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Heather Hobbs Named 1988 Rodeo Queen



Heather Hobbs

The Motley County Jr. Rodeo Queen was named at the Jr. Rodeo Saturday night, August 6. The winner was Heather Hobbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobbs of Matador. She sold 425 tickets. First runner up was Jennifer Davis, 323 tickets and second runner up was Christi Pierce selling 135 tickets.

Heather was unavailable for the crowning and picture due to her hospitalization following a 2 vehicle accident on August 2. Shonda Barton, the 1987 Queen, sold tickets for Heather during the rodeo.

Roaring Springs City Council Contends With Water Problems

The Roaring Springs City Council met Tuesday, August 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the Dream Cafe with Mayor Eugene Watson, Councilmen, Charlie Long, Gene Brannon, Joey Thacker, Bill Moose, and Councilwoman, Devonne Dillard; City Secretary, Anna Wilson and temporary water supervisor, Harold Brantley.

T.J. Hammer, Randy Barton, and Harry Grey of Quail Pipe Company were in attendance to discuss the current water problem with the Council. Grey had a quart water sample and the filter he pulled every 5 days from the water intake system at Quail Pipe and showed the council the 39 parts per million (ppm) oil and grease residue in the water. Grey stated Quail pumped 6,000-10,000 gallons of water a week and for their pipe production. Grey also stated the chlorine level bounced up and down from day to day and this also caused a problem for their pipe production as well as the danger in drinking this water. The other problem they have is contaminated intake made their discharge water fall under specification and if the state tested 4 unsatisfactory discharges in a row they will either be fined or could be shut down.

Some solutions considered is for Quail having to install a high priced water treatment system or they could and preferred to tie on to the sewer system for now.

Thacker explained they had the \$90,000 marginal grant money coming but it could be 8-12 months before they could have pure water flowing. He also explained that the grant money has to be matched with 25% (\$30,000) totaling \$120,000 but they actually needed approximately \$450,000 for new wells, water tower and all new pipe. They are going to borrow some of the money from FmHA as soon as all the red tape is finished. Hammer asked if they could get the pipe now and pay it back later would help the process. Thacker stated he felt they could contact SPAG and tell them this and see if it would get the wheels rolling faster. Thacker stated he felt they could contact SPAG and tell them this see if it would get the wheels rolling faster.

The representatives stated this was an emergency situation and they would work with them all they could and the next step would be to file a formal complaint with the Texas Department of Health to try and push the state to helping Roaring Springs get something done.

The decision was made for the City to contact SPAG and Quail to contact Ober J Engineering to come and survey for the sewer hook up and get papers done.

The minutes were read by Secretary

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Commissiners Accept Plans For Elevator

The Motley County Commissioners Court met August 8, at 1:00 p.m. with Judge Billy Joe Whitaker; Commissioners, John M. Russell, Prec. 1; Bill Dean Washington, Prec. 2; Joseph Simpson, Prec. 3; Frasier Watson, Prec. 4 and County Clerk, Lucretia Campbell.

The meeting opened with Bill D. Washington giving the invocation, the minutes were read by Clerk Campbell and approved.

First on the agenda was Judge C.L. Abernathy and Seth Halbert representing MH/MR of Plainview. Halbert gave a report on the Child Development Program that has been in production for the past year. He explained it had been well received and has worked out real well. He stated there were 22 Clients from Motley County in this program and MH/MR greatly appreciated the matching fund support from Motley County.

Roger Hoffman, representing the Springs Ranch Estate Land Corporation, came and explained the Estate was now a separate entity from the Roaring Springs Ranch Club and had their own entrance, to the 419 acres. He stated he wanted to

request the County to clear the 5.5 mile road from the highway down the fenced lane to their property gate. The court discussed making sure it was a designated county road and if it wasn't they would get the road easement documented. Watson also told Hoffman the maintainer was broken down and it would be a month before he could get to it. This was agreeable with Hoffman.

Russell stated he had a phone call the previous evening from Darrell Moore, Attorney of Abilene, wanting to inform the Commissioners that he and his wife are both lawyers and were interested in moving to this area to practice and he would be interested in being the county attorney.

No action was taken on this matter at this time.

Karen King, representing SPAG came to inform the Court there had been some changes in the preliminary program concerning 911 Emergency program. SPAG was now forming committees in each county with an elected official of each entity, an EMS and a telephone company

employee, then they had until September 1989 to make their final decision.

The Court elected to be included in

Royce Scott, Attorney at Law, of Amarillo, was on hand to inform the court that as a former citizen he was concerned that the county no longer had

an attorney and he was interested in being the County's temporary attorney. Scott explained the law read that the county could appoint a temporary attorney until

January 1. Scott explained he would be available to come once a week or when ever needed. To be an elected county

attorney he/she must have been a 6 month resident. Scott also explained if no one was elected in November, then again the Commissioners Court could appoint one. Scott was asked if he would consider moving to Matador in the future and he stated he would.

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Museum Meeting August 15

Anyone interested in the preservation of county history through the establishment of a museum is urged to attend a meeting at the Motley County Library on Monday, August 15 at 7:30 p.m. Bring a friend and lots of ideas to share!

Catholic Church To Host Mexican Dinner

The Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Matador will host a Mexican Dinner, Sunday, August 14, 1988, 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., in the Church Fellowship Hall. The price per plate will be \$3.50 and will consist of 1 taco, 2 enchiladas, spanish rice, beans, tea and dessert.

PARK EQUIPMENT VANDALIZED

It was discovered recently by members of the Park Improvement Committee that someone has damaged some of the park tables and benches with obscene graffiti. These park committee members and other interested citizens have worked very hard in restoring our park and making it a nice place for our children and as a family area. These words are not for children's eyes.

The Committee is offering a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for these actions.

If you have information, please call Tony Rose at 347-2412 or Janie Campbell at 347-2357. All names will be confidential.

Tri-County Tumblers To Present Program

The Tri-County Tumblers will present a program Wednesday, August 17 at 8:00 p.m. in the High School Gym.

The Tri-County Tumblers consist of 3 year olds to high school, including the Jr. High and High School Cheerleaders.

It is hoped that everyone will come and see the progress that these kids have made.

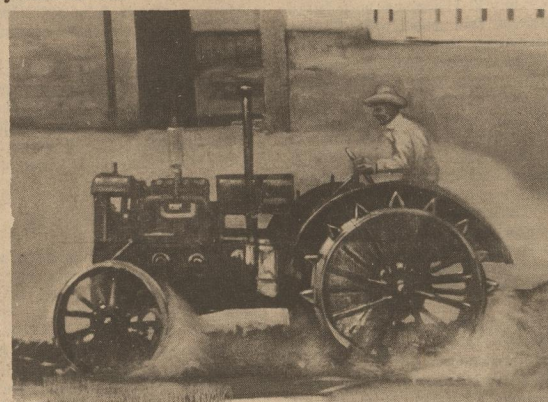
Admission will be \$1.00 for adults, students and children are free. Donations will be accepted. All proceeds will go toward purchasing new gym equipment.

Have
A Good
Week!

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The Playground Tractor

By Marisue Potts



Editor's Note:

The following is one of a series of articles depicting the people, places, events, and objects in the Motley County Library's mural. In the spirit of research, additions or corrections are solicited.

The 1928 McCormick Deering tractor, celebrating its golden years of retirement at the Motley County School playground, was bought second hand on the plains by Price Beauchamp, son of Motley County pioneers A.D. "Dud" and Victoria Kennedy Beauchamp. Nevertheless, as a work saver it was a welcome addition to the family farm.

The popular model 15-30, built in Milwaukee but used all over America, retailed new at \$1,250. Harvester built, the four-cylinder engine was rugged, dependable, and provided ample power for power farming, or sod-breaking. By running the right hand tractor wheels, studded with iron lugs or cleats which dug into the soil, in the furrow, the tractor almost steered itself. An optional electrical lighting system increased production by extending operating hours beyond daylight hours. A water bath air cleaner was standard on earlier models, but was later changed to an oil bath filter.

Used for breaking virgin sod, plowing or discing, planting, pulling combines and hay mowers, the 15-30 was made more adaptable by a power take off system, PTO, a belt driven pulley system which provided power for jobs such as threshing, grinding, and sawing.

Though some farmers continued to use horses to work their fields until the mid 1930's, this new breed of tractor, much smaller than its forerunner, the

monster steam engines, was forced on the farmers by the labor shortage and increased need for wheat during World War I. Fordson set the pattern for the internal combustion engine gas tractors, while GM, Willys, John Deere, and International Harvester followed.

A sight to see, the Case 10/18 tractor featured a steering extension which allowed the driver to sit in back of the first wagon in a series of wagons as he drove. Two ropes let him make it go faster or stop. To counteract the damage to the roadway by iron lugs, the wheels could be fitted with rubber hard rubber tires.

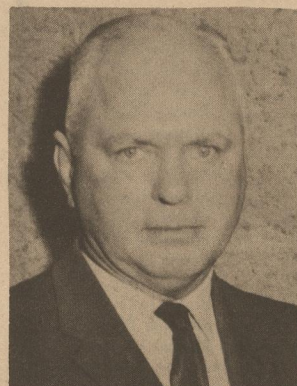
The Depression forced thousands of farmers to abandon the land and look for work elsewhere. As the farm population declined, bigger farms bought smaller ones. The giant farms required much more power equipment.

The need for more power lead to the diesel internal combustion engine, which was cleaner, more powerful, simpler and less likely to break down, and used a cheaper fuel.

In the 1970's, turbo chargers provided even more power with each stroke of the piston. In the next ten years, an industry that had been notoriously slow to change at its inception produced a huge, four wheel drive turbocharged tractor, capable of 225 horsepower, with air conditioning and dual tires that placed an extra set of tires on the rear axle.

Looking at pictures of the monster steam engines of the 1890's, belching smoke and voraciously attacking giant wagon loads of cut wheat, with iron wheels standing seven feet tall, one is struck by the similarity to the modern tractor of the 1980's.

Longtime County Attorney Dies



Howard Traweck

Howard Traweck was born July 5, 1912 in Matador in a frame house which stood on the very site of the present Traweck House. He was the son of Alice Lenore Traweck and Dr. Albert Carrol Traweck, a pioneer physician who came to Matador with his 15 year old bride in 1897. Howard grew up as the youngest of 6 children: Albert Carrol Traweck, Jr., Mary Lee Traweck, Lucile Traweck, John Louis Traweck, Allie Lenore Traweck.

Matador and Motley County was the only home Howard ever knew. As a little

child, he loved his family and he loved his friends.

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Roaring Springs Resident Graduates From Writers' School

Jo Scott of Roaring Springs recently completed a special correspondence course for new writers at The Institute of Children's Literature based in Redding Ridge, Connecticut.

Upon her successful completion of The Institute's home study course for aspiring authors, Mrs. Scott received her diploma along with personal congratulations from The Institute's president, Bryan K. Judge, who said: "We all share this proud achievement with you. You've learned what is required to produce good

literature for children."

According to Mrs. Scott, "The Institute's course for new writers has added to my knowledge and brought new meaning to my life. My instructor was fair in his evaluations, and he taught me how to better express my thought in my children's stories. I recommend this course highly to anyone interested in children's literature." Mrs. Scott has been privately tutored by mail throughout her new writer's course by William Wagner, one

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"If all printers were determined not to print anything 'til they were sure it would offend nobody, there would be very little printed." — Benjamin Franklin

In The Rough

By Hazei



GUYS AND GALS TOURNNEY

On July 30-31, Paducah hosted a Gals and Guys Tournament, with 38 teams participating. Towns represented were Childress, Matador, Plainview, Lubbock, Floydada, Ralls, Shamrock, Quanah and Spur.

Winners in Championship flight: 1st. Larry and Marion Baker of Lubbock; 2nd. Alfred and Louise Barton of Matador; 3rd. Steel McKinney of Paducah and Jean Hassell of Childress.

Other locals who played were Jake Goodson, Geneva Wilson, Ellis and Leona Terry, Rob Francis and Mary Lou Grundy, Wade and Nell Berryman.

TUESDAY SCRAMBLE

Winners, (31), Vann Francis, Rob Francis, Lawrence and Betty Royal.

2nd. (32), Garland and Judy Cartwright, Mike Hancock and J.E. Van Meter.

3rd. (33), Ellis and Leona Terry, Ron Cox, Roy Stephens, Donna Barton, Venie Moore.

Others, (34), Joe Campbell, Billy Wason, Ben Grundy, Vida Elkins.

(34), E.A. and Dorothy Day, Darrell Cruse, Howard Edmondson.

(34), Kenny and Olivia Barton, Bill and Mary Jones, Tom Yeates.

(35), Kelly and Pennie Keltz, Margaret Barnhill, Dudley Barber, Frank Price.

(35), Roy and Dortha Grundy, M.C. Jones, Tom Stokes.

(35) Randy Barton, Warner Salisbury, Jerry Forburger, Jim Ballew, Geneva Wilson.

(35) Charlie and Nancy Long, Bill and June Moss.

(35), Bill and Marlene Tidwell, Bob and Geneva Ross.

THURSDAY PLAY

Morning players, Winifred, Hazel, LaVoe, Louise, Dorothy Day, Geneva and Loys.

Play was for low putts, Geneva was winner and won the ball, having 15 putts.

P.M. players: Judy C., Judy R., Mari-helen, Margaret, Nell B., Vida, Dortha.

Vida won low putts, 15 (Tied with morning players.) Nell B. had an eagle on #4!

TWO GUYS AND A GAL SCRAMBLE

Play at Springs Ranch Saturday and Sunday had 21 teams playing in this scramble. Players were from Dallas, Lubbock, Wichita Falls, Paducah, Spur, Floydada, Dickens, Hamlin, and Flomot.

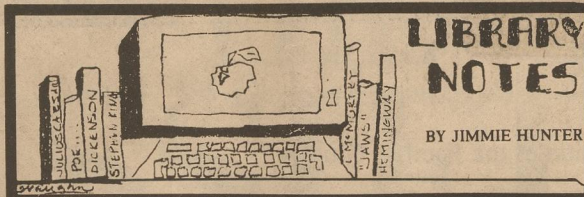
Championship flight: 1st. Larry and Marion Barker and Dan Lewis, 122; 2nd. Fann Francis, Louise Barton, Bud Francis, 123; 3rd. Darrell Cruse, Wade and Nell Berryman, 131; Gerald Pipkin, Alan and Kay Bingham, 131; Bingham and Pipkin won play-off on hole No. 3.

First flight: 1st. Jerry Shobert, Johnnie Carlisle, Jimmy Whitefield, 125; 2nd. Billy Wason, Nancy Hammer, Randy Barton, 131; 3rd. (a tie), Preston and Taisha and Grady Stagg, 132; Kenny and Olivia Barton, Role Francis, 132; Barton and Francis won play-off on hole No. 1.

Second place: a tie for 1st. and 2nd. Garland and Judy Cartwright, Billy Osborn, 135; Bobby Benevides, David and Maggie Del Hierro, 135; Cartwright and Osborn won play-off on card.

3rd. Mark Wason, Margaret Barnhill, T.J. Hammer, 136.

Closest to pin on No. 3 on Saturday was Trisha Staggs of Paducah on Sunday was Vann Francis.



LIBRARY NOTES

BY JIMMIE HUNTER

Out of town visitors to the library for this week were: Jerry, Jetta, Elizabeth, and Ethan Stegall of Wichita Falls, Sue Shelta Lancaster of Breckenridge, Texas; Larry Milner of Amarillo; Peggy and Christopher Carroll of Childress; Darlene Fletcher of Roaring Springs; Sue McCaghen Scott of Shreveport, LA; and Anne Rounsville of Salinas, CA.

New books available at the Library are: **CONVICTIONS: My Journey from the Convict to the Courtroom**, by Arlene Violet with Suda J. Pohaska; the story of a woman who, after 23 years of being a nun, became this country's first elected female state attorney general; **GIFT OF THE GOLDEN MOUNTAIN**, by Shirley Streshinsky, the fictional story of May Reade, a Berkeley graduate student, who acknowledges her Chinese heritage as she confronts the mother who abandoned her to return to Red China, in the sequel to **HERS THE KINGDOM** and **Oil Man: The Story of Frank Phillips and the Birth of Phillips Petroleum**, by Michael Wallis; the story of oil wildcatter Frank Phillips and the legendary empire he created reveals his beginnings as a barber-shop owner and how he became one of the richest bankers in Oklahoma, and the founder of Phillips Petroleum in 1905. Included in "The Library of America" series we have Theodore Dreiser's three novels **Sister Carrie**, **Jennie Gerhardt**, and **Twelve Men** and Benjamin Franklin's **Essays, Articles, Bagatelles, and Letters: Poor Richard's Almanac and The Autobiography**.

The READ TO ME TEXAS LIBRARY SUMMER READING GROUP will have their last meeting Tuesday, August 23rd. We will meet at the Library at 10:30 and receive the certificates for participating. Please bring in your Reading Logs that day or before. Then we will go to Cassie Campbells for a picnic in her

backyard. Her mother, Janie Campbell, will be contacting other mothers to bring sandwiches, punch, or other goodies for our picnic. We certainly had fun this morning, Tuesday, August 9, listening to a story about Pooh Bear and his friends learning to play "Poohsticks" and rescuing Eeyore from the river he had slipped into after being Bounced by the very bouncy Tigger, who claimed he only coughed and just happened to be behind Eeyore at the time. Then we had such fun exercising and singing with Robin Boedeker and Lola Pohl such songs as "If you're happy and you know it," "Have you ever been a fishing?" "London Bridge," "Jesus Loves Me," and the children did very good at singing Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer" all by themselves.

Today is the last regular meeting of the STARGAZERS AND TRAIL-BLAZER'S Club. I hope you all remembered to bring your reading logs. I am still working on plans for a field trip to Roaring Springs next week. The Stargazing has been postponed until September, but I'd better tell you now that the best meteor shower of the year is to take place on August 22. If you know what time it will be at its best, please let me know. If I find out first, I'll tell you.

We have received stories written by Ryan Martin, Kandi Keltz, Leah Cruse and Robert Gillespie. We would love to have stories written by others who attended the day Mrs. Potts talked to us, including Louise Robbins grandson, Scott Alexander, and Tony Lagrappe from San Angelo.

We appreciate the donations we have received in memory of Clay Lancaster and Howard Traweck and will include a list of donors in next week's column.

We have many new Spanish books in. Come by and see for yourself.

Free Trees Available

Ten free white flowering dogwood trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during August, 1988.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's efforts to encourage tree planting throughout America.

"The white flowering dogwoods will add year-round beauty to your home and neighborhood," John Rosenow, the Foundation's executive director, said. "Dogwoods have showy spring flowers, scarlet autumn foliage, and red berries which

attract songbirds all winter."

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between October 15 and December 10 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to TEN DOGWOODS, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by August 31, 1988.

Roaring Springs City Council

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Anna Wilson. They were approved.

A question was that Regan Holley had 20 1/4 hours of overtime he filed to be paid. After a discussion, the council elected to pay Holley but the next City Water Superintendent would sign a contract to clarify the city's terms in regard to overtime, etc.

The Council discussed two applicants for the water superintendent position they are Billy Green of Plainview and James May of Matador. The decision was tabled until references were checked out.

Thacker discussed his agreement that he had with the City in 1980 on renting the school gym. He stated the gym was in bad need of repair and they agreed to rent it for \$100 a month, but to do the repairs in exchange for the rent amount. His figures show him owing \$8,900.00 and the repair hours and expenses being \$8950.00 plus \$550.00 owed to him by the city for the hours of labor Vince Taylor was provided to help Regan Holley do city work.

Thacker stated he felt the City had attacked his integrity when he was trying to help everyone out by saving the gym and certainly not intending to beat the city out of rent money.

Dillard explained it was not their intention to cause hard feelings but to merely get on record the incoming and outgoing expenses documented for the audit.

Thacker stated he would now pay \$125.00 rent on the gym and he wanted to be reimbursed for the 55 hours Vince worked. This decision was tabled for 24 hours.

Anna requested that the city typewriter be repaired. After discussion, Thacker and Long decided to bring her

their word processor to use.

Bills were read and paid.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, August 10.



Home Economically Speaking
By Carolyn Smead

WHY TEEN MARRIAGES ARE VULNERABLE

When teens marry, they are two to three times more likely to divorce than people who wait until they are older. Why?

According to family life researchers, one cause of failure is that teens often marry for the wrong reason. They may think their spouse will be perfect, fulfilling all their needs, like the husbands or wives on television and movies.

When a partner doesn't live up to unrealistic expectations, the teenager begins to look elsewhere for answers or relationships and unfaithfulness often

results. Teens couples may be plagued with money problems because they have only enough education and training to hold down entry level jobs. When the couple lives with parents because they can't afford a place of their own, bonding together and becoming financially and emotionally independent is more difficult. Often it's easier to turn to a parent for consolation or financial help rather than work things out as a couple.

Married teens may also feel they've lost their freedom, are being suffocated by their mate's possessiveness or have been cheated of the fun things in young adulthood. Teen couples need to communicate. But if they didn't have good communication with their parents, they may have little practice sharing feelings, controlling outbursts and taking on new roles.

Not every teenage marriage fails. A willingness to adjust to a new lifestyle, a commitment to staying married and working hard at the marriage can provide a strong foundation for any marriage.

4-H Food And Nutrition Workshop

King County will be host to a multi-county food and nutrition workshop to be held August 18 in Guthrie. Counties included are King, Cottle, Dickens, Motley and Childress. The workshop will begin at 10:00 a.m. and conclude after lunch where there will be time for swimming.

This workshop will be part of the Motley County 4-H food and nutrition project and everyone is encouraged to participate. Under third graders this year are now eligible for the 4-H program and are especially invited. More information

will be available later but if you aren't enrolled in 4-H and are interested, please go by the county Extension office in the courthouse and sign up.

More information can be obtained by calling Carolyn Smead, Extension Agent-Home Economics, at (817) 552-9941.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are for people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Senior Citizens Report

by Iris Blevins

Monday, the Mini Bus went to Lubbock for Doctor's appointments and some went shopping. It was a very enjoyable day for all. Tuesday was our regular second Tuesday luncheon. A person asked how much it cost to eat with us, I said. We don't charge anyone, but if you want to help us with bread, tea and coffee, kool-aid, paper plates, napkins and the like, we will take any donation to the Senior Citizens to take care of every meal's expenses. I know you will have plenty of good home cooked food.

Friday evening is always the time we

all come together to enjoy an evening of fun and games of 88, 42 and dominoes.

It would be our pleasure, if you would join us.

The bus made its regular run to Plainview Thursday with a goodly number riding. Some picked up potatoes, onions and cucumbers. They will be bringing in white potatoes to the dump pretty soon, if you would be interested.

Wednesday, August 17, is cheese day. Don't forget, you will need to sign up and get new cards.

Larry Dearen Accepts Coaching Position in Pampa

Former Motley County Coach, Larry Dearen has accepted a coaching and teaching position at Pampa High School, Pampa, Texas.

His coaching duties are Varsity Foot-

ball, Girls Basketball and Track. District teams are Hereford, Levelland, Canyon

Randall, Dumas, Lubbock Dunbar, Lub-

bock Estacada, and Wollforth Frenship.

MOTLEY COUNTY CAN!

Many people in Motley County are interested in helping to stimulate the economic growth of our County. In order to do this effectively, we need your input, so please take a few minutes to fill out the questionnaire and let us know your ideas.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

I am willing to work on projects to help get new businesses in Motley County.

I would like for someone else to work to get new businesses in Motley County.

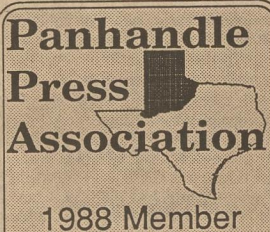
I like Motley County just like it is.

Signature: _____

This is an opinion poll to determine interest in the Community, so any unsigned questionnaires will be discarded.

Please return this questionnaire to :

Motley County Tribune
P.O. Box 490
Matador, Texas 79244



1988 Member

Motley County 4-H Clubs Would Like To Thank The Following For Their Donations And Support Toward The 4-H Junior Rodeo

BUCKLE DONORS

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Shannon Texaco
Warner Salisbury,
Confection Technology

And to all 4-H leaders who helped make the Junior Rodeo a Success



Spur Man Named Vice-Chairman Of Rural Friends

Bailey L. Reece of Spur has been elected vice-chairman of the statewide group known as Rural Friends. His election came during a caucus of the organization's leaders last week (July 26) in Fort Worth.

Reece is general manager of Dickens Electric Cooperative which is headquartered in Spur. While in Fort Worth, Reece also completed two years on the board of directors of the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives, including a year as president.

Rural Friends is composed of rural electric leaders and personnel and other citizens involved in education on issues of special concern to rural areas.

Reece has managed Dickens Electric since 1961. The system consists of more than 2,700 miles of lines in seven counties serving nearly 4,700 farms and ranches and other rural enterprises.

Reece was born in Colorado and grew up in West Texas. He attended school in Friona and Adrian and graduated from West Texas State University. He is married and the father of two daughters and a son, now grown.



Bailey L. Reece

READER'S COLUMN

The Way It Was

By Emmett Jenkins

Probably the first white men who had any knowledge of Roaring Springs, were Army Scouts, or Buffalo hunters. I have found no records that tell anything about the Springs, more than probably one hundred and fifty years ago.

What I have read about Indians, all history and Indian lore was handed down, by word of mouth.

I have been told that Roaring Springs was one of the permanent camps for the Indians. The cone-shaped holes in the rocks, near the pool, indicate that they spent time there, grinding their corn.

According to pictures taken in the early days, it was a favorite picnic and camping spot for the whole area, a tradition that was carried on, until a few years ago.

My first experience with Roaring Springs, was about 1910 or 1911.

They were holding a Brush Arbor Revival. There were people from Motley

and Dickens County. A lot of people from Matador attended. That was before the town of Roaring Springs was organized. There were campers, horses and wagons, up and down the river.

At that time, we were living southeast of Matador, on what was later called the Stafford place. We took a covered wagon, with chuck box, and bed rolls. We also took a saddle horse or two. They were used to go back and forth and "tend to the things". We turned the calves out with the milk cows and that took care of the chore of milking, but the hogs and chickens had to be fed.

Traveling across Country, it was, around twelve or fourteen miles. The water from the Springs, above the falls, had cut down two or three feet into the rock above the falls. There were two streams, the larger one on the East, which I would say carries three-fourths of the water.

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I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.

Philippians 4:13

the "Boy Scout Day" in Matador at which time the scouts took over every business and county office in Matador and "ran the town" fining people for misdemeanors and would-be unlawful activities in order to make money for their scout troop and for scout trips.

In addition, Howard, along with Paul Eubank, originated and started the Father-Son Banquet which continues to this day. Howard missed very few, if any, of the banquets. He served as a waiter.

Someone has said that Howard charged 1930 prices. In Howard's mind he charged what he considered to be reasonable prices and it was his pleasure to serve the people of Motley County. His office in the courthouse was his little kingdom and Howard will miss it as much as we will miss seeing him there and hearing him pick away at his little old manual typewriter.

Jesus tells us in the parables what the kingdom of Heaven is like and how we can attain it. In Matthew 25: 34-40 Jesus said, "Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: For I was an hungred, and ye gave me meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger and ye took me in."

Naked and ye clothed me, I was sick, and ye visited me, I was in prison, and ye came unto me.

Then shall the righteous answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we an hungred, and fed thee, or thirsty, and gave thee drink;

When saw we thee a stranger, and took thee in, or naked, and clothed thee?

Or when saw we thee sick, or in prison, and came unto thee?

And the King shall answer and say unto them, verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Howard has attained that kingdom by his deeds, his life, and his acceptance of Jesus Christ as his Saviour and the Lord of his life.

Howard can say with Paul in II Timothy 4:7,8: I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day; and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing."

And Howard can say with Eleanore the blessing of Missal in Genesis 31:49. "The Lord watch between me and thee while we are absent one from the other."

Obituaries

CLAYTON LANCASTER

Services for Clayton Luther Lancaster, 14, of Matador were held at 10 a.m. Friday, August 5 in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Greer Willis, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the East Mound Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died at 9:15 p.m. Tuesday, August 2 in an automobile accident about half mile south of Matador on Texas Highway 70. Justice of the Peace Gertrude Smith ruled the death an accident.

Lancaster was born in Henrietta and moved from Breckenridge to Motley

County in 1980. He was a student at Matador High School and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his parents, Gary and Carolyn Lancaster of Matador; two sisters, Shanna and Wendy, both of Matador; his paternal grandmother, Lorene Lancaster of Matador; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Daniel of Henrietta.

Pallbearers were Ben Grundy, Roncho Grundy, Kenny Barton, Guy Campbell, Roy Stephens, Douglas Campbell, Billy Paul Campbell, Joel Dean Spray.

VIOLA TOMISON

Graveside services for Viola Tomison, 81, of Paducah were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Garden of Memories Cemetery with the Rev. Tilden Armstrong, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Mynatt Funeral Home.

She died at 4 p.m. Sunday in Wood Nursing Home after a lengthy illness.

She was a lifelong resident of Paducah. She married Floyd Tomison on Oct.

25, 1942, in Paducah. She was a homemaker and member of First Christian Church.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Arnold Lang Tomison of Matador; a daughter, JoLene Holeman of Amarillo; two sisters, Annie Mae Bridwell of Paducah and Dixie Faye Bearden of Olton; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

HOWARD TRAWECK

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boy he roamed the hills west of town, climbed Boone's Mountain; hunted rabbits with his dog; and in the summertime swam in Willow Creek with the Pipkin kids - Leslie and Cecil - and with the Williams boys.

Howard started to school in the old brick grade school building in East Matador and graduated from the new brick high school in 1930. That school was dear to Howard's heart and he did all he could to keep it from being torn down.

He was proud of being co-captain of Matador High's football team.

In 1930 Dr. Traweck had 2 children in college and there just wasn't enough money for Howard to go. It was in the midst of the depression. Howard looked for work that summer and finally got a job on the road gang, building the highway to Paducah and working on the bridge east of town. He said men with families were standing in line waiting for somebody to quit or get fired, and he felt lucky to get hired at 35 cents an hour working 10 hours a day. He remembered bogging halfway to his knees in the river bed when he carried cement to build that bridge.

Dr. Albert Traweck was in the Navy out in San Diego at that time and as soon as he could, Howard went out to stay with his brother and wife, Irene, and their baby, Charles, to go to school at San Diego State College. He often baby sat with little Charles and studied at the same time. When three year old Charles died a tragic death he was brought back to Matador to be buried in the family plot. Just a very short time ago little Charles' body was disinterred to be placed beside his mother in another area of Matador Cemetery. Howard's resting place will be where Charles lay for over 50 years.

After Howard came back to Texas from California, he graduated from Texas Tech and went on to get his law degree from the University of Texas. Being a lawyer was something Howard knew he wanted to do from the time he was a little 10 year old boy. He was inspired by Judge Hamilton and used to go down to the Judge's office to visit with him and to get him to teach him all he could about the law business. Howard wanted to be a lawyer.

After graduating from law school in 1938, and at the death of Judge Whitten about that time, Howard was appointed county attorney and served until the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Each of us remembers what he was doing when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor. On that Sunday afternoon, December 7, 1941, Howard and three of his friends, Pat Sheridan, Cecil Shelton and Casey Jones were out in Wolf Creek pasture west of Roaring Springs on the Matador Ranch.

They had been quail hunting since morning. At the end of the day they came back to Roaring Springs to learn that the Japanese had made a sneak attack on Pearl Harbor and World War II had begun.

In Howard's own words he said, "After the attack on Pearl Harbor I knew I was 1A, so the next day I went down to the draft office and saw Frank Pohl who was secretary of the draft board and asked him where I stood. He said I was in the next draft to be called. I said, "That's all I want to know." So I went up to Lubbock and joined the Navy, came home and was home some 2 or 3 weeks when they called me to report."

Howard went in the Navy at the lowest level which was Apprentice Seaman. He became Yeoman Third Class - then Lieutenant Junior Grade - then Lieutenant Senior Grade - and finally rose to the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the reserves.

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this program.

King also reported on a meeting with all the South Plains Judges, concerning a regional jail facility. SPAG gathered the information and turned it over to a state office.

Danny McLarty, Architect for the Handicap accessibility renovation project, explained the 3 plans and preliminary costs estimates. These are Exterior Tower A, \$246,069.80; Interior tower and handicap restrooms A, \$147,311.79; Interior tower and handicap restrooms B, \$147,311.79.

After a discussion and examination of blueprints, Interior A was chosen. The Court was informed that it would be October before construction would begin.

Betty Luckett, Motley County Tax Appraiser, came in to inform the court of the present tax rate of .62. She stated that the first Mullins Oil Well in the north part of the county had brought the tax revenue back up equal to 1986. She stated part of the 87 drop was due to the Roaring Springs; field being 30 years old and most oil fields were only good for 15 years, and this field was finally playing out.

After discussion, the Court elected to set the new tax rate at .64.

Joe Novack of West Texas Equipment came to discuss future purchase or lease of maintainers. After discussion the Commissioners decided to take bids on the 5 year residual lease concept.

The Court read and signed the delinquent tax roll report for 1987. There are approximately \$20,000 in taxes unpaid

for 1987 in Motley County.

Rodney Williams, Motley County V.F.D. Fire Chief came by to give the Commissioners a new cap and show them the remodeled rural fire fighting truck.

The Judge informed the Court the State Highway and Bridge engineer would be spot checking the county road bridges real soon. Russell stated he had talked to a commissioner from down state and he referred him to a state office in Austin which Russell called and asked if there was assistance money for these demanded projects and the office informed there was.

Judge Whitaker informed the Court the Courthouse water-cooler was rusted out and they needed a new one, the court passed this.

The bills were read to be paid for approximately: General Fund, \$4039.88; Prec. I, \$1251.92; Prec. II, \$1,037.17; Prec. III, \$664.97; Prec. IV, \$1177.90.

The bills were read and approved. The reports were read, the J.P. collected \$5,915.50 in fines in July.

Simpson asked the Commissioners what was a fair price to use a farmers tractor to pull a dirt loader to move dirt with the County supplying the fuel. It was decided on \$15.00 an hour.

Also in the discussion they were reminded they were to charge for hauling dirt or gravel to private property, the price was \$10.00 a load for the first 20 miles and \$1.50 a mile after that. Meeting adjourned.

an opportunity to learn their craft directly from professionals who really knew what it was all about. The result has been a successful learning-by-doing home study course that, according to Dean Tresselt, "...protects promising new writers from the wasted efforts and heartbreak of putting days, weeks, or even years into manuscripts that are either badly conceived, improperly executed or directed to the wrong markets."

Is there really an opportunity for new writers in the marketplace? "More than 130 million young people's books are purchased each year," according to Tresselt. "As many as 2,500 new titles appear annually and new authors account for up to half of them," Dean Tresselt said.

To help The Institute spot potential authors, a free Writing Aptitude Test is offered to applicants. "No one gets into The Institute without passing our Aptitude Test and those who pass and enroll receive our promise: You will complete at least one manuscript ready to submit to a publisher by the time you finish the course," Dean Tresselt explained.

Information about the young readers' market and a free Writing Aptitude Test can be obtained by writing to Mrs. Judith Brustad, Director of Admissions, The Institute of Children's Literature, Dept. CW8, Redding Ridge, CT 06876-0260, or calling her toll free at 1-800-243-9645.

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of The Institute's 75 instructors. Mr. Wagner is a highly regarded literary professional with impressive credentials which include working as Editor of *Jack and Jill, Child Life Magazine*, and as Associate Editor of *Children's Digest*. Mr. Wagner has written eleven books, and more than 600 stories and articles which have appeared in magazines such as *Wee Wisdom, Highlights for Children, Jack and Jill, Scouting, Child Life and Outdoor World*.

According to The Institute's Dean of Faculty, Alvin Tresselt, "Writing for children is the perfect way to take up writing." Dean Tresselt, the author of 53 children's books and former Executive Editor of Parents Magazine Press, explained why: "Your ideas come right out of your own experience. After 30 years of editing, publishing and teaching, I can tell you you'll go a long way before you discover anything as rewarding as writing for young readers."

The Institute of Children's Literature was founded in 1969 by a group of professional writers and editors. They wanted to create a school for new writers that would have no classrooms, no walls, but would give aspiring writers everywhere

Card of Thanks

There are no words which can express my gratitude for the many kindnesses the people of Motley, Lubbock and surrounding counties extended to Howard and me during his illness and at the time of his service. We are grateful to the helicopter crew who transported him to Methodist hospital; to the paramedics who helped us; to the people who mowed our yard; shredded and mowed our lot; fed and watered our dogs; called us; wrote; prayed for his recovery; held us up to the Lord; provided a place for me to stay while Howard was in the hospital; took me out to eat; sent food and flowers and donations to the Howard Traweck Endowment fund for Diabetic Research c/o First State Bank, Matador; sustained us and visited us and loved us. We are grateful to the doctors and nurses who helped Howard; to the Ministers, the Pallbearers and all our friends who made the service for him a beautiful one. Howard and I walked through the valley of the shadow of death for many months together. I ask for your continued prayers for me and for prayers for the discovery of a cure for the diabetes which took Howard's life.

Eleanor Traweck and my extended family:
Nancy Barrow and family,
Allie Dockendorff and family,
Dr. Albert Traweck,
Dorothy Hanesworth and family,
Frances Morris and family,
Frank Traweck,
Naoma Grasmick and family

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Psalms 127: 3,4

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Drought Relief Bill Passes House

(Washington) -- By a vote of 368-29, the U.S House of Representatives yesterday passed its version of drought relief legislation, designed to minimize the effects of the worst dry spell the nation's breadbasket has seen in fifty years. Congressman Beau Boulter (R-Amarillo), said the measure also contains two provisions, included at his request, targeted to assist qualifying Texas panhandle and south plains farmers.

"Although we are not currently in a drought situation," said Boulter, panhandle crop yields, wheat in particular, were drastically reduced by disease and insect infestations, aggravated by dry conditions in the early spring. Couple that with the fact that, since the drought has driven commodity prices upward, these farmers will receive only a fraction of their expected deficiency checks, and those folks are hurting." At Boulter's request, Congressman Pat Roberts (R-Kansas) introduced clarifying language into the House Agriculture Committee bill on Tuesday, stating that it is Congressional intent that farmers facing that dilemma will be covered by the legisla-

tion, provided they can document the qualifying crop losses.

The second measure is aimed at providing assistance to south plains cotton farmers who suffered through a devastating hailstorm in 1987. Introduced by Congressman Larry Combest into the Agriculture Committee bill, again at Boulter's request, the amendment provides assistance to farmers who can show a 75% crop loss. "It is unfortunate that these producers could not get help last year," said Boulter. "But they are certainly deserving of our consideration this year, because they have suffered through an actual, bona-fide natural disaster. Many experienced 100% losses, and in every way they were just as hard hit as those we are seeking to help with drought legislation." The primary losses to the 13th district cotton crop occurred in Floyd and Briscoe counties.

Boulter predicted a swift resolution of minor differences between the House and Senate bills, and a signature by President Reagan before the August 12 Congressional recess.

Extension Service Offers Producers Computer Training

Although financial planning has always been an important tool for farmers and ranchers, as conditions in agriculture have declined, financial planning has become increasingly emphasized by lenders, said Dr. Jackie G. Smith, agricultural economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Lubbock.

The Extension service has developed the TAMWFARM (Texas A&M Whole Farm Analysis and Record Management) spreadsheet program which makes it possible for individuals to financially plan for their farm or ranch operation.

On Aug. 23-25, the Extension service will hold a short course for producers, training them to do whole farm/ranch planning and financial management using the computer.

The course will begin at 1 p.m. Aug. 23 and end at 3 p.m. Aug. 25. It will be taught by Extension economists and be held at the Texas State Technical Institute campus west of Sweetwater.

There will be a \$125 charge for each

participant. This will cover four meals, refreshments and educational materials. In order to insure hands-on computer use and a high staff/participant ratio, there is a limit on the number of participants.

Financial statements which can be used in annual production planning, loan applications and other management decisions can be compiled for a farm or ranch using systems such as TAMWFARM. "The spreadsheet makes it possible to run several different plans for comparison," said Smith.

TAMWFARM calculates cash flow, net worth, income statements and financial ratio analysis on a 12-month projected basis. The projected financial plan is constructed from crop and livestock budgets which can be changed to reflect each farm's situation.

More information can be obtained by contacting your county Extension agent, or from Smith at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center at Lubbock, telephone (806) 746-6101.

SCHOOL NOTICES

NOTICE KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration for Kindergarten will be Thursday, August 25, 1988 at 1:30 p.m. in the Kindergarten Room. Please bring your child's shot records and birth certificate. Your child must be five(5) years of age by September 1, 1988.

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FREE AND REDUCED MEALS

The Motley County Independent School District this week announced its policy for free and reduced price meals for children unable to pay the full price of meals served under the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program. Each school and the office of the Superintendent has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

Application forms are being sent to all homes with a letter to parents or guardians. To apply for free or reduced price meals, households should fill out the application and return it to the school. Additional copies are available at the principal's office. The information provided on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and may be verified at any time during the school year by school or other program officials.

For the school officials to determine eligibility, the household must provide the following information listed on the application: Names of all household members; Social Security numbers of all adult household members or a statement that the household member does not possess one; Total household income or the household's food stamp case number if they currently receive food stamps; Signature of an adult household member certifying that the information provided is correct.

Applications may be submitted at any time during the year.

Under the provisions of the free and reduced price policy, Ronald Cummings, Superintendent, will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents or guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to discuss the decision with the determining official on an informal basis. Parents wishing to make a formal appeal may make a request either orally or in writing to Mr. Ronald W. Cummings, Drawer 310, Matador, Texas

79244, for a hearing on the decision.

Households are required to report increases in household income of over

\$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for reduced price meals

or for free meals. In certain cases foster children are also eligible for school meal benefits. If a household has foster children living with them and wishes to apply for them, the household should contact the school for more information.

The information provided by the household is confidential and will be used only for purposes of determining eligibility and verifying data.

In the operation of child feeding programs administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age or handicap. If any member of a household believes they have been discriminated against, they should write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Motley County Independent School District offers vocational programs in agriculture and home economics.

It is the policy of the Motley County Independent School District not to discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color, and national origin in its educational and vocational programs, activities, or employment as required by Title IX, Section 503 and Title VI.

The Motley County Independent School District will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX coordinator and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Ronald W. Cummings at 1600 Bundy Street, Matador, Texas 79244. Phone number 806-347-2677.

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Social Security Tips

By Terry J. Clements

The Social Security Administration encourages blind and disabled people receiving benefits to work despite their impairments. There are various work incentive provisions to help them become self-supporting. This column describes one of the supplemental security income (SSI) incentives. We call it a PASS-- short for "plan for achieving self-support."

Under a PASS, a disabled or blind person can set aside income and/or resources over a specified period of time for a work goal such as vocational training, education, purchasing work-related equipment, or starting a business. The income and/or resources set aside do not count in determining the person's eligibility or payment amount. Working blind or disabled people who otherwise would not be eligible for SSI may be able to receive payments if they have a PASS.

A vocational counselor, social worker, employer, or Social Security representative, among others may help a person develop a plan for achieving self-support.

The plan must include a feasible work goal, a specific savings or spending plan, and the intended time frame for carrying out the goal. It also must provide for a clearly identifiable accounting of the funds that are set aside.

We will evaluate the plan and determine if it is acceptable. We'll also help put the plan in writing. The person must then follow the plan but can negotiate revisions as needed.

It is important to note that, as earnings rise, an SSI recipient who does not now need a PASS may need one next month to remain eligible or increase his or her payment amount.

Anyone who wants more information about plans for achieving self-support should call any Social Security office. Social Security also has a leaflet available that describes the various work incentive provisions. It's called "Benefits For Disabled People Who Return To Work." For more information or to file a claim call 293-9623.

Winners of Photography Contest Announced

A Motley County 4-H Photography contest was held recently. 4-H members participated in two divisions beginners and advanced. Adult leader for the photography project is Nova Dale Turner. Posters are displayed in the courthouse.

Placings are as follows: Beginners: 1st. place, Bert Darsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey; 2nd. place, Leigh

Ann Pipkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pipkin; 3rd. place, Lindsey Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Williams, and Mollie Christian, daughter of Mrs. June Christian.

Advanced: 1st. place, Kobbi Risser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risser; 2nd. place, Whitney Jameson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jameson.

Class of 1938 To Hold 50th Reunion

The class of 1938, Matador High School will celebrate its 50th year since graduation, with a reunion during school Homecoming, it was announced this week. The time and place will be planned, and announced later, according to a local member of the class.

There were 41 graduates in 1938, eight

of whom are known deceased. Seven live in and near Matador: Charlie Scaff, Joe Campbell, Stuart Dixon, Ruth McBride Stafford, Eugenia Garrison Barton, and Elva Rhae and E.D. Lawrence, who returned here this year after making their home in Wichita Falls for a number of years.

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Society News



MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM COCHRAN

Westbrook-Cochran marry in Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day of Roaring Springs announce the recent marriage of their daughter, Stayce Day Westbrook to William Cochran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cochran of Stillwell, Oklahoma. The couple was married in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Janice Cochran of Oklahoma City, sister of the groom. Layce Westbrook, daughter of the bride, was flower girl.

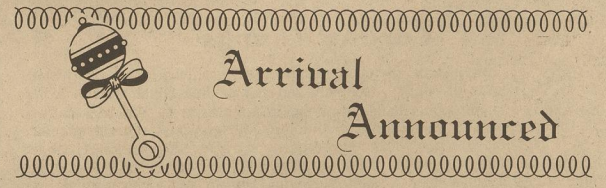
Acting as best man was brother of the groom, Perry Cochran Jr. of Stillwell,

Okla. Ring bearer was Jason Westbrook, son of the bride.

Scott Westbrook, son of the bride, presented each mother with a rose during the ceremony.

The bride attended Floydada High School. The groom is a 1979 graduate from Stillwater High school and a 1983 graduate of Northeastern State University, Oklahoma.

Following a wedding trip to Branson, Missouri, the couple is at home in Afton, where the groom is head football coach.



Arrival Announced

Shanna Lou Jameson

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon H. Jameson of Santa Fe, N.M. are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Shanna Lou. She arrived at 12:36 p.m., Saturday, July 30, 1988 and weighed seven pounds, one and a half ounces.

Grandparents welcoming the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crestin of Las Vegas, N.M. Great grandparents are Mrs. Beulah Jameson of Plainview, Bob Jameson of Matador and B.B. Bristow of Brownwood.

Caleb Thomas Carpenter

Carlton and Kay Carpenter of Wimberly are the proud parents of a son, Caleb Thomas. He was born August 1 in Hays County Memorial Hospital. Caleb has two brothers, Casey and

Kyle and one sister, Cara. Grandparents are Dick and Jeanie Carpenter of San Marcos. The Carpenters are former Roaring Springs residents.

Amanda DeLyn Forbis

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Forbis of Dickens would like to announce the arrival of their daughter, Amanda DeLyn Forbis. She was born July 31, 1988 at 6:56 p.m.. She weighed 8 pounds and was 22 inches long at birth.

Grandparents are Lewis and Marie Mullins of Dickens and Robert and Pat

Forbis of Afton. Great Grandparents are Louis and Lorene Edwards, Dickens, Raydell and Ruby Mullins, Afton, Charlie Gage, Dickens, Vera Belle Forbis, Ralls.

Great-Great Grandmother is Mrs. Beatrice Adams of Dickens.

Jonni Machelles McKelvey

Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. McKelvey and Mandi are announcing the arrival of a daughter and sister, Jonni Machelles on Thursday, July 28, 1988 at 5:18 p.m. She weighed 6 1/2 pounds, and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Baggerman of Groom and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKelvey of Matador. Great Grandparents are Mrs. Verson T. Alexander of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Allen of Lubbock.



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County Chit-Chat

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Matador News

Mrs. Murray Alexander and son, Scott, of Lakewood, Colorado visited recently with her mother, Louise Robbins. Scott stayed to visit with his grandmother.

Zena Mae Groves has been a patient in a hospital in Arlington, with a heart condition and other complications. She will be confined to bed rest for a couple of weeks. Her address is 2912 Roosevelt Dr., Arlington, Texas 76061.

Keith and Joan Patton returned August 1 from a vacation in Santa Fe, N.M. They attended the Santa Fe Opera production of "The Flying Dutchman" and the Spanish Market on the plaza and the races at the docks.

Mrs. Gary Evans of Canon City, Colo. and Mrs. Martha Davis and Robert and Celia of Lockney visited in Matador Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rose and Sean vacationed in San Antonio last week. Among attractions visited were Sea World, The Texas Folklife Festival, The Alamo, The Riverwalk and many other sights. Their daughter, Shea, visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rose while her parents and brother were gone.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ceamon Scott and Tobey came to Matador on Saturday and spent the night with her mother, Mrs. Walter Evans. She went home with them on Sunday. Mr. Leroy Scott, her son-in-law, brought her home Thursday.

Carolyn, Gary and Jason Brown of Argyle, Randal and Rowena Hawk of Jacksboro visited in Matador with Elga and Roger Evans, Jewell Landrum and Lucille Gaines.

Mrs. Vance Gilbreath of Matador attended the Aldersgate National Conference on the Holy Spirit at the Duquesne University at Pittsburg, PA, Aug. 5-7.

Local residents, April Vandiver and Forrest Campbell, accompanied by Gary and Jerri Ann Campbell and the Halsey family of Lubbock and Borger, recently returned from a trip to Hawaii.

Highlight of the trip was a visit with Gary's friend, Jim Nabors of "Gomer Pyle" fame, at his Hana Ranch on the island of Maui, often described in travel ads as "the loveliest spot on earth."

Gay Lynn Holt and children of Weatherford visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson and daughter.

HOSPITAL NEWS

C.D. Garrison, a patient in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, had knee surgery, Monday, Aug. 8. At newtime he was in ICU. His wife, Evelyn, daughter, Debra Scott and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. France Barton were with him during surgery. Visiting him, Sunday were brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Garrison of Kermit. Many other friends and relatives have visited.

Ellis Terry had major surgery Tuesday, Aug. 9 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

MONK FAMILY OBSERVE 41ST ANNUAL REUNION

The J.H. Monk family observed their 41st annual reunion, Saturday and Sunday, July 30-31 at the Community Center in Flomot. Mrs. Millie Maupin of Adrian, 85 years of age, was recognized as the oldest family member to attend and the only surviving child of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Monk.

Those attending the weekend of good entertainment, food and making and viewing of family photographs were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Maupin of Hereford; Mrs. Billie Ramage of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dee Suddeth and Robert of Hugoton, Kansas; Judy Nix of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Monk of Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Monk, Ryan, Recca and Ranei of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Rosella Cannon of Tulia and Wesley and Crystal Pope of Cerrillo, New Mexico.

J.T. Weatherly of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Burl McCormick, Shannon, Craig and Jeffery of Iowa Park; Mr. and Mrs. Butch Bradley and Tiffany of Anton; Mrs. Katie Crain and Billy H. Crain of Childress; Winford Monk of Melrose, N.M. Mr. and Mrs. Tooter Crooks of Texico, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Monk of Quitaque. Local residents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Don Monk and Mrs. James (Lucille) Monk.

The Monk Family Reunion will be held July 29th and 30th in 1989 at the Community Center building in Flomot for their annual festivities.

ATTEND U.S.N. REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse attended his U.S. Navy Reunion held July 15-16-17 in Wichita Falls. It was the 11th annual reunion of Veterans' who served in U.S. Navy, Standard Landing Craft Unit 36 of Boat Pool Baker during World War II.

Mr. and Mrs. Cruse joined other couples from throughout the United States at the Hilton Hotel for an entertaining and reminiscing weekend.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL DECLARED A SUCCESS

The Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social sponsored by the Do Gooders' Club of Flomot held Saturday night, Aug. 6 at the Community Center in Flomot was a resounding success. Residents from Quitaque, Matador, Northfield, Floydada and Flomot attended. Freezer ice cream of every flavor and beverages were served.

Highlight of the evening of entertainment was Ronald Clay with his proficient and glib auctioneering of cakes, watermelons, pies, home canned vegetables, fruits and jams. Twenty door prizes were given and games were enjoyed before and after the auction.

The Do Gooders' Club expressed their sincere appreciation for the good response and donations received to help defray the cost of painting the exterior of the Flomot Community building and gym.

SHANNON FAMILY RENION

Descendants of Mr. and Mrs. James Luther Shannon held their annual family reunion in the Howard Wick Community Center at Green Belt Lake, June 24-25. The over 130 family members attending enjoyed indoor games, visiting and good food rather than usual outdoor entertainment due to rain.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bly Shannon and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shannon of Flomot; Billy Neal Shannon and Laci Price of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Woods, Tiffany, Emily and Kimberly of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shannon, Tim Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shannon, Denise and Nathan and Mrs. David (Katherine) Walker of Matador.

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs was honored on the occasion of her 77th birthday with a family dinner in her home, Saturday night, July 30.

Those attending the celebration were her children and families, Mr. Kathryn Martin of Whiteflat and friend, Art Green of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. David Osborn of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Martin of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Newman of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin of Lovington, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Martin, Kathy, Billy and Nancy of Shallowater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dunnam and Courtney of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Post visited during the

Mr. and Mrs. Victor bond of Tulsa, Oklahoma visited the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Speer of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter, Thursday. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter last weekend were Anita Hunter of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. H.G. Hunter of Quitaque and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Musgrave of Hatfield, Arkansas and Edna Earl Schumacher of Greenville.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Wade (Opal) Martin, Thursday were ex-residents of Flomot, Rada Birchfield Shelburn of Garnet Shold, Dessie Mae Birchfield Winters and daughter of Houston, Elmina Deason McClendon of Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Birchfield of Andrews. They also visited with relatives and friends in Matador.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Marshall of Eagle Lake Texas. Mr. Marshall was a former teacher in the Flomot Schools. A cousin of Mr. Lee, Floyd Smith of Rosebud, Arkansas visited them, Friday.

Shay Lynn and Dustin Reed and Keith Cook of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen. Keith remained to visit.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Washington during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hamilton of Lubbock Richard Carroll of Roswell, N.M. visited last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon. They attended the Carroll Family Reunion held at Caprock Canyon State Park. They visited in Plainview, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll, Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Green of Borger visited his brother, Art Green, Sunday as they were en route home from visiting relatives and friends in Matador.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D.M. "Kie" Gilbert, Friday were Bob and Ila Sue Goodman of Vancouver, Washington, Walt and Iola Fay Goodman of Portland, Oregon and Iva Barker and Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Welch of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Marric, Shalala and Kaycee of Snyder visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Leah, Keane and Derrick. The Cruse children returned home with the Marric family and Mrs. Cruse joined them in Snyder, Tuesday. On Wednesday, Mrs. Marric and children and Mrs. Cruse and children enjoyed the amusements at Water Wonderland in Midland before returning to their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Ty, Cody and Lance visited in Lockney, Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Barclay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meece of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd, Tuesday. Mrs. Mike Keller of Plainview visited them, Wednesday. Visiting in their home, Saturday were Johnny Speer of Floydada and Dickie Cloyd and son, Jason of Memphis. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and Mrs. Fay Patrick of Amarillo.

Mrs. Darrell Cruse and children visited in Floydada, Friday with her grandfather, Charlie Lewis, who was recently hospitalized with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. D.M. "Kie" Gilbert attended a birthday party, Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith of Quitaque honoring Jim Stroup of Quitaque on his 85th birthday.

Kimberly and Emily, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Woods of Dumas, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shannon. Their other daughter, Tiffany Woods, had major surgery in Amarillo, Tuesday, Aug. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited last weekend in Denton with son and family, Dr. and Mrs. David Martin, Lindsay and Cole and in Arlington with Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer. They visited in Amarillo, Saturday with Mrs. Leona Bell and her guest, Shelly Ball of Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon and his mother, Mrs. Janice Dixon attended the J.P. Whitefield annual family reunion, Sunday held at Caprock Canyon State Park. Those attending from Matador were A.M. "Whitey" Whitefield, Mrs. Janet Miller and children, Chris and Gina. 35 family members attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Turner and daughter, Kay of Dumas visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Heather and Cobey last weekend.

Stanley Whitefield of Idalou and Mrs. Donna Weir and daughter, Jessica of Lexington, Kentucky visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon and Mrs. Jancie Dixon.

Mrs. Ava Hawkins of Quitaque and her houseguests, Ava Gay Dill of Brownfield and Dee Ruark of Golden, Colorado visited Mr. and Mrs. Sid McFall, Tuesday. Mrs. McFall attended the Shepherd Family Reunion in Clovis, N.M., Sunday. Her father, Roy Shepperd of Throckmorton returned home with her and visited Sunday night. He attended to business in Matador, Monday before-

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meredith vacationed last week. They visited in Ruidoso with Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Smith and saw attractions in Santa Fe. They traveled through and saw attractions in New Mexico, Colorado and Oklahoma before returning home. On their way home they visited in Tulia with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ashley and children.

Miss Lula Swim and her brother, Cecil Swim, visited relatives in Plano the past Friday through Monday. They joined Swim-Alderson cousins there from Plano, Greenville, and Bella Vista, Arkansas for a periodic get together.

Mr. Carl Ashley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meredith to Ruidoso, N.M. and remained for an extended visit with his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Smith.

Carla and Jeremy Jones accompanied Dennis Gaines of Lucky Knob Camp of the Matador Ranch to San Antonio last week for vacation. They visited with Dennis' parents, Betty Gaines and Mr. and Mrs. Lenny Gaines and other relatives.

Susan Hunter of Austin joined them in San Antonio on Friday for the Texas Folklife Festival.

They saw many attractions, including the Alamo, the River Walk, the Zoo and Sea World.

J.J. (PAPPY) DAVIS REUNION

There were only fifty-two attending the Annual J.J. (Pappy) Davis Reunion held June 25-26. There were six of the seven daughters of Thelma and N.E. Davis attending. They were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughes, B.J. and Kathy of Graham, Texas; Billie (Blanche) and Kathy Gideon of San Angelo, Texas; Mrs. Tressie Smith, Briana, Teresa and Ray of Amarillo; Mrs. Daisy Smith of Matador, Dorothy Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Jim (Bertha) McCleskey of Roaring Springs.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. Herman McCleskey, Al, Dena and Wesley Wings of Hereford; Billie Odell, Mr. and Mrs. Kely Odell, Loreta and Brent McCleskey and Jennifer, all of Lubbock; Robert Goodnight of San Jose, California; Mr. and Mrs. James R. Smith, Johnson, Kansas; Mrs. Mona Darrow and son of Shamrock; Mrs. B.J. Mullins, Julie, Frankie and Sherry of Tatum, N.M.; Mrs. Evelyn Davis, Amy and Jeff of Clovis, N.M.; Johnny Lee Ballard and son of Snyder; Odessa Mullins and Bobby Mullins, Deana and Kisha, all of Roaring Springs.

Charles Brown of Modesto, California is here visiting his mother, Osie Lee Brown. While here he held a 3 day revival at the Macedonia Baptist Church, where he grew up. He is a pastor of a Baptist Church in Modesto. He was guest speaker at the Senior Citizens meeting on Thursday.

Odessa Mullins accompanied her aunt, Allie Lawrence, to Lubbock Tuesday where Allie had a check up for her heart pacer. They visited with Billie Odell, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mullins, Brandy and Michelle and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Roller.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mullins kept a doctor's appointment for Mrs. Mullins Thursday in Lubbock getting a good report. While there they visited a son, Todd Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Hinson kept a doctor's appointment Wednesday in Lubbock for Mr. Hinson. He received a good report from his recent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown of Houston spent Friday night with his mother, Osie Lee Brown. They were going to Nevada to visit. His brother, Charles, rode that far with them on his way home to California.

Donna Brown of Plainview spent the weekend with her mother, Osie Lee Brown and Janice.

Bud and Billy Roller of Lubbock visited Sunday afternoon with Odessa Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne.

Mrs. Gary Caffey visited with her mother, Mrs. Clara Youngblood and her sons, Tim and Tom Cooper in Lubbock the past weekend. Mrs. Youngblood is now a resident of Quaker Villa, 4403

turning home.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Heather and Cobey, Monday were the Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Markham, Joy, Keri and Ryan of Fritch and Mrs. Greta Smallwood of Matador and her houseguests, Mrs. Neal (Debbie) Haralson, Jennifer and Brent of Garland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sid McFall visited last weekend in Channing with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McFall, Nesa and Becky. Nesa and Becky returned home with them and visited until Saturday when their parents came to accompany them home. They visited in Dougherty, Sunday with her father, Bud Barton before returning home.

Matthew Jennings of Haskell is visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. T.W. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon and granddaughters, Kobbie and Kaci Risser of Matador visited in Lubbock, Monday with Mrs. Liller Garrison and celebrated her 85th birthday. They also visited at Methodist Hospital with patients and their families of Matador, C.D. Garrison, Heather Hobbs and Pete Knight.

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Garage Sale

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, August 13, 9:00 - 3:00 at Hal Martin home. Men's, ladies and kids clothes, all sizes.

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3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 9:00 - 5:00, Thomas Hurt home, kids clothes, women's clothes, wall hangings, misc.

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Political Calendar

**TEXAS SENATE
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SEEDS FROM THE SOWER

By Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia



An old lady said to a stranger, "If you're going to give me a pitcher of milk, don't skim it first."

What she meant was: If you're going to do a favor, don't spoil it by an ungracious word or deed.

Some people give, but they give grudgingly. They do you a favor, but they never let you forget it. They want you to look up to them for help, but they look down on you when they help you. But a person who looks up to God never looks down on man.

Don't expect to enjoy life if you keep the milk of kindness all bottled up. And if you're going to serve someone, don't skim the sweetness from the service.

The Bible says, "Whatsoever you do, do it heartily, as unto the Lord."



Announcements

PARK WORK DAY

The Park Planning Committee will hold a work night Thursday, August 11 (tonight) at 7:00 p.m. at the Park. They would like to ask anyone who can donate a couple of hours to a worthwhile project to please come help. Homemade ice cream will be served to the workers.

CRAZY 'C' ROPING

The Crazy 'C' Roping Club will have a roping Saturday, August 13, 1988. Books open at 6:00 p.m. Rope at 6:30 p.m.

Novice, 3 for 12
BC, 3 for 16
All ropings are progressive after 1. We reserve the right to refuse any roper. Headstalls awarded in Novice roping. For more information call Kelly Keltz, 347-2871.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Members of the Roaring Springs Ranch Club, Inc. will be held as follows:

Date: August 13, 1988
Time: 2:00 p.m.
Place: Gymnasium, Motley County High School, Matador, Texas.

The business of the meeting is: (1) Announcement and introduction of the Member elected to serve in Position 1 on the Board of Directors. The member who is elected will serve three years, until the Annual Meeting of Members in August, 1991. (2) Report of Income and Expenses for the period January 1, 1988 through July 31, 1988. (3) President's report; (4) New business

MEXICAN DINNER

The Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic church of Matador would like to invite the community to a Mexican Dinner. It will be at the Catholic Church Fellowship Hall on Sunday, August 14, 1988. Serving time will begin at 11:30 a.m. and last until 2:00 p.m. The price per place will be \$3.50 and will consist of 1 taco, 2 enchiladas, spanish rice and beans and will be served with tea and dessert.

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CHEESE DISTRIBUTION

Caprock Community Action will distribute commodities in Matador Wednesday, August 17, 1988 at the Senior Citizens building, 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Bring your white commodity card. New cards will not be reimbursed. New applications will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. Bring proof of residence.

REUNION

All former students of WEST TEXAS HIGH/DEMONSTRATION SCHOOL are urged to meet for a reunion on August 20, 1988 in the cafeteria on the campus of West Texas State University. Starting time is 2:00 p.m. with dinner at 7:00 p.m. Send \$20.00 per person for reservations to: Dorothy Inman, Box 684, Canyon, Texas 79015.

PARKS ROPING

There will be a Warm-Up Team Roping, Sunday, August 21, 1988 at the Parks Arena in Roaring Springs. Books open at 2:00 p.m.; Rope 3 at 3:00 p.m.

Novice - 2 head for \$12
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For more information call Harold Parks, 806-348-7524.

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DUMONT HOMECOMING

Dumont Homecoming will be held August 21. Everyone is invited to attend.

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

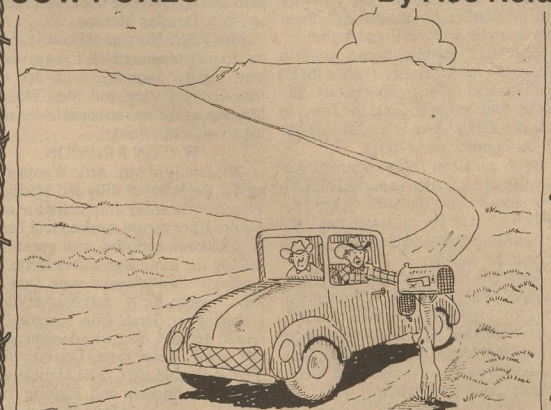
The Quitaque Lions Club is sponsoring a men's open softball tournament August 19-21. Deadline entries is August 16. For more information, call Joe Barefield, 455-1154 or David Brunson, 455-1456.

For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

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COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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