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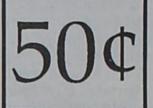


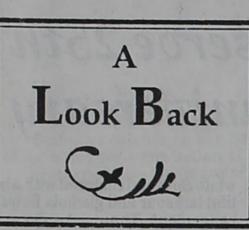
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Motley County Designated In Medical Shortage Area

"The South Plains Association of Government has been notified by the Regional Health Service that Borden, Crosby, Garza and Motley Counties have been designated as critical medical shortage areas. In addition Borden and Motley Counties are designated critical dental shortage areas."

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Dog Show Scheduled

"First dog shows to be held in the county will be at 2 pm. Saturday, June 28, according to an announcement by Mrs. Allen Bosh, 4-H Dog Class

The show will be held at the FFA Building on the old grade school cam-

JUNE 19, 1975

Annual 4-H Summer Camp To Get Underway

"4-H Members, Parents, and Leaders from Motley, Dickens and Kent Counties will hold their annual summer camp at Roaring Springs pool on Monday and Tuesday, June 23-24, it was announced this week by County Agent Bill Pallmeyer.

A gun safety and marksmanship demonstration will be presented Monday afternoon."

Around Town

News Briefs of Area Events

Foreign Missionary to speak at Assembly of **God Church**

Larryon and Aida Truman, Missionaries to Nicaragua will be ministering on Wednesday evening, June 23 at 6:30 p.m. at the First Assembly of God Church in Matador. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Larryon and his family are first term missionaries and will be leaving for Nicaragua to begin their min-istry as soon as they have raised their financial support. An offering will be received and will go in its entirely to support the Truman ministry.

Come and hear God's word, be challenged and encouraged. For further information contact Pastor Rex Kreusel, (806) 347-2771.

Commissioners adopt right-of-way agreement with TxDOT

ers Court met in regular session Monday, June 14, 1999 at 9:30 a.m. Present were County Judge Laverna M. Price; Commissioners, John M. Jameson, J.N. Fletcher; and County Clerk Lucretia Campbell.

Invocation was by Commissioner Fletcher.

Minutes of the May 13, 1999 regular session were approved as read. Reports of the Treasurer, Tax Assessor/Collector, Justice of the Peace, viewed and approved.

Douglas Campbell, Texas Deproblems caused by the heavy rain- accepted by the Court. fall this past week.

Rodney Murray, Texas Department of Transportation Right-Of-Way Agent, presented an Agreement to Contribute Funds. This is an agreement between the State of Texas and the County of Motley acting by and through its duly authorized officials under Commissioners Court Order dated the 14th day of June, 1999, and unanimously passed. The State has previously requested the County to enter into a contractual agreement

The Motley County Commission- and acquire right-of-way for a highway project on FM97 with the following projects limits: From: Floyd County Line, to: SH70. The County has previously requested that the Russell, Donnie L. Turner, Franklin State assume responsibility for acquisition of all necessary right-of-way for the highway project. The County of Motley desires to voluntarily contribute to the State funds equal to ten (10) percent of the cost of right-ofway for the proper development and construction of the State Highway System. A check in the amount of County Agent, Library, and Texas \$60.00 payable to Texas Department Animal Damage Control were re- of Transportation was issued June

Bids on the Precinct #2 loader partment of Transportation Roadway were opened at 11:00 a.m. The bid of Maintenance Supervisor, discussed \$3,455.00 from Mr. Bud Barton was

> The court discussed maintenance of county roads and use of county equipment. No action was

Judge Price gave a report on the courthouse repairs. The offices on the first floor are being repaired and painted. When work is being done in an office, this could cause a temporary inconvenience for the public. The work should be completed within a few days.

Court adjourned at 1:35 p.m.



MOTLEY COUNTY BEAUTY - The waterfall at the Roaring Springs Ranch flows over the aged rocks and wild fern. The Roaring Springs waterfall is just one of the beautiful sights Motley County residents are fortunate to have.

Matador City Council meets City banking among topics

The Matador City Council met June 10 at 7:30 a.m. Mayor Gary Lancaster; Council members, Rodney Williams, Don Warren, James Meador, Shane Jones, and

the invocation. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Lancaster.

Paducah. The possibility of transferring city funds to the local bank have been discussed. It would cost the city Shane Jones, will discuss this further

Council discussed sewer lines for

part of the southwest part of town. There are about forty residents in this part of town who do not have access to sewer. The city will discuss James Meador, Shane Jones, and Doyle Rose; City Secretary Seven Alexander and City Water Manager, Steve Barton were present at the bility of Matador obtaining a grant for sewer lines to some of this part of This location will affect ten

A Retired Employee ordinance

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved. Bills were paid.

First State Bank president, Roy Hobbs, attended to the meeting to discuss depository for the City. The City currently banks at a bank in Paducah. The possibility of transfer.

A Retired Employee ordinance was discussed, but was tabled until a later meeting.

City Water Manager, Steve Barton, discussed the repairs needed to the tractor for the City mower. David Garrison with John David Carrison with John Deer in Memphis was at the meeting and told the Council about a lease-purchase agreement that John approximately \$4,000 to transfer to Matador. This topic was tabled until a later meeting. Councilwoman, That afternoon to be tried out. Councilwoman, cil will decide on this at a later meet-

Meeting adjourned.

Comptroller Rylander delivers \$184 million in June Sales Tax Rebates

Carole Keeton Rylander delivered and reported to the Comptroller's Friday, June 11, a total of \$184 mil- office in May. lion in monthly sales tax payments to 1,097 Texas cities and 118 counties. ler Rylander delivered included June sales tax rebates are down \$169.4 million to Texas cities. Thus far slightly compared to June, 1998. in 1999, rebates to cities are 7.7 per-However, total payments to cities and cent higher than for the same period counties for January - June, 1999 are in 1998. running 7.1 percent ahead of the same period last year.

(Austin) -- Texas Comptroller local sales taxes collected in April

The sales tax rebates Comptrol-

Texas counties received June sales tax rebates of \$14.5 million. "The Texas economy continues Year-to-date rebates to counties are to grow at a steady pace," Comptrol-ler Rylander said. "Sales tax collection other \$5.7 million went to 42 special tions show that consumer confidence purpose districts around the state. Texas' six mass transit authorities June sales tax rebates include and two city transit departments re-

ceived sales tax allocations totaling \$221 million.

Matador received a net payment this period of \$1,294.68, compared to \$1,564.17 last year, a -17.22% change. 1999 payments to date for Matador are \$12,289.24, compared to \$12,065.17 last year, a 1.85% change.

Roaring Springs received \$773.69, compared to \$794.02 last year, a -2.56% change. 1999 payments to date for Roaring Springs are \$5,961.90, compared to \$7.442.76 for last year, a -19.89% change.

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation is scheduled for Friday,

Roaring Springs native named A&M Chancellor

star Army general, Roaring Springs native and University of Texas pro-

27, the A&M System board of regents candidates for the position. named Graves as the sole finalist for the chancellor's job, replacing outgo-

Howard Graves, a retired three-ing Chancellor Barry Thompson, who r Army general, Roaring Springs has been in the position since 1994. Thompson will step down August 31.

search for a replacement for Thomp-In a meeting held Thursday, May son. They considered more than 80

> Regent Robert Allen said Graves leadership experience made him the best of the candidates who were considered. The regents will hold a special meeting some time later this month to formally hire Graves. The panel has to wait 21 days before taking official action.

The 59-year-old Graves is a re-tions. tired three-star Army general and University of Texas professor. He is a 1957 graduate of Amarillo High School and a 1961 graduate of the U.S. port. Military Academy at West Point. A Rick Copp gave the Rhodes Scholar, he earned under- Superintendent's Formative report. Military Academy at West Point. A graduate and graduate degrees from Oxford University in England.

From 1989 to 1991, Graves served sonnel and exited at 9:15 p.m. as assistant to the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and worked for Admiral William Crowe and General superintendent of the U.S. Military Academy and as a commandant of service contracts with Region 17 Ser-scores for grades 3 through 10. the U.S. Army War College.

Motley County School Board meets fessor, is poised to become the next chancellor of the Texas A&M Univer- Graves comes after a nine-month Basketball Coach, Maintenance hired

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met June 14 at 7:30 p.m. in their regular monthly board meeting. All board members were present. Also present were Superintendent Science Rick Copp, Principal Bob Hand, Bettye Stevens, and Athletic Direc- Schools tor Ronny Payne.

Danny Copeland attended open forum to discuss employment op-

The following informational re- port

ports were given: Bob Hand gave the campus re-

The Board entered executive session at 8:00 p.m. to discuss per-

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Expenditures were approved and Colin Powell. Graves also served as financial statements were reviewed. Board approved the following

vice Center:

- Bilingual/ESL Services

— Purchasing — Title I, EASE - Title II, Eisenhower Math and

Title IV, Safe and Drug-Free

Title VI

- Gifted and Talented Program — Media Services

— State Computer Software Sup-

Adult Education

— Legal Services 1999-2000 Chemical Hygiene plan for Abilene Wylie. all science classes.

Vaden Hays was appointed to replace Gale Stafford on the County Appraisal Board until December

The Education Commissioner's appraisal domain for principals and

superintendents was adopted. A report was given on TQAAS

A report was given explaining the

results of the Texas Professional Reading Initiative given to students in kindergarten, first and second grades. All students showed progress in the program from the first day of school to the end.

The teacher's state salary schedule was discussed and tabled until the July meeting upon recommendation from the Commissioner of Education and TASA.

Personnel:

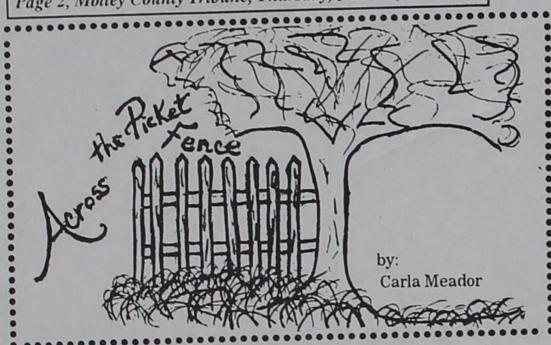
 Head girl's basketball position The Board also approved the was offered to Will Brewer, coach at

> Defensive coordinators position and 6th grade teacher position was tabled until June 24.

 The maintenance/bus driver position was offered to Charlie Ream as a full time position. A part time position as mechanic/maintenance/ bus driver was offered to Gene Chapman.

Meeting adjourned.





My sister-in-law and I took my nephew, Matthew, to the Springs Sunday afternoon. It was such a beautiful day. Not too hot, not too cool. Just right! The air was fresh, and the soothing sound of the waterfall gives such a sense of relaxation. In my busy, hectic life, I forget how much I enjoy going to the Springs. When I was a child, we went almost everyday. If we didn't have a ride, we would walk. We would spend the whole day swimming, sunning and admit the walk there, was a lot faster than the walk home. But we were kids, we didn't care.

I remember a couple of summers when we were teenagers, that our wonderful Springs were closed. Now those years were shear agony. We missed out on visiting with our friends, and all the good stuff that went along with going to the Springs. Even now, every time I hear a Credence Clearwater song, I think of lying in the sun, near the old dressing room at the Springs. Those were the good old days! I prefer the shade

nowadays. Anyway, while sitting in the shade under those big, old beautiful trees, and listening to the water run over

the rocks, I wondered to myself why I don't do this more often. Why do we get so wrapped up in our everyday hustle and bustle to stop and look at the beauty that surrounds us. And we are so fortunate to have such a beautiful place right here in Motley County. I know with the Springs be-. ing private, it makes it hard for everyone to be able to go, but if you can, you need to take a drive down, walk around, and just breath in the beauty.

We walked up the hills and I hiking and then walk home. I have to showed Matthew where the Indians ground their corn in those big old rocks. He thought that was neat! Can you imagine what the Indians must have thought when they found that beautiful sight? Heaven! What more could you want?

> It dawned on me that it has been several years since we have run a picture of the Springs, except maybe old pictures in special editions. And I thought, why not? We have this piece of heaven right here in Motley County, why not put it in the paper just because it's beautiful! Hence the front page picture.

> We really are fortunate. God has blessed our area with such beauty. All we have to do is look for it.

Amber Brandon receives Bachelor's Degree

Amber Brandon of Matador re- the commencement speaker. ceived her Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Development and Family Studies from Texas Tech Uni-

held May 23. She was named to the Dean's list for the Spring and Fall Semesters. Former President, George Bush, was

Attending the ceremonies were her mother, Mrs. Frances Brandon, versity at graduation ceremonies her brothers, Quintin and Kyle Brandon, and her grandmother, Mrs. Dor-othy Meador. Also attending were Stanley and Melissa Martin of Andrews.

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Could I do the same job? How would I pay the bills, take care of my family? Whether I realize it or not, I do value my sight a great deal! What kind of vision is the most important:

"I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened, so that you may know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints"

Ephesians 1:18

As much as I value my physical sight, I must realize that my spiritual sight is far more important. When the eyes of my heart are enlightened through faith, when I train my heart in God's Word to view the world through spiritual lenses, then I can begin to view life's busy blur as God sees it.

This is my Father's world! No matter what it looks like to my physical sight, let me see as God sees. Let me learn to see with the eyes of a faithful heart, busy in the service of my King.

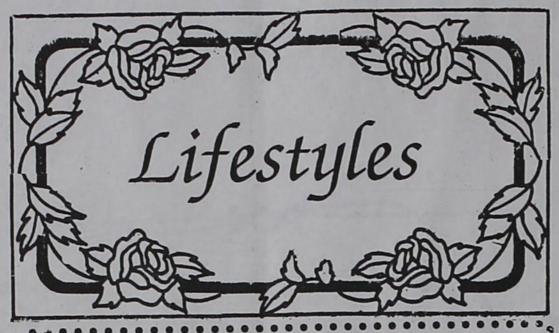
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Motley County Arts & Crafts Club Rews

by Winifred Darsey

experienced one of those glorious and rare days in June, Monday, June 7 at the Senior Citizens Center.

Winifred Lee was instructor for the day, teaching wood painting. She had a choice of a miniature bird house, or a note pad with wood-art trim. Both projects were ready to work, complete kits and all accessories.

All members present chose both The miniature birdhouse was tiny, charming, and a thrill to construct. It was attached to a wire and used as a decoration in pot plants, etc.

The note pads were pretty and useful. All enjoyed this workshop very much. Mrs. Lee, as usual, had both projects ready to work on.

The lunch hour was enjoyed by all present. The food was excellent and fun provided.

The business meeting was conducted by Club President, Lana Copp. The usual business was discussed. A nominating committee had been appointed and the club will elect

Motley County Arts & Crafts Club the officers for the ensuing year at the July meeting.

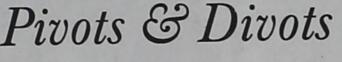
> Dixie Littiken was hostess extraordinaire. She served dips, chips, popcorn, cup cakes, and kept the coffee perking and iced tea tinkling in well filled glasses.

> Members present were Lana Copp, Lois Campbell, Bonnie Edmondson, Vee Gordon, Pauline Hand, Dorothy Knight, Billie Koon, Lorene Lancaster, Winifred Lee, Gerry Jones, Dixie Litteken, Una Simpson, Marion Woodruff and Winifred Darsey.

Hannah Rose Alexander was guest of the club.

The Club will decorate surprise boxes for next month.

The poet, James Russell Lowell wrote the poem, June. He said, "What is so rare as a day in June." If ever there were prefect days, June 7, 1999 was one of those days! All members are urged to attend the July meeting. It will be held July 12. See you there!



by Geneva

TUESDAY SCRAMBLE JUNE 9

Winners: First, with a score of 29, were Larry McClenny, James Stephens, and Truman Price.

Second, with a score of 31, were Bill Hewitt, Charlie and Nancy Long Roncho got closest to pin on #6, 20'

Others playing were Alan Bingham, Roncho Grundy, Bryan White, Buzz Thacker, LaVoe Thacker, Dorman Wilson, McLaughlin, Ken Marshall, Douglas

Campbell, and Gene Brannon. LADIES PLAYDAY June 10

Eighteen hole players were Louise Barton, LaVoe Thacker, and Mary Lou Williams. Dorothy Day played nine holes with them. Olivia joined them for several holes of play,

but didn't get to finish all 18 holes.
LaVoe won the ball, long drive, on #5.
Nine hole players were Judy
Renfro, Marihelen Wason, and Mary Jones. Mary won the ball, long drive

Laverna Price donated some money to the American Cancer Society. We have now collected \$1457.00 for this worthy cause.

Local artist has work displayed at Lubbock **Art Show**

Local artist, Betty Bostick, now has some of her paintings on show at the Lubbock Art Association Membership Show at the Garden and Arts Center, located at 4215 University.

The show will continue through June 29. Mrs. Bostick is a member of the association.

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nations that the Library received this week. These donations are important to the Library and make lasting memorials to special people. We thank Rita and Algie Groves and Roy and Joanie Stephens for their donations in memory of Carl and Sanda King. We also thank Charles and Opal Johnson for their donation in memory of Sanda King.

I went to a wedding in Flagstaff, Arizona, two weeks ago, and it snowed! Now that I am back in hot Texas, I wish that cool weather had followed me home. I really appreciate the Friends of the Library for helping at the Library while I was gone. Thanks to Rita and Algie

Groves, Winifred Lee, Beverly Witcher, and Georgia Witcher for keeping things running smoothly.

Books new to the Library include Wilbur Smith's The Seventh Scroll, a mystery set in ancient Egypt, and Pamela Jekel's Columbia, a novel about the Pacific Northwest. Also new to the Library are Path of the Sun, a historical fiction about the Great Northern Railway, and two mysteries, <u>Deadeve</u> by Sam Llewllyn and <u>Dying for Chocolate</u> by Diane Mott. We have many, many more books to help pass away these hot summer afternoons.

Our new motto is "Summer time, and the reading is easy." Come in and check out a book to enjoy.

Gwinns observe 25th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn of Whiteflat were honored, Sunday, June 13 with a luncheon at the Senior Citizens building in Matador in observance of their 25th Silver wedding anniversary. Mr. Gwinn and the former Darla Cruse were married June 14,1974 in Turkey. They have lived in Motley County since their marriage where Mr. Gwinn has been engaged in farming. They are the parents of a son, Fannin, and a daughter, Danielle.

Hosts for the occasion were her mother, Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse, brothers and families, Donnie and Darrell Cruse of Flomot; sisters and families, Mrs. Deidra Clifton of Matador and Mrs. Derinda Patton of Silverton. Jessie Turner of Matador Sarah, Annie and Emily Hurt, took videos.

Following the luncheon, a reception was held with Mrs. Judy Cruse and Talon Cruse of Flomot and of Flomot, Mrs. Clifton and Mrs. Allison Seward of Goldthwaite, Saturday, June 12, was Fun Day at Roaring Springs. It really was a Funtantial Patton presiding at a silver coffee granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Funtastic day. More about this later. Service. The table was laid with a Donnie Cruse.

white cloth and centered with a beautiful larkspur and gladiola flower arrangement. Their cake decorated with a garland of flowers and "Happy 25th Anniversary Darla and James' was served with coffee, iced tea, mints and nuts.

Monica Clifton, niece, registered the guests. Those attending other than those mentioned above were Brand Cruse, Mr. and Mrs. G.P. Driskill and Mrs. Marie Cruse of Turkey; Mrs. Dona Browning of Rising Star; Mark Patton, Thor, Tory, and Teah of Silverton; Marilyn and Ray Holcomb of Floydada; Aly Gwinn and Betty Lynch of Lubbock; Larry and Skylar Clifton, Josie and Bill Raetz, Charles Gwinn and Mrs. Joan Patton of Matador; Derrick Cruse, Roegan

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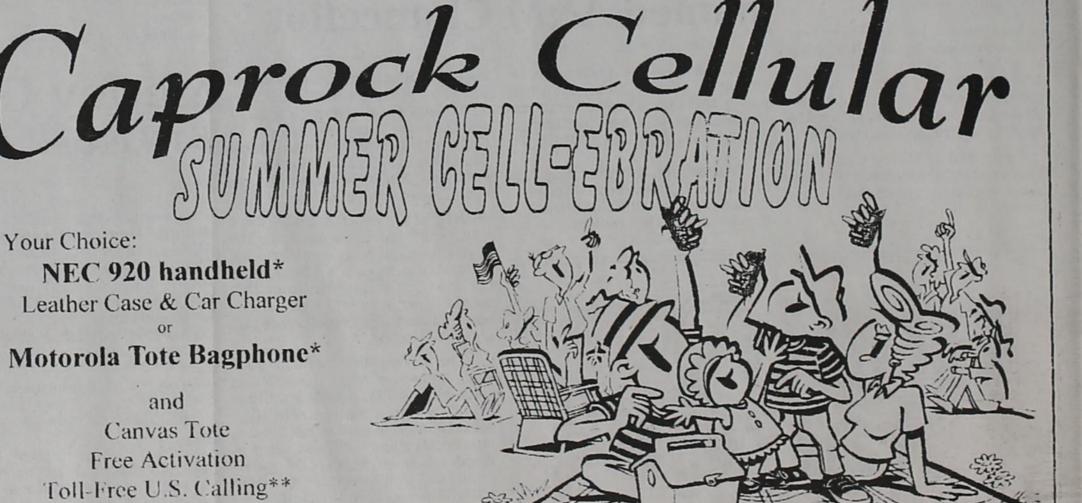
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COMMISSION ON THE ARTS

This year's theme is "Let's Fly" and we are going to have lots of fun, food and crafts to do. The Drama will be Friday at 1:30 p.m. and parents are invited to come at noon, have a hamburger and stay for the drama.

Deadline is July 1 for a camp t-shirt. Applications can be picked up and turned back in at the Motley Co. Library or the Dickens Co.-Spur Library.



See our local agent - James Gillespie, Matador



THIS ISN'T WORK! — Little Stormie Guerrero seems quite happy with her position as catcher on her T-Ball team. She keeps herself occupied while waiting for some action at a recent game. Stormie is the 4-yearold daughter of Lisa Guerrero of Matador, and Noel Guerrero of North

REVISED SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Due to Make-Up Games

Thursday, June 17:	6:00 - Rugrats vs. Blue Angels
	7:15 - Eagles vs. Diamondbacks
	8:30 - Diamondbacks vs. Eagles
	9:30 - Texas Riders vs. A's
Friday, June 18:	6:00 - Rockies vs. Rough Riders
	7:15 - Blue Angels vs. Rockies
	8:30 - Diamondbacks vs. Eagles
	9:30 - Tx Riders vs. A's
Monday, June 21:	6:00 - Rough Riders vs. Rugrats
	7:15 - Rugrats vs. Rockies
	8:30 - Diamondbacks vs. Eagles
	9:30 - Diamondbacks vs. Tx Riders
Tuesday, June 22:	6:00 - Rough Riders vs. Rockies
	7:15 - Rockies vs. Blue Angels
	8:30 - Diamondbacks vs. A's

Thursday, June 24:

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Friday, June 25:

7:15 - Blue Angels vs. Rough Riders T-Ball Awards 8:45 - Diamondbacks vs. Eagles Minor Awards 10:00 - Tx Riders vs. A's

6:00 - Rugrats vs. Rockies

Major Awards

6:00 - Rugrats vs. Blue Angels

7:15 - Rough Riders vs. Blue Angels 8:30 - Eagles vs. Diamondbacks

9:30 - Tx Riders vs. Diamondbacks

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For a free copy of the Warning Signs Guide, which helps young people recognize when a classmate or friend might be a potential danger to themselves or others, call toll-free 800-268-0078. The guide was developed by The American Psychological Association and MTV Music Television.

County children to participate in Salvation Army Camp

A week of camping fun is planned three children from Motley unty to attend The Salvation Hoblitzelle covers 500 acres approximately 40 miles south of the Dallas/ for three children from Motley County to attend The Salvation Army's Camp Hoblitzelle located in Midlothian, Texas, June 28 - July 3, 1999. The three attendees this year will be Kenny Johannes, Benjamin Martinez, and Aaron Bethard.

This camp packs into one week fun, exercise, nature study, spiritual and character building programs which are often the focal point for a positive, life-changing experience," said Charles Keith, Service Unit Camp Chairperson for The Salvation Army in Matador. "Because of the public's generosity, we are able to send kids who would not otherwise have the opportunity to go to summer

Fort Worth Metroplex and provides opportunities for horseback riding, swimming, soccer, volleyball, minia-

ture golf, archery, crafts, and more.
"It will not cost the children a
cent to attend the camp, but it does cost the local Service Unit Committee to get the children there and The Salvation Army to provide this camping experience," commented Charles Keith. "If people wish to help with this wonderful program, they can mail donations to our local Salvation Army Treasurer, Marihelen Wason, P.O. Box 69, Matador, TX 79244."

Seven County 4-H Camp set for June 21

The 1999 Seven County 4-H Camp will be held on Monday, June 21, at the Roaring Springs Ranch, beginning at 10:00 a.m. This is a fun, educational activity for all 4-H members. Cost will be \$5.00 for all day, or \$3.00 if you only want to attend supper and the

To attend please RSVP by calling the Extension Office at 347-2733, by Tuesday, June 15th.

All 4-H members are encouraged to attend the Seven County

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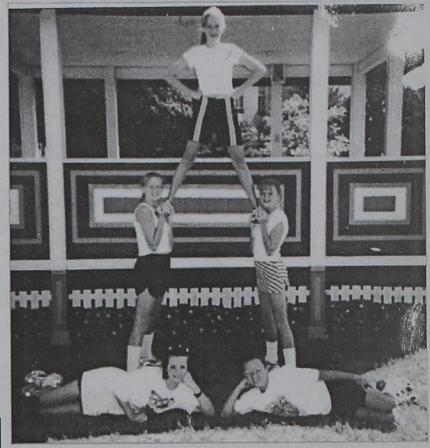
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1999-2000 JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS — Charlie Ream, Angie Marvel, Mandi Ream, (pictured from top left to right). In front are Leah Payne and Sabrina Osborn. The cheerleaders are planning fund raising events, which include a Bake Sale in the near future. They are also now taking orders for Spirit Jugs. Shake your jugs and make some noise at your favorite athletic event! Each jug is \$3.00 and you may order one by contacting any of the Cheerleaders or their Sponsor, Mrs. Mikki Payne at 347-2890. The Jr. High Cheerleaders appreciate your support!

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News around the County

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins

MORNING COFFEE Lula Swim entertained with a "Coffee" in her home on Monday morning.

Those attending were Buzz and LaVoe Thacker, Jeff Thacker, Billie Clifton, here over the weekend visiting brother, Jeanie Adams, Venita Sedgwick, Pearl Gale and helping out with the cattle. Patten, Grace Zabielski, Callie Giesecke, Suzanne Abbott, and Mary Lumsden.

METHODIST LUNCH

The Roaring Springs Methodist Church group enjoyed a delicious pot-luck lunch in the home of Lula Swim on Sunday. Those attending were the following:

Rev. and Mrs. Monte Wike, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gumaer of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peacock, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zabielski, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trammel, Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves, Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Giesecke, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Crowder, Mrs. Billie Clifton, Mrs. Brenda McKeen, Mrs. Jeanie Adams, Mrs. Mary Lumsden, Mrs. Pearl Patten, Mrs. Venita Sedgwick, Mrs. Lee ment. Cook and the hostess Lula Swim. **********

Zella Palmer attended the Atkinson Family Reunion Sunday in Dickens. She is a cousin to the Atkinsons.

Lula Swim drove to Plainview Tuesday to shop and have lab work done. Odessa Mullins kept a dental appoint-

ment in Floydada last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hardin visited

with niece and family, Myrna Blasingame last weekend and visited friends in Roar-

Bobby Loyd Stafford of Amarillo was

Visiting Cleo Watson and Monty and attending the Watson reunion Friday and Saturday were Saylor Watson and friend, Ann of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Crupe of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fletcher of Ruidoso, N.M., and Bobby Fletcher of Matador, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray of Floydada. About 35 attended the reunion

enjoying good food and visiting. Shirley Barton was in Lubbock Tuesday until Saturday night for her daughter, Barbie's surgery. She is recuperating at home fine. While she was gone, Carl and her son, Manual Young and grandsons went to the Lake fishing a few days.

Odessa Mullins drove to Lubbock Tuesday for tests and a doctor's appoint-Marie Mullins of Plainivew visited

with Odessa Mullins Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Abbott spent the weekend in Ruidoso, N.M.

Rev. Felton Gilmore of Matador brought the morning and evening message at First Baptist Church Sunday. He and his family had lunch with Odessa Mullins and Vera Mitchell at LaNita's

Neighborhood News

by Rita Groves

This week friends, relatives, and neighbors commemorate the passing of Nolan Fulkerson whose Masonic graveside rites were at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Matador East Mound Cemetery, Willie D. "Bill" Dunning, whose services were at 2 p.m Wednesday at First Baptist Church, Matador, with interment in East Mound Cemetery, following.

For Walter Belcher, 94, of Knox City, Graveside services are scheduled for 10 | ward A&M where all Vada's family have a.m. today, Thursday, in Knox City Cem- earned degrees, from Grandfather etery. Mr. Belcher's survivors include his Carson Watt on down. The Watts, accomwife, Minnie Mae Prine Belcher, a son Stiles Dwain Belcher of Knox City, and a Nichols of Lubbock, visited briefly with daughter Mrs. Stanley (Wahnemia Jo) Graves of Round Rock, TX. Stanley Groves is a nephew of local resident, Algie Groves.

WITCHER-MARSHALL REUNION

Present to enjoy games of cards and dominoes, and food and fellowship at the Witcher - Marshall Reunion held Sunday, June 6, in the Roaring Springs Senior Citizens Building were Georgia, Beverly, Bobby, and Kay Witcher of Roaring Springs; Barbara Seward and Damon Decker, Amanda Kays, and Raymond Allison from Hobbs, N.M. Jeff Medina, also of Hobbs, remained overnight. Other visitors dropping by for visiting were Steve Buckhannon, Spur, Roger and a girlfriend from Oregon. Those who phoned to visit, but were not able to attend, were Mr, and Mrs. Tuffy Marshall, Charles, Mary and Summer from Oklahoma. Beverly Witcher reported they had a "great" time.

ROARING SPRINGS

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS MEET The unique home of Jo and Walter Trammell, overlooking the lake in Ranch Estates, was the site for the June meeting of the Volunteers. Preceding the business of the evening, authentic Mexican cuisine of Jo T. was served to members Suzanne and Kenneth Abbott, Steve Byrd, Billie Clifton, Darleen Fletcher and J.N. Fletcher, Ruby Hipp, Joan and Charles Keith, Mary Lumsden, Ruby and D.A. McGuire, Lula Swim, Pearl Patten, Zella Palmer, Lea and Bill Peacock, Grace Zabielski, Algie and Rita Groves. Being a Volunteer isn't all work.

Among important items discussed during the business meeting, President Darleen Fletcher announced a work day to be held at the Community Center July 3, beginning at 8 a.m. Bring cleaning tools. Treasurer D.A. McGuire announced contributions received for Kids Camp from Cap Rock Telephone Coop, Inc. and Dickens Electric Co-op. Watch for announcements of summer events by the Volunteers.

Next regular second Tuesday evening meeting will be held July 13 at 7:00 p.m., if not at the Community Center, then in the Lula Swim "Fellowship Hall"."

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• JEWELRY

Visiting in Roaring Springs and Matador this week from Bryan, Texas, was Mrs. Carson Watt, the former Vada Nichols, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James (Sonia) Watt, and her three small sons, James Cameron Watt, Joseph Conner Watt, and Joshua Carson Watt, ages 6, 5, and 3 respectively - Beautiful people and absolutely normal boys carrying their family names right straight topanied by Vada's mother, Mrs. Ralph Aunt Rita and Uncle Algie, and joined

Witcher at the Library that afternoon. THREE MIRACLES: No. 1, Reggie Richards of Paducah was in San Francisco visiting us 'back when' and was invited to a backstage theatre party. "Happy Birthday" was being sung at a nearby table. Since it was her birthday, she went over to meet her "twin". It was Richard

Aunt Margie Payne for lunch. The

Groveses had promised to join Georgia

Burton. No. 2, Kathy Groves co-piloted a Jet from Los Altos, CA, to a wedding at Jackson Hole with husband, Pat last week. A plane landed near them, and Kathy recognized Harrison Ford. "I've got to go to talk to the man about his plane, Pat." She proceeded over, introduced herself, and chatted with Harrison. You know Kathy; she'll be here again for Old Settlers.

No. 3, My Roaring Springs class ring was lost shortly after graduation in 1930. A friend called last week saying he had found among his possessions a Roaring Springs Class Ring; did I want it? Did I want it! He said, "I'll send it' let me know when you get it! So after 69 years, I have a high school class ring again. (I told you the Lord looks after me.)

Mrs. David Campbell, the first person to send a story of a Past Master of Roaring Springs Masonic Lodge #1171, has just sent a nice contribution to the Roaring Springs Methodist Church in memory of Freda Keahey. Thank you, Dorothy.

We miss Dorothy Lee so many places. She has gone to Muleshoe to be with her son after spending a week in Lubbock with daughter, Evelyn.

We don't know who is bringing our paper these mornings. "Whoever" is a good shot. One rainy morning the paper was lying on my doorstep. Bruce Lefevre is recovering from hip surgery, and Vickie Pierce is hospitalized, I'm told. Larry usu-ally delivers the AJ in Bruce's absence. Our paper delivery is exceptional. I hope things go right with all these friends; we

Grace Zabielski told us at the Sunday Methodist dinner at Lula's that she stepped into the Catholic Church that morning into a couple of inches of water covering all the floors. We will remember the Church in our prayers.

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

ATTEND FUNERAL

Funeral services for C.C. Light, 79, of Amarillo were held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 9 at the Boxwell Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in the Memory Gar-

Those attending was his sister-in-law, Mrs. Edith Washington and family, Erma and Bill D. Washington, Dianne and Seab Washington, Mrs. Sandra Barclay and Mrs. Connie Franks, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter.

FLOMOT RELAY FOR LIVE

CANCER DRIVE TEAM Mrs. Kathy Shorter, captain and team members who participated in the Relay for Life Cancer Drive held Friday night were Cindy Calvert and Salina Elliott of Lubbock; Christi Milam of Petersburg; Keri Sehon of Wolfforth; Tina Carson of Turkey; Carolyn Ewing of Matador; Brenda Browning, Suzie Shannon, Waydetta Clay, Geneva Martin, Connie and Cara Franks and Anna Beth Clay of

Flomot. Other teams were from Turkey, Quitaque and Silverton. It was a successful event as a total of \$19,000.00 was collected.

WEATHER REPORT

Flashes of lightning followed by deafening claps of thunder accompanied the rain Friday night, June 11 in northwest Motley County. Damaging hail was reported southwest of Whiteflat. In Whiteflat, the television in the Jim Stockton home was ruined by a bolt of lightning, but the home escaped damage.

Jim Stockton reported a total of 2.20 inches of rain and Mrs. Tommie Cruse of Flomot registered a total of 2.49 inches for June 10-11.

************ Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter were guests at an evening supper, Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Barnes in Lubbock. Vernon, Mrs. Elsie Beard of Dallas and Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barnes of Whitesboro.

Mrs. Lola Mary Long of Winnewood, Okla, visited from Saturday until Monday with her mother, Mrs. C.W. Starkey. They and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey attended the Starkey Cousins reunion in Plainview, Sunday.

Mrs. Trula Martin attended the 37th annual Craft and Hobby Art Club breakfast held Wednesday morning in the backvard of Mrs. Mamie Woods of South Plains. The theme was QUILTS and quilt blocks were used for name tags for the 78 guests who registered from the regional area. Trula's sister, Mrs. Wanda Lane of Lockney, was one of the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris enjoyed entertainment in Plainivew, Sunday night. Mrs. Morris and daughter, Rabecca were in Floydada, Monday night where Rabecca competed in the Summer League Basketball game.

Mary Ellen Barton visited Mrs. Mollie Burleson in Floydada Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter enjoyed the Gaither Vocal Band's Homecoming Gospel Concert Saturday night at the Lubbock Coliseum. Joining them there for the concert were Mrs. Joy Barham and daughter, Mrs. Brenda Davis of Hart and Bro. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder of South Plains.

Mrs. Dona Browning of Rising Star visited the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse.

Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd visited last Sunday and Monday in Amarillo with Mrs. Leona Bell and Mrs. Lynn Moore.

Nada and Jack Starkey were in Amarillo, Thursday for her a medical appointment. Their daughter, Mrs. Jackie Davis of Fritch met them there to visit. En route home, they visited in Canyon with Connie and Michael Starkey.

Mrs. Kathy Shorter accompanied her mother, Mrs. Geneva Martin to Lubbock, Tuesday for cardiac medical tests.

Wilburn Martin attended the Cham-Other guests were Mrs. Aline Barnes of ber of Commerce meeting in Matador,

friends and relatives have visited in the

Gwinn home following her recent hospi-

Cooper, Sunday were Jack Samford of

Afton and Vee and Harold Gordon of

Luncheon guests of Mrs. Juanita

Wilda and Spencer Dixon attended to

Heather and Scott Blount of Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Laughlin of Mid-

visited Saturday with her family, Mr. and

land visited during the weekend with his

sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H.R.

"Skeet" Jameson and attended the

Watson family reunion at Roaring

Springs Ranch. They continued to Arling-

ton to visit son and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Reny Laughlin. Joining them there to visit

was their other son and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Jay Laughlin of Alloway, New Jer-

talization and surgery in Lubbock.

business in Lubbock, Wednesday.

Mrs. Johnney Turner and Cobey.

Obituaries

Willie D. "Bill" Dunning

Dunning, 89, of Matador were held Wednesday, June 16, 1999 at 2:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Matador, officiated by Dr. C.H. Murphy, director of Missions Tryon Evergreen, Conroe, Texas. Burial followed at East Mound Cemetery in Matador. Arrangements were by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home of Plainview.

Mr. Dunning died Sunday, June 13, 1999 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. He was born March 6, 1910 in Clarksville, Texas. He married Nora Belle Stephens June 11, 1933 at Whiteflat,

Antlers, Oklahoma and came to Matador

Funeral services for Willie D. "Bill" in 1943 from Whiteflat. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Matador and a member of the Matador Senior Citizens Center. He worked as a service station attendant and owned and operated a Dixie Dog Drive Inn and 7-11 Grocery Store for many years, retiring in 1974.

He is survived by his wife, Nora Belle; a son and daughter-in-law, Kenneth and Virginia Dunning of Plainview and a daughter and son-in-law, Raynita and Dr. C.H. Murphy of Conroe; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Family suggests memorials to Build-He moved to Whiteflat in 1926 from ing Fund of First Baptist Church of Mata-

Nolan Fulkerson

Lubbock were held at 10:00 a.m Tuesday, was a retired salesman for the June 15, in Franklin-Bartley Chapel with McCormick Co. He was a 1930 graduate Dr. Stan Blivins, Pastor of Highland Bap- of Matador High School. He was a memtist Church, Lubbock, officiating. Graveside services were held at 3:00 p.m. Fisherman's Sunday School Class at Tuesday, June 15, at East Mound Cem- Highland. He was a member of the etery in Matador.

He died Saturday, June 12, 1999, at Covenant Medical Center.

Mr. Fulkerson was born in Stephenville, Texas and was married to the former Opal Tipton in Matador on December 17, 1933.

He had been a Lubbock resident since

Services for Nolan Fulkerson, 89, of 1958 moving there from Clovis, N.M. and ber of Highland Baptist Church and the Grandfalls, TX Masonic Lodge #895 and had received his 50-year membership pin from this organization.

Survivors include his wife, Opal; one son, Gerald Fulkerson of Lubbock; one daughter, Nola Hasty of Bronte; three grandchildren and two great grandchil-

Matador News

Tim Washington was conveyed by Motley County Ambulance to Childress to El Paso recently to help celebrate the and then by helicopter to the Covenant 50th Wedding Anniversary of her brother Medical Center in Lubbock on Monday. and wife, Bill and Jean Morriss. Also join-He was injured Monday morning when ing in the celebration were their children, working with cattle at Lucky Knob camp, roping a calf, when his horse became en- Dianne and Harry Smith of Sanford, FL; tangled in the rope. He was thrown to the ground and suffered an injured neck and leg. His family are at his bedside.

Mrs. James (Dorothy) Meador flew Chuck and Jal Morriss of Mesa, AZ; Tricia and Jerry Wells of Albuquerque, N.M. Many other family members and friends also attended.

Thank you for reading the Motley County Tribune!

Whiteflat News

Matador.

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

His hearty laughter, happy smile, makes you know life is worthwhile. Graying temples, wrinkles there and I think he is losing hair. He is my father, my best friend and I'll love him till the world ends!

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

R.C. Giesecke of Matador and Mrs. Juanita Cooper were honored on their birthdays, Thursday, June 10, with a luncheon at the Roaring Springs Cafe.

Those enjoying the celebration were Mrs. Callie Giesecke and Vee and Harold Gordon of Matador; Grace and Ray Zabielski, Mrs. Pauline Hand, Mrs. Billie Clifton and Miss Lula Swim of Roaring

Art Green of Flomot and Mrs.

Katheryn Martin attended to business in Plainview, Wednesday. They visited in Roaring Springs Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin and guests, Jack Martin and son, John of Matador. En route home, they visited in Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green.

Mrs. Derinda Patton, Thor, Tory and Teah of Silverton accompanied home, Thursday Fannin and Danielle Gwinn who visited the past week with them. They visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn before returning home. Many

Roaring Springs Senior Citizens News

by Rita Groves

The Roaring Springs Senior Citizens met for their monthly covered dish lunch June 3. Twelve were present, including Jill Jones, visiting nurse from Paducah. Odessa Mullins was leader pro-tem. She presided over the business meeting announcing reservations for several weekend family reunions, and renting of hook-Present were Jeanne Adams, who is

recuperating satisfactorily from hospitalization requiring surgery for a heart condition, Mary Lumsden, Shirley and Carl Barton, Lula Swim, Grace Zabielski, Donald Suggs, Ruby Hipp, and Rita and Seniors, keep in mind that the next

first Thursday is July 1, and make plans to join us. Come and bring a friend.



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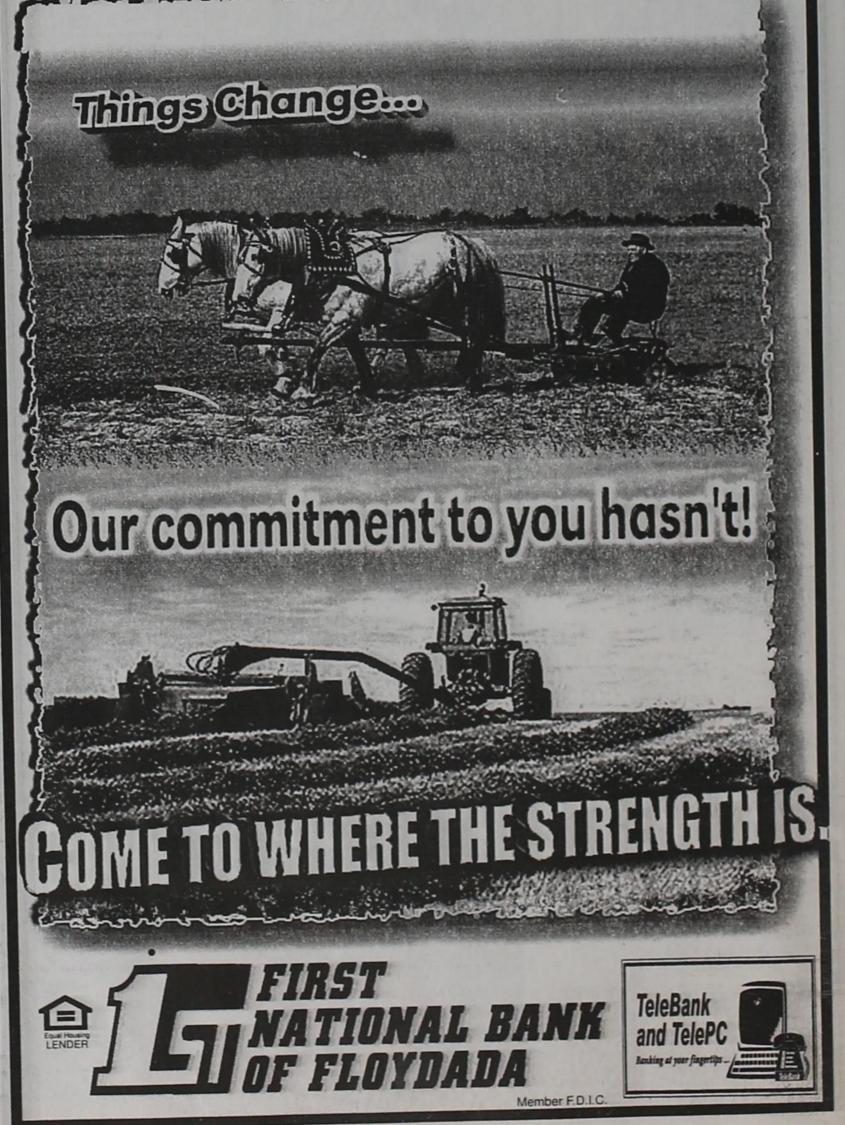
> _ James Lane Allen *******

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grain, peanuts, CRP, etc. by July 15, 1999. Also all native and improved grasses should be reported by this date. Failure to report your planted acreage by this date can result in 25 acres, plus \$0.50 for each addiavailable. If the deadline is missed, please call our office at (806) 347-2263.

The Motley County Farm Service you may still certify your acres with Agency would like to remind all pro- the cost of a late filed certification fee ducers to report all planted spring of \$35.00 for the first field, plus \$15.00 seeded crops such as cotton, hay, for each additional field. If you are not

sure of the acres needing to be certified, measurement service is available with a fee of \$20.00 for the first

being ineligible for any future pro- tional acre. If you would like to make gram benefits which may become an appointment for certification,

Horsemanship School planned by 4-H

first 25 to sign up on a first come, first sure, etc.) serve basis. Registration and fees are due by June 21. Parents and adults may sign up if there is room. horsemanship training for youth you accompanied by a parent.

horses, followed by in-depth riding 6226 or 937-2558.

The Childress County 4-H will be sessions by participants. Topics and sponsoring a Youth Horsemanship techniques covered at the school in-School in Childress on June 24-26, clude bits and batting, flexion, collec-1999. The school will be held at the tion, fundamental training (leads, Childress County Old Settlers Arena. circles, speed control, stops, backing, The school will be targeting youth side pass, roll backs), advanced mafrom 7 to 18 years of age and the cost neuvers (spins, lead changes, etc.,) is \$45.00 or \$20.00 per day. Partici- and speciality sessions (timed pants do have to have their own events, western horsemanship, horse, and the class is limited to the showmanship, reining, western plea-

This will be some of the best decision easier. Youth under 12 years of age must be can find for the cost. Parents and spectators are also welcome at the The school will be conducted by school. For more information, con-2 instructors from Texas A&M, tact Tim Trimble, Childress County skilled in horsemanship and horse Extension Agent, at the Courthouse, 1999. training techniques. Instructors will or call 1-940-937-2351 or 937-2369 or give demonstrations using their own contact Nancy Fuston at 1-940-937-



1999 Replanting/Crop

Progress Update The answer is still "I don't know." The question however, seems to change a little every day. This week the question is how much cotton has survived recent rains and hail storms and how much has been replanted.

Here is what we know at this time. The Texas High Plains intended to plant as many as 3.8 million acres of cotton according to industry estimates, over 200,000 more acres than were initially planted in

So far damage has been recorded on as many as 400,000 acres, but, in all honesty, no one can see more than 15 to 20 percent of that total being diverted to alternate crops. Favorable conditions have kept producers on the cotton bandwagon and the area probably still has cotton planted on between 3.6 and 3.7 million acres.

Factors affecting the replanting decisions made by producers include excellent subsoil moisture. Also, on at least 150,000 acres that was planted to transgenic Paymaster varieties, the ability to receive replant

Plains Cotton Growers worked closely with officials at Monsanto to encourage the development of the replant and crop destruct programs Paymaster Cottonseed offered in

The effort paid off and gave producers a cost-effective way to stick with cotton following crop losses in

late May and early June. Overall prospects for the 1999 crop remain bright as the majority of the crop is in good to excellent shape.

Some areas are still recovering however. Hopefully, they will be able to grow through their current problems and make it to harvest without further damage and hardship.

1998 Production Reflects **Tough Season**

It is official, 1998 was a tough year for cotton on the Texas High Plains. Drought reduced production to 2.58 million bales from almost 2.1 million harvested acres.

Abandonment totaled a stunning 1,511,500 acres. Almost 42 percent of all planted acres in the region were abandoned due to extreme drought conditions that affected producers throughout the growing season.

Yield per harvested acre figures were outstanding in most of the area that ended up harvesting a crop.

Overall the High Plains averaged 593 pounds per acre, well above the long-term average yield per harvested acre, but no doubt skewed by seed at no additional cost made the the virtual lack of non-irrigated cot-

Calculating an average yield per PLANTED acre, the High Plains averaged only 344 pounds per acre of production.

The table below shows the official Texas Agricultural Statistics Service production figures for the 25-county Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. service

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Four Winds RC&D Area Inc's ongoing project of computer distributions to area nonprofit organizations is continuing. Donations have included 180 computers acquired from the Texas Attorney General's Office and distributed to area wide nonprofit organizations. The organizations obtained the technology by submitting letters of request to Four Winds RC&D Area Inc.

Additional computers may be available in the future. If your nonprofit organization could benefit from computer technology, submit a letter of request to: Four Winds RC&D Area

Inc.; Attn: Danny Lamberth, Executive Director; P.O. Box 548; Knox City 79529. Each request will remain on file until additional computers are

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Things are beautiful if you love them. —Jean Anouilh

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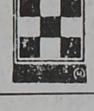
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