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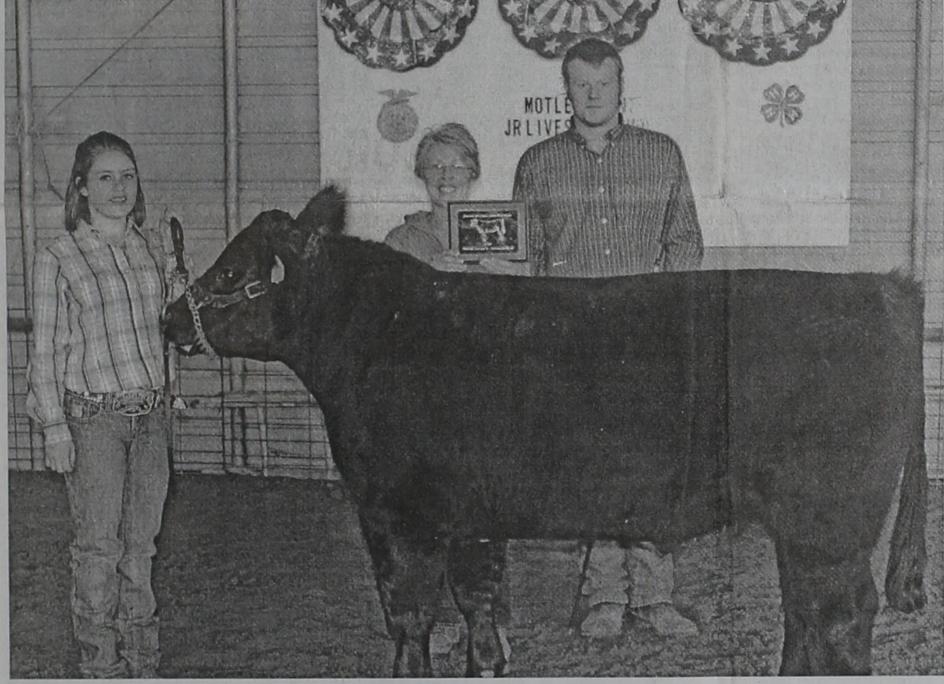
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STOCK SHOW COMPETITION

2-year-old Tyge Flowers
discusses his Bucket Calf
with dad, Jay Flowers,
Colton Russell (left),
and Show Judge,
RobertHerrington
(back to camera)
during last Saturday's
2007 Jr. Livestock Show.
Tyge was among 11
Bucket Calf exhibitors.

Pictured below is
Courtney Alexander
with her Grand
Champion Steer. Also
pictured are Becky
McGalliard of McGalliard
Farms in Spur, breeders of
the Grand Champion Steer
and Shane Newman who
showed the Steer while
Courtney showed another
one of her steers
in the show.





2007 Motley County Livestock Show results announced

Cold winds and a dirty, dusty sky didn't hinder the fun for the 2007 Motley County Jr. Livestock Show, Saturday, February 24. The day started off early with a delicious breakfast, cooked and served by volunteers. The hearty food gave a good start to the cold, blustery day, and the high winds didn't dampen the spirits of Stock Show participants or fans. The 2007 Show went off without a hitch and was declared a success.

4-H and FFA members exhibited 45 head of swine, 10 lambs, 26 goats, 4 steers, 10 rabbits and 11 bucket calves. Results of the show are as follows:

SWINE SHOW

Light Weight: 1st., Schyler Tomlinson; 2nd., Britt Simpson; 3rd., Natalie Jameson; 4th., Shane'a Russell; 5th., Christian Brooks; 6th., Chase Buckner.

Medium Weight: 1st., Taylor Tomlinson; 2nd., Natalie Jameson; 3rd., Schyler

Tomlinson; 4th., Kyla Simpson; 5th., Britt Simpson; 6th., Jacob Blanco.

Medium Heavy Weight: 1st., Marc Henzler; 2nd., Kaylee Woolsey; 3rd., Braden Bigham; 4th., Kyla Simpson; 5th., Logan Ferguson; 6th., Reagan Elliott.

Heavy Weight: 1st., Eric Simpson; 2nd., Korbyn Simpson; 3rd., Alexis Osborn; 4th., Seth Baxter; 5th., Jacob Woolsey; 6th., Braden Bigham. Grand Champion: Eric. Simpson.

Reserve Champion: Schyler Tomlinson.

Jr. Showmanship: Schyler Tomlinson. Sr. Showmanship: Shane'a

Sr. Showmanship: Shane'a Russell. Also competing in the Swine

Also competing in the Swine Show, but not placing in the top six were Catherine Ward, Ashley Brackeen, Chase Buckner, Jamie Jameson, Shelby Elliott, Matthew Faulks,

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Second Annual Boondocker Grand Prix Race will trail through Matador Sunday

If you missed last year's Boondocker Grand Prix Race in Matador, here's another chance to take part in the fun. The motorcycle club of Lubbock will hold their second annual race Sunday, March 4. The excitement will begin about 9:30 a.m. The race will consist of a 4 to 6 mile route.

The Boondockers club is expecting a large crowd of racers. The Matador race was voted the race of the year in 2006 by club members. Ten extra points will be awarded to the riders who participate in Matador this year.

The Grand Prix circuit is geared to families and everyone in the area is welcome to come and enjoy the day. Food booths will be set up by various groups as fundrasiers. Motley County Senior Citizens will sell rodeo wraps and brisket sandwiches; the Catholic Church will sell turkey legs and other goodies; Hackberry Creek Care Center will serve grilled hamburgers and homemade goodies; the Full Gospel Church plans to sell water and soft drinks; a Relay for Life team will sell Krispy Kream donuts. All other groups are encouraged to participate in the

Internet Safety program will be presented at school Thursday night

A program on Internet Safety will be presented Thursday (tonight) March 1 at 6:00 p.m. at the Motley County school gym. Parents, students and community members are invited to attend. The program will be presented by Keith Quigley, from

the FBI office in Lubbock.

This event is being sponsored by the Motley County Student Council under the direction of Shelley Cox.

activities. Additional food booths, as well as craft booths, and other family activities are welcome.

The Boondockers donate part of their profit back to the community.

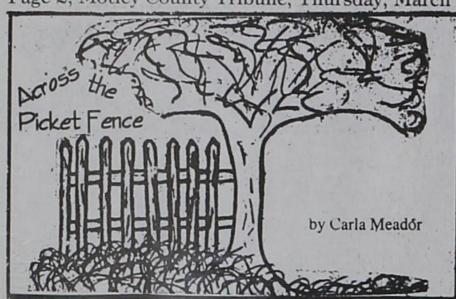
Volunteers are needed on Saturday, March 3, to help set up the course. Tentative plans are to meet at the Courthouse at 10:00 a.m. Saturday morning. Other volunteers are needed for clean up, etc., after the race. If you can help or for more information contact Shane Jones at 347-2820 or Dianne Washington at 347-2636.

There are several race classes for the event. Sign up will begin at 9:00 a.m. with a \$35 registration fee, downtown, near the Courthouse.

2006 participants in the Matador Boondocker's Grand Prix Race raced through trails outlined over several areas in town.

(photo from Tribune files, by Carla Meador)





What windy, blustery weather we're having! I suppose every type of weather has its purpose, but I think we, in this part of the country, could do well with less wind. We certainly have more than our share. If you're feeling windblown and flustered, read on. I received this from a friend; some of you with email may have also received it, but I thought it was interesting and certainly worth

It is found that a mixture of Honey and Cinnamon cures most diseases. Today's science says that even though honey is sweet, if taken in the right dosage as a medicine, it does not harm diabetic patients. Weekly World News, a magazine in Canada, gave the following list of diseases that can be cured by Honey and Cinnamon as researched by western scientists:

Heart Diseases: Make a paste of honey and cinnamon powder, apply on bread, instead of jelly and jam and eat it regularly for breakfast. It reduces the cholesterol in the arteries and saves patients from heart attacks.

Arthritis: Patients may take daily, morning and night, one cup of hot water with two spoons of honey and one small teaspoon of cinnamon powder. If taken regularly even chronic arthritis can be cured.

Bladder Infections: Take two tablespoons of cinnamon powder and one teaspoon of honey in a glass of lukewarm water and drink it. It destroys the germs in the bladder.

Toothache: Make a paste of one teaspoon of cinnamon powder and five teaspoons of honey and apply on the aching tooth. This may be applied three times a day until the tooth stops ach-

Cholesterol: Two tablespoons of honey and three teaspoons of Cinnamon mixed in 16 ounces of tea water, given to a cholesterol patient, was found to reduce the level of cholesterol in the blood by 10% within two

Colds: Those suffering from common or severe colds should take one tablespoon lukewarm honey with 1/4 spoon cinnamon daily for 3 days.

Upset Stomach: Honey taken with cinnamon cures stomach ache and also clears stomach ulcers from the root.

Gas: According to the studies done in India & Japan, it is revealed that if honey is taken with cinnamon the stomach is relieved of gas.

Immune system: Daily use of honey and cinnamon strengthens the immune system and protects the body from bacteria and viral attacks.

Indigestion: Cinnamon sprinkled on two tablespoons of honey taken before bed, relieves acidity and digests the heaviest

Influenza: A scientist in Spain has proved that honey contains a natural ingredient which kills the influenza germs and saves the patient from flu.

Longevity: Tea made with honey and cinnamon, when

taken regularly, arrests the ravages of old age. Take 4 spoons of honey, 1 spoon of cinnamon and 3 cups of water and boil to make a tea. Drink 1/4 cup, 3 to 4 times a day. It keeps the skin fresh and soft and arrests old

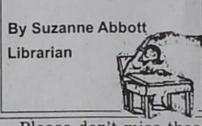
Acne: Three tablespoons of Honey and one teaspoon of cinnamon paste. Apply this paste on the pimples before sleeping and wash it the next morning with warm water. If done daily for two weeks, it removes pimples from the root.

Skin Infections: Applying honey and cinnamon powder in equal parts on the affected parts cures eczema, ringworm and all types of skin infections.

Weight Loss: Daily in the morning 1/2 hour before breakfast on an empty stomach and at night before sleeping, drink honey and cinnamon powder boiled in one cup water. If taken regularly it reduces the weight of even the most obese person. Also, drinking of this mixture regularly does not allow the fat to accumulate in the body even though the person may eat a high calorie diet.

Now, I don't know if these work or not, but who doesn't like honey and cinnamon? If nothing else, it's tasty! Good luck!

Library Notes



Please don't miss these events at the library:

March 25-Open house at the Annex. Doors open at 2:00 p.m. with the program beginning at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

March 30 - Shiloh Autumn book discussion at 7:00 p.m. Joel Spray and Suzanne Abbott will lead the discussion. Books are available now at the library.

We appreciate the donations received at the library this last week. We thank Virginia Martin and Rosemary Anderson for their donations in memory of James Truman Groves. We thank Bob and Wanda Kilmer for their donation in memory of Bill Dean Washington. We thank Nell and Stanley McDonough for their donation in memory of Opal Pipkin.

We had a lively Story Time for the children at the library last week. Patricia Green dressed in her Eskimo clothes and read Snow Bear to the Children. Suzanne Abbott read Cat, What is That? We thank Winifred Darsey, Regina Sheffield, Marihelen Wason, Beverly Vinson and Sharon Allen for the refreshments.

Children who enjoyed the goodies and stories were Sage Guerrero, Tatum Guerrero, Chyanne Aumiller, Jasmine Aumiller, Duncan Aumiller, Cameron Stafford, Brendan Fisk and Grant Potts.

CHAMBER

Consider:

NEWS & VIEWS

By Marie-Louise Liebe-Harkort

Those who can, do. Those

--Author Unknown

And it seems as if there are

quite a few people who are do-ing so much that it is hard to

imagine how they could do

more, but they always seem to

Still, they can't do it all, so that is where the rest of us come

in. We can join in and do our part to help with all the work in-

volved in hosting the 2nd annual Boondockers Grand Prix, and it

lot! On Saturday, volunteers are needed to set up the motor bike

race course, and stake out the area for the booths and stands

that are going to be set up. Anyone who can help is asked to come to the Courthouse at 10:00

no, the church services will not

be bothered-the course will be

the best seat in the house, all at

the same time, since people are needed at the stops all around the course. You do not have to

volunteer for the whole event-people can take turns for an hour or so, so let Shane Jones

know when you will be able to take your turn, even if it is only

take your turn, even if it is only for a short time. Call Shane Jones, who is in charge of traffic control, at 347-2820, so she can prepare a schedule.

And then there is the Hackberry Creek Care Center Hamburger Booth, that needs people to prepare dessert treats for sale to the many visitors. Bring them desserts like brownies, cup cakes, rice, crispy bars, or

cup cakes, rice crispy bars, or anything that is easy to eat on

A clean-up crew will also be needed, although they didn't have much to do last year. The

Boondockers are family people, and they appreciate being in-vited into our community, and show it by their behavior.

will be offering brisket sand-wiches (as well as their facili-

ties, a fact that was much appre-

ciated last year). The Catholic Church will have Turkey legs.

Your help for these groups will

certainly be much appreciated.

And if your group would like to raise funds, this is your big chance, since there should be quite a crowd in town that needs to be fed and watered. Last year,

the event was new and no one

really knew how it would turn

out. Now we have experience, and saw how all the booths sold

out of food, and we know how delightful and appreciative the

visitors are, so this is really a

booth to collect donations for the American Cancer Society Relay for Life that is scheduled

for June 22. They will offer Krispy Kreme donuts, funnel

cakes and drinks. Doesn't that give you an idea about what you

So volunteer to help if you

Kathy Blanco is planning a

slam dunk this year.

might be able to do?

The Senior Citizens Center

away from the churches.

Then there is the big day, Sunday, March 4th, when the races will start at 9:30 a.m. (And

You can volunteer and have

a.m. on Saturday.

What needs to be done? A

is coming up the weekend.

who can do more, Volunteer.



RELAY FOR LIFE volunteers attended a Relay University in Amarillo, January 26-27, to help get organized and plan for the Motley County Relay for Life set for June. Those attending received a lot of great ideas for fund-raisers which will be held within the next couple of months. The local group has set a goal of \$43,000. There are 15 teams signed up for the June relay. Donation cans will be set up in businesses in the area during the next weeks. The first fundraiser will be held Sunday, March 4 during the Boondocker Grand Prix Race in Matador, where a booth will be set up to sell funnel cakes and Krispy Kream donuts, water, coffee and gatorade. All proceeds will go to the American Cancer Society and funds raised will help cancer patients in Motley County. The next Relay for Life meeting is set for March 20 at 6:00 p.m. All team captains and members are encouraged to attend. Pictured above are (left to right) Rosalee Davis, Andrea Henzler, Annette Hollinsworth, Kathy Blanco, Shonda Elliott, Pam Newman, Brittany Moore with two Amarillo organizers.

Men's Breakfast will be held Saturday at

Methodist Church

The monthly Men's Break-fast will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Matador on Saturday, March 3, at 7:00 a.m. All men of the county are invited to attend.

can, at the group of your choice

or with organizers. But however,

that may be, plan to come out

visitors, munch on the goodies

that will be on offer, and enjoy

one of the events that make Motley County such a wonder-

ful place to live. And don't for-

get to bring your folding chairs,

so you can view the proceedings from any vantage point you choose. And remember, please call Dianne Washington at (806) 347-2636, Shane Jones at (806)

347-2820 for more information or

to volunteer.

Chamber

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Relay for Life fundraisers will be held Sunday

Two fundraisers for the Relay for Life, set for June 23, will take place this Sunday, March 4th, during the Boondocker Grand Prix race in Matador.

Kathy Blanco and team will have a booth at the race where they will sell Krispy Kream donuts.

Friends and employees of Main Street Cafe have joined together to form a Relay for Life team, LaGrande-Rue Cafa'. They will serve lunch from 11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. at Main Street on Sunday. The day's profit will be put in the team's account to be given to the American Cancer Society in June. The meal will be available for dine in or carry out.

LaGrande-Rue team is also selling tickets for a 20" flat panel television. The winner will be drawn on the evening of April 7 at 7:00 p.m. at the Cafe. Tickets are \$5 each. The television is valued at \$400 and is on display at Main Street. For more information call 347-2115.

The team's name was chosen because the theme for this year's Relay for Life is Mardi Gras. Main Street Cafe in Cajun/ French is La Grand Rue Cafa'.

Watch for future fundraising events from various teams.

Kids' Praise and enjoy the races, meet the set for March 7

It's Kids' Praise time again! All children in the community, three years old through 6th grade, are invited to Kids' Praise on Wednesday, March 7, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m., at the First Baptist Church, Matador. There will be songs, crafts, a Bible story, food and fun for all. Kids' Praise is a monthly event sponsored by is a monthly event sponsored by the Women on Mission of the Church's WMU.

Pennies for a Purpose

Pre-K through 12th grade at Motley County ISD will conduct a fundraiser with proceeds to go to Relay for Life the week of March 5-9. Cans will be set up for collections. For more information contact Kathy Blanco at 347-2439.

Local Missionaries will tell of **Brazil trip Sunday at FBC**

First Baptist Church, Matador, will celebrate Missions Day at FBC this Sunday, March 4.

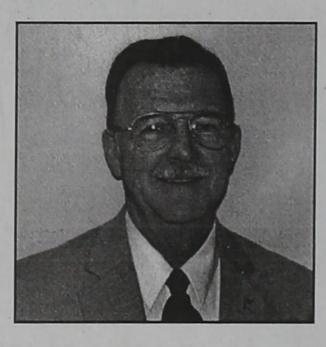
At the 11:00 a.m. worship service, Doris Moore, Brent Marshall and Jim Watson will share testimonies of their recent trip to Salvador, Bahia, Brazil to build a church building, share the Gospel in schools, and lead Vacation Bible School.

At the evening worship service, Dixie Campbell will host

"Spotlight on North American Missions," using video clips and discussion to describe and illustrate a few of the many ministries the church supports through the Southern Baptist North American Mission Board.

This service will begin at 7:00 p.m. Following this presentation, refreshments will be served by the Women on Mission of the church's WMU.

You Are Invited!



Spring
Gospel
Meeting

MATADOR CHURCH OF CHRIST

Carroll F. Sites of Higdon, Arkansas, in a series of Bible Lessons

SUNDAY, MARCH 4 - THURSDAY, MARCH 8

Sunday Bible Class - 10:00 a.m. - "Proper Reception of the Word" Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m. - "One Nation Under God"

> PLEASE STAY AND ENJOY A POTLUCK MEAL WITH US FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m. - "The Blood of the Cross" Monday Evening - 7:00 p.m. - "Christianity According to the Bible" Tuesday Evening - 7:00 p.m. - "Pleasing God - or Pleasing Self" Wednesday Evening - 7:00 p.m. - "Five Saved - Five Lost" Thursday Evening - 7:00 p.m. - "What Is Your Destiny"

A Warm Welcome Awaits You!

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Reflections on Truth



The search for truth is as old tion worth contemplating on.

- but it is always right.

- The truth does not hurt unless it ought to. • The truth is hard to get people to listen to — and harder to
- get them to believe. Truth angers those whom it does not fully convince.
- Truth is not always popular but it is always right.
- The inattentive inquirer is not diligent enough.

ROARING SPRINGS

CHURCH OF CHRIST

BIBLE STUDY - 10:00 A.M. WORSHIP - 9:00 A.M.

as human reasoning. Remember the question of Pilate to Jesus, "What is truth"? That is a ques-

- Truth is not always popular —
- Many times truth annoys people more than falsehood.
 Nothing is harder for some folks to see than the naked
- · When truth stands in your way it's time to change di-
- TRUTH the attitude of the inquirer is very important:

 The superficial inquirer says, "I can't really understand."
- The prejudiced inquirer has his mind made up before he The proud inquirer finds the truth to be humbling.
 The sensual inquirer finds the truth too holy for his sinful
- The sincere inquirer believes he can know the truth and will never give up until he has found it.

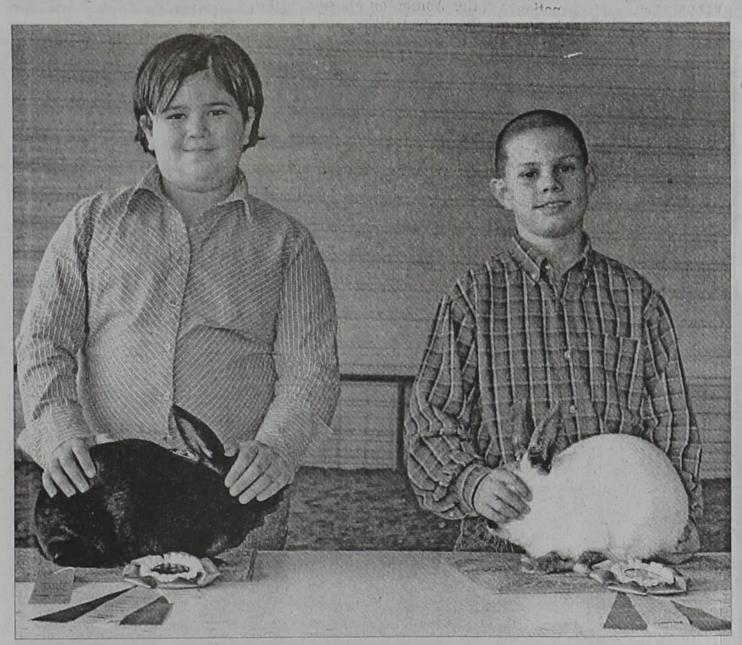
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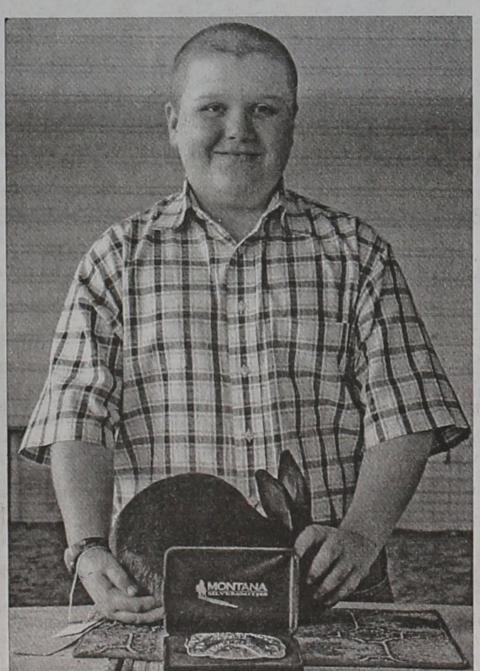


SHOWMANSHIP SWINE SHOW — Those participating in the Swine Showmanship show are pictured left to right, Bryson Elliott, Zachary Brown, Sierra Jameson, Jayda Jameson, Emily Jameson, Trace Osborn, Colton Martin, Brendan Fisk, Derrick Fisk, Sage Guerrero, Wyatt Perryman, Chloe Gleghron, Sydney McCoy, Autumn Perryman, Trevor Buckner and Carley Turner. Also participating, but not pictured were Tyge Flowers, Chris Flores, Jonathan Flores, Alicia Silva and Cameron Stafford.



RESERVE CHAMPION STEER - Shane'a Russell. Steve & Linda Hess, breeders, best steer in Motley County.





GRAND CHAMPION RABBIT (top photo) Gabby Silva, left; RESERVE CHAMPION, Dillon McCleskey.

SHOWMANSHIP RABBIT Jacob Woolsey, pictured at left.

$\star\star\star$ **Spring Pictures** set for March 7th

Spring pictures will be taken Wednesday, March 7. These pictures will feature a special background. Students will take the proofs home to decide if they

want to purchase them.

"Buddy" pictures will also
be available for high school and
Jr. high students. This allows students to have their picture taken with a friend or a group of friends.

> Matadors are the BEST!!!



A Letter from the Office

by Marilynn Hicks Motley County ISD Principal

We are blessed at Motley County to have teachers who are experts in so many areas. We are able with a small number of teachers to provide quality services for our students. I thought I might take this week to let you know some of the special services that we offer.

Every teacher in grades PK-5 and language arts teachers on the secondary level are certified or are testing for certification to teach English Language Learn-ers. They have skills to help students acquire English and at the same time begin to learn in the regular classroom. This is an amazing process to watch.

We have intervention for students in grades K-8 in reading. This is in the classroom, outside of the regular class with the classroom teacher, with one of the instructional aides, or under the tutelage of other teachers. The intervention tar-gets areas of need based on test results and teacher input. We are working on establishing intervention in math and writing.

School Menu

Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza,

Lunch: Beef Tips & Rice,

Breakfast: Cereal, Toast,

Lunch: Chicken Nuggets,

Breakfast: Waffle, Sausage,

Lunch: Barbecue Ribs on a Bun, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle Slice, Onion, Potato Chips, Cookie, 1/2 Apple, Milk.

Breakfast: Cereal, Blue-

berry Muffin, or Toast, Juice,

Creamed Potatoes, Gravy,

Green Beans, Hot Roll, Honey,

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

or Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

Sliced Peaches, Milk.

Dessert, Milk.

Fruit, Milk.

Milk.

Students who have been identified as dyslexic or as having dyslexic characteristics are served daily through the Wilson program. This is the program adopted by the Reading First Consortium in order to provide consistency throughout the group.

Students with learning disabilities or health disabilities have services through the Rolling Plains Shared Services Coop. In addition to Rebekah Jameson, who stays in our building, we have the use of a diagnostician, speech therapist, physical therapist, occupational therapist, vision specialist and psychologist.

Students who have special gifts are identified and served once a week in a GT program taught by a certified teacher. This program is built around critical thinking. Some of the thoughts and products from this group are outstanding. group are outstanding.

Each student we have has unique needs, and the teachers are doing a fantastic job of meeting those needs.

Motley County School will celebrate Read Across America

Motley County ISD will celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday by participating in Read Across America on Thursday,March1 from 12:30 until 3:30 p.m. Students, Pre-K through 5th grade, may come to school in their pajamas and everyone will start the day off with a Green Eggs and Ham Breakfast.

Teachers and students will enjoy a Book Swap, Storytelling

by Faculty Members, 6th Grade Theater Arts Performance, Jr. High/High School Readers and Character Storytellers by Friends of the Library and Community Members. Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwiches with drinks will be served for afternoon snacks. Judge Ed Smith will end the celebration by administering the Reader's Oath to all students.

Little Dribblers Playday set for Saturday

A Little Dribblers PlayDay will be held at Matador, Saturday, March 3. Play begins at 10:00 a.m. in both the new and old gymnasiums with the last game starting at 7:00 p.m. At 1:00 p.m. there will be a special "fun" event in the new gymna-

Over 125 young athletes, in addition to over 100 coaches, parents, siblings and guests are expected. There will be six teams from Matador, 7 from

Spur, 4 from Jayton and one from Silverton. Girls and boys in grades 3-6 participate. The divisions are 3/4 girls, 3/4 boys, 5/6 girls and 5/6 boys.

A "playday" is not tourna-ment play. Each team plays two games. The playday encourages fellowship, healthy competition and sportsmanship. It also provides a showcase for the Little Dribblers to display their bas-ketball skills. Make plans to attend and see what all the excitement is about!

Our commitment?

The communities we serve.



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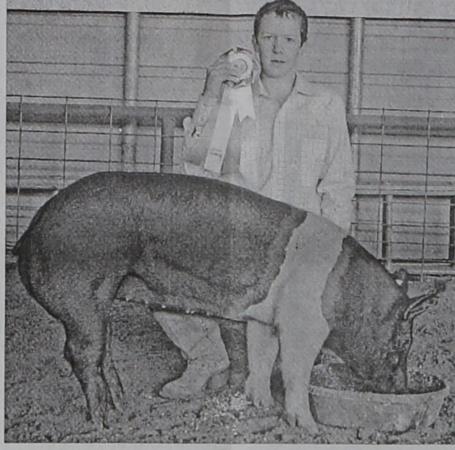




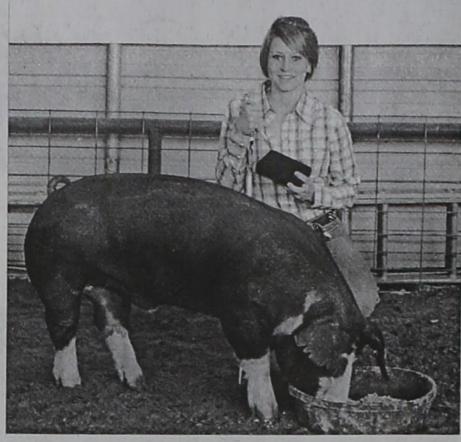
Member F.D.I.C.



GRAND CHAMPION HOG — Eric Simpson, shown by Brett



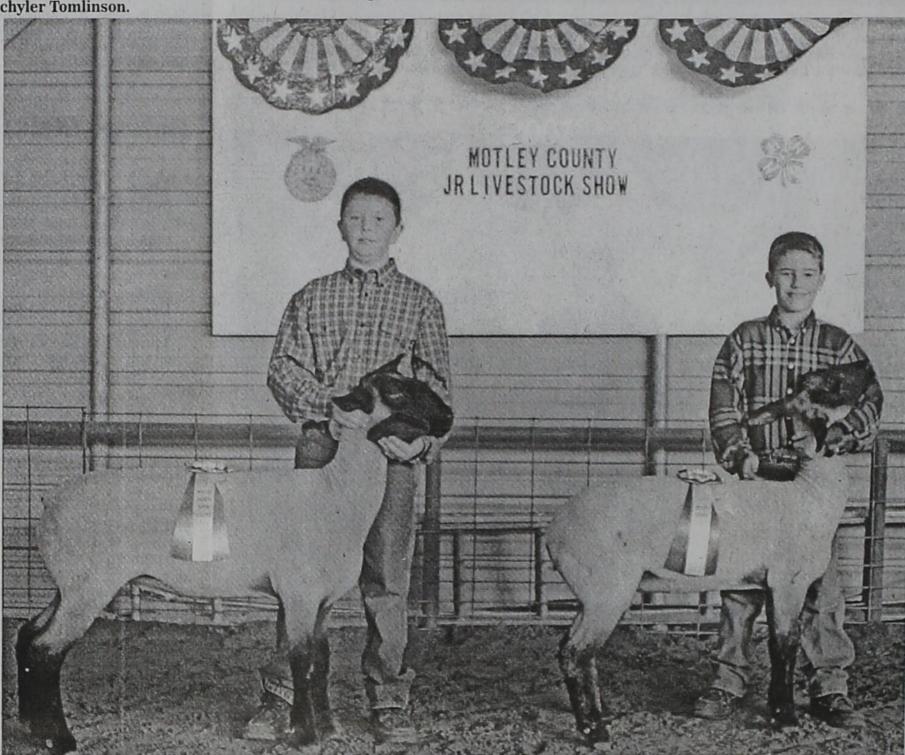
RESERVE CHAMPION HOG & Jr. Showmanship award -Schyler Tomlinson.



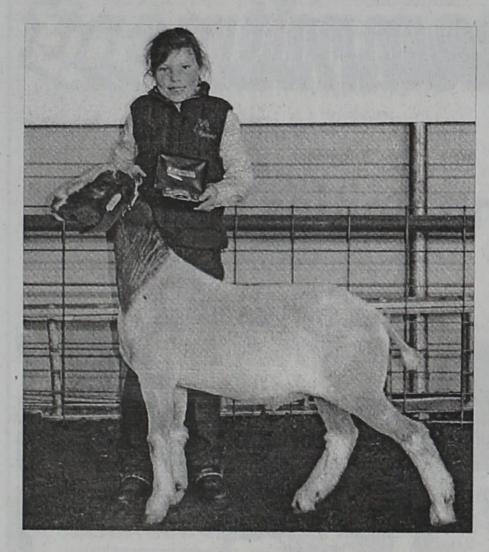
SR. SHOWMANSHIP Hog Show - Shane'a Russell.



SR. SHOWMANSHIP Lamb Show - Christy Smith.



RESERVE CHAMPION LAMB and Jr. Showmanship—Seth Baxter (left) and GRAND CHAMPION LAMB, Hance Davey.



JR. SHOWMANSHIP Lamb Show - Cassidy Turner.

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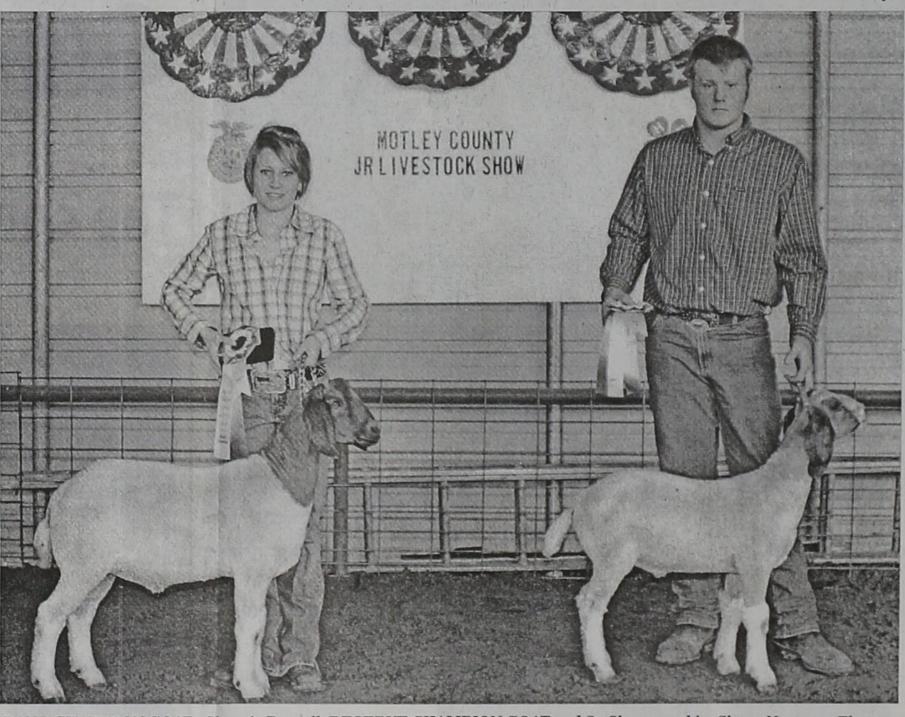
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GRAND CHAMPION GOAT - Shane'a Russell; RESERVE CHAMPION GOAT and Sr. Showmanship, Shane Newman. The grand champion was sold at the Premium Auction to RES (Renewable Energy Sources of Austin.

Stock Show

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Tristan Tomlinson, Michael and Joshua Martin and Colby McCleskey.

LAMBS

Light Weight: 1st., Hance Davey; 2nd., Christy Smith; 3rd., Patrick Harvey; 4th., Seth

Baxter; 5th., Christy Smith. Heavy Weight: 1st., Seth Baxter; 2nd., Patrick Harvey; 3rd., Hayden Davey; 4th.,

Brendan Wiltshire. Grand Champion: Hance

Reserve Champion: Seth

Jr. Showmanship: Seth

Sr. Showmanship: Christy

GOATS
Light Weight: 1st., Shane
Newman; 2nd., Michael Seigler;
3rd., Conner Mason; 4th.,
Kaitlan Perryman; 5th., Shane'a
Russell; 6th., Bailee Perryman.
Medium Weight: 1st. Jaci

Medium Weight: 1st., Jaci Zingerman; 2nd., Cassidy Turner; 3rd., Shane Newman; 4th., Austin Taylor; 5th., Cassidy

Turner; 6th., Cody Martin.

Heavy Weight: 1st., Shane'a
Russell; 2nd., Cassidy Turner; 3rd., Payden Perryman; 4th.,

Shane'a Russell; 5th., Austin Taylor; 6th., Braden Mason. Grand Champion: Shane'a Russell.

Reserve Champion: Shane Newman. Jr. Showmanship: Cassidy

Sr. Showmanship: Shane Also competing in the Goat Show, but not placing in the top six, were Jonah Meredith, Keyan Kautz, Parker Meredith and Bryant Taylor.

RABBITS 1st., Gabby Silva; 2nd., Dillon McCleskey; 3rd., Sabra Pope; 4th., Sabra Pope; 5th., Macie Marshall; 6th., Mattie Brooks.

Grand Champion: Gabby

Reserve Champion: Dillon McCleskey.

Showmanship: Jacob Woolsey.

Also competing in the Rabbit Show were Kaylee Woolsey, Jacob Woolsey, and Dominique Quilimaco.

Courtney Alexander; 4th.,

STEER SHOW 1st., Courtney Alexander; 2nd., Shane'a Russell; 3rd., Courtney Alexander. Grand Ch Champion:

Courtney Alexander. Reserve Champion: Shane'a Russel.

Showmanship: Shane'a Best Steer Bred in Motley County: Steve and Linda Hess.

Breeder of Grand Champion: McGalliard Farms, Spur.

> BUCKET CALF Brendan Fisk, Derrick Fisk,

Jaylee Flowers, Tyge Flowers, Chloe Gleghorn, Dode Gleghorn, Sage Guerrero, Tatum Guerrero, Brody Rankin, Jacie Taylor, Carley Turner. All participants receive a

Burleson Memorial Hereford: Courtney Alexander. Memorial Herdsman:

Shane Newman.

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News Around the County

Roaring Springs News By Monta Marshall

The Canadian geese and snow geese have arrived back on the Stuckey's lawn. They seem like returned friends even though they are

Donna Kennedy is a greatgrandmother again. Her grandson and wife, Roger and Allison Cannon of Antlers, Oklahoma are the proud parents. Roger is the son of Donna's daughter, Mariann Cannon. Roger had a boy's name all picked out, Rusty Cannon! Instead he has a lovely baby daughter named Emma.

Benny Goss of Littlefield, husband of Wanda Mitchell Goss and son-in-law of the late Vera Mitchell died early Thursday, February 22 after a long illness. His service is being held on Tuesday, February 27 in Littlefield.

Johnnie June Lowrance visited her brother-in-law, Buzz Thacker and nephew, Jeff Thacker and family. She came on Thursday and returned home to Amarillo on Friday,

Buzz Thacker gave me his sister, Joyce Smith's new telephone number. It is 806-698-8832.

February 21 the First United Methodist Women's Guild or the John Wesley Study Group met in the Lula Swim Fellowship Hall. Those attending were Pearl Patten, Callie Giesecke, Donalda Letkeman, Joy Beeson, Lea Peacock, Billie Stuckey, and Chelsea Read. President Pearl Patten opened the meeting with a prayer. Chelsea Read brought a lesson on the Parable of the Tares. It was Pearl Patten's time

Dorothy and Stan Hanesworth

Visiting during the weekend

returned home recently from a ten

day vacation trip to Central America that included tourist attractions in

with Mrs. Edna Ruth Green were

son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Andy

Green of Keller, granddaughter and

husband, Jolie and Artura Sanchez

of Austin and daughter, Virginia

Green of Whiteface. They fixed a

ramp for Edna Ruth. She is doing fine after injuring her eye recently

were in Fort Worth Friday and Sat-

Betty and Billy Paul Simpson

in an accident at her home.

Guatemala.

to furnish refreshments. During the business meeting, the ladies decided to have a bake sale fundraiser during the 70 Mile Garage Sale the first weekend in May.

Kelly Keltz was released from Covenant Hospital on Friday evening. He was injured Sunday, February 18th. He was thrown by a horse and suffered internal injuries. Kelly is getting better but he will be homebound a few more days and is getting around on crutches.

Johnny Morris is in Covenant Hospital following an injury, Saturday. He underwent emergency surgery on Saturday evening. He will be in the hospital another day or

On February 16th, Pat Peacock, accompanied by his granddaughter, Cecelia Peacock of Lubbock spent the day with his parents, Bill and Lea Peacock. They celebrated Cecelia's fifth birthday with a birthday cake made by her great-grandmother Lea. I am sorry this news is late. I did not remember to check if I had any news on my e-mail before I wrote last week's news.

It might be a good idea if you are e-mailing some news to me to also leave me a phone message telling me to look for it. I have several time consuming projects going on right now and I tend to get "brain-overload" and forget many things or least my husband's imaginary wife does. Surely not I!

I am getting good mileage out of the imaginary wife thing. It isn't often I get the best of Corky!

urday to attend the Region 1-A Di-

vision 2 Basketball Tournament. Their granddaughter, Amy Multer

and teammates Garden City Bearkats won their game and will

advance to the State Finals this next weekend in Austin. Joining them

there were Amy's parents, Tanya

and Warren Multer of Garden City.

The families plan to attend the

light stroke last week. Friends may

keep in touch by calling her at 817-

732-1383 or her address is Town Vil-

lage Ridgmar, 2151 Green Oaks Rd...

Apt. 4303, Fort Worth, TX 76116.

Greta Smallwood suffered a

games in Austin.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

Allowing an unimportant mistake to pass without comment is a wonderful social grace.

Mrs. Janice Hughes visited the past week in Royce City with son and family, Bengie and J.J. Hughes and daughter, Kaitlynn. They were in Dallas Saturday during a wind storm and Janice felt sure some of their farm land had arrived there!

Mrs. B. Rogers had a medical appointment in Lockney, Friday. She is feeling much better. Mrs. Leona Degan accompanied her to Lockney.

It was reported following the wind storm Saturday, the leg on the elevator in Flomot was destroyed. Seab and Dianne Washington are

Nada and Jack Starkey were in Amarillo, Thursday for her a medical check up. En route home they visited in Canyon with son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey.

Cole Martin of Corpus Christi visited Thursday and Friday with his grandfather, Wilburn Martin. He continued to Lubbock where he was in the wedding of a friend.

Louis Shorter of Fort Worth, Wayne Barnes of Whitesboro, Everett Shorter and Clois Shorter enjoyed a fishing trip from Monday until Wednesday at Lake Tawakoni near Terrell.

Visiting the weekend with Mrs. Erma Washington were son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Washing-

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ton and grandson, Brazos of Roaring Springs, grandchildren, Caleb, Mickey and Kenzie Clarey of Matador, daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Connie Franks and Cara Franks of Flomot.

Mary Ellen "Dude' Barton and Wilburn Martin enjoyed the Senior Citizens luncheon in Matador, Sun-

Lou and Morris Degan of Medicine Mound visited during the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Leona

Christi and Dwain Milam and daughter, Emily and Haley of Petersburg visited her parents, Kathy and Clois Shorter, Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Beth Clay visited in Panhandle from Wednesday until Friday with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Tanner, Kelsey and Sarah. She enjoyed the games in which the children played and the Play-off basketball games of the high school teams.

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OBITUARY

Anthony Moss

Anthony Carl Moss, 7, a sweet and loving child, passed away Tues-

day, February 20, 2007. Graveside services were held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, February 23, 2007, in the Annetta Cemetery, Parker County, Texas. Visitation was held from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, February 22, at White's Funeral Home in Weatherford, Texas.

Anthony Carl Moss was born March 1, 1999, in Weatherford,

He was a student at Reno Elementary School in Springtown and loved to participate in all outdoor sports and a special love of horses and ranching.

Anthony is survived by his father, Lee Moss and wife, Lori, of Henrietta, his mother, Laney Layne and husband Steven of Springtown; brothers and sister, Michael Martin, Kameron Kyle, Steven Lynn Layne and Chelsea Layne; Grandparents,



Glen and Myra Moss, Carla Sue and Raford Pullen, Doug Wilson, Becky and Jodie Sherburn; Great-grandmothers, June Moss, Ethel Wilson; Aunt, Marsha Moss; and numerous other relatives.

Mary Lee Watters

Mary Lee Watters, 83, of Silverton died Tuesday, February 20, 2007, in Lockney. Graveside services were held Thursday, February 22 in Silverton Cemetery with Bro. Jess Little officiating. Arrangements were by Chancellor Funeral Home

Mary was born September 30, 1923, in Quitaque to Everette Boyles and Willie Lou Kimbell Boyles.

Mary married Dud Watters in Childress November 1940.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1975; one grandson, Darrell Smith in 1973; four brothers and two sisters.

She is survived by one daughter, Sandra and her husband, Jerry Smith of Matador; one grandson, Lige Trenton Smith and wife Kelli of Amarillo; one sister, Willie Mae Bonner of Amarillo; a sister-in-law, Carrie Dell Dickerson of Silverton; and numerous nieces and nephews.



WIND DAMAGE — This carport at the home of Sammie Phillips in Matador was overturned and damaged by the high winds in Motley County last Saturday, February 24.

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THANK YOU

Matador News

We would like to thank everyone who helped with the Sunday Dinner for the Motley County Senior Citizens. We appreciate everyone who donated and attended. Thanks to all the ladies who made cakes and to all the volunteer workers for their time and help. Thanks to Matt Crawford for announcing the dinner at Church and to Roy and Ed D. for cooking the steaks.

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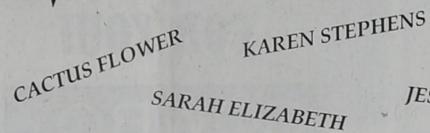
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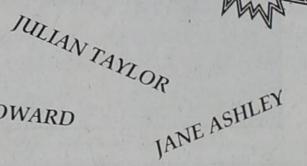
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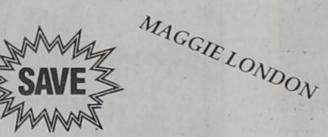
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NEW CEMETERY SIGN - This new sign was recently erected at the Roaring Springs cem-

New sign marks entrance of **Roaring Springs Cemetery**

by Monta Marshall

A new sign has been erected at the City of Roaring Springs Cemetery. Other than the rock arch, this is the first permanent sign for the entrance to the Cemetery. The sign was purchased by the Roaring Springs Cemetery Association from Sadler Monument Co. of Slaton, Texas.

The land for the Roaring Springs Cemetery was donated by the QA&P Railway Co. in 1913 when Roaring Springs was established. According to Marisue Potts Powell's book, Motley County Roundup, the land was given to the City of Roaring Springs in 1925. Buzz Thacker believes an early cemetery association was formed at that time. Local citizens cared for the cemetery and held community work-days and periodic clean-ups for many years. In July 1960, the Roaring

Springs Cemetery Association was organized. Officers elected were: John Meason, president; Robert Moore, vice president; and Mrs. J.D. Mitchell, secretary/treasurer.

The Roaring Springs Lions Club purchased additional land and led a project to map the cemetery and place markers on unmarked graves in the mid nineteen-sixties.

In 1991, Caldwell Smith served as president and LaVoe Thacker was secretary/treasurer. Until her death last year, LaVoe kept good records of all who were buried there. Buzz Thacker has recorded her information on his computer and has made CD's of the recorded burials. A copy of the CD can be had for a nominal donation to the Roaring Springs Cemetery Association, c/o Buzz Thacker, P.O. Box 360, Roaring Springs, TX

The upkeep of the cemetery



is dependent upon donors who are interested in seeing that the resting place of their loved ones is kept in good condition.

From LaVoe's records, we found that there were two people buried in the cemetery in August of 1913. They were: J.J. Wilson, August 17, 1913 and Sophronia Boyette on August 20, 1913. There are no birthdates recorded on either record but on Sophronia Boyette's record there is a notation, "Bird Ranch." Buzz thinks it is possible that they may have been buried on an area reach and were moved when the land was donated for a cemetery.

The current association is made up of persons from each of the four churches in Roaring Springs. They are: Jeff Thacker, Church of Christ; J.N. Fletcher, First Baptist Church; Lea Peacock, First United Methodist Church; and Kelly Keltz, Full Gospel Church. Buzz remained as a member at large and holds the office of President of the organization.

PRAISE TO THE LORD

"O Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done marvelous things, things planned long ago. Isaiah 25:1

Roaring Springs City Council meets

The Roaring Springs City Council met in regular session February 19. Those attending were Mayor Corky Marshall; Council members, Alex Crowder, Timmy Brooks, Patricia Green; Water Manager, Robert Osborn; and City Secretary Zella Palmer.

Mayor Marshall called the meeting to order and Mr. Crowder gave the invocation.

Munites were approved as written, as well as bills and fi-

nancial reports.

Mayor Marshall reported he had ordered an election to be held May 12, 2007, to elect three council members. Those positions are currently held by Timmy Brooks, Patricia Green, and Alex Crowder.

Council discussed several yards and lots that have junk, old cars and trash littered on them. Some have tall dry weeds that cause a fire danger to them and their neighbors. The Coun-

cil expressed that it would be appreciated if the owners of these properties would clean

The Texas Municipal League Quarterly Meeting will be held March 29 in Cagles Steak House in Lubbock. The Workshop will be conducted on Earning Credit Hours and the Importance of Serving in West Texas. The City of Dickens will be the host city. Several council members plan to attend this

PROOF OF THE TRUTH

THE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD (Part 16)

God is truth, meaning agreement to and consistency with all that is represented by God Himself. See John 14:6. Obviously, as perfect truth, God can't lie, and is totally trustworthy. He says what He means and He means what He says! Thus the Bible, God's Holy Word, is totally trustworthy. But let's answer Pilate's question. One of the supreme ironies in all of history is recorded in John 18.38, where, in questioning Jesus, Pilate asked: "What is truth?" Little did Pilate know that he was addressing the question to the very personification of Truth itself!

First, we must define "reality." It is, "Whatever actually is!"

Not what we might wish, think or desire, no matter how sincere, but what actually is - an objective rather than a subjective standard. Truth, then is, "That which corresponds to reality!" It does not change! It is absolute. It is not "that which appears to make sense!" It is true separate and apart from our own minds, and God is

How many of us have said or heard, for instance: "Well, I believe in evolution;" or I don't believe in the Trinity;" or "I don't believe Jesus was God;" or "a good God wouldn't do that to His son;" or "God won't send unbelievers to Hell," as if the statement of the belief or opinion somehow establishes its truth? This is classic self-delusion and

flawed thinking. Sintul man wants to define his own reality and truth, mostly to avoid God and/or elevate himself, but truth is NOT relative (based upon what we think or desire); it is absolute! Plain and simple, truth is NOT determined by what we believe or what it to be

- Truth is what actually is, and that is that! God is who and what He is, and no amount of wishful thinking or belief otherwise will alter anything. Jesus said: "I am the way and the TRUTH, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me!" (Emphasis added) Does nor should anyone really want to gamble their eternal future on the proposition that Jesus was

not telling the truth? Next: God is balanced and "limited.

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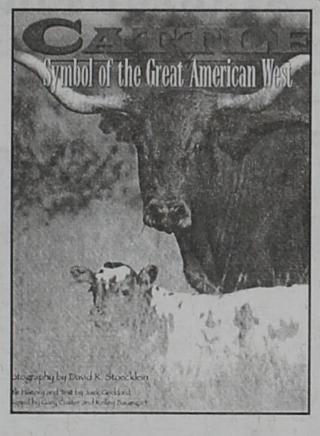
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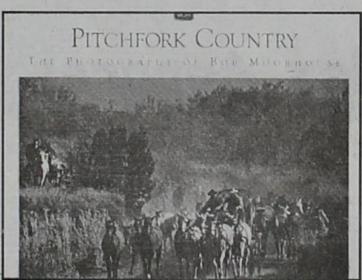
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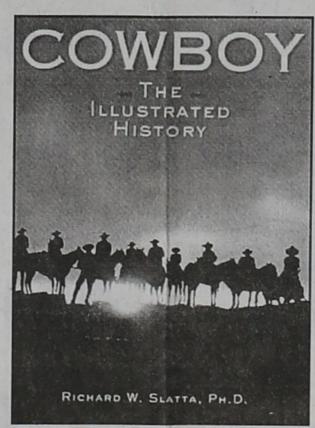


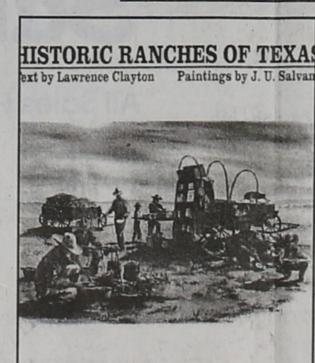






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City of Matador, Motley County Tribune 706 Dundee March 1, 2007 Matador, TX 79244

TO: All Interested Agencies, Groups and Persons:

Seventeen (17) days after this publication, the City of Matador, Motley County, Texas intends to request the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-383) for Project No. 726232.

Exempt Activities Administration Planning and Engineering

Environmental Assessment Activities Sidewalk and ADA Improvements in Matador, Texas

Finding of No Significant Impact

It has been determined that such a request of release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly the City of Matador has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190). The reason for such a decision not to prepare such a Statement is based upon the fact that all environmental concerns could either be minimized or mitigated.

An Environmental Review Record for the proposed project has been made by the City that documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such a statement is not required. The Environmental Review Record is on file at City Hall, City of Matador, 806 Dundee, Matador, TX 79244, and is available for public examination and copying upon request between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Public Comments on Findings

All interested agencies, groups and persons, disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the City to the following address: SPAG, Attn: Kelli McElhone, 1323 58th St., Lubbock, TX 79412. Such written comments must be received at the address specified within sixteen (16) days after this publication. All such comments so received will be considered and the City will not request the release of funds or take administrative action on the project prior to the date specified in the proceeding sentence.

Release of Funds

The City of Matador will undertake the activities described above with Community Development Block Grant funds under Title I from its Program Year 2006 under grant numbered 726232 from the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The City is certifying to TDA that Mr. Pat Smith, in his official capacity as Mayor, consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, the City of Matador may use the Block Grant funds and it will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. TDA will accept an objection to its approval only on one or more of the bases and the procedures described in 24 CFR Part 58.75. Objections are to be addressed to the Texas Dept. of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, TX 78711.

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by the TDA. No objections received later than thirty-three (33) days after this publication will be considered by TDA.

Pat Smith, Mayor 706 Dundee Matador, TX 79244

MEMORIAL HERDSMAN AWARD

Shane Newman (center) received the Memorial Herdsman Award at the 2007 Jr. Livestock Show last Saturday. This year marks the first year for this award, which is sponsored by families and friends in memory of loved ones who were dedicated to youth development through the livestock industry. This year's buckle was sponsored by the J & D Russell children in memory of their father, Sonny Russell. Donations to the Scholarship fund were made by the J. & D. Russell children in memory of Sonny Russell, Colton and Shane'a "Sonny" Russell and J.D. and currently drilling ahead. D'anna Russell in memory of L.B. Campbell and Bill Dean Washington. Also pictured are Livestock Association Board members, (left to right) Mark Seigler, Craig Turner; Ryan Martin, County Extension Agent; Dorothy Russell; David Stafford, J.D. Russell; Jim Cooper, FFA Director; and Gilbert Guerrero.

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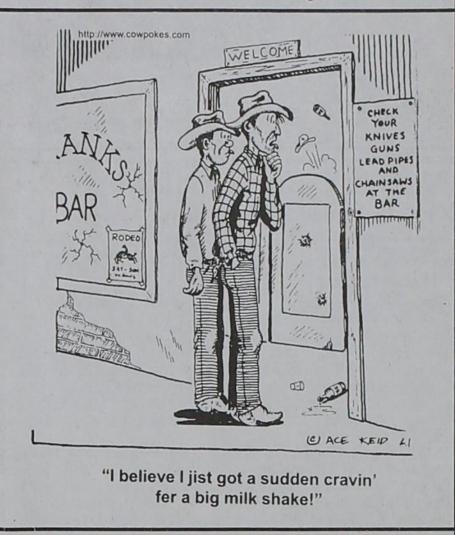
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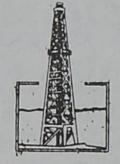
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