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Flomot Ex-Residents Will Share Homecoming Memories With Matador



1935 FOOTBALL TEAM: Bottom Row, left to right: Raby Webb, Tutt Harcrow, Hobart "Bodie" Brown, Charley "Bully" Scaff, B.F. Tunnell, Jr., Bundy Campbell. Middle Row: Will Pritchett, Beryl Blackshear, Forrest Faulkner, Albert "Grandpa" Willis, Clayton "Red" Titus, Alfred Barton, Jr. Top Row: Lawrence Rattan, Norris Ford, Odell Washington, Coach Harvey G. Stanford, R.E. "Junior" Campbell, O.H. "Bebe" Gates, C.M. Barton, Jr., Clyde Ammonett, Manager: Roy Dow Thompson.

by Earlyne Jameson

Long before the Flomot and Matador Schools consolidated, Flomot fans filled the bleachers cheering for the Matador High School football teams. During the 1930's, many rural schools in Motley County had basketball and baseball teams, but not a football team.

The Matador Lions Club organized a Business Men's Athletic Council in 1933. Randall Whitworth, a former Flomot resident, and other members of this council helped make the necessary living and working arrangements for high school age boys from Flomot and Whiteflat to attend school in Matador. They could play football and graduate from an accredited school that was recognized as one of the 218 high schools in Texas able to qualify for scholastic membership in Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Who would have thought that a football team made up of group of players with average weight of 150 pounds could win a regional high school football championship? That's exactly what the Matador team did in 1935, led by Coach Harbey G. Stanford and quarterback Raby Webb. Regional was as far as a B school could go in competition in 1935.

Coach Stanford issued new purple and gold uniforms to the boys on the 1935 football team. Sixteen lettermen returned. The first team line-up was a forward wall built around Will Pritchett, Hobard "Bodie" Brown and Clayton "Red" Titus of Flomot; Albert "Grandpa" Willis and Forrest Faulkner of Whiteflat and R.E. "Junior" Campbell and Norris Ford of Matador. Coach Stanford had a wealth of material in the backfield with all district players, Beryl Blackshear, Raby Webb, Odell Washington and O.H. "Bebe" Gates, all of Flomot.

Blackshear received a fractured ankle in a Childress football scrimmage, Sept. 12. Charley "Bully" Scaff and Harold Campbell

of Matador filled the halfback position and Washington moved to fullback until Blackshear returned to action, Oct. 31. Co-captains of the team were Blackshear and Willis. Manager was Roy Dow Thompson.

They had one of the toughest schedules the Matador teams ever faced. Every boy on the team did his part. Matador won ten games lost one and tied one. On full season of play, Matador scored 352 points and had only 84 scored against them for one of the greatest records ever compiled by a Matador High football team.

The team defeated McLean for the Bi-District title with a 4th quarter passing attack. They returned home with the Regional Panhandle Championship after defeating Hereford 19-13 in a thrilling battle played on neutral Plainview field. In the second quarter of this game, the ball was kicked by Matador and rolled all the way into the end zone. The Hereford quarterback, Clayton, had touched the ball on its way to the goal-line so Matador center, Junior Campbell fell on it like a sparkplug to score 6 points for Matador!

One of the roughest and most difficult games played was against the Spur Bulldogs. The defense of both teams hit newspaper headlines with Matador winning 7-0. In this game, each time the Matador boys returned to the huddle, their faces looked as if chickens had scratched them. (They didn't have face guards or pads in their helmets as they do now). One Matador team member limped back to the huddle after moving the ball for yardage and said in a calm way, "If I hadn't felt sorry for that guy, I would have bitten his finger off." Many years later, by accident, he and this ex-Spur football player

met in California. They were surprised they had played against each other in this 1935 game. The man remarked, "Some *&% on the Matador team nearly bit my finger off!" The ex-resident of Flomot faked surprise, "You don't

say?!" Another member of the 1935 Spur team was the late Cecil Haralson, father of Neal Haralson. He laughingly told, "I took the opening game kick-off and when I regained consciousness, the band was playing at the half-time activities."

The team played much larger schools as well as boys when making the football circuit of games including Crowell, Levelland, Electra, Lockney, Quitaque, Turkey, Paducah, Silverton, Spur and Floydada. The team traveled to out of town games in cars furnished and driven by fans of the team. The places of business in Matador closed for all the home games and some of those away from home. No lights at football fields, so games were played in the afternoon.

Coach Stanford was a strict disciplinarian. He stressed good sportsmanship and made the boys realize the word ANGER was one letter short of DANGER. The boys liked him and as Raby said, "You can learn from criticism when a good friend or one you admire is the one to criticize you."

The boys stayed in private homes, small rooms or apartments in Matador. Mrs. Marvin "Aunt Kit" Washington of Flomot set up housekeeping for several Flomot boys including her son, Odell Washington. Men on the Athletic Council and Coach Stanford made the habit of unexpected visits to check on the boys all over town. They had rules and regulations and one of them was not to smoke. During one of these surprise visits, three of the boys were smoking.

One of the boys flushed his cigarette down the commode, another grounded out cigarette in palm of his hand and stuck it in the pocket of his pants. The third, after extinguishing the fire in his cigarette, ate it!! I am told their hard earned money working at "odd" jobs around Matador, wasn't spent for cigarettes after this unhappy episode! The boys living with Mrs. Washington decided one night after curfew time, to take a

midnight stroll. This too, ended in a catastrophe. They woke up the whole neighborhood when they waded through the many empty cans Mrs. Washington had placed around the porch and down the walk.

Two of the boys from Flomot lived one year with a family that had a Maltese cat that was considered part of the family. This house pet had no rules or regulations. One night when the family was gone, one of the boys "lost his cool" when the cat walked across a suit he had carefully laid on the bed for a banquet he was to attend. He picked up the cat by its tail, swinging it around his head like a spinning yo yo and when he decided to let go, the cat sailed into the kitchen hitting the side of the wall. The lady of the house could not understand the change in her little precious, playful feline. The two boys were quite pleased with the outcome!

Many other memories of the 1930's football teams in Matador will come flooding back for those who will be attending the Tri-Annual Flomot Homecoming, July 4-5. Some of the players continue to call Matador their home, but many others have scattered to the four corners of the earth. They went as members of the armed forces in World War II, missionaries, lawyers, ranchers and business people. Tragedy cut short the plans of Forrest Faulkner who was killed in an airplane crash in World War II. Many of the players played football in college and Odell Washington made the pro-ranks.

It is nice to be able to write of this outstanding football team to be passed down to other generations by word of mouth rather than know it only by written records. It has been a thrill and honor for me to learn and write about the 1935 Matador High School team. I sincerely hope they will be able to renew their friendships during the Flomot Homecoming. WHAT A HAPPY SIGHT WHEN GOOD FRIENDS REUNITE!

New Business In Matador



Roy G. Stephens, owner and operator of Stephens Pest Control, shown here fighting pest at a local residence.

Playground Plan Submitted To School Board

by Barbara Jameson

The Motley County Board of Trustees met May 26 at 9:00 p.m. Those attending were President Donnie Cruse, Bobby Williams, Coy Franks, Roy G. Stephens, Guy Campbell, Randy Barton, Superintendent Ron Cummings, High School Principal Don Ewing, Elementary Principal Michael Patrick.

The PTO Committee for the playground met with the Board; L.J. Barkley, Jr., Larry Clifton, and Jeff Thacker. Mr. Barkley explained the design of the playground and equipment by showing a model and designed plans. He had some cost figures from local supplies and Lubbock suppliers. The fence, larger playground assembly, swings, etc., shade areas, and an overhead catwalk across Burselon St. to the playground with concrete basketball court would cost approximately \$20,000. Barkley explained a breakdown in phasing the work over a period of 2 to 3 years and with donated labor from parents, and people of Motley County.

After a period of discussion, they

decided the first priority would be the fence, smaller equipment and one stage of the large playground assembly. Barkley's estimate of the fence and most of the playground equipment would run about \$6,900, with labor donated.

It was decided that Cummings would find out the legal aspects of doing this with volunteer labor and send out a newsletter asking parents to say if they would be willing to help with this project.

Barkley complimented the Board and Administration on solving the children pickup problems that they had had in the afternoons.

The Board voted to accept Dalene Van Eaton's resignation, and to pay two closing salaries this month instead of over the next two months as was requested.

The Board discussed a letter Coy Franks had received about the extra work teachers and aides had to do after school hours and the possibility of compensating the teachers for these hours. The board regretted this letter was unsigned, it was well stated. No action was taken on this matter.

METHODIST CHURCH TO HOLD REVIVAL

The Methodist Church Revival will start Sunday, June 7 at 11:00 a.m. and go through until June 10, with the Rev. Jerry Kunkel preaching. Rev. Kunkel has recently been named Conference Evangelist. Dinner will be served after Sunday services at noon.

Every weekday morning, Monday through Wednesday,

coffee and donuts will be served for a 7:00 a.m. Devotional.

Evening services will start at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Kunkel is a preacher, known for his evangelistic humor. He and his wife will also be providing the music.

The Methodist Church would like to invite everyone in the Community to come to the services.

New Gymnastics Program To Begin Soon

A new gymnastics program will begin soon. An instructor of the Barnyard Academy of Plainview, will be the instructor.

The organization meeting will be held at the Flomot Gym, Thursday

June 11, 1987 at 7:30 p.m.

For more information or those interested but unable to attend the meeting, call Syd Pipkin in Matador at 347-2342 or Jan Merrell of Quitaque at 455-1466.

Announcements

Matador Lions Club crews will be canvassing the city Thursday evening, June 4, beginning at 6:00 p.m. They will be selling Light Bulbs. Profits will be used for various community projects.

The Motley County 4-H Leaders Association meeting will be

Tuesday, June 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the V.F.W. building.

JOY FELLOWSHIP

Joy Fellowship will meet at the First Assembly of God Church in Roaring Springs for their regular meeting, Monday June 8 at 7:30 with Christi Hightower sharing. All ladies are welcome to come.

BARBARA'S BYLINES

I am so glad everyone liked the paper honoring the graduates. By Friday morning the newstamps were sold out. But, when I went to refill them, out of 130 papers only 42 had

been paid for. I realize these boxes are accessible by only dropping 30¢. This is suppose to work on the 'honor system'. What happened to honor?

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"If all printers were determined not to print anything 'till they were sure it would offend nobody, there would be very little printed." -- Benjamin Franklin

Jo Ann's Jots & Jingles

By Jo Ann Dickson

I recently attended a state meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Waco. A club from Mason County reported that they had sown 500 packages of bluebonnet seeds in their county.

Well, my husband and I drove through Mason County last week. A more beautiful sight I've never seen! Words fail in trying to describe the bluebonnets growing on hill and dale and along the highway.

could be captured!!

Speaking of bluebonnets, I believe they must have been the inspiration for the SMURFS. Smurfs are adorable little bluish colored critters who love "Smurf-berries" and are always searching for them.

If you have a child or grandchild who love the Smurfs, take the time to show him or her a bluebonnet at close range!!



Arrival

Announced



Chad Thomas Blasingame

Geary and Myrna Blasingame of Afton would like to announce the arrival of a new grandson, Chad Thomas Blasingame.

Midland. Chad was born May 30, 1987 at 2:05 p.m. He weighed 3 pounds and 15 ounces.

Great grandparents are Dorr and Irene Blasingame of Afton.

Michael Derek Smith

Rhonda Smith would like to announce the arrival of a new baby brother, Michael Derek. He was born May 8 and weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces and was 20 inches

long. Derek's parents are Snow and Mike Smith of Afton. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gail Smith of Plainview and Mr. Clyde White of Dickens.

LION news and notes Taking Pride In A Healthy Community

The Matador Lions Club met June 2 at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall for a delicious meal prepared by Walter Jones for 24 Lions and 3 guests.

reported on the directors breakfast that the new officers would be installed at the next meeting.

Lion Forrest Campbell announced and reminded the Lions about the Light Bulb sale, Thursday, June 4 at 6 p.m. They are to meet at the old Grade School building.

"Son Beams"



By June Keltz

My Bible cover's inner and outer pockets serve as a filing cabinet for personal papers important only to me. Being aware of the extra bulge under my arm last Sunday, I purposed to have a Bible Cleaning.

A paper with handwritten scriptural reasons for fasting and the blessings that result.

A testimony sheet from Calvary Commission - a group of young men, out of prison, who spoke at our church. They told of how Jesus had changed them and set them free.

Notes on the Hebrew Covenant and it's correlation to God's covenant with man.

Notes on the twelve tribes of Israel written in alphabetical order to help me memorize them.

Pen and pencil church drawings by my grandchildren, reflecting not only their personalities but also their God given talents.

A brochure of our favorite Lubbock church preserved for helping us remember the time, since they have three services on Sunday and we attend only three or four times a year.

A handmade bookmark with a broken winged butterfly among

dried crumpling leaves.

A scripture in Prov. 3:24-26 to help me sleep more restfully. More gum wrappers.

A drawing and commentary on the crown of thorns by a ginner's wife in Stanton, Texas.

Two Kleenex balls (my tears flow readily when I feel the sweet presence of the Lord).

More prayer lists.

A small book on speaking God's word and seeing His creative power work, by Charles Capps.

Some of the contents could be called worthwhile, valuable and honorable, but intermingled are those things that are worthless; fit only for the trash dumpster.

Our lives, as well as pockets, have a way of collecting trash that somehow eludes our attention or observation. Only our Father God can show us this rubbish and help us dispose of it so that we will be vessels of honor, pure and clean before Him.

Library Notes

BY JIMMIE HUNTER



It seems we might be able to play a new game this summer called, "Who can find the error in the Library Notes first."

"We got both the book and the poet's name right, but if you tried to check out the date for registration of the SUMMER READING CLUB, I'll bet you couldn't find a Tuesday the 12th in June. I glanced at my wall calendar for the second Tuesday of the month - of course it was still on May!

The present schedule for the first four weeks of our ANIMAL ANTICS READING PROGRAM is printed below:

June 9 - Registration, 3:00 p.m., Library.

June 16 - Reports of reading and Handicrafts, 10:00 a.m., Library.

June 27 - Pepper Nichols and his frisbee catching dogs, 10:00 a.m. on the Courthouse lawn.

June 30 - A story by Beverly Darsey, 3:00 p.m., Library.

I already have an excellent storyteller lined up for July 7th, but I'll tell you about that later. Our club will meet for one hour each week and is open to those who are three years old to those who finished the sixth grade this year.

hope you parents from out of town can carpool to get the children here. Visitors are always welcome.

If you know you cannot be at our first meeting, you may come by the Library Saturday morning, or any day the library is open next week to fill out a registration form and pick up a reading record folder.

Remember, reading is fun, and the goal of our Summer Reading Program is to read the kind of books you enjoy at your own pace, so be thinking about the number of books you would like to read in eight weeks and be ready to set your goal Tuesday, June 9th. There will be an award for all those who participate and special recognition for those who reach their goal.

Several of our regular volunteers are going to be unable to help at the Library this Summer, so if you have been thinking that you would like to do this, please call Darla Gwinn, 469-5272 or the Motley County Library, 347-2717.

We really appreciate our volunteers, Larry Crouch and Darla Gwinn keeping the library open Tuesday evening and Thursday afternoon.



Together With Our Parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Mrs. Eva Wigley Mr. Manuel Wigley We Invite You To Be With Us In Our Marriage On Saturday, June 13, 1987 at 2:00 p.m. In the Afternoon at the Flomot Church of Christ Flomot, Texas Elisa Ann Ross and William Stanley Wigley

Reception following Flomot Community Center



Home Economically Speaking By Carolyn Hallsell

GOOD EATING HABITS WHEN YOU'RE OLDER

If you're one of those older folks who thinks teenagers eat too much fast food and sweets, take a closer look at your own diet.

Many in the over-65 age group also have some bad eating habits which can affect their nutrition and health. Answer these questions and see if you fit in this group.

Are you salting your food more and more? We often get into the habit of heavily salting food to compensate for the loss of taste with age. This can worsen any pre-existing hypertension. It's better to learn how to use more herbs and spices for flavor.

Have you started eating mostly soft foods? When you restrict your

diets to easy-to-chew foods, it becomes difficult to get adequate amounts of needed nutrients. Typically, poor teeth and gums makes the soft foods seem more attractive. But good dental care and well-fitting dentures may help you enjoy crisp foods again.

The softer, high-carbohydrate foods preferred by many elderly can also lead to an increased incidence of constipation since they contain little fiber. Adding cooked whole grain cereals to a "soft" diet will greatly increase its fiber content and help this problem.

Are you skipping meals because you're depressed, it seems like too much trouble to cook or you're just not hungry? It doesn't have to be this way! Try trading off with a friend to cook and eat at each other's homes.

Maybe your church or a senior citizens' center has a noon meal where you can eat in pleasant company. Or you may qualify for a "Meals-On-Wheels" program, where a friendly visitor will bring you a meal each day.

Keeping up good eating habits is a part of keeping up your health.

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In The Rough

By Hazel



NO PLAY THURSDAY, DUE TO RAINS!

CHILDRESS INVITATIONAL

Country Club at Childress hosted an Invitational Four Ladies Golf scramble on Saturday, May 30. Entering from Springs Ranch were LaVoe Thacker, Louise Barton, Geneva Wilson and Olivia Barton.

This team won first place in second flight.

Players really enjoyed the lunch, catered by Mary Frances Gloor at her Ranch House Restaurant...so nice to see Mary Frances again, and others of long ago acquaintance.

Golfers and others are enjoying the delicious meals at "In The Ruff" steak house at Springs Ranch. Open Saturday, Sunday and Tuesday evenings.

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Afton News

by Janey Carothers

FORMER RESIDENT DIES
Eula Robbins, mother of Ruth Roberts flew to Decatur, Alabama last Wednesday to her daughters Jenny Lou Harvey. She had a very good trip with only a short lay over in Dallas.

HEAVY RAINS
Wednesday morning we were greeted with water everywhere. The county maintainers were kept busy pulling cars and pickups out of the mud, but by Thursday morning it really began to get serious. Afton was under water. It was almost impossible to even get up to the Post Office. Local residents were reporting as much as 9 inches of rain in all. Myrtle Carothers house was completely surrounded by water with no way to get in or out. Water was running across the highway in several places between Afton and East Afton.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
The annual stockholders meeting and supper was held Saturday, May 16 at the Afton Cooperative Gin. A business meeting was held with two directors elected. The supper was catered by Denny's Hens and Fins of Lubbock with a very good attendance and enjoyed by all.

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Visiting in the home of R.W. and Ann Howard last weekend were Kenneth and Beverly Patrick of Ft. Worth.

Matador News

Mrs. Mary Davis has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Nell R. Gilbert. Mary is from Duncan, Okla.

On a recent Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Dirickson drove to Lovington, N.M. to visit Mrs. Ollie Ann Pitts. Mrs. Pitts lives in a housing complex consisting of 52 separate apartments. Her apartment is No. 137, which is located at 214 West Polk Ave. She seemed to be doing nicely since her mishap in December. She enjoys being close to Douglas Jr., Mary Elizabeth and grandchildren. In her usual and friendly disposition, Mrs. Pitts sends her love to all of Matador and a very gracious, "Come to see me, anytime!"

Mrs. Frances Craven of Abilene was the weekend guest, recently, of her in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Craven.

Josephine Hamilton and Dan Barton hosted Lewis de Newuille of Limoges, France and Jan Hamilton of Plainview for dinner last week.

Jan met Mr. de Newuille in Amarillo and showed him some of the countryside on their way to Matador. They also visited the Matador Ranch Headquarters. Mr. de Newuille is president for the International Limousin Cattle Assn.

Mrs. Bill Pipkin returned home Saturday evening from a trip to Phoenix, Ariz., accompanied by her grandson, Scott Pipkin of Lubbock. They visited their son and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Pipkin, who recently moved to Phoenix from Lubbock.

Mrs. Gerald Fugit of Odessa spent last week with her father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery.

Senior Citizens Report

by Iris Blevins

The Mini Bus went to Lubbock Monday with several people riding. They reported a real nice day for shopping.

Tuesday was our regular fourth Tuesday luncheon, and we had a number of visitors. We had forty names registered and several people left without signing the register. We want to welcome each one of you to come, anytime you can. The welcome mat is always out to all of you.

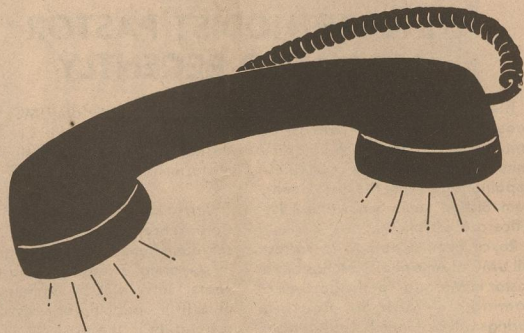
Mrs. Martin was with us, taking Blood Pressures. We are so thankful for your service, Mrs. Martin. We welcome you and Mr. Martin to our luncheons and to join in our game session each Friday evening at 2:00 p.m., anytime you can come. Friday evening was game

evening at the center. We had only one table of 84 players, but everyone was ready for the evening of games and fun.

This week is the beginning of a new month. The month of June. I like most of the things that happen during the month. With the blooming of the roses and azalias. I was born June 19th, a long time ago. So, lets all make the most of our lives all through this great month.

Come be with us and have fun with us each time we gather at the Senior Citizens Buiding.

We invite our neighboring communities to come be with us anytime. Our next luncheon will be Tuesday, June 9.



Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

DEANS HONOR ROLL
Robbie Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms of Flomot, has been listed on the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Tech students must carry at least 12 semester hours and achieve a grade point average of 3.50 to be named on Dean's Honor Roll. Robbie has successfully carried 17 hours this semester and acquired a grade point average of 3.785. He is majoring in Hotel and Restaurant Management. He is currently employed at the Lubbock Inn and attending the summer session at Tech.

He is the grandson of Art Green of Flomot and Mrs. Annetta Helms of Quitaque. He is the great grandson of Mrs. J.C. Green, Sr. of Matador.

ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES

Those from out of town attending the funeral services of Harrison George, May 15 were Mrs. Dan Baldwin of Abilene; Mrs. Don Hale of Spring; Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, Bill Morris and Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Baldwin, Dany Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. William Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bennett of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Don Kuykendall, Betsy Henderson, Mrs. Roy Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Headrick of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sorley, Bro. Richard Grisham, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Jay B. Barrett, Mrs. Sandra Clayton, Mrs. Irma Bradshaw and Mrs. Era Jameson of Bovina; Mrs. Mollie Burleson and Mrs. Lillie Mae Johnston of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spear, Mr. and Mrs. France Barton and Mrs. Allie Hart of Matador; Sam and Jimmy Ross of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Roy George of Mathis and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Barrett of Lockney.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter honored their granddaughters, Meagan Shorter of Amarillo on her first birthday and Keri Shorter of Flomot on her eleventh birthday, Sunday, May 31 with a family luncheon and party in their home.

Those attending the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shorter and Jennifer and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhodes, Russell and Rickey of Amarillo, Selina Shorter of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Cindy and Christi, local residents.

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

ATTEND FLB MEETING
Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon were in Dallas from Wednesday until Friday. Mr. Dixon attended a Federal Land Bank meeting held at the Hyatt Regency V.F.W. Airport, Thursday. They visited overnight, Thursday in Irving with Mr. and Mrs. W.L. McCarty and enplaned home, Friday.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Bob Jameson of Matador was honored on his 85th birthday with a family luncheon in the home of his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson, Sunday. Happy Birthday was sung as he blew out his candles on a decorated cake with the inscription, "Happy Birthday Daddy Bob". He was presented gifts and cards.

Those attending the happy occasion were his wife, Doll Jameson, sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Jameson of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Jameson and his son, Jason of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon visited in Plainview, Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Holly. Josh and Brandon remained to visit this week.

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada, Mrs. Allie Hart of Matador and Mrs. Opal Martin and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Wellington, Tuesday and again, Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Liza Jones and niece, Mrs. Richard Nall.

Mrs. Royce Hanna of Wichita, Kansas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey. Joining her to visit this weekend were Mrs. Gene Davis and sons of Fritch and Mrs. Michael Starkey and children of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Cloyd and Jason of Memphis visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd, Sunday.

Mrs. Harrison George visited from Wednesday until Sunday in Bovina with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Barrett.

Mrs. Jeff Sperry returned home from Lubbock, Friday where she visited the past week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goldston. They met family members in Breckenridge last weekend and enjoyed fishing.

Visitors, Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lane and daughters of Plainview. Mr. Lane was the guest minister at the Flomot Church of Christ Sunday morning services.

Mrs. Mary Lou Bowman of Lockney was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee, Thursday. She and Mrs. Lee are working with the Flomot Cemetery records and M.C. Civil War records.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd were in Plainview and Lubbock, Tuesday for Mr. Cloyd medical check-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff "Chip" Monk of Booker visited his grandmothers, Mrs. James Monk and Mrs. Jeff Sperry, Sunday. Visiting Mrs. Sperry, Monday and attending the funeral services of Joe Bedwell in Quitaque was Mrs. Bill Sperry of Odessa.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen were Mrs. Gwen Reed, Shae Lynn and Dustin and Keith Cook of Lubbock. Keith remained to visit this week.

Mrs. Wendell Morris visited from Thursday until Saturday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clary of Tulia and Mrs. Ima Nell Francis of Plainview visited Mrs. Harley Gunn, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Minkley, Leslie, Stacie and Kala visited the weekend in Claude with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Minkley.

Mrs. Katheryn Martin met her sister, Mrs. Wendell Newman of Spur in Roaring Springs, Sunday to visit their mother Mrs. Ray Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon accompanied his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon to Lubbock, Friday for a medical check up. They visited in Idalou with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Whitefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper returned home, Wednesday from an eight day vacation trip to Eagle Nest, N.M. Joining them to enjoy the tourist attractions and fishing there and at Red River were daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dunnam and Kourtney of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings met Mrs. Tim Jennings, Leslie and Matthew of Haskell in Dickens, Monday and Matthew returned home with them to visit.

County Chit-Chat

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

FIRST UNITED METHODIST MEMBERSHIP HONORS PASTOR

The membership of the First United Methodist Church honored Pastor Royce Scott with a salad supper in the home of Miss Lula Swim Tuesday evening of last week. Pastor Scott was given a special quilt, made and quilted by members. Those present were the Honoree, the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams; Mrs. Clyde Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duval; Kermit Glover, Miss Freda Keahey, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Mitchell, Mrs. Helen Murray and Mrs. J.T. Swim.

SENIOR TRIP

Kay Osborn, daughter of Mr. Larine Osborn, was one of Patton Springs Seniors who left last Friday for their Senior Trip to points of interest in Missouri. Coach Cockran and Mrs. Willeta Burkes accompanied the students.

ATTEND FUNERAL

B.L. Peacock left Monday for Gautier, Mississippi to attend funeral services for his brother Aleck who died in the Singing River Hospital there early Sunday morning. He flew to Houston where he was met by his son, Pat, whom he accompanied to Gautier for the Tuesday funeral there. Graveside services were scheduled for Thursday at Dublin, where Aleck will be buried beside his father. Mrs. B.L. Peacock and their son Mike went to Dublin for the services there. Aleck is survived by his wife, two brothers, a sister, and several nephews.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Persons attending the funeral of Earl Gene Freeman, former resident of Roaring Springs, from out of town were Charlotte Andrews of Denver City; Norine Byars of Vernon; Janice Freeman Elliott of Graham; Vada Pearl Freeman of Graham; Sharlene Formby of Plainview; Amy Havis of Slaton; Carolyn Lane of Lubbock; Willie Lou Martin of Vernon; Mae Ethel McIroy of Electra; Grace Meece of Grandfield, OK.

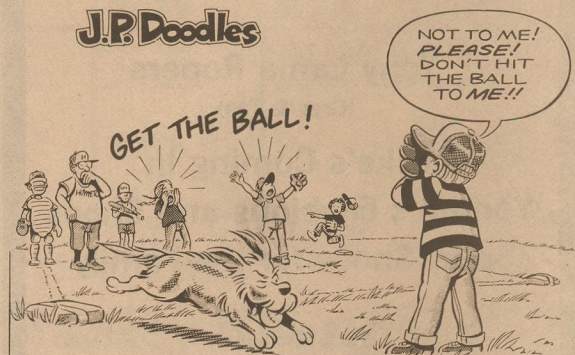
His home community mourns the untimely death of this native son, the last of a family active in community affairs for many years.

Mesdames M.S. and Buzz Thacker served coffee and cake to the family, their relatives and friends in the private dining room of J-Lyn's Cafe following the funeral services.

J.T. Swim visited a sick friend Leonard Stamps in Fieldton Sunday.

"There is nothing more beautiful in this world than a healthy, wise old man."
Lin Yutang

J.P. Doodles



The Kids (and Dogs) of Summer are back...

SOFTBALL TEAMS



RANGERS: Blake Eddleman, Chris Campbell, Richie Cisneros, Christi Jameson, Bradley Jameson, Robert Osborn, Daniel Alexander, Lori Barerra, Cody Barclay, Whitney Jameson, Jeromy Jameson, Jeremy Jones, Bobby Barton, Codi Williams; Coaches, Billy Don Hughes and Eddy Jameson.

YANKEES: Michael Klebahn, Jeremy Davis, Paul Barton, Kathy Dewild, Tad Terrell, Emilo Sanchez, Lacy Parks, Adriano Moreno, Renee Klebahn, Frankie Ortiz, Jennifer Beshirs, Dustin Davis, Thomas Lee, Cody Campbell; Coaches, Kyle and Cody Hardin.

EXPOS: David Alexander, Clay Ewing, Jimmy Cummings, Kathey Perryman, Noel Guerrerro, Andy Renfro, Shane Taylor, Juliana Cisneros, Tye Stephens, Kobbi Rissler, Wade Patrick, Conway Clary, Jody Scott, Stashia Daniel; Coaches, Scotty Abbott, Jr. Daniel.

CARDINALS: Billy Lefevre, Jason Stanley, Johnny Martinez, Roy Moreno, Marvina Smoak, Burr Barton, Leslie Lester, Shonda Barton, Matt Mangram, Brooke Brandon, Robert Norris, Joshua Palmer, Don Martin, Deseree Bowden; Coaches, Derinda Cruse and Jas Reid.

4-H'ers Heading For State Roundup

Four 4-H'ers from Motley County will be taking part in the 1987 State 4-H Roundup, June 9-10 at Texas A&M University.

The County's 4-H members will be among some 1,600 from across Texas taking part in a host of activities. Attending from Motley County will be Jenifer Davis, Rhonda Long, Tricia Palmer and Rusty Willmon.

Activities the first day begin with the State 4-H Food Show at 8 a.m.

An opening assembly that evening will feature special entertainment by a country and western group from Nashville, Tenn., called The Shoppe. In addition more than 100 outstanding 4-H members will receive scholarships through the

Texas 4-H Foundation that total almost \$650,000. Also, special awards will be presented to long-time supporters of the 4-H program.

Contests in 39 different categories will kick off the second day of Roundup. Competitive events will continue throughout the day, and winners will be recognized at a special awards program that evening.

A luncheon on June 10 will recognize 28 outstanding 4-H adult volunteer leaders from across the state who will receive special plaques from the Texas 4-H Foundation.

4-H'ers competing in the State Food Show and Roundup contests must qualify by winning in county and district competition.

HIGH SCHOOL AWARDS

These awards were presented at the Awards Assembly program last week. They are as follows:

Presented at Graduation, Lions Club Citizenship: Brandon Eddleman and Dena Renfro.

Student with the Highest Average in High School, Jarret Jameson, 97.24.

Scholarships were presented to Valedictorian, Loretta Cross and Salutatorian Dena Renfro.

Eternas Jr. Study Club Scholarships: Jade Jones and Loretta Cross.

Best All-Around: David Stafford and Koree Campbell.

Teachers Honor Effort Award: Shawna Campbell and Brandon Eddleman.

School Citizenship: Jeffrey Burkes, Regina Mangram, John Wallingsford, Melissa Gray, David Stafford, Joely Ewing, Kenneth Rice and Yulanda Campbell.

Sportsmanship Award: Will Richards and Dena Renfro.

School Spirit Award: Shawna Campbell.

Activities Award: Shanna Lancaster.

English Awards: Jarrett Jameson, Joely Ewing, April Vandiver, Loretta Cross.

One Act Play Awards: Tim Terrell, All Star Cast and Joely Ewing for Best Actress, District.

Dramatics Award: Herbert Sims and Shanna Lancaster.

Journalism Award: Tanya Cummings.

Spelling Award: Shanna Lancaster.

Speech Award: Joely Ewing.

Theatre Arts I: Memori Assiter.

Vance Gilbreath Math Award: Regina Cruse.

Pre-Algebra: Regina Mangram.

Algebra I: Jarrett Jameson.

Algebra II: Will Richards.

Geometry: Shanna Lancaster.

Bausch & Lomb Science Award: Dena Renfro.

U.I.L. Science Award: Loretta Cross.

National Honor Society Members: Paka Barton, Penny Bearden, Koree Campbell, Shawna Campbell, Loretta Cross, Regina Cruse, Tanya Cummings, Joely Ewing, Melissa Gray, Jade Jones, Shanna Lancaster, Tricia Palmer, Dina Patel, Will Richards, Dena Renfro, David Stafford, Tim Terrell, Marianna Zarate.

MOTLEY COUNTY HONOR ROLL

DISTINGUISHED LIST (Grades 7-12)

- 7th. Grade: Paul Barton, Tonya Hoyle, Christie Shorter.
- 8th. Grade: Bonnie Richards.
- 9th. Grade: Jarrett Jameson.
- 10th. Grade: Regina Cruse, Joely Ewing.
- 11th. Grade: Shannon Campbell, Shanna Lancaster.
- 12th. Grade: Koree Campbell, Loretta Cross, Tanya Cummings, Dena Renfro.

HONOR ROLL (80 or above)

- 7th. Grade: Amber Brandon, Chaney Cruse, Eric Farley, Heather Hobbs, Cathey Perryman, Kristi Timmons, Amy Woolsey.
- 8th. Grade: Tony Gonzalez, Billy Lefevre, Brandee Spray, Matt Washington.
- 9th. Grade: Yulanda Campbell, Hali Patrick, Paige Williams, Rusty Willmon.
- 10th. Grade: Lance Barclay, Paka Barton, Tricia Palmer, Dina Patel, Will Richards, David Stafford, Tim Terrell.
- 11th. Grade: Brandon Eddleman, April Vandiver, Mariana Zarate.
- 12th. Grade: Penny Bearden, Jade Jones, Regena Mangram.

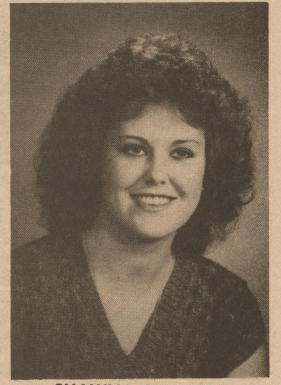
DISTINGUISHED LIST (Grade School)

- 1st. Grade: Georgina Baeza, Tanya Barkley, Monica Clifton, Carillion Creed, Rebecca Long,

I DARE YOU LEADERSHIP AWARD RECIPIENTS NAMED



KOREE CAMPBELL



SHAWNA CAMPBELL

Koree Campbell and Shawna Campbell have been awarded the national I DARE YOU LEADERSHIP AWARD in recognition of personal integrity, balanced living, and motivation for leadership. The honor was presented by Principal Don Ewing at the awards assembly held at Motley County High School on May 29, 1980.

The I DARE YOU AWARD is made available each year by the American Youth Foundation in cooperation with high schools across the country. The Award was first offered in 1941 by William H. Danforth, founder of the Ralston Purina Company in St. Louis, who dared young people to achieve their highest potential and to influence others through lives of service. The Award takes its name from the book, *I Dare You*, written by Mr. Danforth, in which he commends the balanced life of mental, physical, social, and spiritual development as the backbone of leadership.

Koree and Shawna were recognized for their Character, Leadership and Scholarship qualities.

In addition to a Certificate of Recognition, Koree and Shawna received a copy of Mr. Danforth's inspirational book, *I Dare You*, and a scholarship to attend a two-week National Leadership Conference sponsored by the American Youth Foundation. Over 6,000 schools and 4-H programs participate in the I DARE YOU LEADERSHIP AWARD each year.

In 1924 Mr. Danforth helped establish the American Youth Foundation, a non-sectarian, not-for-profit organization committed to the service of youth through summer camps and leadership conferences. For more information about the I DARE YOU LEADERSHIP AWARD and the American Youth Foundation, contact their office at 1415 Elbridge Payne, No. 210, St. Louis, Missouri 63017.

Highway Department Names New District Engineer

District engineer Lewis H. White of the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation has retired after directing activities of the 13 county Childress district since 1973, which includes Motley County.

Effective June 1, Vance L. "Huck" Castleberry succeeded White, according to an announcement by

State Engineer-Director R.E. Stotzer Jr.

Castleberry, a Childress native, holds a civil engineering degree from the University of Texas at Austin. He began his career with the department as a summer employee in 1954, continuing with full time work in the Amarillo district at Dalhart. He transferred to Childress in 1961.

VA NEWS FEATURE

Q -- I receive VA compensation benefits. I am now retired and living on a limited income, can I also receive a VA pension?

A -- You cannot receive both VA compensation benefits and a VA pension. You may elect to receive pension, if you qualify, and the pension would in fact be greater than the compensation benefit.

Q -- I am a veteran with a service-connected disability rated at 50 percent. I have received an injury which is not service-connected, but which will require a prosthetic

appliance. Will the VA supply this needed appliance?

A -- Yes. Any veteran with a service-connected disability of 50 percent or more may be provided with necessary prosthetic appliances for any medical condition.

Q -- Can a female veteran claim her husband as a dependent?

A -- Yes. When receiving compensation, pension or education benefits from the VA, the female veteran may claim her husband as a dependent.

Judge not, and you shall not be judged; condemn not, and you shall not be condemned; forgive, and you shall be forgiven.

Luke 6:37

To help us plan this work for this summer, please complete the information below if you could assist in this project this summer.

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I would be willing to help in the construction of the playground equipment this summer. I would be available on _____ weekdays

from _____ to _____ I would be able to help: (Check all that apply)

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Hauling Materials _____

Other _____

I understand that the school can assume no liability or responsibility for any injuries or accidents that might be sustained in the completion of this project.

Signature _____ Date _____

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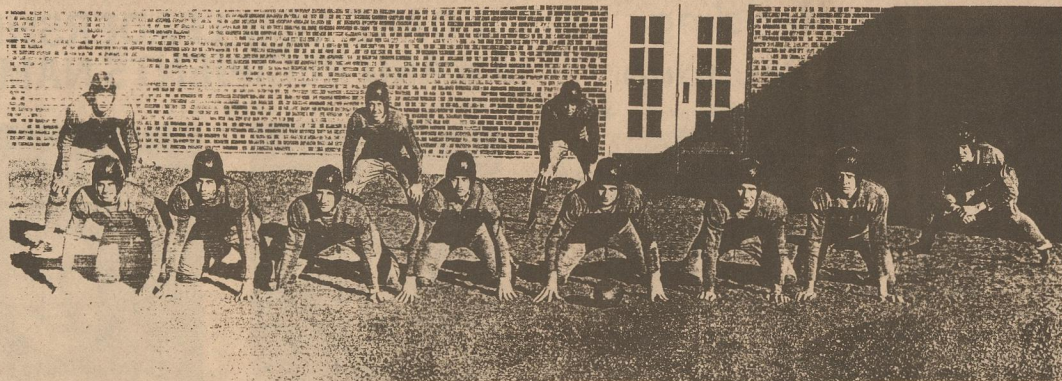
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Remember When

By Annie B. Cloyd
Box 22
Flomot, TX 79234

Hello folks, it's just me again, here in this wet country and thanking the Lord for every bit of it. We could have had what the good people had down in Saragosa. I know all the folks in Matador could understand their problems and be thankful that when the bad tornado hit them that there were no deaths.

Now there is flooding in a lots of places and many homes will be damaged and belongings will be washed away. It is so bad but if lives are saved, then there is hope of rebuilding and starting over.

We have a lot to be thankful for and we should never forget it. We were gone last weekend and I didn't get a story in the paper but I got to listen to some folks that used to live here talk about old times and places and folks and it was interesting. Jim Meece did a lot of talking about when he worked for Harrison George and worked some for Bert Cloyd at the station. He was just a youngster in school when he started working. In fact it was Jim that mixed the hot pepper in with the peanuts and took them to school and then gave them to a fellow and

that is what caused a lot of trouble in class. I wonder if this fellow remembers....how could he forget?

We have been going through some old pictures of Leon's mother's and found some of the Cloyd's along with the Calvert and McGown and Hawkins families. They were all out together on picnics. I guess they got together alot to go to the "Drinking Cup" or a spot called the "Bath Tub" or "Dripping Springs". Now I have heard of all these places but have never been to any of them. I expect it would be hard to get to them now. I know they must have had a lot of fun even if they had to go in wagons to get there.

I was talking to Carmen Lee awhile back and she told me that she and her husband, Roger, had walked to the old picnic spot called "Dripping Springs". She said this wasn't very long ago and the place had grown up so much with brush till you could hardly get to it. But she said you could hear the spring still running. Roger went all the way down to the springs but she was afraid to get in all the weeds and brush. Said she just waited and hoped that Roger got back out of there without finding a snake or something else. They had to walk down the river out west of town, for a long way to get there.

Folks used to have lot of fun but it was work to get things all ready to load the wagons and get to those picnic spots.

Will stop for now and see you soon and "remember when" again.

Lighthouse Names General Manager

The Board of Directors of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative have announced the appointment of Russell Harrison to the position of General Manager of the Cooperative. He assumed his duties June 1.

Harrison comes to Lighthouse from Lovington, N.M., where he has been associated with Lea County Electric Cooperative since 1970.

Harrison, 44, is a U.S. Navy veteran. He has a BBA from The College of the Southwest in Hobbs, N.M., and an MBA from Eastern

New Mexico University in Portales, N.M.

He and his wife Becky are the parents of four sons, Stephen, 18; James, 15; Jeffrey, 9; and David 6. The Harrisons are members of the Baptist Church.

In Lovington, Harrison was a member of the Kiwanis Club, served as a director of the Chamber of Commerce, and was very active in Little League and other youth activities, as well as various community activities.

Obituary

EARL FREEMAN

ODESSA -- Services for Earl Gene Freeman, 61, were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at Eisenhower Church of Christ with Vernon Williams and Paul Prescott officiating.

Burial was at 2 p.m. Monday at the Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Frank W.D.

Wilson Funeral Directors of Odessa.

He died at 4:33 a.m. Friday at Medical Center Hospital in Odessa after a brief illness.

He was born July 24, 1925, in Roaring Springs. Freeman was a jewelry salesman for Ardan's store, a member of the Eisenhower Church of Christ in Odessa and a member of the civil air patrol. He married Dorothy Best on Nov. 26, 1952, in Lubbock. They moved to Odessa on June 1, 1970.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Mrs. D.D. Fowler of Austin; and two grandchildren.

With God All Things Are Possible!
Mark 10:27

County Agent's Corner

By Ray Minkley

KEEP CHILDREN OFF TRACTORS

Children are now out of school for the summer, and that's a time when a rash of tractor accidents often occur.

Tractors are for work, not play. And they each have only one seat--for the operator. Unfortunately, many people--most often children--are seriously injured and even killed in falls from tractors on which they were allowed to ride.

Such mishaps can be prevented by following these precautions:

--Keep children and non-workers off of and away from farm

machinery. Do not offer rides or give-in to a child's plea to ride along. Make "No Riders" your policy.

--Make sure no one has climbed aboard the tractor or trailing equipment without your knowledge. See that everyone is out of the way before moving.

--A tractor is not a suitable place to baby-sit. Arrange for child care if necessary.

--Make it clear that young tractor operators cannot let friends or siblings ride along. They should not allow another driver without your permission.

--Try to arrange for safe transportation for workers rather than allowing them to ride on equipment.

--When you must ride along to supervise or instruct a new tractor operator, choose the safest possible place to sit or stand--and hang on tight.

Tractor accidents generally increase as farm and ranch activities get into full swing with the spring season. Attention to a few safety precautions can head off many of these mishaps.

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Recollections

by Duff Green

LAND VALUES

Part II

My father was a lawyer and a surveyor and knew where the School lands lay. When the generous four section Act became the law of the land, he begged me to file; said he could place me almost anywhere in Motley or Dickens Counties, that I might wish to be. I turned it down and he sadly shook his head and said, "It won't last long."

A prophetic prophecy it proved to be.

In the early eighties, a certain man filed on land under the "Seven Section Act." That land was located in the fertile Duck Creek Valley and in what became the old Spur range. As quickly as he could make his proof of ownership, the land was sold to the Spur Ranch people at one dollar per acre, and the party in question moved out of this "God Forsaken Country."

Years later, the Western lure got in his system again, if it had ever left it, and he moved back and filed on a small vacant scrap of land, as a homestead. He realized his great blunder in selling a league of land for a song and singing the song himself.

When Swenson put the Spur land on the market, at from ten dollars per acre and up, C.A. Jones, the manager, met the man that had sold his land to the Spurs, and asked him what he thought of the Spur country. The party being abrupt and plain spoken said, "I don't think it is worth a damn." Jones seemed rattled then the man added, "If I had, I wouldn't have sold seven sections of it for a dollar an acre." He realized the joke was on him, not the purchaser of his

former holdings.

There isn't anything wrong with owning land. Land is the mother of all wealth. The weakness is in the human side of the question. Nowadays, some people are land poor, because they and their neighbors have created artificial and unnatural conditions. The earth's inability to produce the required production or prices received for that production, fail to meet the costs and upkeep on the land. The land is not to be blamed. Nor should the land be held responsible for booms and artificial values placed on it.

There is no selling without buyers. If the purchaser is swept off his feet and pays too much for land or anything else, it is just too bad and he will, in time, realize his mistake. I have often heard that a commodity is worth all you can get for it. That isn't sound thinking. It is human to ask all you can get, but that doesn't make it worth the price.

Property values should be based on their reasonable earning ability. Grazing lands are worth no more than they are capable of paying and maintaining. Buy agricultural land and pay more than its production is capable of meeting, then you have paid too much for it.

The mere guess that someday it may be made more valuable, is a lean solace, as one struggles along to pay for it. Values should walk hand in hand with natural development and progress. Not an artificial one. Our trend is to deny ourselves nothing and let the unborn generation pay the bill and like it.

Part III, next week.

Card Of Thanks

We thank you for your comforting expressions of sympathy at the loss of our loved one. The lovely floral offerings, memorial donations, cards, visits, calls, prayers and preparation and serving of food at the family luncheon will always be remembered with love and gratitude.

Mrs. Harrison (Oma Lee) George
J.B. and Sue Barrett
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Mr. and Mrs. Jay B. Barrett
T.D. and Willie Sue Rochelle
Roy and Cornelia George
And a host of nieces and nephews

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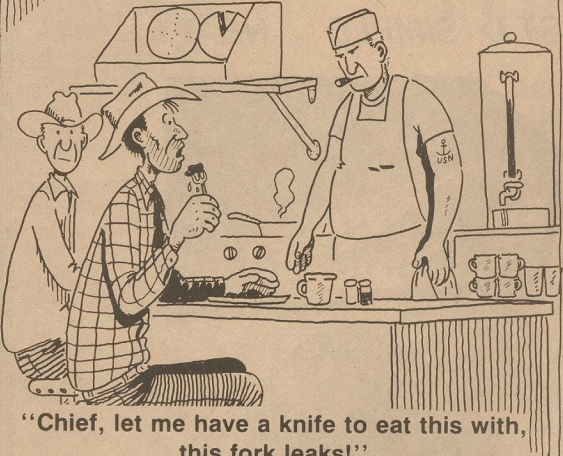


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By Ace Reid

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LEGAL NOTICES

INVITATION TO BID:
Motley County I.S.D. hereby
serves notice of the disposition of
school properties by sealed bids.
Bids are to be received in the office
of the Superintendent by 7:00 p.m.
on June 10, 1987.

I. A. Four (4) 14' x 40' Morgan
Portable Buildings, each complete
with two heat pumps and air
conditioner and with two half-baths
installed.

B. One (1) 14' x 40' General
Shelters Portable Building with two
heat pumps and air conditioners
and with two half-baths installed.
These buildings are to be moved
from the premise of Motley County
ISD, and the site cleared within a
time agreed to by the Board and the
successful bidder.

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INVITATION FOR BIDS:
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
OF THE FOLLOWING WORK
FOR MOTLEY COUNTY INDEPENDENT
SCHOOL DISTRICT

RECEIPT OF BIDS:
Sealed proposals will be
received by the Motley County
Independent School District,
Matador, Texas until 7:00 p.m. June
10, 1987 for construction of trophy
cases. These trophy cases are to be
constructed with safety glass
throughout, be 8 foot in height,
have adjustable shelves. Framing to
be of suitable wood construction,
and will be approximately 56 feet
in total length. Design may be at
bidder's option, provided it is
acceptable to the Board of Trustees
of Motley County I.S.D. Bids will be
opened at approximately 7:00 p.m.

GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE: Friday Only, 10:00
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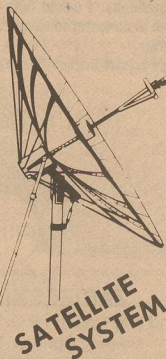
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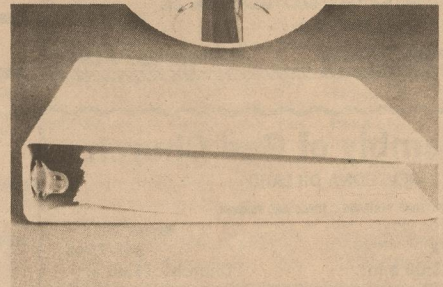
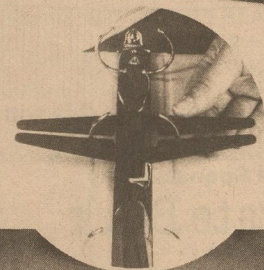
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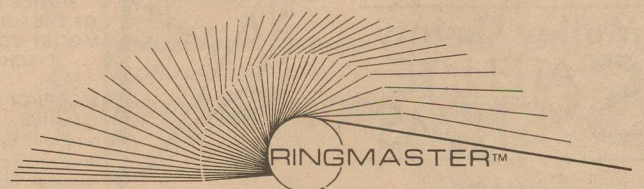
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