## Commissioners Accept Depository Bid From Local First State Bank

The Motley County Commissioners Floydada, Childress and Dickens had
Court metfortheir monthlymeeting May agreed to be the terminal for Motley Court met for their monthly meeting May
8 in the Commissioners Courtroom. Judge Billy J. Whiaker called the meeting to order by asking Fraiser Watson to give the invocation, other Commissioners present were, J. M. Russell, Bill D Washington and Franklin Jameson.
The minutes were read by Clerk Lucretia Campecll and approved. The
bills were reviewed and all were apbills were reviewed and all were ap-
proved except one to a culvert company who had not tiven credit to Precinct 3 for two culverts tha
three months.
Kay Howard, of Gary R. Traylor \& Associates, was on hand to ask the Court to pass three resolutions that were re quired by the State for the grant program.
Resolution A. was an Equal Opportunity Resolution A. was an Equal Opportunity
Resolution (this is for employment for the elevator construction.) Resolution B. is a Fair Housing Ordinance. Resolution C. is an Ordinance for Retention of Records( this is for keeping the grant records
foratleast three years.) Motion was made forat least three years.) Motion was
and passed for each of these resolutions to be adopted.

Russell asked Mrs. Howard if they needed to know clearly if the underground
oil storage for the ele vator would be illegal after September 1 , she said she would
look into this and make sure it would not look into this and make sure it would not cause a problem
James Gillespie, representing the 911
Emergency system, wanted to inform the Court that Mike Pedigo had the 911 proposal ready to prescut to the county
and the two city councils as soon as possible. Gillespie also asked the Court
to have any questions ready at this time. to have any questions ready at this time.
Gillespie stated that the terminals in Gillespie stated that the terminals in cided After discussion the Court de-

Motley County I.S.D. Announces Honor Students
loydada, Childress
agreed to be the term
County free of charge. H. C. Smith approached the court
with affadavits stating that the elevator he purchased in 1982 at a bankruptcy sale was suppose to be free and clear of all
incumbents preceeding 1982. firm in Austin (who sent out the delinquint tax bills) suggested Smith present these affadavits to the Court with his request. The Court asked Smith to let the Court send the affadavits to the law firm
requesting they send a letter of cancellation to the County, then they would be able to legally forgive this bill. C.L. Abernathy, Representative of
Mental Health and Retardation Center Mental Health and Retardation Center reported on the operation of the center at complaints or questions.
Russell asked if the State budget c would effect their operation, Mr. Abernathy stated it would hurt but they would: e able to operate without any problems.
Ervin Merritt of Roadbond Service Co.explained about the material he would
like to sell the county for the river crossing on the Tongue River project. He stated his material has been used in a
riverbed in Arkansas for the last three iverbed in Arkansas for the last three
years and has not been washed out. Watson stated he was waiting on the County Attomey to inform him of the county's easement rights across the river.
Bids on the loader were Bids on the loader were opened and
iscussed; West Texas Equipment bid ize all the equiptment owned by the County and get by without spending
anymore of the taxpayers money orgoing over into next years budget.
Bids were Bids were opened for the sale of the hree tractors: Tyler Used Equipment of
Plainview, for three, $\$ 3,018.97$;Douglas Campbell, for one Massie Fergison Campbell, for one Massie Fergison
$\$ 606.75$, Melvin Pitts, for three $\$ 375.00$, Bud Barton, for one Jublee $\$ 750.00$. The Court elected to sell three to Tyler Used Equiptment.
Bids were opened for Bank Depository Funds. American State Bank and the First State Bank of Matador. The Court noting that be from the FirstState Bank envelope was not marked 'Biate Bank been opened eariler.
Rocky Vinson, County Agent, presented two of the Commissioners with A\&M. J.M. Russell and Franklin Jameson attended the 31st Annual Con-
ferance for County Judges and Commissioners in January, 1989.
Commissioners read the reports from various offices, Treasurer, Agent, Library, Sheriff and J.P., who collected in fines in April, \$5,569.00.
The Court read and discussed a leter
concerning a House Bill on charging the concerning a House Bill on charging the ers from the county in the State Penitentiary. The Court signed against this bill. Record was made that the Nichols-
Boykin road dispute had been seuled and that from Farm Road 656 across land belonging to Boykin, Cook, Nichols to road. $\stackrel{\text { Meeting Adjorned. }}{ }$

| Roaring |
| :---: |
| Springs |
| City Council |
| Meeting |
| Report |

The Roaring Springs City Council met, May 2 for a brief meeting. Every Mayor Eugene Watson called the meet ing to order with the reading of the min utes by City Secretary, Anna Wilson.
First item of dicussion was a rough draft of the Revolving Loan Fund plan to
make necessary changes before adopting the plan. This plan was sent to the City by Karen King of SPAG. This will be sentto
the Texas Department of Development for the Economic Development guide lines, this is a State requirement. The Council tabled this plan until it could be read over carefully by each Councilman and Tim Pierce, Director of Economic
Development with the South Plains Development with the Sou
Association of Governments. Wilson informed the Council that Mr.
McGillory, District Manager of FmHA McGillory, District Manager of FmHA suggested they change the minimum gallons of water used for the application on the water loan request.
The Council was not in
this until they had quality water that would be worth a change.
Wilson had recieved word that they should know by May 9 about the loan
from FmHA. The loan request is from FmHA. The loan request is fo
$\$ 262,120$ to add to the $\$ 154,000$ they have acquired through grant monies. The time of the next council meeting will be changed to $7: 30$ p.m. The Council elected to spray the elm
trees downtown as soon as possible to rees downtown as soon as possible to
kill the bugs that eat the leaves in mid summer.
The Council discussed the abuse of the water fill-up station in town. It seems the cutoff gets broken frequently. James May suggested they replace the pipe with
metal pipe instead of PVC. The Council also elected to lock this station and have May to operate the station when water is
needed. needed.
Announced to the Council was that James May now has his water license.
Minutes and Bills were all reviewed
and paid.
Council went into closed session to dscuss financial matters.
 Regina Leigh Cruse, daughter of Mr, Valedictorian with a grade point average of 97.20 . Regina has been active in all school
activities. She is Prestide activites. She is President of Pep Club National Honor Society, FHA, UIL Literary events and One Act Play. She also participated in Basketball.
Regina is planning to go
an AngeloState University. At this tim The Salutatorian for $88-89$ is Dina Patel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.N. Dina has average or 94.7 . onor Society, FHA UIL and Studet Dina is going to Texas Tech Unive sity and plans to have a major in Comput-


## Happy Mother's Day



Colton Russell, 15 month old son of J.D. and D'Anna Russell of Matador, presents his Mommie with a be honored this Sunday, May 14 as we celebrate Mother's Day.

## County Elections Result In Three-Way Tie For Roaring Springs City Council Only $1 / 3$ of Motley County's regis- re-elected two incumbents. Sonny <br> SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS OFFICERS <br> \section*{The Motley County ISD Board of}

 May 6. These elections made changes in Campbell, 131. Travis Jameson, L.B entities, with 394 votes being cast. new councilman, Bill Hand, and has one way tie for two places on the Council way tie fard had 55 votes and Joey Thacker, J. Don Finch, and Don Wilson all received 50 votes. Charlie Long had 43, Gene Brannon received 35 and Jo DaleRice had 6 . The City Secretary, Anna Wilson, stated that the City is planning a run-off election, to be held in the near future. Matador City Council received
The Mat and Joe P. Smith received 105 votes. The Motley County I.S.D. Board of Trustees had one incumbent re-elected and one new member added. Guy and L.J. Barkley, Jr., had 200 votes. Other votes were as follows: Debra Garrison
Scott, 60 ; Lamar Tilson, 65 ; Randy ion, 114; Douglas Neal Campbell, 111 . The Motley County Hospital Board Candidates were both incumbents and un caldwell (H.C.) Smith had 365 votes and

## Upland Cot <br> Upland Cotton Program

will consider changes in the Agriculture on program to make the crop more competitive in world markets.
One change would altar the way the
djusted world price is figured. Billy adjusted world price is figured. Billy Wane Denison, CED of the Motley Conservation Service, says the adjusted vorld price is important in the cotton marketing loan program, which allows cotton growers to repay their price support loans at the less pro
Another change in the Upland Cotton

## 10-month period Sir loans beyond th

 10-month period. Starting with the 1989 crop, producers would be required to payinterest and storage charges on cotton stored the additional 8 months of the extended loan. Currently, the government pays the 8 -month charges when the
adjusted world price is below the adjusted world price is below the loan rate. Denison says that has led to large amounts of cotton being held under loan in free storage rather than going on the Details of the Upland Cotton Program

## Hospital Board Elects

## New Officers

The Motley County Hospital Board
had their regular monthly meeting May 9 at the Dream Cafe. All members were present to canvass the votes of the May 6 election., these were accepted as counted. Election of new officers was Larry
Hoyle President, Darrell Cruse Vice Preside President, Lillie Crouchell Cruse ViceThe March expenses were $\$ 6,632$ aving a balance of $\$ 28,348.47$. Darrell reported on Greg Campbell
hecking on the heating and cooling ons, hear complaints, etc. The Board had no complaints they felt everything was going well.
Questions we plied; They had received the new grant monies for the year, the clinics served approximately 29,000 people for healthe service on the South Plains. No time cards were turned in from the No time
EMTs. hecking on the heating and cooling
He stated they should on wih heat He stated they should go with the heat Campbell onertay he was with Kirby pump setup and also informed them that a radio check and talked to St. Mary's appeared only one unit was working at Hospital in Lubbock. Henry Hawley, Executive Director The Board elected to go into closed Henry Hawley, Executive Director for session at this time. No decisions wer vass the election results of the May 6 lection. Guy Campell, Donnie Cruse ames Palmer, Coy Franks, Alvin Alexander, Leslie Jameson and Ron Cummings were in attendance. Guests attending was Douglas Campbell. Campbell opened the meeting by sking Ron Cummings to read the minread and approved.
Cummings gave a report concerning old business; the new electrical wiring was complete on the old school; Teams test report was in, there had been a 40-
$50 \%$ ingrovement overall in the students. Cummings asked for volunteers to come to the advisory meetings, one on uesday and one on Monday, Alexander and Jameson volunteered. Cummings reported that from all acbest ever'.
Boardmembers were chosen to hand tion ceremas at the High School Graduation.
New
ew business was to elect officers for dent, Donnie Cruse Vice-President and James Palmer Secretary.

GOOD
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STATE
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MEET


## In The Rough



Tuesday Scramble First ( 31 ) Rob Francis, Jake E
Stacy Toners, Geneva Wilson Stacy Conners, Geneva Wilson. Elkins, Alan Bingham

## Third (32) Mike Han

 Jake Goodson, Dudley Barber Fourth (32) Wade and NellJeff Tracker, Tom Yeates. Fifth (32) Joe and James and Frances Moss. Sixth (32) Buzz and LaVoe Thacke Ken Marshall, Garland Cartwright. Seventh (34) E.A. and Dorothy Day Darrell Cruse, Frank Price. Eighth (35) Bill and Mary
Gerald Pipkin, Warner Sailsbury. Buzz Tracker won closest to the pi on No. 6, 3 feet.

Thursday Play
Dorothy Day and Genva Wilson played Dorothy won the ball on low putts. Louise played 6 holes. 5:30 players: Leona Terry, Nell Be ryman, June Moss, Dixie Campbell, Judy Renfro, Mary Lou Grundy. Leona, Nell kept the others from finishing.

Byron Nelson Tournament Joe and Loys Campbell were guests o Prairie the past weekend Joe and Loys were part of the large
at Los Colinas Sports Center. A Thursday night storm dropped 2 2 inches of rain on the course and play Thursday morning due hour delay o players had to complete rains. Nine l round on Friday morning.
Joe and Loys enjoyed the tourname in spite of the weather. Part of the time they were at the No. 1 the box and got to see everyone tee-off
The Woolseys to
a sight seeing tour. Vista Campbells on office in Dallas. Roger Wallace (Laura Jacob's husband) is Clarence's partner in the printing business. Their business is growing and expanding at a tremendous
rate. They spent an hour and a half looking over office.

Debbie Woolsey is a construction consultant for Trammell Crows enterprises.

Clarence became interested and started in printing with Douglas Meador at the early 1970's (having graduated from Matador High School in 1971). He is one of the many protege's of the late Douglas
Meador, who have made successful carears from their early training.
The Campbell's got in flood condiions on their return home. Road was closed between Olney and Jacksboro due to a 9 inch rain in one hour Sunday
morning. They had to detour by Graham where water was deep across the highway. (To bad they couldn't bring some of the rain with them.)

Judge not, that ye be not judged. Matthew 7:1

## Mother's Day Out

Meal for two at the
50 Yard Line
Restaurant
Lubbock
Show and Gas Paid For
The Lady Receives A Corsage
$\$ 4.00$ a ticket for donation Available from an '89 MC Senior

Proceeds go for the Trip of '89

## Not Related To The School

Willson \& Son Builders Mart GIANT GARAGE SALE

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Saturday, May 13, 1989

Discontinued Paint Cabinet Hardware Wood Letters Kitchen Sink
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## Le <br> LIBRARY <br> NOTES <br> BY Jimmie hunter

We received information from the Bible Alliance, Inc., of Bradenton, Florida, telling us that they would send, free of charge and as a gift to be kept, the Bible on tape to be played on an ordinary cas-
fete player in answer to a request on our sette player in answer to a request on our
official Library letterhead stationary. The important news for us was that a Librarian can now certify that a person is visually or physically handicapped to qualify for this free service. Previously, the er-
ification had to come from a physician or tification had to come from aphysician or
nurse. Please read the news release apparing elsewhere in this paperer, then drop by, call the Library 347-2p17, oo have a
friend come by and make this request for friend come by and make this request for
you.
Another service that we would like to remind you of that is available at the Li
branny is tutoring in Literacy. We two tutors available now who can help to lear English as a Second Language, o the Laubach Way to Reading. So if you are in need of help just to improve you reading skills or the English Language
training made necessary by the Amnesty training made necessary by the Amnesty
Program, please call $347-2717,347-2430$ or 348-7963 for more information or to enroll in the program.
We are looking forward to the visit of
students from Kindergarten through the students from Kindergarten through the
Sixth Grade at our Library on the mom ing of May 16. We are anxious to show them our new arrangement, and tell them something about the Summer Reading Program and introduce them to the volun-
tears, Mrs. James Gillespie and Mrs. Hat Martin, who are making great plans for the Creature Features Summer Reading clubs of 1989.

We had never been satisfied with the books. I was amazed at the look of opens and the possibilities for a story corner and another study area in the Southwest corner of our building, when we rearrange
some shelves. I had to some shelves. I had to agree with our
advisor, Jo Amandes, of WTLS that it
was not good to have the Juvenile nonfiction on both sides of the double faced units that does looklike a divider beand the Juvenile Fiction, but after con and the Juvenile Fiction, but after con-
sulting all the staff members and several suiting all the staff members and several
patrons, we decided to 'child test' it, and see for ourselves just how well it worked. So when I learned that Spencer Dixon was coming to Matador Saturday morn-
ing and would be in town until noon with ing and would be in town until noon with all his handy tools, I persuaded Wayne to
come in with me, and Wilda, Spencer, Wayne, and I got the shelves in place again, all the nonfiction books rearranged and in place, and the Reference books back in shelves. That leaves us with a box
of books for repairs, several boxes of paperbacks, and two boxes of juvenile and picture books weeded from the shelves that must have the cards removed before we have the main library room解 of boxes on the floor
If you are one who has started the
Dana Fuller Ross series, WAGONS WEST, you will now find them located between the 4th and fth row of shelves against the north wall in the narrow black paperback rack that was donated to us by ames Stanley and put in working order y Joel Dean Spray. We are grateful to angus get the Library almoststraightagain. Since our last reporting of visitors to he Library, we have had fromout of state,
Mr. andMrs. Reynaldo J. Montoya, of Mr. andMrs. Reynaldo J. Montoya, of
Albuquerque, N.M. (She is my sister); Chars and Maxine Briton of Ft. Collins, CO who both grew up in Texas; John E. Messamore of Powell, TN and Judy and Tom Black of Pittsford, NY. From out of holman, June Sherman of Cockney, Gene Reed of Ralls, Loretta Dinning, Susan unavant, Sherry Colston, and Ozena Norris of Floydada, Nell Novel of Hereof Spur, Edna T. Hare r of Fredricksburg or sur, Edna T. Farer of Fredricksburg,
and Roy F. Carpenter of San Angelo.

## LORD, PLEASE LISTEN

I'm tired, Lord, of trying
To keep a smile and a pleasant thought
Over pan
I know you are the God of love,
Beyond my darkness, you are the light,
Beyond my darkness, you are the
But I'm tired, Lord, of waiting For everything to turn out right.

Lord, to trust you mo. To use the faith you se given me.
To accept the things that will not change. I ask for understanding I cannot see.

Forgive me, Lord, for the days
I seemingly cannot cope And help my unbelief, Lord, And fill me with your hope.
Remind me, Lord, that where I am weak You are so very strong; That the unpleasant things of this life Rarely last for long.

Thank you, Lord, for watching over and loving me!

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Owner Jerry Adcock
Salesman scrub and sweeten your tongue?


A gossiper went to her minister and said, 'You'd be fine but for one thing. Your tie's too long. May I take your scissors and shorten it?
"Help yourself," he replied. When she finished, he said, Your tongue's too long May i Your tongue's too long. May I
take your scissors and shorten take
Gossipers with long tongues have been catalogued in three different types: the vest-button type - they're always popping off. The vacuum cleaner type they're always picking up dirt.
The liniment type-they're always The liniment type - they're always rubbing it in.
Why don't you let the Lord
New Arrivals of
Gifts \& Antiques hours
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Weekdays 657-4438 Cone, Texas Maxine Littlefield Owner

## $\because \quad$ Cone

General Store


## Reno es's colum

## The Way It Was

by Emmett Jenkins
New Mexico was admitted to the join the Union.
Free land was available under certain conditions. If properly filed on, a specified amount of improvement, and lived three years, a the year, for a period o lowed to one man.
Many wagons heading west to the
Land of Enchantment.,
Land of Enchantment," came down the Tad by our house.
They were driving
They were driving good teams with good harnesses, new wagons or in good
repair, loaded with household goods and other necessities, usually a couple of milk-cows, leading along behind the
wagon, maybe a colt or two following wagon, maybe a colt or two following.
Also a couple of dogs trotting in the Also a couple of dogs trotting in the
shade, under the wagon. There would be a big sign on the side of the wagon, "New Mexico or bust."
Then, there
Then, there was the poorer class,
coming down the hill at a snails pace coming down the hill at a snails pace,
rattling along, pulled by a pair of burros There would be pots, pans, and buckets hanging on the sides.
The ragged, patched wagon sheet flapping in the wind, a five gallon can hanging on the coupling pole at the rear of the
wagon. A coop of chickens wired to side, or where ever there was available space, a poor mangy cur straggling along behind. They would often stop at a farm house, buy or beg milk for the children,
some butter and maybe side of bacon, if
available. In dry
In dry weather the iron tires on the
wooden wheels would loosen, which wooden wheels would loosen, which
could be heard rattling and squeaking as hey passed.
The proper
The proper way, was to have the tires The proper way, was to have the tires
shrunk, which was a Blacksmith job. I
have seen them stop by and borrow water
alter on the wheels to sweal the woo It was not uncommon to see It was not uncommon to see wagon
wheels in a shallow pond overnight, or a day or so. That was the poor mans way to tighten the tire. Usually they camped by the road near water if possible, a creek windmill or surface tank.
Adversity
Adversity hit the home steaders. in the
orr of drought, inability to get the land form of drought, inability to get the land
into cultivation. Even if it rained it was hard to keep a family on a quarter section In two or three years many became dis-enchanted with the "Land of Enchant-
ment." They were coming down the road going East. The teams were poor, the milk-cows missing, the tires were rath-
ling, the wagon sheet faded and wat ling, the wagon sheet faded and weath-
red. red.
The contrast was so much in evidence,
it was hard to real ize they were the same it was hard to realize they were the same
people who went west. One wagon had a sign "New Mexico and Busted."
Kim Wilkinson went to New Mexico Kim Wilkinson went to New Mexico
and filed on land near Portales. That was and filed on land near Portals. That was before there was irrigation. According to
Kim, his mules would look east, over the corral fence toward Texas, and Bray. Later Kim was as homesick for
Eventually Kiman decision that Whiteflat was "The Land of Milk and Honey." He had to move to New Mexico to realize it
made a few Ac o Kim, everyday, the mules made a few more miles than the day betheir ears forward, stepping high. They their ears forward, stepping high. They
were going home.
Some of the people stayed, acquired
more land and prospered Others from the windmill through, and pour That's the way it was.
froe and disillusioned.
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## Thank you

Thanks to the voters of Motley County who supported me in the School
Sincerely,,
Douglas Neal Campbell
would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people who voted for me in the recent City Council election. I have enjoyed working with the men on the City Council, for they have the City's best interest at heart and I know they will manage the City business in the best possible way.

Thank you,
Joe P. Smith

We would like to thank everyone for the food, flowers, cards, the dinner at the Catholic Church, your words of concern and especially your prayers at the loss of our loved one. Your kindness is appreciated.

The family of George Ho-Gland
Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

## E Senior Citizens Report <br>  Monday the mini bus made a trip to our regular game and fellowship get Lubbock with several people riding.Ega together. Eight people were present, and Evans had a doctor's appointment. <br> everyone enjoyed the evening <br> Thursday the bus went to Plainview Thank you Norabelle for the nice write- and we had eight people riding. We had up and picture in the Tribune of my being and we had eight people riding. We had up and picture in the Tribune of my being lunch at the Dairy Queen. Really enjoyed named Senior Citizen of the Year. You the day and everyone did a little shop- are a goodie. <br> Don't forget May 17, it is our com- modity day at the Senior Citizen Build$\begin{aligned} & \text { Norabelle opened the doors to our }\end{aligned}$ ing. in Matador from 3:00 $-5: 00$ ppm. Be

 Board election> Dream Cafe Downtown roaring spring Mother's Day Buffet

## Proberbs 22:6

Motley County School News

## $\sqrt{\text { OUN }}$ BOX

MONDAY, MAY 15
BREAKFAST: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice.
LUNCH: TacoSalad (Meat\& Cheese Lettuce and Tomato), Beans, Peanut
Butter Brownie TUESDAY, MAY 16

BREAKFAST: Cereal, Buttered
Toast, Fruit.
LUNCH: Baked Ham, Au Gratin Potatoses, Blackeyed Peas, Whole Wheat Rolis, Pineapple Tiabils.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 17
BREAKFAST: Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Juice.
LUNCH: Chicken Enchiladas, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Corn, Unbaked Cookies. THURSDAY, MAY 18
breakfast: Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Fruit.
LUNCH: Steak, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Gela-
tin. FRIDAY, MAY 19

BREAKFAST: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs. LUNCH: Chili Dog, Cheese, Pickle,
Onion, Potato Onion, Potato Chips, Fruit Salad, Top-


The Juniors organized a good Jr.-S Prom. The D.J. had a fog machine and
played all types of music. It was a lot of fun. The track team will travel to Austin on Thursday for the State Track Meet. Good Luck to those participating.
The Seniors are planning graduation. They are sending their invitations out this
week. May 27 th is getting week. May 27 th is getting closer.
Eighth grade is also planning the graduation for May 26 .


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## Compliment Mother

With Flowers Complimentary Toddlers Bud Vase when Dad remembers Mom with a purchase from MATADOR FLORAL Coffee Cup Arrangements Spring Bouquets Blooming \& Green Plants Corsages
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Silk Arrangement Wire Flowers Anywhere
with Carik Wire Service Matador Floral : 347-2241

Our Teachers Are Totally Terrific!! ***********************
Teacher Profile


BETTYE STEVENS
Mrs. Bettye Stevens is aClerical Aide/ they have two children, Ashley, 6 and Secretary at Motley County I.S.D. She John Wesley, 2. They reside in Matador.
has been working at Motley County for
Bettye enjoys working around the has been working at Motley County for Betye enjoys working around the
two years. Bettye is a graduate of Hamlin students and the administration. Her goal High School. She then attended and gradu- is to make the new transition of paper ated from South Plains College in 1982. work run smoothly with the new program 1989-90Junior High Cheerleaders


JR. HIGH CHEERELEADERS FOR 1989-90: Keri Shorter, Head, Sheryl Davis, Wendy Lancaster, Stesha Daniels.

## A SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL UIL HELPERS

The substitutes Kelli Jackson, Beverly Darsey, Naomi Lawrence, Seven Alexander, and Francis Brandon. The parents that went with us:
Linda Burge, Linda Jameson, Deidra Clifton, Brenda Cruse, Bunni Speed, Kelli Martin and Kathy Gillespie.
A special thanks to Kelli Martin and Kathy Gillespie for Wednesday's sandwiches, cokes and treats.
Without your help it would not have been possible.
Thanks again, Oran Hamilton
MAY EVENTS

| Friday, May 12th and 13th | State Track Meet in Austin |
| :---: | :---: |
| Friday, May 12th | LAST DAY TO CHARGE |
|  | In CAFETERIA |
| Monday, May 15th | Powder Puff Football Practice 6:30 p.m. |
| Tuesday, May 16th | PTO Ice Cream Supper |
|  | 6:30 p.m. Tennis Courts |
| Thursday, May 18th | Baseball Barbecue, 5:30 p.m. |
|  | American Legion Hall |
|  | Powder Puff Football Game, |
|  | 8:00 p.m. |
| Friday, May 19th | Athletic Banquet |
| Monday, May 22nd | Faculty Cook-Out, Springs |
|  | 6:00 p.m. |
| Tuesday, May 23rd | FFA Cook-Out (Park), 7:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday, May 24th | Elementary Program in Gym |
|  | 1:30 p.m. |
| Thursday, May 25th | Final Exams - Odd Periods |
| Friday, May 26th | LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! |
|  | Final Exams - Even Periods |
|  | Awards Assembly - 2:40 p.m., |
|  | Gym |
|  | All Day Picnic at Springs - K-6 |
|  | Eighth Grade Graduation |
|  | 7:30 p.m. |
| Saturday, May 27th | Senior Graduation, 7:30 p.m. |
| Wednesday, May 31st | Report Cards Mailed Home |

## Jr. High \& Elementary <br> UIL Results

moman and Elementary participants. Those par- Turner, ThomasLee, Beth Bingham, Josh exander, Christy Potts, Lacy Parks, Burr ticipating were:
3rd Grade, Oral Reading: Jaylene 3rd Grade, Oral Reading: Jaylene
Burge, Cobey Turner, Monica Clifton, Burge, Cobey Turner, Monica Clifton,
Caralce Buchanan.
4th Grade, Oral Reading: Brandi 4th Grade, Oral Reading: Brandi
Jameson, Kasey Parks, Alana Bingham, Jameson, Kasey Parks, Alana Binghan Martin. Grade, Spelling: Cody Tihe Bo Speed. Brandi Jameson, Leah Cruse, Bo Speed. 5th and 6th. Grade, Spelling: Stesha
5th Grade, Oral Reading: Laurie Daniel, Mandi Farley, Heather Turner, Hoyle, Cara Franks, Bradley Thacker, Gwen Sims.
Chad Lawrence. 6th. Grade, Calculator Applications:
6th. Grade, Oral Reading: Wendy Mandi Farley, Josh Palmer, Heather 6th. Grade, Oral Reading: Wendy Mandi Farley, Josh Palmer, Heather
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5th and 6th Grade, Ready Writing: $\begin{gathered}\text { 7h Grade, Dictionary Skills: Keri } \\ \text { Shorter, Whitney }\end{gathered}$ Heather Turner, Mandi Farley, Kevin Shorter, Whitney Jameson, Jeromy
Keltz, Stesha Daniel. Keltz, Stesha Daniel.
2nd Grade, Storytelling:Blair Thacker, Stacie Neal, Robert Gillespie, Kristie Williams.
3rd. Grade, Storytelling, Rebecca Long, Cobey Turner, Stephen Meyer,
Ryan Martin. 4th and 5th Grade, Picture Memory: Cara Franks, Lindsey Williams, Leah Cruse, Leigh Ann Pipkin. 4th. Grade, Number Sense: Cody
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Bo Speed. Bo Speed.
5th. Grade, Number Sense: Bradley
Thacker, Jeremy Smith, Lee Jones, Lupe Thacker, Jeremy Smith, Lee Jones, Lupe
Rojas. Rojas. Grade, Number Sense: Mandi Farley, Josh Palmer, Cody Williams, 5th and 6th. Grade, Music Memory:


JR. HIGH UIL PARTICIPANTS


5TH \& 6TH GRADE UIL PARTICIPANTS


2ND, 3RD AND 4TH GRADE UIL PARTICIPANTS

Barton. \& 8th Grade, Spelling: Danic Alexander, Dustin Davis, Kobbi Risser. Winners are as follows:

Elementary
2nd. Grade, Story Telling: 1st., Blair 3rd , 6th., Stacie Neal. 3rd. Grade, Story Telling, 6th., Cobey Ready Writing, 1st., Cobey Tumer 6 . Ryan Martin.
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Leigh Ann Pipkin; Dictionary Skills, 5th., Lee Jones; Spelling, 2nd. Stesha Daniel. 6th. Grade: Calculator Applications, 6th., Don Martin.

## Junior High

7th. \& 8th. Grade: Calculator Applications, 6th., Scott Sailsbury; Dictionary Skills, 4th., Whitney Jameson; Number Sense, 4th., Kara Boykin, Sth., tie, Eva Reading, 3rd., Sheryl Davis.; Spelling 1st., Daniel Alexander; Modern Oratory, 4th., Christy Potts, 5th., Jagruti Patel; Ready Writing, 6th., Aimee Pipkin. 8th. Grade: Number Sense, 5th., Ja-
gruti Patel; Science, 5th., Christy Potts gruti Patel; Science, Sth., Christy P
Oral Reading, 4th., Lacy Parks.
$\qquad$ School Announcements KINDERGARTEN
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## Principal, Oran Hamilton

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## Society News

Couple to Celebrate 50tr Wedding Anniversary


Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watson would Bobby and Jeanne Williams of Matador like to extend a welcome to all their Larry of Dallas, and Monty of Roaring
friends to celebrate their 50th Wedding Springs. friends to celebrate their 50th Wedding Springs. Anniversary, Saturday, May 13th, with a The former Cleo Yandell and Watson reception at the Dream care in Roarig were married June 14, 1939 in Roaring Stanley and Mary Lefevre of Plainview, great grandchildren.

Motley County Arts and Crafts

## Club Learn Folk Art Painting

## Mrs. Una Simpson instructed mem- dley, Director of Missions of Caprock

 Club in folk-artpainting on cutting boards dent or Wayland Baptist University, an at their May ist meeting, when they mel ing in Matador. Tucks on their ateng painted two large Simpson gave instructions on mixing various colors and shading techniquesEach colored cutting board will heplace in a white frame at a later date. Those attending brought sack lunches,
with desserts and drinks furnished by with desserts and drinks furnished by various club members.
Following the meal, and continuation of the painting project, a business session dent, presiding.
The minutes of the last meeting and treasurers report were given by Mrs Lorene Lancaster. amount of the gift. It was decided toleave secretary
Club members accepted the invitation to display their art work at the county library.
Tuesday, May 9 is the date voted on
by the club for an outing to which time the club will have lunch at the historical hotel, tour the hotel museum,
visit a local artist and visit a local artist and other places of
interest.
Members attending were: Mesdames Winifred Darsey, Lorene Lancaster, Mary Louder, Winifred Lee, Betty Simpson, Una Simpson, Dora Watson, Leola and Bonnie Edmondson.
The next regularly scheduled meeting wustafson.
God Bless You $-$ dent of Wayland Baptist University, and Plains Baptist Assembly.

Singing the chorus, "God is So Good," Law of the Lubbock Association. The campers were divided into seven groups and given slips of paper with the words to
sing in English, Portuguese, French, sing in English, Portuguese, French,
Amhartic, Ethiopia, German, Arabic and Amhartic,
Spanish.

Cooperative Program Spotlight was Sarah Masten of Lubbock Association, with an offering given to the Cooperative Program. This program is the
means by which the Southern Baptist Convention supports its home and foreign missions, seminaries and other ministries.

Miss Tracee Garland of Shallowater was introduced as one "Special Acteen," and gave a testimony concerning what
that organization, an auxiliary of W.M.U. had meant to her. Special music was by Mrs. Carroll, who sang "Love In Any anguage."
In her message, Mrs. Dunkin emphasized the theme of the program as it
applied to Woman's Missionary Union, stressing "The Language of Love" in prayer and through Bible study, in missions education and support through
nvolvement ministry and personal witvolvement, ministry and personal wit
hat, the message revealed, is what Closing prayer was by Mary about. Closing prayer was by Mary Lou Serhall, the "Day at Camp" was dismissed. Atuendance showed that 280 registered for day.

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## Progresso Club

 Wins First
## Place Honors

GFWC El Progresso Club had two first place programs and received the
certificates at the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs annual Convention. The Convention was held at the Marriott Mandalay at Los Colinas in Irving, May 5 thru 7. . The first place program in the Educa-
tion Department was a tea honoring the 1989 senior girls and their mothers at the Matador Ranch Headquarters. The title of the proaram "I Wish They Would
Teach Graduates This Stuff" was given by Mrs. J.E. Edwards, retired school by Mrs. J.E. Edwards, retired schoor a
teacher and member of the Club. After a resume' of the program was presented at
the Convention several asked for a copy the Convention several asked for a copy of Mrs. Edwards talk.
The first place program award in The
Arts Department was a review of her Arts Department was a review of her
book given by Dr. Joann Darsey Stevens, Dallas, entitled "Santos By Twentieth Century Santeras: Continuation of a Traditional Art Form." This was pre-
sented at EI Progresso's annual Gente sented at El Pr
men's Evening.
men's Evening.
El Progresso received a certificate for one hundred present membership subscription to The Texas Clubwoman magazine. Members attending from Santa
Rosa District were Mrs. Philli Rosa District were Mrs. Phillip A. Car-
penter, Past State President and Mrs. Joel penter, Plast State Presidentand Mrs.
M. Ellett, Past District President, Burkburnett; Mrs. Warren Haynie, Santa Rosa District President, Crowell; Mrs.
Robert M Dickson Robert M. Dickson, State Scholarship
Committee, Anson; Mrs. G.W. Higgins, Committee, Anson; Mrs. G.W. Higgins,
Santa Rosa District Life Member, Seymour; and Mrs. Harold H. Campbell,
Trustee TFWC Historical Foundation Trustee, TFWC Historical Foundation. Mrs. Campbell represented the local club
and received the certificates.

God Loves You!


## Baptist Youth Hold Annual Choir Retreat

The Children's Choir of First Baptist The retreat ended at 1:00 p.m. Church, Matador, held itsannual rehearsal Choir leaders Frances Dixon, retreat Friday and Saturday, May 5 and 6, Winifred Lee, and Elaine Risser, were at the church.
Gathering at $5: 30$ p.m. on Friday, the assisted by Kobbi Risser, Jason Stanley,
and Fred Risser Parents who also helped Gathering at $5: 30$ p.m. on Friday, the and Fred Risser. Parents who also helped
children broughtsleeping bagsand scripts were Darlene Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. children broughtsleeping bags and scripts were Darlene Thomas, Mr. and Mrs.
for an overnight stay and long rehearsals. James Stanley, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry for an overnightstay and long rehearsals. James included a sandwich supper, short Hoyle. movies, a late-night trek to Stanley Phar- Choir members in attendance were macy for ice cream, and a devotional led Llan Barkley, Tanya Barkley, wrant by the pastor. Rising at 6:00 a.m. Saturday, the group was treated to a hearty breakfast, courcooks. Rehearsals resumed soon after with breaks consisting of another pastorBillie Dean's. The choir also spent time May20, And Then, I Sing," on Sunday, painting the backdrop for the musical attend.

## Local Piano Students

## Play In Recital

Pianostudents of Mrs.Dell Gray were story; Tonya Hoyle The Shepher Meshodist Cecital recently at First United Boy"; and Kobbi Risser, "Puck" Local students performing in the re- Kobbi Risser was presented a medal cital were Kaci Risser, "Dance of the for tying for second place in the Top

## Baptist WMU President Speaks

 At Missionary Union AssemblyWoman's Missionary Union of Texas sented were Llanos Alto, Jane Ritter, resident, Gerry (Mrs. Raymond) Dunkin director; South Plains, Pat Lambright, of Lufkin was speaker for the program director; Staked Plains, Edna Evans, ions met May 1 at Plains Baptist Assem- Law, director.
ly in Floyd Courtains Baptist Assem- Law, director. The program began at $10 o^{\prime}$ clock with guage of Love." Pattie McCartle, and Call to Prayer by Odessa Mullins of Roaring Springs, Edna Evans from Staked Plains Associadirector of Caprock Association, presided tion. Special guests introduced were Gene with Welcome, Announcements and in- Hawkins, Director of Missions of Lub مア6026\% A Tribute To You Mother

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Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock has now gained statewide support for its objections to increased loan progra
cotton quality discounts for 1989 . The more severe penalties will mean
millions of dollars in lost income for millions of dollars in lost income for Texas cotton producers in 1989, PCG
PresidentSteve Varettof Ralls has pointed out. And, he adds, the effect of this year's discount increases will figure into the
discounts for future years as well. USDA figures the discount as a simple average of the previous year's loan discounts and
average spot market quotations for the first seven months of the same marketing
year.
That system in the past has resulted in smaller loan program discounts following a year when the market imposes
quality discounts below those contained in the loan schedule. Producer observations, on the Plains at least, indicate that
that's what happened in both 1987 and 1988. Discounts narrowed in 1988, as
expected. But for 1989, the spread betexpected. But for 1989 , the spread bet-
ween the base quality and lower qualities widened, and PCG is leading an effort to determine why.
Verett called the issue to the attention of the Texas Association of Cotton Producer Organizations (TACPO) in Dallas
May 2 and found solid backing or PCG's position that producers are due an explaination. TACPO, made up of eight regional cotton orgainzations that represent virtually all Texas cotton produc-
tion, agreed to join in an attempt to detion, agreed to join in an attempt to de-
velop the Beltwide data needed to make a case for smaller discounts.

Mid Year Crop and Livestock Reports
AUSTIN -- Beginning June 1 , representatives from the Texas Agricultural
StatisticsService will be contacting farmers and ranchers across the state to help set the 1989 planted acreage estimates and midycar livestock inventories. provide Texas producers with solid fall provide Texas producers with solid facts and figures they can use them making
their production and marketing plans for their production and marketing plans for
1989," state statistician Dennis Findley explained. "Thecontinueddry weatherthisspring
and the changes in the national farm program may have altered producers plans for 1989, and this survey will be the
first accurate measure of midyear live-

Findley added.
Individual reports will be combined with other reports to set state estimates.
Results of the confidential interviews, conducted by telephone or in person by field enumerators, will be published later his summer. The 1989 acreage forecast
will be published July 12, and the midyear cattle inventory will be published
July 28 . year catt
July 28.
"Remember, these are sample surveys, so if you are contacted it is important to pour one report represents similar opera-
ions of the same size and type. Our stimates can be no better than the num-

Social Security Tips
For Motley County

Direct deposit of social security bene-
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financial institution is becoming very
popular. Presently $\$ 8.4$ billion in benefit papular. Presently, $\$ 8.4$ billion in benefit
paymen go directly to the bank accounts of 18 million retirement, survivor,
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aries will receive benefits through direct deposit with in 10 years.
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check. Convenience - the money will be safe
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at any time from any place. Time saving - The beneficiaries don't

## Foreign Land Owner <br> Investors Regulations

Foreigners who acquire or transfer
any interest ther than any interest other than a security interest
in Motley County's agricultural land are reminded to report the transaction to the Agricultural Stabilization and
tion Service within 90 days. The Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act requires all foreign ownDisclosure Act requires all foreign own-

CREATIVE COOKING

## House Clears Bill <br> To Aid Area Hospital

AUSTIN-The Texas House approved Crosbyton) does not create enough reve-
islation Friday authorizing the crea- nue to operate without tax assistance," he legislation Friday authorizing the crea- nue to
tion of a Crosby County Hospital Dis- said.
trict.
The bill by Rep. Warren Chisum, D- valuation could be assessed to support Pampa, now goes to the Senate, where it the district if it is created. will be sponsored by Sen. John Montford, Under the legislaion, the commissionIf the bill is passed by the Senate and tal district directors, who would call the signed by Gov. Bill Clements, Crosby election. Chisum said the election could County voters will decide whether to orm the hospital district. Chisum said he was asked by The bill provides for a 12 -member Crosby County Commissioners court to ounty's only as a means of helping the added when the Senate considers the bill "Crs only hospital. to allow the commissioners to appoint


Combine flour, salt and pepper; dredge beef. Reserve excess flour. Brown leaf, stirring to combine. Cover tightlly and cook slowly $11 / 2$ hours. Remove
bay lear. Add carrots and continue cooking, covered, 30 minutes. Meanwhile cook onions in butter in frying pan over medium-high heat 15 minutes, stir-
ring occasionally. Add onions to beef mixture and continue cooking 10 minutes, covered, or until beef is tender. Combine reserved flour and water; gradually stir into cooking liquid and cook until thickened, about 5 minutes. Nutrient data per serving: 395 calories; 25 g protein; 23 g fat; 21 g
carbohydrate; ; 3.7 mg iron ( $21 \%$ U.S. RDA); 717 mg sodium; 89 mg
cholesterol. "wif

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## Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:
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cussions npace has been devoted to dis regarding the Texas Agricultural Com missioner. Rather than involve personailiues, we should be focusing on a situation that threatens to become a seriou problem for all Texans.
Texas needs leadership in the Texa stands that the economic health of rural Texas is based on the ability of agricul ture to change and adapt to new technol ogy. We derive approximately $\$ 9.09$ billion from agricultural enterprises col
lectively within Texas, but only 1.5 per lectively within Texas, but only 1.5 per
cent of our population are working farmers and ranchers. We are losing our young people in agriculture. Our rural population continues to decline and along with it the economic infrastructure based, in larg part, on agricultural production.
Recently, 37 farm and ranch organi zaitons, representing all types and sizes of agricultural enterprises from across the state, took the unusual step of forming a grassroots movement to deliver a simple
message. We need "a change in spate government that will help rebuild rural ship."
Texas is not now, nor will it ever be
again, the same as it was 10,20 or 30 again, the same as it was 10,20 or 30
years ago. Texas will never again have years ago. Texas will never again have
the rural population we once had, but we cannot afford as a society to write off the interests of rural Texas.
As Texas becomes more and mor will become further removed from the wil become further removed from the
problems occurring on farms and ranches. probiemsoccurringon farms and ranches.
The distance, in miles and philosophy, separating rural Texans from their urban brethren invites misinformation. The
legitimate attempts to regain some selflegitimate attempts to regain some self-
direction by those whose lives are invirection by those whose lives are inare deliberately distorted and therein lies the real tragedy.
Sadly, certain politicians and media representatives have contributed to the
deterioration in this meaningful dialogue by their fixation on personalities. They have fasely labeled the intentions of our rural, agricultural-based citizenry as det
rimental to the well-being of everyone rimental to the well-being of everyone
else. It is time to set the record straight. else. It is time to set the record straight.
What these working farmers and ranch ers are asking of the Texas Legislature
able. Change in state government is in-
evitable and productive. Thirty-seven states, including seven of the top 10 ag producing states, appoint their agricul-
tural leadership. These states have recognized what Texas is trying to grasp; the election of a politician to dictate state agricultural policy and direction no longer
works in urban-oriented societies. Proworks in urban-oriented societies. Pro-
duction agriculture is too complex in this duction agriculture is too complex in this, uninformed, uneducated rhetoric. If mainstream agriculture is to continue providing this nation and much of the world
with the most wholesome and abundant with the most wholesome and abundant
food at the lowest possible cost, we must food at the lowest possible cost, we must
cies. As a cattle producer and president of a group of cattle people whose organiza-
tion has worked for better govenment and stronger agriculture policy will benefit farmers and ranchers, smalltown businesses and rural communities. Overall, he state and its citizens will be better off. 's the right thing to do.
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The Legislature and the Governor have
o make some serious decisions in the oo make some serious decisions in the real facts provided by we, the people, not need direction from all of us on this serious matter.
Please write
Clements and your call Governor Bill Representative today and let them know you want them to do the right thing right
now. For now and the future, we must have an appointed agricultural commision motivated by what is truly best for all
of agriculture and its ultimate beneficiaries.
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## $\begin{array}{r}\text { James L. Powell } \\ \text { President } \\ \hline\end{array}$ <br> Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association <br> Cattle Raisers Association Fort McKavet, Texas

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## Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins
Mrs. Larry Cror daughter, Mrs.Michelle Bearden to Lub bock last Thursday for the latter to keep medical appointment. Mrs. Gary Caffey visited her mothe
Mrs. Clara Youngblood at Quaker Vill Nursing Home in Lubbock Sunday. Her cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mike
Osmus joined her there for an aftemoon visit. Mrs. Osmus is the former Debbi Smiley, daughter of J.C. and Palma Smiley.
Mrs. John Meason of Plainview spent from last Thursday until Sunday morning Bill J. Dillard Friday to attend the Commencement o Oklahoma City University. His daughter Shelly, (Mrs. Mickey McCarthey) is member of the graduating class. Amon the interested guests at the graduation
were Shelley's 3 year old twin daughters. Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Marshall visite Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Marshall visited
relatives Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCasland in Spur Friday.
The Rev. Mrs. Edna Dillard went to Lubbock Wednesday for check-up with
Dr. Wilson, eye specialist, and got a report. Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCleskey and Al went to White River Ranch Sunday to
spend a few days with their son and spend a few days with their son and
family, Mr. and Mrs. Elgie McCleskey. Mrs. McCleskey will have eye surgery in Lubbock Tuesday. Her daughter-in-law will be driving her back and forth to see the Doctor before and after the surgery
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne spent from Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne spent from
Friday, April 28 until May 2 at Thousand Friday, April 28 until May 2 at Thousand
Trails Lake Texoma, fishing and resting while he is recuperating from eye surgery. On Sunday they drove to Tele phone, Texas, attending the golden
Wedding Anniversary of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne. Weekend visitors of Mrs. Agnes Meredith was her daughter and husband,
Mr and Mrs. Alvin Tham Lisa and Quinten Rose of Matador Mr, Lisa and Quinten Rose of Matador, Mr.
and Mrs. Forest Carson, Kit and Kelly of Mrs. Joe Meredith, Carla Jones, and Karen Bethard ohnil Meason in Plainview from Mo


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## Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson
Morrison of Quitaque enjoyed fishing Possum Kingdom from Monday until Wednesday. After returning home,they
heard the mobile home where they stayed was damaged by the storm in that location.
Guests at a hamburger supper in the
home of Mr and Mre Wayn home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter Saturaay night were Mr. and Mrs. John
Speer of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. H.G.

## Hunter of Quitaque.

Mrs. Roy Gladson of Austin visited from Saturday until Tuesday and Mrs.Joe Long of Winnewood, Oklahoma visited
from Wednesday until Sunday with their from Wednesday until Sunday with their
mother, Mrs. C.W. Starkey. They also visited in Lockney with their father, C.W
mer Starkey, a patient in the Nursing Home
He is listed in serious condition. He is listed in serious condition.
Mr. and Mrs.L.E. Shorter visited overnightFriday in Amarillo with Mr.and Mrs. Richard Rhodes and sons. Salina
Shorter of Floydada visited them and Mr. Shorter of Floydada visited them and Mr. and Keri, Saturday and Sunday. Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis, Michael and Warren of Fritch and Mrs. They also visited in Lockney with C.W arkey.
Mr. weekend in Ruidoso, N.M. Their son Brandon and Joshua visited the weeken in Plainview with their grandparents, M and Mrs. Wayne Holley.
Mrs. Harold Parks of Roaring Springs daughters, Kasey Parks and Leah Crus daughters, Kasey Parks and Leah Cruse
to Wichita Falls, Saturday for the Distric to Wichita Falls, Saturday for the Distric
4-H Demonstrations. They earned a firs 4-H Demonstrations. They earned a firs
place honor in the Citizenship division-
with their Littering demonstration.
nothing
$* * * * * * * * * * *$ Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and son, sibility in the home and through the church may not be as dramatic as demonstrating
in the streets, butit will be far more effec tive in the long run.

STORMY WEATHER
Wednesday, May 3 around 9:30 to 10:30 p.m. an electrical storm with 60 in a southeasterly direction across Flo mot and Whiteflat area. Power lines and poles were broken and electrical outage
for as long as fourteen hours was reported or as long as fourteen hours was reported Thursday, May 4 aro
mile winds were registered by Coy Frank of Flomot. Blinding black dirt preceded a fierce falling rain. Hail was reported in
Whiteflat. With the blowing Whiteflat. With the blowing sheet of rain,
it was debatable of accurate rain measit was debatable of accurate rain measported.
Orville Lee of Flomot, referring to his cellar, said, "My family made a quick trip o our 'Fraid Hole this week!" ith his mother, Mrs.W.T. Gwinn and her houseguests, Mrs. Bob Fullingem of Harlingen and Mrs. Tim Ayers andAdam
of Camden, Arkansas Camden, Arkansas. home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harvey and granddaughter, Julie Harvey of Clarendon vis ited overnight thursday in Perryton with . and Mrs. Vid Weis and Laura. The ted until Monday with Mr. andMrs. Iichael Harvey and Todd.
Johnney Turner accompanied Mrs. Leon Cloyd of Flomot to Lubbock, Fri-
day to attend to business. En route home hey visited Mr. and Mrs.John Speer in
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spray of Bedford isited from Wednesday until Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Jack (Rosa) Spray Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson
accompanied grandson, Nathaniel, who visited here the past three weeks, to his home in Wichita Falls, Wednesday and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Jameson.


One Sunday morning a boy said, "Mom, I don't feel good." "Where do you feel bad?" she asked. "In church," he replied. That wasn't true of anothe son. He said, I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us
the house of the Lord'," the house of the Lord'. A life without worship is a life without worth. If you don't wor
ship God in His house you're not ship God inshis Him in your home. Why is it that people can go to work when it rains, but not to church? That people will talk to their pets, but not to the Lord? That people will listen to gossip, but not to the gospel? That peo ple will prepare for an overnight trip, but not for eternity? Are you ready to meet God?

## Matador News Keith and Joan Patton were in Altus, ridge, Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Oklahoma, Saturday wherehe was ajudge (Sue) Lancaster and daughters. Oklahoma, Saturday where he was ajudge (Sue) Lancaster and daughters. held at the Ramada Inn. Taylor, Arizona from Wednesday until Mrs. C.D. Garrison and her mother, Sunday to attend a family reunion, relacreser 

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ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL


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## Warren Chisum Gives Summary of Current Legislation

## GEORGE HO-GLAND

Services for George William Ho Sunday in the Roaring Springs Church of hrist with Billy Joe Whitaker, minister,
Burial was in the Roaring Springs
Cemetery under direction of Mynatt Cemetery under
Funeral Home.
He died at $2 \cdot 30$ am. Friday in Am illo's Veterans Administration Hospital after a lengthy illness. Canyon, Texas May 1, 1989. He and his
wife Johny Groves Howell were resivire Johnny Groves Howell were rest in Amarillo. Memorial services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday May 3, 1989 at
S Paul United Methodist church where S. Paul United Methodist church where
Mr. Howell was a devoted charter memMr. Howell was a devoted charter mem-
ber.Mr.Howell wastememberedby many ber. Mr. Howell wasrememberedby many teacher at Amarillo High School. Mrs.Howell wasthe schoollibrarian. Both had been retired for several years. They were faithful in their attendance at Moey County School Homecoming and Old well-loved by many of this area. weli-loved
Officiating at the services were Dr.
KCif Wiseman assisted by C.T.'s grandKceith Wiseman assisted by C.T.''s grand-
son, Leighton William Mekeal, minister son, Leighton William Mekeal, minister of he Merhodist ChurchesatDelores and
Dove Creck, CO. Leighton's son Joshua, age 16 months, is C.T.'s only great-grandbhild, and was in attendance at he serv-
Good Nerus!
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## C.T. HOWELL

C.T. Howell died of a heart atack at Charles (Delores) Rogers of W̌hite Sands
Canyon. Texas May 11989 . He and his Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors
ice. Ond was immediateat surver ivors beserides were in charge of the services and inter-

He was born in Dickens and moved to Motley County in 1977 .

Survivors include his wife, Tina; five on, Stanley Amarillo, Jeffery of HousRandy, both of Roaring Springs three sters, Maria Bridges of Amarillo, Onny ord; Plainview and Onna Bell of Hereford; a brother, J.W.
and 11 grandchildren.

Alamogordo, N.M. and Mrs. Stewart silliam Mekeal of Denver, CO, and Six other grandchildren surviving are
Brooks Warren Howell, Chandler Wilson Howell, a student at the University o Texas, Paige and Ellen, daughters of Mrs, Rogers, and Martin Lee MeKeal and
Cynthia Lea MeKeal. Mr. Howell is also survived by a sister of Sherman,TX, brother of California, a daughter-in-law Charlene Howell, sons-in-law, and many oher relatives and friends.
Pallbearers were Charlie H. Beebe,
Wilson Arden, Brooks Howell, C.B, Wilson Arden, Brooks Howell, C.B.
Williams, Howeard Lawson, and ChanWilliams, Howeard Lawson, and Chan-
dler Howell, Elwyn Fulfer, and Ronald Groves. Due to stormy weather in the Dallas area, Chandler Howell was not able to fly from Austin to Amarillo for the funeral. Good Nerws! God Loves You

Several bills and one constitutional
amendment are pending in the Texas house of Representatives now that should
be of interest to the people of Motley be of interest to the people of Motley
County and the surrounding area.

Creation of Hospital Districts
Because of the problems in health care in many of our communities, the Legislature is curreniy' considering several bills
to impact those problems. The constitutional amendment and its implementing bill should be of major interest. Currently, the creation of a hospital district
requires that the legislature iass special requires that the legislature pass special
legislation, which must subsequently be approved by a majority of the laxpaying voters in the district.

The constitutional amendment (HJR 85 by McKinney would allow the legisla-
ture to authorize the creation of hospital districts by general or special law, to be approved by a majority of the qualified

Supporters say that HIR 85 and implementing legislation HB 2244 would creating a hospital district where it really belongs ... in the hands of the people who will be using the facility and paying for it.
Those in favor of the bill say that the current procedure wastes time and creates problems for local residents who must wait until the Legislature is in session before they can begin the process of
establishing a hospital district tablishing a hospital district.
Under the new proposal, the Legislalocal creation of hospital districts with-

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Opponents to hority to create hospital district should temain in the hands of theLegislature hose opposed to the bill also say that one ion of hospital decould be a proliferahaste to handle some ctabished in m.

The companion enabling legislation, the district, starting with the submission to the county judge of a petition signed by at least 100 registered voters in the area involved. HB 2244 would require that the
hospital district supply care and treathospital district su

Expansion of the Medicaid Program
A second bill dealing with healthcare in Texas is HB1345 by Wright which Medicaid program in the state Medicaid which is a program to provide medical assistance to the poor, is funded by the state and by the federal govemment. Since 62 percent of the funding, Medicaid is the single largest source of federal money in ingle largest source of federal money in

Federal law establisheseligibility standards based on percentages of the federal poverty level. This bill would require the
Department of Human Services to expand Medicaid eligibility, establish medically needy program for certain groups who fail to qualify for Medicaid,

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## WTU Names Vice President <br> \section*{For Corporate Development}

G. Holman King, vice president for
West Texas UtilitiesCo., has been named to the newly created position of vice
president for corporate development for president for corporate development for
Central and South West Services Both WTU and CSWS are subsidiaries of Central and South West Crop, and
both CSW and CSWS are located in both CSW and CSWS are located in
Dallas. The move is effective Monday, Dallas. T
May 15.
King, who has worked for WTU 2 years, has also served on the company'
board of directors. In his present position he supervises the personnel and regula tory affairs departments for WTU. His
new duties will include supervision of new duties will include supervision of velopment of programs to assist the corporation's four electric utilities to attract new business to their service areas, and
supervision of strategic planning supervision of strategic planning. King eamed a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from Texas A\&M University in 1955. Following military service and employment with
Allis Chalmers Manufacturing Co., he Allis Chalmers Manufacturing Co., he
began work for WTU in 1960 as an engibegan work for WTU in 1960 as an engi-
neer in the transmission and substation design department. Following promotions through several enginecring areas
he was named Executive Assistant in he was named Executive Assistant in
1970. He was elected vice president in 1970. He was elected vice president in
1974 and to WTU's board in 1976.

## as for hospitals and doctors and increase

 tate aid for hospical caring for larg mbers of indigents.Supporters say that the bill would impanding coverage to more needy Texans and increasing reimbursement payments odoctors, hospitals, and nursing homes. Even though Texas conlains 7.5 percen of the nation's poor, the state reccives lars because other states have more lib eral eligibility standards. This bill would deliver more medical services and recap ures some of the federal tax dollars which are going to other states. th General Revenue Fund almost $\$ 185$ million in the 1990-91 biennium and lock in even higher spending for the future. Those opposed to the legislation say that the money could be spent to equalize public sc

Rural Health Care,
Medical Liability Limits
HB 18 by McKinney would set limits the civil damage liability of certain dures in medical liability actions, estabish a new office fruly acths, estabTexas Department of Health, prohibit Medicaid hospital reimbursement and nncourage new physicians to practice in Anderseved areas.
According to supporters, this bill would implement many of the recom-
mendations of the Special Task Force of
with a certification of the impairment Library Service for theBlind and Physically Handicaped. Organizations for the blind, doctors, nurses,rehabilitation work nized sources. Professionals who work with the visually impaired or print handicapped may request Scriptures directly for their clients by using their agency letterhead stationery. All materials will
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profit and non-denominational organiza-

Rural Health Care Delivery, but opponents claim that it is an attempt,

Texas Rural Economic
Development Fund
Another bill which may be of interest ot the people of this area is the Texas Rural Economic Development fund bill
(HB 613 by Waterfield).The TexasRural ndustrial Development Fund currently makes direct loans to local industrial development corporations topromote and develop industrial enterprises in rural reas. This bill would abolish The Texas stablish the Rural Economic Development fund which would guarantee loans, ather than make direct loans. Also, the und would give preference to food and ber processing industries.
Supporters say that this bill could help Texas by guaranteeing loans to finance new ventures in agricultural processing. The new fund would have greater flexibility to provide greater incentives to uild new facilities in Texas
opponeuls say that the state governsubsidize private businesses. What would ultimately happen, according to the opponents, is that private lenders would
seek the guarantee on loans they would seek the guarantee on loans they would
have provided anyway, resulting in only a shift of the risks from the lender to the

For more information about these ills or other legislation or to express your opinions, please write Representative Warren Chisum, Box 2910, Austin,
Texas 78769 or call 1-800-692-1389.

## Matador

Firemen

## Receive

## Training

Monday, March 27, 1989, the Mata15 members present for a Basic Ground 15 members present for a Basic Ground
Cover Firefighting School.
The School was sponsed by The School was sponsored by the
Texas Forestry Service. The Forestry rucks, protectiveclothingandequipent plus the training progrem for volunteer tire departments across the state. The round cover school was instructed by Richard Robinson fire chief of Panhandle, Texas and instructor for the Forestry Service.
The 3 hour school dealt with the
different types of ground cover, methods used to fight the fires and equipment used
$\qquad$ Professional Engineers and is past presihe was selected as Outstanding Young Engineer in 1966 and Outstanding Engineer in 1978. King also is a member of the Engineers and is Engineers and is past chairman of the
West Texas Section of IEEE. He has been a member of a number of electric utility industry groups primarily in areas of King has peanning and industry relations. King has been active in leadership Abilene. These include Key City Kiwa nis Club, West Texas Girl Scout council Abilene Philharmonic Association, tee, Convention and Visitors Bureau, and the Chamber of Commerce Energy Advi-
sory Committec. He also served as a member of the Business Alliance for Intercollegiate Developmentand city of Abilene's Technical Review Committee for Strategies
for Responsible Growth. In addition he was 1985 chairman of the majoremployees division for United Way, and has
been a director of the Regional Center of the Mental Health - Mental Retardation agency for 8 years. f St. Paul United Me, Jane, are members
to fight these fires.
The course was al
on on course was also open for discusment attacks this Macifor Fire Departwas found to be very effective. During the week of April 3-6 memars of the Matador Volunteer Fire DeAnnual Lubbock Fire School held at the ubbock Fire Department Training ds in Lubbock.
The firefighters received training hours nent, Self Contained Breathing Apparatus, and different methods of nozzle and lose use in Structure Fires, LPG tank
fires, Pit fires, Spill fires, and several ires, Pit fires, Spil
ther types of fires.
ighteen hours of training during this chool.
The Fire Department regularly trains fire and rescue school through out the state.
During the past year the Fire Departraining, which is an average hours of han 40 hours per man on the department. The fire department is working connent to to mprove its training and equiplor and Motley County people of Matador and Motley County.

WTU employees are active supporters of community projects.
We proudly participate in the Neighborhood Crime Watch and now the Gatekeeper Program for senior citizens.
We will do our best to assist them by being on the lookout for signs of potential problems that can easily go unnoticed.
With your continued help and concern for our senior citizens, the Gatekeeper Program can be a helping hand to our communities.


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