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Of War And Peace: A Garden of Eden And a Zone of Death

In Iraq, Near Killing Fields, Stands Tree of Knowledge; Does It Grow - Or Wither?

By Karen Elliott House

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Editors Note: This Article was taken from THE WALL STREET JOURNAL. Karen is a former resident of Matador and started out at the Matador Tribune, working for Doug Meador. She is the daughter of Mrs. Ted (Bailey) Elliott of Matador.

THE GARDEN OF EDEN, Iraq - On a mud-caked triangle at the precise point where the Tigris and the Euphrates rivers meet, only a few miles from the Iraq-Iran border and only a few miles farther from the killing fields where two armies are locked in mass slaughter of biblical proportions, sits a gnarled and indisputably ancient tree.

Iraqis say it was from this tree - the tree of knowledge of good and evil - that Eve plucked the apple that brought sin and suffering to mankind. There is still plenty of it around, as the boom of not-so-distant artillery barrages bespeaks.

"Here's where our father Adam fell out of the sky," says an old Iraqi soldier pointing at the tree here in what Iraqis believe to be the Garden of Eden. He and a half-dozen other khaki-clad heirs of Adam are now the only people around.

IN OTHER DAYS

Once upon a time, before the Ayatollah Khomeini's revolutionary hordes appeared on the scene, this was a peaceful picnic spot. Nearby stands a dusty, dilapidated 40-room tourist hotel that now serves as a barracks for Iraqi soldiers. The hotel's windows are broken from the shock waves of Iranian artillery shells.

On a low stone wall behind Adam's tree is the plaque, in English, that tourists used to come to read: "The Holy Adam Tree: On this holy spot where the Tigris meets the Euphrates the holy tree of our father Adam grew symbolic of the Garden of Eden on Earth. Abraham prayed hers (sic) 2000 years B.C." A few feet from the tree is a sign of these sadder times - a sand-bagged bunker.

It must be conceded that this is not the world's only Garden of Eden. A few miles outside Damascus, Syria, some 600 miles west of here, next to an orange-juice bottling plant and a Palestinian refugee encampment, there is a small garden with some pink painted trees that the Syrians - no friends of Iraq - insist is the true Garden of Eden.

Iraq's Eden, however, boasts one old tree instead of many new ones. And it also can claim some scriptural support. Genesis talks of a "river that went out of Eden" and "from thence was parted" into four rivers and "the fourth river is Euphrates." To a reporter who has seen both Edens, this one, close though it is to hell, seems a bit more like paradise.

From this Eden, a visitor can look out at the two clear blue rivers meeting to form the Shatt-al-Arab waterway that runs on to the Persian (or, as the Iraqis would say, Arabian) Gulf. A dispute over this waterway, once the route for oil tankers, is what sparked the bloody Iran-Iraq conflict six years ago. Two dozen or so miles

southeast of here are the besieged Iraqi city of Basra and the marshy shores of Fish Lake, where at least 40,000 Iranian soldiers - unknown thousands of Iraqis - are said to have died in combat in the past several weeks. Iraqi war communiques read nightly on television in Baghdad talk of thousands of bodies floating in the Shatt-al-Arab.

The capital city of Baghdad, with its modern buildings and luxury hotels, its nightclubs and noisy traffic, is a very long way from the war. It is a five-hour drive from Baghdad to the border here. An hour outside the capital the highway is closed by military barriers; beyond that a car proceeds only with military supply corridor with long processions of trucks and tanks and armored personnel carriers. For several hundred miles, the road is flanked by a series of military encampments and fortifications protected by long-barreled anti-aircraft guns. Closer to the border, you can see Iraqi MiGs heading to and from bombing runs on Iranian cities.

About 300 miles from Baghdad one comes to Qurna, a dusty village that appears to be inhabited mostly by soldiers. Then, it is down a bumpy dirt road, past a final military checkpoint and into the Garden of Eden. It isn't exactly an idyllic passage, but once in the garden it is dimly possible to imagine Eden. The banks of the Tigris and the Euphrates are lined with green palm trees that wave slowly in the wind. There are still a few yellow flowers scattered about the dusty stone-walled garden.

And then there's the tree. It stands about twice the height of a man and has two main branches. Neither has a leaf on it. To be truthful, it looks dead. On the dry and barkless trunk someone has written in green paint an Arabic inscription. It says: "Do Not Cut." The tree may be closer to firewood than to the firmament, but the Iraqi soldiers standing around it assure a visitor that the tree is alive and well. "You will see, Madame, in only two months there will be so many green leaves. You must return to see it. Perhaps the war will be over then. We will have tea under the shade of Adam's apple tree," says a soldier with a bandaged foot.

Whether the tree is dead or alive, there is at least one small theological discrepancy here. One need not be a botanist to state with certitude that this is not an apple tree - unless, of course, this biblical tree, over the ages, underwent some strange sort of evolution.

In any case, the soldiers here, not far from combat, have paradise somewhat on their minds. "Is this garden the way you imagine paradise?" they are asked.

"On, no, no," they say almost in chorus. "The real paradise, after we die, is much more beautiful," says a chubby-faced young soldier. "It is more green."

Southwestern Public Service Charged With Trespassing

by Barbara Jameson

Last Friday night, (May 1) a Motley County Jury comprised of seven men and six women awarded the Matador Cattle Company \$245,960.76 for damages on the 20 mile 135 ft. easement that Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) had acquired for a 345,000KV power line across Motley County and the Matador Cattle Company Ranch.

There were 12 Special Issues, (SI) the jury had to deliberate on. The first four were to decide the amount of damages to be paid Matador Cattle Company for the 341 acre right of way. The fifth SI was from the evidence shown that SPS had (A) Constructed more roads than those within the easement and (B) Constructed dirt and or brush piles upon the property other than the easement; (C) Caused mechanical

movement of soils and/or destroying natural vegetation other than the easement. SI No. 6 SPS constructed the same in SI No. 5 without expressed or implied consent. SI No. 7 found from the evidence that SPS did damage the area as SI No. 5 stated. SI No. 9 stated that SPS did not trespass with recklessness and disregard for the right of Matador Cattle Company. SI No. 11 SPS did trespass in constructing grounding devices outside the easement and they did create a constant electrical and magnetic field upon the Matador Cattle Company property.

District Judge David Cave will determine what actions should be taken regarding the trespassing of the electromagnetic field at a later date.

Following the jury's verdict the editor interviewed several parties by asking how they felt about the ruling. MCC President Larry Angell stated, "I am very pleased with the jurors performances and with the support in Motley County." Patterson stated, "I am very well satisfied with the outcome, by the fair jury and their sound considerations."

SPS WITNESSES

As the petitioners, the SPS Co. began their string of witnesses on April 28. Don Patterson, lawyer for SPS called his first witness Bob Younger of Amarillo, the SPS Right of Way Supervisor. Younger's job was to select the route most direct from Oklaunion to Tuco (in Lamb Co.)

Younger stated that in an attempt to make arrangements with Matador Cattle Company (MCC) that President Larry Angell

suggested they run the line either one mile south or along part of the railroad right of way, Younger said both of these would be out of the way of the routes joining Motley County with both the Floyd County and Cottle County routes. Younger stated he and Bill Jackson met with Angell and discussed the work to be done on the chosen right of way and Angell asked them to stay on the right of way as much as possible and to do as little dozer work as possible.

In cross examination Cary Schachter, lawyer for MCC asked Younger if he informed people of the electromagnetic field and the possibility of shock, and possible health hazards. He stated, "no". He was also asked why there were two amendments to the original easement petition, he explained that the first was only for the 135 ft. right of way and finally the third was a blanket easement so they could go everywhere they needed to.

Witness number two was Mr. Ted Reader, a farmer-stockman of Crowell. He testified that the SPS had the same Transmission System (T-Sys) across his property and has had no problems with it.

The third witness was Bill Jackson SPS Construction Supervisor, (now retired). Jackson testified he and Angell went over the easement to determine the routes to take to get to the easement in rough areas, and Angell asked him to stay on the right of way as much as possible and do as little dozing as possible.

In cross examination Jackson was asked about the equipment used and how many employees were used for the job, Jackson stated there were 50-60 pieces of equipment; caterpillars, hole diggers, setting cranes, trucks, trailers, ect., and approximately 70 men on the job.

Jackson was asked if they had been pressed for time on this job. He stated, "No, they wanted to finish in 30 days and they finished in 45 days." Schachter asked Jackson if he knew that the contract stated that all brush would be removed and Jackson said he knew that they were to remove all rubbish, etc.

On April 29, Ray Petr, was the fourth witness, he is the SPS T-Sys. Design Engineer and has worked for SPS for 28 years. He testified he and Bill Younger flew by helicopter to select the route for the T-Sys., and how glad they were to see the wide open spaces in Motley County that

they liked to stay away from residential areas as much as possible.

Petr said in designing the T-Sys he chose the slim A-line frame and the 12 sided weathering steel, to blend in with the land. The conductors are made of steel and aluminum and the insulators of porcelain and steel. This T-Sys., is designed to carry up to 500,000 volts.

During cross-examination Schachter asked Petr even though this line was carrying 345,000 volts at any time could SPS change it to the maximum, he answered yes.

The fifth witness was the SPS Substations Supervising Engineer, David Stidham. He was asked to explain the Southwest Power Pool and how it operated. He also explained the electromagnetic field around the different lines. He stated that this 345,000KV line was not transmitting power all the time, that it was only used when another power plant shut down, that it was like a water hose full of water and capped on both ends. Stidham also stated that the 345,000KV line was within the National Electric Safety (NES) Code.

Stidham assisted by Patterson, did a number of demonstrations with home appliances. They first measured the electric volts per meter (VPM), on the hair dryer, electric blanket, mix-master and a portable color television. The television was the highest with 9,000VPM in back and 6,250VPM in front this compared to measurement under the T-Sys. of 4,690VPM. He explained a television had 3 1/2 times greater VPM than Dr. Jerry Phillips used in his lab. Stidham stated these are not harmful.

Stidham explained the measuring of the magnetic field, and then did this with the hair dryer, and television, he gave the comparison with the power under the T-Sys. and that it was also within the NES Code. Stidham also showed the experiment with the fluorescent light bulb and the different appliances that would cause it to light up without the light being plugged in.

The sixth witness called was Herbert A. Higgins, a Plainview District Manager of the SPS Power Plant Design Department. Higgins stated he had done a test 5 miles East of Tuco, using the largest cattle truck, on the outside edge of the T-Sys. His finding on November 20, 1986, was the electromagnetic voltage was at .02 gauss, well within the NES code. He compared his finding with Dr. Vines' taken on September 28, 1986 of .029 gauss.

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Failed Turkey Bank To Reopen Doors As Branch

Bad agricultural loans force institution's failure

Taken from the Amarillo Globe News.

TURKEY - Memphis State Bank reopened the failed Peoples State Bank in Turkey Friday, May 1 as a branch, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. said Thursday.

Despite an impassioned plea over the last several months by the bank's president to save the bank, the Texas banking commissioner declared the \$6.8 million Turkey bank insolvent at 3 p.m. Thursday. A preponderance of bad agricultural loans to local and out-of-town borrowers caused the

bank's demise, said Maurice Houlihan, closing manager for the FDIC.

"It was basically a deterioration of loan quality as well as substantial losses to out-of-town borrowers and agriculture customers," Houlihan said.

"Liberal and ill-advised lending practices" also contributed to problems in the Turkey bank's loan portfolio, Houlihan said. "Collection efforts were lax."

Houlihan said 62 percent of the bank's \$3.36 million in loans were in

agriculture.

Recent efforts by the bank's officers to recapitalize the bank were unsuccessful, he said.

Bank president Jim Cade, who came aboard in January, sensed problems at the institution in March and went public, seeking support to save it.

Houlihan said those efforts proved futile.

Memphis State Bank assumed about \$5.9 million in 1,150 deposit accounts, Houlihan said. Peoples had total assets of \$6.8 million.

Peoples' depositors automatically became customers of the new bank, he said.

Memphis is about 40 miles northeast of Turkey, both in Hall County.

Happy
Mother's
Day

Barbara's Bylines

It certainly feels good to be back in the office after two weeks in the courtroom following a very interesting trial.

According to Howard Traweek this was the longest trial he remembers in Motley County. I know the concerned parties were glad it was over and especially the jury. I understand two of the jurors employees were not paying them while they were called to serve as juror. What has happened to man's integrity and Americanism?

There were a lot of anxious moments, anger and laughter in the courtroom and the smiles and handshakes before and after court was in session. It showed that people can do their job and still be friends.

Jason and I did the fluorescent light bulb experiment, it feels very unusual to hold a 3' tube and walk along the road to have it glow in your hand.

The Tribune will be running more about the electromagnetic fields and high voltage studies in future issues.

I apologize to Matador Cattle Co., the Wolf Creek division is on the West side of the Ranch.

Roaring Springs Fire Department Responds to Fire

On April 30, at approximately 4:15 p.m., a fire was reported at the intersection of Hwy. 70 and FM Road 648.

The Roaring Springs Volunteer Fire Department responded promptly and after 40 minutes of action this fire was extinguished.

It was a grass and brush fire and no property loss or injuries were reported.

Since no apparent cause was found, it is speculated that someone started this fire by throwing a burning cigarette out of a passing vehicle.

Houlihan said the Memphis bank paid a \$5,001 premium for access to the bank's assets, which included the bank's deposits and about \$1.4 million in loans.

FDIC will retain all classified loans, valued at about \$1.9 million, he said.

The Turkey bank was one of two banks in Texas to be closed by regulators Thursday.

State Banking Commissioner Kenneth W. Littlefield also shut down Unitedbank-Houston, a \$218 million institution, which becomes the largest bank in the nation to fail this year.

Texas has had 23 banks fail already this year, compared to a single-state record 26 all of last year. Nationwide, 71 banks have failed, the FDIC said Thursday.

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"Son Beams"



By June Keltz

Father God, today as the time approaches to pay tribute to our Mothers, I remember my own. Thank you Father for giving me a virtuous Mother to love and care for me. Many of her ways I did not understand, but they are becoming clearer everyday.

You gave her a heart that loved good and despised evil - a heart that appreciated the beauty of the earth and tried to preserve it - a heart that loved little children and ministered to their needs - a heart that desired to feed all people who passed through her door.

I remember Father, how she taught me, by example, to talk to you. Playing on the floor beside her bunioned feet as she stood over an overflowing dish pan of dirty dishes, she talked to you as though you were right there with us. Occasionally tears would fall in the water as she prayed for C.M. and me, as well as for the "lost" friends and relatives.

You gave her a love for the church that never left her. Her entire week was one of preparation for Sunday

Thank you Father for giving her creative hands that cut into a flour sack and, with second-hand lace and buttons, created little dresses for me that would cause fashion designers to envy her - For the ability to make pretty "get well" cards for the sick produced from grocery sacks, magazine cutouts and more of the second-hand lace.

Sometimes Father, I wished I could have shared a funny kid story

with her that didn't result in her "preaching" to me. I suppose that is one way I got some of your word down in my heart before I really came to know you personally.

Compassion for the sick and needy neighbors must have flowed from your love in her, Father, because she sometimes took the only good food in the house to them, leaving us only cornbread and milk.

Lord, I still can't find where the Bible says "cleanliness is next to godliness" but she quoted it to me everytime the front and back yard needed to be swept.

I always felt somehow, that I was "next to you" when I finished the job.

Thank you Father for giving her strength and patience to give her Grandchildren the same Christian upbringing that she gave my brother and me. It is because of her example, as well as her prayers, that they trust, revere and live for you today.

Precious Lord, give us in these perilous times, young mothers who will love their little children enough to teach them about you - who will lay aside their own selfish desires and spend quality time with their families - who will teach them that work is honorable and that parental and elder respect is essential.

Bless all of our Mothers and forgive us where we have failed as Mothers and Grandmothers - in Jesus' name. Amen.



Home Economically Speaking By Carolyn Halsell

CANNING FRUIT WITHOUT SUGAR

If you want to can fresh fruit and cut back on your sugar intake, try canning your own "lite" fruit.

Recipes for canning fruit normally call for adding sugar or a sugar syrup. The sugar helps maintain the texture, shape and color of the fruit as well as improve the flavor.

Since sugar doesn't regard spoilage, it can be omitted without compromising the safety of canned fruit. But the texture and flavor will not be as good in fruits canned with water or unsweetened juice.

When canning without added

sugar, use only firm ripe or slightly underripe fruit. Overripe fruit has less acid and becomes too soft.

Prevent darkening of light colored fruit by adding ascorbic acid tablets or commercial anti-darkening preparations to the water or juice used to cover the fruit in the jar.

You can make fruit juice for canning by simmering crushed ripe fruit over low heat and straining it through a jelly bag or other cloth.

Processing times for the sugar-free fruit will be the same as for fruit packed in syrup.

Don't use artificial sweeteners in canned fruit. The heat of processing will cause some to become bitter and other to lose their sweetening power. You can add artificial sweeteners when the fruit is served.

I have free canning and freezing information available. Just call Carolyn Halsell at 817/552-9941 or write to me at Box 2159, Vernon, TX 76384-2159.

Don Baxter Jr. Named New Weather Recorder For National Weather Service of Lubbock

Don Baxter Jr. of Matador will be the new weather recorder for the National Weather Service of Lubbock.

The following is April's weather report.

The weather during April on the Texas South Plains in 1987 turned out to be both drier and cooler than normal.

Temperatures averaged 2.5 degrees below normal and ranged from 0.6 degree below normal at Matador to 4.4 degrees below normal at Friona.

Maximum temperatures averaged 1.2 degrees below normal and ranged from 0.5 degree above normal at Crosbyton to 3.7 degrees below normal at Lamesa. The highest temperature report of the month was 98 at Paducah and

Seminole on the 19th.

Minimum temperatures averaged 3.7 degrees below normal and ranged from 1.4 degrees below normal at Spur and Tulia to 7.2 degrees below normal at Friona. The lowest report of the month was 20 at Friona on the 1st and Dimmitt on the 3rd.

Precipitation averaged 0.99 inch below normal and ranged from 0.28 inch below normal at Levelland to 1.62 inches below normal at Paducah. There was even some light snow reported during the first week of the month.

For Matador the average high was 76.9, average low 46.2 with total precipitation was .10. The soil temperature as of May 4, is 72 degrees at 4" and 64 degrees at 8".

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

Jo Ann's Jots & Jingles

By Jo Ann Dickson

Sunday, May 10, is Mother's Day. This day was not a conspiracy of florists and merchants to stimulate business. Rather it had a real beginning with a real meaning.

Anna M. Jarvis of Philadelphia in 1907 persuaded her minister to have a special day for mothers. The second Sunday in May was selected for this occasion. It was suggested that those with living mothers wear red carnations and those whose mothers were dead wear white carnations. This is a custom we still observe today.

So we pay tribute to those who diapered us, dressed us, patched out cuts and calmed our fears.

In return many times we would sass her, spill our spaghetti sauce on our Sunday dress, rinse our hands and "wash" them on the guest towel.

Mom didn't ask much in return. Moms usually don't. The joy of rearing a child the best they know how is their reward.

If your mother is still living remember her in a special way today. If your mother is not living remember her with love. Forget all the hurts you think you experienced at her hands. The only really bad thing she did to hurt you was to die and leave you!

Library Notes

by Sara Hurt

We would like to thank the following people for their donations to the library in memory of John Barnhill; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Baxter, Nell Clem, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellithorp, the James Stanley family, and Vance Campbell family.

In memory of Givens Lawrence given by Alan Bingham family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Baxter, Nell Clem, Herman and Ruby Ellithorp, the James Stanely family and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jameson.

In memory of Josephine Barton given by the James Gillespie family, Nell Clem, Eleanor and Howard Traweek and Vance Campbell family.

In memory of Bill Pipkin given by Mr. and Mrs. Don Baxter, and the El Progresso Study Club. In memory of Raymond Taylor given by Herman and Ruby Ellithorp.

We would like to welcome three new Friends of the Library; Ruby and Herman Ellithorp, and the El Progresso Club.

A great big thanks to our magazine donors; Glen Woodruff, Jess Couch and Keith Patton.

Another big thanks to our faithful volunteers, I don't know what we would do without all of you: Betty Moore, Dorothy Lefevre, Bill and June Moss, Ava Crump, Francis Finch, Larry Crouch, Evelyn Garrison, Earlyne Jameson, Joel Dean and Debra Spray and our Volunteer coordinator, Darla Gwinn.

New books in the library are: **The Settling Of A Frontier, A History of Rural Taylor County** by Juanita Daniel Zachry.

Booby Trap by William Stevenson.

Trojan Gold: A Vicky Bliss Mystery by Elizabeth Peters.

This is my last library notes, as I will no longer be the Librarian. Jimmie Hunter (Mrs. Wayne Hunter), from Flomot will be your new librarian. Mrs. Hunter is a former school teacher. She has lots of experience working with young people. We know she will add a lot to our library.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Library will be closed on Saturday, May 9, so Mom's and children can enjoy each other.

"We soon forget what we have not deeply thought about." Marcel Proust

TRIAL

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In cross examination Schachter asked if in fact wasn't SPS selling electricity on the day Dr. Vines measured, Higgins stated, "Yes."

Witness number seven was Larry W. Farley, a working foreman over a SPS linecrew, he testified he worked around 4,000KV up to 230,000 everyday. He explained the equipment he worked with and the safety as long as they were well grounded.

Bill Moore was the eighth witness, he is in Real Estate, Appraisal, and Insurance from Amarillo. He stated he did all types of real estate work. He explained the three types of approaches they used in determining the value of land, etc., 1st. Cost (improvements considered), 2nd. Market Data (comparing other land sales), 3rd. Income (Income generated on the property). He valued the easement land on the MCC Ranch at \$300 an acre before and \$290 afterward and in his opinion there was only \$1,000 damages otherwise.

The ninth witness was George E. Jordan, a professional Farm & Ranch Real Estate Appraiser. He stated he valued the 341 acre easement strip at \$200 an acre before and \$20.00 after the T-Sys.

line was built.

Harry H. Hamilton was called as the third appraiser and the tenth witness. He stated he is a Real Estate Broker of Lubbock and South Plains Area and a Motley County Land Owner and in his opinion the easement land was valued at \$150-\$170 an acre before and the same after.

The MCC lawyer called James Palmer, manager of the Russellville division to the stand. Palmer stated that certain areas were damaged more than others and the weed control would be difficult for the next few years and a lot of work would have to be done to repair places where the erosion has already begun.

In cross examination he was asked if the construction supervisors had asked about permission to make roads off the easement, Palmer stated no.

Larry Angell was called back to the stand and asked if at anytime did he think he had asked for more than necessary in this settlement. Angell said no.

The final arguments were presented to the jury by Schachter, Patterson and Hamilton.

"TEXAS" To Be Presented In Palo Duro Canyon

Four phone lines connecting over 500 callers a day with the "TEXAS" Box Office keep eight hospitality staff members very busy from morning to night during the season and contribute to a phenomenon known as "Box Office Madness." Box office madness begins early in the year as reservations for the

popular musical drama intensify, building in April and May just before the 1987 season opens on June 10 and continuing until its final performance on August 22.

It is a monumental task, as some reservations are made years in advance.

"TEXAS," set beneath the cliffs in beautiful Palo Duro Canyon, has played to over 1.8 million visitors since its beginning in 1966.

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"Texas" will play under the stars in 1987 nightly except Sunday from June 10 through August 22 at 8:30 p.m. in Palo Duro Canyon State Park near Amarillo.

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For reservations write to "Texas" at Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015 or call 806-655-2181.

May God give you peace and joy today.

Golden Anniversary

The children of Jim and Bertha (Pud) McClesky are sponsoring a reception at the Senior Citizens Building in Roaring Springs, Sunday May 10, 1987 from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m.

All family and friends are invited to celebrate this happy occasion with us.

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Remember When

By Annie B. Cloyd
Box 22
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Hi, I'm back with some more thoughts of old times and some of the things that happened back then.

Remember the old two story school building? Well, one time they were having a movie upstairs in the auditorium - a great number of folks were there because it was quite a nice thing...to have a place to go and visit with all the neighbors as well as see a good movie. The place was filled with folks and everyone was interested in the show because - it was a sort of exciting and, in places, a scary movie. It was dark except for the screen and with everyone so interested in the show, no one had a thought of anything else happening...but something did. All of a sudden there was a loud crash and then the folks went into a panic. Some went out the window to the fire-escape and with everyone trying to get out at the same time, it is a wonder that somebody wasn't hurt bad.

Some others went out a back door and down some outside stairs. Some ran around yelling. Then there were a few that just sat still until the panic was over. Some thought that a few had jumped out the windows. With everyone so upset, it's a wonder that some hadn't done that very thing and maybe got themselves hurt bad or maybe killed. Now that would have

been bad but everyone got out alright

Now after everything was over they found out just what the big crash was. Seems that one or two folks had been sitting on top of the glass Trophy case that was in the auditorium and I guess the glass had to give way under the weight. I have been wondering how those sitting on the case when it broke got by without getting cut by all the glass breaking. They were lucky, weren't they.

I think that this all happened in 1940 or 41. Does anyone even remember what the name of the movie was? With a scare like that I expect most folks forgot the picture show.

I've been told a lot of stories about the things that have happened in that old school building and some of them were good ones and then a few wouldn't do to tell.

There was one about a little round box of peanuts and the "upset" it caused in class one day right after the lunch hour. You remember those boxes of peanuts? They had a nickel or a dime and sometimes a quarter in them. The kids always bought them looking for the one with the money in them. I heard that someone put some hot peppers in with the peanuts and that was a bad thing to do. I think it caused a lot of trouble when someone got some of the peppers along with the peanuts. My goodness! What a dose!

I always said that kids will do anything that they can get away with and try a lot of things that they know they can't get by with.

That is enough for now but I'll be back and tell you some more of these stories and see if you can remember them.

Senior Citizens Report

by Iris Blevins

The Mini-Bus went to Lubbock Monday with several people riding, some went on business. Others went just to get out of town. Remember if you get your Doctor appointments on Monday, the bus will take you, and when you are finished with your Dr. the bus will pick you up.

Tuesday was our regular luncheon day and we had the best, good food. We had 27 people present and I think most of them brought two covered dishes.

We had our monthly business meeting. Norabell called the house to order, and asked for the reading of the minutes of our last business meeting by our secretary Ruby Thompson. They were read and approved.

Ruby, we deeply appreciate your good work as our secretary.

We sang Happy Birthday to Osie Smallwood and Georgetta Smith.

Everyone was asked to stand for the table grace by Iris Blevins, and everyone enjoyed the good food that was brought in.

We had two tables of 84 and one of dominoes going all afternoon and everyone had a real good time.

Our bus went to Plainview Thursday and everyone enjoyed the day.

Friday evening was our game evening. We had 8 players and we had a lot of fun. Welcome! Motley County Senior Citizens. Come have fun with us.

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*Because of it's nature in general, wine is a mocker and beer a brawler; whoever is led astray by them is not wise. Prov. 20:1
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Society News



Engagement Announced



Scott and Carol

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Kirchem of 2250 Sunset Blvd., Houston are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Carol Kirchem of Austin to Jay Scott Price of Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Price, 3405 55th, Lubbock, formerly of Matador.

The wedding is planned for May 23, 1987 at 8:00 p.m. at the St. John the Devine Episcopal Church in Houston. Carol received her B.A. from Austin College and her Masters from the University of Texas in social work. Scott attended Matador schools through 6th grade and graduated from Monterey High School of Lubbock. He attended San Angelo State and spent 4 years in the Navy, he is assistant manager of an Eckerd Drug in Austin.

Renee Renfro Initiated Into Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society

Senior Accounting Major Renee Renfro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Renfro, of Matador was recently initiated into the Texas Tech University chapter of the national honor society Phi Kappa Phi.

More than 175 students have been initiated into this society.

Juniors, seniors and law and graduate students in the top 10 percent of their classes are eligible for Phi Kappa Phi membership. Phi Kappa Phi recognizes and encourages superior scholarship in all academic disciplines.

"The only lost cause is the one you give up." Ernst von Feuchtersleben



Arrival Announced



Ashley Stevens is proud to announce the arrival of her new baby brother, John Wesley. He was born April 26 at 6:05 a.m. in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He weighed 8 lbs. 14 oz. and was 22 1/4 inches long.

Ashley and John are the children

of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stevens of Matador.

Grandparents are John V. Stevens of Matador and the late Helen Stevens; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hamilton of Paducah. Great Grandmother is Betty Hamilton of Paducah.

Mary Keith Honored On Birthday

Miss Mary Keith, resident since October in the Crosbyton Care Center was honored on her 93rd birthday, Friday, May 1st, with a special birthday party. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keith, and Mrs. Faye Steen, recreational director of the Care Center were hosts for the affair.

Mrs. Steen read an interesting history of the life of Miss Mary Keith is one of the oldest, if not the oldest living Matador resident who was born and reared in Matador. Her parents were the first couple married in the county. Miss Mary has won several plaques at the Roaring Springs Old Settlers Reunion as being the oldest resident present.

Mrs. Lola Pohl presented Miss Mary with a beautiful handmade guest book, which was signed by over fifty guests present. Mrs. Pohl provided special music before and during the party on the Cassio and piano. The group enjoyed singing "Happy Birthday", and many other

special songs played by Mrs. Pohl.

A large beautifully decorated cake with the words, "Happy Birthday Mary" was served by a niece, Mrs. Ruth Latimer of Lubbock. Red fruit punch was served to around sixty guests. Miss Keith received many beautiful cards, and gifts from relatives and friends. A beautiful orchid corsage was a special gift from a nephew in California.

Guest attending from out of town, not mentioned, were: Loyd Latimer and granddaughter, Jennifer Rowlett, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Latimer, and children Lauren, and Daniel of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Patton of Matador were present and assisted with picture taking and serving.

Although Miss Mary is in a wheel chair, her mind is keen, and she takes an active part in the morning devotionals, and is an outstanding winner in the table games the residents enjoy. She would like for her Matador friends to stop by and see her or drop her a card once in awhile, for she misses Matador and her friends.

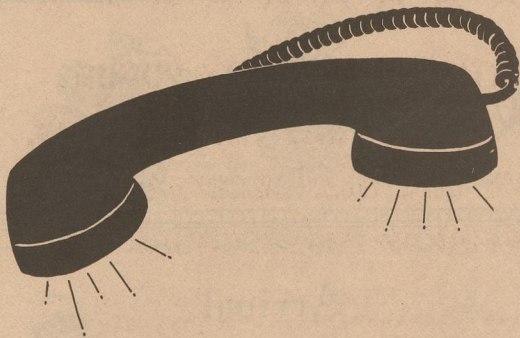
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County Chit-Chat

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Smith went to Woodson Tuesday of last week to attend funeral services for Colton Thacker, brother of the late M.S. and Guy Thacker, local residents and twin brother of the late Freeman Thacker of Matador. He attended school here and lived here during the early years of his manhood, but had lived at Woodson in for many years. He is survived by his wife and a daughter.

He is the last son of the pioneer Thacker family, but is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Carrie Hurst of Tatum, N.M., and Mrs. Wilma Wood of El Paso. Mrs. Wood and her daughter Mrs. Glenda Hossley also of El Paso, attended the Colton Thacker funeral and accompanied the Caldwell Smiths to their home here for an overnight visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Swim of Bella Vista, Arkansas, were overnight visitors of his sister Miss Lula Swim Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. Clara Youngblood accompanied her brother and wife and sister Mr. and Mrs. Elve Harris, and Mrs. Gladys Parker of Azle home last week for an indefinite stay with them. While here the Harris', Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Youngblood visited with the Ward Rattans in Matador, relatives of Mrs. Harris, and in McAdoo with Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Harris, relatives of Mr. Harris, Mrs. Parker and

Mrs. Youngblood. The Raymon Harris' visited the group in Mrs. Youngblood's home Wednesday night.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell and son Waybourn of Ely, Nevada, returned Friday evening from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Gaynell Case in Yellville, Arkansas. Mr. Case, Gaynell's husband remains in a comatose condition with negative prognosis. They visited also with Mitchell relatives in that area. Waybourn left Saturday to join his wife in a visit with her mother and sister.

PARSONAGE GETS NEW COAT OF PAINT

Twelve interested persons met at the First Baptist Church Parsonage here Saturday to give the recently renovated and enlarged parsonage a new look with a coat of white paint. The work was completed before noon and the group enjoyed the sack lunches they had brought topped off with a freezer of ice cream brought by Miss Lula Swim, a neighbor, and a cake baked by Mrs. Howell, the pastor's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Green of Bakersfield, California left Wednesday after spending about 10 days at the home they maintain here.

ROARING SPRINGS V.F.D. HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

by Joe Vasquez

The members of the Roaring Springs Volunteer Fire Department held their business meeting Monday night, May 4 at the Roaring Springs Fire Station.

Vice President Roy Hernandez called the meeting to order.

Minutes of past meeting were read and approved.

Also a full report of the results of the fajita cook-off and raffle held Sunday, April 26 was given by Secretary/Treasurer, Joe Vasquez.

It was well accepted and approved by all members.

After taking care of other business at hand, the meeting was adjourned.

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray accompanied Mrs. Arrie Aulick and Mrs. George Etta Smith of Matador to Amarillo, Sunday to visit Mrs. Clara Jameson and Mrs. Viola Shirley. Joining them there to visit was Mrs. Wilma Smith Hare of Clovis, N.M.

Visiting during the weekend in the home of Mrs. Kathryn Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth, Kathy and Susan of Sundown and Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs.

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

Arthur Harmon of Amarillo visited from Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper and in Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon accompanied his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon to the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, Sunday. She had surgery on her arm, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patrick were in Austin during the weekend where Mrs. Patrick (Helen) competed in a bowling tournament. En route to

Austin, they attended to business in Graham.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray, Sunday night were Lenie Stan and son, Jonah of Afton. Jonah, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Spray, suffered a hair-line fracture above the ankle, Friday night when walking home from volleyball practice at Patton Springs gym. He received medical treatment in Crosbyton.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin and Art Green of Flomot met his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Green of Scottsdale, Arizona at Caprock Canyon State Park to visit Sunday evening. They enjoyed a picnic supper before returning to their respective homes.

WEATHER REPORT

Rain and hail was reported southwest of Whiteflat, Thursday night, April 30. T.W. Jennings had one inch of rain and 1 1/2 inches of marble sized hail; Alfred Cooper, .70, Kathryn Martin, .50 and west of the Jennings ranchland, 2 inches was reported. East of Whiteflat and in the Flomot area, only a trace of rain fell accompanied by an electrical storm.

Matador News

Mrs. Willie Russell, a patient in Hi Plains Hospital in Hale Center, had surgery, Thursday.

R.C. Giesecke met his son, Charles "Butch" Giesecke of Plano in Dallas last Saturday and enjoyed the Texas Rangers vs Boston Red Sox baseball game.

Charlie and Betty Parr of Fort Worth, Bill and Vern Neighbors of Granbury, Herman and Jessie of Palisade, Co., visited with Jud and Verdine Neighbors this last weekend.

Mary and Melvin Meason returned last Monday from a five day trip to Shreveport, Louisiana to visit with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bethley. They returned to Grand Prairie on Sunday to visit overnight with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman.

Lois Bird is an out patient to Lubbock each day for medical treatment.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. 'Toots' Brinsfield has been a patient in the Caprock Hospital in Floydada the past week.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

FLOMOT HOMECOMING ASSOCIATION HAS MEETING

The Flomot Homecoming Association met Thursday night at the Community Center in Flomot. They voted that the official name of this organization be Flomot Homecoming Assn. rather than Ex-Student and Teachers Homecoming since the Flomot School consolidated with the Motley County School. The welcome will be for ex-residents of Flomot as well as the ex-students and teachers.

Donnie Turner, president, appointed the following to serve as committee chairman of the 1987 Tri-Annual Flomot Homecoming, Saturday and Sunday, July 4-5; Mrs. Clayton (Bernice) Bond, secretary and treasurer of the Assn., communications and invitations; Mrs. Seab (Dianne) Washington, registration; Wilburn Martin, program; Doyle and Glen Calvert, food; Mrs. Arnold (Carolyn) Johnson and Mrs. Clois (Kathy) Shorter, decorations and D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert, clean up committee. Seab Washington is vice president of the Assn.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEETING

Mrs. Clayton (Bernice) Bond announced the addressing and mailing of invitations to the Flomot Homecoming is to be Sunday, May 17 at 2:00 p.m. at the Community Center in Flomot. Your help with this Homecoming correspondence will be appreciated. If there has been a change of address of an ex-resident, please contact Mrs. Bond as soon as possible.

MEMORIES RENEWED ON RECENT TRIP

Clois Shorter and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter returned home Friday night from a vacation trip that included visiting in Ardmore, OK with Mr. and Mrs. Major Claborn, in Kingston, OK with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Johnson and touring the

scenic Shorter Homestead in Polk County, Arkansas.

Highlight of the trip was in Poteau, Okla. where L.E. Shorter renewed memories with two of his ex-army friends, Roy Loggains and C.V. Ollie. They served in the same battalion in World War II. Mr. Shorter had not seen Mr. Ollie since 1946 and Mr. Loggains since 1953. The Shorter family were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loggains.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson visited in Jacksboro, Friday with Jackie Worthington.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Starkey, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited from Friday until Sunday in Denton with grandchildren, Lindsay and Cole Martin, as their parents, Dr. and Mrs. David Martin attended an Insurance Seminar in Dallas.

Wendell Morris attended to business in North Carolina this past week. He also visited Odell Washington of Lakeland, Florida and enjoyed fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd were in Lubbock Monday for his medical check up. He received a good report.

The Jack Bynum family held their annual reunion in Plainview, Saturday and Sunday.

Harrison George is a patient in Swisher County Hospital in Tulia for cardiac treatment. It was reported, Friday he has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stinson of Paducah visited Viola Stinson and Mary Ellen Barton, Sunday.

Mrs. Doris Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett in Plainview, Friday.

Julie Davis of Lamesa, Texas Tech student in Lubbock, visited from Thursday until Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Moseley.

Mrs. Leon Elliott returned home from Lubbock, Friday where she was a patient in the Methodist Hospital following surgery, Monday.

Dianne Washington Receives Scholarship

The West Texas State University College of Business and Technology convened its annual Spring Convocation on Thursday, April 23 in Mary Moody Northern Recital Hall. Each year scholarships and awards earned by students in the

college are announced at this event. Receiving a National Association of Accountants Scholarship was Dianne D. Washington, senior accounting major and wife of Seab Washington of Flomot.



STILL WALKING: Barbara Christian and Dorothy Webb have walked 139 miles from March 25 to May 3. They have been walking for over one year and estimated that they walked over 1000 miles last year. The ladies average at least four miles each day and have covered twelve miles in one day on several occasions.

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MOTLEY COUNTY LADY MATADORS BASKETBALL: Standing: Coach Don Ewing, Tricia Palmer, Hali Patrick, Rhonda Long. Sitting: Dena Renfro, Shanna Lancaster, Joel Ewing, Shannon Campbell, Shawna Campbell, Leigh Barton, Loretta Cross, Tanya Cummings, Koree Campbell, REGina Cruse, Chandra Brown.



MOTLEY COUNTY MATADORS BASKETBALL: Standing: Herbert Sims, Rodney Doran, Les Woolsey, Jeffrey Burkes, David Zarate, Brandon Eddleman, Mark Roys, Brent Marshall. Kneeling: Coach Mo Eddleman and Manager Mariane Zarate.



LADY MATADORS TRACK TEAM: Back row left to right: Coach David Hill, Coach Don Ewing, Margie Guerrero, Koree Campbell, Tanya Cummings, Kathy Mangram, Brandi Barton, Paige Williams, Leigh Barton, Shanna Lancaster, Tammy Taylor, Regina Mangram, Yulanda Campbell, Coach Billy Wilson. Kneeling left to right: Shawna Campbell, Memori Assiter, Cindy Shorter, Jeanette Ortiz, Paka Barton, Chandra Brown, Joely Ewing, Prissy Roys, Hali Patrick.



CROSS COUNTRY RUNNER: Jennifer Davis.



MOTLEY COUNTY MATADOR TRACK: Standing left to right: Coach David Hill, Coach Don Ewing, Brandon Eddleman, Tim Kendall, David Zarate, David Stafford, John Wallingsford, Coach Billy Wilson. Kneeling left to right: Rusty Willmon, Brent Marshall, Roy Estrada, Heath Campbell, Walter Linson.



GOLF TEAM: Brian Marshall, Jack Carlson, Cary Franks, Coach Mo Eddleman, Brent Marshall, Lance Barclay, Cory Franks.



LADY GOLFERS: Paka Barton, Leigh Barton.



LADY TENNIS TEAM: April Vandiver, Chandra Brown, Paige Williams, Memori Assiter, Tricia Palmer, Prissy Roys.



MOTLEY COUNTY BOYS TENNIS: Rusty Willmon, Kenneth Rice, Brandon Eddleman, Tim Terrell, Walter Linson, Heath Campbell, Roy Estrada.

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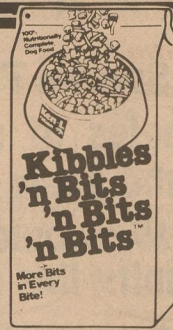
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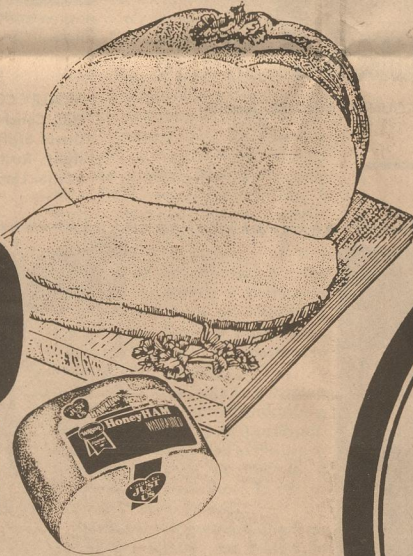
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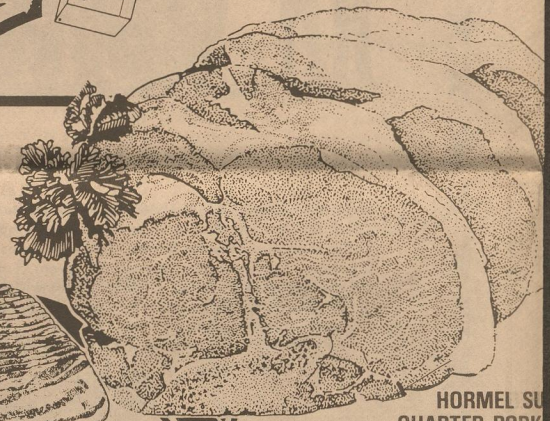
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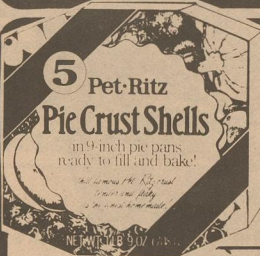
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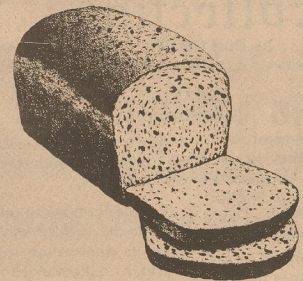
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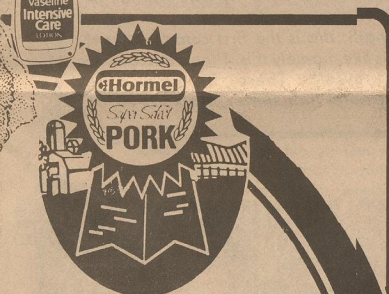
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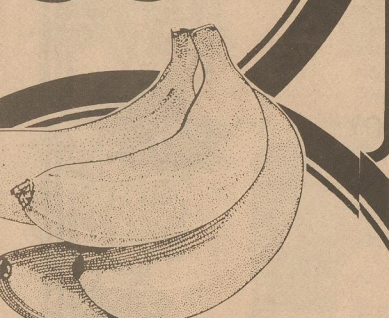
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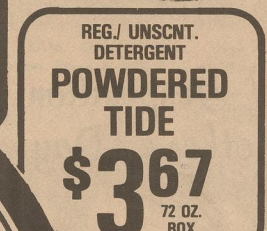
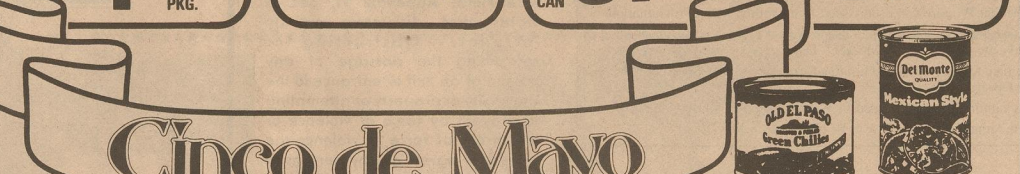
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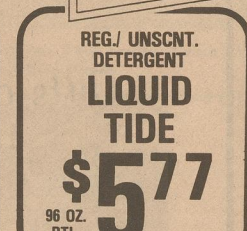
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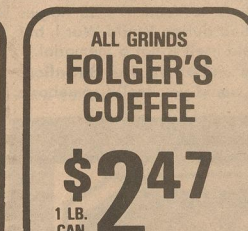
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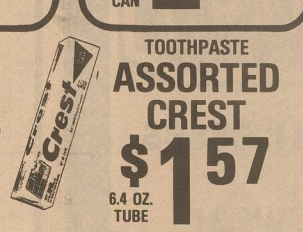
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by Duff Green

TEXAS Part I

The word 'Texas' whenever seen or heard, possibly offers to the average mind as many suggestive thoughts as any word in our English language.

To a native Texas cattleman, it is a perennial stream of content for his fondest hopes and dreams to float upon, as he relives his life amid scenes that have passed away, but whose 'Halo' lingers still, after the sun is down.

Texas in its primeval state has never had its equal as a livestock habitat, or natural breeding ground. No place is found on the world map of equal size that could combine so many necessary attributes, with fewer disadvantages than Texas had. Climate, altitudes, rainfall, natural shelter or protection, from any extreme weather in summer or during winter's frowning visage.

Interspersed with rivers and creeks that flowed with an ample water supply the year round, fed as they were by gushing springs that rushed down the hills, and over the pebbles with a gurgling cadence; as it went its way to the sea, and the hills and vales were covered with an abundance of the most luxuriant grasses and weeds that any part of the fact of the world was ever carpeted with.

Surely the Creator, with His Divine Wisdom, touched the part of His creation we know as Texas, with an extra touch of His aesthetic wand, and left it clothed with loveliness; for the sterile, inhospitable features one may see

today is the handiwork of man, as he rudely disturbed nature as created.

People that are at all conversant with Texas History will recall that after its annexation to the United States, and the Mexican War which followed and closed about 1847, the U.S. government shortly established a chain of forts across the state, primarily for the protection of its citizens from Indian raids.

This line of forts beginning at Fort Sill, in the old Indian territory on South to Fort Richardson in Jack County, Fort Belknap on the Brazos River in Young County, Fort Griffin on the Clear Fork in Shackelford County, Camp Cooper on the same stream and on to Fort Phantom Hill on the Clear Fork in Jones County. Thence, South by West across the watershed between the Brazos and Colorado Rivers to Fort Chadburn in Coke County to Fort Concho and on to the Rio Grande.

At the time of their establishment, they were of course, somewhat in advance or in the background from the settlements proper and it can be stated with assurance, that the country East and South of these forts were teeming with cowmen and their herds of cattle. Dammed back as it were and kept below the forts because of the wily Indians that held undisputed control of the country North and West from those forts.

Part II, continued next week.

This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.

John 13:34

The development of Mother's Day

- 1905 — Death of Mrs. Anna Jarvis.
- 1907 — Miss Anna Jarvis, her daughter, announced her concept of a Mother's Day to friends in Philadelphia.
- 1908 — First Mother's Day observed with special sermon from pulpit of a country church in Grafton, West Virginia, home state of the Jarvis family before they moved to Philadelphia.
- 1910 — West Virginia's Governor William E. Glassman, proclaims Mother's Day a state holiday.
- 1913 — Congress, by joint resolution, creates Mother's Day a national holiday, to be observed on the second Sunday of every May, in all the states, territories and dependencies.
- 1914 — President Woodrow Wilson issued first Mother's Day Proclamation.
- 1941 — National Committee for the Observance of Mother's Day established to further intensify the observance of Mother's Day.
- 1978 — National Mother's Day Committee formed to replace the National Committee for the Observance of Mother's Day.
- 1979 — Outstanding Mothers named by National Mother's Day Committee.
- 1987 — 79th Annual Mother's Day to be observed on May 10.

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Karl Pallmeyer First Place Journalist

Karl Pallmeyer won first place honors at the 57th Annual Southwestern Journalism Conference held recently in College Station. Pallmeyer, columnist for **The Battalion**, student newspaper for Texas A&M University, won top honors for a column about conflict between the Corps of Cadets and students who tried to cross Kyle Field during midnight yell practice on Oct. 3, 1986.

The contest covered entries published in campus publications between Jan. 1 and Dec. 1, 1986. Schools were allowed three entries in each category. Certificates were awarded to top finishers in each category. Judging was by members

of the New England Newspaper Association.

SWJC is made up of 19 member schools from Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Louisiana.

Karl, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Pallmeyer, attended Matorador school through the ninth grade, graduated from Meridian High School in 1982, received a degree in Journalism from Texas A&M in Dec. 1986, and is currently doing graduate work at A&M. In addition to writing a weekly column, Pallmeyer is also music, movie, and drama critic for **The Battalion**.

Editors Note: Following is Karl's column.

CORPS TURNS YELL PRACTICE INTO TRADITION OF VIOLENCE

by Karl Pallmeyer

At Friday night's midnight yell practice several students decided to run out on Kyle Field. Nothing strange about that, it's tradition. Several cadets decided to stop them. Nothing strange about that, it's also tradition. The cadets usually grab the offenders and carry them off the field.

This time, however, the cadets got a little carried away with their self-appointed position as keepers of the field. In Wednesday's **Battalion**, students said they were not only grabbed but also held down on the ground and beaten. According to these students, cadets even used helmets to ensure their punches had the maximum effect.

When friends tried to stop the pummeling, the students said their friends also were thrown to the ground and beaten. They also said the women who ran on the field were hit, thrown to the ground and called, derogatory names, showing how well the Corps' fine tradition of chivalry has survived for 110 years.

The Corps sees a traditional right to protect the field, but traditional rights don't stand up against legal rights. The Corps' role as unofficial protector of the field does not give it free reign to bash heads. Even police are not allowed to use such violence as a form of crowd control.

According to University regulations, the Corps has no right to keep anyone from going onto Kyle Field. Appendix VI, Sec. 5 states that disruptive activity includes: "Obstructing or restraining the passage of any person at an exit or entrance to the University or property or attempting to prevent by force or violence or the threat of force or violence the ingress or egress of any persons to or from said property."

"A lawful assembly is disrupted when any person in attendance is rendered incapable of participating in the assembly due to the use of force or violence or due to a reasonable fear that force or violence is likely to occur."

Violations of these regulations on disruptive activity can result in disciplinary action and possible prosecution.

Despite what the cadets say, Kyle Field is not a memorial stadium. The 55 flags that fly over the stadium and there to honor the 55 Aggies who died during World War I, but the field itself is not a memorial.

One cadet told **The Battalion**, "How would you feel if somebody

ran over your father's grave?" in reference to the sanctity of Kyle Field.

To that I say, how would you feel if your father was buried under the Astroturf? Why do football players receive special consideration in running across "graves"?

I never had much respect for people who run onto the field. I think it's silly and childish. But they don't deserve to have their heads bashed in for their childishness. Fortunately, none of the civilians were injured seriously - only a few bruises, scrapes and cuts. But there are a lot of ill feelings and a damaged reputation.

Some things the Corps does in the name of tradition and being "red-ass" do nothing but make this school look like a collection of mindless apes. No wonder there are so many Aggie jokes.

In 1981, cadet Greg Hood did his best to defend tradition by drawing his saber and charging over Southern Methodist University cheerleaders who ran out on Kyle Field to lead a yell following an SMU touchdown. It's nice that Hood had access to a deadly weapon in his fight to save the field. What would have happened Friday night if the cadets had been carrying sabers as well as helmets?

And only two years ago Bruce Dean Goodrich, a sophomore

Daughters Of American Revolution Meet In Floydada

Buffalo Grass Chapter, National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution met Tuesday April 28 at Lighthouse Electric in Floydada. Twelve members were present.

Susan Dunavant, Regent, presided over the meeting.

An invitation from Los Cibuleros Chapter in Hereford to all members to attend a luncheon at the Herford Country Club on Saturday May 16 was read. Several members plan to attend. Those members who were absent that are interested in attending the luncheon should contact Susan Dunavant. Reservation deadline is May 13. The State Regent, Mrs. Billie Jo Lovett of Tomball will be the guest speaker.

The DAR booth to be set up in the Museum on Old Settlers Day May 23 was discussed.

Mrs. Eugenia Bethard read a report on National Defense. She used the article "Plotting to Reunite the US Constitution" by Phyllis Schlafly, Chairman of the National Defense Committee, NSDAR.

Mrs. Nancy Marble showed slides of scenes of Floyd County. Some of these were Grey Mule Cemetery; the site of the original headquarters of the Quitaque Ranch, on the F

Ranch as it is commonly known; the Quitaque Valley or the Valley of Tears; the Quitaque Peaks; the Tunnel on the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad, the entrances being on the Saul and Merrill Ranches. This tunnel is on the National Register of Historic Sites and is the only railroad tunnel in use in Texas at this time.

Other scenes were wild flowers, trees, the silos at the Gravel Pits which were used in 1927 when the railroad was built in the Quitaque Area. Also shown were scenes of the South Plains Community; the Floydada Country Club highlighting Cochran's Peak, which is also on the National Register of Historic Sites. Cochran's Peak is a reference point for much of the survey of the Southern part of Floyd County. Also shown were the old Marshall Grain Elevator; the Q.A. & P. Depot, which has recently been torn down; and several highway scenes.

The next meeting will be May 26. New officers will be installed. This is to be a salad supper at 6:30 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric. Each member is to bring a salad. Mmes. Bethard, Zabielski and Yeates will be hostesses.

cadet, died as a result of "motivational exercises," one of the Corps' finest traditions. Information about those "motivational exercises" was destroyed by cadet Gabriel Cuadra, who was afraid that the information would hurt the Corps. Cuadra's actions hurt the Corps much more than the truth.

The Corps may be one of the oldest institutions at Texas A&M, but that doesn't give it the right to physically intimidate other students. The ideals it claims to stand for are lost when it tries to hide the truth in fear that its image might be tarnished. The ideals it claims to

stand for die when it uses unnecessary violence to protect them.

Like it or not, the Corps is the most visible aspect of the student body at A&M, even though it represents less than 6 percent of the student body. Whatever the Corps does reflects on the entire school.

And students will not stand for mindless violence in the name of tradition. If the Corps wants a school where those who won't adhere to its archaic ideals are beaten and persecuted, it might do well to remember its old saying: "Highway 6 runs both ways."

And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment. And the second is like, namely this, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. There is none other commandment greater than these. (Mark 12: 30, 31)

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Social Security Tips

by Terry J. Clements

Farmers who hire seasonal workers should be sure to report the wages for Social Security purposes. This assures that the workers earn social security coverage along with their wages, which can mean benefits when they retire or should they become disabled or die.

Because farm work is often irregular, special rules cover the reporting of wages paid to farm workers. Farm wages are covered by social security if an employer pays the worker \$150 in cash during a year or the employee works for the farmer on 20 or more days during a year and is paid on a time basis - by the hour, week, or month, regardless of the amount of pay.

In 1987, the worker receives 1 quarter of coverage for each \$460 of covered earnings, up to a maximum of 4 quarters for the year.

The farmer should keep a record which shows each worker's name, social security number as it appears on the card, amount of cash wages paid, and the amount of taxes withheld from the worker's pay.

The farmer deducts the employee tax out of the pay of each covered worker. Wages are reported for each covered employee by completing the forms W-2. The employee and employer portion of the social security tax is reported to the Internal Revenue Service Office on IRS Form 943.

Sometimes a crew leader is considered the employer of the farm workers and would have the wage reporting responsibilities. This is generally true if the crew leader pays the workers or has the final right to control the workers on the job regardless of who pays them.

Farm workers who want to know more about Social Security benefits, how to apply for a social security card, or how to check whether all earnings have been reported should contact the Social Security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, or call us at 293-9623. Appointments can be arranged if desired.

No Traffic Accidents In March

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of March, our troopers investigated 5 fatal accidents, 74 personal injury accidents, and 132 property damage accidents. There were 5 persons killed and 120 persons

injured in these accidents." Sgt. Brad Parker of Tulia stated, "In Motley County, troopers investigated 0 fatal accidents, 0 personal injury accidents, and 0 property damage accidents in the month of March. 0 Persons were killed and 0 persons were injured in these accidents."

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Biblical Facts and Ancient History Interwoven in Post-Easter Program



Left, Mrs. Margaret Holder, Lubbock, and Mrs. Lila Meador, at meeting of El Progresso Club.

by Beverly Vinson

El Progresso Club met Thursday afternoon, April 23, in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church for a post-Easter program featuring Mrs. Margaret Holder of Lubbock and a book review by her which combined Biblical facts and figures from ancient history involving Jesus Christ.

Preceding Mrs. Holder's review, the regular business meeting of the club took place with its' president, Mrs. Douglas (Lila) Meador, presiding. Cards for four members who have not been well, will have birthdays or are honorary members, were signed by members and guests to let them know they are thought of often, and wishing them well. They are Mrs. Vinie Keltz, Mrs. Ollie Ann Pitts, Miss Mary Keith and Mrs. Dorothy Bird.

Mrs. Meador, leader for the afternoon, introduced guests who had accompanied the speaker, all from the Dorcas class of Highland Baptist Church, which Mrs. Holder teaches. A very busy woman, Mrs. Holder is involved in many civic organizations, being a Volunteer at Methodist Hospital, Red Raider Club, Women's Division of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and many others.

The leader opened the program by reading the quote from the yearbook: "To this day, the most convincing evidence for the resurrection of Christ is men and

husband, King Herod, had killed her brother and she rejected him," Mrs. Holder recounted. "This caused him to reproach himself, giving him violent headaches - pain in the head as much as the heart. He lived 32 years without his wife; had two sons which he had executed, and developed cancer. When his 'time' was near he called his sister, Solome, to his bedside and told her he knew there would be no mourning for him, so ordered eleven men beheaded at the time of his death, making the country go into deep mourning with the 'idea' it would be for him, not those beheaded."

The second person Mrs. Holder reviewed, who knew Jesus was Simon of Cyrene, who had a wife and two sons, also. As retold, "Simon served Jehovah God and while going to the temple for Passover, he met a crowd of condemned men carrying crosses. All but one were loud, coarse and profane. The ONE was horribly abused with streaks of blood down his cheeks and the back of his robe, where he had been lashed. No one was there to befriend him even though He had healed many."

The graphic description of the narrative's conclusion asked the question, "What is it to bear the Cross of Jesus? Stress, aches, pain and the like? These are burdens common to all men. One of the soldiers had forced Simon to carry His cross. Was he, Simon, to be the laughing-stock for the soldiers? To bear the cross we serve Christ, make a stand for Christ, sacrifice for Christ, comfort others for Christ and take time for Christ. We give sacrificially of time, effort and money to promote His belief. Simon resented having to carry the cross, but what had become his shame became his Glory."

Mrs. Holder told of these two men in the first-person, making it one of the most interesting programs the club has been able to share with the community. Mrs. Pohl then played, "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked," and Mrs. Meador closed with the Inspirational Thought for the day, using an excerpt from "An Easter Carol," by Phillips Brooks.

Lubbock guests who came with Mrs. Holder were Mrs. Grace McDowell and Mrs. Opal Fulkerson, former Matador residents; Mrs. Carolyn Hardin and Mrs. Robye Baker. Others were Mesdames Grace Shelton, Faye Slover, Polly Gwinn, Bertha Stearns, Dan Barton, Kathryn Russell, Laura Webb, Kate Stanley and Gertrude Smith; and Rev. Royce Scott.

women whose lives bear witness to His living reality..." from **Heaven and Hell** by John S. Bonnell. Mrs. Frank (Lola) Pohl played an organ arrangement of "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord," setting the stage for Mrs. Holder's remarks.

The book, **We Knew Jesus** by Dr. John Calvin Reid, tells of twelve contemporaries who knew Jesus - some from shame and some from glory. Mrs. Holder chose two of those, Simon of Cyrene and Herod, the Great, the most famous of the four Herods, and King when Jesus was born. In his prime, he was the most successful man alive, according to the narrative. He was Governor of Galilee at the age of 25 and was King of Judea for over 40 years. He was strong and diplomatic, made many enemies and either outwitted them or killed them. Many buildings were erected and he rebuilt the Jewish Temple in Jerusalem, making it, so he said, greater than King Solomon's Temple.

Herod, Mrs. Holder continued, controlled the Priesthood and appointed a friend to be High Priest. When his wife, Mary Omni, heard of this she was insistent that he instead, appoint her brother to be High Priest. Herod withdrew his friend's appointment and all too soon learned that his brother-in-law wanted to "take over," later killing him.

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Other than those mentioned, club members attending were Mesdames J.E. (Marge) Edwards, E.A. (Dorothy) Day, Ted (Bailey) Elliott, C.D. (Evelyn) Garrison, Bill (Judine) McCaghren, W.D. (Vena) Lipscomb, R.E. (Lucretia) Campbell Jr., and Furman (Beverly) Vinson, and Miss Rachel Patton.

After the program members and guests were treated to hot spiced apple juice and cookies from a table centered with an arrangement of spring silk flowers. The tea committee was chaired by Mrs. Edwards and assisted by Mmes. Day, Elliott, McCaghren, Lipscomb, Vinson and Pohl.

The next meeting of the club will be May 14, at the home of Mrs. Harold (Grace) Campbell for a "sing-a-long" and it is hoped everyone will be able to attend this good-time affair.

Bike-A-Thon Big Success

Seven riders participated in the Bike-a-thon held Saturday for the St. Jude's Hospital and sponsored by Sherry and Tony Rose.

The bike riders collected approximately \$355.00 in donations.

The riders participating were: Frankie Ortiz, Jeremy Jones, Mary and Andy Renfro, Wade Patrick, Codi Williams, and Crystal Christopher. Prizes were donated Christopher.

Prizes were awarded to the participants riding the most miles, and collecting the most money. Crystal Christopher received a gift for collecting the most money. She collected almost \$100. Frankie Ortiz and Jeremy Jones were awarded \$5.00 gift certificates for riding the most miles. Frankie with 37 miles and Jeremy with 34. Andy Renfro and Codi Williams were awarded \$3.00 gift certificates, with Andy riding 32 miles and Codi riding 20.

Mary Renfro rode 10 miles, Crystal Christopher, 7 and Wade Patrick, 6.

Prizes were donated by Matador Variety, Matador Hardware, Pizza Box and Billie Deans.

Refreshments were donated by Carla Jones, Carolyn Rose, Joyce Meredith, Lisa Rose, Don's Conoco, Pay-N-Save and Stanley Pharmacy. Others helping with the Bike-a-thon were John and Mitzi Christopher and Les and Peyton Lester.

WILDLIFE PROMOTION PROGRAM ESTABLISHED FOR BRISCOE COUNTY

The Extension Ag-Industries Committee in Briscoe County sponsored a very successful Hunting and Recreation Program in 1986 says Jimmy Burson, Committee chairman. With the help of our County Extension Office and supporting local businesses, we published a brochure guide on Briscoe County. This guide listed all the acreage available in the county for hunting, fishing, recreation and who to contact to lease it. It also promoted both Lake Mackenzie and Caprock Canyon State Park. The brochure was distributed nation-wide to individuals interested in hunting. In addition to this, major media such as Amarillo Globe and Dallas Morning News, did feature stories on the county.

Landowners participating in the program attributed their success in 1986 to the promotion effort. Many said that the people from all over Texas contacted them about possible leasing the land. Each landowner participating in 1986 is being surveyed to determine the gross income to the county.

The Ag-Industries Committee has set guidelines and enrollment dates for the Second Edition of the brochure in 1987. The cost to participate will be \$30.00 per producer and \$30.00 per business to advertise. The deadline to enroll will be June 1, 1987 at the Briscoe County Extension Office. The brochure will be open to all producers who wish to participate. Businesses will be given a one-half page advertisement for the \$30.00 fee.

The book will be distributed to all who received a copy in 1986 and free of charge to those who requested a copy this year. Publication date will be July 15. Income from ads sold will be used for all publication and mailing costs. The book will be free to all who request a copy.

For enrollment forms, you can contact Dirk Aaron Briscoe County Extension Agent, in Silverton at 806-323-2343 or 806-847-2251.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, the PARAPROFESSIONALS AND SCHOOL RELATED PERSONNEL OF THE MOTLEY COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT play a vital role in the successful operation of our school district operations; and

Whereas, the job performance of the Motley County Independent School District's EDUCATIONAL AIDES, CUSTODIAL, SECRETARIAL, CLERICAL, MAINTENANCE/OPERATIONAL, TRANSPORTATION, CAFETERIA, HALL AND LUNCHROOM MONITORS, AND OTHER ALLIED SUPPORT PERSONNEL are essential to the education of our children; and

Whereas, the leadership exhibited by PARAPROFESSIONALS AND SCHOOL RELATED PERSONNEL within the school community has been supportive of increased citizen involvement in the public school system; and

Whereas, the dedicated and valuable contributions of the fine Texans who fill these important positions are integral to the successful daily operation of our public school, and their service merits the recognition and praise of all Texas citizens; and

Whereas, the BOARD OF TRUSTEES of the Motley County Independent School District recognizes the PARAPROFESSIONALS AND SCHOOL RELATED PERSONNEL'S continued efficient operation of the Motley County Independent School District;

Now, therefore, let it be resolved: THAT THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE 70TH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE GOVERNOR, ACKNOWLEDGES THE QUALITY AND DEDICATED SERVICE RENDERED BY THE MOTLEY COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT'S PARAPROFESSIONALS AND SCHOOL RELATED PERSONNEL, and hereby declares the WEEK OF MAY 4-11, 1987 to be "PARAPROFESSIONALS AND SCHOOL RELATED PERSONNEL WEEK" IN MOTLEY COUNTY ISD, and encourages all citizens to assist the personnel of the Motley County ISD in RECOGNIZING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE PARAPROFESSIONALS AND SCHOOL RELATED PERSONNEL.

Robbie H. Williams
Secretary, Board of Trustees

Donnie Cause
President, Board of Trustees

School Newsletter

A reminder to parents of elementary students concerning the dress code at school. Gym shorts will not be permitted for either boys or girls except in required physical education classes unless specifically excused by board action, or its designee. Scooter skirts may be worn if of skirt length and if they look like a skirt from the front. Tube

tops, halters, see through blouses, bare midriff clothing, "T" shirts or mesh shirts are not to be worn as single tops. Pants, shorts, jans, etc. must be of knee length. Personal appearance is important to us and we hope to teach this to our students. Your assistance and cooperation is appreciated.

School Schedule

FRIDAY, MAY 8: District Ag. Mechanic Contest at TSTI in Amarillo. Will leave school at 9:30 and return at approximately 6:30.

SATURDAY, MAY 9: Jr.-Sr. Banquet, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in school cafeteria. All school dance in the old gym 9:45 to 12:00.

LION news and notes
Taking Pride In A Healthy Community

The Matador Lions Club met at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall May 5 for a delicious dinner prepared by Lion Walter Jones.

After the fines were collected, a report of the Directors Breakfast was given by Boss Lion Kirby Campbell, he read the proposed slate of officers for the 1987-1988 year. The Lions nominated the officers by an almost 100% vote. The new officers will be: Ray Minkley, President; Jessie Turner, 1st. Vice President; Ron Cummings, 2nd. Vice President; Rob Francis, 3rd. Vice President; Haden Moore, Secretary/Treasurer; Charlie Johnson, Tail Twister; Bill McCahren, Recorder; Frank Pohl, Lion Tamer; Shanna Lancaster,

Lions Queen; Rachael Patton, Sweetheart Emeritus; and Directors, Donnie Jackson, John M. Russell, Walter Jones and Kirby Campbell.

Lion Charlie Johnson was asked to give a report on a proposal from the State Lions Office in Austin. The Directors voted against building a new State Office Building and moving to Kerrville.

A very special eye opening program was presented by program chairman Alan Bingham, a film "A Dark Wilderness - Caves."

Lion Frank Price asked to remind everyone who is interested in adding birthdays or anniversaries to the Lions Birthday Calendar to please contact him, Gerald Pipkin or Don Ewing as soon as possible.

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TUESDAY, MAY 12
BREAKFAST: Cereal/Milk, Toast, Juice. **LUNCH:** Steak/Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Chilled Peaches.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13
BREAKFAST: Scrambled eggs, Biscuit/Jelly, Juice. **LUNCH:** Hot Dogs/Mustard, Hash Brown Potatoes, Spinach, Cherry Cobbler.

THURSDAY, MAY 14
BREAKFAST: Cereal/Milk, Toast, Juice. **LUNCH:** Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Blackeyed Peas, Garden Salad, Texas Toast, Pudding.

FRIDAY, MAY 15
BREAKFAST: Bacon, Toast/Jelly, Juice. **LUNCH:** Fish Krispies, AuGratin Potatoes, Green Peas, Roll, Jello.

REGIONAL TRACK MEET

The Motley County Regional Qualifiers attended the Regional Track Meet in Levelland last Friday and Saturday.

Each one of the participants participated well, but hard luck kept several from advancing to the State Meet.

Shanna Lancaster, Leigh Barton, Yulanda Campbell, and Kathy Mangram competed in the 400 m and 800 m relays with a great effort. Leigh and Brandi Barton competed in the high jump. Leigh also competed in the triple jump. Yulanda Campbell was a participant in the long jump and in the 100 yard dash.

The hurdles were run by Korea Campbell and Chandra Brown. They both had hard luck which kept them from advancing to the finals.

Joely Ewing threw both the discus and shot doing well in both, but

outstanding in the discus placing 3rd.

The mile relay ran Friday night and consisted of Brandi Barton, Cindy Shorter, Chandra Brown,

Jeanette Ortiz, and alternate Tammy Taylor, who had to run because of an illness of one of the team mates.

Kathy Mangram also qualified for the triple jump and 200 yd. dash, but was unable to participate due to an injury.

David Zarate ran the 400 yd. dash, David Stafford threw the shot, and Tim Kendall threw the discus. Each of these young men competed well.

The overall performance of everyone was outstanding. They should each be commended for their hardwork and effort put forth to make this track season an overall success. Good Job!

County Agent's Corner
by Ray Minkley

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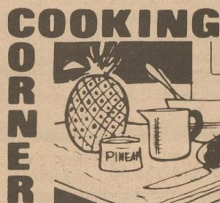
A pesticide label contains a considerable amount of beneficial information. First, look for the EPA registration number which will indicate the Environmental Protection Agency has found the material effectively controls certain pests (insects, weeds or diseases). The number also indicates that the substance is safe to use when directions are followed.

The next thing found on the label is the pest that this material is effective against. Only those pests listed can be controlled with this material.

Rate of materials to use is also on the label. This rate must be followed. If you exceed the recommended rate and problems occur, the company is no longer responsible. Also, you waste material and stand a chance of polluting an area with a chemical.

The pesticide label also lists the interval at which the materials should be applied. This may vary with materials but will generally be between 5 and 21 days. The label may indicate that this is a one-time application for a certain pest.

How soon can you eat a crop after a material has been applied? That information is also found on the label. On many labels there are special precautions such as washing fruit or not spraying past a certain development stage. Read these warnings closely.



Simple Skillet Dinner

- 1 can (20 oz.) Dole Pineapple Tidbits
 - 2 cups ham strips
 - 2 tablespoons butter
 - Water
 - 1 pkg. (6-1/4 oz.) long grain and wild rice mix
 - 1 tablespoon minced parsley
- Drain pineapple, reserve syrup. In large skillet, saute ham in butter until lightly browned. Add enough water to pineapple syrup to make 2 cups liquid; add to skillet. Stir in contents of rice mix. Bring to boil. Cover, simmer 5 to 10 minutes until liquid is absorbed. Fold in pineapple. Sprinkle with parsley to serve. Serves 4.

New Regulations For Motley County Farmers

Haying And Grazing of Set Aside Land (ACR)

Recent decisions by USDA and the Texas State ASCS committee permit a producer to hay and graze land devoted to acreage conservation reserve (ACR) provided the county has been declared eligible. Before turning in the cows or cranking up the mower, however, farmers should confirm with their local county ASCS office that their county has been approved for that use. Even if the county has received approval for this haying and grazing alternative, farmers must be aware that certain restrictions apply.

The basic restriction is that farmers cannot sell any hay from ACR acreage nor charge for grazing of that land. With some exception, this implies that the farmer must use any hay or grazing for his own livestock. If, however, he does permit someone else to hay or graze the land, he is only allowed to recover from that person normal

and reasonable charges for incidental expenses such as fencing, watering, or harvesting costs.

Once any existing forage is removed from the ACR acreage, farmers are permitted to plant a second crop, provided that crop meets standard requirements for what can be planted to ACR. This second crop, too, can be grazed or other wise mechanically harvested, but again only if it is not sold.

Prior to taking any action regarding the use of ACR acreage, farmers must notify their respective ASCS offices of the intended use and who will be using that forage. If someone else is to use the forage, the farmer must certify that he will not receive any payment for it.

As with any decisions which might potentially impact on farm program eligibility, farmers are strongly urged to check with their local ASCS offices.

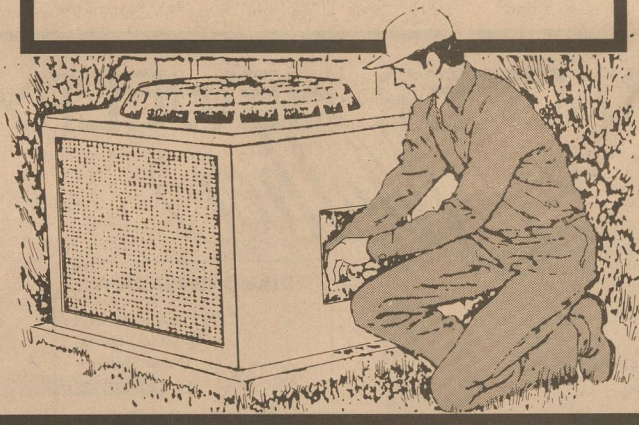
THE WINDMILL

Is Having A Mother's Day And Graduation Sale

All Brass, Jewelry, Pictures, and Ladies Bags Above \$10 Will Be 20% off Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Many New Lace and Heart Items Over 30 Decorated Bandanas to Choose From Denim and Crocheted Collars

Call your air conditioning serviceman now!



Summer's ahead and your serviceman will be mighty busy in the months to come.

While he still has time to include you in an early schedule, calling your air conditioning serviceman will assure the dependable cooling you've come to expect from your electric air conditioning units. Early maintenance or installation of new units will save you from a long waiting period later on. Remember, the hotter it gets, the busier your air conditioning serviceman is.

rolls, loose-fill or batts and is labeled with a "R value". The higher the R number, the better its insulating value. Value numbers up to R30 in the ceiling and R18 in the walls are recommended for this area.

Caulking and Weatherstripping!

If you check all windows and doors and install weatherstripping and caulking where needed, you will save on both cooling and heating costs. Just think, an almost invisible 1/4" gap at the base of a standard 36" wide outside door is equal to a nine-inch hole in the side of your house! Close that gap with easy-to-install felt or foam rubber products which draft-proof doorways.

Proper Insulation!

Keep the cool air you've paid for inside of your house. Consider installing insulation as support for your hard-working air conditioning unit. Insulation comes in

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PATTON SPRINGS NEWS

KRISTY PATRICK WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Patton Springs' junior, Kristy Patrick, recently won a \$500.00 scholarship through an essay-writing contest sponsored by the new skin-care company, We Care. Several scholarships were awarded, ranging from \$150 to \$2500. The scholarship will be paid

to the college of Kristy's choice to be applied toward the major of her choice.

Kristy said, "This was a real shock. I put in a lot of work on this essay, but next year I hope to win the big one."

Patton Springs To Honor It's Athletes

Patton Springs is sponsoring an All-Sports Banquet, May 15, 1987, at 7:00 p.m. in the gym. Students in grades 6-12 who have participated in any sport during the 1986-87 school term are invited to attend, and bring their parents, guardians, and/or grandparents. Awards will be presented, and the guest speaker will be Bubba

Jennings, assistant basketball coach at Texas Tech.

If you plan to attend the banquet, please bring a covered dish. Plates, cups, napkins, and eating utensils will be furnished. We appreciate your support and ask that you attend as we honor our athletes who have performed for Patton Springs School.

PATTON SPRINGS TRACK

The track season ended last Friday, May 1, as Sammy Little and Kim Cline competed in the Regional Track Meet at Levelland. Both athletes did well but did not place. Kim, who started off in 3rd place, suffered stomach cramps and fell back. She finished the race when most would have quit. Sammy did finish 7th and ran a good race.

The track teams had a good year and even though we didn't win any meets we did finish 3rd and 4th at most meets. The girls lose only two girls and the boys lose four seniors.

Next year looks good for Patton. We would like to thank each athlete who participated and represented Patton Springs.

"ROOMERS" TO BE PRESENTED AT PATTON SPRINGS

The Fine Arts Department, sponsored by Shauna Monroe and Barbara Adams will present the play "Roomers" on Thursday night, May 7, at 8:00 p.m. Admission will be 50¢ per person or \$2.00 per

family. There will be a concession stand. Money raised will be used to provide props and necessities for future One Act Plays. Come out and let the whole family enjoy a night at the theater, May 7th, (tonight) at 8:00 p.m.

Letter To The Editor

To the Editor:

House Bill 2321 was recently introduced in the Texas House of representatives and has been referred to the Committee on State Affairs. This bill includes provisions that will require an environmental impact statement followed by thorough review by various state agencies before the Texas Railroad Commission can issue a permit for eminent domain for oil, gas or other minerals pipeline construction. The bill further provides that notice be given to landowners and counties through which the pipeline route is proposed and public hearings be held.

House Bill 2321 represents legislation that will provide greater protection of our most valuable resource - water - by assuring

pipelines are not constructed where irreparable harm would result should leaks occur.

Public support is essential for the bill to be presented for House vote. In order to insure that the Committee is made aware of your concern in this regard, please contact your State Representative and State Senator voicing your support of House Bill 2321. All Texas State Representatives' addresses are Box 2910, Austin, 78769 and all State Senators' addresses are Box 12068, Austin, 78711. The Texas Legislature will consider this bill soon.

Sincerely,
J. West
207 Forrest Trail
Universal City, TX
78148

For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

Romans 3:23

THE TRIBUNE CAN ORDER ANY KIND OF STAMP RUBBER STAMP & INK PAD OR SELF INK STAMPS CALL 347-2400 OR COME BY THE MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE OFFICE

Card Of Thanks

We want to thank everyone for all the love and comfort we received during the loss of our loved one. The food, flowers, visits, cards, donations and prayers were so very much appreciated. It is so nice to live in a community where people care so much.

Alfred and Louise Barton & family
Claude and Pauline Groves & family

We would like to thank everyone who brought food to our home, sent flowers, your calls, cards, money and especially your prayers during the loss of our loved one. A special thank you to Rev. Kevin Creed for officiating the service.

Mrs. Raymond Taylor & Family

The members of the Roaring Springs Volunteer Fire Department, would like to take this means to thank each and everyone who helped us, before, during and after our fajita cook-off and raffle held Sunday, April 26. Your help is greatly appreciated.

A special thanks to the merchants of Roaring Springs for their donations of raffle items.

To all of you we say Thank You!

Members:
President: Bill Moose
Fire Chief: Vince Taylor
Roy Hernandez
Mark Guerrero
Steve Byrd
Bruce Lefevre
Gary Caffey
Rodney Long
John Christopher
Sec./Treas: Joe Vazquez

We want to thank everyone for being so concerned about R.E. during his recent illness. The prayers and calls and flowers were thoughtful. He is doing fairly well and says "Thanks."

R.E. and Lucretia

Thank you to everyone who came and worked at the Flomot Cemetery Work Day.

The Flomot Cemetery Association

A big thank you to everyone who rode in the bike-a-thon to raise money for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, to the business who donated prizes, gift certificates and refreshments, to the individuals who pledged money and to everyone who donated refreshments and helped with the bike-a-thon.

Tony and Sherry Rose
Bike-a-thon Sponsors
St. Jude Children's Hospital



Patton Springs Lunchroom Menu

May 11 - 15, 1987

MONDAY, MAY 11

BREAKFAST: Juice, Cereal, 1/2 pint milk. **LUNCH:** Beef Enchiladas & Cheese, Buttered Corn, Salad, 1/2 pint milk, Peanut Butter Cookies.

TUESDAY, MAY 12

BREAKFAST: Juice, Sweetroll, 1/2 pint milk. **LUNCH:** Dixie Dogs & Mustard, Macaroni & Cheese, Green Beans, Fruit Jello, 1/2 pint milk.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

BREAKFAST: Juice, Biscuits and Jelly, 1/2 pint milk. **LUNCH:** Brisket &

Barbecue Sauce, Pork & Beans, Potato Salad, Rolls, Brownies, 1/2 pint milk.

THURSDAY, MAY 14

BREAKFAST: Hash Brown, Toast, 1/2 pint milk. **LUNCH:** Taco & Cheese, Taco Salad, Refried Beans, Sliced Pears, 1/2 pint milk.

FRIDAY, MAY 15

BREAKFAST: Juice, Muffin, 1/2 pint milk. **LUNCH:** Sandwiches, Tuna, Pimento Cheese, Peanut Butter, Pickle Spears, French Fries, Sliced Apple, 1/2 pint milk.

Happy Mother's Day

Tips for working moms that can help lighten cleaning load

Television commercials of the fifties and sixties portrayed the housewife as a Susie Soapuds, always fretting about hard water spots on her china and dreading the white glove inspection visits of her inquisitive mother-in-law.

But these are the eighties. It's goodbye, Susie, and hello to Wendy. Working Mom. With more than half of American women employed outside of the home, few have time to worry about floor wax buildup and "ring around the collar."

To help out the more than 40 million Wendys in the U.S., cleaning experts from The Eureka Company have compiled these suggestions to make house cleaning go faster:

- Set aside a specific time period for cleaning, say 1:00 to 3:00 on Saturday. Don't make any other plans for that slot.
- Once you get started, stick with it. Talking on the phone, looking at the mail and other interruptions will only prolong your tasks.
- Do one room at a time. It's self-defeating to run all over your house or apartment, doing little things here and there. By sticking with one room, you'll receive the instant gratification of seeing it sparkle. You can then advance to the next area.
- Organize a cleaning plan, and subdivide the labor among your spouse and children. Even smaller children can be responsible for retrieving their toys from the living room and "picking up" their

own rooms.

- Your versatile vacuum cleaner can handle many different types of cleaning jobs. Don't do anything by hand that can be done with your cleaning equipment. For example, use your vacuum cleaner's attachments to pick up dust and crumbs in kitchen drawers, shelves and cabinets.

- Invite a friend over to share big cleaning jobs, and then reciprocate the favor by helping out with tasks in her home. Coordinate jobs so you'll both be in the same room and have someone to chat with while working.

- For example, clean the oven or refrigerator while your friend cleans the countertops, drawers and shelves; one can polish the silver while the other tackles the copper pots.

- Ironing and window washing blend well together in the same room, as does polishing furniture and shampooing upholstery or washing woodwork and cleaning out closets.

- Consider purchasing a second vacuum cleaner to lighten the load. One of you can vacuum stairs and hallways with a canister vac or Power Team, while the other handles large carpeted areas with an upright vac.

- For big chores, such as cleaning out a utility room or basement, you might want to invite several friends. Reward their efforts with a snack or a movie rental for your VCR, to be viewed after the job is finished.

GREETING CARDS FOR MOTHER: WONDERS WITHOUT END!

There are so many pluses to sending mother a greeting card on Mother's Day, that you sort of get bogged when you list all the advantages.

You can get them with traditional messages or contemporary thoughts or, if you prefer, there are comic varieties and ink abstractions.

Greeting cards come in colors and in black and white; they might be photographic, pen and ink cartooned, or colorfully embellished with artful concepts.

They come in a wide variety of shapes — small and large, squarish and rectangular, horizontal and vertical. And all this creativity comes from Miss Anna Reeves Jarvis' idea of writing mother a note of love and appreciation on Mother's Day. But that was in 1908.

In 1987, finding time to pen a note to mother (and mother-in-law) is often easier said than done. Today's women are busy folk, running their households and, often simultaneously, holding down a job in the workplace.

A greeting card is a short-hand answer to a long-standing emotion — that of remembering her on Mother's Day. It takes little time, but can mean so very much to her because you didn't forget.

And not that it's so important, but greeting cards don't cost a bundle! Even for today's dollar, you can buy and send her a greeting card (postage included). And, just think how good you'll both feel about it. That gives you both time and money to shop for the very gift you know she wants from you...too!

PAMPER MOM FROM HEAD TO TOE ON MOTHER'S DAY

Whether your mom spends her days working on the job or at home, she's probably the busiest of us all! This Mother's Day, give mom some special pampering with these gift ideas:

- Send her to a special beauty salon for a new hairstyle or haircolor makeover.
- Give her a personalized workout session in the comfort of her own home with a fitness instructor.
- Make an appointment for her to get the best facial in town.
- Give her a gift certificate for a beauty/skin consultation with her favorite cosmetics company.
- Treat her to a body massage at a local spa and — for lasting comfort — give her a pair of Isotoner Comfort Slippers. Their unique massaging action will comfort and massage her feet each time she wears them.
- Find a color analyst who will tell mom what "season" she is and help her learn the best colors for her wardrobe and her cosmetics.
- Hire a caterer to cook a special Mother's Day breakfast for mom — and she won't have to lift a finger because they'll do all the cleaning too!

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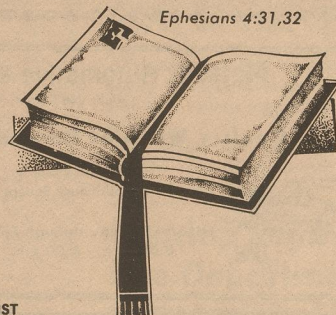
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And be ye kind one to another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

Ephesians 4:31,32



Attend the Church Of Your Choice

FIRST UNITED METHODIST ROARING SPRINGS
Pastor, Royce Scott
Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
Morning Service - 9:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST ROARING SPRINGS
Pastor, Donnie Howell
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service - 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service - 6 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH ROARING SPRINGS
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Church Service - 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m.
Pastor, B.L. Anderson

EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST ROARING SPRINGS
Sunday Morning Service - 10:30 am

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH ROARING SPRINGS
Pastor, Edna Dillard
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Church Service - 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service - 6:00 pm
Wednesday Service - 7:00 pm

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FLOMOT
Pastor, Rev. Hargrove
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Church Service - 11:00 a.m.

FLOMOT METHODIST PASTOR: Robert Kirk
Sunday Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
Church Service - 10:00 a.m.

FLOMOT CHURCH OF CHRIST
Pastor, E.J. Browning
Church Service - 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST ROARING SPRINGS
Pastor, Bill Whitaker
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Church Service - 11:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MATADOR
Pastor, Greer Willis
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Church Service - 11:00 am
Sunday Evening Service - 7:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7 pm

FIRST UNITED METHODIST MATADOR
Pastor, Royce Scott
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Church Service - 11:00 am
Wednesday Bible Study - 4:00 p.m.
MYF - Sunday, 7:00 pm

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH MATADOR
Pastor, Kevin Creed
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Church Service - 11:00 am
Sunday Evening Service - 6:00 pm

CHURCH OF CHRIST MATADOR
Evangelist, Raymond M. West
Sunday Bible Study - 10 a.m.
Worship Service - 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CATHOLIC CHURCH MATADOR
Father Terry Burke
Mass - 9:45 A.M. Sunday Morning

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH MATADOR
Pastor, M.H. Miller
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Church Service - 11:00 a.m.

When day is done, some mothers are just beginning their work

It sounds strange, but it's true. Just about the time when a lot of contented families wrap it up for the day, many of today's involved and working mothers start on their second job — that of running the household.

No matter how much their burden has been eased by the marvels of modern appliances, the ease of pre-cooked food, the streamlining of interior decor, a house takes managing. And, with over 60 percent of today's mothers working on the double — two jobs that is, in the home and on the outside — the old eight or 10 hour day just isn't enough.

But how does this affect the home? Is there enough free time for the children? Can today's working mother be a true companion to her husband, unless he works at her side at home?

Is our concept of American "family togetherness" a thing of the past, a way of life that has been so altered that it can never be the same?

One thing is for sure, the family structure is changing. A working mother is an informed mother, her exposure to current events, current practices, current knowledge fortifies her as a role model.

She can be a more knowledgeable and sympathetic parent, aware of the pitfalls of today's environment and better equipped to guide her family through the maze of complexities that mark our society.

Look at it this way: It's not the quantity of time that a mother gives to her children that is important, but the quality of that time.

Here's where the modern, I'll-never-get-enough-free-time-for-the-children mother shines in all her glory. And it's the path of the future, so get used to it.

It was once true that a dad would work from sun to sun, but a mother's work was never done! Not so today. Both mom and dad work from sun to sun and still their work is never done!

"Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward. As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man; so are children of the youth.

Psa. 127: 3, 4

GOING PLACES

We make a little go a long way! Sell, buy, rent, find and give notice by reading and using the classifieds!

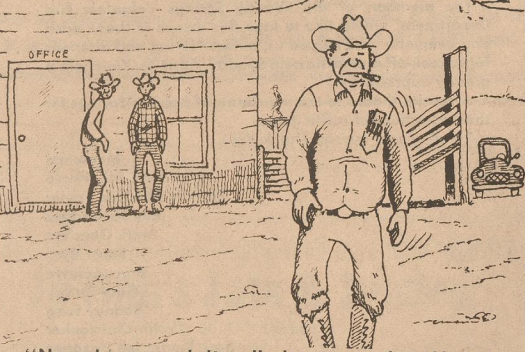


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By Ace Reid

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SALE EVERY TUES.



"Now, his arm ain't pulled outta socket. He's a order buyer and that's caused by all the pens and checkbooks he carries in his shirt pocket."

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REV. EDNA DILLARD

JESUS CHRIST IS THE SAME YESTERDAY, TODAY AND FOREVER.

HEBREWS 13:8

Roaring Springs, TX Church - 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Sunday night - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Missionettes--girls Royal Rangers--boys

FOR SALE

FOR YOUR CRP SEEDS needs, call Star Feed & Seed, Spur, Texas, 271-4532. cfn

LOW! DOWN! REPOS! Call collect, 806-763-4051. cfn

FOR SALE: 2 Refrigerated air conditioner and heating units and bedroom furniture. Call after 5:30 p.m., 347-2455. cfn

FOR SALE: Used 13" Michelin Tires, \$10 each. Call 806-347-2257. 4tp-20

FOR SALE: 15' Scaffolding; 60 gallon tanks, propane system, with new equipment. Call 348-7525 after 5:00 p.m. 4tc-21

FOR SALE: Fresh Country Eggs. Beverly Barton, call 347-2760. 2tc-20

FOR SALE: Tappan Microwave Oven. Excellent Condition. Call 347-2851. 1tc-19

HALF PRICE! Flashing arrow signs \$299! Lighted, non-arrow \$289! Unlighted \$249! Free letters! See locally. Call today! Factory: 1(800) 423-0163, anytime. 1tp-19

FOR SALE: 1977 El Camino. Clean. Call 347-2889 after 5:00. 1tp-19

FOR SALE: 1970 International Pickup, ¾ ton, 4 speed. Call 347-2889 after 5:00. 1tp-19

GARAGE SALE

5 FAMILY GARAGE SALE at Jud Neighbors. Vacuum Cleaners, Cook Wear, Bedsheets, Pillow cases, tableclothes, high chair, purses, shoes, lots of misc. Thurs., Fri., and Saturday starting at 9 a.m. 1tp-19

For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. Ephesians 2:10

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Three bedroom remodeled house in Matador. Lots of extras. \$27,000 firm. Call 915-524-3399 or 347-2603. cfn

TAKE OVER PAYMENTS two and three bedroom homes. Call collect 806-763-4051. cfn

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE: The only grocery store in beautiful downtown Roaring Springs, 348-7242. cfn

REAL ESTATE

HAVE BUYER FOR 2-3 SECTIONS of Grassland. Rusty Baccus Real Estate; Ray Ford, 652-3395 office or 983-2948 home. 4tp-20

Caprock-Plains Federal Land Bank Association



Floydada 983-2480
105 S. Wall Box 130

The gentleman is a man of culture, a man of refinement, above all an honest man; possessing that good taste which is the conscience of the mind, that conscience which is the good taste of the soul.

James Russell Lowell

HELP IS NEAR

Though to your short-sighted vision No way of escape may appear, Trust, for when least you expect it, The help of your Father is near.

Anon.

SPECIALITIES

FOR ALL YOUR TUPPERWARE or if you need replacements, or would like to book a party, call Joyce Meredith, Tupperware Dealer, in Roaring Springs at 348-7516. 3tc-19

BEFORE YOU RENEW, Please check our rates. Lee's Insurance, Flomot, 806-469-5370. cfn

Now Available At Matador Motor And Implement

Professional windshield installers are at Matador Motor & Implement every two weeks. Guaranteed not to leak. Call 347-2422. cfn

Carpet Cleaning Machine Available From STANLEY PHARMACY

LOCKNEY MEAT COMPANY USDA Inspected. Kill days, Monday through Friday. Custom processing. Wholesale and retail meat. One half and quarters, cut wrapped frozen and fully guaranteed. Located on corner of US 70 and FM 378 South. Call 652-3305. Sam and Kelly Fortenberry. cfn

HELP WANTED

STATE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS & PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION has a job opening for Maintenance Technician I in the Motley County Maintenance Section at Matador, TX. Basic work involved is the general maintenance and repair of highways. Experience in heavy equipment operation preferred. A Class B license will be required. Beginning pay is \$5.52 per hour. Applications will be received until May 20, 1987. Apply in person to Clay R. Jameson, at his office, ¼ mile west of Matador, TX on U.S. 62-70 between 8:00-9:00 a.m. or 4:00-5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. SDHPT IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. 2tc-20

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Card of Thanks
up to 55 words--\$5.00
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DEADLINE FOR ADS
NOON TUESDAY

Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Annual P.T.O. Ice Cream Supper will be held on Tuesday, May 12, 1987, at 7:00 p.m. on the tennis courts. This is also the annual membership drive. All parents, teachers, and interested persons are encouraged to join the P.T.O. at this time. The dues are \$1.00 per year.

Parents are encouraged to come and sign up for their children's class. Cash awards will be given in three divisions for the classes with the highest percentage of parents present.

The P.T.O. is an organization whose purpose is to promote the welfare of youth by working with the school to provide quality education for all students. The P.T.O. strives to develop a united effort between the educators and the general public that every child may secure the highest advantages in all areas of education.

The P.T.O. works only if the parents, teachers, and general public support it. Please come to the ice cream supper. Please join the P.T.O.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Caprock Community Action will distribute commodities at the Senior Citizens Building in Matador May 13 at 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Please do not arrive before 3:00. Bring your yellow commodity card.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BID NOTICE

The City of Matador will accept bids on a used ditch digger with a 3 ton tandem trailer. Ditcher must dig at least 4 feet deep and 12 inches wide. Bids will be received at City Hall until 5:00 p.m. on May 13th, 1987. City reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

"Life is not so short but that there is always time enough for courtesy." Emerson

PUBLIC NOTICE

Cap Rock Telephone Company, Inc. hereby gives notice it has filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for authority to delete services no longer provided, to de-tariff the maintenance and installation of simple and complex inside wiring in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order in Docket 79-105, and to offer for sale single line business/residential premises equipment to customers of the Company. The changes for inside wire to become effective on June 1, 1987 and the sale of single line business/residential customer premises equipment to customers will become effective upon August 31, 1987 or commission approval if at a later date.

The proposed changes will cause reductions in annual regulated revenues to the Company of \$23,779.20. Persons with questions or who desire more information about the requested rate changes are encouraged to contact the Company at 806-271-3336 or 121 East Third Street, Spur, Texas 79370 where a complete copy of the filing is available for inspection.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 450N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at 512-458-0227, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

FACTS & FIGURES

Science and business are teaming up to fight the number one killer in the United States: cancer.

Right now, reports the American Cancer Society, modern medicine can cure 49 percent of all cancer victims. If people understood and practiced cancer prevention measures and had early cancer screening, many more lives might be saved.

One group of Americans who are doing that are the workers and their families at a major oil-company. In fact, the cancer education and screening program at Pennzoil has been deemed a success by the American Cancer Society.

Employees in the program are invited to on-site educational briefings to learn about cancer prevention and healthy life-styles. Then they complete a questionnaire from the American Cancer Society to identify individuals at high risk for



cancer. Those deemed at risk are offered further screening by doctors. If a diagnostic test is recommended, the company pays.

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