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1898 Diary Recounts Difficulties



By Marisue Potts

In 1882 the Matador Land and Cattle Company controlled one million acres in four counties, Motley, Floyd, Dickens, and Cottle. At that time the Scottish syndicate ran about 40,000 head of cattle, 14 yoke oxen, and 265 horses. Twenty-five line camps were in use. As many as one hundred-fifty employees were hired in the busy season. Branding crews made of 15 to 20 men each would brand 300 to 400 calves a day, or 18,000 to 25,000 calves annually.

Running such a ranch was a staggering proposition; the hardships, natural and man-made, were overwhelming. In 1898 into this situation came Arthur G. Ligertwood, thirty-five year old Scottish immigrant, as ranch superintendent of the Matador Division. His Ranch Manager's Diary of 1898, now in the research facility of the Southwest Collection, Texas Tech, Lubbock, provides an insight into the problems facing the men in the cattle industry of those early days.

Personnel problems began early in his tenure. Ranch manager Murdo Mackenzie dictated some very strict rules to the ranch hands accustomed to a free-wheeling lifestyle and expected Ligertwood to carry out his prohibitions against drinking, card-playing, cattle ownership by employees. A ranch hand was forbidden to be married, and many quit when they found a sweetheart. Some quit to prove-up land on their own. Ligertwood tersely records without giving a specific reason why that "Jim Meador quit." (January 24, 1898.)

Settlers caused the ranch an untold amount of trouble. They trampled and overran the range in search of free school land. Some cut fences and started fires, as they did in 1906 when a hired Pinkerton detective got the goods on the guilty parties. When hands Smith and Baldo were coming in from moving 1200 cattles from Salt Creek they reported a prairie fire which had burned about one half of the plains. (January 27, 1898.) In the fall fires were noted on the plains and in the Turtlehole pasture, (October 1, 1898) but whether caused by settlers, lightning, or the dry conditions, the diarist does not speculate.

Since the Scottish syndicate's board of directors required detailed records from their managers concerning day to day affairs, Ligertwood's daily entries detailed for them the problems associated with running such a big ranch in the shadows of the Caprock.

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Roaring Springs Business Has New Owners

Announcement has been made that Mr. and Mrs. Craig Anson of Roaring Springs have purchased the Roaring Springs Laundry from Mrs. L. A. Mullins.

The Ansons will not be making any changes at this time, but plans for additional service are

in the making and will be announced at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson would like to express their appreciation to Mrs. Mullins for her assistance and to thank her for her many years of service to the community.

Jenifer Davis and Tricia Palmer

Headed For State 4-H Roundup

Two 4-H'ers from Motley County will be taking part in the 1985 State 4-H Roundup, June 4-6, at Texas A&M University at College Station.

The county's 4-H members will be among some 1,600 from across Texas taking part in a host of activities.

Jenifer Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis, will compete in Home Environment Educational Activity Demonstration contest, and Tricia Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer, will compete in the Focus on Health Demonstration contest.

Activities the first day will include the State 4-H Food Show and State 4-H Project Show. Thirty-nine contests will be conducted the second day. Roundup activities will conclude the career workshops the final day.

The opening assembly for Roundup will begin at 7 p.m. June 4, with the recognition of 99 outstanding 4-H members who will receive scholarships totaling more than a half million dollars. Two 4-H alumni and four long-time supporters of the 4-H program also will be recognized with special awards from the Texas 4-H Foundation.

A special luncheon on June 5 will recognize 28 outstanding 4-H adult volunteer leaders from across the state who will receive special plaques from the Texas 4-H Foundation. Roundup contest winners will be recognized at a special assembly that evening at 8 o'clock.

4-H'ers competing in the State Food Show and Roundup contests must qualify by winning in county and district competition. State Project Show is open to all 4-H youth who are interested in preparing exhibits about particular project areas in which they have excelled.

What Is An Emergency Medical Technician?

(Recently published in The Ralls Banner.)



An EMT is the man or woman who lives next door and is the one called when you have a medical problem.

An EMT is a woman that puts her family's dinner on hold when she is called to help a person in need.

An EMT is a person who leaves their dinner or party guests to render aid.

An EMT is a person who leaves the comfort of their home at any time day or night, in all kinds of weather to help others.

An EMT is a neighbor who is called to your house when your child has overdosed and the other neighbors never hear of your child's problem.

An EMT is a person who risks their own life in the middle of the street during a driving rainstorm trying to save your life.

An EMT is a person that stands waist deep in a drainage ditch full of water trying to stabilize a broken body.

An EMT is a person who carries all sorts of medical equipment, in the August heat, for a quarter of a mile or more to help someone and knowing, all the while, that they will have to carry both the patient and the equipment back to the ambulance.

An EMT is a person who is called out of their home in the middle of the night and cannot go back to sleep because of the trauma they have seen, knowing that they will have to go to work and take care of their own family the next day with little or no sleep and there being no guarantee that the same thing will not happen again the next night.

An EMT is a person who carries stomach sedatives and mouth wash so they can settle their stomach and get the foul taste out of their mouth after giving CPR to a person who has thrown up in a full beard.

An EMT is a person who runs into a storm door in the dark of night and wonders what the "h---" happened.

An EMT is a person who gets kicked in the face while trying to help a drunk or an overdose victim.

An EMT is a person who remains calm and renders life

saving aid when all they can see are broken and torn bodies.

An EMT is a person who frantically tries to wash the blood off of their hands and face while enroute to another emergency so that they will not frighten the patient or the patient's family when they arrive to render aid.

An EMT is a person who continues to walk toward the scene when all they want to do is to turn around and run in the other direction.

An EMT is a person who has seen more suffering and death than any person should have to experience.

An EMT is a person who cries when they are unable to save a patient.

An EMT is a person who laughs with joy when they deliver a baby and goes to the hospital on a day off to see "their" baby.

An EMT is a person who risks their life driving in the rush hour traffic to find out that it was only a prank call.

An EMT is a person who goes home and gives their own child a little extra loving after seeing a child die.

An EMT is a person who cannot get the smell of a horribly burned victim out of their nose, hair and clothes.

An EMT is a person who gets mad at a suicide victim because they were not given a chance to help.

An EMT is a person who knows that they will probably be injured enroute or on a scene at some point in their career.

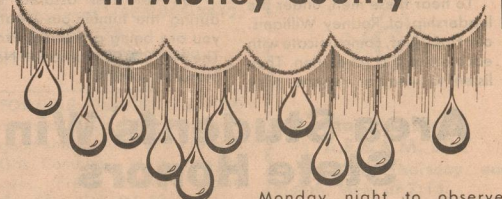
An EMT is a person who pulls a fever thermometer out of their own mouth when a call comes in and runs out into a cold rain to help someone. When they return home with a chill and pick up their thermometer, they see 101 degrees on it.

An EMT is a person who goes into a pit of raw sewage to help a trapped victim.

An EMT is a person who cares.

So, when you are awakened in the middle of the night by the sound of thunder, the flash of lightning and the pounding of rain on your roof and hear a siren scream in the night you know that EMTs will be risking their lives trying to help some unknown stranger. Will you, then, take a moment to offer a prayer and silently give them a "thank you" before turning over in your warm bed and falling back to sleep?

Rough Weather In Motley County



By Patsy Tippin

Severe weather has plagued Motley County the last few days beginning at 9:00 p.m. Saturday night when Matador Volunteer Fire Department cloud watchers reported golf ball size hail near Flomot. Also pea to marble size hail was 3 to 4 inches deep on the ground northeast and east of Matador with 2 to 4 inches of rain recorded. Highway U.S. 70 at the Jameson Lake area had to be closed temporarily due to the water on the road.

Tornado Reported

A tornado was reported by the National Weather Service on radar at approximately 11:15 p.m. Saturday 5 miles east of Roaring Springs. Damage was reported by citizens 6 miles east of Matador and in the Russellville area from this possible tornado.

Clouds Monday Night

After a hot humid day, the cloud watchers returned to duty

Monday night to observe turbulent clouds in northeast Motley County. The National Weather Service had reported that this system had indications of strong up-drafts and large hail.

This system continued to develop moving into Cottle County where it produced two funnel clouds northwest of Paducah.

Alert System Reminder

Rodney Williams, Chief, reminds Motley County citizens "to listen to severe weather statements broadcast through the Matador Alert System. Weather conditions within the county will be reported regardless of severity. Weather conditions which are not life threatening, therefore not requiring that you take shelter, will also be broadcast."

Williams also said that "severe weather requiring preventive measures will also continue to be reported as they develop."

Wisdom Is Key To Knowledge Class Told At Baccalaureate

Wisdom is the key to knowledge and more to be desired than silver or gold, graduates of Motley County High School were told Sunday night in a baccalaureate address at the First Baptist Church. Speaker was Rev. Philip Sams, pastor of the Roaring Springs First Baptist Church.

"Wisdom is knowledge of God," the speaker stressed. "It is also knowledge of the world, and understanding that knowledge. It is liking what you learn, and applying that knowledge to your life. We get wisdom from God, and from His word."

The minister read from the book of Proverbs, chapter 9,

following the thought advanced in the previous scripture, chapter 8:10-21, which was read by Christine Guerrero, a member of the class.

He followed with further admonitions, to parents and to children. "Parents, listen to your children, and listen to God. Children, listen to God and to your parents. Wisdom is listening."

Processional and Recessional marches were played by Mrs. Howard Traweck. Invocation was by Mrs. Devonne Dillard, and benediction by Randall Eddleman. Congregational singing interspersed the program.

Commencement Program Monday For the Class of 1985

Diplomas were awarded the thirteen graduates of Motley County High School in a Commencement program Monday night, held also at the First Baptist Church.

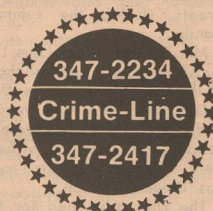
Hayden Moore, High School Principal, presented awards to high ranking students. These included the Lions Citizenship award which went to Christine Guerrero, class salutatorian. She also received college scholarship awards, having the second highest average grade in the senior class. Chad Stephens received scholarship awards to several colleges and universities as class valedictorian for the highest grade point made by a senior. The award for the highest grade point scholastics in high school went to Paul Block, a junior student. Other awards were presented in a school assembly.

The program included

Invocation by Mrs. Gale Stafford; Salutatory Address; Class Poem by Janice Brown; Valedictory Address; Presentation of Honors; School Song, led by seniors; Presentation of Class by Charles N. Johnson, Superintendent of Schools; Presentation of diplomas by Bobby Williams, Secretary of the Board of Trustees, and benediction by Ronald Richards.

Mrs. Howard Traweck played the processional.

In addition to the valedictorian and salutatorian, other class members were John Alan Meador, President; Joe Zarate Jr., Vice President; Janice Brown, Secretary; Darla Dru Smith, Treasurer; Christine Guerrero, Reporter; Donna Kay Warren, Representative Student Council; Russell Glidewell, Yancy Jay Meredith, James Wallingsford, Jelene Long, La Juana Marshall and Tammy Welty.



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Jo Ann's

Jots & Jingles

Let's applaud our weather watchers!!!

I have a new scanner and not until last Saturday and Monday when we were threatened with the tornado watches and warnings, did I realize the extent that we in Motley County are protected by our faithful and persevering weather-watchers.

To hear these men, under the leadership of Rodney Williams, our Fire Chief, communicate with each other is a revelation. They listen to weather reports, they

describe the cloud formations, they risk themselves in hail and wind and high water. If they lose communication with one watcher, they frantically call him until communication is re-established or another weather-watcher finds him. Their camaraderie is something to behold!!

You can rest assured that during the tumultuous weather you are being protected. Proof: The May 1, 1984 tornado!! Need more be said??

Area Students Win State Honors

Six students from the piano class of Mrs. Howard Traweek attended the State Federated Contest held at Mary Hardin Baylor University in Belton on May 18. Awards were as follows:

Desiree Bowden, Lavenia Bowden, Caryn Cave and Aimee Martin all received the rating of Outstanding, which was the highest rating given at State this year. De De Freemyer received the grade of Superior. Lori Freemyer who participated in the Moderately Difficult Division received the grade of Excellent. Desiree and Lavenia are the

daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowden of Roaring Springs. Caryn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Cave of Spur. De De and Lori Freemyer are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Freemyer of Jayton.

In addition, Aimee Martin was judged best in the state of Texas in the Pre-Primary Division for her performance, and was awarded the highly coveted All State Winner Plaque. She also received the honor of participating in the All State Winners Recital. Aimee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Martin of Spur.

Vacation Bible School Next Week At Baptist Church

Vacation Bible School will begin this Monday, June 3rd at First Baptist Church, Matador. The school will be from 8:30-11:30 each morning June 3-7. Classes will be provided for students age 4 thru 6th grade. There will be a commencement program Friday, June 7, at 7:30 P.M. All parents are invited to come and see what the students have learned.

Everyone is invited to VBS. Registration will be Saturday, June 1st at 9:30 a.m. at the church.

A parade with a fire truck will follow registration. All youngsters are encouraged to decorate their bicycles and ride in the parade.

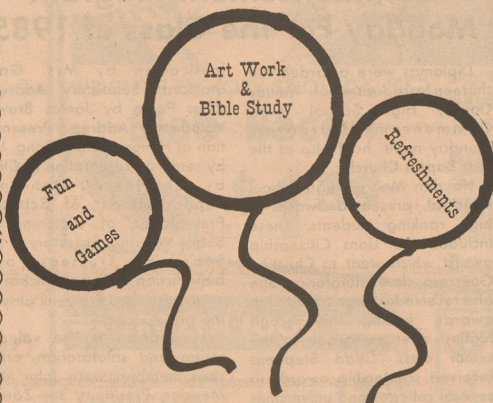
Assembly of God Church Welcomes You!



Sunday - 10:00 & 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

347-2771 Thursday 7:00 PM (Bible Study) Pastor: Pearl Alexander

HEY KIDS!!



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
June 3 - 7, 8:30 - 11:30 A.M.**

Mini-Thoughts On Theology



by Pearl Alexander

"I am crucified with Christ, nevertheless I live, yet not I but Christ liveth in me." Galatians 2:20.

Christ's death for sin would have been insufficient if He had had no power over death, which is the result and wages of sin. He had to conquer death if His sacrifice as the sin-offering was to be valid.

Our identification with Christ

in His crucifixion brings us spiritual life, but in conquering death never intended that we allow our old Adamic nature to live - it must die! You will never walk in spiritual victory until Christ...not self, lives in you.

Easy? Of course not! Possible? Yes, because we can do all things through Christ, who loved us and gave Himself for us.

Students Presented In Piano Recital



TALENT WAS DISPLAYED at Sunday's recital by these students. (L to R) Heather Turner, Russell Tippin and Keri Shorter. Also pictured is their instructor, Anita Baldwin.

Anita Baldwin presented her piano students in a recital on Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Flomot. Approximately 35 family members and friends attended the recital.

Those students participating were Heather Turner who played four selections; Keri Shorter who played four selections and Russell Tippin who played two selections. Mrs. Baldwin then joined her pupils as

the group together played "Camptown Races". The recital was concluded with Mrs. Baldwin playing "Second Piano Prelude" by Gershwin.

At the conclusion of the recital, guests were served punch and cookies in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

Library Notes

By Beverly Darsey, Librarian

The City of Roaring Springs recently donated \$100 to Motley County Library. We appreciate the support that Roaring Springs has provided each year since the Library's establishment.

We also thank the Eternas Junior Study Club for its recent donation of \$183.45 to the Library. This year's donation was raised through the efforts of a Bake Sale.

This club has also provided annual support for the Library. This year's donation was raised through the efforts of a Bake Sale.

Other donations received recently include the following: A microfilm entitled **A Compilation of Records of Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory** (by Oklahoma Genealogical Society) was given by Beverly Vinson.

A used air conditioner for the children's section was given by Keith and Joan Patton.

Blue stamps were given by Roxie Lewis and Virginia Hoyle. Books were given by Kathy Gillespie and Ruth Lee.

Volunteer services were provided by Greer Willis and Keith Patton.

We appreciate all of these donations to the Library.

We welcome new Friends of the Library members Mrs. Lem Miller and Mrs. Roxie Lewis.

Note: The Library will be closed on Friday, May 31, and Saturday, June 1.

New on the shelf: Grandparents' Houses: Poems About Grandparents selected by Corrine Streich; **The Lonely Silver Rain** by John D. MacDonald; **Bob Hope's Confessions of a Hooker: My Life-Long Love Affair With Golf** by Bob Hope; **The Years of MacArthur** by D. C. James; **Winning Golf--The Professional Way** by Bob Zender; and **Men and Angels** by Mary Gordon.

New children's books: **Home, Sweet Home** by Kelly Oechsli; **Pete Pack Rat and the Gila Monster Gang** by Robert Quackenbush; **Brush Fire!** by P. C. Smith; **Frankenstein** by Mary Shelley; **Raggedy Ann and Andy Giant Treasure** by Nancy Golden; **Rip Van Winkle** by Catherine Storr, and **Silent Night** by Joseph Mohr.

Note: Registration for Summer Reading Program Starts 2:00 p.m. on June 6.

Matador Garden Club Officers Installed at Spring Luncheon

New Matador Garden Club officers who will serve the next two years were installed at a spring luncheon, May 20, at the home of Mrs. Edgar Lee. Mrs. Robert Dickson served as Installing Officer, using birds as a theme.

As she charged the officers with their respective duties, Mrs. Dickson presented each, a fan decorated with a bird, signifying characteristics of the office.

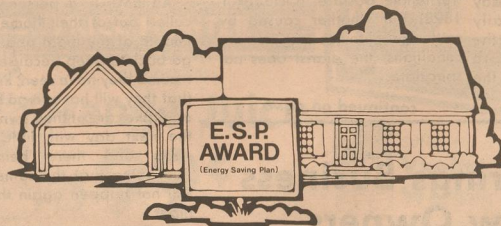
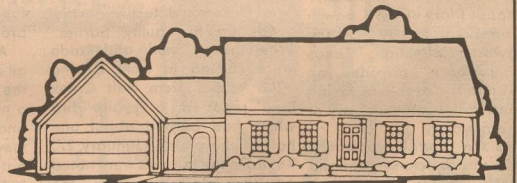
For the president, Mrs. Ted Elliott, she had a fan decorated with a mockingbird; for 1st Vice President (Mrs. Dickson), chickadee; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. Lee, a goldfinch; Mrs. W. N. Pipkin, Secretary-Treasurer, a parrot; Mrs. Gus Bird, Parliamentarian, a barn owl, and Mrs. Douglas Meador, reporter, a robin. Mrs. Dickson also gave fans to the other members present. Place favors were rainbow refrigerator magnets.

Mrs. Pipkin was program leader, and for roll call, members brought for display, a flower from their yards. Business discussions, with the president, Mrs. Alvin Stearns presiding, included plans for tending the bird feeder in Pioneer Memorial Park, and the planter boxes on downtown streets, during the summer months.

Mrs. Stearns thanked Mrs. Lee for being hostess, and also those on the luncheon committee: Mrs. J. D. Craven, Mrs. W. B. Wason and Mrs. Pipkin. Others present, besides the slate of officers were Miss Rachel Patton and Mrs. Dowell Garrison.

The club adjourned for the summer and will meet the third Monday in September, to begin a new club year.

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For more information about the E.S.P. Program call your local WTU office today.

Rhonda Stephens On University's Honor Roll

West Texas State University at Canyon, Texas, has announced that Rhonda Stephens of Matador is an Honor Roll student. Rhonda is an Elementary Education Major. We congratulate Rhonda for her achievement.

Area Students On Dean's Honor List

Three area students from South Plain College in Levelland, have been named to the Dean's Honor Roll. They are Joella Sharp of Afton, Paula Baxter of Roaring Springs and Kayla Johnson of Flomot.

Dr. Bud Joyner, Vice President for Academic Affairs says, "We wish to extend our congratula-

tions to these fine students who have demonstrated academic excellence which is found at South Plains College. We are always proud of the students who are named to the President and Dean's honor lists."

We join with Dr. Joyner in expressing our congratulations to these area students.

Attends Graduation Of Son

Recently Mrs. Zona Ruth Cammack attended the graduation of her son, Charles Ed Cammack, from Texas Tech Agri-Economics Dept. of the Agriculture College.

Other family members present were his sisters and families: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Swim and family from Abilene; Mrs. Mary DeWild

and family from Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Smith and family from Gruver; his brother, Tommy Cammack from Austin; his aunt Mrs. Grace McCowell

from Lubbock and Mrs. Cammack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meacham from Midland.

Arts & Crafts Group Meet For 'Show and Tell'

"Vacation is here!" Arts and Crafts closed the season with a "Show and Tell" program, held at the Summit Savings and Loan Club Room. Items of rug braiding, candlewicking, ceramics, embroidery, quilting and ultra-suede were displayed.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year. They are: President, Mrs. Bill McKelvey, Vice-President, Mrs. Robert Darsey, Treasurer, Mrs. Doyle Shannon, Secretary, Mrs. Ava C. Crump and Reporter, Mrs. Freeman Thacker.

Mrs. Robert Darsey was hostess for the day, serving carrot cake with Devonshire

sauce, mints, nuts, coffee and tea to the following members: Joy Archer, Dora Watson, June Keltz, Una Simpson, Jimmie Jameson, Barbara Jameson, Sue Shannon, Lorene Lancaster, Betty Simpson, Elsie Thacker Leola McKelvey, Verdie Neighbors and one guest, Mrs. Herman Wagley of Greeley, Colorado. Mrs. Wagley is the sister-in-law of Verdie Neighbors.

Dues are now being paid to Mrs. Lancaster. New officers will assume their duties in September. To get your name in the yearbook, please pay dues soon.

Quail Pipe Corporation Receives First Extruder

The first of four production lines arrived at Quail Pipe Corporation's new facility last week. Battenfeld Extrusion Systems, Inc. of Arlington, Texas is the United States supplier of Battenfeld extrusion equipment. The highly sophisticated machinery is manufactured in West Germany. The extrusion line will manufacture polyethylene plastic pipe in sizes ranging from 1/2" to 24" diameter.

The storage silos were

completed last week, also. The 30 foot high silos will be used to store the raw material used in the process.

Progress on the building itself has been hampered by the recent rains. However, the building will be complete by June 10 according to Don Arnold of S & W Construction Co., the contractor on the job.

Quail Pipe Corporation will be engaged in the manufacture of polyethylene plastic pipe for the oilfield and gas distribution markets.

News Of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Garrison were in Memphis Thursday night to attend the 8th grade graduation of their grandson Kelly Garrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Garrison. Kelly returned home with them to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lipscomb returned home recently from a trip through South Texas, to the Mexican

border, where they toured Laredo and in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. Their first major stop was at the L.B.J. Ranch and surrounding area. A bus tour took them to the Johnson home and the family cemetery, where President Johnson is buried. From here they continued to San Antonio, where they visited at the hospital bedside of Mr. Lipscomb's brother.

They drove to Corpus Christi, and on to Padre Island, then visited in McAllen with Jimmy Graham, formerly of Matador, and with his mother, Mrs. Duetta Graham of Childress, who was visiting there.

Reception Planned

For Mary Streit

A reception has been planned for Mary Streit, Extension Home Economics Agent. She has resigned effective May 31. We will be showing our appreciation to her for 3 years of work in Motley County. She has worked very hard and put in a lot of


extra time so that Motley, Stonewall, Hall, and Throckmorton Counties could have the help only a Home Economics Agent can give. Please try to be there, everyone is welcome Thursday, May 30, 1:30 p.m. at the Summit Savings meeting room.

I have sold the City Cleaners in Roaring Springs to Craig and Tony Anson effective June 1st.

I want to thank all our customers for your patronage through all these years.

I want you to be as good customers and friends to Craig and Tony as you have been to us.



Odessa Mullins



Red Hen Market

Roaring Springs

12 OZ. 6 PK. MOUNTAIN DEW, DIET PEPSI Pepsi PEPSI \$1.59	7 1/2 OZ. WISE BRAND BARBEQUE, SOUR CREAM & ONION OR PLAIN Potato Chips \$1.09
1/2 ROUNDS BORDEN Ice Cream \$1.79	ASST. FLAVORS PKG. 6 FOR Koolaid \$1.00
6 OZ MORRISON'S 4 FOR Corn Kits or Pan Kits \$1.00	2-8 OZ. SOFT OLEO Chiffon 89¢
5.5 OZ. FRENCH'S Potatoes CHEESE SCALLOPED 69¢	ONE LB. OWENS ALL-BEEF Smoked Sausage \$1.79
<h3>Fresh Produce</h3>	<h3>USDA Choice Meats</h3>
CALIF. ICEBERG POUND Lettuce 29¢	POUND Chuck Roast \$1.79
CALIF. VINE RIPENED POUND Tomatoes 49¢	EXTRA LEAN POUND Ground Beef \$1.49
CALIF. SUNKIST POUND Grapefruit 39¢	Round Steak \$1.99 lb.
5 LB. BAG RUSSETT Potatoes 89¢	SLICED SLAB Bacon \$1.69
32 OZ. MORTON Fried Chicken \$2.69	

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CHARMING CHILDREN'S PHOTO CONTEST RULES

1. On an official entry blank or 3" x 5" piece of paper, print child's name, age of child at time of photograph and birth date, entrant's name, address, and telephone number.
2. Entrant must be a parent, relative or legal guardian.
3. There will be three categories: (1) birth to one year; (2) two and three years old; (3) four, five, six and seven year olds. The division your child's picture will be judged in depends on age of child at time of photograph. Each child may be entered in **one division only**. Child must be no older than seven years of age by June 27.
4. Child must be a resident of Motley County, Texas.
5. Photograph must in color and no professionally taken pictures will be accepted. One child per photo. GFWC Eternas Junior Study Club reserves the right to number photo in ink, on back of picture. Please, no other writing on photo.
6. Entries will be judged on the basis of originality, charm and appeal of visual picture. Judging will be conducted by GFWC L.O.A. Junior Study Club of Silverton, Texas. By entering this contest, entrants accept and agree to be bound by these rules and the decisions of the judges, which shall be final.
7. A \$25.00 Savings Bond will be awarded to the winner of each division. Taxes are the sole responsibility of individual winners. The winning photos will be featured in the Matador Tribune.
8. Entries must be received by June 27. Not responsible for lost, misdirected or late mail.
9. Entry fee is \$3.00. Enter as often as you wish, but mail each entry separately. Enclose with each entry, a photo, entry form and entry fee.
10. Mail entries to GFWC Eternas Junior Study Club, Charming Children's Photo Contest, P.O. Box 272, Matador, Texas 79244. (Or give to Mrs. Donnie Jackson)
11. Pictures may be picked up at the Matador Tribune the week of July 22.

ENTRY FORM

Child's Name _____
 Date of Birth _____ Age In Photo _____
 Parent's Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone _____

Clower Family Reunion Held For First Time

Attending the first "Clower" Family Reunion at the VFW hall in Matador, Sunday, May 26th were:

John S. and Virginia Clower, Sr. of Needles, CA, Ervin and Quita Clower of Gladewater, TX, Mary Anna Clower Simmons of Eastland, TX.

Jim Clower of Matador, Carlos Clower of Matador, Don and Jan Clower of Henderson, TX. Shelby W., Jeannie and Shelley Clower of Venus, TX. Dan, Donna, Mark and Rachel Brunner of Fort Worth, Texas.

Virgie (Clower) and Sam Bannister of Plainview, Tx.

Dahl, Delores, and Dyrton Clower of Amarillo, Tx. Dwight,

Kristi, Kari, Angie and Cody Clower of Clovis, N.M. (Children and grandchildren of Fred and Virgie Clower.)

Foy and Bertha Moore of Matador. Wayland, Betty and David Moore of Guthrie, Tx. Kyle Moore of Matador. H.A., Myrna, James, Rhonda and Chad Stephens of Matador.

J. W. (Walt) and Willie Clower of Aspermont, Tx.

Mary Ellen and Wesley (Pat) Patton of Rule, Tx.

There was plenty of good food and everyone had a grand time visiting and playing dominoes. Tentative plans were made to have another reunion same time, same place next year.

Watson Descendants Gather For Reunion

Relatives and descendants of C.H. Watson, including his son, Hubert E. Watson, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, held the first-ever West Texas reunion of the Watson family at Roaring Springs Ranch Club on May 17, 18 and 19.

Approximately 80 were registered including: Bill and Dell Gray, Wayne and Roberta Russell and Oleta Watson, Floydada; Carl and Rose Pierce, Naomi Huddleston, and Carolyn and Curtis Leatherwood, Lubbock; Lillie and Carrol Pierce, Larry, Vickie, Christie and Britt Pierce, Fraiser and Dorothy Watson, Eugene and Cleo Watson and Monty Watson, Roaring Springs; Zelma Crump, Alfred and Dora Watson, Bobby, Jeanne, and Paige Williams, Matador; Jearldene Watson, Jerri Boles, Larry and Tyna Watson and Larry Lee, Stan and Mary LeFevre and Greg, Chris and Michele LeFevre, Plainview; Inez Fryer, Billie and Leah Monkhouse and Sandy Schuler, Clarksville; Curt, Tiffany and Cynthia Kautz, Dickens; Terry and Oma Sue Helms, Hobbs, N.M.; Hubert and Lorene Watson, Tuscaloosa, Alabama; C. E. Watson, Pasadena; Thurman and Susie Sain, Amarillo; Hubert and Euderia Watson, Charliece Wheelers and

Jamie Kriste and Janey Young, Crosbyton; Burnis L. Watson, Garland; Peggy and Raymond Winans, Somerset; Rethat Watson Smith, Abilene; Audrey and Rosa Lee Watson, Clarendon.

Guests and friends attending included: Jimmy Cornelius, Vester and Billie Roller, DeeDee Ozborn, Dewitt Crosby and family of Plainview; Don and Shonna Dillard, Grady and Mary Webb, Roaring Springs; Danny and Lela Delashaw and Brent and Crystal of Lubbock; Elsie Thacker, Matador; W. R. and Margaret Daniel and Bryan Thomas of Floydada.

Entertainment was furnished by Dell Gray, electric piano, and Bill Gray, drums. Everyone joined in gospel singing on Saturday night. A special devotional service was conducted on Sunday morning by Sister Edna Dillard, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church of Roaring Springs, with music by Dell and Bill Gray. Sister Dillard has been a close friend of the Watson family for many years, and her message was warmly received by all.

Plans are already being made to hold a 1986 Watson reunion at the same location. The family has high hopes of an even larger attendance next year.

In The Rough

By Hazeli



Delayed from Last Week

Meeting adjourned.

Monthly Luncheon

Those playing golf Thursday morning were LaVoe, Olivia, Mickey, Lucretia, Loys, Dorothy D., Winifred, Geneva, Leona, Marion, Dorothy C., Ramona Hoffman, and Hazel.

Play was for most "one" putts and Geneva won the ball, having seven. Leona was second, having five.

Some excitement was created when Geneva's golf cart almost caught on fire. It was smoking and had to be parked beside the fairway.

Luncheon was served by James Ashley, and thoroughly enjoyed by the hungry golfers. James received a round of applause for the delicious meal. Opal Pipkin and Polly Gwinn joined the group for lunch.

Leona presided at the business meeting. Ramona Hoffman of Lubbock was welcomed as a new member. She and her husband are spending most of the summer at the campgrounds, and she loves to play golf, and we are delighted to have her as a member. Lucretia read the minutes (in the absence of Margaret), and reported the bank balance. Final plans were made for Guest Day, May 23.

Play At Lubbock

Tuesday, a Ladies partnership scramble was hosted by the Lubbock Country Club. La Voe, Louise, Geneva and Loys played in the event. Louise and La Voe won 3rd in the first flight, and Geneva's name was the first one called for a door prize.

These players arrived home just in time (barely) for their own scramble at Springs Ranch.

Tuesday Scramble

Winning team (31) Alfred Barton, Mike Hurley, Frank Price and Billy Osborn; Second (31): Jake Goodson, Vann Carr, Bill and Mary Jones and Ronnie Vandiver; Third (32): Buzz and LaVoe Thacker, Greer Willis and Jake Edwards; Fourth (32): Doug Terry, Rickey Lawrence, James Ashley, Pennie Keltz and Dorothy Day; Fifth (33): Louise Barton, John and Margaret Barnhill and Kenneth Marshall; Sixth (34): Alan Bingham, Mike Hancock, Tommy Edwards and E.A. Day; Seventh (36): Joe and Loys Campbell, Laverna Price and Kathryn King; Eighth (36): Geneva Wilson, Howard Edmondson, Marvin Patton, Jim Ballew and Kelly Keltz.

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Funeral Services Held For Former Flomot Resident

Funeral services for Barney Bron Martin, 77, of Sherman, former resident of Flomot, were held at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, May 23 at Center Street Church of Christ in Sherman. W.A. Marshall, minister, officiated.

Burial was in the West Hill Cemetery under the direction of Waldo Funeral Home.

He died at 5:00 p.m., Wednesday in Wilson Jones Hospital in Sherman after a lengthy illness.

News Of Local Interest

Visiting this past weekend, Bobby James of Dickens and with his three sisters, Jewel Landrum, Lucille Gaines and Candice of Amarillo.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Gus Jackson and his wife from Bird visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones of Robert Lee, Texas. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and S. C. Jones of Abilene.

WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE the sale of Red Ball Gin Company to the Ray Cruse Family. The gin will continue to be operated under the name of Red Ball Gin, with Donnie Cruse as Manager.

To our many friends and customers, we want to express our appreciation for your dedicated and considerate support during our 33 years of ownership. Such friends and customers as you, have made our long period of ownership seem all too short.

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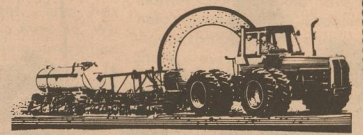
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Afton News

by Janey Carothers

A farewell party was given for Bill and Robbie Kroy at the Patton Springs Home Economics Building by the faculty and the Patton Springs Young Homemakers on May 16. Bill is retiring as superintendent of Patton Springs. They will be moving to Center Point. Words can not describe how much we will miss them as stated in a poem read to the Knoys by Rollie McNutt. Robbie is a member of the Young Homemakers. We wish them luck at Center Point.

Leona Koonsmen is still a patient at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. She is expecting to be dismissed by Saturday. She was able to go to the home of her son, James, for a few hours last Sunday.

Guests in the home of Raydell and Ruby Mullins last weekend were Grace Mullins, Levelland and Bud and Elsie Roller, Lubbock.

Don and Ray Baxter, Afton, and Mrs. C. R. Davis, Matador, attended the graduation of their daughter, Paula Baxter, at South Plains College, Levelland, last Friday.

Alvin, Janey and Scott Carothers spent Friday night with their daughter and family, Gene and Becky Shuler, Lubbock.

Guests in the home of Homer and Eudelle Hughes last weekend were Kelly, Cherrie, Travis, Rene and Devena Bland, Amarillo; Floyd and Carol Ann Goff, Lubbock; Mickey, Jan, Haley and Whitney Hughes, O'Donnell; H.I. Yeates, Dickens; John Alvin Hinson, Abilene; David, Alene and Carolee Hughes, Afton and James Hughes, Odessa.

Opal Slaton killed a rattlesnake in her front yard Saturday. It had 4 rattlers.

Guests in the home of Myrtle and Bill Carothers Sunday were Leroy and Roger Carothers, Ropesville.

A four generation dinner was given by Dolores Fox Sunday. The four were Hortense Goodwin, Dolores, Fox, Nancy Hale and Valerie Hale.

The Dobb City Bridge Club met Monday night in the home of Dolores Fox. Those attending were Hortense Goodwin, Chella Lincoln, Clarice Crabtree and Dolores Fox.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon were in Austin from Wednesday until Friday and Mr. Dixon attended a Federal Land Bank meeting, Thursday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Heather Ann and Cobey during the holidays were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luckenbach of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Luper of Dallas and Mrs. LaVerna Sams of Lockney. Heather Ann returned to Austin with Mr. and Mrs. Luckenbach to visit.

Mrs. Janice Dixon returned home Monday from Hedley where she visited the past ten days with Mrs. Nona Tooke and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harmon. En route home, she visited in Lakeview with her cousin, Mrs. Mildred Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patrick of

Odessa visited during the weekend with her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Barton.

Tommy Harmon and friend, Melody of Amarillo and Mrs. Nona Tooke of Hedley visited Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon and Mrs. Janice Dixon, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Wright visited during the weekend in Kress with Mr. and Mrs. Dewain Schumacher and also in Plainview with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patty. Joining them to visit in Plainview were her sisters, Rhonda Miller and Annette Burke of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Post enjoyed fishing and visiting from Thursday until Monday at White River.

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

Bible School Scheduled At Flomot Baptist Church

A Vacation Bible School will be held at the Flomot Baptist Church June 3-7 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. each morning. Classes will be for children from age three through the sixth grade.

Miss Lori Clay, superintendent, invites all children of the community to join in the Bible Study, "Jesus Our Example To Follow" and the related activities.

Hail, Rainstorm Hits Flomot and Whiteflat

A hail and windstorm, Saturday night, May 25, did damage to crops, vehicles and homes north and east of Flomot and east of Whiteflat.

Hail the size of golf balls to marble size and as much as 4" of rain was reported at different locations. Wheat, rye, oat, tomato and sweet potato crops, fruit trees, hay grazer and gardens suffered extensive stripping and shredding of foliage.

Birthday Celebration

Mrs. Howard Rogers was honored with a surprise party on her birthday, Monday, May 27 in her home. She was presented a birthday cake, gifts and cards.

Refreshments of cake, punch and coffee were served to Mrs. Stanley Degan and son, Dane of Calgary and Mesdames Joe Degan, D.M. Gilbert and Alfred Martin; Donnie Rogers and her husband, Howard Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bural of Dickens visited last Sunday with

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and Mrs. Lennie Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Starkey, Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Morris and daughters visited during the holidays at Lake Hubbard with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards of Afton, who have a mobile home there.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis and sons of Vernon and Mrs. Clifton Reid and children of Amarillo.

Mrs. Othella Bynum of Kress and Mrs. Naomi Morris of Plainview visited Mrs. Harley Gunn and Mrs. Doris Morris, Sunday.

Visitors during the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee were Karen Wells of Amarillo and Mrs. S. W. Skinner of Quitaque. Karen Wells also visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Green.

Visiting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughters were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shorter and Jennifer of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhodes and sons of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. France Barton of Matador accompanied Mrs. Wade Martin to Wellington, Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nall and Mrs. Liza Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Green accompanied his mother, Mrs. J. C. Green, Sr. of Matador to Lockney, Tuesday morning for the removal of stitches following recent surgery.

Roaring Springs Review

By Odessa Mullins

News From Roaring Springs, Texas



Open House for New Postoffice

Postmaster Lula Swim announces an Open House on Sunday June 2, from 2:00 p.m. to until 4:00 p.m. at the Roaring

Springs Postoffice. Everyone is invited.

Raymond Rice, a long time resident of Motley County is hospitalized in the Veterans Hospital, Amarillo, Tx. 79102. He would appreciate hearing from his friends.

Mrs. Bessie Sauley is still hospitalized in the Crosbyton Hospital. Her daughter, Odessa Mullins, is with her at this time.

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GFWC Eterna Jr. Club Study sponsored a 'Little Olympics' Track meet recently. Winners in the four divisions were: (L to R upper picture) Denise Durante (Div. 2), Crystal Christopher (Div. 1), Ryan Martin (Div. 1) and Josh Palmer (Div. 2). (L to R Lower Picture) Blake Eddleman (Div. 4), Burr Barton (Div. 3), Lacey Parks (Div. 3), Kammia Pitts (Div.4).



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Diary Recounts Difficulties (from pg. 1)

Often settlers built unauthorized fences and Ligertwood had to warn them to take them down, as he did to a Mr. Green on Duck Creek. On one occasion, a squatter named Scarboro claimed the East Tank in Bird Pasture. (August 8, 1898.) If a warning did not work, and it often didn't, he turned the complaint over to the ranch's attorney, Judge Browning, who prosecuted the case in court at Matador. In one particular case, Ligertwood accused John Shipley of the theft of one head of cattle, and the case dismissed in District Court at Matador. (February 16, 1898.)

The drought which had begun in 1892 continued to plague the grass land. In addition, sheepmen were causing trouble in Dutchman pasture. (January 31, 1898.) The grass there was eaten very short, and the cattle running in that pasture were very thin. Ligertwood noted that the "cattle on the west side are too thin to work." (March 17, 1898.)

When establishing the original ranch, founder H.H. Campbell wisely chose a range watered by seep springs. In the prolonged drought, these dried up and ranch hands were sent by Ligertwood to scrape around the mouth of the springs to keep the water flowing. (January 6 and October 5, 1898.) Another task directly related to the drought was dispatching ranch hands to pull bogged down cows from the muddy tanks at Cottonwood, Bogy, and Matt. (April 13, 1898.) If this was not done promptly the cattle struggled to death or died from exposure.

Supplying water for so many animals was a main concern of

the ranch. General Ranch Manager Murdo Mackenzie's goal was to have the cattle walk no more than four miles to water. Drilling was begun to find windmill water. In one pasture, the driller using primitive techniques went to 105 feet without luck. (February 23, 1898.) Ligertwood saw that windmills were built at Rufe's mill, Lancaster's mill, TeePee Pasture, and the Payne Place. Ligertwood commented that Rufe's mill started doing well, but a month later it was wrecked from a freak storm, perhaps the same that dumped "about the heaviest on record" of rain and hail. (May 3, 1898.)

The ranch didn't pay much attention to county affairs until the taxes were raised. Ligertwood went to Dickens City to try to keep the county commissioners from raising taxes. On April 23 the court decided to let the land stay at \$1.75 and dropped \$6,000 of improvements to be taxed. (April 23, 1898.)

The yo-yo extremes in the weather must have been a source of wonder to the Scotsman. While the May 3rd storm relieved the prolonged drought by bringing heavy rain and hail, July 24th was a record day of unbearably hot weather. December found 4 inches of ice on the stock tank at the house but December 24 was described as very warm.

A constant worry to Ligertwood were the contagious illnesses such as tick fever and black leg which were brought into the country by down-state or neighboring herds trailing their way to market in Kansas. When a Spur herd of 2500 were watered by Turtle Hole Pasture, (April 25, 1898) the ranch management was watching very closely, ready

Services Held For Joseph Gipson, 77

Services for Joseph Gipson, 77, were held recently in the First Baptist Church of Roaring Springs with the Rev. Eddie Marcum, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Matador, officiating.

Burial was in the Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Seigler-Mynatt Funeral Home.

He died at 8 a.m. Wednesday in his home. Motley County Justice of the Peace J.D. Mitchell

ruled that the death was the result of natural causes.

He was born in Farmersville. He married Erskine Lorain Mays on June 12, 1930, in Motley County. She died in 1980. He was a retired construction worker. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include three sisters, Ruby Burt and Meredith Hamilton, both of Decatur, and June Floyd of Celeste; two grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

to take action if needed. Hearing about a quarantine on account of the EME herd was noted on June 17.

When the Board of Management came out on September 21, they were "badly upset" at the conditions they found. The drought, the weather, disease, and the settlers had all taken their toll on the calf crop.

Although eighty-six years have passed since Ligertwood recorded his entries, the diary reads like it was written yesterday. Time and time again, the same problems consistently plague ranchers.

As the Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association will tell you, rustling is still with us. The drought of the last few years has forced ranchers to reduce their herds drastically. Cut fences still have to be repaired, although it is more likely to have been caused by a careening automobile or city-slicker wire collector rather than a disgruntled neighbor. The artic storm Siberian Express of 1984 froze many young calves to the ground, while some of those surviving showed the effects of frozen ears, tails, and feet.

Even with modern vaccines and medicines, a constant vigilance must be maintained

against the diseases of Blackleg, Anaplasmosis, and Scabies. Just as Rufe Moore's mill was wrecked by a freak storm, the May 1, 1984, tornado wrecked windmills in its path. And those extremes of cold and hot weather still stress livestock and those who must work in the outdoors.

Water needs are still critical. With the Ogallala aquifer receding because of prolonged pumping of irrigation wells, springs have dried up; rivers have ceased to run; windmills have been lowered seeking the life-giving water.

If those Scottish directors of the Matador Ranch were around today, one wonders just how they would evaluate the situation.

(This research article was written as a sesquicentennial project for the General James Smith Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas and for the Motley County Archives.)

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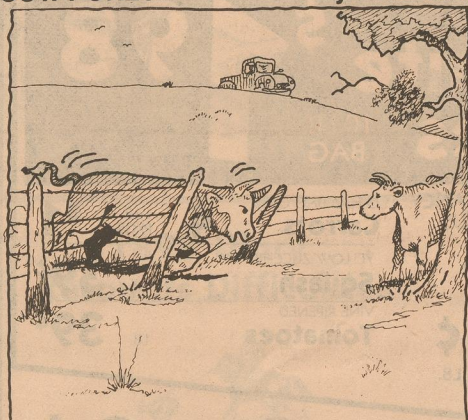
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I needed to say so much and was unable to say anything, and I apologize for that, but it probably would happen again if I had a second chance. I was totally unprepared for all the things that were said and done.

For years I have felt privileged to work with the caliber of students that I have had, and I wanted you parents to know that. In looking back, I can see the students who developed the most and did the most with what they had; usually had loving, caring and sharing parents at home and I appreciated that. The home influence is the number one "essential element".

Again, our thanks to all of you who participated in the planning and staging of the reception and to all of you who came. We appreciated all the telephone calls, cards and letters, and encouraging words. May God bless you and we will certainly remember the event the rest of our lives.

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JUNE

Birthdays

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| 1 - Brenda Osborn, Samantha Osborn | 17 - Lindy Stafford |
| 2 - Cory Franks, Cary Franks, Walt Rice | 18 - None |
| 3 - Kellie Jackson, Rhonda Long, Kean Cruse, Karen Davis, Virgil George, Leland Heiskell, Billy Douglas McKelvey | 19 - L.B. Monk |
| 4 - None | 20 - Brittany Melton |
| 5 - J.D. Craven, Joe P. Smith, Raby Webb, Frankie Ortiz, June Keltz | 21 - Kyle Henisey, Mickey Weaver |
| 6 - Teresa L. Roberts, Heather Hobbs | 22 - None |
| 7 - June Moss | 23 - Bengie Hughes, Kellen McKelvey, Christina Reid |
| 8 - Edna Ruth Green, Susan Weaver, Kim Howerton | 24 - Tim Washington, Jeffery Burkes |
| 9 - Laverna Price | 25 - Trula Martin |
| 10 - Bill Peacock | 26 - Jim Barnhill, John Barnhill, Mickey Brooks, Bill Hand, Trudy Hand, Dusty Whitaker, Nita Green, Bill Barnhill |
| 11 - Aleda Ross, Raymond Cox, Jr. | 27 - April Vandiver |
| 12 - Jarrell Rice, Hazel Soltwisch, Phillip Sams | 28 - John Meador, James Palmer, Ruby Burts, Tay Cannon, Donna Roys |
| 13 - Truman Merrell, Stachia Chadwick | 29 - None |
| 14 - Horace Hunter, Roger Hughes, Shane Neil | 30 - Loren Blanton, Ashley Roys |
| 15 - Lisa Henisey, Shannon Winn | |
| 16 - None | |

ANNIVERSARIES

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| 11 - Jack and Dee Van Eaton |
| 17 - Weldon and Dorothy Gates |
| 24 - Jack and Nada Starkey |
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Texas Department of Health To Sponsor Adult Health Clinic

The Texas Department of Health will be having an Adult Health Clinic on the 12th and 26th of June from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. The services offered are blood pressure check, pap test, anemia, height, weight, diabetic screening and others. Family planning and maternity services are offered at this time also. A well-child clinic will be held

on the June 25 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. The services offered are anemia, height, weight, physical exam, and immunizations given when needed.

These clinic services are offered to everyone at no charge. They are held in the Motley County courthouse basement, Matador, Texas.

Lisha Luster Places In Gymnastic Meet



Lisha Luster of Cisco

Lisha Luster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry of Cisco, entered the Regional Gymnastics Meet in Decatur in March and won 3rd

place in the 6-7 year group, 1-B. In April she went on to the District Meet in Graham and also placed 3rd.

Lisha's teacher, Polly Crowell, teaches the "Eastland County Popovers" and they placed 3rd over 11 counties entered at Decatur. They won 1st place at Graham and took home the trophy. Over 17 counties had been entered in this Meet.

Lisha is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billie R. Slover, great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Slover, local residents, granddaughter of Mrs. Ladell Luster of Cisco and Bill Luster, Lubbock, great-granddaughter of Mrs. Florine Angell, Nocona. Lisha has one sister, Amanda Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Slover attended both Gymnastics Meet.

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