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## MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR



**CATHERINE HENDERSON**  
Catherine Henderson of Matador is a former L.V.N. She worked at hospitals in Lubbock, including West Texas and Lubbock for many years. She retired and moved to Matador in 1976. She enjoys cooking, going to Senior Citizens, Church, working in her flowers, and helping others to smile.

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Blessed are the peace makers.

— Matthew 5:9

## Barbara's Bylines

Have you ever heard of the ABC's for Raising Children? This is being shared by other papers so we will share it also. We are taking it from the *Texas Spur* who gives credit to Rick Craig-Hamlin Herald.

The following tips to raising children was written by a mother of three, Jo Fribie von Tiehl. It appeared in the March issue of the United Auto Workers (UAW) monthly newsletter.

Keep it posted on the refrigerator and in your heart.

### THE ABC'S OF RAISING DECENT CHILDREN

**A** is for Accountability. Hold your children accountable for their behavior.

**B** is for Boundaries. Set specific limits and make clear the repercussions if those limits are exceeded.

**C** is for Consistency. Hold to the same principles and practices.

**D** is for Discipline. Make the punishment fit the crime. Never discipline in anger.

**E** is for Example. Children are in greater need of models than critics. Set a good example.

**F** is for Forgiveness. Practice and teach the importance of forgiving.

**G** is for Giving. Teach the joy of giving, not only to family and friends, but to strangers in need.

**H** is for Sense of Humor. Promote laughter with your children.

**I** is for Imagination. Be creative, and play with your children. Make up stories of songs when you read and sing with them.

**J** is for Justice. Be fair, and insist that they be fair, also.

**K** is for Listening. Listen to your children. It will teach them how to listen to others, and their thoughts will give you insights.

**L** is for Listening. Listen to your children. It will teach them how to listen to others, and their thoughts will give you insights.

**M** is for Morals. Be sure your standard of conduct is sound.

**N** is for No. Use it and mean it.

**O** is for Outdoors. Provide as much outdoor activity as possible. Teach respect for nature.

**P** is for Pressure. Reduce the pressure on your children, but insist they maintain high standards.

**Q** is for Questions. Pay close attention to their questions and give simple answers unless they demand more.

**R** is for Respect. Show respect, teach respect and earn respect.

**S** is for Source of Strength. Share

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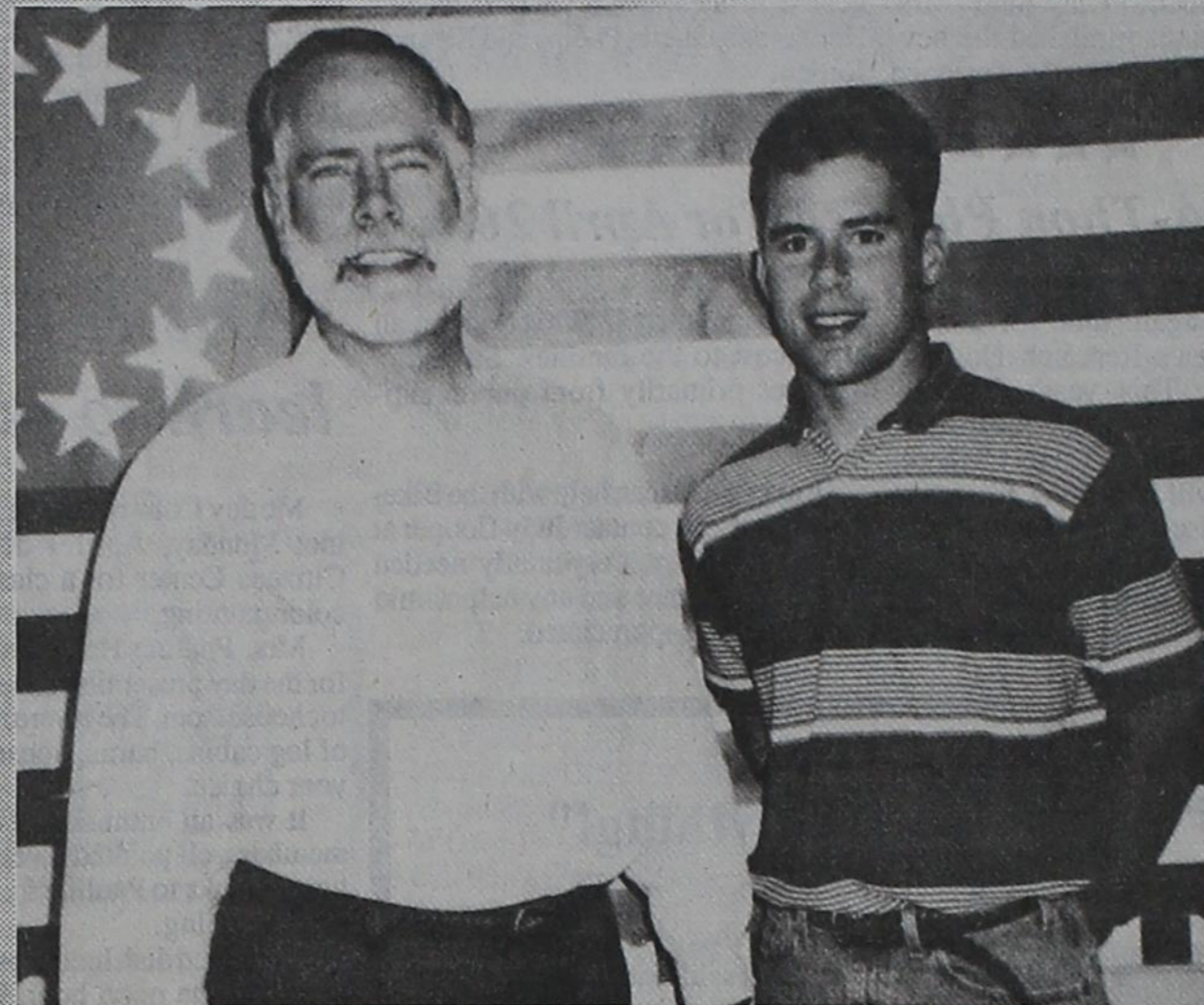
## Motley County ISD Recognized For Outstanding Safety Program

Mr. George Blanch, Superintendent of the Motley County Independent School District was recently honored for outstanding employee safety by the North Texas Educational Insurance Association at its annual meeting conducted in Austin, Texas. The Association consists of 121 participating school districts located throughout northern and central Texas. The district is a member of a uniquely designed partially self-funded workers' compensation program developed by Hibbs-Hallmark & Company and administered by Claims Administrative Services, Inc., both located in Tyler. Hibbs-Hallmark & Company currently provides workers' compensation programs to over 26 percent of all schools in Texas. The purpose of the meeting was to recognize those districts that have held both the number and severity of employee accidents to a very low level. The combined savings during the 1994-95 school year, for all participating districts, was over 2.5 million dollars when compared to the costs of fully insured programs. The total savings for all districts since inception of the program in 1991 exceed \$28 million dollars.

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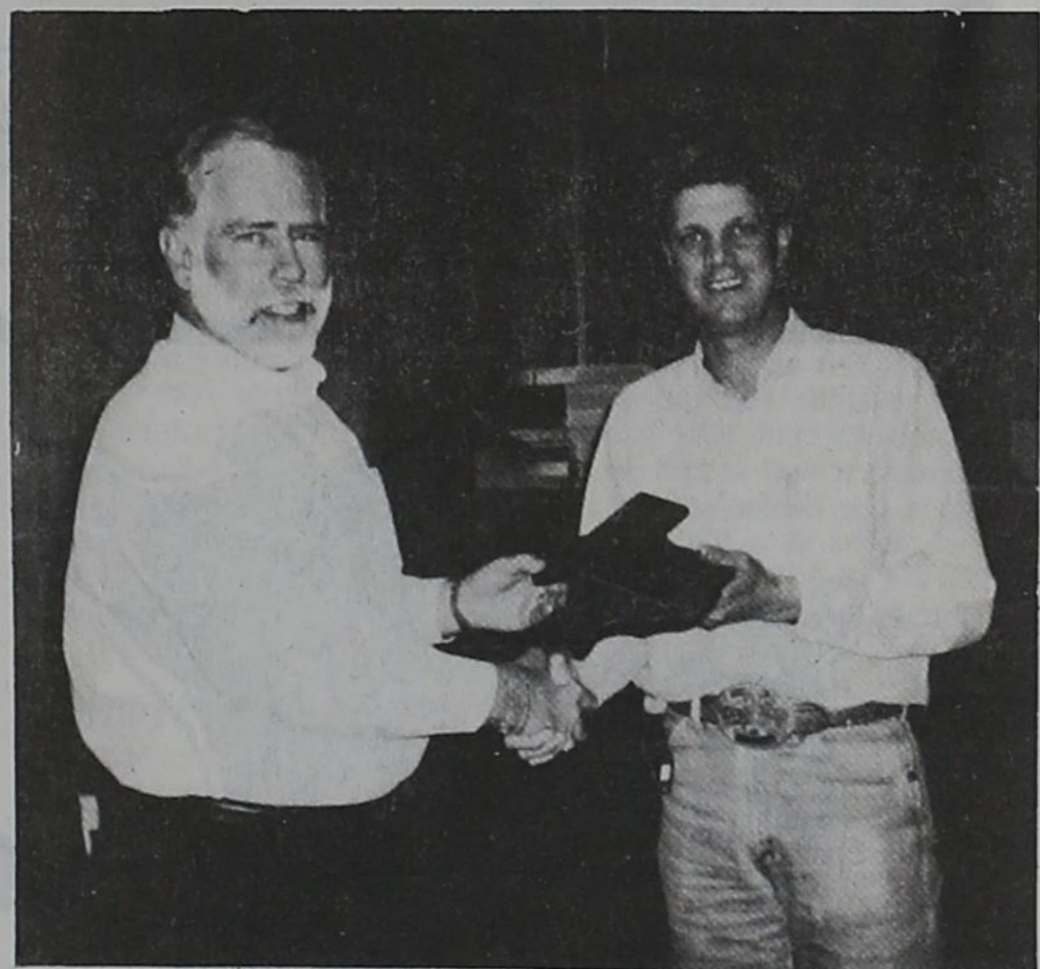
School District was a Diamond Star award recipient with the actual losses from employee accidents equaling less than 10 percent of the fund set aside by the district for claims expenses. The actual savings to the school district was \$26,973. "Our self insurance program was designed to provide the highest level of safety and offer the greatest potential for premium savings to the districts," said Billy Hibbs, President of Hibbs-Hallmark & Company. "We have a team of safety professionals who help the districts to implement a strict set of safety policies and procedures."

Claims Administrative Services, Inc. President, Barry Jones, stated "Member districts' commitment to safety is one of the key reasons for the Association's success. Their participation in HHC/CAS's program sets the standard for all schools across the state to reduce on the job injuries and save taxpayer dollars. The taxpayers should also be pleased to know that the Board of Trustees and the administrative staff of the Motley County Independent School District is doing everything possible to insure a safe working environment for its employees while reducing the cost of workers' compensation insurance," continued Jones.



**FATHER & SON OF THE YEAR** — Jeff and Brad Thacker were named Father & Son of the Year of the Annual Father-Son Banquet held Monday night at the high school gym. Brad is a Senior at Motley County I.S.D.

## Chamber of Commerce Honors Michael Clawson



**Motley County Chamber of Commerce, Jeff Thacker, presents County Extension Agent, Michael Clawson, with a plaque in appreciation for his service to the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Clawson moved to Stratford this week, to assume the position of Extension Agent there.**

The Motley County Chamber of Commerce honored Michael Clawson by presenting him with a plaque in appreciation of his work in helping begin the Chamber of Commerce in Motley County, when they met Thursday, April 11. Mr. Clawson, Motley County Extension Agent for the past 3 1/2 years, and his wife, Angela, have moved to Stratford, Texas, where he will serve as County Agent.

Final plans were made for the Rick Perry luncheon which will be held on May 3. The meal will be catered by Virginia Sailsbury for \$6.00 per plate.

President Jeff Thacker asked for a report from Larry Clifton on the economic development. Clifton stated he had a packet coming from WTU, Abilene, about what to do for economic development.

The Board selected names of citizens to be on the Economic Development Board for the County.

Plans were also reported on for the 2nd Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet. Speaker Pete Laney will come on Friday, July 19 at 7:00 p.m. Michael Clawson reported on several other chambers schedule of selecting awards to give out at the Banquet. 2 at the Senior Citizens Building to prepare for the Rick Perry luncheon.

### 1997 SHANNON DAVIDSON DAY PLANNING BEGINS

The Motley County Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the Shannon Davidson Day celebration in June 1997. There will be a community meeting to kick off the planning on Tuesday night, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the school cafeteria.

Anyone in the county interested in providing input to the planning of this exciting event should attend. If you have questions, please call Charles Keith at 347-2283.

## Rick Perry Will Speak On Latest Agriculture Issues In Texas

Rick Perry, Texas Agriculture Commissioner, will be in Matador at 12:00 noon on Friday, May 3 at the Senior Citizens building. This event is being sponsored by the Motley County Chamber of Commerce and there will be a buffet luncheon available for \$6.00. It will not be necessary to buy lunch to attend.

Mr. Perry, a West Texas farmer and

rancher from Haskell, is a dynamic speaker and will speak to the following key issues facing Texas farmers and ranchers today:

— 1996 federal farm bill and its impact on Texas

— New funding available through the Texas Agricultural Financial Authority for rural economic develop-

ment through value-added processing

— Private property rights

— Reducing and reinventing government at all levels

The Chamber will require a count for planning the luncheon meal, so please call Jeff Thacker at 348-7546 or Charles Keith at 347-2283 no later than Tuesday, April 30.

## Donations Sought for Project Graduation

Plans are now underway for the annual all-night Project Graduation party to be held graduation night.

Motley County P.T.O. is asking any individual or business that would like to donate money or items for the party to please contact Sonja Bowman at 347-2212 or Lana Copp at 347-2425.

All donations are greatly appreciated. Please remember this all-night party is a way of giving our kids something special to do on graduation night instead of attending a party with alcohol or drugs.

## Lubbock Man Dies In Rollover Near Matador

Gary Matthews of Lubbock died and Shannon Lee Casillas of Floyd died in a one-vehicle roll-over Sunday morning east of Matador.

Matthews, 31, died at 11:35 a.m. at University Medical Center in Lubbock following the 9:15 a.m. wreck on U.S. 62, about a mile east of Matador.

Casillas, 24, was in serious condition late Sunday at UMC. Casillas' 4-year-old son was strapped in the vehicle and was not injured.

Matthews was the driver of a 1994 Toyota Four-Runner that was pulling

a trailer eastbound on U.S. 62. The vehicle drove off the south side of the road and the driver over-corrected to the left, causing the vehicle to slide sideways, the DPS said.

The trailer then jackknifed, causing the vehicle and trailer to slide 180 degrees back onto the road. The Toyota overturned on its side, disengaged from the trailer, then rolled 3 3/4 times through a fence. Matthews and Casillas, who was the right front passenger, were ejected before the vehicle came to a stop



**TO COMPETE AT REGIONAL** — The Motley County Girls and Boys Golf teams will compete in Regional competition Wednesday and Thursday. They are pictured here with their Coach, Kay Bingham, (seated in front). Girls team, (seated l-r) Leigh Pipkin, Leah Cruse, Kasey Parks, Laurie Hoyle, and Tanya Barkley. Boys team, (l-r) Matt Woolsey, Jeremy Smith, Kevin Keltz, Brad Thacker, and Keane Cruse.



## Summer Baseball Sign-Up

Sign-up for the Summer Baseball program will be Monday, April 22 through Friday, May 3.

Children Pre-K through 3rd grade will play T-Ball and 4th through 8th grades will play softball.

Any child possibly wanting to play or anyone who might have grandkids, nephews, etc. here, will need to sign up during that time. Sign-ups will be taken up until the draft begins, which will be Monday, May 13, at 7:00 p.m. for T-Ball and 8:00 p.m. for Softball.

Absolutely no late sign-up's will be accepted! The season will begin Monday, May 2 and end approximately June 28.

Field clean-up will be Tuesday, May 14. If you have any questions, please contact Kenny Rose or Kelli Jackson.



## Do Gooders Club Has Free Health Clinic

The Do Gooders Club sponsored a free Health Clinic for the public, Tuesday, April 2 at the Flomot Community Center. The Lubbock Methodist Hospital System of Total Home Health Care had nurses conduct the medical tests from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. They were pleased with the good turn-out.

Mrs. Mary Jo Calvert, vice president, presided at the business meeting. A Community Game Night will be at 8 p.m., Friday night, April 26 at the Community Center. Mrs. Calvert volunteered to water plants and trees outside the Center in April and Mrs. Judy True in May. They are hoping for a good rain to help with this chore! The club expressed its appreciation for the paper supplies and products brought to the Center.

Mrs. Waydette Clay and Mrs. Calvert, hostesses furnished the beverages, bread and Easter designed

service for the covered dish luncheon. The table, laid with a white cloth, was centered with a large white rabbit sitting among Easter eggs in a wicker basket holding a sack of jelly beans. Adding to the colorful display, Easter ornaments adorned the basket.

Those enjoying the luncheon and day at the center were club members, Mesdames Jimmie Hunter, Christeen Gilbert, Edith Washington, Bernice Bond, Alma Shorter, Barbara Payne, Nada Starkey, Trula Martin, Calvert, True and Cay and guests, Mrs. Viola Calvert.

Nurses attending were Kim Austin, Erin Jones and Kim Woolsey of Matador and from Plainview, Lockney and Floydada were Mary Cervantes, Eugene Gonzales, Tracy Vaughn, Estella Hernandez, Sheila Phelps and Eleanor Jordan.



## Bike-A-Thon Planned For April 26th

It is once again time for the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital Bike-A-Thon. This year's Bike-A-Thon will be held Friday, April 26 at 4:30 p.m. at the Motley County School. Participants will be asking for sponsors to help raise money for this event.

St. Jude's is the leading research hospital for childhood cancer in the nation. Since 1962, St. Jude's has

treated more than 13,000 children, all at no cost to the families. St. Jude's operates primarily from public support.

Anyone who can help with the Bike-A-Thon please contact Judy Cooper at 347-2338. Help is especially needed the day of the race and any help would be very much appreciated.

## "Winning Is Everything!"



We have heard it said many times through the years, that winning is not everything, but it's how you play the game. It is a good statement for both young people and those of us who are older. It gives a good perspective on life and dealing with defeat.

Yet for the Christian life, there is only one goal and that is victory. The Bible tells us that "...thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

So "Winning is Everything" for the Christian who will settle for no less than victory in Jesus.

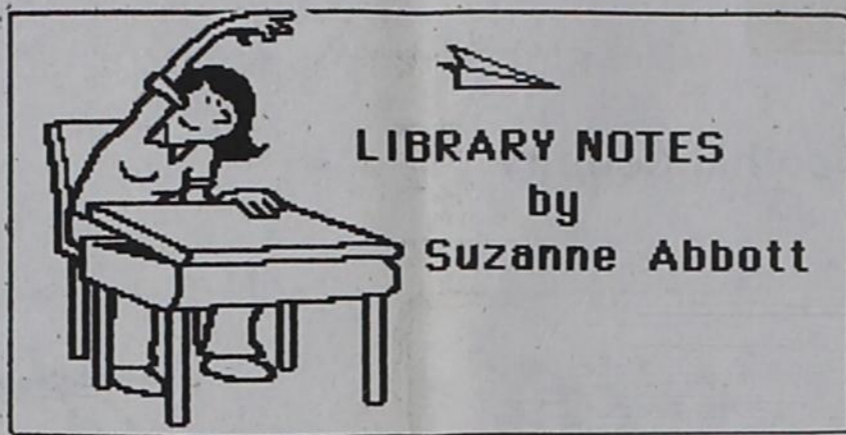
Victory comes as the apostle Paul tells us, through Jesus. Without Him there is no hope of winning. Our Lord said, "... No one comes to the Father except through Me." And the apostle Peter said in Acts 4:12. "Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved." Thus without Jesus there can be no victory at all!

Winning through Jesus must be our goal in this life in order that we might share with Him in the life beyond. We are looking forward to that crown of glory, the victor's crown, which He has promised to all that obey Him. Jesus gives the victory to the "overcomers," those being, the winners.

## Roaring Springs Church of Christ Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

Worship - 9:00 a.m.



## LIBRARY NOTES by Suzanne Abbott

I have been away for two weeks on a quick swing through the deep and not-so-deep South. We had a good time, but it was good to get home. The wind followed us all the way and, in spite of all our efforts to lose it somewhere in the Carolinas, it followed us home with a vengeance.

I appreciate all the Friends of the Library who kept the Library open while I was away. A great big "THANKS" goes to Earline Vaughn, Betty Moore, Jo Scott, Charles Johnson, Joan Patton, Georgia Witcher, and Patricia Green. I wish to thank the Library Board for giving me permission to be gone for two weeks. The Library looks prettier than it did when I left, and I know that the Library patrons are grateful to these people for filling in and keeping the doors open.

Come by the Library and look at the stuff from the "Good Ole Days" in the display case. On looking at some of these items, I am not so sure just how good the good ole days were. There is one utensil that often puzzles people as to its use. There is a special book mark waiting for the first person who guesses, on the first guess, how this item was used.

New books in the Library include a medical thriller, *Deadly Care* by Leona Goldberg and *Pentecost Alley*, a mystery set in Victorian London, by Anne Perry. Another new book is the biography of Howard Hughes by Peter Brown. For you Charlotte MacLeod fans, we have a new paperback of her short stories called *Christmas Stalkings*.

## Arts & Crafts club members learn to paint with watercolors

Motley County Arts & Crafts Club met Monday, April 1 at the Senior Citizens Center for a class of watercolor painting.

Mrs. Pauline Hand was instructor for the day presenting several subjects to choose from. They were rustic scenes of log cabins, barns, houses or one of your choice.

It was an enthusiastic day for the members, all painted a very good picture. Thanks to Pauline for very proficient teaching.

A covered dish luncheon buffet was served at the noon hour. Good food, fun, and good friends made a happy time for all.

Joy Archer, club president, called for a business meeting at 1 p.m. Do-

cents were appointed for the museum for April. Plans are still in the offing for future programs, meetings, and activities.

Members present were Bertha Stearns, Dorothy Knight, Una Simpson, Bonnie Edmondson, Bertha Moore, Joy Archer, Lorene Lancaster, Winifred Lee, Pauline Hand, Betty Simpson, Joyce Meredith, and Winifred Darsey.

The program for May 6 will be to finish the "Odds and Ends" left from previous projects, also sawblades to be readied for the May 6 meeting.

Have you visited the Motley County Museum lately? There are many interesting things to see!

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and unto his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless His name.  
Psalm 100:4

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"Keep therefore the words of this covenant, and do them, that ye may prosper in all that ye do."

Deuteronomy 29:9



## Home Economically Speaking

by Beverly A. Logsdon  
Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

### MAKE HEALTHY LIFESTYLE CHOICES TO IMPROVE HEALTH

Research reported in the January issue of *Journal of the American Dietetic Association* may provide a new light to the question of overweight and obesity.

Are persons overweight or underweight more likely to die over a 30-year period than persons of average weight? According to this recent study conducted at Cornell University, people at least 20 to 30 pounds overweight were not more likely to die over a 30-year period than persons of average weight. Health risks of being underweight now appear more serious than previously thought.

Data on body weight and mortality from all causes gathered from 357,000 men and 249,000 women from 19 studies at Cornell University refute the previously notion that overweight persons were more likely to die during a defined period than average-weight persons. In fact their findings indicated that standard weight tables may be too low by as much as 15 pounds. They cited an example that the insurance companies current weight recommendation for a medium-frame, 5 foot 10 inches man is 149 to 161 pounds. The data analyses show that for a 50-year-old nonsmoking white male of this height, the mortality during 30 years of follow-up was higher only when these men weighed more than 195 pounds or less than 160 pounds.

Despite the common notion that weights even slightly above average result in a shorter life span, the real

truth is that weight levels slightly below these current recommendations are associated with a greater risk of mortality. Although this is one study on a selected population, it would be inappropriate to recommend that persons considered moderately overweight should lose weight to increase their life span, especially given the poor success people have in maintaining weight loss.

What is of real concern is to start living more healthfully. And here's how to do it:

— First, try to make wise food choices that will lead to a more healthful lifestyle such as eating by the recommendations of the newly revised U.S. Department of Agriculture dietary guidelines such as reducing fat consumption, reducing dietary sugar and sodium content, eating more complex carbohydrates found in deep green leafy vegetables, bread or grain products, and in other fruits and vegetables, and reducing alcohol consumption.

— Secondly, drink at least six to eight glasses of water daily.

— Finally, exercise some everyday. By making these simple lifestyle changes you can prevent or delay the onset of some degenerative diseases affected by overweight or obesity and perhaps even feel much better.

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age, or national origin.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: The worst agony of life is living without purpose.

*In the  
Rough*

BY GENEVA WILSON

### LADIES PLAYDAY

Those playing 18 holes Thursday, March 28 were Olivia Barton, LaVoe Thacker, and Louise Barton. Play was for blind bogie. Olivia won the ball.

Those playing nine holes were Lucretia Campbell, Dorothy Day, Marihelen Wason, Loys Campbell, and Judy Cartwright. Lucretia won the ball.

There was no play Thursday, April 4 due to the weather.

### LADIES PLAYDAY April 11, 1996

Those playing were LaVoe Thacker, Louise Barton, Olivia Barton, Leona Terry, and Geneva Wilson. Olivia won the ball with a greenie on #6.

*Thank you for reading  
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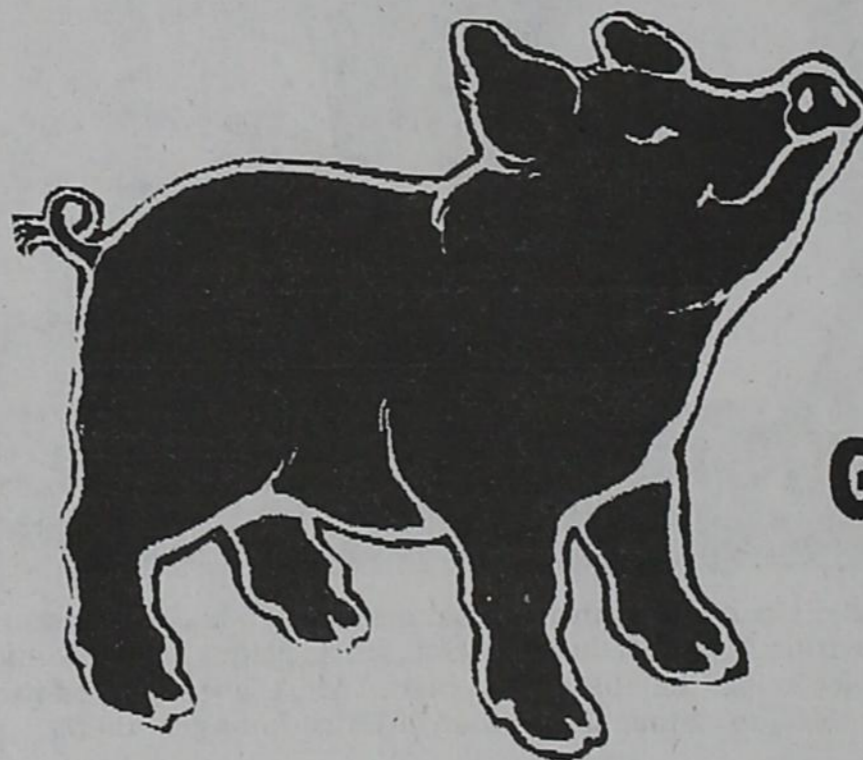


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# Motley County School News

## Students of the Month



**JR. HIGH STUDENTS OF THE MONTH —** Brooke Decker and Andy Paul Jones.



**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS OF THE MONTH —** Keane Cruse and Kasey Parks.

Junior High "Students of the Month" for March are Brooke Decker and Andy Paul Jones.

Brooke is the 13 year old daughter of Kyle and Jan McWilliams of Matador. She is a seventh grader at MC Junior High and has two older brothers, Jeremy and Tyler and two younger sisters, Hope and Holly. Her favorite food is pizza and her favorite color is purple. Her favorite song is "One Sweet Day". Brooke's activities include playing basketball and tennis. She is an active member of the Junior High Basketball Team and the Motley County 4-H.

The person Brooke admires the most is her Nanny (Great-Grandma).

Brooke plans to attend college at Texas Tech University but has not decided on a major yet.

Andy is the 13 year old son of Jan and Mike Jones of Roaring Springs. He is an eighth grader at MC Junior High School. Andy's favorite color is blue and he enjoys eating steak. His

favorite movie is "Lonesome Dove" and his favorite song is "Any Girl of Mine". Andy's hobbies and activities include hunting, roping, and fishing. Andy is a member of the Motley County 4-H.

The people Andy admires the most are his parents because "They support me in everything I do."

Andy plans to attend college, but has yet to decide on his major.

High School "Students of the Month" for March are Kasey Parks and Keane Cruse.

Kasey is the 17 year old daughter of Barbara and Harold Parks of Roaring Springs. She is a junior at Motley County High School and has an older sister, Lacey. Her favorite color is purple and she enjoys listening to her favorite song "Hypnotize the Moon". Kasey's favorite food is chicken strips and her favorite movie is "Grumpier Old Men". Kasey's hobbies include watching T.V., playing basketball and golf, team roping and running track.

Kasey is a very active member in FFA, FCA, NHS and the Motley County 4-H.

Kasey admires her parents because "They support me in everything I do." Kasey's future plans are to go to college and become a physical therapist.

Keane is the 14 year old son of Brenda and Darrell Cruse of Flomot. He is a freshman at MC High School and has an older sister, Leah, who is a junior and a younger brother, Derrick, who is a fifth grader. Keane's hobbies and activities include playing football, basketball and golf. Keane's favorite food is Mexican food and his favorite color is blue. His favorite movie is "Ace Ventura, Pet Detective". Keane is a very active member of the Motley County FFA Chapter and FCA.

Keane most admires his Mom because "She always helps me and gives good advice."

After graduation Keane plans on attending college, but has not decided on a major yet.

## What's Happening

Thursday, April 18: Elementary and Jr. High UIL at Petersburg, 2:00 p.m.

Regional UIL at Levelland.  
Friday, April 19: Regional UIL at Levelland.

Saturday, April 20: State FFA Judging at A&M.

Monday, April 22: Kindergarten and First grade Field Trip (tentative)

## Congratulations to...

Tanya Barkley, who has been selected to become a member of the National Recognition Program for High School Scholars, based on her performance on the PLAN test. Only 1% of 10th grade students are recognized by this organization.

Bobby Barton, who has been accepted at South Plains College.

Nancy Martin, who has been accepted to the College of Business Administration at Texas Tech University.



### MONDAY, APRIL 22

**Breakfast:** Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit, Milk.  
**Milk:** Barbecue on a Bun, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Potato Chips, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

### TUESDAY, APRIL 23

**Breakfast:** Cereal, Blueberry Muffins, Fruit, Milk.  
**Lunch:** Chef Salad (Ham, Egg, Cheese), Baked Potato, Crackers, Dessert, Milk.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

**Breakfast:** Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Juice, Milk.  
**Lunch:** Chili Mac, Green Beans, Salad, Cornbread, Dessert, Milk.

### THURSDAY, APRIL 25

**Breakfast:** Breakfast Burritos, Fruit, Milk.  
**Lunch:** Chicken Nuggets, Potatoes, Gravy, Salad, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 26

**Breakfast:** Cinnamon Rolls, Applesauce, Milk.  
**Lunch:** Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Seasoned Fries, Milk.

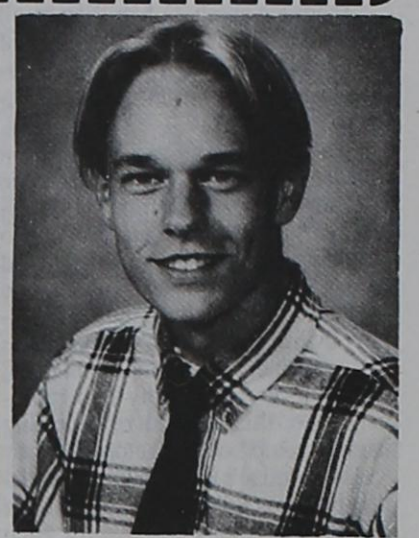
second game they smashed Valley again 6-1, 6-1, 4-6. In the second game they smashed Valley again 6-1, 6-1 but also did not get a chance at a playback. Both of Crowell's teams ended up going to Regionals.

In my opinion both of our teams should be playing in the Regional Championships but some tough competition and especially breaks kept us from going to Levelland.

## SENIOR SPOTLIGHT



**VERONICA MICHELLE GONZALEZ**



**KENNY CANGELOSI**

NICKNAME: Flaca  
AGE: 18  
BIRTHDATE: 1-17-78  
BIRTHPLACE: Lockney, TX  
PARENTS: Pedro and Antonia Gonzalez.  
BROTHERS & SISTERS: Linda & Paul.  
FAVORITE COLOR: Purple  
FAVORITE FOOD: Chicken Tacos  
FAVORITE SONG: One Sweet Day  
HOW LONG HAVE YOU ATTENDED MC ISD? 13 years.  
ACTIVITIES: FHA, Pep Club, Track, Basketball.  
FAVORITE SUBJECT: Yearbook  
BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: To do my best in everything I can do.  
WORST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: Forget about what you can do later.  
FAVORITE MEMORY: Aug. 26, 1993.  
PET PEEVE: People who whine  
GOALS: To be successful in life.  
PLANS AFTER HIGH SCHOOL: Plan to attend South Plains.  
IF I COULD CHANGE ANYTHING ABOUT MY HIGH SCHOOL YEARS IT WOULD BE: To work harder in class.  
MOST IMPORTANT TO ME: My family and Chance.  
IN MY SPARE TIME: I spend time with Chance and my nephews.

NICKNAME: Repeating Senior  
AGE: 18  
BIRTHDATE: 6-8-77  
BIRTHPLACE: Lubbock, TX  
PARENTS: Mark and Becky Brannon  
BROTHERS & SISTERS: Mark Brannon Jr., and Jason Clauser  
FAVORITE COLOR: Pearl  
FAVORITE FOOD: Feed Trough Steak  
HOW LONG HAVE YOU ATTENDED MC ISD? One year.  
ACTIVITIES: Track, Basketball  
FAVORITE SUBJECT: Algebra II  
FAVORITE ACTIVITY: Basketball  
BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: "Don't listen to him."  
WORST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: It won't do nothing if you tinkle on that fence.  
FAVORITE MEMORY: The electricity was off.  
GOALS: To play college sports  
PLANS AFTER HIGH SCHOOL: I'm still working on that.  
IF I COULD CHANGE ANYTHING ABOUT MY HIGH SCHOOL YEARS IT WOULD BE: Don't take the 13 year plan.  
MOST IMPORTANT TO ME: My Dad.

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**GOD BLESS YOU!**  
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## Motley County Tennis Teams Finish Season With District Play

by Coach Bearden

The Motley County High School Tennis Team did very well at the West Zone meet at Lubbock Monterey last week, sending two squads to the District Meet, both with number 1 seeds. Kevin Keltz and Jarrod Brooks took the title in the Boys Doubles division, while Leigh Ann Pipkin and Brandi Jameson took the title in the Girls Double division, both advancing to District. Kevin and Jarrod, both Seniors, defeated a team from Lorenzo, 6-1, 6-4, a team from Valley, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3, and another Valley team, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3 to advance. Leigh, a senior, and her partner, Brandi, a Junior, easily defeated a team from Spur, 6-0, 6-0, then a team from Valley 6-0, 6-0. Other Motley County tennis players also did well. Jeremy Smith defeated Ramsey from Valley, 6-4, 6-4, but lost to the Zone #2 seed Sweat from Lorenzo. Dodie Morris defeated Barker from Lorenzo 6-0, 6-0 but ended up losing the match to the Zone #2 seed Vargas from Spur. Our #2 girls doubles team composed of two freshmen Kandi Keltz and Blair Thacker also had a fine

showing at the Zone meet, but losing to a team from Lorenzo. Kaci Risser, a freshman, also did well at the Zone competition, losing to the #2 seed Vargas from Spur. Our #2 boys double team could never quite get going losing to a tough Petersburg team in the first match. It was composed of Ryan Martin and Aaron Green, two sophomores. In the JV division our only JV competitors, Aaron Binder and Jason Barton, won both matches with Valley and Petersburg to take home the JV Boys Doubles Crown.

All in all it was a fine day for Motley County High School winning many matches and representing the School and County very well. Thanks goes to you athletes for a fine job you have done this season.

### DISTRICT TENNIS MEET

At the District Tennis Meet in Knox City, the Motley County High School advancers both got third in some very good competition. Kevin Keltz and Jarrod Brooks, the #1 seed from the West Zone in Boys Doubles started off with a tough Aspermont team. After Aspermont won the first set, Kevin

and Jarrod battled back to win the second set to force a split. In the third set our guys fell behind 2-5, but battled to a 6-6 tie, calling for a 12 point tie breaker. After a couple of bad breaks the Matadors lost 10-8 and also the match 1-2, sending them to the losers side of the bracket. The #2 seed Valley team beat the #1 seed from the east, Knox City to make us play Knox City. Kevin and Jarrod beat Knox City in consecutive sets 6-3, 6-3. Hoping for a playback situation we stayed hoping Aspermont could beat Valley so we would have a chance to play Valley for second and a chance at Regionals but it never developed, Valley won 6-4, 4-6, 7-6 with a tie breaker leaving the Matadors in third place.

In the girls division, Leigh Ann Pipkin and Brandi Jameson, the #1 seed from the West Zone had some tough breaks with a tough Crowell team. Our girls started off winning the first set 6-3. Crowell won the second set 7-5 to cause a split 1-1. After a very long 3rd set, going to deuce almost every game our girls ended up on the short end losing the last set 4-6. In the

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Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters.



## Social Security Tips

by Mary Jane Shanes  
Social Security Manager, Plainview

**MOM 'N POP BUSINESSES NEED MOM AND POP SOCIAL SECURITY REPORTS**  
There are about 21.5 million small businesses in this country. Many of these businesses are owned and operated by families, "Mom 'n Pop" operations.

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But in today's world, divorce statistics, business failures, and disabilities tell us that it makes sense for each member of the couple to have his or her own Social Security coverage. It's important that you make sure you both earn Social Security coverage. Other-

wise, you may lose out on potentially valuable Social Security benefits.

The procedures are fairly simple. If a husband and wife operate a business together, each contributes capital or services, share in the right to participate in management decisions and neither is the employer of the other and they share in the profits and losses, they are considered business partners even if they don't have a formal partnership agreement. When they file a tax return for the business, they should complete a partnership tax return (IRS Form 1065) and separate Schedules SE to cover each partner for Social Security. This will usually not increase their total taxes.

For tax information about family partnerships, contact the Internal Revenue Service. For information about Social Security coverage, call our toll-free number 1-800-772-1213. The lines are busiest early in the week and early in the month, so if your business can wait, it's best to call at other times.



## CAPITOL COMMENT

U.S. SENATOR  
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON



### Fairness for the Elderly Eliminating the Social Security Earnings Penalty

If you are a Social Security recipient under the age of 70, your reward for energy and enterprise is higher taxes. Fairness in taxation has long been an ideal rather than a reality for millions of American taxpayers. But none are put at a greater disadvantage than Social Security recipients under age 70 who earn more than a modest amount in wages or salary.

Such individuals are our heaviest-taxed citizens. If a married 65-year-old couple with as little as \$22,500 in total annual income earns one more dollar in wages, as much as 83-cents of that dollar can go to taxes. No other Americans pay an 83 percent tax rate on wages or salary. The earnings test does not apply to recipients who are 70 or older, or who are disabled.

This tax law is even more unfair than it stands on its face, because it punishes those who rely on wage income. Only those earning wages or salaries face the limit. There is no penalty for those who receive income from investments.

And because the tax law punishes productive work, our national income and productivity is smaller than it might otherwise be. Current income limits impose an irrational disincentive to work.

The earnings test has been a part of the Social Security system since its

beginning. But last month Congress passed legislation that will allow Social Security recipients ages 65 through 69 to earn up to \$30,000 a year by the year 2002 without penalty.

This allowance will be phased in beginning this year. The exempt amount in 1996 would be \$14,500; in 1997, \$17,500; in 1998, \$20,000; in 1999, \$22,500; in 2000, \$25,000; in 2001, \$27,500, reaching \$30,000 the next year.

Two-thirds of those who would benefit from the repeal of the current law have an earned income of less than \$40,000.

No American should be discouraged or penalized for working — in particular the elderly, whose income quite often is reduced significantly by retirement. With today's high cost of living, especially the cost of health care, many seniors must supplement their incomes.

Seniors have a wealth of expertise gained through their 30-40 years of productivity in the workplace. The companies who hire them appreciate their strong work ethic, punctuality and flexibility. Their contributions in the workforce have the potential to spur billions of dollars in our annual output of goods and services.

The changes Congress has approved will produce other important benefits: tax simplification, lower administrative costs and greater personal choice for the elderly.

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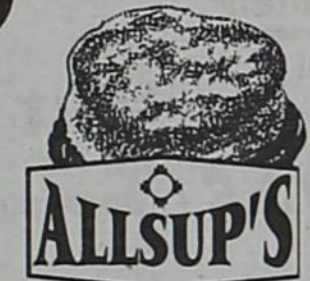


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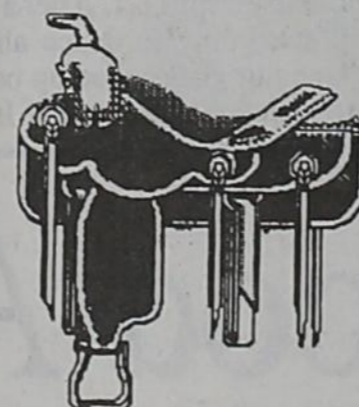
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# News Around Motley County

## Obituaries

### Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

#### DELAYED

Ceara Lewis and Derek Waters, Texas Tech engineering students, visited Ceara's great-grandmother, Mrs. Roxie Lewis, Monday afternoon.

Nadine Cooper has been transferred from rehab in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, to Plainview. Her address is Nadine Cooper, c/o Prairie House Living Center, Room 122A, 1301 Mesa Drive, Plainview, TX 79072.

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#### COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS MEET

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers met in the home of Lula Swim April 9 with the following people attending: J.N. and Darleen Fletcher, Bill and Lee Peacock, Doug and Venus Fairley, Lula Swim, Billie Clifton, Ruby Hipp, Dorothy Lee, Pearl Patten, and Grace Zabielski.

The Volunteers wish to thank Jack and Katie Davis for their donation to buy Easter Eggs for next year's hunt. Thanks also goes to Harriet Marshall for her donation to the Kids Camp which will be held this coming June.

The Volunteers will host a "Welcome" party for Harriet Marshall and the Jewel Laurences. This party is set for April 21 at 3:00 p.m. at the Roaring Springs Community Center. Refreshments will be served and everyone is encouraged to attend.

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Harley Alsop of Whiteside, Tenn. and Johnnie Lee Ballard spent Wednesday and Thursday with their cousin, Odessa Mullins. Thursday morning they visited with Bobby Mullins at his construction job in the Cedar Hill area.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell visited from Friday

afternoon until Sunday afternoon in Paducah with her son Wayborn and his wife, Bennie Mae. Her son came for her and brought her home.

Ceara Lewis, accompanied by two friends, stopped to visit with her great grandmother, Mrs. Roxie Lewis last Friday afternoon on her way to Tulsa, OK for a short weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lewis, her sister, Juella, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard A. Lewis, Jr.

Dorothy Lee visited with old friends at Marshall Reunion Sunday.

Mrs. Dorothy Lee took Mrs. Cleo Watson to Floydada Friday morning where she was met by her sister, Pete Ozborn and Billie Roller who took her to Plainview where she kept a doctor's appointment. Pete and Billie brought her home after her appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Corby Lee Marshall of Lubbock, here for the Marshall Reunion, visited Mrs. Cleo Watson Sunday afternoon.

Her many friends were happy to know Fern Marshall Green of Bakersfield, CA, recuperating from major surgery, was able to be here.

There is better news from Granbury, Texas for Clyde Williams, hospitalized March 23 by a severe recurrence of Hodgkins disease which had struck him some years ago and from which he had several years remission, is better now and able to enjoy messages from friends of whom he has many in this area. Anyone wishing to send Clyde a message of cheer and good will, may send it to 6034 Westover Drive, Granbury, Texas 76049, his home address, and it will reach him.

### Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

#### OVERHEARD

Spring cleaning ... who thought of this anyway? With the gusting wind storms and dry weather we are experiencing, we are playing beat the clock and losing!

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

Mrs. Kathryn Martin visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin. Other guests were Josie's sister, Mrs. Grace O'Bannon of Del Norte Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Newman of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Martin of Lubbock.

Mrs. Juanita Cooper visited in Amarillo, Saturday with daughter and family, Kay and Ken Dunnam and daughter, Kourtney.

Mrs. Vesta Cooper has returned home from the Floydada Nursing Home. Visiting this weekend with her and daughters, Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett and Mrs. Vernell Hanna and Ryan were Chester Cooper and Mrs. Pattie Hall of Lubbock; Tim and Tommy Cooper of Roaring Springs and Lynn Hanna and Darrin Wilkerson of Abilene.

James Gwinn and children, Danielle and Fannin are on the sick list and under medical care.

### Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

#### DELAYED

Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine visited in Olton, Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carson. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Carson of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Straw and children of Cotton Center and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Jo Carson and Kelbi of Hart.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Edith Washington were Mr. and Mrs. Todd Washington and children of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Barclay of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Seab Washington of Flomot.

Mike, Audrey and Susan House and Patsy, Donnie, Danny and Don House of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs. Lottie Gilbert, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin met Marilee and Fred Cooper of Borger in Amarillo, Saturday to visit and enjoy entertainment.

Tom Ross and his brother, Jim Ross of Dallas were in Ocina, Okla. from Friday until Sunday. Jim attended his Ocina High School class reunion. They also enjoyed the Easter Parade in Vinson, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mandrell, Shae and Dustin of Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen Calvert.

Those attending an Easter celebration, Sunday in the home of Donna and Jess Little in Silvertown were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and family, Julie and Lori and Kevin Kleibrink and Kyler of Lubbock, Tina and Pat Carson of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Tanner and Kelsey of Flomot; Mrs. Herb Martin and family, Kathy and Clois Shorter and daughters, Cindy, Christi and Keri of Lubbock; (Herb Martin is on the sick list). Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia and Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador and her children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Calvert, Donnie and Cole of Quitaque were luncheon guests, Sunday of his mother, Mrs. Viola Calvert. Other visitors Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Gwen Mandrell and Shay of Lubbock and Mrs. Doyle Calvert.

Visiting during the Easter holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were Mrs. Janette Moss of Decatur, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada and Mrs. Melva Jo Shelton of Flomot. Mrs. Moss, H.G. Hunter, and Mr. and Mrs. Hunter enjoyed the Caprock Jamboree in Silvertown, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris, Dodie and Rebecca, her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Edwards of Afton visited in Spur, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin.

Mrs. Leona Degan has been in Lubbock during the week with her sister, Pete Holland and her husband, Olan, a patient in Methodist Hospital cardiac unit. He is reported to be improving after suffering a stroke.

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#### ATTEND GINNERS CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee attended the 89th annual Texas Cotton Ginners convention held during the weekend at the Memorial Civic Center in Lubbock. The 5000 ginners saw the 200 plus exhibits. Single gin stands were on display that will process 15-20 bales of cotton per hour.

They also attended the 39th annual Plains Cotton Growers Assn. meeting that included diapause weevil control and cotton improvement committee reports.

### Matador News

Visiting Chris and Keith Lewis and daughters, Lauren, Morgan and Hannah was Granny Neicia Gregg of Iowa Park. Granny came to nurse her daughters and granddaughters during their bout with the flu.

Marion Burt has moved to Crosbyton. Her new address is 1204 E. Highway 82 Box 16, Santa Fe Place Apartments,

Crosbyton, TX 79322.

Mrs. Bill (Leola) McKelvey returned home Wednesday, following surgery at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Glen Woodruff had open heart surgery Lubbock's Methodist Hospital on Monday. He came through the surgery very well and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse attended the memorial services of his cousin, Glenn Cruse, 72, of Hereford held Saturday, April 6 at the Christian Assembly Church.

H.G. Hunter of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were guests Sunday afternoon at a party honoring Mrs. L.D. Bilberry of Snyder on her 88th birthday in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Speer of Floydada. Other family and friends attended.

Mrs. Homer Cyfert of Lockney and her mother, Mrs. C.W. Starkey were in Hart, Sunday to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Starkey's sister, Mrs. Jometa McLain.

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada was honored on her 80th birthday, Sunday with a party in her home. Local relatives attending the celebration were Trula and Wilburn Martin, Wade and Ronald Clay, Mary Ellen Barton, Viola Stinson, Geneva and Herb Martin and Kathy Shorter.

Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd was a guest, Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Russell in Turkey. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Cloyd and Jason of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mulinax of Clarendon and Danny Stewart and children of Turkey. Dickie visited Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Cloyd.

Mrs. Earline Vaughn of Matador and Mrs. Jimmie Hunter attended the graveside services of Henry Hibbets, 79, at the Afton Cemetery Saturday morning.

Tom Ross was in Mangum, Okla. from Monday until Wednesday attending to school historical data.

Rickey Hughes, SPC student in Levelland, visited the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes. Other visitors, Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Bengie Hughes of Abilene, her sister and brother, Nickie and Mike of Kansas; Mrs. Roger Hughes and Tara of Floydada. Tara remained to visit the weekend. They attended the wedding shower given for Mr. and Mrs. Bengie Hughes in the home of Mrs. Betty Green of Turkey, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Glen D. Tiffin was in Lubbock, Tuesday and Wednesday for a medical check-up following recent three by-pass heart surgery. She received a good report.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter attended the last Plainview Community Concert Friday night at the Harrell auditorium featuring the entertaining performance of the Harlen Spiritual Ensemble.

Those attending Christi Shorter's bridal shower, Saturday held in the home of Mrs. Frances Hobbs in Matador were her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Alma Shorter, maternal grandmother, Mrs. Geneva Martin, mother, Mrs. Kathy Shorter, and Mrs. Christeen Gilbert of Flomot; sisters, Cindy and Keri Shorter of Lubbock; aunt, Mrs. Judy Rhodes of South Lake and cousin, Salina Shorter, SPC student in Levelland.

Luncheon guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Jones of Amarillo, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque and Mrs. Melva Jo Shelton of Flomot.

Visiting overnight Saturday with Aleda Elaine Ross were Amanda Hurt of Matador and Susana Mendoza of Whiteflat.

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada, Mary Ellen Barton, Viola Stinson and Wade Clay were in Lubbock, Thursday for Viola a medical appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter presented devotional services at the Lockney Care Center in Lockney, Friday morning.

### Bonnie Richards

Bonnie Clare Richards was born on September 21, 1972 in Paducah Texas. She graduated from Wimberley High School in 1991. Bonnie was a senior at Texas A&M University majoring in bilingual education at the time of her death on April 12, 1996. For those who met Bonnie, they will remember her beautiful smile. For those who knew Bonnie, they will remember her joyous zest for living.

Survivors include her parents, Ron and Alyson Richards of Wimberley; two brothers, Will Richards of Austin, and Luke Richards of Wimberley; maternal grandparents, Alvin and Sue Hall of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; aunts and uncles, Sylvia and Gary Cross of Tracy, CA, Doug and Kathy Hall of Edmond, Oklahoma, and W.Q. and Regina Richards of Paducah; and her

special friend, Oliver Zarate of College Station.

Bonnie was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, T.J. and Frances Richards of Paducah.

Bonnie brought joy to all whose lives she touched, and she will be remembered with love.

Funeral services were Monday April 15, 1996 at 10:00 a.m. at the Wimberley United Methodist Church, with burial at the Garden of Memories Cemetery, at 6:00 p.m. in Paducah, Texas.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Wimberley United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 737, Wimberley, TX 78676.

The Thomason Funeral Home in Wimberley was in charge of services.

### Bill Smallwood

Graveside services for Bill Smallwood, 64, of Matador were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14, in East Mound Cemetery with the Rev. Rickey Lawrence, pastor of Roaring Springs Assembly of God Church, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Smallwood died Saturday, April 13, 1996 at his residence.

He was born Sept. 16, 1931, in Matador. He graduated from Matador High School, and he was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean War. He was a

member of the American Legion and the Methodist church. He married Cora Mae Bostick on March 21, 1952, in Matador.

He was a retired farmer and stockman.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Troy of Amarillo; a daughter, Thanie Smallwood of Matador; a brother, Robert of Matador; two sisters, Lorene Thompson of Skellytown and Lillie Cooper of Dennison; and two grandchildren.

### Sam Ross

Services for Sam D. Ross, 88, of Quitaque were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 16, at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Sid Parsley, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Haskell, officiating, and the Rev. Less Hall, pastor, assisting.

Burial was in Flomot Cemetery under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

He died Saturday, April 13, 1996, at his home.

He was born May 23, 1907, in Northwest Motley County. He was chairman of the board of stewards of the Flomot Methodist Church, and he was president of the Flomot school board. He was president for 23 years of the Motley-Dickens County Old Settlers Association. He was a York Rite

Mason and a Scottish Rite Mason, having received the 33rd Degree. He was a member of First United Methodist Church, the Eastern Star and the Lions Club. He served as president of the Hall County Rural Electrification, and he was a member of the Shrine, of which he was past potentate.

Survivors include a son, Jimmy of Quitaque; a daughter, June Ross Hale of Floydada; their mother, Eunice May Colvin Ross; five grandchildren, Julie Ross, Janet Ross and Sammie-Dee Ross all of Quitaque, Clinton Ware and Lisa Ware of Floyd County; four great-grandchildren, Cody Ware, Clay Ware, Ross Baldwin, and Zachary Baldwin, all of Floyd County.

### Dorothy Braselton

Dorothy Ann Braselton, age 77, passed away April 16, 1996 at her home.

Dorothy was a member of Ayers Street Church of Christ. She was a beautiful Christian and will be missed greatly by all who were blessed to have been a part of her life. Her children rise and call her blessed. Her strength and courage throughout her life leave us with hope and faith. We rejoice in her new beginning.

Dorothy is survived by her husband, Guy Braselton of Corpus Christi; a daughter and son-in-law, Sandy and Claude Lewis, Houston, Texas, and a son and daughter-in-law, Sut and Francine Braselton, Corpus Christi, Texas; three step-children, Bobby (Naida) Braselton, Billy (Zelma) Braselton and Fred (Vanessa) Brasel-

ton, all of Corpus Christi; five grandchildren, Steve Braselton of Lubbock, Jeff (Debbie) Braselton, Houston, Shane Lewis and Slade Lewis, both of Houston, and Stephanie (Mark) Hilton of Houston; 26 great-grandchildren, and a wonderful care taker, Marie.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 17, 1996 at the Cage-Mills Funeral Directors, Everhart Chapel with Robert Johnson and Harry Springfield of the Ayers Street Church of Christ officiating.

Burial will be at 3:00 p.m. Thursday, April 18, 1996 at the Roaring Springs Cemetery, Roaring Springs. In lieu of flowers the family suggests contributions be made to the Roaring Springs Community Center, Driscoll Children's hospital or a charity of your choice.

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**Political Calendar**

**General Election**  
November 5

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**BABE ZAHARIS GOLF SCRAMBLE**  
The Babe Zaharis Golf Scramble benefiting the American Cancer Society will be held Sunday, April 28th. Tee off time is 2:00 p.m. All donations will be appreciated even if your not a golfer.

**Notice**

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION  
(AVISO DE ELECCION TRUSTEE)

To the registered voters of Motley County Hospital District:  
(A Los votantes registrados del Condado Motley, Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 4, 1996 for voting in a Trustee Election, to elect 3 (three) Trustees for two (2) year terms.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 4 de Mayo, 1996, para votar en la eleccion para elegir tres miembros para el termino de dos años.)

**LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)**

1, 5, 6 ..... Motley County Courthouse, Matador, TX  
2 ..... School Building in Flomot, TX  
3 ..... Northfield Cemetery Building in Northfield, TX  
4 ..... Depot Building in Roaring Springs, TX

Absentee Voting by personal appearance will be conducted each week day at the office of the County Clerk of Motley County between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 15, 1996.

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and ending on April 30, 1996.  
(y terminado el 30 de Abril, 1996.)

Applications for ballot by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 26, 1996.

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran por correo deberan recibirse antes del termino del dia de negocio de 26 de Abril, 1996)

Mailed to:  
Lucretia Campbell  
Motley County Courthouse  
Matador, Texas 79244

Additional absentee voting will be held at the same location as follows:  
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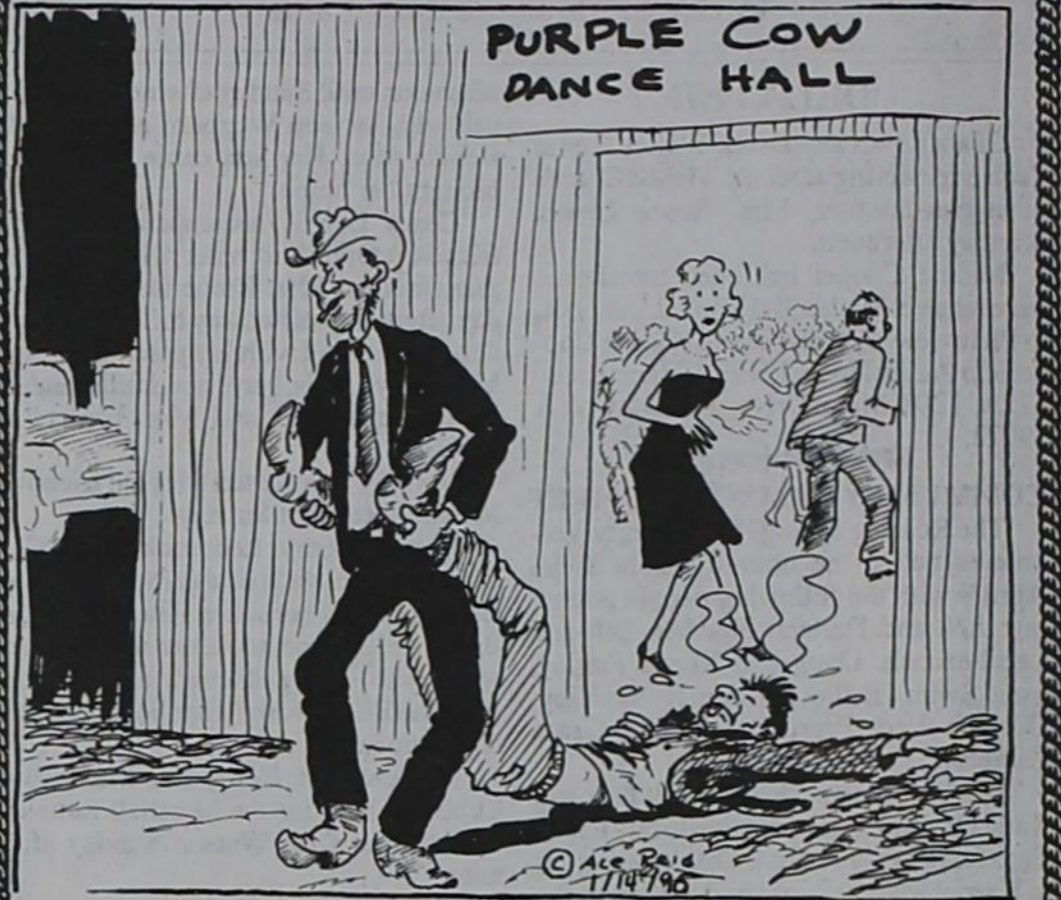
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