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A Look Back

Call

SEPTEMBER 6, 1962

Heavy Rains Drench Spectre of Drought

"General rains that started with a drizzle Friday afternoon and continued Sunday afternoon and night drenched the substantiated fears that overtaken the excellent crop prospects. Rainfall here measured more than 2 inches. Roaring Springs, Flomot, Whiteflat, and Northfield reported about the same."

SEPTEMBER 11, 1958

Enrollment Total 329

"Enrollment in Matador Public Schools remains stable. High School with an enrollment of 102, is one less than a year ago.

J.E. Edwards, grade school principal says the 227 grade school enrollment is a slight increase over the corresponding date a year ago."

Around Town

News Briefs of area events



THE SCENES OF SUMMER are fast coming to an end, with the approach of Fall just around the corner, but this beautiful picture of a hummingbird and flowers was taken right outside the home of Joe and Mary Beth Farley in Matador, recently, reminding us that Summer is still here for a while.

(photo by Joe Farley)

Lightning Ignites Fire 3,000 acres burn in northeast Motley County

Sunday afternoon lightning strikes started a fire in northeast Motley County on Lucky Knob camp of the Matador Ranch, which was not spotted until Monday afternoon, when reports came in at about 2:30 p.m.

The Matador Volunteer Department responded to the fire immediately. Assisting them with the fire were fire departments from Paducah, Roaring Springs, and Turkey, and TxDOT. The Texas Forest Service also assisted with the fire with SEAT planes, two helicopters, and one air attack plane.

According to Matador Fire Department Fire Chief, Rodney Williams, the fire was declared under control at about 3:00 p.m. Tuesday afternoon.

Homecoming pictures needed

Next week's edition of the paper will be our Homecoming edition. If you are having a Class Reunion, we would like to print your class picture. Or if you have any old school pictures, please bring them by our office no later than noon Monday, September 14.

As in the past, we assure you that we will take very good care of the pictures and return them to you as soon as possible. Thank you.

American Legion Meets Tonight

Fleming Post 337 of The American Legion will meet tonight, Thursday, September 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Library. This will be a special business meeting for Legionnaires only to approve the Constitution and By-Laws for our Post and to establish a membership drive and contest.

The next regular meeting of Fleming Post 337 of The American Legion will be Monday, September 28 at the Senior Citizens Center at 7 p.m. This will be the normal "Covered-Dish Dinner" meeting with spouses invited.

Methodist Church Plans Teacher Recognition Day September 13

First United Methodist Church is preparing for a Motley County ISD recognition day, Sunday, September 13. The entire staff of teachers, administrators, workers and board members and all their families are invited for a special 11 o'clock worship service and lunch afterwards. We appreciate the fine job our school system is doing with the students in our county, and this is just a small way to say "Thank You!" We also want to welcome all the new teachers and staff. Come to lunch even if you cannot make the worship service.

August sales tax rebates total \$258.8 million

State Comptroller John Sharp delivered a total of \$255.8 million in monthly sales tax payments to 1,094 Texas cities and 118 counties, a 12.4 percent increase over the \$227.6 million allocated in August 1997.

August's sales tax rebates include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers on June sales and by quarterly filers for April, May, and June and reported to the Comptroller in July.

"The Texas job market and new businesses are still growing steadily

and retail sales continue to soar, as consumers show confidence in a rosy outlook for the Texas economy," Sharp said. "Year-to-date, rebates to cities and counties are up 11.5 percent over last year."

Sharp delivered monthly sales tax rebates totaling \$235.6 million to Texas cities, 12.7 percent higher than last August's payments of \$209 million. Rebates of \$20.2 million to Texas counties were 8.6 percent higher than

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Drought Continues County still lacks rainfall

August totals low

by Earlyne Jameson

After a lack of needed rain the past five months of 1998 in Motley county, residents gave a thankful look upward when showers of rain fell in August.

The moisture varied from one location to another. Mrs. Tommie Cruse, NWSV, 5 1/2 miles east, northeast of Flomot, officially reported a total of 1.60 inches of rain for August. Mary Ellen Barton, six miles due east of Flomot, registered 2.30 inches and Wilburn Martin, six miles due west of Flomot reported a total of 2.03 inches of rain.

Whiteflat didn't fare as well when reported August rainfall. Resident's rain gauges registered 0.90 and 1.20 total.

Buzz Thacker, NWSV of Roaring Springs, reported 1.64 for August.

Kelly Meyer, NWSV for Matador, reported .84 for August in Matador. Matador received .12 Sunday, September 6.

Betty Simpson, NWSV of Northfield reported .24 for August. Northfield has received a total of 8.07 for 1998.

Driving safety urged with school back in session

We've all heard the saying, "kids say the darndest things!" Well kids do the darndest things, especially around school zones. With school back in full swing, again, there's sure to be trouble afoot. Now is the time for drivers to start thinking about the traffic dangers this presents, says Trooper L.B. Snider, Public Information Officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Whether you drive in school zones occasionally or daily, you must never forget certain lessons. One is you have to use better judgement than the children about you. "It's important to remember that kids are not small adults

and don't think like adults. They lack experience with traffic and don't always react logically. When you sound your horn, for instance, they may think it is okay to cross the street in front of your vehicle", Snider adds.

Children also have limited perceptual skills. Sometimes they can't tell if your vehicle is stopped or in motion. They can't judge the speed or distance of vehicles, advises Snider.

Elementary school children are not tall enough to be seen on the other side of a parked car, or as they move between vehicles to cross the street

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SPIRIT RALLY — Motley County ISD students join hands to sing the school song at the end of the annual Spirit Rally held at the football field last Thursday night. The Rally had a "50's" theme, featuring 3M Company singing a medley of 50's songs. Jr. High and High School Cross Country and Football team members, Cheerleaders, and Coaches were introduced. Those attending were treated to ice cream and brownies after the program.

You are cordially invited to attend Motley County "Exes" Association Homecoming 1998

Thursday, Friday & Saturday
September 17, 18, & 19, 1998

Thursday, September 17

8:00 p.m.

Pep Rally & Bonfire

Friday, September 18

1:30 - 3:00

Registration & Coffee at the School

1:00 - 5:00

Visit the Motley County Library & Mural

and the

Historic Motley County Museum

3:05

Pep Rally in the Gym

5:30

Hamburgers at the Football Field sponsored by the

Motley County Student Council

7:00

Pre-Game Activities

8:00

Football

MOTLEY COUNTY VS ROPES

Saturday, September 19

9:30 - 12 noon

Registration, Coffee & Pastries at School

Special Class Reunions

9:00 - 5:00

Visit the Historic Motley County Museum

2:30

Program & Business Meeting in the Gym

Ed D. Smith, '60, Master of Ceremonies

5:30 - 7:30

Supper at the School Cafeteria, \$6 a plate

Catered by Virginia Sailsbury

9:00 - 1:00

Dance at the Fire Hall



Sunday is Grandparents Day. Since becoming a grandmother myself, it has given me a whole new love and respect for my own grandparents. I now truly understand the overwhelming love they felt for me and all of their grandchildren.

I have many memories of all my grandparents, the stories they would tell, the fun we had together. I hope I can be the kind of grandmother to Morgan that my grandmothers were to me.

My Granny Ashley was stricken with Rheumatoid Arthritis when she was in her late 20's. At that time they did not have the type of medicines they have now, and she suffered through many, many years with her joints drawing, until her poor hands and feet were drawn so bad she could hardly write or hold silverware, or walk. From the time I was 9 years old I would stay at her house and help her with daily chores, anytime I could. I just loved being able to do this. She taught me so many things about cooking, cleaning and the everyday things that I do now. There are so many times when I remember Granny when I'm just doing some ordinary chore around the house. The little tips she gave me, as a little girl, I still use today.

Some of my favorite memories of doing things with Granny were in the kitchen. Granny was a wonderful cook. She made the best chicken and dumplings I have ever tasted. And although I have tried many, many times, my chicken and dumplings just never taste quite as good as Granny's. Isn't it funny how you never forget some things? Like exactly how a cherished person's cooking tasted.

Another favorite of mine was Granny's cherry cobbler. My cousin, my sister, and I would pick cherries early in the morning, bring them home, pit them, wash them, cook them, and make a cobbler by dinner (lunch), before Granddaddy came home. All under the watchful eye and instructions of Granny. I will never forget how wonderful those cherry cobbler tasted. And although I make a pretty darn good cherry cobbler

myself, it will never be as good as it was when Granny was there to make sure it was done just right. I always think of Granny when the cherry trees start to bloom.

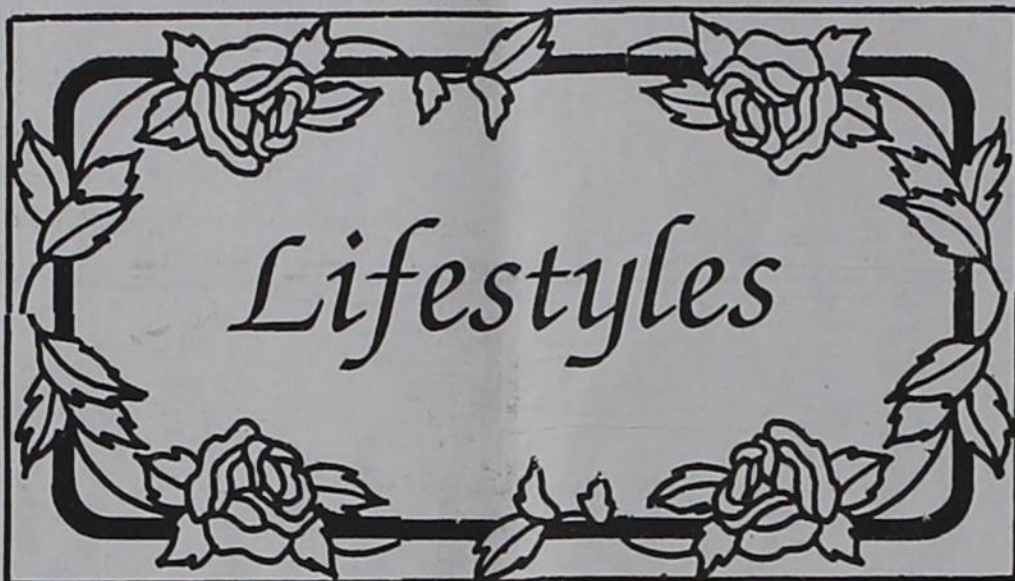
Granny not only taught us things like cooking and cleaning, but she instilled in us the importance of loving and worshipping our almighty God. She was a Sunday School teacher and taught Vacation Bible School for many years. She never missed church. She read and studied her Bible daily. She would read aloud at night to my Granddaddy. I can remember falling asleep many nights to Granny reading the Bible to Granddaddy. I stayed the night with them as often as possible, up until I was married. I never lost the desire to stay at their house, even during my cool teenager years.

I have so many memories of my Granny, and my Granddaddy Ashley, as I do of my Grandma and Grandpa Meredith, and my great-grandparents, Grandma and Grandpa Underwood. I could write a thick book of all the memories I have of them all. And special memories of each one individually.

I am so thankful that I had such wonderful grandparents. I'm thankful that my son was fortunate enough to know most of them.

It's funny how when we experience different stages in our lives that we develop an understanding of the times before us. I understand now how much my parents love my son, and of course, all of their grandchildren. I understand now the tears in their eyes, when we loaded up a U-Haul and moved to California with everything we had. Jeremy was their first grandchild and only 2 at the time. I understand that indescribable love now that I am a grandmother.

So for this Grandparents day, I would like to wish all grandparents a joyous day. Even if this isn't a day with such notoriety as Mother's Day or Father's Day, and even if your grandchildren are just too busy to remember that there even is a Grandparents Day - my best wishes to you all.



Do Gooders' Bazaar planned for October

The Do Gooders' Club began the month Tuesday afternoon, September 1, with friends, refreshments and cheerful decorations at their meeting at the Community Center in Flomot.

Mrs. Mary Jo Calvert conducted the business session. The club will hold their annual Bazaar, October 10th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Center. Anyone wanting a booth for \$10 is to contact Tommie Jo Cruse (469-5262), Leona Degan (469-5352) or Mary Jo Calvert (469-5212).

All members were given \$1.00 chances to sell for the pretty quilt the club has completed. The winning name will be drawn at 3:30 p.m., the day of the Bazaar and does not have to be present to win.

Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse and Mrs. Leona Degan presided at a crystal punch service. A beautiful multicolored bouquet of blooming flowers in a wicker basket centered the table laid

with a white cloth. They served finger sandwiches, cake squares and cookies with fruit slush punch.

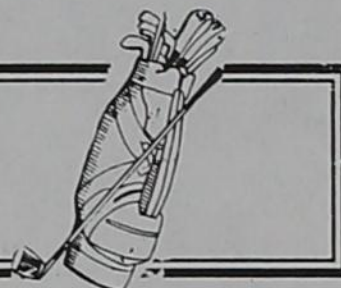
It was previously voted a member would bring an item of her choice to a designated club meeting for which chances would be sold to help defray expenses at the Center. The name of the club member drawn that day would win a gift.

Mrs. Degan and Mrs. Cruse brought a wire basket filled with fruit and vegetables. Mrs. Judy True was pleased her name was drawn.

Members attending in addition to those mentioned above were Mesdames Trula Martin, Barbara Payne, Alma Shorter, Sylvia Lee Martin, Wadetta Clay, B. Rogers, and Annie B. Cloyd. Guests were Mrs. Oma Lee George and daughter, Mrs. Mable Sue Barrett of Bovina, Mrs. Ernestine Payne of Quitaque and Mrs. Cruse's granddaughter, Teah Alane Patton of Silvertown.

Pivots & Divots

by Geneva



Tuesday Scramble September 1

Winners: First, with a score of 30, were Randy Martin, Dot Grundy and Geneva Wilson.

Second, with a score of 31 (play-off on card), Jerry Long, Robert Osborn, and Olivia Osborn. Kay Bingham got closest to pin on #3, 13' 1 1/2".

Others playing were Larry McClenny, Johnny Carillo, Danny Stark, Alfred Barton, Louise Barton, Doug Campbell, Kenny Barton,

Olivia Barton, and Kay Bingham.

Thursday Playday September 3

Eighteen hole players were Olivia Barton, Mary Lou Williams, Vida Elkins, Louise Barton, and Geneva Wilson. Mary Lou won the ball, most rough shots.

Nine hole players were Nell Berryman, Mary Jones, and Frances Hobbs. Frances won the ball, most rough shots.

Tax Rebates

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allocations of \$18.6 million in August 1997. Another \$7.1 million went to 33 special purpose districts around the state.

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation will be delivered on Monday, September 14.

The net payment for this period for Matador was \$3,296.10, compared to \$2,986.72 last year, a percent change of 10.35%. 1998 payments to date for Matador are \$16,615.87, compared to \$15,009.42 for 1998, a percent change of 10.70%.

Roaring Springs' payment was \$2,016.47, compared to \$1,300.18 for last year, a percent change of 55.09%. 1998 payments were \$10,917.37, compared to \$12,099.39 in 1997, a percent change -9.76%.

Send a letter from home to your College Student each week with a subscription to the **Motley County Tribune** 9 month rate - Only \$16.00

Macedonia Baptist Church would like to invite everyone to our **Dedication Service** Sunday, September 13 at 2:30 p.m.

Guest speaker will be **Rev. Rickey Lawrence** Pastor of Full Gospel Church of Roaring Springs

Open House will follow and a Meal will be served

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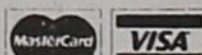
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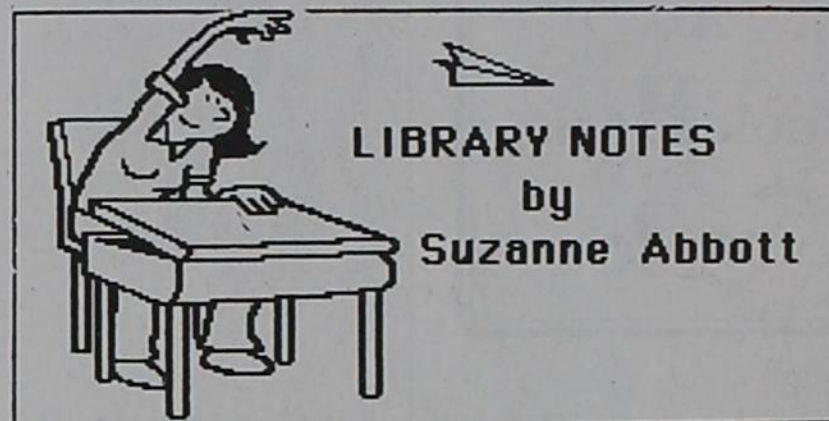
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MOTLEY COUNTY CLINIC HOLDS OPEN HOUSE — New Physician Assistant, Gail Ream, right, was welcomed to the County with an Open House at the Motley County Clinic last Wednesday afternoon. Pictured with Gail are her husband, Chuck, and Dr. and Mrs. Pat Williams, right.



One of the cases that the Library inherited from the late Joe Harlan is a beautiful piece of furniture. It is an antique reproduction with glass doors and two shelves and would serve well as a case for books or collectibles. The Library Board has decided to hold a "silent auction" on this beautiful case. You may view this piece of furniture in the Library and write your bid on the tablet that is on top of the case. We will be taking bids until September 30. You may come in any time the Library is open to check the bids and change yours if you wish. Of course the money made on this case will go to the Library. Come in and make a bid today.

New books in the Library include Elmer Kelton's latest **Smiling Country** which is a continuation of the **Good Ole Boys**, featuring good old boy, Hewey Calloway. We also have Danielle Steel's **The Long Road Home**, which is a novel based on a true story. In addition, we have **Sunset Limited** by James Lee Burke, **The Ugly Duckling** by Iris Johansen, **Moon Music** by Faye Kellerman, and **Fearless: A Novel of Sarah Bowman** by Lucia St. Clair Robson.

J.A. Jance has a new book which will please all those who enjoy her mysteries. This one, **Rattlesnake Crossing**, features sheriff Joanna Brady. Also new to the Library shelves is Sidney Sheldon's latest, **Tell me your dreams**. Come in and check out one of these good stories.

Speaking of Library shelves, the newly painted ones have been installed and are ready for me to decide what should be placed in them. We appreciate Kenneth Abbott's help in getting these new shelves installed and ready. Come in and see our new arrangements.

Also, come see our new Homecoming 1998 display case. Again, Betty Moore has provided some beautiful photographs of the schools for us to show and we appreciate her help on this display.

I will be out of town September 17-29, and we will need some people to come to the Library to help out on those days. If you could donate an afternoon to the Library, call us or come by and sign the calendar for the day your would like to work. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Look **Who's New**



Kaylee Ann Woolsey

Jacob Woolsey would like to announce the arrival of his new little sister, Kaylee Ann Woolsey, born August 30, 1998 in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, Texas. Kaylee weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. Proud parents are Les and Kim

Woolsey of Matador. Grandparents are Janie and Mike Day of Spur, Darrell and Judy Woolsey of Roaring Springs. Great-grandparents are Margie Payne of Roaring Springs, Othell Cline of Slaton, and Harold and Pauline Woolsey of Canyon.

Thank you for reading the **Motley County Tribune**

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Ministry of the Word



The ministry of the Word involves preaching. Preaching has always held a vital place in the life of God's people. The prototype of the preacher was the Hebrew prophet who knew his message was from God and who delivered it to the people whether they were receptive to it or not.

The Apostles showed the same zeal and boldness in their preaching of the Word of God. We find in scripture that the early church gathered together to pray and to ask God to grant them boldness to proclaim His Word. God answered that prayer, and as a result of bold proclamation, the church grew like wildfire as many souls were saved. They were preaching Christ and him crucified.

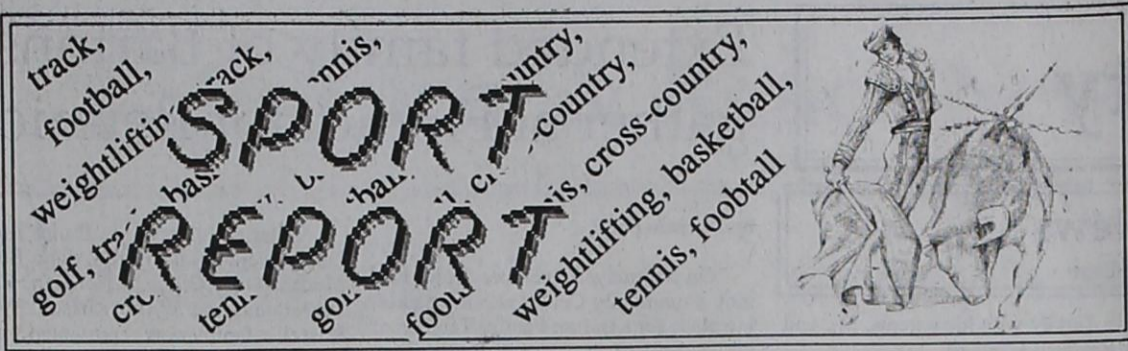
Those early sermons recorded more than the mere facts of God's activity in Christ Jesus. There sermons also declared that God in Christ was reconciling the world to Himself. The preaching of those first century preachers was not only informed but it also called for a decision. It demanded a response to the God who had provided atonement through Jesus the Christ.

Perhaps that is why we read in Acts 6:4, "But we will devote ourselves to prayer, and to the ministry of the word." If we should do likewise, we just might be surprised at the results.

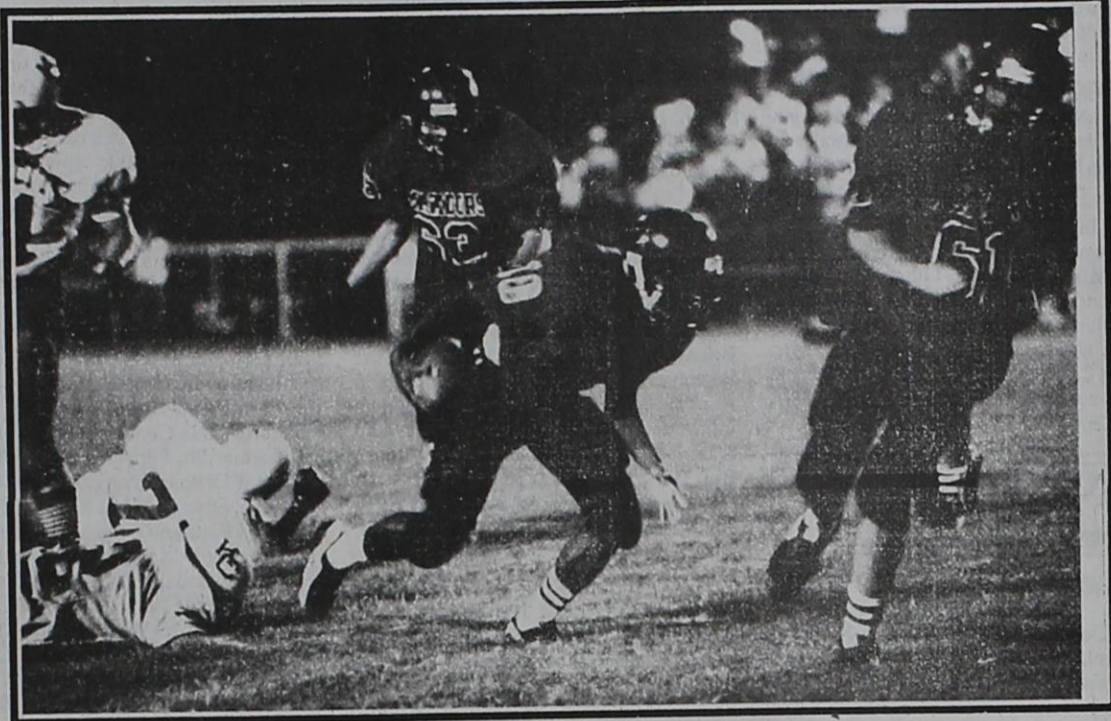
Roaring Springs Church of Christ
Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Bible Study - 10 a.m.

Worship - 9 a.m.



Matadors outrun the Greyhounds in season's first game for 14-0 victory



Jermaine Hendrix, on the keeper, following the blocking of Jason Barton and other Motley County linemen, swings wide for a big gain against the Greyhounds Friday night.

(photo by James Gillespie)

by Rickey Lawrence

The Motley County Matadors opened their 1998-99 football season with a hard fought win last Friday night against the Knox City Greyhounds. For more than 3 1/2 quarters, the game was all defense, neither team giving up any ground or allowing any points to be scored.

With 3:43 left in the fourth quarter, all that changed when fullback Keane Cruse took a handoff from Jermaine Hendrix and bulled his way up the middle of the field into the end zone from 3 1/2 yards out. Dayton Grundy kicked the point after to make the score, Motley County, 7 and Knox City, 0.

After Knox City failed to move the ball after the ensuing kickoff, Motley County got the ball back, deep in the Greyhounds end of the field. With only 56 seconds remaining to be played in the game, Jermaine Hendrix sprinted around the right end, picked up a few key blocks, and went 28 yards untouched for the Matadors second touchdown in 3 minutes. Keane kicked the extra point to make the final score, Motley County, 14 and Knox City, 0.

Coach Payne said he was very pleased with the entire team and the effort these young men put forth on the field. He was especially pleased with the defense. A defense that was led by Senior Linebackers Dayton Grundy and Keane Cruse who both had 12 tackles. A defense that swarmed all over the ball causing 3 fumbles, one of which was recovered by Chase Carson after Jason Clouser had knocked it loose. The defensive secondary saw a lot of action as Knox City went 0 for 8 passing. Sean Rose turned one of those attempts into an interception. Because Motley County played defense well Friday night, Knox City was forced to punt 8 times

and only averaged 24.2 yards per kick.

On offense Motley County was led in a balanced ground attack by Keane Cruse who had 18 rushes for 79 yards, Jermaine Hendrix, 13 rushes for 64 yards, and Ben Ridgley had 10 rushes for 33 yards. This led to 186 yards total offense for the night. Motley County didn't have much success passing going 0 for 6 with no interceptions, and they did lose a fumble to Knox City. All in all, Motley County had to punt only 2 times and those punts averaged 35.6 yards per kick.

The Matadors will travel to Anton, Friday night, to play the Bulldogs at

8:00 p.m. These young men and their coaches are working hard everyday for a successful season and they have started it off right with the win against Knox City.

Coaches Payne, O'Pry, Ridgley, and Copeland have done all they possibly can to prepare these young men to play. What they need from us, the fans, is support.

So load up a bunch of folks this Friday and travel up to Anton and I promise you won't be disappointed by the effort you will see from these fine young men and their coaches. And who knows when they might go for it -- on the fourth down!



The Motley County Booster club met Monday night at the school cafeteria with thirteen in attendance.

On Sunday, September 13, at 2:00 p.m., everyone is asked to come and help paint the streets for Homecoming.

Plan to come to the Pep Rally this Friday at 3:00 p.m. This week's theme is "No Dogs Allowed". Everyone is invited to meet out by the Ag barn at 3:45 p.m. Friday to send the team off. Bring something to wave! Also, bring a noisemaker to the game Friday - (no whistles or airhorns please).

Plans are underway for decorating the stadium for Homecoming. The committee members are Deidra Clifton, Bonita Barton, Mickey Payne, Naomi Lawrence, Ronda Miller, and Debbie Marvel.

Congratulations to last week's Spirit Fan, Lucretia Campbell.

The MC Matadors looked great last week! Let's fill the stands at Anton Friday night and show them our support.

Get up off your feet and make some noise!

BEAT ANTON!

Motley County Matadors School News

School Menu



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Breakfast: Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Burritos (Beef, Cheese), Salad, Corn on the Cob, Sherbet, Milk.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, Potatoes, Gravy, California Blend Veggies, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Eggs, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Barbecue on a Bun, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Potato Chips, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Breakfast: Cereal, Toaster Pastry, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Chef Salad (ham, cheese, egg), Baked Potato, Crackers, Watergate Salad, Milk.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes, Syrup, Juice, Milk.
Lunch: Cheeseburger Pockets, Salad, French Fries, Unbaked Cookie, Milk.

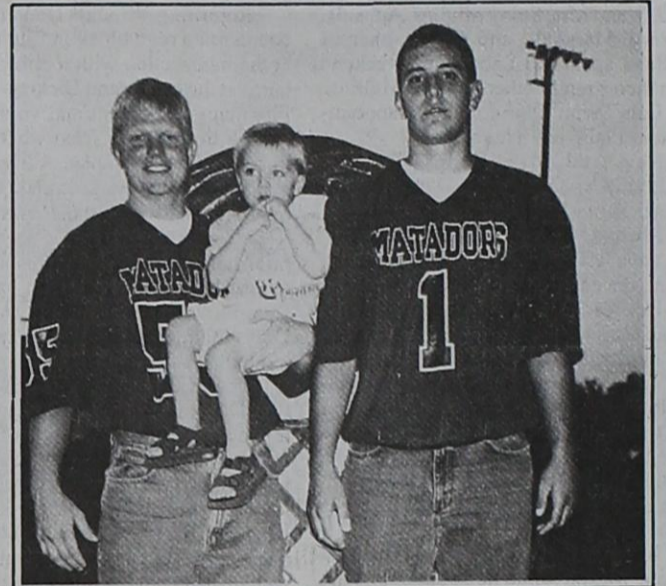


A Blast from the Past!

Spirit Rally Cheerleaders, a.k.a. Ronda Miller and Sonja Bowman, with Rally Mascot, Annie Hurl, dressed in authentic 50's Matador cheerleading outfits!

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Mom, I wanna be a Matador when I grow up! Little Lane Barclay likes these big Senior Matadors, Dayton Grundy and Keane Cruse. He was photographed with them at the Spirit Rally. (in lower picture)



**BEAT
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Baby Shower selections for
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Crosbyton Clinic Hospital

Managed by St. Mary of the Plains Hospital

August 4, 1998

MEMORANDUM

TO: People of Matador and Surrounding Areas
FROM: Mike T. Johnson, Administrator
SUBJECT: Motley County Clinic

Crosbyton Clinic Hospital is pleased to be able to work with South Plains Health Provider Organization (SPHPO) to help keep the Motley County Clinic open.

By supporting the clinic, you help ensure that local health care services will continue to be available to you and your family. Utilizing the clinic also supports local jobs. We are working very hard to allow members of your community who are on managed care plans to be able to use the clinic.

You are fortunate to have such a wonderful group of people working at the Clinic. We hope you will fully support Gail Reams as an important addition to the clinic staff. I know that Gail, Chuck and their two girls will be an asset to Matador. They are very friendly people.

Utilizing the services of Crosbyton Clinic Hospital also helps us to help you. If you ever need the following services please consider letting Crosbyton Clinic Hospital be your provider. We have a great staff of nurses who give high quality, patient focused, service directed care to those we serve.

CROSBYTON CLINIC HOSPITAL SERVICES

Hospital & Clinics

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Skilled Nursing Facility

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Provider Service and Private Duty Nursing

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News around the County

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Rita Groves

WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

The Roaring Springs Wesleyan Guild met Wednesday night in the home of Debbie Martin with the President, Pearl Patten, in charge. She gave the opening prayer. Jeannie Adams gave the devotion, "A Friend Closer Than A Brother."
Guests Linda Hicks and Sybol Voight of Crosbyton presented the program on the Assembly Meeting in Orlando, Florida.
Chelsea Read gave the closing prayer. Those attending were Dorothy Lee, Grace Zabalski, Lula Swim, Imogene Swim, Jeannie Adams, Noma Wike, Darleen Fletcher, Lee Peacock, Chelsea Read, Jo Eitta Bumgardner, Callie Giesecke, Billie Clifton, Pearl Patten, guests, Linda Hicks, and Sybol Voight, and the hostess, Debbie Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark of Wichita Falls visited Tuesday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glynna Daniell. Leslie and Anna Marie of Dallas came Friday night, returning home Monday. Anna Marie spent the weekend with her mother and family, Becky HoGland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stony Mullins, Amanda, Stormy, Marshall, and Christopher of Midland spent the Labor Day weekend with their grandmother, Odessa Mullins. Lula Swim kept a doctor's appointment in Plainview Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Benny Goss of Littlefield spent Labor Day with her mother Vera Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Thacker spent several days last week in Ruidoso, N.M. enjoying the cool mountain air.

Dorothy Lee spent Labor Day weekend in Carsbad, N.M. visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis.

The Webb estate sale was worth attending. Wixie, the Webb Dachshund was visiting with Monta and Corby Lee Marshall who were in residence here. Wixie kept one eye on Monta while outside to make sure the Van didn't leave without her.

Joe Bruce King is a guest of Cleo and Monte Watson while he is back working on the beautiful Veterans Memorial in the park across from the Methodist Church. He was a visitor at the Methodist Church on Sunday, where our sanctuary was graced with flowers sent in Memory of Roxie Lewis by her daughter. Visitors from Springs Ranch were also present.

Sunday afternoon Roaring Springs Cemetery was the site for graveside rites for O.E. Rigsby the husband of Frankie Ragland, longtime friends. We were privileged to hold the sleeping baby grandson of Ronnie Ragland. Frankie's mother was Mrs. Forrest (Gaudie) Ragland one of the most faithful supporters of Patton Springs

School and its faculty. She moved to Duncan Flat in 1913, the year I was born, with H. Jackson and six brothers. It was from Rigsby's Hill that this correspondent first saw Roaring Springs and the beautiful valley in which it rests.

Algie and Rita Groves attended the wedding in Idalou of Norma Carillo on Saturday to Brian Keith, son of friends Tommy and David Keith of Dickens.

We visited in Crosbyton with Mrs. Ralph Marshall and on our return, drove across to Spur, leaving Highway 82 east of the Canyon and taking 836 across one of the most beautiful valleys in the country, to see our niece Sharon and her husband, Maynard Brown. Maynard has retired after having helped in the construction of White River Dam and having employment there since. The Browns have moved in to Spur and are engaged in farming and cattle raising between trips to Branson, MO to be with their daughter, Lesley and her husband, Todd Davis, and their three children Elissa, Trevor, and Tyler. Sharon's interest is in visiting with and ministering to the residents of Spur Care Center.

Returning through Dickens we encountered a road block in four directions at the intersection of a blinking ambulance at the center and Dickens Volunteer Firemen's equipment and volunteers directing traffic away from what appeared to be a tragic encounter. A friendly flagman came to the car to explain that it was only a patient being transferred from the Kent County Ambulance to a waiting hospital helicopter, a sight we hadn't witnessed before. We had been expecting a shambles of mangled cars and bodies. Only volunteers helping the helpless. A modern miracle.

The BEST news since the weekend is that Dorothy and Bruce Lefevre are at home again. Bruce suffered a fall from a ladder and required surgery and hospitalization for the last week. Sheila reports that both are doing well. We have problems with the Lefevres being out of town, because they contribute so much to our welfare and security. Larry Pierce has very ably delivered the paper early for us in their absence. Nothing like having the paper delivered early to have with your morning coffee. WELCOME HOME!

Ken and Barbara Marvel accompanied Audrey Jones to Dallas to visit her daughter and family recently. Mrs. Jones remained in Dallas for an extended visit.

Visiting Joe and Joyce Meredith on Sunday were their grandson and family, Jeremy and Whitney Jones and Morgan of Lubbock. Also visiting were Jim and Carla Meador and Sherry, Shea and Sean Rose of Matador.

Roaring Springs Senior Citizens News

by Rita Groves

Every first Thursday seniors may bring a dish or a guest, or both, and appear at the Senior Citizens building around 12 noon for lunch with friends. Present at the meeting Thursday September 3 was Laura Taylor, our visiting nurse who shared our lunch and offered members the fruit from her peach tree. Her offer was accepted. While Billie Clifton picked peaches, she was also keeping the sprinkler going on the Methodist Church lawn. Algie furnished the ladders and cleared up beneath the tree. We shared with Cleo Watson.

Others present to share our fellowship were Ruby Hipp, Dorothy Lee, Jo and Walter Trammell, Vera Mitchell, Odessa Mullins, and our President, Ossie Lee Brown, who opened the meeting with a prayer. Joined hands formed a circle of friendship as Odessa led our opening song, "When we all get together..." and ascertained that there was no one present with a September birthday.

Missing were Shirley and Carl Barton who are busy gardening and sharing neighbors. Laryngitis has rendered Shirley speechless. She is better now. Another regular Lula Swim, was missed especially when it came time to clean up the dishes. Lula had gone for a medical checkup and came home with an encouraging report.

Information is out about a new Care Center located near the hospital in Crosbyton. Zola Renfro may be a resident

there now. Some of our information may not be documented, but that isn't illegal. Like advice, it's to be taken for what it is worth.

Odessa gave an encouraging financial report on how much money was made renting electrical outlets during Old Settlers Reunion. Enough to allow us to have a new paint job on the building. Walter Trammell offered cooperation in planning that.

Let's we forget. The next first Thursday is on the first of October. Come join us!

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

RECENT TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter returned home Thursday morning after a two weeks visit in Lacey, Washington with her brother and wife, retired USN Admiral Raymond and Dorothy Speer. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Steadham and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Guthrie in Roy, Washington and in Des Moines, Washington with Mrs. Adele Doty at the Masonic Retirement Home.

Among the tourist attractions was Fort Nisqually (1830) owned by Hudson Bay Co., rose gardens including Point Defiance and other scenic attractions in the area. They made the trip from Lubbock airport.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin, Tuesday were Frances and Bob Hambright of Floydada. Visiting them Saturday and attending the Barton family reunion were daughter and husband, Marilee and Fred Cooper of Borger.

Mrs. Keri Sehon of Wolfthorpe visited Thursday night and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter. Visiting them during the weekend were Cindy and Chad Calvert of Lubbock. They also vis-

ited in Turkey with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beryl Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee visited in Memphis Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joey Lee, Ernie and girlfriend.

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada and her houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Barton of Cameron visited Saturday morning with Viola Stinson and Mary Ellen Barton.

Art Green was in Plainview last Monday for a medical appointment and visited his daughter, Mrs. Alta Mae Rice.

Visitors during the week of Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter were grandchildren and families, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Rhodes of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Chad Calvert of Lubbock, and Mrs. Keri Sehon of Wolfthorpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter visited in Floydada, Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Speer. Other guests were Kay and Roy Nicolety of Tucumcari, N.M. and daughter, Kathy, student at Eastern N.M. University in Portales, N.M., Mrs. Anita Carter and H.G. Hunter of Lubbock. H.G. returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Hunter to visit.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

An amateur race car driver doesn't see his hobby as a particularly dangerous sport. He says they don't read a newspaper, put on makeup, drink coffee or talk on cellular phones when zooming around the track!

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stockton were in Lubbock last Tuesday for a medical check up and have stitches removed following his neck surgery. He is reported to be improving.

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY GUESTS

Guests in the home of Mrs. Juanita Cooper from Saturday until Tuesday were her daughter and husband, Pat and Lynn Minton who recently moved from Carmel, Indiana to Granbury Lake, Texas. Mr. Minton has retired after 31 years with Shell Oil. Other visitors in her home during the weekend were Jack Samford of Afton, Mr. and Mrs. Van Bradford of Gruver and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Matador.

Fish Fry Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Van Bradford hosted a fish fry supper Saturday night in Matador at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradford. Other guests beside Mrs. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Minton were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reed, Chase and Chelsea of Gruver and Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Bradford,

Jade and Jacie of Panhandle.

Dorothy Jean and Adrian Risner of Wheeler visited Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. Frances Dixon. Other guests, Sunday were Mrs. Elaine Risser and Kaci of Matador.

Matt Jennings of Haskell and girlfriend, Courtney Collins of Hamlin visited Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Jennings. They got 0.30 of an inch of rain, Sunday.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin was in Lubbock last Monday for medical tests. She and Art Green of Flomot visited in Matador, Sunday with his sons and families, Cindy, Billy, Annie and Ashlee Green and guests, Marian, Steve, Karlje, and Kylie Green of Pampa. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green and their daughter, Virginia Green of Whiteface.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon met her mother, Mrs. Ted Hester of Lovington, N.M. in Lubbock, Sunday to attend the Hester family reunion. It was held in the home of Mrs. Adina Bush. They also visited in the home of Mrs. Lela Faye Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Jameson, Shanna Lou and Beverly of Santa Fe, N.M. visited from Friday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson.

Matador News

Visiting Luther and Edna Ruth Green during Labor Day weekend was their daughter, Virginia, of Whiteface.

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Extended family of Bartons gather at Flomot for Reunion

by Marisue Potts

On Saturday, September 5, the Flomot Community Center was the gathering place for a Barton Family Reunion of descendants of the Decater Barton clan. Sixty-five people enjoyed a tremendous spread attesting to the many good cooks and healthy appetites in the extended family.

Greeting guests from as far away as Austin, Wilburn Martin acted as master of ceremonies and led the singing of old time gospel tunes. A short history of Al Barton, taken from Of Such As These by Eleanor Traawek, was presented, outlining his colorful career as a drover to California, homesteader in Kansas, ranch foreman for Charles Goodnight on the F Ranch, and stock-farmer on the banks of Pease River. Additional information was given on the Perry Barton-Bulter Barton clan.

Information about Al Barton and his three wives and their separate families was shared in a display of family charts and photographs. The children of Mollie Moreland and Al Barton were Clayton Barton of Burnet Co., Wilburn Burr Barton of Motley County, Sam Moreland Barton of Saskatchewan, Canada, and an infant daughter who died in Kansas and is buried with her mother there. Wilburn Burr Barton's line was represented by the families of Opal Martin, Allie Hart, Eliza Jones, Mollie Burleson, France Barton, and Dude Barton.

The children of Mollie Sams and Al Barton were Alfred Barton, Sr., Burl Barton, Charlie Barton, Sr., Mollie Barton, Milda Barton McLarty, and Johnnie Barton. Mollie Sams, who died at the F Ranch where Al was foreman, and daughter Mollie are buried at Grey Mule Cemetery, upstream on the Quitaque Creek from the ranch headquarters.

Interestingly (and confusingly) enough, Alfred Sr., and Charlie married Barton sisters, Josephine and Madeline, children of Butler and Lula Barton. This Perry Barton line, as well as Al Barton's, is traced back to Decater who came with his father Wilson on a wagon train from South Carolina in 1954. A number of the descendants present represented this double branch of Bartons: Alfred, Jr. and Josephine by the families of Alfred, Jr., and Pauline Groves; Charlie and Madeline by the families of C.M. Barton and June Keltz.

Other children in the Butler Barton family were Nydia Hobbs, John Butler, Medlin Guy, Grace Wilkinson, Erma McAdams, and Willie Russell. Willie Russell's family was represented by the family of Gordon Russell.

The third family of Al Barton, the children of Addie Missouri Bishop Seay, was composed of Lebra Barton Scrivner, Arthur Dick Barton, Katherine Barton King, and Wilson Barton. Katherine King and Wilson Barton were present to represent this line.

Gordon Russell of Hale Center was on hand with a computer printout of the Barton lineage to keep everyone informed of his or her place in this prolific time line.

The afternoon of visiting in the attractive and newly decorated community center was concluded with a caravan of cars to the historic Grey Mule cemetery, where Mollie Sams Barton and daughter Mollie Barton are buried on a windswept hill above the Quitaque Creek, and a stop at the Camp Resolution historical marker, placed near the old headquarters of the F Ranch.

Those attending the 1998 Barton Reunion from out-of-town included Tommy and Brenda Barton of Cameron, Nita Merritt of Weatherford, Gordon & Joyce Russell of Hale Center, Gordon Russell, Jr., of Amarillo, Pepper Jones of Austin, Mike and Debbie Arrington and boys of Canadian, Shad and Brig Brooks of Amarillo, Tom Potts and Leigh Ann Robertson of Bryan, Jim, Mary Ann, Jay and Neal Potts of Floydada, Fred and Marilee Cooper of Borger, Cherri Karr of Whitney, Konni Jackson of Weatherford, Richard Nall of Wellington, Tommy, Kelli, Kati, and Ky Merritt of Lamesa, Brent, Lisa, Tyler and Chancy Campbell of Turkey, Korea, Payton, and Jessica Price of Turkey, Tom and Jan Hamilton, Ian and Arden Stewart of Plainview, Teen and Lou Burleson of Floydada, Kirk, Beverly, Kolt, Kwait, and Klay Brock of Levelland, Steve, Carria, Tye, Caycee, CyAnne Jones of Levelland, Barton and Marilyn Groves of Dallas.

Among those registering locally were Wilburn and Trula Martin, Waydette and Ronald Clay, Viola Stinson, Dude Barton, Mollie Burleson, Marisue Potts, Judy and Rachelle Renfro, Kathryn King, Wilson Barton, Eugenia Barton, Dixie Barton, Herb and Geneva Martin, Kathy Shorter, Alfred and Louise Barton, Joanie Stephens, Kenny Barton, June Keltz, and Dan Barton.



Extended family of Decater Barton clan who attended the 1998 Barton Reunion at the Flomot Community Center.

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Farm & Ranch News



Cotton News

from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

Protecting a market is probably one of the most important things a West Texas cotton producer can do and one of the last things he usually considers when making late-season management decisions.

When it comes to the cotton aphid, and the potential it has to cause sticky cotton, the issue of market protection takes on a whole new meaning.

The good news is that producers have the ability to take care of the problem, before it costs them real selling opportunities.

Understanding the mechanics of late-season aphid populations and how they cause problems is the key.

Members of the West Texas Sticky Cotton Committee are at the forefront of efforts to educate producers about the dangers of not addressing aphid infestations when bolls are opening and lint is vulnerable to sugar deposition.

Although the problem is difficult to pin down producers need to take the offensive. Acting before the aphid population escalates to dangerous levels, in addition to timely crop termination and harvest, is often the only defense. Mother Nature doesn't always come through.

Late in the season producers have to focus on two potential problems from aphids - yield reduction and lint contamination.

The window for significant yield reduction because of aphids is rapidly closing. Lint contamination, however, is a serious threat from now through harvest.

It only takes a relatively minor outbreak to cause sticky problems and, as producers learned in 1995, the "sticky cotton area" label would be devastating to the marketability of all West Texas cotton.

Producers can obtain guidelines, recommendations for treatment thresholds and advice from their crop consultant or the Texas Ag Extension Service. An informational bulletin is also being put together for area gins in order to help spread the word.

County agents will be receiving updated information in the next week to ten days.

Making a commitment toward prevention is the best way to avoid trouble down the line.

With increasing numbers of boll weevils showing up in traps across most the South Plains, cotton producers would be well advised to review their fall boll weevil management strategies.

With no area wide diapause program in place for the second year in a row, producers are on their own for any control of boll weevils going into overwintering stage. Addition of a suitably labeled insecticide to harvest aid applications could reduce building weevil numbers. When weevil numbers are excessively high, a separate insecticide application may be called for.

Timely termination and harvest of the 1998 cotton crop will not only help in the reduction of boll weevil numbers but will also minimize the chance of regrowth and late season aphid honeydew contamination of cotton.

Cotton aphids and sticky cotton can become a problem at this time of year as bolls are opening. Even low infestation levels of cotton aphids can excrete sufficient honeydew to contaminate the lint of open bolls and create significant and costly problems at the textile mill. Mills are reluctant to buy contaminated lint.

Late season aphid problems may be enhanced when ULV malathion or pyrethroids are used for boll weevil control applications in late August-early September.

Cotton producers should seek advice from their crop consultant or county agent as early as possible to develop cotton aphid and boll weevil management strategies for their farming operation.

Plains Cotton Growers representatives are traveling to St. Louis to meet with the leadership of the Monsanto Corporation and other producer organizations September 8-9.

The meeting, coordinated through the National Cotton Council, is designed to foster dialogue about issues important to producers concerning transgenic cotton.

Agenda items include an overview of Monsanto's vision for the future, technology fee pricing and determination, farmer caught seed issues, refugia requirements in Bt cotton and improving communications between Monsanto and its customers.

The St. Louis meeting is in many ways a mirror meeting held with Monsanto, Chief Executive Officer Hendrick Verfaillie and PCG this past Spring. PCG officials note that the willingness of Monsanto to continue to discuss these issues and work with producers is good news. They note that this type of contact will eventually benefit both Monsanto and their customer base.

Hunter education training course set for September 25-26

There will be a Hunter Education Training Course held on September 25 and 26 in the Motley County Senior Citizens Building. This Hunter Education Course is being sponsored by the Motley County Extension Service, Motley County 4-H and Dee Litteken, State Game Warden for Cottle and Motley County.

Every hunter (including out-of-state hunters) born on or after September 2, 1971, must successfully complete a Hunter Education Training Course. If you were born on or after September 2, 1971, and you are:

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— age 12 through 16, you must successfully complete a hunter education course or be accompanied by a licensed hunter 17 years of age or older.

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Minimum age of certification is 12 years and cost of certification is \$10. Proof of certification is required to be on your person while hunting; it is not required to purchase a license.

If anyone is interested in becoming a Hunter Education Instructor, you must successfully complete this course.

The Hunter Education Training Course will be held on Friday the 25th, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The course will be held on Saturday, September 26, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with a one hour lunch break. Lunch is on your own. If you can not attend the Friday session, contact Dee Litteken.

Anyone is welcomed to attend this Hunter Education Training Course, you must R.S.V.P. by Tuesday, September 22, at 5:00 p.m. by calling the Motley County Extension Service at (806) 347-2733 or Dee Litteken at (806) 347-2627.

Driving Safety

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before being picked up.

Snider reminds drivers that it is the driver's responsibility to be aware of what is happening about them while driving. Drivers must be alert

for kids entering the streets, especially at the beginning and end of the school

day. Drivers must also stop for school buses when the flashing red lights are activated and remain stopped until the flashing red lights are off. "Let's slow down for school zones and school buses to give our kids a break to continue their education," concludes Trooper Snider.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid

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Correction
 In the school board meeting report printed in last week's paper, it should have read that the proposed tax rate was set, not that the tax rate had been set. The amount was only a proposed amount.

A Note of Thanks
 We would like to thank each of you for the cards, phone calls, visits and food taken to our house at the loss of our darling son and grandson, Codi Williams. It all really helped. May God's richest blessings be with you all!

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