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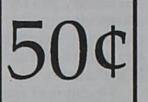
# Motley County Tribune



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# Look Back RA

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**HEALTH IMPROVES:** STOPS PENSION

"My health has improved to where I can walk and I wish you would take me off your pay roll as it may help someone else that cannot work." So read a letter received Tuesday at district offices of Texas Old Age Assistance Commission in Wichita Falls. That is the real American spirit, commented J.R. Atlee, District Supervisor."

July 27, 1939

SCOUT TROOP TO SWIM MEET

"Members of the Matador Scout Troop #60 met with the Spur Scout Troop, #35 for a district swimming meet at Spur yesterday.

About 12 scouts from Spur and 14 from Matador attended the contest, which was followed by a watermelon feast provided by the host troop.

# County Chamber banquet to feature aviatrix, author



Nancy Robinson Masters will speak at the Motley County Chamber of Commerce Banquet to be held August 6.

speaker, Nancy Robinson Masters, programs to motivate students to bewill present the keynote address for come better readers and writers. She the Motley County Chamber of Commerce Banquet on Thursday, August ing for teachers and business leaders 6 at 7:00 p.m., to be held at the Motley County High School in Matador.

Masters, a licensed pilot, is the only woman to twice receive the U.S. Air Force's Distinguished Citizen of the Year award. She is the author of ten books, including All My Downs Have Been Ups, and Spirits in the Sky, the Story of the Airplanes of World War II,

Her award-winning books for children, The Fabulous Flying Flag Farm and The Horrible Homemade Halloween Costume, draw heavily on her childhood experiences of growing up on a hard scrabble, droughtplagued cotton farm in West Texas. In her talks and presentations, Masters credits much of her success today to the values, patriotism and work ethic instilled in her by her parents, particularly her mother, during those difficult years.

In addition to her career as a free lance writer, with over 3,000 articles other credit, Nancy works as an independent consultant for schools and

An entertaining and motivational businesses, presenting her "Top Gun" also presents staff-development trainand seminars for anyone interested in writing for publication.

> Masters will return to Motley County on September 12 when she will present a writers' workshop for Wanna Be Western Writers at Mott the caterer for the event. Creek Ranch (806)-983-1372).

She resides on a farm in the Elmdale community near Abilene, handy enough to pump fuel at the airport built by her husband, veteran aviator Bill Masters. But, according

work is "teaching second graders in Sunday School."

Rounding out the evening's program the Chamber will present awards for the year and recognize outstanding individuals or businesses. Dinner music and entertainment will be provided by the 3M Company of Matador, while Virginia Sailsbury of Cafe RS in Roaring Springs will be

Tickets for the banquet are \$10 per person, available in advance from any Motley County Chamber of Commerce member, president Jeff Thacker, (806-348-7546), or Secreto Nancy, her most important life's tary Charles Keith, (806-347-2283).

## Chamber membership keeps growing

Hearty congratulations are extended to the following businesses and individuals who have extended their commitment to helping Motley County by renewing their membership in the Motley County Chamber

Kenneth Abbott, Suzanne Abbott, Ronnie Bailey, Kay Bailey, Inez Bailey, Mary Ellen Barton, Randy Barton, Bonita Barton, Nell PolyPipe, Bundy Campbell, Wes Campbell, Betty Campbell, Vance Campbell, City Grocery, Dahl Clower, Jim Cooper, Judy Cooper, Bill Crenshaw, Brenda Cruse, Darrell Cruse, Tommie Cruse, Davis Fuel,

Billy Denison, Debbie Denison, Spencer Dixon, Wilda Dixon, Jerry Edwards, First State Bank of Matador, James Fish, Fran Sales & Service (Odessa), Sondra Francis, Vann Francis, Garland Rattan Ranch, Jerry Green, Patricia Green, Algie Groves, Rita Groves, Darla Gwinn, James Gwinn, Harry Hamilton, Hamilton Brothers, Boyce Hart, Martha Hill, Karen Elliott House, Earlyne Berryman, Wade Berryman, CSR Jameson, Skeet Jameson, Jarrett Jameson, Charlie Johnson, Bill Jones, Mary Jones, Charles Keith, Charlie Keith, Joan Keith, Viola Keith, Keith Brothers, Knowles-Taylor Cotton Co.,

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# Motley County to receive over \$27,000 from State Tobacco settlement

Motley County's allotment will be the industry must now match. \$27,057 from the state's tobacco pay Texas \$17.6 billion over a 26 year period, to cover the costs of health care caused by tobacco use, accordby state officials.

State officials and the industry wound up their negotiations late last week. The settlement is more than \$2 Floyd County, \$150,066. billion higher than the industry originally said it would pay the state.

A clause in the original settlement guaranteed Texas equal treatment with any state that got a better deal from the industry. After Texas announced its settlement with cigarette makers in January, Minnesota hammered out an even more lucrative settlement that

In January 1999, there will be an settlement. The tobacco industry will initial per capita distribution of \$300 million to counties and hospital dis-

In this distribution, preliminary ing to preliminary estimates released estimates are that Briscoe County will receive \$34,810; Hall County will receive \$68,966; Dickens County, \$45,407; Kent County, \$17,838;

> Rep. Pete Laney said that in addition to the initial lump sum payment, a Permanent Trust Account will be established and funded over a fouryear period by \$1.8 billion. Income from this permanent fund will be distributed to the counties and hospital districts on a pro rata basis in proportion to their amount of unreimbursed substantial, perpetual source of rev-

health care expenditures for indigent health care.

Because future distributions will be on a cost-reimbursement basis, each county will have to document its unreimbursed health care expenses. ans," Laney said.

This historic agreement will provide substantial benefits to county taxpayers without the uncertainty and expense of lengthy litigation.

These payments are available to all local governmental entities with Judge Jim Meyers, a court-appointed indigent health care obligations, regardless of whether they are parties to the lawsuit. In the state of Texas, county commissioners courts are expected to provide at least 10% of their

annual budget for indigent care. "This trust account will provide a enue to help offset the cost of providing health care. This approach to managing the funds will ensure that the payments we receive today will pro-

vide lasting benefits for future Tex-

Legislative leaders met last Saturday with the counsel for the counties and hospital districts that intervened in the tobacco settlement and

mediator. As a result of that meeting, an agreement was reached. It includes the stipulation that the motion for

sanctions against the governor and several legislators must be withdrawn before this agreement is finalized.

# Two killed in early morning accident

Two men were killed early Tuesday morning, July 28, when the 1984 Ford Pickup they were driving veered from the roadway in the curve of the Lubbock. He is survived by his grandhighway striking a tree.

The two men were traveling west on US 62, approximately 8 miles west of Paducah when the accident occurred at approximately 7:00 a.m.

and Daniel Munoz, age unknown at Roaring Springs. newstime, of Spur were killed instantly. Both men were wearing seatbelts. Mr. Munoz was driving the

The cause of the accident is under investigation.

Mr. Williams is a former resident of Matador. He attended school at Motley County ISD before moving to parents, W.C. "Rosie" and Valta Deaton, and two brothers, Leslie Lester and Peyton Lester, of Matador; his mother, Dorothy Williams of Louisiana; an uncle Jack Williams of Codi Williams, 21, of Lubbock, Matador; an uncle Vernon Nipp of

> Services for Mr. Williams are pending with Seigler Funeral Home in Matador.

Services for Mr. Munoz are pending at Spur.

## School Board hires new girl's basketball coach in called meeting

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met Monday, July 27 for a called meeting to interview applicants for Girls' Basketball Coach, to fill the position previously held by Coach Kim Alexander.

Bryan Barnes and Danny Copeland were interviewed. The board voted to hire Danny Copeland of St. Joe, Texas as the new girls' basketball coach for Motley County High

Meeting adjourned.

## 75th Annual Old Settlers Reunion set for Aug. 27-29

The 75th Annual Motley-Dickens the Rodeo Queen will highlight the 29. The parade will kick off the cel- formers at the Young Folks Dance, ebration in downtown Roaring beginning at 9 p.m. Friday and Satur-Springs at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, Auday nights.

There will be three big days of ro-Durham saddle, and the crowning of ning at 8:30 p.m. each night.

Counties Old Settlers Reunion and annual event. Jody Nix and the Texas Rodeo is set for August 27-28 and Cowboys will be the featured per-

The Ranch Dance Fiddle Band deo excitement, dancing, a carnival, with Frankie McWhorter will be feadrawing for a handmade Alvin tured at the Old Folks Dance, begin-

## Governor requests drought disaster declaration for entire state

Bush is asking the federal government to grant disaster status to an additional

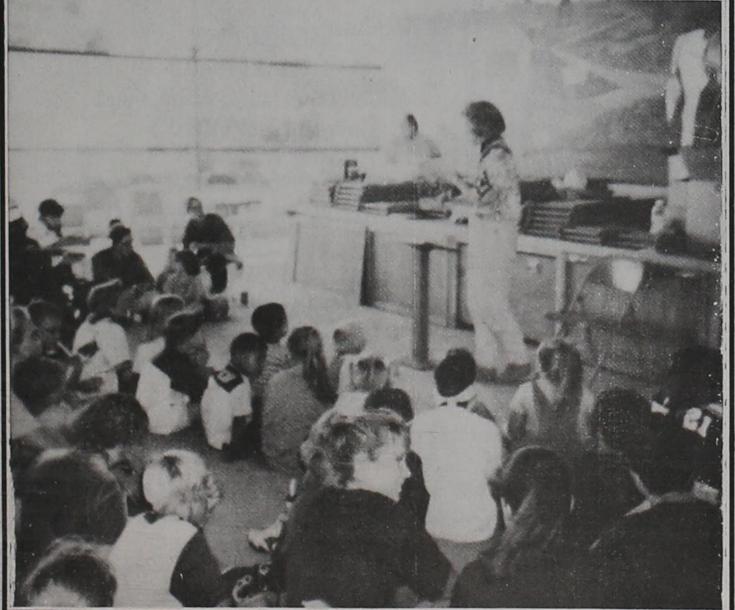
disaster declaration.

AUSTIN -- Governor George W. Agriculture Dan Glickman, Governor mates total losses will be \$1.5 billion gency caused by above normal tem-176 counties stricken by drought. If peratures and severe drought condithe U.S. Department of Agriculture tions. If the request is granted, Texas grants the Governor's request, all 254 farmers and ranchers will be eligible Texas counties will be under a drought for emergency loans to cover losses suffered under the drought. The Texas In a letter to U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Extension Service esti-

Bush describes the economy emer-statewide. "I'm asking the federal government to expedite the declaration for all Texas counties because Texas needs immediate assistance," Governor Bush said.

As of today, two Texas counties, Terrell and Glasscock, have been descontinued on page 2

Kids' Camp days full of fun



Kids' Camp days are full of fun and learning projects. These kids are listening to Mrs. Joyce Hunter as she tells a story during a story-telling session on Tuesday. Sixty-five kids and twenty counselors brave the heat each day to participate in the annual camp sponsored by the Roaring Springs Community Volunteers. The week long camp will end on Friday.



Although I love my home, I love this country, and I will never be called a hometown traitor, this week I have really been wondering why the early day settlers ever stopped in this part of the country.

We returned from a glorious vacation to the mountains this weekend, and when we drove back into this part of the country, I just wanted to turn enjoyable, also. It felt so good! the car around and go back to the cool.

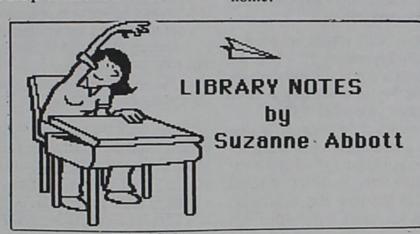
this trip one of your top places to see. fun! I'm sure you have all heard of the spiral staircase with no nails or center support hold. It is amazing! It had to have been built by an Angel. The feeling of the presence of God is so obvi-

ous in those beautiful churches.

After our Santa Fe jaunt, we drove to Ruidoso. It was so cool and beautiful. It rained everyday we were there. The high temperature was about 80, and the low was around 45. All of the locals said that all the Texans were just walking around in the rain, getting soaked. Jim and I found this rather

The last part of our trip was an We drove to Santa Fe, New overnight visit with the kids in Lub-Mexico last Monday. While there, we bock. I know I've said it before, but toured the most beautiful churches. If our little Morgan is just so wonderyou have never toured the Santa Fe ful. She's growing so fast and changes churches, you really must try to make everytime we see her. She's so much

But, I guess I'll have to admit, after all this great, cool fun, it really was good to be home. Even though it's hot and dry, there's no place like



deal with treasure hunting. We would all like to find a treasure, and these One, dealing solely with finding and stimulate. coins, is entitled The New Successful Coin Hunting. Another, Let's Talk let children select their own books. Treasure Hunting, tells how to find all kinds of buried items such as relics of wars and early-day civilizations. Finally, Ghost Town Treasures, Ruins, Relics and Riches lists ideas and tips for searching old town sites or sites of long-gone buildings. Come in and check out one of these books, and maybe you'll find a treasure - of course, you would share with the Motley County Library, wouldn't you?

From "Saddlebags", the newsletter of the Texas Panhandle Library System, come 10 tips for raising a reader:

of a baby daughter, Chancey Rae

morial Hospital in Midland. She land.

Look

Who's New

Chancey Rae Kendall

Kendall. She was born Wednesday, and Linda Kendall of Flomot and

July 22, 1998 at 2:14 p.m. at the Me- Johnny and Pam Thompson of Mid-

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land are happy to announce the arrival and was 20 3/4 inches long.

Cory and Janet Kendall of Mid- weighed nine pounds, twelve ounces

Three new books in the Library new baby, anything from magazines to food labels.

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3. Visit the Library regularly and

4. Make the bedtime story a family event. Even older children enjoy the right books.

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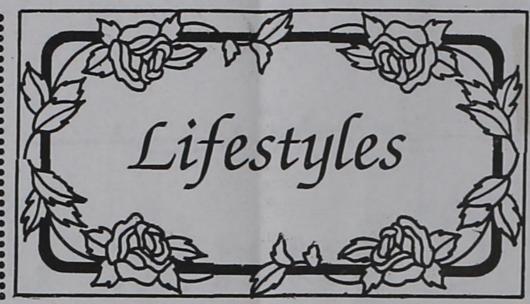
while you work around the house. 7. Read about people, places, or things that interest your whole fam-

8. Keep lots of reading materials at home, with children's books on low

9. Let your children see you reading. Talk about your books.

10. Give books as gifts so your 1. Sounds are key. Read to your children learn that books are special.

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## Library Inherits Books



Motley County Librarian, Suzanne Abbott, works through the many books the Motley County Library recently inherited.

There are 19 book cases, 1,214

volumes of books. The books are in

good shape and many are very nice

collector's editions. Hopefully, some

of these books will be processed for

donated their time, effort, and gaso-

books, load them and the book cases,

and return to Matador with them.

Ruby and D.A. McGuire, Charlie

Johnson, Patricia Green, and Kenneth

Abbott performed this hot, dusty task,

and their willingness to do this for the

Library is greatly appreciated. Rita

and Algie Groves helped in the Li-

brary along with Georgia Witcher so

that Suzanne Abbott, Librarian, could

go with the work crew. Mrs. Witcher,

her grandson Jonathan Kays, and

Matador resident, Jimmy Witt, helped

the crew unload and stow the books

in the Library. Their helpfulness is

also appreciated.

The Library gratefully accepted

check-out very soon.

The Motley County Library has inherited all of the books and book cases belonging to Amarillo attorney, Joe Harlan, Mr. Harlan passed away March 13, 1998, and the executor of his estate notified the Library in May of this inheritance. Mr. Harlan's will reads, "To the Motley County, Texas, Library at Matador, Texas, (I give, his inheritance, taking possession of devise, and bequeath) all my books the books and book cases on July 21, and book cases, in honor of my de- 1998. Five Motley County residents ceased wife, Doris Mullins."

To date, no connection between line to go to Amarillo, pack up the the Library and Mr. Harlan or his wife can be found. Joe Harlan was born in 5. Include poetry! Short verses are Oklahoma and raised in Oklahoma and New Mexico. He was a success-6. Have children read aloud to you ful trial lawyer in Amarillo for many years. His wife, Doris Mullins Harlan, passed away a few years ago. Her

> background is not known to the executor of the estate in Amarillo. If anyone knows anything about the Harlan-Mullins connection to Motley County, please call the Library.

## Drought Disaster

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ignated disaster areas by the federal government. Requests from seventy, six counties are pending.

The Governor is also concerned about the risk of fire and the ability of volunteer firefighters to do their jobs. He has written to the heads of each state agency, urging them to grant paid leave to volunteer firefighters who. respond to rural emergencies. "I encourage all agencies to support their personnel who take on this vital community service role," Bush said. "Their response to ongoing fires helps to protect the lives and property of all Texans." Approximately 40,000 volunteers serve as the primary fire fighting force for rural Texas.

Motley County is listed among the 176 Texas Counties to be requested for USDA Drought Assistance.

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## "The City"



The city under the city! A city of 6 million people - and it's underground! And of all things, it's under the city of Paris, France. It's called the City of The Dead. Without giving all of the background and history, there are the bones and skeletal remains of some 6 million people piled up in a maze of walls, entry ways, designs within the "walls" of bones all stacked and preserved in a very grotesque way.

The commentator on the television program that presented this "story" said that it was interesting that one of the largest "cities" of people in the world, larger even than the city above it, had a population of only dead residents. I wasn't even really aware that it really existed until it was pointed out in this program.

On the other hand, there is another city within a city, and it is not below the ground, and it is not made up of dead citizens. Its numbers I'm not too sure of, as far as population goes. It's not a grotesque "city" it's a beautiful one. Unless someone points it out, the average person in any other city will never know it is among him or her. It even exists among us. It's the City of God.

Living in that City is so wonderful, being a part of the citizenship that belongs to heaven and will one day inherit fully that city "with foundations, whose architect and builder is God" (Hebrews 11:10), a city prepared for all of us who live by faith (Hebrews 11:16). The church isn't the building, it's the people of God. It's a citizenry that is so blessed and special. How much better to belong to the "City of Life" made up of the eternal living ones.

## **Roaring Springs Church of Christ**

Bible Study - 10 a.m. Michael G. Crowley, Sr. Worship - 9 a.m.

# Church News



## Rev. Royce Jennings to serve as Interim Pastor for Matador First Baptist Church

Rev. Royce Jennings has recently been called by First Baptist Church, and to guide the church through an intentional interim period. Bro. Jennings is a retired minister who pastored several churches in Colorado. He and his wife, June, make their home in Littlefield, but he will through this interim period.

be in Matador every week Sunday morning through Wednesday evening. Matador, to serve as interim pastor He will also be here at other times on

> On Sunday morning, August 9, the church will vote on a Transition Team to help lead the congregation

## First Baptist Church youth return from Possum Kingdom Mission Trip

Matador, recently returned from a short mission trip to Possum Kingdom, July 17-19, where they worked along side the staff of Possum Kingdom Resort Ministries (PKRM) to minister to campers. Through their puppet ministry, the Matador youth led two children's Bible studies. They also visited and invited campers to attend three worship services and then participated in the services. A planned

Youth from First Baptist Church, work project to paint a building being constructed for use by PKRM was not possible, since the building had not yet reached that phase. There was also some left for swimming and fishing. Those attending were Brandon

> Moore, Miranda Palmer, Kaci Risser, Sherri Thomas, Kelsi Wallace, and LeAnndra Wallace. They were accompanied by Phillip Sharp and Youth

Director Amy Parker.

## Local youth attend Baptist Youth World Conference

tor Amy Parker accompanied Kaci Risser to Houston, July 22-26, to represent First Baptist Church, Matador, at the Baptist Youth World Conference. This conference, sponsored by the Baptist World Alliance, is held evaged youth, and their leaders, from church members.

Dixie Campbell and Youth Direc- around the world were present. They met daily in family groups of 25, community groups of 300, and in one large group each evening for worship. There were also workshops, cultural exchanges, and exhibits.

Kaci sang in the conference choir, ery five years around the world. This and Amy served as a Family Group is the first time in 25 years for it to be leader (with 50, rather than 25, group held in the US, and it will not be held members). The Matador group was in this country for another 25 years. sent to the conference by the local Over 7,500 high school and college- church, through donations from



Motley County Chamber of Commerce



Fourth Annual Banquet Thursday, August 6, 1998 7:00 p.m. in the School Gymnasium

Teatured Speaker: Nancy Robinson Masters



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> Door Prize: Two \$100 Bills & Two Pure Silver Dollars. Minnow must be present!

Complete Barbeque Supper: Casual or Western Attive To more information,

call President Jeff Thacker, 348-7546 or Secretary Charles Keith, 347-2283

## Pivots & Divots



**Tuesday Scramble** July 14

with a score of 31 were Alfred Barton, Louise Barton, John Jones, and Dee Litteken.

2nd, with a score of 31, Alan Bingham, Kay Bingham, Mindy Jameson and Kennith Marshall. Kennith got closest to pin on #6, 16'

Others playing were Gene Brannon, Mark Brannon, Cody Dodson, Shea Dodson, Buzz Thacker, LaVoe Thacker, Bob Stafford, Roy Grundy, Larry McClenny, Eugene McClenny and Stephen McClenny.

#### **Ladies Playday**

July 16 Barton, Vida Elkins, Geneva Wilson, and Mary Lou Williams. No ball

given. Campbell, Dorothy Day, Marihelen Wason, Nell Berryman, Judy Renfro, 1/2". and Mary Jones.

Greenie on #3.

#### Two Lady Scramble July 18

Champion Flight - Winners - 1st, with a score 67, were Lucretia Campbell, and Linda Steen.

2nd with a score of 68 were Barbara Hardin and Holly Hardin.

3rd with a score of 69 were Johnie Carlisle and Gladys Hinson.

First Flight - Winners - 1st, with a score of 74, were Kay Bingham and Shea Dodson.

2nd, with a score of 76, were Billie Bass and Jean Hoover.

3rd, with a score of 77, were Pat Batty and Ladema Thomas.

Second Flight - Winners - 1st, with a score of 80, were Darla Doss and Diane Hitt.

2nd, with a score of 82, (play-off on card), were Frances Hobbs and

Nell Berryman.

Donna Pernell and Maria Brown. Longest drive on #5 - Sharon Greg. Closest to pin on #3 - 2'7", Judy

We want to thank everyone that door prizes.

helped in any way to make this tournament a huge success. To the woman Winners: (Play-off on card) - 1st that brought breakfast food, to the good meal Virginia provided for us and to the ones that loaned us their

> We want to thank Brad Thacker and Kevin Keltz for hitting balls for us on #4. Boy! That did help.

Thanks to the maintenance crew for the course. It was in wonderful

In other words a great big thanks to everyone for everything that you

#### **Tuesday Scramble** July 21

Winners - 1st, with a score of 30, (play-off on card), Charlie Long, Jerry 18 hole players were Louise Long, James Adams and Jennifer Adams.

2nd, with a score of 30, Kennith Marshall, Robert Osborn, Geneva 9 hole players were Loys Wilson, and Roy Grundy. Kay Bingham, closest to pin on #6, 15' 4

Others playing were Rob Francis, Nell Berryman won the ball. Kay Bingham, Mindy Jameson, Van Francis, Roy Stephens, Alfred Barton, Louise Barton, Mark Brannon, Gene Brannon, Dot Grundy, and Douglas Campbell.

#### Ladies Playday July 23

18 hole players were Louise Barton, LaVoe Thacker, Geneva Wilson, and Mary Lou Williams.

LaVoe won low net, 74. 9 hole players were Marihelen Wason, Judy Renfro, Mary Jones, and Nell Berryman. We will have to check on handicaps to find out about the winner of the ball. Hope to have it in next week's paper.

## 2-Lady Partnership Tournament

July 24 A 2-Lady Partnership Tournament was held Friday, July 24 at Lorenzo. Entries from Roaring Springs Ranch Club, partners - LaVoe Thacker and Vida Elkins; Louise Barton and low the schedule to insure proper reg-3rd, with a score of 82, were Geneva Wilson. We didn't win any- istration. thing in our flights but had a wonderful time. We always enjoy playing at should bring all transcripts and other Lorenzo. Vida won closest to pin on school related papers to the proper 4, 4' 2". We are proud of her. All won times of registration. New elementary

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## SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST



The school bells will ring for the 1998-99 school year Motley County ISD August 13. School supply lists were furnished by the teachers and given to the Motley County Tribune for publication this week. Supplies are listed below.

Pre-K: Large Elmer's School Glue Stick, Blunt-end Fiskars Scissors; 2 boxes tissues; 2 paper towels; Watercolor set; Watercolor washable markers (8); 2 - #2 pencils; large beach towel; back pack/school bag.

Kindergarten: Small Box Colors (8); Water Color set; Glue (large bottle); 1 pkg. Manila Drawing Paper; Blunt Scissors; 2-#2 Regular Size Pencils; 1 pink eraser; 2 boxes Kleenex; 1 School Box; School Bag (optional). Please put name on all

First Grade: 2 boxes Kleenex tissues; 1 set watercolors; 1 pair blunt scissors; 1 bottle school glue or 2 glue sticks; 18-box crayons; 1 pink eraser; 2-#2 pencils.

High School

Registration

Motley County High School stu-

All 9-12 grade students will reg-

dents will register for fall classes on

August 10

the following day and times:

ister on Monday, August 10 at:

1:00 - 2:00 p.m. - Freshmen

register on Tuesday, August 11 at:

1:00 - 2:00 p.m. - 7th Grade

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. - 8th Grade.

It is imperative that students fol-

Any student new to the district

students may register any time during the week of August 10-12 in Mrs.

Ladybug's Transportation, Dorothy

Lee, Michael Lee, Kennith Marshall, Wilburn Martin, Trula Martin, Mata-

dor Lions Club, Matador Motor, Motley County Tribune, Stan McDonough, D.A. McGuire, Ronda

Miller, Terry Miller, Billie Beth

Moore, Haden Moore, Frances Morris, Ned Morris, Bill Moss, June

Moss, Motley County 4-H, Mott Creek Ranch, Ruby Myles, New To

You, Pease River Ranch, Linda Perryman, Marisue Potts, Charles Price, Laverna Price, Marilyn Rattan, David Rattan, Butch Renfro, Judy

Renfro, Howard Rogers, Rolling Plains PCA, Roaring Springs Ranch

Club, Tom Sanders, Cora Smallwood,

Smallwood, Joyce Smith, James

Stanley, Margaret Stanley, Bettye

Stevens, John V. Stevens, Steve Stevens, Viola Stinson, Lula Swim,

Tempie Hutton, Jeff Thacker, Pam Thacker, Buzz Thacker, John Thacker,

Jana Thacker, LaVoe Thacker,

Thacker Jewelry, Turner Farms, Ronald Vandiver, Beverly Vinson,

Furman Vinson, Marihelen Wason,

Don Wason, June Wason, Kathleen Wason, Mark Wason, Vada Watt, Pat

Williams, Mary Lou Williams, Glenn Woodruff, West Texas Utilities.

gious list and you want to be included as a support of this fine County, con-

tact any chamber member for an ap-

plication, or you may call Jeff Thacker at 348-7546 or Charles Keith at 347-

2283. Memberships for businesses

begin at only \$25 per year and individual memberships begin at only \$10

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per year.

If your name is not on this presti-

Thanie Smallwood,

Johnson's office.

Chamber

Membership

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2:00 - 3:30 p.m. - Sophomore

6:30 - 8:30 p.m. - Juniors & Se-

All 7th & 8th grade students will

School Box.

Crayons; 1 pair pointed scissors; 1 Kleenex; 1 small school box; 2 pkg. Paper; 2 blue or black Ink pens. wide line notebook paper (200 sheets); 1 pkg. colored construction Map Colors; Highlighters; Pencils; paper; 3 folders with pockets and fasteners; 1-2" binder (no Trapper Keepers); 1 red pen; 1 spiral notebook.

Fourth Grade: Big 3" ringbinder notebook (no Trapper Keeper); 2 pkg. of dividers for binder; 3 pkg. of notebook paper - Wide Rule; Ruler (inches and centimeters); #2 lead pencils; Crayons - 24 count; Scissors; Glue; 2-Glue-Sticks; Map Colors; 2-Kleenex (500 count); 1 pkg. Manila Paper (9x12); 2 folders with pockets.

Fifth Grade: Big 3" Ring Binder Notebook (no Trapper Keeper); 2 pkg.

Second Grade: School Bag; Spi- of dividers for binder; 2 pkg. of note- pencils; Crayons; Markers (optional); ral Notebook; Glue; Scissors; Cray- book paper - wide rule; Ruler (inch/ ons; 24 or more Watercolors; two #2 centimeter); #2 lead pencils; Crayons, books; Folders - 7 (different colors); pencils; 2 erasers, assorted construc- 24 count; Scissors; Glue; 2-Glue Index Cards 5"x8" (ruled) 1 package; tion paper; School Bag; Kleenex, Sticks; Map Colors (optional); 2- Trapper Keeper or Binder (optional). Kleenex (500 count); Manila Paper; Third Grade: 2-#2 pencils; 1 box Red Pen; Spiral Notebook; Watercol- notebook; pencil; blue or black pen; ors; Pink Eraser; Highlighter, yellow red or green pen; notebook paper or pink eraser; 1 bottle glue; 2 boxes or pink; 1 pkg. Assorted Construction spiral notebook for taking notes.

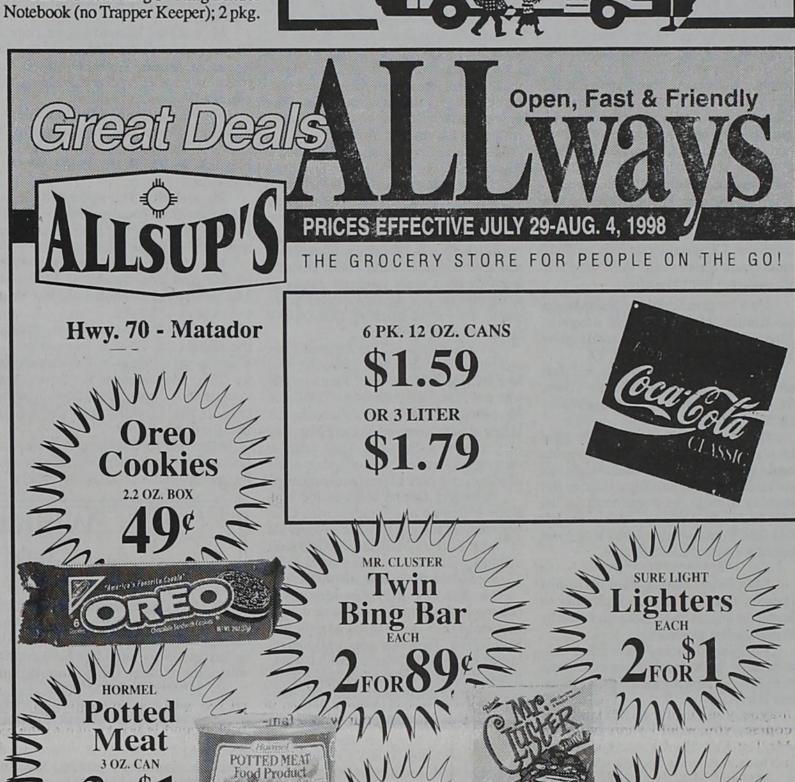
> Sixth Grade: Notebook paper; pens; Kleenex; Red Grading Pens or

Glue Sticks; Scissors; Spiral Note-

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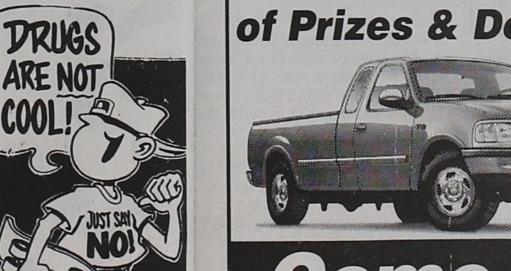
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## News around the County

## **Roaring Springs News**

by Odessa Mullins & Rita Groves

ZABIELSKI REUNION

Saturday, July 25, 1998 was the day for a reunion of the family of Ray and Grace Tilson Zabielski. Families began arriving Wednesday, and by Saturday all were at the Zabielski home in Roaring

Ray's brother Chester Zabielski and wife came from Florida, and were fascinated by the beauty of our area. They were taken on a tour of the Whiteflat community where Grace grew up and graduated from grade school. The cemetery was visited, also the historical marker that was placed for the Whiteflat Post Office which was, during its existence, located in the General Store. They visited East Mound Cemetery at Matador. Chester enjoyed reading the history of Grace's grandfather W.R. Tilson's life in the developing area. (You can also enjoy this interesting story in Eleanor Traweek's "Of Such As These", a history of Motley County. Grace's sister, Eugenia Bethard, joined some of the family festivities. Others were sons, daughters, and friends of the Zabielski's.

Son Rayworth Zabielski and his daughter Kelly came from Naperville, IL; daughter Laverne Vogt and husband Larry with their sons, D.J. and Johnny brought friends Mary and Bo respectively from Lexington, KY; son Lamar and wife Moey with their sons Zachary and Eli arrived from Longmont, CO; son Julian Zabielski from Jacksboro; and daughter Bunni and husband, Jamie Zielinger and their children Zachary and Brooke were from Longview, TX; daughter Beverly and husband Louis Shorter and their daughter Megan came from Mansfield.

Now for grandchildren: granddaughter Jennifer McCoy brought daughter, Allison McCoy, the great-granddaughter of Ray and Grace from Boyd, TX.

Lamar and his wife, Brenda, and their son, Dan, came, and also Thomas Tilson, from Matdor. Local resident Don Wittler visited the family.

By Monday morning, all were gone by plane, van, or car, and the Zabielskis could get back to their routine. Grace can start baking her famous sugar cookies and stashing them in the deep freeze for the next onslaught. Only one cookie was left this time even though a batch a day was baked for weeks ahead of time.

Lula Swim, accompanied by Juanita Harmon Cooper, drove to McKinney to attend the annual Swim Reunion at nearby Princeton last weekend.

Becky and Jack Jewkes and their children Billy, Matt and Melissa of LaPorte have been visiting her mother Pearl Patten and Harry.

Harriet Marshall is in Oklahoma City for further Chemotherapy treatments. We wish you well, Harriet, and hope to see you back in Roaring Springs soon.

Mr. and Mrs. James McBride of Terrell, OK were guests of Cleo Watson when they were here to attend the funeral of his mother's sister, Ruby Holcomb.

Lori Crupe came recently to visit her grandmother, Cleo Watson, and treated her to a vacation trip to Austin to visit her son Larry, who accompanied them on tours of the State Capitol, the Governor's Mansion, and the Lyndon Baines Johnson Library. Larry went on with them to San Antonio where they enjoyed touring the River Walk, Alamo, and other interesting sites They were gone from Wednesday

Ruby Hipp was in Lubbock last week to be with her son Charles who underwent treatment for a heart problem. He is doing well following angioplasty.
Rev. Monte Wike and wife Noma

have returned from a vacation trip to North Freeman of Carlsbad, N.M.

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ship yet built. At each of the ports, except

Cannes which was a substitution for

toured the historical and religious sites,

Carolina where they enjoyed pursuing their genealogical research. They were accompanied by their granddaughter Brittanie of Gilmer, TX.

Melvin Renfro stopped by to see his aunt and uncle, Rita and Algie Groves on his return to Carrollton from a business trip to Plainview where he grew up and graduated from high school. Melvin's mother, Madge Nichols Renfro, makes her with him in Carrollton.

Ossie Lee Brown reports that the fund for getting a building ready for a worship center for the Mt. Zion Baptist Church is growing. The membership wants all those persons, who have in any way shown their concern, to know how very much their gifts, prayers, and words of encouragement are appreciated.

Mrs. Sam Kennedy was in Farris, OK last week to visit her daughter Mariann Cannon and children Justin, Roger, and Angela. Together they went on to Pelkie, Michigan where they were guests of Mrs. Midland. Kennedy's son, Dean Kennedy and his wife, Barbara. While there they swam in Lake Superior and went canoeing down the Sturgeon River. Mrs. Kennedy arrived home Thursday of last week and is of the you last Wednesday night. opinion that "paddling your own canoe: isn't what it's cracked up to be.

Michelle Smith visited her mother, Joyce Smith, during Shannon Davidson day. Also visiting with Michelle and Joyce were Kathy Clem Weeks, Roma Redd Johle, Wileta Palmer Burkes, Susan Payne Jameson, and Judy Payne Woolsey.

Michelle and Don Smith from Plano, and their daughter, Julie Smith DiPaolo from Houston were weekend guests of their mother and grandmother, Joyce Smith. They were attending Don Smith's family reunion in Slaton.

Recent visitors of Lula Swim and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim were cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCallom of Farmersville, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alderson of Pristeon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wheller of Plano, Emma Harris of Cleaburn, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCulley of Richardson. They came in their camper trailers and hooked up at the community grounds for a family reunion.

Attending funeral services for Mrs. Ruby Holcomb and visiting with Cleo Watson were Mr. and Mrs. James McBride of Plainview. Mrs. McBride and Cleo went to nursing school and worked together for 15 years in the Plainview hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Martin visited recently in Amarillo with their daughters and families, Frances Martin and Billie Gates. Their two grandchildren returned home with them to spend a week, Brandon Martin and Andrea Gates. They accompanied them back to Amarillo Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGee and Audie of Lake Sommerville have been visiting her mother, Venita Sedgwick and insulating and installing storm windows on the upstairs part of her home. Also visiting is Mrs. Sedgwick's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cook of Emenice, MO.

Tara Parker of Boyd is visiting her grandmother, Pearl Patten and helping with Kid's Camp. Sunday they drove to Quitaque and visited Mr. and Mrs. Benny Reagan and Bryce.

While visiting her mother, Pearl Patten, Mrs. Becky Jewkes and family also visited with Becky's grandmother, Vera Mitchell. Other visitors of Mrs. Mitchell's were granddaughter, Mrs. Veda Lou Kopeky of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Waybourn Mitchell of Paducah, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burkes of Afton.

Monday visitors of Dorothy Lee was a cousin of her late husband Wylie, Freddy Lee, of Seagraves and a friend Kenneth

#### **Flomot News**

by Earlyne Jameson

**FAREWELL PARTY** 

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter gave a farewell party, Sunday afternoon in their home for the Rev. Jess and Donna Little, Morgan and Lauren of Silverton. The fam-Rev. Little will be the minister at the First Baptist Church. Refreshments of cake, ice cream and punch were served.

Those attending were Donna's mother, Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador; Jones. They attended to business in Charles and Sue Tanner of Tulia; Mrs. Tina Carson and son, Walker of Turkey; Mrs. Christi Milam of Petersburg; Mrs. Joely Beam and daughter, Jaciee of Springlake-Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thursday night. Johnson of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited last Sunday in Lockney with sister and husband, Wanda and Bob Lane and their weekend houseguest, son, Glen Lane of

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, Donnie Rogers and daughters, Natalie and Brooke Rogers of Athens, Georgia enjoyed the Pritch with his performance of TEXAS at Palo Duro Canand Michael.

medical treatment. They visited in attending a coaching school. Floydada with Mrs. Mollie Burleson before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Kendall visited in Midland from Tuesday until Friday with son and wife, Cory and Janet Kendall and new baby daughter, Chancey Rae.

Mrs. Leona Degan, son and wife, Morris and Lou Degan of Medicine

to Las Vegas, Nevada. Mr. and Mrs Wayne Hunter attended the Lighthouse Electric summer picnic Thursday night held at the Floydada Country Club. They attended the funeral services of Jim Stroup, Saturday afternoon cluded families of Ben and Riley Turner

Mrs. Edith Washington was in Raymond Martin of Lockney, who was of Matador, Flomot and Waco.

hospitalized following a stroke. Mr. Martin was transferred to St. Mary Hospital in Lubbock where he is having therapy

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris attended ily is moving to Moscow, Idaho where the Idalou Motor sports Saturday night in Idalou and enjoyed the car races.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson visited in Paducah, Sunday with Viola's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Plainview, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited in Lubbock, Thursday with Mrs. Sunni Parsons. Mr. Martin attended the Chamber of Commerce meeting in Matador

Mr. and Mrs. Von Kleibrink of Clifton, returning home from a vacation in Colorado, visited overnight Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay. They accompanied home, Tuesday, son, Kyler Kleibrink, who visited the past two weeks with his grandparents.

Warren Davis visited the weekend in Fritch with his family, Mrs. Jackie Davis

Mrs. Christi Milam of Petersburg vis-Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson ited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, were in Lockney last Friday for Viola a Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter. Mr. Milam was

TURNER FAMILY REUNION

The descendants of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Turner held their bi-annual family reunion, Sunday, July 26, at the Community Center in Flomot. They enjoyed a bountiful lunch and visiting.

During the business meeting with Ri-Mound enjoyed a vacation trip last week chard Turner of Matador presiding, they voted to have an annual rather than bi-annual family reunion. Mrs. Frances Hambright of Floydada, secretary and treasurer, gave a financial report.

held at the First Baptist Church in and Bonnie Grimlin of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Red Brown of Amarillo; R.G. Morris of Petersburg; Bob Hambright of Lockney during the week with her brother, Floydada and the Turner family members

## Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

Country singers and others should listen carefully to Frank Sinatra's music for his enunciation and interpretation. You can understand every word. We have no idea what some of today's singers are saying!

Joe and Loys Campbell of Matador were supper guests last Thursday night of Mrs. Juanita Cooper and houseguest, granddaughter, Kourtney Dunnam of Amarillo. Kourtney's parents, Kay and Ken Dunnam visited in the Cooper home last Friday and Saturday and accompanied

Art Green of Flomot accompanied Mrs. Katheryn Martin to Lubbock, July 17 and again July 23 where they met her daughter, Mrs. Carol Gilbreth of Sundown. Her son, Hal Martin of Matador accompanied her to Lubbock, July 27. Mrs. Martin had check-ups and treatments following recent foot surgery. During these trips, they visited Katheryn's mother, Mrs. Josie Martin of Roaring Springs, who is having rehabilitation at St. Mary's Hospital, following two knee replacement sur-

Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, son, Cobey and friend, Ryan Martin of Matador were in Stephenville from Tuesday until Friday, July 21-24 for Cobey's and Ryan's orientation at John Tarleton University. Mr. Turner also attended to busi-

Mrs. T.W. Jennings was conveyed by ambulance to Lockney, Friday, July 17 for

emergency medical treatment. Guests this weekend in their home were Tim and Donnice Jennings of Haskell and Mrs. Leslie Brack, Mitchell, Conner and Peyton of Tyler. The Jennings have had over two inches of ran within the last ten days. No one else in Whiteflat has received any

Miss Lula Swim of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Juanita Cooper were in McKinney from Saturday until Monday to attend the Swim-Alderson family reunion held in the home of Bob and Wilma

Mrs. Lula Crammer of Arlington, who was at her rural home here, visited in Plainview last weekend with Mrs. Doris Meriwether and in Lockney with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane. En route home, Thursday she visited overnight in Vernon with her aunt, Mrs. Maxine Walser.

Luther and Edna Ruth Green of Matador visited Mrs. Katheryn Martin Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Green visited in Whiteface, Monday, July 27 with daughter, Virginia Green. She accompanied them to Lubbock, Tuesday for Mr. Green a medical appointment. Visiting Saturday with Mr. and Mrs.

Johnney Turner were Mrs. Cindy Parks and children of Chapel Hill, North Carolina and Joe Luckenbach of Silverton. They enjoyed amusements at Roaring Springs Ranch.

## **Obituaries**

## Robert Wayne Jackson

Robert Wayne Jackson, 73, of Ama- firefighter with the Amarillo Fire Departrillo, died Friday, July 17, 1998.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, July 20, at Rector Funeral Home Chapel, 2800 S. Osage St., with Loran Harper and Jerry Klein of Comanche Trail Iraan. Church of Christ officiating. Cremation followed the service.

He was raised in Roaring Springs and attended school there.

Mr. Jackson was born in Texico, N.M. During World War II he served with the Navy aboard the USS Wasp Aircraft Carrier. He moved from Iraan to Amarillo 44 and Gafford Jackson of Phoenix; five years ago. For 31 years he served as a grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

ment, retiring as captain in 1985. He was a member of Comanche Trail Church of

He married Margaret Cox in 1948 in

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Shirley Cameron of Amarillo and Cheryl Nightengale of Frisco; a son, Danny Jackson of Amarillo; his mother, Virginia Jackson of Amarillo; a sister, Madge Schnur of Black River Falls, Wis.; two brothers, Emmett Jackson of Amarillo

#### Codi Williams

Services for Codi Williams, 21, of Lubbock, are pending with Seigler Funeral Home in Matador.

Mr. Williams died Tuesday, July 28,

A complete obituary will be printed



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#### on to Naples where they rejoined the cruise. They then sailed on to Venice, Ath-THE MEDITERRANEAN ens, Kusadasi & Ephesus, Turkey, and Charles and Joan Keith recently reended their tours at Istanbul. As soon as turned from sailing through the Mediterthe film is developed, they will be putting ranean and Adriatic Oceans aboard the together a slide presentation so they can brand new Grand Princess, which holds share the highlights of their trip with fam-2600 passengers and is the largest cruise

And as usual, they were most happy to be back home in West Texas, where

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* The cruise began in Barcelona, Spain, continued on to Cannes, France, and then on to Livorno, Italy, where they boarded a bus for land tours to Pisa, Florence, and

Matador News

Monte Carlo because of weather, they they are not constantly on guard against pickpockets and where the air is clean and and learned and saw so much history in Weekend guests in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. J.E. Edwards were Mr. and Mrs.

Tom Edwards, Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs.

James Lane, Chris and Kristin, Lubbock. Rome (staying overnight), and continued

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# TO THE **EDITOR**

Dear Publisher,

We are having an 80th Birthday party for Ruth Smith, a longtime resident of Flomot, and we would like to invite all her friends and relatives to attend if they so desire.

Ruth moved from Flomot in mid 70's to work for Texas Instruments in Lubbock. She retired from there in 1979 after the illness of her sister Eula Whitaker of Spur. She moved to Fritch in 1980 to be close to her two sons, Bob and Jim Tom.

The party will be on August 8, 1998 from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. at the Fritch Library, 205 N. Cornell, Fritch,

If you would like to send a card the address is Box 1492, Fritch, Texas 79036. Bob's phone number is 806-857-2202. We would be happy to see anyone who would like to come and we know she will also.

Please print this announcement in the paper to be printed on July 30, 1998. Thank you for your help in getting this message out to all Ruth's friends and family.

> Yours truly, Connie Smith



Glider Contest for the Kids Balloons for the Kids You are cordially invited to the future site of the

Childress District Offices of the Texas Department of Transportation. The groundbreaking ceremony will take place August 5, 1998 at 10:00 a.m. The ceremony will be held at the site, located 1 3/4 miles west of Childress near the

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## MC FFA members attend State Convention



Motley County FFA members, Robert Gillespie, Benjamin Ridgley, Todd Thomas, Rachelle Renfro, and Brooke Decker at the State FFA Convention in Ft. Worth.

FFA Chapter attended the 70th Texas FFA Convention held July 14-17 at the Ft. Worth - Tarrant County Convention Center in Ft. Worth. The Convention started Tuesday evening with a vesper program presented by the state officer team. The program this year stressed the importance of God and family in the face of all adversity.

Bringing greetings at the opening session Wednesday morning was The Honorable George W. Bush, Governor of Texas. Keynote speaker for the convention was Guy Rice Doud, a former National Teacher of the Year. During the business session of the convention, members voted on two

state FFA constitutional amendments. The first amendment was to assess Jr. FFA members state dues, and the second amendment was to include the state president as a voting member of Gillespie, Todd Thomas, Ben Ridgley, amendments passed.

In a special session over 1200 Jim Cooper and wife, Judy.

Members of the Motley County Lone Star Degrees were conferred upon FFA members. The Lone Star. Degree is the highest degree awarded at the state level. Robert Gillespie, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gillespie, received this award, which is given to those members who excel in leadership, citizenship and SAEP projects.

> One of the highlights of the convention was an appearance by the Nashville-based Country recording group, Ricochet. The former FFA members sang the National Anthem and gave

words of encouragement to over 7,000 FFA members and guests. Rounding out the convention was the election of the new State FFA President, Brandon Hill of Arlington-Martin High

Those attending the convention from Motley County were Robert the Texas FFA Advisory Board. Both Rachelle Renfro, and Brooke Decker. They were accompanied by advisor

At the same time the youth were

went home with their 7th Memorial

Belt Buckle. Frank and Steve have at-

tended all of the 14 memorial washer

Cattle Company of Hereford, fur-

nished the cattle for the Saturday and

Springs, a yearly competitor, took

home the Wayne Dollar Spurs as high

recipient for Clarendon Ranch &

Elaine Jackson and the youngest of

He was charter Star Farmer and won

and has purchased a few cattle to be-

ciated those who came as spectators

or competitors to help make this

As always the Burleson's appre-

John Bleikner was assisted by two

young people from the audience in

drawing the names of 38 lucky win-

ners of attendance prizes. Kaitlyn

Cash, 7, of Dumont and Cole Clark,

5, of Spur drew the name of Doug

Smith of Girard as the winner of the

grand prize which was a choice of one

of six major appliances. Congratula-

tions to the Smiths on their selection

bents, Preston Givens of the Spur area,

Steve Cochran of the Peacock area

and Mike Smith of the Afton area, were re-elected to three year terms.

Prior to adjournment, President Ned Ward announced that incum-

of a dishwasher/microwave combina-

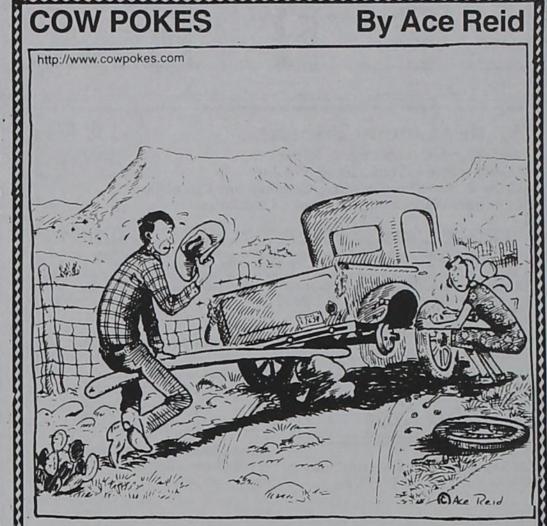
Carl and Jonnie Alford, Circle A

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The Sunday, July 19, 1998 Pasture Roping at Burleson Arena, brought teamropers and spectators Washer Pitchers were busy vying for together for competition and enter- the 1998 Championship under the hay tainment. Ninety-eight team ropers sped into the open pasture in pursuit of their steers for a combination of the fastest time. Scott Stone, Plainview, and Mickey Beshires, Floydada, had the fastest time for the day, taking home the prize, spurs made by Wayne Dollar, of Hereford.

The 14th Annual Burleson Memorial began Saturday morning, July 18 Sunday Team Ropings. for three divisions in the youth horse events. These young people slowly but surely finished their competition four events, flags, poles, potato and money winner of the Saturday team

Winners for the day in the Pee Wee divisions in Pole Race were: School graduate from Afton, was the Kaitlyn Cash, Tee Bateman, Klay 1998 Dusty Burleson Scholarship Brock, Caycee Jones.

Potato Race: Tee Bateman, Brazos Feedlot course at Clarendon Junior Williams, Kaly Brock, Karleigh College. Cole is the son of Ike and

Flag Race: Tee Bateman, Kaitlyn three children. Cole was active in FFA Cash, Klay Brock, Caycee Jones, and 4-H during his high school years. Karleigh Porterfield.

Winners in the Junior Division in the Spur Fair project for four years in the Pole were: Kelsi Gardner, Erin a row. He plans a future in Ranching Baker, Kwail Brock, Tye Jones.

Flag Race: Cody Ware, Kelsi gin his herd. Gardner, Andrew Bateman, Lee Fortenberry, Kara Cash, Clay Ware.

Barrel Race: Lee Fortenberry, Kara Cash, Clay Ware, Erin Baker, scholarship possible. Cody Ware, Kwail Brock.

Winners in the Senior Division in the Pole Race were: Dixie Bell, Tarran Forbes, Drew Baker, Tyler Phillips.

Potato Race: Tarran Forbes, Dixie Bell, Tyler Phillips, Bristi Gardner, Drew Baker, Tyler Phillips.

Barrel Race: Dixie Bell, Tarran Forbes, Drew Baker, Tyler Phillips, Bristi Gardner.

Tee Bateman of Spur won the buckle for the high point youth.

#### competing in the Burleson Arena, the Dickens Electric holds 58th annual meeting barn. Steve Nall and Frank Hollenbaugh, both from Amarillo,

Fortunately, the weather was mild financial report. compared to the extremely hot temperatures experienced recently as a crowd gathered on July 16th for the 58th Annual Meeting of Dickens Electric Cooperative. Those who turned out for the meeting were entertained with music, barbecue and information about their cooperative and even a chance to win a door prize.

Approximately 560 members and guests enjoyed music provided by the 3M Band from Motley County. 215 registered members, their families and guests enjoyed a barbecue catered by Johnny's Barbecue of Odessa, Texas.

President Ned Ward called the meeting to order and after introducing special guests gave the president's

Barbee Word of Bolinger,

General Manager Ron Golden discussed changes in the electric utility business with the possibility of deregulation. Large power marketing companies can and will offer lower rates, cash and prizes to get select customers to switch to their compa-

Administrative Assistant John Bleiker introduced Jason Lackey of Aspermont, who attended the Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. Jason gave a report on the tour of the Nation's Capital, calling it a "trip of a lifetime."

As a part of the youth presentation, Marketing - Public Relations representative Jennice Cargile gave a report on other youth activities that the cooperative is involved in, includ-Segards, Gilbert 7 Moss presented the ing the electric camp.

## A note of thanks

We would like to thank the Matador Volunteer Fire Department for their quick response and extinguishing our grass fire at Northfield.

Billy Paul and Betty Simpson

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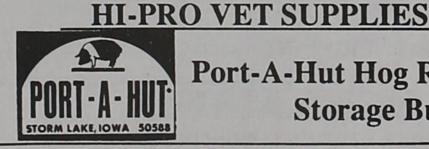
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## Matador American Legion Post Conducts Summer Meeting

by Charles Keith

tion.

The American Post 337 held a meeting on Monday night, July 27, at the Senior Citizens Center with 11 members and 7 guests present.

Commander Jerry Green called the meeting to order with Charley Johnson giving the invocation and Adjutant Charles Keith leading the Pledge of Allegiance. The group then enjoyed a wonderful covered dish meal prepared by the ladies present.

After the meal, Dayton Grundy made a presentation on his trip to Boys State this June as a representative of Motley County. Dayton was sponsored by Post 337 to Boy's State. His presentation was very interesting and he answered many questions from those present.

A short business meeting was then conducted where several future projects were discussed. The next meeting will be on Monday night, September 28,1998.

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Matthew 7: 1-2

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This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Gary Mizer, Area Engineer, Munday, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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dor, Texas 79244 until 4:00 p.m. August 28, 2. Each proposal received shall be in a sealed envelope plainly marked PROPERTY INSURANCE and GEN-

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who are the subject of the suit: NAME: Ruby Lynn Haney BIRTHPLACE: Dalhart, Texas BIRTH DATE: 8/14/92

NAME: Verne Haney Jr. BIRTHPLACE: Lockney, Texas **BIRTH DATE: 8/4/93** 

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree in the children's interest which will be binding upon you, including the modification of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity, and the appointment of a conservator.

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4. Motley County ISD will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

5. For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX and Section 504 Coordinator, Robert Hand, P.O. Box 310, Matador, (806) 347-2676.

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1. Motley County ISD ofrece programas vocacionales en Agricultura Ciencia y Casa Economico, Microordenador aplicacion y Contabilidad. La admision a estos programas se basa en interes, y aptitud.

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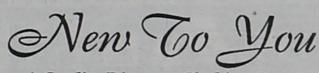
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