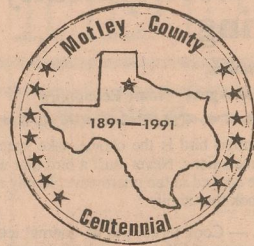


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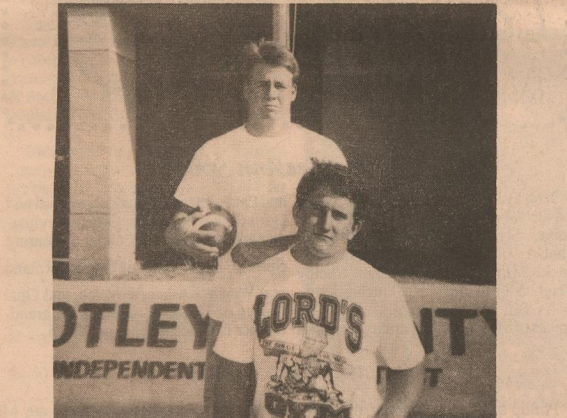
100TH YEAR

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1991

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ALL DISTRICT 3 A FOOTBALL TEAM: Pictured left to right - Jason Stanley, Sr., 2nd team, Down Lineman, Defense; Clay Ewing, Sr., 1st Team, Linebacker, Defense, 1st Team Quarterback, 1st team Punter and 1st Team Kicker Offense; Brad Wilson, Sr., Honorable Mention, Wide Receiver; Cory Kendall, Sr., 1st Team Down Lineman, Defense, 2nd Team Tackle, Offense; Noel Guerrero, Jr., 1st Team, Guard Offense and Honorable Mention, Linebacker Defense; Brad Jameson, Jr., Honorable Mention, Tight End Defense; Frankie Ortiz, Soph., 2nd Team, Defensive Back, Defense and 1st Team, Running Back, Offense. Not pictured are Shane Taylor, Soph., 1st Team, Defensive Back; and Joel Guerrero, Sr., 2nd Team Center.



IA ALL-STATE TEAM: Clay Ewing (standing) was named Honorable Mention Defense Linebacker, and Cory Kendall, (kneeling) was named to the Second Team Offensive Line and Defensive Line on the IA All-State Team. Clay and Cory are Seniors at Motley County High School.



City Council Meets

Landfill Re-Opened This Week

The Matador City Council met December 12 with only one member, Ed Lawrence, absent. Mayor Gary Lancaster asked for the minutes and bills to be read, with \$1,070.00 being paid to Waste Management of Lubbock for solid waste hauling and container rental. The official survey was completed of the Landfill, making it ready to re-open. The Council discussed membership renewal to SPAG tabled. The Council approved resolution for

Appraisal Board to change their fiscal year. Council approved Travis Jameson to the Appraisal Board to replace L.B. Campbell, whose term was up. Ed Lawrence was appointed to the Water District to replace Travis. Mayor Lancaster read House Bill 451, Texas quarry and safety act that has been passed. This bill requires the owner of a quarry or gravel pit to send \$500 and information concerning the pits to the Railroad Commission for permits to operate. Council discussed vehicle insurance and health insurance. Meeting adjourned.

**Matador Post Office
to honor
Customers with
Appreciation Day**

Freddie Moran, Matador Postmaster, announced this week that he and his crew would like to invite you to a Customer Appreciation Day, December 23, 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Freddie invites you to come and meet his wife and daughter and enjoy Christmas goodies.



Christmas Comes Early.....

Meadows Foundation Gift Benefits Museum, Community

The Meadows Foundation of Dallas played the role of Santa Claus this week, bringing Christmas early to our community by presenting a gift of \$12,000 to the Motley County Historical Museum.

Texas' largest private philanthropic organization thus fulfilled a challenge grant issued in September to the start-up museum group. With almost three months remaining before the February deadline, supporters answered the challenge with donations well in excess of the \$6,000 needed for matching funds on a two for one basis.

Willing to invest in the grassroots of America's small towns as well as its urban metropolitan areas, The Meadows Foundation was instrumental in providing funds for the remodeling of a store front building into Motley County's modern and cheerful library. Thank you notes for each of these projects may be addressed to Carlos Gonzalez-Pena, The Meadows Foundation, Wilson Historic Block, 2922 Swiss Ave., Dallas, TX 75204.

Algur H. Meadows and his wife Virginia created the Meadows Foundation in 1948 to benefit the people of Texas. Born in a small town in Georgia, Al Meadows built American Oil Company of Texas into one of the nation's most successful independent oil and gas production companies. This success enabled him to accumulate significant personal wealth that he generously shared with charitable cause during his lifetime.

Meadows often stated that his own life had been greatly enriched by giving. He established the Meadows Foundation so that his philanthropy would continue after his death, under the guidance and direction of family members and trusted advisors.

Today the Meadows Foundation benefits programs throughout Texas in health, education, arts and culture, social services, and civic endeavors.

Renovation of the historical Traweck Hospital building is expected to resume on a portion of its 72 windows. Dressing up the front entrance, sixteen windows

have been repaired, painted, and sealed with storm windows. The sealing of the side and back windows on the lower floor will permit greater security for the building and deny access to the sun's damaging ultra-violet rays on the museum's proposed exhibits.

Meanwhile, donations and memorials continue to support the idea of a county museum. For \$100 a donor's name or the family name will be engraved on a plaque which will hang in the lobby of the museum. For \$50 a brand with name will be added to the Centennial Branding Board. Donations or memorials in any amount are welcome and will be entered into the leather bound memorial book which will also be displayed in the lobby. For those benefactors itemizing their tax returns, tax deductions may be in order.

THIS WEEK'S DONATIONS & MEMORIALS:

Dan Barton, Jan Hamilton, Cheri Karr, and Max Barton, in memory of C.M. Barton

Mabel Jurgens of Carson City, NV

Barbara West and Geraldine Key for the Gerald and Edna Leonard Waybourn family

The family of Dr. A.C. Traweck, Jr., in memory of Irene Lawler Traweck

Bill and Aileen Mantooth in memory of J.E. and Parilee Russell and Rance and Effie Moore

John M. and Dorothy Russell in memory of John C. and Olive Russell, Luther, Meddie, L.M. and W.O. Cox

Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Day in memory of R.A. Day family and F.B. Henderson family

Connie Walding of Baytown in

memory of Dr. Albert Traweck

Jr. and Mary Elizabeth Pitts of Lovington, N.M., in memory of Freddie Welling

Michelle K. Brock of Midland

Marcia B. Middlebrooks of Topeka, Ind., in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Middlebrooks

Sue D. Bird for Glen and Mae Bird Charles (Mann) and G.T. Bird

Vella Rigsby Edwards in memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.N. Rigsby

Christmas Gift: Motley County Arts and Crafts in honor of Glenn and Marion Woodruff

John V. Stevens family for Rachel Patton, Caldwell Smith, Lucille Pritchett, Rufus Emmons, Dr. A.C. Traweck

Donation: R.P. Moore Estate

Early Morning Robbery In Whiteflat

According to Sheriff Alton Marshall, Bennie Keltz discovered, about 9:00 a.m. Tuesday morning, December 17, that his barn at his Whiteflat farm had been burglarized.

It appears that a pair of tin snips was used to cut into the door. Mr. Keltz listed as missing, one red Lincoln cracker-box electric welder, welding leads, one red welding helmet and one gray welding

helmet, one box of welding rods, one Victor Cutting Torch and one Craftsman Cutting Torch, and one steel cutting saw. Sheriff Marshall stated the theft apparently took place between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. Tuesday morning. If anyone has any information on this, please contact the Sheriff's office at 347-2234 or at home, 347-2417.

Early Deadline For Christmas Paper

We will have an early deadline for the Christmas edition, which will be mailed Monday, December 23. Please have all news and ad copy for this edition in our office no later than 12 noon, Thursday, Dec. 19, TODAY!!

If you have any questions, please call us at the Tribune office, 347-2400. We do appreciate your cooperation. Our office will be closed for Christmas vacation, December 24 - January 3.

School Board Meets

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met Wednesday, December 11, with all Board members present. Also present were Bettye Stevens, Jim Cooper, Seven and Alvin Alexander and Walter Taylor.

Minutes and bills were approved. The Board went into executive session, concerning the 6 week grading system. Out of closed session, the Board approved the grading system used by Mr. Jim Cooper, Vo-Ag teacher.

Other items on the agenda approved were: * Vann Frances was reappointed to

the Appraisal Board; * Resolutions for fiscal year changed October to September for Appraisal Board. * Approved changing format for Honors program, deleting part and giving Mr. Van Hoose and Mr. Blanch supervision of selecting Honor format. * Selecting short sample for Superintendents appraisal system. Meeting adjourned. The CED Board had a meeting to approve resolution requesting Appraisal Board to change their fiscal year. Meeting adjourned.

Candidates Announce

Two file for Sheriff, one for Commissioner for March Primary Election

Sheriff Alton Marshall authorized the Motley County Tribune to announce his candidacy for re-election as Motley County Sheriff in the March 10th Democratic Primary Election.

Jim Stockton has authorized the Tribune to announce his candidacy for Motley County Sheriff in the Democratic March 13 Primary Election.

John M. (Sonny) Russell has authorized the Tribune to announce that he is seeking re-election as Commissioner Precinct 1.

Mr. Russell stated, "I consider it a privilege to serve the people of Motley County and in particular the people of Precinct 1. I'm announcing my candidacy for re-election as Commissioner of Precinct 1. Your continued support and vote will be greatly appreciated."

Sales Tax Rebates to Texas Cities and Counties Reach Record Total

(AUSTIN) — "Sales tax rebates to Texas cities and counties totaled a record \$1.4 billion in 1991, a 10-percent increase over the \$1.2 billion collected last year," State Comptroller John Sharp said today.

"In 1968 when 280 Texas cities first started collecting a local sales tax, they received a total of \$48 million in rebates for the year," Sharp said.

"Likewise, in 1988 when 81 Texas counties first began collecting the sales tax, they received \$70 million in rebates for the year," Sharp said.

Sharp made the comparisons in announcing the December sales tax rebates made by his office to nearly 1,000 Texas cities and counties.

December's payments to 883 Texas cities totaled \$80.2 million for a year end total of \$1.2 billion, compared to 1990's 12-month total of \$1.1 billion, or a 9-percent increase.

Payments of \$9.4 million to 106 counties brought 1991 payments to \$138.4 million, a year-to-date increase of 17 percent over last year's total of almost

\$118 million. The city of Houston received \$13.2 million as its December rebate, the largest payment in the state, to bring that city's 1991 total to \$205.5 million. Dallas received the state's second largest payment, \$7.8 million, for a 1991 total of \$120.8 million. San Antonio's payment for \$4.6 million was the third largest in the state for a year-to-date sum of \$70.3 million, and Austin followed with \$3.6 million, adding up to \$53.2 million for the year. Fort Worth received \$2.4 million for a total of \$39.5 million this year, and El Paso received \$2.2 million for a 1991 total of \$31.5 million.

Quarterly payments to metropolitan transit programs in Austin, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio and monthly payments to the El Paso City Transit Department and the Laredo City Transit Department totaled \$139.7 million — a 0.8 percent increase over last December's payments.

Hospital districts in Baylor, Ector and Reeves counties were sent a combined total of \$618,202.

December's checks to cities, counties, hospital districts and city transit departments include taxes collected on October sales and reported in November by businesses filing monthly sales tax returns with the state. This month's checks to MTAs reflect taxes reported in September, October and November. Businesses file either monthly, quarterly or annually, depending on the amount of sales tax they collect.

Shoppers pay the local sales taxes of up to 2 percent along with the state's 6 1/4 percent state sales tax when they make a taxable purchase. Merchants then send in the taxes to the Comptroller's Office with their tax returns. The state keeps its share and returns to cities, counties and other taxing entities their portion of the local sales tax.

Area voters must approve all local sales continued on page 2

Quail Pipe Expands

Quail Pipe Corp. of Roaring Springs will be opening a full scale manufacturing facility in Magnolia, Arkansas the first of the year. The addition of this industry to Magnolia will create approximately 50 jobs.

Headquartered in Roaring Springs, the firm will produce high density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe products.

Quail elected to locate in Magnolia because of several factors, including

Market, Existing facility, Labor Force, and Financing.

Randy Barton, executive vice-president of sales, is originally from Magnolia. Ed Brantley will serve as plant manager of the Magnolia operation.

T.J. Hammer is president of Quail Pipe Corp. In addition to the Roaring Springs plant, Quail operates plants in Wichita Falls, Texas and Burleson, Texas, where polyvinyl chloride (PVC) pipe is manufactured.

SEASON'S GREETINGS



We're all fixed up and ready to wish you a wonderful holiday. Thanks a lot.

Higginbotham-Bartlett

Matador



Greetings of the Season

Wishing a bountiful harvest of holiday cheer to all our friends and neighbors! Merry Christmas!

Lawrence Farm Store

Roaring Springs



On Christmas day, and every day, our very best to all our friends.

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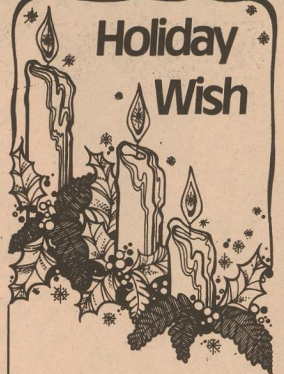
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Yuletide Greetings

We appreciate having you as our customers.

Roaring Springs Automotive
David Walker



Holiday Wish

May the warm glow of Christmas light up your life.

Motley County Judge
Boyce Hart & Elaine Hart

MERRY CHRISTMAS

To know and serve you this past year was a true delight. Thanks and Merry Christmas!



Tommy's Garage

MATADOR - 347-2446

Peace and Love

Imagine a world as peaceful as our Creator intended it to be, and as full of love as the heart of our Saviour. In that spirit we offer you our best wishes for a Christmas filled with joy.



Turner's Gin

Flomot

*It's Always A
Treat To
Serve You*

*Merry Christmas and an extra
helping of thanks!*

**Matador V&S
Variety**

Merry Christmas

HOME

Is Where The Heart Is

Especially at Christmas, and throughout the year, may every heart and home be warmed by the spirit of contentment that this season brings, and blessed with the joy of sharing it with loving family and friends.

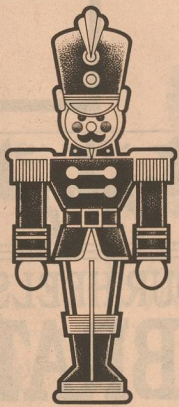
We appreciate your kind patronage and look forward to being of service in the coming year.

Thacker Supply
Downtown Roaring Springs

*May
Your Table
Be Blessed*

*We join you in
celebrating the birth
of our Savior, and
thank you for your
loyal support.*

**Kountry
Kitchen
Cafe**
Roaring Springs



Merry
Christmas!

To all of our friends
and patrons we say
thanks!
Celebrate in style!

Kathy's
Flomot

Behold, The
Savior Is Born

Peace be with you.

**United Methodist
Church**
Roaring Springs

**WE'RE HAPPY TO DELIVER
BEST WISHES AND HEARTFELT
THANKS TO EVERYONE**

Being a part of this wonderful community is truly a blessing.
We hope you all have a Christmas to be remembered with joy.

*God has given us eternal life,
and this life is in His Son*

I John 5:11

**Motley County
Tribune**



**Sweet
Enchantment**

At Christmas,
little things mean a lot.

Warmest wishes for a
fabulous holiday.

Allsup's
Matador

**Glory To The
Newborn King**

MAY THE SPIRIT OF PEACE
EMBRACE YOU THIS SEASON AND
THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

The Windmill
Matador

PEACE ON EARTH

... a lasting gift for all the world.

Pay-N-Save Grocery

Matador

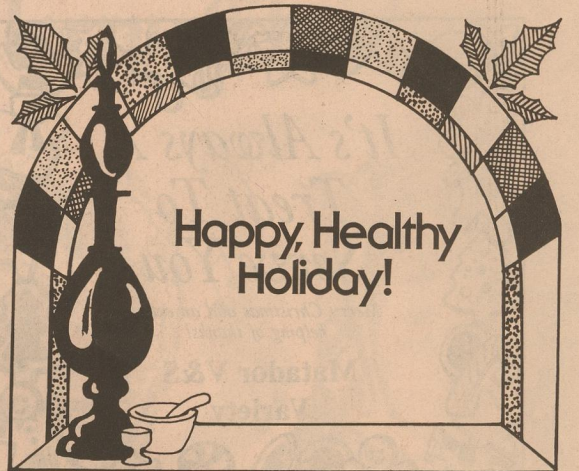
☆
*Joy
Love
Faith
Peace*



May they be yours
now and throughout
the year.

*Taylor's
Pizza Box*

Matador



Happy, Healthy
Holiday!

We share with all our
sincere wishes
for a heartfelt
holiday season.

Stanley Pharmacy

Matador

JOY TO THE WORLD

Tune up for a great holiday! We're glad to express
our appreciation for your business and support.



Alexander Fuel

Roaring Springs

Russell, Kim & David



KICK UP YOUR HEELS AND
CELEBRATE!

Happy Holidays and sincere best wishes.

PADUCAH MEAT



My wish for you this season of
celebration is that you will be blessed
with Joy and many Happy Memories of
friends and loved ones

Lila Meador



Greetings

May you enjoy the biggest, brightest, most
beautiful holiday ever!

Quail Pipe

Roaring Springs



We Three Kings
of Orient Are...

May peace, love and happiness
be your gifts at Christmas and
throughout the coming year.
Thank you for your patronage.

Dickens Electric

Spur, Texas

JESUS



He is the reason
for the season

May you and your family be blessed with the
best of Christmas gifts this year.....

The gentle presence of
Jesus Christ, our Savior

Assembly of God Church

Matador
Rev. Roy Eason



We Know You've Been Good...
Especially to us.



It's been our joy having you as
customers and knowing you as
friends. That's why
we'd like to
take this special
opportunity to say
"Merry Christmas
and many thanks!"

**Mission
Cable
Company**



Here's hoping your
holidays are fun-
filled and delightful!

**Country
Boutique**

Roaring Springs



A Time
To Rejoice

Matador
First United
Methodist Church



**Angels We
Have Heard
On High**

May every blessing
be yours this season.

Clarence & Gussie
Jinkins



Merry
Christmas!

Seasons Greetings



There is no time more fitting than to say thank you
and to wish you a Happy Holiday Season
and a New Year of Health, Happiness & Prosperity



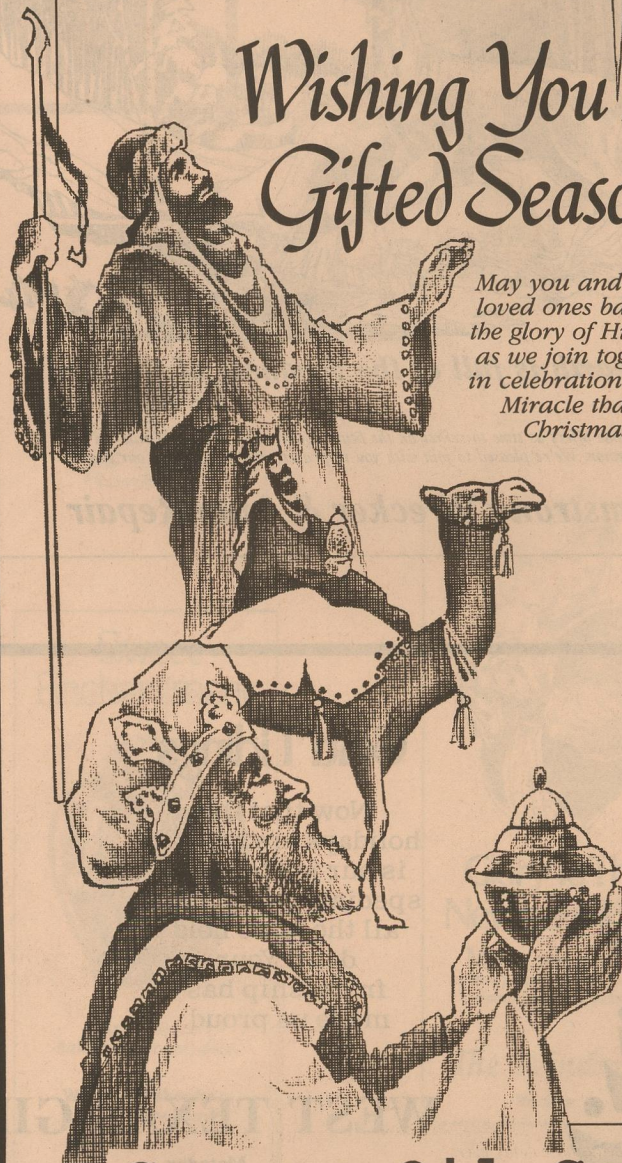
Red Ball Gin

Roaring Springs



**Wishing You A
Gifted Season**

May you and your
loved ones bask in
the glory of His love
as we join together
in celebration of the
Miracle that is
Christmas.

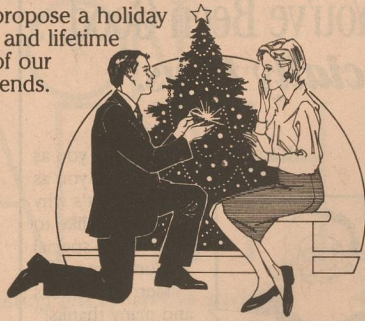


Cooper Oil Co.

J.B., Jean, Jesse & Frank

Have A Sparkling Christmas

Allow us to propose a holiday of happiness and lifetime of joy to all of our wonderful friends.



Thacker Jewelry

Downtown Roaring Springs

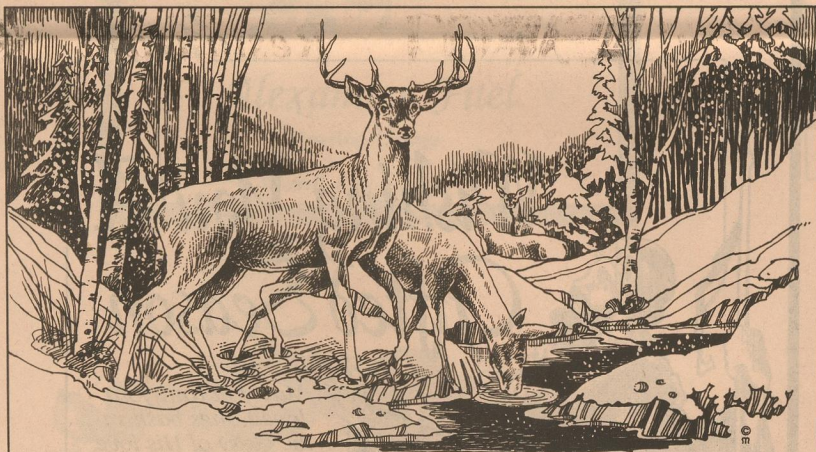


Signs of Christmas

Wishing you a holiday filled with peace and happiness. Many thanks for your kind patronage.

Paducah Seed & Delinting

Paducah, Texas



'The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord'
(Psalms 33:5)

Christmastime offers us time to reflect on the beauty of creation as we celebrate the birth of our Savior. We're pleased to join with you in prayer, and to offer you our thanks.

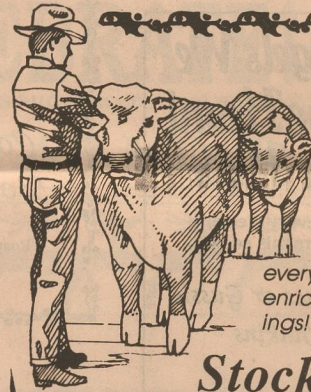
Armstrong Wrecker & Auto Repair

Merry Christmas



Sing out the carols! Let each heart rejoice! The Prince of Peace is born to us! Blessings of the season to all.

FLOMOT GIN



Seasons Greetings

May this Christmas and every Christmas to come enrich your life with its blessings! Merry Christmas to all!

Stockman's Inc.



Holy of Holies

MAY YOUR FAITH ABIDE AT CHRISTMASTIDE AND THROUGHOUT THE COMING YEAR.

Assembly of God Church

Rev. Ernie Brown

Roaring Springs

Glad Tidings

Now that the holidays are here, it is our joy to say a special "thanks" to all those we hold dear. Your friendship has made us proud.

WEST TEXAS GIN

Matador





We Wish You A Merry Christmas!

May the love of home and family be a special gift to treasure throughout the season.

Giesecke Butane

R.C. & Callie Giesecke

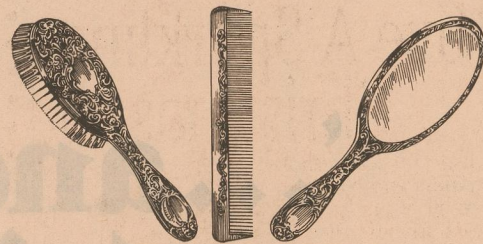
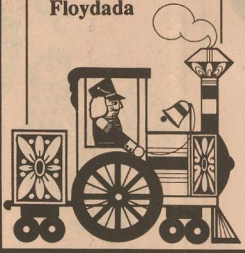
EXPRESSLY FOR YOU...

Our very best wishes for a fun-filled holiday season.

THANKS!

Sears

Floydada



Old-Fashioned Greetings To All

Like so many things, the more years our celebration of Christmas acquires, the more value it holds. And the very same is true of our friendship with you.

Thank you for your patronage!

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

Matador Thrifty Shop

May joy and harmony fill every heart and home.



Zabielski Co.

Roaring Springs



PEACE

For all the world to share, simple joys of a country Christmas. Thanks, friends, for your kind support.

Billie Dean's Restaurant



Matador Motor & Implement



Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Inspired by the carols of Yuletide, we celebrate His birth with reverence, joy and happiness. Bless everyone and Merry Christmas.

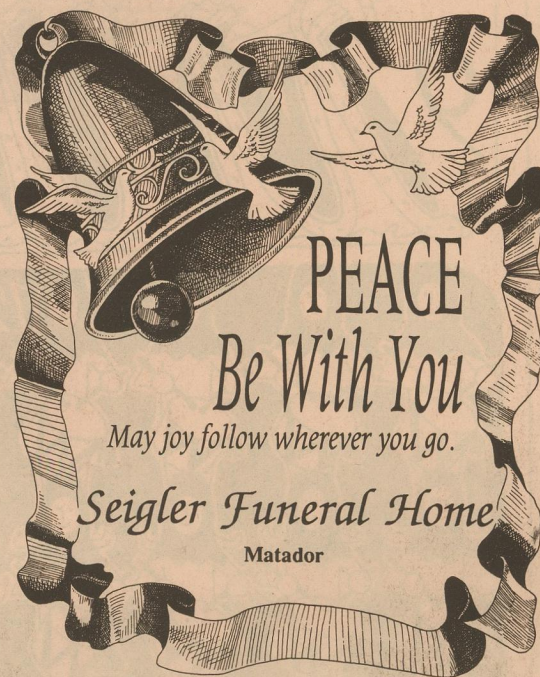
Brannon Butane
Roaring Springs



Hoping your holiday be abundant in all good things!

Pizza Gold

Floydada



PEACE

Be With You

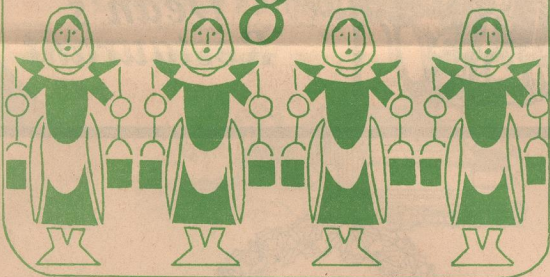
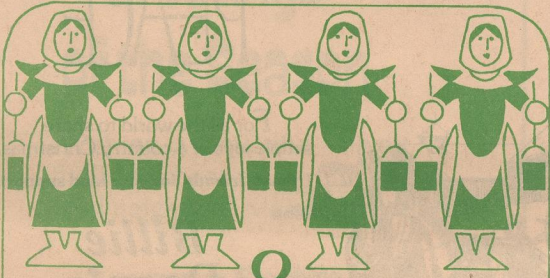
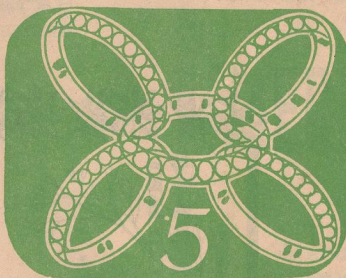
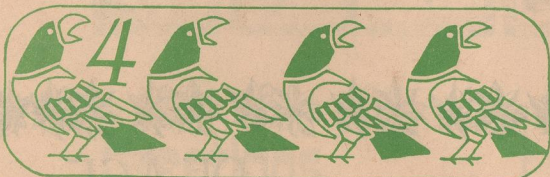
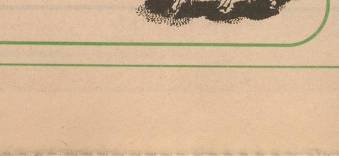
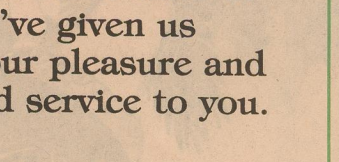
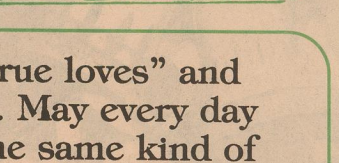
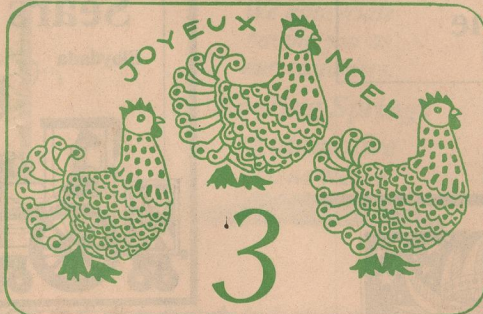
May joy follow wherever you go.

Seigler Funeral Home

Matador



...and a
partridge
in a
pear tree.



Here's wishing all our "true loves" and dear friends the very best. May every day of the season bring you the same kind of happiness and joy you've given us throughout the year. It's our pleasure and privilege to be of continued service to you.



THE FIRST STATE BANK

MATADOR, TEXAS
79244

FRIENDLY
SERVICE
SINCE
1907





Home Economically Speaking

by Beverly Thomas,
Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

SAFE TURKEY HANDLING TIPS FOR HOLIDAY MEALS...

The turkey, the traditional holiday bird, is a tasty, healthy choice for holiday meals. don't let the risk of foodborne illness from improperly handled turkey spoil the holiday fun.

Turkey is a highly perishable food and requires special handling in thawing, preparation, cooking and storage. Follow these tips on handling turkey safely:

— If shopping in advance is necessary, frozen turkey is the best bet. Look for one that is solidly frozen. Keep it frozen at zero degrees or below until ready for thawing. Allow two to three days, depending on the size of the turkey, for thawing in the refrigerator.

— Fresh turkey is highly perishable and should be bought no more than a day or two before cooking. If shopping must be done in advance, a frozen turkey is a better choice.

— In determining what size turkey to buy, allow about one pound per person. This will provide generous servings with enough leftovers for other meals.

— Thawing a frozen turkey in the refrigerator is the preferred method for safety reasons, but you can also thaw it in cold water. The important thing is to keep the turkey cold while thawing to prevent bacterial growth. To thaw in the refrigerator, put the turkey in the original wrap on a tray or in a pan to catch dripping juices. An 8 to 12 pound turkey will take one to two days to thaw; a 16 to 20 pound turkey will take three to four days. For faster thawing, put the turkey package in a water-tight plastic bag and submerge in cold water. Change the water every 30 minutes to keep it cold. Depending on size, this can take from 4 to 12 hours.

Do not thaw turkey on the counter. Bacteria can multiply rapidly at room temperature, and outer portions of the turkey may thaw and reach room temperatures before the inside is thawed. Small turkeys can be thawed in the microwave according to the manufacturer's manual instructions, but the turkey should be cooked immediately after thawing.

— Wash the turkey with water inside and out before cooking, removing neck and giblets from the cavity. To prevent spread of bacteria, wash hands, utensils and the sink after contact with the turkey.

— Turkeys stuffed with dressing present special problems because bacteria can easily multiply in the stuffing and cause food poisoning. Cooking stuffing separately is the safest method. But if a

stuffed bird is the choice, take special precautions. Never stuff a bird that will be cooked in the microwave. It may not cook thoroughly.

— Cook turkeys to an internal temperature of 180 degrees to 185 degrees. A meat thermometer can be used to check for doneness. If the turkey is stuffed, check the stuffing for doneness. It should reach at least 165 degrees. When done, remove all stuffing from the bird immediately and put in a separate container. Harmful bacteria is more likely to grow in the stuffing if it sits in the bird after cooking.

— Never partially cook a turkey one day and then complete cooking later. Interrupted cooking increases the possibility of bacterial growth.

— Take care of cooked turkey and stuffing leftovers promptly and properly to prevent the risk of foodborne illness. These foods should not be left a room temperatures for more than two hours because the bacteria that cause illness multiply rapidly at these temperatures. Never store the foods in a warm oven or on the kitchen counter for the next meal. This will encourage bacterial growth. Divide large quantities of the leftover turkey and stuffing into smaller portions. Store in the refrigerator in several smaller, shallow containers. Leftover cooked poultry will keep in the refrigerator for three to four days. Stuffing and gravy should be used within a day or two. Bring leftover gravy to a rolling boil before serving. Freeze food for longer storage.

— And if plans change -- you bought a turkey and then didn't use it -- remember that frozen turkey can be stored in a freezer at a temperature of zero for up to one year without much loss of quality.

For more information on safe handling of holiday foods, contact the home economics agent at the county office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Also, the USDA Meat and Poultry hot line at 1-800-535-4555 handles consumer requests concerning meat and poultry.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are for people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

Middle age is when your narrow waist and broad mind begin to change places.

El Progresso Club Meets For Annual Christmas Program

by Beverly Vinson

El Progresso Club met Thursday afternoon Dec. 12, 1991 in the lovely ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell. The day was sunny, the house beautifully decorated for the holiday and the friendship of members made for a wonderful way to begin the season of Christmas. Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell, club president welcomed members and guests and presided over the business meeting of the club. She introduced Mrs. Douglas (Lila) Meador who in turn presented our speaker for the days yuletide program.

Mrs. Meador had visited over the phone with Mrs. Robert (Joann) Dickson the previous night, so was well prepared to "tell all" about her life before coming to this area, where she was born, where she attended school and how she met and married her husband. The Dicksons have been gone from Matador four years moving to Anson. Mrs. Meador opened the days program with the captions at the heading of the day's program.

Mrs. Dickson had a two-part program, the first on Christmas Carols and the authors and some history of some of the popular hymns. Mrs. Frank (Lola) Pohl played the piano while Mrs. Mary

Helen Cross led the group in singing one verse of the carols. Mrs. Dickson told about "Away in the Manger" was the first song told about, it having been written by Martin Luther. He was from a poor family but had a beautiful voice. He was accepted into a school who provided lodging and food for his singing with their group. This song was written for his children and had been a most popular song of the holiday season. Next the group sang "Hark The Herald Angels Sing" by Charles Wesley with a mention of the 6000 hymns he had written. A Mr. Brooke wrote a poem "O, Little Town of Bethlehem" and had it set to music and this was another song sung. The famous and most popular "Silent Night" played because the mice had chewed the bellows so a cobbler was asked to play it on his guitar and led the singing of this great carol.

The other part of Mrs. Dickson's program was from a book she had as a child "The Little Mixer", a whimsical Christmas story by Lillian Nickolson Shearon. She would review or tell this story when a small girl, then has continued to regale her audience with it's tale throughout the years.

Mrs. Meador concluded the day's program reading the Christmas Greetings from the yearbook "Christmas is a

season of delights and duties and every duty becomes a delight as we put the joy of the Lord into it. As we prepare our homes for the Christmas Guests this year, let us prepare our hearts for the most important Guest - Jesus. In all we have to do let us remember the spirit of Christmas, then we can do all with joy and love. Merry Christmas to each of you!

Before refreshment time a different event for the club in a White Elephant Exchange of Cookbooks was held and enjoyed by all. Each member brought a cookbook from her collection, then they were distributed to someone else with many and varied types being exchanged. The group descended into the dining area of the Campbell home where the

beautifully decorated table held trays of goodies, some tart, some hot, some sweet, some unspiced served with hot coffee or hot spiced punch.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Grace Campbell, Mrs. E.A. (Dorothy) Day, Mrs. Furman (Beverly) Vinson, Mrs. J.E. (Marge) Edwards, and Mrs. L.B. (Lucreita) Campbell. Others attending not already mentioned were guests Mrs. Debbie Martin and Mrs. Winifred Lee and members Mrs. W.D. (Vena) Lipscomb, Mrs. Ted (Bailey) Elliott, Mrs. Bob (Nell) Clem, Mrs. Robert (Winifred) Darsey, Mrs. W.N. (Opal) Pipkin, Mrs. Dale (Joetta) Bumgardner, Mrs. John (Josephine) Hamilton, Mrs. Harry (Pearl) Patton.

Billy Lefevre Has Lead In College Play



Billy Lefevre in costume as the 'Emperor'.

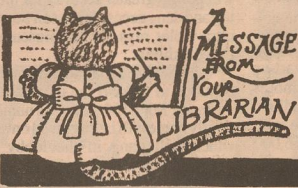
Billy Lefevre, 1991 graduate of Motley County High School, played the lead, the Emperor, in Clarendon College Theatre Department's recent presentation of "Shining Princess of the Slender Bamboo."

The play portrayed the Province of Surage, Japan, one thousand years ago. There were three scenes with the first and

second ones taking place in a bamboo grove and hut, and the second scene set in a shop and at sea.

Miss Leslie Schnauff was director. Pe-show music was provided by Clarendon College Singers.

Billy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lefevre of Roaring Springs.



by
Wilda
Dixon

HOLIDAY HOURS: Open Monday, December 23, 2-5 p.m. (open by volunteers)

CLOSED - Tuesday, December 24 and Wednesday, December 25.

OPEN - Thursday, December 26, 9-12 and 1-6.

OPEN - Friday, December 27, 9-12 and 1-6.

CLOSED - Saturday and Sunday.

OPEN - Monday, December 30, 2-5 p.m. (open by volunteers)

OPEN - Tuesday, December 31, 9-12 and 1-4.

CLOSED - Wednesday, January 1

OPEN - Thursday, January 2, 9-12 and 1-6.

OPEN - Friday, January 3, 9-12 and 1-6.

OPEN - Saturday, January 4, 1-4 p.m.

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Beginning January 4, 1992, the Library will be open from 1 until 4 p.m. each Saturday. There will be volunteer workers and we hope that everyone will take advantage of this opportunity to use our Library.

Remember, December is FINE FREE MONTH, so please check everywhere for overdue library books and bring them before the end of the month. Currently we have 150 or more overdue books, including paperbacks and hardcovers and they include all kinds from children through adult non-fiction.

1992 Dues for the Friends of the Library may be paid at the Library anytime during regular hours.

Order of Eastern Star Meets

Matador Chapter #66, Order of Eastern Star met in regular session Thursday, December 5 at Masonic Hall.

After all business was attended and chapter closed, a Christmas celebration was enjoyed by all.

With Mrs. Frank Pohl, at the piano the members joined in harmony with Grace Campbell and sang many Christmas carols, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing, White

Christmas," many others including that most beautiful of hymns, "Silent Night,"

Santa Claus left a huge sack with a gift for each one present. The members returned to the dining hall and were served fresh apple cake and coffee.

The tables were decorated with huge silk poinsettias, candy canes, large red candles in hurricane lamps, decorated by Worth Matron, Mrs. R.E. Campbell, Jr.

Eastern Star Attends School of Instructions

Nine members of Matador Chapter #66, Order of Eastern Star, Grand Chapter of Texas, attended the Fraternal visit of Worth Grand Matron Jane Gregory, Worth Grand Patron Gary Whitacker, on December 5, and five remained for School of Instruction, December 6.

Three members received a certificate for proficiency in the work. These included

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell and Mrs. Robert Darsey.

Members attending, besides the above, were Mrs. R.E. Campbell, Jr., Mrs. W. J. Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson, Mrs.

Carter Luckett, Mrs. Margie Payne, Mrs. R.E. Campbell is presently serving as Worthy Matron of Chapter #66.

Tax Payments

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taxes at the polls. Most local governments use the money raised for services such as fire fighting, road maintenance and law enforcement. City sales taxes may also be used for local economic development and property tax reduction.

Totals for Motley County are as follows:

Matador: net payment this period, \$1,102.52; comparable payment prior year, \$1,098.37; % change, 0.38%; 1991 payments to date, \$23,411.50; 1990 payments to date, \$22,384.39; % change, 4.59%.

Roaring Springs: net payment this period, \$1,512.07; comparable payment prior year, \$866.22; % change, 74.56%; 1991 payments to date, \$15,136.68; 1990 payments to date, \$19,731.48; % change, -23.29%.

County Total: net payment this period, \$2,614.59; comparable payment prior year, \$1,964.59; % change, 33.09%; 1991 payments to date, \$38,548.18; 1990 payments to date, \$42,115.87; % change, -8.47

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County Court News

Judge Boyce Hart

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Motley County School News

HONOR ROLL

DISTINGUISHED LIST
(All grades 90 and above)

ryman, Amy Pipkin, Christi Shorter, Kristi Timmons, Bradford Wilson, Amy Woolsey.

SEVENTH GRADE: Leah Cruse, Darryn Perryman, Brandon Speed, James Timmons.

EIGHTH GRADE: Amber Cousins, Bradley Thacker, Lindsey Williams.

NINTH GRADE: Mandi Farley, Wendy Lancaster, Heather Turner.

TENTH GRADE: Dustin Davis, Whitney Jameson, Kobbi Risser.

ELEVENTH GRADE: Christi Potts, Danny Sailsbury.

TENTH GRADE: Jennifer Beshirs, Kara Boykin, Brooke Brandon, Sheryl Davis, Mindy Dodson, Jeromy Jameson, Francisco Ortiz, Christie Pierce, Scott Sailsbury, Eva Saldana, Keri Shorter.

ELEVENTH GRADE: Daniel Alexander, Shonda Barton, Brandy Blanch, Roegan Cruse, Billy Elliott, Bradley

TWELFTH GRADE: Paul Barton, Amber Brandon, Renee Davis, Clay Ewing, Eric Farley, Heather Hobbs, Tonya Hoyle, Jagruti Patel, Cathern Per-

HONOR ROLL
(all grades 80 and above)

SEVENTH GRADE: Brandi Jameson, Kasey Parks.

EIGHTH GRADE: Christie Campbell, Cara Franks, Veronica Gonzalez, Laurie Hoyle, Lee Jones, Leigh Pipkin, Gwendolyn Sims, Leslie Van Hoose.

NINTH GRADE: Jeremy Jones, Joshua Palmer.

Jameson, Robin Long, Lacey Parks, Andy Renfro, Marvina Smoak.

TWELFTH GRADE: Chancy Cruse, Lisa Jones, Cory Kendall, Kammia Pitts, Jason Stanley.

CORRECTION

First grade student, Brittany Perryman, was left off of the DISTINGUISHED LIST, which was printed in last week's paper. We apologize for this mistake.



Santa Letters

Dear Santa,

Well I guess you know it's that time of the year, to have your red bag ready. So far Santa, I have been very sweet, and for Christmas I would like for you to bring me a Turquoise Beretta Car, Clothes, and a Camera. So if I don't receive all these things for Christmas, let me receive them later, before I graduate.

Sincerely,
Kammia Pitts

P.S. There will be cookies and milk on my bar for you.

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Tonya and I'm finally a senior. I hope you've had a good year. I have! I've been good too!

Thanks for bringing my car early!! I love it! That's the main thing I wanted this year, but since I've already got that, I'll settle for a boyfriend and some new clothes. I always love what you bring me and I know I won't be disappointed this year.

Have a Merry Christmas and a safe trip!! I'll leave you a little midnight snack!!!

Love,

Tonya Hoyle

Dear Santa,

All I want for Christmas is for everyone to have a Merry Christmas, even the homeless. My pretty computer teacher has been very good so bring her something good. I really wish that my grandfather could be here with me that way he could watch me open my presents. I really miss him. I want him to have a Merry Christmas too. I wish that he could be here to eat Christmas dinner with me and my grandmother. I know that she would really like that. Well Santa all I want for myself is some new jeans, that's all. The rest of my stuff can be a surprise. Well I better go. I know you are very busy.
Bye.

Love,
Dodie Morris

P.S. I wish all my friends a Merry Christmas.

Dear Santa,

Hi, how are you? I'm fine. Has the weather been cold at the north pole lately? It has been sort of warm here in Matador. OK here is what I want for Christmas, a Caboodle, Clothes, Jewelry, Calculator, and a New Jacket. I hope you can bring me everything I want but if you don't I will understand.

Love,
Misty

Dear Santa,

This year for Christmas I want a multitude of things! To start off with a new Stealth would be nice, preferably black, next a new computer and word processor, money, and clothes. That should do for this Christmas. If you can't get everything I'll understand but please try your best. Cookies and milk will be waiting for you as usual!

Love always,
Renee

Dear Santa,

Well I have been good this year I guess, but probably I could have been more nicer. Well now down to business. First thing I need is a radar detector so I can stay within the speed limit, and some clothes will do alright, but the main thing that I want for Christmas is for everyone to have a Merry Christmas all over the world and a Happy New Year to all. Well until next year I'll be seeing you later. Merry Christmas.

Sincerely,
Roy Moreno

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I'm doing fine. All I want for Christmas is for my family to be well, especially my grandparents. Well, I know that your probably bust so I'll let you go.

Love,
Kasey Parks

Dear Santa,

I know you are probably busy but, I have been a good little girl, (right), so I am going to tell you what I want. I want a leather jacket, stereo, tapes, and clothes Well I guess that's all I want. (You can bring me a few surprises!)

Love,
Lacy Washington

Dear Santa,

How are you and everyone else? I have been a very good boy this year. For Christmas I would love lots and lots of clothes. I would like some cassette tapes and a new radio. I guess that's all for now. There will be some milk and cookies by the tree.

Merry Christmas,
Steven Meredith

Dear Santa,

Hello, how are you? I'm great! I'm going to tell you what I want for Christmas. Well the only particular thing I can think of is boots, so the rest is up to you. Bring me a lot of surprises, please. See you soon. Remember I have been great this year.

Love,
Leah

Amy's Anecdotes

by Amy Woolsey

For Christmas I really just want to have peace, joy and love in the world. That's really what Christmas is all about, right?

I am so tired of fighting that goes on in this world. Why can't we have one Christmas without hatred, jealousy, and cold-heartedness? I wish families that fight and hate each other can be together this Christmas to love one another and be at peace. It's so sad to see people fight with one another when they're kinned - you're

supposed to love, not hate!

Another thing for Christmas I want is for people to stop criticizing. No one is perfect - except for Christ and God. If someone cannot do something right, don't criticize, just tell them it's alright and keep trying. Criticizing is a good way to lose friends. Let's have a great Christmas this year. Don't criticize and fight, instead love and be full of joy and kindness.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Thursday, December 19: Elementary Christmas Program at 7:00 p.m. Students need to be in their classrooms at 6:30. Parents are asked to bring their favorite Christmas Goodie to put on the refreshment table following program. PTO will supply the hot chocolate and punch.

Friday, December 20: 4th, 5th and 6th grades will leave at 8:15 a.m. to go to Floydada to watch a "Nutcracker" production.

Class Christmas party's will begin at 1:30/1:45 and school will dismiss at 2:30

for the Christmas Holidays.

Junior Varsity and Varsity girls and boys basketball, here, against Valley, beginning at 4:00 p.m.

December 26, 27 & 28: Boys Varsity Basketball Tournament at Brownwood.

Thursday, January 2: Junior Varsity and Varsity Boys and Girls Basketball, here, against Floydada, beginning at 4:00.

Friday, January 3: Junior Varsity and Varsity girls and Boys Basketball at Clarendon, beginning at 4:00.

Monday, January 6: School will resume as usual.



VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL: The Motley County Matadors Basketball team won third place in the recent Ralls Tournament. They are pictured here with their trophy, (back row l-r) Trainer Tim Adams; Shawn Elliott, Brad Wilson, Chris Campbell, Noel Guerrero, Coach Bob Moore; (front row, kneeling, l-r) Frankie Ortiz, Clay Ewing, Bradley Jameson, and Paul Barton.



BOYS JR. VARSITY (GANGSTERS): The Motley County Matadors' JV Basketball team won Second place at the Tournament held here, this past Saturday. They are pictured left to right - Robert Fisk, Josh Palmer, Daniel Alexander, Mark Brannon, Jeremy Jones, Crawford Mason; (middle row l-r) Don Martin, Dustin Davis, Matt Mangram, Shane Taylor, Robert Osborn, Coach Jerry Bass; (front row l-r) Conway Clary, Brandon Blanch, Cody Campbell, Kyle Mars and Juan Gonzalez.



VARSITY GIRLS: The Motley County Varsity Lady Matadors won Third in the recent Ralls Tournament. They are pictured left to right - Mindy Dodson, Almee Pipkin, Brandy Blanch, Christi Shorter, Wendi Beshirs, Lacey Parks, Cathery Perryman, Christy Potts, Kammia Pitts and Heather Hobbs.



J.V. GIRLS: The Motley County JV Lady Matadors won Consolation in the recent Ralls Tournament and Third place at the Tournament held this past Saturday here. They are pictured left to right - Wendy Lancaster, Heather Turner, Kobbi Risser, Jennifer Beshirs, Christie Hoover, Brooke Brandon, Kerl Shorter, Whitney Jameson and Mandi Farley.

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CHICKEN FRIED STEAK	\$1.59	SAUSAGE, EGG & BISCUIT	\$1.09	
3 COUNT CHICKEN STRIPS	\$1.49	SAUTEYA SAUSAGE	\$1.09	
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Letters To Santa

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Jermaine Hendrix. I'm in the 3rd grade. How are you and Mrs. Claus? I'm fine. Thank you for the presents you gave me last year. This year for Christmas I would like a G.I. Joe tent and a remote control car, and Rebeck pumps.

Yours truly,
Jermaine Hendrix

Dear Santa,

I have been wanting a stereo and a skateboard, a new waterbed, some new clothes, a new game, new shoes, like pump-ups, and a new football.

Your friend,
Alex Salazar, Jr.

Dear Santa,

Thank you for the toys you got me last year. I want to wish you a Happy Christmas. Your a busy man. I want a gogo, a long tumblingmat, a bike, twin babies, my trampoline fixed, a boy dog and the bear Mrs. Turner is drawing for and Merry Christmas!

Love,
Paige

Dear Santa,

I want a power wheel, a barbie bath, a magic nursery baby. My sister, Cassie and I want a walking yoyo. We have been good, Santa.

Love,
Kittie C.

Dear Santa,

My name is Cassie. For Christmas I want a baby burp doll, telephone, koosh kins, camera, headphones, watch, stationery kit, big mouth bottle, triple high-lighter.

Love,
Cassie

Dear Santa Claus,

Thank you for the presents from last year. This is what I want for christmas: a water baby, a pretty princess game, pair of boots and a leather jacket and some new kids dolls and a good Christmas.

Yours truly,
LeAnndra Wallace

Dear Santa Claus,

Hi! It's me Rebecca Morris. How are you and Mrs. Santa Claus? I am fine. I can't wait until Christmas comes because you get to open presents. For Christmas I would like to have a Nintendo and a baby Ah-Oh. I hope you have a nice Christmas at your house. I loved the presents you gave me last year. I hope you get some presents too. My sister and I have been really good this year. I hope you have a careful trip on Christmas Eve. So I'd like to say, Merry Christmas Santa Claus, tell Mrs. Santa Claus Merry Christmas, too.

Your friend,
Rebecca Morris

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you and Mrs. Claus? My name is Rachelle Renfro. I am 9 years old. We have made some great stuff for Christmas. We made a Christmas wreath at school. At 4-H we made a Rudolph out of clothes pins. We are learning finger spelling in reading. We are having a great Christmas program at school and I am a narrator. I've always wondered this. What is Mrs. Claus's first name. Thank you for the great stuff you gave me last year. This year I would like a game boy with the Home Alone game. In my stocking I know I would like a video of the "The Dance" and it also has "The Thunder Rolls." I guess that is all.

Yours truly,
Rachelle Renfro

Dear Santa Claus,

I forgot to say that I want some in-line

rollerskates and a bike for Christmas. When you come there will be a slice of pie for you.

Love,
Sherri

Dear Santa,

Hi! How are you and Mrs. Claus? I am fine. I liked the presents you gave me last year. This year I would like a T.V. and a phone. I would like a T.v. land a phone and I would like some clothes and a tape of "Rope in the Wind".

Your friend,
Casey Lawrence

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I am fine. I would like to have a tetris game boy for Christmas this year. My name is David. I live in Matador, TX. Thank you for the presents you got me last year.

Your friend,
David Whitaker

Dear Santa,

How are you? I'm fine. Thank you for the toys last year. My name is Tommy. This year I want a stereo with record player and CD player. How is Mrs. Claus? How are your elves? Have a Merry Christmas.

Your friend,
Tommy

Dear Santa,

How are you? How is everything going at the North Pole? Thank you for the presents last year! Please this year give me a Game Boy or a Nintendo.

Your friend,
Ashley Stevens

Dear Santa,

I like the presents you gave to me. Thank you for them. I like them. Will you please give me a bike, football and a fast track.

Love,
Cassie

Dear Santa,

How's the North Pole over there? I know that it is cold out there. Hows Mrs. Claus and the elves? I wish I was Santa too. Hi my name is Sammy Guerrero. Sometimes they call me Sam. My mom name is Maria. She's very nice to me and my sister too. Santa could you bring me a bike? Santa have a happy Christmas.

Your friend,
Sammy

Dear Santa,

Santa how are you? How are things in the North Pole? I want a train and bar set. How are the reindear, elves and Mrs. Claus? That is all.

Yours truly,
Jason Elswick

Dear Santa Claus,

I hope you're not too tired from last year. I wrote to you to cheer things up. So for Christmas this year I don't want very much. This year all I want for Christmas are a Stereo and a red raider hat.

Sincerely,
Chase

Dear Santa,

Hello! How are you doing? I'm doing fine. These are the things I want for Christmas. I would like a Baby Bubbles and a Baby Alive. Thank you for the presents you sent me last year. I enjoyed them a lot.

Your friend,
Leigha Burns

Dear Santa,

Hi! How are you and Mrs. Claus? My name is Elizabeth Ho-Gland. Thank you

for the presents you gave me last year. I liked them a lot. This year I just want just two presents this year. I just want some lace-ups and a bike. That is all I want for Christmas. Merry Christmas Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus and elves.

With love,
Elizabeth Ho-Gland

Dear Santa,

I would like a TCR with jam car for Christmas. Please bring my sister, Susan, something nice.

Thank you for coming last year and my gifts.

I have tried to be good this year and so has my sister. We will leave milk and cookies by the fireplace. We will be at our home in Amarillo Christmas Eve.

I love you,
Scott Welling

Dear Santa,

My name is Cory Multer and I am 3 years old. I have been a good boy. Please bring me a drum and a basketball goal. My sister Amy is 1. She is never very good but she would like a baby buggy and a baby doll. We will be at Nanny and Grandad's house at Northfield. It's the big house with a picture of you and Rudolph in the front yard. My cousins, Kraig and Lyndsey will be there too. Don't forget them. Tell Mrs. Claus and the elves hello.

Love,
Cory Multer
Garden City, Texas

Dear Santa,

I am five years old and I think I have been a good girl most of the time this year. I have stayed on green all this school term. I go to kindergarten at Arden Road Elementary in Amarillo, Texas.

I would like you to bring me a Cabbage Patch Crimp and Curl doll, Clothes and Diaper Bag for this doll, a Cabbage Patch Babyland Check-up Center and a Holiday Barbie doll. If you think I am not too little I would like a sewing machine.

I will be at my grandmother's in Plainview and Matador, so whichever place is more convenient for you.

Cookies and milk will be in the ditchen.

I love you,
Kourtney Dunnam
Amarillo

P.S. Oh yes, say hello to Mrs. Santa!!!

Dear Santa,

This is what I want for Christmas. I want a football, turtles, trucks, trains, a trampline and a bike.

From,
Frankie Martinez Jr.

Dear Santa,

I want a pellet gun with a scope, and a stereo. I need a gameboy and Ropin The Wind Tape. Send a bow and arrow.

Love,
Tye Christopher

Dear Santa,

How is Mrs. Claus and your little elves and reindeer? I want a littel Mermaid sleeping bag and a bike and some in-line roller skats and Crimp and Curl for Christmas.

Love,
Sherri Thomas

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer? I would like a picture of Rudolph and his family for Christmas. I want Cologne. How are your Elves? I thing your Elves are working so hard. Santa, I want a picture of the Elves. When is your Birthday Santa? Goodbye.

Your friend,
Ysef Alvarado

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer? I want Santa's Christmas suit and a machine gun and all the wrestling buys and a sword and a lunch box and a ninja turtle suit and a ninja suit and ninja things and a pellet gun and a B.B. gun.

Love,
Chris Hill

Dear Santa,

How are you Santa? Do you like me. I want a toy TV and a Nintendo tape, Ninja turtles Part II.

From,
Britt Pierce

Dear Santa,

How old are your reindeer? I want a cheerleading suit for Christmas. I want a bike and a bar doll tow. I want a new pair of shoes and clothes. And go go an walk puppies. I want poms poms. I want a teddy bear.

Your friend,
From,
Lisa Taylor

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus? I am trying to be good this year. I want a cheerleadin suit and a Barbie Doll.

From,
Leslie Taylor

Dear Santa,

How are you? I have been trying to be a little angel but Satan been taking over my brain. I want a B.B. gun I want a remote control Ninja Turtles.

Love,
Doyle Atkinson

Dear Santa,

How are your elves and reindeer. I want a truck. This might be a little hard. I want to see my brother. Here is a joke for Rudolph. Is your battery still running?

Your friend,
Joshua Kennon

Dear Santa,

I have tried to be good this year. I hope everbody on Kris Kringle Street is very good. I want for Christmas, "Ernest Scared Stupid". Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

From,
Justin F.J.

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeers? This is what I want for Christmas. I want a doll. How are your elves? I want a pink dress and I want a blue dress too. How is Mrs. Claus? Merry Christmas. Ho! Ho! Ho! Merry Christmas to all.

Love,
Christy Acy

Dear Santa,

How are you and your little elves and reindeer? I want a bike and a race truck, and a trampoline. I want to know if Mrs.

Claus is feeling well. If she is send me a note.

Love,
Brandon Moore

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus? I want a trampoline and a telescope and an air plane (not styrafoam). I want a box of instruments. And I want two computer smart videos.

From,
Skylar Clifton

Dear Santa,

How are you? How is Mrs. Claus? I want dolls and mittens and a Barbie Doll. We are having a Christmas program. And one more thing I want a stereo.

Love,
Kelsi Wallace

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer? How are you and your wife? Santa I want me a B.B. gun and pump-ups and a basketball goal and a football and a skateboard and a bike.

From,
Adam Sanchez

Dear Santa,

How are your elves in the North Pole? I want a play gun. How are you, Santa? I have been good.

Love,
William Ho-Gland

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeers? I have been good. Is it cold? Have you seen Rudolph the reindeer? If you have just send a letter.

Your friend,
Billy LaVrar

Dear Santa,

I want Santa's suit for Christmas and a pair of 4 boots for me and my brother. How are your reindeers?

From,
Craig Hill

Dear Santa,

How is your wife? I want a pair of hightops and an elf toy. Merry Christmas.

To Santa,

Love,
Kristopher Bethard

Dear Santa,

I want a truck. How is your wife? Merry Christmas! I am good. I want a bike and I want a computer. I want a choo choo train and ninja turtle and a nintendo.

Your friend,
Mark Meredith

Dear Santa,

How are the elves? I want my expander off for Christmas. I want a cheerleading suit too. I want my old friends back. I want a singing mermain. I want a big hug and I want a go go my walking pup.

From,
Christa Brooks

Dear Santa,

How are the reindeers and the elves? How are you doing? I want a Cabbage Patch Crimp and Curl and a Boom Box. I want a large Stero and Go-Go my Walking pup, talking little mermaid. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Love,
Rachael Smith

Dear Santa,











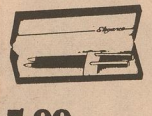
I hope you are well. I have tried to be good. This is what I want for Christmas. A talking little mermaid doll and Go-Go my walking pup. On a foggy Christmas night does Rudolph guide your sleigh? I think your reindeer fly fast. I hope you like the cookies my mother bakes for you. What color is your sleigh? I hope you can give a present to each little boy and girl. Merry Christmas.

Love,
Courtney Hays

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News Around Motley County

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

A Hometown Christmas At Do Gooders Club In Flomot

A Hometown Christmas at the Community Center in Flomot, Tuesday afternoon, December 10 was a festive event for members of the Do-Gooders' Club. Glistening ornaments on a table top Christmas tree surrounded by gifts with ribbons and garland galore, a wooden rocking horse and wooden reindeer at the base of the table and Christmas tree elves and stockings throughout the building transformed the Center into a Santa Claus wonderland.

Mrs. Doyle (Mary Jo) Calvert, presided the past two years, greeted each member with a crocheted Christmas star. She expressed her appreciation for the good response and support of the club's projects and special events during her tenure. She held the election of the officers to serve the club in 1992: Mrs. Coy (Connie) Franks, president; Mrs. John (Judy) Poulson, vice president; Mrs. Clay-

ton (Bernice) Bond, secretary and treasurer and Mrs. James (Lucille) Monk, reporter.

Following the business session, a fun time materialized when Secret Pal names were revealed and gifts exchanged.

Hostesses, Mesdames Wayne (Jimmie) Hunter, Roger (Carmin) Lee and Mrs. Poulson presided at a milk glass service on a table laid with a green cutwork and lace cloth. The centerpiece was a poinsettia plant in a milk glass vase encircled by pine cones and greenery. Refreshments of homemade Christmas confections, canapes and nuts were served with strawberry punch.

Those attending besides those mentioned above were Mesdames George (Lessie) Pope, Howard (B.) Rogers, Bill D. (Erma) Washington, Jack (Nada) Starkey, D.M. (Christeen) Gilbert and C.W. (Bessie) Starkey.

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

ROARING SPRINGS CLUB CHANGES NAME

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers met Thursday, December 12, at the Kountry Kitchen Cafe in Roaring Springs. The new name of the club has been changed from the Roaring Springs Parks and Recreation Club. This will immediately identify it as a volunteer Community project and eligible for a grant.

Articles of Incorporation and the By-laws were read and accepted. The club has plans to buy property and build a Community Center.

It was voted to put a cotton trailer in town to collect Aluminum cans. The money will be used to help on the community project. All residents are urged to help with saving cans. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne donated a trailer for this.

Officers elected were: President, Pauline Hand; Vice President, Lou Barrett; Recording Secretary, Darlene Fletcher; Corresponding Secretary, Lee Peacock; Treasurer, Venita Sedgwick; and Parliamentarian, Bill Peacock.

A fish fry will be held December 31 at the Roaring Springs Cafe as a fund raiser for the Volunteers and a membership drive. After the Fish Fry, those who would like to stay and play games are welcomed to stay and see the old year out and the New Year in.

Adult plates are \$5.00 and Children's \$2.50.

This is a community project and we encourage each and every person to join in the fulfilling the dream of a Community Center for Roaring Springs.

GUILD HAS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Guild held its annual Christmas Party in the home of Miss Lula Swim Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Agnes Aaron said the opening prayer. The program, presented by the Guild members, was based on the second chapter of Luke. Mrs. Billy Clifton was the leader and the other members were

responsive readers. Rev. Mary Helen Cross gave the closing prayer.

There was gift exchange and refreshments with the following present: Mrs. Agnes Aaron, Mrs. Eugenia Bethard, Mrs. Opal Bradford, Mrs. Billie Clifton, Rev. Mary Helen Cross, Mrs. Nell Clem, Mrs. Callie Giesecke, Mrs. Beth Hinson, Mary Lumsden, Pearl Patten, Lee Peacock, Josie Martin, Odessa Mullins, Mrs. Chelsea Read, Mrs. Imogene Swim, Miss Lula Swim, and Mrs. Grace Zabielski.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lefevre, accompanied by their nieces, Lacey and Kasey Parks, attended the Sunday, November 24th, presentation of "Shining Princess of the Slender Bamboo" at Clarendon College in which their son, Billy, was cast as the Emperor. There were three presentations of the play, Saturday, November 23, Sunday, November 24 and Monday, November 25.

Mrs. Wyleta Burkes of Afton visited her grandmother, Mrs. Vera Mitchell Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lula Swim and Mrs. J.T. Swim were Plainview visitors Tuesday and Saturday of last week, keeping a medical appointment for Lula, and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hinson left Monday to pay a few days' visit to her brother, Dr. David Einkauf and wife, in New Braunfels. Dr. Einkauf is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Peacock were in Waco recently for the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter of the Masonic Lodge. They visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kelly at West while there. They spent Saturday night on their return home and attended a square dance there.

Miss Freda Keahy wrote friends that she has an appointment with doctors concerning her knee problem, December 23.

Miss Lula Swim, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim were Lubbock visitors Monday of last week, keeping medical appointments and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swim and Ruston. Mr. and Mrs. Swim were in Lubbock, Friday.

Matador News

Miriam Garner traveled with Les Jameson of Goree to visit his sister, Ruth Jameson of Kerrville. The three of them traveled to San Antonio for medical treatments for Les. On the return trip home they stopped in Abilene to visit his sister Velma Smith and Miriam's sister-in-law, Dorothy Bird.

Mrs. Mike Smith is a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Mrs. Laverne Norris entered the Nursing Home in Floydada, Saturday. Jessie Smallwood of Plainview, former Matador County resident, had brain surgery this past week at the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Bob Jameson is still under cardiac monitor and medical treatment at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. His room is 366.

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Marcia Middlebrooks Jimmie Watson
Dean Stotts

OVERHEARD

Give us the spirit of the Christmas season and fill our hearts with love and good, the true and beautiful, then earth will be like heaven. MERRY CHRISTMAS!

PARTY AT GWINN HOME

Mrs. James (Darla) Gwinn was hostess of a Premier Jewelry Designs party in her home, Monday night, December 9. The beautiful Christmas decorations and holiday refreshments added to the night of entertainment. Mrs. Cherri Karr of Whitney was the special guest.

Those attending were Mesdames Wanda Stockton, Wendy Shannon, Deidra Clifton, DeAnna Russell, Judy Crowley and Debbie Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Risner of Wheeler visited overnight Friday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon.

Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett and her mother, Mrs. Vesta Cooper of Matador visited from Friday until Monday of last week in Tyler with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy

Shacklett. They attended to business and enjoyed entertainment in Plainview, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Post visited from Friday until Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Juanita Cooper. They visited in Floydada, Saturday with their mother, Mrs. Doll Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and son, Fannin and his mother, Mrs. W.T. Gwinn of Matador visited in Lubbock, Thursday with Aly Gwinn and Mrs. Michelle Bearden. Mrs. W.T. Gwinn and Fannin remained to visit and Ms. Gwinn accompanied them home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens attended the Livestock Sale in Haskell, Saturday.

IN HOSPITAL

Morris Stephens accompanied his mother, Mrs. Joe Stephens of Matador to Lubbock, Sunday where she entered the St. Mary's Hospital. She is in room 223 B. Mr. Stephens has been with her during her hospitalization. Arriving Tuesday, Dec. 17, to be with her, are daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Brandon of Kingston, Oklahoma.

Obituaries

Pauline Groves

Wellington -- Pauline Groves, 79, died Monday, Dec. 9, 1991.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, December 11, 1991, in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Russell Pogue of Valley Mills and the Rev. Johnny Tims, pastor, officiating. Burial was in North Fairview Cemetery by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Groves, born in Motley County, graduated from Matador High School. She married Claude Groves in 1933 at Clovis, N.M. He died in February 1991. They moved to Wellington in 1943 from

Childress. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and had played the violin at services for over 30 years. She was active in the Women's Missionary Union.

Survivors include a daughter, Joline Wilson of Wellington; two sons, Barton Groves of Dallas and David Groves of Stone Mountain, Ga.; a brother, Alfred Barton Jr., of Matador; and seven grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Parkinson Research at St. Mary of the Plains in Lubbock or the First Baptist Church.

John Nance

Services for John W. Nance, 65, of Hobbs, New Mexico was at 2 p.m. MST, December 12 in Taylor Street Church of Christ with Curt Sparks, minister, officiating.

Burial was in Prairie Haven Cemetery under the direction of Chapel of Hope, Hobbs Funeral Service.

Nance died Monday December 9 in Lubbock's St. Mary of the Plains Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in Roaring Springs and had lived in Earth, Dumas, and Jal, N.M., before moving to Hobbs in October 1990. He married Jo Fulton on Jan. 29, 1953, in

Childress. He had worked for El Paso Natural Gas. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Larry of Garland and Kevin of Beaumont; a daughter, Kim Morse of Kingman, Ariz.; a brother, Billy Joe of Enid, Okla.; two sisters, Marie Sandlin of El Cajon, Calif. and Ruth Barton of Arlington; and five grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Don Trice, Jerald Jones, DeWayne Jennings, Harold Holmans, Ted Harshbarger and Eddie Haydon.

Senior Citizens Report

by Nora Belle Dunning

The Matador Senior Citizens met for their regular luncheon on December 10 with 32 people registering. It was our Annual Christmas Party and small gifts were exchanged. The Happy Birthday song was sang to Cora and Nora Belle.

A "Great Treat", our 4th, 5th, and 6th grade school students came and sang Christmas Carols to us. "Kids, it was great," we enjoyed it so much. Sharon, your music was great, also. Thanks to our Superintendent Blanch and Principal Van Hoose and you other good teachers for your help with the help you did for our school kids.

After the children left, Don and Mary Martin sang a bunch of good Gospel and other songs for us. So good to have you home again with us.

Monita called the business meeting together. Ruby Thompson read the minutes of last meeting. Due to our next meeting falling on Christmas Eve, we will not meet. The next one being on the second Tuesday of January, 1992. See you on Friday for 88.

All you that have been down ill, we miss you - Addie, Dan, Dee, Ruth and any of the rest I've forgot.
Have a Happy Christmas!

How About A Song?



There are times when it appears that our worship has degenerated into vain formality. I speak of the times when our song directors plead with us as worshippers to sing praises to our magnificent God. God's people should want to sing because of the desire to express our gratitude to our Heavenly Father. Songs are in hearts overflowing with a sense of joy and of thanksgiving. You might as well try to close the opening of the Roaring Springs or stem the eruption of Mount St. Helen, as to stop the songs that spring from the heart that is in

love with God! The first signing referred to in the Bible was "When the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy." (Job 38:7). There was no coercion, nor any pleading, but a spontaneous outpouring of praise. Singing has its habitat in places of joy and gladness.

Perhaps we can find again that joy and gladness in being able to come together to worship our God as those redeemed by the blood of Jesus. When we consider Calvary, can we say with the apostle Paul: "I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also." (1 Cor. 14:15)

".....I will sing unto the Lord because He hath triumphed gloriously.....The Lord is my strength and my song, and He is my salvation; my father's God, and I will exalt Him."
Exodus 15:1

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Buffalo Grass Chapter Meets In Floydada

Buffalo Grass Chapter NSDAR met November 26 at Lighthouse Electric in Floydada. Gene Reed and Loretta Denning were hostesses to three guests and thirteen members. Mrs. Vera Jo Bybee opened the meeting and introduced the speaker, Mrs. Judy Batello of Plainview, who works with the Department of Human Services. Her topic was "A Literacy Challenge". She stated that one in five adults in this area are unable to read, and told how they can be helped by individuals helping them learn to read by working privately with one person at a time, teaching them reading on a one-on-one basis.

The hostesses served refreshments to 3 guests, Ms. Batello, Roxanne Cummings and Louise Burton and to thirteen members, Eugenia Bethard, Vera Jo Bybee, Janis Julian, Ona Ruth Neff, June Sherman, Mary Lou Bollman, Sherry

Colston, Nancy Marble, Ozena Norris, Virginia Taylor, Grace Zabielski, Martha Mangold and Carolyn Cunningham.

During the business session, officers reports were given and Ozena Norris read the President General's message, Connie Johnson was elected to membership in our chapter and June Sherman reported that three members' papers had been approved and now are in full membership in NSDAR. They are Martha Mangold, Elfie Sherman and Marcia Phillips. The next meeting will be December 17 at Lighthouse Electric.

The October meeting was held October 22 at Lighthouse Electric and Mrs. Eugenia Bethard gave the Historical Program, "Discover Columbus in America". There was good attendance at this meeting, and Mrs. Bethard presented a very interesting program.



According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the weighted average farm price of cotton has fallen to 65.27 cents per pound from its 66.04 cent level in September. The culprits are low market prices and lower than expected marketings for the month of October.

October marketings totaled only 1.926 million bales, a full 657,000 bales below the 2.583 million bales marketed during this time last year.

Early PCG projections put the final deficiency payment rate at somewhere between 8 and 10 cents. Based on new information a closer estimate of the final payment rate can be made. The unusual circumstances surrounding this year's crop have made the job of predicting how things will turn out a risky undertaking.

PCG now estimates that a final payment rate in the neighborhood of 8.5 to 9.5 cents is likely for this year's crop. This would mean that the final weighted average price would have to end up somewhere between 63.4 and 64.4 cents per pound.

There seems to be an increasing number of producers who are opting to accept the Loan Deficiency Payment (LDP) in lieu of putting that cotton in the government loan program. The Adjusted World Price (AWP) remains at the 44.07 cent level for the new week ending December 19. More producers are expected to continue taking the LDP and putting their cotton on the market.

"As producers continue taking advantage of the LDP payments, marketings should pick up during the months of

November and December as this cotton is placed on the market," explains Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "This increase in marketings, combined with the current low prices most producers are receiving for that cotton, will probably bring the weighted average price of cotton down to the level where an 8.5 to 9.5 cent deficiency payment is likely."

PCG also notes that the extreme circumstances surrounding this year's crop have made the majority of producers on the High Plains devoted students of the ins and outs of how the deficiency payment is calculated.

Calculation of the deficiency payment rate is based on a formula that calculates the weighted average farm price of cotton and subtracts that figure from the current 72.9 cent target price.

Several factors will have an impact on the final payment rate. One of them is the way the market reacts to the latest USDA estimate of cotton production for 1991. Partially recognizing the impact of the recent devastating weather conditions on the High Plains, USDA lowered its estimate for Texas by 500,000 bales. A significant portion of that decrease, 350,000 bales, is attributed to the High Plains. Crop watchers across the High Plains agree that the new 2.7 million bale estimate for the High Plains is still almost 500,000 bales too high.

Revised marketings and the cents per pound farm prices for January through July are preliminary numbers for August through October are included in the table below.

	Marketings (1000 Bales)		Price (¢ per lb.)	
	Monthly	Cumulative	Monthly	Weighted Ave.
January	2823	2823	64.2	64.20
February	782	3605	67.9	65.00
March	424	4029	68.5	65.37
April	395	4424	70.8	65.86
May	285	4709	68.9	66.04
June	290	4999	67.2	66.11
July	174	5173	65.7	66.09
August	700	5873	66.9	66.19
September	1074	6947	65.2	66.04
October	1926	8873	62.5	65.27

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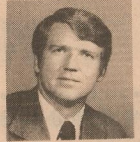
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Just when I finally give up on finding the magic colored worm, the worm makers tell me that smell and taste are more important than color.

The BERKLEY COMPANY has developed its 'Power Baits' series that include trout nuggets, crappie bait, worms, crawworms, grubs, and shad-style lures. All these baits come in re-sealable packs and fish really seem to like their taste. In most tournaments, the winner will usually catch one extra fish each day. Several of my friends on the pro circuit use Power Baits, even though they are not sponsored by Berkley. Their favorite colors are black, pumpkin, and grape with blue flake.

During my early fishing lessons, it was my dad who would spit on his bait and always catch the first fish. Using more magic than my father ever dreamed, the Fish Formula folks now a special brew called SparkiScales Plus. This newest formula has chemical sound that adds the final attractant to a list that includes smell, taste, and glitter. The next step will be a formula that grabs the fish, hooks him, and sends up a flag that says, "beam ups up, Scott."

The Fred Arbogast Company, maker of classic lures like the Jitterbug, Hula Popper and Mud-Bug, is introducing their DRI-RIND. This soft leather trailer is perfect for jigs and spinnerbaits because it does not self destruct when left in the sun. When dried, other pork chunks shrivel up into worthless wads, but Dri-Rind remains fresh, soft, and ready to use.

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PANHANDLE PETE reports -- Several Professional Walleye Anglers have expressed an interest in revealing some of the secrets of catching fish at LAKE MEREDITH. They have asked SOUTHWEST OUTDOORS to find some local anglers who want to learn more about walleye fishing. If you are interested, call 353-3654. Unlike some local bureaucrats, these guys are not afraid of using a fishing pole when dealing with walleye at Lake Meredith.

WTU Files Request To Offer New Services

The West Texas economy could get a boost if the Public Utilities Commission of Texas approves recommendations made recently by West Texas Utilities Company. "WTU has filed a request to offer new services designed to attract and encourage business expansion in this area," according to Jesse Turner, WTU's area manager for Matador and Roaring Springs. The three new experimental tariffs will allow WTU to provide economic development service, curtailable service or interruptible service. These services will be available to customers that voluntarily request and qualify for one of the service options.

New or existing industries served by WTU which add ten new employees and substantially expand their facilities could gain up to a 40% reduction in the demand charge portion of their electric bill for the first year. The reduction would gradually be phased-out over a four-year period.

New or existing customers of WTU that might qualify for the Economic Development tariff are businesses like manufacturing, warehousing, petroleum, agri-businesses and many others. "This is

a great way to attract new business and encourage existing businesses to expand," Turner added.

Their proposed curtailable and interruptible rates can significantly reduce certain existing industrial customer's bills. Under the new curtailable tariff a customer must be willing to shut down part of their electrical usage at any given time at the request of WTU.

A customer requesting service under the interruptible rate would agree to allow WTU to occasionally disconnect the designated load. The circumstances that could prompt the company to take this action, which might include unusually high usage of electricity or a power-system emergency, would normally occur only a few times each year. In return for his willingness to allow these occasional interruptions, the customer gets a year-round discount on his cost of electricity.

A good example of how the curtailable or interruptible rate could be helpful is in the case of a marginal oil field operation. Buy agreeing to have their electric service occasionally interrupted for a brief period WTU would discount their electric cost. By reducing the cost of pumping, the oil field operation could continue to operate at a profit when otherwise it might have to shut down.

The new tariff proposals, which the company has asked the PUC to approve by March 1, 1992, would be a benefit to all WTU customers because they would encourage new and existing businesses. In addition, the curtailable and interruptible rates can help delay the need to build new power plants in the future. WTU serves a 52,000 square mile area of Texas that stretches from the Red River to the Rio Grande.



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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 12th day of December, 1991.
Respectfully submitted,
By: Sharon Sutton Pigg
SBN 16005220
P.O. Box 651
Silvertown, Texas 79257
PHONE: 806/823-2520

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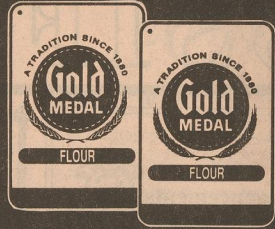
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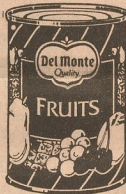
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