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Voice of Motley County

MOTLEY COUNTY'S SESQUICENTENNIAL FLAG is flying high. The Motley County ISD will be flying this flag now until school is dismissed for the summer. Mrs. Johnson's fifth grade class is the caretaker of this special flag as well as the American and Texas flags. Here Jagruti Patel (left) and Mary Lou Torres (right) take their turn on flag duty.

#### **Consolidation Of Taxing Entities** Subject Of Tueday's Meeting

By Michelle Bearden

possibilities of consolidating all Matador and Rot tax offices into one unit. Current, also will be include the Hospital District, School proposal three m

Motley County Tax office District and the County are under representatives met on Tuesday, one contract. With consolidation January 14 to discuss the of tax entities the City of one contract. With consolidation of tax entities the City of Matador and Roaring Springs also will be included. Under this

### **GTE Customers In Roaring Springs To** 'Switchover' Sat.

General Telephone of the Southwest's customers in Roaring Springs, will soon benefit from electronic telephone service, according to Jerry West, Operations Manager in

Memphis. "A switchover from a mechanical switching system to an electronic switching system will bring the latest in telephone will bring the latest in telephone technology to our customers in Roaring Springs. Cutover to this new switching system will take place at 12:01 AM on Saturday, January 18, 1986. During the cutover, customers may experience a 15-minute interruption of service. The 12:01AM time was selected to minimize customer inconvenminimize customer inconven-eince as much as possible." It's the biggest service improvement change slated for Roaring Springs this year," said West, "and it's part of our commitment in providing the finest service possible."

possible." Currently, Roaring Springs is being served by all relay switching equipment in the central office, according to West. "This will be replaced by an electronic system with 288 lines, and a potential for 6,000 lines." he mentioned, "which will lines he mentioned, "which will provide our customers with faster

more efficient service." Customers will have a new number assigned to their current telephone line. After January 18,

customers will be using the new customers will be using the new telephone number which was recently mailed to them from the Memphis Business Office. West noted, "If you have not received your number by January 16, please contact the Business Office for your new telephone number assignment." number assignment.

number assignment." "After January 18, customers will need to dial all seven digits of the telephone number when placing local calls or the call will not complete," West stated. For coin telephone customers, it will be necessary to denosit coins be necessary to deposit coins before making the call, and it is recommended to read the directions on the instrument carefully. For two-party line customers dialing long distance, it will be necessary to give their number to the operator since the calling number will not be calling number will not be automatically identified. All of the new dialing instructions will be in effect after the conversion on January 18," West commanded commented.

The switchover will cost in excess of \$298,000, including building construction, equip-ment, and labor expenses. West concluded, "We in the Memphis concluded, "We in the memphis Operations are proud to bring this service improvement to the fine citizens of Roaring Springs and hope that we continue to serve the ever-changing communication needs of this community." community

# Ginning Report

In a final telephone survey Monday afternoon Motley County gins reported the following estimated totals for this ginning season: West Texas Gin 2244, Red Ball Gin 4128, Flomot Gin 2300, Caprock Gin 4370 and Motley County Gin 3100. Although this does not include every single bolt

Although this does not include every single bolk of cotton, it does give you a general idea of what cotton producers in Motley County have done this season. The total is 16 142 balas 16,142 bales.

can be anticipated: time savings, cost savings and better convenience for taxpayers. Under this proposed plan the appraisal office will send out statements, take collections and make dispersals. Each entity currently collects and disperses monies individually.

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**Roaring Springs** City Council Meets

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# **Put Your Heart In The Valentine Edition Of The Matador Tribune**

The Matador Tribune is offering local and out-of-town residents an opportunity to say "Happy Valentine's Day" in a very special way.

For a charge of \$5.00 you may have a photo of your child, grandchild or sweetheart in a special heart as this one in our Valentine issue of the Matador Tribune which will be published February 13, 1986. As you are wishing your special someone a happy Cupid-day, you are also letting all our subscribers and readers know that you are proud of your family member or sweetheart.

Pictures should be wallet size photos can also be used. Color pictures as well as black and white photos will be accepted. and

If you do not wish to use a photo, a Valentine message can be inserted in the Valentine heart for the same price of \$5.00 each



Persons wishing to purchase a special Valentine heart in the Valentine edition of the Matador Tribune should bring the picture

or message to the Tribune office no later than noon Monday, February 10.

You may pick the photo up the

following Monday. This is a good opportunity to send your school teacher, Sunday school teacher, Sunday school teacher, boyfriend/girlfriend, neighbor, friend, spouse or anyone a heart felt Valentine wish.

# **Quiet Day In Commissioners** Court

The Motley County Commis-siners met Monday, January 13th for their regular monthly meeting in the Motley County Courthouse.

Those present were Judge Billy Joe Whitaker, Commission-ers Frazier Watson, Joseph (Gid) Simpson, Bill Washington and John (Sonny) Russell.

First order of business was the opening of sealed bids for the used Senior Citizens van. Although only 2 bids were submitted, Glynard Daniel's bid was accepted at \$855. Bills for the month were then

Bills for the month were then read and approved for payment. Monthly bills this month totaled approximately \$8500.00 totaled approximately \$8500.00 with \$1713.40 for Prect. I \$1229.40 Prect.II, \$1133.51 Prect.III and 308.00 Prect. IV and \$4000. for Motley County general fund, library and sheriff office. The Justice of Peace report revealed a collection of \$3676.00 in fines. Marisue Patts and Pam

Marisue Potts and Pam Thacker, Board member of the Motley County Library, then

discussed the status of the library's location. Several alternatives were discussed including the old hospital building, the Tribune building and others although no conclusion was reached. The board members expressed their concern for a permanent place and are willing to work hard for that. that

Following a lunch break the commissioners went into a closed session to discuss salaries of

session to discuss satisfies of county employees. In other business, Judge Whitaker announced his re-election as well as announce-ments from Bill Washington and Frazier Watson of their filing for election.

# **Dickens County Attorney To Run For District Judge**

Dickens County Attorney David Cave submitted his resignation to the Commissioners Court Monday and an-nounced he would be a candidate for District Judge in the coming Democratic

Primary. The move leaves the County Attor-ney's office vacant and the Commis-sioners Court immediately named Cave as Temporary Special Prosecutor and

as reinpolary special resolution and County Legal Advisor. "As Temporary Special Prosecutor, Mr. Cave could represent the County in criminal matters and as County Legal Advisor, he could represent the County

in civil matters," County Judge Bill Young told The Texas Spur following the regular monthly meeting of the Court.

The Court accepted Cave's resigna-tion. Judge Young said he did not know if anyone would file for the unexpired

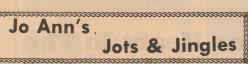
term of County Attorney. Cave took office for his third elective term in January of 1985. Over two years remain on this term.





**SESQUICENTENNIAL ARBOR DAY PROJECT. The Texas** SESQUICENTENNIAL ARBOR DAY PROJECT. The Texas State Forestry Sevice donated these two trees to Motiey County as a Sesquicentennial Project. The trees, a Burl Oak and a Live Oak, will be dedicated to the Motley County Senior Citizens Center and will be planted on Arbor Day. Here Mrs. D.C. Baker (left), Judge Billy Joe Whitaker (center) and Nora Belle Dunning accept the Page 2, Matador Tribune, Thursday, January 16, 1986





The year of the Sesauicentennial has begun for Texas--1836--1986. Texas is beginning an exciting year and the excitement will escalade before the year is

will escalade born over. I am preparing myself, in part, by reading **Texas, A Novel** by James A. Michener. It is a large volume, 1096 pages. It begins rather complicated and is difficult reading but if you persevere through the first chapter it becomes so intriguing that it is almost impossible to put it down. The book, of course, is fiction but based on facts.

All Texas heros such as Sam Houston, Jim Bowie, Anson Jones, Davy Crackett, William Travis, James Fannin, Mirabeau Lamar and others are woven

with fact into' the fiction Tracing the interlacing of Texicans, Texians and Texans with the Spanish, Mexicans, Comanches and other Indian tribes is brillantly achieved by Michener. I have been reading this book

for about a month and am about half through with it. If the latter half is as excellent as the first half, I will certainly consider it well worth reading.

The only fault I personally found with this novel is the book itself!! I love to read in bed and the book is just too heavy to hold in bed!!

Go to the Library and check out, **Texas, A Novel.** You'll always "Remember The Alamo."

"Son Beams"

Every person desires to be free-to live his life in peace and joy. Just as there is, also, an opposing force to hold man caption captive.

capiive. The unregenerate man believes himself to be free. He can, "do his own thing," make his own decisions, establish his own law while daring anyone to tell him what to do. Little does he realize that the enemy of his soul has imprisoned him as surely as the prisoner on death row. He would even deny that he is being motivated and directed by one whom Paul calls "the god of this

Memorials received through

"Now the Lord is Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord is there is LIBERTY." (2 Cor. 3:17) Two thousand years ago a man came to this earth to live, die and be resurrected so that man could be free. Freedom is

not doing our own thing, but it is being released from the bondage of Satan to live a victorious life in Jesus. This is the will of our Creator for all mankind. "If therefore the Son shall

make you free, you shall be free indeed" (Jh. 8:36)

**Library Notes** 

#### **By Sarah Hurt**

\$25.00; Patron \$50.00 and Life

genealogy we have just received 2 microfilms; Motley County News Sept. 23, 1926 to March 15, 1934 and 1900 Census of

New books: The Book, Mississippi by Dana F. Ross; Divine Average by Elithe Kirkland; After the Revolution by Barbara Clark Smith; The 1986 Information Please Almanac; The Marshal by Lawran Paine; Better Homes and Gardens Your Furniture; Helen Hays First Lady of the American Theatre by Kenneth Barro

\$100.00. For those of you interested in

Motley County. Come use the library Microfilm reader and find your family name!

# Ghituaries

#### **Verba Faulkner**

Services for Francis Verba Faulkner,91, of Roaring Springs were held at 2pm at the First Baptist Church in Roaring. Springs with Rev. Phillip Sams officiating on Saturday, January 11,1986.

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

She died at 7:30am Thursday in Golden Age Nursing Home after a lengthy illness. She was born in Stephenville

She warried Marvin Faulkner. They moved to Roaring Springs in the early 1940's. She was a Baptist.

Baptist. Survivors include two sons, O.J.of Amarillo and C.J. of Roaring Springs; two sisters, Benno Wilson and Jessie Stewart, both of Floydada; a brother, W.J. Wilson of Arlington; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. The pallbearers were Dink The pallbearers were Dink Wilson, Ellis Terry, Alfred Barton Jr., Charlie Long, Melton Brooks, and J.N. Fletcher.

#### **Cruz Morales**

Services for Cruz Morales, 60, of Roaring Springs were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday January 10, 1986 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Matador with the Rev. Terry Burke, pastor, officiating.

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

He died Tuesday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Temple. He was in highway construction with a private company. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include four sisters, Guadalupe of Roaring Springs, Tiofelia Ortiz of Spur, Maria Fuentes of Gulf Port, Miss., Agrora Morales of Houston, and two brothers, Beto of Temple and Henry of Petersburg.



# Memorials received through the library this week are in memory of Buford Hobbs given by Earline Vaughn. These donations will be used solely for the use of the purchase of books. We thank Betty Campbell and Beverly Vinson for their donations of books and genealogy materials. We thank Lee Peacock for the volunteer time spent on genealogical research. We welcome a new 1986 genealogical research. We welcome a new 1986 Friends of the Library member, Eva Barkley. If you would like to join Friends of the Library, you may leave your dues with Pennie Keltz, Treasurer of the Friends, or at the Library. Memberships are as follows: Individual \$2.00, Family \$5.00, Supporting \$10.00. Business Firms, Organizations, and Civic Clubs **"SUPER** SUNDA On Jan. 26 at noon, Sunday Dinner will be served at th Motley County Senior Citizen Building in Matador to benef the Museum Project. Cost will be \$5 per plate and everyor is welcome to come dor to benefit and everyone

MOTLEY COUNTY TREASURER, S REPORT Report of Joe E. Campbell, County Treasurer of Motley County, Texas.

Receipts and Expenditures from October 1, 1985 to December 31, 1985

FUND	BALANCE	RECEIPTS	DISBURSE_ MENTS	BALANCE
	October 1, 1985			December 31, 1985
General	14,100.05	156.301.13	93.215.94	77,185.24
Road & Brigge #1	3.896.52	26.227.08	11,382.45	19,731.15
Road & Bridge #2	2.428.50	22.065.86	9,136.66	22, 357.70
Road & Bridge #3	2.585.94	28,781.04	14,955.41	16,411.57
Road & Bridge #4	6.655.27	22. 390.87	6,132.05	22,914.09
Lateral Road	3.243.95	12.123.62	_0_	15.367.57
Tax Appraisal	2.311.09	17.590.62	15.001.90	4.899.81
Rev. Sharing		14.291.00	5,694.89	30,034.72
Investment Acct.	59.600.41	-0-	9,000.00	50,600.41
Library	2.393.05	1.850.60	2,653.19	1.590.46
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TOTALS 125,643.39



COUNTY OF MOTLEY

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Joe E. Campbell, County Treasurer of Motlay County, who being sworn, and upon oath, says that the within and foregoing is true and correct.

Vat L. Comp bell January 19 86

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 7th day of

County Court, Motley County, Texas

# Happy

Birthday, Veronica!!



Monday: Chicken Patty/gravy, Steamed Rice, Green Beans, Roll, Applesauce, Milk. Tuesday: Taco Roll, Green Salad, Whole Kernal Corn, Pear

Halv Mill Wednesday: Char-Broiled Steak, Creamed Potatoes, Sunshine Carrots, Butter/Syrup,

Roll, Milk Thursday: Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Garden Salad, Green Beans, Sliced Peaches, Texas

Toast, Milk Friday: Hamburgers, lettuce, Tomatoe, Pickles, Onions, Hash Brown Potatoes, Jello, Milk.

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# Roaring Springs City Council Meets For **Regular Session**

Roaring Springs City Council met for their regular monthly meeting on Jan. 7, 1986 with Council members Charley Long, Gene Brannon, Vincente Saenz and Ronnie Thacker in attendance as well as Mayor Eugene Watson and City Manager Annie Alvarado. NEW PHONE NUMBERS First on the agenda was Joe

First on the agenda was Joe Vandever, GTE supervisor, who pinpointed Jan. 18 as the date the new telephone system will be fully operational. Telephone calls after midnight of Jan. 17 to old Roaring Springs numbers will find a recording directing them to Directory Assistance for new phone numbers (listed in the 1986 Directory). It will be necessary, after that date, to dial all seven numbers for local calls. Residents will now be able to use Touch-Tone phones with the new system. Councilman expressed great appreciation to Mr. Vandever for all the extensive preliminary work he has done to procur the new system. To mark this special occasion the City Council and local community leaders will be the guests of GTE for a dinner at the City Cafe Jan. 18 at 7 p.m. At that time a special phone will be installed at the cafe to allow Mayor Watson to make a long-distance call to a destination of his choice. dial all seven numbers for local his choice.

Trash Pit Next on the agenda was Bill Jameson, Director of Public Utilities, who met with the Council in regards to the necessity of digging a new trash it. Mr. Jameson evaluated that pit. Mr. Jameson explained that although a new trash pit had been dug 3 months prior to the tornado, the debris from cleaning up Matador had filled the pit much more rapidly than normal useage would have done. Usual pit life would be 4-5 years. According to Jameson, cost of a new pit would be approximately \$4000, and if the cost were split between the two towns and the County then it would be a manageable cost.

Jameson went on to note that the cost of pit maintenance (approximately \$150./month) has up to this point been borne by the city of Matador.There was a brief discussion although no conclusion was reached at this time.

#### DELINQUENT DEBTS

City manager Alvarado reported to the Council that she and the city's accountant continued to work on the problem of delinquent debts to the city. The accountant problem of delinquent debts to the city. The accountant recommended starting 1986 at base zero rather than backtracking the last seven years determining back debts. Councilman reiterated the degree of high priority in establishing a business-like manner of operating the city office.

office. OTHER BUSINESS Discussion of water and sewage system problems ensued. The current chlorinator is not working properly causing a film on water surfaces. It was noted that this particular system is rather expensive to operate, costing approximately \$12/ week (\$3000/year). At one time, a gas-chlorinated system was used which the cost was only approximately \$3/week. To replace the present chlorinator with a gas-chlorinator would cost around \$1800. Discussion ended with no decision being made at this time. film on water surfaces. It was this time

The desireability for the city of Roaring Springs to join the Texas Municipal League was reviewed by council members. It was explained that the Texas Municipal League would be advantageous in assisting with legal, municipal matters and community affairs of all kinds. It community attains of all kinds, it is a cooperative of self-governing towns and the yearly dues are \$300. Upon completing the city Council agenda a lively discussion followed regarding coefficient Grant implementa

specifics of Grant implementa-tion, the city Managers responsiblities and additional salary requirements of

On the minus side, consolidation presents some interesting challenges, as well as benefits. Computerization is a highly recommended aspect of setting up an efficient tax-appraisal office. This will require an initial capital expenditure and the specialized skills of a computer operator. By the same token, the initial investment would, as time advanced, serve as a time-saving mechanism. Consolidation would demand that all tax record information be up to date and easily accessible. It would also include a need for physical space in which to work.

Under consolidation, all tax records would be formated records would be formated in uniform style. All taxes would be on one set of papers and payable at one office. Representatives from each local avecometric still be Representatives from each local governmental entity have been advised by Attorney Tom Hamilton to visit other appraisal districts to find out the problems they have encountered and the best approaches in order to avoid any political ramifications. Each traina entity has an avoid any political ramifications. Each taxing entity has an appointed representative to make up the board. Land appraised by the Appraisal District is based on various factors such as land classification as denoted by the Soil Conservation Service in "Motley County Soil Survey " by Conservation Service in "Motley County Soil Survey," by capitalization, whether land is in cultivation or pasture, etc. Any given farm could conceivably have within it's borders, multiple classifications, each of which is assessed at a different rate. The total tax is a composite of X amount of acres of a certain classification, plus the appraised value of the buildings. The appraisal District is required to measure all buildings, to be measure all buildings, to be aware of additions to buildings (and assign a value for this), note change of ownership and the change of ownership and the construction of new buildings. Land values, state wide tax base and actual land sales are also a factor in figuring the taxes. The Appraisal District is also required by law to update

employees under the Grant Manager Alvarado agreed to to furnish council members with a detailed report of Grant expenditures and specifications.

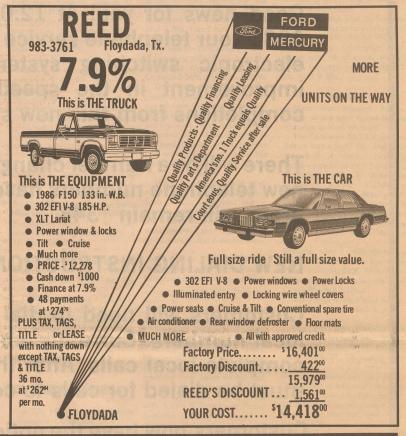
# Taxing Entities From Page 1

appraisals every five years. All in all the Appraisal District All in all the Appraisal District has specific requirements that must be met by law. The diverse nature of the appraisal office presents special considerations which to some degree will be simplified with Consolidation of all tax offices. True, there will be an initial investment required and knowledgeable personnel to establish a working unit, but the long term benefits must be an active consideration.

Those in attendance were Annie Alvarado, Tom Hamilton, Forrest Campbell, John (Sonny) Russell, Caldwell Smith, Charlie Johnson, L.B. Campbell, Gary Lancaster, Bobby Will Joseph Simpson, Bill Washi Williams Joseph Simpson, Bill Washington Alton Marshall and John Briscoe.



DANCING THE NIGHT AWAY on New Year's Eve were (left) Frankie Ortiz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ortiz of Matador, with partner Lori Barrera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armondo Barrera also of Matador, along with other dancers. They attended a dance at the VFW Building sponsored by the Catholic Church of Matador.





# A NOTE FROM YOUR GIE OPERATIONS MANAGER

**Dear Roaring Springs Customers:** 

Good news for you! At 12:01 AM, Saturday, January 18, 1986 your telephone service will be converted to an all new electronic switching system. You will see a definite improvement in the speed and accuracy of your call completions from this new switch.

There will be a number change as a result of this conversionnew telephone numbers have been mailed to you and your prefix will remain "348".

## **NEW DIALING INSTRUCTIONS**

Customers will need to dial all seven digits when calling local numbers. Currently, customers can dial five digits to complete local calls. After the conversion, all seven digits must be dialed for calls to complete.

Customers now have the option, and many have done so, to purchase telephone instruments from GTE or various other retail vendors. In connection with the switchover, some purchased/owned equipment may present problems. This non-leased equipment, including telephones and answering machines, may or may not be compatible with the new switching system. If you have questions or problems concerning this compatibility, please call (tollfree) our Business Office in Memphis at (806)259-3521.

All of us at GTE appreciate having you as our customer and hope to serve your communication needs now and in the future.

Jerry West

Jerry West Memphis Operations Manager

# **Grandma's Brag** Corner



#### Brynn Rector

16 month old for her condition in this photo. ale and Cauz The proud Grandmother is is "dirty baby" Lemma Rector of Matador and Brynn Rector, 16 month old daughter of Dale and Cauz Rector, made this "dirty baby" picture on a recent camping trip at Pecos

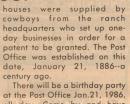
Brynn also has two older brothers Grady and Ryan who may or may not be responsible

Fran and Bob Zaulary of Overland Park, Kansas. The Dale Rector's reside in Alberquerque, New Mexico.

## Happy Birthday ----Matador Post Office!

#### 1886-1986

The Town was named for the Matador Ranch, the head-quarters of which were Matador Ranch, the head-quarters of which were established in 1879 at Ballard Springs. When Motley County was organized in 1891, there was no town in the county. A townsite, sponsored by H.H. Campbell was designated, and the necessary twenty business



all day. Come by and have coffee and cake with us.



# game.

tournament.

#### MAN GETS LIFE IN TECH MURDER RETRIAL

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(A recent story in Lubbock's Avalanche-Journal)

DALLAS (AP)-A man convicted of killing a Texas Tech student in the Trinity River bottoms 10 years ago was sentenced to death

ago was sentenced to death Thursday. An appeals court reversed the first murder conviction of Ronald Curtis Chambers. In a re-trial, Chambers was convicted Tuesday and received the death penalty from a state district court jury Thursday. jury Thursday.

# In July 1975, a jury in Dallas sentenced Chambers to death after convicting him of beating Michael McMahan to death in

the Trinity River bottom during a robbery. The decision was reversed last

The decision was reverse a year when the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals ruled that a psychiatrist who testified in the first punishment phase had first punishment phase had failed to inform Chambers of his

to review the reversal earlier this

Matador Tribune, Thursday, January 16, 1986, Page 5 More Recent Games Jayton

The Motley County teams traveled to Jayton to take on the Jaybirds and came home with 3 district victories.

The J.V. Ladies won 33-19. Leading scorer was Tammy Taylor with 12. Next was Regina Cruse with 11. Mariana

shot 100% from the line and Taylor shot 74% from the floor. Zarate also led in steals with 4. Shanna Lancaster and Taylor contributed 3 steals each for a good defensive effort.

good defensive effort. The J.V. Matadors brought home a victory defeating 54-16. Eddleman put in 22 points followed by Brian Marshall with 11. Brent Marshall pulled 7 RBs. The team held their fouls to only 10. 10

10. The Lady Matadors contri-buted another victory for the M.C. teams winning 46-27. Mangram attributed 20 points and 5 RBs. Hand had 12 points and 8 RBs. Brown and Hand combined for 12 assists each with 6. Shooting above 50% from the line were Mangram 66%, S. Campbell 56% and Brown 50%. The Varsity Matadors had a good come back effort but ran out of time the score being 60-

46. Zarate led rebounders and 40. Zarate led rebounders and scoring with 14 of each. Burkes followed with 13 pts. Block gave the best shooting effort from the line with 63%. As a whole, the team shot 56% from the line.

team shot 56% from the line. Spur The J.V. Ladies made their record 3-0 in District beating Spur 26-23. Campbell led in scoring and rebounding with 8 pts. and RBs.Lancaster led in the departments an ossist and departments go assists and steals with 4 and 6 respectively. and

shooting over 50%from the free throw line were Zarate-66%, Lancaster-50% and Taylor 50%. Janeile Long shot 100% from the

Janeile Long shot 100% from the floor. The Lady Matadors also have a perfect District record of 3-0, 12-5 overall. The Ladies downed the Spurettes 49:31. Hand led with 16 pts. and grabbed 14 RBs. Mangram followed with 12 pts. and 10 RBs. Mangram shot 67% from the floor. Leigh Barton had the best from the floor with 100%. K.Campbell led in assists with 5 and 3. Hand and Penny Bearden each contributed 3 Bearden each contributed 3 steals to the Ladies defensive game. Also Brown, S. Campbell, and K. Campbell each had 2.

The Ladies shot 44% as a tea from the floor. The J.V. Boys now stand at 2-1

after losing to Spur 72-40. Eddleman scored 21 pts and 10RBs. Brent Marshall added 9 pts. Woolsey led in rebounding with 12.

The Varsity Boys fought another hard battle but lost 33-49. Burkes led all scorers of the night with 19. He also grabbed 7 RBs . Zarate added 6 RBs and 3 blocked shots.

The M.C. Teams have an open week but will host Guthrie next Tuesday (1-21) and travel to Patton Friday (1-24). Junior High Basketball

The J.H. Girls pulled out another victory beating Gutherie 25-22. Chandra Brown put in 11 pts. to lead the scorers. Yulanda Campbell took 12 RBs to lead that. The Mavericks held Guthrie to only 3 pts. in the 2nd

and 4th quarterks. The J.H. Boys also chalked up another district victory defeating Guthrie 34-31. Rusty Willmon was leading rebounder and scorer with 16 of each. Walter Linson was next in both with 12 pts. and 9 RBs.

#### PATTON

Next was against Patton, there, where both teams added victories to their records.

The Girls won 66-22. Chandra The Girls won 66-22. Chandra Brown threw in 27 pts. and stole the ball 4 times. Leading rebounder was Yulanda Campbell with 5. Following scorers were: Yulanda Campbell-8, Amy Stephens-8, Cindy Shorter-6: and Natalie Burkes-6. Campbell and Shorter added 3 stepls each followed by added 3 steals each followed by Brandi Barton and Bonnie

Richards with 2 each. Shooting above 50% from the line were Paige Williams 50%, Prissy Roys-75%, Teresa Zarate-75% and Cindy Shorter 100%.

The Rangers were held to 1 pt. in the 2nd quarter and 2 in the

4th. The J.H. Boys stunned the Rangers defeating them 52-24. Rusty Willmon led in pts., RBs and steals with 20, 14 and 3. Roy Estrada also had 3 steals and Jimmy Cummings had 2. Walter Linson was next in scoring with 14 followed by Estrada with 10. Heath Campbell gave a 50% effort from the line and Cary Franks 67%

The J.H. Teams will also be off this week.

YOUR NEAREST H&R Block right to consult a lawyer before an interview. The Supreme Court declined is located at -106 W. Missouri Floydada, Tex. Call 983-5233 The murdered Michael McMahan was the nephew of local resident, Nelson McMahan. mmm Plainview Over 4,000 Pairs Of Shoes Bas **ALL FAMOUS BRANDS** 14 Davs Men's \*\* Women's \*\* Children's Sale Starts Thurs., Jan. 16 (Today) Open 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 p.m. First 3 Days of Sale AN CON Open 8:30 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. Last 11 Days of Sale **BATES SHOE STORE** TULIA PLAINVIEW mmmmmm





24 pts.,

a close game but lost 60-57. Zarate and Burkes combined for

The Matadors started District on a good note beating the Rangers 68-46.

Doran led all scorers with 22,

Doran led all scorers with 22, next were Potts-18, Zarate-10, and Paul Block-10. Zarate swept the boards clean with 20 RBs. Doran and Zarate gave 100% effort from the line each. Potts followed with 67%.

tollowed with 67%. J.V. Boys at Lockney The J.V. Matadors lost to Lockney 72-55. Brandon Eddleman led scoring with 17 followed by Les Woolsey with 13 and Brent Marshall with 12. Eddleman and Woolsey each grabbed 11RBs. Brent and Brian Marshall each shat 67% from the

Marshall each shot 67% from the

Ralls The J.V. Boys had another exciting game against Ralls going into overtime but fell short 50-48. Eddleman was high point

man with 17, followed by Gilbert Hernandez with 12. Woolsey and Eddleman grabbed 11 and

Patton

10 RBs respectively

75% from the line. District -- Patton

and Zarate had 10. Potts Brandt Bearden each shot

By Kim Hand

Earlier Boys Games VARSITY

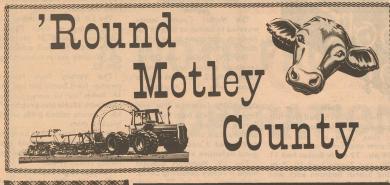
Before the holidays, the Varsity boys hosted Lockney and competed in the Valley Tournament. Lockney

The Matadors fought a hard battle to the last second but came out with a loss from Lockney, 63out with a loss from Lockney, 03-56. Scoring was evenly distributed among the Matadors. Richard Potts led with 15 shooting 75% from the line, Next was Jeffrey Burkes with 11, David Zarate with 11, and Rodney Doran with 10. Burkes cleaned the boards with 14 RBs. Cody Christian gave an effort of 100% from the line.

## Valley Tournament Memphis

Memphis The Matadors faced Memphis in the first round of the Valley Tournament but lost 73-47. Doran led all scores with 18 points and gave a 67% effort from the line. Zarate crashed the boards with 12. The Matadors held their team fouls to 7 for the game.

Lockney The Matadors got their second chance at Lockney in the second round but were defeated 50-40. The J.V. Boys chalked their first district win against Patton winning 56-40. Eddleman was round but were detended 30-40. Potts was high point with 11. Burkes and Zarate combined for 26 RBs having 13 each. The Matadors gave a good defensive effort holding lockney to 5 pts. in the 2nd quarter. This loss put the Matadors out of the tournament. leading scorer and rebounder with 20 points and 15 RBs. Brent Marshall followed in scoring with 11. Woolsey grabbed a12 RBs. Hernandez gave a 61% effort from the line. Total team fouls were held to 11.



Whiteflat News

# by Earlyne Jameson

ATTEND NATIONAL F.LB. MEETING Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon were in Nashville, Tennessee from Wednesday until Sunday to attend the National Federation of Federal Land Bank Arconstitute. Mr. Dixon its Federal Lan Association. Mr. Dixon is chairman of the Caprock Plains Federal Land Bank Association. They made the trip by plane from the Lubbock Airport.

Among the tourist attractions they enjoyed was the Country Music Hall of Fame. They attended the Grand Ole' Opera. They had the unexpected pleasure of visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Christian of Farwell who were attending the National Congress of the United Methodist Church. Mrs. Christian nee Louise Donaldson is a former resident of Whiteflat.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ltw. Jennings last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lamb and children of Stamford. Tim Ayers of Matador visited them last Saturday

Mrs. Mike Davis and Kristy of Fritch visited from Monday until Wednesday of last week with her

Wednesday of last week with ner mother, Mrs. Henry L. Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Colby Wright visited last weekend in Kress with Mr. and Mrs. Barry Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray

Mr. and Mrs. Jack spray visited in Plainview, Tuesday with Mrs. Gladys Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Briscoe. Mr. and Mrs. Colby Wright visited the weekend in Plainview

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright.



herd? An Extension Beef Producers educational meeting on Bull Selection will be held Thursday (tonight) January 16, at 7:00p.m. in the Summit Savings & Loan Community Room. Dr. Nelson Adams Extension Livestock Specialist from Vernon will be the speaker. All interested persons are encouraged to attend. Dr. Adams gave a very good program last year. He is very knowledgeable in beef cattle production and should bring us another excellent program. LANDOWNERS SEMINAR

#### LANDOWNERS SEMINAR

A Seminar to explore income generating and tax-saving opportunities for landowners and investors will be held January 23-24 at the Holiday Inn January 23-24 at the Holiday linn in Brownwood. The seminar is aimed at farmers, ranchers, and others with land holdings. Discussions will deal with enterprise budgets, lease agreements, getting loans, tax-saying moves, property enterprise budgets, lease agreements, getting loans, tax-saving moves, property ownership, different types of investments, estate planning and estate tax managment. Speakers will include Robert H. Kensing of San Angelo, Jose G. Pena of Uvalde and Dr. Ashley Lovell of Stephenville all economists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M. Flomot News

IN HOSPITAL

A.D. Moseley was conveyed by ambulance to the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Thursday morning, Jan. 9 Thursday morning, Jan. 9 following an accident when feeding livestock on his farm. He suffered a broken hip and arm and had surgery Friday morning. His wife, Velma and daughter, Mrs. Jim (Wanda) Davis of Lamesa are with him.

ATTEND FUNERAL Mrs. Jackie Kendall attended the funeral services of cousin, Virgil Martin, 67, held at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, Jan.7 at Mcrrison Funeral Chapel in Dumas. He died Saturday, Jan. 4 in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo

Mr. Martin, former resident of omot, was the son of the late Flomot,

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin. He is survived by 7 children. \* \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. George Pope returned home from an extended holiday visit in Stephenville with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George (Evelyn) Barron. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pope of Lubbock joined them here to visit the weekend. New Year holiday visitors of

New Year holiday visitors of Mrs. Jeff Sperry were Jeff and Renee Sperry of Anniston, Alabama; Ray, Gay and Steve Sperry and Susan and Matt Kirk of Idalou: Fred, Bennie and David Goldston of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sperry and children, local residents. Visiting lost weekend with

Visiting last weekend with Mrs. James Monk was Mrs. Mattie Weatherly of Memphis.

# Afton News

by Janey Carothers

Our sympathy to the family of James (Buck) Ballard, 61, Spir who died at 11:45 a.m. Friday, December 27, at Lubbock General Hospital after a lengthy illness. He is survived by his wife, Jerrie and two daughters, Sandra Paschall, Spur and Donna Drennan, Dickens. Diane Whitaker, Afton, has returned home from visiting with her parents in Moab, Utah. Her father has been ill and in the hospital at Salt Lake City, Utah. Leroy and Roger Carothers, Ropesville were Sunday guests of Myrtle and Bill Carothers and Agnes Williams. Beth Floys Long and husband of Quinlan, were in Afton last week visiting. Beth lived in the

of Quinlan, were in Afton last week visiting. Beth lived in the of Quinlan,

week visiting. Beth lived in the Afton Community when she was a small child with her parents, Henry and Betty Floyd. Paul McCormick, Littlefield, attended the funeral of H.I. Yeates. Paul is a former Afton resident. Tiffapy and Logan Redman.

resident. Tiffany and Logan Redman, Lubbock, spent the holiday week with their great-grandmother, Annie T. Roberts. Bro. Dave Merz and his wife

Debbie, pastor of the Afton Baptist Church, are visiting with relatives in Columbus, Ohio. Otha Lee held the sermon for

A Ars. Ora Stonecipher had as have been with her. Vernight visitors Friday her Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Watson Thella Jarrett of were Floydada visitors Sunday.

overnight visitors Friday her sister, Mrs. Thella Jarrett of Lubbock and her niece, Mrs. Essie Mae Scott of Levelland.

Visitors in the B.L. Peacock home from Thursday until Sunday afternoon were their son Mike of Clovis, New Mexico, his son Jon, and his daughter Michelle Michelle

Michelle. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Skidmore and children of Shallowater were Sunday visitors of their grandmother Mrs. Polk Cooper, Mr. Cooper, and their aunt Mrs. Juanita Bowen. Mrs. Clara Youngblood was taken bu ambulance to

Aris, Clara tobigbioda was taken by ambulance to Floydada's Caprock Hospital Saturday afternoon. Her daughters, Mrs. Leo Garcia and Mrs. Lou Bennett of Midland,

after a lengthy illness. Survivors include two sons, B.F. of Bryan and Hugh of Fruita, Colorado; a brother, Tom of Roaring Springs; and three sisters, Belle Hinson of Odessa; Hortense Goodwin of Afton and Eudelle Hughes of Afton. He was a long time resident of the Afton Community. The Afton Community

resident of the Atton Community. The Afton Community Association gratefully received a memorial donation from Annie T. Roberts in memory of Elmer Osborn.

Roberts in memory of Elmer Osborn. Holiday guests in the home of John and Estelle Stokes was Willeta Houston of Waco. Also Osborn, Roaring Springs. Lloyd Livingston, 68, Seminole, died Thursday at Seminole, died Thursday at Seminole Memorial Hospital after an illness. He was a retired lease operator with Shell Oil Company. Survivors include his wife, Jean; two daughters, Carole Steinke, Odessa and Sharon Kay Livingston, Fort Worth; one son, Jim of Grand prairie;one sister, Vera Fay Martin, Kingsland. Lloyd was one of the six 1935 graduates who attended the 50th year Patton Springs Homecoming in October. He was raised in the East Afton Community. Community.

relatives in Columbus, Ohio. Community. Otha Lee held the sermon for them the last two Sundays. Ray Bateman, Jr., Weather-ford visited with his parents Ray and Pauline Bateman last week. Our sympathy to the family of Jan, Clayt and Becca Bridge, H.I. (Skinney) Yeates, 82, Dickens Atton, visited with Virgie Powell, who died at 10:30 a.m. Friday Spur, Sunday night.

# Roaring Springs Review

They visited Mrs. Clara Youngblood in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Merel Murer and baby of Silverton visited their grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Kingery grandm Sunday.

Dora Saenz was a recent patient in Caprock Hospital in Floydada. After 9 days of hospitalization, Dora is now

home. Mr. and Mrs. Ed D. Smith were at their ranch home in Roaring Springs this past weekend and also visited on the Bird Ranch with Mr. and Mrs. James Bearden.





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**By Ace Reid** 

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#### **CARDS OF THANKS**

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the kindness shown to us during the loss of our loved one. The people of Roaring Springs, Matador and the members of the Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church were all so special during this time. We would like to construct

during this time. We would like to especially thank those who served us lunch at church and to those who brought the food.

The Family of Cruz Morales

The Family of Cruz Morales We would like to say how much we appreciate the calls, cards, flowers, food, memorials and especially for the prayers which have comforted us so during our recent loss. We would like to also express our gratitude to Bro. Philip Sams for the seavice and to the members of the choir who provided the beautiful music and the ladies who served us lunch at the church. We are so grateful for all our friends and family for their support during this time of sorrow. May God bless you each and everyone.

The Family of Verba Faulkner

I would like to thank everyone who helped me during my cent accident.

I would like to specially thank Bennie Keltz, Dell Bearden, Sherry & Keith Paschal and Michelle Bearden for all their special deeds. Also, thanks to Dr. Hong and his staff who helped to make things a little easier. God bless all of these and others who sent cards or called.

**Bud and Toots Brinsfield** 

I would like to express my deep appreciation to each one of ou who gave of your time and equipment to harvest Daddy's

you who gave of your time and equip crop. When I opened the Matador Tribune this morning and saw the picture and read the article, I was so blessed and shed tears of joy, love, and thanksgiving, God has made you people in Matador with such giving hearts. Jesus said, "If you've done it unto one of the least of these, you've done unto Me." Thank you so much, Cherri (Barton) Karr

Thank you so much, Cherri (Barton) Karr Whitney, Texas

ribune inadvertently misworded this last week. We are ing this note in its original form.)

### **Post Office Exam** To Be Given

Harry Hall, Sectional Center anager/Postmaster, Lubbock, exas, has announced that the lerk-Carrier Examination will be open during those dates for Lubbock only. Harry Hall, Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster, Lubbock, Texas, has announced that the Clerk-Carrier Examination will be open from January 27, 1986 for the Childress, TX area (Childress, Chillicothe, Clarendon, Crowell, Cubbia Matadac, Mamphir Guthrie, Matador, Memphis, Paducah, Quanah, Quitaque, Roaring Springs, Silverton and Turkey,Texas). The Distribution

Bill McCaghren is a patient in the Quanah Memorial Hospital

Mrs. Frank Pohl attended graveside rites in Floydada of longtime friend, Mr. A.L. Barker,

longtime friend, Mr. A.L. Barker, Sunday, January 12. Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Jenkins have returned home from El Paso where they spent the holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strain

Gus Bird of Matador was

Conveyed by ambulance Tuesday morning to Caprock Hospital in Floydada for emergency medical treatment.

at news time. Mrs. Fran

Strain.

Persons who are interested may fill out application blanks at the post offices listed during the "open" period and further details can be obtained at these offices. Starting salary for all positions is \$9.64 per hour.

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The matter has been assigned to Docket No. 6309.

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Please Write Billy "Granny" Self,93 of Matador is a patient in the Lockney Nursing Home. She has recently sustained a fall. All friends are encouraged to drop her a card in the mail or write a letter that will brighten her day.

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Mrs. Doc Cook has returned home from the Quanah Memorial Hospital. She is recuperating in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jameson. Mr. Ray Webb a resident of the Paduach Nursing Home, is a patient in the Childress Hospital. Local resident, Mary Meason, was released from the Caprock Hospital in Floydada, after a week of tests. Mrs. Thelma Crites and Mrs. Helen Murry of Roaring Springs, have been staying with Melvin Meason, their brother.

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