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JIM MEADOR WINS MOTLEY COUNTY'S SHERIFF'S RAC

The Motley County Sheriff's race Meador declared the winner, against election. incumbent Alton Marshall, with total vote

count, Meador - 335, Marshall - 284.

ended Tuesday night, April 14, with Jim voters cast their votes in this run-off

City totals are as follows: Matador: Meador, 183; Marshall, 134. ary of 1993.

Flomot: Meador, 25; Marshall, 25 Roring Springs: Meador, 50; Marshall,

Northfield: Meador, 5; Marshall, 7. Absentee: Meador, 72; Marshall, 51. Mr. Meador will take office in Janu-

Museum Receives New Items

A beautiful leather book cover hand the beginning of World War II. tooled by H.H. Schweitzer has been given to the Motley County Museum by Mr. and Mrs. H. Vance Campbell to be used in recording memorials. This is the second item of the famous saddle maker to be denuted. be donated.

be donated.

A cassette tape recording of a storytelling session made by Edna Leonard
Waybourn for the Cowboy Symposium
at Texas Tech on May 30, 1992, has been
donated to the archieves joining other
tapes from the Symposium by Colquitt
Warren and Johnny Stevens.

A letter recently received from Dorothy
Echols Porter of Houston describes items
donated from the A B, and R P, Echols

Echols Porter of Houston describes items donated from the A.B. and R.P. Echols family, including ice tongs, a waffle maker, cup and sale shakers, and books: The Matadors by Colquitt Warren (1952); Second Grade Reader (1910); and Appolo, An Illustrated History of Art (1912). A brick from the Randolph brick kiln on Mott Creek complements a report and photos by the state archeaologist which decuments the compression and consensus.

like everyone else before the advent of the Model T and tractors, used mule power in their farming operations. Mr. Barton sold mules he raised to the government at

Love Fund Established For Hernandez Family

A Love Fund has been established at the First State Bank in Matador for Hilda and Isaac Hernandez, surviving wife and son of Roy Hernandez, who was killed in a tractor accident last week in Roaring

Anyone wishing do make a donation, may do so at the First State Bank, during banking hours.

Annual Bob Wills Day Set For Next Saturday

The 21st Annual Bob Wills Day celebration will be held in Turkey, Saturday, April 25. The 12th Annual Reunion of former Texas Playboys will be featured. At least 25 to 30 of the most famous and talented musicians in the country will be

present this year.
The Old Fiddlers Contest will begin at 12:00 p.m. at the Auditorium Center and Gym. There will be a dance Friday night, April 24, 9 p.m. - 12 midnight at the Bob wills Center, featuring ten to fourteen former Texas Playboys. The Saturday night dance, Apirl 25, will begin at 7:00 p.m., featuring Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys. Breakfast will begin at 11 p.m. at the Bob Wills Cafeteria.

The Annual parade will begin at 10:30 a.m., in downtown Turkey, Saturday, April 25th.

A Barbecue will begin at 11 a.m at the

Bob Wills Center, Saturday, April 25th. Other all day events include concession stands, with booths selling souvenirs including Playboys Cassettes and Al-bums, Caps, Totebags, Ashtrays, and Coins. The stands are located at the east end of the Center. The Bob Wills Musuem, Arts & Crafts Booths, will be at the Wills Center; Special movies of Bob Wills, both motion picture and T.V. featuring Bob Wills, upstairs in theArts & Crafts Building at the Wills Center.

D.P.S. will be on duty for your safety.

Postmaster Freddie Morren has received special permission from the Postal
Service to present the Motley County

Tom and Myra Spears in memory of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Spears, Tom and Jimmie King, Curtis and Leonard King.
Jr. and Mary Elizabeth Pitts in mem-

Centennial cancellation stamp to the museum for display only. Plans are to include it and other material related to the centennial in a shadow box.

Jr. and Wary Enzactur Flux in memory of Mickey Bostick.

Irene Welling in memory of Freddie H. Welling.

Mrs. M.S. Thacker in memory of

Melton S. Thacker



MOTLEY COUNTY 1891-1991 May 25, 1991 Motiey County Station MATADOR, TX 79244

documents the commercial endeavor by EverettRandolph between 1890 and 1912. From the W.B. Barton family, donated by Mary E. 'Dude' Barton, comes a mule collar with hames, leather straps and chains, and blinders. The Bartons,



Richard Robinson of Panhandle with the Texas Forest Service at Texas A&M Univer sity System, presented the Flomot Volunteer Fire Department the key to a truck free of charge. Accepting the key are Donnie Rogers and Jack Starkey.

Flomot VFD recently bolstered its firefighting arsenal with the acquisition of a truck, thanks in part to assistance from the Texas Forest Service and the Rural Community Fire Protection (RCFP)

program.

VFD officials stretched available funds further by obtaining aid through the RCFP program, which is administered by the Texas Forest Service. The VFD obtained the federal excess property truck free of charge.

Fifty percent cost-sharing aid - up to \$5,000 for trucks and \$4,000 for Compressed Air Foam System (CAFS) units and water units - is available to qualified VDSs.

Over 1,900 trucks, CAFS and water units, and other fire apparatus have been placed with RCFP aid. In addition rural firefighters have purchased over \$900,000 worth of bunker gear, Nomex fire resistant clothing and wildland fire equipment at discount prices through the RCFP Fire-Safe Fund Fire-Safe Fund.

For additional information about assistance available to rural firefighters, contact the Texas Forest Service, Fire Control Department, P.O. Box 310, Lufkin, Texas 75902-0310, phone 409-639-8100. Thanks to one such contact, Flomot VFD firefighters gained assistance toward the acquisition of their truck.

Early Voting For May Election Continues Through April 28

Early voting for local elections began April 13 and will continue through April 28th in person, or until April 24th by mail request. This may be done in the Motley

County Courthouse in the Clerk's office. Elections for School Board, Hospital Board, and Roaring Springs and Matador City Councils will be held May 2.

Candidates filing for these elections include the following:

School Board: two places open, Guy Campbell and Randy Barton. Those filed are Jeff Thacker, Bill Luckett and Alvin

Roaring Springs City Council: places open for Mayor, Joey Thacker; and Council Member, Mary Webb. Those

incumbents have filed for re-election.

Matador City Council: places open are for Council members, Shane Jones, Pete Williams, and Mayor Gary Lancaster. Those incumbents have filed

for re-election. Hospital Board: places open are for three places, Ruth Lee, Bob Davis and James Stanley. Those filed are Bob Davis, Jo Ann Durham, James Stanley and James



MOTHER & DAUGHER OF THE YEAR: Amy Woolsey and her mother, Judy, were named Mother and Daughter of the Year at the 54th Annual Mother-Daughter Banquet held Thursday, April 9 at the Motley County High School Gym. Amy is a Senior at Motley County High School.

School Board Meeting Report

The Motley County ISD Board of Trustees met Wednesday, April 8, to approve the minutes. Other business tended to consisted of:

* financial statement;

* set May 6, 7:30 p.m., to canyass

* set May 6, 7:30 p.m., to canvass election results;
*approved early school dismissal April

* adopt a local Special Ed Educational

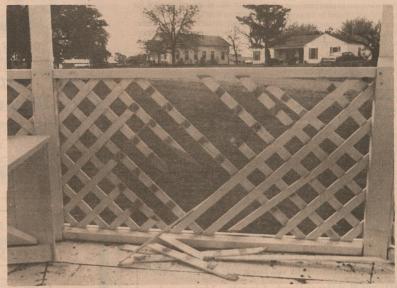
Agency Policies and Procedures set up by the state; * approved the 92-93 school year cal-

sion to discuss Personnel; TEA/Grades in Wildlife Management class. Out of executive session, the board voted unanimously to take not action pending further information.

Those attending were George Blanch, Superintendent; Dick Van Hoose, Princi-pal; Board members, Guy Campbell,

Marisue Potts, Leslie Jameson, Gale Stafford, Coy Franks, and Vann Francis. Randy Barton was absent. Others attending were Bettye Stevens, Seven Alexander, Alvin Alexander, Pat Smith and Chip Smith. Meeting adjourned.

Roaring Springs Park Gazebo Vandalized



Pictured above is some of the damage done to the beautiful Gazebo in the City Park in downtown Roaring Springs, when it was vandalized at approximately 4:27 a.m. Sunday morning. Two hispanic males were apprehence charges will be filed. It is estimated that there has been approximately \$200 in damage.

Commissioners Court Meeting Report

The Commissioners Court met for regular business Monday, April 13.
After Judge Boyce Hart opened the Court and gave the invocation, the minutes were read and approved as were the bills for a total of \$107,953.35 for March disbursements.

Reports were read and approved from the J.P. Precinct 1, Place 1 collected \$6,544.00 and Precinct 1, Place 2 col-lected \$31.50. Commissioners also noted that a \$50.00 fine was charged to the Citizen who was apprehended for dump-

ing trash/dead animals. Treasurers and this change. This passed County Agent Reports were read. No Court elected to cor Library report was presented.
The Sheriff and Tax Collect

The Sheriff and Tax Collector report as presented by Elaine Hart that 94 1/2% taxes had been collected through

Motion was made to negotiate a contract with the Appraisal District to collect Advalorem Taxes for Motley County at some future date when the Commissioners Court thinks it is feasable. The Court has Sheriff Alton Marshall's consent for

Court elected to continue with set policy for the use of the Sheriff's personal car for county business, which reads the Sheriff can use his personal car at 25¢ a mile in and around Motley County or use County vehicle for long trips (as to Huntsville, etc.)

missioners from Workman's Compensation. Information was received that ac-cording to State law all taxing entities

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Motley County Likestyles & Society

El Progresso Learns About Motley County School

April 9, 1992, El Progresso club met in the Motley County Library for its program on the county school, its board, how it operates, and some of its problems with state mandates. Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell called the meeting to order with usual business carried on. Mrs. W.N. (Opal) Pipkin stated we now have a tax-free number. Mrs. Campbell, club president, stated there is a silver medallion the dent, stated there is a silver medallion the club bought during the county centennial and it is for sale. Mrs. Harold (Grace) Campbell was elected delegate to the State convention in Dallas on April 28-30.

30.

Mrs. Loys Campbell presented Mrs. Furman (Beverly) Vinson who then introduced Mrs. Frank (Marisue) Potts who presented the program for the afternoon. Mrs. Vinson read the caption at the heading of the yearbook program stating, "A school is a building of four walls...with tomorrow inside. A school is a store...with knowledge on its shelves. A school is a building with a mind, a building that questions and explores...and probes...A school is many things." (by Dan Valentine). Mrs. Potts is so well known to the group and area, her introduction was brief group and area, her introduction was brief only to state her new position or job as the rookie of the Motley County School Board and she is still learning and says she will continue to learn. She is also chairman of the CED (County Educational District.)

Mrs. Potts told the group of the 20 hours in seminar courses all board members take stating it is not a FUN time but working time learning what they can in the abbreviated time allowed while there. After the first 20 hours a member has in training, then six hours are required each year thereafter.

The Mission statement quoted from

The Mission statement quoted from Mrs. Potts: The Motley County educational system is committed to providing opportunities for all students so thay the may be prepared to participate as respon-sible citizens in an ever-changing society. We are conviced that all students can achieve a measure of success. We pledge

Meetings Act with the agenda posted 72 hours in advance and only the items on the agenda may be discussed at this meeting. The board, then, may go into executive (closed) session where matters of a sensitive nature may be discussed. The school also operates under the Open The school also operates under the Open Records Act where anyone can look at the transcript but no grades or school salaries and must have a legitimate educational interest.

The State determines which courses must be offered, the minimum gradu-ations requirements and the number of pupils in a classroom (22). If there are more than that a special permit must be obtained for the extra pupils. The local board sets the standards for valedictorian

and salutatorian.

In January, 1992, the State Supreme
Court knocked down school finance plan for the third time, ruling it unconstitu-tional and giving state lawmakers until June, 1992 to find a new way to finance the schools of Texas. In August, 1991, the court ruled that CED (County Educaion Districts) were legal and for the first time, a taxing entity was created without the authority of voters. Local control, management of their own districts and choice on how to send funds tricts and choice on how to spend funds was taken away. As it stands the school districts are caught in the vise grip of legal manuevers. The cost of managing CED's soared (Harris Count - \$100,000) and liability insurance became a necessity. Tax rates ranged from .55 to .99 with the average being .72. Motley, Briscoe, and Childress were fortuante to be single districts, while Lubbock joined in a 26 county district.

Meantime educators are facing new challenges, dealing with concepts unheard of until recent times: Born At Risk; Handicapped; Gifted and Talented. In a remark made recently while giving a tricts and choice on how to spend funds

Those who represent smaller community schools must send a message to policy makers that the state gets its money's worth from small schools evidenced by its test scores, low dropout rates, and fewer social problems.

speech, Gov. Anne Richards said, "...we are educating, by law, kidsin public school that we never attempted to educate before, taking children that in other times and places would not have been in public school classrooms."

Mrs. Potts concluded most interesting talk with remarks of the local school board and how well it works together with each member contributing in their own special way and ALL working toward the goal of a good day with the goal of a good day.

that we never attempted to educate before, taking children that in other times and places would not have been in public school classrooms."

Another concern is Year Round Education. YRE - 22 school districts in the state and 1700 nationally are implementing this type educational terms.

According to an article in the Texas Association of Community Schools, some experts say that a school district needs 3000 students to "Achieve economy of scale," to be financially efficient. If they believe school districts with less than 1,600 are "too small", what must they think of one with 291 (Motley County) students? Will our future include consolidation with surrounding school districts to achieve "economy of scale."

Those who represent smaller community strached members and Mrs. John (Josephine) Hamilton. those members mentioned, those in attendance were Mrs. J.E. (Marge) Edwards, Mrs. Geo. (Sue) Seigler, Mrs. Dale (JoEtta) Bumgardner, Mrs. Frank (Lola) Pohl, Mrs. W.D. (Vena) Lipscomb, Mrs. Robert (Winifred) Darsey, Mrs. E.A. (Dorothy) Day, Mrs. Douglas (Lila) Meador and Mrs. John (Josephine) Hamilton

Mrs. Vinson used for the Inspirational Thought, School House Ghosts, one of Douglas Meador's delightful words of wisdom from "Trail Dust."

Lubbock Couple Plan May Wedding



Sharie Taves & Travis Dougherty

Mrs. Elga Evans would like to announce the engagement of her granddaughter, Sharie Taves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scott of Lubbock, and Travis Dougherty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dougherty.



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Engagement Announced By Roaring Springs Couple



Brandt Bearden and Amy Woolsey

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Woolsey of Roaring Springs announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy, to Brandt Bearden, son of Dell Berden and Ros Bearden of

The couple will marry on June 27th at the Roaring Springs Ranch Club.

The bride-elect will be a 1992 graduate of Motley County ISD and the future bridegroom is employed by Thacker Jewelry of Roaring Springs.

Cummings - Brooks Announce Engagement



Tina Cummings & Timmy Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cummings of Paducah would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tina, to Timmy Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brooks, of Roaring Springs.

The wedding ceremony will be held June 6 in the Methodist Church in Matador. The bride-elect is currently attending West Texas State University. The future bridegroom is employed by Quail Pipe Company in Roaring Springs.

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Home Economically Speaking

Home Extension Agent - Home Economics

Eggs have long been a part of Easter feasts and spring festivals - a good reason to ensure egg hunts remain fun and safe for children as well as adults.

Questions often arise concerning safety of Easter eggs and their consumption after the egg hunt. These guidelines can help consumers in selecting, storing, preparing, and handling of eggs before and after the hunt:

and after the hunt: * When purchasing eggs, choose cartons that have no cracked eggs. Use eggs within four to five weeks after purchase.

* Keep fresh eggs stored in the original carton and in the coldest section of the

refrigerator, never on the door where drafts can create fluctuation in tempera-

* Hard-cooked eggs have a recommended maximum storage time of five to seven days. Plan to hard-cook and color advandance two before the event. eggs only a day or two before the event. eggs only a day of two before the event. To hard-cook eggs safely, place eggs in a single layer in a pan. Add water to cover eggs at least one inch. Cover pan and bring to a rapid boil. Turn off heat or reduce heat to maintain a gentle simmer. Let eggs remain in the pan for 15 to 20 minutes to assure dangers. When done minutes to assure doneness. When done,

run cold water over eggs to cool quickly.

* Once eggs are hard-cooked, store in the refrigerator. Don't leave at room

temperature.

* If you plan to eat eggs that have been decorated, use only food coloring or specially made food-grade egg dyes.

* Don't color or hide cracked eggs. The cracks allow contamination of eggs from an outside source, such as dye or dirt.

from an outside source, such as dye or dirt.

* Consider hiding places carefully. Avoid places that may come into contact with pets or other animals, lawn chemicals, or insects.

* Refrigerate eggs after hidden and found, if you plan to eat them. Follow the two-hour rule. Eggs to be eaten should not remain out of the refrigerator for more than two hours.

more than two hours.

* A good practice is to wash Easter eggs that have been in the hunt before eating them

* Avoid handling eggs as much as possible. Each step in handling provides an opportunity for contamination.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Serv-ice are for people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion,handicap, or national origin.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:
Life is like a bath - the more you stay in there, the more wrinkled you get.

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Tennis Team Competes In Zone Meet



MC TENNIS TEAM: (standing l-r) Clay Ewing, Dustin Davis, Jeremy Jones, Cory Kendall, Chancy Cruse, Brandon Blanch; (seated l-r) Heather Turner, Coach Sid Pipkin, Danny Sailsbury, Aimee Pipkin and Renee Davis.

by Sid Pipkin, Tennis Coach

Ten Varsity Tennis players represented Motley county last Friday in Crowell for Zone competition.

These 10 players played as well as any team we've ever sent to Zone. Playing in team we've ever sent to Zone. Playing in the boys doubles competition were Dustin Davis and Jeremy Jones. The team they played easily won the doubles event, so Dustin and Jeremy had a formidable player right off the bat. They had many good points during the match.

Chancy Cruse and Brandon Blanch played a seasoned team from Chillicothe. After losing the first set, 6-0, Chancy and Brandon dug in and gave their oppo-

good points during the match.

Chancy Cruse and Brandon Blanch
played a seasoned team from Chillicothe. After losing the first set, 6-0, Chancy
and Brandon dug in and gave their opponents a real scare before losing 6-4 in the
second set. They played excellent tennis
during this match. I was very proud of
them.

Clay Ewing, playing boys singles, won
his first match. His second match went
the limit before losing to Spur. Clay lost
the first set but did not give up. He played

the limit before losing to Spur. Clay lost the first set but did not give up. He played aggressive tennis and almost came up

his first match before narrowly losing to

Paducah in the next round.

The girls doubles were handled by Renee Davis and Heather Turner. First round they beat a Paducah team before encountering the first seed from Crowell. They played their best tennis of the year during this match. I was very pleased by

their performance.

The other tennis team of Aimee Pipkin and Danny Sailsbury beat an aggressive team from Crowell. This was their best match of the day. Later Aimee and Danny

To the Seniors, Clay, Chancy, Bubba, with an upset.

Cory Kendall rounded out the boys singles. Bubba looked great. He must have been saving himself for Zone. He looked like Andre Aggasi. Bubba won

For what glory is it, if, when ye be buffeted for your faults, ye shall take it patiently? But if, when ye do well, and suffer for it, ye take it patiently, this is acceptable with God.

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1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin¹3.
b. Interest-bearing balances and currency and coin¹3.
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c. Securities (from Schedule RC-6).
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell:
a. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell:
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell:
c. Leans and leases financing receivables:
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income (from Schedule RC-C).
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses.
c. LESS: Allowance, and reserve (lem 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c).
5. Assets held in trading accounts.
c. Premises and lixed assets (including capitalized leases).
7. Other real estate owned (from Schedule RC-M).
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding.
10. Intangible assets (from Schedule RC-M).
11. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F).
12. a. Total assets sum of items 1 through 11).
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (from Schedule RC-M).
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b).
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a. Indemestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-F).

(1) Noninterest-bearing
(2) Interest-bearing
(3) Interest-bearing
(4) Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase:
a. Federal funds purchased?
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase?
(5) Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury
(6) Other borrowed money
(7) Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases
(8) Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding
(9) Subordinated notes and debentures
(10) Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G)
(21) Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)

22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus

mulative foreign currency translation adjustments.

Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27).

Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823()) (from Schedule RC-M).

Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823() (sum of items 28.a and 28.b).

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report

If the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that his Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true
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Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus ...

Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)

Motley County School News

Senior Spotlight





ERIC SCOTT FARLEY

FULL NAME: Eric Scott Farley AGE: 18 BIRTHDATE: January 22, 1974 BIRTHPLACE: Hereford, Texas

WHAT I LIKE ABOUT HIGH SCHOOL: P.E. ACTIVITIES: FFA

PARENTS' NAMES: Joe and Maribeth

SISTERS & BROTHERS: Mandi BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: Don't smart-off to Seniors.

WORST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED: Just wait and do it later.
IF I COULD CHANGE ANYTHING:
The Cowboys would have gone to the

MOST VALUED POSSESSION: My

Bible.
IF I WERE PRESIDENT: I would have

AFTER HIGH SCHOOL: Attend South

Plains College.
FAVORITE MEMORY: Writing the rude letter to Santa.
WORST HABIT: Smarting-off.
FAVORITE MUSIC: Heavy Metal.
NICKNAME: Erkel
IN MY SPARE TIME: Work at Pay-N-

"Wiley and the Hairyman" Earns Individual Awards

by Christy Potts

On March 27 of this year, Motley County High's One-Act Play, "Wiley and the Hairyman" competed at Zone competition against four area schools. Spur and Paducah High Schools advanced to the next level, District competition. "Wiley and the Hairyman", disappointingly, was named the alternate to these two schools.

However, several of the young Mot-ley County actors/actresses received indi-vidual awards. Cody Campbell, Leslie Lester and Christy Potts were selected for All-Star Cast honors. The entire Chorus vas the recipient of an Honorable Menwas the receptant of an Honorate Weiter tion Award. These students were Heather Turner, Kyle Mars, Scott Sailsbury, Heather Hobbs, Danny Sailsbury, Kars Boykin, Jeremy Jones, Christic Shorter, Daniel Alexander, and Mandi Färley.

All of these students earned medals

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for their accomplishments, which included a great job of working together as a team. The cast, chorus, and crew would all like to thank Mrs. Carrol Hays for her hard work in directing and coordinating

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First Baptist Church To Sponsor Youth Party

All Motley County Junior High and High School Students are invited to a Youth Party at First Baptist Church, Matador, on Thursday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. Special guests will be 1992 graduating seniors, and entertainment will be provided by the musical group, "Re-joice!", from Wayland Baptist Univer-sity, Plainview.

An "At The Beach" theme will be featured, and dress for the evening will

Students wishing to attend should turn in their names to Mrs. Blanch by Tuesday, April 21.



MONDAY, APRIL 20

EASTER HOLIDAY!

TUESDAY, APRIL 21

Lunch: Combination Pizza, Salad, Corn on the Cob, Mixed Fruit, Vanilla

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

Lunch: Macho Nachos (Wimpy Nachos) Pinto Beans, Lettuce, To toes, Pineapple Upside Down Cake.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

Lunch: Chicken, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Pea Salad, Hot Rolls, Pudding.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, onions, French Fries, Pea-nut Butter Brownies.

The sixth six weeks begins on Tuesday, April 21. We would appreciate you encouraging your children to try for perfect attendance - no tardy during the last six weeks of school. Any student having perfect attendance/no tardy will be eli-gible for a drawing on the last day of school. The Motley County I.S.D. Student council has donated a JAMBOX

all hope you have a safe and happy Easter

BE IN SCHOOL - BE ON TIME AND BE A WINNER!

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

as the prize.

Wednesday, April 22, the Clarendon
College Choir will entertain the High
School and Junior High School. The
public is invited to attend. We have a
tentative time of 2:20 p.m. We still let

you know a definate time on Tuesday

plans to attend or help in any area. If you have not volunteered your services yet, there are still plenty of openings. Contact Bettye Stevens at School. The games will start on Thursday, April 23, after school and continue Friday after school, and then again all day Saturday. A concession stand will be operated by PTO with delicious food provided. Funds will benefit Project Graduation. Carry-outs will be welcome. Junior High Fun Night has been changed from April 18 to April 25 because of Easter weekend.

FRESHMAN CLASS FAVORITES: Jeremy Jones and Wendy Lancaster were voted as Freshman Class Favorites for the 1992/93 school year. Jeremy is the son of Jim and Carla Meador of Matador and Jonathan Jones of Los Gatos, Calif. Wendy is the daughter of Gary and Carolyn Lancaster of Matador.

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Newsletter

Thursday, April 16, we will have early dismissal. School will dismill at 1:30 Munday.

p.m. and busses will run at this time. Make arrangements for your children to Workshop.

District Track Meet at Munday.

Boys and Girls High School Track at Munday.

School will dismiss at 1:30 for Teacher Workshop.

Make arrangements for your children to Workshop. have transportation.

Saturday, April 18, will be the definite date for the St. Jude Bike-A-Thon. Monday, April 20, will be a school holiday. NO SCHOOL MONDAY. We

Thursday, April 16: Junior High Dsitrict Track Meet at Munday. Boys andGirls High School Track at

Saturday, April 18: St. Jude Bike-A-Thon. Mrs. Cooper will send info home with children interested in participating. Jr.High Fun Night as been resched-uled for next Saturday, April 25. Sunday, April 19: HAPPY EASTER! Monday, April 10: NS School Easter

Monday, April 20: No School. Easter

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Next week is the week we've all been waiting for! Little Dribblers Tournament here in our new gym. Everyone make plans to attend or help in any area. If you

Amy's Anecdotes

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the State Convention. It was a weekend full of fun!

Besides going to the Convention, we visited other interesting sites as well. We visited the Omni Theater, which was so cool. I've never seen anything like it!

The Botanical Gardens were so gorgeous, I loved that place!! We went down to the Stockyards and toured the little shops,

Last weekend six senior girls and our FHA sponsor traveled to Fort Worth for the State Convention. It was a weekend full of fun!

Desired to Fort Worth for ick, (where Bonnie and Clyde used to hang out and gamble!) We walked down Main Street through the Arts and Crafts Festival. We drove around and looked at the TCU campus. We didn't starve, because we ate at Joe T. Garcia's Famous Mexican Food Restaurant-- that was delicious!! Our last trip was to Six Flags and of course that was fun!!

We had loads of fun and we're glad we went, but we were sure glad to finally get home on Sunday afternoon!!

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Rolling Plains PCA Holds 58th Annual Meeting

Three directors were elected to the bard of Rolling Plains Production Credit sesociation in Stockholders Anual Meets part of hildress on Thusday, April and Stamford on Friday, April 3. rector Jack Reese who was elected by the aron B. Tidwell of Munday and Dan board in July 1991. Then CEO Rike in-Board of Rolling Plains Production Credit Association in Stockholders Anual Meetings held in Childress on Thusday, April 2, and Stamford on Friday, April 3. Garon B. Tidwell of Munday and Dan Henard, Jr. of Wellington were re-elected to three-year terms, and Keith Corzine of Sagerton was elected to a one-year term. Other board members are Lance D. Morris

officer foardinations are Lance D. Moria of Crosbyton, Dean Turner of Matador and Jack Reese of Abilene. Leon Burson of Haskell and W.D. "Pee Wee" Smith of Avoca were recog-nized as 50-year PCA members at

Director Reese gave the Board Report to the gathering. Earning the highest rating possible by the Tenth District Regulator for the fourth consecutive year, the Association maintains its Tier I designation. The award was based on continued strength in capital asset quality.

nation. The award was based on continued strength in capital, asset quality, managemnt, earnings and liquidity.

During the period 1980 through 1991, Rolling Plains Production Credit Association loaned over one billion dollars to farmers, ranchers and ag related businesses. Total pet loan losses during this nesses. Total net loan losses during this period were just over two million dollars, resulting in a loss experience of 18/100 of 1%. The low loan loss percentage reflects the character and management ability of the Rolling Plains PCA member-bor-

The Nominating Committee Report was presented at Childress by Vice Chairman Joe Tidwell and in Stamford by Chairman Don Cobb. Elected to serve on the 1993 Nominting Committee were: Edwin Meyer of Childress for the Childress Office; Elmer Parks of Roaring Springs for the Matador Office; Jerry Don Klose of Haskell for the Stamford

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formed audiences that in March 1992 the Advance Conditional Payment Accounts aggregated some \$2,700,000. The present rate being paid to the membership on these accounts is 5.50% compounded

quarterly to yield 5.60%. Member participation in the Advance Conditional Payment Accounts further benefits borrowers through providing funds to the Association at an interest cost savings compared to borrowing from the entity's primary source.

The crowds were ably entertained by Cindy Nix and Donna Fowler, "Just Friends," who presented a program of music and fun.

In each section a total of \$250 in cash In each section a total of \$250 in cash prizes were awarded in a drawing from PCA stockholders in attendance. Winnersin the Childress Section were Frances Dixon and C.D. Garrison of Matador, Doyle Parnell and David Boykin of Childress and Gertrude Elliott of Hollis, Oklahoma. In Friday's Stamford Section Don Walker and Gene Olson of Stamford, B.C. Sprayberry of Anson, Eustacio Ramirez of Munday and Tinka Herricks of Weinert were cash winners.

The Association maintains branch offices in Abilene, Munday, Spur, Stamford, Childress and Matador. Office members for these respective offices are David Pitzer, Bobby Sosolik, Ronnie White, Gary Decker, Gene Bruce and Alan Bingham. Rolling Plains PCA serves 19 counties from a Central Office located in Stamford.

members to our players - Mary Lou Williams, and Dixie Campbell. They had

been playing golf before, but not as members. Welcome to our association!

Governor Signs Proclamation For 911 Telecommunicators Week

The State of Texas has officially extended recognition to telecommunicators throughout the state that have the task of being 9-1-1 call takers/handlers. The 9-1-1 telecommunicators are trained on call handling procedures and the operacall handling procedures and the opera-tional functions of all equipment related to the 9-1-1 system. This important task includes staying calm, negotiating and determining as quickly as possible the nature of the emergency, and properly handling or directing the call to the ap-propriate emergency response agency(s) The citizens of Floyd/Motley County should commend their telecommunica-tors. These individuals are responsible for providing emergency assistance and

for providing emergency assistance and helping to save lives and property in life threatening situations. They are some of the most important persons at public safety

excellence.

On behalf of the South Plains Regional 9-1-1 Emergency Communications, the telecommunicators of Floyd County, Texas are hereby recognized for their dedication and efforts contributing to the accomplishment of the National Emergency Number Association's (NENA) goal, "One Nation - One Number", and the acceptance of 9-1-1 service

agencies and deserve the courtesy and respect of citizens, officers, and supervisors. In conjumction with National Pub-

sors. In conjunction with National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week, the Honorable Ann W. Richards, Governor of Texas, has proclaimed April 12-18, 1992, as TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK in Texas. Local recognition is due to telecommunicators of this region in Floyd/Motley County, Texas for a job of excellence.

involved. It's common for a person to withdraw from people. It is usually felt that everyone is watching or talking about THE DIVORCE and are wielding the

THE DIVORCE and are wielding the "Big D" branding iron.
In most cases, the person going through the divorce is projecting their feelings onto others and assuming that they are feeling that. It is sad but in reality, there may be those who are quick to draw the branding iron. They're usually the ones who think they are immune to divorce. It is common to change or alter friendships. Some people feel uncomfortable around Plains Center for Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse.

ADJUSTMENTS OF DIVORCE
This is third in a series of four about divorce and the emotional adjustments are that way - stay in touch - you may be pleasantly surprised.

that works, WHEN SECONDS Also recognition is extended to the pe-COUNT...Congratulations to the follow-sonnel at the Motley County Sheriff's ing telecommunicators at the Floyd County Sheriff's Office for a job well

Linda Edwards, Bryan Braham, Eunice Lewis, and Pam Meador. tem when 9-1-1 calls are transferred for procedural handling.

Office for their cooperative efforts contributed toward the operation of the sysprocedural handling.



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Wilda

HOURS: Monday, 2-5 (open by vol-

Tuesday and Wednesday, 9-12; 1-6 Thursday and Friday, 9-12; 1-5 Saturday, 1-4 (open by volunteers)

Library School met Tuesday for their regular meeting with the following children in attendance: Colton Russell. Shelby Stokes, Cody Cooper, Annie Green, Clay Cooper, Ashlee Green, Emily Hurt, Stacy Perryman, and Brittany Ann Moore. The adults in attendance were Winifred Lee,

Jeannie Moore, Brenda Perryman, Donna Stokes and D'Anna Russell. The children enjoyed making an Easter bunny, playing games and having an Easter Egg hunt on

the Motley County Courthouse lawn.

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Ranch Rodeo Roping Results

The first of six Original Coor's Ranch Rodeos took place last weekend at Lub-bock. The Ranch Bronc Riding saw Kelly Butler of Tongue River Ranch, first place, with 75 points; 2nd, Ken Gleghorn, Acuff, 73 points; 3rd, Heath Campbell, Mata-

Jr. Breakaway Roping, 1st, Russ Walker, Paducah; 2nd, Kasey Parks, Roaring Springs.

team of Goree, Texas; 2nd, Robert Herrington, Dickens.
Double Mugging: 1st, Rick Nolan, Pitchfork and Jay Hurt, Tongue River; 2nd, Lane Sharp, Tongue River and Jay Hurt, Tongue River.

19 & under Team Roping: 1st, Lacey Parks, Roaring Springs and Ken Gleghorn, Acuff; 2nd, Kasey Parks, Roaring Springs and Ken Gleghorn, Acuff.

#3 1/2 Team Roping: 1st, Kelly Butler, Tongue River and Harold Parks, Roaring Springs; 2nd, Casey Farmer, Lubbock and Mark Fullingim, Petersburg.

Shirley Hurt, Tongue River.

It was fun and exciting to see the ranch events and we are looking forward to the Cottle-King Ranch Rodeo to be held April 16 and 17 at Paducah. Make held April 16 and 17 at Paducah. Make plans to be in on the action by either entering by calling 806-348-7524 by Wednesday night or coming to be an enthusiastic fan Friday and Saturday at Paducah. The Paducah Rodeo will also be having an Open Barrel Race, Team Penning and calf scramble. If you need more information contact Harold Parks, Parks Rodeo Co. So dust off your hat and polish your boots and get ready for a

dor, 11 points.

Team Branding: 1st, Brand Cude's team of Goree, Texas; 2nd, Robert Her-

burg. Women's Ranch Barrel Race: 1st,

polish your boots and get ready for a good time at the Paducah Ranch Rodeo.

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Thursday, April 9, there were seven players - Louise Barton, Laverna Price, Olivia Barton, Dortha Grundy, Mary Lou Williams, Geneva Wilson and Dixie

Play was for "Greenie" on No. 6 and on the event.

no one got on the green.

We are glad to welcome two new nament, Sunday, April 26.

Thank You

I'm home and want to thank all who prayed, visited and sent cards during my hospital stay at St. Mary's and with my relatives in Petersburg.

Lupe Morales

We would like to say thank you for the cards, flowers, Clay's fund, cards and calls during the loss of our dad and granddad. Your thoughtfullness meant a lot

Carolyn, Gary, Shanna and Wendy Lancaster

Thanks to all my friends for the calls and cards while I was in the hospital at Scott & White in Temple. Also the calls, food and concern since I came home.

The family of Freddie George Pitts extends its appreciation for all the support offered during this time of grief. The letters, cards, visits, flowers, and food were gratefully recieved. We will miss our loved one. Our loss is made easier by your expressions of sympathy. Thank you!

Pitts family Campbell family

Our most heartfelt thanks to all who had a hand in making the benefit roping, in memory of Elgie, such a wonderful turn-out. We would like to say a special thanks to Harold and Elmer Parks for the use of the steers and arena free of charge. Also to all who donated for buckles - Ricky Lawrence Farm Store, Alexander Fuel, Billy Hand, City Grocery, Kountry Kitchen, Ponderosa, M&W Auto Supply, Tom Gleghorn, Joel and Sandra Layton, Pick and Laqueta Cox, Evans Fertilizers and Bevins Oil Company. Thanks to all the crew who worked free of charge, Barbara Parks, Linda and Dee Perryman, Vanell Littlefield, Glenn and Kezia Walker, Donald Wilkins, Roy Rowe, Bill Hand, Graig and Bigun Marshall, M.J., Don and Dennis Bridges, and Pick Cox. To all of you who roped, you're what made it pay off, we're forever in your debts.

The family of Elgie McCleskey Linda, James, Willie, Elwyn and Wyman, Pick and Laqueta Cox





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News Around Motley County

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson ***

ATTEND COTTON GINNERS CONVENTION IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse, Donnie Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon attended the 85th annual Texas Cotton Ginners Assn. Convention and Trade show held at the Civic Center in Lubbock, April 9-11.

bock, April 9-11.
Guest speakers were Jesse Moore, head of the Agricultural Marketing Service of the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture and Paulette Zakrzeski, senior government relations representative for the National Cotton Council, both of Washington.

A style show featuring National Maid

Council, both of Washington.
A style show featuring National Maid of Cotton, Courtney Stewart, was presented, Friday. Charlie Scruggs of Austin, retired editor of Progressive Farmer magazine spoke at the concluding luncheon, Saturday on "The Mind Manipulators..The Environmentalists and Bizaare-Loving Urban Media."

More than 5,000 ginners and allied industry representatives attended this

industry representatives attended this largest gathering of cotton people in

were in Plainview, Wednesday, April 8 for Ms. Stinson cataract eye surgery. She is reported to be doing fine following her

medical check-up, Friday.

Von D. Tiffin returned home from Plainview, Friday where he was a patent in the Central Plains Hospital. He is

recuperation and Mrs. Tiffin are their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Tiffin of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Glen

and Tubb Merrell and Murrey Morrison of Quitaque enjoyed fishing fromWednesday until Friday at Miller Creek near Munday, Mrs. Gilbert and Mrs. Howard Rogers enjoyed shopping in Plainview, Thursday.

Art Green visited in Matador, Sunday

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee, Sunday were sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Lee, Ernie, Jason and Robert and friend of Clarendon and

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter visited in Floydada, Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Speer. Mrs. Hunter attended the funeral services of Roy Hernandez in Roaring Springs, Saturday morning and worked as a volunteer at the Motley in the Central Plains Hospital. He is County Library in Matador, Saturday confined to bed and with him during his afternoon. *****************

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson *******************

OVERHEARD

States President, gave a wise proverb that should be remembered today, "It is impossible to govern the world without God."

REUNION HELD

The descendants of C.H. "Cricket" and Susan Norton held a family reunion, Sunday, April 5 in the home of Joe and Alene Norton Mertical Providence of the control of the

ATTEND STEPHENVILLE
LIVESTOCK SHOW
Rocky Vinson, Motley County Agent, the Motley County 4-H Dairy Livestock
Judging Team and Mrs. Larry (Vickie)
Pierce of Roaring Springs, 4-H Leader
attended the Livestock Show in Stephenville April 3-4

attended the Livestock show in Societies.

Brannan of Andrews; Roland and Jean King of Idalou; Joe and Rita Martin and the competition, are Kobbi Risser and Tommy and Vickie James, Russell and Josh Palmer of Matador and Christi Pierce

Tommy and Vickie James, Russell and Tyler of Plainview and Bryan and Carol and Robert Fisk of Roaring Springs.

Sunday, April 5 in the home of Joe and Alene Norton Martin in Plainview. Those attending and enjoying the day of good entertainment and food were

Mrs. Verna Norton Jameson and Melba Jameson of Matador; Aurene and Dan Bevers of Amarillo; Mrs. Edith North Jenkins of Lubbock; Donald Ray and Mary Norton of Dallas; Joe and Zelma Phillips of Levelland; Ira Lee and Neva Brannan of Andrews; Roland and Jean King of Idalou; Joe and Rita Martin and

Boyd of Dimmitt.

Commissioners Court

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must belong to Workman's Compensation. No action was taken.

Court heard a report from Commissioner Hughes on a meeting he attended in Knox City on forming an Underground Water District. Court elected to form an Underground Water District after further

Judge Hart presented Dr. Hoblit's name

as a pathologist for Motley County. The court discussed law stating when it is necessary to order an autopsy, the cost will be \$1,000 - \$1,200 per autopsy to the County and concern in keeping expenses down. Motion passed to hire Dr. Hoblit.

James Gillespie, Motley County Library Board, presented a letter of intent to the West Texas Library System to re-quest a computer for book cataloging and being connected to the WTLS. Gillespie explained this is part of a grant and will be no cost to the county or the Library. Court cepted. Meeting adjourned.

Tiffin of Flomot and granddaughter, Mavon McDonald of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey visited in

Canyon, Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Malone, Joining them there to visit was Mrs. Clinton Reid of Amar-

D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert and friends, Jake

with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green and Mr. and Mrs. LutherGreen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon, local residents.

xas. *** Ronnie Rogers, son, Richard Rogers and friend, Trina Quiad of Lubbock were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson ard Rogers and Donnie Rogers.

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins & Roxie Lewis

**** DAUGHTER-IN-LAW TO MODEL ON

OPRAH WINFREY SHOW

Linda Zabielski, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zabielski, will be modeling on the Oprah Winfrey Show, Friday of this week. She lives in the

PLANS UNDERWAY FOR

MARSHALL REUNION
The Annual Marshall Reunion will be held in Matador at the Sr. Citizens building the first Sunday after Easter, April 26, 9:00 a.m. until afternoon, with a meal at

All descendants of A.A., T.E., the Snows and others of these family names will come together. All friends are welcome to attend.

GUILD MEETS IN ZABIELSKI HOME

Mrs. Ray (Grace) Zabielski hosted the April 1 meeting of the Guild in her home on 2nd Street, Miss Freday Keahey gave the opening prayer. The devotional was included in the study of Mark, Chapter 7,

and supplementary scriptures from Luke of which Mrs. Chelsea Read was leader. Mrs. Billie Clifton said the closing prayer. Others present besides those mentioned were Mesdames Eugenia Bethard, Opal Bradford, Mary Lumsden and Pearl Patten

COMMUNITY SADDENED BY TRAGIC DEATH OF ROY HERNANDEZ

This entire community was shocked and saddened by the tragic accident which took the life of Raul "Roy" Hernandez, a citizen who had made for himself a spe-cial place in this community, numbering his friends by his acquaintances. His many friends share his family's loss and extend

sincere sympathy to his wife, son, father and other relatives.

J.T. Swim had a benign fatty-tissue tumor removed from his back at Method-ist Hospital Wednesday of last week and went back for emergency treatment Thursday, because of accumulation of blood clots at the site of surgery. He kept an appointment with his surgeon Mon-

day.

Mrs. Marie Moore of Big Spring visited friends here and attended to business Thursday and Friday of last week. She was overnight guest of Mrs. Minnie Dye

was overnight guest of Mrs. Minnie Dye Thursday night.

Mrs. Callie Lefevre was taken by Moley County Ambulance Friday morning to Crosbyton and on to Methodist Hospital at Lubbock for emergency treatment, and she remains in Methodist for tests distributed in tentrological schools and the control schools. for tests, diagnosis and treatment. She is in room 791 South, Methodist Hospital, 3615 19th Street, Lubbock, TX 79410. Mr. and Mrs. Rollie McNutt and son

Ben of Spade were weekend guests of Mrs. McNutt's mother, Mrs. Minnie Dye. They came Saturday afternoon, supper in hand, attended worship services with her Sunday, and remained until late Sunday

Mrs. Alvin Durham visited in Lub-

Mrs. Alvin Durham visited in Lubbock one day last week with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Durham.
Houseguests of Odessa Mullins during the weekend were her nephews, Ross Odell of Chicago, Ill., Mike Odell of Dallas, and Kelly Odell of Lubbock. They attended the funeral services of Roy Hernandez. Ross served as one of the nallhearers. pallbearers.

Mrs. Mary Lumsden spent the past weekend in Lubbock with her son,

Tommy and wife.
The Gary Simpsons have bought the Luther Moore home on 3rd Street.

Girl Scouts Selling Cookies



GIRL SCOUTS SELLING COOKIES: Girl Scout Leaders, Jeannie Moore, Sonja Bowman and Barbara Wallace help unload boxes of cookies delivered last week by Lubbock directors. Girl Scouts are selling several different kinds of cookies, for \$2.50 a box. Girl Scouts is a newly formed organization in Motley County and needs the support of county residents.



1992 Farm Programs Sign-up Ends Tomorrow

Conservation Service is currently accepting applications for the 1992 Feed Grain, Wheat, and Cotton programs. The signup period opened February 10. The deadline is tomorrow, Friday, April 17, 1992.

"All farmers with an established crop

acreage base are eligible to participate in the voluntary programs," Jerry Harris, Chairman of the Texas State ASC Committee said. Program benefits include price support loans and target price protection. To qualify for these benefits, produc-

ers must reduce their acreage bases by at least 10 percent for upland cotton, 5 percent for wheat, corn, grain sorghum, and barley, and 0 percent for oats, according to Harris.

"At signup, farmers may request a 40 percent advance cash payment for crops of wheat, feed grains, and upland cotton, Harris said. Estimated deficiency payment rates for the 1992 crops are \$.65 per bushel for wheat, \$.48 for corn, \$.46 for sorghum, \$.35 for barley, \$.15 per bushel for oats, and \$.15 per pound for upland cotton.

cotton.
"The 0/92 and 50/92 planting options are still available at the discretion of producers," Harris said. Under these provisions, wheat and feed grain produces may devote all or a portion of their maximum payment acres to conservation uses, and get guaranteed deficiency payments on 92 percent of these acres, minus office.

Additional program details may be obtained from the Motley County ASCS office.

The Agricultural Stabilization and the actual acres planted to wheat or feed grains. Upland cotton growers must plant at least 50 percent of their maximum payment acres to the base crop and devote a portion or all of the balance to conservation uses for the same benefits.
"The planting of industrial and other crops on this acreage will not be permitted.

As with the 1991 programs, farmers will have planting flexibility on up to 25 percent of the crop acreage base. Harris said crops prohibited on the 1992 flexible acreage will be the same as those prohibited in 1991, except that mung beans will be allowed. "Bacques the notional ayer." ned in 1991, except that mung beans with be allowed. "Because the national aver-age price for soybeans during the 1992/ 93 marketing year is projected to exceed 105 percent of the soybean price support level, farmers will be permitted to plant soybeans on their optional flex program acreage."

The ASCS official said targeted oprion payments bill not be available to producers. The 1992 programs also prohibit producers from: planting designated crops on half of the announced acreage conservation reserve (ACR); planting oats for harvest on ACR, harvesting conserving crops on ACR and producing blacking crops on ACR and producing black-eyed peas for donation on cotton ACR and CU acreage.

Obituaries

Raul Perez "Roy" Hernandez

Funeral mass for Raul (Roy) Hernandez, 35, of Roaring Springs, Texas, was held at 10:00 a.m Saturday, April 11, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Matador. Rosary Services were held at 7:00 p.m. Friday, April 10, at the same church. Officiaing was Fr. Adolfo Valenzuela, pastor. Interment was in Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador.

Matador.

Hernandez was killed late Tuesday,
April 7, 1992, in a farm tractor accident
near his home in Roaring Springs. Mr.
Hernandez and a companion were attempting to jump start a tractor. The trac-tor apparently started in gear and ran over Hernandez. Justice of the Peace, Cora Smallwood of Matador, has ruled accidental death in the case.

lifelong resident of Motley County. He graduated from Motley County. Fig graduated from Motley County. High School in 1976. For the past twleve years he had been employed by Thacker Jew-elry Company in Roaring Springs, as a stone setter. He was married to the former Hilda Yracheta on Dec. 4, 1984, at Roar-just Springs. He was a member of Our ing Springs. He was a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church of

Survivors include his wife; one son, Isaac, of the home; his father, Fabian Hernandez, of Matador; two brothers, Joe Hernandez, of Matador, and Jesse Hernandez, of Turkey; one sister, Mary Guerrero of Matador.

Serving as pallbearers were Stanley Ho-Gland, Randy Meredith, Ross O'Dell, Frank Sanchez, Ricardo Yracheta, Jesus

Raul Perez Hernandez was born Janu-ary 17, 1957, at Matador, and had been a

Jerry Johnson

Funeral services for the Rev. Jerry Don Johnson, 49, of Electra, were held at 1 p.m. Monday, March 30, 1992, from the Midwestern Gospel Center in Wichita Falls with the Rev. Charles Mosier, world missions director for Pentecostal Church of God, officiating.

Burial was in Electra Cemeter yunder direction of Owens and Brumley Euperal

direction of Owens and Brumley Funeral Home of Wichita Falls.

Rev. Johnson was born March 2, 1943, in Electra, and died Wednesday, March 25, in a Wichita Falls hospital. He was a longtime resident of Electra, and attended schools in Electra and Snyder, Texas.

He was an ordained minister with the He was an ordained minister with the Pentecostal Church of God. In his early 20's, he was pastor at a church in Cahoma, Texas, and later moved to Rosenburg, Texas, where he worked with a radio ministry.

On April 4, 1984, he and Janie Haisler were married. After his marriage he became singles pastor of New Life Cather lin Wight Telle where he extend for

came singles pastor of New Life Cathedral in Wichita Falls where he served for goner, Electra, Texas 76360.

two years. He accepted the pastorate of New Life Restoration Center in Electra in April, 1987, where he served until June, 1989.

He became a missionary in Trinidad and Tobago. During his first year there, he served as co-pastor for New Life Temple in El Dorado, He also hosted a television program and began organizing the Pentecostal Church of God.

Surviver include his wife, three

the Pentecostal Church of God.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Sheri Caraway of Wichita Falls, Jena Fleming of Petrolia, and Janece Williams of Perryton; four sons, Keith Don of Electra, Tommy Ryan of Graham, and Gary Don and Michael James, both of Wichita Falls; three sisters, Loretta Ricks of Wichita Falls, LaVeta West of Electra, and Lois Banks of Snyder; and eight grandchildren.

of Snyder; and eight grandchildren. He was the son-in-law of Taylor and Armantha Martin, former residents of Matador.

Matador News *****

Tracy Webb of Dallas was a recent and children from Topeka, Indiana.

wisitor in the home of her grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. Raby Webb.
Mrs. Elsie Thacker returned Saturday
from Plano where she visited her granddaughter, Clyda Thurman and her daughter Marcia Middlebrooks, Nona Yoder

Joan Patton returned home Sunday from a trip to Albuquerque, New Mexico, where she visited Helen Pace. They traveled to Hubbell Trading Post in Ganado, Arizona, and also to Canyon de Chelly, Arizona and Monument Valley, Utah.

And now abideth faith, hope and love, these three, but the greatest of these is

I Cor. 13:13

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Good for Nothing...or...Good for Something?

Our Lord wants us to be good, but He also wants us to be good for something. In Matthew 5:13, Jesus said, "Ye are the salt of the earth: but if the salt has lost its savor, wherewith shall it be salted? It is henceforth good for nothing, but to be cast out, and to be trodden under the food of men." Our Lord in this scripture, is addressing His own disciples. He is telling them that they might become "good for nothing." His plain teaching: Chris-tian people are the salt of this earth. When Christians lose their savor, longer serve the purpose God has

Our Lord was speaking of more than a preservative influence of salt. Salt also makes food more appetizing or tasty. We are to "savor" the Gospel for the world's taste buds. In other words, we should by domonstration of the gospel in our lives, whet the appetite of others for the gospel. When we lose our influence and can no longer create a hunger and thirst for righteousness in the lives of others, we have become "good for nothing."

We can be "good for something." The Bible says of the Gospel in II Corinthians 4:7, "But we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us. We can retain our "savor" hrough the power of God in our lives.

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Motley County 4, 5, and 6th graders will take to the courts with a basketball challenge against Paducah and Lockney grade schoolers. The Tournament will begin on Thursday, April 23 after school in the new gym. The games will continue on Friday after school and finally wind down on Saturday evening. A full meal concession will be provided all 3 days. Take outs are welcome. Menu and Time brackets will be listed in next week's paper.

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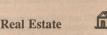
The sign-up forms have been handed out for Summer Baseball. If anyone else needs one, please call Ellen Smith, 347-2333.

The MCYO General Meeting will be held Tuesday, April 21, at 7:00 p.m. at the School Cafeteria. Everyone interested in the Baseball Program needs to

attend, whether a parent or not. Clean-up day is Tuesday, May 12 at 6:30 p.m. Please come with energy and materials will be provided.

submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Timothy J. Weight, Resident Engineer, Childress, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bid-

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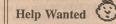
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AUGUST 27, 28 & 29, 1992

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CATHOLIC CHURCH SCHEDULE
6:30 p.m., Thursday, April 16, Holy
Thursday celebrations.
6:30 p.m., Saturday, April 18, Easter

Vigil. 9:45 a.m., Sunday, April 19, Easter

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Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

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