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LEARNING OF THANKSGIVING: Motley County 4th Grade Students have been studying of the first Thanksgiving. They have made special items depicting the early day Thanksgiving celebrations, some of which are pictured here. Students pictured are (l-r) Edward Mendoza and Joseph Grant in canoes; Andy Jones and Brandt Donaldson with bow and arrows; (sitting l-r) LouAnn Salazar, Dusty Jackson, Todd Thomas, Samantha Osborn and Pretti Patel. Mrs. Syd Pipkin is the fourth grade teacher.

Everyday Thanksgiving

Even though I keep my eyes tightly closed against the morning light as long as possible, thank you, Lord, that I can see. There are many who are blind.

Even though I huddle in my bed and put off the effort of rising, thank you, Lord, that I have the strength to rise.

NOTE: The following article was sub-mitted by Mrs. Lila Meador. It was taken from an Ann Landers column. There are many who are bedridden. Even though the first hour of my day is hectic, when socks are lost, toast is

burned, tempers are short, thank you, Lord, for my family. There are many who are lonely.

Even though our breakfast table never looks like the pictures in the magazines and the menu is at times unbalanced, thank you, Lord, for the food we have. There are many who are hungry.

Even though the routine of my job is often monotonous, thank you, Lord, for the opportunity to work. There are many who have no job. Even though I clutch my blanket and growl when the alarm rings each morn-

grown when the addit rings each morn-ing, thank you, Lord, that I can hear. There are those who are deaf. Even though I grumble and bemoan my fate from day to day, and wish my circumstances were not so modest, thank you Lord, for the gift of life.

Motley County Lady Matadors Begin Basketball Season

Last Tuesday, November 19, the Motley County JV and Varsity Lady Mats traveled to Ralls to play their first 'real' game. The JV girls lost to Ralls JV 56-55. Keri Shorter scored 19 points and Jen-nifer Beshirs scored 16. These young Iddies did a creat jobil

Indies die a great job!! The Varsity girls worked hard but were defeated by Ralls 62-53. Lacey Parks scored 20 points while Heather Hobbs scored 19. These ladies did a fine job as well.

Motley County Defeated by Wheeler In Area **Play-off Game**

by Amy Woolsey

The Motley County Matadors suffered a 50-0 loss against the Wheeler Mustangs last Friday at Randall Stadium near Amarillo. This loss will end further advancement into the playy-offs.

Although the Matadors' hopes for area were dashed, everyone should be proud of the great effort put forth by these young men! It was a great accomplishment to have made it this far.

The Matadors have shown improve-ment in the last two years and hopefully can go further in 1992!!

You did a great job guys and we are very proud of you!!

Centennial Coins To Be Offered For Sale Again



The Motley County Centennial Com-mittee elected to give the Centennial Coins and the proceeds to the Museum Fund when they met recently. The Bronze coins may be purchased for \$10.00 from Charles Cammack at the First State Bank in Matador. Silver coins,

which are \$20.00, will be re-ordered when orders for 100 coins have been received. Remember, these coins will make great Christmas gifts! To orders coins contact Charles Cammack or write him at P.O. Box 425,

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COUNTRY

Matador, Texas 79244.

Church Filled to Capacity For Community Thanksgiving Service

A grateful community filled the sanc-A grateful community fined the safe-tuary of First United Methodist Church Sunday night to join in offering thanks to Godin observance of Thanksgiving. It was one of the largest groups to assemble for a union service from five local churches. A number of visitors also were resent complexing entrying the group the

churches. A number of visitors also were present, some having arrived to spend the holidays with relatives here. Speaker for the occasion was Rev. Gaylon Cox, pastor of First Baptis Church. Opening prayer and also the benediction were by Bro. Roy Eason, pastor of First Assembly of God. Special music was by the 3M Company, and congregational singing was led by Billy Donaldson.

last week. Mrs. Libby Campbell's first year home economic students at Motley County High School adopted the Motley County Mu-seum as their community project and proceeded to make a clean sweep for history during recent regular class peri-ode

Represented by a wide range of age and a variety of skills, the following workers

took part in the much-needed clean-up: Paula Addison, Eric Alvarado, Mark

Fannon, Cody Campbell, Conway Clary, Mandi Farley, Robert Fisk, Victor Gonzalez, Windy Lancaster, Don Mar-tin, James Martin, Isabell Torres, Heather Turner, and Codi Williams.

Perhaps not obvious to the boys and girls who gained first hand experience of the fine art of pushing a broom was that the sixty-three year old building was once considered the most modern and efficient borging in the most modern

last week

ods.

Cox's message, which was one of conse-cration and love, as well as thankful-ness. After the pattern of the Apostle Paul in his apostle, Rev. Cox exhorted his listeners, as Christian believers to "put on love, which is the bond of perfect-ness." (3:14) First however, to set their minds on things above, not on things on the earth which are evil; to "let the peace of God rule in your hearts; and be ye thankful." thankful."

The message also stressed the theme The message also stressed the theme of love as expressed in music: "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom; teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiri-tual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord. (3:16) and "Whatso-ever you do in word or deed do all in the Verses from the second and third chap-herst so the Lord. (3:16) and "Whatso-ters of Colossians formed the text of Rev. ever you do in word or deed, do all in the

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Psalm 100 was read as the Call of Wor-ship. The 3M Company, composed of vo-calist and instrumentalists from Flomot, Roaring Springs and Matador, inspired the congregation with several favorite songs, such as "I'll Fly Away," "Turn the Radio On," "Farther Along," and "John The Revelator" (sung acapella). The group had a busy day filling and engage-ment in Turkey, then returning to Roar-ing Springs to sing before apnearing ing Springs to sing before appearing here.

which developed into pneumonia, was the leading cause of death in young children. An epidemic of infantile paralysis created a sense of panic among parents

and children until the precious vaccines became available at he hospital, provided free of charge to school students by the

federal government. As the elusive dust swirled ahead of the student volunteers, from the upstairs

lived within

Home Ec. Class Makes A **Clean Sweep On Museum** the community. Because of the common use of outhouses and open sewers, resi-dents faced outbreaks of typhoid fever, cholera, and dipheria. Whooping Cough,

Thirteen energetic high school stu-type of X-Ray, and was completely equipped for obstetrics, pediatrics, and th brooms and dustpans attacked time's general medicine. dents and one diminutive teacher armed with brooms and dustpans attacked time's shifting sands in the museum building

The innovative split level design utilized the insulating quality of the earth for the lower floor while the upper floor benefited from rockwool insulation. Wide ballways, checkerboards wide upbeat black and white asphalt tile, and seventy-two windows created a light and airy atmosphere, and provided a means of natural air conditioning.

Emergency access to the second floor operating room was provided by a long operating room was provided by a long absent balcony and stairs at the back of the sound voided by a long absent balcony and stairs at the back of citizens of the county over sixty years ago, to the "ultra modern" single bath rate sunken concrete room employees boiled the linen over sweltering fires. Operations common to the hey-day of the hospital were those for appendicitis and tonsillitis. During 1934 the Traweek Identified and death dramas lived within.

Operations common to the hey-day of the hospital were those for appendicitis and tonsillitis. During 1934 the Traweck Hospital alone reported 203 surgeries for the removal of an appendix. Children often spent school holidays in the hospi-tal where ice cream promoted their re-covery from the removal of diseased tonsils.

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 built by Dr. A.C. Traweek, Sr., in
 1928, the Traweek Hospital boasted of a ceramic tile operating room and the newest
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Missionary to speak at Roaring Springs

Assembly of God Church

Assembly of God on December 1 at 10:00 a.m. according to Reverend Ernest Brown, pastor

Mr. Fairbanks and his wife Jannetta, missionaries since 1961, haveministered in the Country of Velize, Central Amer-ica, for the past 15 years. They are in-rolued in a burneh plating augusting volved in church planting, evangelism, and the teaching and training of pastors in the Bible College. Somewhat larger than Massachusetts,

Belize has a population of 180,000 people who compose a multiracial society of 51% black, 22% Mestizo, and 19% In-dian. This English-speaking, Central American country was once known as British Honduras.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks also have ministered in the country of Haiti, where Mr. Fairbanks was director of the Bible school, and in Nicaragua where they were involved in evangelism and church planting.

Reverend Edward Ray Fairbanks, vetry, will Pastor Brown cordially invites the be guest speaker at Roaring Springs public to attend this special service.

Late Night Shopping Set For December 6

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Late Night Shopping will surely bring a spirit of Christmas on the town of Matador as shoppers can begin their Christmas shopping at home, at a con-venient time. Get your list out and check it twice for great buys Friday night, December 6, 4:30 - 8:30 p.m.

There will be many in-store specials, as well as the special homemade stew which will be served at Stanley Pharmacy from 5:30 to 8:00p.m.

More information will be printed in next week's paper.

Santa To **Receive Letters** Through **Tribune** Office

Santa Claus has agreed, once again, to receive letters through the Motley County

Tribune. Letters may be mailed to Santa Claus, c/o Motley County Tribune, P.O. Box 490, Matador, Texas 79244. We will try to print all the letters that room permits. Please have all letters in no later than Monday, December 16.

Holiday Festival **December 8th** In Flomot

A HOLIDAY FESTIVAL will be held at the Community Center in Flomot, Sunday, December 8. The festive occa-sion will begin at 5:00 p.m. with a cov-

ered dish supper. Following the supper, good entertain-ment including the 3M Company will be

featured on the program. Everyone throughout the area is ex-tended a cordial invitation to attend this community-wide party.



Rev. Edward Ray Fairbanks

eran Assemblies of God mission:

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Home Economically Speaking by Beverly Thomas,

Home Extension Agent - Home Economics in the second second second to store. Costs can usually be compared LOWERING PRESCRIPTION

DRUG COST

In the past ten years, the cost of pre-scription drugs has risen at roughly twice the average rate of inflation. As family medical costs of all types increase, con-sumers are looking for ways to cut health care costs. Lowering prescription drug cost offers one way to save.

When a doctor prescribes medication, ask to discuss the advantages of generic and brand name drugs. Many doctors feel that generic drugs offer the same benefits as name brands. Some drugs are avail-able only under brand names, and some doctors prefer to prescribe brand name doctors prefer to prescribe brand name drugs. Ifyou purchase drugs through a health care plan, find out how the plan pays for generic or brand names may affect your final cost.

Mail-order pharmacies provide an-Mail-order pharmacles provide an-other savings alternative, typically offer-ing 10 percent or more discount on drugs.Most maintain a toll-free phone line for orders and fill prescriptions quickly. Mail order is most useful for drugs which are taken on a regular basis, since the mailing time must be considsince the mailing time must be consid-ered when filling a prescription. Al-though some mail-order pharmacies of-fer overnight delivery, the customer expense of rush delivery usually out-weighs any cost savings on the drug. Mail-order firms offer customer benefits such as refill reminders and low-cost such as refill reminders and low-cost non-prescription medications. Ask your doctor for recommendations of reliable

mail order pharmacies

mail order pharmacies. For drugs bought locally, comparison shop to save money. Discount drugstores, neighborhood pharmacies, discount va-riety stores, and some grocery stores offer prescription services. The price of pre-rescription services region form scription medications varies from store

over the telephone. CAR FINANCING SCAMS

As the new cars and trucks appear in showrooms, consumers should be cautious about making cost comparisons. The Federal Trade Commission has warned that consumers should not be misled by cost comparisons between financing and paying cash for a car. The FTC recently sued a company financi

distributing computer software used to misrepresent the "savings" of financing versus paying cash for a car and is concerned that many auto dealerships across the country may be using similar soft-

Some of these computer analyses conclude that consumers can save money by financing at one rate and investing the unspent cash in a certificate of deposit at a lower rate, but they neglect to show that paying interest on a loan always costs more money unless cash can be invested at an interest rate higher than the loan rate. Today's economic climate has resulted in very low rates of interest being paid on certificates of deposit. It is important for consumers to care-

fully assess the cost of car financing, especially since the Internal Revenue Service no longer permits a deduction for intereston personal loans.

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

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: Marriage is like vitamins: we supplement each other with the minimum daily requirements.

Predicta Study Club Hears Program on Afghanistan

by L.V. Damron

Predicta Study Club of Roaring Springs met at 7:30 p.m., November 21 at the Depot with 17 members present. Deputy Sheriff Ron Jeffries gave a very interesting account of three months of his life spont in Pakistan and Afghani-stan in 1985. Three weeks of this time were scont in war, tory Afghanistan as a

stan in 1985. Three weeks of this time were spent in war-tom Afghanistan as a volunteer medical advisor to Afghan physicians. Mr. Jeffires appeared at the-Depot dressed as an Afghan soldier but in this reporter's humble opinion she can not recommend their style, materials or de-signers! If anyone recalls seeing news stories on TV when the Russians were invading Afghanistan during this time, Mr. Jeffries looked for the world as if he had invading Afghanistan during this time, Mr. Jeffries looked for the world as if he had taken a few days R&R —sans his beard — to visit the Study Club. Follow-ing his return to the United States and Texas he wrote a story that was published in the <u>Soldiers of Fortune</u> magazine

describing his experiences. Mr. Jeffries stated their diet consisted mostly of goat meat boiled in oil, rice, boiled in water, then mixed with oil or bolice in wailable, and noone. Noone is Afghan bread resembling a thick tortilla which also serves as a plate. He stated if they were lucky they had an occassional onion. A gournet delight to a western stomach was goat shish kebobs. Their beverange was the with a great deal of beverage was tea with a great deal of sugar mixed in. As spoons or forks are in very short supply all food was eaten by using the right hand.

Their mode of transportation consisted of walking, riding a camel, donkey, horse, or vintage Toyota land cruisers or Toyota pickup. He said he did not know where the Toyotas came from. Mr. Jeffriesstated that his first and last experience riding a camel lasted approximately 15 minutes going along a steep trail in the mountains. The camel fell off the trail, landing sev-The camel fell off the trail, landing sev-eral yards below the trail. He jumped to the high side of the trail, catching a small bush which prevented his having a long fall. The camel was not injured and it took about 10 minutes to get it back on the trail and moving again. He said he decided there would be no more camel riding for Ron Leffree

dedicated and did the best they could. What medicine they had was mostly out of date, the lighting consisted of Coleman lanterns, holes in the walls for windows and battery-operated lamps, similar to miners' lamps, wom on their heads. They had no operating facilities and could only do some first aid to try to keep the wounded soldiers as comfortable as possible and then send them on their way to Pakistan to a hospital. Unfortunately the badly in jured ones never made it or were killed jured ones never made it or were killed enroute by the Russians. Mr. Jeffries stated the Afghan people

Mr. Jeffries stated the Afghan people were very outgoing and caring and if they were dressed in American clothing one would not know they were not Ameri-cansbecause of fair complexion and green or blue eyes. They believe in God but not lesus. They believe in Mohamed. He stated their weapons and ammuni-tion were mostly what had been discarded or just left by Russians. The Afghan sol-diers would clean and repair the aban-doned weapons and use them. The Rus-sians used helicopters and migs but were very inaccurate hitting targets. Following Mr. Jeffries very interest-ing presentation was a short business meeting. LaVoe Thacker, Chairperson of the nominating committee, gave a report

the nominating committee, gave a report of nominations for the 1992-1993 slate of officers: President, Grace Zabielski; Vice-President, Ossie Lee Brown; Recording Secretary, Callie Giesecke; Correspond-ing Secretary, Darlene Fletcher; and Treasurer, Freda Keahey.

Freda Keahey declined the nomination for Treasurer, necessitating a nomi-nation from the floor. Darlene Fletcher nominated L.V. Damron as Treasurer; Lee Peacock seconded the motion which carried by a majority vote. The revised slate of officers for the 1992-93 year were accepted by the membership.

LaVoe Thacker mentioned the Club's past practice of taking gifts to shut-ins and it was decided that this special Christ-mas gesture be continued. Names were drawn for this project. Also the donation to Girls Town was discussed and it was decided to continue that.

there would be no more camel riding for Ron Jeffries. The medical facilities were in primi-tive locations. The doctors were very namy blessings.





Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bradley Johnson

Friendship is Program Theme

at El Progresso Club Meeting

Konni Suzanne Karr and Wayne Bra-dley Johnson were united in marriage Saturday, October 5, at 2:30p.m. at the Little Wedding Chapel in San Antonio, with the Rev. W.L. Walker of Whitney officiating the accement.

Reflections and value of friendship were expressed by members of El Pro-gresso Club in answering roll call in

regular meeting November 14 at theSen-ior Citizens' Building. Many answers were quotations from the Bible. Josephine (Mrs.

quotations from the Bible Josephine (Mrs. John) Hamilton was program leader and Lola (Mrs. Frank) Pohl gave a review of the book, "The Friendship Factor" by Alan Loy McGinnis. Loys (Mrs. Joe) Campbell, president, called the meeting to order for the busi-ness session, reading of the minutes of the last meeting and a report of the trip to Post on October 18, to attend the Garza Theater.

Theater.

Whith the Rev. w.L. watter of whitting and roscods. A the glowed soluly in the officiating the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of James and Cherri Karr of Whitney, and the grand-The ceremony began with the song, "Somewhere in theWorld Today." Tradi-adaughter of Mrs. Dan Barton of Matador.. tional wedding music was played for the The groom is the son of Kerri and Laurel Johnson of Hillsboro.

quoted in her review of "The Friendship Factor," which was replete with similar whimsical observations, many from people of note, such as Mark Twain, who

said, "I can live two months on one good compliment."

with a sweetheart neckline, puff sleeves, accented with satin bows and long lace sleeves. The fitted bodice tapered to a drop waistline featuring a back accent ruffle over a fully gathered skirt. The skirt was accented with pearls and se-quins, and scalloped satin lace in a cutwork design flowing into a cathedral train. Her veil flowed from a picture hat, scalloped and accented wth pearls, se-

quins and white roses, white stephanotis

quins and white roses, white stephanotis and string pearls. In keeping with tradition, Konni wore something old, new, borrowed, and blue. She carried a handkerchief which be-longed to her great, great grandmother Barton. Her dress was new, she borrowed the hat from her sister-in-law, Dee Karr, and she wore a blue garter, handmade by her mother. her mother. Konni was given in marriage by her

Misty Byrd of Hondo was Matron of

Honor. She wore a pink brocade dress with a black accent ruffle. The bodice was trimmed with white imported lace. She carried a bouquet of burgandy, pink, and white roses, stephanotis and pearls. Flower girl was Kourtney Karr, sister of the bride. She wore a burgandy velvet tea length dress accented at the bodice

a basket of pink and burgandy roses, carnations, and greenery.

The groom was attired in a white cutaway tuxedo with tails. Kerri Johnson served as Best Man for his son. He was wearing a deep blue suit. Guests were ushered by John and Brent Hamilton of Lubbock, cousins of the bride.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Radison Hotel. The table was deco-rated with burgandy tapers and a "Pre-cious Moments" music box featuring a bride and groom and playing wedding music. Inscribed was the verse, "This is the day the Lord hath made."

The wedding cake was a three tier confection trimmed with burgandy and forest green with rose ribbon drapping. Serving in the houseparty were Dee Karr, Betty Karr, Shelli Karr, and-Miene Durg Misty Byrd.

Following a honeymoon in San Anto-nio, Konnie and Bradley are at home in Maruiceville, where he is with Rhode Construction Company. The couple was honored with a mis-cellaneous shower given by friends in the Family Life Center of First Baptist Church in Whitney. Konni is also the grand-daughter of Jennie Karr of Seymour.

yourself. Prizes will be awarded. Call

Colleen Baxter or Lavelle Vinson to en-ter. A dinner of stew and combread will begin at 11:30 a.m in the Senior Citizens

Building. The Kiddie Store will be held in the Library at 1:30p.m. Santa will be in front of the Courthouse with treats for all

the children at 1:30 p.m. Members decided to meet on Decem-ber 5 in order to make homemade oma-

ber 5 in order to make homemade of ma-ments for the Christmas Party tree. We are looking forward to meeting and so-cializing together. The Christmas Party will be held on December 17 at the Roaring Springs Community Center. As customary we will have architedes and a Chinese rift

will have enchiladas and a Chinese gift exchange. Members were also reminded

The meeting closed with a discussion of money making projects for the Spring. A tupperware party, fashion bazaar, and bake sales were all mentioned.

Members in attendance included Rene Atkinson, Colleen Baxter, Sonja Bow-man, Debbie Denison, Wilda Dixon, Terree Donaldson, Cassie Francis, Denise George, Jeannie Moore, Lavelle Vin-

to bring a gift for their secret pals.

Eternas Study Club Plans December Santa Day

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by Lavelle Vinson

The November 21st meeting of the Etemas Study Club was informative and busy. The meeting began with a program by Beverly Thomas, County Extension Agent. She presented ways to pre-cycle. This means buying items that are good for the environment and do not have a lot of nackaging. of packaging.

of packaging. The meeting was then opened by Presi-dent, Terree Donaldson. A devotion on Thanksgiving was then given by Lavelle Vinson. An angel door prize was won by Debbie Denison. Everyone especially enjoyed the sandwiches and fruit pizza provided by Jeannie Moore and Sonya Bornan.

The first topic of business was the door to door drive for the Christmas lights. We received quite a few donations on November 14. It was agreed upon to continue the collections on November 26. It was also decided to make donation

20. It was also decided to make donation boxes to set in stores. A big thank you to all who have contributed. Next, Santa Day was discussed. The parade will begin at 10:30 a.m. We en-courage any and everyone to participate. You can decorate a vehicle or dress up

and and and a And now abideth faith, hope and love, these three, but the greatest of these is

son and Karen Cox.



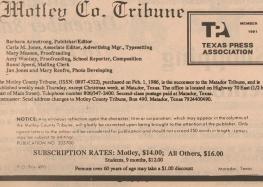
Matador V&S Variety Sale Ends Wednesday, December 4



Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson will be host-ess for the Arts and Crafts Christmas Spirit of Christmas will be yours before luncheon, December 2 at her ranch home you know it. at Northfield.

It will be a day filled with fun, gaicty, Songs in the Air," pretty decorations hroughout the house. This is a great event to enjoy the Christ-mas season. The party will begin at 11:00 Members are invited to attend, bring a 10:30 a.m





Mrs. Hamilton presented Rev. Mary Helen Cross, pastor of First United Meth-odist Church, who sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," accompanied on Cas-sion keyboard by Mrs. Pohl, with the other members joining in. For an intro-duction to the program, Mrs. Hamilton read the yearbook quotation by Walter Winchell: "A real friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks Winchell: "A real friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks out." In presenting Mrs. Pohl, she told of their many years of friendship, dating from the early years of their respective marriages when both were brides, and how she had treasured the longtime rela-tionship.
Mrs. Pohl began with a tribute to "Our dear friend and longtime member of the club, Rachel Patton, who died re-cently," and quoted: "Service is the rent we pay for the place we occupy on this Elliott Gmes Allongtime member of the state and the service is the rent cently," and quoted: "Service is the rent companied by Mrs. Pohl. To conclude the program, Inspirational Thought by Mrs. Hamilton demonstrated the theme for the day in a combination of quota-medicine for life."

we pay for the place we occupy on this Elliott, Grace (Mrs. Harold) Campbell, earth." "When we think of Rachel, we and Loys Campbell. They served refresh-think of service to others. I think this ments of tea cakes, a variety of cookies, quotation fits her perfectly," Mrs. Pohl She also expressed appreciation to the ments. Others recent were one (Mrs. said. rated with colorful Thanksgiving appoint-She also expressed appreciation to the meant to her. "Having been a member of bungardner, Pearl (Mrs. Dale) meant to her. "Having been a member of bungardner, Pearl (Mrs. Harry) Patten, this club 47 years, it has meant a great Lila (Mrs. Douglas) Meador, Winifred deal to me," she declared. "All of you have made a lasting and appreciated contribution to my life." "A chip on the shoulder is often a piece of wood fallen from the head," Mrs. Pohl Helen Cross.

Friendship has many facets, as out-lined by Mrs. Pohl. She pointed out that "We cherish our friends because the friendshp is based on love." Also, friend-ship is filled with resonsibility, is never static, but fluid and on the move, but at state, but hind and on the move, out the same time it can be very fragile. Summed up, friendship is a demanding, forgiving, ongoing relationship. Symbolic of friendship is the affec-tionate hug, and according to Mrs. Pohl, "The loving languate of hugs may say: I'm here when you need me allow me to

"The loving languate of hugs may say. I'm here when you need me; allow me to share your sorrow; offers safety, trust, selfworth, security, strength, sympathy, appreciation, healing, happiness and cele-bration, which offer means joining with others to share a great occasion." In con-clusion, Mrs. Pohl read the familiar poem I'm Scheol Daws" by John Greenleaf

Motley County School News

WHY I AM THANKFU

NOTE: The following stories were writ-ten by Motley County third grade stu-help. I am thankful to all my Aunts and-uncles so I also help them too, when they Thanksgiving and what it means from a children's point of view. We thank Mrs. they don't have enyone to play with I play with them Carol Ann Turner, third grade teacher, with them. for sumitting them.

WHY I AM THANKFUL

by LeAnndra Wallace

I am thankful for my mom, dad, sister, brother, nanny, pappa, aunt, uncles. I am thankful for my mom because she helps me to do better with my school work. I'm thankful for my dad because he helps us. The reason I am thankful for my sister is when I do not have anyone to play with she plays with me. My nanny is very nice to me. The reason I am thankful for my papa is he takes me on trips. My aunt Dee buy me clothes and shoes. My uncle Ed takes me camping. My brother makes me laugh. That is why I am thankful.

by Jermaine Hendrix

I'm thankful for my food. I'm thankful for my parents and brothers and sisters. I'm thankful for my niece and nephew. I'm thankful for my grandma and grandpa. I'm thankful for my friends, I'm thankful for my school. I'm thankful for our playgrounds. I'm thankful for our parks and I'm thankful for our books. These are why I'm thankful.

by Tommy Hurt

"Why I'm thankful." I'm thankful Dad, Mom, Amanda. I'm thankful for my Granny and sissy. I'm thankful for Nana and Grandpa. I'm thankful for God.I'm thankful for my food. I'm thankful that I have clothes. I'm thankful for my home. I'm thankful for my cousins. That's what I'm thankful for.

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by Rachelle Renfro

I'm thankful for my family because they love me and I love them. I'm very glad to have food because if we didn't have food we would starve. I'm thankful for my friends because they help me and I halp them. I'm glad that Mrs. Turner is my teacher this year because she teaches us things we don't know and she is very nice. I'm thankful that we have clubes to nice. I'm thankful that we have clothes to wear. I'm glad that we have trees that produce oxygen. I'm thankful to have a home to keep me safe and I can sleep in. I'm glad that we have the sun because it keeps the earth warm and gives us light. This is why I'm thankful.

by Casey Lawrence

I am thankful for my caring family. Mostly for mom and dad. I am thankful for my healty body that makes me the best I am now. I am thankful for my home because it is the best I ever lived in. I am thankful the food we eat that makes us grow strong. I am thankful for my friends for I have looked up to a long time. If it wasn't for animals we would not have wildlife. If it was't for the Pilgrams we would not be here. I am thankful for the Indians for showing the Pilgrams how to grow there crops. If it was't for Jesus I would not have such a wonderful king as him. And that is what I am thankful for.

by Brandon Lee

I am thankful for my home because it is a good place to live in. I'm also thankful for the sun because it gives us light. I am happy to drink water to. I am thankful for have parents because they take care of 1 am thankful to my mom because I help her clean the house. I am also thankful for ful to my dad so I help him in the yard. I am also thankful to God so I pray at night. I am thankful for my Grandpa and

by Leigha Burns

These are the things that I am thankful for. I am thankful for my food and my clothes I con wear. My mom, dad, grand-parents and my friends at school are all special to me. I am thankful that my family can have Thanksgiving dinner to gether I am thankful for the green brown Taming can have inanksgiving dinner to gether. Iam thankful for the green, brown, red, yellow and orange leaves that fall. I am thankful that we live in the United States. Because we are free. Those are all reasons why I am thankful. ***

by Chase Carson

I am thankful because my dad drives a race car. I am glad God made my mom and dad. I am happy because I go to church. I'm glad I am alive. I enjoy eating turkey on thanksgiving day. I am glad candy was invented. Them are the reasons I am thoughtful.

by David Brian Whitaker

I am thankful for the Pilgrams that found land. I am very thankful for he Indians that came and taught the Pil-grams how to service. I am thankful also for all the food I am to eat. I am definitly thankful for my family and parents that take good care of me. I am thankful for the great home I live in. I am thankful that I am healthy and strong. I am thankful that Jesus that died for everyone. I am thankful for all my friends that I have. I am thankful for all of the animals that everyone can use for work or play. I am very thankful for all of the work my dad has to make a living. That is why I am has to make a living. That is why I am thankful. ***

by Sawmy Guererro

First, I like my friend, because he is nice to me. We go to church every Sun-day. He is going to pass Thanksgiving in my house, he is going to eat alot of

my house, ne is going to the arrivation of the second seco



BUT SOMETIMES THE POWER COMES ON TOO SOON

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very big and pretty that the biggest dog I have had. I love him alot he has alot of spots they are very dark and big.

by Rabecca Morris

Why I am thankful for Thanksgiving because many families get together to celebrate Thanksgiving. We say preyes of thaks for the year's blessings and har-vest. We have the traditional big roast turkey and stuffing for dinner. I it hadn't been for the Indians heling the nigrimes been for the Indians helping the pilgrimes we probably wouldn't have a Thanksgiv-ing holiday. For there help the pilrims gave a huge feast and invited the Indians. That's why I am thankful for Thanksgiving

by Ashley Stevens

This is why I'm thankful. I'm thankful for the sun because it gives me light. I'm also thankful for my food because it makes also thankful for my food because it makes me healthy and strong. Yes, I'm thankful for water because it gives me something to drink. I'm really, really thankful for my family because they love me and know what's best for me. Yes, I'm thankful for my friens because they can help you with your problems. I'm really thankful for my home because it keeps me from the rain, the snow and the sleet. I'm thankful for my school because it has teachers that teach you things you might not know. I'm teach you things you might not know. I'm thankful for my clothes because if we didn't have health we would be sick all the time. To have cars is a thing to be thankful for because if you didn't have cars you would have to walk everywhere.



That is why I am thankful.

Joely Ewing Receives

Scholarship

Joely Ewing, daughter of Carolyn Ewing of Matador is a recipeient of the Howard Payne University scholarship. She is a junior Elementary Education Major. Howard Payne University received a

gift which established a scholarshp fund for worthy students majoring in elemen-tary education, recently announced Dr. Don Newbury, HPU president.

Proceeds from the gift will be used to fund at least four \$500 scholarships annually, he said.

The gift was bequeathed by two for-mer Brown County residents, the late Ernest A. and Lucille C. King.

"We are extremely appreciative of this generous gift, and the confidence and support it represents," said Newbury. "This family, over the years, has believed strongly in HPU, and the establishment of this scholarship perpetuates their sup-port through helping young people who want to become elementary school teach-ers."

ers." Mr. King was a long-time resident and County Judge in Ward County, Monahans, while Mrs. King taught school in the elementary grades in Brown and Ward counties for more than 40 years. Mrs. King, the former Lucille Chastain, graduated from Howard Payne, as did bree sitters Adelle Belly in of three sisters, Adelle Belvin of Brownwood, Odessa Adams of Monahans and Eleanora Maples of Lubbock, along with two brothers, Maurice and J.D. Chastain of Brownwood.Three other brothers, Harvey, Milton and Harold Chastain, also attended Howard Payne.

The scholarship fund will be admini-stered by the university's Financial Aid Committee.

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MRS. MARGARET STANLEY

Amy's Anecdotes by Amy Woolsey

"Time is the coin of our lives. We must take care of how we spend it." Carl into a car if we're going to make it to our destination or not. We just go and never stop until something happens. There's nothing like death to make everyone realize that life isn't forever. It makes you think that when you say goo-dbye to a friend after lunch, that you could be saving goodbye for the last time.

Sandburg. The future is the time to come or the time to be. People never think of what is to become of the future. We often say -"Ah, we can do this tomorrow" or "we will have all the time in the future to be while have an die thie in the future to we together!" But can we and will we? We never know what is going to happen in the future. Who knows - I may die today or tomorrow and yet I may not die until I am one hundred years old. It is just something we don't think about. We take advantage of our lives Wont offend wa advantage of our lives. We put off and we wait. We plan for the future and we dream of the future, but have we ever thought that we may not have a future? It is wise to plan for the future, but just don't live in it. Let's live each day as fully as we can.

No one knew they were going to be shot by a crazed idiot in Killeen that day.We don't even think when we get

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

Juice.

Fruit

Breakfast: Cereal Puffs Fruit

Lunch: Spaghetti, Meat Sause, Tossed Salad, Whole Wheat Rolls, Peach Cob-

Breakfast: Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy,

Lunch: Assorted Sandwiches, Vege-

Breakfast: Hot Cereal, Buttered Toast,

table Sticks, Potato Chips, Fruit, Cook

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

On this Thanksgiving Day be thank-ful that you're alive and that you have all the little things to be thankful for. Therefore don't worry about tomor-row, for tomorrow will worry about it-self. Each day has enough trouble of its own, (Matt. 6:34).

could be saying goodbye for the last time. I know it's something we don't want to talk about or think about, but we do have

to consider it. Today, God is telling us that we're alive and that we only have this day to think about, not the future, be-cause we may not be here tomorrow!

Have a Happy and Safe Thanksgiving

SCHOOL

> Lunch: Tostados, Meat, Cheese, Pinto Beans, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Strawberry Cake.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

Breakfast: Cereal, Muffins, Fruit. Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Banana Pudding.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice. Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Toma-tocs, Pickle, Onions, French Fries, Un-baked Cookes.

School Schedule

Tuesday, November 26: Motley County Varsity Girls vs. Valley at Val-ley, 6:30 p.m. Motley County Varsity lowing the girls game. Wednesday, November 27: School dismisses at 1:30 p.m for Thanksgiving Boys vs Panhandle Boys at Valley fol- holidays. anananananananan

LIKE TEMPERED STEEL

Friendship is a bar of steel that goes into many fires, tempered in the white heat of doubt and finally left to the chill of understanding. If it is too brittle, it will break in the strain of association and if it is too soft, it will twist and warp during the course of relationship. True friendship achieves the happy medium of an exacting consistency that will withstand many strains. *Trail Dust — Doug Meador*

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Mrs. Margaret Stanley is the Educatinal Diagnostician at Motley County ISD. She has taught in this school system for 13 years before becoming the Diagnosti-

She was born in Ft. Worth and raised in Denton. She graduated from Denton HIgh School and attrended East Texas College and graduated from North Texas

When asked what she likes most about

She and her husband, James, have two

Her hobbies include reading, travel-ing and playing "Wheel of Fortune".

children, Jason, 18 and Jill 12.

her job, Mrs. Stanley stated, "I like being out in different schools and doing some-thing different everyday." This is her second year to work as the Educational

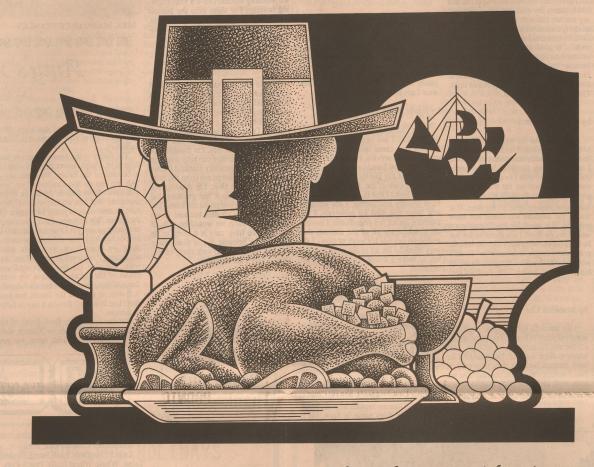
Teacher Feature

State

Diagnostician.







Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and unto his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless His name.

Psalm 100:4

May you be blessed with a happy and safe Thanksgiving

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ASCS NOTES

by Billy Denison

COTTON LOAN DEFICIENCY PAYMENTS

by Billy Denison

situation occurs for upland cotton when give producers an opportunity to obtain the AWP (Adjusted World Price) falls some operating capital before the cot-below the national loan rate. EachFriday, ton is ginned. The seed cotton is ginned a new AWP is announced; therefore, each and class cards and warehouse receipts week stands on its own as to whether or are received (but no later than the loan not Loan Deficiency payments are in mautrity date). effect.

first. This will be a week-by-week pro-

gram - not ongoing. If you have any questions, call or come by. PRICE SUPPORT LOANS

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Special Recipes

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grain sorghum and cotton through May 31. Loans are used as a marketing tool by allowing producers to hold equities in their commodities until prices improve. Seed Cotton Loans (Modules) are available for eligible cotton that meets Also referred to as POP payments, this the gin insurance requirements. The loans

not Loan Deficiency payments are in mautrity date). effect. If you choose to forgo the loan with part or all of the cotton on a farm and would rather receive loan deficiency payments, that cotton will follow the provisions below; — never be eligible for the loan — warehouse receipts must be pre-sented to this county office — producer and cotton must be eli-gible. — producer must still have controf and a beneficial interest (hold title) in the cotton. — research and promotion fees willte deducted — research and promotion fees willte deducted — requests may be made through May 31, 1992 or when the AWP rises above first.This will be a week-by-week prothat outer to an use agent out or another buyer making that buyer a subsequent buyer. The number of subsequent buyers are unlimited. The original buyer that you dealt with may or may not be the buyer who ultimately decides to forfeit, redeem, or restend your lears however the cotton.

Price Support loans are available for crops on farms participating in the 1991 remains your loan; however, the cotton-farm programs. Producers may request the cotton is extended and forfeited, you the loans for wheat through March 31, for will be liable for any charge due CCC.

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Carla Jones



THANK YOU by H. Soltwisch

How do we express our thanks to the one who gave us everything, But was compassionate enough not to give us what we deserve.

How can we vocalize our joy to the only one that forgives and forgets And loves us unconditionally Even though we commit the wrongs again?

We sincerely ask forgiveness Do our very best to reform. And we thank our Heavenly Father For the day Jesus Christ was born.

Without Him we are of absolutely no consequence. We can do positively nothing that embraces common sense.

When we acknowledge Him in all our ways And allow Him to be our first priority, Our lives take on new meaning That we want the world to see

Then we know how to express our thanks to God who supplies our needs alway And loves us enough not to give us what we deserve on this Thanksgiving Day.

We thank you, Father, in Jesus' name.

Wercy and truth are met together; righteousness and peace have kissed each other. Psalm 85:10

County Court

News

Judge Boyce Hart



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HONORED ON BIRTHDAY: Mrs. Jimmle Woodruff, formerly of Matador, now of Grapeland, Texas, celebrated her 93rd birthday Saturday, November 23. Family members attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Woodruff, Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dalley, Kay Dalley and Joy Dailey.

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News Around Motley County **************

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson *****

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin honored her mother, Mrs. Lennie Gilbert on her ninety-first birthday with a party at the Care Center in Lockney, Sunday afternoon,November 24. She was pre-sented gifts, cards and a beautifully deco-rated pink and white cake with the in-scription, "Happy Birthday Lennie." Others attending the happy occasion were Mrs. Bessie Martin of Floydada, Mrs. Bob Lane of Lockney, D.M. Gilbert of Flo-mot and friends at the Care Center. *** Others attending the happy occasion were Mrs. Bessie Martin of Floydada, Mrs. Bob Lane of Lockney, D.M. Gilbert of Flo-mot and friends at the Care Center. ***

Mrs. Lou Burleson of Floydada, Mary Ellen Barton and Mrs. Wadey Clay were in Lubbock, Monday morning, Nov. 25 to be with Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada, who had surgery at the Meth-

Floydada, who had surgery at the Meth-odist Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Neal (Kathy) Blanton, Loren and Christopher of Graham visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert. Mrs. Joe Degan and Mrs. Howard Rogers met Mrs Stanley Degan and daughter, Shay of Kalgary and Shawna Levelland the subsect Saturday and Levelland Mr. Monday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Zielmer Jones. Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador, Mrs. Herb Martin and Mrs. Lillie Levenland the subsect Saturday and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and Mrs. Leon Cloyd enjoyed entertainment in Lubbock, Saturday and celebrated the birthday of Mr. Martin. Viola Stinson visited in Paducah, Monday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones. Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador, Mrs. Levelland their mother, Mrs. Lillie Levelland in Matador Eriday night to

Levelland in Matador, Friday night to attend the Motley County vs Crosbyton varsity girls' basketball game. Shay is a

Memphis visitea instant Cloyd, Sunday. The Rev. and Mrs. J.E. Lee of Plain-view, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Wayne Hunter presented a church devo-tional and music at the Care Center in Cloy Center in the Care Center in Cloy Center in Cen

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green of Matador visited Friday with his brother, Art Green

Green. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were in Floydada, Thursday for a medical treat-ment and visited Mr. and Mrs. John Speer. Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and Mrs.

Herb Martin and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay ac-companied their mother, Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia to Amarillo, Tuesday for a medical check-up. She received a good

varsity girls' basketban game, only a tepper member of the Crosbyton team. Mrs. Richard Rhodes of South Lake Dickie Cloyd and son, Jason of Memphis visited his mother, Mrs. Leon Visited during the weekend with her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter, She Shorter who

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Roaring Springs

News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis *****

Mrs. Eugenia Bethard was hostess to the Guild Wednesday evening of last week in their combination Installation and Pledge Program. Mrs. Imogene Swim said the opening prayer. Mrs. Grace Zabielski brought the devotional, Mrs. Agnes Aaron presented the Bible lesson on the 8th chapter of Acts. Mrs. Chelsea Read cave the closing prayer.

on the 8th chapter of Acts. Mrs. Chelsea Read gave the closing prayer. Mrs. Chelsea Read was the installing officer. Officers installed were Presiden, Mrs. Billie Clifton; Vice-President, Mrs. Lee Peacock; Secretary, Mrs. May Lunsden; Treasurer, Mrs. Opal Bradford; Reporter, Miss Lula Swim. Tersent were Mrs. Agnes Aaron, Mrs. Sugenia Bethard, Mrs. Opal Bradford, Mrs. Billie Clifton, Mrs. Mary Lumsden, Mrs. Lee Peacock, Mrs. Chelsea Read, Mrs. Hingene Swim, Miss Lula Swim and Mrs. Grace Zabielski.

Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor of Fairfax, Oklahoma, came for her father, Joe Rice Friday and took him to the Veterans Hospital in Oklahoma City. Texas Veter-ans Hospitals were full. Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim and Miss Lula Swim and Cecil Swim were Lubbock

visitors Friday. Mrs Benny Goss (Wanda) of Little-

field came for her mother, Mrs. Vera Mitchell, Friday. The latter kept an ap-pointment in Lubbock with the heart specialist who "looks after her" on Mon-day. She will remain in the home of her daughter and son-in-law through the Thankseiving boliday.

Thanksgiving holiday. Mr. Carl Tardy was driven by Rev. Charles Fisk to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview where he was met by his son, Don Tardy of Hereford. Odessa Mullins and Beth Hinson at-tended funeral services for Bessie Joplin

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Chella Lincoln was dismissed from the Methodist Hospital last week and has gone to Graham, near her daughter, to Graham, 76046. GUILD HAS INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS Mrs. Eugenia Bethard was hostess to the Guild Wednesday evening of last

Leadership. Miss Lula Swim and her brother Cecil Swim left Monday for an extended visit with relatives in the Plano and Bella Vista, Arkansas areas. They expect to return home November 6.

GUILD TO HOST ANNUAL LADIES CHRISTMAS PARTY The Annual Guild Christmas Party for all women of the Community will be at Miss Lula Swim's home December 10 at 7 o'clock. There will be exchange of gifts. All women are invited.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

FORMER RESIDENT DIES News has been received of the death of Clyde (Buddy) Smith of Sedona, Ari-zona. He grew up in this community, graduating from the high school here in 1936. He was the last male member of that class, L.J. Hurst, Vester Shirley and Paul Hallford were the others who pre-ceded him in death. He is also the last of the family he was born into. His father, Ed Smith, his mother, Lois Smith Cooper and his sizters, Juanita Bowen and Mina and his sisters, Juanita Bowen and Mina Fay (Doodle) Sinclair having preceded him in death. His stepfather, Polk Cooper, lives here and a nephew, Dan Bran-don in Matador.

Mrs. Eva Mitchell was hospitalized with a heart attack November 14 and

remained in ICU three days then placed in a private room. She will return to the nursing home soon. Her new address is Granbury Villa, 3000 Paluxy Road, Granbury,Texas 76048.

Maggie Terry will be honored on her 80th Birthday with a party at the First Baptist Church in Bovina at 4:30 p.m. on November 30. A pot luck dinner will be served. All friends and family are invited to attend.

Mrs. Lamar Guthrie of Hollis, Okla-

homa and Mrs. A.S. Edmondson and James Lee Day both of Tipton, Okla-homa visited with the L.H. Diricksons on

Wednesday. James Lee was here on business and looked after his farm then

visited his cousin, the C.D. Garrisons. They returned home that evening.

Edna Rogers is now a resident of Parkview in Lubbock, and would like to hear from her friends. The address is 114 N. Cherry, Lubbock, TX 79423.

TO BE HONORED ON

80TH BIRTHDAY

Cora Hall and Nellie Lipham visited in the Nursing Home in Floydada with Oda Birchfield, Willie Russell, Mrs. Bob Stanley, Ruth Benson, Knox Jameson, Doc Taylor, and in Lockney with Ward Rattan and Liller Garrison.

THANKSGIVING VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Harper from Mt. Pleasant, lowa, Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Duck) Hamilton, of Willow Alaska and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rybacki and sons, Tyler and Trenton of Houston have ar-rived to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with Mrs. Josephine Hamilton.

Mrs. Harper is Mrs. Hamilton's sister, Richard Hamilton is her son and Mrs. Rybacki is Mrs. Hamilton's granddaugh-ter, Tyler and Trenton are Mrs. Hamilton's The Rybacki family will also be visit-ing the J.D. Cravens, who are Mrs. Ry-

backi's grandparents.

Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord. Romans 12:19

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A Day of Thanksgiving



Abraham Lincoln said, we find ourselves in the peaceful possession of the fairest por-tion of the earth....We find ourselves the legal inheritors of all the fundamental bless-ings of life. We toiled not in the acquiremen or the establishment of them." On Oct. 3rd, 1863, President Lincoln asked for a national about a second s

Lincoln, as a man who believed in God, said, "It is the duty of nations, as well as of men, to

own their dependence upon the overruling power of God. And to recognize the sublime truth, announced in the Holy Scriptures and proven by all history, that those nations only are blessed whose God is the Lord. We have been the recipients of the choicest blessings of heaven. We have been preserved, these many years, in peace and prosperity. We have grown in numbers, wealth and power as any other nation has ever grown."

It seems we, as a nation, have forgotten our God, who is the Lord. Some have forgotten the gracious Hand which preserves us in peace, and multiplies and enricnes us. Some have even imagined in the deceitfulness of their hearts, that all these blessings are provided by some superior wisdom or power of our own.

The Bible says in James 1:17, "Every good and perfect gift cometh down from above...." Our God is the source of life and every good thing we enjoy. Can we be thankful?

MATADOR CHURCH OF CHRIST Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

296-5579 Plainview Abraham Lincoln said, "We find ourselves



OVERHEARD

At this time of Thanksgiving, throw wide the doors of our hearts and let in the sunshine of good will and kindness.

Mrs. Juanita Cooper visited from Thursday until Tuesday in Amarillo with daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dunnam and Kourtney and brother, Arthur Harmon. En route to Amarillo, she visited in Floydada with her mother, Mrs. Doll Jameson who returned to the Nursing Home from Lubbock where she Nursing Home from Lubbock where she was a patient the past week in the Meth-odist Hospital. Mrs. Bill Bradford of Big Spring vis-

ited from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Rocky Vinson and daughter, Amanda. Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens, Saturday were Monty Horner and son, Travis of Sugar Land. Mrs. Katheryn Martin visited in Roar-ing. Snrings. Sunday with her mother

Mis. Katheryn Martin Visited in Koar-ing Springs, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ray Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, Heather and Cobey visited in Silverton, Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luck-enbach and attended the United Method-ist Church Centennial observance at the Sunday moming services.

dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McCall in Plainview, Saturday night. They attended the Plainview Musical

McCall and his father, O.B. McCall of

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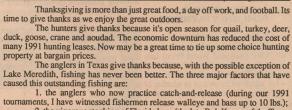
Sunday morning services. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon accom-panied his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon to

Lockney, Wednesday for medical tests and treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens were

Jamboree in which Mr. Morris, Mr

Slaton were guest musicians. Monfrod Elliot of Seymour visited Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings, Thursday.

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Outdoors

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many 1991 hunting leases. Now may be a great time to tie up some choice hunting property at bargain prices.
The anglers in Texas give thanks because, with the possible exception of Lake Meredith, fishing has never been better. The three major factors that have caused this outstanding fishing are:

the anglers who now practice catch-and-release (during our 1991 tournaments, I have witnessed fishermen release walleye and bass up to 10 lbs.);
the vigorous stocking of Florida bass (the late Bob Kemp, of the Texas and Parks and Wildlife Department, had the courage to explore uncharted waters and defy the experts who smugly proclaimed that Florida bass would die in our cold water lakes);
and finally, learning how to catch fish is easier because of the many

3. and finally, learning how to catch fish is easier because of the many articles that share accurate 'how-to' information from the winners of fishing tournaments

Yes, in America we have many reasons to give thanks and one need only atch the horros in Croatia, Russia, China or Laos in order to appreciate our many

watch the nortes in croating management freedoms. When we relax and enjoy Thanksgiving let us not forget that our liberties came from the sacrifices of all those who fought to win and preserve our freedom. As I stand on the soapbox of lofty ideals, it's fitting to remember that our rights are guaranteed in a <u>written</u> Constitution and Bill of Rights. And it is a free press that scares both tyrants and bureaucrats from the Kremlin all the way to the tord courthouse.

Incea cournouse. <u>WARNING</u> The Lyme Disease bacterium, normally carried by an infected deer tick, remains in the blood of an infected animal. Hunters, in addition to avoiding ticks, need to exercise caution when field dressing wild animals. A company called Impact Agency, 105 Blossom Drawer A, Carterville, III., 62918, is <u>Strained Formation</u>. offering 5 latex gloves and a pair of long sleeve latex gloves for the bargain price of \$1.50

No locally contracted cases of Lyme disease have been reported, but health officials note that this threat is moving our direction. It just makes sense to use long sleeved plastic gloves when field dressing big game animals.

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