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## Motley County Commissioners announce three-phase proposed renovation and repair plan for historic County Jail

by Carol Campbell

Game Warden Ted Davey began working on a renovation plan for the jail in 2003. He secured a matching grant from the National Trust for Historic Preservation Services Fund for a site and architectural building assessment, consisting of architectural plans for interior renovation.

The plan consists of (1) restoring the building exterior to stop the deterioration; (2) repair and rehabilitation of the first floor to be used as law enforcement offices; and (3) repairs of deteriorated materials on the second floor to be used as a jail museum. Future plans call for the renovation of Pioneer Park, located adjacent to the jail, and an oral history project.

Interpretation of history and historic sites can make a visit to the jail an exciting prospect for school children as well as tourists. Since the jail was occupied by jailers and their families until the early 1980s (many of whom still live in the community), local residents can provide amusing anecdotes, contributing to the oral history of the jail.

In November, 1976, the community celebrated Veterans Day with the dedication of a historical medallion for the county jail. This effort was spearheaded by the El Progreso Study Club, a former service organization. These dedicated club members not only provided countless volunteer hours of service and fundraising support

for the jail, they recently provided financial assistance to County Judge Assistant Carol Campbell, to attend a grant workshop in Austin. This workshop, presented by the Texas Historical Commission and Hogg Foundation, focused on research and resources of corporations and private foundations, and presented practical training for writing effective grant proposals.

In June, the county was selected by the Texas Historical Commission to proceed to the project proposal stage of the Texas Preservation Trust Fund Grant application process. This grant is due in Austin by August 31. Texas Historical Commission Architect Quana Childs made a site visit to the jail on July 21.

“An amazing building, still in repairable condition at this point, but work is needed,” she said, adding, “The issues with weatherization of the mortar and earlier roof repairs are going to be the focus of this grant.”

A historical preservation architect was retained for the first phase of the project. Mr. Hubert Welch, Jr., Abilene, said he “appreciates the opportunity to work with the people of Motley County on the rehab of the jail.” Welch has a diverse background in historic renovation. He will prepare Plans and Specification of the phase I repair, assisting in the analysis of the building and preparation of bid documents. If funded, he will provide oversight of the construction phase and site visitation.

Mr. Welch has numerous historical preservation projects and adaptive use projects on his resume. Most notable, he restored the First National Bank, Jayton, and the Grace Cultural Center, Abilene. He received an Award of Excellence in Historic Architecture by the Texas Historical Commission, 1998.

The extent of the jail renovation in Phase I will be limited, he said. “Phase I work will consist of selective repairs to the roof, gutter and downspouts, exterior openings, and stone masonry in order to stop the rapid deterioration of the jail.”

The mortar on the sandstone exterior is in poor condition, and needs to be re-painted with mortar to match the color, texture and strength of the existing mortar. Repairing historic mortar is a very technical process. Architectural technical assistance will be required.

In addition, Mr. Welch has asked the local community for help in locating the historic quarry to acquire replacement stone for the masonry work. “Replacement stones from the original quarry will save the expense of locating matching stones elsewhere in the state of Texas,” Welch said, adding, “Stone could be quarried locally and hauled to Matador to use in the repair work.”

Some local historians said the jail stone was quarried from a different location than the stone for the old original courthouse. Some reports say the quarry is located five miles west of town, about two miles of Salt Creek, southwest of Boone

Mountain. If anyone has any information on the exact location of this historic quarry, please contact Ted Davey (689-2004) or Judge Ed D. Smith (347-2334).

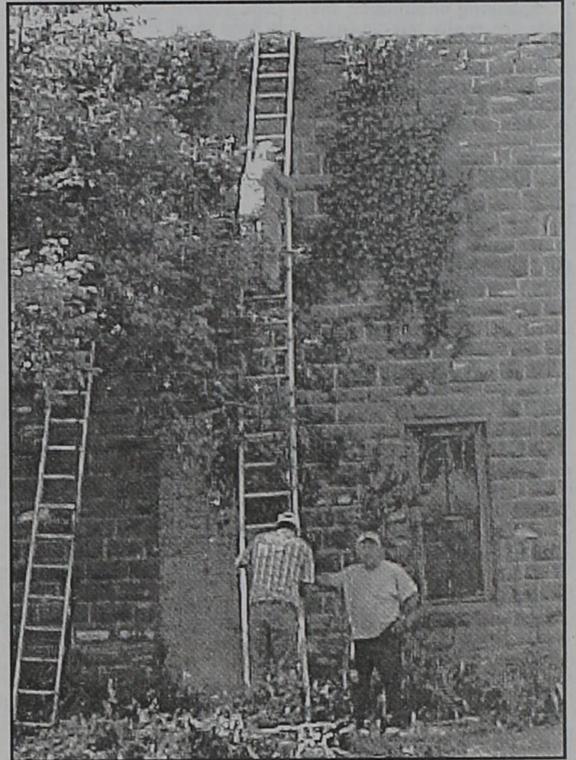
Other Phase I repairs will include restoration of the exterior windows and doors. The building is covered by ivy on the north side of the structure, obscuring three windows. It appears that a door was sealed on the north side of the structure, and the opening covered with concrete blocks. An assessment needs to be made to the restoration of this opening. Windows need to be repaired, sealed, missing hardware replaced, and glass installed where missing.

The concrete roof, although intact, has suffered cracking along the base of the parapet at the perimeter of the roof, which has allowed water infiltration into the ceiling of the second floor. “The roof needs major repair, requiring work on the parapet, installation of a waterproofing membrane or a new built-up roof,” Welch said.

The site work in Phase I will include removal of overgrown vegetation, unsightly (and non-historic) fencing, restoration of the water and sewer services, minimal at-grade parking, and grading for storm water drainage.

This monument and historic landmark has a colorful history from outlaw Sheriff Joseph Beckham to the amusing story of postponing Digger Danby’s date at the gallows so he could ‘witch for water’. Some might

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Motley County employees Richard Thomas, top of ladder, and Dean Osborn and David Taylor, worked last week to remove the English Ivy vines from the outside walls of the historic Motley County Jail. (contributed photo)

## Matadors’ two-a-day practices will begin August 6th

Motley County Matadors will begin their two-a-day football practices August 6, with the first session from 6:00 until 8:00 a.m. and the second session from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m.

The first week of practices will be held twice a day August 6, 7, 8, and 9. On August 10, the morning session will be held and the evening session will be held at midnight with MIDNIGHT MADNESS.

Times will be announced for weeks two and three.

All athletes, grades 7-12, boys and girls, should call the Motley County Clinic at 347-2641 to make an appointment for physicals, between July 16 and August 27.

According to Coach Mike Bigham, physical forms will be at the Clinic. Athletes should take the physical from home and have their parent/guardian complete the personal side of the form. Take the form to the Clinic on the day of physical appointment and leave the form at the Clinic.

## Area woman to be featured on ABC Primetime’s “Six Degrees of Martina McBride” July 30th

ABC Primetime will feature “Six Degrees of Martina McBride” on their July 30th episode including Dickens native DeAnne Roberts.

The program is about the connections, talent and luck it takes to become a country music superstar and follows six singers from the middle of nowhere with nothing but their dreams.

They have to track down Martina McBride in six steps or less, proving the theory that everyone in the world is connected by a human chain or no more than six people.

If successful, they must prove they can sing. Ultimately one will be chosen to receive a development deal with a record label in Nashville.

The concept of six degrees of separation was made famous in 1967 by social psychologist

Stanley Milgram, whose experiments suggested that two random American citizens were connected on average by a chain of six acquaintances.

ABC rules did not allow participants to contact people at random; instead, they must use one of their own acquaintances who knows somebody, who knows somebody, who knows somebody, and so on.

The six participants will not see McBride during the competition, but all were introduced to her earlier this year backstage at a concert in Atlanta.

Roberts, 44, was raised in Dickens, graduated from Patton Springs High School in 1981 and graduated from Texas Tech in 1986 with a bachelor of science degree in family studies.

The program will air at 8 p.m. July 30th, on ABC.



KITE DAY — Dinah Young helps granddaughter, Jenna LaDue, with the string to her Kite during last Saturday’s first annual Kite Day sponsored by the Motley County Chamber of Commerce. Hackberry Creek Care Center residents enjoyed watching the kites on a cool, cloudy day. Everyone participating received a prize and enjoyed a hot dog lunch after the show.



I'm one of those people who never get sick! I guess I'm just too busy! I very rarely ever have a cold or anything else. But, this week I have been hit with a humdinger of a cold! I've been snortin' and blowin' and coughin'. I'm sure if anyone hears me they want to run. I'll have to admit I have felt like I've been run over with a truck and all I want to do is go to bed. But, no rest for the weary I guess. Too busy to think about resting and getting well. But, God's always there for me and pulls me through. I guess I've had a "summer cold."

Speaking of summer, the bugs are really bugging me. When I'm out working in the yard, the gnats and mosquitoes are buzzing and I'm swattin'. A friend of mine sent these bug repellent tips and I thought I would share them. I have tried the Bounce Fabric Softener sheets. They do work! (I just pinned a sheet onto my shirt with a small safety pin).

Use Bounce Fabric Softener Sheets. Best thing ever used in Louisiana... just wipe on and go. Great for babies.

A fisherman takes one vitamin B-1 tablet a day April through October. He said it works and that he hasn't had a mosquito bite in 33 years. Everyone he has talked into trying

it works on them. Vitamin B-1 (Thiamine Hydrochloride 100mg.)

If you eat bananas, the mosquitoes like you - something about the banana oil as your body processes it. Stop eating bananas for the summer and the mosquitoes will be much less interested.

This is going to floor you, but one of the best insect repellents someone found (who is in the woods everyday), is Vick's Vapo-rub.

Plant marigolds around the yard, the flowers give off a smell that bugs do not like, so plant some in that garden also to help ward off bugs without using insecticides.

"Tough guy" Marines who spend a great deal of time 'camping out' say that the very best mosquito repellent you can use is Avon Skin-So-Soft bath oil mixed about half and half with alcohol.

One of the best natural insect repellants discovered is made from the clear real vanilla. This is the pure Vanilla that is sold in Mexico. Supposedly it works great for mosquitoes and ticks.

Good luck and watch out for those mosquitoes. After seeing my brother suffer with a very bad case of West Nile Virus, the little devils scare the sweat off me!

## Look Who's New



### Jaxon Mark Brown

Zachary Pace Brown would like to announce the arrival of his baby brother, Jaxon Mark.

Jaxon and Zachary are the sons of Randy and Andrea Brown of Matador.

Jaxon was born in Lubbock, June 16, 2007. He weighed 8

pounds 2 ounces and was 22 inches long.

Grandparents are Tomas and Sarah Hinojosa of Quitaque, Nancy Pace Brown of Levelland, and Ronnie and Jane Brown, also of Levelland.

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### Self-Control



Several months ago I was asked to present a lesson and provide all the scriptures I knew of on the matter of self-control. This request came one evening during the course of the Men's Class I teach on Tuesday nights. I agreed to do so and what follows are some of the thoughts from that preparation.

"Control," the word itself is a word that brings to our minds several different concepts. But the control we will speak of here is "self-control." We, it listed in our Bible, as one of the "fruits of the spirit." It is name in the list of Christian virtues that are to be added to our faith. Easier said than done. Someone has said, "He is every inch a king who rules with absolute authority over his appetites and desires."

R. Whitson Seaman also hit the nail on the head when he stated, "Abstain from what is harmful to the body or soul, and be moderate in your use of what is not." Self-control lies in some of these areas: What we say ... what we wear ... how we act ... where we go ... what we read ... what we watch on TV ... Here are some others - attending church services ... how much we give ... daily Bible reading ... praying ... and speaking to others about the salvation offered through Jesus. These are also matters of self control.

The person who says they have no problem with self-control usually doesn't have any. The individual quoted earlier is again quoted here: "Not qualified to be in command of others is he who is hot in command of himself." (Mr. Seaman). The world we inhabit would be a better place if all of us practice self-control more often. It begins with me and will you join me? Let's give it a try.

### Roaring Springs Church of Christ

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

## Library Notes

By Suzanne Abbott, Librarian



One week from today, on Thursday, August 2, there will be a meeting of the Friends of the Library at 4:00 p.m. at the Library. Everyone is invited to attend. The Friends of the Library is a group that supports the Motley County Library. The Friends sponsor the library's Summer Reading Program for Kids by bringing refreshments, buying supplies for arts and crafts projects and purchasing the prizes for the reading program.

The Friends earn the money to support the library's activities by selling the Texas Capitol Ornaments and the post-cards and magnets, both of which show scenes of Motley County. The Friends is a 501 (c) (3) organization and people can make tax-deductible donations to this group.

The big fundraiser of the

Friends is the Rootin' Tootin' Beans and Cornbread lunch on Friday of Old Settlers. This activity is coming up on August 24. We appreciate all of the support that we have received at this event in the past and hope that everyone will attend this year.

We hope to see all our Friends at the meeting Thursday. If you have never attended a meeting of the Friends of the Library, you are welcome to come on Thursday, July 26, at 4:00 p.m. at the library. Don't think that the Friends meeting will be a dry, fuddy-duddy event. At the last Friends meeting things got completely out of control because everyone was having such a good time. The presiding officer might as well have just gone out for a hamburger for all the good she was doing. She you next Thursday.

## Chamber News & Views

By Marie-Louise Liebe-Harkott

Consider:

I fully appreciate the ability of trees to attract kites. They have special powers that way.

-- Charlie Dunton

The day of the Kite Flying Contest sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce dawned on Saturday, and wouldn't you know it, it was foggy. And there was no wind -- none whatsoever.

How can you have a kite-flying fest in the fog with no wind? Undeterred, some of the hard workers the Chamber is fortunate to have went on with the preparations.

And by 10:30, when the first kite-flyers arrived, the fog had lifted, though the coolness remained. And the wind came up! Not too much, just the right amount.

Many of the residents from the Hackberry Creek Care Center came out to watch the proceedings.

And then the field was covered with children and parents, running into the wind to get the kites to lift off. One man driving by saw what he was missing, and stopped to join in the fun.

And the results? One kite took off for Whiteflat, held firmly with first one string, then tied to that a second spool, and then,

tied to that, all of a third spool. It was hard to see, it was so far away, but if you shaded your eyes, you could just make it out high among the clouds.

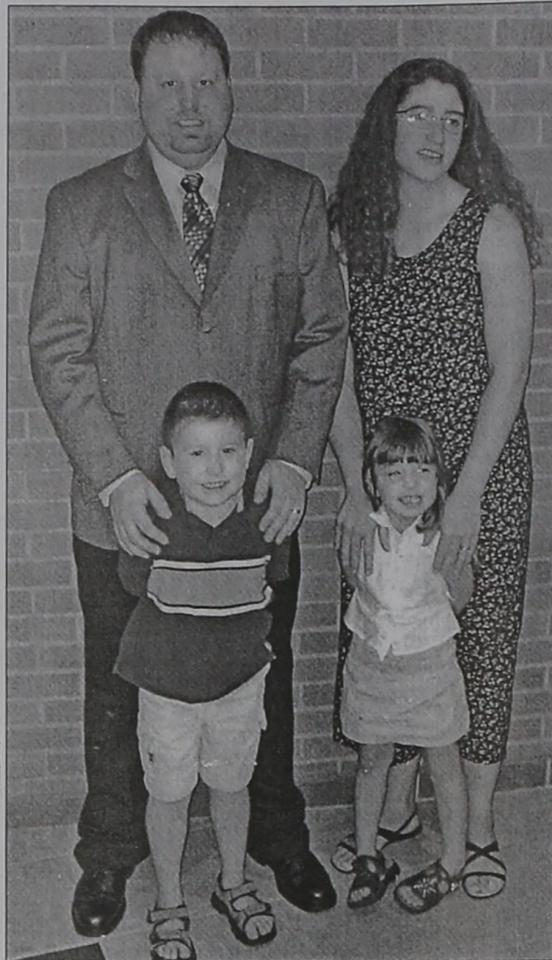
Another kite, striped in rainbow colors, seemed headed for Floydada, and, though it didn't get quite so far as the first, it flew proudly the entire time.

And then more and more kites were up, dancing in the wind.

Some kites were indeed attracted to trees, another got caught in the transformer box on an electricity pole. Sadly, it proved impossible to retrieve it.

Finally, it was time for the hot dogs, and the prizes. The Chamber had prizes for all the children; they had worked so hard. Kite-flying is indeed a cultural tradition that is alive and well in Motley County.

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NEW PASTOR — Rev. Eric Sullivan, pictured with his family, wife Sara and children Nathaniel and Elizabeth, is the new pastor for the First Assembly of God church in Matador.

## Matador welcomes new Assembly of God Pastor

Pastor Eric, Sara, Nathaniel and Elizabeth Sullivan would like to thank you for the warm welcome you have extended as he becomes new pastor at First Assembly of God in Matador.

Pastor Eric was born Muncie, Indiana where he attended Ball State University, receiving his Bachelor of Science in both Speech/Communication and American History. He also has minors in General Science, Secondary Education, Organizational Communication and Political Science.

Pastor Sullivan is a certified minister in the Assemblies of God. He received his Master of Divinity at Winebrenner Theological Seminary with a Minor in Spiritual Formation. He has served in various youth and college ministry positions for the last 17 years.

Mrs. Sullivan was born in Bowling Green, Ohio, grew up in nearby Findlay, Ohio, and re-

turned to Bowling Green for college where she received her Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education. She also has a concentration in the arts. For the last 11 years, Mrs. Sullivan has served in various children's, youth and college ministries. This fall she will be working on the staff at Motley County Elementary School.

Nathan, 7, is very excited about attending first grade this year at Motley County Elementary School. Elizabeth, 4, will attend Pre-K and is very ready to go to a full day school.

The Sullivans are very excited to be in a small town and are ready to work with not only their church, but the community of churches and the town as well.

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## Bob Forbis re-elected to Electric Cooperative Board

Spur, Texas — Incumbent Robert "Bob" Forbis was re-elected to the South Plains Electric Cooperative Board of Directors at the Dickens Division annual membership meeting on Thursday, July 19, at the local office in Spur. Forbis was re-elected by the member-owners of the cooperative, which is one of the many unique differences about an electric cooperative. The members are the customers and are responsible for electing their board representation. This local control is extremely valuable in today's volatile business world.



Robert "Bob" Forbis

Members attending the meeting received another value-added benefit of cooperative membership — a new Cop-op Connections membership card. The card serves as a cooperative membership card, but also carries discounts on products and services at more than 200 local and 25 national businesses. Now the card will save members 10-60% on prescriptions at their local pharmacy. The new Co-op Connections cards are printed with information the local pharmacy needs to process the discount. All members of the Cooperative will receive these new cards in the October issue of Texas Cop Power magazine.

About 400 members and guest enjoyed fish and chicken catered by Riversmith's of Lubbock. This year's entertainment was Mike Porter from Dickens. Door prizes are also a meeting tradition and after 30 plus prizes were awarded, Janie and Mike Day of Spur took home the grand prize of a high definition, flat screen television.

SPEC President Tommy Joines and General Manager James Driver highlighted events and activities over the

past year. Both cooperative leaders talked about cooperative advantages, the highly-trained employees and the use of technology to keep electricity flowing reliably.

Seven employees, representing 105 years of service, received awards at the meeting. Ralph Frausto, apprentice lineman, received a 5-year award. Robert Daughtry, journeyman lineman, Leo Day Jr., meter reader/collector and Kevin Swaringen, journeyman lineman, received 10-year awards. Ronald Todd, foreman, received a 15-year award. Mike Marshall, foreman, received a 25-year award and Bill Middleton, engineering field representative received a 30-year award.

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circumstances. The official record sheds no light on the causes of the fire, but local lore blames Matador's infamous outlaw sheriff, Joseph Beckham. Luckily, the jail was built as a separate structure on Ballard Creek, a short distance from the main courthouse. At 116 years, the jail is the oldest standing government structure in the county.

"The jail was occupied by various law enforcement and jailers until the early 1980s, and has remained unoccupied now for almost 25 years," Judge Ed D. Smith said. "The structure is in great need of repair, with the sandstone exterior in fair to poor condition, the wood on the original windows rotting, and extensive wall and ceiling water damage. Without sufficient support, the structure will eventually 'cave in' on itself," he said. Smith lived in the jail as a young man. His father, Big Ed D., was the Deputy/Jailer for about five years, before his retirement in 1965.

The Friends of the Historic Motley County Jail is a newly formed organization, currently applying for non-profit status as a 501(c)(3). Current board members are Pat Groves, Menlo Park, CA, Judge Ed D. Smith, Ted Davey, Roy Hobbs, Carol Campbell and Geneva Wilson. The purpose of the group will be to raise awareness of the historic importance of the jail, organize membership and fundraising venues, and apply for private foundation funding to support the renovation of the jail, and conduct an oral history project. Anyone interested in participating on this board is invited to call Carol Campbell at 806-347-2334.

## School's business manager earns certification

The Texas Association of School Business Officials (TASBO) is pleased to announce that Denise Ford, Business Manager with Motley County ISD has successfully completed the requirements to earn the designation of Registered Texas School Business Administrator (RTSBA).

"We are extremely proud of Denise, she has put in a great deal of extra time and effort to complete this certification," said Motley County ISD superintendent Randy Brown. "Denise has helped bring a conservative and efficient approach to fiscal management, due to her efforts the financial outlook of the district has improved," said Brown.

A voluntary certification effort founded in 1985, the TASBO certification program is designed to elevate professional standards, enhance individual performance and designate those who demonstrate knowledge essential to the practice of school business management. TASBO certification is earned through a combination of specified coursework and school business experience. Once it is earned, certification is maintained through continuing education and participation in the profession.

Individuals can earn certification in three categories: Registered Texas School Business Administrator (RTSBA); Certified Texas School Business Official (CTSBO); and Certified Texas School Business Specialist (CTSBS).

"Certification by TASBO offers school business officials the opportunity to expand their professional knowledge base, continue their education in the ever-changing rules and regulations of state and federal laws, and establish an additional level of professional recognition and respect," said Gwen Santiago, TASBO Executive Director. "Certification is a mark of distinction, a symbol of leadership and accomplishment, and it is highly regarded by others in education as well as school business management. Also, certification offers a competitive edge in today's job market."

"Denise Ford is to be commended for pursuing professional excellence through TASBO certification," Santiago stated. "The Association is pleased to recognize this out-

standing personal achievement."

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and school business practices in Texas TASBO is one of the state

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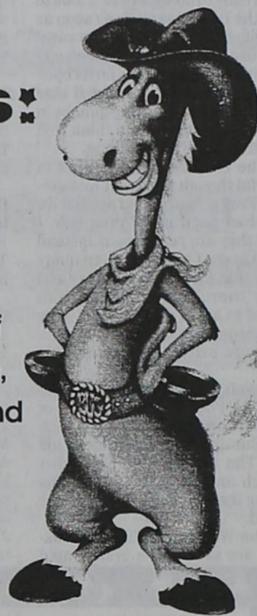
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## COUNTY JAIL RESTORATION

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say that saving the jail will save the heritage of every citizen - past, present and future," Smith said.

According to historical records, shortly after the official establishment of the county in 1891, the Matador Ranch reported the first fatal gun battle. Jeff Varner, a ranch wagon boss, has the distinction of being the first man to be buried in the local cemetery.

If the ghost of Varner could speak he would tell a tale of deceit and murder on May 10, 1891; and J.B. McLeod, a cowhand from the Matador Land and Cattle Company, would be swinging in the gallows, having met his fate for Varner's untimely death.

However, it is reported that after McLeod was arrested the time-consuming task of guarding the prisoner resulted in the speedy construction of the jail. The brown sandstone that was used for the edifice was hauled in wagons from Salt Creek, five miles west of Matador. The early-day pioneer county officials hired two local contractors, and the new building was erected in record time to harbor criminals. The small structure was built on the banks of Ballard Creek, and old Indian Encampment.

While the original courthouse was built in 1891, it burned to the ground in January, 1893, under suspicious cir-

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2002 Ford F150 Supercab 2WD, charcoal, gray cloth, V8 auto, 70K, XLT, #4233	\$12,500	2005 Chevy Ext Cab S/B LS pkg, 2WD, silver, charcoal cloth, V8 auto, 39K #4223	\$17,950
2000 Chevy Reg Cab Sport Side 4X4 Yellow, Charcoal cloth, 5.3 V8 auto, 110K, XM, #3263	\$12,500	2007 Nissan Xterra XE 2WD, white/tan buckets, V6 auto, 17K miles, #2007	\$19,700
2001 Chevy 1500 Extended Cab 4X4 White/Gold 2 Tone, 5.3 V8 auto, 86K, Z71, #4257	\$12,975	2007 Chev Trailblazer LT 4x4 white, leather, 16K miles #4160	\$22,800
2006 Chevrolet Cobalt 4DR sedan, plum, gray cloth, V6, auto, 11K #4030	\$13,000	2007 GMC Yukon 2WD, gray, gray cloth, 5.3 V8 auto, LS Pkg, Pwr Seats, 22K, #4247	\$28,450
2002 Chevy Tahoe 4x4 white/grey leather, 5.3 V8, 86K miles, #4191	\$14,500	2006 Chevy 2500 HD Crew Cab Duramax Black, Charcoal cloth, auto, LT1, XM, #4252	\$31,950

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# News Around the County

## Roaring Springs News

By Monta Marshall

Frogs and cicadas are signs of deep summer. The frogs congregate under our porch lights and hop in the house every chance they get. Do I hate to have to pick them up and remove them; they really hop fast and I am sort of slow! It doesn't take many frogs to be enough! Wonder what it was like in Biblical times when God sent the plague of frogs upon the Egyptians? Pretty terrible I would think; I believe I would have been ready to do whatever it took to send the Israelites away as soon as possible so the frogs would go away.

I usually see a small black spider with white markings on its back that catches bugs too. I let it stay around. I notice dead mosquitoes in webs I have missed and think well maybe they are a good thing.

The cicadas' song is kind of cheerful though it can get monotonous. Frog songs remind me that we have had good rains this year. I guess they are really toads instead of real frogs. I have forgotten many things that I learned in biology and today there isn't a grandchild around to ask! I do know that they eat mosquitoes and other insects which are extremely plentiful this year.

Sunday, July 29th, is a fifth Sunday. The First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs will be hosting the fifth Sunday potluck dinner this time. The First United Methodist Church and the FBC take turns hosting these dinners. The public is invited.

The Women on Mission Cookbooks are selling at a pretty rapid

clip. Thank you to all who have purchased the cookbooks.

Word was received that Bill Dillard's granddaughter, Shannon, who was severely burned in a fire-works accident in Oklahoma City has died. Her brother Travis remains in critical condition. The funeral services are tentatively set for Wednesday morning in Oklahoma City.

Peyton Fletcher and son, Justin from Arlington, visited over the weekend with his father, Bobby Fletcher and stepmother, Carolyn Fletcher.

Monday, Corky Marshall visited Bill and Mozelle Hand at UMC where Bill is recuperating from a broken hip and gall bladder surgery. Bill was sitting up and doing better. He is in room 539 at UMC.

The Daniell's have refinished the floors in the Traveller's Inn and they look really pretty. Glennard and Edith attended a funeral in Hico, Texas of an extended family member this past week.

Sharon Peacock of Cape Caranahua Bay, Texas attended church Sunday with Bill and Lea Peacock.

Joe and Joyce Meredith and grandson, Parker, accompanied grandchildren Angelica and Jonah Meredith to their home in San Angelo after the two had visited here the past week. The Merediths stayed the night and visited Cody and Leah Meredith. Parker and Jonah enjoyed fishing at a pond near their home.

## Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

### OVERHEARD

A woman went to the doctor's office where she was seen by a new doctor. But after four minutes in the examination room, she burst out of the office screaming as she ran down the hall.

An older doctor stopped her and asked what the problem was, and she told him her story. After listening, he had her sit down and relax in another room.

The older doctor marched down the hallway to where the first doctor was and demanded, "What's the matter with you? Mrs. Terry is 63 years old. She had four grown and seven grandchildren, and you told her she was pregnant?"

The new doctor continued to write on his clipboard and without looking up said, "Does she still have the hiccups?"

### NALL-FOLLEY FAMILY REUNION

The descendants of the Nall-Folley families held their 60th annual reunion Saturday and Sunday at the Ashmore Inn in Lubbock. Included in the entertainment was a White Elephant Sale and DVDS of the past 60 year reunions.

Enjoying renewing memories, good food and visiting the 70 registered from New Mexico, Colorado, South Dakota and throughout Texas.

Family members attending with Mrs. Erna Nall Washington of Flomot were Tim and Deana Washington, Matt, Ashley, Brazos and Blu Washington of Roaring Springs; Cory, Amy, Hudson and Madison Franks, Lance, Sherrilyn, Colton and Kayla Barclay and Anissa Huckert of Lubbock; Cary Franks of Idalou; Lacy, Caleb, Mickey and Kenzie Clary of Matador; Coy and Connie Franks and Cara Franks of Flomot.

### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Cade Calvert, son of Cindy and Chad Calvert, celebrated his birthday Saturday in the home of his grandparents, Kathy and Clois Shorter with a family luncheon. Cade blew out his two candles on a

## Matador News

Enjoying the tourist attractions in Ruidoso, NM from Thursday until Sunday night were Ronda and Terry Miller and children, daughter, Brittany Moore and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Moore of Lubbock.

Mrs. Marihelen Wason had surgery this past week in Lubbock. With her during surgery were daughters, Mrs. Charla Marriccle of Snyder, Mrs. Brenda Cruse and husband, Darrell of Flomot and son and wife, Mark and Kathleen Wason of Lubbock. She is reported to be doing fine.

Glenda and Rodney Williams attended the funeral services of Bill Pallmeyer held Sunday in Meridian. Mrs. Marion Woodruff and family vacationed the past week in Ruidoso, NM.

Dr. Tim and wife Dorothy Green of Austin visited a few days with his mother Edna Ruth Green.

Virginia Green of Whiteface has taken her niece Emily Scoggins of Cedar Park on a two-week cruise to Alaska.

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John Deere tractor designed and decorated cake as they sang Happy Birthday.

Those attending the festivities were great-grandparents, Mrs. Geneva Martin and L.E. Shorter of Flomot; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Wanda Calvert of Turkey; Brent, Cris, Nickelynn and Brooke Withers of Greenwood; Mrs. Judy Rhodes of Cypress; Mrs. Salina Marks of Lockney; Dwain, Christi, Haley and Emily of Petersburg; Kevin, Keri and Brian Sehon of Ropesville and local friends.

Guests Friday night of Shonda and Roger Lee at a cookout supper of hot dogs and freezer ice cream were Rex and Wanda Davey, Mrs. Marsha Taylor and Mrs. LaGay James of Plainview; Penny and Bud Taylor of Floydada; Lexie Hightower of Amarillo and Barb of Arkansas.

Mrs. Marilee Cooper of Borger and her father, Wilburn Martin explained from Amarillo Airport Tuesday for San Antonio. After arriving, Marilee attended a Seminar for School Counselors. They enjoyed E-Max Theater movies, toured the Alamo, Wax Museum and other tourist attractions. Their accommodations were next to the famous River Walk. They returned home Friday.

Tim, Melissa, Jere and Jacob Kendall attended Melissa's Jones family reunion held in New Braunfels July 13-14. They returned home July 20 after visiting in Houston with friend, Jere Banewski.

Mary Ellen "Dude" Barton was a luncheon guest Sunday of Mrs. Marisue Powell at her Mott Creek Ranch.

## OBITUARY

### William C. "Bill" Pallmeyer

William C. "Bill" Pallmeyer, 84, of Meridian, passed away Thursday, July 19, 2007, at a Clifton hospital. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 22, at First United Methodist Church in Meridian, with interment following at Kopperl Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday at Lawson Funeral Home in Meridian.



Pallmeyer was born June 16, 1923, at Steiner Community in Bosque County. He graduated from Kopperl High School and was attending John Tarleton Agriculture College (now Tarleton State University) when World War II began. He joined the U.S. Army, serving in the Pacific and participating in the invasion of Okinawa. After the war, he joined the Army Reserves and served for 36 years before retiring as a lieutenant colonel.

In 1948, Pallmeyer graduated with a degree in Agricultural Engineering from Texas A&M. He became a County Agricultural Agent and worked in Hall, Wichita and Knox counties before moving to Motley County in 1953. He was County Agent for 27 years in Motley County, acting as mentor and advisor to hundreds of 4-H Club members.

Bill Pallmeyer and Malita Henson were married in 1952 and raised a family of a girl and two boys. He retired from government service in 1979 and moved to Meridian, working as a loan advisor at the Bosque County Bank. He was a

member of the First United Methodist Church in Meridian, the Bosque County A&M Club, the Meridian Lions Club, the Clifton VFW, the Clifton American Legion and the Bosque County Historical Commission.

Survivors include his wife, Maleta Pallmeyer of Meridian; daughter Paula Pallmeyer Welling and her husband Ron Welling of Amarillo; son Will Pallmeyer and his wife Deb of Clifton; son Karl Pallmeyer and his wife Lisa of Austin; grandchildren Susan Mullin of Amarillo, Scott Welling of Amarillo, Amy Pallmeyer of Clifton, William Pallmeyer of Clifton, and Angie Pallmeyer of Amarillo; and numerous other relatives.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

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## Notice of Public Hearing on Motley Co. Appraisal District Budget

The Motley Co. Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the '07-'08 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on August 2, 2007 at 5:30 p.m.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget.	\$ <u>49,846.00</u>
The total amount of increase over the current year's budget.	\$ <u>600.00</u>
The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget.	<u>1</u> (full-time equivalent)
The number of employees compensated under the current budget.	<u>1</u> (full-time equivalent)

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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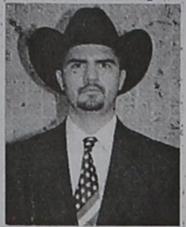
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# County Agent's News

By Ryan Martin,  
Motley County Extension Agent



**NOTICE: DEATH OF RETIREE**  
We have been notified of the death of William C. Pallmeyer. He passed away on July 19, 2007. Mr. Pallmeyer was the County Extension Agent in Motley County when he retired in August of 1979.

Funeral services were held Sunday, July 22, 2007, in Meridian.

Cards and condolences may be sent to his family at the following address: 515 Main, Meridian, Texas 76665.

**TEXAS 4-H/FFA LAMB & GOAT VALIDATION**

The time is approaching fast to order ear tags for state validation for goats and lambs. If you are planning on competing in a major stock show, please contact Jim Cooper or Ryan Martin and let them know how many goat or lamb tags you will need. The cost of ear tags is \$7 before the deadline of September 5th. After September 5th, the cost of ear tags will be \$20.

**10 COUNTY CAMP**

The 10 County Camp will be held on August 7 at the Roaring Springs Community Center. The camp will start at 10:30 a.m. and run until 9:30 p.m. The cost of the camp is \$10 per participant. The fee covers the materials needed for the workshops and your child will be fed lunch and supper. We have made plans for several educational and fun workshops along with swimming at the Roaring Springs Ranch Club and a dance that evening. The camp is opened to any 4-H club member within the 10 counties participating. If your child is planning on attending the 10 County Camp, please contact the Extension office before August 1st. We need to know how many participants we will have in order to plan the meals and workshops.

**PRIVATE APPLICATORS TRAINING**

Are you needing your pri-

vate applicators license? If so, there will be a Private Applicators Training on August 2nd at the Motley County Library Annex Building (next to the Motley County Library). The training will start at 8 a.m. and will conclude at 1 p.m. or when testing is finished. Coffee and doughnuts will be served in the morning but we will not serve or break for lunch. If you plan on attending this training, please contact the Extension office so we will know how many participants to expect.

**DISTRICT 4-H RECORD BOOKS**

Winners in the Texas Cooperative Extension Rolling Plains District 3, 4-H Record Book judging were selected July 17th. Twenty-four Rolling Plains Counties participated with a total of 88 juniors, 87 intermediates, and 75 seniors competing. Record books were placed first through fifth with first place senior record books advancing to the state record book judging contest.

This year we had 5 record books submitted from Motley County. In the junior division, Cassidy Turner placed first in Food and Nutrition, Seth Baxter placed third in Sheep, and Mattie Brooks placed third in Veterinary Science. In the intermediate division, Jaci Zingerman placed second in Photography. In the senior division, Shane'a Russell placed first in Food and Nutrition and will advance to the State record book judging contest where she will compete for scholarships and awards. These individuals did an excellent job and I am very proud of them.

**WEST TEXAS SWINE CAMP**

There will be a West Texas Swine Camp on August 11, 2007, at the Terry County Livestock Facilities. If you are interested in attending, please call or come by the Extension office. Registration is due by 5 p.m. on August 9th.

# REMEMBERING DAYS GONE BY

Stories of days gone by in and around Motley County

**LAND MARKS**  
by John Duff Green

Texas is dotted with landmarks, from the pine-clad hills of East Texas to the rugged mountains in the Trans-Pecos country, with their towering peaks anchored in the clouds above. From the Coastal Plains of South Texas to the Red River, Pilot Knob with its bold projection above the timber in Denton County, Flat Top Mountain near the heart of Lampassas County, Kiowa Peak near the northeast corner of Stonewall County, Quitaque Peaks near the headwaters of Pease River, Cooper and McKenzie Mountains along the dividing airline between Kent and Scurry Counties are a few giant freaks nature left in the wake of creation to mystify man's thoughts.

The Double Mountains, two solitary sentinels, like the pyramids of Egypt, stand on the divide in the narrows between the two Brazos Rivers and from whose heights more than likely McKenzie's Tonkawa Indian scouts sought the signal smoke of their dreaded Commanche and Kiowa foes, as they viewed the surrounding country for miles and miles away from them. A fair scene they saw, indeed, that equaled in extent Moses' view from Mt. Pisgah's height, as he glimpsed the promised land he was not allowed to enter.

In the early morning of any clear day, you may care to scale the heights of the Double Mountains; the view with the natural eye will cover about six counties of thirty miles square or approximately three million, five hundred thousand acres of land.

and fifty years ago it was as fine a cow range as a crow ever flew over, covering the Brazos Basin under the Caprock, which is that rugged, upright, elevated dividing line between that broad level tableland known as the Plains proper, from that other broad expanse of more undulating prairies lying adjacent yet hundreds of feet beneath them.

Beyond the north and south watersheds or the ridges that divide the Brazos waters from those that flow into the Red and the Colorado Rivers, you see not, but your view will extend from Dickens to Buffalo Gap, and from the Caprock near Post City to within a few miles of Haskell, Texas. It is a sizable territory and a diversified one that is destined to furnish happy homes to teeming millions of people, as it has to countless herds of buffalo and cattle - but we are getting ahead of the drive, ahead of the cattle, by anticipating the future when the story belongs to the past, a very short span of years that faded into the gloaming only too quickly, while to those who knew them there is a lingering memory even as the sun of their lives sinks. That is one of the "why" the old cowmen foregather at the livestock conventions, the Fat Stock Shows and the rodeos; they enjoy rehearsing the things in common to each of them.

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**7-Day Forecast**

	<b>Thursday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 90 Low: 69
	<b>Friday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 91 Low: 70
	<b>Saturday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 92 Low: 70
	<b>Sunday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 88 Low: 68
	<b>Monday</b> Mostly Sunny High: 86 Low: 65
	<b>Tuesday</b> Mostly Sunny High: 89 Low: 66
	<b>Wednesday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 91 Low: 69

**In-Depth Forecast**

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, high temperature of 90°, humidity of 41% and an overnight low of 69°. The record high temperature for today is 108° set in 1954. The record low is 59° set in 1959.

**Moon Phases**

Full	Last	New	First
7/29	8/5	8/12	8/20

**Last Week's Local Almanac**

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation	Normal precipitation	Departure from normal
Sunday	93	68	95/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....
Monday	91	66	95/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....
Tuesday	92	66	95/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....
Wednesday	91	68	96/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....
Thursday	91	67	96/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....
Friday	91	69	96/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....
Saturday	90	69	96/71	0.00"	.....	.....	.....

Average temperature ..... 79.4°  
Average normal temperature ..... 83.3°  
Departure from normal ..... -3.9°  
Data as reported from Childress, Texas

**Weather History**

July 26, 1987 - Thunderstorms developing along a cold front produced hail two inches in diameter in McHenry County, Ill. and wind gusts to 70 mph at Auburn, Maine. A wind gust of 90 mph was recorded at Blairstown, N.J. before the anemometer broke.

**Sun & Moon Times**

Sunrise today	.....	6:50 a.m.
Sunset tonight	.....	8:49 p.m.
Moonrise today	.....	6:35 p.m.
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#### CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)

Dist/Div: Childress  
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Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.  
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MOTLEY COUNTY ISD hereby serves notice that they are now taking bids on PROPERTY INSURANCE, GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE, FLEET INSURANCE.

1. Sealed proposals will be received in the Superintendent's office, P.O. Box 310, Matador, Texas 79244, until 4:00 p.m., August 9, 2007.

2. Each proposal received shall be in a sealed envelope plainly marked:

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3. Proposals will be awarded during the regular board meeting on August 13, 2007. Bids received after the 4:00 p.m. deadline will be returned to the bidder unopened.

4. Additional information may be obtained by contacting Randy Brown at Motley County ISD (806) 347-2677.

5. Bidders may not withdraw their proposals after the closing time for Submission of proposals.

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