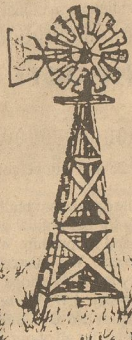


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Matador Has New Business



Debra Scott, owner and operator of the new Matador Floral, is pictured here with some of her beautiful arrangements.

A new business has recently opened in Matador. Matador Floral, owned and operated by Debra Scott, has opened inside Guys and Gals Department Store and will be open for business Monday through Saturday, 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

Mrs. Scott is a Matador native and a graduate of Matador High School. She is the daughter of C.D. and Evelyn Garri-

son. Debra is married to Johnny Scott, a farmer, and they have two sons, Jody, 12 a sixth grader and Scottie, 9 a 4th grader. Matador Floral will offer fresh flowers and plants, shower gifts, graveside memorials, corsages, and wedding arrangements. Immediate fresh delivery is guaranteed.

Custom wallpapering will also be available. Debra would like to invite everyone by to browse. Matador Floral will be open for the late night Christmas shopping Friday, Dec. 9. A Grand Opening will be announced at a later date.

Community Joins In Thanksgiving Service

Grateful residents of Matador joined in worship in a community Thanksgiving service Sunday evening at 5 o'clock in the Assembly of God Church. The inter-denominational congregation was led by Rev. Roy Eason, pastor of the host church, who welcomed the assembly.

Rev. Greer Willis, pastor of the First Baptist church presented the message, supplying for Rev. Gene Louder, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, who was called out of town, with his wife at the death of her mother.

Special music was by the Baptist Children's Choir, directed by Mrs. Fred Risser, with Mrs. Stuart Dixon at the piano, accompanying also for congregational singing, led by Mrs. Homer T. Jenkins.

Rev. Eason spoke on "Sharing Thanksgiving" and also gave the benediction.

An offering was taken with the money going to the Community Chest to aid

needy causes. Refreshments were served by the host church at the Senior Citizens' Building following the service.

Speaking on the subject, "For Granted or For Gratitude," Rev. Willis used scriptures from Colossians 1:3-14 which he read at the beginning of the service, and from the first chapter of I Thessalonians. He pointed out that the Thessalonians were given to understand how mindful of them that Paul was at all times in Thanksgiving and prayer, not only to them, but to the Corinthians, Philippians and Colossians. Quoting the apostle, "We give thanks to God and the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, praying always for you," he noted that the messages all pointed to a spirit of thanksgiving.

Rev. Willis continued the admonition of gratitude found in Thessalonians 5:18, "In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you."

Boyce Hart, New Deputy In Quitaque

Boyce Hart, 58, of Matador was bonded and sworn in as Deputy Sheriff of Briscoe County on Monday, November 14, 1988, ending the two week search to fill the vacancy of that office.

Hart is an experienced, certified peace officer. He served 23 years as Compliance Officer with the Texas Animal

Health Commission. He and his wife, Elaine have two grown daughters, and attend the Baptist church.

Elaine serves as dispatcher for the Motley County Sheriff's office. At present, she will retain her position in Matador.

Do We Need Motley County Clinic?

by Gerry Jones, RN, FNP

Motley County Clinic exists to provide health care services to all people. These services are provided for a sliding fee. It is because of you that we exist. No one knows better than you if we do a good job and likewise, no one knows better than you if we don't. For these reasons, I am soliciting your input in growth of this clinic.

The Board of Directors has established an Advisory Committee so that you might have formal means to express your feelings about the clinic and become involved. This Committee makes suggestions regarding improving services and provides other information that will help us do our job better. Your help is not only desired but very much needed. This Committee is comprised of the following people: Lillie Crouch, Judine McCaghren, Anna Ortiz, Tony Rose, Dude Speed, Greer Willis.

We ask you to communicate suggestions to any of these committee members. Please feel free to discuss the good things as well as the bad, and make sure our health is a matter of life, and a good one at that! Help us make Motley County Clinic better.

Thanksgiving Was The First American Holiday

by Earlyne Jameson

Thanksgiving was our first American holiday. No one bothered to jot down the date of the Pilgrim's first Thanksgiving in 1621, but it was sometime in October. For unknown reasons, they held Thanksgiving on July 30th in 1623. George Washington changed it in 1789 to November 26th. Abraham Lincoln changed it again, to August 6th! Then in 1863, he changed it to the last Thursday in November and Except for a brief I do not care for time or date changes, as my calendar is filled with "reminders" now!

There are so many holidays observed, it is nothing uncommon to hear someone say, "Oh, I forgot, the mail will not be

delivered today, it is another holiday." However, Thanksgiving is a favorite holiday of the general population, because of the autumn season, beautiful earth tone colors, the harvest of vegetable, feed and cotton crops and the gathering of livestock for market that helps depleted bank accounts. The outlook on life is brighter. Even when these agricultural endeavors do not meet with an individual's expectations, it is a time of giving thanks and counting your blessings.

Thanksgiving is one of the few holidays that is not commercialized or encourage you to spend for materialistic gifts. On this day, people give thanks

with family feasting and prayer for blessings they have received during the year. It is an annual tradition of sharing and helping those in need.

Let us not allow our Christmas holiday preparations overshadow or push to the back seat this First American Holiday.

*COUNT your garden by flowers,
Never by the leaves that fall,
Count your days by sunny hours,
Not remembering clouds at all,
Count your nights by stars, not shadows,
Count your life with smiles, not tears,
And when your life has reached autumn,
Count your age by friends, not years.*
(Joe Zacek)

Parents Establish "Child Watch" Program

About 25 parents and teachers met Thursday, November 17 at the Motley County School to discuss ways to provide extra supervision for children walking to and from school.

Yellow "Safe House" signs will be placed in various homes and businesses, so if a child needs assistance or someone he or she doesn't know, tries to talk to them, they can go to this house and know there will be help available.

Also suggested as protective measures were for parents to volunteer to watch children along the route they usually drive to pick up their own children.

Another idea was to enlist the help of older students such as Jr. High and High School to keep a look out for strange cars and to help watch the younger students.

For a community "Child Watch" to be successful, everyone needs to participate and all ideas and volunteers will be greatly

appreciated. For more information or to volunteer to watch a certain area of town, call the Motley County Clinic, 347-2641 or Motley County School, 347-2676.

Below is a copy of the poster with Cortney Lyn Clayton's picture and a composite drawing of the suspected abductor.

We received a report earlier this week of an attempted abduction in Spur. Will report more as we receive information.

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Unidentified dark complected male, 20-25 years of age, 5'9" to 5'10", 170-180 pounds, possibly connected to the disappearance of Cortney Lyn Clayton, age 7, on Friday, September 2, 1988, at approximately 8:45 p.m. at the M-System Supermarket in Stamford, Texas.

Any information call:
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Stamford Police Department
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"If all printers were determined not to print anything 'till they were sure it would offend nobody, there would be very little printed."
 Benjamin Franklin

In The Rough

By Hazej



GOLF LUNCHEON

Thursday, November 10, the lady golfers met at the Dream Cafe for their closing luncheon of the golf season.

Present were Leona Terry, Geneva Wilson, Dorothy Day, Loys Campbell, Nell Clem, LaVoc Thacker, Olivia Barton, Mamie Yeates, Lillian Thacker, Winifred Darsey, Margaret Barnhill, Louise Barton, Dortha Grundy and Hazel Donovan.

Hazel showed some pictures made at the partnership tournament, played July 21.

Prizes were awarded to the winners of the season's tournament. LaVoc won "play yourself" - 18 holes with a score of 63. Nell Berryman won on 9 holes - score of 34.

LaVoc and Louise tied on low putts (17). Vida had low putts on 9 holes - (9).

Prizes were presented in hand decorated envelopes with clever golfer pen sketches designed by talented Shane Jones.

LaVoc named general chairman for

next year. Special thanks and kudos to Leona for a good golf season.

Several sweatshirts with golfing logo decorations. Leona's blue one decorated by her sister, Joy Archer. Louise's pink one trimmed by Betty Simpson; LaVoc wearing one from Inn of the Mountain Gods and other attractive ones.

SUNDAY SCRAMBLE

Play Sunday, November 13:
 First place (30) having 4 birdies and an eagle! E.A. and Dorothy Day, M.C. Jones, Vida Elkins, Howard Edmondson.

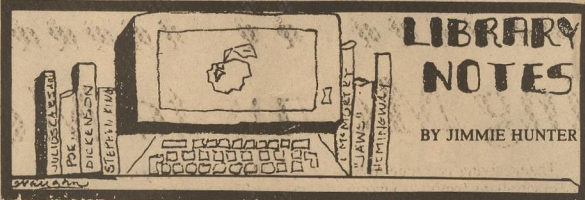
Second (31), Wade and Nell Berryman, Tom Stokes, Roy Stephens.

Third (32), Garland and Judy Cartwright, Darrell Cruse, Tom Yeates.

Other teams (33) Ellis and Leona Terry, Joe and Loys Campbell.

(33) Buzz and LaVoc Thacker, Dortha Grundy, Ronnie Davis.

(35) Alfred and Louise Barton, Bill and Mary Jones.



LIBRARY NOTES

BY JIMMIE HUNTER

We wish all our readers a joyous THANKSGIVING filled with blessings of friendship, family and food. So that your library staff may enjoy the same, Motley County Library will be closed Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Bailey Elliott, our volunteer coordinator, plans to have it open from 2:00-5:00 p.m. on Monday, November 28. If all goes according to our plans, Wayne and I will be driving back from a holiday in the Houston area with our children, Randy and Susan, and my sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shelton on that day.

Our Library is getting to be a very busy place. Besides being open six days a week, there was a Literacy Class here Tuesday, a Mural Program on Thursday afternoon, a meeting of the Eternas Study Club on Thursday Evening, and with the Trauma Support Group Meeting on Wednesday evenings we have a pretty full week! How nice that our comfortable building can be used for so many things.

The Century of Progress Club from Silverton was the group that came to hear Marise Potts' presentation of the history of our mural. Besides their president, Geneva Griffin, Faye Rampley, Annette Davis, Junice Hutsell, Jackie Mercer, Polly Montague, Beverly Bowman and Loretha Rhoderick were present with Grace Campbell. We certainly enjoyed their visit, and Mrs. Campbell told me that she would be available for presenting a program on the history of Motley County as depicted on our mural. So if other groups would like to book this program, you may contact Mrs. Potts, Mrs. Campbell or the Librarian to secure a date and time. If you heard Grace tell the history of the old dugout during History Day at the Ranch, you know she is capable, well informed, and as interesting as a speaker as our very talented

Marise, so you can't go wrong with either of these historians.

I owe Beverly Vinson a heartfelt "Thank you" for keeping the Library open all day Friday, while I had to be away on business. Besides enjoying a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones of Paducah, caring for a fairly steady stream of patrons, she found a little time to spend in her favorite corner of our library, the Genealogy Department, and offered to help in this way again. I appreciate you, Beverly.

Mrs. Elliott had planned to keep the Library open on Saturday, but when the first snowfall of the season began swirling around, she very wisely decided to stay home and stay warm. Bailey does a fine job of lining up volunteers to work on Mondays and Tuesdays, but could surely use some more volunteers. If you would like to help keep your Library open, please call Mrs. Elliott at 347-2216 or the Motley County Library at 347-2717.

New books ready for reading are: **LIVING OUT LOUD**, by Anna Quindlen; **WHEN YOUR CHILD HAS BEEN MOLESTED**, by Katherine B. Hagins and Joyce Case; **SECRET AND SACRED**, The Diaries of James Henry Hammond, a Southern Slave holder, edited by Carol Bleser; **BECOMING YOUROWN PARENT**, the Solution for Adult Children of Alcoholic and Other Dysfunctional Families, by Dennis Wholey, author of "The Courage to Change"; **LOVE IS ETERNAL**, Abiographical novel about Mary Todd and Abraham Lincoln, by Irving Stone.

If you want to check out a good book to read over the holidays, remember to come in before 5:00 pm on Wednesday, November 23rd. We still have quiet a selection of books for sale in our Community Room that we are anxious to move out.



Home Economically Speaking

by Carolyn Smead

LESS FAT IN THANKSGIVING TURKEY

A beautiful golden roasted turkey is the centerpiece for the traditional Thanksgiving turkey. And even if you're counting calories, it's hard to pass up that succulent meat and the gravy that goes with it.

The good news is that turkey itself is low in total fat and in saturated fat, the kind that adds cholesterol to our diets. A 3-ounce serving of roasted dark meat has 175 calories, 7 grams of fat and 2.1 grams of saturated fat. The light meat contains

150 calories, 3 grams fat and .9 grams saturated fat. So if you're trying to cut calories and saturated fat, eat the white meat.

The most effective means of cutting down excess fat is to remove and discard the turkey skin and any other visible fat.

But what about the gravy? If you plan on having some, try one or more of these methods of reducing the fat content:

*Using a bulb baster, metal skimmer or long-handled spoon, skim fat from the gravy as it cooks.

*Float a paper towel on top of the gravy to absorb fat.

*Allow time to refrigerate the gravy. Then remove the congealed fat from the top.

*If you use canned stock or broth in the gravy, refrigerate the can. When you open it, the fat will be floating on top so you can skim it off.

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

Senior Citizens Report

by Iris Blevins

The Mini bus went to Lubbock Monday with several people riding. And went to Plainview Thursday with seven people riding. It will go to Lubbock Monday. It will not go to Plainview Thursday, being Thanksgiving day.

Tuesday is our regular luncheon day, and it will also serve as our Thanksgiving dinner.

The bus will be running, Monday,

November 28 and will be going to Lubbock.

Norabelle opened our building at 2:00 p.m. Friday for our regular get-together for games and fellowship. We had nine people present. We missed J.W. and Lucille very much. We hope you have a speedy recovery, J.W. We need both of you. Also Ruth and Dec Baker, our get well wishes are for all of our sick people.

Preserve me, O God: for in thee do I put my trust.
 Psalm 16:1

Dream Cafe

DOWNTOWN ROARING SPRINGS

We will be closed Thanksgiving day and Friday, Nov. 24 & 25

OPEN ALL DAY SATURDAY
 Mexican Food Saturday Night

Happy 40th Anniversary Mom & Dad



November 24

All our love, Marilee, David, Jan, Cole and Lindsay

Turkey Youth Released From Hospital

Little Candy Wheeler and her parents returned to their home in Turkey Sunday afternoon, November 13, after a six weeks absence, due to Candy's illness.

Candy visited her Kindergarten class at Valley School for a short while on Monday, on her way to Lubbock to check

in with her doctors. They returned to Turkey late Monday night.

Candy will still require extensive physical and speech therapy, and at this time, she is scheduled to return to Arizona in February for tests. The five year old child suffers from a rare artery disease.

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Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by contacting Brazos at (817) 750-6500 or by calling the PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION CONSUMER AFFAIRS DIVISION at (512) 458-0223, or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, TELETYPEWRITER FOR THE DEAF.

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| Stockman's Supply | Graxing bit and 2 bags lawn winterizer |
| West Texas Utilities | Turkey |
| Shannon's Texaco | \$10 worth of gas |
| Windmill | \$10 worth of pin and Victorian wreath |
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| By D'anna Russell | Helen-of-Troy Curling Iron |



What Thanksgiving Means to Me

EDITOR'S NOTE: the following stories were written by Motley County Grade School students, Kindergarten through 5th grade. These children have an enlightening view of Thanksgiving. Take time to read them all and let's be thankful for our Children!

Thanksgiving means love, joy and peace. It means seeing my family. I like to eat turkey and food. I like to watch parades and football games.

I like to hunt and relax. I like to count my blessings and giving thanks to God for this wonderful country, and that's what Thanksgiving means to me.

by,
Salvador Sanchez

Thanksgiving is a celebration of a feast. We celebrate Thanksgiving because the pilgrims did special thing for the indians. Then they had to celebrate Thanksgiving.

I'm thankful for my family, cousins, other relatives, and friends. We will be together till the end. I'm also thankful for love and for the girls and boys. One more thing I am thankful for is joy, peace and sharing.

by,
Gwen Sims

Thanksgiving means to me a lot, because we get out of school, we get to eat food like turkey and pumpkin pie, banana pudding, pecan pie, and a big bowl of salad dressing, cranberry sauce. And everytime it is Thanksgiving time we eat a lot of good food, then after we eat we play outside but a lot of people come and eat like my cousins, grandma's, grandpa's, and a lot of relatives. Sometimes my relatives that are late that travels to my house, but my mom invites them in and they enjoy the food anyway. After they eat they stay for a little while then they leave, and we start playing outside. That's why I tell my mom that the food is good and she says thank you and I say you are welcome, if I say it's ugly she would hit me, but I tell her it was good because it is. That is why Thanksgiving means to a lot to me. Have a nice thanksgiving year. Please don't spoil your Thanksgiving day.

Denise Duarte

Thanksgiving means a lot. It means, eating food and watching football games and parades. We sometimes have company. We get out of school! We get out of school! We sing songs and play games and play outside. We count our blessings one by one. I love my family very much. Thanksgiving is a good holiday. God will look over us and protect us. We will talk and look at pictures. I play in my room and play with my cousins sometimes. The end!

by,
Illa

Thanksgiving means to eat turkey, dressing and ect...It means watching parades and football games. It means seeing your family and friends. It means traveling to places. It means to get out of school and relaxing over the holiday. It means hunting with your family and friends. Most of all it means giving thanks to God for this country.

Kevin Keltz

Thanksgiving means a time to share with other people. To eat lots of food and turkey. You get to watch the Thanksgiving parade and football games. You get to see your family and travel to many places. You get to relax and sleep. You can even go hunting. You can play outside. You get to get out of school for 2 whole days!!! Sometimes you get to get presents and toys. You get to feel the cold or hot air blow through your hair. And that's all that Thanksgiving means to me.

Laurie Hoyle

I am thankful for the Indians and the Pilgrims that discovered America. I am thankful for my brother and sister and my parents and grandparents because I love them. I am thankful for the church because I learn about God. Happy Thanksgiving!

Scott Smith

I am thankful for the food we eat and the things we drink. I am thankful for my parents and the house I live in. I am thankful for the things we do and play. I would really like to go to my grandparents in Ohio. Because they are always dressed up like Indians and Pilgrims but my cousins dress up like turkeys. They look so silly when they dress up. I wish I was there because they cook so good turkey and carrots, mash potatoes, green beans. But really what Thanksgiving means to me giving, sharing and loving. Happy Thanksgiving!

Jaylene

I like Thanksgiving, because it is fun, good food such as Turkey, pumpkin pie, pecan pie, potato salad, greens, go visiting, play games, visit Grandmother.

Bobby Fritzel

Thanksgiving means to me seeing my family. Also getting together and eating turkey and other kinds of food. It also means to me traveling to other places. I like watching the parades. I also like getting out of school for the holiday. I like counting my blessings. Thanksgiving means to me loving, joy and peace. That's what Thanksgiving is all about.

Louann

To me Thanksgiving means to have fun, prayer and peace. It means to have a time for having relaxation. It's a time for hunting, and exercise.

Thanksgiving is a time to count your blessings one by one.

Thanksgiving is a time to see my family and friends.

It's a time to eat turkey and dressing and other good foods.

by,
Lee Jones

I like to see the Thanksgiving parade and football games on T.V.

Cara Franks

Thanksgiving means love, joy and peace and sharing. But most of all Thanksgiving means family. You can count your blessings, you can go hunting. I like to relax. My family and I will travel to Matador. We will eat turkey and all kinds of food. I like to see my friends, family and to play all day.

I'm thankful for God, my Mom, Dad, sister and my brothers. My friends, family and my Grandma, Grandpa. Most of all I'm thankful for my life.

by,
Juan Saldana

Thanksgiving means to me that I can see my family. I can eat turkey and different foods. I like to watch parades and football games on T.V. Thanksgiving means traveling and hunting. It means counting my blessings, having fun, and having a great time. I like to get out of school for 4 days. To do my own things.

by,
William Duarte

Thanksgiving means to me getting to see my family. It also means getting to eat food. Having a good time with my Aunt, Uncle, cousin, my Mom and sister. We watch parades and football games on T.V. Love, peace, joy is in my grandmother's house all the time. Most of the people in my grandmother's sleep late, mostly me. I love Thanksgiving.

by,
Beth Bingham.

Thanksgiving means a lot to me. It means joy, love and peace while counting my blessings. I like to have my family together for the holidays. It also means eating turkey, dressing, all other kinds of foods. It also means I may travel somewhere or watch parades and football games on T.V.

by,
Flora Ramirez

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by,
Veronica Gonzalez

I'm thankful for the food we eat. I'm thankful for the Pilgrims. They like turkey and my family like Thanksgiving too. I'm thankful the Pilgrims came on Thanksgiving Day. I want to be with my family on Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is a time to be together.

Kasey Osborn

My whole family gets together on Thanksgiving Day. We eat turkey and visit. I play with my cousins when my family is visiting. We get to eat pumpkin pie too. I like Thanksgiving Day, it is a nice holiday.

Jill Stanley

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful for your family, and friends. I am thankful for God and Jesus. I'm thankful for church, food, the earth, our homes under God, and Jesus. I'm thankful for what God gave us. Then most of all, I'm thankful for the Indians and Pilgrims. Happy Thanksgiving!

Bobby Fritzel

Thanksgiving is a time to be happy. Also see all my family and friends. I also like watching parades and football. My most favorite thing is eating turkey, dressing and other kinds of food.

I am thankful for God, peace and joy, I am also thankful for love, my mom, dad and sister. I'm also thankful for doctors and animals, but most of all I'm thankful for my life.

I like Thanksgiving because my family travels from their house to my grandmother's house to bring back memories. At school I like to count my blessings for my wonderful grandmother, for my father, for my brothers, and for my mom, and for cousins, aunts, and uncles. I like to sleep late. I also like to share. That is why I love Thanksgiving. If you see a neighbor, a friend, a relative or an enemy do something nice for them. It will make their day.

Thanksgiving is a time to eat and share things. The best part is eating all the food. When you get through eating you can turn the T.V. on and watch the parade. Then when the parade is over you can watch the football game. What I like about it is that you get out of school for four days. Some people think of hunting. But I like to sleep most of all.

by,
Joe Martin

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Christie Campbell

I like Thanksgiving because I get to go hunting. I have a gun that I share with my cousin. I have killed many birds. I get to use my dad's gun sometimes. One time David shot Scott in the behind with a BB gun. That's why I like Thanksgiving.

by,
Jeremy Smith

Thanksgiving means going to see family and friends. It is a time to travel to different places. It's a time to love one another. It's also a time for eating food and turkey. It is a time for watching Thanksgiving parades and having fun. It's a time to celebrate when the pilgrims came to America. It is also a time to share. Thanksgiving means a lot to me.

by,
Lindsey Williams

Thanksgiving means getting together with friends and family, eating food and more food. It is a time to celebrate, when the pilgrims arrived in America, after a long journey.

by,
Stacie Neal

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful for school and friends. I am thankful for the kids in this school. I am thankful for Jesus and God. I am thankful for my Mom and Pat and my sister and brother.

by,
Jodi Boykin

Thanksgiving means eating turkey and other foods. I like being with my family, watching parades and football games. I like traveling with my grandparents. I like to go hunting with friends and spending time with my mom. I just like celebrating Thanksgiving Day.

by,
Brad Daniell

Thanksgiving is a time for thanks. I'm thankful for mother and father, for sister and brother. I'm thankful for Indians and Pilgrims. I'm thankful for much much more. But most of all I'm thankful for just being together. And that's what Thanksgiving means to me.

by,
Caralee Buchanan

I am thankful for the Pilgrims and the Indians because they discovered Thanksgiving and America. God is special because he made the Pilgrims. Pilgrims are special because they discovered America. If they didn't we wouldn't be here. Happy Thanksgiving!

by,
Brady Ballard

I am thankful for the Indians who taught the Pilgrim stuff. I am thankful for the Pilgrims who believed in them and who learned from them. I am thankful for my family who took care of me and loved me. I am thankful for my friends who play with me and cheer me up. But most of all, I am thankful for God and Jesus. I am thankful for the Pilgrims and Indians who discovered Thanksgiving Day.

Rebekah Jameson

Thanksgiving means family. Seeing my family is what Thanksgiving mostly means to me because if we did not have families we wouldn't live in America. I am thankful for the pilgrims because they were a group of families. If they weren't a family, they wouldn't have done

all the things they did.

Thanksgiving means food to me. Lots and lots of food. Like turkey, dressing, pudding and etc.

I also like to watch the parades and football games on T.V.

Happy Thanksgiving,
Bradley Thacker.

Yo un dia fui acomer con mis amigos al parque llevamos gallina gisada y dulces y galletas y comimos luego nos fuimos a jugar nos debertinos mun cho jugando y despues nos afigamos al reloc y llaeran las 6 delatade ala cavera recojimos y nos fuimos paval casa.

(One day Iwent to eat with her friends at a park. She took cokes, cookies, candy, chicken. They ate and then they went to go play. They played a lot and then they saw the time. It was six in the afternoon so they hurried to go back home.)

Lupe Rojas

To the first grade class, Thanksgiving means hunting a turkey with Dad or Granddad; having the family together and eating turkey, corn, pumpkin pie and cake; learning about the Pilgrims coming to America and about their ships, the Mayflower and the Speedweel. But most of all Thanksgiving means being thankful for our families, friends and homes.

First Grade

I'm thankful for our food and family and dog and turkey to eat on Thanksgiving day and school playground.

ShaVonne Dee Taylor

I am thankful for Jesus and Mom and Dad and my dog.

Alvie Cisneros

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for Jesus and my horse A.J. and my Mom and Dad and brother and sister.

Dayton Grundy

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for school. I am thankful for family. We are thankful for dad.

Reginal Malone

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for the flag. I am thankful for school and friends. I am thankful for the kids in this school. I am thankful for Jesus and God. I am thankful for my Mom and Pat and my sister and brother.

Stacie Neal

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful for our food. I am thankful for the world we live in.

Samantha Osborn

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for Jason and Jesus, and my Mom and my Dad.

Chris Guerrero

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for food and school and our house and Jesus and God.

Angela Hammonds

I am thankful for the Indians and the Pilgrims that discovered America. I am thankful for the money that I have to buy cars and houses. I am thankful for my pets because I can play with them. I am glad for the love that I get from my family and friends. Happy Thanksgiving!

Cobey

I'm thankful for food. I'm thankful for my dog, because he's good to me. I'm thankful for my mom and dad because they love me. I'm thankful for my house because it gives me shelter from storms. I'm thankful for me, because I'm thankful for everything.

Stephen Meyer

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. And when my family gets together, we have a good time, we have lots of fun, we say prayers to say thanks to God. And then we say a story about the Pilgrims. Then we say a little prayer before we go home. I am thankful for all this happy things, because its part of me and my family.

Tanya Rodgers

I am thankful for American and the Pilgrims and our church. Thanksgiving means something to me. I am thankful for my grandparents. It is a holiday too. Thanksgiving is fun to be with my family, friends, sisters, and brothers. Have a happy Thanksgiving.

Laura Sanchez

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for school and our house, our family, the world we live in, our food, our friends. I am thankful for animals.

Kandi Keltz

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am boy and thankful for toys and airplanes in my room.

Ketan Patel

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for God and Jesus and clothes and Pilgrims.

Nickolas Bethard

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I'm thankful for relatives, rabbits, horses, sheep and Jesus.

Kaci Risser

Thanksgiving is time to be thankful. I am thankful for my family and the world we live in and our faith, our food and Jesus, and God and our school and our house.

Keane Cruse

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for Jesus and my family and I am thankful for my friends and my Mom and my Dad and my sister.

Devin Peryman

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for family and school. I am thankful for our house and our food.

Michael Diane Ballard

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for food and family and friends and school and Jesus and God.

Nathan Wayne Shannon

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for my family, friends, Jesus and my Mom and Dad and the turkey we eat and the other things we eat.

Ty Barclay

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for school and friends. My house and family and the world we live in and I am thankful for Thanksgiving.

Kristi Michelle Williams

On Thanksgiving day, people have a good time. On Thanksgiving day, you have turkey. On Thanksgiving day, most people have a feast. This is what Thanksgiving means to me.

Michael Meredith

WHAT THANKSGIVING MEANS TO KINDERGARTEN

We cannot spell or write yet. Mrs. Hoyle had to help us. What Thanksgiving means to Kindergarten:

Chana Buchanan - to eat turkey.
Leigha Burns - saying prayers.
Joy Burge - seeing cousins.
Ember Gonzales - being with Father.
Jermaine Hendrix - eating with Granny.

Elizabeth Ho-Gland - being with Mom
William Ho-Gland - being with Dad.
Tommy Hurt - thanking Jesus for the world so sweet.
Casey Lawrence - being happy.
Brandon Lee - eating turkey.
Roderick Malone - having Mama and Daddy.

Mark Meredith - my home.
Nathanel Meyer - eating at Grandma and Grandpa's house.
Rabecca Morris - having my Grandmother.
Paige Neal - eating pudding.
Rachelle Renfro - my family.
Jesse Rojas - my Grandpa
Adam Sanchez - having my shoes
Denise Shannon - eating turkey
Ashley Stevens - eating with kin-folks
David Whitaker - being thankful for everything.

That's what Thanksgiving and being thankful means to us.

Thanksgiving means enjoyment. When I have Thanksgiving I remember the Indians and the Pilgrims that came to America. I am thankful for the love I get from my Mom and my Dad. I'm thankful for God and Jesus. I am thankful for my home I live in. I am thankful for my family and my church that we go to learn about Jesus and God. I'm thankful for money to buy clothes, food and a home to live in. Have a happy Thanksgiving!

Ryan H. M.

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for my Mom and Dad because they take care of me. Thanksgiving means to have fun and to visit family. Thanksgiving means to be sharing and to give to others. I am thankful for the house we live in and the friends we have. I am thankful for the food we eat. Those are the things I am thankful for.

Gina Baeza

I am thankful for God, people and the Pilgrims, because they came to America. I am thankful for my family because they love me. I am thankful for food, cars, money, air, church, name and room. I am thankful for Thanksgiving because you can be together.

Crystal Christopher

Thanksgiving means turkey and playing. I am thankful for my family who helps me through sickness. Thanksgiving means pumpkin pie. I'm thankful for the Indians. The most important thing is love when you see your family. Thanksgiving is a time to visit with family. I can't wait till thanksgiving.

Rebecca Long

I think Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. It is special because you get to be with your family and friends. I am glad that the Pilgrims and Indians had this time together. I am thankful for my Mom and Dad, my brother, my grandparents and God. I am glad we have Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is a time to celebrate and have fun. I am thankful for all these things because they mean very much to me. But most of all Thanksgiving means almost everything to me.

Monica Clifton

Thanksgiving means to me to eat and have fun. I am thankful for all the many things about Thanksgiving. I am thankful for my dog, she is very special to me because she helps me very much. I am glad that we celebrate Thanksgiving and all get together. Do not just think of food, think of all the many things about Thanksgiving. There are many things about Thanksgiving that is wonderful. My family and I all get together on Thanksgiving day and ride horses. Then we all pray and then eat. After we eat we play games like Skit-Bo and the games I got for Christmas.

Dusty Whitaker

I am thankful for my family, my friends, God, Jesus, my house, and my dog. I am thankful for everything God has given me. But most of all I am thankful for the love I get from my family. Thanksgiving is a time to remember the Pilgrims and Indians. Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful for everything.

Tanya Barkley

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for my Mom and Dad. I am thankful for my dog. I am thankful for my home. I am thankful for my family. I am thankful for my school.

Robert Gillespie

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for the turkey that we eat, for the pumpkin pie and to have my family with me all day.

Ashley Hammonds

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for my Mom and Dad and my brother Brad, but most of all I am thankful for my life.

Blair Thacker

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for our food, the world we live in, our house, our school, our friend, our family, for Jesus. I am thankful for friends but most of all I am thankful for Christopher Christopher.

Jason Barton

Our whole family came to a business reunion to see what house we would come to for Thanksgiving. Finally we decided it was Aunt Mabel. I'm glad were going to Aunt Mabel's house for Thanksgiving. I get to go with Melba and Gina to the store and they can buy me toys. I can't wait. The next morning I went to school I ask everyone in my class where they were going. Finally I told them where I was going. I told them it was going to fun. Mable and Gina were going to the store and everything. Jill said fun isn't all you can think about on Thanksgiving. What nothing. When mom picked me up from school I told her about what I told my class. Jill said fun isn't all you can think about on Thanksgiving. What does that mean? It means you don't think about fun all the time, you can think about our love, the world we live in, food and other stuff. Anyway were not going to Aunt Mabel's house. Shoot!

Margaret M. Mangram

I'm thankful for turkey. I'm thankful for God and Jesus. I'm setting the table. We all pray before we eat. I'm going to Gramas house to eat turkey on Thanksgiving. Happy Thanksgiving!

Michael C.

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. I am thankful for my Mom and Dad because they take care of me. Thanksgiving means to have fun and to visit family. Thanksgiving means to be sharing and to give to others. I am thankful for the house we live in and the friends we have. I am thankful for the food we eat. Those are the things I am thankful for.

Motley County School News

Topics from Tricia

The basketball teams traveled to Memphis on Tuesday. School let out Wednesday at 1:26 p.m. for Thanksgiving. The holiday will be celebrated throughout the nation with turkey, dressing, and pumpkin pies. Have a safe and Happy Thanksgiving. The Seniors will get their pictures on Tuesday the 29th. All Seniors need to remember their money. Have a Happy Thanksgiving!



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30
BREAKFAST: Bacon, Biscuit, Gravy, Fruit.
LUNCH: Mexican Corn Bread, Beef, Pinto Beans, Onion, Spinach, Pickle, Chocolate Brownie.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1988
BREAKFAST: Sausage, Biscuit/Honey, Scrambled Eggs, Juice.
LUNCH: Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Cheese Rolls, Apple Cobbler.

BREAKFAST: Malt-o-meal, Buttered Toast, Juice.
LUNCH: Chili Dog, Cheese, French Fries, Onion, Pickle, Oatmeal Cookie, Fruit.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

BREAKFAST: Hot Oatmeal, Buttered Toast/Jelly, Juice.
LUNCH: Fish, Hush Puppies, AuG-ratin Potatoes, Vegetable Sticks, Gingerbread.

BREAKFAST: Breakfast Burrito, Juice.
LUNCH: Steak, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Pine-apply Upside Down Cake.

Wednesday, Nov. 23: Early out-schedule: School Dismisses at 1:26 p.m. End of 2nd 6 weeks..... teachers need to make out new roll cards.
 Group pictures will be taken on this day.
 HOORAY! HOORAY!



Letters About Thanksgiving

Editor's Note: The following were written in the Missinettes Class in the Assembly of God Church in Roaring Springs. They are make believe letters to make believe friends about Thanksgiving.

dressing and a whole bunch of food. I give thanks to everybody over there.

Love,
 Gina Martinez

Dear Ginger,

Dear Jennifer,

Thanksgiving is not just a holiday. It's a time when a family gets together and gives thanks to the Lord. The Pilgrims and the Indians came together and made friends. They shared their food with each other. They were very thankful. We should be very thankful too. The Lord has given us many, many things. Here in America we celebrate Thanksgiving. We eat turkey and dressing and cranberry sauce. But before we eat we give thanks to the Lord for our food and that we are glad to live in America. I hope you understand about Thanksgiving now, Ginger. We are free people Ginger. Write you back sometime!

In November we celebrate a holiday called Thanksgiving. We can go to a relatives or you can stay at home and visit someone special or you really love. You get to eat pumpkin pie, turkey, and other good things. You have really a good time.

Love, yours forever,
 Tammy

Sincerely,
 Becca Pat Bridge

Jeff,

Dear Monique,

What's up? Not much in America. do you know what Thanksgiving is? It's a holiday in our country. It's when the pilgrims first discovered America. On Thanksgiving we celebrate by thanking the Lord for being here and thanking everyone for the stuff we have. This all happens in America. On Thanksgiving we have a dinner with relatives and family. That is Thanksgiving. Well, have to go.

Yours truly,
 Tammy Lynn Cooper

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Praise The Lord!

And now abideth faith, hope and love, These three, but the greatest of these is love.
 1 Cor. 13:13

1988-89 Motley County ISD School Calendar

November 24 & 25: Thanksgiving Holidays
 December 21: Dismiss at 1:30 for Christmas Holiday
 December 22-30: Christmas Holidays
 January 2: School Reconvenes
 January 13: End First Semester
 February 24: End 4th Six Weeks
 March 8, 9, 10: Spring Break
 March 20: School Holiday - Stock show
 March 27: Snow Day - Easter Vacation
 No Good Friday Holiday
 April 14: End 5th Six Weeks
 May 26: End Second Semester
 May 29: Memorial Day Holiday

HELP IS NEAR

Though to your short-sighted vision,
 No way of escape may appear,
 Trust, for when least you expect it,
 The help of your Father is near.

Anon.

CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- Shank (anat.)
- Deviate from the verticle (geol.)
- Not rigid
- Sports area
- Bury
- Catches, as a fish
- Poem
- Anew
- Greek letter
- Fall in drops
- Pin-ups (slang)
- Greek porticos
- Girl's name
- Helpfulness
- Beans (poss.)
- Pronoun
- Bird section of zoo
- Wine receptacle
- Scope
- European capital
- Room of a house
- Conscious
- Chimney dirt
- Half (prefix)
- Room of a house
- Chimney dirt
- Half (prefix)

DOWN

- Directs an orchestra
- Method of learning
- Employ
- Indian weight
- English coin
- Sandarac tree
- Sand dune (G.B.)
- Finishes
- King of beasts
- Tree
- Sloths
- Unable to hear
- Restore to life
- Garden tool
- Dis-ease of sheep
- Land meas-ures
- Sans-kritic tongue
- What?
- Solar deity (var.)
- Place
- Comfort
- Constel-lation
- Cisterns
- Preposition
- Exchange premium
- Ancient Syria
- Dance step
- Astonish-ment

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Our Teachers Are Totally Terrific!!

Teacher Profile
 by Tricia Palmer



Mrs. Shauna Monroe

Mrs. Shauna Monroe is the Spanish I and II teacher at Motley County. She also teaches at Patton Springs. Each morning she is at Motley County and at Patton by lunch. Mrs. Monroe has taught two wonderful years. Her first year was taught at Patton.
 Danny Monroe is Shauna's husband and they have two children, Dana, 13 and Dustin, 7. Mrs. Monroe is formerly Miss White of Hedley. She graduated from High School at Hedley they went to Clarendon College and received her A.S. then went to West Texas State University and earned her B.A. she teaches Spanish English and Business.
 Mrs. Monroe says her job is never boring traveling back and forth, "It is interesting working in two schools."
 She is impressed with the interest of the students at Motley County willing to learn a foreign language.

1988-89 MOTLEY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

| | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| 11-29-88 | Wilson | there | girls A, boys A | 6:30 p.m. |
| 12-02-88 | Jayton | here | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 12-06-88 | Valley | there | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 12-8,9,10-88 | Ralls | there | girls A, boys A | TBA |
| 12-13-88 | Memphis | here | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 12-15,16,17-88 | Valley | there | girls A, boys A | TBA |
| 12-19 or 12-20 | open | (to be filled if possible) | | |
| 12-28,29,30-88 | Slaton | there | girls A | TBA |
| 12-29,30,31-88 | Jayton | there | girls B, boys A | TBA |
| 1-03-89 | Floydada | there | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 1-6-89 | *Patton Springs | there | girls A, boys A-B | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-10-89 | *Guthrie | here | girls A, boys A | 6:30 p.m. |
| 1-13-89 | open | (to be filled if possible) | | |
| 1-17-89 | *Spur | there | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 1-19-89 | Valley | there | girls B, boys B | TBA |
| 1-20-89 | *Paducah | here | girls A, boys A | 6:30 pm |
| 1-24-89 | *Patton Springs | here | girls A, boys A-B | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-27-89 | *Guthrie | there | girls A, boys A | 6:30 p.m. |
| 1-31-89 | Jayton | there | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 2-3-89 | *Spur | here | girls A-B, boys A-B | 4:00 p.m. |
| 2-7-89 | *Paducah | there | girls A, boys A | 6:30 p.m. |

* Denotes Conference Games

Head Boys Coach: Bob Moore
 J.V. Boys Coach: Buck Buchanan
 Head Girls Coach: Don Ewing
 J.V. Girls Coach: Billy Wilson
 Varsity Cheerleader Sponsor: Jo Ann Burkes
 J.V. Cheerleader Sponsors: Betty Stephens and Carolyn Ewing
 Varsity Cheerleaders: Leigh Barton, Paka Barton, Brandi Barton, Memori Assiter, Yulanda Campbell
 Student Mascot: Paige Williams

1988-89 MOTLEY COUNTY JR. HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

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|----------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| 12-05-88 | Valley | there | girls A, boys A-B | 4:30 p.m. |
| 12-10-88 | Valley 8th | there | girls A, boys A | TBA |
| 12-12-88 | tournament | here | girls A, boys A | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-02-89 | Guthrie | here | girls A, boys A | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-09-89 | Patton Springs | there | girls A, boys A | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-14-89 | Guthrie | there | girls A, boys A | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-16-89 | Patton Springs | there | girls A, boys A | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-23-89 | 7th tournament | there | girls A, boys A | TBA |
| 1-30-89 | Spur | here | girls A-B, boys A-B | 5:00 p.m. |
| 2-04-89 | Patton Springs | there | girls A, boys A | 5:00 p.m. |
| 2-04-89 | Spur | there | girls A-B, boys A-B | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-06-89 | Valley 7th | there | girls A, boys A | TBA |
| 1-06-89 | tournament | here | girls A-B, boys A-B | 5:00 p.m. |
| 1-06-89 | Lorenzo | here | girls A, boys A | TBA |
| 1-06-89 | there | girls A-B, boys A-B | 5:00 p.m. | |

Head Girl's Basketball Coach: Don Ewing
 Head Boy's Basketball Coach: Cecil Marks
 Cheerleader Sponsor: Pat Staggs
 Cheerleaders: Aimee Pipkin, Lyndee Spray, Keri Shorter, Wendy Lancaster

The First Thanksgiving



Let's keep the spirit of this time aglow in our hearts and homes as we show thanks and give thanks for all lifes' blessings. Have a joyous holiday.

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Thanksgiving*

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Red Ball Gin

Billie Dean's

First State Bank

Matador Hardware

Quail Pipe

Motley County Farm Bureau

Carolyn's Corner

Confection Technology

Society News

Engagement Announced



Rhonda Stephens and Michael Norrell

Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Stephens would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rhonda Voy Stephens to Michael Wayne Norrell. Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norrell. The wedding will be held December 31, 1988.

Thank You

I would like to thank everyone who helped in any way with the tea. Also thank you for the cards in remembrance of my brother's death. God Bless you.

Mary Irvin

I want to thank everyone for their support and votes in the November 8 election. I will serve Precinct 3 and the County to the best of my ability in the next four years. Please feel free to call on me at anytime.

Franklin Jameson

Motley County Community Chest Holds Meeting

Community Chest Board members met November 10, 1988. They decided to have the annual drive beginning December 1 and try to have it completed by December 31.

Letters and envelopes will be in bank statements by courtesy of the First State Bank of Matador. All donations may be mailed to: Motley County Community Chest, Box 789, Matador, Texas, 79244.

Funds received are directed to activities of the County, the Red Cross, Salvation Army, U.S.O. and the Boy Scouts.

Chest Board members present were President Larry Hoyle, Gerald Pipkin, Joe E. Campbell, Shane Jones, Billy J. Whitaker and James Stanley. Other members are Billy Wason, Glenn Woodruff and Forest Campbell.

Grandson Selected to Who's Who

Marty McCaghren has been notified that he has been selected for listing in the prestigious "Who's Who" in the "South and Southwest", a publication of outstanding professional achievers.

Marty is Senior Computer Analyst with Armo Production Company in Houston.

He lives in Katy, Texas with his wife, Debbie and their three children, Melissa, Amanda and Tim.

He is a graduate of West Texas State University with a BBA in Computer Science. He has an MBA in Management from the University of Texas in Odessa.

He is active in Church and Community services and enjoys photography, astrology, tennis and baseball.

He is the son of W.F. McCaghren Jr. of Amarillo and the grandson of Bill and Judine McCaghren of Matador.

Predicta Study Club Presented Christmas Craft Program

The Predicta Study Club of Roaring Springs met Thursday, November 17 at the Depot for their monthly meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Bill Peacock, President.

Devotional was given by Mrs. Tom Yeates and Mrs. L.V. Damron called the roll and read the minutes.

Miss Freda Keahey gave the Treasurers Report.

Teresia Marley of the Daisy Patch in Crosbyton presented the program. Teresia showed us a lot of pretty Christmas ideas for wreaths and floral arrangements and ceramics. She showed some

nice gift ideas from her shop. Hostesses for the evening were Miss Freda Keahey and Mrs. Ruby Myles.

Those attending were Ossie Lee Brown, Mrs. L.V. Damron, Mrs. J.N. Fletcher, Miss Freda Keahey, Mrs. Rod Long, Mrs. L.A. Mullins, Mrs. Ruby Myles, Mrs. Bill Peacock, Mrs. H.C. Smith, Miss Lula Swim, Mrs. Jeff Thacker, Mrs. LaVoe Thacker, Mrs. M.S. Thacker, Mrs. T. Winegar, Mrs. Tom Yeates, Mrs. Ray Zabielski.

The Study Club welcomed a new member, Mrs. S.L. (Gerry) Hughes.

Obituaries

FAY OLA PATTON

Services for Fay Ola Patton, 92, of Kress, formerly of Matador were held at 2 p.m. Friday Nov. 18 in Wallace Funeral Chapel in Tulia with Rev. Roland Moore, a retired Methodist minister, officiating.

Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery, Tulia, under direction of Wallace Funeral Home.

She died at 10:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 16 at her home after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Whitt and had lived in Plainview and the Center Plains community before moving to Kress. She married Maurie A. (Buck) Patton on Sept. 4, 1920, in Matador. He died in 1974.

She graduated from Hardin-Simmons University and had taught school near Matador. She was a member of Matador's First Baptist church. A son, Neal died in 1969. A daughter, Paola Bird died in 1978.

Survivors include three sons, Kenneth of Tulia, and Gordon and Gaines, both of Kress; three sister, Virginia Gaines, Nancy Gaines and Velma Gaines, all of Lubbock; a brother, Harold Gaines of Aberrath; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. She was a sister-in-law of four Matador women, Rachel Patton and Mesdames Lillie Barkley, Bertha Stearns and Opal Craven.

LENORE LAGRANGE

Services for Lenore LaGrange, 96, of Amherst were conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday in First United Methodist church there, with the pastor, Rev. Russell McReynolds and Rev. Douglas Gossett and Rev. LeRoy Baker, both retired Methodist pastors, officiating. She was the mother of local resident, Mrs. Gene Louder.

Burial was in Fairlawn Cemetery, Amherst, under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

She died at 12:10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 19, in Amherst's South Plains Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Henderson and moved to Amherst in 1923. She was an officer of the Lamb County Pioneers. She was a chartered member of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and a life member of the Amherst PTA. She was a housewife and a Methodist.

Besides her daughter, Mary L. Louder of Matador she is survived by a son, Lester LaGrange of Penney Farms, Fla; two grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

The family suggests memorials to the Amherst Volunteer Ambulance Fund or the South Plains Hospital Auxiliary Fund.

DOROTHY HALL

Services for Dorothy Alene Hall, 69, of Levelland, a sister of Mrs. Levi Wilkinson, were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 19 in Geo. C. Price Funeral Chapel with Rev. Loren Everett, pastor of Levelland Baptist Temple, officiating.

Burial was in City of Levelland Cemetery under the direction of Geo. C. Price Funeral directors.

She died at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 16 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Collingsworth County and moved to Levelland in 1968 from El Cajon, Calif. she married Cliff "Shorty" Hallin Arceisa, N.M. She was a home-

maker and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry Moore of Fort Worth; two stepsons, Willie and Donald, both of Duncan, Okla; her mother, Mrs. Lena Helvey of Levelland; three brothers, Earl Helvey of Sacramento, Calif., Robert Helvey of Bonham and Thomas Helvey of Abilene; five sisters, Fern Wilkinson of Matador, Dertie Crisp of Maysville, Okla., Arlie Taylor of Levelland, Alice Pearl Deviney of Bromide, Okla, and Lily May Taylor of Dumas; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Thanksgiving Day

When Americans sit down Thursday, Nov. 24, to eat turkey and give thanks for their blessings, they will be repeating a ceremony first performed 367 years ago.

It was in the autumn of 1621 when Massachusetts Bay Governor William Bradford invited neighboring Indians to join the Pilgrims for a three-day festival of recreation and feasting, in gratitude for the bounty of the season.

By the end of the 19th century, Thanksgiving Day had become an in-

stitution throughout New England and was officially proclaimed a national holiday by President Abraham Lincoln in 1863. The traditional feast of turkey and pumpkin pie, celebrated on the fourth Thursday of November, has become an indigenous part of American culture.

Thanksgiving also has been celebrated in Canada as a national holiday since 1879. The Canadian Thanksgiving is observed on the second Monday of every October. ■

Help Your Heart

American Heart Association

Healthy Eating for Happy Holidays

To many Americans, the holiday season means family feasts and celebrating with good friends. But overindulgence at Thanksgiving, Hanukkah and Christmas often leads to a New Year's resolution to lose weight.



This year, resolve to maintain a healthy lifestyle and still enjoy the festivities. It's easier than it sounds.

For example, the traditional centerpiece of most holiday tables is a plump, roasted turkey — an excellent low-calorie, low-fat main course. There are only 163 calories in a three-ounce serving of white meat without the skin. But use good judgement when buying the bird. Some self-basting turkeys are injected with oil high in saturated fat and sodium. Choose a plain frozen turkey instead, or check the labels for a self-basting brand that uses unsaturated vegetable oils.

Turkey isn't the only admissible entree. For those who prefer something a little different, Cornish hens might be the answer. Wild duck and pheasant are acceptably lean, as are partridge, quail and other small birds. Venison is very lean, and rabbit, with a flavor somewhat like chicken, has only a fraction of chicken's fat. But avoid commercially-raised game

animals which have a higher fat content than their cousins from forest and field. The *American Heart Association Cookbook* has several tasty game recipes.

Try not to offset the heart-healthiness of the main course by going overboard on the trimmings. Learn to make a low-fat gravy, and reject that extra helping of dressing. Vegetables are practically fat-free and low in calories, so don't be bashful about asking for seconds. But the calorie-conscious should know that butter and cream sauces add unnecessary fat and cholesterol. Flavor with garlic, onion, lemon juice, herbs or spices instead.

The meal ends with good news: there's no reason to skip dessert. Simply use a few tricks to make cookies, cakes and pies that taste great, but have less fat and cholesterol. For example, substitute evaporated skim milk for evaporated milk, use two egg whites instead of one whole egg (2 egg whites + 1 tsp. vegetable oil = 1 whole egg), and choose low-fat toppings over whipped cream. And don't forget that a simple bowl of mixed fruit is a natural way to satisfy the sweet tooth.

Even if major holiday meals are under control, there is great temptation to nibble at office parties, neighborhood gatherings and family reunions. A smart snacker avoids baked goods and highly salted nuts and chips in favor of raw vegetables or fruit treats. Party-goers who just can't resist should get involved in a stimulating conversation as far from the food as possible.

The American Heart Association hopes this holiday season is a safe and healthy one for all.

★ Surprise! ★

Happy Birthday Bucky!

Hope you enjoy the paper.

★★★

Love, Mom & Dad, Mitzi and Sarah

GOSPEL MUSIC IS FUN

by H. Soltwisch

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A MESSAGE TO A CHILD ABUSER

You've changed my life. Now I'm quiet all the time. I can't talk to my friends and I'm afraid to go to another adult. I'm only a kid, but I'm starting not to care about things anymore. I sometimes think about suicide. Sure I'm scared, but I'm angry too. I don't think it's fair that I have to do what you say, when deep down I know that what you're doing is wrong.

Don't take your problems out on a child. Get help.



Motley County Tribune



Long-awaited subfreezing temperatures November 16 and 17 sent the last remaining boll weevils on the east Plains scampering for cover and brought to a halt the 25th year of the High Plains boll weevil Control Program conducted by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock.

The program format each year calls for aerial insecticide applications at 10 to 14-day intervals from late September until the year's first freeze destroys the weevils' food supply. Objective is to kill the maximum percentage of weevils along the Caprock that rims the eastern edge of the Plains before they enter hibernation sites, thus keeping to a minimum the number that emerge and reproduce to attack fruiting plants the following Spring.

This strategy, adopted by PCG in 1964 at the behest of entomologists and concerned producers, for 25 years has prevented the spread of the dreaded pest into the concentrated cotton acreage west of the Caprock. Cotton growers from all of PCG's 25 counties contribute to the control effort, paying 70 percent of the cost against 30 percent funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The 1988 program began September 20 and ended with an unusual sixth application of insecticide to a small acreage November 16 and 17. In between, aerial applicator planes sprayed an aggregate of 663,311 cotton acres with 62,166 gallons of ultra low volume malathion. Those figures compare to 615,008 acres and 57,639 gallons in 1987. Base acres treated

totaled about 224,000, located in some 3,500 cotton fields stretching from Briscoe County's Silverton on the north to Vealmore in Borden County on the south.

Other counties in which all or part of the cotton acreage received treatment included Motley, Dickens, Kent, Garza, Crosby, Floyd, Borden, Lynn, Dawson and Lubbock. A total of 14 planes were used, operating from airports at Spur, Roaring Springs, Lamesa, Post, Silverton and Sterley.

Fields in the control zone, monitored by survey teams throughout the season, were sprayed from one to six times as needed. The largest single application, October 3 through 8 covered 189,680 acres. The final wrap-up treatment involved only 22,044 acres. While the overall 1988 program was the largest of the last decade, program officials point out, it was less than half the size of the record 1965 year when over 1.5 million acres were sprayed, requiring almost 190,000 gallons of insecticide.

PCG officials estimate the cost of mapping, surveying, flagging, application and chemicals in the 1988 program at just under \$2 million, about \$3 per treated acre. The spray contract this year was awarded to Kimmel Aviation of Greenwood, Miss., for \$5.94 per gallon of insecticide sprayed, the lowest of three bidders. Malathion was secured at \$13.85 per gallon. The program employed a total of 165 people at one time or another during the season.

Caprock Canyon State Park To Stock Rainbow Trout

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials said the state's largest ever Rainbow Trout stocking program will kick off December 1, 1988.

Caprock Canyons State Park located in the Southeast Texas Panhandle, 3 miles north of Quitaque will be in the program for the first time this year.

Rainbow Trout will be stocked at the park on Nov. 30, Dec. 14, Dec. 28, and Jan. 11. The fish will be of catchable size and best fishing should be the weekends after stocking dates, but fishing should be good all winter.

The daily bag limit is five trout. The

possession limit is 10 in all Texas waters. There is no minimum length limit.

Separate fees are not charged to fish for trout in state parks. Only the normal entry and facility use fees.

Trout stamps and fishing licenses are required as in other public waters, and can be purchased at the park.

The department's popular trout program is operated on a put and take basis with most of the trout being caught by late spring.

For more information call the park from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 806-455-1492.

Delinquency Notes Sent To FmHA Borrowers

Waco, TX - This month the Farmers Home Administration will send notices to 6,521 farmer-borrowers across Texas who are at least 180 days delinquent on their FmHA loans.

Farmers receiving the "Notice of Availability of Loan Service Programs for Delinquent Farm Borrowers" will have 45 days to respond to FmHA or lose their rights to restructure their loans under provisions of the Agriculture Credit Act of 1987. Texas Farmers Union President Joe Rankin says the notices aren't foreclosure notices but rather notices explaining that borrowers have the chance to restructure if that's the government's least cost alternative.

The FmHA package, scheduled to be sent by certified mail on or about the fifteenth of November, will contain nine forms farmers will be required to complete, including such things as cash flow projections and indications that their loan will qualify for restructuring. Rankin says farmers can seek help from credit counselors or mediation services when filing out the forms, but that they must be completed by the 45 day deadline. "If the forms aren't returned, then the farmers

will lose all of their rights to restructuring and appeal," says Rankin. "Then FmHA can go right to acceleration and foreclosure."

Farmers are being encouraged to apply for a II Primary and Preservation loan options when completing the paperwork. The Primary Loan Servicing Options include: loan consolidation; loan rescheduling; loan reamortization; interest rate reductions; deferrals; or debtwrite-downs.

If a borrower does not qualify for any of the Primary Loan Servicing Options, he may still be eligible for Preservation-Loan Servicing Options which include homestead protection and farmland lease-back/buyback. Finally, if a farmer is denied restructuring, he has the right to appeal the decision through a new FmHA National Appeals System.

Texas Farmers Union President Joe Rankin says the Ag. Credit Act can give farmers a chance to survive when they otherwise couldn't. "However, with new rights come new responsibilities," says Rankin. "It's up to all of us to make this Act work."

HEALTH NEWS

WHAT EVERY CHILD NEEDS FOR BETTER MENTAL HEALTH

To grow healthy and strong, children should have good food, plenty of sleep, exercise and fresh air. Children have emotional needs too. To have good health, to be both healthy and happy, all children require love, acceptance, guidance, protection, security, control, independence and faith.

Adelaida Montemayor, director of the psychiatric program of Methodist Hospital outlines the following suggestions to promote better mental health.

LOVE - Children need to be loved and wanted. Children want others around them and should know that there are people who care about their future.

ACCEPTANCE - Children should believe that they are liked for themselves just the way they are. Parents should also guide their children to believe that they can grow and develop in their own way.

GUIDANCE - Parents should teach their children, in a friendly way, how to behave towards persons and things. Adults

serve as great examples in showing children how to get along with others.

PROTECTION - The feeling that children will be kept safe from harm is very important to them. They need reassurance that when a frightening situation occurs, someone will be there to help.

SECURITY - children need to feel that their home is a good, safe place where they can rely on adults whether a crisis arises or not. It is also important for children to feel that they belong to a group, and that there is a place where they fit in.

CONTROL - Control is an important factor in a child's life. Young people should be aware that there are limits to what they are allowed to do and that they will have to live within those limitations.

INDEPENDENCE - Children should always be encouraged to try new things and to grow. They should become confident in themselves in their ability to do things on their own.

FAITH - Having a set of moral standards to live by is a necessity for children. They should be taught to believe in human values such as kindness, courage, honesty, generosity and justice.

Social Security Tips

By Terry J. Clements

Aged, blind, or disabled people receiving supplemental security income (SSI) may be institutionalized for many reasons and for varying periods of time, and they should know how a stay in an institution will affect their SSI payments.

Generally, a stay in an institution of less than a month will have no effect on SSI payments. A stay of a full calendar month or longer may affect the payment, and, therefore, should be reported to Social Security as soon as possible.

In most cases, someone who enters a city or county rest home, halfway house, prison, or other public institution becomes ineligible for SSI. But there are some exceptions. For example, SSI recipients may continue to be eligible for payments when they enter:

- * a publicly operated community residence which serves no more than 16 residents;

- * a public institution primarily to receive educational or vocational training; or

- * a public emergency shelter. (Payments are limited to 6 months during any 9-month period.)

Also, an SSI recipient who was working before entering a public institution may be able to receive payments for the first 2 full months after entering it.

SSI recipients entering certain medical treatment facilities may continue to receive full SSI payments for up to 3 months. The facility entered must be a public medical institution or a private

medical facility where Medicaid is paying more than half the cost of their care. SSI recipients can qualify for these payments if a doctor certifies they are expected to be in the facility 90 days or less and they need to maintain and pay expenses associated with their permanent residence. They also must give Social Security evidence that they meet these requirements within 10 days after the close of the month they entered the facility.

Sometimes, recipients who do not meet the requirements to continue receiving a full payment may be able to receive a "personal needs allowance" of no more than \$30. A personal needs allowance is payable only to recipients residing in medical facilities where Medicaid pays more than half the cost of their care.

Recipients in private institutions may receive SSI payments, but the care received could be considered income for SSI purposes. This income might affect the payment since eligibility for SSI and the amount of the payment are tied to income levels.

As you can see, the rules on how institutionalization affects SSI payments are somewhat complicated. Therefore, it's important for SSI recipients to tell us right away whenever they enter an institution. We can then determine what the effect will be and explain the effect to the recipient.

For more information or to file a claim call 1-800-2345-SSA.

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Thanksgiving Dinner Shows Texas' Agricultural Bounty

COLLEGE STATION -- Thanksgiving may have started in Massachusetts, but the foods that are eaten at this traditional meal have also become important Texas agricultural products.

The star of Thanksgiving dinner is the turkey and about 7.4 million of them are grown in Texas each year.

According to Dr. David Mellor, a poultry marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas is about the 11th largest producer of Turkeys in the country.

However, chances are that the whole turkey carved at your Thanksgiving table won't be from Texas.

"Most of the Texas-grown turkey ends up in value-added products such as cooked boneless breasts, luncheon meat and prepared products which are sent to the East and West Coasts," said Mellor.

In the meantime, fresh and frozen whole birds are shipped in from Arkansas, Missouri and other producing states for the Thanksgiving feast.

From the corn meal for cornbread stuffing to the whipped cream for your pumpkin pie, just about every dish served at Thanksgiving is produced in some form in Texas.

For example, if you're making candied or whipped sweet potatoes or sweet potato pie from fresh sweet potatoes bought earlier this fall, they're probably from Texas.

Sweet Potatoes are produced in central Texas around Elgin, in the Lubbock area and in east Texas where they're harvested in the early fall.

White potatoes are grown in Texas too, although by Thanksgiving most white potatoes are coming from Idaho and other northern states. The Texas white potatoes are harvested in July and August.

Fresh fall vegetables for your dinner, especially winter squash, cauliflower, broccoli, carrots and spinach come from Texas' Rio Grande Valley and the winter garden area of southwest Texas.

Although many of these vegetables are shipped out of state for processing, they are also offered fresh through stores and farmer's markets.

For dessert, both pumpkin and pecan pies are Thanksgiving favorites. This year Texas produced about 39 million pounds of pumpkin. Many of them wound up as jack o'lanterns, but others will find their way into fresh pumpkin pie.

Pecans are grown commercially in 183 Texas counties. This year's crop is estimated at 45 million pounds. Although the pecans are slightly smaller due to the drought, they're of excellent quality.

It's unlikely that cranberries will ever be grown in Texas because they require a cold, wet climate.

If you make cranberry-orange relish, however, you can add a touch of Texas by using oranges from the Rio Grande Valley. The Texas citrus harvest began in October and will continue through June.

The Thanksgiving meal illustrates the fact that Texas agriculture is increasingly diverse. Although meat animals and cotton are still the major income-producers for the state, Texas produces hundreds of other crops.

In addition to producing food, agriculture provides another kind of bounty for the state. Dr. Carl Anderson, an agricultural economist with the Extension Service, said the economic impact of agricultural production in Texas is estimated at about \$33 billion and businesses related to agriculture employ more than 20 percent of the state's work force.

VA News Feature

Q. - What is the Veterans Administration's definition of a Vietnam Era Veteran and how does one qualify?

A. - President Ford designated the Vietnam Era as August 5, 1964, through May 7, 1975, to determine service eligibility for certain VA benefits. In order to be considered a veteran of the Vietnam Era you must have at least one day of active duty on or between those dates.

Q. - I have questions regarding the

Montgomery GI Bill. Can I get information from the local VA regional office?

A. - Yes, questions regarding the Montgomery GI Bill should be directed to any VA regional office. Toll-free numbers are listed in your local directory under U.S. Government.

Q. - Is there a penalty if a VA-guaranteed home loan is partially or fully paid before it becomes due?

A. - No. There is no penalty if a VA loan is paid in advance.

DPS ACCIDENT REPORT

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of October, our troopers investigated 8 fatal accidents, 76 personal injury accidents, and 114 property damage accidents. There were 9 persons killed and 114 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Mike Thomson of Clarendon stated, "In Motley County, our troopers investigated 0 fatal accidents, 0 personal

injury accidents, and 2 property damage accidents in the month of October. 0 persons were killed and 0 persons were injured in these accidents."



Amarillo Garden Club to Sponsor Festival of Trees

The Amarillo Garden Center will present its 25th annual Festival of Trees on Saturday and Sunday, December 3 and 4. The Festival of Trees is open to the public on both days from 12:00 noon until 6:00 p.m. at 1400 Streit Drive (the first building south of the Discovery Center).

A real-life Santa Claus will be present to visit with attending children on both Saturday and Sunday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The Garden Center will display nine (9) Christmas trees which will be decorated with handmade ornaments and decorations. The overall theme of this year's Festival of Trees is "Collections of Christmas."

Among the handmade ornaments will be found angels, reindeer families, country geese, potpourri ornaments, farm animals, fans, the twelve days of Christmas, antique ornaments and swans.

A beautiful queen-size, handmade quilt will be on display. This quilt has 30 large squares, each depicting a different scene of hummingbirds.

Also on display, encased in a glass dome, will be a miniature Christmas Tree made from beads. This tiny tree is fully decorated and even has lights, presents and a child's train beneath it.

As a part of the Festival there will be a miniature version of an entire southwestern adobe village as it appears at Christmas time.

There will be three (3) separate drawings at the conclusion of the Festival. The hummingbird quilt, the miniature tree and the adobe village will be given away. All the \$1.00 donations for tickets will go to the Amarillo Garden Center. Donation tickets, along with the admission tickets, may be purchased from members of the Amarillo Garden Club or at the Amarillo Garden Center.

During the entire Festival of Trees, the Garden Club members will host a food service and a homemade goods section. On the lower level the food service will serve chili, sandwiches, desserts and beverages. The homemade goods section will sell items such as breads, cookies, cakes, candies, pies and canned goods.

The Gift Ship normally operated by the Garden Center will have its inventory increased to include many seasonal items.

The Herb Society will be selling herbs, potpourri, dried flower wreaths and other dried flower decorations. The Iris Society will conduct their ever-popular sale of grab bags.

The proceeds from the Festival of Trees are used to support the Amarillo Garden Center. The Amarillo Garden Center is open to the general public on a regular schedule throughout the year.

This Christmas-oriented festival is always a highlight of the Christmas season for Amarillo and Panhandle residents.

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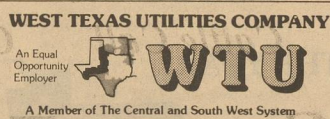
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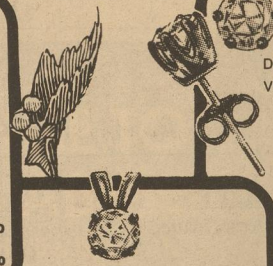
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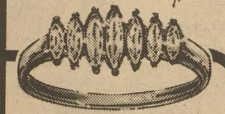
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County Chit-Chat

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

GUILD HAS INSTALLATION
The Guild held their annual Installation of Officers Wednesday evening of last week in the home of Miss Lula Swim. The Installation Service was preceded by the following program: Opening prayer, Freda Keahey; Devotional was all contributing a sentence naming their special reason for thankfulness with special Thanksgiving prayer by Agnes Aaron; closing prayer by Billy Clifton. The members had their pledge service.

President Imogene Swim acted as Installation officer inducting the following officers into service: Grace Zabielski, President; Mary Louder, Vice President; Freda Keahey, Secretary; Opal Bradford, Treasurer.

Present in addition to those already mentioned were Gene Louder, Thelma Crites, Alta Duvall, Lee Peacock and Chelsea Read.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Palmer of Lubbock celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary in Lubbock Saturday. Howard is the brother of J.D. Palmer of Roaring Springs. Attending the celebration were J. D. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs.

James Palmer of Matador and Mrs. and Mrs. Johnny Palmer, Scotty and Miranda of Paducah.

Visitors with Mrs. Roxie Lewis last Friday were her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sibley and her sister, Mrs. Mabel Stephenson, all of Amarillo. Wayne is the son of Mrs. Lewis's oldest brother and his wife the late Rev. and Mrs. W.S. Sibley of Amarillo.

Miss Rhonda Long, student at South Plains college, Levelland, visited relatives here the past weekend.

Sunday night's Community Thanksgiving Service at First Baptist Church was well attended with all local church memberships represented.

J.C. Rape was taken by Ambulance to Crosbyton Hospital after becoming ill at his home Saturday afternoon. He was kept overnight for observation. Bobby Mullins drove up Sunday and brought him home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mullins of Hereford came by to visit his mother, Odessa Mullins, on their way home from a business trip to Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Marian Burt received word Monday, November 14 of the death of her cousin, Ivan Gates, of Oklahoma City. He died with a heart attack on Sunday, Nov. 13. He had been here for Homecoming and had visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Harper of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa are visiting friends and family in Matador and Texas during the Holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Craven, Lowell Barkley and Miss Rachel Patton attended funeral services for Mrs. Maurice (Fay Ola) Patton, Friday in Tulia.

Joan Patton is a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She had orthopedic surgery last Thursday. She is reported doing well.

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

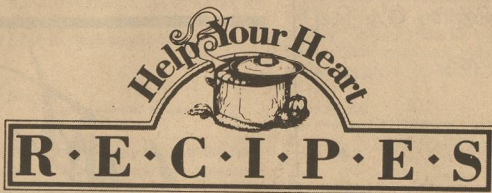
Mrs. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth, Kathy and Susan of Sundown visited from Friday until Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Martin of Roaring Springs visited the family, Sunday.

Laura Weis of Perryton, Brenda Harvey and Julie of Clarendon visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harvey.

Lennie Stan and Jonah of Afton visited Mrs. Jack Spray, Sunday.

Visiting Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wesley were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lane of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer visited in Crawford, Oklahoma from Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Russ Winder.



Cider-Baked Turkey Breast

- 1 turkey breast half (about 2 1/2 lbs.)
- 1 cup unsweetened cider or apple juice
- 2 tablespoons "lite" soy sauce (or regular soy sauce diluted with half water)
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch

Bake turkey skin-side up for 25 minutes in 450-degree oven. Combine 3/4 cup cider with soy sauce and pour over turkey. Lower heat to 350 degrees, cover and bake for one hour or more, basting frequently and occasionally skimming fat from pan liquid. When turkey is done, combine remaining cider with cornstarch, stir into pan and cook until sauce thickens. Spoon sauce over turkey before serving. Serves 8.

The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusted in him, and I am helped: therefore my heart greatly rejoiceth; and with my song will I praise him.

Psalm 28:7

God's Protection

by H. Soltwisch

You were placed in Protective Custody
By one that really cared
And trusted God with total heart
As the finish line appeared suddenly as a dark, dark storm that obliterated the sun,
But deep down God says to you,
"Fear not for this is the one you placed in my Protective Custody
And I heard your plea, so this one will be safe for you and more importantly - for me."
God Bless!

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

THANKSGIVING COMMUNITY SERVICE

The First Baptist Church in Flomot held Thanksgiving Community Services, Sunday night, Nov. 20.

The Rev. Nathan Mulder, pastor, delivered the message. Special music was presented by Wayne Hunter, who sang, "Thanksgiving Hymn" with self accompaniment on guitar and a duet by Mrs. Don (Carolyn) Ewing of Matador and Mrs. Clois (Kathy) Shorter, "In The Garden" accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Joe Ike (Annie Beth) Clay. Personal Thanksgiving testimonials were given and the congregation held hands during the closing prayer.

Preceding the services, a covered dish supper was held and plates of food were delivered to community residents unable to attend. Mrs. Nathan (Cathy) Mulder had beautiful autumn flower arrangements and decorations on display in the Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall.

Local residents and guests from Matador, Whiteflat, Quitaque and South Plains attended the services.

Louis Shorter and daughter, Megan of Amarillo visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter.

John Speer of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd, Wednesday.

Viola Stinson and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Floydada, Saturday with Mrs. Mollie Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts of Douglas, Georgia visited overnight Wednesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers.

Mrs. James Monk was in Tulia, Thursday for medical treatment. She visited Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Mrs. Rosella Cannon before returning home.

Dustin and Shae Lynn Reed of Lubbock are visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited in Lockney, Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Lennie Gilbert, a patient in general hospital. Mrs. Gilbert returned to the Lockney Care Center Thursday and is reported to be doing fine.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Sunday were daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hambright and son, Jim of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter attended to business in Plainview, Friday and visited in Lockney with Mrs. Bea Bilberry. They continued to Lubbock to visit daughter, Anita Hunter and attended the Texas Tech Symphony Orchestra Concert held at Texas Tech University, Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter attended to business in Turkey and visited in Quitaque with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.G. Hunter.

Billy and Roger Hughes, students at Clarendon Junior College, visited during the weekend with their family, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes, Bengie and Rickey.

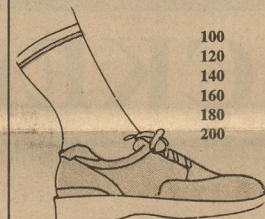
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Source: Family Circle magazine

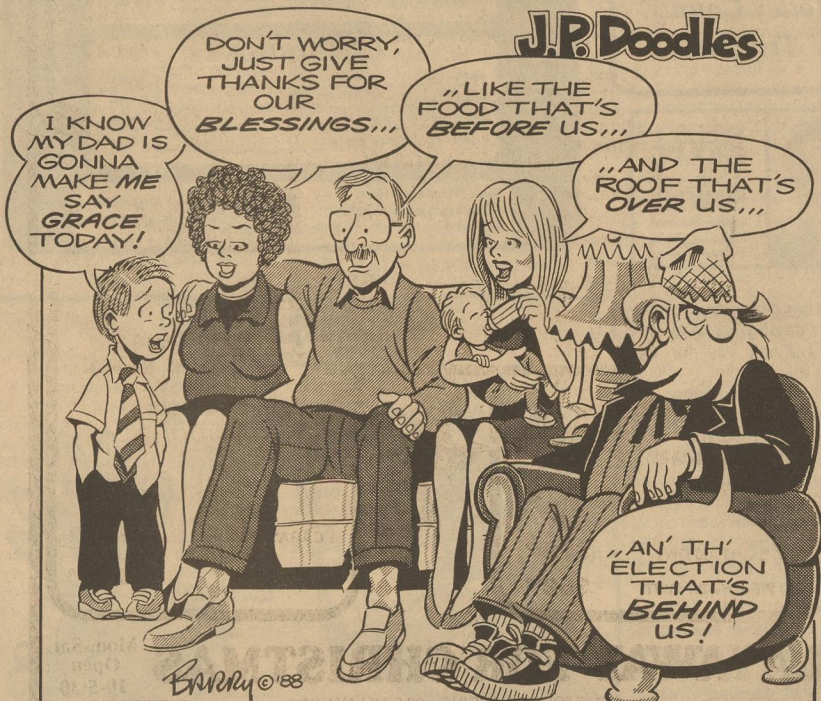
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READER'S COLUMN

RECOLLECTIONS OF A TRAIL DRIVER'S WIFE

by Mrs. John Hobert Smith

My father came out with 60 head of cattle. He had been here just a short time when all of the cattle were stolen. Then left him in a hard shape to make a living for his family. He took to trapping and hunting and made his living that way. He trapped for coyotes and lobos, or loafers as we called them, and got bounties from the Matadors. Besides that, he always kept his family and his neighbors in fresh meat. The country was full of antelopes and wild turkeys. Even when he was a freighter, he was never in too big a hurry to crawl around half a day hunting antelopes.

One night he caught three panthers, the only ones he ever did catch. He skinned them in a certain way to get more money for the hides. He decided to play a joke on us, for we were at school and didn't know about the panthers. He stuffed the skins with leaves and set all three up in the front yard for us to see when we came home. They looked like real panthers to us, and he really did a good job of scaring us.

He started freighting from the Matador headquarters to Childress. Again let me say that when my husband came in 1879 they had to freight from Ft. Worth; they later freighted from Big Spring after the railroad was laid there; and by the '90's they freighted from Childress and Quanah.

My father was freighting about 2,500 pounds of flour from Childress in 1896 when he got killed. There were several wagons to haul the freight and he was driving one that had three horses hitched to it. There were no good roads, and they had come to a gully. A man stood on the bank of the gully and popped his whip to make the teams go across. The third horse, the one to the side, got scared and the jerk caused a wheel to come off and turn the wagon over. It fell on my father and killed him.

For entertainment, we had literary societies and spelling matches often. Otho

Hale, who now lives at Dickens, and I used to spell against each other for hours at a time at the old Dickens Ranch.

There were cowboy reunions once a year where there was bronco riding and tournament riding. Purses were made up for the winners.

There were many dances given at the ranch for the entertainment of the cowboys. (5)

Old "Grandpa" Stegall was the only preacher that I know of on the Plains at this time. He was a Methodist and went in a buggy to different places to preach. When he held the camp meetings at Patton Springs, Mrs. Campbell, whose husband helped organize the Matador Ranch, would take a chuck wagon and all the cowboys and camp there for the whole meeting. The meeting would come in the summer when the cowboys were laying off. They always made up money for the preacher.

There was an arbor for the camp meeting and they used torches to light it. I don't remember just how the torches were made.

The ranch was the first thing established here and it was just a dugout. They had to buy out a half or a quarter section of land in order to get a spring.

The ranchers always had to look about water in locating. Right in the Matador range there is quite a bit of water. There are lots of springs on this range. Roaring Springs was an Indian Headquarters at one time. There was lots of water on Wolf Creek.

There were no fences but had line riders to throw back cattle. These line riders were camped along in dugouts and would ride out to hold cattle. Outside men from the Yellow House Canyon helped cut back Matador cattle too.

In the round-ups the ranches would exchange men. Other ranches would send men to your round-up to work with you and cut their cattle out. The Matadors would send men to other round-ups to cut out the Matador cattle.

There were no roads when I came out here. When we were first married, my husband drove a span of mules. He

would just strike right out without a sign of road and always wind up where he started to.

In a clean up at the Matador Ranch a year or two ago, a diary was found that

my husband kept on one of his trail drives. I have never seen it, but I would like to have it. It was given to the museum at Lubbock and I can't have the original copy. I am going to have a copy made, and I imagine it has a lot of information in it and will be very interesting.

(5) Harper, Minnie Timms and George Dewey, "Old Ranches", Files of Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Museum, Canyon, Texas. The article "Valentine Dance at the Matador Ranch, February 15, 1895" describes one of these dances.

MOTHER GOOSE DOT PUZZLE

How much earth is in a hole 3/4 by 6 1/2 feet?

Answer



Texas Farm Credit Credit Posts Third Quarter Profit

AUSTIN - Farm Credit Bank of Texas officials today reported a \$2.2 million net income on bank and association operations for the third quarter of 1988. This brings the Texas District's nine-month profit to \$47 million, a \$30.6 million improvement over the \$16.4 million posted for the first nine months of 1987.

The bank provides funds to 44 Federal Land Bank Associations (FLBAs), 22 Production Credit Associations (PCAs) and 5 other financing institutions (OFIs) which supply about one-third of the state's agricultural credit. The bank and associations have \$3 billion in loans outstanding and \$503 million in net worth.

Donald R. Rogge, the bank's chief executive officer, said bank and association profits had increased each quarter in 1988. He attributed this to stabilization of the state's farm and ranch economy, higher commodity prices and improving farm-

land values. "Although some regions of the district continue to experience downward pressure on land values, overall land prices appear to have stabilized," he said. "We are seeing a lot of renewed interest in land purchases, particularly from farmers and ranchers who are feeling more confident about the farm economy."

Rogge said the overall credit quality of the farmers and ranchers who do business with Farm Credit in Texas, along with most of the district's other financial indicators, have shown steady improvement through 1988.

"In spite of some problems stemming from high loan payoffs in 1986 and 1987 and drought conditions in 1988, the Texas District is in a better financial position now than it was at the beginning of the year," Rogge said.

The Texas Farm Credit District was

one of 3 out of 12 districts in the nation that remained financially strong through the past several years of financial crises for agriculture. According to Rogge, new long-term loan volume increased 9 percent during the first nine months of 1988 as compared to the first nine months of 1987.

"Loans for crop production and cattle are down," the bank CEO said. "However, with some areas of the state having good crop years and if cattle prices continue steady, we expect farmers to be better able to take on debt once again."

Nationwide the Farm Credit System reported a net gain of \$98 million in the third quarter of 1988 compared to a \$4 million net loss for the same period last year. System earnings as of September 30 were \$434 million in 1988 compared to a net loss of \$197 million for the first nine months of 1987.

is the opinion of Lenwood Scholtz, Assistant Director of the Texas Department of Health's Food and Drugs Division.

"A turkey should be thawed in the refrigerator, or under cold, running water (at 70 degrees or below)," Scholtz said. "Many people make the mistake of thawing the turkey at room temperature, allowing the surface to stay warm before the rest of the turkey can thaw. That creates conditions where bacteria can reproduce and cause food poisoning."

Scholtz said thawing in a microwave oven is only safe when the food will be immediately cooked. When thawed, the turkey should be thoroughly rinsed and dried, inside and out. If you plan to keep the leftovers, cut the meat off the bone and refrigerate it. A safe rule of thumb is to freeze any portions you want to keep beyond two days of refrigeration, Scholtz advised.

The following suggestions in preparing and serving holiday turkey can help ensure against salmonella poisoning, perhaps the most common form of food poisoning in the home.

*Prepare the stuffing immediately before cooking. You may wish to mix the

dry ingredients in advance, but eggs, oysters, butter, or other moist ingredients should be added at cooking time.

*Cook the stuffing separately. Cooking the stuffing in the turkey cavity may result in its not being fully cooked in the center.

*When fully cooked, the dense portions of the meat, such as the thighs, should have reached at least 180 degrees Fahrenheit, measured with a meat thermometer.

*Never leave the turkey, the stuffing, or gravy unrefrigerated for more than two hours.

*If you are using a microwave oven, relate the turkey to ensure uniform cooking.

*Be certain to wash your hands, cooking surfaces, utensils, and all foods thoroughly. For more information, contact Lenwood Scholtz, Assistant Director, Food and Drug Division, at 512/458-7248 or Margaret Wilson, Public Information Coordinator, Public Health Promotion Division, at 512/458-74405.



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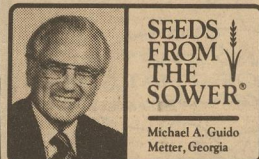
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"I know," replied the boy, "but never judge a day by the weather." Good advice, isn't it! Never judge a day by obstacles, but by opportunities; not by roaring storms, but by service rendered; not by lightning flashing, but by love flowing; not by thunder clapping, but by tasks completed.

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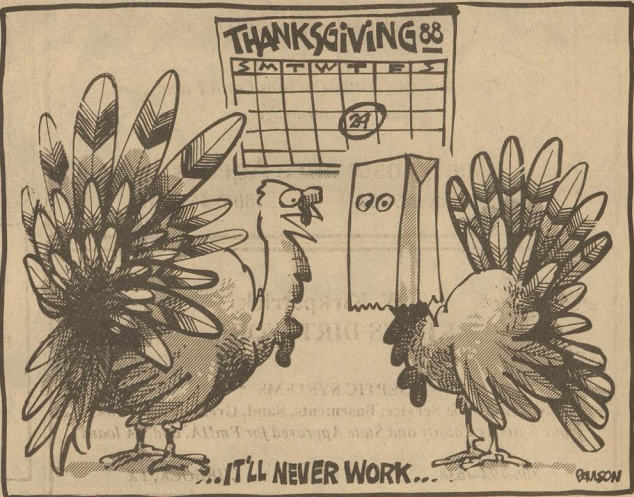
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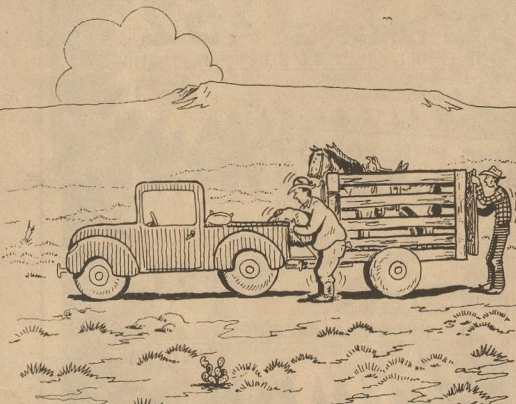
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By Ace Reid



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Bids are invited upon the several items and quantities of work as follows: Installation of a new elevator, installation of handicap parking, renovation of restrooms for handicap accessibility. Contract documents, including drawings and Specifications may be examined without charge at the Architect's office, 1919 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas 79401, Tel: (806) 763-5046 or at County Judge Billy A. Whitaker's office, Motley County Courthouse. Copies of the contract documents may be obtained upon deposit of \$50.00 each, as guarantee for the documents safe return, which are the Architect's property and must be returned to them within ten days after bid opening.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the County of Motley, U.S. Government Bonds (at par value) or a satisfactory bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid shall be submitted with each bid made payable unconditionally to the Honorable Billy A. Whitaker, County Judge, County Commissioners' Court, Motley County, Texas.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the contract documents must be paid on this project, and not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The applicable minority goals which apply to the Bidder to any contract or subcontract awarded for labor, materials, goods or services is 19.5%. Bidders will be responsible to utilize to the greatest extent feasible minorities in workforce equal to the goals established. The goals will be expressed as a percentage of the total hours worked on any other construction project site within Motley County including those employees working on private non-federally financed projects.

The County of Motley reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive informalities. Bids may be held at the county of Motley for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the opening for Bids for the purpose of reviewing the Bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders, prior to awarding of the Contract.

Honorable Billy A. Whitaker, County Judge
Motley County, Texas

Announcements

POSTAL EXAMINATION

Donald S. Boyd, Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster, Lubbock, TX has announced that the Rural Carrier examination for the Amarillo, TX area will be open from November 28, 1988 through December 2, 1988.

This examination will be used to fill Rural Carrier Associate and Rural Carrier vacancies in the following cities: Amarillo, TX Canyon, TX, Groom, TX, Hereford, TX, Fritch, TX, and Claude, TX.

Persons who are interested may apply at their local Post Office during the week of November 28 through December 2, 1988. No applications will be accepted prior to or after these dates.

Starting salary for Rural Carrier Associates is \$10.39 (average hourly rate). The salary range for Rural Carriers is \$19,824 - \$26,826.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Plan at home night in Matador. Friday Dec. 9, 1988 the local business (Matador Variety, Texas T's & T's, The Windmill, Guys and Gals, Matador Floral, Matador Hardware, and Stanley's) will remain open late for other local citizens to shop at home! Also that night James Stanley's famous Friday night Stew will be available at Stanley's Pharmacy.

ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR

The American Business Women's Association of Plainview will hold its 6th Annual Arts & Crafts Fair, December 3rd and 4th, 1988, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Ollie Liner Center in Plainview.

PTO MEETING

The PTO will meet November 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR KIDDIE STORE

Anyone wishing to donate items for the Kiddie Store, to be held on Old Fashioned Christmas Day, Dec. 3, may do so at the Matador V&S Variety Store.

CLINIC TO BE CLOSED

The Motley County Clinic will be closed Thursday and Friday for Thanksgiving Holidays.

TRIBUNE TO BE CLOSED

The Motley County Tribune office will be closed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 23, 24 and 25 for Thanksgiving holidays. Thank you!

CORRECTION

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The name of Edna Patton Nalley was inadvertently omitted from the deceased list of ex-students in last week's issue of the Tribune.

Praise The Lord!

V&S Variety Stores

Shop now from our

'88 Holiday Spectacular



If you haven't received your copy, get one free at

V&S Variety Stores

Matador V&S
Variety

Loose dentures? ORafix 'em. That'll fix 'em.



For free sample, send name and address to: ORafix Special, P.O. Box 3516, Stamford, CT 06905.

Stop worrying about loose dentures. Switch to maximum hold ORafix Special denture adhesive. Its special, patented formula holds all dentures...even older ones...tight, day and night.

CHECK OUT THESE WEEKLY BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

4 ROLL PKG. BATHROOM TISSUE ASSORTED

CHARMIN 61¢

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET... \$1.09

BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

11.5 OZ. CAN-FOLGERS SPECIAL ROAST FLAKE ADC/P&R

COFFEE \$1.11

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET... \$1.59

BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

15 OZ. CAN - IN JUICE TIDBITS/ SPEARS/ CR./ SLICED DEL MONTE

PINEAPPLE 252¢

FOR 2 FOR \$1

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET... \$1.99

BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

37 1/2 FT. ROLL. REYNOLDS HEAVY DUTY

FOIL 81¢

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET... \$1.29

BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

5 OZ. CAN-HORMEL VIENNA

SAUSAGE FOR 251¢

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET... 2 FOR 99¢

BIG BLUE BONUS SPECIALS

66 SML./ 48 MED./ 32 LGE. BOYS OR GIRLS DIAPERS

LUVS \$9.51

WITH ONE FILLED BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET
WITHOUT BIG BLUE BONUS BOOKLET... \$9.99

DEL MONTE SPECIALS

16 OZ. CUT OR FRENCH SLICED GREEN BEANS, 17 OZ. WK./CS GOLDEN CORN, 15 OZ. SPINACH REGULAR OR NO SALT

VEGETABLES 2.99¢

2 CANS

DEL MONTE ASSORTED

FRUIT SNACKS \$1.59

6 CT. PKG.

HUNT'S FANCY TOMATO SAUCE 4 8 OZ. CANS 99¢

HUNT'S MSHRM./MEAT/TRADITIONAL SPAGHETTI SAUCE 27 OZ. CAN 99¢

FOR BAKING OR COOKING

WESSON OIL 48 OZ. BTL. \$1.99

ORVILLE REDENBACHER REG./BUT. MICRO POPCORN 10 1/2 OZ. PKG. \$1.69

HUNT'S ASSORTED SNACK PACK 4 PAK \$1.07

PETER PAN SMOOTH/CRUNCHY PEANUT BUTTER 28 OZ. JAR \$2.99

THICK AND CHUNKY MANWICH 15 OZ. \$97¢

SWISS MISS INSTANT REG./MARSH. HOT COCOA MIX 12 ENV. BOX \$1.29

DOUBLE COUPONS ON MONDAY

Every Monday your manufacturers "cents off" coupons are worth double at Pay-N-Save No. 21. Limit one coupon for any particular item. No cigarette coupons. Offer limited to manufacturers coupons of \$1.00 value or less. Coupons over \$1.00 will be redeemed at face value. Amount cannot exceed retail of the item.

Subject to certain In-Store Policies concerning coupons. Not doubled on advertised specials.

WE WILL NOT INTENTIONALLY SELL ANY GROUND BEEF UNDER 80% LEAN AND WE PLEDGE TO MAKE OUR GROUND BEEF AT LEAST TWICE A DAY.

SHURFINE U.S.D.A. GRADE A SELF BASTING-WITH TENDER TIMER

Turkeys 68¢

LB. 16 TO 24 LB. AVG.

SHANK PORTION \$1.29

BUTT PORTION \$1.39

WRIGHT'S HICKORY SMOKED FULLY COOKED

Whole Hams \$1.39

14 TO 20 LB. AVG. LB.

HICKORY SMOKED SLICED SLAB WRIGHT'S BACON 1 LB. \$1.19

LOUIS RICH BONELESS FULLY COOKED TURKEY HALF HAM 3.5 LB. AVG. LB. \$1.69

U.S.D.A. GRADE A 4 6 LB. AVG. BAKING HENS 1 LB. 69¢

FULLY COOKED 10-12 LB. AVG. SMOKED TURKEYS 1 LB. \$1.39

SELECT LEAN TRIM FRESH BUTT PORK ROAST 1 LB. \$1.39

SHURFINE FULLY COOKED 2 LB. AVG. TURKEY HALF HAM 1 LB. \$1.49

FRESH-80% LEAN-FAMILY PAK GROUND BEEF 1 LB. \$1.29

HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF ARM SHOULDER ROAST 1 LB. \$1.69

CHICKEN LIVERS OR GIZZARDS 1 LB. 79¢

SHURFINE WHOLE HOG-REG. OR HOT PORK SAUSAGE 2 LB. ROLL 1 LB. ROLL \$2.77 \$1.39

PRODUCE SPECIALS

WASHINGTON EX. FANCY RED DELICIOUS APPLES 1 LB. 59¢

FRESH YELLOW ONIONS 4 LBS. \$1.00

CALIFORNIA FRESH BROCCOLI 1 LB. 69¢

OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRIES 12 OZ. BAG 69¢

GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS 3 LBS. 99¢

GOLDEN SWEET POTATOES 3 LBS. \$1



WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

SUPER SAVINGS

BETTY CROCKER BROWNIE MIX 22 OZ. BOX 99¢

ASSORTED KLEENEX TISSUES 175 CT. BOX 89¢

DELICIOUS BUGLE SNACKS 6 OZ. PKG. 89¢

10 OZ. WHEAT THINS/9 1/2 OZ. TRISCUITS/ 7 OZ. BETTER CHEDDARS

NABISCO CRACKERS \$1.29

BOX

SYLVANIA LONG LIFE 60/75/100 WATT

LIGHT BULBS \$1.99

4 PAK

FROZEN & DAIRY

PET DEEP DISH PIE SHELLS 2 PAK \$1.07

PUMPKIN OR MINCE BANQUET PIES 20 OZ. BOX 99¢

MARGARINE QUARTERS

BLUE BONNET 48¢

1 LB. PKG.

BORDEN'S ROUND ASSORTED ICE CREAM 1/2 GAL. CTN. \$1.79

KLONDIKE BORDENS BORDENS NUGGETS 15 CT. PKG. \$1.59

BORDENS BORDENS HOMO MILK 1/2 GAL. CTN. \$1.09

BORDENS BORDENS EGG NOG ONE QUART 99¢

BORDENS BORDENS SOUR CREAM 2 8 OZ. CTNS. \$1.00

ASSORTED BORDENS DIPS 2 8 OZ. CTNS. \$1.00

HEALTH & BEAUTY

SUAVE ASSORTED CONDITIONER/ SHAMPOO 16 OZ. BTL. 99¢

EXTRA STRENGTH

TYLENOL TABLETS \$6.59

100 CT. BTL.

FOAMY ASSORTED SHAVE CREAM 11 OZ. CAN \$1.89

ASSORTED SOFT & DRI SOLID 1 1/2 OZ. SIZE \$1.79

FOR RELIEF

MYLANTA II LIQUID \$3.99

12 OZ. BTL.

KERMIT/MISS PIGGY

CALGON FOR KIDS \$1.49

16 OZ. BTL.

DEL MONTE 16 OZ. LITE OR REG. FRUIT COCKTAIL 17 OZ. CAN 73¢

DEL MONTE HALVED/SL. REG./LITE PEACHES 16 OZ. CAN 73¢

DEL MONTE REG./LITE HALVED/ LITE SLICED PEARS 16 OZ. CAN 73¢

DEL MONTE SEEDLESS RAISINS 15 OZ. CTN. 97¢

DEL MONTE PITTED PRUNES 12 OZ. PKG. 97¢

GROCERY SPECIALS

NO BEANS WOLF CHILI 19 OZ. CAN \$1.19

RED LABEL KARO SYRUP 32 OZ. BTL. \$1.97

ARGO CORN STARCH 1 LB. BOX 67¢

HI-DRI ASSORTED PAPER TOWELS JUMBO ROLL 57¢

ASSORTED TEA CELESTIAL SEASONINGS 24 CT. PKG. \$1.39

AMERICAN BEAUTY ELBO MACARONI 24 OZ. PKG. \$1.29

ONE BUNCH FRESH PARSLEY FREE WITH YOUR THANKSGIVING PURCHASES

CALIFORNIA CRISP LARGE STALKS

Celery 3 99¢

3 STALKS

PRICES EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 24-30, 1988

DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY