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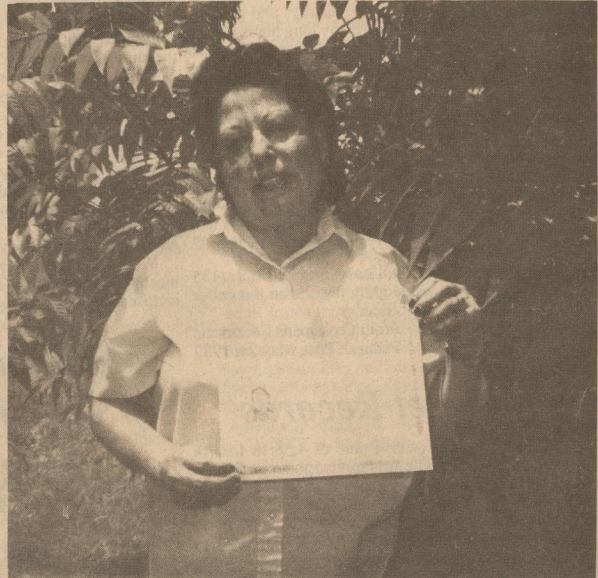
THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1989

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Motley County Students Presented Awards at End of School Assembly

Lions Club Citizenship Award, Boy: David Stafford; Girl, Joely Ewing.
 Scholarship Awards: Valedictorian, Regina Cruse; Salutatorian, Dina Patel.
 Highest Ranking Student in MCHS, Jarrett Jameson, 97.45.
 Etemas Jr. Study Club Scholarship Award, \$100 Scholarship: Girl, Joely Ewing; Boy, Tim Terrell.
 Best All Around Award: Joely Ewing, Jarrett Jameson.
 Teachers Honor Effort Award: Regina Cruse, David Stafford.
 Vance Gilbreath Math Award: Yulanda Campbell.
 UIL Academic and Athletic Award: Regina Cruse and Joely Ewing.
 Scholarship Awards: Freshman, Tonya Hoyle; Sophomore, Casey Stafford; Junior, Jarrett Jameson; Senior, Regina Cruse.
 Sportsmanship Award: Yulanda Campbell, Rusty Willmon.
 School Spirit Award: Chandra Brown.
 Activities Award: Leigh Barton and Joely Ewing.
 Bausch & Lomb Science Award: Tim Kendall.
 UIL Science Award: Jimmy Cummings.
 Citizenship Award: Seniors: Joely Ewing, David Stafford; Juniors: Yulanda Campbell, Jarrett Jameson; Sophomores: Brandee Spray, Billy Lefevre; Freshmen: Christi Shorter, Eric Farley.
 English Awards: Freshman, Christi Shorter; Sophomore, Billy Lefevre; Junior, Jarrett Jameson; Senior, Dina Patel.
 Math Award: FOM I Kammia Pitts.
 Algebra I, Tonya Hoyle; Algebra II, Matt Washington; Geometry, Yulanda Campbell, Jarrett Jameson.
 Science Awards: Physical Science, Tonya Hoyle, Paul Barton; Biology, Casey Stafford, Billy Lefevre.
 Physics: Regina Cruse.
 Health Award: Tonya Hoyle.
 Driver Education, Christi Shorter.
 One Act Play Awards: Joely Ewing, Trish Palmer, Tim Terrell, David Stafford.
 Dramatics Awards: Leigh Barton, Rusty Willmon, Regina Cruse, Billy Lefevre.
 Spanish Award: Billy Lefevre, Paige Williams.
 PTO Literary Award: Jimmy Cummings.
 Spelling Award: Kristi Timmons.
 Social Science Awards (Government): Regina Cruse.
 Social Studies Award (World History): Casey Stafford.
 History Award (U.S. History): Jimmy Cummings.
 Typing Award: Tonya Hoyle.
 Business Award: Business Math, Dina Patel; Personal Business, Regina Cruse.
 Computer Science Award: Tim Kendall.
 Homemaking Award: Tonya Hoyle; Clothing Textiles, Memori Assiter; Family Living, Tammy Taylor; Food Science, Prissy Roys; Child Development, Janeile Long.
 Agriculture Awards: Vo. Ag. I, Jason Stanley; Vo. Ag. II, Billy Lefevre; Vo. Ag. III, Jarrett Jameson; Gen. Ag. Mech., Gilbert Guerrero.
 Yearbook Editors Award: Tricia Palmer.
 School Paper Editors Award: Leigh Barton, Dina Patel, Regina Cruse, Joely Ewing, Jenifer Davis, Tina Cummings, Paka Barton, Janeile Long.
 Physical Education Award: Dina Patel, Eddie Maxwell.
 Athletic Awards: Kathy Mangram, Roy Estrada.
 Service Awards: Sue Maxwell and Joe Wallingsford. These service awards were presented to Sue and Joe for work done at school and in our community.
 Present Who's Who Awards: Joely Ewing, Regina Cruse, David Stafford, Paige Williams, Yulanda Campbell, Jarrett Jameson.
 Valedictorian: Regina Cruse.
 Salutatorian: Dina Patel.

Magdalena Carlson Receives US Citizenship



Mrs. Charles (Magdalena) Carlson is now a United States Citizen. After living in Texas for eighteen years Mrs. Carlson has chosen to become a citizen. She stated "I have always had a big love for this country and I want to serve my new home country to the best I can." May 24 found Magdalena with 51 other people who became citizens in a Naturalization Ceremony in Lubbock. Carlson was born in Parral, Chihuahua, Mexico, she and Charles were married in Van Horn, Texas, in 1970. They have one son, Jack, who will be a Senior in Motley County High School next year. Carlson operates her own business - the Matador Thrift Shop, on Highway 70. Congratulations Magdalena!

Fire Destroys Whiteflat Home



Matador Fire Fighters bravely fought the fire which completely destroyed the Harold Stotts Ranch house on Friday afternoon, May 26. The only part of the house they were able to save was the garage. The house, the former Bloodworth home, which is northeast of Whiteflat, caught fire from a skillet of grease.



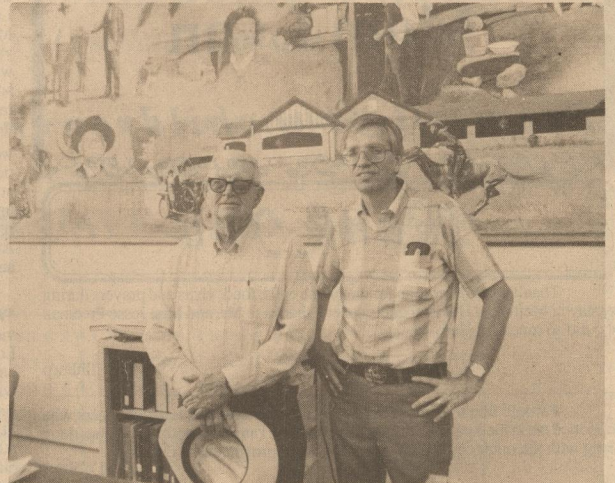
Contestants Sought for Jr. Rodeo Queen

The Motley County 4-H Adult Leaders and Rodeo Directors wish to invite all girls in the community to enter the Jr. Rodeo Queen Contest.
 Girls seeking to run for Queen may pick up their tickets at the County Extension office starting Monday, June 5th.
 Candidates will be selling \$1.00 chance tickets for a pair of Dood Dammron handmade boots. Winner of the boots will be drawn during the Saturday night performance July 15 at the Jr. Rodeo.
 The girl having sold the most tickets will receive a belt buckle and be crowned the 1989-90 Jr. Rodeo Queen.
 Each candidate will receive 10% of her ticket sales. Girls are encouraged to pick up tickets and start their sales on June 5th. Queen contestants may enter contest and receive further information by calling Rocky Vinson at 347-2733 or Frances Hobbs, 347-2734.

Methodist Youth To Sponsor Spaghetti Dinner

The Methodist Youth of the Matador Methodist Church will serve a Spaghetti Dinner, consisting of Spaghetti, French Bread and Cobbler, following the Sunday Service, June 4, 1989.
 Donations will be appreciated. This money will go for a summer retreat for the youth group.

Lubbock Southwest Collection Tours Motley County



David Murrah, director of the Southwest Collection, greets Johnny Stevens, formerly with the Matador Land & Cattle Company at the library during the historical tour to points of interest in Motley County. The fifty members of the Friends of the Texas Tech Library/Southwest Collection visited the QA&P Depot, the County Jail, the Library Mural, the Mott Line Camp, and Old Lyman Stage Stop. Lunch was served by Walter Jones at the Headquarters of the Matador Cattle Company.

Are You For or Against The 9-1-1 System?

by Barbara B. Jameson

In view of the controversy over the 9-1-1 Emergency System I have decided to write this article.
 In talking to the City Councilmen of Matador, there are two definitely against it, one for it and two undecided at this time.
 The Volunteer Fire Department and

the EMS are planning a house to house canvas to get petitions signed by Matador Citizens either for 9-1-1 or against 9-1-1.

If you have an experience where 9-1-1 would have been of benefit or a hindrance the Tribune welcomes and encourages letters to the Editor. The next council meeting is June 8, so please get them here before Tuesday, June 6.

Roaring Springs Assembly of God To Host Guest Speaker This Sunday

The Assembly of God Church will host a guest speaker at the Sunday morning services, June 4 at 10:55 a.m.
 Bill and Francine Harris of Calvary Commission will be the guest speakers.
 Jesus changed Bill's life while he was doing time in jail and prison. He is "sold out" to Jesus. Each week he ministers to men in Administrative Segregation. Bill is a song writer, a musician, a member of the Hope Band, and the Administrator

for the Basic Christian Training School. Francine loves Jesus with all her heart. She came to work with Calvary Commission in 1985 from Florida. She works in the Accounting Department in Lindale, and travels with the Hope Crusade Team as Director of the Calvary Players, a drama ministry. She was very effective in Europe last summer.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

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In The Rough

by Hazel Donovan



Winning team (30) Alfred and Louise Barton, Bill and Mary Jones.

Second (30) Ben Charles and Mary Lou Grundy, Vann Francis, Tom Yeates.

Third (30) Garland and Judy Cartwright, Jim Ballew, Mike Hancock.

Fourth (32) Roy and Dortha Grundy, Rob Francis, Geneva Wilson.

Fifth (32) Ellis and Leona Terry, Jake Goodson, Randy Barton.

Other teams: Buzz and LaVoc Thacker, Butch and Judy Renfro, Howard Edmondson, James and Frances Moss, Charlie and Nancy Long, Wade and Nell Berryman, Alan Bingham, Vida Elkins.

Garland Cartwright was winner on closest to the pin on No. 3 - 5'2"!

THURSDAY PLAY

Louise Barton and Geneva Wilson were early players with Louise the winner on most pars on even holes.

After 5:30'ers - Nell Berryman, Dortha Grundy, Mary Jones, Debra Scott, June

Moss, Leona Terry, Marihelen Wason, with Dortha winning most pars on even holes.

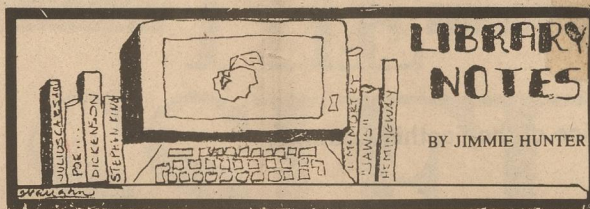
The golf course is beautiful and in great condition - fairways and greens - due to care and many long hours of diligent work of Dudley Barber and the rains have helped.

The Ladies Association of Spur CC is sponsoring a Partnership Scramble Thursday, June 8.

Saturday, June 3 is going to be a day of conflicts. Quannah ladies are having a low ball tournament. And Floydada is sponsoring a Jack and Jill tournament Saturday and Sunday. As has been said, one needs to be twins, so one could do more than one thing! So it goes!

"A golf ball leaves the club head at 135 mph. Just slightly faster than the golfer leaves his office."

From Crossroads Comments Paducah Post, May 24, 1989



Things have really been busy at Motley County Library, and looking at the calendar it looks like it is going to be busy all through the Summer. Members of Library School will register for the Summer READ-TO-ME Program after your regular meeting at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 13. Registration for the Summer program for all Children, 2 years old to those who finished Kindergarten, will begin at 11:15 that morning. We hope you can come that day, but if it is impossible, we will have registration blanks available at the library for both that group and the ones who finished 1st through 6th grade this year. The older group will register at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 22.

On Wednesday, May 24, we were delighted to be included on the tour of the Friends of the Southwest Collection, and were pleased with the way approximately 52 people could fit into our newly rearranged front room to hear the story of the mural. Dr. Murrah, Chairman, of the Southwest Collection, and a member of the WTLS Board, had just returned from three days in Austin and commented that it was a pleasure to get out and see the working libraries and how they function. He was delighted to hear that our Commissioners had approved the hiring of an Assistant Librarian, and though our monthly circulation report was impressive for the population we serve.

We started this week by hosting a meeting of all the Green Thumb workers and a representative of their Host Agency,

at 9:30 a.m. Derrell Hale, area supervisor for the program was in charge and explained that some changes would be made beginning July 1, 1989. There were ten people present for the meeting and we are very grateful to Beverly Vinson who came in and handled everything at the front desk, while Bessie, Earline and I were involved in the meeting. She had a very busy morning!

Nine students from Seventh Grade through Seniors indicated that they would be interested in participating in a Verse Speaking Choir, beginning on June 15, and meeting on Thursday evenings until July 13. If we are still enjoying it, we might have another Min-session after I return from my vacation in July. Watch next weeks paper for another announcement with the hour that we will meet.

We wish to thank Loretta Cross from Northfield for bringing two grocery bags of new paperback books, and Josephine Hamilton for bringing a book on Texas last week. When Marisue Potts came in to pick up the wildflower pictures and supply us with a new display of Texans, she and Beverly thought it needed one more item and added the new book to the display case. Mrs. Alta Duval also brought some nice new books for us last week.

Saturday, Jess Couch brought two copies of Artists of Texas, Vol. II, which gives a brief biographical sketch of many Texas artists, and examples of some of their work. We are grateful to add this information on artist of Texas to our collection.

Matador Garden Club Ends Season With Installment

New officers for Matador Garden club's 1989-90 club year were installed at a spring luncheon, May 15, in the home of Mrs. W.N. Pipkin, and brought the current season to a close.

The new slate of officers includes Mrs. Pipkin, president; Mrs. Edgar Lee, 1st vice-president and Mrs. Douglas Meador, secretary-treasurer. Parliamentarian, reporter and committee chairmen will be appointed by the president. Mrs. Lee, outgoing president, conducted the brief ceremony, presenting each new officer with a resume of her duties, together with an attractive handmade bookmark.

Mrs. Lee called the meeting to order for a reading of the minutes by Mrs. Pipkin, out-going secretary-treasurer, and a report of the horticulture display which the club arranged at the Motley County Library Building on Saturday, May 13. Members participated 100 percent with a variety of spring flowers placed on the window ledges inside the building, and admired by the viewing public. Mrs. Lee reported that after receiving notice that the club had received an award which would be presented at the spring convention of Texas Garden Clubs April 18-20 at South Padre Island, she had sent postage for the club's scrapbook entry to be returned, but had not heard from the Award's chairman or received the award and scrapbook.

For a short conservation program on "Wildflowers," Mrs. Meador gave a review of the subject from issues of the Lone Star Gardner magazine, in which emphasis was placed on the Texas Highway Department, recognized as the "largest landscape gardener in the United States, winning this distinction with over 800,000 acres of highway right of way to plant, mow and maintain." Getting mowers to hold off until seed was set was largely the work of garden clubs, according to Mrs. L.G. Clinton Jr., Managing Editor of the magazine.

"Mowers start cutting along highways beginning in mid-March in the lower part of the state and work northward. When plants produce a bumper crop of seed, they are gathered to be distributed in another area. In this way it is possible to enjoy an ever increasing display of color and beauty along Texas highways," Mrs. Meador quoted.

Although there are 5000 varieties of identified wildflowers in Texas, perhaps the best known, and one that attracts the most attention is the state's flower, the Bluebonnet, Mrs. Meador said, and passed along a few hints regarding planting: Soak seed in a nitrogen innoculant just before sowing (available from commercial seed stores); use alkaline soil of moderate fertility but well drained, and seed should be sown by November 1 where they are to grow.

"When you purchase personalized license plates the money is used to buy wildflower seed for highway right of way, so buying these plates is not an ego trip. You are doing your part to Beauty Texas," the magazine Editor pointed out.

Mrs. Meador concluded with reading the Thought for the day from the club yearbook: "Best of all I like wildflowers; Each one whispers, 'God loves me too.'"

The menu for the covered dish luncheon provided a variety of tasty foods. An arrangement of roses from Mrs. Pipkin's garden centered the dining table, and complemented other arrangements used in room decorations, brought by members. Favors were miniature umbrellas fashioned of lace and held upright in candy gumdrop bases, handmade by Mrs. Lee.

Serving on the luncheon committee were Mrs. Ted Elliott, Mrs. Pipkin and Mrs. Craven. Two new members, Ms. E.D. (Rhea) Lawrence and Mrs. John (Chella) Lincoln were welcomed into the club. Others present were Rachel Patton and Mesdames W.D. Lipscomb, Artie Wason, Robert Darsey and Meador.

Senior Citizens Report

by Iris Blevins

Monday the bus went to Lubbock with several people riding. Some had Doctor appointments and others were shopping. Since we have been having trouble with the bus, so many won't ride.

Well, it has been repaired now and lets get back on schedule. The bus didn't go to Plainview Thursday. It was being repaired.

We will have our next luncheon the second Tuesday in June. And that will be June 13. We will be back on our regular schedule of second and fourth Tuesdays.

We had a good game of eighty-four and forty-two last Friday evening at the center.

We welcome you to come join in our games and fellowship meetings each Friday evening.

Hazel Soltwisch Receives Golden Poet Award

The World of Poetry's Board of Directors has voted unanimously to honor Hazel Soltwisch with their Golden Poet Award for 1989, in recognition of her poem "Mirror Image", which she submitted in their Free Bonus Poetry Contest.

The Golden Poet Award is to poets, as the Academy Award is to actors. It is the highest honor World of Poetry bestows on a poet.

The presentation award is scheduled to take place at the Washington Hilton, in Washington, D.C., on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 2, 1989, at one o'clock during the Fifth Annual World of Poetry Convention. The evening banquet, honoring her achievement, will be videotaped live for

television by World Television Production.

Poets from every state and province in the United States and Canada and 29 foreign countries have already signed up to go.

Willard Scott of the Today Show will give the welcoming address and Bob Hope, Helen Hayes, Tony Randall and Eddie Lon Cole, editor of the publication, will make appearances to entertain during the three days of the convention.

The World of Poetry Organization began 14 years ago. Under Publisher John Campbell and Editor Eddie Lou Cole, it has become the largest poetry organization in the world with over one million members.

Lula Swim Honored On Retirement

Postal employees, members of Predicta Study Club and other friends of Miss Lula Swim honored her with a reception at the Depot last Saturday with about 60 guests registering.

Hostesses were Mesdames Nell Clem, Billie Clifton, Juanita Cooper, Pauline Hand, Freda Keahey, Naomi Lawrence, Ida Lee McClure, Zella Palmer, Lee Peacock, Chelsea Read, Cora Smallwood, Joyce Smith, LaVoc Thacker, Lillian Thacker, Pam Thacker, Callie Winegar, Mammie Yeates and Grace Zabielski.

Mesdames Lillian Thacker and Mammie Yeates alternated at the Guest Register, and the hostesses served the cake and

punch.

An interesting feature was the money mail bag made by Mrs. Buzz Thacker, the generous contents of which gave proof of appreciation of the honoree.

Out of town guests present were Miss Thanie Smallwood and Mrs. Agnes Aaron and Rev. and Mrs. Gene Louder of Matador; Mrs. Ruth Robbins, Afton; Mrs. Jennie Lou Harvey, Alabama; Mesdames Line Wyatt and Darlene Reeves of Lubbock; Rev. and Mrs. Donnie Howell, Littlefield and her nephews and families, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Swim, Edward and Emily of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swim of Lubbock.

Loretta Cross Receives Koch Scholarship



Loretta Cross

The Fred C. Koch Foundation announced the recipients of its annual scholarship awards program for the academic period 1989/90. One of the twenty-three

recipients is Loretta Cross, daughter of Jim and Karlene Cross. Jim Cross works for Matador Cattle Company. Loretta will

be a Junior at Montana State University in Bozeman, MT.

Awards of \$1,000 each are made annually by the Fred C. Koch Foundation to dependents of Koch Industries, Inc. employees.

Loretta is a 1987 graduate of Motley County High School.

Granddaughters Set Records

Kathy and Keri DeWild, granddaughters of Mrs. Zona Ruth Cammack, set girls track records at Friendship Jr. High Field events. For the Second year in a row, Kathy was all-around girl athlete. She set a school record in the 1200 meter run with a time of 4:35:85 with Keri close

behind with a time of 4:56:18 for 7th grade. The girls are also honor students in band. Kathy plays trombone and is in group competition. Keri plays French Horn and Trumpet.

Parents of the girls are Mary and Kevin DeWild of Lubbock.

Happy Birthday Mom Lynn

From all your children

Thank You

Thank you to everyone for the phone calls, food, visits and prayers during my stay in Methodist Hospital and a special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Freeman who did so much for Herman.

Ruby Ellithorp

I would like to express my appreciation and thanks to those voters who supported me in the Roaring Springs City Election. I am looking forward to working along with the other council members for the improvement of our city.

Thanks again, Bill Hand

I want to thank all those who visited me, called and sent cards after the death of my dear brother, Howard Hamilton. I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Mary Meason

My heart is filled with gratitude for the many ways you, my friends, remembered me during my hours of grief at Juanell's passing. Telephone calls while I was in El Paso and since returning home, flowers, cards, visits, food, your prayers and memorials, all were deeply appreciated. Also I thank my dear friend, Virgie Hunter, who made the trip with me, and niece Wynona Gilbreath, who accompanied us to the Lubbock Airport and met us there on our return. May God richly bless each of you who remembered me in any way.

Mrs. Henry (Lucy) Ford

My sincere appreciation goes out to everyone who "had a hand" in my Retirement Reception. Much appreciation goes to the hostesses for their planning and carrying out of the plans so successfully, to all who came to express their goodwill toward me, and to those who gave tangible evidence of their goodwill by their addition to the contents of my beautiful mail bag. Blessings on you everyone!

Lula Swim

To my freinds:

My heart was warmed and my spirits lifted by your cards, your telephone calls, your flowers, and your visits during my recent hospitalization, recuperation at Benny and Wanda's and my days at home. Thanks to each and everyone of you. Also a special thanks to those who looked after my yard while I was away. My niece Karen Bumpass of Paducah, helped me very much by welcoming me home and staying with me a few days, a special thank you, Karen.

Gratefully yours, Vera Mitchell

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Motley County School News

"Pocket Full Of Dreams" Presented at Elementary End of School Program



POCKET FULL OF DREAMS was the theme of the End of School Program, presented last Wednesday afternoon by elementary students, Kindergarten through 6th grade. Pictured here are third and fourth graders on stage, as other students look on waiting for their turn to present their performance. The program was great and enjoyed by all!

Honor Roll

DISTINGUISHED LIST
(all grades 90 or above)

1st. grade: Llan Barkley, Eden Gonzalez, Quinn Hays, Ryan Moore, Ty Terrell.

2nd. grade: Ty Barclay, Jason Barton, Keane Cruse, Robert Gillespie, Dayton Grundy, Angela Hammonds, Ashley Hammonds, Kandi Keltz, Stacie Neal, Samantha Osborn, Kaci Risser, Blair Thacker, Kristi Williams.

3rd. grade: Tanya Barkley, Jaylene Burge, Caralee Buchanan, Bobby Fritzier, Rebecca Long, Ryan Martin, Jill Stanley, Cobey Turner.

4th. grade: Leah Cruse, Bo Speed, Cody Timmons, Brandi Jameson.

5th. grade: Laurie Hoyle, Leigh Ann Pipkin, Bradley Thacker, Lindsey Williams, Cara Franks.

6th. Grade: Heather Turner, Stesha Daniels, Mandi Farley, Wendy Lancaster.

HONOR ROLL
(all grades 80 or above)

1st. grade: Leslie Ballard, Brant Donaldson, Paul Gonzalez, Dusty Jackson, Andy Jones, Todd Thomas, Rebecca Williams.

2nd. grade: Devin Perryman, Nathan Shannon, ShaVonne Taylor.

3rd. grade: Monica Clifton, Rebekah Jameson, Scott Smith.

4th. grade: Darryn Perryman, Crystal Norris, Kasey Parks.

5th. grade: Beth Bingham, Jodi Boykin, Christie Campbell, Veronica Gonzales, Lee Jones, Kevin Keltz, Joe Martin, Gwen Sims, Jeremy Smith.

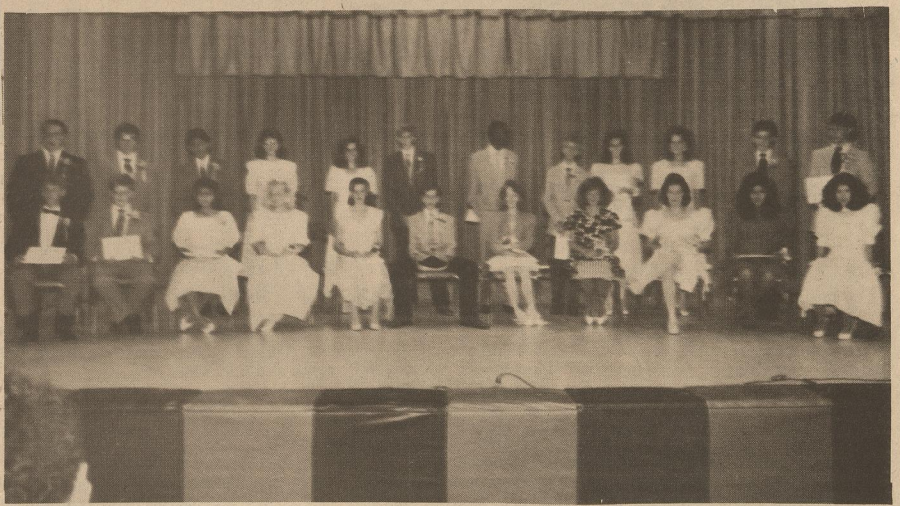
6th. grade: Jeremy Jones, Joshua Palmer, Jody Scott, Thomas Lee.



Motley County's Highest Ranking Students Named

The following students of the Senior graduation class had a 90 or above average for the last 2 years of their high school career: Regina Cruse, 92.20; Dina Patel, 94.71; Joely Ewing, 94.43; Tricia Palmer 93.80; Paka Barton, 92.69; Tim Kendall, 92.23; David Stafford, 91.45; Tim Terrell, 90.53.

The following students in the 8th Grade Graduating class had a 90 or above average for the year: Christine Potts, 97.50; Jagruti Patel, 96.278; Aimee Pipkin, 96.0; Danny Sailsbury, 95.834; Daniel Alexander, 95.723; Lacy Parks, 91.389.



8th Grade Graduates, at graduation ceremony held last Friday night at the Motley County High School Gym. 23 students graduated.

Patton Springs' Substance-Free Party Huge Success With Students

Following graduation commencement exercises on Thursday night, May 25, 1989, the Patton Springs gymnasium was transformed into a Tropical Paradise complete with palm trees and candlelit tables to begin the First Annual Substance-Free Graduation Party. From 9:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. photos (compliments of the FHA Alumni) were taken by Mr. Art Finkenbinder, and then the "Tropical Paradise" prom began as doors were locked at 10:30 p.m.

Exceptional music, especially the top-of-the-chart favorites, were played all night by disc jockey Sam Jones from Abilene. He was accompanied by his younger brother Chris who also assisted with the games and activities during the night.

For those not interested in the prom, there were the newest VCR releases shown throughout the night at "Cinema I and II" with all the free popcorn and colas one could consume.

Probably the biggest hit of the night (besides the Shakey's Pizza and Borden's Sundae Bar) was the casino games! Of course top prizes like a headphone set, a swatch watch, and a 35 mm camera kept the "dealers" busy for hours!

Around 1:00 a.m. the prom ended and all participants received an "Awesome Party '89" T-shirt. The shirts logo was designed by Art Finkenbinder, completed by Texas T's & T's of Matador, and made possible by Spring Fling donations.

Once everyone was comfortably dressed, limbo and hula hoop contests hilariously entertained party-goers and on-lookers. Basketball games, music, casino games, movies, door prizes, and much eating continued 'til dawn.

Around 5 a.m. grand prize winners of an AM-FM dual cassette recorder (jam box) and a red and black Huffly 10-speed bike were announced, as the freshmen class moms served a deliciously hearty breakfast of eggs, bacon, homemade biscuits, and gravy!

As the seniors boarded the bus for their Senior trip to Florida and beyond, everyone wished them well and agreed the safe, fun night they had all experienced was responsible for keeping the memories of this 1989 graduation happy ones!!

Congratulations to the following prize winners: Women's Cologne, Tammy Cooper; Men's cologne, Trent Willmon; Gift Certificate, Dana Mayfield; Gift certificate, Travis Finkenbinder; a quart of oil and 12 gallons of gasoline, Melinda Zarate; 12 gallons of gasoline, Scott Carothers; dinner for two, Johnny Williams; dinner for two, Moses Salazar; men's cologne, David Woody; mall money, Rhonda Smith; mall money, Travis Cline; Candle arrangement, Sandra Fulmer; T-Shirt, Dana Monroe; Swatch Watch, Jolene Adcock; Swatch Watch, Travis Finkenbinder; 35mm camera, Randy Finkenbinder; headset radio, Mikel Shepler; jam box, Trent Willmon; 10-speed bike, Dana Monroe.

Many thanks to the following generous donors: Childress: Texas Dept. of Highways & Public Transportation, (cash); Dickens-Ponderosa Grocery (soft drinks); My Cuz (movies); Circle G B-B-Q (dinner for 2); Afton - Afton Co-Op Gin (gasoline); Cooper's Corner (breakfast food); Sue Jones (35 mm camera); Monroe & Sons, Inc. (bike); Billie Willmon, (cash); Spur - Cattleman's

Restaurant at White River Lake (dinner for two); Matador - Texas T's & T's (t-shirt); Matador Variety (headset radio); The Windmill (candle arrangement); Don's Conoco (oil); Guys and Gals (cologne); Stanley Drug (cologne); Pay-N-Save Grocery (food); Matador Floral (planter); Roaring Springs - City Grocery (food); Thacker Supply (gift certificate); Thacker Jewelry (gift certificate); Lubbock - Shakey's (Pizza); Borden's (Ice cream); Ben E. Keith Co. (nachos); Paul Enger (breakfast food); U.V. Blake (tapes); Wicks N Sticks (candles). The donations taken up at the Spring Fling on May 5 were used to buy the "Awesome Party '89" T-shirts, the grand prize jam box, the mall money, and various contest prizes. Thanks from the Patton Springs FHA Alumni to those who supported our Spring Fling.

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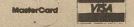
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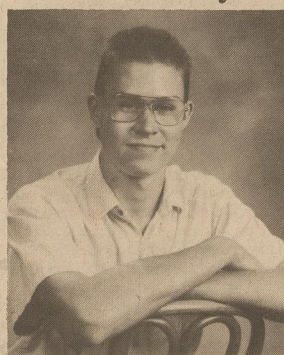
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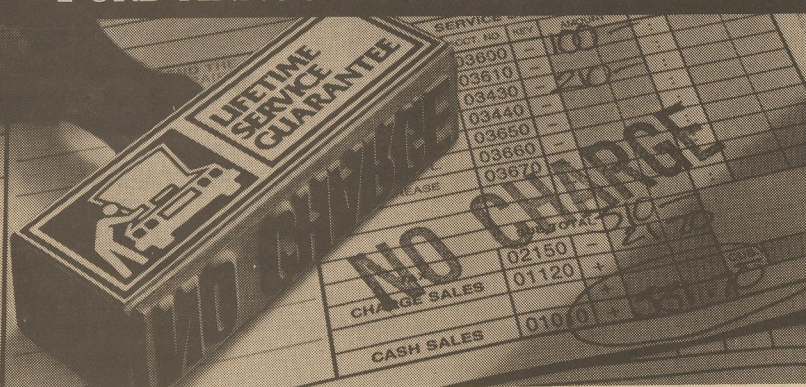
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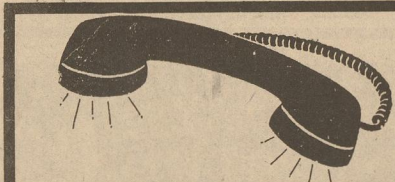
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County Chit-Chat

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brooks and Steve for Memorial Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brooks and Monica and a friend of Monica's, all of Del Rio; Keith Brooks, Jr., Victor Baldsmor and Richard Buchanan from Shepard Air Force Base in Wichita Falls; and local residents, Carolyn Moose, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Brooks and Alana; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Perryman, Mr. and Mrs. James May and Bobby; Tim Brooks, Betty and Cindy Bearden, all of Roaring Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Perryman, Devin and Brittany, of Matador.

Mesdames Lou Caffey and Betty Kemp were Lubbock visitors Sunday. They visited Lou's mother, Mrs. Clara Youngblood at Quaker Villa and found her doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Sedgwick, their daughter, Kim, and friends Danielle Prim and Brandt Scott, all of Lubbock visited Mrs. Callie Winegar the past weekend.

Mesdames Lorene Osborn and Callie Winegar attended the Memorial Day Service at the Afton Cemetery Monday.

Miss Freda Keahey was hostess to her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Max Heinly of Manhattan, Kansas and their granddaughter, Caitlin of Ft. Morgan, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Marshall of Spur visited Odessa Mullins Saturday morning. They were spending the Memorial Day weekend in their camper home at Springs Ranch.

Gary and Deana McCleskey of Hereford visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCleskey Saturday. Their brother, Al, who has been staying here, accompanied them home.

Visiting Mrs. Agnes Meredith for the Memorial Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Thames of Lubbock. Joining them on Sunday evening for a cook-out were Mrs. Wanda Carson of McAdoo, Karen Bethard, Kristopher and Larissa, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meredith, local residents.

Mrs. J.D. Mitchell reports her husband improving at news time. Mr. Mitchell has had a difficult recuperation following stomach surgery, and his many friends wish him well.

Carla and Jeremy Jones, Scott Sailsbury, accompanied by Sherry and Sean Rose of Matador traveled to Lubbock on Monday to attend the Memorial Day Skate Blast Skateboarding competition.

Ted Kingery came Wednesday to take his mother home with him in order to have her see an eye doctor.

DAUGHTER GRADUATES FROM COLLEGE

Retha Watson Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Watson of Roaring Springs, graduated recently in cum laude accounting from McMurry College in Abilene. She completed her college while employed at West Texas Utilities where she will continue to work.

She is a graduate of Roaring Springs High School, class of 1961.

Her parents attended the graduation exercises.

MISS SWIM HOSTS GUILD

The Guild met Wednesday evening of last week in the home of Miss Lula Swim with eleven present.

Mrs. Grace Zabielski, president was in charge of the meeting. Miss Freda Keahey said the opening prayer. Mrs. Chelsea Read gave the devotional. Mrs. Agnes Aaron, Bible teacher, presented the lesson on the 15th Chapter of Luke, and Pastor Gene Louder closed the meeting with a prayer.

In addition to the hostess and those on the program those present were Jeanie Bethard, Billie Clifton, Alta Duval, Mary Louder and Lee Peacock.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell who had been recuperating from heart surgery at the home of her daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Benny Goss of Littlefield for the past several weeks returned home last week. She was welcomed home by her niece, Mrs. Richard (Karen) Bumpass of Paducah, who remained with her until Saturday afternoon. Mesdames Mitchell and Bumpass drove to Floydada Friday to pick up the former's new glasses fitted after eye surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Raven of Bloomington, Texas, visited his "folks", Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Hinson, last week.

Corby Lee Marshall was a Roaring Springs visitor Monday and reported that his mother, Mrs. Hattie Marshall, a resident of Lutheran Home of West Texas, 5502 4th Street, Lubbock, has improved much in general health since her latest fall in April. She has not regained her power of speech fully but is physically improved and mentally alert.

Edna Dillard hosted a going away party for Dan, Katie and Mattie Wheelock on Sunday evening following church services. The Wheelocks are moving to California.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

HONORED ON GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse honored their granddaughter, Regina Cruse, who graduated from Motley County High School, Saturday night, May 27 and grandson, Roegan Cruse, who graduated from the Eighth Grade at Motley County Junior High, Friday night, May 26 with a family luncheon in their home, Sunday, May 28. They were each presented congratulation cakes, decorated with MCS emblems and colors and gifts.

Those attending the happy occasion were their parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse, Chancy, Talon and Brand of Flomot; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts of Lovington, N.M.; great-grandmothers, Mrs. Dona Browning of Turkey and Mrs. E.R. Cruse; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clifton, Monica and Skylar of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Patton and Thor of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and Fannin of Whiteflat; Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Brown of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dancy of Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. John Meacham of Paducah, Kentucky and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Leah, Keane and Derrick.

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

Mrs. Howard (Bea) Rogers was honored on her birthday with an entertaining "Coffee Break", Saturday morning, May 27 followed by a birthday luncheon in her home. Adding to the festivities was a colorful birthday cake and gifts.

Those attending Saturday morning were daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shay, Shawna and Dane of Calgary and Mesdames Joe (Leona) Degan, Bill (Erma) Washington and D.M. (Christene) Gilbert, local residents. Those attending the luncheon besides her husband, Howard and the Stanley Degan family were Mr. and Mrs. Trent McKay, Holly and Coy of Quitaque and son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and Natalie, local residents.

Keri Shorter celebrated her 13th birthday, Sunday May 28 in her home with a birthday luncheon, birthday cake and gifts. Hosting the celebration were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and sisters, Cindy and Christi. Special guests were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter.

Art Green visited in Plainview, Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baldwin of Santa Fe, N.M. are visiting here at their rural home and with local friends.

ATTEND GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Moseley visited in Klondike, Friday and Saturday with daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, Jim, Julie and Jill.

They attended the graduation ceremonies of Jill held Friday night, May 26 at the Klondike High School. Jill and her 21 senior classmates enplaned from Midland to Miami, Florida, Saturday morning where they embarked on a Caribbean Cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse attended the funeral services of his uncle, Glen Coffey, 88, held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, May 19 at the Country Club Church of Christ in Roswell, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham of Hart and Mrs. Vera Turner of Dumas accompanied Lonzo Barham to Glen Rose where they visited from Friday until Tuesday with Berry Barham and Mr. and Mrs. Young Lucwaller and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and Natalie moved this weekend to their remodeled home, located 3 1/2 miles northeast of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty George and daughter of Lubbock visited Mrs. C.W. Starkey, Sunday.

Mrs. Jeff Sperry returned home from Odessa, Sunday night where she had been with her daughter, Sharon Gabbard, who had major surgery. Her son, Bill Sperry and Odessa accompanied her to Idalou where grandson, Steve Sperry accompanied her to Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Brown of Irving visited overnight Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse. Mr. Brown, Judge Advocate of the State Veterans' of Foreign Wars, and wife were in Tulia, Saturday where Mr. Brown was the installation officer at the VFW District 13 meeting. They visited in the Cruse home Saturday night and Sunday before returning home.

Former Flomot Baptist minister and wife, Bro. and Mrs. J.E. Lee of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Shorter visited recently in Lubbock with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. James McNeal.

Visitors during the Memorial holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms were Cindy Snodgrass and Paula Helms of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Hamilton and Katie of Amarillo. Katie visited the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Helms. Other visitors, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Helms of Quitaque.

Dustin and Shae Reed of Lubbock are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen.

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

Pencils, books and teachers' dirty looks were the good ole' days compared to mortgage payments, medical and dental bills, car payments, fuel bills and all other things that have turned my hair gray!

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth, Susan and Kathy of Sundown visited from Friday until Monday with her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Martin. They and Art Green of Flomot enjoyed a picnic lunch at the Caprock Canyon State Park, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harvey were in Amarillo, Thursday for Mr. Harvey a medical check-up. En route home, they visited in Clarendon with Brenda Harvey and Julie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Faulkner of Lubbock visited Mrs. Jack (Rosa) Spray, Friday. Mrs. Arrie Aulick of Matador visited Mrs. Spray, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luckenbach of Silverton accompanied granddaughters, Marisa and Michelle Montague of Houston from Lubbock Airport, Saturday to the home of their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Heather and Cobey, where they will visit this month.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harvey during the Memorial holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bishop of Hobbs, N.M. and Jack Harvey of Reedley, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wesley visited last weekend and again, this weekend in Clarendon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chamberlain.

Matador News

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ellithorp of Harker Heights, Texas, Miss Rochelle Ellithorp of Dallas, Mrs. Jesse (Georgia) Lee of Tulia, Fradie Lee of Lural, MI were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellithorp over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Groves and Zena Mae Groves of Arlington visited Louise Robbins over the Memorial weekend.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risser during the weekend and attending the program presented Sunday night by the Children's Choir of First Baptist Church, were Mr. Risser's mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Risser and Mrs. Alton Dennington and small son, Jonathan of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Nichols of Denver City visited overnight Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Craven. Spending the Memorial weekend here with Mrs. R.E. Campbell were her daughters, Carol Allison of Fort Worth, and Charlotte, Mrs. Michael Richardson of Dallas, who continued from here to Albuquerque and Santa Fe, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Watson of Casper, Wyoming visited here during the Memorial weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Watson, and also in Afton with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Keith.

Mrs. Henry Ford returned home Saturday from El Paso, where she was called to the bedside of her niece, Juanell Litteral Wright, who died on Monday, May 22. Mrs. Ford was accompanied to El Paso by Mrs. Virgie Sparks Hunter of Slaton.

Attending Motley County High School graduation here Saturday evening for her granddaughter, Paka Barton was her grandmother, Mrs. Vivian Campbell of Amarillo.

Visiting Mrs. Elga Evans and Roger Evans was her daughters, Margaret Scott

and Katherine Scott and her granddaughter Sheri Taves and a friend, Travis Dougherty and grandson Michael, all of Lubbock, on Saturday of last week.

Grant Carlson had as a guest, his sister Frances Sherrod of Lubbock for Memorial Day. They also visited Elga and Roger Evans.

Thomas Lee Edmondson of San Francisco, California and his daughter, Christen of Dallas, visited over the Memorial Day weekend in the home of his parents and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Garrison were in Memphis, Sunday night to attend the Baccalaureat of grandson, Kelly Garrison, Thursday night to attend grandson, Kerry Garrison's 8th grade graduation and again, Friday night for Kelly's senior graduation exercises at Memphis High School. Others attending the graduation, Friday night were Kelly's great-grandmother, Mrs. Cecil Shelton and aunt, Mrs. Johnny Scott. Kerry and Kelly are sons of Mr. and Mrs. David Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Coke Barton of St. Lawrence visited during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. France Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Garrison visited recently in Childress with grandson, Grady Garrison of Houston who is moving to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Day returned home Thursday from Oklahoma City, where they attended the graduation on Sunday night, of their grandson Philip Engle from Putnam City North High School. In a class of 500, Philip received several scholarships and awards. He will report on July 3 to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., for induction.

Obituaries

Juanell Wright

Services for Mrs. Dick Wright, 67, of El Paso, the former Juanell Litteral of Matador, were held at 10 a.m. Thursday, May 25 in St. Paul United Methodist Church in El Paso with the Rev. Ralph Fishburn officiating. She was the niece of Mrs. Henry Ford of Matador.

Burial was in Fort Bliss National Cemetery under the direction of Harding-Orr and McDaniel Funeral Home. She was buried beside her late husband, a veteran of World War II, who died April 6, 1973. They were married August 31, 1938 in Anthony, near El Paso.

She died Monday afternoon, May 22

1989 in El Paso's Vista Hills Hospital after a lengthy illness, during which she had remained active in her church and community. She was a longtime member of St. Paul United Methodist Church, and devoted much time to its activities.

She was born August 25, 1921 in Matador, the daughter of Tex and Flora Lambert Litteral. In the 1930s they moved to El Paso County and Juanell attended school in Fabens. She had lived in El Paso for many years and was retired from El Paso Electric Co., where both she and her husband were employed.

She is survived by her aunt, Mrs. Ford; some distant relatives and a host of friends.

Social Security Tips For Motley County

Farmers and farm workers would be sure to note the rules that cover farm wages for social security purposes. The rules determine how workers earn social security protection for themselves and their families.

Farm workers get credit for work for an employer who spends \$2,500 or are a year for agricultural labor, regardless of the amount of wages earned or how many days they worked.

A recent exception to this rule provides that if a person works as a seasonal hand harvest laborer commuting to work daily from home, and is paid on a piece rate basis, the work is ONLY covered if cash wages amount to at least \$150, regardless of the amount of total farm wages the employer pays.

In all other cases, if an employer spends less than \$2,500 a year on agricultural labor, the worker is still covered if he or she is paid at least \$150 in wages during the year.

The reporting of farm wages is important to the financial security of farm workers. The coverage can mean benefits to a worker and his or her family when a worker retires, dies, or becomes disabled. Although the benefits are intended to be a base and not total income, for many low income workers social security becomes the main source of income in retirement, or if they become disabled, or to their families would they die.

The farmer is responsible for keeping a record of wages paid, deducting the taxes owed, reporting the wages to social security and the taxes that are due. Failure to do so can result in a penalty.

When the farmer hires farm crew workers, the crew leader may be the "employer". This is true if there is a written agreement, or the crew leader pays the workers. If the farmer pays the workers, whoever has the final right to control the workers on the job is the employer.

Farm workers who wish to check to make sure their earnings have been re-

ported may contact any social security office. The office will send them a Form 7004 with which they can request a "Personal Earnings and Benefit Estimate Statement." The statement will indicate the earnings credited to their record and the benefits payable at retirement, or if they become disabled, or to their family should they die.

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READER'S COLUMN

The Way It Was

by Emmett Jenkins

Lon (Pelow) Vivian was one of a kind, reared down on the Texas-Mexico border. In the early years, that was undoubtedly a wild country. Some of his associates were probably outlaws. Mexicans that could not be trusted.

Pelow would not trust anyone, even after he came to work for the Matadors. I was visiting at the Matador wagon. At mealtime he would take his plate and sit by himself, away from the others. No one sat behind him.

While working cattle, sometimes it was necessary to ride down a cutbank. Pelow would never go first. When asked why, he would say "Hoo Hi", if you are behind, they can't shoot you in the back."

He always wore his longhandle underwear and brush jacket, winter or summer. When asked why, the answer was "Hoo Hi, what will keep out the cold, will keep out the heat."

His family lived in town, and in later years he would come home nights, if a ride was available. The next morning early, it was his son Tom, who was obliged to take him out to the wagon.

One morning Tom came to a steep hill, putting the car in neutral, cut the motor off and coasted down the hill. Pelow asked Tom why he did that. Tom said to save gas.

A morning or so later on the way to the wagon, Tom was going up a hill. Pelow said, "Hoo Hi" Tom, cut it off, save some gas."

Pelow's oldest son, while working for the 6666 Ranch, was thrown from his horse. His leg got hung in a coil of the

rope, just above his knee, and he was dragged to death.

His second son, Bill, was manager of a ranch in the Las Vegas, New Mexico area. He died suddenly of a heart attack.

Tragedy struck again in Pelow's family. His third son, Tom was found dead, by the highway.

One Sunday afternoon, the wagon was at Russellville. They were working cattle, just north of the shipping pens.

Jordan Rogers roped a calf. His horse got astraddle of the rope. The horse began bucking, throwing Jordan off. The rope caught on the top of his boot. The horse kept kicking, but Jordan was up too close for the horse to hit him with his hoof. He was hitting him with his leg, across the back and hips.

I think it was John Stotts and Red Payne who spurred to the rescue. They hemmed the horse in, and grabbed the bridle, getting him stopped. They loaded him in my car and I rushed him to the Traweek Hospital. His back was bruised and skinned. He also had a broken wrist. He was fortunate as it could have been much worse.

Jordan lives at Dumont and I am sure he could give a better version than I have, but I have told it, to the best of my memory, as that has, been more than fifty years ago.

W.C. (Rosie) Deaton is the only one of the old time Matador cowboys who is still around. He remembers happenings, and the way things were for many years, because he was there.

That's the way it was.



Beate Tuczek, (Betty) is an exchange student from West Germany. She has been staying with Mrs. Becky Hamilton in Seminole and attending school. She is staying this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potts. She will return to West Germany after a tour of the U.S. with her parents. Betty stated that she loves Texas and the U.S. and has very much enjoyed her stay.

Letter to Editor

Dear Barbara,

After visiting with you this morning I decided to go ahead and send a picture of Will to you. If you want to put it in the paper it would be fine with us.

Will is 3rd in his class of 51 students. We are very proud of his grades. He will be taking an English Class at SWT University in San Marcos this summer. In the fall he will enter Texas A&M University and be a member of the Aggie Corp, majoring in Mechanical Engineering. Also this summer, Will and Bonnie are both working at The Salt Lick. It is a well-known barbecue restaurant in Central Texas. Perhaps some visiting friends will run into them there this summer.

Luke placed 3rd in UIL Number Sense, and he went to San Marcos in the Geography Bowl. Bonnie was again chosen to be a member of the Texas Dance Team for next year. Ron had a student go to state in Chemistry. And, I learned all about Process Writing which helped "all" my 3rd graders pass the writing section on the TEAMS test.

We have certainly enjoyed the senior's profiles in the paper. We feel very close to those young people, and our thoughts will be with them this weekend.

Our love to all, Ron, Alyson, Will, Bonnie and Luke

P.S. Tell everyone to come by for a visit!

DRT Chapter Collects Kudos At Convention

"The General James Smith Chapter is the chapter to beat," stated Mrs. Pauline Wilson, Historian General, at the Historical Evening of the 98th annual convention of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas at Bryan on May 10-11.

Besides earning a Texas History award, the President General's award, an achievement, and attendance award, The Lubbock chapter garnered the two most prestigious awards. Named winner of The Mamie Wynne Cox Award for historical research was Marisue Potts. Honored as the Outstanding Texas History Teacher of Texas was Mrs. Lenore Sanders Murray of O.L. Slaton Junior High, Lubbock.

Potts, who has served as District X Representative on the DRT Board of Management for the past two years, won this award in 1985 also. In addition to the state office, she served her chapter as recording secretary. Dr. Junius Motley was the subject of her essay entitled, "The

Road to San Jacinto." Using sources from the Texas State Archives and the reports of Secretary of War Rusk and Commander-in-Chief Houston, the writer gives an account of the young doctor's days in the Republic of Texas. Motley, a combat who received a stomach hit, was among the few casualties at the Battle of San Jacinto, the skirmish that won independence for Texas.

From ten districts of the nearly 6,000 member heritage organization, Mrs. Murray was selected as the winning candidate. A teacher of Texas History for nine years, Mrs. Murray has written a curriculum guide for the gifted and talented, serves as sponsor for the Junior Historians, and teaches honors Texas History.

To make history come alive in the classroom, the energetic teacher has her students choose a famous Texan then write an obituary, a eulogy, or a resume. The seventh graders are encouraged to keep a Decision Journal in which they might analyze Santa Anna's decisions at the Alamo. The students sometimes create newspapers for different periods of time. By writing plays or assuming the roles of Texans or Tejanos the young people become actively involved.

While studying the ranching unit, the classes have taken field trips to Ranching Heritage Center, a Feed Lot, or History Day at the Ranch, a DRT sesquicentennial project that took place for several years in Motley County. Murray's students find former Texas governor Preston Smith a fascinating guest when he talks politics with them. Equally exciting perhaps is the archaeological dig their teacher plans for them by layering Indian artifacts. Dividing Texas into five states and forming a government for each allows students to determine resources, economy, and political structure.

The Daughters learned at the convention that House Bill #2259, which proposed to take the Alamo from the custodianship of the DRT and place it under the management of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, died while in committee due to a successful DRT letter writing campaign to legislators.



All segments of the U.S. cotton industry are united in the desire to maintain a competitive price for U.S. cotton in domestic and foreign markets. But there the unanimity ends.

According to reports brought back to Lubbock, that fact became clear in Washington, May 22, 23 and 24 in meetings where first the Producer Steering Committee (PSC) of the National Cotton Council (NCC) and then the full NCC Board debated means to achieve that objective. Centerpiece for both discussions was a Federal Register notice from USDA proposing to broaden the formula by which the adjusted world price (AWP) is determined and to change the way the cotton loan program is administered.

The USDA proposal would continue utilizing the current formula for fixing the AWP except when it is determined that it results in an AWP that "does not accurately reflect the prevailing world market price of upland cotton adjusted to U.S. quality and location." When the determination is made, the Secretary of Agriculture would be permitted to make further AWP adjustments based on U.S. spot market prices, the level of weekly U.S. export sales, a comparison of available actual sales prices and quoted prices and the estimated volume of cotton available for sale from competing foreign sources.

In addition, "to facilitate the more timely movement of cotton into the market," USDA would stop the current practice of paying or forgiving storage charges during eight-month loan extensions. Instead, producers seeking a loan extension beyond the original ten month period, would be required either to prepay eight months storage to the warehouseman or provide documentation from the warehouseman that USDA will not be held responsible for such charges.

The NCC Board, made up of producers, ginners, warehousemen, crushers, cooperatives, merchants and manufacturers, had no serious problem adopting an industrywide position on the AWP adjustment. The board was split, however, on loan program changes, leaving the Council per se without a voice on the issue.

Out of the Producer Steering Committee came a proposal to determine the need for and the amount of any AWP adjustment based on the share of U.S. exports as compared to world exports.

The merchant segment offered a method whereby decisions would hinge on whether in any given week Memphis territory cotton was included as one of the five cheapest world growth quotations that make up the Liverpool "A" Index now used to establish the AWP.

The NCC Board found merit in both suggestions, together with additional details omitted here, and agreed that both would be submitted to USDA as acceptable to the industry, used individually or in tandem, at the Secretary's discretion.

On operation of the loan program, the PSC agreed to and asked the Council to support the accrual of interest and warehouse storage charges during the eight-month extension, to be paid by the redeemer of the cotton, and the continued waiving of interest and storage when cotton is forfeited to CCC.

The merchant segment had entirely different ideas, calling for mandatory producer prepayment of interest and storage on eight-month extensions, plus making payment of interest and storage on the original ten-month loan period a prerequisite to granting loan extensions.

According to Charles Bragg, NCC Vice President for Producer Affairs, the Board recognized its inability to reconcile producer-merchant differences on the issue and voted unanimously in accordance with NCC By-Laws, to leave the PSC on its own to pursue the committee's position.

Producer Steve Verett of Ralls, who attended the PSC meeting as president of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., said in his return that adoption of either USDA's or the merchant's proposal for practical purposes would be tantamount to cancelling the loan extension option granted to producers in farm law dating back to 1977.

And, he added, "PCG, and I expect the Producer Steering Committee and other producer groups, will do all we can to save that option as the one way producers can extend marketing decisions over two full crop years."

With God, all things are possible! Mark 10:27

Traveling Cross Country

by Steve Zabielski
Wednesday, May 24

Today we reached Groton, S.D. It's a small town just east of Aberdeen, S.D. Leaving Midland last week we encountered a strong north wind which made progress slow and tedious, but we managed to reach the capitol of S.D. by late afternoon. We spent the following day, Saturday, just relaxing while camped along the banks of the Missouri River. A local resident and fisherman took us out on his boat to fish. We caught 12 white bass. That night we feasted and slept, belly's full, under a full moon.

Prive is a beautiful city, not too big. When we arrived, the city's residents were celebrating their 100th year anniversary. There was a massive barbecue, serving free food to all, followed by a celebrity softball game. The Governor of S.D. coached one team, the Deputy Governor coached the other. The stands were packed and beer flowed abundantly. It was a good time.

We left Prive Sunday noon and reached Onida, S.D. at 5:00 p.m. There we camped at the City Park. The only thing memorable about this town was its swarms of mosquitos. It was unbearable to be outside the tents. We learned later that Onida has a high water table creating

many marshy areas where mosquitoes thrive.

The next day we reached Hoven, S.D. This small town of 700 people has but one church, an exact replica of a cathedral in Bavaria. This church is the most beautiful church I've ever been in. It was finished in 1920 and seats 1200. It's the most out-of-place structure probably in the entire country. You would expect to find it in New York City or Chicago, but not in the middle of the high plains of South Dakota.

On Tuesday we left our camp at the City Park (every town, so far, in South Dakota has had a City Park with facilities for camping and at no cost to the campers) and again struggled with heavy winds. This time an easterly wind. It was drafted one another, 5 minutes on in front, then 10 minutes behind for about 25 miles. "Drafting" is when bikes tail one another very closely allowing the front rider to break the wind while the ones behind pedal easier. It made all the difference for us that day. We reached Roscoe, S.D. at 4:00 p.m.

Today the winds were strong out of the northwest. We biked 50 miles including a stop in Aberdeen for bike repairs and supplies.

Until next week, be of good cheer!

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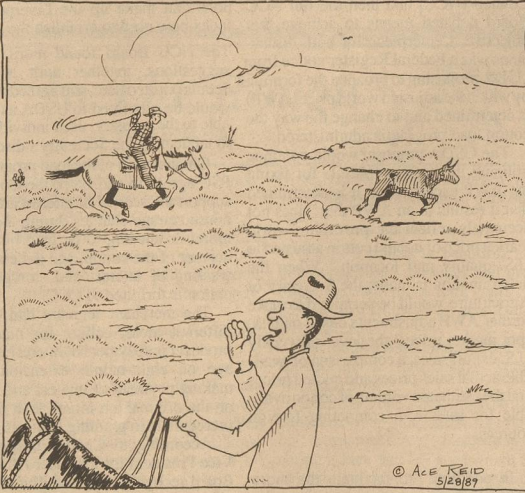
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By Ace Reid



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Announcements

PIANO RECITAL

Everyone is extended an invitation to come to Mrs. Eleanor Traweck's pupil Piano Recital, Sunday June 4 at the Methodist Church at 3:30 p.m.

The MYF of the Matador Methodist Church will have a spaghetti dinner (spaghetti, french bread, and cobbler) following the Sunday Service, June 4.

Donations will be appreciated, this money will go for a summer retreat for the youth group.

PARKS ARENA: Roaring Springs, Team Ropings for Buckles. Saturday, June 3, 1989. Rope at 2:00 p.m. Ropings for the day: #2 Roping - 3 head for \$14; \$6 Roping - 3 head for \$16; \$5 Roping - 3 head for \$16. All ropings are progressive. Rules will be announced on the day of Ropings. For more information: Harold Parks, 806-348-7524.

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FIRST WEEKEND FLEA MARKET: 17 miles east of Lubbock on U.S. 62-82, Lorenzo, Texas. June 2-4, 1989.

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CORRECTION

Oops!! We made a mistake. The panel of WWII veterans were from left to right, E.A. Day, C.D. Garrison, Frank Price, Bill Moss and Raby Webb. Sorry C. D.!

Notice

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO RESOLVE A TIE VOTE (Aviso De Eleccion)

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(A los votantes registrados del Roaring Springs, Texas):

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on June 3, 1989, for voting in a Municipal election, to resolve a tie vote.

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