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Local Candidates File For Upcoming March Election

Mrs. Laverna Price notified the Motley County Tribune this week of her candidacy for the elected office of Judge of Motley County.

Mrs. Price stated, "I am announcing my candidacy for the elected office of Judge of Motley County, subject to the Democratic Party. I was appointed in May 1993 to fill this unexpired term. The months in office have given me a better knowledge of County Government. I am current on the Judicial Education hours required for this office. I will serve the citizens of Motley County in a fair and just manner. Your continued support will be appreciated."

Joe E. Campbell has filed and is running for re-election as Motley County Treasurer.

He stated, "I have been to several seminars at Texas A&M University at College Station, Texas in order to be a certified County Treasurer and to be better educated to serve the people of Motley County."

"I consider it a privilege to have the opportunity to serve the people of Motley County in this coming Democrat Primary Election March 8, 1994. I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the people that have supported me in the past and ask for your continued support in the future election."

Cora M. Smallwood, Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 announces her candidacy for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace subject to the Democratic Primary on March 8, 1994.

She stated, "I have been to all of the required schools in order to be certified as a Justice of Peace, also several seminars

to be better informed of situations that occur."

"I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the people that have supported me in the past and ask for their continued support in the future."

Mrs. Lucretia Campbell announced

this week her candidacy for re-election for the position of County and District Clerk for Motley County.

Mrs. Campbell stated, "I have accumulated the required number of hours set by the State of Texas for the County & District Clerk. I value your friendship

and I have tried, to the best of my ability, to be fair and impartial in all my service to you. Your vote will be appreciated."

J.N. Fletcher will seek re-election as Commissioner Precinct 4. Mr. Fletcher stated, "Your vote and continued support will be appreciated."

Local Men Turn Hobby Into Successful Business

by Amy Thacker

When the Moore brothers began making spurs and belt buckles, they never imagined they would be creating all types of tools for farmers and ranchers. Wayland and Glynard Moore drifted into the work after customers began asking for it. Moore Maker Inc. began forming in the summer of 1985 when the Moores' gained interest in making durable items. The business owns three patents and has a patent pending. They have 1300 dealers in the western half of the United States, and deal some with Canada. Moore Maker Inc. sells to individuals as well as to farming and ranching supply dealers.

Wayland Moore explained that some items are designed through Moore Maker

Inc., then laid out for other companies to produce. Diamond Tool Co. makes the pliers for the Moores', while another company makes their knives. The Moores' have offered serial numbered knives since August of 1993. In November of 1993, the Moores' offered un-serial numbered knives to accommodate those looking for Christmas ideas.

Moore Maker Inc. has a shop located locally in Matador. From the shop they offer their handmade livestock dehorners and other ranching tools. The Moores say these tools are available through local veterinarian, animal health dealers, hardware or lumber yards. For handy, locally manufactured tools, the Moore brothers have brought his convenience right to Matador.



Wayland and Glynard Moore display one of their handmade knives.

Single Family Housing Loans Available

Rural Housing Loans for very-low and low income applicants are available through County Offices of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), Spur, FmHA County Supervisor, said today.

Home ownership loans may be used to buy, build, improve, repair, rural homes and to provide adequate water and waste disposal systems. Homes may be built on individual tracts or in subdivisions. Funds may also be used to modernize homes - add improvements such as bathrooms, central heating, modern kitchens and other improvements. Borrowers may buy an existing house and lot or buy a site on which to build a home. Loans may be made for up to 100 percent of the appraised value of the site and the new home. Interest rates for this type of loan

are presently 7.75 percent with 33 year terms. Monthly payments are subsidized with the amount of the payment dependent on the borrowers annual income. Homes will be modest in size, design, and cost but adequate to meet the family's needs. New homes average about 1,050 square feet of living area.

In addition, Farmers Home Administration guarantees home ownership loans made to applicants of low or moderate income. Guarantees offer opportunities to families who are unable to afford a commercial loan without a Guarantee. These loans may be made for up to 100 percent of the value of the property and are made for terms of 30 years. The interest rate is based on the Federal National Mortgage Association rate with a

maximum loan amount in most counties of \$67,500.00.

The Farmers Home Administration assists rural America by guaranteeing private sector loans and by providing temporary, supervised direct loans to farm and housing borrowers who have a reasonable chance for success, and whose current needs cannot be met at reasonable rates and terms by commercial sources. The Agency is committed to excellence in providing its service.

"Application for assistance may be obtained at the Farmers Home Administration office located at 314 Willard Ave.", FmHA County Supervisor said. The FmHA office in Spur is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Matador City Council Meets In Special Session

The Matador City Council met in special session November 26. They opened bids and made several decisions, as follows:

- * Bid accepted for Leslie Jameson General Contractor to build another pond at the Waste Water plant.
- * Council voted No Hunting on Water District Land.
- * After closed session, motion was

made and passed, 4-1-0 to fire Bill Jameson.

* Elected to run an ad in the local paper to advertise for a water assistant. Meeting adjourned.

Council met in closed session December 1. They voted to hire Terry Sanders of Rule who has all water and waste water licenses.

Meeting adjourned.

Additional Veterans Names Received For Roaring Springs Memorial Monument

Please check the following names and please, if anyone can, give us the branch of service and which war that is missing from some of the veterans. Also please send any names you know who have not been on the lists to date, as soon as possible.

Please send to Friends of Roaring Springs, P.O. Box 44, Roaring Springs, Texas 79256.

This list to be added to main list after publishing first list in Tribune.

- Jackie Andrews, WWII
- Esequil Arenas, Vietnam Army
- Manuel Arenas, Vietnam, Army, KIA
- Ross Bigham, WWII
- Bob Boling, WWII
- W.S. Bannister, WWII, Army
- David Campbell, WWII
- Barney Capshaw, WWII
- Frank Capshaw, WWII
- Ira Capshaw, WWII
- Lawrence E. Cooper, WWII
- Joseph A. Cooper, WWII
- Thomas F. Cooper, WWII
- Raymond N. Davis, WWII, Army

- Brandon Dawson, WWII
- J.L. Dawson, WWII
- Melborn Dawson, WWII
- R.A. Fletcher, WWII
- Antone H. Freeman, WWII
- Clyde Godfrey, WWII
- Hollis Godfrey, WWII
- Fidel Garcia Sr., WWII
- Fidel Garcia, Jr.
- Frank Harper, WWII
- L.E. Harper, Jr., WWII, Navy
- Rex Ray Harper, WWII, Army
- Clint Hicks, WWII
- David W. Hughes, WWII, Air Corps
- Harold L. Hughes, WWII Air Corps
- Charles M. Jackson, USMC

- Emmett E. Jackson, WWII, Army
- Harold Jones, WWII
- Sam Kennedy
- Joe Lowe, WWII
- Henry T. Masey
- Clarence Marshall
- Dan D. Marshall, KIA
- Delmon S. Martin
- Melvin R. Meason, WWII, Army
- J.W. Marit, WWII
- Allen R. Morris
- Leonard Morris
- U.F. McBride, WWII, Army
- Eugene McLroy, WWII, Army
- Wm. B. Nichols, Navy
- Talmer Osborn, WWII
- Cecil Palmer, WWII, Army
- M.B. Parks, Korea, USMC
- Joe B. Payne
- A.L. Roller
- Gilbert Ragland, WWII, Air Corps
- Buford Sains, WWII
- Arthur H. Sanders, WWII, Army
- Claude J. Sanders, WWII
- Steve Saenz, Army
- Vicente Saenz
- Newton Scisson, WWII
- John Simpson, WWII, USMC
- Keith Simpson, WWII, KIA
- Lonnie F. Terry, WWII, Army
- C.E. Watson, WWII
- Owen L. Williams
- Jeff D. Wood, WWII
- Billy M. Bailey, Vietnam, US Army
- Velmore Cleveland Brown, WWII, US Army
- Raymond Barron, WWII, US Army
- Claybourne Bell, WWII, US Army
- Ramey Brandon, Vietnam, US Army
- Tommie L. Bridge, Cadet Nurse WWII
- Carl Murphy Bird, WWII, US Army
- John Keathley Campbell, WWII, US Navy

Melvin O. Cooper, Peacetime, US Navy

John William Crouch WWI US Navy

Robert Royce Dillard, WWII

Troy Dillard, WWII

Richard Dale Estes, Peacetime, US Marines

Bill J. Ferguson, WWII, US Navy

Robert L. Ferguson, WWII, Korea, US Army

Rial Gallagher, WWII, Korea, Vietnam, US Air Force

Edward E. Hall, Peacetime, US Army

John Clinton Hinson, WWI, US Army

James E. Hall, Peacetime, US Army

Charles Hipp, Peacetime, US Navy

Paul Hotcho, WWI, US Army

David Yeates Hughes, WWII

Horace Tom Hughes

Paul W. Johnson, WWII

Isaac Kingery, WWI, US Navy

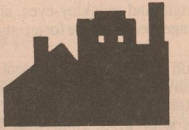
James Don Largent, Korea, US Army

Charles Loyd Martin, Peacetime, US Army

Gerald Rex Martin, Peacetime, US Army

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Ground Town



Community Chest Donations Coming In

The Motley County Community Chest drive is going very well this year.

Our goal was set at \$1500.00. The Community Church Service brought in \$205.09. To date we have other donations amounting to \$392.00, which comes to \$597.09. This is 1/3 of the goal set and only the first week of the drive.

The Board thanks each of you for your contributions and look forward to meeting the goal this year.

Mission Cable Collects Toys For Needy Children

A drive to collect new toys for needy children this holiday season is now underway at Mission Cable announced Jimmy Evans, General Manager.

Toys will be collected weekdays at the Mission Cable office, located at 207 Main, Idalou, Tx.

As an added incentive, Mission Cable will offer a special installation rate for customers who want to add a premium channel to their service when they donate a new toy.

"We've held toy drives like this one in the past and they have always been successful, so we decided to do it again this year", said Evans. "It's such a worthy cause and, with help from our customers, we hope to collect many toys."

The donated toys will be given to needy families through a local charitable organization.

Mission Cable provides quality cable television service to the community of Matador. For more information on how to subscribe, please call 1-800-783-5715.

Kids! Get Your Letters In To Santa

Hey Kids! Remember to get your letters to Santa. You may send them in care of the Motley County Tribune, P.O. Box 490, Matador, TX 79244. The Tribune will print them in the paper, as room permits, and then forward them on to Santa at the North Pole.

The deadline for getting your letters in to the Tribune is December 14, so get busy and make your wish list and get those letters written.

Christmas Home Tour Is Sunday

Why not kick off your Christmas season this year with something exciting? On December 12, (this Sunday) from 2-4 p.m. the Eternas Study Club will be sponsoring a tour of several festively decorated homes in Roaring Springs and Matador. When you purchase your ticket, instructions of the tour will be given. This is not a come and go affair.

The cost is \$5.00 per ticket and the tour will be available for students in grades 4-12, as well as adults. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the tour.

All club members will be selling tickets in advance or you may purchase tickets at the Library at 1:30 p.m. prior to the Tour.



WHO ARE YOU? — This seems to be what little Leanne Jameson is saying as she gives Santa a curious look. Leanne and many other children visited with Santa last Thursday night during Matador's late shopping night. Leanne is the one-year-old daughter of Jason and Lyndee Jameson of Matador.

LIONS CLUB NEWS



The Matador Lions Club met December 7 with 20 Lions and nine guests.

Boss Lion Dick Van Hoose reported on the directors meeting; District 2T-2 is accepting recipes for a cookbook from Lions and wives. Pick-up tickets need to be turned in. The Christmas Lighting Contest will be judged before Christmas. A meeting with Lions from Matador, Roaring Springs and Paducah is set for

December 7 at 7:30 p.m. in Roaring Springs.

The program for the meeting was The Moley County High School Choir. They sang an assortment of Christmas songs.

The Choir, directed by Beverly Mars and assisted by Kim Alexander, consists of Mandy Farley, Brooke Brandon, Kyle Mars, Mike Miner, and Codi Williams.



Flomot Christmas Festival Rings In The Holidays

A communitywide Christmas Festival at the Community Center in Flomot, Sunday night, December 5 provided a night of musical entertainment, good food and a religious message to signify the start of the holiday season.

The "Sonshine Kids", a children's choir under the direction of Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of the First Baptist Church in Matador, presented in beautiful harmony a medley of holiday selections and songs they will sing in the Selection Musical Concert. Fea-

tured solo and duet performers were Sabrina Osborn, Brittany Donaldson, Brenda Gillespie and Mont Darsey. The many attending joined in singing Christmas carols. The choir closed the program with an inspirational choral arrangement of "Silent Night."

The Rev. Nathan Mulder, pastor of the Flomot Baptist Church, welcomed everyone and thanked those who helped with the preparations for the yuletide event. Everett Shorter gave the Thanks-

giving prayer. Wayne Hunter read the Christmas Story, Luke, Chapter II.

A holiday showcase of Christmas decorations including angels, candles, garlands, bows, wreaths and a holly de-

signed service enhanced the Community Center building. They attended from Matador, Amarillo, Lockney, Quitaque, Whiteflat and Flomot.

Granny's Tea Party Benefits Library



ALL DRESSED UP — These two lovely girls were all dressed up in their granny's finest for Granny's Tea Party held Saturday as a fundraiser for the Library. Emily Rose Hurt, right, is the daughter of Jimmy Don and Sara Hurt, and Sabrina Osborn is the daughter of Billy and Brenda Osborn, all of Matador.

Take a little bit of imagination, a few items from boxes out of the attic, some Christmas cheer and decorations, and some charming young ladies and viola! you have Granny's first ever Tea Party.

On December 4 fifteen ingenues dressed up in their granny's finest (furs, hats, gloves, and jewelry) and daintily clomped in their mom's high heels to the door of the home of Mrs. Joyce Campbell. There they assumed a pretend identity and became queen (or princess or president or granny) for the day.

A style show narrated by Mrs. Edna Stutzman of Amarillo allowed the darlings of society to show off their stylish costumes transcending many different eras. A variety of lovely hats topped off their treasured outfits which ranged from a grandmother's wedding dress, fox stole, lacy shawls, Sunday suit or dress, to a mother's formal ball gown.

Once the young ladies removed their gloves they sampled the menu: Santa's Sizzlers, Christmas Balls, Merry Cheese Bites, Rudolph's Tidbits, Jingle Bells, Angel's Delight, and Granny's Spiced Tea

(Apple Juice). Serving luncheon and tea while catering to their every need were hostesses Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Janie Campbell, and Mrs. Lori Campbell, assisted by Mrs. Marisue Potts, Mrs. Freidia Brooks, and Suzanne Paschal of Paducah. Honored as special guest at the luncheon was Mrs. Frank Pohl.

The "fun" fund raiser garnered \$100 to purchase children's books for the Motley County Library. Next year's event is already in the planning stage because as one young lady summed it up, "I didn't know it was going to be so much fun!"

Those attending included: Brittany Moore, Aleda Ross of Flomot, Sabrina Osborn, Stachia Baxter, Emily Rose Hurt, Cassie Campbell and Kittie Campbell of Childress, Joe Beth Campbell of Idalou, Jenny Burton, Jessica Burton and Rachael Assiter of Amarillo, Tara Timmons, Tess Timmons, and Lindsey Paschall of Paducah.

Judy Cartwright donated \$5 in honor of her granddaughter, Christina Bateman.

Home Economically Speaking



by Beverly A. Logsdon
Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

THE LOVE OF READING CAN BEGIN AT HOME

Reading can be taught at schools, but children learn the love of reading at home. Parents play an important part in teaching their children to love reading. By setting aside 15 minutes a day from their busy schedules to share a reading experience with their child, parents provide a skill that is necessary for success in life-reading.

Here are some practical techniques for sharing books with children:

— **Set the example.** Children learn by watching those around them. If reading is important to you, it will be more important to your child.

— **Explore life together.** Creating new experiences for children provides background for reading. By enhancing the child's observation skills, you build a rich background the child can use when reading. This background will allow reading to become more meaningful.

— **Choose a time and place.** Find a special time and place to read to your children. Anytime and anyplace can be appropriate. The important step is to share reading.

— **Select appropriate books.** Select books based on the child's age and interest. Young children enjoy nursery rhymes, tales about animals, and stories about familiar objects. As your child grows, expand the types of books to include both educational and fun topics.

Fairy tales, folklore and stories about real life can be shared. Regardless of how well you read, or the language you speak, share stories. By selecting picture books, stories can be created. Books that come with a cassette tape can be listened to together.

— **Share books.** Sharing a book is more than just reading. Look at the cover together. Talk about the title, make predictions about what might happen, and notice details in the pictures. Read for enjoyment. Both you and your child will enjoy using expressions in your voices to show emotion or change in characters. Talk about how the story relates to your child's life.

— **Extend the reading experience.** Attend a play or community event that relates to a book. Visit the library. Establish for the child a library of their own. Find other ways to relate life to reading.

By sharing time and reading with children, a parent can nurture the love of reading.

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: It's how many times you start your engine that wears it out, not how many miles it has traveled.

Arts & Crafts Club Meets For Annual Christmas Party

by Winifred Darsey

Motley County Arts and Crafts Club added to their Christmas joy a traditional luncheon of turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce and all the trimmings.

A gaily lit tree centered the tea table flanked by ceramic Santas, a snowman with bright and twinkley-eyes, an array of packages set the scene for an enjoyable day.

A doll display from President Joyce Meredith's collection and twin dolls from Pearl Rattan, decorated a similar table, covered with white cloth with Santas, brought a sense of nostalgia to those who remembered dolls of other times. A fun thing to remember. A lighted village also enhanced the scene.

President Joyce Meredith, held a short business meeting to appoint volunteer docents for museum for the month.

A report on the bazaar was given. The bazaar was a great success. It opened for the late night shopping and Santa Claus' visit. Thanks to all who came.

Those present were Joanie Stephens, Mary Lou Williams, Lou Ann Jameson, Bertha Stearns, Pearl Rattan, Una Simpson, Opal Pipkin, Winifred Lee, Joy Archer, Lorene Lancaster, Geraldine Key, Joyce Meredith, Winifred Darsey, guest Joan Patton, and little Miss Katlyn Brandson from Keller, Texas, granddaughter of Joy and Leo Archer.

Santa Claus didn't attend the party but sent his daughter, "Candy Claus" who set in a chair by the tea table to supervise the gifts! A fun and lovely time was enjoyed by all.

The January meeting will be a painting class taught by Winifred Lee on using a new paint, "oil pastel", also covered dish luncheon.

Merry Christmas to all!

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Lucretia (Estes) Campbell
Candidate for Re-Election for County & District Clerk
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Motley County School News

Lindsey's Lines

by Lindsey Williams

Kay Bingham's Spanish I and Spanish II classes have been studying the Spanish customs and activities for a time now. Everyone got to make their own pinata. We started by making the forms. Then, we used paper mache to complete them before they were given their personalities with paint.

There were all kinds of forms. There was a very creative Spanish person with a sombrero and a creative and colorful ant

eater. Among other things were pigs, cats, spiders, monsters, and a plane.

Everyone of them had different characteristics and showed a different talent. All of the lovely pieces of art were put on display in the foyer, with the name of the creature and artist written on a card with them.

They were so much fun and received lots of compliments while out on display.

What's Happening...

Thursday, December 9: Idalou Basketball Tournament begins.

Monday, December 13: DPS Safety Program, K-6, 10-11 a.m.

Jr. High Basketball vs. Patton Springs, here, 5:00 p.m., 2 games.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FCA is sponsoring a Christmas Food Drive. Please bring cans or packaged

food and place in boxes in foyer of main entrance of the school.

Remember to buy your yearbook for 1994 by Dec. 16. The price is \$22.50 or \$25.00 with name. Don't miss out!

Christmas holidays will begin with an early out on Dec. 16 and return to normal classes on Jan. 3, 1994.

Happy December Birthdays

Christopher Paul, Joseph Martin, LeeAnn Moreno, Leslie M. Taylor, Lisa Taylor, Clinton Cooper, Cynthia Adams, Darryn Perryman, Eduardo Mendoza, Robert Womack, Dustin Davis, Monica

Clifton, Crawford Mason, Cody Campbell, Shella Graves, James Timmons, Crystal Christopher, Esmerelda Mendoza, Ty Barclay.

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Hoop News...



Jr. High Girls

by Coach Kim

On November 22, the Junior High teams traveled to Silverton. The 7th grade girls came home with a victory to add to their record. They defeated the Silverton B team 24-14. Shella Graves was high point with 16, followed by Kandi Keltz with 8. Shella grabbed 12 rebounds and Blair Thacker had 4 steals.

The 8th grade girls were defeated by Silverton's team, 37-9. Leading scorer was Tanya Barkley with five, followed by Rebekah with 4.

Tanya grabbed 8 rebounds, and Rebekah had 3 steals.

November 29, we hosted Silverton. The 7th grade girls made their record 3-0 by

beating Silverton B, 31-16. Shella led all scorers with 18, followed by Samantha Osborn with six. Shella also had 11 rebounds, 12 steals, and was 75% from the freethrow line, making 6 of 8. Kandi Keltz grabbed 6 rebounds, and Kristi Williams stole the ball three times.

The 8th grade girls put up a good fight but fell 27-7. Points were evenly distributed between Tonya Barkley, Margret Mangram, and Jill Stanley with three, two and two respectively. Margret hit the boards seven times, and Tonya was 100% from the charity line.

Our next home game will be December 13 against Patton Springs. Come out and support your Junior High teams.

J.V. Girls

by Coach Kim

The J.V. Lady Mats have played Crosbyton, Valley and Patton Springs so far this season.

They fell short to Crosbyton 41-47. Kasey Parks was leading scorer with 16, and was 100 from the line. She also had 13 rebounds. Leslie Van Hoose led the team in steals with five.

Next they hosted Valley, where they came out on top 47-18. Scorers for the team were Kasey, 24; Cara Franks, 6; Lanie Barton, 4; Leigh Pipkin, Mandi Carson, and Leslie, each had 3; and Gwen Sims and Brandi Jameson, both had 2.

Leslie and Kasey combined for 9 steals. Kasey grabbed 11 rebounds and

Cara added seven. Leslie also contributed four assists.

The J.V. Lady Mats added a victory to their record making it 2 wins, 1 loss, over Patton Springs 50-9. Scoring was distributed throughout the team. Leigh, Kasey and Lanie each had 8 points; Brandi added 6; Cara put in 5; Lacy and Mandi had 4 each, Laurie, Leslie and Demse each contributed 2, and Gwen made a free throw.

Motley County will be hosting a J.V. Tournament this weekend, December 11, and will be participating in a Lakeview JV Tournament, Dec. 16-18.

Lady Matadors

by Coach McNew

The Motley County Matadors placed third in the Ralls tournament in a week that saw them win 3 and lose one. In the tournament the Lady Mats started out with a 56-20 win over Lubbock Estacado J.V. On Friday Motley County lost to Ralls 43-47 and for third place they defeated Spur 47-42. To begin the week they also defeated Patton Springs, 65-33. Making the All-Tournament team at Ralls were Mindy Dodson and Keri Shorter.

During the week all 11 of the Lady Mats scored in at least one game. Leading scorer in the Patton Springs game was Brooke Brandon with 13. Leading in the Estacado game was Leah Cruse and Lesa Prather with 10 and 9 points respectively. Mindy Dodson led the Lady Mats against Ralls and Spur scoring 9 and 11 points in those games.

Total scoring for the 4 games went as follows: Mindy Dodson, 26; Lesa Prather, 23; Heather Turner, 12; Keri Shorter, 19; Kobbi Risser, 6; Whitney Jameson, 20; Wendi Beshirs, 18; Brooke Brandon, 24; Christie Campbell, 20; Leah Cruse, 27; and Jennifer Beshirs, 14.

The Lady Mats will be competing in the Idalou Tournament this weekend and are scheduled to play Idalou at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday.

God Bless You!

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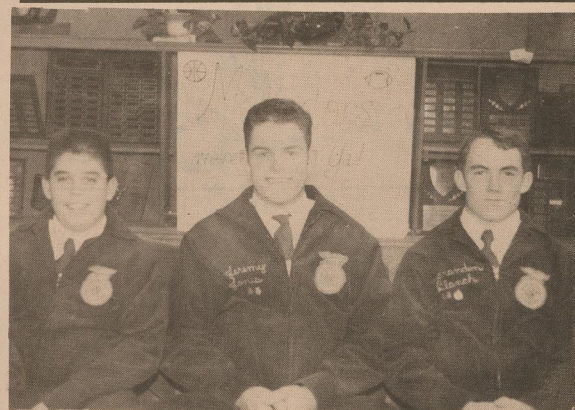
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Merry Christmas!

Your friend,
Cole

Dear Santa, How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? Well if this is ok with you I would like a special bell off of one of your reindeer and a bike, a sega Nintendo and a Super Nintendo and my last gift is to see you and your reindeer.

Your friend,
Brandon

Dear Santa, What do you do when it is hot the month of Christmas? What is Miss Claus doing? I want a BeBe gun, a Super Nintendo of Sega, a hockey set, 49ers football, and a huge Boxing bag.

Your friend,
Brady

Dear Santa, How are you doing? I want a Semi Automatic hand pistol, forbidden bridge, It from the pit, a talk battle ship and the Robcop Robot.

Your friend,
Joel Rieger

Dear Santa, How is Mrs. Claus doing? For Christmas I want a color computer and My Size Barbie Doll and a dress for my grandma and two cups for my grandma and granmpa.

Your friend,
Sandra

Dear Santa, Hello! How are you doing at you workshop? How is Mrs. Claus doing with you over there? Santa I want this for Christmas, a big doll, a Christmas tree, a Barney toy, a Teddy Bear, and Land Before Time, the movie.

Your friend,
Susana Mendoza

Dear Santa, I been a good girl this year. I want a stack of money and a snowcone machine

and a game boy. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Your friend,
Shea

Dear Santa, How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? This year for Christmas I want a teddy bear, and a flash camera so next year when you come I can take a picture of you. I also want my permanent teeth to grow in so I can eat apples and corn, and I want a Glitter Beach Barbie, and a My Size Barbie doll, a robot that will do anything for me no matter what, and last a new nintendo game.

Your friend,
Aleda

Dear Santa, How are Mrs. Claus and your elves? For Christmas I want a tape player with a balance and my own front tooth and a robot. For Christmas I want a new stuffed animal.

Love,
Dumont

Dear Santa, Hello, how are you doing? I would like a game gear with games, lizard seat bicycle, a computer, a real power tool shop, and a sega CD.

Your friend,
Quinten

Dear Santa, How are you? I am fine. Is Mrs. Claus doing well? Is it cold at the North Pole? Have your elves been working hard? How is your reindeer? I would like to have puppy surprise, and Beauty and the Beast, a new dress, wigs, and ice skates.

Your friend,
Amanda

Dear Santa, How are you doing? Is Mrs. Santa Claus doing fine? Is it real, real cold in the North Pole? Santa this is what I want for Christmas, Baby Alive, Barbie Doll, Clothes Gameboy, and a 4 speed Bike. I bet you're busy in your workshop.

Your friend,
Antwonnette

Dear Santa, Hello, how are you doing? How is Mrs. Claus? I want a game boy and a stereo and a fishing pole and a watch and a Pellet gun.

Your friend,
Brett

Dear Santa, How are the elves doing today. How is Miss Claus doing on your food today. How is the weather to you Santa. Is Rudolf going to help you this Christmas? I want a Dallas football and a Sega Genesis and a 22.

Your friend,
Lorenzo

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

On September 15, 1984 I was employed by the City of Matador. I had one old Ford pickup, one Chevy dump truck and a John Deere back hoe, an old motor grader I had to pull to start and no money or very little to replace any of the equipment with. Little by little I got it in shape to go and do a job with.

On November 27, 1993 I received a letter from the City of Matador stating that my employment had been terminated.

On December 2, the Council met again. I asked to be present and be told why I was fired, and see if we could come to some kind of agreement. I was told no. On Saturday, December 4, I got a letter stating: "Your employment with the City of Matador was terminated at a meeting of the City Council on November 26, 1993. The termination was to become effective December 15, 1993, and you were expected to continue work until that time."

I was there almost 10 years and we never had a policy like this. If we did I was never made aware of it. I have worked 4 months by myself, 7 days a week and they never made any attempt to get me some help. I have tried everything I know to get a chance to talk to the Council. I even offered to set with my back to them so they would feel at home.

I loved my job, I needed my job, but no one could or would work under the conditions I have been under the past four months.

Yours truly,
Bill Jameson

But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Matthew 6:33

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Veterans' List

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- Jackie Floyd Martin, Peacetime, US Army
- Billy Martinez, WWII, US Army
- William H. McBride, WWI, US Army
- Kirby J. McIlroy, WWI, US Army
- Orland Blaine Mitchell, WWII, US Air Force
- Donald Ray Mitchell, Peacetime, US Navy
- Dell Claud Mitchell, Peacetime, US Marines
- Jim N. Montgomery, WWII
- Claud E. Phipps, WWI, US Army
- V.C. Sprayberry, WWI, US Army
- Robert Soltwisch, WWII
- James Herbert "Hub" Swaringen, WWI, US Army
- Weldon Tarrant, WWII
- Woodrow Wilson Swaringen, WWII, US Army
- J.C. Vaughan, Korea, US Army
- Thomas M. Vaughan, WWI, US Army
- Willard Woods, WWII, US Navy
- Harding James Wilcher, WWII
- David Yandell Jr., WWII, US Navy
- L.C. Yandell, WWII, US Army (Killed in Action)
- Lesley Yandell, WWII, US Army
- Jessie Yandell, WWI, US Army
- W.C. Youngblood, WWI, US Army
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News Around Motley County

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

GUILD CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Annual Guild Christmas party was held in the home of Miss Lula Swim Monday evening. Twenty members and guests enjoyed the evening of fellowship. The meeting opened with prayer by Chelsea Read; Rev. Mary Helen Cross read the Christmas story and led in singing Christmas carols, while Callie Giesecke played the keyboard; and Mrs. Billie Clifton said the closing prayer. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served.

Many relatives and friends paid their last respects to Mrs. Rosetta Underwood, a longtime resident of the community, Saturday at the Assembly of God Church here on Saturday. Condolences go to her family.

Lanier and Jason Barton of Matador were weekend guests of their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hand the past weekend.

John Alvin Hinson of Abilene visited his uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hinson last Friday.

Wayne Swinney and his mother, Mrs. Reva Swinney visited relatives in Wellington last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie McEun and Ben of Spade were Friday evening visitors with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Dye.

J.T. and Miss Lula Swim kept eye

appointments in Lubbock Wednesday of this week. Mrs. J.T. Swim accompanied them.

Mrs. Dorothy Lee was a Floydada visitor Monday.

Mrs. Cleo Watson visited her sisters, Mrs. Billie Roller and Mrs. Pete Ozborn in Plainview Tuesday of last week.

Billy Lefevre, student at West Texas A&M University at Canyon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lefevre and other relatives here during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Giesecke accompanied by Mrs. Josie Martin and Miss Bess Ferguson drove to Plainview Thursday evening, visiting with Mrs. Elsie Meason. They all enjoyed eating supper at Furr's Cafeteria.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peacock have returned from a trip that took them to Salado, Texas for Scottish games; to Austin to visit her aunt; to Baytown to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jon Peacock and children; to Anahuac to visit their son Pat and his family; then to Gautier, Mississippi to visit a sister-in-law, Mrs. Alex Peacock who with her sister Ollie Garrett accompanied them to Knoxville, Tennessee to spend Thanksgiving with their son, Mike and his family. While at Knoxville they toured the Smokey Mountains and visited Eagle Furnace where Lee's great-grandmother is buried.

THANK YOU

We would like to express our appreciation for all the prayers, inquiries, telephone calls, cards, visits, flowers and food before and after Pete's surgery. God is so good!

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams
Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Williams & girls
Ronda Miller and children

We take this way of saying thank you for all the cards, flowers and phone calls while Bob was in the hospital and for all the visits, and for the food brought to the house. We especially thank you for your prayers. May God bless each of you.

Bob, Nadene, and Robert Cooper

We would like to thank everyone for your kindness at the time of the loss of beloved Mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and great-great-grandmother, Rosetta Underwood. Thank you for the food, phone calls, words of encouragement, and especially for your prayers. Thank you to everyone who prepared and served the lunch, those who sang in the choir at the service, and to Rev. Rickey Lawrence for the nice service. We appreciate the kindness shown to our family at this time, and we pray for God's blessings upon you.

The family of Rosetta Underwood

The Assembly of God Church of Roaring Springs would like to say thank you to all the people who brought food, helped serve, set up, and clean up at the church for the Underwood funeral. We would like to thank the Baptist Church of Roaring Springs for the loan of table and chairs. Also, thank you to all who sang in the choir. This is truly the greatest area in the world to live. People in the communities around here are always willing to help someone in their hour of need without having to be asked. This is certainly a great testimony of God's love in their lives. Our prayer is that God will richly bless each and everyone of you for all you do to help when help is needed. We are surely blessed to live in such a wonderful, sharing and living community as this. God bless and keep you all.

Rickey and Naomi Lawrence, Pastors
Roaring Springs Assembly of God

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A birthday celebration for

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Saturday, December 18

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Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

Thanksgiving and holiday guests of Mrs. Viola Calvert were Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Browning of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Burrows, Dylan and Lyssa of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. George Calvert, Donnie and Cole of Quitaque; Katie Browning of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Calvert and Chad of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen of Flomot and their holiday houseguests, Dustin and Shae Reed of Lubbock.

Mrs. James Monk and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cannon of Tulia enplaned from Lubbock Airport to Houston, Wednesday, Nov. 24 where they were met by relatives to visit during the Thanksgiving holidays. They visited in Harden with her sister and family, Mrs. Lois Beasley and had a cousins reunion, Sunday. They also visited in Livingston with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig. They enjoyed the tourist attractions including the ship yards and museums. They returned to respective homes Monday night.

Visiting during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson were Mrs. Breck (Lucretia) Dockery of Vernon, Kayla Johnson of Floydada and Mrs. James May of Quitaque.

Visitors Thanksgiving day of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Martin of Quitaque, Chuck Martin, Kim Patterson and Riley Wayne Turner of Lubbock, Lori Martin and friend, Rance, students at Tarleton State University in Stephenville and Craig Turner and Tye Stephens of Matador.

Mrs. A.D. Moseley visited from Friday until Monday of last week in Dimmitt with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dunn.

Mrs. C.W. Starkey, her daughter, Mrs. Margie Cypert of Lockney and sister, Mrs. Jometa McLain of Hart visited from Nov. 24 to 29th in Winnewood, Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long. They attended the church wedding ceremony, Nov. 26th at 7 p.m. of Mrs. Starkey's granddaughter, Miss Mary Jo Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Cody and Ty visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Barclay of Lockney. Visiting the Jerry Barclay family, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lance Barclay and Colton of Matador.

Tanya Starkey, 28 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Starkey, is a patient in Lockney Hospital where she was conveyed Thursday night following breathing complications.

Mrs. Bill Sauls is in the Lockney Care Center suffering with a back injury.

Mrs. Leona Bell of Amarillo arrived Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin.

Monty George of Lubbock visited Mrs. C.W. Starkey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers visited in Amarillo, Thursday with Mrs. Merl Nall. They attended the Farm Show. Visiting the Roger families, Sunday was Ronnie Rogers of Lubbock.

MATADOR NEWS

Bill and Barbara Armstrong and Michael had his brother and wife, Tim and Ofelia Armstrong of Azle, for a weekend visit.

Clarence and Gussie Jenkins have moved to the Lockney Care Center due to health reasons. Their address is P.O. Box 1060, Room 24, Lockney, Texas 79241. Their phone number is 652-1209. They would love to hear from friends from home.

Rev. Mary Helen Cross To Graduate From Tech

Rev. Mary Helen Cross, pastor of First United Methodist Churches in Matador and Roaring Springs will graduate from Texas Tech University College of Human Sciences Saturday, December 18 at 1 p.m.

Cross has been accepted to Perkins School of Theology in Dallas for the 1994 Fall session. She will begin 4 years for her Masters of Divinity Degree.

Cross will remain in Motley County until June 1994.

Obituaries

Rosetta Underwood

Services for Rosetta Underwood, 93, of Roaring Springs, were held at 3 p.m. Saturday, December 4, 1993 in the Roaring Springs Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Rickey Lawrence, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Roaring Springs Cemetery, directed by Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Mrs. Underwood died Thursday, Dec. 2, 1993 in Paducah Nursing Center in Paducah.

She was born on Jan. 17, 1900, in Magazine, Ark., and married Charles Otto Underwood on June 13, 1916, in Plainview, Ark. The couple moved from Arkansas to Motley County in 1927. He died on April 13, 1970. She was a homemaker and a member of the Assembly of God Church.

She was preceded in death by three daughters, Lucille Underwood, Edith Ashley, and Marie Rodgers; and one son, Richard 'Dick' Underwood.

Survivors include a son, Charles of Huntington Beach, Calif.; eight daughters, Audrey Jones and Barbara Marvel, both of Roaring Springs, Emma Grant of Paducah, Mildred Parr of Bakersfield, Calif., Dora Hurt of Matador, Mary Martin of Los Angeles, Calif., Rose Martin of Hamlin and Sarah Martin of Wellington; a sister, Flora Mae Marks of Pine Bluff, Ark.; 57 grandchildren; 94 great-grandchildren; and 17 great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bennie D. Dillard, Don Baxter, Kenneth Lefevre, Stanley Lefevre, Gary Bridge, and Charlie Long.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

I have a smoke alarm, I do not mean to boast, but the only time I've heard it, is when I burned the toast!

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens visited Saturday and Sunday at Lake McKenzie with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McCall. Mr. Stephens and Mr. McCall attended the Musical Jamboree in Silvertown, Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, en route home Sunday afternoon, visited in Lockney with his mother, Mrs. Juddie Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon and his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon visited from Nov. 24 to 30th in Lovington, N.M. with her family, Mrs. Ted Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hester, Kristen and Christopher. En route home, Tuesday, Janice had a medical check-up in Lubbock.

Art Green of Flomot and Mrs. Kathryn Martin attended to business in Plainview, Tuesday. They attended the Holi-

day Observance in Flomot, Sunday night. Weekend visitors of Mrs. Juanita Cooper were sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Post.

Mrs. Vesta Cooper and daughter, Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett visited in Abilene from Thursday until Sunday with Mrs. Vernell Hanna. Mrs. Hanna and grandson, Ryan returned home with them to visit. The families and Clyde Ray of Spur were in Lubbock, Monday for Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Shacklett medical appointments. They attended to business before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and Fannin met Aly Gwinn of Lubbock and Mrs. Josie Raetz and daughter, Kathy of Spur in Matador, Friday night to visit.

Mrs. Louvaine Scaff of Matador and her houseguest, daughter, Mrs. Joyce McCarty of Odessa and Bud Barton of Dougherty visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with John Barton.

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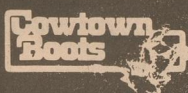
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MASONIC LODGE STATED MEETING
The Masonic Lodge #824 stated meeting every second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE: Dearborn heater, furniture, tools, toys, and wood crafts by Billy Green. First house south of Baptist Church, Saturday, December 11, 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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To report local news call 347-2400 or 347-2774 before noon Tuesday

NOTICE

NOW 'TIL CHRISTMAS — MATADOR V&S VARIETY will be open every Thursday until 7:00 p.m.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BID NOTICE

Patton Springs Independent School District, P.O. Box 32 Afion, Texas 79220, will be accepting sealed bids for diesel, gasoline, and LPG to be used for heating and transportation during 1994. Bids will be accepted until Tuesday, December 21, 1993 at 4:00 p.m. at which time bids received will be publicly opened and read.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Dollie M. Jameson, deceased, were issued on December 7, 1993, in Docket No. 2409, pending in the County Court of Motley County, Texas, to Billy D. Harmon. The residence of the Independent Executor is in Lubbock County, Texas; the post office address is: 4918 94th Street Lubbock, Texas 79424

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 7th day of December, 1993.

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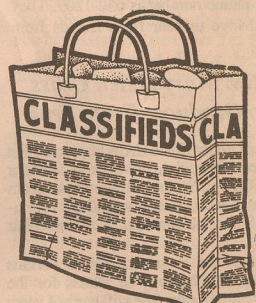
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