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52nd Annual Stock Show Held Monday

The 52nd Annual Motley County Livestock Show was held Monday, March 23 at the County Show Barn. Results are as follows:

HOG SHOWMANSHIP: Lacey Parks.

LAMB SHOWMANSHIP: Kobbi Risser.

STEER SHOWMANSHIP: Darryn Perryman.

BUCKET CALF SHOW: Clint Cooper, Chantry Meyer, Britt Pierce.

HEIFERS: Grand Champion, Heath Campbell, Crossbreed; Reserve Champion, Christie Pierce; 1st Place Purebreed, Guy Campbell.

Harold Campbell won the plaque for breeder of Grand Champion Steer.

Darryn Perryman won the plaque for Best Steer bred in Motley County.

RABBITS: Grand Champion, Kaci Risser; Reserve Champion, Thomas Lee; 2nd place, Buck, Kobbi Risser; 2nd place, Doe, Kaci Risser; 3rd place, Buck, Doyle Lee; 3rd place, Doe, Doyle Lee; 4th place, Buck, Thomas Lee; 4th place, Doe, Leandra Wallace; 5th place, Buck, Chuck Fisk; 5th place, Doe, Kobbi Risser; 6th place, Buck, Joe Gonzalez; 6th place, Doe, Chuck Fisk.

HOGS: Grand Champion, Tye Stephens; Reserve Champion, Shane Taylor; 3rd, Heavy Hog, Kristi Timmons; 4th, Heavy Hog, Lacey Parks; 5th Heavy Hog, Kasey Parks; 6th, Heavy Hog, Lacey Parks; 1st, Medium Hog, Lacey Parks;

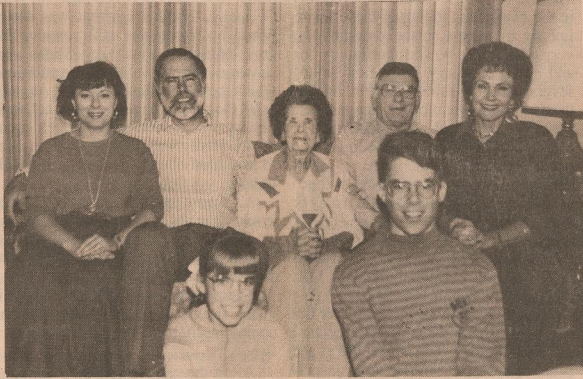
2nd, Medium Hog, Dayton Grundy; 3rd, Medium Hog, Cody Timmons; 4th Medium Hog, Kasey Parks; 5th, Medium Hog, Brandon Blanch; 6th, Medium Hog, Kasey Parks; 1st, Light Hog, Dayton Grundy; 2nd, Light Hog, Jeremy Jones; 3rd Light Hog, Todd Thomas; 4th, Light Hog, Cobey Turner; 5th Light Hog, Mindy Dodson; 6th, Light Hog, Christie Pierce.

LAMBS: Grand Champion, Andy Jones; Reserve Champion, Kobbi Risser; 3rd Heavy, Andy Jones; 4th Heavy, Kobbi Risser; 5th Heavy, Andy Jones; 6th, Heavy, Christie Pierce; 2nd Medium, Andy Jones; 3rd Medium, Kaci Risser; 4th Medium, Andy Jones; 5th Medium, Christie Pierce; 6th Medium, Dustin Davis; 1st Light, Andy Jones; 2nd Light, Ashley Stevens; 3rd Light, Christie Pierce; 4th Light, Ashley Stevens; 5th Light, Ashley Stevens; 6th Light, Robert Fisk.

STEERS: Grand Champion, Darryn Perryman; Reserve Champion, Tye Stephens; Rate of Gain, Christie Pierce; 2nd, Josh Palmer; 2nd Light, Josh Palmer; 3rd Heavy, Cathey Perryman; 3rd Light, Cathey Perryman; 4th Heavy, Tye Stephens; 3rd Light, Tye Stephens; 4th Heavy, Tye Stephens; 4th Light, Tye Stephens; 5th Heavy, Cathey Perryman; 6th Light, Josh Palmer.

HEREFORD CLASS OF DUSTY BURLISON MEMORIAL: Josh Palmer, 1st., Tye Stephens, 2nd. and 3rd.

Thacker Supply To Change Hands April 1st



THACKER FAMILY: Pictured here are Jeff and Pam Thacker, left, who will take over operation of Thacker Supply, effective April 1st. Mrs. Lillian Thacker, center, and Buzz and LaVoe Thacker, right, and Jeff and Pam's children, Blair and Brad, kneeling. Thacker Supply has been family owned and operated since 1920.

Jeff Thacker will officially take over operations of Thacker Supply in downtown Roaring Springs, April 1st.

Since 1920 Thacker Supply has operated on the bases of honesty and service to our community and customers.

M.S. Thacker started Thacker Supply in a time when a handshake and a verbal agreement was a binding contract. Over the years times have changed. Buzz Thacker has continued Thacker Supply with the trust in a customer's word and the belief of supporting your community and friends is what makes a rural community continue.

Jeff stated, "As the transition from generation to generation continues in Thacker Supply, we hope that our family will be able to continue to do business in our community. Thanking all our customers, friends and families for their support, as we look forward to continuing a future business with new and old relationships."

COMPANY HISTORY

Thacker Supply Co. was started in February 1920. It was established on the principle of fair dealings, good merchandise at a fair margin of profit, combined with an obligation of service to the customer.

Melton S. Thacker founded the business, and with his wife Lillian's help, also shared responsibilities of their community and county. Buzz Thacker joined his Dad in the business in 1946 and in the 1960's, a younger son Max was also associated with Thacker Supply. In 1971, Jeff, (Buzz's son) became the third generation to join the firm, and was a partner until he became a partner in Thacker Jewelry in 1983.

After 71 years, the original business policy of fair dealing and quality merchandise at a fair price is still maintained by Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Thacker as they begin the 72nd year of continuous operation of this 3 generation business.

AFTER HALF A CENTURY IN BUSINESS, MELTON THACKER'S FAITH UNCHANGED (Matador Tribune) by Douglas Meador 1970

One of the most rewarding experiences in 40 years of newspapering has resulted from showing the page tribute to Melton Thacker in this issue of the Tribune. It has been shown only to a limited number of people, met at random, until page rate was justified. Melton Thacker must have befriended everyone in this area at some time.

The problem in showing the tribute is that everyone wants to add testimony to the things Melton Thacker has done for his community and individuals.

"He has done more for me than my own father," one man said, "and I owe all I have to his helping me..."

"He has 'carried' people when they couldn't get help anywhere else," another man said, "and Roaring Springs owes everything to him..."

One man said: "When you buy something from Thacker Supply Co., you know it is good and that you are getting your money's worth...you never have to worry...Melton and 'Buzz' stand behind what they sell..."

Faith Is Unchanged

Asked last week how he felt about the honesty of people after half a century in business, Mr. Thacker said: "Human nature doesn't change much and I believe most people are honest, and will pay their debts when they can. I have always found that true...I have known some exceptions but most people are honest..."

The following true story happened about 1933. It was a cold day with snow and sleet blowing down the street. I was standing beside Melton Thacker with our backs to the oil-burning stove, trying to

get warm. It was during the depression, and there were no customers in the store.

The door opened and an elderly man entered, his feet wrapped in tow sacks, and sleet caked on his ragged coat.

He handed some money to Mr. Thacker. He said: "Melton, here is the six dollars I owe you for that stove."

"You didn't need to bring it in this kind of weather," Mr. Thacker said.

"I promised you I would pay you today," the man said, and left.

"He has walked five miles through this weather to pay me," Mr. Thacker said.

Melton Thacker still believes that most people are honest, and treated fairly, will pay their debts.

50TH ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED (Matador Tribune, February 1970)

Half a century ago a young man started a hardware store in Roaring Springs in a 24 x 40 wooden building. It was then known as Western Hardware Company. The company, now Thacker Supply Company, is celebrating 50 continuous years in business in the same location. Many things have changed in the eventful 50 years.

In the early days the firm sold coal oil lamps, hand churns, wash pots, rub boards, wagons, chain harness, horse collars, butter molds, cane bottom chairs, wood and coal stoves and many other items that have entirely vanished from stores.

Born at St. Augustine, Texas, Melton Thacker came to West Texas as a young man and taught school in McAdoo one term, then entered the armed service during World War I and served overseas. He came to Roaring Springs in the fall of

1919 and worked in a gin. In February the following year he opened the store.

The same year, October 22, he married Miss Lillian Hoyle. They have three children, J.M. (Buzz) Thacker, Mrs. Caldwell Smith (Joyce) and Max Thacker. Mr. and Mrs. Thacker purchased their first automobile in 1924. It was a second-hand Model T Ford.

Later J.A. Goodwin built a brick building for the growing store. In 1926, a fire started in a drug store next door and completely destroyed the store, including all the notes of customer. But most of those indebted to the store came in and paid. The store was rebuilt on its present location the same year. About 1933 the name of the firm was changed to Thacker Supply Company.

Advent of the Tractor

The store had been selling International Harvester implements for some time, but about 1930 the farm tractor started to change the entire agriculture picture.

"We traded for everything, including horses, mules and cattle," Mr. Thacker recalled.

In the early days of the store one of the popular items was phonographs and records. "We used to sell a shipment of records almost every week," the pioneer merchant declared.

Mr Thacker was a member of the VFW, the American Legion, the Roaring Springs Masonic Lodge and a charter member of the Roaring Springs Lions Club.

The name of the business will be Thacker Supply, Inc., beginning April 1.

Candidates File For May Election

Local elections for School Board, Hospital Board, and Roaring Springs and Matador City Councils will be held May 2.

Candidates filing for these elections include the following:

School Board: two places open, Guy Campbell and Randy Barton. Those filed are Randy Barton, Jeff Thacker, Bill Luckett and Alvin Alexander.

Roaring Springs City Council: places open are for Mayor, Joey Thacker and council member, Mary Webb. Those incumbents have filed for re-election.

Matador City Council: places open are for council members Shane Jones, Pete Williams, and Mayor Gary Lancaster. Those incumbents have filed for re-election.

Hospital Board: places open are for three places, Ruth Lee, Bob Davis and James Stanley. Those filed are Bob Davis, Jo Ann Durham, James Stanley and James Gillespie.

Early voting will be available April 13-28 in person or April 13-24, by mail request. This may be done in the Courthouse in the Clerk's office.

Sheriff's Run-off Election Set For April 14th

The Primary Election runoff for Sheriff is set for April 14. James 'Jim' Meador and incumbent Alton 'Susie' Marshall face each other for a majority vote.

According to Charlie Long Democratic Chairman the early voting will be from April 6-April 10 at the Clerks Office in the Motley County Courthouse.

Voting places have been selected for Matador-American Legion Building; Roaring Springs-Depot; Flomont-Community Center; Northfield-Church of Christ Building. Polling places will be open 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on April 14th.

Girl Scout Troup To Form In Motley County

GIRL SCOUTS! There will be a meeting to discuss Girl Scouts, and the projects the girls will be involved with on Saturday, March 28, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building. Girls will need to be registered and fill out medical release forms. All girls, Kindergarten

through 12th grade, interested in Girl Scouts are invited to attend.

There will be a \$4.00 registration fee. Financial help is available. No girl will be denied. All girls that have already returned their forms, need to be there. Any girl wishing to join girl scouts is welcome!

Mother - Daughter Banquet Set For April 9th

The 54th Annual Mother-Daughter Banquet will be held Thursday evening, April 9th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Motley County School Gymnasium. The banquet is given each year for all girls, kindergarten through 12th grades, and their mothers. Notice this year, that all girls beginning with Kindergarten, may attend.

This year's banquet will center around a Mardi Gras theme with New Orleans

style food catered by Betty Bearden, and entertainment vided by the jazz band from Lubbock Christian University.

Tickets for the event will be \$6.50 each and will go on sale Wednesday, March 25th. The tickets may be purchased at school or from Judy Cooper or Karen Cox. The banquet is sponsored by Eternas Study Club. Make plans now to attend this special event.

Matador Assembly of God Church to Conduct Revival

The Resurrections will be ministering in song and preaching the word at the local Assembly of God Church, beginning Tuesday, March 31 and continuing through Friday, April 3rd. Services will begin each night at 7:00 p.m.

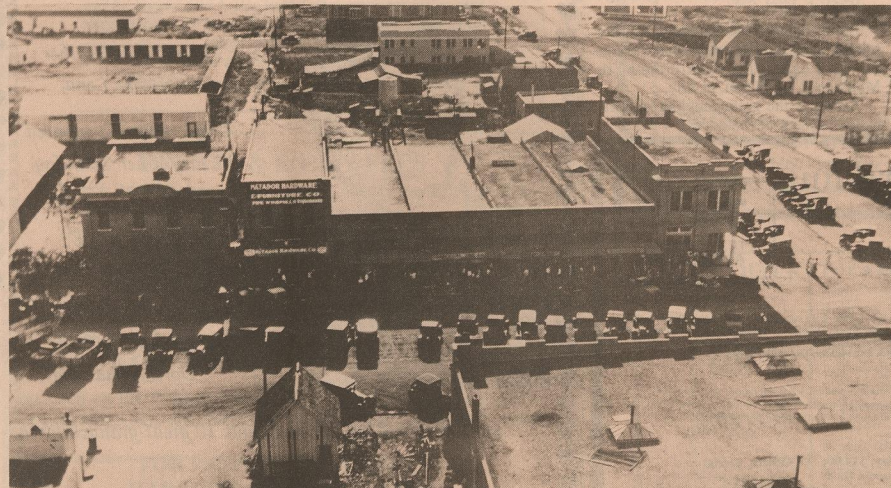
The group consists of Rev. Jim Wilson and his wife and two sons. They are excellent singers and musicians. You will

be blessed to come and hear this family minister.

Rev. Eason stated, "We believe in fervent prayer and ask that the community join with us in prayer that God will send revival to Matador. If you are looking for answers to life's problems and you are hungry for God's blessings, you are cordially invited to attend these services."

Progress, Photos, and Presidents: A Museum Report

by Marisue Potts



The interior of the Motley County Museum is taking a on a fresh look with a new coat of off-white paint and the covering of outer walls and windows in the small examining rooms of the former hospital building with waffle board. Work has been completed on the removal of fixtures and plumbing, repair of the walls, and plumbing of new kitchen and restroom hookups. The building now sports a new outside water line from the main hydrant and the two new faucets. Bids are being sought on an x-ray machine which will be removed from the premises.

The next stage of the renovation likely will include the restoration of the operating room and a hospital room in the upstairs of the old Traweck Hospital Building which was built in 1928. The hospital originally had wide concrete steps leading up to the top floor where the lobby and patient rooms were concentrated.

Proof of these massive steps was ev- continued on page 4



Home Economically Speaking

by Beverly Thomas,
Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

MARCH IS NUTRITION MONTH CHILDREN NEED TO EAT RIGHT TOO!...

The principles of the Dietary Guidelines for Americans apply to children as well as adults with some variations for children under two. What children eat or don't eat can make the difference between good health and growth or being sick and not growing properly. Food can also make a difference in how he or she will do in school later on.

Be sure that the food your child eats is the food that counts. Choose your child's food from the five food groups in portion sizes appropriate for his or her age. Choose foods from the five food groups to serve to the whole family.

Make meal time a happy family time. Getting children to eat right is easier if you set an example. If you eat and enjoy a variety of foods, so will they. Don't skip meals, but allow for children that will eat more on some days than others. Remember that children like plain food or foods that are not greasy, fried, or hot with spices and peppers. Children take to new or different foods slowly; in the beginning give these foods in small amounts.

Setting up a positive eating environment for your child can assure that he or she will eat right now and can set positive patterns for tomorrow as well.

TEN TIPS FOR PARENTS...

(1) **Help children develop healthy attitudes about food and healthy eating habits.** These are learned. Parents can be the best teachers because children usually adopt their parents' eating habits. It is best not to label foods as good or bad. Healthy eating should be fun!

(2) **Teach children about food.** Explain that good food is important to feel good and to have energy to work and play. Let children help with food selection and preparation. This is a good way to help children become familiar with foods -- the way they taste, feel, smell, look. Children learn through their senses.

(3) **Provide a variety of healthy foods.** A child's body is growing and developing very rapidly; so nutrition during the first few years of a child's life is very important. A good diet can help children reach their full growth potential; a poor diet may prevent them from doing so.

One food cannot supply all the nutrients that a child needs. Children need the same kinds of healthy foods as adults, but in smaller amounts. They need a variety of breads and cereals, fruits, vegetables, milk products, and lean meats, poultry, fish and other protein foods.

(4) **Offer portions appropriate for the child's age.** Children are overwhelmed by large amounts of food, and this may "turn them off". They usually eat small amounts at one time, but need food more often. They have smaller stomachs than adults.

(5) **Establish regular times for meals and snacks.** Children will eat smaller amounts, but more often during the day. They need a lot of food, but they have small stomachs. Toddlers may eat five or six times a day. For this reason, healthy

snacks are important. Also, a healthy breakfast is important because children may not be able to get all the nutrients they need for the day if they skip breakfast. It's okay if children want unusual things for breakfast; this is common and okay as long as the foods are healthy.

It's best to observe regular meal and snack times, but children should not be forced to eat if they are not hungry, or made to wait when they are starving. To say, "Dinner will be in an hour" means nothing to a child when he is hungry.

(6) **Respect the child's food wants and likes.** Healthy children will eat what they need. Toddlers often have strange food preferences, and they may go on food jags (wanting only one food for stretches of time). Children ages three to five may prefer to play rather than eat, but as long as their diet is relatively well balanced, and growth seems normal, parents need not be overly concerned. If children are finicky eaters, be sure the foods offered are especially nutritious and have these foods on hand all the time.

(7) **Teach children to try new foods.** Children may often reject a new food, one they are not familiar with. Because they are more likely to eat foods they recognize, serve new foods several times and be patient. Also try serving foods prepared in different ways. Another tip is to serve new foods at the beginning of a meal when children are most hungry. Set an example by eating the food yourself.

(8) **Give choices when possible.** Children need to learn to make healthy food choices. Let them help decide what to have for meals or snacks, but offer only healthy alternatives. For instance, ask if they would like crackers and cheese, or fruit, for a snack.

(9) **Encourage children to be physically active.** Like eating, activity should be fun and is a habit that is carried into adulthood. Games and activities like hide-and-seek and tag are activities for young ones. They can also take walks or bike rides along with parents, or help with housework or gardening. Even dancing or moving to music is a healthy alternative to hours in front of the television set.

(10) **Make mealtime a pleasant time.** Studies show that children who have family meals eat healthier. Use mealtime to teach good habits. Always try to offer at least one food that a child likes and remain calm even if foods go untouched. Teach and reinforce good table manners and, within reason, allow children to eat at their own pace. And finally, remember that parents are responsible for what the child is given to eat and for setting the example, while the child is responsible for what they actually eat.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are for people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

Swallowing angry words is much easier than having to eat them.

El Progreso Hears of the Quedlinburg Treasure

El Progreso club met March 12 in the Senior Citizens building for a most interesting program on the treasure of Quedlinburg, those precious artifacts taken from Germany by a Joe Meador, stored in the U.S. and now, after court battles, will shortly be returned to their rightful home in Germany. Before their return, however, they are on display at the Dallas Museum of Art and through the generosity of Mrs. Steve (Joanne Darsey) Stevens, her mother, Mrs. Robert (Winifred) Darsey, showed slides of these beautiful objects and related the history leading up to their heritage in the 10th century and then, to present day.

The club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell who asked for the minutes to be read and approved. It was announced that the Spring convention will be in Quanah at the First Christian Church on March 21. A change to the by-laws was also voted upon and the club will meet at 3:00 p.m. for the remainder of the year.

Mrs. Campbell introduced Mrs. Darsey in the absence of Mrs. R.E. Campbell. There have been several articles recently in the newspapers telling of these Quedlinburg treasures so the program was very timely. The powerful reliquary box and comb of Henry I, the first among several unifying rulers of Germany, can themselves communicate messages of the piety and power of a divine king. The carved crystal can reflect the lights of a public museum and the faces of American onlookers. The silver heart can touch us in its simplicity and strength. It may be asked why are these small objects so important? Why are their aged ivories, their precious stones, their images of saints and kings, their crystal birds and fish, their vines and tendrils of silver and gold so profoundly moving? The answer lies in history and in the vaunted allegiance of history and art. The books, boxes and ritual containers from this ecclesiastical treasury are symbols of the survival and endurance of Western civilization.

During the past six months, the Dallas Museum of Art has worked hard to protect the precious objects, becoming a neutral safe-haven for works of art as

their fate was decided in offices and courtrooms on both sides of the Atlantic.

As we near the year 2000 we might remember the last turn of a millennium and recognize again that most of the world today has adopted the Christian calendar of the West and counts time from the birth of Christ.

The objects shown by slide were a Reliquary box dated late 9th/10th-13th century; wood core; elephant ivory, gilt copper; openwork; coral, pink agates, amethysts and colored glass (29x15x17cm.). Also shown from the Reliquary Box were side panels and the top which depicted Christ, the Apostles, the Three Marys, Virgin and Child.

Quedlinburg was the favorite town of Henry I. Because of its location on the far eastern frontier of the established German states, Quedlinburg symbolized the Christian German defeat of the pagans and the successful establishment of German rule for Henry and his successors. The town is in the Harz Mountains a short way east of what was until recently the border between East and West Germany. There a convent was established by Henry and still contains the grave of his queen Mathilde. Slides were shown of this convent and the additions which took place during its use. As early as 98 the collection of treasures at Quedlinburg was mentioned in church documents. Henry was the first German ruler to assemble church treasurers at Quedlinburg.

A picture of the tomb which was symbolic in the consecration of a Bishop. Its implication, that the newly made Bishop will comb out evil, still holds in the Catholic Church today.

There were several slides of the Reliquary flasks, one with two birds, one containing hair of Mary, also, one of a fish.

After the very interesting program refreshments of cake, punch and coffee were served by Mrs. Dale (Joetta) Bumgardner and Mrs. Furman (Beverly) Vinson. The table was decorated with St. Patrick's decor. Others than those mentioned were Mrs. George (Sue) Seigler,

Mrs. Frank (Lola) Pohl, Mrs. W.N. (Opal) Pipkin and guest Mrs. Winifred Lee.

The president closed the program with a quote of Richard R. Brettell, Director, Dallas Museum of Art, "No matter what our cultural traditions or religious beliefs, no matter where in the world we live, we are all waiting for the year 2000. The cataclysmic changes in our own century - world wars, holy wars, and

economic wars dividing periods of frantic prosperity and invention - can remind us of the turmoil and terrors of Europe in the 10th century, before the great age of cathedrals and convents remapped western consciousness. The relics enshrined and explained at Quedlinburg link the beginning and the end of the first millennium. Our rediscovery of this treasury marks the end of the second."

In The Rough

by Hazel



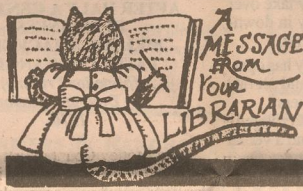
"POLAR BEARS"

Seven weeks of Play Your Own Ball was played, then on Sunday March 22, we had a 2-person Scramble. Closest to pin was Charlie Long, #3, Charlie Long, #6.

Playing was Tony Raffaele, Charlie Long, Ken Marshall, Mike Porter, Alfred Barton, Jeff Thacker, Salty Jones, LaVoe Thacker, Mark Wason, Louise Barton, Darrell Cruse, Dot Grundy, Buzz Thacker, Terry Carson, Garland Cartwright, Vida Elkins, Kenny Barton, Ronnie

Davis, Josh Wheeler, Olivia Barton, Brian Marshall, Howard Edmonson and Jerry Jones.

Teams were: Tony and Jerry, 68; Charlie and Howard, 71; Ken and Brian, 70; Mike and Olivia, 65; Winner, Alfred and Josh, 71; Jeff and Ronnie, 69; Salty and Kenny, 74; LaVoe and Vida, 79; Mark and Garland, 72; Louise and Terry, 75; Darrell and Buzz, 73; Dot and Par, 72.



by
Wilda
Dixon

NEW HOURS:
Monday, 2-5 (open by volunteers)
Tuesday, 9-12; 1-6
Wednesday, 9-12; 1-6
Thursday, 9-12; 1-5
Friday, 9-12; 1-5
Saturday, 1-4 (open by volunteers)

1992 Dues for Friends of the Library may be paid at the Library or given to Mary Meason, treasurer.

Library School was held Tuesday, March 24 and the following children were

in attendance: Emily Hurt, John Wesley Stevens, Ashlee Green, Chance Bingham, Annie Green, Timmy Bowman, Kattie Campbell, Colton Russell and Brittany A. Moore. The children watched the film "Rodeo Red and the Runaway," played games and made a paper sack vest with the help of the following adults: Sonja Bowman, Jeannie Moore and Winifred Lee. Thanks ladies.

Next Library School will be April 14, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. All children that are age 2 and up, not in school, are invited to attend.

Spring Lipham Earns Trip In REA Speech Contest



will depart from Lewisville, Texas, on June 4 by bus for the trip to Washington, where they will tour the Capitol, visit the White House, historic monuments, museums, and government buildings, see the House of Representatives and Senate in session, visit their Congressman, and participate in a wreath laying ceremony at the Tombs of the Unknown soldiers in Arlington Cemetery.

The idea of sending young people to Washington was originated by the late President Lyndon Johnson in the early 1950's, when as a Senator, he selected outstanding young people and offered them the opportunity to visit Washington and see their government in action. The present format of selecting winners from electric cooperatives to participate in the Youth Tour to Washington was begun in 1965. Over the past 27 years, Lighthouse has sponsored 56 students from area high schools on the tour.

Spring has also been nominated by her school, to be a representative to the National Leadership Conference in Minnawaca, Michigan, in July.

Spring is the granddaughter of Mrs. Nellie Lipham of Matador.

The 28th annual Government-in-Action Youth Tour Speech Contest, sponsored by Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., was held at the Lighthouse headquarters in Floydada. Winners this year were Christy Potts of Motley County High School and Spring Lipham of Floydada High School.

Spring is the daughter of Julian and Joyce Lipham of Floydada, and is a 17-year-old junior at Floydada High School.

These two girls will be participating in the June 4-16 Youth Tour to Washington, D.C., along with winners from other electric cooperatives from across Texas. They

REMEMBER TO VOTE IN THE RUN-OFF ELECTION — APRIL 14TH

**VOTE FOR
JAMES "JIM" MEADOR
MOTLEY COUNTY SHERIFF**
Your Continued Support Is Greatly Appreciated!

Happy 80th Birthday



to our dear Mother
and MaMa Lena,
Asked what she wanted
special for her Birthday,
and she said
'a chocolate pie'.

your six grandchildren and your 10 great-grandchildren

Higginbotham-Bartlett

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- Aloe Vera
- Rose Bushes



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First Grade: Clint Cooper, Derrick Cruse, Julio Davila, Brenda Gillespie, Michael King, Ricardo Luna, Tim Mangram, Chantry Meyer, Brittany Moore, Kyle Neal, Britany Perryman, Mona Saldana, Amanda Sands, Meriel Smallwood.

Second Grade: Andy Anson, Doyle Atkinson, Skylar Clifton, Mark Cox, Courtney Hays, Justin Jameson, Brandon Moore, Rachael Smith, Brent Speed, Kelsi Wallace, Shantel Sanchez, Sherri Thomas.

Third Grade: Leigha Burns, Casey Lawrence, Rachelle Renfro, Ashley Stevens, David Whitaker.

Fourth Grade: Quinn Hays, Ryan Moore, Llan Barkley.

Fifth Grade: Stacie Neal, Keane

Cruse, Kaci Risser, Matthew Cox, Kandi Keltz.

Sixth Grade: Tanya Barkley, Monica Clifton, Cobey Turner, Aaron Green, Ryan Martin.

Seventh Grade: Leah Cruse, Brandi Jameson, Kasey Parks, Darryn Perryman Bo Speed, Cody Timmons.

Eighth Grade: Laurie Hoyle, Lee Jones, Leigh Pipkin, Bradley Thacker, Lindsey Williams.

Ninth Grade: Mandi Farley, Heather Turner.

Tenth Grade: Dustin Davis.

Eleventh Grade: Daniel Alexander, Lacey Parks, Christy Potts, Danny Sailsbury.

Twelfth Grade: Paul Barton, Amber Brandon, Chancy Cruse, Heather Hobbs, Tonya Hoyle, Jagruti Patel, Cathey Perryman, Amy Pipkin, Christi Shorter, Brad Wilson.

HONOR ROLL (all grades 80 or above)

First Grade: Cassie Campbell, Lacy Carson, Shea Rose.

Second Grade: Christy Acy, Bradley Baxter, Christa Brooks, Billy Lavar, Lupe Mendosa, Tony Salazar, Leslie Taylor, Lisa Taylor, Joshua Van Hoose.

Third Grade: Chase Carson, Jermaine Hendrix, Elizabeth Ho-Gland, Tommy Hurt, Brandon Lee, Rebecca Morris, Paige Neal, Leandra Wallace.

Fourth Grade: Priti Patel, Andy Jones, Joseph Grant, Kayla Davis, Todd Thomas, Ed Mendosa.

Fifth Grade: Jason Barton, Robert Gillespie, Dayton Grundy, Devin Perryman, Ty Barclay, Latisha LaVrar, Kristi Williams, Blair Thacker.

Sixth Grade: Dusty Whitaker, Rebekah Jameson, Jill Stanley, Rebecca Long, Trista Davis, Bobby Fritzier.

Seventh Grade: Josh Lee, Dodie

Morris, Misty Thomas, Lacy Washington.

Eighth Grade: Christie Campbell, Cara Franks, Veronica Gonzalez, Kevin Keltz, Joseph Martin, Gwen Sims, Jeremy Smith, Leslie Van Hoose.

Ninth Grade: Brandon Blanch, Jeremy Jones, Wendy Lancaster, Josh Palmer, Jody Scott.

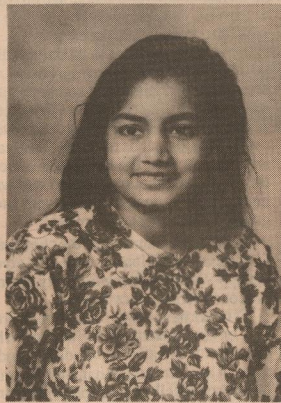
Tenth Grade: Kara Boykin, Brooke Brandon, Sheryl Davis, Mindy Dodson, Linda Gonzalez, Jeremy Jameson, Whitney Jameson, Frankie Ortiz, Christie Pierce, Kobbri Risser, Scott Sailsbury, Keri Shorter.

Eleventh Grade: Shonda Barton, Brandy Blanch, Mark Brannon, Roegan Cruse, Bradley Jameson, Robin Long, Steven Meredith, Andy Renfro, Adriana Torres.

Twelfth Grade: Clay Ewing, Eric Farley, Lisa Jones, Kammia Pitts, Jason Stanley, Kristi Timmons, Amy Woolsey.

Motley County School News

Senior Spotlight



JAGRUTI PATEL

FULL NAME: Jagruti Patel
AGE: 17
BIRTH DATE: September 9, 1974.
BIRTH PLACE: India

PARENTS' NAME: Mike and Shandra Patel.
BROTHERS AND SISTERS: Vanita, Mandoo, Manju, Malti, Saro, Dina.
BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: To aim for the best.
WORST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: Don't go to college, you won't succeed.
IF I COULD CHANGE ANYTHING: I would be richer.
MOST VALUED POSSESSION: Family and friends.
IF I WERE PRESIDENT: I would do away with drugs.
AFTER HIGH SCHOOL: Attend University of New Mexico.
FAVORITE MEMORY: Coming to the United States.
WORST HABIT: Popping my knuckles
FAVORITE MUSIC: Rock
NICK NAME: Jag, Jack.
IN MY SPARE TIME: Spend time with family and friends.
WHAT I LIKE ABOUT HIGH SCHOOL: Graduation.
ACTIVITIES: National Honor Society, UIL, FHA, Paper Staff.



SENIOR CLASS FAVORITES — Amber Brandon and Cory Kendall were voted as 1992 Senior Class Favorites. Amber is the daughter of Dan and Frances Brandon of Matador and Cory is the son of Travis and Linda Kendall of Flomot.

Amy's Anecdotes

by Amy Woolsey

"People are lonely because they build walls instead of bridges." are happy and you have friends. Be cheerful and love someone. Someone will be your friend and someone will love you back - you've just got to let them!

If you build walls instead of bridges you won't know happiness and kindness. If you don't know happiness and kindness then you will be lonely. When you're lonely, you'll be sad and when your sad and lonely you're not living life to the fullest.

No one wants to see a depressed, lonely person building that wall higher and higher. They want to see that person building a bridge so they can come over and greet them - to be their friends.

So instead of building a wall to create loneliness, build a bridge to create a friendship.

Life is just so much simpler when you



Motley County ISD Newsletter

Thursday, March 26: Elementary and Junior High UIL Meet continues.
Friday, March 27: High School UIL One Act Play at Paducah.
Saturday, March 28: High School UIL continues at Paducah.
Monday, March 30: Boys and Girls Golf at Roaring Springs.

Thursday, April 2: Cartoonist will present program to elementary, 2:30-3:30.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Junior High Fun Night was enjoyed by approximately 20 students and sponsors, Reneigh Burns, Jeff and Pam Thacker, and Brenda Cruse. A movie and good food from Billie Dean's was the highlight for the months fun night.

Little Dribblers practice has been going on for a week now. Things are looking good. PTO will be sponsoring a tournament the week of April 23-25. Anyone

who can help with bookkeeping, concession stand, or referee's, please contact Bettye Stevens.

The Father-Son Banquet which was held last Monday was attended by 125 people. Rex Carson deserves all the credit as she made arrangements for the tickets, food, decorations, favors, and entertainment. Thanks bushels, Rex!

The Motley County Girls track team won first place this weekend in our Motley County Relays. Congratulations girls! The Motley County Boys did a superb job, too, coming in third place. Great job!

Reminder! Annual news! If you put a down payment on a yearbook, you will need to have it paid in full by the end of school.

Reminder to High School parents! If you have not turned in your pink letter from PTO about Project Graduation, it is not too late. We are starting to sort through them, so please let us know in which ways you can help. Turn in to Mrs. Blanch's office.

Motley County Track Teams Take 1st And 3rd In 2nd Annual Matador Relays



Andy Renfro throwing the shot at the 2nd Annual Motley County Relays, held Saturday. Andy placed 5th.

The Motley County men and women's track teams competed in the Motley County Relays this past Saturday. The men's team placed third behind Valley and Paducah. The women's team won the division with 138 points.

The men had a strong showing from several athletes. Bradley Jameson placed second in the long jump and Sean Elliott placed fourth. Cory Kendall placed fourth in the shot, Andy Renfro placed fifth. Chris Campbell placed second in the long jump and Sean Elliott placed fourth. Cory Kendall placed fourth in the discus with Andy Renfro placing seventh. Conway Clary placed third in the triple jump.

In running events, the guys won the sprint relay. Sean Elliott won the 800 meter dash with another strong showing. The men had a strong showing in the 100, with Chris Campbell first, Frankie Ortiz fourth, and Cody Campbell, fifth. In the 300 hurdles Dustin Davis placed fourth. Chris placed first in the 200 with Cody placing fourth. Erik Alvarado ran a strong race in the 1600, placing sixth. The men's mile relay placed fifth.

In the women's field events, Brandy Blanch placed second in the shot with

Cathey Perryman placing fifth. Heather Hobbs placed third in the long jump with Mindy Dodson placing fourth. Cathey Perryman won the discus with Christi Shorter taking sixth place. In the triple jump Heather Hobbs placed first with Jennifer Beshirs taking sixth.

In the running events the sprint relay girls placed second. This team consisted of Mindy, Heather, Marvina and Kammia. Mindy won the 800 with Jennifer finishing a very close second. Marvina Smoak placed fourth in the 100 meter dash. The 800 relay team placed second behind Paducah. In the 400, Sheryl Davis placed fourth, Linda Gonzalez placed fifth and Christy Potts placed sixth. Kammia placed fifth in the 200 with Marvina taking sixth. Jennifer was first in the 1600 meter run, also the 1600 meter relay placed second. This team consists of Sheryl, Linda, Christy Potts and Jennifer.

Both teams competed extremely well in this meet. Coach Bass wishes to express his appreciation to the Lions Club and town's people who worked at the meet. The Matadors will be competing in Knox City this Friday evening.



MONDAY, MARCH 30

Breakfast: Breakfast Burrito, Fruit.
Lunch: Combination Pizza, Tossed Salad, Pineapple Tidbits, Vanilla Wafers.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit.
Lunch: Assorted Sandwiches, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Potato Chips, Neiman Marcus Cookies.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast.
Lunch: Baked Ham, Blackeyed Peas, Fried Squash, Green Onion, Cornbread.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2:

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs.
Lunch: Chili Dogs, Tater Rounds, Pickle, Onion, Purple Plum Cobbler.

FRIDAY, APRIL 3

Breakfast: Cereal, Muffins.
Lunch: Steak, Gravy, Baked Potato, Green Salad, Hot Rolls, Chocolate Pudding.

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By Chance or Appointment

"Wiley and the Hairyman" To Compete Friday

by Christy Potts

The 1992 one-act play cast and crew will proudly represent Motley County Schools in District competition at Paducah on Friday, March 27th. The results of the contest will determine which two of the five schools will advance to the next stage of competition. Anyone wishing to attend the presentation must be at Paducah's auditorium before 4:30 p.m. on Friday. To prevent distractions, no one is allowed to enter a play after it has begun, so be there on time!

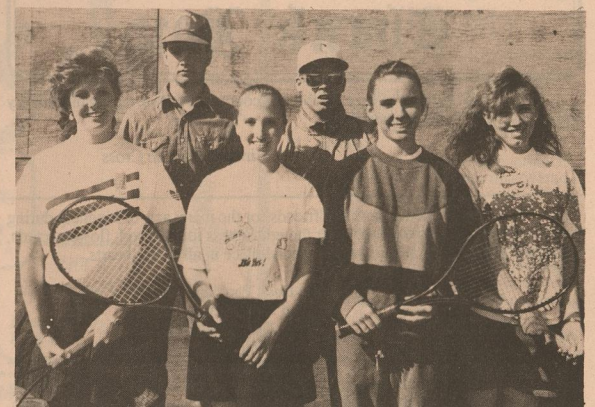
"Wiley and the Hairyman" is a story that has been passed down from generation to generation in the backwaters of Alabama and Mississippi. Set in the eerie swamp, a young Cajun boy with a big fear learns to overcome his own problems himself. Wiley's fear, joined with the magical conjures of the Hairyman and Mammy, create some very funny

moments everyone should have the chance to enjoy. Wiley's dog is the finishing touch in completing the comedy. The 10-person chorus creates the mysterious setting by chanting throughout the play.

This year's large cast presenting the play includes: Cody Campbell (Wiley); Leslie Lester (the Hairyman); Christy Potts (Mammy); Brad Wilson (Wiley's Dog); Kyle Mars, Scott Sailsbury, Heather Turner (Chorus I); Heather Hobbs, Danny Sailsbury (Chorus II); Kara Boykin, Jeremy Jones, Christie Shorter (Chorus III); Daniel, Mandi Farley (Chorus IV). The hard-working crew consists of Brandon Blanch, Clay Ewing, and Keri Shorter. Over the past six weeks, Mrs. Carol Hays has done a super job directing this group, so please try to support them!

Don't forget to get to Paducah before 4:30 p.m. on Friday to support these young, aspiring stars!

Tennis Team Travels To Plainview Pipkin - Sailsbury Win 2nd



MOTLEY COUNTY TENNIS TEAM: (l-r) Renee Davis, Danny Sailsbury, Aimee Pipkin, Heather Turner; (back l-r) Chancy Cruse and Clay Ewing. Not pictured are Jeremy Jones, Brandon Blanch and Cory Kendall, who were busy at the Stock Show, when this picture was taken.

Eight members of the Motley County Schools tennis team traveled to Plainview to compete in the Plains Tennis Association Meet. There were two days of play with 18 schools involved in a two day competition. Schools from as far as Plains and Spearman were competing.

Clay Ewing and Jeremy Jones played singles on Friday. Clay went up against a very salty player from Friona. Both were eliminated but got some good experience.

Saturday morning Chancy Cruse and Brandon Blanch played in a doubles match and were narrowly defeated. While the

girls played, Renee Davis and Heather Turner defeated a Memphis team. The girls fell later to the team from Nazareth. Most of the matches were at courts all over Plainview so there was a lot of shuffling players around. Carol Ann Turner, who had come to watch Heather, helped by taking some of the players to lunch.

Aimee Pipkin and Danny Sailsbury had a bye in the first round. They beat teams from Post and Hart to get into the finals. After a very close match the 2nd seeded team from Nazareth won 6-2, 7-5.

The tennis players' coach would like to thank the school administrators for our T-shirts and for the new net.

Southwest Outdoors

with Mel Phillips



"FUN FISHING TOURNAMENTS"

This spring marks the third year of a great way to learn more about fishing, appropriately called "Fun Tournaments". The cost of entering is still a bargain, only \$20.00, and the hours are short, 6:00 til 9:00 p.m. This is a great event to share with a family member. The kids will never forget their first tournament.

LAKE MEREDITH will be the site on the first Thursday evening of each month. Anglers can enter WALLEYE, BASS, or both categories starting at 4:30 p.m. at Cedar Canyon. Winners in each category are decided by the total weight of their best three fish*.

LAKE GREENBELT will host the fishermen on the third Thursday of each month. Anglers sign up at the south ramp starting at 4:30 p.m.

The payback at all Fun Tournaments is based on 100 entries. First place earns \$700, second place makes \$300, third place - \$200, fourth place - \$100, fifth place - \$50, and places six thru nine take home great prizes.

Several unique features of these Thursday evening gatherings include the lucky tenth place finisher winning \$100 and every contestant (even those who caught no keeper fish) is eligible for the \$50 luck-of-the-draw. NEW for 1992 is a special ring that will be given to the winners. This ring cannot be purchased but only won at a Fun Tournament.

Highlight at each tournament is the weigh-in, when the anglers reveal their winning baits and describe how the fish were caught. As tournament director, I invite you and your family to join us April 2 at LAKE MEREDITH and again April 16 at beautiful LAKE GREENBELT for some fun fishing.

Winner of the drawing for the fully rigged Y-94 fishing boat at Outdoor World 92 was MAC MEDLEY, an SPS employee from Amarillo. Mac was looking for a new boat, but his wife, Donna, told him to wait because he was going to win that free boat! Now Donna is complaining about losing her side of the garage!

Hottest new crankbait is the Rattlin' FLAT WART by Storm Lures in Norman, Oklahoma. A prototype was used by Ken Cook when he won the 1991 B.A.S.S. classic. Crankbait patterns like Tennessee shad or fire-tiger are proven lure colors. No tackle box is complete without these patterns on lures that run shallow, mid-range, and deep.

Tip-of-the-week - JIMMY BAGGETT of Pampa suggests throwing your favorite crankbait on light line. The smaller lines (8, 10, or 12 lb.) allow more lure action, lures run deeper, and you will catch more fish.



Waste pesticides and herbicides are a major problem for many farmers and ranchers. Producers are often caught between a rock and hard place when it comes down to what they can do with crop protection chemicals bought when the product was registered for use by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) but had the registrations removed before the chemical could be used. In many cases these chemicals are simply stored for lack of a better alternative.

Farmers and ranchers across Texas were recently given a better alternative according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG). A series of free, no questions asked waste pesticide collections, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas Water Commission and the Texas Department of Agriculture, were held between February 24 and March 5. It is hoped that the overwhelming success of the 1992 effort will prompt the Legislature to allocate additional funds for similar programs in the future.

High Plains producers were given the opportunity to participate in the program on March 5 in O'Donnell, Texas, at the Farmers Cooperative Gin. Official figures from the O'Donnell collection have not been completed but indications are that almost 137,000 pounds of outdated chemicals were brought in for disposal. The O'Donnell collection site specifically targeted producers in eight counties on the High Plains, although indications are that producers from even farther away took advantage of the opportunity. Additional programs could be set-up in one or more locations in the northern part of the High Plains and encourage producers from this area who were unable to make the trip March 5 to participate.

"Producer response to the initial disposal effort in the southern portion of our area was outstanding," notes Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "Preliminary indications are that well over 125,000 pounds of waste chemicals were turned in at the O'Donnell collection site. Even though the response was higher than expected, additional programs could collect even more."

In addition to turning in the chemicals themselves participants were also given the opportunity to bring in empty chemical containers for recycling.

Farmers have always been considered true environmentalists by anyone who understands the job they do day-in and day-out and participation in this program is another excellent example. Producing a crop safely and profitably includes the careful use of crop protection chemicals.

"We hope that additional funds can be found to continue this disposal program and remove even more unwanted or unusable waste pesticides and herbicides," says Johnson.

Museum Report

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ident in a group of pictures recently received from Cecil C. Cammack of Tyler which shows the newly constructed private hospital in a downtown panorama. Cammack, working for West Texas Utilities between his freshman and sophomore years of college, was assigned to crown the top of the water tower with a light. Using a Kodak which he "just pointed and pushed the shutter button" the young man captured the layout of the growing town from several different directions.

Providing clues to "the way it was" here sixty-four years ago, the water tower photos and negatives promise to enlighten and entertain future generations. Off to the west over the block with the hotel, Matador Hardware, Matador Mercantile, and Farmers and Merchants Bank was the Traweek Hospital and the Methodist Church which faced a double billboard and the flowing creek.

Gazing over the Masonic Building and Matador Auto from atop the new water works, Cammack saw a town dotted with windmills and water tanks. Along the east road toward the cemetery was the white frame school building and the domed and columned, three-story red brick school building, the white frame Baptist Church sans steeple, and the Motley County Railway Depot. Looking north over the courthouse with cupola, one viewed the jail and the gin, side by side on the south side of Ballard Creek.

Also donated by Mr. Cammack was a group of photos of the Cammack family, the Cammack Inn, the Matador Mercantile and Western Dry Goods, the Matador Concert Band, cowboys, and Motley County. Railway engine pulling into Matador for the first time. The Museum is proud to accept this collection and appreciates the time and expense involved on its behalf.

A limited number of copies of The Matador Missionary Baptist Church Roll and Minute Book, 1893-1912, have been made available by Mr. Cammack to the museum and the First Baptist Church. If a great deal of interest is shown more volumes may be bound.

Two used multi-plex display systems (poster-sized pages centered around a pivot) have been located at Crosbyton's Pioneer Memorial Museum. If purchased, one could display family photos while the other might display school class pictures. An attempt has been made to restore the class photos lost in the 1984 tornado and a room in the museum might be the perfect place to display/store them.

Brands may be added to the Centennial Branding Board for \$50 per family brand or names may be added to the Family Name Plaque for \$100. Deadlines will soon be enforced so that they may be ready for display once the remodeling is completed and a grand opening is scheduled. Space will be limited, so don't miss out on including your family name or brand. All donations are appreciated and will be acknowledged and published in the paper.

MUSEUM DONATIONS

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Mike Hoyle, in memory of Virginia Hoyle.

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Dorothy Jameson Nichols, in memory of Frank A. Jameson, Claude and Ruth McDonald, and Travis and Fay McDonald.

Utility Commission Lowers Telephone Rates

The Texas Public Utility Commission today voted unanimously to lower the rates of Cap Rock Telephone customers. The reduction, totaling \$488,000, will include refunds for each of Cap Rock's access customers.

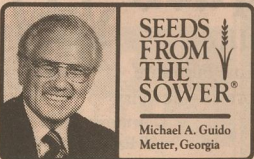
"So often it seems that state government is only involved in actions that take more money from the citizens," said Commissioner Marta Greytok. "It is a real pleasure to be involved in an action that gives something back."

During the Commission's proceedings, Commissioner Greytok commended the telephone company for its quality of service. "I want to formally complement Cap Rock on its record of no customer complaints for service, billing, deposits, and other areas, for the year ending June 30, 1991," said Greytok.

The telephone rate reductions are to be effective approximately sixty days from the effective date of the Commission's order. Included in the benefits for Cap Rock customers will be a 40% reduction in installation costs for new service.

The Public Utility Commission meets regularly to set rates for telephone and electric utilities in Texas. Marta Greytok is a former chairman of the Commission, and has served the Texas ratepayers since September of 1987.

Cap Rock provides local exchange telephone service in the following Texas counties: Dickens, Kent, King, Crosby, Hall, Cottle, Garza, Floyd, Stonewall, Motley, and Foard.



Two men were fishing in a cold, mountain stream. The younger asked, "How can I find God?"

Suddenly the other man pushed his head under the water and held it there. Struggling, stunned and shaken, the younger man soon came up.

"When you want to find God as badly as you wanted to breathe," he said, "you'll find Him."

More than I wanted life, I wanted the Lord. I had a great need of the Lord, and I found a great Lord for my need. For the Bible says, "You shall find Him when you search for Him with all your heart and soul."

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Mental Health

by Ron Trusler



NOTE: Ron Trusler, M.Ed., L.P.C. is Assistant Executive Director Central Plains Center for Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse.

INTIMACY

INTIMACY - most everybody wants it but not everybody knows how to get it! To be intimate means to allow others to know who we are - how we feel and think - and for them to allow us to know them. We want all this but we hide our true selves because we don't believe we're lovable. We're not receiving the love we want because we don't let others know who we are.

Most of us have never had the opportunity to learn the skills to maintain an intimate relationship. It doesn't happen by magic - it can be learned. But we all have some barriers to deal with first. We have a personal history and part of that may have some negative experiences that still affect us today. We've been hurt in the past and it affects present relationships. The ability to communicate honestly and directly enables us to make our needs and wants known. It is hard to communicate feelings of anger and resentment in a way that won't destroy love. Suppressed anger or hostility are a cancer within an intimate relationship. Some people have erroneous beliefs that undermine relationships such as, "If you loved me, you would know what I think, feel, and want."

An essential element to intimacy is our own self-worth. How we feel about ourselves affects our ability to be intimate. When we have a healthy sense of our own self-worth, we have basic attitudes of "I'm lovable" and "I'm good enough."

Intimacy is not sex. Intimacy is not a romance novel. It's a lifelong exploration of knowing one another.

Betty's Tax Talk

by Betty Luckett

Have you returned your homestead exemption form?? If you don't return the new application, you can lose the exemption. If you can't find the one mailed out to you, just come by the Appraisal Office.

This form needs to be at our office by April 1, 1992. Even if you have signed an exemption form years before, please be sure you have a new form signed.

The chief appraiser may require a new application by sending you an applica-

tion form. If you don't return the new application you can lose your exemption.

Redemption time is upon us. Did you return the business rendition mailed to you? It needs to be back in the appraisal office by April 1, 1992.

Please check your tax statement to see if everything is listed correctly on the tax records with your correct name and address.

Thank You

We want to thank everyone who was concerned for me during my surgery and emergency. Thank you sincerely.

Jim and Carlene Cross

We would like to thank our friends for the many acts of kindness during the recent loss of our loved one. Your thoughtfulness for the food, flowers, cards, visits, and prayers will always hold a special place in all of our hearts.

The Buck Partridge Family,
Jo and Albert Irwin
Jean and Grady Phillips
Rilene and James Taylor

We appreciate the prayers for us, food brought to our homes, the many calls, the time you gave for visits and the sympathy shown in the death of Wayne. Thank you to Wanda Stockton for being so helpful and to Jim Meador, Barbara Wallace and Kenny Rose for efficient and compassionate E.M.S.

Joan Shelton and family
Cecil and Grace Shelton
C.D. and Evelyn Garrison
Richard and Sue Lancaster

The Junior Class would like to thank everyone who contributed in any way to the success of the Talent-Show and Cake Auction. We appreciate the support of the community.

Class of '93

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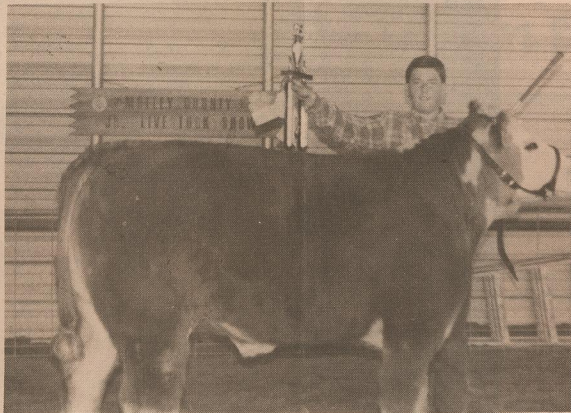
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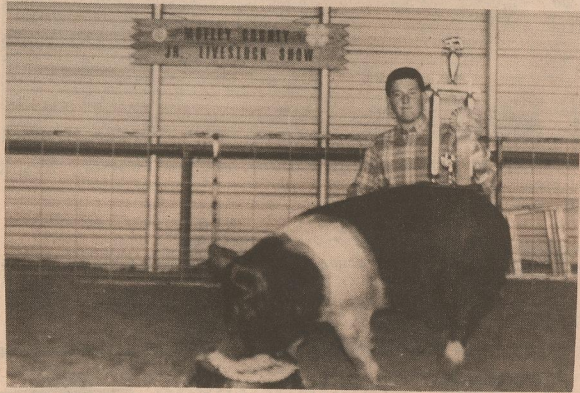
Darryn Perryman and Harold Campbell with the Grand Champion Steer. Darryn won the buckle for Showmanship and the plaque for Best Steer bred in Motley County, Harold Campbell won the plaque for breeder of Grand Champion Steer.



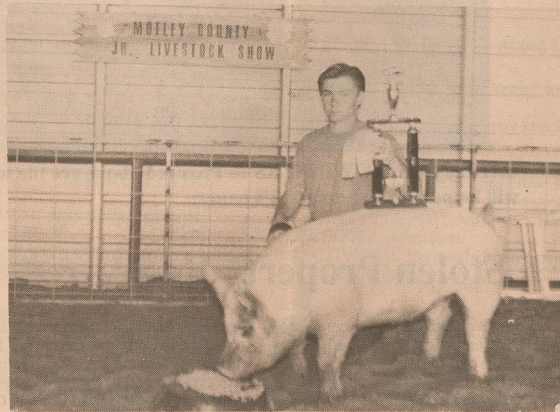
Reserve Champion Steer winner, Tye Stephens.



Heifer Class Winners Heath Campbell Crossbreed Grand Champion; Guy Campbell 1st Place Purebred and Christie Pierce Crossbreed Reserve Champion.



Tye Stephens with the Grand Champion Hog.



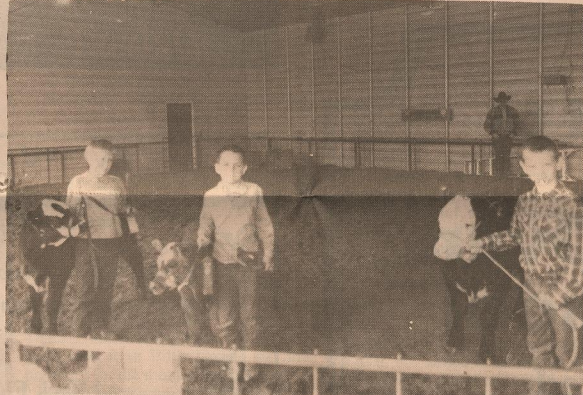
Shane Taylor with the Reserve Champion Hog.



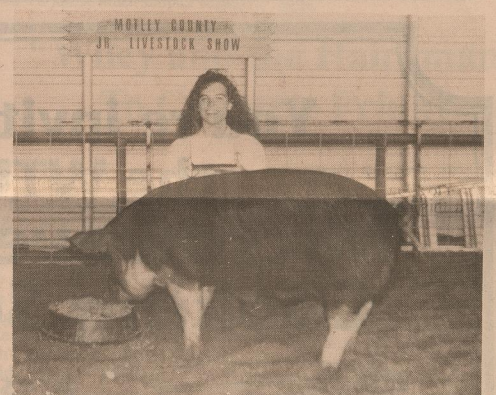
Christie Pierce, with Rate of Gain Plaque for the steers.



Kobbi Risser with her Reserve Champion Lamb.



Bucket Calf Class Winners; (Right to left) Clint Cooper 1st, Chantry Meyer and Britt Pierce.



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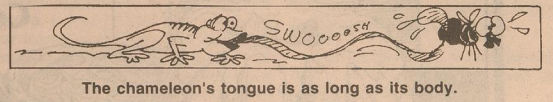
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Dr. William Morris, pharmacist, inventor and author has discovered a natural food tablet, aptly named Food Source One, that replaces some of the calories normally obtained from food. Food Source One replaces high calorie fats with other natural food ingredients with little or no caloric value so you can lose weight without giving up all your favorite foods, as explained in NDR's Lifestyle Maintenance publication, available where Food Source One is sold. "The secret to meaningful weight loss is not in decreasing the amount of food you eat, but in controlling the fat," says Dr. Morris.

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Social Security Tips

by Mary Jane Shanes

DON'T CONFUSE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF SOCIAL SECURITY, IRS

Anyone who receives Social Security benefits and who continues to work has to report his or her earnings to two government agencies - the Social Security Administration (SSA) and the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Earnings must be reported to IRS for tax purposes and to SSA because they may affect the amount of benefits payable.

The fact that both SSA and IRS have an April 15 filing date apparently causes some confusion about the need to file both reports.

Sometimes, Social Security beneficiaries think filing an income tax return takes care of the Social Security earnings report requirement. And while the IRS does share tax return information with SSA, the tax return does not provide all the information that SSA needs.

A second confusing area, according to IRS officials, occurs when Social Security

beneficiaries think that they do not need to file a tax return if their income is under the Social Security earnings limit - in 1991, \$9,720 for people 65 through 69; \$7,080 for people under 65. But there is no connection between the Social Security earnings limits and the requirement to file an income tax return.

A third confusing area arises when Social Security beneficiaries request an extension of the filing date for their income tax return and assume that they will also get an extension of the filing date for their Social Security earnings report.

Again, the two reports to our two agencies are not related.

And any action taken by one agency does not affect what is required by the other. However, we always try to do all we can to clear up this confusion and anyone with a question can call Social

Security's national toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213. Or call our office. Our number is 293-9599.



TALENT SHOW WINNERS — Pictured above are the winners in the Jr. sponsored Talent Show, held last Thursday. Results will be printed in next week's paper.

Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven. But whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father which is in heaven.

Matthew 10:32-33

Stolen Property Recovered

Southwestern CattleRaisers Association recently notified Sheriff Alton Marshall that they had found the stolen property belonging to Dean Turner and H.A. Stephens.

Dean Turner's trailer and H.A.

Stephens' trailer and saddles were stolen from Motley County in October of 1991. Turner's was found in Chico, Texas and has been returned to Matador. Stephens' property is impounded in Cordell, Oklahoma and will be returned soon.

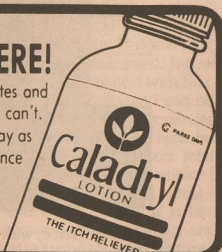
Jesus said:
Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.

Matthew 5:9

Whoever gives heed to instruction prospers, and blessed is he who trusts in the Lord. Proverbs 16:20

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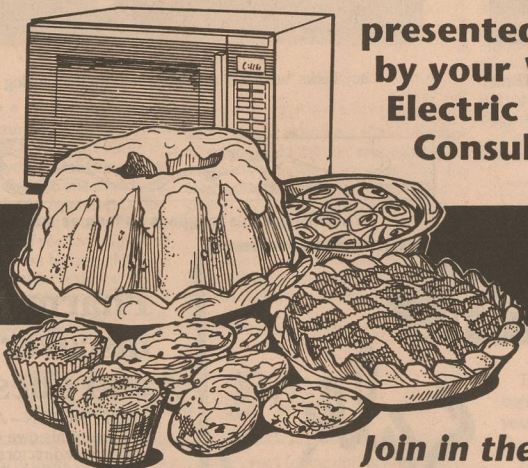
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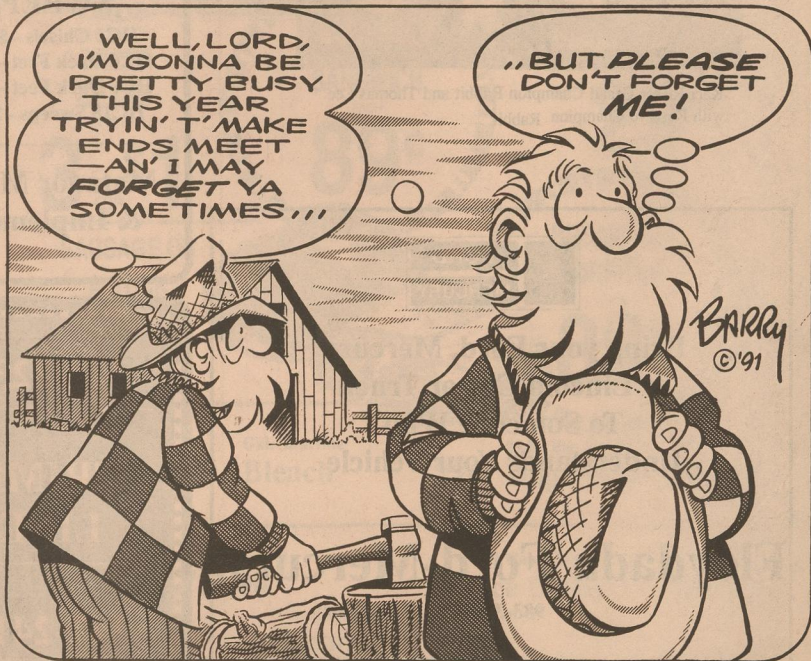
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News Around Motley County

Obituaries

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Art Green visited in Plainview from Friday until Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Alta Mae Rice. Other family members joined him there Saturday and celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Rice. She was presented beautiful pink and white decorated cake and gifts.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Rice of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green and children of Roaring Springs; Mrs. Lewis Cannon of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Don Lewis of Vernon; Mrs. Hal Martin and Ryan of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Green and daughters of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon visited last weekend in Roswell, N.M. with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Kendall attended the funeral services of Wayne Shelton held in Hobbs, N.M., Wednesday afternoon, March 18. They visited in Matador last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Garrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Leah, Keane and Derrick enjoyed a spring vacation trip from March 5-10 that included attending the basketball tournament at the Frank Erwin Gym at Texas University in Austin and the tourist attractions in Corpus Christi.

Tina Clay, student at Texas Tech and Lori Clay of Lubbock visited during the spring holidays with their family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Julie.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers visited last Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rogers.

Visiting the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Seab Washington were their grandchildren, Katie and Cam Washington of Quitaque.

Mrs. Doris Morris, who visited the past four months in Fort Worth following cardiovascular illness, was accompanied home, Tuesday, March 17 by her granddaughter, Mrs. Denise Blanchard of Fort Worth. Mrs. Morris visited Sunday with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lane and daughter of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen Calvert visited in Lubbock, Tuesday with Mrs. Gwen Reed, Shae Lynn and Dustin. They celebrated Shae Lynn's 6th birthday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foster and Keith of Lubbock. Shae Lynn and Dustin returned home with the Calverts and visited until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey visited in Fritch, Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis and accompanied home their sons, Michael and Warren who visited here the past week. They, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Neal Moon.

Cindy Shorter, Texas Tech student and Salina Shorter of Floydada visited during the spring holidays with Mr. and

Mrs. Clois Shorter, Christi and Keri and Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter. Louis Shorter of Phoenix, Arizona visited them from Monday until Wednesday. Visiting the families overnight Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhodes and Russell of South Lake, who were returning home, from a skiing vacation in Colorado.

Natalie and Brooke Rogers of Lindale arrived Friday to visit their father, Donnie Rogers and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers. Other visitors during the weekend and celebrating Brooke's second birthday, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shay, Shawna and Dane of Calgary. The Degans also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and their aunt, Mrs. Bessie Martin of Floydada visited in Lockney, Thursday with Mrs. Lennie Gilbert. Marilee Pilcher of Fritch visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Saturday as she was en route home from a skiing vacation in Ruidoso, N.M.

Mrs. Annie Bea Cloyd was in Plainview, Monday for a medical check-up following recent surgery.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Lillie Sperry were sons, Bill Sperry of Odessa, Elbert Sperry of Idalou and Terry Sperry of Quitaque.

Mrs. Virgil George accompanied her mother, Mrs. Coy Payne of Quitaque and Mrs. Lillie Sperry to Plainview, Wednesday for medical appointments.

Susan Marie Smith and daughter, Allison of Austin were houseguests this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter. Thursday, they visited in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. John Spear and continued to Matador and had supper at the Pizza Box with Susan's former classmate, Carla Meador. They attended the Amateur Show at the Motley County School that night and Susan renewed friendships with ex-classmates and former teachers.

Friday afternoon, they were in Amarillo where they introduced Allison to her great aunt and uncle, Mildred and John Speer at their new home on Fleetwood St. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Jones. Saturday, Dr. Randy Hunter of Denton and Susan's law school friend, Karen Veninga of Dallas arrived for a late luncheon and a tour of the Caprock Canyon State Park with Randy's and Susan's grandfather, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque.

Sunday, Anita Hunter of Lubbock and H.G. Hunter were luncheon guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada visited Sunday afternoon. Anita visited overnight Sunday and accompanied Susan and Allison to Lubbock, Monday for their flight to Austin.

Mrs. Loyd May and Mrs. Charles Francis of Silverton and Mrs. James May of Quitaque visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter, Tuesday.

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

Becky Daniell Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Leslie Daniell (nee Becky Anson) was honored with a bridal shower, Sunday, March 15 at the Senior Citizens building in Roaring Springs.

Punch and cookies were served to the guests by hostesses, including Mitzi Christopher, Brandi Adams, Jelenne Long, Carla Meador, Joyce Meredith, Brenda

Perryman, Devonne Dillard, Naomi Lawrence, Dora Hurt, Barbara Marvel, Audry Jones and Cleo Watson.

After refreshments Becky was presented with many gifts. The hostess presented her with a microwave oven.

Becky and Leslie were married in January and make their home in Roaring Springs.

DELAYED

Ray and Grace Zabielski's daughter, Buni and Jamie Zeilinger and Zachery visited with them last week. As they were leaving, grandson, Donnie Wittler and Donnie's grandmother, Jo Wittler came to visit until Sunday.

Grace Zabielski attended the GFWC convention in Lubbock Friday and Saturday, visiting with brother Raworth and Barbara Tilson, while in Lubbock.

Sunday, granddaughter, Danielle and husband, Joel, came to visit for a few days, and on Monday, son Julian, dropped in for an in and out visit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moss and his mother, Mrs. Gladys Moss were Sunday visitors with the latter's sister, Mrs. Lillian Thacker.

Mrs. Roxie Lewis had as luncheon guests Sunday, her sister-in-law, Mrs. H.E. Sibley, her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hair, and a niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Root, all of Canyon. Mrs. Root is the daughter of Mrs. Lewis's brother, the late Guy Sibley of Clarendon.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell kept her appointment with a Lubbock heart specialist Monday. Mrs. Bennie D. Dillard transported her to Lubbock.

Mrs. Wilma Wood of El Paso visited with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lillian Thacker, from Sunday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Hinson were Lubbock visitors Wednesday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Webb and Mrs. Newell Crego of Albuquerque, N.M. were guests of their sister, Mrs. Vera Mitchell, from last Thursday until Monday. They were joined by a brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webb of Floydada on Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Stephenson and Mrs. Charline Reynolds were guests of Mrs. Roxie Lewis Friday. Mrs. Stephenson

and Mrs. Lewis are the survivors of their family of twelve siblings. Mrs. Reynolds is the daughter of their sister and husband, the late Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Owens.

IMOGENE SWIM HOSTS GUILD

The Guild met in the 3rd street home of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim Wednesday evening of last week with ten present. The Rev. Mrs. Mary Helen Cross, Pastor of First United Methodist Church said the opening prayer. Miss Lula Swim used "The Rainbow" as the theme of her devotional reading from Matthew. The lesson was based on the 7th and 8th chapter of Luke. Mrs. Billie Clifton gave the closing prayer.

Present were the hostess, Opal Bradford, Billie Clifton, Mary Helen Cross, Freda Keahay, Mary Lumsden, Pearl Patten, Venita Sedgwick, Lula Swim, and Grace Zabielski.

Miss Lula M. Swim and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim were Lubbock visitors Monday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swin in Lubbock.

Mrs. Dalton Hill of Bedford accompanied by her children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Goad of Euless; and Dr. and Mrs. Van Hill, Kelly and Haley of Rowlett visited with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Webb last week. Mrs. Hill will be remembered as Ala Kelly who grew up in Roaring Springs.

Clyde Ray of Spur and Mrs. Vesta Cooper of Matador visited in Mrs. Vera Mitchell's home Sunday. They are siblings of Mrs. Buck Webb.

Mrs. Nita Sanders of Lubbock and her daughter, Mrs. Don Carpenter of Lerida, CA visited Mrs. Vera Mitchell Monday.

Lester Mullins of Hereford spent Saturday night with his mother, Odessa Mullins. His wife, Irene, and Ada Smith visited Sunday night on their way home from Dallas.

Rollie Partridge

Services for Rollie "Buck" Partridge, 81, of Gainesville were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 21, in Afton Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Partridge died Thursday morning, March 19 in Gainesville Memorial Hospital in Gainesville after a brief illness.

He was born in Montague County and moved to Gainesville in 1981. He married Nell Allen on Dec. 23, 1933, in

Dickens County. He was a ginmer with Afton Co-op Gin for 41 years. After retiring from the gin, he drove a propane truck for Porter Oil Co. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Afton. His wife died on Dec. 12, 1981.

Survivors include three daughters, Jo Irwin and Jean Phillips, both of Gainesville, and Rilene Taylor of Matador; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

HOWARD POWELL

Graveside services for Howard Powell, 86, of Paducah were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 22, in the Garden of Memories Cemetery with Robin Crawford, minister of the Paducah Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Powell died at 11:20 p.m. Friday in Woods Nursing Home after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Jackson, Miss., and moved in 1925 to Paducah, where he was printing shop foreman at the Paducah

Post for more than 25 years. He later operated Powell Office Supply. He was a member of the Paducah Volunteer Fire Department for 35 years. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He married Mary Irene Campbell on Nov. 4, 1928 in Paducah. She died on Oct. 25, 1985.

Survivors include two sons, W.C. "Mickey" of Lubbock and Bob of Ruidoso, N.M.; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Past and present members of the Paducah Fire Department served as pallbearers and honorary pallbearers.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD
A constant man does not lose his courage in misfortune. A torch may point toward the ground, but its flame will still soar upwards.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mrs. Janice Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon attended the wedding ceremony of her grandson and their nephew, David Dale Dixon and Kristi Rohde held Saturday, March 14 at 5:00 p.m. in the Windsor Baptist Church in De Sota. A wedding reception and dance following the ceremony was at the De Sota Country Club.

Sunday, they were guests at a family luncheon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rohde of De Sota, parents of Kristi.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elliott of Flomot, maternal grandparents of David, also attended the wedding ceremony and other courtesies during the weekend.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Wilson (Sibyl) Barton was honored on her birthday, Tuesday night, March 17 with a family birthday dinner in the home of her sister, Mrs. Zona Ruth Cammack in Matador. After making a wish, she blew out her candles on a colorful decorated cake and was presented gifts.

Those attending the happy occasion besides her husband, Wilson, were Mrs. Stella Swin and daughter, Emily of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ed Cammack and Mrs. Charlie Scaff of Matador.

FATHER HONORED IN BIG SPRING

Mrs. Rocky (Lavelle) Vinson and daughter, Amanda visited in Big Spring from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradford.

Mr. Bradford was honored with a "Bill Bradford Day" Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church in Big Spring for his thirty years as a Scoutmaster.

He was presented a watch and Mrs. Bradford and Lavelle, corsages. His favorite hymns, scriptures and the sermon were in recognition of his many years of service with the Boy Scout troops in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon were in

Austin from Wednesday until Saturday to attend the annual stockholders meeting of the 10th Farm Credit District. Delegates from Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama and Texas attended the business sessions held at the Stouffer Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon made the trip by plane from the Lubbock Airport.

Mrs. Juanita Cooper visited from Saturday until Tuesday of last week in Amarillo with daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken (Kay) Dunnam and Courtney. She and Courtney flew by plane to Dallas, Tuesday and visited until Saturday in Lewisville with her other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn (Pat) Minton and daughters, Carol, a student at A&M College in Bryan and Mrs. Ben (Cheryl) Rockwell of San Antonio. Mrs. Cooper returned home from Amarillo, Sunday.

Mrs. Nathan (Carol) Gilbreth, Kathy and Susan of Sundown visited from Wednesday until Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Martin. They met Mrs. Mike (Sharon) Davis and Kristy of Fritch in Clarendon, Wednesday afternoon and Kristy returned home with them to visit. The families enjoyed visiting Caprock Canyon State Park, Friday. Mrs. Davis arrived late Friday afternoon to visit the weekend. Joining them Saturday to visit and celebrate Kathryn's birthday was her mother, Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs. Other visitors during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin and Ryan of Matador.

Mrs. Johnney Turner and daughter, Heather attended the tennis tournament in Plainview, Saturday. Heather and Renee' Davis of Matador, MHS students, competed in the doubles division of the tournament.

Jonah Stan of Lubbock and Lynn Stan of Roaring Springs visited Mrs. Jack Spray, Thursday.

Houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton is their niece, Mrs. Milda Scrivner Morrison of San Diego, California. They met her plane in Lubbock, Wednesday, March 18. They were in Childress, Tuesday, March 24 for Mrs. Barton medical treatment for an arm injury she suffered following an accident in her home.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings, Saturday were Mrs. Tim Jennings and son, Mathew of Haskell.

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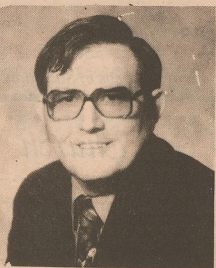
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The apostle Paul wrote in Ephesians 5:15-16, "Look therefore carefully how you walk, not as unwise, but as wise; redeeming the time, because the days are evil." It is a forceful thought that we have so little time to prepare. Eternity never ends! The year 1992 will slip by just as swiftly as those gone before, but some of us will not see its end. "We then, as workers together with Him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain... behold, now is the accepted time; behold now is the day of salvation." (1 Cor. 6:1-2)

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Contestants must qualify in the events that they are going to work at the Finals.

To go for the All-Around Title you must work three events. Awards for the Finals: Two Trophy Saddles - All Around Top Hand and Runner Up Saddle. We are still working on other prizes in all events as well as added money. The Finals will be bigger and better than last year so try to become eligible for the Finals. The Finals will be in Dickens on September 5, 1992.

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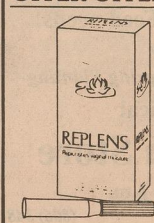
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ROARING SPRINGS COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS WORK DAY

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers will have a work day, Thursday, March 26 at the Mt. Zion Cemetery East of town, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

This is in preparation for the fence being built on Friday, March 27. Everyone is invited to come and help, one or both days.

ROARING SPRINGS COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS TO HAVE CAKE AUCTION

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers will hold a Cake Auction, Saturday, March 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the Depot in Roaring Springs. Everyone is invited to come and buy a cake and enjoy the festivities.

GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

A Genealogy Workshop will be held April 4 in the Floyd County Historical Museum in Floydada, sponsored by the Museum and Caprock Genealogy Society. Guest speaker is Sylvia Murray, Librarian of the LDS Library in Amarillo and an accredited Genealogist and Teacher. Reference books will be available for use and for purchase.

A luncheon and tour of the Historical Lamplighter Inn will be available.

Registration for workshop is \$5.00, luncheon and tour is \$5.50. Contact Virginia Taylor, 983-3639 or June Sherman 652-3436 by Wednesday, April 1 for luncheon registration. If you wish to attend the workshop only, registration is available at the door at 9:30 a.m.

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

In accordance with promoting health within the community, the Texas Dept. of Health will be offering cholesterol screening in Matador at the senior citizens building on April 8, 1992 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. by appointment. To make an appointment please call Greta Smallwood at 347-2334 in Matador. The cost for the test will be \$4.00. The cholesterol screening will allow each resident the opportunity to learn more about their risk for developing cardiovascular problems.

HEALTH SCREENING CLINIC

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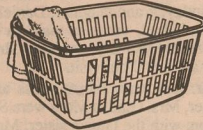
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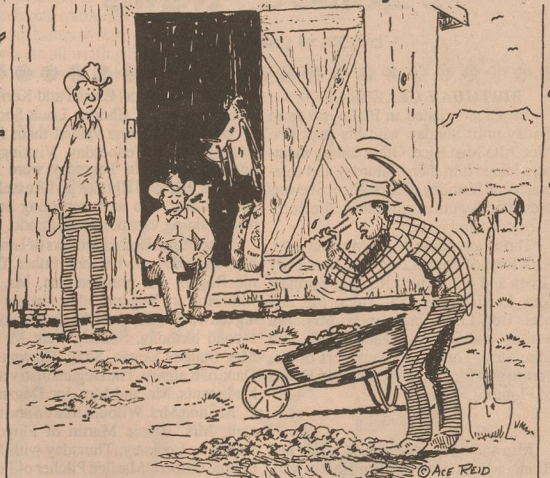
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