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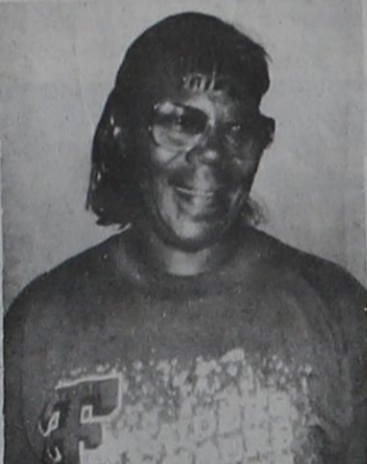
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MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR



JESSIE MAE BROWN

Jessie Mae Brown is a native of Matador. She graduated from Dunbar High School in Lubbock, where she attended her four years of High School. Jessie Mae has a housekeeping service in Matador. She has three children, Ann of Weatherford, OK; Bezell of Omaha, NB; and Darrell of Arlington.

In her spare time she enjoys reading, watching T.V., shopping, and visiting with her kids.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

There is no great future for any people whose faith has burned out.

— Rufus M. Jones

Barbara's Bylines

Another Small World story.... from "Letters to the Editor", *The Texas Spur*, Terry Lee writes.

"Here is a story for those who need confirmation that it is still a small world.

On Monday morning, July 8th, Terry Edwards rented a Cessna 172 single engine airplane, N4870V, from a local operator in Eastland. Mr. Edwards was flying to Muleshoe to pick up a couple of business associates for a meeting in Austin.

The weather was good and all went well, until about an hour into flight. At about 11:50 a.m. the engine loses power and while he was evaluating the problem, he descends below his assigned altitude of 8000 feet.

Bruce Hitchens, air traffic controller at Fort Worth Air Route Traffic Control Center, notices his altitude and asks N4870V to verify altitude. By this time the engine has quiet and Mr. Edwards advises Fort Worth Center that he is going down and Spur airport is his best option.

While this is taking place, Bruce advises the supervisor, Helen Mahon, that an aircraft has lost an engine and is going down. Terry Lee, also a controller at Fort Worth, hears this and tells Bruce that the aircraft is very close to Spur and that is his best bet. Helen asks Terry to plug in and assist Bruce. Terry, also an experienced pilot, asks if he can do something that will be of more help to the situation. Knowing the dire straits Mr. Edwards is facing from previous experience and how desolate an out of way airport is when your airplane is broken, Terry calls for assistance to the people he trusts will provide the fastest assistance. Terry called Mom and Dad. Gloria answered the phone and was told what was happening. She asked what to do and Terry said send Alvis out to the airport. He also said to send the ambulance, because there was no guarantee that the airplane could make the airport.

Twelve minutes after the problem started Terry Edwards is safely on the ground.

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Motley County School Bells Will Begin Ringing August 26th

Motley County ISD will begin classes August 26, 1996. All students will meet in the gym at 8:20 a.m.

High School classes will register for classes on Tuesday, August 20, 1996 at the following times:

9th grade - 5:00 p.m.
10th grade - 5:45 p.m.
11th grade - 6:30 p.m.
12th grade - 7:00 p.m.

Grades 1-8 will register in their home rooms on the first day of school.

All students will receive enrollment packets on the first day of school. Parents, please fill out these packets and return to school as soon as possible.

Teachers will return to school August 20 at 9:00 a.m. for the first day of In-Service.



Pre-K and Kindergarten Registration

The Motley County Pre-K and Kindergarten registration for the 1996-97 school year will be Friday, August 23rd, at 1:30 p.m. in their classrooms. To be eligible for Pre-K a child must be 4 years of age on or before September 1, 1996. For a child to be eligible for Kindergarten he/she must be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 1996.

The parents of the children that

have never attended the Motley County schools are asked to bring copies of the child's birth certificate, social security card, and shot record.

The Pre-K, Kindergarten, and First Grade day will begin at 8:20 a.m. and end at 2:40 p.m. Students that are on a bus route will be supervised until the buses run at 3:46 p.m.

Sharp Delivers Sales Tax Rebates of \$143 Million

(Austin) — John Sharp, State Comptroller of Public Accounts, today delivered a total of \$143 million in July sales tax rebates to 1,080 Texas cities and 115 counties, a 6.7 percent increase over the July 1995 allocations.

"The fact that local sales tax refunds statewide have averaged 8.6 percent ahead of the first seven months of last year is an excellent indicator of the state's continuing healthy economic climate," Sharp said.

Texas cities received \$130.3 million in sales tax rebates for July, or 7.7 percent above the \$121 million delivered last year. Counties were rebated a total of \$12.6 million, down 2.8 percent from the \$13 million allocations in July 1995.

This month's sales tax rebates include taxes collected on May sales and reported to the Comptroller in June by businesses filing monthly tax returns. Twenty special purpose districts

around the state were sent monthly payments totaling \$3.4 million.

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation is scheduled for Friday, August 9.

Motley County totals:
Matador - current rate, 1.000%; net payments this period, 1,241.26; comparable payment prior year, 1,114.56; % change, 11.36%; 1996 payments to date, 11,364.34; 1995 payments to date, 11,957.43; % change, -4.96%

Roaring Springs - current rate, 1.000%; net payment this period, 1,167.63; comparable payment prior year, 1,536.49; % change, -24.00%; 1996 payments to date, 10,946.87; 1995 payments to date, 11,094.11; % change, -1.32%

County total - net payment this period, 2,408.89; comparable payment prior year, 2,651.05; % change, -9.13%; 1996 payments to date, 22,311.21; 1995 payments to date, 23,051.54; % change, -3.21%

Pictures Needed for Old Settlers Paper

The annual Motley-Dickens County Old Settlers Reunion will be held August 22-23-24. Our special Old Settlers edition will be out Thursday, August 22.

If you have any old time Old Settlers pictures or stories, we would like to ask, once again, to use them for this special edition. The deadline will be Friday, August 16 for special pictures, stories, etc.

We assure you that we will take very good care of them and will return them to you as soon as possible after the paper is out.

Don't forget - start looking for pictures, etc.!

Thank you so much for your help!



AT THE HEAD OF THE REALM — Mr. Wayne Morren, (left), and Mr. Rick Copp are at the top of the realm for Motley County ISD. Mr. Morren is the new Principal. He comes to Motley County from Tulla, where he was a teacher and coach for five years, and an assistant Principal for one semester. He has been in education for the past nine years. Mr. Copp, new Superintendent, was Motley County Principal for two years, and Principal for three years in Lazbuddie. He was also a Vo-Ag teacher for eighteen years. Mr. Morren and Mr. Copp will welcome students August 26 when school bells will begin ringing for the 1996-97 school year.

Speed Restrictions For Towing Trailers

If you tow a trailer with a passenger car or a light truck, you should be aware of the following which is taken from the transportation code (traffic law book).

"Light truck" means a truck with a manufacturers rated carrying capacity of not more than 2,000 pounds, including a pickup truck, panel delivery truck, and carry-all truck. (This would cover 1 ton, 3/4 ton, 1/2 ton, and smaller pickup trucks).

Unless a special hazard exists that requires a slower speed the following is the speed limit:

60 miles per hour in daytime and 55 miles per hour in nighttime if the vehicle is a truck, other than a light truck, or if the vehicle is a truck-tractor, trailer, or semi-trailer, or a vehicle towing a trailer, semi-trailer, another

motor vehicle, or a house trailer of an actual or registered gross weight lighter than 4,500 pounds and a length of 32 feet or shorter, excluding the tow bar.

45 miles per hour if the vehicle is towing a house trailer of an actual or registered gross weight heavier than 4,500 pounds or longer than 32 feet, excluding the tow bar.

50 miles per hour if the vehicle is a

school bus. (55 miles per hour on interstate highways).

The important point to remember is that if you are towing a trailer, the speed limit is 60 mph during daytime and 55 mph during nighttime. This includes any size or type of trailer.

"Daytime" is the period from 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset.



Reserved Football Seats Available

The Motley County High School Pep Club has some reserved seats at the Football Stadium for sale. The cost is \$10 per seat. If you are interested, contact Kathy Gillespie at 347-2676 or 347-2208.

Those who already have reserved seats are reminded that payment is due by August 15.

Motley County Athletic Director, Coach Ron Cox, announced this week that the 1996 Motley County Matadors began their season with two-a-day workouts beginning on Wednesday, August 7 at 7 a.m.

Coaches Mark Neely and Shannon O'Pry will assist Coach Cox for the Motley County Matadors '96 season.

The Matadors will have a different playing district this year, including Springlake-Earth, Farwell, Sudan, Nazareth, Happy, Valley, and Kress.

The 1996 Homecoming game will be played October 18 against Sudan.

The first scrimmage will be here, August 23, with Crowell, with a tentative time 5:30 p.m.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

MAVERICKS

Sept. 12	Paducah	Home	5:30
Sept. 19	Aspermont	Away	5:30
Sept. 26	Open		
Oct. 3	Valley	Away	5:30
Oct. 10	Kress	Home	5:30
Oct. 17	Sudan	Away	5:30
Oct. 24	Nazareth	Home	5:30
Oct. 31	Springlake-Earth	Home	5:30
Nov. 8	Happy	Away	5:30

HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY

Aug. 23	Crowell	Scrimmage	Home
Aug. 29 or 30	Lorenzo	Scrimmage	Lorenzo
Sept. 6	Knox City	Here	8:00
Sept. 13	Anton	There	8:00
Sept. 20	Aspermont	Here	8:00
Sept. 27	* Farwell	There	7:30
Oct. 4	* Valley	Here	7:30
Oct. 11	* Kress	There	7:30
Oct. 18	** Sudan	Here	7:30
Oct. 25	* Nazareth	There	7:30
Nov. 1	* Springlake-Earth	There	7:30
Nov. 8	* Happy	Here	7:30

* denotes District

** denotes Homecoming



TWO-A-DAY WORKOUTS — The Motley County Matadors began their two-a-day football workouts on Wednesday morning. Pictured above are some of the Seniors during the exercising part of the workout. The Matadors will begin their season with a scrimmage, here, with Crowell, August 23 at 5:30 p.m. Make plans now to attend scrimmages and games and Support the Matadors!!

Shorter - Milam Exchange Wedding Vows



Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Milam
(nee Christi Shorter)

Christi Anne Shorter and William Dwain Milam were united in marriage on Saturday, June 8 at the First Baptist Church in Flomot. The double ring ceremony was performed by Reverend Nathan Mulder, Pastor.

Parents of the couple are Clois and Kathy Shorter of Flomot and Linda Milam and Bill Milam of Gainsville. Grandparents of the couple attending the wedding were Herb and Geneva Martin and Everett and Alma Shorter, all of Flomot; A.D. and Doris Wilson of Callisburg; and great-grandmother, Lilly Tanner of Tulia.

Escorted by her father and presented by both parents, the bride wore a candlelight satin wedding gown with scalloped off the shoulder neckline. The bodice was decorated with Alencon lace and heavily beaded with pearls and sequins. The short sleeves are entirely Alencon lace with scalloped hemmed edges, and accented with pearls and sequins. A bouffant skirt fell from the deep basque waistline with a lace peplum bow at the back waistline. The cathedral length train is edged with Alencon lace that flowed from the dress. Pearls outlined the design in the lace accents with more pearls and sequins completing the lovely gown and train.

Her fingertip length veil of illusion was draped from a crown of satin leaves embellished with pearls and iridescent sequins.

The bride carried a heart shaped bouquet of ivory sweetheart roses accented with a satin and tulle bow.

For something old, the bride carried her mother's wedding Bible and wore her maternal and paternal grandmother's wedding bands. For something new the wedding gown and veil, something blue was her mother's garter, something borrowed was her maternal grandmother's diamond tennis bracelet. She also slipped two pennies in her shoe for good luck.

Keri Shorter, sister of the bride, served as Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were Cindy Shorter, sister of the bride; Heather Haile of Stephenville, friend of the bride, and Stephanie Milam of Gainsville, sister of the Groom. They each wore a long gown of pastel colors of green, yellow, peach, and blue satin with a backed shantung. Each carried a bouquet of fresh spring flowers tied with multicolored bows.

The flower girls were Kelsey Clay of Turkey and Morgan Little of Silverton, both cousins of the Bride. They wore tea-length dresses made of satin with organza overlay. Their headpieces were pink rose buds intertwined with organza and greenery. The flower baskets they carried were hand crocheted by the bride's great aunt, Joy Barham.

Best Man was Brand Webb of Denton. Groomsmen were Brandon Smith of Gainsville, Richard Ranco of Dallas, and Jamie Milam of Gainsville, brother of the Groom. Ushers were Rick Rhodes of College Station and Russell Rhodes of Southlake, both cousins of the Bride.

Guests were registered by Salina Shorter of Levelland and Megan Shorter of Mansfield, both cousins of the Bride.

Gerald Pipkin of Matador provided wedding selections at the Organ. A pre-recorded song, "Hold Onto the Years" sung by the mother of the Bride played, while the mothers of the bride and groom lighted candles on each side of the unity candle. Brian Haile of Stephenville sang, "Long As I Live", and "Years From Here".

Vows were exchanged before the altar which was decorated with brass candleabras on each side. They were intertwined with tulle and floral bows. Tulle also was draped on each pew in a rainbow of color. Fresh flowers were arranged in crystal vases in various places in the church.

Reception

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Flomot Community Center.

Serving at the Bride's table was a five-tiered wedding cake decorated with fresh flowers. The Bride's bouquet was the centerpiece and punch was served from a crystal bowl. Nuts and wedding mints were also served. A German Chocolate cake garnished with strawberries was served at the Groom's table. The cakes were decorated by Joely Beam and Donna Little, cousins of the Bride.

The food table held various hors d'ourves and chocolate dipped strawberries. Presiding at the Bride's table were Tammy and Tracy Slosser of Lubbock and Kim Seale of Brownwood. Serving at the groom's table was Joan Wilson and Terri Wilson, both of Callisburg. Reception



"Be beautiful inside, in your hearts, with the lasting charm of a gentle and quiet spirit which is so precious to God."

I Peter 3:4

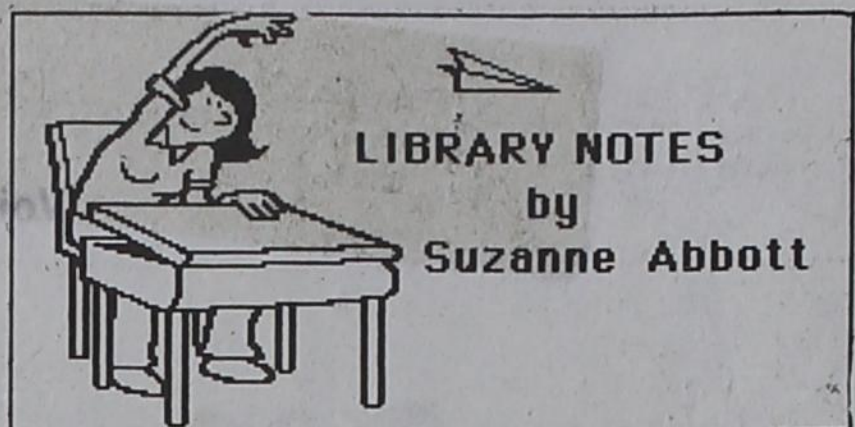
assistants were Trula Martin, Wayde Clay, Annabeth Clay and Frances Hobbs. Judy Rhodes, aunt of the bride from Southlake and Lori Kleibrink of Lubbock coordinated the wedding and reception. They were accompanied by Lisa Campbell and Peggy Woods of Turkey.

Following a trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will reside in Petersburg.

The Bride is a 1996 graduate of Texas Tech University and is employed by American State Bank in Lubbock. The Groom is a graduate of Austin College and is employed at Petersburg I.S.D.

Rehearsal Dinner

A Rehearsal Dinner was hosted by Linda Milam and Bill Milam, parents of the Groom, on Friday, June 7 at the Flomot Community Center. Barbecue brisket and all the trimmings were catered by Dale and Dona Smith of Quitaque.



Today, Thursday, August 8, there will be a meeting of the Friends of the Library at 4:00 p.m. in the Library. Y'all come.

New to our library shelves is a set of excellent books about World War II. We thank Mary Meason for making it possible for the library to have these books. There are eighteen books in all and they cover every aspect of the war, including the background and military strategy of the combat leaders of the Allies and the Axis. The literature on these books says that ages 11 through adult will enjoy the information included.

Another offering that the library has for its patrons is Catherine Coulter's newest book, *Rosehaven*. Set in 1277 in England, a multitude of richly drawn characters will lead you through this medieval adventure, not the least of which are several animals, such as Gilbert the goat, Edgar the wolf-hound and Alfred, the Healer's cat. With a keen sense of history, plot twists galore, including the mystery of Rosehaven, Coulter's latest will keep the reader entertained and captivated. This book and many more are ready to be checked out at the Motley County Library.

"Therefore thou art inexcusable, O man, whosoever thou art that judgest: for wherein thou judgest another, thou condemnest thyself; for thou that judgest doest the same things."

Romans 2:1

Look Who's New



Aubrie Brie Ann Arneel

Kerri and Robert Arneel are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Aubrie Brie Ann. She arrived at 5:04 a.m., Monday, August 5, 1996 at the Mangold Hospital in Lockney. She weighed eight pounds and four and a half ounces and was 21 inches long.

Welcoming the new arrival are brother, Michael, 7, sister, Alyssa, 4, and grandparents, Babe and Nell Jones of Floydada, Mrs. Lupe Barry of Arlington and Mike Barry of Seattle, Washington.

We're gonna kick up our heels
pledge our love forever;
toast to our future,
and together...ride into the sunset

Lacey Melody Parks
and
Ryan Ray Rankin
invite you to join us
as we join hands and hearts in marriage
on Saturday, August tenth
Nineteen hundred and ninety-six
at six o'clock in the evening
First United Methodist Church
902 Dundee Matador, Texas

Reception following ceremony

"ENTHUSIASM!"



In Colossians 3:23 God's Word says, "Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men..." Webster defines the word heartily as "strong felt; unrestrained." I would define this word as Enthusiasm! Enthusiasm is both powerful and contagious. It rubs off on you. I believe that God intended for Christians to be on fire with zeal, determination and enthusiasm.

I never tire of reading about the enthusiasm the Christians in Jerusalem have in the book of Acts. They really believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God. They really believe that the gospel of Christ is the greatest, grandest, and most glorious thing the world has ever known. They believe it, and they act as if they believe it.

When we consider the zeal and enthusiasm of the church in Jerusalem, we can understand how they grew so quickly to 5,000. Since it was the custom in those days to number only men, we can only imagine just how many Christians there actually were. What an impact this enthusiasm must have made on all those with whom they came in contact!

Even as the church began to scatter from persecution beginning in chapter 8, their enthusiasm for God and His Word did not dampen the flame of fire in their hearts. The Word says that "...those who had been scattered went about preaching the Word." (Acts 8:4).

Even outside the church, enthusiasm is considered vital to successful salesmanship. But even more, Christians really have something to be enthusiastic about. Why? Well, here are a few things: the forgiveness of sins, the gift of the Holy Spirit, the providence of God, the hope of Heaven, and the fellowship of those with a like mind (I Corinthians 1:10). These blessings, just to name a few, are worth more than all the world, and yet some of us are not as enthused about the gospel of Christ as the average salesman is about his product.

Roaring Springs Church of Christ

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

Worship - 9:00 a.m.

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Get a Free Game Ticket With Every HONCHO 44 oz. Fountain Drink Purchase!

*No purchase necessary. Game begins 6/23/96 and ends 8/17/96. See cashier for official rules and details or how to play without a purchase.

Take this coupon to any Strebeck location. If you purchase a new vehicle before August 31, 1996, you will receive \$50.00 worth of free gasoline courtesy of ALLSUP'S.

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Health News

El Progreso Club Hosts Santa Rosa Workshop

KICKING THE COUCH POTATO HABIT

The American Heart Association has labeled physical inactivity as the fourth risk factor for coronary artery disease. So being a couch potato ranks with cigarette smoking, high blood pressure and high cholesterol.

Fortunately, you don't need to run marathons to reduce your risk of heart disease. Studies show that low-intensity activities such as leisurely walking, gardening, yard work and house work can go a long way toward keeping your heart healthy. Physical activity means getting up and moving your body. Try to look for opportunities for expanding energy. It does not matter what type of activity you do, just move around.

Your goal should be to spend at least 30-40 minutes on your feet at a walking pace each day. That might mean walking around the block when you pick up the morning newspaper, strolling through the mall in the afternoon and vacuuming after dinner.

Besides keeping your heart in shape, moderate exercise provides other benefits. It can help prevent osteoporosis, control diabetes and obesity, and improve flexibility, mood and muscle

tone.

ARE YOU A COUCH POTATO?

- You are a true couch potato if you:
- * Spend most of the day sitting.
 - * Eat lunch at your desk.
 - * Always use inter-office mail, even for co-workers a few steps away.
 - * Get upset if you have to park more than 50 feet away from your destination.
 - * Always take the escalator or elevator.
 - * Avoid walking up and down stairs in your home.
 - * Watch television as your main leisure activity.
 - * Do most of your walking from the couch to the refrigerator.
 - You can cut your risk for heart disease if you:
 - * Stroll through a shopping mall or take a walk on your lunch break.
 - * Walk correspondence to co-workers in the office.
 - * Park a few blocks from your destination and walk.
 - * Use the stairs whenever possible.
 - * Do your own housework.
 - * Do your own yard work.
 - * Wash your own car.
 - * Spend 30-40 minutes on your feet at a walking pace each day.

Wednesday, July 31, at 9:00 a.m. El Progreso Study Club opened the doors of the First United Methodist Church to the Executive officers of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and members of Santa Rosa District for a workshop to be conducted by the state officers.

El Progreso club with Mrs. Grace Campbell in charge of the breakfast was hostess for the meal and "did herself proud" with the duties she undertook. She and her helpers of Mrs. Marge Edwards, Mrs. JoEta Bumgardner and Mrs. Loys Campbell furnished orange juice, fruits of every description, sausage balls and pigs in blankets, donut holes and hot coffee served from a beautifully appointed table.

Promptly at 9:30 the meeting was called to order by Santa Rosa District President, Mrs. JoAnn Dickson who then introduced the State President,

Minnie Simmang. After her presentation she introduced Marion Gamertsfelder, President-elect, Mary Beth Guy, First vice-president, Bobbi Mitchell, Second vice-president, Barbara Winningham, Recording secretary and Janoma Stephens, Treasurer, all who gave informative information on their various areas of work that pertain to the local clubs and their work along with district work that goes on and state business that is carried on that comes back to the local clubs.

Shortly after 12:00 noon the group concluded their work and were served by El Progreso Club a lunch of fiesta plate of rice, beans, chili, guacamole, chopped green onions, green chilis, grated cheese, coconut, chopped tomatoes, lettuce and chips and salsa with iced tea and brownies for dessert.

The group left to go to Lubbock to conduct the same type workshop on

Thursday for Cap Rock District IFWC.

Those serving the lunch were Mrs. Dorothy Day, Mrs. Callie Giesecke and Mrs. Beverly Vinson. Others of El Progreso attending other than previously mentioned were Mrs. Lucretia Campbell, Mrs. Winifred Darsey, and

Mrs. Lola Pohl who made beautiful name tags for all attending.

A brief Santa Rosa business meeting was held after the Executive officer departed and then an El Progreso meeting was held after that to conduct several items of business.



Home Economically Speaking

by Beverly A. Logsdon
Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

INCREASING HOME BASED BUSINESS VISIBILITY

Many home based business people fail to realize that their businesses are invisible because they are located in a home setting rather than on a street front. But creating visibility is one of the keys to a business' success.

Making your business visible is accomplished through a marketing plan that outlines the methods used to promote the service or product you are selling. If you can't persuade someone to buy your product or service, then your business will stagnate and sales and profits will disappear. Goods and services you are producing will sit on shelves. However, marketing plans ensure that you can sell the products or services you provide at a profit.

When you start a business you should decide on an image. That image should be unique. It should tell customers what you do or provide and explain what the benefits are to customers. This statement is called a positioning statement. It should cover what type of business you are in, who you serve, and how your business is different from other businesses. These statements form the foundation for how and to whom you promote your business. Without a clear business image, knowing what you are a business and to whom you are marketing your product or service, your business will be invisible to customers.

When considering starting a business, write down your plan. Include 1) the purpose of the business, 2) what part or segment of the population you sell to, (for example to women, in Anywhere, Texas, who golf at least twice a week), 3) how your business differs from other businesses, 4) the value of your product to customers, 5) what tools and techniques will be used to promote and 6) the major thrust of promoting your business.

Frequently, businesses without clearly stated marketing plans flounder using poorly selected promotional techniques. They promote general benefits rather than targeting specific customer segments with specific information. Seldom can a business be all things to all people. Select your market and techniques carefully to make your business more visible. Remember that your goal is to make a profit. If you're not selling the product or service at a profit, you probably need to review your business plan or plan a new one.

DECIDING IF A HOME BASED BUSINESS IS FOR YOU

Starting a home based business is not for everyone. But it may be for you. Research indicates successful business operators have several things in common.

They are usually dedicated, creative, flexible, and self-motivated individuals. They can keep accurate records and determine product demand. They're able to develop marketing and advertising plans that tell who they are, what they sell or provide, and at what price. They balance the risks they take with knowledge about what they can produce and provide to keep customers satisfied.

Starting a home based business requires that your home based business meets state and local zoning and licensing requirements. Check with the Texas Department of Commerce in Austin to obtain information about State business licenses and permits. Call 1-800-888-0511.

For more information on starting and managing a home based business, contact the family and consumer sciences County Extension agent in your area.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:
Thirty is a nice age for a woman, especially if she happens to be forty.

Thank you for reading the
MOTLEY COUNTY TRIBUNE

Quick Relief For All 16 Points of Arthritis Pain!

Doctors have found 16 points on the body where the pain of arthritis, myalgia, bursitis or muscle strain and cramps concentrate. Dr. David Gaw, M.D. has developed a dual-action medical formula which has proved effective in treating all 16... even deep seated pain in joints. It's called DR'S CREAM® and it is available without a prescription. It contains Capsaicin along with Methyl Salicylate and Menthol two additional topical analgesics. Capsaicin works by decreasing substance P, a chemical found around arthritic joints. It is felt to be responsible for some of the pain associated with arthritis. Capsaicin is so effective that doctors recommend this ingredient more than all other topical analgesics combined. Dr. David Gaw, M.D. formulated DR'S CREAM to be absorbed directly into joints and muscles where the pain originates. DR'S CREAM is guaranteed to do wonders for painful arthritis, myalgia

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. (Buzz) Thacker

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.
Saturday, August 10, 1996
Fellowship Hall
Assembly of God Church
Roaring Springs

The family requests no gifts except that of your presence

Give me a BIG home
where I don't pay to
roam, and can talk and
feel free as a bird.....

Digital Cellular
OF TEXAS
HOME+AREA

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Many of you contacted our office asking for a larger home area. Well, we listened to your request and we are pleased to announce our new Home+Area.

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Motley County I.S.D. 1996-97 Calendar

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School Begins August 26, 1996
First Semester Ends December 20, 1996
Last Day of School May 30, 1996

Staff Development Days [diagonal lines]
August 20, 1996
August 21, 1996

Preparation Days [square]
August 23, 1996
December 21, 1996
May 31, 1996

Holidays
Old Settlers August 22
Labor Day September 2
Thanksgiving November 28-29
Christmas Dec. 23 - Jan. 6
Spring Break March 10-14
Easter -
Weather Days March 28-31

End of Six Weeks
First Oct. 4 29 days
Second Nov. 8 25 days
Third Dec. 20 28 days
Fourth Feb. 14 30 days
Fifth April 11 33 days
Sixth May 30 35 days
180 days

Graduations
Eighth Grade May 30, 1997
High School May 31, 1997

Prep Days 3
Staff Dev. 2
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Masonic Lodge Installs Officers



INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS — (front row l-r) Doyle Walls, Floydada, Installing Officer; Alvin Alexander, Secretary; Joe Smith and James (Tootie) Meador, Junior and Senior Stewards; Cotton Barkley, Spur, Installing Marshal; J.B. Cooper, Marshal; (Second row) Furman Vinson, Treasurer; Wes Campbell, Master; Rodney Head, Junior Warden; Pat Smith, Senior Warden; James (Chlp) Smith, and Harold Campbell, Junior and Senior Deacons.

Matador Masonic Lodge held an open meeting for installation of officers on Monday, the 22nd of July, 1996. A desert supper was served at 7:00 p.m., and a good crowd was in attendance.

Attending were members and family and friends from Floydada, Spur, Dougherty and Matador.

Installation of officers was performed by Doyle Walls of Floydada

and Cotton Barkley of Spur.

After installation, Wes Campbell gave a short program on what the Masonic Lodge would try to accomplish for the new year. Discussion of the activities were followed with great enthusiasm. Guest were introduced and Wes thanked Joe Smith for his year as Master of the Lodge. After some visitation the meeting was adjourned.

Pete Laney Honored As Legislative Crime Fighter of the Year

James E. "Pete" Laney, speaker of the Texas House & Representative for House District 85, was honored recently as Legislative Crime Fighter of the Year by the Greater Dallas Crime Commission. Speaker Laney's legislative district includes Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Motley, Parmer and Swisher counties.

"His efforts while speaker on behalf of criminal justice reform and prison funding have been a great benefit to the State of Texas," said Cullen M. Godfrey, president of the Greater Dallas Crime Commission.

Speaker Laney accepted the award Thursday at the annual luncheon of the Greater Dallas Crime Commission. Speaker Laney, expressing his gratitude for the award, said, "Texans are standing up and saying our streets, our neighborhoods and our communities belong to us and not the criminals. Our job in the Legislature has been to translate those feelings into laws and programs to make it a reality. A major factor in our success in passing legislation to address crime in Texas has

been the spirit of bi-partisan cooperation in the Legislature."

Under his leadership, the state's penal code was completely rewritten in 1993 and finetuned in 1995. Lawmakers further restricted parole of felons. They also adopted new laws governing penalties and parole for sex offenders as well as new laws on victim rights, victims of family violence and stalking. More than 100,000 prison and state jail beds have been constructed.

Lawmakers also rewrote the Texas Family Code, which governs juvenile offenders. Lawmakers increased funding for programs for youth offenders. The new laws require that violent youths receive longer sentences and the age at which a juvenile can be tried as an adult is lower.

Most importantly, there has been a significant decrease in violent crime in Texas. Lawmakers hope this trend will continue as the new laws are employed and as Texas works to ensure that all young Texans receive a good, basic education.



LANEY HONORED — Texas House Speaker Pete Laney (center), of Hale Center, was honored as Legislative Crime Fighter of the Year. He is joined by Cullen M. Godfrey, president of the Greater Dallas Crime Commission (left), and John M. Brett, commission chairman (right).

Historic Vaudeville Show To Benefit Floyd County Building Project



"SALUTE TO 80-YEARS OF VAUDEVILLE" — Production of New Musical Gray's Stock Company, managed by Bill and Dell Gray of Floydada. Over 20 acts of singing, dancing, comedy and magic similar to the travelling vaudeville shows that toured West Texas during the first half of this century.

The New Musical Grays' Stock Company will make its home debut with two performances on Saturday, August 17th at Lockney Elementary. Proceeds of the historic shows will go to the Floyd County Friends, an organization of Floydada and Lockney volunteers, who are working to build a 26,000 sq. ft. multi-purpose building to serve the county and the area in a broad base of events for all ages.

Over the past year the Musical Grays' have taken their production entitled "Salute to 80-Years of Vaudeville" to Alamogordo, N.M.; the Gem Theatre in Claude; the Garza Theatre in Post; the Opera House in Anson; and to Brownfield. Bill and Dell Gray of Floydada manage the traveling

production that includes a pool of approximately 50 entertainers from across the South Plains.

The Musical Grays' show in Lockney will have over 20-acts of singing, dancing, comedy and magic similar to what traveling tent shows performed during the first half of this century. The August 17th shows will include performances by Bill Gray, Dell Gray, Jamie McGuire and Tyler Helms of Floydada; Clifty T. Clown, Lucie Daniel, Scott and Cherri Timms, William J. Lyon, Charles Addington, Donnetta Keltz, Jeanne Soria, and Darryl Lippe of Lubbock; Lori Britton of Wolforth; Tonya Marr of Peters-

burg; Marlee Plummer of Post; and Ashleigh Decker of Salton.

"Salute to 80-Years of Vaudeville" will feature classic songs like "By the Light of the Silvery Moon"; "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy of Company B"; "Give My Regards to Broadway"; "Yankee Doodle Dandy"; "Over There"; "Precious Lord"; and many others. Some of the comedy routines date back to early part of the century, and are recreated as they were in the early days of vaudeville.

Those attending will even get a taste of vaudeville as several local civic organizations will offer concessions of old fashioned homemade lemonade, popcorn, bottled root bear and others. The Floyd County Friends will also work the crowd with old-time candy sales that feature prizes.

In conjunction with the benefit, the historic Lamplighter Inn of Floydada

will be serving a special dinner the night of the show. Seating will be by reservations only. The Lamplighter Inn lays claim to Harley Sadler and other entertainers staying at their hotel when touring West Texas and stopping in Floydada 5-70 years ago. A percentage of the Lamplighter's dinner will be donated to Floyd County Friends and the building project.

Show times will be at 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 17th. Tickets are \$10.00 each, and are available in Floydada at the First National Bank, American State Bank, West Texas National Bank, and State Farm Insurance. The ticket outlets in Lockney are at the First National Bank, Schacht's Flowers, and D&J Gin. For more information call Nick Long at 983-3441 or 983-3161, Elaine LaBaume at 983-3334, or Shawnda Foster at 652-2383.

In the Rough

BY GENEVA



TOUCH OF TEXAS TWO LADY SCRAMBLE July 30

Playing in the Touch of Texas Two Lady Scramble at the Lubbock Country Club July 30 were Partners Louise Barton and LaVoe Thacker, and Geneva Wilson and Frances Moss.

Louise and LaVoe won first in 45h flight, score 77, a very good score. Geneva and Frances got beat on the score card for third place in the 5th flight.

The weather was great, the food good and the course just beautiful. The course has had a lot of work done on it. All new greens, tee boxes and lots of pretty flowers have been added. It was a very enjoyable day.

TUESDAY SCRAMBLE July 30

Winners: 1st with a score of 29, Homer Martin, Roy Grundy, Brady Goss and Howard Edmondson.

2nd with a score of 30, Alan Bingham, Ronnie Vandiver, Chip Smith, and Mark Brannon.

3rd with a score of 31, Buzz Thacker, Alfred Barton, Dee Litteken and M. Setser.

Chip Smith got closest to pin, 5'9" Others playing were M. Nelson, Pat Nelson, Joe Nelson, and Gene Brannon.

LADIES PLAYDAY August 1

Playing 18 holes were Louise Barton, Geneva Wilson, LaVoe Thacker, and Mary Lou Williams.

Louise, Geneva and Mary Lou all tied for the ball, each having 4 bogies on even holes.

9 hole players were Dorothy Day, Loys Campbell, Judy Renfro, Frances Hobbs, Olivia Barton, Lucretia Campbell, Marihelen Wason, Nell Berryman.

Lucretia won the ball, 3 bogies on even holes.

TUESDAY SCRAMBLE July 23

Winners: 1st with a score of 29 were Julian Zabielski, Alfred and Louise Barton. 2nd (play off on card) with a score of 30, Alan Bingham, Kay Bingham, Ronnie Vandiver, Dee Litteken.

3rd, with a score of 30, Buzz Thacker, LaVoe Thacker, Geneva Wilson, Bryan White.

Closest to the pin on #6 was Julian Zabielski, 10' 4 1/2"

Others playing were Salty Jones, Bradley Jameson, Leslie Jameson, Jay Zeilinger, Tom Stokes, Jennifer Adams, Roy Stephens, Howard Edmondson, Mark Brannon, Homer and Cleo Martin, Gene Brannon, Garland and Judy Cartwright, Roy and Dot Grundy.

LADIES PLAYDAY July 25

Playing 18 holes were Louise Barton, LaVoeThacker, Vida Elkins, Geneva Wilson. LaVoe won the ball with low putts, 29.

Playing 9 holes were Dorothy Day, Marihelen Wason. Dorothy won low putts.

WORD of GOD

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- Stay in the shade whenever possible
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COTTON NEWS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

Prior to the release of the next United States Department of Agriculture crop production report the actual size of the High Plains crop is very much a subject for speculation. Nobody appears to know how many acres remain or what they will produce.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, USDA's first planted acreage estimate, released June 28, indicated producers would plant 3.1 million acres to the fiber crop.

A decidedly non-scientific polling of county Farm Service Agency offices in mid-July indicated initial plantings could have been ever higher than the initial USDA estimate. That poll, which was done in an effort to quantify the number of failed cotton acres, indicated the 1996 crop might have initially been closer to 1995's 3.6 million planted acres.

The poll also indicated that over 800,000 acres of cotton had been failed through mid-July. The FSA figures indicated that another 100,000-200,000 acres could still be lost.

"The figures that USDA releases in the August 9 crop report will be of great interest to the entire cotton industry," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "As a result of less acreage and lower yields in other parts of the state, the Texas crop is really hard to estimate this year. Hopefully, the report will help fill in

some of the blanks."

Getting an estimate that truly reflects the yield potential of the remaining High Plains crop should be even more challenging than figuring out how many acres will get to harvest. USDA enumerators have been working to compile the figures used to calculate the estimate over the past week to ten days and will continue collecting data for another three or four days.

Crop conditions on the High Plains have changed drastically over the past three weeks. In early July mostly dry conditions continued to weigh heavily on the crop's potential. Since that time widely scattered showers and warm days have allowed the crop to move into bloom with a good head of steam.

Recent reports have the crop maintaining a good level of boll set, especially in irrigated cotton. Much of the crops current potential is a direct result of the strides it has made in the last several weeks.

An important thing to remember about the 1996 crop is that most of it has been replanted at least once. The generally late start of the crop appears to have been overcome. Producers will now rely on the weather to cooperate and provide good growing conditions through the months of August and September.

Texas Monthly Oil and Gas Statistics



June Permits To Drill

The Commission issued a total of 982 original drilling permits in June compared to 996 in June, 1995. The June total included 701 permits to drill new oil and gas wells, 44 to re-enter existing well bores, and 237 for re-completions.

So far in 1996, there have been 6,067 drilling permits issued compared to 5,635 recorded during the same period in 1995.

Permits issued in June included 393 oil, 249 gas, 286 oil and gas, 46 injection, and 8 other permits.

June Oil and Gas Completions

In June operators reported 345 oil, 39=80 gas, 52 injection and one other completion, compared to 393 oil, 346 gas, and 40 injection and other completions during the same month of last year.

Total well completions for 1996 year-to-date is 4,387, about three percent above the 4,242 recorded during the same period in 1995. Operators reported 846 holes

plugged and 106 dry holes in June, compared to 540 holes plugged and 86 dry holes reported the same period last year.

April Crude Oil Production

Texas preliminary April, 1996 crude oil production averaged 1,357,650 barrels daily, down from the 1,394,150 barrels daily average of April, 1995.

The preliminary Texas crude oil production figure for April, 1996 is 40,727,627 barrels, a decrease from the 41,824,191 barrels reported during

April Natural Gas Production

Texas oil and gas wells produced 457,699,555 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas based upon preliminary production figures for April, 1996, up from the April, 1996 preliminary gas production total of 455,061,080 Mcf.

Texas gas production in April came from 167,242 oil and 48,858 gas wells. Total gas production for Motley County is 252. Crude Oil Production is 9427.

Bylines

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ground at Spur. Robert Waddell is first on the scene to assist followed by Mr. Lee. Alvis introduced himself to Terry and says, "My boy's an air traffic controller and he sent me out here to see if you need anything." I'm sure Mr. Edwards was pleased to get such personal service in his time of need. He told Alvis, "Yeah I could use a ride." Alvis took Terry home with him and Gloria sits him down to lunch.

Turns out that Terry Edwards mother went to high school with Gloria, and Terry Lee, controller and Terry Edwards, pilot in need, were delivered by the same Dr. Stanley in Matador within a couple of years of each other.

Mr. Edwards called Fort Worth center and thanked Terry for all the assistance. He also called the aircraft owner at Eastland, who brought a mechanic. Between Alvis, Terry, and the mechanic the airplane was repaired and all went on their way.

It seems like no matter where I go or what I'm doing it is a small world.

And I can always count on my Dad, Alvis Lee, and good ol' Spur boys like Robert Waddell, to come to mine or anyone else's rescue."

NOTE: These two moms are Gloria Gwinn and Pat Brooks of Roaring Springs.



The average government worker makes about \$18 an hour, plus another \$8 in benefits.



Social Security Tips

by Mary Jane Shanes
Social Security Manager - Plainview

SPECIAL PAYMENTS MAY BE EXCLUDED FROM ANNUAL REPORT

Beneficiaries who must report excess earnings on their annual earnings reports due by April 17 should note that not all earnings count toward the annual earnings limits. If the earnings qualify as "special payments", they may be excluded from the annual report.

Special payments are earnings you received after you began getting Social Security benefits for work you did before. If you worked as an employee, earnings received after retirement count as a special payment if the last thing you did to earn the payment was completed before you stopped working for your employer.

Beneficiaries under 65 who earned at least \$8,040 in 1994 and those aged 65 to 69 who earned at least \$11,160 must report their earnings to Social Security by April 1, 1995. Earnings over the limit reduce benefits \$1 for every \$2 for beneficiaries under 65, and \$1 for every \$3 for beneficiaries 65-69. Beneficiaries 70 and older are not subject to the earnings limits.

Some special payments to employees include: bonuses, accumulated vacation or sick pay, severance pay, back pay, standby pay, sales commissions, payments on account of retirement, or deferred compensation reported on a W-2 form for one year

that was earned in a previous year. These amounts may be shown on your W-2 in the box labeled "Nonqualified Plan."

If you were self-employed, net income received after the first year you retire counts as a special payment if you performed the services to earn the payment before you were entitled to receive Social Security benefits. "Services" are any regular work or other significant activity you do for your business. Some special payments to self-employed people include income derived by an owner of a business who does not perform significant services in that business, farm agricultural program payments, income from carryover crops, royalties paid to a person over 65 for a copyright or patent created before age 65, and commissions on insurance policies sold before retirement.

If your earnings in 1994 exceeded the limit but include an amount you think may be considered a special payment contact Social Security before you file your annual report. Tell us you think your earnings for 1994 include a special payment. If we agree, we will not count the amount of the payment as part of your total earnings for 1994. To reach us, please call our toll-free number, 10800-772-1213, Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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Is your life a mess? Let the Lord make it a message, won't you?

CAPITOL COMMENT



U.S. SENATOR
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON

Revolving Doors of Criminal Justice System Must Stop Sending Child Molesters Back to Our Neighborhoods

Nine-year-old Amber Hagerman was abducted while riding her bicycle outside her grandparents' home in Arlington, Texas earlier this year. She was kept alive for at least 48 hours before being killed. Her nude, slashed body was found in a creek bed behind an Arlington apartment complex on Jan. 17 — four days after she was snatched away from her friends and family by a man driving a black truck. The killer of this much-loved and innocent child has never been identified. The entire community remains stunned, saddened and enraged. Her family and friends still mourn. And they live with the chilling certainty that there is a child killer on the loose in their community, in their state — and in their country. Although we don't know the name of the man who kidnapped, molested and murdered Amber, we do know several unpleasant facts about predators who prey on children like Amber in communities across America: 33 percent of convicted sexual predators report having committed their crimes against multiple victims; 66 percent of

prisoners convicted of sexual assaults committed their crime against a child; the repeat rate for sex offenders is estimated to be 10 times higher than that of other criminals. The revolving doors of our criminal justice system have to stop sending violent criminals out on the streets and back into our neighborhoods to prey on our children. Justice must serve the young and most vulnerable among us — as well as those who violate the law. So it is with the memory of Amber Hagerman on July 24 I co-sponsored legislation to protect this nation's children from sex offenders. The purpose of my bill is to:

- 1) Require life imprisonment for two-time child sex offenders when their cases are heard in federal court, and to encourage the states to do likewise, and
- 2) Provide for a nationwide system of tracking sex offenders, to be administered by the FBI.

This legislation would establish new federal jurisdiction over sexual offenses against children when the person who commits such a crime crosses state lines with the intent of committing a sex offense. It requires life sentences without possibility of parole upon the second conviction of a sex crime against a child in federal court. One of the primary aims of this legislation is to put these monsters on notice that society will no longer tolerate them in its midst. The bill incorporates earlier legislation I introduced requiring the FBI to create a database that is to contain the addresses and other relevant information on child sexual predators which individual states have collected. The FBI would make this information available to state and local law enforcement agencies. It also would require the FBI to notify local authorities when an offender moves to a new location. No longer will a convicted child molester released in one state be able to move to another state which has no registry — and disappear off the law enforcement radar screen. We are going to track these individuals as closely as possible. We intend to take predators off America's streets — and keep them behind bars where they belong.

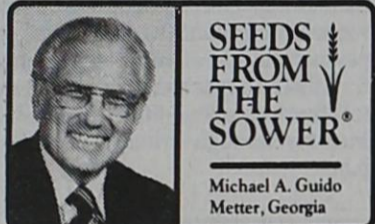
Local Poet Published In National Anthology

Marguerite Keltz Edwards of Matador has just had original poetry published in *A Tapestry of Thoughts*, a treasury of today's poetry compiled by The National Library of Poetry. The poem is entitled *I Love The Trees*, and the main subject is trees.

contests that are open to the public and by publishing poems in widely distributed hardback volumes. Marguerite (Marge) has been writing for about 15 years and her favorite subjects and ideas are nature and memories.

All poems received are also entered in The National Library of poetry's north American Open Poetry Contest, with awards over \$24,000 in prizes annually.

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Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

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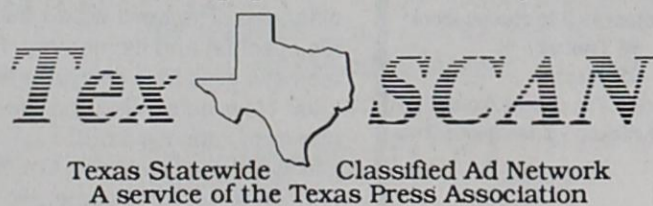
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News Around Motley County

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

ZABIELSKI'S CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY WITH REUNION
Ray and Grace Zabielski had their family reunion at home in Roaring Springs with a 50th Anniversary salute.

Those present were Laverne Vogt, D.J. and Johnny Salieregal, and Donnie Wittler, Danielle Wittler and Joseph from Lexington, KY; Rayworth Zabielski and Scott Zabielski from Toronto, Canada; Lamar and Mary Zabielski and sons, Zachary and Eli from Longmont, Colo.; Stephen Zabielski and Stevie Lynn from Rochester, N.Y.; Beverly and Louis Shorter, Jennifer and Megan from Mansfield, Texas; Julian Zabielski from Jacksboro and Jeanne Simmons with Michah, Jordan and Tyler from Memphis; Bunn and Jamie Zeilinger, Zachary and Brooke; Dana and Gary Logsdon from Nashville, Tennessee; Lamar Tilson and Heather of Matador; Eugenia Bethard, Neilene Bowden, Ethanie Bowden, Jessie Bethard and Millie, and Lou and Don Wittler, all local residents. There were a total of forty present.

Mrs. Amy McElroy kept a doctor's appointment in Lubbock last Friday.

Mrs. Orie Crupe of Amarillo visited her grandmother, Mrs. Cleo Watson, the past weekend.

Mrs. Billie Clifton was in charge of the Sunday morning services at First United Methodist Church in the absence of Rev. Ron Kelley, pastor, who will be back next Sunday.

Chad Smith of Carrollton is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Joyce Smith this week before entering college.

Miss Lula Swim and Mrs. Ossie Lee Brown visited Miss Freda Keahey and Mrs. Minnie Ola Childers in the Crosbyton Nursing Care Center last Friday.

Mrs. Veda Lou Kopecky of Palacios came Sunday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Vera Mitchell. Mrs. Mitchell's son, Wayborn and his wife, Bennie Mae of Paducah, visited her Sunday.

Mrs. Kopecky also visited her step-mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten, and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J.

D. Palmer.

Mrs. Linda Frausto, nurses aide with the Home Patient Care Program discovered a rattlesnake near the Buck Marshall house when she went out to help him last Saturday and Mr. Marshall got his shotgun but was unable to kill the snake.

Stormy and Brandon Martin of Amarillo are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Martin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Easter visited his mother, Mrs. Emma Easter in Lubbock the past weekend.

Dorothy Lee and Buck Marshall met the Robert Goodnights for lunch at Floydada Senior Citizens Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Thacker and Joyce Smith went to Amarillo recently to visit LaVoe's mother, Cora Mitchell, who is still recuperating from a broken hip. Cliff and Johnnie Lowrance joined the group for lunch and visiting to celebrate the sisters birthdays and Cora's improvement. She is still in Olsen Manor Nursing Home, 3350 Olsen, for therapy.

Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Giesecke of Matador and Odessa Mullins drove to Lubbock Friday. Mrs. Giesecke and Mrs. Mullins attended Caprock District Club workshop at Bailey's Bookstore. Mr. Giesecke visited his mother Mrs. Giesecke.

SENIOR CITIZENS REPORT

Roaring Springs Senior Citizens met Thursday the regular meeting day with a sack lunch for a workday. The high winds last week did damage to the roof of the center. Eight showed up to work. Also the nurses stopped by and took blood pressure. We enjoyed a day of working and fellowship together. We really appreciate Dorothy Lee and Billie Clifton for shampooing the carpet, that is hard work, the Carl Barton's for yard work, Joe Martin's for mowing and everyone else. It was so good to work together. Others present were Ossie Lee Brown, Lula Swim, Vera Mitchell and Odessa Mullins. The next meeting will be held the first Thursday in September (the 6th). Come join us for a covered dish lunch and visiting.

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Matador News

RETURNS FROM TRIP TO NORTHWEST

Cora Hall left by bus June 24 to visit with friends and family. Her first stop was to see Clara Martin, daughter of the late Creed and Susie Jameson. She was very ill in Highland Hospital in Lubbock. She left by airplane that afternoon to Albuquerque. Cora was in Albuquerque 75 minutes after she got off the bus. She was met at the airport by Wes Hall. She visited him and his wife, Elizabeth and with friends in Albuquerque, Henord Henson and daughter Lee Etha Healy on Tuesday. They called Buck Webb, a friend who lived with his mother and dad in between the Hall and Hinson home in 1938 and 39. He enjoyed talking to them. On the 27th Elizabeth's birthday was celebrated.

Cora left Albuquerque on the 28th for Seattle, WA to visit her daughter and husband, Martha and Frank Hill, three of their children and four grandchildren. On the 4th of July a gathering at the Hills was

held. Cora's son and wife, Albert and Norma Hall and two children and seven grandchildren and a friend Barbara attended. Also attending were Cora's great-granddaughter, Becky LaDahl and her fiancé, Chad Earp, who is in the Army, stationed in Seattle. Laughing, talking, and children playing was enjoyed by all, with a time for picture taking. Cora was photographed with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She met three great-grandchildren for the first time, Kayla, Marcy and Rebecca.

While visiting with her children she was treated to dinner with Norma at "Hart" Rose Garden, and spent five days sightseeing, swimming, and fishing.

Cora's cousin, Larry Markham, met her at the airport on Saturday, August 3 for her return trip home.

Marian Burt fell and broke the same leg that had been broken previously. She is in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Luke Richards Awarded UIL Scholarship

Lucas Dan Richards, graduate of Wimberly Secondary School, has been awarded a scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.

Richards received a Nelda C. & H.J. Lutcher Stark Foundation Scholarship in the amount of \$3,140, payable \$1,570 each semester for one year. Richards placed first in team science and eighth in individual science at the 1996 UIL Academic State Meet. He ranked fourth in his graduating class and was a member of the National Honor Society, Academic Challenge

Team, Calculus Club, Chess Club, Spanish Club, and football, basketball and track teams. Richards plans to attend Texas A&M University, College Station and major in physics.

This year the Stark Foundation awarded 22 grants to students who placed first, second or third at the UIL Academic State Meet in the following contests: Calculator Applications, Math, Number Sense, Ready Writing or Science. Recipients must rank in the top 25% of their graduating class.

Luke is the son of Ron and Alyson Richards, former Matador residents.

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

REUNION OF PIONEER FAMILY

The descendants of Benjamin Franklin and Symantha Emaline (Fannie) Vaughn Turner held a family reunion, Sunday, August 4 at the Community Center building in Flomot. The 85 who registered enjoyed meeting family members and reminiscing with those they knew. The good food included the savory smoked brisket roasts that Richard Turner of Matador had cooked on outdoor grills with mesquite wood.

B.F. and Fannie married in 1887 in Bell County, Texas. The young Turner family came to Motley County in 1891 and settled four miles southeast of Flomot. The family home was an early landmark.

Families represented were Maggie (Mrs. Doug Meador), Tom (M. Estell Scrivner), Luther B. (M. Rose Jones), Lizzie (Mrs. L.B. Archer), Minnie (Mrs. R.M. Morris) and Hattie (Mrs. John Jones). The only surviving child is Roxie Turner, a resident in a Care Center in Dimmitt, who was unable to attend because of illness.

Family members attended from Abert, Amarillo, Flomot, Floydada, Graham, Lubbock, Matador, Ozona, Petersburg, Plainview, and Waco.

ATTEND FUNERALS

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert attended the graveside services of her sister-in-law, Jean Warren Lyles 71, held at the Rest Lawn Memorial Park in Hereford, Friday morning, Aug. 9 Mrs. Lyles, a professional artist, conducted art classes in Matador and will be remembered by many residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine attended the funeral services, Tuesday, Aug. 6 of his brother-in-law, J.L. "Lec" Carson held at the First Baptist Church in Olton. Burial was in the Olton Cemetery. Family members joining them there were Jim Ross of Dallas, Elisa and Stan Wigley of Lubbock and Jan Ross Whitener of Arlington, VA.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Blackshear and granddaughter, Jolene Blackshear of Forestville, Calif. and daughter, Mrs. Jennifer Hembl of Santa Rosa, Calif. were houseguests this week of his sister Mrs. Viola Calvert. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert, local residents, also visited the families.

Donnie Rogers and daughters, Natalie and Brooke Rogers of Chesapeake, Virginia visited overnight Saturday in Kalgary with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan. They and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers visited in Lubbock, Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rogers and Kylin. Other guests were Shawna and Chad Wideman of Anton, Ronnie Rogers, Shay Degan and Jimmie of Lubbock. The children enjoyed the amusements at Texas Water Rumpage.

Visiting this week with the Tom Ross family is their, Tommy Ross and friend, Chris Davis of San Antonio.

Visitors of Mrs. Edith Washington from Wednesday until Sunday of last week were granddaughter and husband, Laurie and

Matt Hathaway of Portales, N.M. and visiting overnight Saturday was son, Max Washington of Anton. Visitors, Sunday and helping with the branding of livestock were grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Washington, Katie, Cam, Clay and Connor of Childress.

Keri Shorter of Lubbock visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter.

Mrs. Marilee Cooper of Borger visited last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin.

Mrs. Roger Lee visited in Plainview, Monday with her mother, Mrs. Fay Rogers.

Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd and friend, Mrs. Janice Russell of Turkey visited in Clarendon, Thursday in the home of Julia and Jerry Mulanax. They celebrated the birthday of Julia. Other guests were Mrs. Kim Cloyd and Jason of Memphis and Mrs. Joyce Reid of Amarillo.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay were Mr. and Mrs. Lance Barclay and Colton of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Cody Barclay and Lane of Matador.

Visiting last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes were Rickey Hughes of Lubbock and Bengie and J.J. Hughes of Abert. Bengie attended his VHS class reunion held in Quitaque.

Mrs. Bernice Bond is visiting in Temcula, Calif. with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gates.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

OK, so I saw it on a T-shirt, but it's still true: Stressed is desserts spelled backward.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Art Green of Flomot and Mrs. Kathryn Martin attended a birthday supper with the traditional birthday cake and ice cream Saturday night honoring her mother Mrs. Josie Martin on her 85th birthday. It was held in the home of Josie in Roaring Springs.

Others attending the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Newman of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin of Lovington, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Rex Martin of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Martin, Nancy and John and Mr. and Mrs. David Blanco, Jacob and Hailey of Matador.

Mrs. Johnny Turner accompanied her mother, Mrs. Carolyn Luckenbach of Sil-

verton to Groom, Saturday where she attended her GHS senior graduation 50th class reunion.

Aly Gwinn of Lubbock and her houseguest the past week, Fannin Gwinn met his family, Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and Danielle and aunt, Mrs. Josie Raetz of McAdoo at Blanco Canyon, Friday night and attended the outdoor performance of God's Country. Fannin returned home with his family.

Dorothy Jean and Adrian Risner of Wheeler visited last Friday with her sister, Mrs. Frances Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Jennings and Matt of Haskell visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings.

Mrs. Carol Gilbreth and Susan of Sundown accompanied her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Martin to Lubbock, Tuesday for a medical appointment. Mrs. Martin, who had recent foot surgery got a walking cast. They visited Luther Greer, a patient in Methodist Hospital, before returning home. Mrs. Gilbreth and Susan returned to Sundown, Wednesday.

To Report Local News, Please call 347-2400 or 347-2774 before noon Tuesday for the Thursday edition of the paper. Thank you!

WORD of GOD

Jesus said Repent!

As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and repent.

Revelation 3:19

Obituaries

Jean Warren Lyles

Hereford (Special) -- Graveside services for Jean Lyles, 71, of Hereford were held at 10 a.m. Friday, August 2, in Rest Lawn Memorial Park with the Rev. John Johns, a Baptist minister of Smyer, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

She died Thursday, Aug. 1, 1996, at Hereford Regional Medical Center.

She was born June 28, 1925, in Childress. She married Euman Lyles on July 6, 1946, in Estelline. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

She owned Texas Gallery for 20

years, and she was a professional artist.

Survivors include her husband: three sons, Charles of Hereford and Larry and Joe, both of Amarillo; her father, Colquite Warren of Dickens; two brothers, John Warren of Dickens and Jerry Warren of Stephenville; two sisters, Jo Ann Edwards of Truth or Consequences, N.M., and Jane Latimer of Lubbock; and five grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Arrington Cancer Center or to First Baptist Church in Hereford.

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Motley-Dickens Old Settlers Reunion

Thursday, Friday, & Saturday August 22-23-24

I dare you to be healthy, live a long time, and never think old age.

William H. Danforth 1870-1955

"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

TEXAS STATEWIDE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING NETWORK



ADOPTION

ADOPT - AFFECTIONATE COUPLE wants to share their love with your baby. You can give us the miracle we cannot give ourselves. Allowed expenses paid. Lisa and Richard. 1-800-250-1815. It's illegal to be paid for anything beyond medical/legal expenses.

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DRIVERS OTR TRACTOR/trailer drivers. Company & lease purchase opportunities for those who qualify. Company drivers up to 28¢ per mile. Lease purchase zero down. Late model walk-ins. Call Arctic Express 1-800-927-0431.

DRIVERS PRIME, INC. now offers free CDL training, no experience necessary, great pay, super benefits, excellent equipment, call Prime's Training Hotline at: 1-800-455-4682.

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EMPLOYMENT

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