples who now camp full-time. The local newspaper even sent a reporter to interview us and do a story. reporter to interview us and do a story

Sunday we packed up, gear all scrubbed and clean, and biked away through a crowd of well wishers waving and blessing us with warmth and friend-

Sunday night we camped in a National Forest after biking 40 miles. Monday it was raining and we biked about 20 miles to Florence. It was here that Lars and Robert approached us as we ate lunch in a cafe, and invited us to take refuge with them. It's now Wednesday, the rain has not let up, we're hoping for a late afternoon clearing that's predicted. If so, we'll be off in the early morning and hopefully bike a couple of hundred miles by Saturday.

Until next week, peace and blessings

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# Schedule

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SOFTBALL Thursday, June 22: 8:30 p.m. - Yan-

Thursday, June 22: 7:00 p.m. - Ti-Friday, June 23: (Make-up Game):

00 p.m. - Tigers vs. Cardinals. Friday, June 23: 7:00 p.m. - Astros

Monday, June 26: (Make-up Game):

6:00 p.m. - Astros vs. Tigers. Monday, June 26: 7:00 p.m. - Pirates

Tuesday, June 27: 7:00 p.m. - Tigers

Astros.
Thursday, June 29: 7:00 p.m. - Pi-

Friday, June 30: 7:00 p.m. - Cardinals vs. Tigers.

Tuesday, June 27: 8:30 p.m. - Yankees vs. Dodgers.

Thursday, June 29: 8:30 p.m. - Tiers vs. Twins. Friday, June 30: 8:30 p.m. - Astros

Friday, June 23: 8:30 p.m. - Dodgers

Twins. Monday, June 26: 8:30 p.m. - Tigers





# LAWRENCE STAFFORD

Services were conducted Thursday, June 15, for Lawrence D. Stafford, 69, a retired manager of the Health and Safety Department for the Zia Co. in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Mr. Stafford died Monday, June 12 in Los Alamos Medical Center. The cause of death was a heart attack

The service was conducted at 9:30 a.m. at the Bryce Avenue Presbyterian Church in White Rock, followed by burial with full military honors at 11:30 a.m. at

Santa Fe National Cemetery.
Mr. Stafford was a veteran of World
War II. He retired from the Zia Co. as manager of the Health and Safety Department in 1984, after about 25 years of employment. He belonged to the Bryce Avenue Presbyterian Church and was a member of the Pajarito Masonic Lodge No. 66 and the National Fire Chief's Association.

Mr. Stafford was born in Matador, Texas, on Sept. 23, 1919.

Survivors include his wife, Juanita Stafford of Los Alamos, N.M.; a son, Ron Stafford of Los Alamos, N.M.; two brothers, Lloyd Stafford of Amarillo, Texas, and R. A. Stafford of Matador; a sister, Estelle Jamison, of Lubbock, Texas; and five grandsons.

# JOHN L. HILL, JR.

Funeral Services for John L. Hill, Jr., 81, of Stephenville were held at 2:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 30, 1989 at the Tankersley Funeral Home Chapel in Stamford. The Rev. James Brigham, officiated. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery under direction of Tankersley Funeral Home. Mr. Hill was born in Childress in 1907 and moved to Mountainair, N.M. as a child and to Rule in 1928. He moved to Stamford in 1936.

He worked for the First National Bank in Rule. Later, he was manager of the

in Rule. Later, he was manager of the Rolling Plains Production Credit Asso-ciation inStamford. He became president of the credit association in 1957 and re-

tired in 1972. He moved to Stephenville in 1979. He was well known in Motley County working with P.C.A. managers and overseeing agricultural interests in the area.

He married Vella Edwards November 1, 1976. He was a member of the first Baptist Church and the Stamford Ma-

Bapust Church and the Stamford Ma-sonic Lodge.
Survivors include his wife, Vella of Stephenville; two sons, Jerry L. Hill of Stamford and John Ed Hill of Fort Worth; a daughter, Martha Scott of Houston; eight grandchildren and three great-grand-children.

# MOSE DAMRON

Graveside services for Mose L. Damron, 76, of Matador were held at 2 p.m Wednesday in East Mound Cemetery with the Rev. Gene Louder, pastor of First Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Floydada.

He died Sunday in Lubbock's Methol.

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The family suggests memorials to the

He died Sunday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after an illness.

The family suggests memorials to the East Mound Cemetery Association.



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# County Chit-Chat

# Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Lee Goss and children of Jackson-ville, Texas, came by to see his grand-mother, Mrs. Vera Mitchell, Friday. He was on his way home after a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Benny Goss in

Littlefield.

Bill J. Dillard attended to business in Oklahoma City several days last week, returning home Friday.

Mrs. Clyde Williams of Granbury came in Saturday to visit her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Peacock were business visitors in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kingery of Corpus Christi who had been visiting his mother, Mrs. Eliza Kingery, left for home Thursday.

Thursday.

Mrs. Ethel Pharr of Ada, Oklahoma, and her daughter visited her sister, Mrs. Callie Winegar, June 10th weekend and attended the annual Sedgwick Reunion held in Ralls Sunday.

Mrs. Odessa Mullins drove Miss Bes

Ferguson to Plainview for a check-up of injuries received when she was struck by

lightning in her yard recently.

Rev. Benny Goss became ill Friday and was taken to the Littlefield Hospital from which he was released on Sunday.

Mrs. Lou Caffey brought her mother,
Mrs. Clara Youngblood home for a few
days visit Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swim of Aspen,
Colorado, visited his father, Cecil Swim

weekend. Also visiting them were Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCallum and Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Swim, all of Bella Vista, Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Gooch and Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Swim of Plainview, Mrs. Virginia Dudley of Turkey. Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Swim, Edward and Emily and guest Brandi Doolan of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim and ed the other visitors at Miss Lula

> J.D. Mitchell was taken to Methodist Hospital Monday morning after a fall at his home; however, he had no serious injuries from the fall, but he will be kept in ICU a few days for observation and tests. Mrs. Mitchell's daughter, Mrs. Clyde Williams accompanied him in the ambulance and Mrs. Ronnie Davis followed the ambulance and brought her mother home. Mrs. Mitchell accompanied her daughter home Tuesday where she will seek medical treatment.

> Visiting Bess Ferguson Thursday and Friday was her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson of Tyler and her niece Lillian Fryer of Waco.
>
> Odessa Mullins and Osie Lee Brown attended the Spray Advisory Council on Acting meeting in Lubbeck in the SPAG

Aging meeting in Lubbock in the SPAG

Board Room Tuesday afternoon, of which they are both members representing Motley County.

# Matador News

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Visiting the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hall was their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. FM. Hill of Seattle, WA. Also visiting during the Hills stay was Mrs. Hall's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Farrar, Denton, Mr. Hall's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hall, Albuquerque. Locals visiting were Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Birchfield, Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Markham and Larry, Betty June Bearden.

Mike Hoyle was in Lubbock, Monday

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Dr. Albert Traweek and his daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Stanley Hanesworth of Houston were here recently visiting and

attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cox and daughter Shawn of Bryan visited here recently with his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Terry, and with Mrs. Cox (Shelly's) father, John Stevens and other family members, the Vann Francis, Jerry Jones and Steve Stevens families. Their son, Rom is spending the summer here. son, Ron, is spending the summer here, employed on the Frances ranch

YOUR #1 CHEVY TEAM

# Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

**CROP DISASTER** 

Cotton planters are running full force replanting the many acres of cotton destroyed by hail, flooding rains, electricity and blustery winds. There is not a farmer that did not suffer some crop damage on his farm acreage in the Whiteflat and Flomot area, the word, "DISASTER" describes the misfortune in these com-

# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL HELD AT BAPTIST CHURCH

A Vacation Bible School for three Sunday School departments of the First Baptist church in Flomot was held June 12-16. The Rev. Nathan Mulder was di-Tector. Assisting him were Mrs. Clois Shorter, Cindy, Christi and Keri, Pre-School; Mrs. Nathan Mulder and Cory, 1st through 4th grades; Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Julie, 5th and 6th grades. Serving on the refreshment committee wee Mrs. Clayton Bond and Mrs. Herb Martin

Following a Commencement program and presentation of diplomas, a picnic lunch, cookies and freezer ice cream were

enjoyed.

They had enrollment of 31 and reported good attendance.

#### HONORED AT CHURCH

H.G. Hunter of Quitaque, former resident of Flomot, was honored on his 87th birthday and recognized as the oldest father attending the Father's Day church services at the First Baptist Church in Flomot, Sunday morning, June 18. The congregation sang Happy Birthday and sented him a book.

He and Mrs. Hunter were luncheon guests in the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda

Elaine visited recently in Mobeetie and celebrated the birthday of his cousin,

Mrs. Margared Trout. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Blanton, Loren and Christopher of Graham visited from Fri-day until Sunday and Mrs. Leland He-

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iskell, Lance and Christi of Dalhart visited from Friday until Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert. They attended the Ringling Bro Circus in Lubbock, Saturday.

Visiting fromThursday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were granddaughter, Christina Reid and friend, Wendy Sherrell of Amarillo. Mrs. Clifton Reid of Amarillo visited, Tuesday and accompanied them home.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil George, Sunday were Tina Tiffin and J.B. Tiffin of Quitaque, Kellie Hamer and daughter, Jade of Lubbock, Jamie Cox of U.S. Air Force Base in Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Payne, local residents.

Payne, local residents.

Mrs. Billy Wason of Matador accompanied her granddaughter, Leah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, to Snyder, Sunday and visited until Friday in the home of daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Marricle, Shahala and Kayren Leah, Shahala and Shahala and Shahala Kaycee. Leah, Shahala and Kaycee attended a Basketball Camp held at Western Texas College. Mrs. Marricle (Charla)

was in Gatesville attending a Management Seminar.
Wayne Hunter accompanied Mr. and Mrs. H.G. Hunter of Quitaque to Lubbock, Thursday for medical appointments.
They visited Anita Hunter before returning borne.

mig home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda
Elaine met daughter and husband, Mr.
and Mrs. Stam Wigley of Lubbock in
Amarillo, June 11 and celebrated Mrs.
Ross's birthday and the wedding anniverserved Mr. and Mrs. Wigley

sary of Mr. and Mrs. Wigley.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson were in Lockney, Thursday for Viola medical treatment. Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada met them there and they continued to Plainview for lunch and to vieit

and Mrs. Donnie Cruse, Regina, Roegan and Talon, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Leah, Keane and Derrick, and Mrs. E.R. Cruse, local residents attended during the weekend the A.G. Mullin Family Reunion held in Turkey.

Reunion held in Turkey.

Mrs. Janet Moss and daughter, Shanna
Mae of Decatur arrived Sunday to visit
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter.
Ronnie and Richard Rogers of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan,
Shawna, Shay and Dane of Kalgary and
Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and Natalie
were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard
Rogers, Sunday.

Rogers, Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Cloyd visited in Memphis,
Saturday with son and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Dickie Cloyd and Jason. She attended the Little League Baseball game in Quitaque, Saturday night in which Jason played.

Mrs. Clayton Bond and Mrs. James Monk were in Childress, Saturday to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Joe (Katie) Crane, 77, held at 2 p.m. in Calvery Baptist Church and burial in Cee Vee

Cemetery.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and Natalie enjoyed the Ringling Bro. Circus in Amarillo, Tuesday

Amarillo, Tuesday
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse visited in
Lockney, Sunday with her father, Jess
Browning, resident in Care Center.
Keith Cook of Lubbock is visiting the
summer with his grandparents, Mr. and
Mrs. Doyle Calvert.

Larry Clay of Norman, Oklahoma and friend, Angelia Metcalf of Lubbock visted the weekend with his family, Mr. and

Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Julie.
Mr. and Mrs. Neal Moon of Fritch
visited from Monday until Wednesday
with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey.

# LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Santa Fe, California visited here during the week end with his mother, Mrs. Daisy Smith, and accompanied her to Dallas where they visited her daughter, Sandra, (Mr. Smith's sister) and family, Mr. and

Mrs. George Miller.
Mrs. Christine Burnam of Encinitas, Calif., is visiting here with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Pritchett and with a sister-in-law, Mrs. Addie Murphy. Other relatives visiting through the week end and on Sunday included Mrs. Pritchett's daughter and included Mrs. Pritchett's daugnter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Russell Neblett of Denton; Mr and Mrs. Curtis Murphy of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Doc Cross of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cross of Lubbock. Mrs. Addie Murphy was a guest on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Neblett visited until Tuesday, when they returned home. returned home.

# Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

millionaire, a farmer would be one!

### OF GRANDDAUGHTER

Mrs. Alfred Cooper and her brother, Arthur Harmon of Amarillo attended the wedding ceremony of her granddaughter, Cheryl Minton of Manchester, Missouri and Ben Rockwell of Jefferson City, Missouri performed Saturday, June 10 in

Manchester Heights Baptist Church.
They visited in Manchester from June
7-12 with Cheryl's family, Mr. and Mrs.
Lynn (Pat) Minton and Carol.

#### HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Geney Spray Stan of LaPlata, N.M. accompanied her mother, Mrs. Jack (Rosa) Spray to Lubbock, Monday where she had eye surgery.

#### HARMON FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Alfred Cooper attended a Har-mon Family Reunion, Saturday, June 17 held in the home of Bill and Martha Harmon in Lubbock.
Others attending the enjoyable annual

Others attending the enjoyable annual event were Mr. and Mrs. Ken (Kay) Dunnam and Kourtney and Arthur Harmon of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harmon of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Van Bradford of Gruver; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harmon, Kyle and Kim of Mansfield; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wartes and Abby of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. David Sledge, Shelly and Sam of Midland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dee Stapleton of Salinas, California are visiting here at their rural home. Arriving Friday to visit the week with them were his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington and grandson. Jason Sutton of Tucson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington and grandson, Jason Sutton of Tucson, Arizona. Other visitors, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jehu Beeson and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Jolly of Kress. Mrs. Ruth Harris of ElPaso arrived Monday to visit this week. Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Collinsworth of Albany visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, Wilburn and Todd. Mr. and Mrs. Collinsworth and daughter, Cindy have moved here since visit and Mr. Collinsworth is employed at Matador Ranch.

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rom Basketball Camp she atended the past week at Wayland Baptist University. Art Green of Flomot and Katheryn Martin were in Clarendon, Wednesday where they met her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Davis and Kristy of Fritch. Kristy returned home with Mrs. Martin to visit. Mrs. Davis visited here Saturday and Sunday and Kristy returned home with her. Other visitors from Friday until Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth, Susan and Kathy of Sundown. Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs visited the family, Sunday. Visiting Mrs. Jack Spray last Monday were grandchildren, Cassandra and Jonah Stan of LaPlata, N.M. and their father, Lennie Stan of Afton. Visitors, Sunday were Mrs. Arrie Aulick of Matador and Mrs. Geney Stan of LaPlata who arrived for an indefinite visit.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tim.

for an indefinite visit.
Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs.
T.W. Jennings, Sunday were Mrs. Tim
Jennings of Haskell, Leslie and Thad
Jennings of Abilene, Ansel Sawyers of
Old Glory and Mike Sawyers of Hamlin.
Matthew Jennings who has visited here
with his grandparents the past two weeks,
returned to Haskell with his mother.
John Barton visited in Dougherty with

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John Barton visited in Dougherty with his son, Bud Barton, Sunday. David Dixon visited the weekend in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Card and Chris McCafferty.

Mrs. Spencer Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hester of Lovington, N.M., patients in Albuquerque, N.M. hospital, are reported to be improving following their accident, but have a long recovery because of extensive injuries.

Mrs. Jean Richman, Bret and Brittany of Charleston, Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs.

of Charleston, Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Harvey of Pampa, and Brenda Harvey and Julie of Clarendon visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harvey and their summer houseguest, Laura Weis of Perryton.

Weis of Perryton.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Jameson, Sybil, Bea and Nathaniel of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Jameson, Shanna Lou, Beverly and Jennie of Santa Fe, N.M. They celebrated the birthdays of Lance and Beverly and Father's Day. visit.
Stanley Payne, Angelia, Josh, Justin and Jenna of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, Wilburn and Todd. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil George, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Patton and Thor of Silverton, Mrs. James Gwinn and Fannin of Whiteflat, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clifton, Monica and Skylar of Matador and Mr.

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Afton Nesson, Sybil, Bea and Nana-lance Jameson, Shanna Lou, Beverly and Jameson, Shanna Lou, Beverly and

# Afton News

By Janey Carothers

Rodney Randolph, Lubbock, formerly of Afton was admitted to Lubbock General Hospital last week with burns to his arm and hand received in an explosion on the Texas Tech University Campus Rodney is employed with the Lubbock Fire Department.

### SEDGWICK REUNION

The descendants of the late Matthew Sedgwick met last Sunday at Ralls for a family reunion. Present for the occasion were Florene and Jack Jones, Lubbock; Lorene Osborn, Roaring Springs; Alvin, Janey and Scott Carothers and boys, Afton; Callie Winegar, Roaring Springs; Ethel Phares, Ada, Oklahoma; Dale and

Linda Sedgwick, Ralls; Pamela and Meredith Martin, Midland; Jacque, Clint Meredith Martin, Midland; Jacque, Clint and Corrie Lange, Kerrville; Wayne, Jon and Deserie Osborn, Dallas; W.R., Selma and Kim Sedgwick, Lubbock; Danielle Traimmi, Lubbock; Dusty, Patsy Smith and Connie and Kelly Brown, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lester and Christi and Jennifer, Shallowater; Mrs. Brent Smalling and Mandy and Robert, Mesquite; Ted and Venita Sedgwick, Roaring Springs; Rodney, Nona, Rhonda, Robin and Rebecca Long, Roaring Springs; J.R. and Catherine Sedgwick, Ralls; Gene, Becky, Tina and Tonya Shuler, Lubbock; and Mrs. Larry Lancaster, David and Lori, Vernon; two daughters, Myrtle Carothers, Afton and Edna Cook, Spur, Carothers, Afton and Edna Cook, Spur were unable to attend.





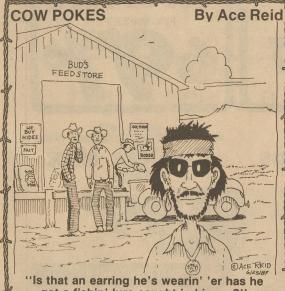
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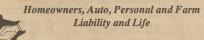
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