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A Statement Of The Nineteenth Century

By Denise Webb

Editors Note: This essay was written by Denise Webb, granddaughter of Ray Webb who served as jail deputy at the Matador Jail for a number of years.

A place that I consider to be quite fascinating is my paternal grandparents' residence. Perhaps the word residence sounds like a cold term to use, but they did not live in a house. No, they reisded in a jailhouse. My grandfather was the jail deputy in the small town of Matador, Texas. The jailhouse was my grandparents' home during my entire childhood. I remember it well. The jail house was built in 1891. The bricks used for its construction came from the same place the bricks used for the state capitol. In Texas it is the only jailhouse still standing that has a trap door used for hanging. Because of this fact, in 1976 it was declared a landmark. To me though, it is much more than a landmark! It is my grandparents' old house. I remember it well.

The bottom floor consisted of four rooms. The living room, the middle room, the kitchen and the bathroom. I recall the sound of my footsteps as I walked in the front door. It sounded distinct to me because nowhere else I knew of had a linoleum covered floor. The living room contained a couch, two chairs and a single bed. The bed doubled as a place to seat company. This room also had a television, a heater and a small table. It was comfortable. Many times the card table was set up and dominoes were played while football was on the television.

The middle room was bigger. To the immediate left stood the refrigerator. To the right was the table where meals were served. At the far right was my grandparents' bed and dresser. Adjacent from the table was their chest of drawers and on its right was their chifforobe. What I remember the most vividly about this room is my grandmother's breakfasts. She used fresh country eggs. The yolks in those eggs were a rich amber color. Her sausage and homemade biscuits were delicious. She was an angel and she cooked like one tool

The next room was the kitchen. It was small and at the most, functional. It had a door that led out to the side of the building. The best thing about the kitchen that I can remember is my grandmother's presence.

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The top of the stairs ended on a fair sized landing. To the right was a cell for women. Around to the left were the men's cells. The first barred door opened into a walk around. This "walk around" was a small aisle encircling all of the men's cells. A second locked door led to the three cells. Each individual cell could be locked. Within the second door is a small area where the prisoners can be together.

I do not remember the actual jail very clearly. We, my cousins and I, were very rarely allowed upstairs and we were never allowed to go upstairs when the jail was occupied.

The feelings I got from the first floor and the second floor are a perfect example of contrast. The bottom floor was filled with life, love, and laughter. The emphasis was on family and togetherness. The jail, however, was ominous and silent. Condemnation and separation existed there. It was cold.

Registration Planned For Men Born 1962-63

Selective Service registration for men born in 1962 will take place during the week of Jan. 5, 1981. Men born in 1963 (and later) should register within 30 days of their 18th birthadays. This is a continuation of the program begun last summer, whereby men born in 1960 and 1961 visited post offices across the nation to fill in the registration form.

The purpose of registration is to build a pool of names and addresses from which Selective Service could draw in an emergency. According to Dr. Bernard D. Rostker, director of the Selective Service System: "Registration directly improves our capability to respond... actually reducing lead time by at least four weeks. We think that provides a significant advantage, especially when matched with the very low cost of the registration effort." The direct costs of registration are less than \$2 per registrant.

By way of background, one of the basic underlying assumptions of the All-Volunteer Force concept was that the country should always maintain a stand-by Selective Service, with an on-going system of registration. When the draft

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was ended in 1972, registration was in fact continued until suspended in 1975. Over the next few years, the capabilities of Selective Service steadily declined to an unacceptable level, prompting a total revitalization which began in November 1979. This program — of which registration is a part — is designed to return the Selective Service System to the readiness level required for an emergency back-up to our peace time volunteer armed forces. Other actions underway include the development of greatly improved computer support, and the development of a training program for potential draft board members.

REGISTRATION

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GUIDELINES:
WHO MUST REGISTER
— Male citizens and aliens
residing in the United States
born in 1960, 1961 or 1962
except those on student or
similar visas or who are
members of trade or
diplomatic missions, and
men already serving on
active duty with the Armed
Forces. Members of reserve
components not on active

duty must register. Men born in 1963 and later years will be required to register within 30 days of their 18th birthdays.

WHEN: Men born in 1962: during the week of Jan. 5. To help avoid lines, individuals are encouraged to register on a day of the week keyed to the month of birth: on Monday, Jan. 5, for those born in January. February, and March; on Tuesday, Jan. 6, for those born in April, May and June; on Wednesday, Jan. 7, for those born in July, August, and September; and on Thursday, Jan. 8, for those born in October, November and December. Friday and Saturday may be used as "make-up" days for those who are unable to register on the suggested day.

Men born in 1963: within 30 days of their 18th birthdays.

Men born in 1960 and 1961 should already have registered this year; those who have not are en

Men born in 1960 and 1961 should already have registered this year; those who have not are encouraged to do so as soon as possible.

WHERE: At any of more than 34,500 U.S. Post Offices throughout the nation, or at embassies or consular of fices overseas.

declaration is an original or

declaration is an original or amended one.
Generally, taxpayers must file estimated tax if their tax is expected to be \$100 or more and if they have more than \$500 in income not covered by withholding.
For additional information, a free copy of IRS Publication 505, "Tax Withholding and Estimated Tex," can be ordered by

ed Tex," can be ordered by calling the IRS number listed in the local telephone directory. If more convenient, it can also be picked up at most IRS offices.

Final Tax Payment Due Soon For 1980

The Motley County Athletic Booster Club will meet Monday, January 5, 1981. The meeting will be held at the Motley County School at 6:45 p.m. Taxpayers who did not have enough 1980 federal tax withheld, or whose amended income estimates for 1980 changed substantially during the last quarter, are required to pay the final installment of estimated income tax by January 15, 1981, the Internal Revenue Service says. New Year's

Eve Watch

On Wednesday, December 31, members of the First Baptist Church will meet for regular Wednesday Prayer Meeting at 8:00 p.m.
Following the service, a

supper, consisting of sandwiches and snacks, will be served and then the watch night to bring in the new year.

new year.

Everyone is invited to attend.

To Meet January 8, 1981 R.S. Senior Citizens

Drive Safely

says.
The IRS notes that there

I he IK's notes that there is an exception to this rule for those taxpayers who file their returns and pay all taxes due by February 2, 1981. This exception applies whether the

The Roaring Springs
Senior Citizens will not meet on the first Thursday of the month, this time only. The meeting falls on January 1st, New Year's

Doctor To Be At Clinic Two Days Each Week

he was available on Wednesdays.
The clinic is open Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Roy Tippin, R.N., Family

Winners Announced In Lighting Contest

Winners in the Christ-mas lighting contest for this year are business; Matador Variety, first and Matador Floral, second. First place for the home

Mrs. Bob Stanley and second place was awarded to Mrs. Josephine Hamilton.

Honorable Mention was awarded to Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic

Church for their Nativity

Farmers Must Pay **Estimated Tax Soon**

Individuals who earned at least two-thirds of their 1979 or 1980 gross income from farming have until Thursday, January 15, 1981, to make a 1980 declaration of estimated tax and pay any taxes due, the Internal Revenue Service says.

However, farmers who plan to file their 1980 income tax return and pay the total tax balance by March 3, 1981, are not required to make an

estimated tax declaration, according to the IRS.
Additional information is available in the free IRS Publication 225, "Farmer's Tax Guide," and Publication 505, "Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax." These publications can be ordered by mail using the order form in the tax package, or by calling the IRS number listed in the local telephone directory. If more convenient, they can also be picked up at most IRS offices.

Temperatures Halt Activities Of Small Grains Insects

caused soline problems earlier this fall. The reduction in temperatures also stopped the activity of the Lesser Cornstalk Borer which was present in some very sandy fields. The aphids, which include the greenbug and oat-bird cherry aphid, are the predominate pest in small grains in the winter. Greenbug populations are very low at the present time, but could increase to damaging populations later in the growing season. The recent heavy rain also lowered the greenbug population.

Greenbug damage can

Area small grain is doing fine with the recent spots in the fields followed moisture we received. The cold temperatures have when checking for halted the activity of the armyworm complex that reduction in temperatures also stopped the activity of counted on the plants but of 1 foot row. On the small plants, greenbugs can be counted on the plants but on larger plants, you may have to slap a plant against the ground to jar bugs loose. Counting needs to be done in the warmest part of the day when greenbugs are more likely to be exposed. Control levels are as follows: 3-6 inches, 100-3; 4-8 inches, 200-400; 6-16 inches, 300-800.

800.
For more information contact Warren L. Multer, Extension Agent-Entomologist, at the Motley County Courthouse.

Local News

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green and Mrs. C. M. Colley over the weekend for a delayed Christmas get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simmons, Larry and Gary, and a friend Terri Smith, all of Jal, N.M., Chris Durham, Dodi and Dana of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Don Green, Brian, Krist and Melissa of Shallowater, and Dr. and Mrs. Tom Green, Casey and Corey of Midland. Several friends and relatives also joined the families over the weekend for visiting.

their mother and grand-mother, Mrs. D. E. Pitts Sr.

Visiting last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Ben Edwards were Mrs. Jeff Smart of Hereford and her daughter, Mrs. Gary Hammer of Valley View. Also visiting Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Al Durbin and a friend of Electra.

Mrs. Hettie Davis left December 16 from Lubbock Airport to spent the Christmas Holidays in Miami, Florida with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis.

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WARM HERB LOAF OFFERS GOOD TASTE AND NUTRITION



HEHB BISCUII LOAF

1/4 cup margarine or butter, soften

1/2 teaspoon instant minced onion

1/2 teaspoon sweet basil leaves

1/2 teaspoon garlic powder

1/8 teaspoon garlic powder

2 (10-oz.) cans Hungry Jack refrigerated
big flaky biscuits

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Heat oven to 350°F. In small bowl, combine all ingredients except biscuits. Separate dough into 20 biscuits. Spread both sides of each biscuit with margarine mixture; fold each in half. Place biscuits, fold-side-down, in ungreased 9x5 or 8x4-inch loaf pan forming 4 rows of 5 biscuits each. Spread any remaining margarine mixture over biscuits.

Bake at 350°F, for 32 to 38 minutes or until deep golden brown. Cool 5 minutes; remove from pan. Serve warm. 1 loaf. 10 servings.

TIP: To reheat, wrap in foil; heat at 375°F. for 10 minutes or until warm.

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odium	640 mg	Riboflavin	8
otassium	45 mg	Niacin	8
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Less than 2%	of U.S. RDA.	Iron	6

Washington's Observe **50th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Gordie
Washington of Flomot
were honored, December 26 with a
reception from 2 to 4
o'clock p.m. at the
Community Center in
Flomot in observance of
their 50th wedding
anniversary. Mr. Washings
ton and the former Edith
Martin were married
December 26, 1930 in
Portales, New Mexico and
have lived in Motley
County all of their
marriage where Mr.
Washington has been
engaged in farming and
ranching.
Hosts for the occasion
were their three sons and
families, Mr. and Mrs. Max
Washington of Fritch and
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dean
Washington and Mr. and
Mrs. Seab Washington of
Flomot.
Granddaughters, Miss
Melvnn Washington of

Flomot.
Granddaughters, Miss
Melynn Washington of
Fritch and Mrs. Coy
Franks and Mrs. Tim
Washington of Flomot
presided at the crystal
punch service. The table
and decorations featured
the Golden Wedding
Anniversary colors of
yellow and white.
A white lace cloth over
yellow complimented the

table which was centered with a gold candle encircled with yellow silk flowers and greenery. The three tiered wedding cake decorated with a garland of yellow roses and adorned with a dainty gazebo and gold "50" was served with fruit punch.

Mrs. Jerry Barclay of Flomot and Miss Laurie Washington of Fritch, granddaughters of the couple, registered the guests. Those attending from out of town, other than those mentioned, were Arnold Washington of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin of Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. Cayle Ramsey of Chula Vista, California; Mrs. Szzie Mae Floyd of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Light and Mrs. Warren Fergenson and Dan of Amarillo; Mrs. Jimmy Brazile and Trevor of Gruver; Mrs. Vivian Merrell, Quitaque; Marilee Martin of Fritch; Bob Morris of Plainview; Mrs. Bob Hambright and Alissa of Floydada; Mrs. Dean Crow of Silverton; Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington; Buck Johnson of Pampa; and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Patrick of Hereford.

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May the New Year bring tranquility, happiness and sunny fortune to your life.

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Flomot News

Guests in the home of Mrs. C. C. (Liza) Jones, Christmas Day were M. D. "Salf" Jones of Baytown, Mr. and Mrs. Mc. Jones, Candy and Pepper of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. Mayne Cudd, their son and grandson of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cudd, their son and grandson of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Mand Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson, local residents.

Visiting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Christ for Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Christ for Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, Paul, Laura, Richard and Randy of Lubbock.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shorily Gilbert were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Gwen of Kalgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Holidays guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvia Joe Calvert and Glen were Mr. and Mrs. Sherlymn Cook and Keith and Gwen Calvertt, student at South Plains School of Nursing, of Lubbock and their guests.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson visited in Paducah, Christmas Day with Mrs. Doris Morrisand Renee and their holiday guests and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Renaid Mrs. Bot Mrs. Morris Degan and Children of Kalgary and Dr. and Mrs. Ros Stanley Degan and Children of Kalgary and Dr. and Mrs. Fix Richard Rhodes, Ricky and Russell of Mrs. Morris Degan and Children of Medicine Mrs. Morris Degan and Children of Kalgary and Dr. and Mrs. Jorne Mrs. For Mrs. Hoys Mrs. Waland Mors. Dris Morris and Mrs. Max Bush. Lisa and Tommy Ross of Houston visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ros The Morris and Mrs. Max Bush. Lisa and Tommy Ross of Houston visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter of Lubbock and Iron Mrs. Mrs. Waland Mors. Dros Morris and Mrs. And Mrs. And Mrs. Clois Shorter of Lubbock and Iron Mrs. Mrs. Waland Mrs.

Motley County Clinic is open Mon. thru Fri. for patient care

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Beginning January 6, 1981 Dr. Victor S. Chavez will be in the clinic two days each week Tuesdays & Thursdays

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	CROSBYTON EXTENSION CENTER SCHEDULE - SPRING, 1981									
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Registration: Jan. 12, 6:30-8 p.m., Administration Building

For further information, contact Chet Dye, 675-2618, or Dr. Duane Hood at WIC in Snyder, AC 915 573-8511, extension 204

Pre-Registration: Jan. 5-9, 9-11 a.m., Primary Building

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Services Held For Mike Barton

Funeral services for Michael France (Mike) Barton, 35, were conducted Sunday, December 28, 1980 at 2:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Matador. The Rev. Gary Hillyard, pastor, and the Rev. Tommy Sims, pastor of the Tell Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in the East Mound Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home. He passed away Saturday, December 27, following a brief illness at Central Plains Hospital in Plainiew.

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A life long resident of Matador, Mike graduated from Matador High School in 1963. He served for two years in the U.S. Army and saw a tour of duty in

Vietnam. Afterwards he returned to Matador and

vietnam. Atterwards he returned to Matador and began farming.

He married the former Donna Timmons on January 23, 1970 in Matador.

He is survived by his wife, Donna; two daughters: Leigh and Brandi, both of the home; one son, Burr, of the home. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. France Barton of Matador; one brother, Coke of Matador; two sisters, Mrs. Bundy Hal (Dixie) Campbell of Matador and Mrs. Brigid Bostick of Division of Matador and Mrs. Brigid Bostick of

Palinview.
Pallbearers were Gary
Lancaster, Kenny Barton,
Doyle Shannon, David
Rattan, Roy Stephens and
Butch Renfro.

Services Held For J. R. Berryman

Funeral services for J. R. (Richard) Berryman, 79, were conducted Monday, December 29, at 10:30 a.m. in the First Baptist Church. Rev. Gary Hillyard, pastor, and Rev. Stanley Hughes, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Wellington, officiated. the First Baptist Church in Wellington, officiated. Burial was in the East Mound Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home. He died Saturday, December 27, following a brief illness at the Childress General Hospital

native of Missouri, A native of Missouri, Berryman moved to Matador in the Fall of 1919. He later worked for Matador Auto Co. as a mechanic. In 1950 he established his own He married the former Eda Hobbs on February 6, 1921 in Matador. Mrs. Berryman passed away on December 16, 1970. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Matador.

Matador.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Ober V. (Wandell) Johnson of Wellington; one brother, Bill Berryman of Lubbock; three sisters, Eva Wright of Arlington, Marie Berryman and Susie Messer of Wellington; four grandchildren and four grandchildren and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dick Dirickson, Tom Spears, Bill McKelvey, John Briscoe, Roy G. Hobbs, and Kenny Barton.



Mercedarian Missionaries To Work In Amarillo Diocese

A new community of religious women, the Mercedarian Missionaries of Berriz, are coming to the Diocese of Amarillo to from the Catholic Church do pastoral work in the missions in the southeastern area.

ern area.

Sisters Matilde Gonzalez, Virginia Ituralde, Encarnacion Juste, and Elia Margarita Suarez will arrive in January to take up residence in Spur, where they will alook in St. Mary's Parish, and from where they will aloo care for the spiritual and social needs of the people in Epiphany Church, Jayton, Our Lady of Guadalupe, Matador; and St. Elizabeth's, Paducah.

The Mercedarians, whose U.S. headquarters are in Kansas City, Missouri, have made a commitment to do missionary pastoral work in the diocese.

Sisters Matilde, Virginia, and Encarnacion will arrive Monday, Jan. 5. Sister Elia will complete a current assignment at the Sister's regional headquarters and will come to Spur at the end of January.

The Mercedarians will be working with Father Lawrence Hemp, pastor, and will concern themselves with religious education, liturgical preparation, and health care.

care. The Mercedarians, founded in Berriz, Spain, are a missionary congrega-tion with houses on five continents. There are more than 1,500 Sisters in

The Mercedarians coming to the diocese are bi-lingual, speaking both English and Spanish

English and Spanish fluently.
Regional superior of the community in the United States is Sister Mary Angels Amunarriz.
Sister Mattide was born in Spain Jan. 27, 1921.
Now a United States citizen, she has worked in Guadalajara, Mexico, for 10 years; Troy, N.Y., 10 years; and Liberty, Mo., 7 years. She has had extensive contact with

years. She has had extensive contact with Mexican families. She has experience in social work, counselling, hospital visitation, prayer groups, ceramic work, cooking, sewing, and hygienic work. She is an experienced translator of English and Spanish.

Sister Encarnacion was born in Spain Feb. 12, 1929. She has a permanent resident visa in the United States. Sister has a degree in music from the Conservatory of Music, Bilbao, Spain; a Bachelor of Arts degree in Spanish from St. Mary College, Leavenworth, Kansas; and a Master's degree in religious education from St. Joseph College, Hartford, Conn. Her missionary experience includes teaching of religion for 12 years in the Mariana and Caroline Islands, and work with Hispanics in Hartford, Conn., for 7 years, including sacramental preparation, prayer groups, liturgy, Bible classes, adult education, youth programs, home visiting, counseling, and social work in prisons.

She has also taught She has also taught counseling, and prison visitation. She has also taught religion classes in Kansas City for one year. She has served as a special Eucharistic minister and is an accomplished organist and translator.

Sister Virginia was born in Spain on Nov. 27, 1928. She has a work visa in the United States.

A nurse by profession, she has worked in South America, Spain, and Mexico. She has a diploma from the Institute of Family Education in Bolivia in the field of social and family promotion. Her experience includes 11 years of work in a dispensary and in health education programs for the people, as well as a year of religion teaching, in La Paz, Bolivia; pre-natal and post-natal care, care of children, and basic notions of hygiene, La Paz; and extensive work with Comunidades de Base in La Paz; a year of religion teaching on the high school level in BilBao, Spain; and two years of religion teaching in Guadalajara, Mexico.

Sister Elia was born Aug. 12, 1915, in Merida, Yucatan, Mexico. A U.S. citizen, she had extensive extensive experience in Catholic Action work before entering religious life.

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Working in Guadalajara, she has experience in the field of bookkeeping, parish visitation, sacramental preparation, and religious education. She has served as a special minister of the Eucharist, sacristan and member of minister of the Eucharist, sacristan, and member of the board of the Kansas City Diocesan Council of Women Religious. She is an experienced translator.

Whiteflat News By Earlyne Jameson

Mrs. W. R. Tilson enplaned from Lubbock, Sunday, Dec. 21 and visited during the holidays in Houston with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tilson and Elizabeth. Joining her there were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts of Sarasota, Florida and her sister, Mrs. Alice Todd of Sylmar, California. Mrs. Todd returned home with Mrs. Tilson for an indefinite visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Matney of Buchanan Dam were at their home in Whiteflat recently attending to business and visiting friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey and Bert attended a pre-Christmas family dinner in Spur last Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale, Dillon and Valerie. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale, Dillon and Valerie. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Cary Bridge, Clayt and Becca of Afton. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Start Dixon Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Risner of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risser, Kobbi and Kaci of Matador.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox, Cary and Cory of Marfa visited during the holidays with his mother, Mrs. L. M. Cox and brother and Mrs. Ronnie Cox, Shawn and Ron.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnney

Ronnie Cox, Shawn and Ron.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, Heather Ann and Cobey visited Christmas Day in Silverton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Montague of Silverton and Mrs. Laverna Sams of Lockney. Mr. Marvin Montague returned home recently from Plainview where he was a patient in the Central Plains Hospital with an intestinal blockage.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hudgins of Bedford visited overnight Tuesday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray as they were en route to Roswell, N.M. for a holiday vacation. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spray. Christmas Day were Mrs. Arrie Aulick and Mrs. Georgetta Smith of Matador.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Garrison and Dowell were her mother, Mrs. J. G. Johns of Abilene and aunt, Mrs. Maurine Conley of Port

Arthur. They were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Garrison in Matador, Christmas Day. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. David Garrison, Amanda, Kelly and Kerry of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scott, Jody and Scotty of Matador. Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jennings, Jill and Todd of Haskell, Jay Don Finch of Roaring Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Jennings, Leslie, Thad and Matt of Old Glory. Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Scott Robbins visited in Ralls last Sunday with Mrs. Melba Verette and her guests, Mrs. Guy (Edith) Kimbell, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Billingsley of Midland and Guy Kimbell, Jr. of Amarillo. Mrs. Malcolm Jameson and Melba visited during the Christmas holidays in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bevers and family. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens, Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephens, Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephens, April and Shaun of Quitaque. Mrs. Scott Robbins visited Christmas Day in Farmersville with her sister, Mrs. Gwen Coker. She continued to Houston where she visited her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. (Sue) Murray Alexander and son, Scott, before returning home Monday. Mrs. Janice Dixon and Spencer visited Christmas Eve night and Day in Hedley with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elliott and their daughter Mrs. Jerry Carter and grandson, David Dale Dixon of Lubbock. David Dale returned home with Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington and Mrs. Gail Sutton of Tucson, Artsmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Carter and grandson, David Dale Dixon of Lubbock. David Dale returned home with Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington and Mrs. Gail Sutton of Tucson, Artson. Ofter guests Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Sutton of Husson of Lubbock. David Dale Dixon of Artismas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Sutton of Fucson. Other guests Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Su

children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth and Kathy of Sundown, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin and Ryan of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Davis of Fritch. The family visited in Roaring Springs Christmas Day with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin where they were joined by other family members, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Lovington, N.M.; Jerry Martin of Las Vegas, Nev.; Mrs. Melba Verette, Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. By Joe Martin, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Newman and Gerald of Odessa; Mr. and Gerald of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Newman and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Martin and David Lewis of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Martin and children of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Wisting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. "Skeet" Jameson of Davenport, Jowa. Visiting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. "Skeet" Jameson were their sons, Lance of San Marcos and Shannon, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, Mrs. Beulah Jameson of Dougherty and Mr. and Mrs. Gray Laughlin of Midland. Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper were Arthur Harmon of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon of Hereford.

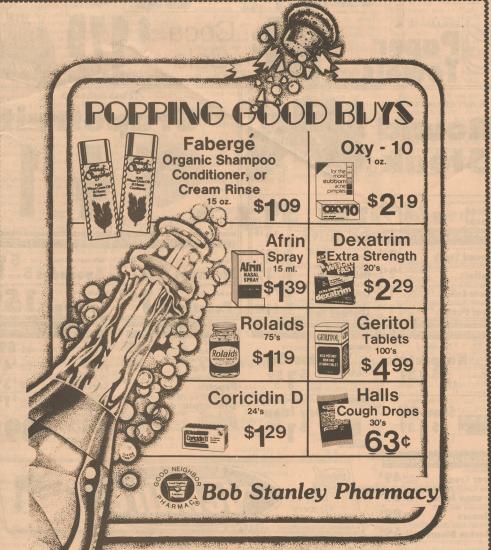
Hereford.
Mr. and Mrs. Robin
Darsey and Bert visited in
Lubbock last week with
Mrs. Clayton Bridge and
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon
Mills. Mrs. Darsey
attended the funeral
services of Mrs. Sam
Baxter in Afton, Friday,
Dec. 19.

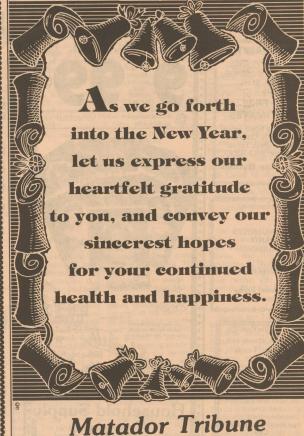
HOME ON FURLOUGH

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Zar-ate met their son, E2 Sammy Zarate, at the Lubbock Airport, Wed-nesday, December 17 and accompanied him home to furlough. E2 Zarate completed his U.S. Army

McClellen in Alabama and when he returns will be stationed with the U.S. Army at Fort Gordon in Georgia.

Marine Sgt. Rodney Head who returned home recently from Okinawa is visiting his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Head and Sydney. When he returns to duty, he will be stationed at Camp Pendleton in California.





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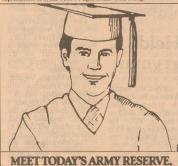
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