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## Museum Maps Out Future Plans

The Motley County Historical Museum is taking on a new appearance as the Joe Meredith Construction crew continues work on the outside of the two-story brick building. The front windows have been repaired, painted and protected with storm windows. Now the back windows on the lower floor are being removed and the openings are being filled in, insulated and covered with stucco. This removal of windows will allow better security and elimination of damage caused by the harmful ultra-violet rays of the sun.

The future plans of the museum include the following:

- \* renovation of the facility, in part, with a challenge grant from the Meadows Foundation
- \* use volunteer labor whenever possible
- \* continue the training of volunteers in cataloging and accessioning methods,
- \* accept donations of historical items for display,
- \* catalog and accession donations of artifacts, documents, oral histories
- \* prepare exhibits and build display cases,
- \* schedule educational programs for school children,

\* prepare special displays for homecoming, old settlers celebrations, old fashioned Christmas programs, etc.,

\* book special exhibits from Southwest Collection, Texas Historical Commission, and Institute of Texan Culture

\* promote research of the history and heritage of our area,

\* plan and implement new fund raisers, and encourage donations by the public.

This educational institution will strive to promote a better understanding and appreciation by children and adults of the unique history and heritage of the citizens of Motley County by working with the Motley County Historical Commission in recording, researching, and interpreting the data collected.

In cooperation with the local schools, the museum will conduct programs of an educational nature about Indians; buffalo hunters; early settlers, communities, and schools; ethnic groups including Hispanic, Black, and Scottish, among others; the railroads; ranching, farming, ginning, and other industries. In cooperation with the Motley County Arts and Crafts Club, the museum may conduct public workshops on vanishing crafts such as quilting, china painting, crocheting, doll making.

In cooperation with the Southwest Collection of Texas Tech University and the Texas Historical Commission, the county museum will exhibit displays, for example, on Hispanic culture, the Matador Ranch, early newspapers, and post office depression art. The museum will keep its work before the public eye with newspaper articles and public promotion.

As a means of support, the museum will accept donations and memorials. The name or family name of those donating \$100 or more will be engraved on nameplates and attached to a walnut plaque which will hang in the lobby. All donations and memorials will be recorded in a leather bound book which will also be displayed in the lobby. A brand and name may be added to the Centennial Brand board for a \$50 donation. Centennial Coins are available for purchase from Charles Cammack at the First State Bank as long as the supply lasts.

Next week: Items Needed to Share the History of the County.

### DONATIONS

Mary Irvin & Ruth Moore Edwards in memory of B.F. Moore family.  
Sara Springer Waldo in memory of Hattie Williams & P.Y. Springer.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Ford, Moriarty, N.M., in memory of Jim and Florence "Floss" Ford.

Stanley Dan & Ila Levell in honor of Katherine Rose Catlin and her children: Stanley, Vera, Cecil, & Olin Rose, Sammie and Jackie Catlin.

Mabel Williams Harris, San Antonio, in memory of Harrison Williams.

Wynona Gilbreath in honor of A.W., Ada, and Jewell Ford, Judge Vance H. Wynona Gilbreath, H.N., Mary, and Sam Ford.

Harold Campbell in honor of Henry H. (Paint) Campbell, Lizzie Bundy Campbell, Harry H. and Ollie H. Campbell, Erin Campbell Shearer, Harold H. and Grace B.K. Campbell, Henry Harrison III and Fran N. Campbell, James Guy and DiAnn G. Campbell, Ben and Vinie Keltz.

Mrs. Jody Jameson, Plainview, in memory of Jody Jameson and Beulah Jameson.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Dockendorff, Baytown, in memory of Dr. and Mrs. A.C. Traweck, Sr., Dr. Albert Traweck, Jr., Dr. Mary T. Rosenstein Potter, Lucile Wells, John Traweck, and Howard Traweck.

Latimer family in memory of Miss Mary Keith.

## Earthquake Hits Motley County!

by Mary Meason

Earthquake? It was!

Sometime after 5 a.m. last Thursday morning I was awake and all at once my bed started shaking, then it felt as if it was going to buckle up right in the middle, it shook a little more, then settled back into being a common, ordinary bed! I stayed awake for quite awhile waiting for the aftershock that never came.

After thinking about it for awhile, I decided I wouldn't say anything about it until someone else mentioned it, because it would be about the same as claiming I had sighted a UFO! But many others here felt the quake so I could then tell how it felt to me.

This was the third quake I had experienced. When I was 12 or 13 we were living in our two story home where Brent Whitaker lives now. My bedroom was upstairs and one night that whole house shook. I was scared! I was sure the whole house was going to fall in and I would go crashing to the ground with the rest of the house. But that quake didn't last long and all was well.

The second earthquake I experienced was for real. During World War II my husband had just finished Master Gunner's School at Camp David North Carolina and had been sent immediately to Camp Callan, California just outside of LaJolla for anti-aircraft training. I was driving out to see him in my old pre-war Ford car that would vapor lock when it got too hot, but I always carried a big jug of water along to take care of that emergency. I've forgotten what I poured the water on, but all I had to do was raise the hood and pour the water over something and my car would start again! My spare tire was the front tire off my Ford Tractor, my gas rationing stamps were varied. Some were for my car, some for my pickup and a few stamps for my tractor. One of the worst things to cope with was that war time 35 mile per hour speed limit!

I was going along at that snails pace and noticed off to my left a big cloud of

dirt in the mountains. It looked as if the whole side of the mountain had slid off onto the ground. The thought passed through my mind that blasting was being done in preparation for road construction. But all at once I was having trouble keeping my car in the road and it felt like all 4 tires were flat. I got out to check my tires, they were all right but the ground was shaking! Right then I would have given anything to be back in Matador!

Just outside of Encino an immigration officer stopped me to inspect my car and to find out who I was and where I was going. He said he was inspecting a car when the earthquake started and it shook his hat off of his head.

The epicenter was in the Pacific Ocean and the radio announcer said that if the epicenter had been in or near cities the size of Los Angeles or San Francisco it would have been more devastating than the San Francisco quake.

After the severe quakes in California, the hurricanes in the Gulf and along the Atlantic Coast, Volcanoes, the rains and gloomy days and days without sunshine in the Northwest, I've decided I had rather live here in the sandstorms, drought, heat and tornados.

Sandstorms hurt our feelings and damage our dispositions, but they don't kill us and as the saying goes, "Everyone needs a pick of dirt a year." Drought - we are use to, ever so often. It certainly damages our income but our houses and lives are safe. We can even survive tornados if we'll only heed the warnings. But where do you go to be safe during an earthquake? The heat is the worst thing about our part of the country. But all the stores, cars, and houses are air-conditioned, even some farmers have tractors that are air-conditioned.

I think about all these other disastrous weather happenings and I am so grateful to be living right here!

I'll just be happy visiting all those places, they are beautiful and interesting, but how good it always is to get back home.

## Reward Offered For Return Of Stolen Trailer

The Motley County Sheriff's Department is offering a \$1000.00 REWARD for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons and

the return of a 1990 Turner Mfg., 24 foot, tan, gooseneck trailer belonging to Dean Turner, Matador, Texas. The trailer was stolen on or before 10-19-91.

## E.D. Lawrence Announces Candidacy for Commissioner

E.D. "Ed" Lawrence authorized the Tribune to announce his candidacy for

Commissioner Precinct 1 in the March 10 Primary Election.

## Matador Fire Department Elects New Officers

by Alan Bingham

The Matador Volunteer Fire Department had its regular meeting January 6, 1992.

President Craig Turner called the meeting to order and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. New business was election of officers for 1992. The following were elected:

President, Craig Turner; Vice-President, Les Woolsey; Fire Chief, Rodney William; 1st Asst. Chief, James Gillespie; 2nd Asst. Chief, Dude Speed; Tail Twister, Terry Carson; Asst. Tail Twister, Douglas Campbell; Fire Marshall, Don Warren; Asst. Fire Marshall, Don Baxter;

Secretary-Treasurer, James Gillespie; Reporter, Alan Bingham; Training Officer, Dude Speed.

Fire Chief Willaims reported two fire calls during the Christmas holidays. He also reminded all members to spread the news that 911 is now working and to report fires with that number.

Chief Willaims reminded during this winter season one needs to check their fire places and more especially their chimney flue. The flue needs to be cleaned once a year.

The Fire Department would like to thank the following for their donation: Keith and Joan Patton.

## Hospital Board Meets

The Motley County Hospital Board met for their regular session, Jan. 7, 1992 at 7:00 a.m. in the Clinic Meeting Room.

Agenda items discussed and passed were to drop 2 phone lines previously for answering the Ambulance Phone. With 911 and the phone patch radios, these two

lines are no longer needed

Also discussed was the duties of the bookkeeper to be hired.

The Board discussed what to do about the old X-Ray machine left in the Museum Building. Discussion tabled. Board went into closed session at this time.

## Motley County Judge Requests Financial Assistance

NOTE: Due to the early freeze and damage done to the Motley County crops and pastures, Motley County Judge Boyce Hart has sent the following letter to the Governor's office requesting financial assistance for Motley County.

Dear Governor Richards:

The Motley County Emergency Management Committee met on December 31, 1991. The meeting was held to discuss crop damage inflicted by an early freeze on October 29, 1991. The first killing frost usually occurs in mid November. The October 29 freeze damaged crops by terminating plant growth prematurely. Estimated crop losses are as follows:

Cotton 27,000 acres - 35% yield loss;  
Mixed Hay 1,500 acres - 40% yield loss;  
Native pasture 400,000 acres - 20% yield loss;  
Improved pasture 6,500 acres - 20% yield loss  
Peanuts 3,000 acres - 60% yield loss.

Governor Richards, I ask that Motley County be declared a disaster county. Our farmers are in need of any assistance available.

Thank you for your cooperation. U.S.D.a. flash report included.

Sincerely,  
Boyce Hart  
Motley County Judge

## 1991 Rain Totals Almost Doubled From 1990

The year of 1991 brought an abundance of rain to Motley County. Don Baxter, a National Weather Service Volunteer, registered 28.44 inches.

An average in a normal year for Motley County is approximately 15 inches. According to Baxter 3.70 inches fell in December.

Mrs. Tommie Cruse, National Weather Service Volunteer in Flomot, reported 2.02 inches of Moisture from December 16-27. Whiteflat residents registered 4.00 inches. Farmers are hoping for sunny, dry days to make a welcomed entrance in 1992 to complete gathering the acres of cotton still in fields.



WHEN SECONDS COUNT — Linda Edwards, day dispatcher for the Floyd County Sheriff's office, demonstrated the 9-1-1 service for visitors on Thursday, December 19. All dispatchers are trained in the use of the emergency number and will answer emergency fire, ambulance, and police calls for Floyd and Motley County. A lighted display on the top of the phone shows the dispatcher the number that the caller is calling from. The large machine in the center of the photo is a recording machine that records all 9-1-1 calls.

Photo courtesy of Floyd County Hesperian



## Lions Club Report

Help save the railroad line between South Plains and Quitaque, was Richard Campbell's plea to the 23 Lions and four guests at the Lions Club meeting, January 7.

Mr. Campbell explained that the 22 miles of railroad track between South Plains and Quitaque had been abandoned by Burlington and was in the plans to be salvaged.

This 22 mile track has more tressels and curves than any track in the western

United States. It also has the only tunnel (approximately 750 ft. long) in existence in Texas, some of which was shown in a

video, done by Channel 11 and Karla Leslie.

The tunnel has been added to the Historical Register and has to be maintained forever.

The citizens of Lockney, Quitaque, Turkey and surrounding area joining in to help save the track, hopefully for an added tourist attraction for this area.

Boss Lion, Rocky Vinson, reported the winners of the Christmas Lighting Contest as follows:

Residence - a tie between Bill Durham and Larry Clifton.

Business - Guys and Gals and Matador Thrifty Shop.

## 1991 In Review

by Amy Woolsey

Well 1991 is now behind us, and 1992 is in full swing. The following is a review of last year with some of what happened in the news:

- January 3: Karen Elliott on National Television;
- January 24: Operation Desert Storm - Locals' Loved Ones Serving In Middle East;
- January 31: Bank Names Charles Cammack Vice-President;
- February 7: Funeral Services Held For 3-Term Roaring Springs Mayor;
- February 28: Matador Besieged With Weekend Theft And Arson;
- March 28: Desert Storm Vets To Be Honored During Motley County Centennial Celebration;
- PTO Has Drug-Alcohol Awareness Program;
- April 18: Roaring Springs To Host First Annual Splash & Dash Race;
- April 25: Heather Hobbs Named Lions Club Queen;
- May 2: Tutt Gamett Wins Big At Drag A Roping;
- May 9: Whiteflat Marker To Be Dedicated May 29;
- Marisue Potts Elected To School Board;
- May 16: Gang Violence Hits Matador;
- TV Crew Will Be In Matador On May 20;
- May 23: Motley County Centennial Celebration;
- May 30: Sarpalius Honors Motley County;
- June 13: Roaring Springs To Hold All School Reunion/Homecoming;

June 20: Over 400 Attend Roaring Springs Homecoming;

July 4: Clay Ewing/Heather Hobbs Attend Citizenship Seminar;

July 11: Paul Barton/Tonya Hoyle To Attend Leaders Conference In Washington, D.C.;

July 25: Mitchell Hall Dedicated In Honor Of Roaring Springs Hero;

August 1: Congressman Sarpalius To Hold Town Meeting;

August 8: Cecil Swim Named Roaring Springs Sr. Citizen of the Year;

August 15: George Blanch Is Motley County's New Superintendent;

August 22: Gazebo Completed In Roaring Springs Park;

September 5: Dedication of Markers In Pioneer Memorial Park;

September 12: Motley County Takes Part In Great Fiesta Texas;

October 3: Billy Donaldson Named Lion of the Year;

October 17: Many Exes Attend Homecoming '91;

Keri Shorter Crowned '91 Homecoming Queen;

October 24: Matadors Defeat Crowell Wildcats;

October 31: Brooke Brandon & Stacy Neal Crowned Fall Harvest Queens;

Matadors Have 35-21 Win Over Knox City Greyhounds;

November 14: Motley County Matadors Surprise Munday Moguls With 29-27 Victory;

November 21: Matadors Go To Playoffs;

Christy Potts Travels To Washington, D.C.;

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## Couple Announces Engagement



Heather Edwards & Brian McNett

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry T. Edwards of Ranger, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Heather Denise, to Brian Leon McNett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie L. McNett of Andrews.

The couple will exchange vows on Saturday, February 1, 1992 at 4:00 p.m. in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Ranger. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Heather is a 1989 graduate of Ranger High School, attended the University of Texas in Austin, and is currently attending Tarleton State University in Stephenville, majoring in Elementary Education.

Brian is a 1987 graduate of Andrews High School, attended Odessa College,

and West Texas State University in Canyon. He is currently serving his apprenticeship through the Texas Funeral Service Commission and is employed by McNett Funeral Home.

After the wedding the couple will make their home in Dallas while they both attend the Dallas Institute of Funeral Service.

Heather is the granddaughter of Vella Edwards Hill of Stephenville. Brian is the grandson of Lucy Wideman, of Blackwell, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McNett of Andrews.

Heather is also the granddaughter of the late Charles and Edith Brooks of Roaring Springs and the late Tom Edwards of Whiteflat.

## Wedding Vows Exchanged In Austin Ceremony

Miss Teresa Renee Vaughn and Mr. Jeffrey Edward Williams were married December 21, 1991, at two o'clock in the afternoon at Saint Austin's Catholic Church in Austin, Texas. Father Robert Scott performed the double ring ceremony. A reception followed at the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The bride is the daughter of Roma Diann Vaughn and Robert Key Vaughn of Austin and the granddaughter of Nadine B. Redd of Kingsland, Texas, and Earline Vaughn of Matador, Texas. The groom is the son of Judi Taylor Cantor and John F. Williams of Austin, and grandson of Vince and Virginia Taylor of Austin and Shirley Jo Williams, also of Austin.

The maid of honor was Michelle Ann Schmitz. The bride's other attendant was Cynthia Ann Majors. The best man was Bob Hartye and the groomsmen were John Robinson, Ray Shick and John Ross. Thoushers were Kevin Smith, Shane Robuck and Phil Prud'Homme.

Teresa is attending The University of Texas. Jeffrey is a graduate of The Uni-



Mrs. Jeffrey Williams (nee Teresa Renee Vaughn)

versity of Texas with a Bachelor of Science degree in Radio, Television and Film.

The couple spent their honeymoon in Cancun.

## Dr. Jerry Gilbert To Attend Washington, D.C. Seminar

Dr. Jerry Gilbert, Professor and Chairman of Political Science Department at Jacksonville State University in Alabama has been chosen to attend C-SPAN's Winter 1992 Seminar for Professors in Washington, D.C. Dr. Gilbert, a former Flomot resident, is one of 38 college and university instructors selected through competitive application.

The C-SPAN in the Classroom seminar is scheduled for January 6-7. The agenda includes professional roundtable discussions, professor led workshops on using C-SPAN in a variety of disciplines and a dinner reception. Topics include

"Video as a Teaching Medium," "C-SPAN'S Application by Academic Dis-

cipline," and "Using C-SPAN in Research."

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Dr. Gilbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Gilbert of Flomot and his wife, Sheila, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan of Flomot. They have two sons, Jeremy and Gary.

## Look Who's New!



### Allison Marie Smith

Steve and Susan Hunter Smith of Austin announce the arrival of a baby daughter, Allison Marie Smith born at 10:07 p.m., Saturday, December 28, 1991

at the Seton Medical Center in Austin. She weighed eight pounds and twelve ounces.

Welcoming the new arrival are maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter of Flomot, paternal grandparent, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith of Fort Worth and great-grandfather, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque.



by Wilda Dixon

### NEW HOURS

Monday: 2-5 (open by volunteers)  
Tuesday: 9-12; 1-4  
Wednesday: 9-12; 1-6  
Thursday: 9-12; 1-6  
Friday: 9-12; 1-6  
Saturday: 1-4 (open by volunteers)

Library or paid to Mary Meason, treasurer of the group.

Don't forget the Friends of the Library's BOOK SALE is continuing. Prices are: paperbacks, 25¢; 3-in-1 books, 50¢; and hardbacks \$1.00.

LIBRARY SCHOOL will meet at 10:00 a.m. on January 14, 1992 for ages 2-5. All pre-schoolers are welcome and urged to attend for stories, singing, films and book talks. Parents are also welcome to attend anytime.

1992 dues for the Friends of the Library are now due and may be paid at the

The Library has Income Tax Forms available, free of charge. We also have a book with every form in it that we can copy, with each copy costing 15¢.

Come to the Library for all your reading needs!!!

A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.

Proverbs 15:1

## Granddaughter Top Novice Texas POA Rider



Kristen Fears, daughter of Nancy Branson of Keller, Texas and granddaughter of Leo and Joyce Archer of Matador, won the Novice Riding Category in the Texas Ponies of America.

Fort Worth Texas -- Kristen Fears, granddaughter of Leo and Joyce Archer of Matador, won the novice rider category of the Texas Ponies of America Club (POAC) for 1991. Fears, 9 years old, began riding in the Texas POAC shows last August and has now competed in nine shows. Novice riding events include Western Pleasure, Western Equitation, Bareback Equitation, English Pleasure, English Equitation, and games.

Fears was also the high point novice rider at the Texas Turkey Circuit show held in McKinney, Texas over Thanksgiving. Riders from four states competed in the event.

Ponies of America club is an international organization with emphasis on developing horsemanship among youth. Riders are 18 years and under and ponies must measure under 56 inches.

## Nancy Cooper Named To Dean's List

Nancy Cooper, a student of Lubbock Christian College in Lubbock, was recently named to the Dean's List, with a grade point average of 3.58.

Nancy is a Liberal Arts and Science

Major and works at Methodist Hospital as a Physical Therapist. She is the daughter of J.B. and Jean Cooper of Matador and is a graduate of Motley County High School.

Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

Proverbs 22:6

## Jerry Smith Completes Crewman Course

Marine Pfc. Jerry D. Smith, son of James D. Smith of Matador, TX, recently completed the Light Armored Vehicle Crewman Course.

During the course at Infantry Training School, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, students receive intensive training in the weapons and combat skills necessary to provide infantrymen with the capability of performing offensive and defensive missions that exploit the light armored vehicle's agility and fire power.

He joined the Marine Corps in March 1991.

## 1991 In Review

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November 28: Home Ec. Class Makes A Clean Sweep On Museum;  
December 5: Teachers Remembered With Museum Donations;  
December 12: Floyd and Motley Counties Cuts E-9-1-1;  
December 19: Clay Ewing and Cory Kendall Make 1A All-State Team;  
Early Morning Robbery in Whiteflat;  
December 26: 9-1-1 Now Official For Motley County.

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Nacho Pronto Tortilla Chips and Jalapeno Cheese Sauce 59¢	
32 oz. Box Laundry Detergent Ajax \$1.49	Shurfine Pototo Chips Reg. \$1.49 2/99¢
16 oz. Shurfine Corn Oil Margarine 79¢	

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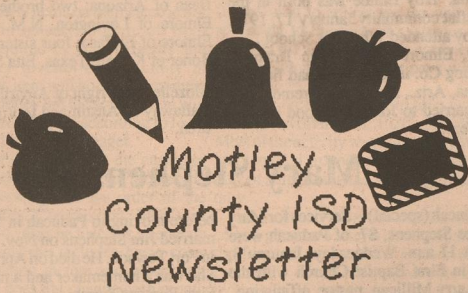
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# Motley County School News



Thursday, January 9: Seventh grade Girls Jr. High Basketball will play Patton Springs, here, on Thursday, January 9, 5:30 p.m. ONE GAME ONLY.  
 Friday, January 10: Junior Varsity and Varsity Basketball, here, against Crowell, beginning at 4:00 p.m.  
 Saturday, January 11: Junior High Boys and Girls Basketball Tournament at Valley.  
 Monday, January 13: Junior High Boys and Girls Basketball at Petersburg beginning at 4:00 p.m.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, ends our third six weeks and first semester. There will be a test schedule in our next newsletter.  
 There are still a few students who have not turned in their money regarding their PTO sales from the November Fundraiser. Please get this turned in, as it is our profit to be used for project graduation.  
 Upcoming events to be sponsored by PTO: Little Dribblers Tournament, Father-Son Banquet, and Project Graduation. Any parent who might be interested in helping with these projects, please contact Mrs. Blanch at school or Janie Campbell at 347-2357.

## Business Students To Receive Recognition

The following students have been selected by business education teachers Denise George and Beverly Darsey for Motley County High School's United States Business Education Awards which are officially sanctioned by the United States Achievement Academy.  
 Data Processing/Computer Science: Amber Brandon, Kristi Timmons, Kam-mia Pitts, Amy Woolsey, Paul Barton, Adriana Torres, Clay Ewing, and Brad Wilson.  
 Typing: Heather Turner and Joshua Palmer  
 Typing II: Keri Shorter.  
 Accounting: Tonya Hoyle, Christi Shorter, Cathey Perryman, Jagruti Patel, Amy Pipkin, Roegan Cruse.  
 Business Management: Brandy Blanch and Robin Long.  
 The United States Business Education Awards honor nationally the perform-

ance of outstanding business education students. Business students spend many hours and years contributing to their schools and communities. The purpose of the USBEA Award is to pay tribute to the devotion and contributions of these business education students.  
 Superior business education students selected in Motley County High School will be listed in the official USAA year-book published nationally. Each award winner will be eligible to compete for college scholarship grants awarded by the United States Achievement Academy.  
 The top students in business education classes had to meet the following USBEA Award Standards: academics (overall B average), dependability, citizenship, leadership, business skills and aptitude, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, attitude and cooperative spirit, and responsibility.

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

Psalm 100:4

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### Clarendon College Off-Campus Courses Spring 1992 Childress, Wellington, Shamrock, Memphis and Matador

Course	Number	Night	Time
Beginning Keyboarding (Beginning Typing)	BAS 113	M	7-10
Introduction to Business	BUS 134	TH	7-10
Accounting Principles II	BUS 224	T	7-10
Principles of Computers (Basic Programming)	CIS 295	W	7-10
Freshman English I	ENG 113	M	7-10
Freshman English II	ENG 123	TH	7-10
State and Local Government	GOV 223	T	7-10
College Algebra	MTH 113	M	7-10
Modern Mathematics I	MTH 120	TH	7-10
Child Psychology	PSY 204	W	7-10
Spanish II	SPA 113	TH	7-10

For information on Registration and cost contact Liz Jones 817-937-6131 or James Anglin 817-937-8821

Course	Number	Night	Time
General Botany	BIO 224	T	7-10
Human Anatomy & Physiology II	BIO 235	TH	7-10
Principles of Computers (Basic Programming)	CIS 295	TH	7-10
Freshman English II	ENG 123	W	7-10
Freshman English II	ENG 123	M-F	Daily
American National Government	GOV 213	T	7-10
State and Local Government	GOV 223	M	7-10
American History 1865 to Present	HST 223	M	7-10
Intermediate Algebra	MTH 105	W	7-10
Principles of Nutrition	NUT 113	T	7-10
General Psychology	PSY 133	TH	7-10
Child Psychology	PSY 204	T	7-10
Basic Techniques of Speech	SPE 113	W	7-10

For information on Registration and cost contact Wanda Cardwell, 806-447-2527

Course	Number	Day	Time
Accounting Principles II	BUS 224	Th	7-10
Freshman English II	ENG 123	W	7-10

For information on Registration and cost contact Oleta Mercer, 806-256-2279

Course	Number	Night	Time
Introduction to Oil Painting	ART 251	M	6:30-9:30
Oil Painting	ART 252	M	6:30-9:30

For information on Registration and cost contact Kevin Sharp, 806-874-3571

Course	Number	Night	Time
Freshman English I	ENG 113	W	6-9

For information on Registration and cost contact Kevin Sharp, 806-874-3571

## MONDAY, JANUARY 13

Breakfast: Cinnamon Toast, Cereal, Applesauce.  
 Lunch: Vegetable Beef Soup, Toasted Cheese Sandwich, Fresh Veggie Sticks, Iced Cake.

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 14

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Apple Juice.  
 Lunch: Baked Ham, Fried Squash, Green Onion, Blackeyed Peas, Cornbread, Dessert.

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15

Breakfast: Hot Cereal, Buttered Toast,

## Fruit.

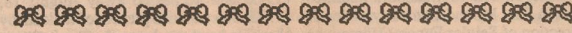
Lunch: Pizza - Beef, Cheese, Pepperoni; Green Salad, Pineapple Tidbits, Vanilla Wafers.

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 16

Breakfast: Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Orange Juice.  
 Lunch: Chili Dogs, Pickles, Onions, Tater Tots, Cowboy Cookies.

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

Breakfast: Breakfast Burrito, Fruit.  
 Lunch: Steak, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Buttered Carrots, Hot Rolls, Layered Dessert.



## Amy's Anecdotes

by Amy Woolsey

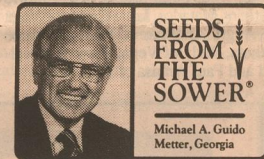
The New Year is here and I imagine everyone has at least one New Year's resolution. I only have one, but I don't think it is working quite as well as I'd like it to be. I'm trying to stop eating as much as I do. Yeah, right!  
 This year is going to be a great one for me. I get to graduate and get married!! This year has so many promising things. I hope everyone's year is a great one like mine.  
 This year has already started with a bang—I mean really, an earthquake in Texas!! I just can't believe it. Makes you wonder if we're safe anywhere!! I still like Texas though!!  
 Well, I do hope this year is a great one and turns out just the way I want it to. Have a wonderful 1992!!!

## Lady Matadors Basketball Report

by Amy Woolsey

On Friday, January 3, the Lady Mats played a tough game against the Floydada Whirlwinds losing 28-33. Jennifer Beshires scored 7 points and Keri Shorter scored 6. The Varsity Lady Mats were also defeated by Floydada 31-43. Heather Hobbs scored 9 and Kam-mia Pitts scored 7.

the atmosphere of heaven just as your body must have the oxygen of earth.  
 You may think you can get along without talking to God, but really, your soul is drying up within you. Trouble is, you may not realize this spiritual dry rot until it's too late.  
 The best man who ever lived needed prayer, not as an occasional performance, but as a continual practice. So do you.  
 He said, "Man should always pray." Shouldn't you start now?



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER  
 Michael A. Guido  
 Metter, Georgia

Yesterday I asked a man, "Do you pray?"  
 "Why should I?" he answered.  
 "I carry a rabbit's foot."  
 But you're made for fellowship with God. Your spirit must have

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## Thank You

Words cannot express my heartfelt thanks to all my dear friends, family and relatives for your concern, phone calls, flowers, cards, gifts and visits while I was in Methodist Hospital for hip replacement surgery and since my return home. All of you are very special and dear to me. My sincere thanks also goes to my pastor, Bill Wright and wife, Peggy. God bless each of you.

My love,  
 Mollie Burleson

The members of the Motley County Arts & Crafts Club would like to thank everyone that bought a ticket on the Centennial Quilt. The quilt will be on display in the Motley County Museum.

Motley County Arts & Crafts Club

We would like to say thank you for all you did for us during our mother's, Clara Youngblood, stay in the Nursing Home and the funeral services. Thank you for the phone calls, cards, flowers and especially your prayers. May God bless each of you.

J.C. Vaughn and Lou Barrett

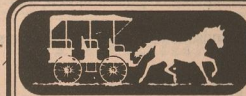
Thank you to those of you who remembered us with cards, food, memorials, visits and prayers at the time of our loss of Austin Hughes. May the Lord bless you.

Jean and J.B. Cooper

Thank you for your concern during the loss of our loved one, Edna Rogers. A special thank you to the Matador Sr. Citizens for the food and the use of their building.

Edna Rogers family

The Keith family wish to express their gratitude for the many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at the Memorial Service for Miss Mary Keith.



Dear Friend,  
 First of all, thank you for your visit to Hotel Turkey! (If you have not visited our facility, we hope you will take the opportunity to stop by soon.) Your interest helps this facility continue to serve guests. Your interest also allows on-going restoration as evidenced by the Hotel's listing in the National Register of Historic Places October 24, 1991, by the U.S. Department of Interior, Washington D.C. Our thanks to you and may this season bring joy and happiness to you and your family.

We take this moment to introduce you to Hotel Turkey's publication **Heritage Tymes**. This is a quarterly newspaper (8 pages) which speaks of a by-gone era in hope that we can all learn from the past to make a better and brighter future. The **Heritage Tymes** tells about our heritage and specifically its beginning. Other "news" will keep you up-to-date on current and future Hotel events, programs, & restoration progress. Advertising is courtesy of newspapers from the late 1800's through the 1930's. All in all, we believe you will enjoy and benefit from receiving **Heritage Tymes**.

Proceeds assist in publication and distribution of the paper and in the continued restoration of Hotel Turkey and the Heritage Trail Park under development on the hotel grounds. With your annual subscription, **Heritage Tymes** will be mailed to you each quarter beginning with the first issue, scheduled to be mailed by March 1992. If for any reason you are not satisfied with this publication, your full payment will be refunded promptly and cheerfully. We are really excited to be able to share the continued growth of our family with all our special friends. Thank you for your support in our dream of preserving what was a wonderful time in our country's heritage.

### Heritage Tymes Subscription

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MOTLEY COUNTY TREASURERS REPORT  
 QUARTERLY REPORT  
 Report of Joe E. CAMPBELL, County Treasurer of Motley County, Texas  
 Receipts and Expenditures from OCTOBER 1, 1991 to DECEMBER 31, 1991

FUND	BALANCE	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	BALANCE
	OCTOBER 1, 1991		DECEMBER 31, 1991	
GENERAL	\$ 12,459.25	\$ 245,415.32	\$ 240,470.63	\$ 17,403.94
ROAD & BRIDGE # 1	\$ 3,152.88	\$ 16,480.33	\$ 14,575.69	\$ 5,057.52
ROAD & BRIDGE # 2	\$ 1,811.10	\$ 18,111.49	\$ 15,239.00	\$ 4,683.59
ROAD & BRIDGE # 3	\$ 1,161.42	\$ 15,609.65	\$ 12,203.85	\$ 4,567.22
ROAD & BRIDGE # 4	\$ 3,261.76	\$ 18,137.51	\$ 15,381.45	\$ 6,017.82
LIBRARY	\$ 751.22	\$ 2,667.41	\$ 2,085.59	\$ 1,333.04
TAX APPRAISAL	\$ 6,725.56	\$ 18,473.27	\$ 7,833.01	\$ 17,365.82
REVENUE SHARING	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
LATERAL ROAD	\$ 3,565.44	\$ 12,107.87	\$ 12,359.50	\$ 3,313.81
PUBLIC PROPERTY	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
FINANCE FUND	\$ -0-	\$ 45,288.33	\$ 41,473.14	\$ 3,815.19
STATE COURT COST & ARREST FEES	\$ -0-	\$ 3,720.50	\$ 31.10	\$ 3,689.40
INVESTMENT ACCOUNT	\$ -0-	\$ 189,000.00	\$ -0-	\$ 189,000.00
TOTALS	\$ 32,888.63	\$ 585,011.69	\$ 361,652.96	\$ 256,247.35

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 COUNTY OF MOTLEY

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Joe E. Campbell, County, who being sworn, and upon oath, says that the within and foregoing is true and correct.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 6th day of January 1992

\_\_\_\_\_  
 County Treasurer

\_\_\_\_\_  
 County Clerk, Motley County, Texas



## Obituaries

### James Ralph Scott

James Ralph Scott, 80, of Memphis, died Sunday, Dec. 1, 1991. Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 3, 1991, at Travis Baptist Church with the Rev. Truman Ledbetter, pastor of First Baptist Church in Clarendon, and the Rev. Johnny Hoggatt of the Martin Baptist Church officiating. Burial was held in Fairview Cemetery by Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Scott was born in Flomot and had been a resident of Memphis for 54 years. He married Amy Ellis January 12, 1935, in Silvertown. He worked for the Texas Highway Department for 31 years. He was a member of Travis Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jerry Scott of Childress; and a sister, Othell Bynum of Kress.

### Laverne Smith

Laverne Smith, 68, of Carlsbad, N.M., former resident of Flomot, died at 12:30 p.m., Thursday, December 19, 1991 in St. Mary's Hospital after a brief illness. Cremation was directed by Resthaven Funeral Home.

She was a retired medical secretary. She was a member of the Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Roswell.

Survivors include a daughter, Sharon Jones of Carlsbad; her mother, Mattie Skinner of Quitaque; a brother, Ruel Skinner of Quitaque; a sister, Ruth Lee of Flomot; and a grandchild.

### Thomas Hughes

Services for Thomas Bethel Hughes, 85, of Plainview were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, December 28, 1991, in Wood-Dunning Funeral Home with the Rev. A.C. Hamilton, a retired Baptist minister officiating.

He lived in Matador, Afton, Hale Center and Spur before moving to Plainview in 1957. He married Eula May Jones on March 17, 1928, in Abilene. She died in 1987. He was a rancher and a Baptist.

Survivors include a son, Bill of Sumner; four daughters, Dana Bontke of Plainview, June Hale of Levelland, Bonnie Ayers of Belton and Susie Karrh of Lake Tanglewood; a sister, Annie Pirkle of Mesquite; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

### Earl Louder

Services for Earl Herbert Louder, 95, of Lubbock were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Dec. 30, 1991, in St. Luke's United Methodist Church with the Rev. R.L. Kirk and the Rev. Elton Wyatt, pastors, officiating.

He was a member of the Crank and Push Club and St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Gene of Kress; three stepsons, Jerry D. Smith and Larry Smith, both of Tempe, Ariz., and Steve Smith of Lubbock; a stepdaughter, Elvira Keller of San Jose, Calif.; three sisters, Margie Cartwright of Denton, Ruby Thomas of New Braunfels and Beth Lueddecke of Lubbock; a grandchild; and nine step-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Paul Bush, Hubert Cone, Loyd Lovel, Merrill Riggen, Don Copenhaver, Wayne Southard, Bill Cox and Don Shivers.

The family suggests memorials to Meals on Wheels or St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

### Austin Hughes

Services for Austin "Jack" Hughes, 67, of Lubbock were held at 1 p.m. Sunday, December 29, 1991 at Resthaven Chapel with the Rev. Roger Garret, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, officiating.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He moved from Levelland to Lubbock in 1975 and retired from the oil business in 1986.

Survivors include two sons, Gary B. of Abilene and Barry I. of Andrews; three brothers, John of Lubbock, Lonnie of Sublette, Kan., and Butch of Flomot; two sisters, Thelma Pierce of New Deal and Jean Cooper of Matador; and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials to the Texas Boys Ranch.

### Mary M. Keith

Funeral services for Mary M. Keith, 97, of Matador, were held at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, January 1, at the First United Methodist Church of Matador. Officiating was Rev. Mary Helen Cross, pastor. Interment was in East Mound Cemetery at Matador under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

She attended high school in Matador and attended the College of Industrial Arts, now Texas Women's University in Denton, Texas.

During her early years, Mary became active in the civic work of the community. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary when it was active, and a longtime member of the El Progresso Study Club, and for many years served as Librarian of the organization's public library. Later she worked at Stanley Clinic and in the Matador School Lunchroom. She was also a member of the American Legion Auxiliary, and the Methodist Church.

Her survivors include one brother, Charlie Keith of Matador and a number of nieces and nephews.

Her nephews served as pallbearers.

### Fannie Laura Webb

Funeral services for Fannie Laura Webb, 74, of Matador were held at 3:00 p.m. Monday, December 23, 1991, at the Assembly of God Church in Matador. Officiating was Rev. Roy Eason, pastor, and Rev. Joyce Thrasher, of Plainview, Texas. Graveside rites were held at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 24, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas.

Mr. Webb passed away in January 1987. Mrs. Webb was also predeceased in death by a daughter, Verna Watkins Brown, who died in March 1991, and by three grandchildren.

Mrs. Webb was a member of the Assembly of God Church of Matador. Serving as pallbearers were her son-in-laws and grandsons, Durrell Baker, Darrell Stubblefield, Craig Brown, Jim Brown, Ray Stubblefield, Rodney Stubblefield, and Jason Watkins.

Her survivors include one son, David Watkins of Amarillo; three daughters, Mary, Mrs. Durrell Baker of Lubbock, Loretta, Mrs. Darrell Stubblefield, of Denton, Patricia, Mrs. Clifford Knowles, of West Bend, Washington; her adopted brother, Ealon Leslie of Paducah; 15 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

### Clara Youngblood

Funeral services for Clara Vaughan Youngblood, 86, of Roaring Springs were held at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, December 29, at the First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs. Officiating was Rev. Charles Fisk, pastor, and Rev. Keith Brooks. Burial was in Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Mrs. Youngblood died at 3:00 p.m. Friday at University Manor in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

She was born September 13, 1905 in Tarrant County, and had lived in the Roaring Springs area since 1953, moving there from Houston. Her first husband,

Thomas M. Vaughan died March 4, 1965. She married W.C. Youngblood on August 13, 1969, at Paducah. Mr. Youngblood died September 19, 1982.

Mrs. Youngblood was a housewife, and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Roaring Springs.

Her survivors include one son, J.C. Vaughan of Houston; two daughters, Doris Garcia of Colorado and Lou Barrett of Roaring Springs; three brothers, Elvie Harris of Azle, Ewel Harris of Azle,

and Lee Harris of Azle; one sister, Gladys Parker of Azle; three grandchildren, Tommy and Timmy Cooper of Lubbock and Heather Vaughan of Houston.

### Edna Terry Rogers

Graveside rites for Edna Terry Rogers, 72, of Matador were held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, December 30, 1991, at East Mound Cemetery in Matador. Officiating was Rev. Roy Eason, pastor of the Matador Assembly of God Church and Rev. Gaylon Cox, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Matador. Interment was in East Mound Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rogers died at 9:50 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 29, at Parkway Manor Nursing Home in Lubbock, following a lengthy illness.

She was born May 10, 1919, at Emory, Texas, and moved to Motley County in 1924, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.E.

Terry. They lived in the Whiteflat Community for several years and later in Matador. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

She was married to Raymond Steffy July 14, 1956. He died October 6, 1964. She married Owen Rogers on August 29, 1971, and he passed away August 18, 1973. She was also predeceased in death by her five brothers, Lester L. Terry, Elbert Terry, Lon Terry, Rev. Jess Terry and Les Terry.

Her survivors include two sister-in-laws, Maggie Terry of Bovina, and May Jo Terry of Houston; seven nieces and nephews.

Her nephews served as pallbearers.

### Mildred Sue Bryant

Mildred Sue Bryant of Teague, Texas, formerly of Matador and Abilene, died December 27, 1991 at Harris Methodist Mexia Hospital. Services were held December 28, 1991 at 2:00 p.m. at Ricks Funeral Home Chapel, with Ministers Dub Clark and L.Roy Cooper officiating.

Graveside services were held December 30, 1991 at 2:00 p.m. at Elwood

Cemetery in Abilene under the direction of Wade P. Ricks Funeral Home of Teague.

She was a member of the Church of Christ and had been a Nurses Aide at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. She was born in Loraine, Texas, April 2, 1915. She had lived in Abilene for many years before moving to Teague in 1986. Survivors include one sister, Lucille Woolery of Teague; one brother, Joe Berry Meador and wife Norma Jean of Teague; two nieces, Mr. and Mrs. (Lola Kay) Hart of Honolulu, Hawaii, Mr. and Mrs. (Stacy Eubank) Bruce Eubank, Las Vegas, Nevada.

### Henry C. Apolinar

Tahoka (special) -- Mass for Henry C. Apolinar Jr., 31, of Post was held at 3 p.m. Saturday, January 4, 1992, in St. Jude Catholic Church with deacon Alfredo Jaime of Lubbock officiating.

Burial will be in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home. He died at 3:30 a.m. Thursday in Garza Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in San Antonio, graduated from Wilson High School and moved from Levelland to Post in 1990. He was

an oil field worker. He married Sherry Mason on March 26, 1985, in Post. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Dedra and Devin; his father, Henry Sr., of Post; three sisters, Rose Marie Martin of Matador, Janie Castro of Vega and Angie Apolinar of Post; and three brothers, Rudy of Vega, Tony of Levelland and Paul Arausa of Post.

### Bert A. Grundy

Quitaque (special) -- Services for Bert A. Grundy, 83, of Quitaque were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 1, 1992, in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Rob Lackey, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Cemetery in Quitaque under direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Grundy died at 5:42 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 29, 1991, in his residence after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Bremen, Ky., and moved from Kentucky to Quitaque in 1915. He married Louise Woods on March 3, 1927 in Silvertown. He owned and operated Grundy Grocery for 14 years. He served as secretary of the Quitaque school board. He also served on the Kent Creek Watershed Board and worked for the Briscoe County Election Board. A son, Dale, died in 1940.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Aubrey Lou Slaton, Bearlette Anderson and Jeri Beth Tyler, all of Plainview, Violet Winston of Seattle, Wash., and August Sue Shannon of Matador; two sisters, Nona Hazel Van Winkle of Amarillo and Onalee Grundy of Quitaque; six brothers, Henry of Shafter, Calif., Buddy of Wichita Falls, Bob of Austin, Gene of Lamesa, Glenn of Wharton, Colo., and Roy of Matador; 13 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Barbara,

Several weeks have passed since Freddie Welling died and having been so impressed with Peggy's tribute to her father I would like to add my own.

I worked closely with Freddie for twenty years. He was a talented, dedicated, hard working man. I have seen him on poles during storms that poured rain and filled the sky with thunder and lightning. He never gave up. He never quit. He always found a way to make it work. He was a teacher. He taught me a trade. And because of him, I have my present job and I will always be grateful to him.

Sincerely,  
Pup Price

### Troy Elmore

Troy Elmore passed away December 3, 1991 in St. Mary's Hospital in Tucson, Arizona. Troy Elmore was born in the Whiteflat community January 17, 1917.

Mr. Elmore retired from Braswell Trucking Co. in 1978. He had lived in Morena, Ariz., since his retirement. He was married to Johnny Algood in Kermit, Texas.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Shirley of Moran; one son, Troy Dean of Arizona; two brothers, James Elmore of Lovington, N.M. and Fred Elmore of El Paso; four sisters, Odessa Boner of Kermit, Texas, Etta Smith and

Mozelle Cartwright of Amarillo and Flo Callaway of Austin and four grandchildren.

### Mary Stephens

Paducah (special) -- Services for Mary Frances Stephens, 87, of Paducah were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 8, 1992, in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Larry Millican, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Garden of Memories Cemetery under direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Mrs. Stephens died at 10:30 p.m. Sunday, January 5, 1992, in Childress Regional Hospital after an illness.

She was born in Franklin County, Ala., and had lived in Idabel, Okla., Fort Towson, Okla., and Roswell, N.M.,

before moving to Paducah in 1969. She married Jim Stephens on Nov. 14, 1924, in Fort Towson. He died on April 5, 1971. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, James of Broken Bow, Okla., and Billy of Grand Prairie; five sisters, Annie Hollar and Viola Slover, both of Paducah, Gladys Walker of Plainview, Bessie Reed of Graham and Beatrice Smith of Matador; a brother, Jess Thompson of Idalou; five grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

"Let no one be found among you....who practices divination, or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft, or casts spells, or is a medium or spiritist or who consults the dead."

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## Brown's Department Store

of Lockney

## January Clearance

# Sale

Begins Friday,  
January 10, 1992  
9:30 a.m.

The Board of Directors of  
**CROSBYTON CLINIC HOSPITAL**  
is pleased to announce the following  
members of the Medical Staff for  
1992:

### Active Staff:

Dr. Dale Rhoades, Chief of Staff, Family Practice

Dr. Kirk Chandler, Family Practice

Dr. Steve Alley, Family Practice

### Consulting Staff

Dr. James Balch, Consulting Pathologist

Dr. Karl Dockray, Consulting Radiologist

Dr. Sham Gandhi, Ophthalmology Clinic

"The physicians and employees of CROSBYTON CLINIC HOSPITAL are committed to providing quality health care services. All hospital departments are responsible for ongoing quality assurance and employee training and development. We try hard to provide quality care in a caring manner."

David D. Clark, Administrator



# West Texas Utilities Make Changes On Bill

Customers of West Texas Utilities may notice two new items on their electric bill beginning in January. Both result from changes required by state officials and affect every investor-owned utility in Texas. "One item will not cost customers any more money but the second item will slightly increase bills" according to Jesse Turner, WTU's area manager.

The first item involves the customer charge which has been part of the electric bill for several years. By order of the Public Utility Commission (PUC) of Texas it now must be listed as a separate item. The charge includes basic costs such as reading meters and processing the bills. It does not change each month and is currently set at \$6.50 for residential customers. The customer charge has not increased and this change does not affect the amount of a customer's bill.

The second new item involves the tax increase bill passed by the Texas Legislature in 1991. The PUC recently decided how utilities should collect the new state tax. The tax will be collected for each kilowatt hour a customer uses. The total tax for a month will be listed as a separate item on the bill.

A typical WTU residential customer who uses 600 kilowatt hours will see about a 30 cent increase on their monthly

electric bill as a result of the new tax. The factors used to collect the tax will vary according to the type of customer. For example the amount of tax a commercial and a residential customer pays will be different.

These recent actions cap off a year of activity involving the PUC and WTU. Most of the activity was initiated by WTU and centered around reducing customer's bills or stimulating the West Texas economy.

In June and October customers received good news from the company in the form of reduced fuel factors and a fuel credit. These reductions were a direct result of the company's efforts to reduce fuel costs.

In December the company filed a request to offer three new services designed to attract new business and help existing businesses. The three new services were in the form of tariffs or rates which cover economic development, interruptible service and curtailable service. If approved by the PUC, these services would strengthen efforts to maintain a viable West Texas economy.

WTU serves almost half a million people in a 52,000 square mile area that stretches from the Red River to the Rio Grande.

WTU FORM # 2001-760  
WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY  
P.O. Box 1, Ozona, Texas 76943

PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THIS SLIP WITH PAYMENT

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JOHN J. CUSTOMER  
1015 1st STREET  
OZONA, TEXAS 76943

ACCOUNT NUMBER	SERV ADDR	DATE	AMOUNT DUE	AMOUNT PAID	AMOUNT OWED
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TAXES					
SALES TAX			40		40
STATE TAX			118		118
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE			758		758

APR % ANNUAL PERCENTAGE RATE

BEFORE

WTU FORM # 2001-760  
WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY  
P.O. Box 1, Ozona, Texas 76943

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TAXES					
SALES TAX			40		40
STATE TAX			118		118
CUSTOMER CHARGE			6.50		6.50
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE			765		765

APR % ANNUAL PERCENTAGE RATE

AFTER

These two samples show what WTU's bill looks like before and after the state-mandated changes. The bottom sample shows the new look with the customer charge broken out (line #2) and the addition of the state corporate income tax (line #3). The samples show a residential customer using 600 kilowatt hours of electricity in a month. Actual use varies.



## ASCS News

by Billy Wayne Denison  
County Executive Director

### HARRIS CHAIRS TEXAS STATE ASCS COMMITTEE FOR 7TH YEAR

Jerry D. Harris, a cotton and grain sorghum producer in Dawson and Gaines counties, has been appointed to a seventh term as Chairman of the Texas State Committee of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, according to U.S. Senator Phil Gramm.

Secretary of Agriculture Ed Madigan named Mrs. Hope Huffman of McGregor to a third term on the Committee and reappointed veteran Texas State ASC Committee members Dale Hunt of Garwood and D.V. Guerra, Jr. of Edinburg. Joining the Committee for the first time will be Scott McGarraugh of Perryton.

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm stated, "These leaders bring a wealth of farming and ranching experience to ASCS. Jerry Harris has established an impressive record, combining years of experience as both a family farmer and a federal program administrator. Hope Huffman, Dale Hunt, and D.V. Guerra all have done splendid work on behalf of Texas farmers and ranchers."

Jerry D. Harris is a member of the National Cotton Council, the Lamesa Cotton Growers, the Texas Food and Fiber Protein Commission, and the Texas Cotton Ginners. He is active in cotton ginning, warehouse, and marketing as

well as operating a 7,000 acre family farm and serving on the Board of Trustees of Lubbock Christian University.

Scott McGarraugh operates 11,000 acres spread over Ochiltre, Lipscomb, Hansford, Gray, and Roberts Counties in Texas as well as Texas and Beaver counties in Oklahoma. He is active in the Texas Wheat Producers Association, the Texas Wheat Producers Board, and the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

Hope Huffman raises row crops, grain, and cattle in McLennan and Coryell Counties. She is an active member in the McLennan County Farm Bureau and the Waco Chamber of Commerce's Agricultural Committee.

Dale Hunt is a recognized leader in the rice industry and has served as president of the Texas Rice Research Foundation.

D.V. Guerra is active in soil and water conservation. He served on the Governor's Task Force on Rural Development and was named "Man of the Year in Agriculture" by the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association.

The State ASC Committee oversees farm program activities of the ASCS throughout Texas. ASCS employs a staff of 1,400 in Texas and supervises the distribution of more than \$1.5 billion in federal farm program benefits to the farmers and ranchers of Texas.

### Emergency Loans Available

#### From Farmers Home Administration

Emergency loans for farmers, ranchers or aquaculture operators are available through county offices of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), Larry J. Clements, FmHA County Supervisor, said recently.

Larry J. Clements asked that those who need farm credit as a result of damages and losses caused by excessive rainfall between April 1, 1991, and June 30, 1991 make their needs known at the Farmers Home Administration office at 314 Willard Avenue, Spur, Texas.

Application for assistance in the disaster stricken counties will be accepted by Farmers Home until August 10, 1992 for physical and production losses.

FmHA loans covering actual physical and production losses may be used to

replace installations, equipment or buildings (including homes) lost through this disaster. Funds may be used to buy feed, seed, fertilizer, livestock or to meet interest and depreciation payments on current real estate and chattel debts.

"Funds can be used for essential operating and living costs," Larry J. Clements said.

Applicants that certify that other credit is not available may receive loans covering actual losses at an interest rate of 4.5 percent and are scheduled for repayment as rapidly as feasible consistent with the applicant's ability to pay.

To be eligible for an emergency loan, an applicant must have suffered losses from the disaster.

## Southwest Outdoors

with Mel Phillips



Happy 1992. After spending part of this holiday season in search of a "South Texas muy grande" white tailed buck with no luck for year number five, I just might be forced to lower my goal of a 12 point typical buck. Trophy bucks are rare, and after passing up shots at over twenty bucks surely I have paid my dues and will get that big old buck - next year.

Worst part of not getting my big buck is returning to the Panhandle while my south Texas brother-in-law, Don, is sure to bag a real trophy during this last weekend of the season. Oh well, looks like 1992 will be another year of listening to his deer stories.

I did spend a couple of mornings checking out my favorite South Texas fishinghole. Seems that the hungry pelicans have somehow missed eating every bass, and I caught a six pounder. An old migratory bird treaty protects both pelicans and cormorants, but I wish that someone would start protecting our gamefish from these pesky marauders.

Thirty years ago, in-land flocks for pelicans and cormorants were a rare sight, but thanks to all the new man-made lakes in Texas, these efficient and "protected" predators now harvest more gamefish than do the fishermen. The commercial catfish farmers in East Texas, Mississippi, and Louisiana face possible economic ruin, and they are leading the fight to have these birds removed from the 'protected' list.

Not every wild animal is an endangered animal. A recent poll of elementary school children found that our youth mistakenly believe that the white tailed deer is an endangered animal. FACT - The number of white tailed deer is now over 12,000,000 and growing. Because of good game management by landowners and state game agencies, regulated hunting continues to keep their numbers in check and prevents nature's cruelist solution - starvation.

COLD WEATHER FACT - Up to one-half of your body heat is lost when your head is not covered while outside during cold weather.

An old friend MICKEY TROUSDALE of Tucumcari will be our special guest at OUTDOOR WORLD 92 on February 7, 8, and 9 in the Amarillo Civic Center. Mickey defied all the odds and qualified for the 1991 BassMasters Classic. If you are interested in learning more about catching fish at UTE LAKE, CONCHAS LAKE, or want to learn some tournament strategy, Mickey is an expert. More importantly, he will answer your fishing questions during this three day extravaganza.

Next week - More details on OUTDOOR WORLD 92 - The Largest Sportsman Show Between Dallas and Denver.

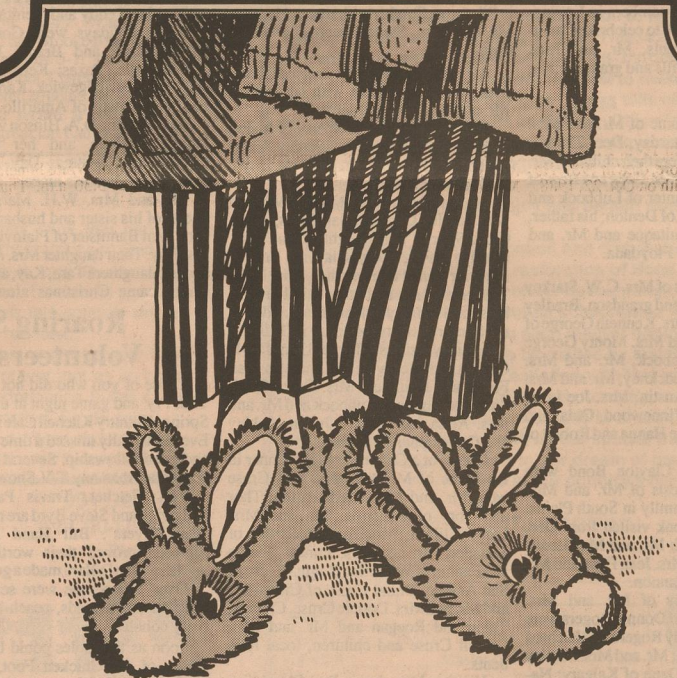
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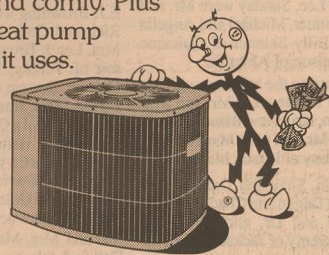
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- Zonie Texas T-Shirts.....Reg. \$13.50 - Sale \$6.99
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- Girls Panties (sizes 4-12).....50% off
- Girls Silverlake Jeans.....20% off
- Boys and Girls Western Shirts.....20% off
- Winter Gloves & Knit Caps.....40% off
- Group of Men's longleeve Shirts.....40% off
- Men's Grey 13WMZPG.....\$15.99
- Cross Stitch Towels.....Reg. \$2.89 - Sale \$1.25
- 36 Skein Embroidery Floss.....Reg. \$4.99 - Sale \$2.37
- One group Kitchen and Bathroom Towels.....40% off
- Sun Glasses (up to \$12.00 value).....Sale \$2.99
- Group Converse Tennis Shoes .....40% off
- Snowboots.....50% off
- Group Houseshoes.....40% off
- All Fabric and Sewing Notions.....20% off

## Matador V&S Variety



# News Around Motley County

## Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

### MEETS PEN PAL FROM ENGLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond enplaned home, Thursday, December 19 from Irving where they visited the past week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jackson. Joining them there to visit were son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gates of Temecula, California and Mrs. Anne Nunn and son, Trevor Nunn of Corsham, England.  
Mrs. Bond and Mrs. Nunn had the pleasure of meeting and visiting one another for the first time after corresponding as Pen Pals for thirty two years. This was Mrs. Nunn's first visit to the United States. She was fascinated when touring fields of cotton that they do not have in England.

### RICKEY HUGHES EXHIBITS RESERVE CHAMPION BARROW

Rickey Hughes, Valley FFA, exhibited the Reserve Grand Champion Prospect Hog at the Top O' Texas Hog Jackpot, Saturday, Dec. 14, 1991 in Pampa.  
His 159 pound Champion Yorkshire barrow earned the Reserve Grand Champion Prospect Hog at the South Plains Swine Jackpot held Sunday, Dec. 15, 1991 in Levelland.  
Rickey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes of Flomot.

Gordie Washington is a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He was moved from ICU to a private room, Sunday, Dec. 29.  
With him during his hospitalization besides his wife, Edith have been his sons and families, Max Washington of Anton and Bill D. and Seab Washington, local residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse and children joined family members in Lovington, N.M. Dec. 28-30 to celebrate Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas "Junior" Pitts and grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Pitts.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter, Saturday, Dec. 21 for a holiday luncheon were their children, Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter, Greg and Ross of Midland; Anita Hunter of Lubbock and Dr. Randall Hunter of Denton; his father, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. C.W. Starkey were L.T. Starkey and grandson, Bradley of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth George of Lewisville, Mr. and Mrs. Monty George and Emily of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gladson of Austin, Mrs. Joe Long and Mary Jo of Winnewood, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hanna and Robert of Goddard, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Marble and family in South Plains.  
Mrs. James Monk visited from Dec. 24-28 in Tulia with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Monty Cannon.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rogers and Richard Rogers of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shay and Dane of Kalgary; Natalie and Brooke Rogers of Lyndale and Shawna Degan and Chad Wideman of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay and sons joined family members for a Christmas Eve celebration in Lockney in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Barclay. They joined other local family members Christmas Day in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Washington.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee, Robert, Ernie and Jason of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McGraw and Kellan of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon, local residents; and her mother, Mrs. Mattie Skinner of Quitaque. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Skinner, Michael and Angelia of Westlaco, Billy Skinner of Quitaque and Dena Jamison of Amarillo.

Visiting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Degan, Kristi and Biran of Medicine Mound; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Melton, Tye and Britney of Heath; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shay and Dane of Kalgary; Shawna Degan and Chad Wideman of Levelland and Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Gilbert and Jeremy of Jacksonville, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Arrington, Clay, Daggett and Wade of Canadian enjoyed the Christmas holidays at Angel Fire, N.M.  
Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Julie were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hawkins of Turkey, Mrs. Roberta Carson of El Paso, Pat Carson, Cindy Shorter, Tina and Lori Clay and Kevin Kleibrink of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Winston of Seattle, Washington

## Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

### DELAYED

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yeates are spending the Christmas holidays with their sons, Gerald and Tom Wallace, and their families in Lubbock.

Mrs. Benny Goss came from Littlefield Friday to take her mother, Mrs. Vera Mitchell, to her home for the holidays. Mrs. Mitchell had a check-up medical appointment in Lubbock on December 23.

Odessa Mullins kept a Dr. appointment Wednesday in Lubbock.  
Claudus (Nub) Nichols, who grew up in this community and now lives at Quanah, suffered a heart attack recently and was hospitalized at Wichita Falls in Intensive Care, but the latest news from him was that his condition was improved and he had been moved to a room.

Mrs. Cleo Watson, with her sister, Sarah Sain of Amarillo, enplaned from Amarillo Thursday for Los Angeles where they will be guests of Mrs. Sain's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. David Cole for the holidays.  
Guests in the home of Miss Lula Swim from Monday until Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCallum of Bella Vista, Arkansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leverett of Wiley, Texas.

Francis Gunter of Floydada phoned friends here Wednesday morning to let them know that his mother, Mrs. Mamie Duren of Amarillo had fallen Tuesday and broken her hip with surgery scheduled for Wednesday in Amarillo's Hi-Plains Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis were called to Houston by the death of her sister, who had suffered a lengthy illness. The sympathy of Katy's many friends is with her.

Visiting Teddy and Venita Sedgewick over the holidays were Gordon, Sue, Audie, Katie and Brandi McGee of Somerville, Texas; Kerry McGee of Anson; Jerry Sedgewick, Karen, Sharon and Justin Posey of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Hinson visited Mrs. Donna Graham and her family at Brownfield Christmas Day. Mrs. Graham is Mr. Hinson's niece.  
Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Marshall were guests of his sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bannister of Plainview Christmas Day. Their daughter Mrs. Ann Futrell and her daughters Tara, Kay, and Traci of Dallas came Christmas afternoon and

## Roaring Springs Community Volunteers Fish Fry Big Success


Those of you who did not attend the 'Fish Fry' and game night at the Roaring Springs Country Kitchen Cafe New Years Eve night really missed a time of visiting and good fellowship. Several said that it was better than any T.V. Show.

J.N. Fletcher, Travis Payne, Ted Sedgewick and Steve Byrd are now expert 'Fish Fryers'. Bill Hand and Gary Simpson proved their worth as dish washers. Don Dillard made a good waiter.

Over 100 people were served fish, hush puppies, salads, peach and blackberry cobbler.

Soon as the tables could be cleared, games of 42, Chicken Foot, Skip-Bo, Pictionary and Yahtzee were played and all going at the same time.

Milton Brooks and Bill Peacock ranked among the best in 42. Some discussion went on as to who was the best at a table manned by J.N. Fletcher, Ted Sedgewick, Sinclair Hughes and Bennie Dillard. Debbie Martin came out winner in the Chicken Foot game, and Lula Swim was champion Skip-Bo player and came out on the winning edge. Jarred Dillard was champion Yahtzee player among the young players.



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## Matador News

Holiday visitors in the home of Leo and Joyce Archer were their son and family, Russ and Sharice Archer with their sons, Cliff and Kyle from Texas City, and their daughter and family, Nancy and Alan Branson and daughters, Kristen and Katelyn of Keller, Texas.

Last Thursday the L.H. Diricks visited the Bill McCaghrens at the elegant Clairmont Retirement Center on Bell Street just before entering Amarillo. The McCaghrens are slowly getting oriented in their new abode. En route home the Diricks reminisced while visiting all haunts when Mrs. Diricks attended West Texas University in 1926-1927.

Mesdames Mary Lumsden, Billie Clifton, Imogene and Lula Swim were visitors with friends, now residents of Floydada Nursing Home, last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Carl Tardy spent the holidays in Hereford with his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Don Carl Tardy.

Guests of Mrs. M.S. Thacker for Christmas were her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Max Thacker of Dallas. Other members of the family who live here joined Mrs. Thacker and her guests from time to time.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Swim, Edward and Emily of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swim and Ruston of Lubbock were guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim Christmas. Miss Lula Swim, aunt, was hostess to the group for the Christmas dinner. They were joined by their uncle, Cecil Swim, for the Christmas dinner.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand were Mr. and Mrs. John Reber; Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Adams and Bryan; Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Hand; Katie, Kasy, and Matthew, all of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Barton, Lanie and Jason of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Alexander of Roaring Springs, and Mr. Jim Gage of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Lee were Christmas Day guests of their daughter, Mrs. Linda Schwarz and family in Lubbock. They were joined there by other family members.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell spent Christmas in Littlefield with her daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Benny Goss and their family. Mrs. Goss came for her Saturday, December 21, in order for her to keep an appointment with Lubbock heart specialist, December 23. She received a good report from her check-up. Mrs. Goss brought her home, December 27.

Mary Lumsden visited Monday in Lubbock with Dicie Hardman.

Stoney Mullins of Midland spent Friday night with his grandmother, Odessa Mullins.

Everyone agreed that we should do this more often and before the evening was over (for some at 12:30 p.m.) suggestions abounded for other get-togethers. Special thanks go to J.N. and Darlene Fletcher and Travis and Margie Payne for the fish and to J.N. for a quick trip to Dickens for more fish. To Charlie and Lou Barrett for the use of the Kountry Kitchen Cafe facilities.

Others who helped and donated food were Bill and Pauline Hand, Ted and Venita Sedgewick, Harry and Pearl Paten, Bill and Lee Peacock, Buzz and LaVoe Thacker, Dale and JoElla Bumgardner, Gary and Lisa Simpson, Don and LaNita Dillard, Bennie and Devonne Dillard, Junior and Betty Bearden and Cindy, Travis and Margie Payne, Elmer and Ruby Hipp, Billie Clifton, and Frances Walters.

Thanks go to each and everyone who helped or attended to make this benefit the success that it was. The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers appreciated your participation and attendance so that we can improve the property that we recently bought from the School for the use of the community.

George Tsagaris of El Paso. They also attended the wedding of Teresa Vaughn December 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Raby Webb spent the Christmas holidays in Annandale, VA with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Webb, Bill and Jon. They were joined by another son, Dr. John Webb of San Diego, CA. While there they attended the wedding of their grandson, Jon Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Keith of Los Angeles, CA spent the Christmas holidays visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keith, and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Keith of Dickens.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keith, and attending the Memorial Service for Mary Keith were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keith of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Keith of Shallowater, Judge Brad Rowland of Anson, Bo Keith of Albuquerque, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. David Keith of Dickens. From Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Latimer, Don Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Latimer and children; also Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves of Quanah, and Mrs. Marie Thompson of Wichita Falls.

Attending the Memorial Service for Miss Mary Keith from the Crosbyton Care Center were Mrs. Lynda Cash, Administrator and Activity Director, Mrs. Faye Steen and husband, Austin Steen. Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Morrison and Mrs. Betty Jones attended from Spur.

Visiting Mrs. Dena Meador for the Christmas holidays, were her sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meador and Doug of Ozono, Mr. and Mrs. John Meador of Lockney and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meador and Jeremy.

## Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD  
May your New Year be blessed from our house to yours.

John Barton was a luncheon guest, Christmas day in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charlie (Louvaine) Scaff in Matador. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Scaff and Carin of Sanger; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Scaff and Blake of Bovina; Mrs. Jill Taylor of Fort Stockton; Mrs. Joyce McCarty, Mrs. Jane Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Buswell and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Standorf of Odessa; Blake "Bud" Barton of Dougherty and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton of Flomot. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Barton, Bobby, Blake, and Shonda, Charles Ed Cammack and Mrs. Zona Ruth Cammack of Matador and her houseguests, Mrs. Mary DeWilde, Kathy, Kerri and Michael of Lubbock.

Mrs. Jack Spray and her grandson, Jonah Stan of Lubbock visited from Dec. 21-23 in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rosser of The Colony. Other family members at the pre-Christmas celebration, Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rosser and Mike Rosser of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rosser, Kiva and Samantha and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Black, Whiteley and Teresa of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ridley of Addison and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Baxter and Alicia Robinson of Flower Mound. Visiting the family, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spray and Rhonda Spray of Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon visited in Lockney, last Friday with Mrs. Liller Garrison at the Care Center and attended the Christmas party and program for the residents and their guests. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Piper of Paducah, also visited Mrs. Garrison.  
Mrs. Kathryn Martin and her mother, Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs were guests at a family luncheon in Spur, Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Newman.

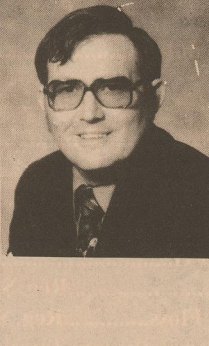
Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington visited from Dec. 23 to Jan. 2 at their rural home here. Guests during the holidays in their home were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Sutton and Jason of Tuscon, Arizona; Mrs. Ruth Harris of El Paso; Mrs. Melba Beeson of Kress and Mrs. Nina Thomas and Mrs. Faye Patrick of Amarillo.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens were Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Brandon of Kingston, Okla.; Mrs. Joe Stephens of Matador; Mrs. Marilyn Fulkes of Friona; Laurie Fulkes of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Masters and Jesse of Cotton Center; April and Shaun Stephens of Quitaque and Mrs. Nola Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Anderson, Jason, Erin and Shane of Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner and children and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner and Craig of Matador were Christmas night dinner guests of their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Benney Turner in Abernathy.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett and her mother, Mrs. Vesta Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper, Amy and Dianna, Tommy Cooper and Timmy Cooper of Lubbock; Clyde Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoneman of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Stafford of Matador.

## A New Calendar



Another year has gone into the abyss of faded yesterdays. Yes the year of 1991 is past, forever and unquestionably, lost. The year which we have put behind us was mixed with tears, sorrow, singing and laughter. We may be better or worse, but we are not the same.  
Now what lies ahead? We cannot possibly discern. But for that blessed ignorance we should be forever grateful. While we cannot know what the future holds, we do know who holds the future in His hand. Whatever the coming year has in store for us we can rest in the comfort of knowing our God. Our God is capable to sustain us. His power is seen in His extraordinary work. His love and greatness is seen in nature's beauty and harmony. The creation of our Universe is God's

backdrop for the wonderful drama of our redemption in Christ Jesus. God's people are not created for destruction, (I Thessalonians 5:9), but everyone that has been transformed through the Gospel, has purpose in God's plan of things.  
Therefore, whatever the coming year brings us, we have confidence in God's promise found in Hebrews 13:5, "I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee."  
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# THE CLASSIFIEDS

**Notice**



**BID NOTICE**

The City of Matador is accepting bids on a 1968 1/2 ton Ford Pickup, 6 cylinder, 4 speed, side boxes on bed.

All bids must be received in the City Hall in Matador.

These bids will be opened at 10:00 a.m. January 9, 1992.

The City of Matador reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

The City of Matador does not discriminate against because of race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

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**BID NOTICE**

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**BID NOTICE**

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PLEASE RETURN - Hay Trailer, borrowed from Donnie Jackson, down by city well house. NEEDED!

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**FOR SALE:** Couch, tan color with flow-ers, wood arms and legs. 347-2790.

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**FOR SALE:** 1968 Chevy Pickup, \$500.00; A.C. D-17 Tractor and misc. equipment; Cattle Squeeze Shoot; Registered Quarter Horse. 347-2276.

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**FOR SALE:** Land - approximately 19 acres, in Flomot, with improvements. Call 806/983-5010 after 4:30 p.m.

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**HOUSE CLEANING:** Anytime, Anywhere. Call Susan, 347-2335. I am also still making Blue Jean Sweatshirt jackets.

**Announcements**



**ROARING SPRINGS COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS TO MEET**

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers will have their regular monthly meeting Thursday night January 9, at 7:00 p.m. at the Kountry Kitchen Cafe in Roaring Springs. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**STOCKMAN'S, INC.** will no longer buy aluminum cans.

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"In case of a storm all peoples be sure to keep fresh water in the refrigerator, especially if you have children. Plastic containers should be used."

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**COTLE COUNTY TO CELEBRATE 100TH BIRTHDAY**

You are invited to help Cottle County celebrate its 100th birthday, with a birthday party, Saturday, January 11, 1992 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., in the hall of the Courthouse. There will be birthday cake and drinks. We will also have music and a skit of the first election held in Cottle County.

Our postmaster will be there with our special cancellation stamp to cancel your letters and postcards.

Come help us celebrate our County's 100th birthday.

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COMMISSIONER PREC. 1

**JAMES "JIM" MEADOR**  
MOTLEY COUNTY SHERIFF

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**By Ace Reid**



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