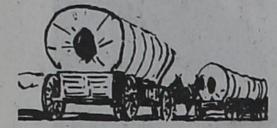
Sunday, May 11

Motley County Tribune



Voice of the Foothill Country

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A Look back in Time - with

August 16, 1945

Japan Surrenders Union Service is Held Wednesday Victory Announced After Anxious students and a guest. Wait

men. The peace of today, and the world of tomorrow formed the nucleus of an address by Rev. G.E. Turrentino pas-Baptist Church. A number of personal expressions of thanksgiving were Some of these include a TV, VCR, have already donated! given."

September 13,1945

School Enrollment at Lowest Ebb In Years

"Matador School System began its 1945-46 term with the lowest enrollment in many years according to figures released this week by Superintendent B.F. Tunnell. The scholastic roll dropped form 458 in 1932 to 337 in

October 25, 1945

Move Started For New Courthouse Cheap Money is Still Available Bond Election For \$175,000 Is Called Old Issue Will Be Absorbed In Plan

"It may not be the time to build, but it is the time to borrow money to build Over 100 tax-paying citizens of Motley County have presented the Commissioners Court with a petition asking that an election be called, which if passed, would authorize the issuance of \$175,000.00 for the construction of a new courthouse.

November 22, 1945

Courthouse Bonds are Approved Little Interest Shown By Voters

"A new \$175,000.00 courthouse will be constructed here. A majority of the 344 voters who went to the polls Saturday proved the issue according to unofficial returns.

December 27, 1945

World Pauses to Pay Tribute to Prince of Peace

"Again this world pauses in its mad, and this year atomic minded, gyrations to offer tribute to the Prince of Peace on His natal day, more conscious than ever of the true meaning of His name.

Thought for the week

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for he Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:9 NIV

Craft Items

Roaring Springs Community Volunteers and members of First United Methodist Church, Roaring Springs are urging Motley County residents to help in collection of craft items needed for Kids Camp scheduled for July.

Items needed can be given to members or the organizations above beginning immediately:

Checkbook boxes; cereal boxes (small individual); handsoap boxes (not detergent); cardboard rolls from empty toilet paper rolls; penny matchbook boxes; quart mayonnaise jars; toothpaste boxes.

Project Graduation Plans In Full Swing

The All-Night Project Graduation Microwaves, Walkman, Telephones, plans are in full swing. The party, and more, which is sponsored by the Motley a.m. at Motley County High School.

106 YEARS

The party is an all-night, substance free, safe celebration for all high school in Matador.

at 10:30 p.m., movies, and games. party depends on the support of the "Peace on earth, good will towards Pizza and other refreshments will be community. served including breakfast before the

students leave at 5:00 a.m. Students may choose to watch tor of the Matador Methodist Church movies, play basketball in the gym or in special union services held Wed- casino games. Prizes can be earned by nesday evening at 9 o'clock in the cashing in casino tickets and many prizes are also given to particpants.

Donations of prizes are being taken County Booster Club this year, will be at Matador Variety, Matador Floral, held Saturday night, May 31, after Quality Discount Outlet, West Texas graudation, from 10:00 p.m. until 5:00 Utilities, Thacker Supply, or Vickie's Floral. To make a cash donation, please see Linda Jameson at First State Bank

Everyone's help is needed to make It will consist of a dance, beginning this year a success. The success of the

> The Booster Club will be sponsoring a Bake Sale, Saturday, May 10, at Pay-N-Save Grocery, 9:00 a.m. until everyone is gone. All proceeds will be used for Project Graduation.

A big thanks to all of those who

Math of Money Class Participates In Stock Market Game

Gillespie Wins Innovative Teacher Contest

has participated in the New Mexico was asked to write a paper explaining and teachers all over the United States this contest! came in fortieth. This was the first time teacher's team that competed against also stated that the class took the as- was intense. ted form the game.

encompassed both Texas and New contest.

The Mathematics of Money class Mexico. Each teacher involved in SMG State University Stock Market Game how the SMG was incorporated in the for the last three months. The Stock class and how the SMG was benefit-Market Game is played by students ting the students. Mrs. Gillespie won.

The class competed against 123 schools Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Cox and Mr. in the Northwest Region of Texas and Gleghorn were members of the local that MCISD has participated and Kathy other teacher teams from New Mexico Gillespie, the teacher, stated that she and Texas. There were twenty-three was very proud of her students. She teacher teams competing. The teacher's said that she felt the students learned team finished sixth. The competition about the "ups and downs" of the stock between the teacher team and the stumarket as well as the effect that news dent team to see who would have the events have on the stock market. She largest portfolio at the end of the game

signment very seriously and benefit- The Stock Market Game was not only educational but fun. Mrs. Gillespie Mrs.Gillepie participated in the stated that she hopes to have several SMG's Innovative Teacher Contest that student teams entered in next year's



1997 LIONS CLUB QUEEN CROWNED — Blair Thacker, seated, was crowned the 1997 Matador Lions Club Queen during Monday night's Annual Show and Queen's Contest held at the school. Last year's Queen, Leah Cruse, is pictured at left; first runner up, Monica Clifton; and other Queen contestants, Tanya Barkley, Rebekah Jameson, Jill Stanley, and Tonie Bowden.

(photo courtesy of Buzz & LaVoe Thacker)

Motley County 4-H Clubs Will Sponsor Mini-Olympics

Mini-Olympics for area youth on Saturday, May 17th at the Motley County Football Field in Matador. The track meet will start at 10:00 a.m. and is open to all area youth from Pre-K to 6th grade. The youth will compete based on their grade with separate boy and girl divisions in each grade.

There will be a \$5.00 entry fee per participant. With the \$5.00 entry fee,

Motley County 4-H is sponsoring a the youth can enter one or all of the Around award given to the high point events. The events include: 50, 100, 200, and 800 meter dash; 400 and 800 meter relay; long jump; jump rope; and baseball throw. There will be a special running event for Moms and For an entry form or more informa-

> participation ribbons will be given to 6:00 p.m. Deadline to enter is May all participants. There will be an All- 16th.

boy and girl in two divisions: Pre-K through 3rd, and 4th through 6th grade.

All area youth are invited to attend the Mini-Olympics and enjoy the fun. tion, please call Motley County Exten-Awards will be given to first, sec- sion Office (806) 347-2733, or Barond, and third places in each event and bara Sharp at (806) 347-2784 after

Rolling Plains PCA Holds 63rd Annual Meeting

Rolling Plains Production Credit ings and liquidity. Association held its Annual Stockholders' Meeting in Canadian on Tuesday, April 29, Childress on Thursday May 1, and Stamford on Friday, May 2. Lance D. Morris of Crosbyton and Thomas R. Helton of Wheeler, were re-elected to the Board of Rolling Plains PCA. Terry C. O'Neal of Pampa was chosen by stockholders to represent the Pampa Branch Office area. Board members serve three-year terms. Other Board members are Garon B. Tidwell of Munday, Dan Henard, Jr. of Wellington, Grover Crum of Darrouzett, Keith Corzine of Stamford, Garner Schoenhals of Canadian, Dean Turner

Keith Corzine gave the Board Report to the gathering. Earning the highest rating possible by the Tenth District Regulator for the ninth consecutive year, the Associatin maintains its Tier I designation. The award is based on continued strength in capi-

The Association made a net profit after taxes of \$1,989,458. In 1996 Rolling Plains Production Credit Association loaned more than \$106 million to approximately 1,000 borrowers in its 25-county territory.

The Association's Board of Directors declared a patronage distribution based on 1996 fiscal year earnings. Total patronage was \$1,583,358 with 40% being paid at the three sessions of the Annual Meeting. This patronage returned 20 1/2 cents for every one dollar of loan interest accrued on loans of stockholder-members in 1996.

The Nominating Committee Reof Matador and Jack Reese of Abilene. port was presented by Warren Rivers of Canadian at Canadian, Wes Campbell of Floydada at Childress and Todd Johnson of Abilene at Stamford. Elected to serve on the 1998 Nominating Committee for the areas indicated were: Warren Rivers - Canadian; J.D. Paris - Pampa; Danny Thurman - Perryton; Steve Hampton -

Wheeler; J.R. (Pete) Jones - Childress; Kenny Barton - Matador; Rod Townsend - Munday; Steve Harris -Spur; Robert Aycock - Stamford; and Danny B. Lewis - Abilene.

Recognized as 50-year members in the Canadian section by Wes Hukill, Pampa Office Manager, were Mr. and Mrs. Odis Calcote of McLean. In the Stamford section Mr. and Mrs. Johnie R. Devaney of Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Hise of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Maben of Spur ane Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Hall, Jr. of Jayton were recognized by Mike Guess, Stamford Office Man-

In all sessions special recognition was given to J.D. and Lorene Paris of Miami, retiring director representing the Pampa area. Also, Mr. and Mrs.W.W. Gregory of Spur were honored by the PCA in recognition of the Texas Department of Agriculture Family Land Heritage Program Award for being on the same land for over 100

Cash prizes totaling \$1200 were awarded in a drawing form PCA stockholders in attendance. Entertainment was provided by Kansas ventriloquist

This Week is National Teacher Appreciation Week

Summer Baseball Sign-Up

MCYO is accepting sign-up sheets for the 1997 ball season. IF there are enough kids to sign up and enough willing parents to help, there will be a Summer Softball program.

Your child should have received a sign-up sheet at school Monday. If you need another one, contact Kelli Jackson at 347-2889 after 4 p.m. They can be returned to Kelli at school or at her home.

THE SIGN-UP DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, MAY 9!!

Please encourage all children, PK-9th grade to sign up as soon as possible.

Also, parents - your help is a must to ensure that your kids are able to take advantage of this program.

Daniel Alexander accepted to SMU School of Law

Abilene, Texas -- McMurry Stu- and junior senator, and had also served former student body Vice-President McMurry Student Government. Daniel Alexander has been accepted to study at Southern Methodist Uni- All-American Scholar, was also reversity School of Law entering in cently named to Who's Who Among August 1997. The School of Law has a national reputation for its quality education, as recognized by U.S. News and World Report.

Mr. Alexander has served McMurry University at Student Body Vice-President for his senior year. Alexander will receive a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science on May 10, 1997 at McMurry's commencement ceremonies, graduating in the top 10% of his class with a cumulative 4.0 grade point average. The son of Alvin and Seven Alexander, and grandson of Joe and-Billie Dean Smith, all of Matador and the late Albert and Nell Alexander of Benjamin, Texas, Daniel has previous served for two years as sophomore

dent Government announced today that two terms as Attorney General of

Alexander, a National Collegiate American Colleges and Universities. He has been involved in many aspects of campus life, ranging from participation in the Chanters, McMurry's concert choir, to writing during his freshman and sophomore years for the War Whoop, McMurry's student newspaper. His activity has not been limited to the campus. His internships in the Washington and Abilene offices of U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison have provided a service to the community, as well.

Mr. Alexander has served in a number of leadership positions in his time at McMurry. As Vice-President, Alexander was an ex-officio member

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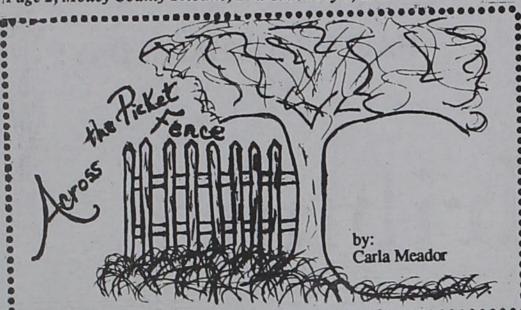
tal, asset quality, management, earn-Needed For Methodist Church to Kid's Camp hold trustee barbecue

15, on their calendars in order to attend wife, Mary, as it will be their final to the parsonage and need to cover the dor charge. existing wood with metal trim has resulted in an above average cash outflow which Trustees hope to cover

through donations at the Barbecue. ford with Trustees cooking for the event. Trustee President, Rodney

Trustees of the First United Meth- Williams, says the event will give those odist Church, Matador urge county outside the church an opportunity to residents to mark Sunday noon, June say goodbye to Pastor Ron Kelley and the Trustes Barbecue. Recent repairs Sunday in the Roaring Springs/ Mata-

Williams urges all who will attend and are not members of the church to advise a Trustee, so plenty of food will be available. Along with Stafford and Meat is being donated by Gail Staf- Williams, Trustees are Glenda Williams, Charlie Johnson, Truitt Read and Charles Keith.



Mothers Day. The day we honor our mothers. I must say I am so thank- when I became a mother. I know I ful for the mother God blessed me must have called her twenty times a with. My mother had five children, day when Jeremy was born. She surley very close in age. I am the oldest. She had plenty of experience, and had an was and still is the most patient woman answer to everyting I asked her about. I have ever seen. She always had time for us. She's one of those women, who, us in a Christian home, with Christian no matter what else needed to be done, morals. My heart aches for the chilshe always took time out for us. And I dren who never get to go to church, or know we were a handful! She also hear of the word of God. To me that is always had time to discipline us when one of the sadest things there is. the time came that we needed it, and those times were pretty often.

growing up, that I must have the mean- derful blessing it is to have children, est parents anywhere. They never let by the example she presented in raisus do anything. Such as the time all our ing her children. friends were going to see the new movie, "The Exorcist", and my mother bly feels the same way about mother- pink Rebrum lilies, white Virginia absolutely refused to let us see it. We hood. It is a joy that words just cannot just couldn't stand it! We knew we had describe. I thank God for putting hadn't seen that movie. But now I am care of His miracles, my son. so thankful that my mother stood her ground on this and so many other important things she firmly believed time to realize the blessing of motherin. To this day, I have not seen that hood, and that every child realizes the entire movie. I have tried to watch it, blessing of their mother. and cannot finish it. It's terrible!

Downtown Matador 347-2233

My mother became even smarter,

I'm very thankful my parents raised

The greatest joy in my life is being a mother. And I thank my Mama for I can remember thinking, at times, that, also. She taught me what a won-

I know most every mother probato be the only kids in the world who enough trust in me to bless me with the

I hope every mother pauses at this

Happy Mothers Day!

THE WINDMILL

We have a nice selection of

gift items for Mothers Day!

Candles - Boyd Bears - Prints - Potpourri - Throws

Gift Baskets - Purses - Jewelry

MUCH, MUCH MORE!

Couple Exchanges Wedding Vows In Dalhart Ceremony

Kathryn Louise Towler and Jayson vows Saturday, April 5, 1997, at 3:00 ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Robet Towler of parents of the groom.

Grandparents of the bride are Mrs. baby's breath. Katharine Ogburn and the late Lloyd Ogburn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles the groom, of Dallas was best man. Towler, all of Chandler, Okla. Grandparents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. of the groom from Colorado City; and Frank Pohl of Matador and the late Mr. and Mrs. Lee Limmer of Slaton and Duane Dankesreiter of Euless. and Kingsland.

the bride was escorted to the alter by her father. The bride wore an elegant candlelight satin gown designed in Mexico City. The dress was created with a halter neckline and featured an City. open back with self fabric crisscross straps. The fitted bodice of the gown fell to a full swag drape floor length skirt. Her fingertip veil of illusion was gathered to a beaded crown covered in seed pearls and rhinestones.

She carried a cascade bouquet of roses and baby's breath. In keeping with tradition, for something old, the bride wore the crown with illusion veiling her mother had worn in her wedding. The bridal attire was something new. She borrowed a diamond bracelet belonging to the groom's mother and wore a lace garter for something blue.

Merci Curbow, the bride's college Frank Limmer exchanged wedding roommate, of Lubbock was matron of honor. She wore a long slimline solf p.m. in the chapel of the First Baptist violet dress with a pink floral design. Church in Dalhart, Texas. Dr. Steve She carried a bouquet of three long McMeans, pastor, officiated the double stemmed white Virginia roses and baby's breath tied with pink tulle.

The groom wore a double-breasted Dalhart are parts of the bride, Mr. and suit in midnight blue with a white shirt, Mrs. Howard Limmer of Snyder are designed in Mexico City. His boutonniere was a white Virginia rose and

J.K. Palmer, childhood friend of Ushers were Bryan Limmer, brother longtime friends, Ryan Bryd of Dallas

Flower girls were Jessica Scott, Given in marriage by her parents, cousin of the bride of Oklahoma Cityand Bailey and Hannah Limnmer,

nieces of the groom, of Colorado City. Ring bearer was Griffin Limmer, nephew of the groom, of Colorado

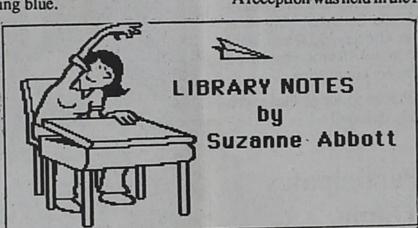
The wedding began with the groom escorting the mothers of the bride and groom into the chapel.

the arm of her father to the Lohengrin cicular wedding cake was adorned with "Bridal Chorus" by Waggner.

by Jan Scott, cousin of the bride, of ent. Presiding at the table was Oklahoma City and soloist Linda Jonelle Elrod, the bride's college room-Foster, cousin of the bride, of Norman, mate, of San Marcos.

Following a closing prayer and the presentation of the couple, the bride and groom left the alter to Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" from late curls. Maria Boyd, a friend of the Midsummer Night's Dream.

A reception was held in the Fellow-



Only two more days left to take advantage of the used book sale at the Library. Stock up on good books for the summer. Bargain prices!

With any luck at all and if the snow drifts melt, as you are reading this, I am whizzing along on the back of a motorcycle in southern Utah. Zion

Tuesday Scramble

April 22

Marshall, Cody Dodson and Geneva

First, with a score of 32, Kennith

Second, with a score of 34, Buzz

Others playing were Garland

Cartwright, Judy Cartwright, Roy

Grundy, Mark Brannon, Gene Bran-

money will be carried over until the

Mark Brannon got closest to the pin

Jeff Thacker, Pam Thacker and Lula

Swim have donated to the Cancer

fund. The total is now \$425.00 Thanks

We make our fortunes and we

non, and Kenny Brannon.

on #3, April 15, 34 ft.

Pivots

&

Divots

Wilson.

Lawrence.

next scramble.

to everyone.

ferry across Lake Powell are on the from Matador. agenda. Kenneth and I have traveled about 60,000 miles on the motorcycle, phus Hotel in Dallas, the couple are at Cuernavaca, Mexico. visiting Colorado, New Mexico, Michigan, Missouri, Tennessee, Florida, Georgia and points in between. This is our first trip to Utah. I will return May 15. Thanks to all the volunteers who are helping keep the Library open while I'm gone.

The New Handbook of Texas, 1996, a six-volume set published by the Texas State Historical Association, contains at least twenty separate listings pertaining to Motley County. There may be more, but you have to know who to look for in order to find a person or

Included in this Handbook is a section on Junius William Motley for whom Motley County is named. Also, information may be found on Motley

County itself as well as Flomot, Matador, Northfield, Roaring Springs, and Whiteflat. Roaring Springs, the Springs, has a section, and I learned that it was first called Jessamine Springs. The Motley County Railway, the Quanah, Acme and Pacific Rail-

way, the Matador Land & Cattle Company, and the Matador Ranch are No one got on the green so the business entities listed and described in the Handbook of Texas.

> There are separate sections on seven different residents of Motley County. These include Charles David Bird, Elizabeth Bundy Campbell, Henry Harrison Campbell, Arthur Byron Cooper, Ben Douglas Meador, Frank

N. Mitchell, and Albert Carroll Traweek. Frequent visitors to Motley County, Quanah Parker, also is mentioned.

The New Handbook of Texas is full of fascinting historical information about all of Texas.



Mr. & Mrs. Jayson Limmer

bride's table was covered with a white The bride entered the sanctuary on lace tablecloth. The white three tiered a miniature bride and groom used on Musical selections were presented the wedding cake of the bride's par-

> A white lace cloth covered the groom's table. It featured a German chocolate cake garnished with chocolate covered strawberries and chocogroom, of Dallas, served at the groom's table.

Almond fruit punch was served with a silver ladle from a crystal punch bowl belonging to the bride's grandmother. Christy Foster, cousin of the bride, of Norman, Okla., presided.

Griffin, Bailey and Hannah Limmer presented birdseed bags to guests as the couple left the reception.

Special guests at the wedding were grandparents of the couple. Grandparents of the bride were Mrs. Katharine Ogburn and Charles and Faye Towler. all of Chandler, Okla. Mrs. Lola Pohl,

ship Hall following the ceremony. The home at 4634 Junius in Dallas. The couple will take their wedding trip in June to Costa Rica.

> The bride is a 1991 graduate of Dalhart High School and a 1996 graduate of Texas Tech University with a BA degree in Public Relations. The groom is a 1991 graduate of Snyder High School and a 1996 graduate of The University of North Texas with a BA degree in Radio, Television and Film. He is employed as Production Assistant for Mesquite ISD Instructional Television.

A rehearsal dinner, hosted by the groom's parents, was given at K-Bob's Steak House in Dalhart on the eve of the wedding.

Other wedding courtesies included a bridal shower in the home of Gayle Finch of Dalhart. After an engagement in the Palacio de Bellas Artes, home of the Ballet Folklorico De-Mexico, Mexico City, the couple hosted an engagment announcement dinner in Cuernavaca, Mexico in March. Special guest attending the dinner were friends and the host fami-National Park, Bryce Canyon, and a grandmother of the groom, attended lies the couple met last summer while After a honeymoon at the Adol- for Bilingual Multicultural Studies in

Couple to celebrate 50th Anniversary



MR. AND MRS. C.E. "SAILOR" WATSON, JR.

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. "Sailor" Watson, Jr. will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house given in their honor by their children at Tomlinson Baptist Church, 1500 Tomlinson Parkway, Longview, Texas, on Saturday, May 17th. Watson married the former Lois Hodgin on May 17, 1947 in Roaring Springs, TX. They have two children: Gail Watson and Debbie Johnson, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.



"Sort of Faithful"



John Clayton tells the story of his first visit with his family to Yellowstone National Park.

He and his family of three children had been waiting 45 minutes for the geyser to erupt. In that length of time, the kids had long since lost interest. John explained how geysers worked, but preschool children have a way of not being interested in volcanic origins.

"How much longer, daddy?" his oldest daughter asked. John looked at the sign on the boardwalk, and it said 2:48. It was then 2:47, so he told his daughter to count to 60, and the geyser would spout.

But she counted to 150 and it still hadn't happened. John said to the Ranger, "The Geyser is a little late, isn't it?" "Yes", the ranger said, "Old Faithful is just sort of faithful."

Well, it finally happened and his kids loved it, but from then on, when John spoke of "old faithful," his kids reminded him that it was only "sorta faithful."

The Bible tells us that our God expects us to be faithful. But when it comes to parenting, good moral behavior, ethics, marriage vows, church attendance and Bible study, we would have to say that many of us are just "sorta faithful."

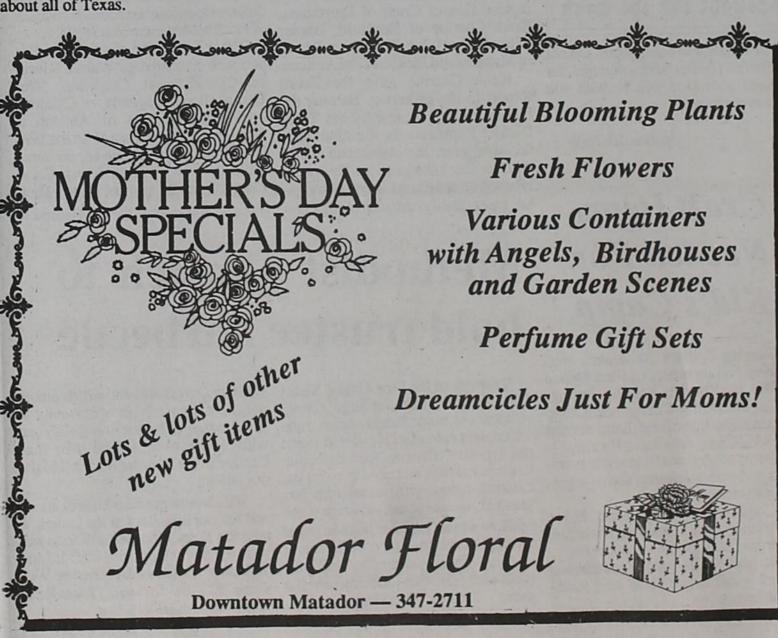
> Roaring Springs Church of Christ

Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

Worship - 9:00 a.m.

call them fate. —Benjamin Disraeli Show Mom she's special give her something different Mother's Dau Antique & Unique Gift Items Country Spice



Senior Spotlight

"Class of 1997"

MC hall news

**** Sophomores Receive Academic Recognition

For TAAS Test Scores



ACADEMIC RECOGNITION — Sophomores receiving Academic Recognition on their TAAS tests are pictured left to right (back row) Aaron Binder, Dayton Grundy, Keane Cruse, Kandi Keltz; front, Robert Gillespie, Kristi Williams, Blair Thacker.

Summer TAAS Test Dates Announced

Students who need to complete able to attend. their TAAS requirements for grauda-

These students should also be attion have another opportunity to take tending classes in the computer lab the tests on July 15, 16, and 17, right from now until the end of the semester, here at Motley County. Please arrange as well as during summer school. Please your summer calendars so you will be see Mrs. Turner for more information.

REMEMBER YOUR

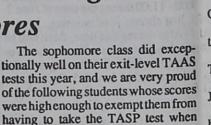
MOTHER ...

with a gift or gift certificate

from

Main Street

Join us Saturday for a Mother's Day Lunch Special.



Kandi Keltz, and Kaci Risser. Aaron Binder received Academic Recognition on all three tests, Robert Gillespie and Kaci Risser received Academic Recognition on two tests, and the following students students received Academic Recognition on one test: Keane Cruse, Dayton Grundy, Kandi Keltz, Nesa McFall, Blair acker, and Kristi Williams.

Broccoli and Cheese Casserole, Tosse Salad, Texas Toast, Dessert, Milk.

THURSDAY, MAY 15

they enter college: Aaron Binder,

The following students mastered all the objectives on all three tests: Aaron Binder, Keane Cruse, Dayton Gillespie, Kandi Keltz, Nesa McFall, Blair Thacker, and Kristi Willaims mastered the objectives on two tests; FRIDAY, MAY 16 and Ty Barclay, Jason Barton, Laura Sanchez, and Shavonne Taylor master Milk the objectives on one test.

Congratulations to these outstandhelping them reach for the stars!



MONDAY, MAY 12
Breakfast: Blueberry Muffins, Cereal, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Burritos, Salad, Corn on the Cob, Apple Crisp, Milk.

TUESDAY, MAY 13 Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Eggs,

Lunch: Sandwiches (ham, cheese, balogna, cheese, tuna, or pimento cheese), Lettuce, Tomato, Potato Chips, Veggie Sticks, Cake, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14
Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast,

Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Sliced Turkey, Gravy, Rice, Broccoli and Cheese Casserole, Tossed

THURSDAY, MAY 15 Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes,

Syrup, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Pepperoni Pizza, Fresh Grundy, and Kaci Risser. Robert Salad, Pineapple Chunks, Vanilla BROTHERS & SISTERS: Lacy Wafers, Milk.

Breakfast: Cereal, Pop Tarts, Juice, Time

Lunch: Chicken on a Bun, Lettuce, watch ing students and to their teachers for Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Potato Chips, Fruit, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Milk.



KASEY JOY PARKS NICKNAME: Monkey, Hippy Kase, AGE: 17

AGE: 18 BIRTHDATE: 2-21-79 BIRTH PLACE: Plainview,TX PARENTS: Harold & Barbara Parks Rankin, Michael Parks. FAVORITE COLOR: Purple FAVORITE SONG: One Night At A

FAVORITE MOVIE: Twister BEST BOOK EVER READ: Still-

FAVORITE FOOD: Chicken Strips HOBBIES: Roping, watching TV, spending time with friends, going to

BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: Believe in God and everything will

work out. WORST ADVICE EVER RE-CEIVED: Do it, no one will find out. BEST MEMORY: Summer '96 YEARS, IT WOULD BE: Nothing.
PET PEEVER: Poppin knuckles, and IN MY SPARE TIME: I work on my poeple touching my hair.

GOALS: To be successful in life and enjoy a good job.

PLANS AFTER HIGH SCHOOL: Attend Clarendon and major in some-

The Junior High track teams com- IF I COULD CHANGE ANYTHING peted in meets in Crowell, Childress, ABOUT MY HIGH SCHOOL Spur, and District at Motley County. YEARS, IT WOULD BE: We would The District results were as fol-have gone to Regionals in Basketball. IN MY SPARE TIME: I enjoy sport-2400 M Run: Rachael Smith, ing activities, Roping, and spending

ANY LAST WORDS FOR YOUR 400 Relay: 4th place, 60.31 con- UNDER CLASSMEN: Enjoy it while sisted of Erica Johnson, Lisa Taylor, it lasts.

Ashley Stevens, and Rabasses 1

God Bless You!



ROBERT THOMAS DARSEY III

BIRTHDATE: 4/29/79 BIRTH PLACE: Lubbock PARENTS: Robin and Beverly Darsey **BROTHERS & SISTERS: Dumont**

Darsey. FAVORITE COLOR: Blue **FAVORITE SONG: Blue** FAVORITE FOOD: Hamburger HOBBIES: Mechanicing, Camping,

Fishing. BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: Do your best.

WORST ADVICE EVER RE-CEIVED: Your parents will never find

BEST MEMORY: 96-97 GOALS: Go to College and get a good

PLANS AFTER HIGH SCHOOL: Go to college and get a good job. IF I COULD CHANGE ANYTHING ABOUT MY HIGH SCHOOL YEARS, IT WOULD BE: Nothing. vehicles, and be with friends.

Meador Scholarship **Keeps Growing**

Larry Elliott, class of 1967, has matched the contribution of his sister, Karen Elliott House, and we are well on our way to establishing a permanent scholarship to honor Douglas and Lila Meador and to help worthy Motley County students pursue their educational goals. Special thanks to all the generous donors!

Jr. High District **Track Results**

Thank you

for your

11:31.37, 2nd; Mylinda Gilmore, time with family and friends.

Ashley Stevens, and Rabecca Morris. 800 M Run: Rachael, 3:26, 4th; Leanndra Wallace, 3:57.65, 5th; Kelsi . Wallace, 4:12.55, 6th.

100M Hurdles: Courtney Hays, 21:05, 3rd; Ashley, 21:37, 5th. 100 M Dash: Lisa, 14:93, 4th.

800 M Relay: 3rd place, 2:09.52 consisted of Ashley, Courtney, Shandra Jones, and Rabecca Morris.

400 M Dash: Shantel Shanchez,

300 Hurdles: Shandra, 61.27, 2nd;

1200 M Run: Leanndra, 6:22.19, 3rd; Elizateh HoGland, 6:56.00, 4th;

Rachelle Renfro, 7:07.30, 5th.
1600 Relay: 2nd place, 5:03.32
consisted of Courtney, Shandra, Rachael and Lisa.

Shot Put: Elizabeth, 21'73/4", 5th; Rachelle, 21' 2 3/4", 6th.

Discus: Rachelle, 57'5", 5th. High Jump: Lisa, 4'4", 2nd; Shan-

Long Jump: Rabecca, 12' 10 3/4",

Triple Jump: Rabecca, 26' 3 3/4",

Others participating in the meet were Stephane Lynche and Sherri

Thomas.

The team scored 120 points and placed 3rd overall.

There were others who participated in track but were feeling under the weather or participating in other school activities. They were Kayla Copp, Leigha Burns, and Brooke Decker.

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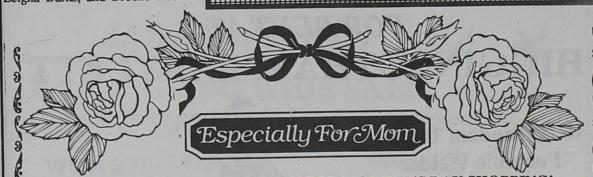
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Town meetings on speed limits scheduled statewide

dress City Auditorium. The meeting is Texas Transportation Commission to being held by the Texas Department set speed limits on roadways on the of Transportation (TxDOT) and the state highway system at 70 mph unless about 62 percent of the state system

procedures used to set speed limits.

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the speed limits in Texas are invited to quality highways. As a result, speed commission, approximately 30,000 a town meeting scheduled Tuesday, limits on Texas roads reverted to exist-miles of the state highway system May 13, 1997, 6:00 p.m. on the Chiling state law. Texas law requires the roadway mileage now has speed limits Texas Department of Public Safety an engineering and traffic investiga-PS). tion determines that, for safety meas-The meeting, one of 25 statewide, ures, the speed limit should be lower.

is being held to get public comment on specific locations where problems may and continuing through mid-June 1996, exist regarding speed limits and the TxDOT conducted studies on the state highway system to identify those road In November 1995, Congress re- segments that should be posted at speed pealed the federal law which man- limits below the maximum provided dated a national maximum speed limit by state law. As a result of those stud-

Citizens who want to comment on of 55 mph, except on rural Interstate ies, and action by the transportation lower than 70 mph. The 70 mph maxihighway mileage.

The installation of new speed limit signs was phased in over a nine-month signs was phased in over a nine-month for this advanced class must have classes is May 16, and you may call the August 1996.

"Moving motorists safely along Texas highways is a job we take very seriously" said David Laney, Texas Transportation Commissioner. "We need to hear from the people who drive the roads, know where problems may exist, and have an opinion on whether the posted speed is too slow or too fast, or just right."

The public input, along with de-

tailed crash studies, will provide comprehensive information for decison makers to help enhance the safety of Texas highways, Laney said.

Citizens are encouraged to call Georgann Burrell with TxDOT at (817) 937-7195 for more information.

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an advanced class offer in the eve-The installation of new speed limit ning from 6:00 - 8:00 lasting over the are 6:00 - 8:00 for the same dates.

computer classes previously offered.

For beginner computer users, there 9:00 - 11:00 during the time of June 25. Just choose your morning.
Also during this time, there will be lows: 9:00 - 11:00, June 9-12, or June lows: 9:00 - 11:00, June 9-12, or June

JONATHAN ENGLE

from page 1
of the McMurry University Board of
Trustees. Additionally, he has served

for two years as a preceptor for the Servant Leadership program, helping

groups to apply the principles of lead-ership they learn in class. He also served the MAKONA men's social club and the Alpha Phi Omega Na-tional Service Fraternity, as well as he Student Ambassador Board, Indian

Insight, the McMurry Legal Society,

and other organizations in numerous

for two years to serve on the faculty curriculum committee as a student representative. He was the chief justice of the residence hall judical countries of the residence hall judical countries.

cil, and was a member of the judicial review board. Alexander is a National Collegiate Student Government mul-

tiple award winner, and a three year

member of the National Dean's List.

begin August 18, 1997. Mr. Alexander is a 1993 graduate of Motley County

Alexander's Southern Methodist University School of Law classes will

Alexander was chosen by faculty

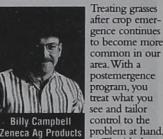
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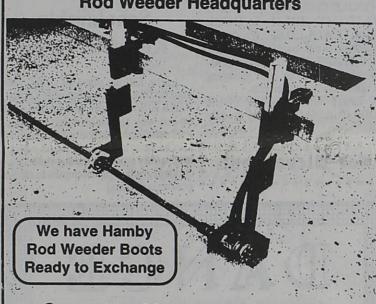
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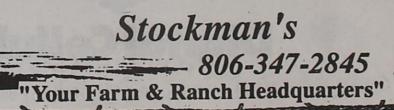
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Motley County Comings & Goings

Roaring Springs Rews

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

Visitors Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Martin were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Martin, Stormy and Brandon, and niece Andrea cal check-up at the Veterans Hospital. Gates of Amarillo.

bock spent the weekend with her parents week. and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Long and Rebecca, and Mr. and Mrs. James McCleskey and boys.

Dorthy Lee spent Sunday until Tuesday in Lubbock with her daughter, Linda being worked on.

bock Monday.

were Lubbock visitors Monday. Roxie Lewis accompanied by nurse Karen Brown kept a Doctor's appointment Friday with Dr. Kopp in Plainview, hoping he can fit her with glasses instead of catarac

surgery.
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Barnes of Joplin, MO visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten.

Ken and Suzanne Abbott are visiting Utah on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten visited in Palmer.

Plainview Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sedgwick drove to Amarillo Monday for Ted to have a medi-

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jordon have been Robin Long and Mike Green of Lub- vacationing in Wichita, Kansas the past

> Friday and Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten were Angie Burkes of Dalhart and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burkes of

Odessa Mullins joined Mary Beth Schwartz and son, Scott, while her car was Adamson of Turkey and Lottie Garrison and Theta Holt of Silverton, Connie Allen Herbert Swinney was a visitor in Lub- and Bobbie Trull of Crosbyton, Caprock Association WMU leaders, Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Swim and Lula Swim attend the Association WMU Leadership Training at First Baptist Church in Canyon. Sixty leaders from eleven associations led by Pat Lambright, who is state

> Odessa Mullins attended WMU Day at Plains Baptist Assembly Camp in Floydada Monday. One hundred and sixteen attended. WMU State President Jean Lou spoke. She lives in Lubbock.

Matador Rews

86TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Elga Evans celebrated her 86th birthday last week and her children, Katherine and Leroy Scott, Margaret and Seaman Scott, grandson Toby, all from Lubbock, and son Rodger were here for the celebra- lores Fox, Pat Meroni, and Dumont Bridge,

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. and festivities included Bert's parents and Mary Meason were her niece Jeanne Hamilton Straub and her husband, Dean, from Nordland, WA, and Gladys Marie Springer McDonald and husband, James, from Ft. Worth, TX.

Keith Patton judged the 34th Annual Broadway on the South Plains Iris Show for the South Plains Society at the Garden and Arts Center in Lubbock, Saturday. His wife, Joan did research at the new Southhe was judging.

> **HONORED WITH GRADUATION PARTY**

Family members met Sunday afternoon, May 5, at the Roaring Springs Ranch campgrounds to honor Bert Darsey with a high school graduation party and picnic. mot.

East Afton.

equipper for this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Snow of Guthrie, OK visited Friday until Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J.D.

Hosting the event were Bert's aunt, uncle, grandparents, and their families: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale and Dillon of Dickens; Mr.

> Bridge and Becca Bridge of Lubbock; Dorall of Afton. Others sharing in the barbecue meal

> brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey and

and Mrs. Gary Bridge of Afton; Clayt

Dumont of Matador; and friends, Quinton Brandon of Matador; Cory Ashley and

Jarod Ashley of Roaring Springs; and Chancy Long of Dickens. Following the meal, the group enjoyed a chocolate cake decorated with a congratulatory message in Bert's school colors of red and black. Red and black balloons and streamers also decorated the campsite. west Collection on the Tech Campus while Games of basketball, dominoes, and Scattergories were enjoyed by those in atten-

> Bert will graduate from Motley County High School on May 31, 1997.

Visiting Luther and Edna Ruth Green Sunday afternoon was Art Green of Flo-



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Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes and attending Bob Wills Day in Turkey were Rickey Hughes, Billy Don Hughes and Becky Webb of Lubbock.

Mrs. Bobbie Morris of Fulton visited from Wednesday until Monday with her brother and wife, Nelva and Wendell

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin were in Lubbock, Friday for medical appointments. They visited in Floydada, Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Bessie Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse attended the 1-1A Regional Golf Tournaments Thursday in Levelland in which daughter, Leah played and in Sundown in which son, Keane competed. Joining them there were Mrs. Marihelen Wason and Mrs. L.B. (Lucretia) Campbell of Matador whose grandson, Dayton Grundy played in boys trounament. There were 16 teams represented in each tournament and the Motley County teams placed 4th. Team totals were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter. boys: 691 and girls 878.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Campbell of Turkey visited Sunday with Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter visited from Saturday until Monday in Southlake with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhodes, Russell and Rick. They attended a bridal shower honoring Rick's fiancee.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Martin of Quitaque visited his mother, Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin,

Mrs. Lori Kleinbrink and son, Kyler of Lubbock visited Thursday night and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay. Their daughter, Julie Clay of Lubbock visited them during the weekend and in Turkey with Tina and Pat Carson.

Soaping and washing window panes, Spring housecleaning making gains, Then dust storms hit the South Plains, And all the work was done in vain!

Dust storms with 40-45 mile gusting Michael until Monday.

winds Thursday, Friday and again Sunday afternoon had tractors moving across fields trying to conserve the land in northwest Motley County.

A light rain shower around midnight Thursday accompanied by a spattering of hail stones didn't deter the wind storms. Mrs. Tommie Cruse of Flomot registered 0.23 andWhiteflat residents reported 0.25 to 0.30 of raindrops.

Mrs. Glen D. Tiffin returned home-Tuesday from Plainview following surgery at Methodist Hospital. She is reported to be recovering just fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee attended the funeral services Tuesday, April 29 of their son-in-law, Robert McGraw held in Kerrville. Their daughter and family, Mrs. Teresa McGraw, Kellan and Kacee of Kerrville visited them during the weekend.

H.G. Hunter and Larry Hays of Quitaque were luncheon guests, Sunday of

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughter and husband, Christi and Dwain Milam of Petersburg enjoyed the South of the Sixties performance at the Cactus Theater in Lubbock, Saturday night.

Art Green visited in Matador, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green and children.

Mrs. Phylis Gladson and daughters, Rhonda and Mrs. Amber Covey of Austin visited the weekend with her mother, Mrs. C.W. Starkey. Rhonda is a student at Lubbock Christian University in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Helms, Zane and Hayley of Memphis visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris attended to business in Yukon, Okla., Fort Smith Arkansas and Graham during the week. Mr. Morris also attended to business in Breckenridge and Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey and grandson, Warren Davis met Mrs. Clifton Reid of Amarillo in Tulia, Friday. Mrs. Reid accomapnied Warren to Fritch where he visited his family, Mrs. Jackie Davis and

Whiteflat Rews

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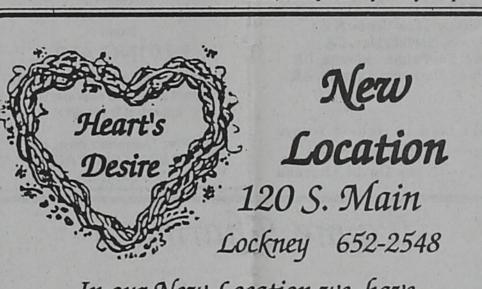
the steps it takes, nobody knows but a Holcomb of Floydada. mother. The most automated and treasured appliance in a household is a mother!

eryn Martin enjoyed the Caprock Jambo- mother during her medical tests. ree in Silverton Saturday night. Mrs. Marher mother, Mrs. Ray Martin.

Danielle visited in Matador, Saturday at Nobody knows of the work it makes to the Gwinn home with his sisters. Mrs. keep the home together. Nobody knows of Josie Raetz of McAdoo and Mrs. Marilyn

Mrs. Wilda Dixon met her mother, Mrs. Ted Hester and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hester of Lovington, N.M. in Art Green of Flomot and Mrs. Kath- Lubbock, Friday to visit and to be with her

Visting Mrs. Martha Jo Shacklett, Mrs. tin visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with Vernell Hanna and Ryan, were Lynn Hanna and Darrin Wilkerson of Abilene. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn, Fannin and them, Friday was Clyde Ray of Spur.



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Emily Payne Queen Gettler passed away she lived in Roaring Springs, sometime in in a rest home in El Monte from complica- the 30s. They moved to El Monte, Califortions of Alzheimer's Disease April 20, 1997 nia sometime between Jan. 1941 and July She was burried at Rose Hills Mortuary - of 1945. Mr. Queen died in in 1968. She married Ralph Gettler in 1970.

Mrs. Gettler was also preceded in death by her daughter Barbara Queen, her brothers, Avery Payne and Ruben Payne. She is survived by her husband, Ralph Gettler, brother John Payne and sister Dimples She grew up in Roaring Springs and Payne; two sons, James Queen and Robert was a student in the Roaring Springs school Queen, Sr.; four grandchildren and five system. She married James L. Queen when great grandchildren.

Robert McGraw

Memorial services for Robert "Bob" was a photographer for Audie Murphy McGraw, 44, of Kerrville were held Tues- Memorial Veterans Hospital in San Antoday, April 29, 1997 at 5:00 p.m. at the nio. He was a member of Calvery Temple Frankie Enloe officiating. Another memo- view Elks club. rial service was held Thursday May 1, Memorial Veterans Hospital Chapel in San on Nov. 15, 1991 in Plainview. Antonio, Texas.

direction of Grimes Funeral Chapel of McGraw; stepson, Kellan Roberts, all of Kerrivlle.

Mr. McGraw passed away Sunday, April 27, 1997 at his residence.

He was born Dec. 8, 1952 in Plainview and had been a Kerrville resident for four

Grimes Funeral Chapels with the Rev. Church, Alcoholics Anonymous and Plain-He was a cotton buyer when living in 1997 at 1:00 p.m. at the Audie Murphy Plaiview. He married Teresa Lee Roberts

Survivors include his wife; mother,

Funeral arrangements were under the Mildred McGraw; daughter, Kacee Kerrville and a sister, Diane McGraw Lloyd

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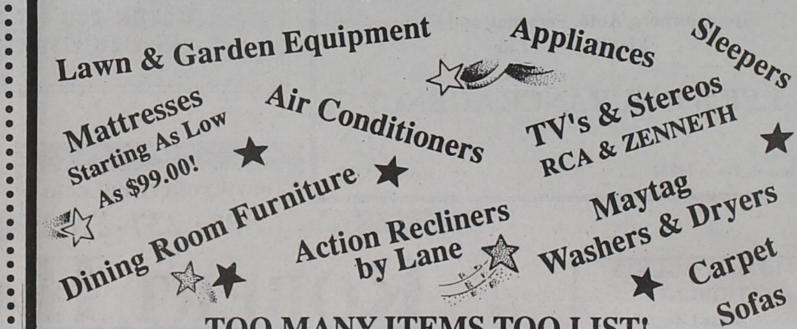
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Sincerely, Gary Smith **Roaring Springs**

I appreciate your support in the May 3rd Election. I will continue to serve to the best of my ability. Thanks again.

Travis Jameson

Thank you to the person who brought the fried chicken and cake to my house. They were delicious. I appreciate all the kindnesses and the many

Lula Swim

How can we begin to thank everyone for the prayers and words of concern the last two years of John's injury and illness. Please forgive our delay in this thank you letter, but your kindnesses much outweight our negligence. We are thankful for our true friends and family who have stood by us during these hard times. A special thank you to the person who sent the letter this week. May God bless you all with peace and joy.

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