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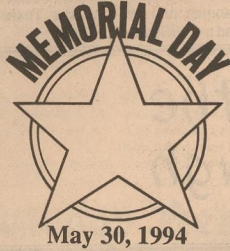
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Remembering Memorial Day

by Mary Meason

Each year every state in the Union sets aside a day to commemorate the services of the soldiers and sailors in the Civil war and since 1898, of those in the Spanish American Wars, and all wars up to the present time.

The custom arose from the practice in the South of decorating the graves of the Confederate dead. From this came the name Decoration Day. Today it is observed in all states, North and South alike, and in most of the states on the same day, May 30.

In many localities the day has come to be a commemoration for all dead, and graves even of those who were not soldiers or

sailors are decorated with flowers and wreaths.

During World War I there was a vicious battle fought in Flanders, a narrow strip of land in Northern France. That strip was used as a burial ground after the battle. There is a poem "Flanders Field" that says, "In Flanders Field the Poppies grow between the crosses row on row."

For many years red paper poppies were sold by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary to benefit Veterans in Veteran hospitals.

The poppies growing in Flanders Field were red. Each year flags are placed on the graves of Veterans of all wars on May 30, Memorial Day.

Safety Urged For Memorial Day Weekend Driving

Trooper L.B. Snider with the Department of Public Safety says, "In Texas, Memorial Day weekend signals the start of the summertime season for vacation travel". There will be increased dangers to motorists because so many people are anxious to "get away from it all". Each of us should remember that due to heavier traffic, the potential of having a traffic accident on any given holiday weekend is greater than a regular weekend; therefore we should adjust our driving habits for

the extra crowded highways this Memorial Day weekend.

All available troopers will be out with emphasis on intoxicated drivers, speeders and other serious violations. Snider suggests that motorists use preventive measures such as being rested and alert, allow safety space with other traffic, using headlights day and night to see and be seen and taking advantage of safety belts. Snider also advised if you consume alcoholic drinks to have a designated non-

drinking driver if you must travel. Preventive measures include a pre-trip check of the vehicle and driver. Vehicles should be checked for defective or worn belts, hoses, cooling systems, fluid levels and proper tire air pressure and treadwear.

With Texas motorists driving friendly by using these and other common sense methods, his could be a wonderfully memorable Memorial Day weekend. Remember, drive "Texas Friendly" and enjoy the holiday.

Event To Fete Speaker Laney



Pete Laney

John C. Anderson of Plainview, general chairman, announced a "Thanks Pete Laney" Dinner for the Texas House Speaker to be held at the Ollie Liner Center in Plainview on the evening of June 7.

Several hundred people from all over the state are expected to attend, including Lt. Governor Bob Bullock and many members of the House of Representatives. The suggested attire is western or casual. The menu includes barbecue, beans and cornbread. West Texas musician Travis Thornton will entertain. Former State Representative Ralph Wayne from the 85th district, will serve as master of ceremonies. The meal starts at 6 p.m. and the program at 7:30 p.m. For complimentary tickets in Motley County, you may contact Charles Keith at 347-2283, Jeff Thacker, 348-7249, or Furman Vinson, 469-5284.

Barbara's Bylines

If anyone in Motley County would like to have their cattle brand branded in the entry of the new offices for "TEXAS" bring your branding iron to the Tribune office by Tuesday noon, May 31. Tag them with your name and ranch name

and they will be taken to Canyon on June 1 for the Grand Opening and branding ceremony.

We hope everyone has a good Memorial Day weekend and Graduation weekend.

American Legion To Hold Memorial Services

The American Legion will hold special Memorial Services, at 8:00 a.m. May 30. A ceremony will be held and flags will be placed at the cemeteries. Every-

one will meet at the Legion building at 8:00 a.m.

Everyone is welcome. Come help remember those who served.

Motley County School Board Meets

The Motley County School Board met Wednesday, May 18 to administer the oath of office to the three new Board members, Vann Francis, Billy W. Denison, and Steve Burns. The Board also elected officers, President, Van Francis; Vice President, Randy Barton; and Secretary, Jeff Thacker.

Board approved the minutes, expenditures and reviewed the financial statement.

Other items on the agenda were as follows:

* Superintendent George Blanch will be the representative of the School District to the ESC Regional Advisory Committee.

* The 1994-95 School Calendar was approved.

* Approved the media contract for ESC Region 17.

* Opened bids for new addition construction. All bids were over the allotment the Board had set, so they opted to negotiate with the lowest bidder.

* Board went into executive session.

* Out of executive session they elected to re-hire non-contract employees.

* Set June 12 as next School Board meeting to select principal and coach positions and talk to contractor for building project.

Meeting adjourned.

Twenty-three Seniors Will Receive Diplomas Saturday Night

Twenty-three Seniors will receive their high school diplomas Saturday night when they walk across the Motley County High School stage for the last time, to enter the world on a new journey. For some, college will be the next step, some will be married this summer, and others have not yet decided what they will do next. But one thing is for sure, they are all very excited about Saturday night, when the class of 1994 will officially become exes.

Whitney Jameson, daughter of Travis and Lou Anne Jameson of Matador is the class Valedictorian. Kobbi Risser, daughter of Fred and Elaine Risser of Matador, is the class Salutatorian. Other class members are listed as follows:

Scott Everett Salsbury, son of Warner Salsbury of Roaring Springs and Shelly Salsbury of Lubbock; Joe Don Ramsey, son of Kathy Lawrence of Lubbock and

the late Joe Don Ramsey; Wendi Sue Beshirs, daughter of Marylou Grundy of Matador and Gerald Beshirs of Lorenzo; Chancey Martin, son of Randy Martin; Brooke Leah Brandon, daughter of Dan Brandon of Roaring Springs and Francis Brandon of Matador; Russell Tye Stephens son of Roy and Joanie Stephens of Matador; Jeromy Reed Jameson, son of Franklin and Susan Jameson of North-

field; Dustin Andrew Davis, son of Bob and Rosalee Davis of Matador; James Howard Martin II, son of Debbie and Howard of Matador; Leslie Shane Taylor, son of Debbie Burns and Leslie Taylor of Matador; Lyndee Spray Jameson, daughter of Joel Dean and Debra Spray of Matador; Irma Linda Gonzalez, daughter of Pete and Toni Gonzalez.

Jr. Escorts for High School graduation are Jeremy Jones, Brandon Blanch, Wendy Lancaster, Crawford Mason, Heather Turner, and Mandi Farley.

High School graduation will be held Saturday night, May 28, at 7:30 p.m.

Twenty-four 8th graders will prepare to become high school students when they receive their grade school diplomas on Friday night, May 27, at 7:30 p.m. When these kids return next year, they will be the new Freshmen.

Valedictorian is Tanya Barkley, daughter of L.J. and Eva Barkley of Matador. Salutatorian is Cobey Turner, son of Johnney and Carol Ann Turner of Flomot. Others receiving diplomas will be Kimberly Ashley, daughter of Roger and Linda Ashley of Matador; Crystal Christopher, daughter of John and Mitzi Clifton of Roaring Springs; Monica Clifton, daughter of Larry and Deirdra Clifton of Matador; Bobby Fritzer, son of LaNita Dillard of Roaring Springs; Joe Gonzalez, son of Joe and Romana Gonzalez of Matador; Aaron Green, son of Billy and Cindy Green of Matador;

Rebekah Jameson, daughter of Travis and Lou Anne Jameson of Matador; Rebecca Long, daughter of Rodney and

Nona Long of Roaring Springs; Joe Mangram and Margaret Mangram, children of George and Clara Mangram of Matador; Ryan Martin, son of Hal and Kellie Martin of Matador; Michael Meredith, son of Bennie and Connie Meredith of Roaring Springs; Steven Meyer, son of Boyd and Laura Long of Roaring Springs; LeeAnn Moreno, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moreno of Matador; Kasey Osborn, son of Dean and

Sherri Osborn of Roaring Springs; John Saldana, son of Lupe Saldana of Mata-

dor; Juan Saldana, son of Tina Hoggland of Matador; Scotty Scott, son of Debra Scott of Matador; Scott Smith, son of Chip and Ellen Smith of Matador; Jill Stanley, daughter of James and Margaret Stanley of Matador; Lou Ann Taylor, daughter of Debbie Burns and Leslie Taylor of Matador; and Richard Teague, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Teague of Matador.

7th grade escorts for 8th grade graduation will be Kandi Keltz, Keane Cruse, Matt Cox, and Blair Thacker.

School will be dismissed for the Summer on Friday, May 27 and classes will resume on Wednesday, August 17.

All Night Graduation Party Plans Finalized

The All Night Graduation Party plans have been finalized and the party will begin at 10 p.m. Saturday night, May 28. A Beach Party theme is being featured this year, with a "clam dig", and other exciting events planned.

Prize tables are set up at Matador V&S Variety in Matador and Thacker Supply in Roaring Springs. All donations are very much appreciated.

All students, grades 9-12, are invited and urged to attend. Each student may bring one guest (high school age). Doors

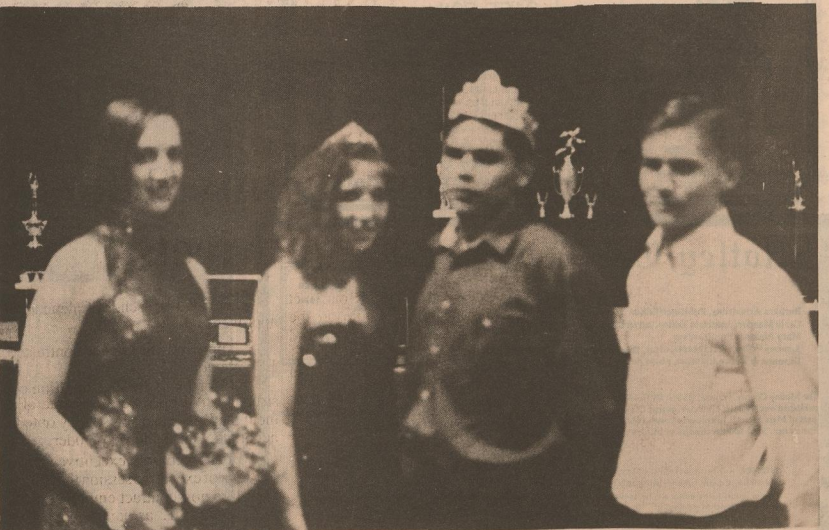
will be locked at 10:30 p.m. and parents will be called if anyone leaves after 10:30 p.m.

The Motley County P.T.O. sponsors this all-night party each year for the kids, in hopes that it will discourage drinking parties. Motley County kids are great, and have had a lot of fun at the parties in the past.

Lots of prizes are given, so most every student can win, with special prizes for Seniors.



ATHLETES HONORED — Motley County Athletes were honored at the All-Sports Banquet held last Thursday night in the high school gym. Pictured above left to right (front) are Chad Graves and Brandon Blanch, Tennis MVP's; Cody Campbell and Shane Taylor, Track MVP's; Leigh Ann Pipkin, Golf and Tennis MVP; Mindy Dodson, Don Ewing Fighting Heart, Girls Track Fighting Heart, Cross Country MVP, and Golf MVP; Frankie Ortiz, Boys Basketball Fighting Heart, Track MVP; (back l-r) Brad Thacker, Cross Country MVP and Golf MVP; Jarrod Brooks, Track MVP; and Jeremy Jones, Powerlifting MVP.



ATHLETIC ROYALTY — Named as Athletic King and Queen at last Thursday night's Sports Banquet were Frankie Ortiz and Mindy Dodson. Kobbi Risser, left was named Miss Spirit and Shane Taylor, right, received the Dayton Graham Award.

THE CLASSIFIEDS

Miscellaneous

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

ROARING SPRINGS 4-H CLUB TO SPONSOR DANCE

The Roaring Springs 4-H Club will sponsor a dance June 18 at the Old Settlers dance slab in Roaring Springs. The Crystal Creek Band of Lubbock will provide the music. Admission is \$5 per person.

AFTON CEMETERY ASSOC. TO HOLD ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE

The Afton Cemetery Association will hold their annual Memorial Day Service and business meeting at 10 a.m. in the Cemetery. Everyone who is interested is invited to attend.

HEAD START GRADUATION

The children of the Head-Start program will graduate on Friday, May 27 at the Senior Citizens Building at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited!

ATTENTION!

SIGN PAINTERS NEEDED

Anyone who can and will help paint signs, help is needed in finishing all the sponsor signs, so if you have 2 hands and a little time - we need you. Contact Seven Alexander or Vickie Smith if you can help. Any or all help you can spare is greatly appreciated.

ROARING SPRINGS RESIDENTS CAN DUMP TRASH

Roaring Springs residents can dump trash Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at the same location.

ROARING SPRINGS ASSEMBLY OF GOD TO HOST 5TH SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP

The Roaring Springs Assembly of God Church will host a 5th Sunday Fellowship, this Sunday, May 29. Sunday School services begin at 9:30 a.m. and Church services begin at 10:30 a.m. A bring a dish lunch will follow church services. Singing will begin at 2 p.m. Anyone and everyone is invited to come to any or all of the services.

1994 HOMECOMING SEPT. 9 & 10

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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The Texas Department of Transportation has scheduled a meeting to discuss transportation improvement plans for the fiscal year 1995 in Childress, Motley, Hardeman and Cottle Counties. It will be held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, June 6, 1994, in the Fair Park Auditorium, meeting room A, Childress, Texas. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

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A MESSAGE FROM THIS NEWSPAPER AND THE DPS TROOPERS

Public Notice

On March 23, 1994, GTE and Contel ("The Companies") filed applications with the Public Utility Commission of Texas ("PUC") to restructure the Companies' Switched Transport rate category and reduce the Carrier Common Line (CCL) charge of its Switched Access Service. The tariff sheets in GTE and Contel's applications, if approved, will bring the Companies' state access tariffs into structural parity with their interstate tariffs for the Local Transport rate category, which became effective on December 30, 1993.

GTE and Contel propose to implement the new tariffs on a revenue neutral basis. The Local Transport category of GTE and Contel's Switched Access Service is primarily for interexchange carriers.

Persons who wish to intervene should file a motion for intervention with the PUC by June 17, 1994 with reference to Docket No. 12866 (GTE) and/or 12865 (Contel). Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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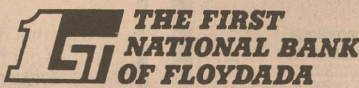
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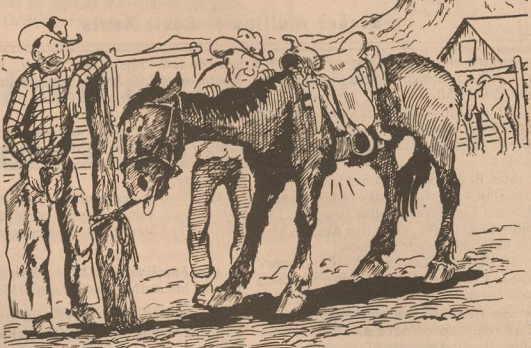
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CHILDREN AND TELEVISION ADVERTISING

During the summer months, children are likely to watch even more television than during the school year. And a large number of those TV ads promote toys.

Toys advertised on television often become important parts of a child's birthday and holiday "wish lists". The Federal Trade Commission has recently alerted parents to help children learn about toy ads on TV.

Although TV ads are an important source of information about toys for children, some children, especially the younger ones, may have trouble figuring out from an ad now a toy works outside its imaginary setting or whether toy parts are sold separately.

It is important to teach children how to evaluate toy advertisements. Some important points to consider:

Toys ads may exaggerate a toy's performance. A toy on TV may appear to make elaborate sounds or move by itself when, in fact, it cannot. You could discuss how special sound effects, production techniques, camera work, or editing can be used to enhance a toy's operation. Many ads show toys being used in make-believe settings in ways that are unrepresentative of how they work in real life. You may want to help children focus on the part of an ad showing a toy's real-life operation.

Toys may require special skills or extensive practice. In some ads, toys may look easy to play with or operate. In fact, they may require hours of practice before they can be used as shown. In addition, way to get rid of temptation is to yield to what you may want to remind children that it.

because of differing levels of skills and talents, not all toys are appropriate for all children.

Toys may not include all the pieces displayed in the ad. You may want to help a child determine what pieces actually come with a toy. Some toys may be shown with parts from more than one package while others may be depicted in elaborate play settings not readily duplicated at home. Children may want to watch and listen for such key phrases as "pieces sold separately" or "no batteries included."

Toys may have to be assembled. Toys in ads may look ready to play with when, in fact, they require assembly. In some cases, the assembly may be difficult or time-consuming. Children may want to note whether an ad states "some assembly required."

Children can learn to be skilled toy consumers. Talk with children about advertising. Encourage them to discuss with you the ads they see on TV. After you buy a toy, discuss whether it performs the way they thought it would. Ask what additional information they need about a toy before purchasing it or whether another toy would be a better buy.

As with any product, find out information about a toy before purchasing it. Carefully examine the toy and its packaging in the store or ask friends for their experiences. Try to determine how the toy actually performs, what pieces come with it, and how much assembly is required.

Check the recommended age level on the toy packaging before buying. This is the manufacturer's guide to the appropriateness of the toy and skill level required.

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age, or national origin.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: The only way to get rid of temptation is to yield to what you may want to remind children that it.

Beverly Vinson Delegate At Annual DART Convention

Mrs. Furman (Beverly) Vinson was a delegate at the 103rd annual convention of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas in Lubbock from Wednesday until Saturday afternoon, May 18-21. The three day program held at the Holiday Inn Civic Center included tours of the Lubbock area, committee reports and business meetings. It was hosted by District 10 chapters.

The Daughters were charged in 1905 by the State of Texas with preservation and upkeep of the Alamo, the no. 1 tourist attraction in Texas. It is a state owned property. However, Gail Loving Barnes, president general, told the Alamo has been selected as an item for "a major takeover by cohesive forces" outside the DART organization. The point of contention is the Alamo as a shrine, mission or a theme park. It also involved a proposal by San Antonio to permanently close a street in front of the Alamo. Mrs.

Anna Hartman of San Antonio, Alamo committee chairwoman, stated implications are that free access to the shrine would be affected.

The Daughters of the Republic of Texas will continue their 20th century defense to uphold the Alamo tradition. The DART widened its civil war with

San Antonio by drawing the 338 convention delegates into the organization's 1994 fight.

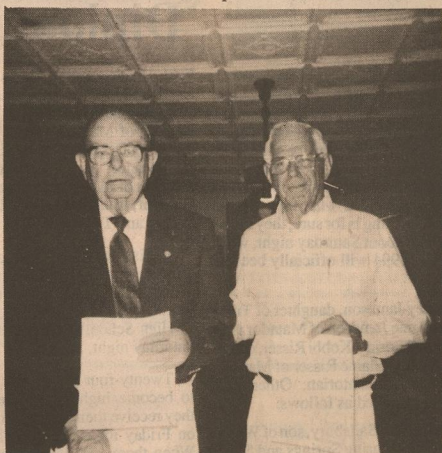
Club President Attends Spring Convention

booklet of six In Memoriam Services, installations and prayers for special occasions. These booklets were sold for the benefit of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs - Historical Foundation.

For her dedication to the Historical Foundation, Mrs. Dickson was recognized at the annual banquet and presented with a gold pin and a certificate of

appreciation. The certificate read "in appreciation for your investment in the life of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs through the TFWC Historical Foundation."

Mrs. Dickson serves as a Trustee of the Historical Foundation and is also President-elect of the Santa Rosa District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.



Matador Lodge #824 recently awarded 50 year pins and certificates to Mike Hoyle, left, and A.J. Perkins.

In the Rough
by Hazel

SCRAMBLE PLAY
Tuesday, May 17

First place (31), Ronnie Vandiver, Mark Brannon, Alfred and Louise Barton.

Second (31), Homer Martin and Cleo, Ken Marshall, Howard Edmondson.

Third (32), Laverna Price, Larry Clifton, Geneva Wilson, Joe Campbell.

Others playing were Buzz an LaVoe Thacker, Garland and Judy Cartwright, Mark and Kathleen Wason, Rancho and Dot Grundy.

Closest to the pin on #6 was Dot

Grundy, 169".

LADIES PLAY DAY
Thursday, May 19

Those playing were Louise Barton, LaVoe Thacker, Holly Clanton (a guest), Geneva Wilson, Olivia Barton, Dorothy Day. Geneva won the ball with low net, 66.

Afternoon players were Judy Renfro, Dortha Grundy, Laverna Price, Kathleen Wason, Vida Elkins, and Loys Campbell. They must have played for fun, as no winner was named.

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A MESSAGE FROM YOUR LIBRARIAN
by Wilda Dixon

Library School was held Tuesday, May 24 with the following children present: Annie Hurt, Kara Cash, Gavin Luckett, Kelsey Stokes, Kaitlyn Cash, Cagen Denison and Cade Luckett. Mrs. Donna Stokes was in charge of the program. Mrs. Lola Pohl played her keyboard for the children to sing and march.

Since this was the last Library School until fall I would like to thank the following ladies for all their help throughout this past year: Mrs. Donna Stokes, Mrs. Sharon Hinton, Mrs. Lola Pohl and all the mothers that brought their children. Thanks and appreciation from the Librarian and the Library Board.

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Worship - 9:00 a.m. Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

"Men no longer are bound together by ideas, but by interests; and it would seem as if human opinions were reduced to a sort of intellectual dust, scattered on every side, unable to collect, unable to cohere."
— Alexis de Tocquerville

We live in a nation today that is uniquely focused upon individual rights and opinions. This national interest is so strong that it dilutes any concept of an outside, absolute truth. Rather, we are instructed that each one of us is entitled to our own opinion no matter what the consequences may be.

We thus find ourselves in a massive group of individuals. We are no longer able to identify ourselves as a single unit, or in a single belief, rather we have no common bond but our differences.

Such thinking is highly toxic to Christians and the Lord's church. Our rights or opinions in matters of salvation are irrelevant. We have been saved by grace (Ephesians 2:5), therefore we are dependant upon God for our deliverance. Jesus promised that God's Truth would set us free (John 8:32), not our own ideas or strengths. We lack the wisdom to direct our own steps toward salvation (Jeremiah 10:23). We must yield to God's Trth if we are to be blessed by Him.

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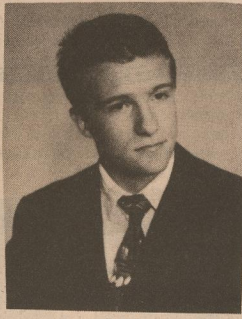
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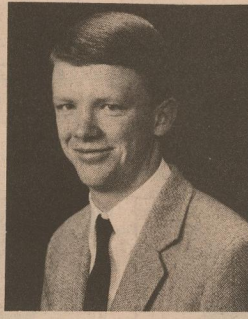
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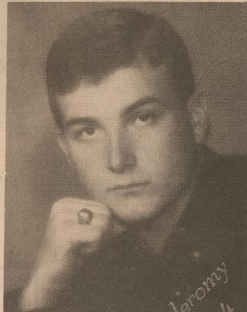
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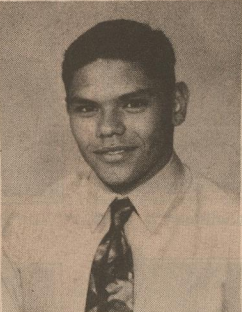
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Jennifer Beshirs

The top ten seniors for the 1994 graduating class was announced by the Motley County School this week. They are as follows:
Whitney Jameson, Valedictorian, GPA 93.78; Scott Sailsbury, 3, GPA 93.04; Dustin Davis, 4, GPA 92.85; Christie Pierce, 5, GPA 89.58; Sheryl Davis, 6, GPA 89.00; Keri Shorter, 7, GPA 88.66; Jeremy Jameson, 8, GPA 88.64; Frankie Ortiz, 9, 83.39; Jennifer Beshirs, 10, 82.72.

"A child is a person who is going to carry on what you have started. He is going to sit where you are sitting, and when you are gone, attend to those things which you think are important. You may adopt all the policies you please, but how they are carried out depends on him. He will assume control of your cities, states and nations. He is going to move in and take over your churches, schools, universities, and corporations. All your books are going to be judged, praised, or condemned by him. The fate of humanity is in his "hands".

Abraham Lincoln

Lindsey's Lines

by Lindsey Williams

The last week of school is finally at its end. It always seems to go by very slowly because we are all anxious and counting down by the minutes.

We have been kept busy with studying for and taking tests, cleaning out lockers, and turning in books.

Tomorrow, we will end the school

year with the Moving Up Ceremonies at 12:30 p.m. in the gym. Every teacher gives an award to one student in each of his or her classes. Finally, each student will "Move Up" to the seat in front of him or her which represents moving up to the next grade. Last of all we get to go home and enjoy the start of our summer vacation.

WHAT'S HAPPENING.....

MONEY DUE FOR YEARBOOKS

All students must have their yearbooks paid in full by Friday, May 27 to assure you will receive yours in the Fall.

Thursday, May 26: K-6th grade end of school picnic at the Springs Ranch.

Mrs. Crowley's pre-school program at 7:30 at the Church of Christ. School dismisses at 1:30 p.m. and busses will run at this time.

Friday, May 27: 8th Grade Graduation, 7:30 p.m.

MOVING UP Ceremony and awards program, 12:30 p.m.

School dismisses for the summer at 1:30 p.m. HAVE A GOOD VACATION.

Saturday, May 28: High School Graduation, 7:30 p.m.

All-Night Graduation Party, for grades 9-12.

For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Ephesians 2:10

Summer Baseball Schedule

	T-Ball	Softball
T-Ball Games - 6:00 p.m.		1st Softball Game - 7:00 p.m. 2nd Softball Game - 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday, May 31:	Astros vs. Rangers	Rangers vs. Braves Rockies vs. Angels
Thursday, June 2:	Tigers vs. Astros	Rangers vs. Blue Jays Braves vs. Angels
Friday, June 3:	Rangers vs. Tigers	Rangers vs. Rockies Braves vs. Blue Jays
Monday, June 6:	Rangers vs. Astros	Rangers vs. Angels Braves vs. Rockies
Thursday, June 9:	Astros vs. Tigers	Braves vs. Blue Jays Rangers vs. Angels
Friday, June 10:	Tigers vs. Rangers	Braves vs. Rockies Blue Jays vs. Angels
Monday, June 13:	Astros vs. Rangers	Braves vs. Angels Blue Jays vs. Rockies
Tuesday, June 14:	Tigers vs. Astros	Rockies vs. Blue Jays Rangers vs. Braves
Thursday, June 16:	Rangers vs. Tigers	Blue Jays vs. Angels Rangers vs. Rockies
Friday, June 17:		Rockies vs. Angels Rockies vs. Blue Jays



EDUCATION ABOUT LIFE CAN BEGIN AFTER OUR GRADUATION

Education is a wonderful thing which we all get by going at least through high school, and then on to college if we have the opportunity and the motivation for it. However, graduation can be just the beginning of a time to learn about the world we live in, because there is more to education than just preparing for our life's work. It's learning about life itself. We cannot walk down a city street, or out in the country, without learning something about nature; as well as the good and bad habits of human nature. The best place to enroll in any course about life is your House of Worship, where its lessons teach you all about the world that God made, in which he saw fit to include you in His plans to make it a better place to live for all concerned.

The best educated human being... understands most about the life in which he is placed.
— Helen Keller

"Continue now in the things which thou hast learned."
— II Timothy 3:14

Class of NINETY-FOUR

The Graduating Class

of

Motley County High School

announces the

Commencement Exercises

Saturday evening, May twenty-eighth

Nineteen hundred and ninety-four

at seven-thirty o'clock

Motley County Gymnasium



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Friday Night Fish Fry

Fried Catfish and all the fixins!
ALL YOU CAN EAT!!

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Friday & Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. and Sunday, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

We will cook for special occasions!

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Register now for drawings to be held every hour starting at 10:00 a.m. Friday, June 3, 1994.

For 20 years, DOROTHY'S has been serving your good taste with unforgettable fashions!

Join us for refreshments during our celebration!



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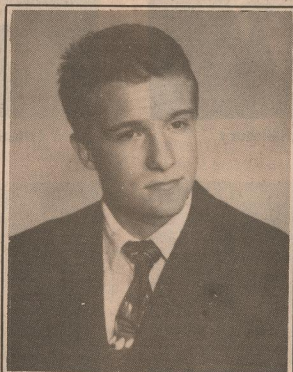
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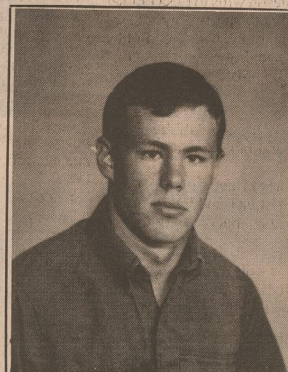
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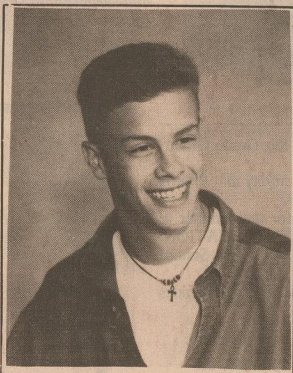
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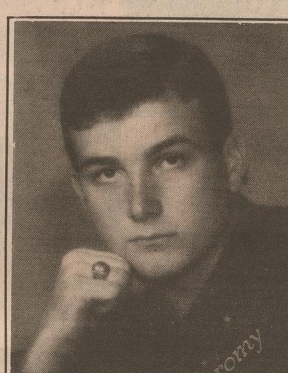
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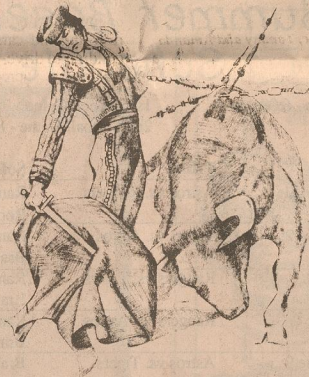
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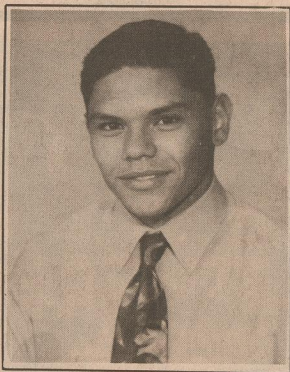
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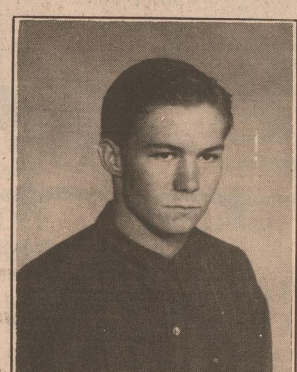
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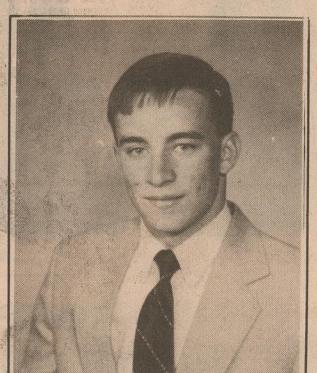
Irma Linda Gonzalez



Dustin Andrew Davis



Joe Don Ramsey



Cody Shay Barclay

1994 Class Will

We, the Seniors of 1994, being of superior minds and fabulous physiques do hereby bequeath in the year of 1994 the following treasures:

Tye Stephens, in his generous nature, leaves to Heather Turner and Mandi Farley his ability to study for hours in order to receive excellent grades.

Brooke Brandon leaves Wendy Lancaster her outstanding driving skills and her ability to talk her way out of getting tickets. She also gives Wendy her secrets for staying out of trouble.

Kobbi Risser wills her seat on the Varsity Basketball bench to anyone that can fill it as cool, calm and collected as she did.

Chance Martin being of sound mind and broken body wills his bull riding ability to another dare-devil Brandon Blanch. Have fun Brandon!

Kyle Mars, after serious thought, wills one of his famous haircuts and Girbaud jeans to Mark Lancaster.

Matt Mangram wills his study of quick grow and his height to Chad Graves.

Jeremy Jameson and Tye Stephens, better known as Worm and Skank, will to Jody Scott, better known as 4-Barrell, their ability to thrash a motor and fix it in less than 24 hours.

The Senior Girls will their ability to gossip to the Junior Girls. Keep up the good work!

Keri Shorter wills to Heather Turner her memories of their many road trips together.

Lyndee Jameson wills to Mike Miner the ability to keep a car longer than 3 weeks.

James Martin wills to his brother Don Martin his excellent driving ability and the skill to keep all 4 wheels of a vehicle on the road at the same time.

Whitney Jameson wills the dazzling smile that was willed to her last year from Shonda (Barton) Elliott to Erik Alvarado. Keep flashing those pearly whites Erik!

Mindy Dodson wills her ability to stay eligible for all them important school functions such as basketball, track, golf, etc to Conway Clary.

Scott Sailsbury would like to will his book titled "How to Have Perfect Attendance" to Amanda Latham.

On the same line Christie Pierce would like to leave Jeremy Jones her ability for never being tardy to school.

I, Sheryl Davis, would like to will my deep and undying love of Chemistry to Mandi Farley.

Brooke Brandon lovingly wills the brown station wagon to Quintin and Kyle and challenges them to break her record of stuffing 24 people into it at the same time. Good luck guys!!

Linda Gonzales wills to her cousin Juan Gonzales her loud voice and dynamic, outgoing personality. Try not to go crazy Juan!

Jody Ramsey wills to Terry Sanders and Conway Clary his most prized and valuable possession, "Maw-B". Take good care of her guys!

Mindy Dodson wants to will just a little bit of her hot temper to Crawford Mason. That should keep his and Marvina's marriage exciting for a long time.

Lyndee Jameson wills to Lesa Prather her fabulous love of sports. Enjoy Lesa!

Whitney Jameson wills to Bobby Barton and Chad Lawrence her good grades! Also all her old tests, notes and study sheets.

The Senior Boys leave to Lee Jones, better known as L.R., their ability to pull the fire alarm and not get caught - well almost never!

Jeremy Jameson and Frankie Ortiz will to Brandon Blanch and Jeremy Jones their ability to crawl out of windows and not get caught.

Shane Taylor wills to Mark Lancaster his unbelievable burst of speed on the football field and on the track.

James Martin wills to Jeremy and Scott Smith all of his "head manager" equipment and his ability for keeping Coach Graves prepared for anything.

Frankie Ortiz wills to Cody and Christie Campbell his ability to avoid getting injured during track season.

Shane Taylor wills to Brandon Blanch his fabulous deer hunting ability. Use it carefully!

Dustin Davis leaves to Chad Graves the ability to block the opposing team on the football field.

Jeremy Jameson wills to Conway Clary his talent for going to Floydada and not getting "thrashed".

Cody Barclay leaves Jody Scott, 4-Barrell, the secret of finding a girlfriend who lives within ten miles of him.

Cody Barclay and Tye Stephens leave to Mandie Carson and Brooke Parson the skill to go camping and not get lost.

Whitney Jameson leaves her position on the Computer Science team to Jeremy Jones.

Last but not least, we the Seniors of 1994 leave to the Seniors of 1995 a Senior year that is full of fun and exciting times with each other. Enjoy every minute of it. It's over before you know it. Good luck and stay out of trouble.

Senior Class Prophecy

Attending our ten year reunion, we found that the Class of 1994 had some successful outcomes. Each one of our classmates has made millions of dollars and has worked to make the world a better place in which to live.

First of all visiting with Jody Ramsey, we find that he has become a world famous artist and his art is seen along with the art work of Rembrandt and Picasso. Jody's hair became less and less with all of the hairspray and love he gave it. His physique is so incredible, he married a centerfold model, but can be seen escorting various other women around the town in the "Dragon".

James Martin took his manager experience and became a Coach. He has won four Superbowls and has Coach Graves, Coach Prather, and Coach Milam working as his managers. He has lost fifty pounds and has a loving family. James makes millions and drives a BMW. On the side, James is a race car driver and wins consistently.

After high school, Dustin Davis decided to get a Coaching job so he went to College, got his degree, and hit the road looking for a job, but he had no luck. He decided to go back to the only thing he knew he could do, carpentry. After a while, Dustin got tired of hammering so he invented a welder that would weld wood together. Dustin became famous for his invention and now has an enterprise called "B.D.'s Wood Welders."

Keri Shorter went off to college, but never lost touch with her high school sweetheart. Keri couldn't get over his red hair and so they married. Both of them became Missionaries, but Keri's wild side couldn't be settled. She packed her bags and headed to Hollywood. She became a famous dancer and made millions. She later married Stephen Baldwin.

After graduation, Brooke Brandon went to college for two years and then married Brian. Brooke and Brian made millions when they accidentally put propane in the old brown station wagon. Now the car runs perfectly. Brian's business boomed with the cheaper means of gasoline for cars and Brooke's commercial singing and dancing on top of the propane truck. Later the station wagon was transformed into the electric truck and you can see Brooke rewiring houses all over town.

Jennifer Beshirs went off to Vernon for college and developed her skills in ranch management. She became a wonderful horse rider and took over the 6666's ranch. Under Jennifer's management, the 6666's became an overnight success and is now the location for the National Finals Rodeo each year. With her love for children, she adopted 7 children, however she is still looking for the right man to share her fortunes with.

Lyndee Jameson's love of the sixties sent her off to the world of fashion. She is now a famous fashion designer and uses her daughter LeAnne as her model. After bringing the clothing styles back, Lyndee organized "Return to Woodstock" held on the Motley County football field.

Linda Gonzalez really changed. She now weighs 165 pounds and is on the police force, and is married to her partner. She lives in Lubbock and was named "Police Woman of the Year" for breaking up gang violence. She recently booked Tye for his involvement with the K.M.A. gang and because he used to call her "Big Lynn".

Tye Stephens had really big hopes. He graduated and left Matador with even bigger hopes than we imagined. He graduated from Harvard and is now a successful psychiatrist. He now owns Dickens and has made it a dry community. He claims his arrest made him a reformed man.

Jeremy Jameson went to college and later married Danika. They have eight children who are all over six feet tall. Jeremy is now the President of the First State Bank here in Matador and has built it into one of the largest banks in the country. In his spare time he works on restoring old cars and pick-ups for his children to drive.

Christie Pierce married Robert and moved to Wisconsin. They bought out the

cheese industry and are now the leading producers of chicken and turkey cheeses. On weekends, you can find Christie singing bluegrass music at the local jamborees with her three children.

Frankie Ortiz went off to play football for Midwestern State. After playing two games, an NFL scout recruited him as playing back-up quarterback for the Cowboys. Frankie won James' third Superbowl for him, and is known as the smallest NFL player ever.

Chance Martin tried his luck at bull riding professionally. He won three National Titles and bought the Rodeo Association. He frequently travels to Jennifer's 6666 Ranch to hold press conferences and to teach future bull riders his techniques.

Kobbi Risser became a successful journalist. She covers many dangerous stories and has the inside scoop on crime busts as she is also a private detective. She destroyed the Mafia and currently has exclusive coverage of White House news.

Matt Mangram became successful using his initials M.O.M. as the spokesman for Milk of Magnesia. Recently, Matt dressed as the product bottle for a commercial. In his spare time, he is the banana on the Fruit of the Loom commercials. Matt says his next project will be junk yard commercials.

Arriving in a black limo, Whitney Jameson made her appearance. She graduated from ACU with plans for the White House. She married her old boyfriend, Jeremy who is now a famous powerlifter and bodyguard. Jeremy protects Whitney, and is part of the Secret Service. She sees Kobbi regularly at press conferences. She has planned to have a class reunion at the White House with Air Force One bringing the classmates to Washington.

Whitney will be best remembered for leading a protest on the White House steps for 4-day weekends. Thanks Whitney!

Kyle Mars is in the Guinness World Book of Records for growing the longest hair ever. Shortly after receiving the award, he cut his hair and became a world famous roper. He moved to Vernon and now is in a spin-off from "Dallas", titled "Vernon". If you think J.R. was bad,

watch Kyle as he sings his way out of trouble.

Scott Sailsbury went off to college and became bored with all of his studies. He left college for the world of comedy. With his wild taste in clothing and styles, Scott married a Sinead O'Conner look-alike to go with his image. He now hosts a successful talk show titled "This Way Out World".

Feeling bad for not attending any parties with his classmates, Cody Barclay became a school teacher and now organizes and attends all school functions. In his spare time Cody is a successful PGA golfer and he and his wife Mandi have replaced Mrs. Bingham as the golf coach.

Mindy Dodson married Bradley and went off to Military life. She was alone so much, she became an obsessive housewife and has a cooking show viewed worldwide. She even does the translating for the Spanish Station.

Sheryl Davis left Matador and went off to Texas Tech. While attending Tech, Sheryl gained skills in organization and became very punctual. She has recently become the Foreign Ambassador for Africa and Japan. All of her common sense has made her a very successful person and she has a husband in every country she controls.

Wendi Beshirs married Shane after graduation and soon had a baby boy, whom they named Gunner Vandiver Shane. During the years they had four sets of twins. Wendi can be seen driving the suburban back and forth to school carrying kids to different events. In her spare time she writes books on how to raise twins successfully. Her last book was on the best seller list for four months.

Finally giving up the hunt, Shane Taylor can now be found at T&S Tire. Shane is now the sole owner and has turned the tire store into a famous chain, "Shane's Quick Stop". He leases land for his boys to hunt on. Shane buys Wendi a new Suburban every year but when he isn't around she drives the old one instead. She says old habits are hard to break.

All in all our ten year reunion was a big success. We all had fun and can't wait to see the changes for our 20 year reunion.



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Make it a day to remember and a future to be proud of!

Tommy's Garage

Tommy, Kate, Tommy and Amanda

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Congratulations
5th grade and
Senior Graduates

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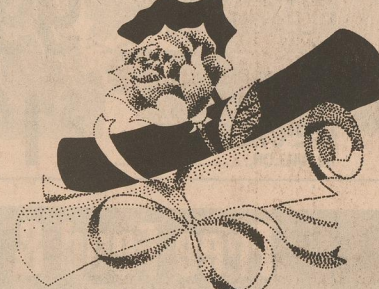
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Parents' Corner

Tips on Selecting Summer Child Care

With summer months fast approaching, many working parents are focused on the dilemma of finding quality full-time care for their young children. And, child development experts agree, one of the most important things parents can do when considering various community day care programs or camps is to assess the strength of the outdoor play and learning environment.

Contrary to popular belief, children are always learning—even when outside. A child care center with a prepared play-yard, and many outdoor activity choices, will revitalize young children and enable them to learn and grow socially, intellectually, emotionally and physically.

"A well-designed child care center's outdoor Playscape is a learning environment—an extension of the classroom where children learn, play and develop a positive self concept," says Dr. Marcy Guddemi, American President of the International Association for the Child's Right To Play and Vice President of Education and Research for KinderCare Learning Centers. "Basically, anything children do inside, they can also do outside, while enjoying the fresh air."

"For example, a well-prepared outdoor play and learning environment with elements such as trees, water, plants, flowers and small animals will fascinate children," adds Dr. Guddemi. "They will learn to appreciate nature and the outdoors while being introduced to a basic science curriculum."

Experts agree, in addition to encouraging exercise and an interest in nature, children will enjoy many other activities outdoors that stimulate them intellectually, such as reading and arts and crafts. Outdoor play also fosters emotional development when children partake in small group activities that encourage them to be involved, spontaneous and talkative. And when children engage in group dramatic play or take turns, social development is achieved.

Dr. Guddemi, who pioneered KinderCare's unique "Playscapes" outdoor learning environment and created the outdoor "summer camp" curriculum for older kids involved with KID'S CHOICE, suggests that

parents consider the following suggestions when assessing a center's outdoor facilities:

- Look for an overall design plan that offers age-appropriate areas, while inviting and integrating play across the whole yard. In addition to playground facilities, the center should offer shaded areas where children can enjoy quiet time, or pursue "messy" projects better left to the outdoors.

- The playground should offer "climbing structures" with appropriate fall zone surfaces and spacious grassy space for running, tumbling and ball playing.

- Talk to the child care center's staff about their training and expertise in creating outdoor curriculums. Find out how much time your child will spend outdoors each day. Ensure that children are always properly supervised.

- Make sure the center offers a wide-range of outdoor toys that make sandplay, waterplay and "construction" fun. Also look for structures and props that encourage dramatic and social play.



Child care centers like KinderCare that offer outdoor Playscapes and many activity choices promote summertime learning and whole child development.

Choosing a summer child care facility is an important and often involved process for families. However, making time to research centers that have strong programs, indoors and outside, will not only ensure that your child will have a great summer, but aid in his/her development process, as well.

Obituaries

G.W. Fulfer

Memorial services for George W. (G.W.) Fulfer, 74, of Santa Anna, CA formerly of Matador, were held Monday, May 16 at 1:30 p.m. in Town & Country Manor Chapel, Santa Anna. Interment was in Memory Memorial Gardens, Brea, CA.

He died at 3 a.m. Wednesday, May 11, 1994 in Town & Country Manor Care Unit after a lengthy illness of Parkinson's disease.

He grew up in Matador, where he was born April 19, 1920, and graduated from Matador High School in 1938. He married Goldie Thomas in March of 1942. He served in the U.S. Air Force for three years during World War II, being awarded some 10 medals, including the Purple Heart. After his discharge, Fulfer attended Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, and Eastern N.M. College, Portales, N.M. Graduating there, he went to Golden Gate Baptist Seminary, Berkeley, Ca.

After his graduation from the seminary he entered the U.S. Naval Air Force as a Chaplain, serving 37 years. He con-

tinued to live in San Diego, CA after retiring until three years ago, when he moved to Santa Anna. He was a Baptist and was ordained to the ministry by the First Baptist Church, Matador.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mallie and Velma (Groves) Fulfer, and a sister, Alla Mae Newberry, May, TX. His grandparents, George and Ann (Davis) Fulfer and John A. and Minnie (Hancock) Groves were Motley County pioneers.

He is survived by his wife, Goldie of Santa Anna, CA; two sons, Robert and Mark, both of San Diego, CA; two brothers, Rev. Norris Fulfer of Placentia, CA; and Elwyn Fulfer of Lubbock; one sister, Chloye (Leslie) McCowen of Lubbock, and three grandsons of San Diego, CA. Suggested Memorials: Parkinson Foundation, Town and Country Manor, 555 East Memory Lane, Santa Anna, CA 92706, or Rose Drive Baptist Church, 4572 Rose Drive, Yorba Linda, CA. 92686.

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Thank you to everyone who helped with the Youth Mini-Olympics. Your support and cooperation is greatly appreciated.

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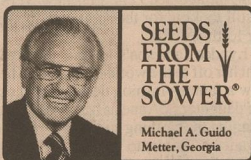
Thanks to Billy Osborn for grating the baseball field. It sure looks nice! Also, if you haven't been by the field go by and see all the sponsor signs - it sure makes the field look different!

MCYO

The calls, cards, visits and prayers of our friends and family during the hospital stay and at home after C.D.'s knee surgery were a great help to us and are appreciated.

C.D. and Evelyn Garrison

Thank you for reading the Motley County Tribune



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Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

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ASCS News

by Billy Wayne Denison
County Executive Director

HAY/GRAZING OF ACR AND CU FOR PAY APPROVED

The County Committee was notified May 23 that Motley County has been approved for emergency haying and grazing of ACR and CU for Pay acres under the 1994 Annual Reduction Program. Because of the conditions that caused supplemental feeding above normal during the winter and spring, hay stocks were reduced significantly. The restricted period begins June 1st and ends October 31st. The County Committee also requested that CRP acres be released also, but this request was denied at this time. To my knowledge, there has been no counties approved for Emergency Haying and Grazing of CRP acres anywhere.

Producers that want to hay and graze ACR and CU for acres must file an application with this office BEFORE any haying and grazing takes place during the restricted period.

Some of the restrictions are as follows: The producer shall not:

- (1) Remove cover to the extent the land is exposed to wind and water erosion.
- (2) Harvest approved covers for grain or seed.
- (3) Hay or graze wildlife food plots.
- (4) Hay or graze wildlife habitat.

(5) Hay or graze alfalfa that is or could be irrigated.

(6) Hay or graze locally approved program crops or mixtures containing program crops.

(7) Cover established with ACP funds until the growth is well established.

(8) Small grain crops allowed to remain standing.
If the participant sells standing or harvested hay, or leases the grazing privilege to a livestock producer, the producer will obtain from the livestock producer a signed statement that the livestock producer will not resell the hay or subrent or sublease the grazing privilege to anyone and that the hay or grazing will be used only to feed livestock owned or leased by that livestock producer.

This approval will allow Motley County producers to continue grazing any small grain grazing they may still have (except small grain left standing) and will also allow producers to plant haygrazer (non-hegari mixtures or any other grain sorghum mixtures) on these acres for grazing and/or hay. Inaccurate certifications or failure to make application and complete necessary paperwork could be very costly, so remember to take care of this promptly to avoid contract terminations.

If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything.
—Mark Twain



Pessimism has given way to guarded optimism on the High Plains with the arrival of beneficial rain showers over the past 10-12 days. According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) rainfall amounts ranging from 1.5 to 7 inches were recorded.

Planting progress across the area has been running behind what is considered normal for the High Plains because of the dry subsoil conditions that existed over most of the area prior to the recent rains. It is estimated that round 25 percent of the 1994 crop has been planted at this time PCG officials expect that as soon as fields are dry enough producers will be able to quickly get most of the remaining cotton acreage planted.

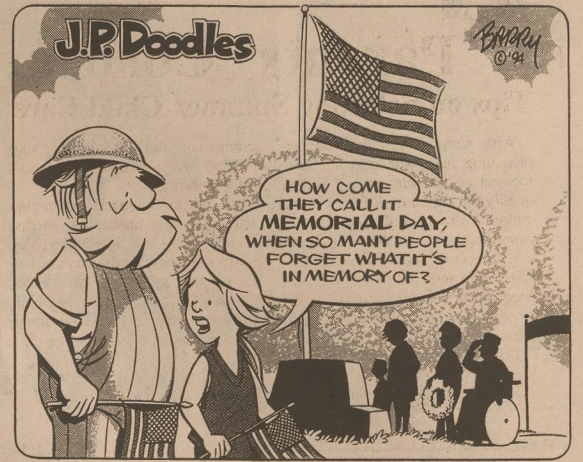
"The rainfall we received during the past two weeks has really made a difference in the type of start we are going to get with the 1994 crop," explains Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "We are now in a much better position to get this year's crop established and off to a good start than we were before the rain. Unfortunately there are still some areas that missed out on the majority of the good rainfall."

Johnson explains that some areas have only gotten in the neighborhood of 1-2 inches in the past few weeks which, although helpful from the standpoint of planting and establishment, did nothing to alleviate the shortage of stored subsoil moisture necessary to make a good crop. He notes that these areas are still in need

of further moisture in order to have a chance of taking the crop to harvest successfully.

One aspect of the dry weather that has delayed the bulk of planting operations until now is the benefit to be derived from an insect standpoint. PCG Boll Weevil Program Coordinator Roger Haldenby notes that the dry conditions essentially created a delayed uniform planting across the entire area and that because of the generally late start boll weevils emerging from overwintering habitat will have to wait even longer to find suitable feeding and reproductive sites.

Dry conditions still exist in some of the southern and western areas of the High Plains, even though producers in these areas have generally received enough moisture to plant.



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

Matthew 6:33

Good Luck & Success!



May the future hold many successes!

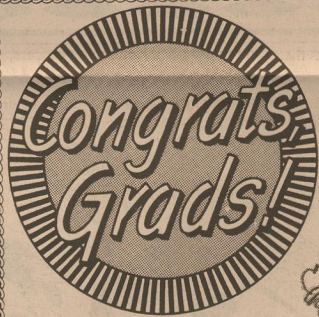
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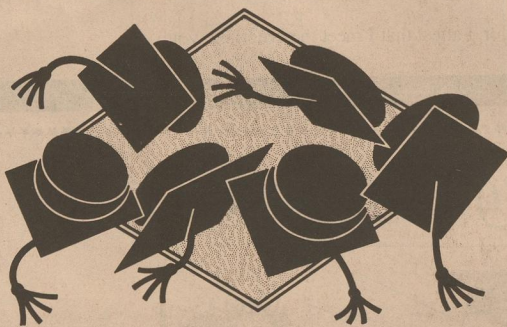
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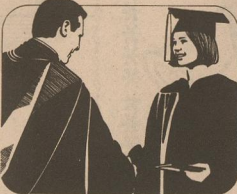
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4-H MEMBERS COMPETE AT DAIRY JUDGING CONTEST - Motley County 4-H members recently competed in the Wise County Dairy Judging Contest in Decatur. In the Junior Division, Ryan Martin shared a 3-way-tie for first place high point individual. After the tie-breaker, Ryan was awarded 3rd place high point individual overall. In the Senior Division, Dustin Davis was awarded 2nd high point individual and Christie Pierce was 10th high individual. The team placed 3rd overall in the Senior Division. Team members consisted of Cobey Turner, Kobbi Risser, Christie Pierce, and Dustin Davis.

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Social Security Tips

by Terry Richardson

ONE GOOD REASON TO BELIEVE IN SOCIAL SECURITY'S FUTURE

I was recently asked a tough question, which in itself is not unusual. As the manager of the Plainview, Texas Social Security Office, I'm asked a lot of difficult questions about the sometimes complex rules and regulations that provide the framework for the programs we administer.

But last week, a young "twenty-something" taxpayer asked me to give her one good reason why she should believe that Social Security will be there for her when she reaches retirement age. And she told me that when she said "one good reason," she meant just one.

That's what made the question tough. Because it would have been easier for me to give her a dozen good reasons why young people should believe in the future of Social Security. I could have talked about how Social Security benefits for future generations will be financed. I would have explained the concept of "social insurance" (which is what Social Security really is) and how it differs from private retirement funds. I might have mentioned the importance of disability and survivors benefits and stressed their value to young and middle-aged workers. These are just several of the many reasons I could have given to help convince her that Social Security would be there for her when she needs it.

But to sum up all the confidence I have in the future of Social Security into just one argument was a tough assignment. I thought about it for a minute and came up with one. Here it is: Social Security will always be here - for current and future generations - because we are a civilized society and, as such, we believe it's important to provide a basic level of

support for the elderly, for people with disabilities, and for the family members of a breadwinner who dies prematurely. In fact, every civilized society on this planet - 145 countries at last count - recognizes this same responsibility and provides Social Security programs for its citizens, too.

The Social Security program in the United States has changed and improved many times - to adapt to economic, demographic, and social trends - since the original law was passed in 1935. It will continue to change and improve in the next century. But a social insurance system that provides retirement, disability and survivors benefits will always remain the cornerstone of America's income maintenance network.

DPS Urges Caution For Summer Driving

School's out and children are running and playing everywhere. Trooper L.B. Snider of the Texas Department of Public Safety wants to remind you that with the Texas schools letting out our highway systems will be loaded with people taking their vacations and going to their favorite place of recreation.

Snider also reminds us that with our city driving, we need to be especially watchful for our children. "With the excitement of playing, children seem to

forget the rules of safety and sometimes dart into the street in pursuit of a misguided toy or ball. While driving in our residential areas be especially watchful for our smaller children," he said.

"In order to make this an accident free summer vacation, we need to take a more mature attitude towards safe driving. Let us all remember to slow down a little and live a lot by driving defensively each and every day this summer while school is out!" he added.

And now abide faith, hope and love. These three, but the greatest of these is love.

I Cor. 13:13

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) Dickens-Motley Area Committee election this year will be held on June 26, 1994. The ballot below must be filled out, detached and mailed and received or returned in person to FmHA Office, 314 Willard Ave., Spur, Texas no later than June 26, 1994. If you do not vote in person you should mail your ballot inside a blank envelope marked ballot to ensure a secret ballot. This blank envelope should be placed inside the envelope you use to mail your ballot. Your name and address must be legible on the outer envelope. Failure to provide this information will render your ballot invalid. Only one ballot may be voted in person or by mail by any voter. Votes in envelopes containing more than one absentee ballot will not be counted. Ballots and envelopes may also be obtained from your local FmHA Office.

The slate of nominees for Dickens/Motley are listed in the ballot below. The qualifications of persons voting are described in the "Voter Certification Statement." For further information regarding voting and voter eligibility, see the county office listed above. FmHA elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/or handicap.

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VOTER CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Subpart W of Part 2054 of Title 7, Code of Federal Regulations requires that all eligible voters for FmHA county or area committee elections meet the following eligibility requirements: (a) be farmers or spouses of farmers; and (b) have their principal farming operation within the county or area for which the election is being held.

By submitting this ballot, I attest that I meet the criteria to vote.



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News Around Motley County

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wade of Sunset, Texas were Friday overnight visitors with her sister, Mrs. Billie Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis attended funeral services for Minnie Davis, the wife of Jack's cousin, Allen Davis in Rule Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Beth Hinson returned home Thursday of last week after a visit with her two sons, Bob and Jim Raven, and her daughter, Dod Einkauf and family, in the San Antonio area. Her son, Jim, brought her home.

Mrs. Dorothy Lee took Mrs. Ora Stonecipher to Crosbyton Friday to keep a doctor's appointment.

Mrs. Beth Hinson accompanied by her son Jim Raven continued her tests in the Crosbyton Clinic Hospital Monday of this week.

Miss Lula Swin returned last week from her tour of England, Scotland, and Wales. She was met in Lubbock by Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swin.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Easter, owners of City Grocery, have rented the R.C. Giesecke farm house, formerly the Ferguson home, and are getting it ready to move in to.

Visiting Mrs. Roxie Lewis today are her

sister-in-law, Mrs. J.M. Sibley, Sr. of Beaumont and the latter's daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Bill Frazier of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Lillian Thacker who had been a patient for several days in Methodist Hospital for diagnosis and treatment returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Tom Yeates returned home last week after having minor surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Mr. Yeates accompanied her.

Mrs. John Barnhill of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Marshall Monday.

Odessa Mullins and Bess Ferguson visited Mrs. Mullins' granddaughter, Teresa Riojas in Methodist Hospital Plainview Sunday afternoon, also her husband, Raul, and daughter Kisha, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mullins. She also visited in Floydada with cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodnight. They have just returned home here after spending the winter at their California home. His brother, Ray, passed away in California and they accompanied the body to Gyman, OK for graveside services last week.

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

KERI SHORTER IS HONORED WITH GRADUATION COURTESY

Keri Shorter, a 1994 Motley County High School graduate, was honored with a graduation courtesy Sunday evening, May 22 in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church in Flomot. The spiritual message by the Rev. Nathan Mulder and the inspirational solo, "Hold On To Years" sung by her mother, Mrs. Clois (Kathy) Shorter were dedicated to Keri. The honoree's school colors of red and black complimented draped white cloths on tables with red and black streamers. The centerpiece were geranium bouquets in MCHS red and black football helmets adding to the colorful decor. On a large bulletin board were memorable pictures of Keri from a baby to the present time. She was presented a Bible and a beautifully decorated cake with the inscription, "Congratulations, Keri".

A cook-out supper, banana freezer ice cream, cake and soft drinks were served. Those attending included her family, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Cindy and Christi, great-grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tula and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter of Flomot. Other attending were Salina Shorter of Floydada; Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder of South Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Carson of Turkey; Anita Hunter Carter of Lubbock; Mrs. Shanna Shaffer of Plainview; Miss Tonya Moss of Decatur; Mrs. Carolyn Ewing and Coach Dwan Milam of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond, Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Tanner and Kelsey and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Gutierrez nee Carmela Santos, former resident of Flomot, of Saganaw, Michigan visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond, Saturday. They were en route to San Diego, CA. Also visiting was Art Green of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rogers of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers.

Visiting Mrs. C.W. Starkey from Tuesday until Monday was her daughter, Mrs. Nola Mary Long of Winnemound, OK. She accompanied Mrs. Starkey to Amarillo, Thursday for cataract eye surgery. They visited overnight Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Z.D. Starkey before returning home Friday.

Those participating in the BCI Summer Basketball League games held during the weekend at Monterey High School in Lubbock were Casey Parks of Roaring Springs and Dodie Morris and Leah Cruse of Flomot. Girls from Plainview, Olton and Hale Center compete in the games. Tim Lane of Plainview is the local girl's coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee visited in Carlsbad, N.M., Saturday with niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones and Mrs. Jessica Lloyd and son, Conner and with nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Skinner, Lacy and Alexandra. They visited

Sunday in Mayhill, N.M. with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Raines and guests, Mr. and Mrs. David Henderson of Roswell, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter attended the graduation ceremony of Scott Shaffer Saturday afternoon at the Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. Visitors in the Hunter home, Sunday were greatnieces, Mrs. Scott (Shanna) Shaffer of Plainview and Tonya Moss of Decatur and daughter, Mrs. Anita Hunter Carter of Lubbock. Mrs. Carter visited overnight Sunday in Quitaque with her grandfather, H.G. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon visited in Plainview, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Fay Rogers.

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada, Mary Ellen Barton, Viola Stinson and Mrs. Wade Clay were in Lubbock, Thursday for Viola medical tests and to attend to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin met daughter, Marilee Pilcher of Fritch in Plainview, Friday to attend the Fritch and Muleshoe baseball play-off game. Fritch advanced to the regional play-off competition.

Mrs. Pete Moreno has returned home from Lubbock following recent surgery. She is reported to be doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris attended the Summer League basketball games in Lubbock, Sunday in which granddaughters, Krysha Lane of Plainview and Dodie Morris of Flomot played. They attended the Little Olympics in Matador, Saturday in which granddaughters, Annie Green of Matador and Rebecca Morris of Flomot competed in track events.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey visited the weekend in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey and in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Gilbert attended the wedding ceremony of Kay Merrell and Shane Howe, Saturday at First Baptist Church in Quitaque. They attended the reception held at Turkey Hotel.

Art Green visited in Matador, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and his father, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque were in Plainview, Monday and again, Thursday for dental and medical appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Astenga of Apple Valley, Calif. arrived Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aieda Elaine, Mr. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Astenga visited in Crowell, Monday with relatives and friends.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD
Today's preparation determines tomorrow's achievement. ***

ATTEND WIZARD OF OZ STAGE PRODUCTION

Mrs. Carol Ann Turner and other Motley County School teachers, Mrs. Donna Hoyle and Mrs. Karen Davis of Matador and Mrs. Pam Thacker of Roaring Springs accompanied students from Kindergarten through the third grade to Lubbock, Saturday morning, April 26th. They attended the stage production of the Wizard of Oz at the Municipal auditorium. They had lunch in Plainview and enjoyed the amusements at Kiddville Park before returning to their respective homes.

Mrs. Spencer (Wilda) Dixon was in Lubbock, Saturday to attend an executive board meeting of the Caprock District Federation of Women's Club. It was held in the Lubbock Club and administration business was finalized. Mrs. Dixon served as 2nd vice president.

Visiting Mrs. Kathryn Martin, Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Billingsly of Midland and Guy Kimbell of Amarillo. Mrs. Martin visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin.

Mrs. Geney Stan en route from Dallas to her home in LaPlata, N.M. visited from Wednesday until Friday with her mother, Mrs. Rosa Spray. Guests of Mrs. Spray from Friday until Sunday were granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Whitlock, Katilyn and Brandon of Garland. They also visited in

Matador with Mrs. Arrie Aulick. Michael Clawson of Matador and Johnny Turner and son, Cobey were in Roby, Sunday to get a calf for 4-H project that Cobey won in the calf scramble at the Houston Livestock Show.

Clyde Ray of Spur and Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett and mother, Mrs. Vesta Cooper were in Lubbock, Thursday for Mrs. Cooper a medical appointment. Monday, Mrs. Ruth Stafford of Matador and Mrs. Shacklett and Mrs. Cooper were in Plainview attending to business.

Mrs. Lula Swin of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Juanita Cooper returned home, Saturday following a ten day vacation tour that included historical, scenic and tourist attractions in England, Wales and Scotland. Mrs. Kay Dunnam of Amarillo visited her mother, Mrs. Cooper, Sunday.

THANK YOU!

We thank Jim and Wanda Stockton for the needed shredding and mowing they did at the Whiteflat Historical Marker site this week. The interest and help of local residents at this location is truly appreciated! Many tourist stop and comment it is one of the nicest markers they have seen. A family en route to New Mexico, Sunday said if there was a bench under the many shade trees there, they would stay awhile because it was so inviting.

Mrs. Johnny Turner and daughter, Heather, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luckenbach of Silverton celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Turner, Sunday at the Sportsman Cafe in Quitaque.

For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Ephesians 2:10

Matador News

Mrs. C.M. Barton attended the high school graduation exercises in Ft. Worth for her grandson, Brae Barton. Brae graduated from Boswell High School in Ft. Worth May 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green had as their guests last weekend Jimmy and Avis (Kimball) Billingsly of Midland; Guy Kimball, who recently moved to Whiteflat; Lennie Stan of Daingerfield; and Cecil Slover of Earth. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green also visited the group.

ATTEND AWARDS CEREMONY
Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Cooper and son, Jim,

attended the Methodist Hospital Awards Presentation and Banquet at the Civic Center in Lubbock on May 19. Their daughter, Nancy received her five year pin. Awards were given for 5 to 40 years. Nancy attended the Rehabilitation Institute.

William D. Potec, Administrator of the Hospital gave a brief history of the Methodist Hospital from its beginning to the present time. Three hundred and forty-two awards were presented.

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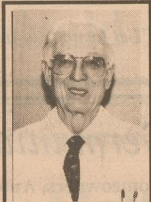
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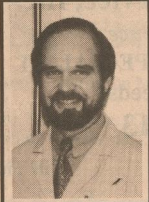
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