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Motley County Homecoming 1989



Western Day at Matador High School, 1959.

Teaching School in the 30's & 40's

by Mary Hamilton Meason

These were depression and war years. They were years of hunger, misery, and temporary homes for many. The war years were filled with anxiety, fear and loneliness. But teaching school through these times were rewarding in many ways. We all learned to do without. There was sugar rationing, also rationing of gasoline, tires and shoes. We learned quickly that we could do without many things. There was welfare and soup kitchens. The government furnished food for needy children to have hot lunches at school.

Paul Eubank, a former grade school teacher here, was lost at sea. His plane went into the sea off of the end of an Aircraft Carrier.

The Father and Son Banquet here was held in Paul's memory, and the banquet is still held each year.

There was much sadness and grieving during war years.

Kenneth Simpson was killed in a trainer plane crash. I had taught him in the eighth grade. One night at a football game, we were told that Leroy Nelson's plane had gone into the ocean. There were no survivors. I had taught Leroy in the upper elementary grades.

Marion Clements, whom I had taught, lost a husband on one of the Pacific Islands. We were all deeply grieved, but we survived and grieved a number of times when any of our men were lost or taken prisoner.

The depression was a terrible time. So many of our children in school did not have enough to eat, and did not have clothes to keep them warm.

One day a little girl fainted and fell from her seat. After she was revived, we questioned her as to what she had to eat for breakfast. She said, "Bacon grease gravy and biscuit." We asked what she had the three meals the day before. Her reply was the same, "Bacon grease gravy and biscuit." We asked her why she had not asked for free lunches. Her answer to this question was, "My daddy won't let me." her father was an alcoholic. We saw that she got a hot lunch every day in spite of her father. The family soon moved on to seek help somewhere else.

Teacher's lives were no bed of roses. My salary was \$60.00 a month, until I was appointed Principal of the Element-

ary school, when Prof. Doss became ill and was out of school for almost the entire year. Then I was paid \$90.00 a month.

Besides the duties of Principal, I had a home room, taught seven classes in the upper grades and coached the girls baseball team. Outside of school I was running our farm and helping care for my invalid father-in-law, whenever I was needed. We were more fortunate than teachers in surrounding counties. They were being paid in script and we were getting real money.

Everything wasn't sadness, worry and doing without. Many, many funny things happened during these years. We kept clothes of all sizes in a room at school and these clothes were given to children who needed them. Verlin Reeves and I had a child each from the same family. Both children were absent the same day, so after school we went to the home of the family to see if they needed clothing. They were getting free lunches at school. When we arrived at the home of these children, the mother invited us in. She was churning milk by shaking a half gallon fruit jar of milk. She was shaking it very vigorously, in an up and down motion. All the children were completely nude. We told her we came to see if they needed help or clothing. She never stopped her churning. Our offer of help was answered with this reply, "No, we don't want help, the government got us into this mess. Let them get us out of it." The family moved soon after this encounter.

We had many transient children during the depression. Some stayed only a short time and some remained here to make their homes here. There was one family I'll never forget. Their little girl was in my home room. She was a beautiful child, very sweet and polite, and always clean and neat. Her hair was always clean and shiny. She wore her hair in long braids. Her dress was patched, but it was always clean and starched and ironed to perfection.

She lived with her family in some of the old rooms in the old condemned school building that stood at the east side of town. The little girl was absent one day, so after school I went to see if the family needed help. The mother was very gracious and appreciative, but said they didn't need anything. She had kept her daughter

out of school that day to patch, wash and iron her dress. The child was in school the next day, and she was elected May Queen that year.

Teachers now should really appreciate their present lot. We had no aids, no coffee breaks, no lounge. We had to do everything ourselves, such as grading our own papers, playground duty and coaching different teams of volleyball, baseball and tennis. We were required to go to every school event. It was a difficult profession with poor pay, but there were many pleasures, fun and many lasting friendships were formed.

We had a P.T.A. Organization then and we worked hard. We served dinners and had Halloween Carnivals to raise money. I became very "disenchanted" with the thing that were done with the money we had raised. Nothing was ever done for the grade school, but the high school reaped all the benefits of our labors. It wasn't the high school students fault. One year our money was used to buy a piano for the high school auditorium, another year a typewriter had to be bought for high school, then another year it was black window curtains for the room that was used to show films. But the thing that was worse than anything that our money had been spent for proved to be harmful and totally useless. A thick cable and posts were put around the school grounds. I have never been able to decide what purpose it was supposed to serve. The first thing that happened was just a beginning for the mishaps that cable caused.

One day at recess, Hal Courtney was trying to walk that cable and fell hitting his head on the cable. He had a gash in his head and I took him home to his mother. He was all bloody and dirty. A number of people fell over that cable, several children were hurt. Finally, it was removed, but only after a woman went to a program of some kind in the high school building. It was night and very dark. The lady hit that cable, fell over it, and broke her leg.

The first year I taught here I was assigned to the third grade. I really had a room full of cute children. Some of them were Patti Pipkin, Harry Lewis Willett, Bert Schweitzer, Patsy Sheridan, Ann Harp, Billy Tunnell, Sarah Springer and a number of others. They were a very smart and funny bunch of children.

I had been warned by the Dean of my college about the hazards of teaching in my home town. That encounter came very soon. This class were children of people I had gone to school with and played bridge with. The children had heard their parents call me by my first name, so of course, they tried it, too. It took a couple of years to convince them not to call me by my first name.

I didn't enjoy teaching third grade. There was so much rote, repetition and sameness. I really loved those children and luckily I was moved up to the fourth grade with them.

I learned a lot myself that first year, and I've often thought I learned more than the children did. *continued on page 13*

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Homecoming Schedule

Thursday, October 26: 8:30 p.m. Pep Rally and Bonfire.

Friday, October 27: 1:30-3:30 p.m., Coffee and Registration.

3:09 p.m. Pep Rally.

5:00 p.m. Mesquite Broiled Hamburgers (at the football field).

7:30 p.m., Football game - Motley County vs Spur.

Saturday, October 28: * 9:00 a.m. Guided tour of "old" school sites - South and East Motley County.

*10:00 a.m. guided tour of "old" school sites - North Motley County.

9:30-12:30 a.m. Registration - Coffee and Donuts.

2:30 p.m. Program and Business meeting.

5:30-7:30 p.m. Barbecue supper at the school cafeteria. (Walter Jones)

9:00-1:00 a.m. Dance (at the Fire Hall)

EVERYONE WELCOME!

BEAT SPUR!

Bank Names New Vice President



Randy Arnold
Roy Hobbs, President of First State Bank of Matador, stated in an interview,

Monday, that Randy Arnold of Spur has been elected Vice President of the First State Bank by the board of Directors on October 12, 1989.

Arnold is a Spur native and has 14 years experience as a credit officer and Vice President of Rolling Plains PCA. Arnold has been manager of the Spur Field Office. He was also a Texas General Land Officer for two years.

Arnold is a Spur High School graduate and a Texas Tech graduate with an Ag Degree. Arnold and his wife, Belinda have one son Reid, a freshman in Spur High School.

Hobbs stated, "I know Randy will be a great asset to the Bank and the community and we are pleased to have him with us."

Arnold stated, "I am pleased to be here and look forward to meeting the people of Motley County."

Fall Carnival to be held Saturday Night

In conjunction with the Fall Harvest Carnival, Saturday, October 28, Eternas Study Club is sponsoring a Costume Contest for children pre-school through 3rd grade. The contest will be at 5:45 in the old gym.

Categories for judging will be: Cutest, Scariest, Funniest, Most Authentic, Most Original and Most Outstanding.

Also, there will be a Fall Harvest Queen Contest. Penny vote cans for students will be located in the school and for others wanting to vote, at the Motley County Library through Friday, Oct. 27. The cans will be at the Carnival for voting until 6:00 p.m. coin votes only, will be counted! Parade of contestants and crowning will be at 6:30 p.m. in the old gym. Class representatives and their escorts are:

4th grade: Jaylene Burge and Cobey Turner.

5th grade: Leah Cruse and Talon Cruse.

6th grade: Cara Franks and Lee Jones.

7th grade: Wendy Lancaster and Jeremy Jones.

8th grade: Wendi Beshirs and Jeromy Jameson.

9th grade: Shonda Barton and Tad Terrell.

10th grade: Amber Brandon and Paul Barton.

11th grade: Amy Stephens and Matt Washington.

12th grade: Brandi Barton and Brand Cruse.

Booths will be:

Study Club: Go-Fish, Sucker Pull, Duck Pond, Sponge Throw, Fortune Teller, Car-Bash, Concession Stand.

Matador 4-H: Candy Walk.

P.T.O.: Raffle

Senior class: Dart Throw.

Motley County Booster Club: Cake Walk.

MC High School Annual Staff: Cow Chip Bingo.

The Eternas Study Club will also sponsor a Spook House on Tuesday, October 31, 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the building in front of Tony's Custom Shop, (across from Matador Motor). A \$1.00 admission will be charged. This Spook House is for 5th grade through adults only.

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November 7 Is Election Day

Absentee voting is in process at the Motley County Courthouse. You may vote until November 3.

This year the voting is for 21 Constitutional Amendments. These are just as important as any other election. Every-

one needs to remember to vote absentee or in person on Nov. 7.

The Tribune office still has copies of these amendments, if you would like to read over them before you go to vote. These amendments were printed in the September 14 and 21 issues.

Dr. David Murrah is Guest Speaker for Meeting of El Progreso Club

Dr. David Murrah, director of Southwest Collection and University Archivist of Lubbock, will speak here tonight (Thursday), October 26, 1989, at a program on Texas heritage for El Progreso Club. The meeting will be at 7 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.

Dr. Murrah will show slides and lecture on the preservation of photos, documents, books, etc. He will tell of his

recent visit to Dundee, Scotland, the former headquarters of the Matador Land & Cattle Company.

Anyone interested is invited to attend this meeting, along with special guests: Museum Committee, Historical Commission, Library Board, County Judge and Commissioners Court, according to the club president, Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell.

Roaring Springs First Baptist Church To Hold Special Harvest Celebration

The First Baptist Church of Roaring Springs will hold a Harvest Celebration, Tuesday, October 31. If you are uneasy about Trick-or-Treating and want a positive alternative, it will be an evening of fun, games, songs and special treats, beginning with a hot dog supper at 5:30 p.m. The children and youth will then

participate in games set up in each room.

There will be activities for all until 8:00 p.m. If you want to wear a costume, let it be one of a positive nature, something that will bring joy to those around you, not fear.

Come and join us as we lift the Lord Jesus Up!!

Senior Citizens Report

by Daisy Smith

The bus went to Lubbock Monday and eleven people rode. We had one Doctor's appointment and everybody went shopping and they all seemed to have a good time.

The bus went to Plainview Thursday with six people riding and we had two doctor's appointments. We did some shopping and everybody seemed to have a good day and enjoyed their trip.

Monita opened the doors to our building at 2:00 p.m. Friday for our game and fellowship evening. Six of us attended. We had a table of 42 and one of dominoes and a lot of goodies to nibble on and

everybody seemed to enjoy the evening.

We will have our regular fourth Tuesday luncheon this week and we are looking for a good crowd. So why don't you join us for a good lunch and an evening of fellowship, also a game of 84, 42 and dominoes.

We have our luncheons every second and fourth Tuesday in each month and we would like for everybody that can to come and eat with us. The food is delicious and the people are friendly. We will try to make you all feel at home. And we are all home folks. So come on down and have a good meal with us. I think you will enjoy it.

Tri-County Tumblers Have New Coach

The Tri-County Tumblers are pleased to announce that Gymnastic classes are beginning Saturday, November 4 at the Flomot Gym. We have a new coach, Jeff Lamb. He is 23 years old and attended Houston Baptist University majoring in Sports Medicine. Jeff has been in tumbling for 15 years and he coached for 1 year in Illinois. He is certified in Trampoline and Tumbling.

Novice and Beginner tumblers need to register at 9:30 a.m. They will tumble from 10:00-11:30 a.m. Advanced tumblers will register at 11:30 and then from 12:00-1:30. The younger children may take 1 hour at \$20 a month. The older kids tumble an hour and a half at \$25 a month.

We need your support to make this a success. Please come join us.

Arrival Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Craven and Mrs. John Hamilton are announcing the arrival of their great-grandson in Anchorage, Alaska, October 20, weighing 8 pounds and 7 ounces.

Tanner Ryan Hamilton is the son of David and Andrea Hamilton and brother of Brittany.

David is the son of Pattie Craven Hamilton and Richard (Duck) Hamilton

who live in Eagle River, Alaska.

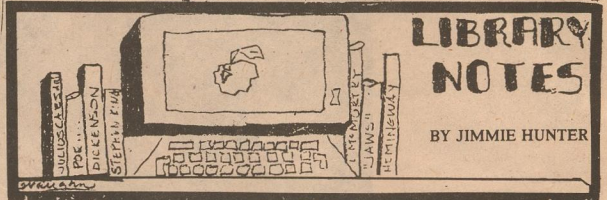
Another great-grandson was born in Oklahoma City, August 7. Tyler Hamilton was welcomed by his parents, Peter and Suzan Rybacki and brother, Trenton.

Suzan is the granddaughter of Mrs. John Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Craven. Suzan is the daughter of Richard and Patti Hamilton.

Shop Home First



June Keltz, owner and manager of The Windmill in Matador, is pictured here with many of the items she has for sale in her shop. She offers many gift items and framing for Christmas ideas. Although framing orders should be placed now. Remember to shop The Windmill and all other Motley County businesses first, before leaving home.



Welcome Exes, from the Motley County Library! There is always an air of

excitement when you come to town. We hope you will find time to come in and see the Library that so many of you have

helped to bring about with your donations and memorials, and your gifts of books or subscriptions. The Library will be open Friday afternoon until five, and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m., when I will close it so that I may enjoy the

Homecoming Program at the Motley County School. When that is over, I will open it again, and keep it open until five or six for your convenience; so I do hope you will bring some friends and come in and sign our guest book, and look through some of the annuals. You might want to buy THE MOTLEY COUNTY MURAL

BOOK, by Joe Taylor, a History in Words and Pictures of Motley County, Texas, or THE MOTLEY COUNTY LIBRARY

MURAL HISTORY BOOK, by Marise Potts as a souvenir or a Christmas gift for a friend who didn't get to come.

Many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Haden Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Bingham, and the Ray Cruse family for donations to the Library in memory of Frank Price; to J.N. and Darlene Fletcher in memory of Mose Damron; to Lula Swim for donations in memory of Oscar Farrell and Hoyt Sibley; to Susan Hunter for donations in memory of Leon Cloyd and Opal Martin; to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Martin for a donation in memory of the Bird family, and to "Canon Ball" Jess Couch in gratitude to a friend.

Recent visitors to Motley County Library were: Judy Perryman, Afton; Robert M. Middleton of Lubbock; R. Michael Middleton; Midland; Carolyn Fry of Hereford.

Many new films are available at the Library and we will print a list in next week's paper.

Thank You

I would like to thank everyone for the flowers, foods, cards and especially your prayers, during my time of sorrow, at the loss of my beloved husband. Your kindness is appreciated beyond expressing in words.

Bertie Melton

Thanks to all my good friends and family for all the love and support during the many months before my surgery in Methodist Hospital and for prayers, flowers, cards, calls, food (goodies), my cow and sweet potatoes. Thanks to Dr. Gill, Dr. O'Neal and Dr. Hendon. May God Bless each one.

Marion Burt

Thank you to the Fire Department for your quick response to our call for help for our grass and hay fire on October 12.

Wilson and Sibyl Barton

In The Rough

by Hazel Donovan



THURSDAY PLAY

OCTOBER 19

Low net play and Geneva Wilson won the ball.

Others playing were Olivia Barton, Louise Barton, LaVoe Thacker, Loys Campbell and Dorothy Day.

Afternoon players were Nell Berryman, Dortha Grundy and Sally Day. Most "one" putts play and Dortha won the ball.

SUNDAY SCRAMBLE

OCTOBER 22

Front Nine: 1st (32) LaVoe Thacker, E.A. and Dorothy Day, Tom Yeates.

2nd (33), Alfred and Louise Barton, Bill and Mary Jones.

3rd (33), Joe and Loys Campbell, Roy Grundy.

Other players were Wes Day, Buster Steward, Larry Burkes, Olivia Barton, Charlie and Nancy Long, Garland and Judy Cartwright, Howard Edmondson, Vida Elkins, Shirley Lenz, Bill Day, Wade and Nell Berryman, Geneva Wilson

and Ronnie Davis.

Howard was nearest pin on #3 with 13'8".

BACK NINE

(32), Joe and Loys Campbell, Geneva Wilson, Howard Edmondson.

(32), Alfred Barton, Larry Burkes, Vida Elkins, Shirley Lenz.

(33) Olivia Barton, M.C. and Virginia Jones, Bill and Sally Day.

Other players were Garland and Judy Cartwright, Roy and Dortha Grundy, Wade and Nell Berryman, Ben and Mary Lou Grundy.

Garland won nearest #3 pin with 10'9".

This Thursday, October 26 will be the last playday to improve individual scores.

Thursday, November 2 at 6:30 p.m. we will have a covered dish supper for all members of the Springs Ranch Ladies golf at the Club House.

Awards of the tournaments (running through the season) will be made at this time.

First Baptist Church to host Ladies Night Out

Women of the community are reminded to make reservations for Ladies' Night Out before Monday, November 6.

The event, to be held Monday, November 13, at First Baptist Church, Matador, will feature guest speaker, Mrs. Lanny Hall, of Plainview. Local businesses will also provide a style show, which will be narrated by Mrs. J.E. Edwards. Theme for

the night will be "A Gracious Woman," based on Proverbs 11:16, "A gracious woman attains honor."

Reservations for the event, which begins at 7:00 p.m. with a salad supper in the basement fellowship hall, may be made by calling Elaine Risser, 347-2345 or 347-2782 or Debbie Conner, 347-2249.

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Society News

Conservation Program Rehearsed To Be Given At District Meeting

A program on conservation was rehearsed by members of El Progresso Club at regular meeting of the organization Thursday, October 12, at the Senior Citizens building. The program was planned as a "practice run" for the Santa Rosa District Workshop, October 21, in Burkburnett. Two participants in that program, Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell and Mrs. John (Josephine) Hamilton reviewed the subject for the program here.

Mrs. Campbell, president, called the meeting to order for business and reading of the minutes by Mrs. Dale (JoEtta) Bumgardner, secretary. Mrs. Campbell read a letter from the Volunteer Services Council of Vernon State Hospital, asking for gift items for their patients to give at Christmas. The gifts, for men and women, together with wrapping and ribbon, are to be brought to the November 9 meeting of the club, and sent on to the hospital by the time requested.

The president also announced that back copies of the club's yearbooks are needed and asked the cooperation of the members in locating books for these years: 1973-74 through 1977-78; 1980-81; 1981-82; 1983-84 and 1986-87.

Other business was the assigning of duties to the members in assisting with serving the luncheon the following day, for the meeting of Area II of the County and District Clerks Association of Texas, in session here.

Mrs. Robert (Winifred) Darsey was leader for the program, which she introduced with the yearbook's quotation: "Tell

me 'bout juicy tomatoes, strawberries and Zellwood corn. We've only had hothouse fruits and vegetables since I've been born. Dad said people ruined the soil, took out, didn't put back, had no plans. Was it just a fantasy?" by Vi Thornburg. Mrs. Darsey then turned the program to Mrs. Campbell, who outlined the processes of conservation of the country's resources.

She gave the subject a personal touch with the question, "What does 'conservation' mean to you?" and followed with quoting definitions from the dictionary. "The dictionary says conservation is to save; to keep - the act of preserving or protecting; to save from loss, decay, injury or violation; and the official care and protection of natural resources.

"Our ancestors landed on the east coast and began a westward movement. They took and used without thought of replacement until the soil began eroding - rivers were flooding and forests were stripped." She cited land, water, air, forest, wildlife, minerals, energy and most of all, people, as elements involved in conservation.

Although the teaching of Conservation is fairly new to the United States, the problem has been in the world many years, she said.

"Very little was done in the United States until 1828, when President John Adams established the naval base at Pensacola, Florida and withdrew 30 thousand acres of live-oak trees on Santa Rosa Island to build the Navy," Mrs. Campbell explained.

Little else was done about conservation until Theodore Roosevelt became president, she said. "In 1908 he called a conference with state governors, Congressmen, scientists and other officials. After discussion, a commission was appointed to study the problem. Enough money was not made available to carry on an investigation."

The current agencies involved in conservation practices are the outcome

of a study begun by President Franklin Roosevelt, and in 1935 the Soil Erosion Service was established by the Department of Interior. From this movement evolved the Agriculture, Stabilization, and Conservation Service; Soil Conservation Service; Forest Service, Parks and Wildlife and other services working in conservation.

"The purpose of conservation is to provide the necessities of life for people, now and in the future," Mrs. Campbell said in conclusion. "People are our greatest resources. With everyone working together the lives of people, now and in the future will be better."

Mrs. Campbell's presentation was an introduction to that given by Mrs. Hamilton, who stressed ways and means of restoring and preserving natural resources through development of water conservation practices.

She used slides from the Soil Conservation Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture to illustrate the importance of educating the public in awareness of the problems facing the country due to pollution of water and air resources.

"It took the 'dust bowl era' during the early 1930's to awaken the peoples awareness to the situation, and then it was only the soil problems that were studied to determine when, where, why and what to do," Mrs. Hamilton said. She cited the measures that were taken, including the

shelter-belts that were planted and other methods introduced, such as contour planting of crops in an effort to control soil erosion.

The study of soil conservation was followed by an awareness of air, water and waste to control air pollution by introducing devices and impose restrictions, especially in manufacturing areas. Pollution of streams, lakes and other waterways began to surface and command attention, along with that of waste disposal and landfills.

"Waste causes waste, but can be converted into energy through re-cycling of such items as aluminum cans, plastic and other products," she said and for a solution to decrease water shortages, she suggested re-directing flow of water in gardens' water lawns early in the morning for less evaporation; repair faucets and commodes to avoid drips and leaks, and other water saving ideas contained in a pamphlet, "A Homeowner's Guide to Water Use and Water Conservation" supplied by the Texas Water Development Board.

A discussion of the presentations, with input by the members provided the participants with possible response at the district workshop.

For the Inspirational Thought to conclude the program, Mrs. Darsey read a poem, "A Smile," from the gift book,

Apples of Gold. Members present in addition to those mentioned, were Mesdames Ted (Bailey) Elliott, Frank (Lola) Pohl, W.D. (Vena) Lipscomb, Gene (Mary) Louder, Douglas (Lila) Meador, E.A. (Dorothy) Day and Harold (Grace) Campbell. Also present and welcomed, was a visitor, Mrs. J.M. Harper of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, the former Marjorie Moore, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Hamilton.

Couple Celebrates 50th Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Richard Martin

Richard and Julie Bell Martin of Matador celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary, October 21 with their children hosting a surprise party for them at the Pizza Box, Saturday night.

Their children and grandchildren were on hand to celebrate with them. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Thomas have 2 children and 3 grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Martin have 5 children and 6 grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin with 4 children and 2 grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Martin have 3 children and 2 grandchildren; Mrs. and Mrs. David (Frances) Taylor have one daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Martin have three children.

Eternas Study Club Meets

Discuss Many Upcoming Projects

The Eternas Study Club met at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, October 19 1989 at the Motley County Library for their regular monthly meeting. The program was presented by Judy Cooper, President, and GFWC Caprock District S.E.A. chairman. Her program was a slide/tape program on elder abuse and the background for the Stop Elder Abuse project of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Some of the topics discussed were the Fall Carnival, to be held October 28, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. It was announced that

the Costume Contest will be at 5:45 p.m. and the voting for the Queen's Contest will close at 6:00 with the parade and coronation at 6:30 p.m. Also discussed was the Santa Day which will be held early in December.

The meeting's hostess was Debbie Denison and others that were present were: Kelli Jackson, Judy Cooper, Terree Donaldson, Colleen Baxter, D'Anna Russell, Kendra Luckett, Sherry Rose, Sarah Hurt, Sonja Bowman, Bobbie Brown, Lavelle Vinson and Wilda Dixon.

Caprock Jamboree to be held November 4

The Caprock Jamboree held it's first indoor show in the county showbarn in Silvertown, Texas since it's beginning in May, Saturday, October 7th.

Approximately 250 people from seventeen area towns were entertained by singers and bands from Quitaque, Silvertown, Kress, Floydada and Hale Center.

To all that have attended or been a part of the program from around the area, we say thanks for helping make our shows successful.

A special word of appreciation to all the area newspapers for printing our articles, because without your help we couldn't survive.

We would like to remind all that are interested and invite everyone to the next shows. The Jamboree is held every first Saturday of the month. We begin at 7:00 p.m. lasting through 11:00 p.m. Each band or group can call (806) 847-2619 to book their 30 minute act.

A fee of one dollar is charged at the door for each person over school age.

Concessions are furnished by a local organization from either Silvertown or Quitaque. So don't worry about eating before coming, just come on over to Silvertown November 4th and help support a local organization.

Vinson's Attend Scottish Rite Council In Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson recently returned from spending several days in Washington, D.C., attending the biennial session of The Supreme Council, Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the Southern Jurisdiction of the U.S.A. Attending from the Lubbock Bodies of the S.R. were Mr. and Mrs. Dale E. Tanner from Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. George Price from Levelland.

Saturday, October 14 was spent discovering the many interesting shops, foods and other interesting facets of the recently remodeled Union Station. Where many years ago people departed and arrived at this beautiful station, today, people arrive on Amtrak, but also shop for beautiful jewelry, clothes, antiques, paintings and foods from all nations. It is not hard to spend a complete day inside this beautiful building and never tiring of it.

Another day a trip to the Botanic Garden near the elipse to the west of the U.S. Capital was enjoyed. A beautiful display of orchids of ever color imaginable from very small to mammoth and from plain petaled to very frilly ones.

Sunday, Oct. 15, the group attended the Memorial Service Honoring Albert Pike. This was in St. John's Church. For this service the eminent Reverend Dr. Norman Vincent Peale 33 Degree, G.C. gave the Vesper Sermon entitled "The Values in Our American Heritage." The church is not large, having been established in 1815 opposite the White House on the north side of Lafayette Square. It was organized to serve as parish church for occupants of the White House and their families. James Madison, in office in 1815, was a communicant, and every Chief Executive since has attended regular or occasional services, therefore becoming "Church of the Presidents." On the floors in front of the pews are kneeling pads needlepointed with the name of one of the presidents. Pews are straight and narrow put the thrill of hearing such the reknowned person was well worth it.

The stained glass windows of the church are regarded as good examples of the craft of the past century. Most of them were designed and executed in France about 1885. A few modern windows have since been added, notably the two "Sacramental Windows" of the translucent blue in the north transept and the McCants and Red Cross windows directly opposite in the south transept.

Monday, the Texas delegation of nearly 100 from eight of the Valleys of the state enjoyed a banquet in the historic and exquisite Hotel Madison. It was to congratulate III. Sam E. Hilburn of Midland on being elevated to the rank of Sovereign Grand Commander, Fred Kleinknecht, 33 Degree, Washington, D.C.

and two state representatives, Jack Brooks and Ralph Hall attending.

Furman Vinson, 33 Degree, is chairman of the Lubbock Scottish Rite Bodies.

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Psalm 16:1

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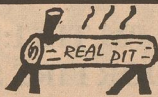
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Motley County School News

Sophomore Class Officers



1989 Sophomore Class Officers are (back row l-r) Christi Shorter, Cathey Perryman and Eric Farley; (front row l-r) Renee Davis, Tonya Hoyle and Brad Wilson.

The Sophomore class has elected their class officers for the 1989-90 school year. President Christi Shorter is the daughter of Clois and Kathy Shorter of Flomot. Cathey Perryman, daughter of Linda Perryman of Matador, was named Vice President. Renee Davis, daughter of Ronnie and Karen Davis of Matador is the Secretary/Treasurer. Brad Wilson, son of Don and Anna Wilson of Roaring Springs, was named Reporter. Tonya Hoyle, daughter of Larry and Donna Hoyle of Matador and Eric Farley, son of Joe and Mary Beth Farley of Matador, serve their class at Student Council Representatives.

by Memori Assiter

Memori's Memoirs

by Memori Assiter

This is it! The wonderful, but busy week of Homecoming '89.

Have you bought that special guy a garter, or that special girl a mum? Have you marked your calendar for the week's activities?

Monday, the 23rd at 7:00 p.m. all the high school classes met at the Tennis courts for a sign painting party. Each class painted their own sign, which will be displayed in the gym. Some Senior Girls decorated the school's lobby for the visitors that visit during the Homecoming week.

Monday was Rip Em' Up Day, just one of the days sponsored by the Student Council.

Tuesday was Costume Day. People were dressed as convicts, nerds, diet coke cans and in many other original disguises.

Wednesday, West Texas State University talked to the Seniors about their college. It was also Mix-Match Day, which was very colorful.

Thursday, the Bon Fire will take place at the Matador VFW, 8:30 p.m. This will be Back Em' Up Day, where everyone will wear their clothes backwards.

Friday was proclaimed Red & Black Day by the Student Council. There will be a Pep Rally at 3:00 p.m. in the gym. Beginning at 5:00, the Student Council is having a Hamburger Supper at the Football Field. Everyone is invited to come by and get a hamburger. The football game

will begin at 7:30 p.m. A cake will be raffled off at the game and a painting of a Matador, painted by Billie Willmon, will also be raffled off at half-time.

The Red Ribbon Awareness Week has turned out to be a success. Everyone is showing their support by wearing red ribbons and tying red ribbons on their vehicles. Everyone is asked to be sure and wear a red ribbon to the football game Friday night.

WELCOME EXES!!

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HAPPY HALLOWEEN!



MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit.

Lunch: Country Steak, Brown Gravy, Whole Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey, Chocolate Pudding.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

Breakfast: Sausage, Waffles, Syrup, Juice.

Lunch: Trick or Treat time is here, Your favorite treat we have, no fear! And green crunchy things, for your ears to hear. Something sweet, you'll like just fine.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Breakfast: Malt-o-meal, Buttered Toast, Fruit.

Lunch: Baked Ham, AuGratin Potatoes, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Gelatin.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Breakfast: Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Juice.

Lunch: Barbecued Ribs, Beans, Onions, Creamed Potatoes, Pickles, Hot Rolls, Peach Cobbler.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice.

Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Onions, French Fries, Rice Krispie Bars.

Moguls Defeat Matadors

63-14

by Memori Assiter

The Munday Moguls completely dominated the Matadors by scoring twenty-one points in each of the first two quarters, thereby leading 42-0 at the half.

Motley County came back after half-time determined to make the second half a different story. Munday, the state's

number one ranked team in Class A, scored twenty-one more points, but the Matadors scored twice and were knocking at the goal line as the game ended 63-14.

The Matadors first touchdown was scored by Clay Ewing as he sprinted into the end zone. Ewing also kicked the good extra point. Walter Linson ran 15 yards to score the last touchdown of the night for the Mats. Ewing, again kicked a successful extra point. The Munday Moguls had over 400 total yards, while Motley County had 186 total yards.

This week the M.C. Matadors will play their Homecoming game against the Spur Bulldogs at Burleson Field.

Everyone is invited to the Pep Rally on Friday at 3:00 p.m. and to the football game at 7:30 p.m.

BEAT THE BULLDOGS!!

Have
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Week!

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Schedule

Thursday, October 26: "BACKWARDS DAY" - Wear Clothing Backward.

J.V. plays Spur, there, 5:30 p.m.

Bonfire at Matador VFW, 8:30 p.m.

Friday, October 27: "RED AND BLACK DAY"

Student Council will be awarding prizes for best participants at the end of the week.

Matadors vs. Spur, HOMECOMING GAME, 7:30 p.m.

Homecoming Pep Rally at 3:00 p.m. Basketball girls will distribute Mums, etc. at lunch on Friday.

Student Council will be serving Mesquite hamburgers at the Football Field beginning at 5:00 p.m. on Friday.

Tuesday, October 31: PACT + TESTS - all sophomores at 8:00 in ag room.

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October 27 & 28

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Romans 12:10-13

How Snacks Stack Up

Working moms and fast-track families have made the three-meal-a-day routine difficult, if not impossible. So we snack. To ensure proper nutrition, many families have discovered that combining nutritious snacks with several balanced mini-meals may be a healthy alternative to eating three large meals a day.

However, dietitians stress that snack planning is important if the new "snack family" is to maintain a healthy, balanced diet. Many people are too quick to grab foods that are high in calories and low in nutrition. According to findings published in *The Dietary Guidelines for Americans* established by the U.S. Departments of Agriculture and Health and Human Services, Americans eat too many foods that are high in salt, sugar and fat.

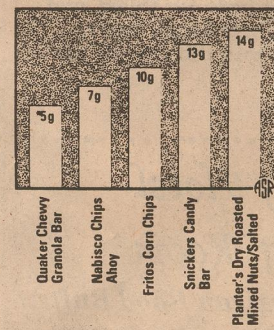
Snacks high in sodium include salted potato chips, nuts, popcorn, corn chips, tortilla chips and french fries. Many of these snacks are also high in fat and calories. Snacks high in sugar include candy, cookies, cakes, pies and donuts. Upon close inspection of the product's label, consumers may find that many of these also have high fat contents.

Fortunately, as consumers become more health conscious, the demand for more wholesome snacks continues to increase, and many food manufacturers are responding with delicious treats that deliver nutritional benefits.

Among those with healthier snack alternatives is The Quaker Oats Company. Quaker's Chewy Granola

Bars, ounce for ounce, have less sugar than the five leading chocolate candies and less fat. Fats can be a major source of hidden calories. Too much fat in a diet can lead to weight gain and increased risk of heart disease. Chewy Granola Bars are also low in sodium and contain no cholesterol or tropical oils, and they contain nutritious ingredients such as oats and whole wheat.

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Other "good for you" snack foods include fruits and vegetables, unsalted air-popped popcorn, nuts (if you can afford the calories) and small amounts of low-fat cheeses, peanut butter and yogurts. Whole-grain breads and crackers and low-fat cottage cheese are also possibilities.

A good way to monitor intake of sugar, sodium, cholesterol, calories

and fat is to be aware of the ingredients in snacks. Maintaining a healthy, balanced diet can be as easy as reading a label. Selecting foods that are "portion-controlled," like Chewy Granola Bars, also ensures that you don't overeat. Portion-packed snacks do not require measuring to determine the nutritional value of each serving.

It's also important to consume foods from a variety of food groups and to maintain a balance of nutrients during the day. Mindless eating may result in a weight problem, and a diet loaded with one type of snack isn't healthy.

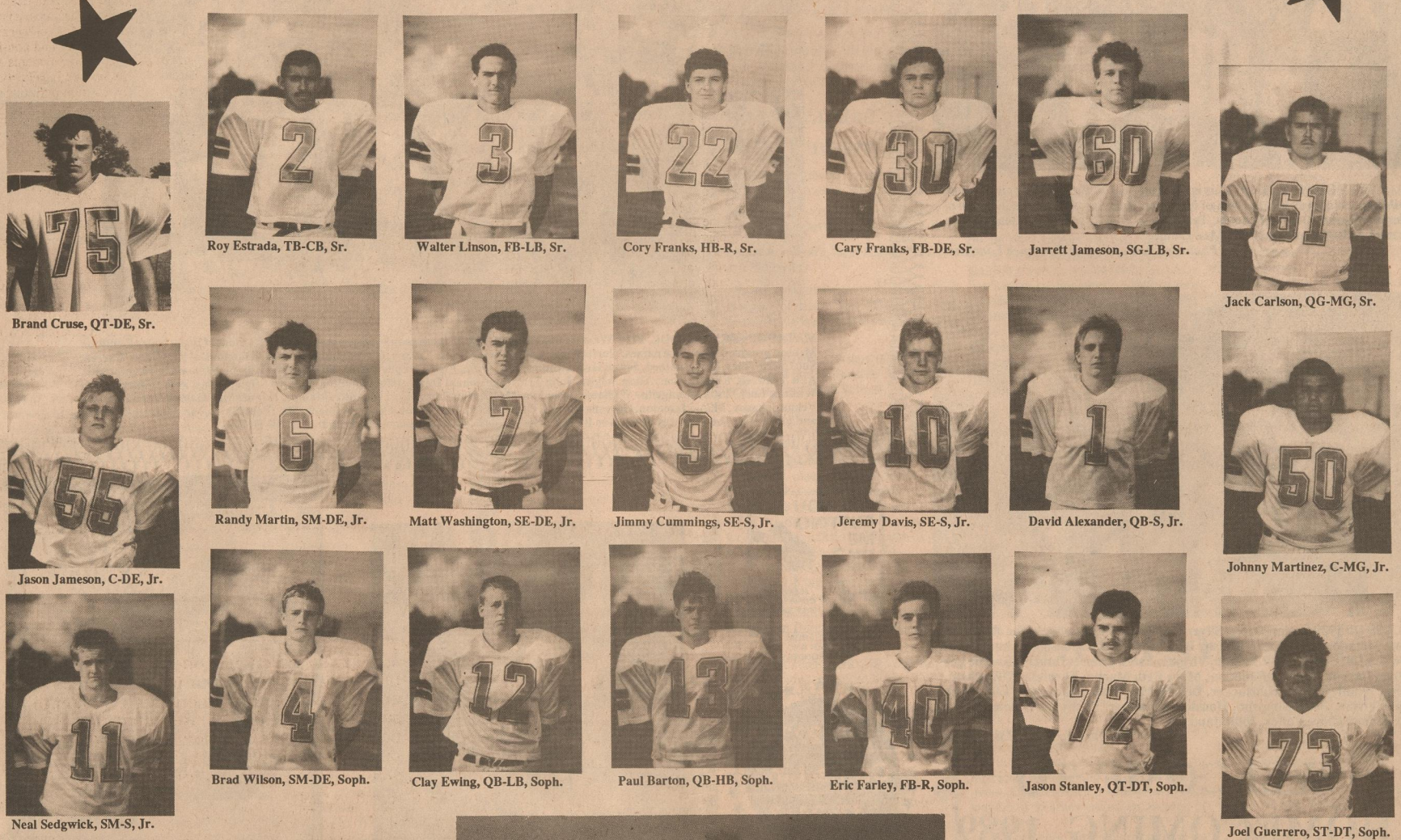
Other important facts to help you choose a smart snack include:

- According to the Academy of General Dentistry, teens should eat snacks high in fiber and complex carbohydrates and avoid snacks high in sugar. Fiber stimulates saliva production which helps wash away excess sugar from teeth, thus helping to prevent cavities.

- Older adults should choose snacks lower in calories since they are usually less active and less able to burn additional calories as quickly as their younger counterparts.

To learn more about snacks and snacking, a "Facts About Snacks" brochure is available from The Quaker Oats Company. It contains important information about a variety of snack items to help you select the snack that's right for you. To get your copy, send a self-addressed, stamped #10 envelope to Dept. F/S, The Quaker Fulfillment Center, 847 W. Jackson, Chicago, IL 60607-3018.

Motley County Matadors



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 Johnny Martinez, C-MG, Jr.
 Jason Jameson, C-DE, Jr.
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 Cory Kendall, ST-DT, Soph.
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 Tad Terrell, QG-MG, Fr.
 Bradley Jameson, ST-DE, Fr.
 Leslie Lester, ST-DT, Fr.
 Roegan Cruse, SM-CB, Fr.
 Burr Barton, TB-CB, Fr.
 Chris Campbell, TB-HB, Fr.
 Andy Renfro, C, Fr.



Motley County Cheerleaders and Mascot: (l-r) Tonya Hoyle, Brandee Spray, Paige Williams, Aimee Pipkin and head cheerleader, Yulanda Campbell; (kneeling) Cathey Perryman, Mascot.

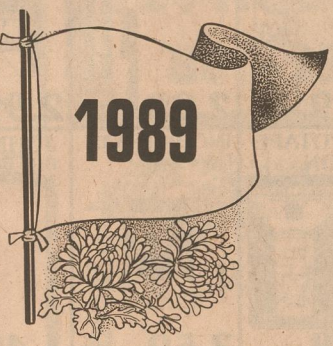
Homecoming 1989

Motley County Matadors vs Spur Bulldogs
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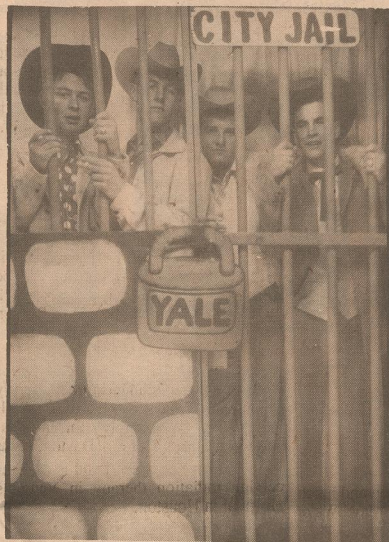
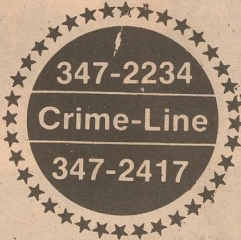
FAIRVIEW SCHOOL 1929: This is the first year in the new Fairview school building, which was located east of Matador. Fairview was a consolidation of Clemmons and Ballard Schools. Teachers were Mr. and Mrs. Headstream, Orma Lee Patterson and Nina Mae Long.
Photo courtesy of Lorene Lawrence Lancaster



MATADOR HIGH SCHOOL, 1924: We were unable to identify all these people, maybe you can identify more of them. Mary Hamilton Meason provided with these names: Curtis King, A.G. Russell, Orville Craven, Clara Cammack, Mary Higgins Davis, Marian Warren, Sue Carrie Alley, Dick Sanford, Jewell Hutto, Jimmie Fulkerson, Erin Campbell, Ruth Tilson, Irene Knight, Wynona Ford Gilbreath, Allie Traveek, Eliza Barton, Alton Seigler, John Traveek, Donald Davis, John Hamilton, the two Seigler twins, Pete Winters, Otho Winters, Earl Tilson, Evangeline Williams, Josephine Moore Hamilton, Mary Hamilton Meason, Nannie Mae Gaines, Velma Gaines, Velma Johnson, Mable Jameson, Correne Russell, Pearl Renfro, Dell Tudor, Cecil Cammack, Mr. (Feet) Shira, Mr. Mote, (he gave up and quit before the year was over), Gus Bird, Curtis Graham, Erma Graham, Hettie Patton, Hettie Hutto.



CLASS OF 1939 Senior Trip to Silver Falls (east of Crosbyton). The class rode from Matador in the back of Wishy Dirickson's (class sponsor) pickup. (front row l-r) J.B. Cooper, J.W. Hough, Virginia Estes, Charles Dunlap, Jimmie Lee Irby; (2nd row) Harold Faulkner, Mary Beth Martin, Elwanda Willingham, Doris Whitley, Kara Hunsucker, Deloris Markham; (back row) Lillie Seal, Opal Vivian, Betty Simpson, Houston Schwitzer, Wishy Dirickson, Mabry McMahan, Cloye Fuller, Jodie Jameson.
Photo courtesy of J.B. Cooper



1960-TRIP TO FT. WORTH Fat Stock Show: (l-r) Ed D. Smith, Ronald Bailey, Bundy H. Campbell and James Bearden.



Motley County Lady Matadors won the Bi-District title in 1983. This sign was displayed in the School lobby. The Lady's have won this title several times.

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Letters from Exes Reveal Plans for Homecoming

Letters from former students and teachers of Motley County schools have come from the west coast and from the east coast and points in between, informing Hazel Donovan, secretary of the Ex-Students and Teachers Association of their plans for Homecoming. Some can't be here and others are making plans to attend. Following are some of the earliest letters which Mrs. Donovan received:

Dear Gale:

Here is \$1.00 for annual dues, plus a little postage money. I'm sure you can always use a little extra. Sorry I can't make it this year. Hope all goes well and everyone has a good time. Hope to see you next year.

William B. Morriss
Class of '44
9323 Roanoke
El Paso, TX 79924

Sorry, I can't be there - would love to!!

Ann Garnett Whitehead
510 E. Church
Dublin, Texas 76446

Dear Friends:

I am sorry that I will not get to attend the 1989 Homecoming. In fact, I have not been privileged to attend any in the past either.

It has been 51 years since I received my high school diploma there in 1938. I attended school my first year at Northfield, then later in Matador in the old building east of down town. Then I went one semester in Northfield when in the 8th grade. However, most of my early education was in Matador.

I would have enjoyed the school site tours because I remember the old Fairview school east of Matador, the one at Whiteflat, and of course, Northfield.

Please find enclosed my membership fee for another year.

Sincerely,
Vernon L. Chambliss
30802 11th Ave. S.W.
Federal Way, Washington, 98023

Dear Hazel:

Our newsletter arrived and you really have a wonderful and interesting program lined up for Homecoming this year. Hope we can come, but don't know yet. Enclosed are our dues - best wishes.

Love,
Barbara and Raworth Tilson
4602 Jarvis
Lubbock, TX 79416

Looking forward to Homecoming - and to the class of '49 reunion and lunch at Elsie Thacker's on Saturday. We're geared up for a marvelous time.

Don and June Wason
Plainview, Texas

Don't know for sure if I can come. Always hoping! I know it will be a success, as always. Thanks for all the great planning.

Zena Mae Groves
2912 Roosevelt Dr.
Arlington, TX 76016

Dear Hazel:

Looking forward to homecoming with great anticipation. We are celebrating our 30th reunion (class of 1960). An anxious to visit with fellow classmates and friends. Enclosed is my check for dues. I added some to it. I can't believe the dues are still \$1.00, and you always have such a fantastic program and all the extras. See you the 28th.

Daphne (Lynn) Jolly
1013 Tennessee
Dalhart, TX 79022

Dear Hazel:

Enclosed are my dues for the Ex-Student Association. Wish I could be there. It is possible I can be there next year, but I have no definite plans. I would like to be, because it will be the 50th reunion of my 1940 class.

If you hear of any plans being made, could you send me information about this? I am pretty far away, but I certainly would do what I could to help with arrangements, etc.

I hope you are well and enjoying life. Brew and I are going to Hollywood, California to our eldest son's home, for Thanksgiving and will be with our 9-year old granddaughter, Sarah. I can't wait! We send you love and good wishes.

Marie (Hunsucker) Baldwin
17 Buttolph Drive,
Middlebury, VT 05753

Dear Hazel:

Sorry, but I can't make it this year. Hope all who can, enjoy and have a big time. This is the best thing you get for the money.

D.D. (Caesar) McBride
402 West Coats Dr.
Allen, Texas 75002

Dear Gale:

We sure would like to be there for homecoming, but health problems will keep us away. Tell the class of '26 'hello' for us, and I hope many of the class can be there.

In August of '88 I was in Lubbock and talked with the Gaines ladies. If they are there (at homecoming) tell them 'hello'.

We were there in 1976 at the 1926 class anniversary, and would have come in 1986, but my wife was sick. I would like the Motley County paper if possible, to read about all the fun. I was born in Motley County, and lived there until I was 21, and know all the county well. Would you know if my aunt Liza Kingery still lives in Roaring Springs?

H.L. Winter
3001 Deen Rd.
Ft. Worth, TX 76106

Enclosed are dues for Ex-Student Association. Sorry we can't make it this year.

Ronnie and Paula Welling
254 Loma Linda,
Amarillo, TX 79118

Sorry that I will not be able to come this year. Took one long trip this year and that's about my limit.

Sylvia Patton Sparks
4364 Carolyn Way
Santa Maria, CA 93455

Dear Hazel:

Here is my dues for last year and this year. Can not attend Homecoming this time.

Sincerely,
Dora Ratcliff Farrar
1927 Fordham Ln.
Denton, TX 76201

Dear Hazel:

I am enclosing a check, and again, I will not be able to attend. The program this year really sounds interesting, especially the tours to "old school sites." Please give my regards to all, and have a good time.

Love,
Ruth (Moore) Edwards
5405 Branding Chase
Austin, TX 78727

Hope to make it next year.

Tommy (Tudor) Sailor
P.O. Box 20122
Wickenburg, AZ 85358

Sorry we are unable to attend Homecoming. Here is my check to help a little on the expenses.

Jim and Mary Fulkerson
1325 46th Place
Lubbock, TX 79412

Sounds like fun. Tell everyone "Hi" and hope to see you then.

Pat Edwards
P.O. Box 476
Stawn, Tx 76475

Dear Hazel and Olivia:
Please find enclosed a check for my dues. Sorry, will be unable to attend Homecoming this year. I wish all of you a good time meeting and visiting with classmates. Thanks to all of you for your hard work to put this fun time together.

Sue D. Bird
202 Brookside Dr. Rt #3
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A note from G.W. Fulfer of San Diego, California regrets that he will be unable to attend, but wishes very much that he could. His address is 8711 Walkden Lane, with zip, 92119.

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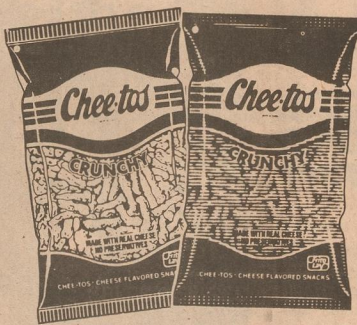
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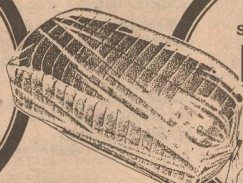
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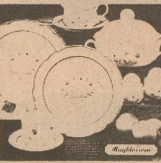


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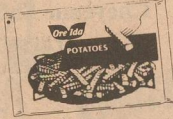
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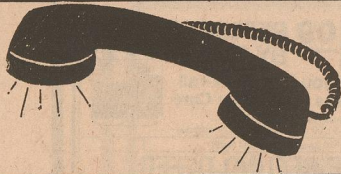
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County Chit-Chat

Roaring Springs News

By Odessa Mullins

Ms. Lucy Mae Davis (Levay Mae Sheppard before her marriage) attended the 50th Anniversary of her Graduating class of Morton High School at Morton Saturday, October 21, 1989.

Mrs. Mamie Duren of Amarillo visited her longtime friend and former neighbor, Mrs. Roxie Lewis last Tuesday afternoon. She accompanied her son Francis Gunter of Floydada who grew up here and was looking after property.

Mrs. Gary Caffey visited her mother, Mrs. Clara Youngblood at University Manor in Lubbock, Sunday. She also called upon her cousin, Debbie Ausmus, and carried unforwardable mail to Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Mitchell at Bender Terrace in Lubbock.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell returned to her home here Tuesday of last week from a two weeks' visit with her sister Mrs. Newell Crego and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Webb in Albuquerque.

Mrs. J.T. Swim and Miss Lula Swim returned Wednesday of last week from a two weeks' bus tour that took them through 15 states and into Canada.

Ted Kingery of Silverton came Saturday and took his mother, Mrs. Eliza Kingery home with him in order for her to see her doctor in Lockney, Monday.

Mrs. Jackie Martin and family were overnight visitors with her mother, Mrs. Callie Winegar last Thursday.

MRS. M.G. BETHARD HOSTS GUILD MEETING

The Guild met in the home of Mrs. M.G. Bethard Wednesday evening of last week with President Grace Zabielski in charge. Pastor Gene Louder gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Agnes Aaron, Bible Teacher, opened the lesson with a special prayer. The lesson was on scriptures from Isaiah, Matthew, and Revelations. Billie

Clifton gave the closing prayer.

Those present besides the hostess and those on the program were Opal Bradford, Freda Keahey, Mary Louder, Mary Lumsden, Chelsea Read and Lula Swim.

Bill J. Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Mitchell in Bender Terrace Home in Lubbock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hinson took the J.D. Mitchells some articles they needed from their home, Tuesday of last week.

B.L. Peacock spent the past weekend with his brother, Edward Peacock, in Litchfield, Minnesota, explaining in Lubbock Thursday for Minneapolis, where he was met by a nephew and driven to his brother's home. He returned home Monday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCleskey during the weekend and attending the wedding of Alton McCleskey and Sandy Jordan of Dickens were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman McCleskey and Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Gary McCleskey, Monica and Amanda and Darren Carver, all of Hereford; Brent McCleskey of Petersburg; and Jennifer Martin of New Deal.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten last week was her daughter-in-law and grandchildren, Mrs. Wily Palmer, Matt and Micah of Laketon, Kansas.

Mrs. Pauline Hand and Pearl Patten went to Running Water Draw Craft Show in Plainview, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Largent visited their children in Azel over the weekend.

Elsie Meason of Plainview spent a few days last week in her home here seeing about some repair work she is having done. She also visited Bess Ferguson.

Odessa Mullins accompanied Edna Dillard to Lubbock Tuesday for a Doctor's appointment.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

HOUSEWARMING FOR DONNIE ROGERS FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and daughter, Natalie were given a Housewarming reception at their new residence, Saturday night, Oct. 21.

Hostesses were Mesdames Coy Franks, Jerry Barclay, Clois Shorter, Roger Lee, Billy Morris, Seab Washington and Darrell Cruse.

The table was laid with a lace cloth centered with an autumn foliage flower arrangement in a ceramic basket. The hostesses served refreshments of chips and dips, sausage rolls, date rolls, cake, cookies, coffee and punch.

The honorees were presented the centerpiece and a Money Basket intermingled with scented pine cones. Many friends attended the courtesy.

HOME FROM TRIP

Mrs. C.W. Starkey returned home from a two weeks trip, Oct. 6-21 that included visiting in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long and in Sallisaw, Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hanna. Joining her to visit in Sallisaw were son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Starkey of Topeka, Kansas.

She visited the past week in Lewisville with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth George, who accompanied her home, Saturday. Visiting them during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Monty George and Emily of Lubbock.

Word was received that the sister in law of Mrs. Howard Rogers, Mrs. Dale (Florence) Davidson, 68, of Carthage, Missouri died Monday morning, Oct. 23 following a lengthy illness. The Roger families visited the past weekend in Carthage with Mr. and Mrs. Davidson. Herb Martin and D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert

Ward Rattan had surgery last Tuesday morning at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. He has been a patient in the Lockney Care Center, attended by his wife, and son, Garland Rattan of Boys Ranch.

Mrs. Marian Burt returned last week from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after having total knee replacement by Dr. Gill. Her nephew Ed Gates and wife of Wimberly brought her home and are here caring for her. Dean and Ida Lee McInroe accompanied her to the Hospital and many friends stood by during surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Komegy of Wimberly spent the weekend with her.

Recent visitors in the home of J.D. and Opal Craven were daughters, Mrs. Richard Hamilton, Eagle River, Alaska; Mrs. Billy Gene Harrison and son Kyle, Brownfield; Mrs. Pat Green, Mrs. Mickey Brooks and daughter, Alania, Tahoka; Mrs. Richard Hamilton also visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. John Hamilton.

and friends, Jake and Tubb Merrell of Quitaque enjoyed fishing from Thursday until Saturday at Miller's Creek near Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada, her mother, Mrs. Beatrice Bilberry of Lockney and Mrs. Leon Cloyd attended the Running Water Draw Art Show in Plainview, Friday. They visited Mrs. Jean Lyles of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keller of Plainview. Mrs. Keller is an art instructor at Wayland Baptist University. Mrs. Cloyd attended the Show again, Saturday and other local residents attending were Mrs. Wilburn Martin, Mrs. Carolyn Johnson and Kayla Johnson.

Weekend houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers were Ronnie Rogers and son, Randy of Lubbock. Visitors, Saturday were daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shawna, Shay and Dane of Kalgary and friend, Chad Wildman of Crosbyton. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan.

Lance Barclay, student at South Plains College in Levelland, visited the weekend with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Cody and Ty.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson visited in Floydada, Wednesday and again, Friday and Mrs. Mollie Burleson.

Mrs. Maxine Jones of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and Natalie, Sunday night.

Louis Shorter and daughters, Megan and Jennifer of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter, Sunday.

HAS SURGERY

Ray Cruse, a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock had major surgery Tuesday, Oct. 24. His wife, Tommie, children and families were with him during surgery.

Matador News

Mrs. Bill (Judine) McCaghren had major surgery at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview, Monday.

Mrs. Odie Birchfield, a resident at Floydada Nursing Home, suffered a broken elbow Wednesday, Oct. 18. She received medical treatment at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Mrs. Greta Smallwood visited the past week in St. Louis, Missouri with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. (Lisa) Allen Morros, Kellen and Bryce.

Mrs. Nell Clem returned home last Thursday from a fall foliage tour through New England states and into Canada. Mrs. S.A. Swim and Miss Lula Swim of Roaring Springs joined Mrs. Clem in making the tour, sponsored by the Levelland Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Winifred Darsey visited in Dallas during the weekend as guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stevens.

Consecrate yourselves to day to the Lord, even every man upon his son, and upon his brother; that he may bestow upon you a blessing this day. Exodus 32:29

HOMECOMING 1989



STAFFORD FARM STORE

Whiteflat News

By Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD
You've had enough T.V. when commercials begin to look good!

Family members visited during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barton.

ATTEND CONFERENCE

Mrs. Rocky (Lavelle) Vinson attended a Gifted and Talented Conference, Monday and Tuesday, October 16-17 held at the Hyatt Regency in Austin. Included in the conference was a Work Shop For Small Schools. Mrs. Vinson is fifth grade teacher in the Floydada ISD.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, Heather and Cobey enjoyed the Running Water Draw Art Show held in Plainview, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bevers of Amarillo visited Monday until Wednesday with her mother and sister, Mrs. Malcolm Jameson and Melba.

VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harvey and granddaughter, Julie Harvey of Amarillo returned home Sunday night from a vacation trip that included touring beautiful scenic autumn foliage routes in Arkansas, Missouri and Oklahoma.

They visited in Muskogee, OK with Mr. and Mrs. John Kilmartin and other relatives and in Jay, OK with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Larmon. Mr. Harven and Mr. Larmon served together in the Marine Corps in World War II. They enjoyed tourist attractions in Joplin, Missouri and visited in Charleston, Arkansas with daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Richmond, Brett and Brittany.

ATTEND FUNERL OF NEPHEW

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton attended the funeral services of his nephew, Albert C. Seay, 73, of Carrizozo, N.M. held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, Oct. 21 at the First Baptist Church in Lockney. Burial was in Lockney Cemetery.

He was born in the Cedar Hill community. He attended the Barton School in Motley County, northeast of Whiteflat.

Survivors include a son, Dexter H. of Silver City, N.M.; a sister, Nora Franklin of Carrizozo; a brother, Alfred A. of Truth or Consequences, N.M.; two grandchildren and a great grandchild.

There have been two recent fires in the area. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton had a grass fire south of their rural home, northeast of Whiteflat, Saturday afternoon, Oct. 14. The fire was brought under control before any property damage, but they lost six round bales of hay. Sunday morning, Oct. 22, fire units responded to burning gas wells located on the north line of Motley County. Dan Brandon of Matarador was called to cap off the gas lines before the fire could be extinguished.

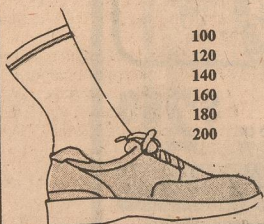
Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Vinson visited the weekend in Big Spring with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradford and attended the Big Spring School Homecoming. Mrs. Vinson is a 1980 graduate of Big Spring High School.

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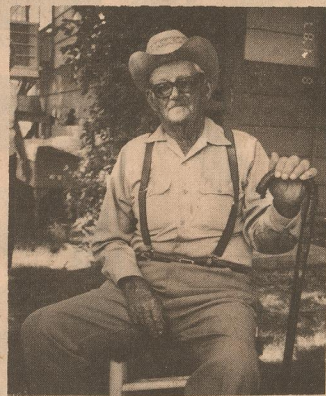


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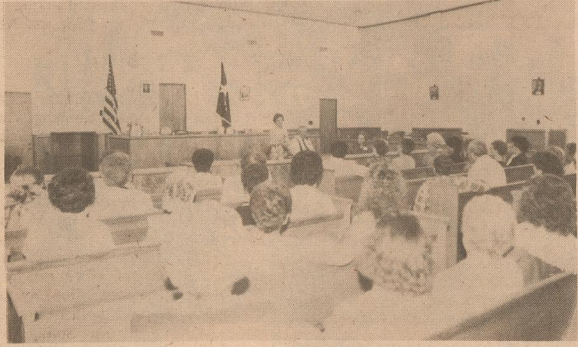
Relatives and friends are invited for Cake and Coffee 3:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. October 29 in the home of Charlie & Louvaine Scaff

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County and District Clerks hold Semi-Annual Meeting



County and District Clerks in District meeting held recently at the Motley County Courthouse.

Area II of the County and District Clerks Association of Texas met in Matador, Friday, October 13, with Motley County and District Clerk Lucretia Campbell and Deputy Clerk Roberta Jameson as hostesses. The area includes 37 counties from the Panhandle, extending east to Wichita Falls, west to Gaines county and south to Taylor county.

Registration, with coffee, doughnuts and snacks, was from 9 a.m. until noon, at the entrance of the district court room, where the visitors were seated for a welcome address by County Judge Bill Whitaker. Response was by Area II leader, Ann Davidson of Lubbock.

Visitation and a "fun time" occupied the clerks most of the morning until they adjourned to tour the Motley County Library and Matador's places of business, with shopping also on the agenda. Several also visited the historic Motley County Jail.

Luncheon was served by El Progresso Club members, at the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church, and received high praise from the visitors, several of whom have written Clerk Campbell to send them copies of recipes.

Other guests at the luncheon were Mrs. Campbell's son and granddaughter, Richard Campbell and daughter, Sherry of Lubbock, and a nephew, Gerald Pipkin, Matador, who presented the program. Miss. Campbell, a second year

student at Texas Tech University, came to thank the Area II Association for the scholarship she received from them. She was one of the recipients of a scholarship from the organization, for 1989, and brought projects of Interior Design in which she had majored in.

Richard Campbell sang two songs from an anniversary tape he had made for his wife, Ann, and with piano accompaniment by Pipkin, sang an arrangement of "I'll Fly Away," with original variations which the pair developed.

Back at the courthouse, the District clerks met in the jury room for a workshop, and County clerks with County and District clerks of smaller counties met in the district court room where they studied new rules on the upcoming amendments election.

The semi-annual meetings of the county and District Clerks Association of Texas is an ongoing seminar for the educational program for clerks in the association, who receive credit for the hours spent, and also for hours attending the conferences held at A&M. Thirty-nine clerks and deputy clerks registered for the Matador seminars.

Before adjournment, door prizes were awarded, which were brought by the members, and donated by local firms, Guys and Gals, The Windmill, Stanley Pharmacy, Matador Floral, Texas T's and T's, and Matador Variety.

Rusty Willmon Wins Farm Bureau District 2 Free Enterprise Speech Contest

Rusty Willmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Willmon was the winner of the District 2 Free Enterprise Speech Contest held in Lubbock on Saturday, October 2, 1989 at the Western Sizzler. This guarantees Rusty a scholarship of \$1,000.00 from Texas Farm Bureau. The next level of competition will be during the TFB Convention to be held in Fort Worth, November 25-29. Semi-finals will be held

Sunday afternoon, November 26, and the finals will be held that evening in conjunction with the TFB Talent Find Contest. Should Rusty win in the Final, his scholarship increases to \$4,000.00.

The Matador Lions Club sponsored Rusty to the TFB Citizenship Seminar which was held in June 1989 at San Angelo State University.

\$1100 In Scholarships Awarded Farm Bureau Contest Winners

There were seven entries in the Miss Farm Bureau Contest. The winner of the contest was Sherri Goad, daughter of Dr. Genoa and Martha Goad. Sherri is a sophomore at Wayland Baptist University, Plainview.

The first runner-up was Angie Burkes, daughter of Larry and Wileta Burkes, Afton. Angie is a senior at Patton Springs High School.

Second runner-up was Missy Benson, daughter of Nelda Benson. Missy is a junior at Spur High School.

The winners in the Talent Find were: 1st place, Trent Willmon, son of Dean and Billie Willmon. Trent is a sophomore at Patton Springs High School.

Second place went to Sherri Goad, daughter of Dr. Genoa and Martha Goad. Third place went to Missy Benson, daughter of Nelda Benson. Other contestants were Jennifer Eckles and Keitha St. Clair who performed a comedy skit.

From the businesses and individuals in Dickens, King, Kent and Crosby Counties, there was over \$1100 which all will go toward scholarships for winners in the Miss Farm Bureau and Talent Find contests.

The Dickens County Farm Bureau and all of the winners would like to thank all the people who so generously contributed to the scholarships for this year.



Trent Willmon

The Dickens County Farm Bureau held their annual County Convention Saturday, October 14 in Spur.

The convention began with the Miss Farm Bureau contest and the Talent Find.

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Agricultural interests, to a degree, were caught napping in 1985 when environmental activists inserted "sodbuster" and "swampbuster" provisions into that year's Food Security Act.

Other than care requirements on set-aside acreage, that was the first time in the history of farm programs that soil conservation measures were mandated in farm law as a condition of eligibility for program benefits. And that was just a beginning.

As development of the 1990 farm bill gains momentum, the environmentalists are out in force, their appetites whetted by the 1985 success and their cause elevated almost to motherhood status by skillfully orchestrated public concern for food safety, air and water pollution, acid rain and a questionable prospect of global warming from ozone depletion. Their major objective, it appears, may be to tighten the sodbuster and swampbuster sections of the 1985 law while adding a "chemical-buster" section to the 1990 act. If left to write the law on their own, many believe the use of agricultural chemicals in production agriculture will be on the way out.

This subject was addressed at a recent Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. Board meeting in Lubbock by Frank Jones of Lamesa. Jones is a long-time PCG director who also serves as Chairman of the National Cotton Council's Environmental Task Force. The NCC group, Jones said, is closely monitoring various environmental legislative initiatives and, the political climate being what it is, has agreed that

simply being against the proposals will not be enough.

Instead, Jones told the Board, "Agriculture has got to be FOR something." As an example of proposals threatening agriculture, he used a food safety bill introduced by Henry Waxman (D-CA) and another offered by Representative George Brown (D-CA). Both are efforts to impose on producers substantially more restrictive procedures for regulating chemical use without due regard for the adverse effect on maintaining the production of an abundant, healthy, reasonable priced food supply. Yet both have the support of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Environmental Protection Agency.

As an alternative, Jones said, his task force and the NCC will support legislation introduced by House Agriculture Committee Chairman Kika de la Garza (D-TX) and ranking Minority Member Ed Madigan (R-IL). The bill, by amending two current laws, would establish a new and less cumbersome process for pesticide rulemaking. It would also add a consistent and uniform method of evaluating pesticides and removing from the market those proven hazardous.

Thirty-nine members of the Agriculture Committee are original co-sponsors of de la Garza's bill which, in his own words, is aimed at the Committee's top priority "restoring public confidence in the safety of our food supply." To that, Jones would add "...without denying producers the use of perfectly safe chemicals we need to stay in business."

TAX PAYMENTS

AUSTIN, TX -- State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday that October's sales tax rebates to cities and counties continue to tell the story of an economy that's steadily growing.

Bullock said that October's city rebates statewide are up almost 11 percent from October 1988, and year-to-date payments to cities are up an average of 9.5 percent.

"Consumers have more money to spend and they're doing just that," Bullock said. "That means another month of increased sales tax rebates for local areas."

October also marks the first month that Metropolitan Transit Authorities will start receiving their rebates quarterly rather than monthly. The change is the result of legislation passed during the last session, Bullock said.

The six MTAs in Texas will receive their next payment in December.

The El Paso City Transit Department will continue to receive its payments on a monthly basis.

Houston received the largest payment in the state at \$11.7 million and Dallas' check of \$8.2 million was the second largest.

Checks totaling \$71.9 million were sent to 931 cities that have a local sales tax rate of either 1 percent or 1.5 percent.

Another \$7.1 million was sent to the 92 counties that collect the one-half percent county sales tax, Bullock said.

October's checks represent taxes collected by businesses in August and reported to the Comptroller's office in September.

Totals for Motley County are as follows:

Matador: net payment this period, \$1,251.70; comparable payment prior year, \$774.90; % change, 61.53%; 1989 payments to date, \$18,140.90; 1988 payments to date, \$18,753.10; % change, -3.26%

Roaring Springs: net payment this period, \$3,370.78; comparable payment prior year, \$934.99; % change, 260.52%; 1989 payments to date, \$19,808.76; 1988 payments to date, \$8,633.57; % change, 129.44%

County total: net payment this period, \$4,622.48; comparable payment prior year, \$1,709.89; % change, 170.34%; 1989 payments to date, \$37,949.66; 1988 payments to date, \$27,386.67; % change, 38.57%

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Motley County Graduates Have Chiropractic Practice



Dr. Randy Hunter and Dr. David Martin

by Carla M. Jones

NOTE: When I heard that David and Randy had a Chiropractic Practice together, I thought it would be an interesting story for our Homecoming paper. They were gracious enough to make a cassette tape and send it to us, and I thank them for that very much. But, while listening, the tape was eaten by the recorder, so I am sure there was much more interesting information that is not included in this article.

David Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin of Flomot and Randy Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne

Hunter, also of Flomot, never dreamed while growing up in the small community of Flomot that they would someday be Doctors of Chiropractic or have a thriving Chiropractic Practice together, but the two men have just that in Denton. Lifestyle Chiropractic, was opened by Dr. David Martin, a few years ago in Denton. Dr. Randy Hunter joined him in the practice a year ago.

The two men attended school in Flomot until the County consolidation of schools, and continued their schooling in Motley County High School in Matador. Both graduated from MCHS, David in

1972 and Randy in 1980.

Both men received their Bachelor's degrees from West Texas State University in Canyon. David received his Doctor of Chiropractic license from the Life Chiropractic College in Atlanta, Georgia. Randy received his from Texas Chiropractic College in Pasadena, Texas. He graduated Cum Laude.

Dr. Martin did some coaching and teaching before he decided to study Chiropractic.

Dr. Martin and Dr. Hunter see 250-300 patients in their offices. Their practice was the first in the state to have Med-Ex exercise equipment. They also have passive exercise equipment.

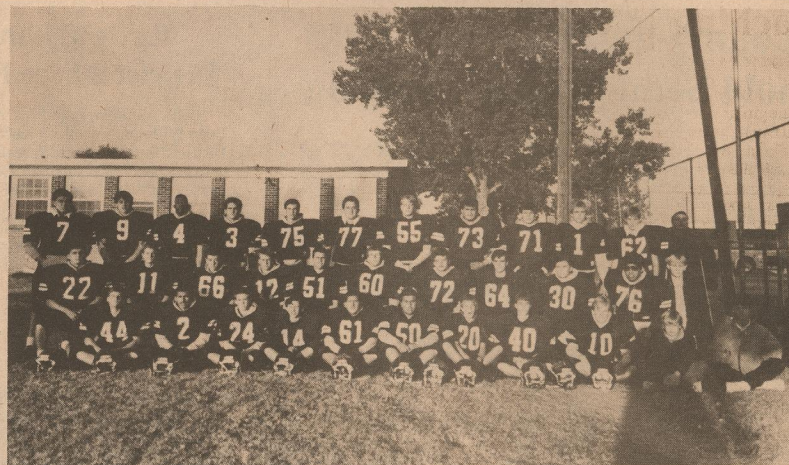
Dr. Martin believes that Dr. Hunter has been a great asset to the practice. He stated that Dr. Hunter is a very intelligent man and he is very proud to have him in this business.

Dr. Hunter feels very fortunate to be a part of this practice. He believes he has learned much from Dr. Martin.

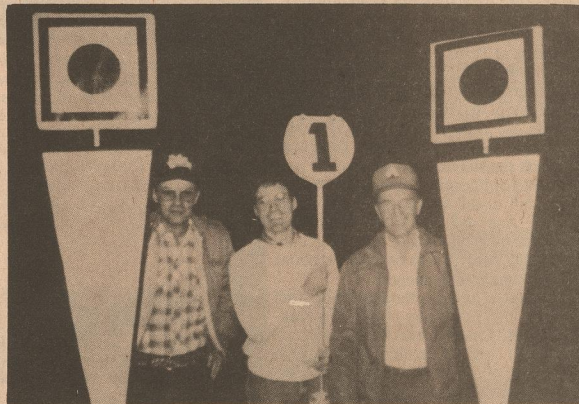
Both doctors believe that a big problem in health care today, is the fact that there are a lot of people that cannot afford health care and are turned away. They both believe that when they received their license, they received the ability to help people, regardless of their financial situation. They see many patients in need of care, with no means to pay for their service. But they do believe that the most important thing is they do receive the help needed.

David and Randy feel very fortunate to have grown up in Flomot and Motley County and they are very thankful for their parents.

They believe with the Lord's blessings, they will continue to have the great business they have now. Both men have a strong faith in God and believe that He has blessed them.



1989 Motley County Matadors



Lions Club Members: Larry Hoyle, Stacy Conner and Gerald Pipkin. The Lions Members help at the Football games with chains and tickets.



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Reminiscence of Nicknames

by Earlyne Jameson

I like nicknames, but I am not sure they are as popular today as they once were. People today drive vehicles with bumper stickers.

Most of us are labeled with pet names as children, according to the way we look, our stumbling actions or attempts to say a name.

I had a nickname that all but my oldest friends have forgotten. It was Cotton because of the color of my hair and my family pet name is Lou since this is my first name. Some past school monikers

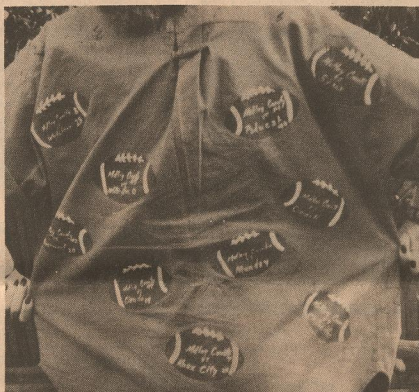
like Monk, Porky, Stick, Poncho, Mooch, Jawbone, Flutie, Diz, Sleepy, Heavy, Pup, Puggy, Thappy, Sappo, Jiggs, Punk and Fud cause raised eyebrows. Not me, I still have a special fondness for these nicknames.

Some keep nicknames a lifetime and the general public does not know the name they have on their birth certificates. My Dad, Red, my husband, Skeet and friends, Sonny, Mickey, Dude and Pete are some of the endearing names.

Some names are shortened and it suits their personalities. Frank, Dot, Ted, Rene, Peg, Cretia, Herb, Kate, Nita, Deanie, Deb, Bea and Bev are a few of them.

Siblings are called Sister, Sis, Brother, Buddy and Baby. You can imagine people's surprise when a mother in a department store said, "Baby, come look at this" and her sixty year old daughter walked up!

Nicknames carry sweet memories and affectionate names of Precious, Sweetness, Honey and Sweetheart will always be in the vocabulary when addressing those whom we consider special in our lives.



This shirt was made by Dell Bearden, an avid fan of the Motley County Matadors. The shirt is red and has footballs painted on the back with this year's scores.

YOUR NEWSPAPER



SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

CALCIUM DEFICIENCY MAJOR HEALTH CONCERN

Calcium deficiency is fast-approaching priority status as one of the nation's greatest health concerns. Not only is the average adult diet generally inadequate in this essential mineral, but other factors including lack of exercise, stress, cigarette smoking, excessive alcohol and caffeine also have been associated with decreased calcium levels.

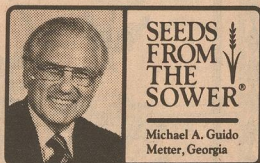
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Inadequate calcium intake is particularly a problem for women. The daily U.S. Recommended Dietary Allowance of calcium for all adults is 1,000 mg. However, government studies show that the calcium intake of eight out of 10 American adult women is less than 650 mg per day. Low levels of calcium, combined with factors such as smoking or lack of exercise and decreasing estrogen levels which occur during and after menopause, can lead to serious thinning of the bones, resulting in osteoporosis. It is estimated that one out of every four women over 60 has osteoporosis to some degree.

One of the best ways to ensure an adequate calcium balance is to eat calcium rich foods such as dairy products and leafy green vegetables. Unfortunately, since many people are diet conscious or eat on the run, these foods are frequently omitted from the diet. Therefore, regular intake of a calcium supplement, such as TUMS, may be the best way for people to be sure they're making their adequate daily calcium deposit.

O Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done marvelous things, things planned long ago. Isaiah 25:1



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Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

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heavy snowfall, the father stumbled on what seemed to be a log. But it was his son. Throwing himself into his arms, he cried, "O Daddy! I've found you at last."

People sometimes talk about finding God, but it's not we who find Him, it's He who finds us. The Bible says, "The Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

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Teaching in the 30's & 40's

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Bert and Billy Tunnill "claimed" the same little girl. It was Valentine's day and we were having the traditional Valentine box. Billy and Bert watched each other very closely that day. Everytime one boy put a Valentine in the box, the other one went up to drop in his valentine. That little girl got more valentines that day than all the other girls put together.

That first year of teaching was kind of traumatic for me. I was afraid I was going to be blamed for everything that happened.

We were on the playground one day and Dorothy Wason fell off the merry-go-round and broke her arm. I just knew I would be blamed for the accident. I wasn't blamed for it, but I took popcorn balls and books to Dorothy. Billy spent all the years that I taught him hoping if he broke his arm, I'd take goodies to him. Little did he know!

At this time there were eight grades in grade school and only 11 grades in the entire school. None of the teachers seemed to be anxious to have that eighth grade for their home room. They didn't like the seventh grade so I consented to take it. We had departmental work at this time so we had classes in all grades from the fourth through the eighth.

There were 45 pupils in the eighth and about 40 in the seventh grade.

Can you imagine two rooms crammed with 85 kids of any caliber, but think of that many that included such characters as these: Mutt Berryman, E.A. Day, James Ed Russell, Zona Ruth Scaff (Cammack), Catherine Martin (Russell), Billy Tunnell, Bert Schweitzer, Patsy Sheridan, Bill and Bob Jameson, Vance Campbell, five or six of the Smallwood boys, including Bill, Leon and Clyde and Jessie Smallwood, Benny Keltz and June Barton (Keltz) and Tootie Meador, Alton Marshall, Dean Stotts, Little Chick Russell and a bunch more of the same sort. No day was ever dull or boring! However, it did take a lot of patience, endurance, nerve, love and a LOT of elbow grease.

Throw in John Jackson, J.D. and Charles Payne, Jerry Warren, Alene Russell, Joneta Smart and quite a few more and you will know I earned a lot more than the \$60! But it was such fun! Those years were very entertaining, but at times, very hard on the nerves.

One day during a class in the eighth grade, I missed E.A. I knew he was there somewhere, but I couldn't find him. I walked around the north side of the room, looked in the closet and started walking down the south side of the room. Then I found him. He was stretched out, flat on the floor under his seat, sound asleep. I woke him up and he started to get up, but it was just a short time until noon so I told him he could just stay there until the bell rang.

E.A. liked nothing about school and made no bones about showing his dislikes.

There is something about a teacher's age that really bugs a kid. One day Mutt asked me how old I was. I hadn't married at that time and was just a few months past 25. I told Mutt I was 25. He didn't make any further comment. Lorene Fryar was teaching at that time. She was a year younger than I. When she went into that grade for class, Mutt asked her how old she was. She told him she was 24. Mutt asked "Are you an old maid?" Lorene said, "I don't know. Why?" Mutt answered, "Well, Miss Hamilton is 25 and she's an old maid." Mutt never seemed to care a great deal about school or good grades. One six weeks, his grades were real good, and I found out his parents had given him a bicycle to encourage him to make better grades. I suppose the new wore off the bike, he had a flat tire, or the chain was broken, because his grades dropped again. They came up again after a new pair of roller skates were given to him.

E.A., bless his heart, had an awfully hard time with English. E.A., do you remember teaspoonsful and sisters-in-law?

I guess I may be prouder of Mutt and E.A. than any other, because I just knew they would both be in the penitentiary by

the time they were 20. They have grown to be such good men and I am really proud of both of them.

Now, Vance Campbell. Vance was always a source of pleasure and aggravation. Vance never liked spelling, didn't care to learn to spell, so he was making failing grades and I began worrying for fear he was going to fail the course. So, as an incentive I promised the class an extra play period if they would all make a passing grade in spelling. He passed. I imagine all the other kids put the pressure on him and helped him a lot. One day I was talking to him about how important spelling is in the business. He said, "I don't need all that." I said, "How do you know you won't need it." He said, "Cause, I'm going to marry a woman that knows all that stuff?" Guess what, he did!

Vance gave me a nickname after he was in high school. He knew better than to use it while he was in elementary school. We lived next door to Vance and he would watch in the mornings until I started to my car to go to school. A window in Vance's house would fly open and yell, "Wait, Old Lady Meason, I want to ride to school with you." I would let him out of the car in front of the high school building, as he got out he was all politeness and manners as he said, "Thank you, Mrs. Meason." After he was out of school and I was no longer teaching, he always, and still does, greet me, with "Hello, Old Lady Meason." One time, we were playing baseball at noon. Vance was playing first base. I was batting. I hit the ball and ran for first base, Vance caught the ball and kept standing on the base instead of stepping off the base after he had made the out. I hit him running full force, and it felt like I had run into a solid brick wall. I saw stars and heard birds singing for awhile!

The girls I taught have always accused me of being partial to the boys. I wasn't and the girls were loved as much or more than the boys. But what the girls and the boys didn't know was that I had two older brothers and no sisters. Those two boys had a horror of me being a sissy, and they surely saw to it that I learned to do everything they knew how to do.

By the time my second year of school came around, I could play marbles and spin tops, fly kites, track animals, and which bird tracks belonged to which bird. They taught me how to make stilts, kites and how to shoot. How to saddle and ride a horse. I never liked to cut out paper dolls, but owned several beautiful dolls. I would bribe my younger brother to go in the house and help me change all my dolls clothes. If he would do that I would go outside and play cowboy and help brand his "cattle." His cows were corn cobs.

They even went so far as to teach me how to roll and smoke cedar bark cigarettes. So you see, I very seldom had a chance to be a "little lady." Me and all the neighborhood kids played football, baseball, dug caves. I very, very seldom had time to play dolls.

Now, if you girls look back and remember how, on bad days and had no recess outside how many dozens of paper dolls. I helped you cut out. Don't you remember the hundreds of games of Jacks I played with you, sitting on the old cold, hard, concrete steps at the school buildings. I taught a bunch of you how to play baseball, too. How many games of Red Rover, I dare you to come over; Wolf Over The Hill. Remember?

After my son was born I was in the waiting room in Dr. Stanley's hospital. Letress Simpson was waiting to see the doctor, and said to me, "Mrs. Meason, is that baby a boy?" I told her, "yes." She said, "Well, it's a good thing, if he had been a girl you would send him back." To think, she later married my cousin!

The one thing my brothers didn't teach me was how to ride a bicycle! They both had bicycles, but I never wanted one of the things. But when I was in college in Fort Worth, it seems everybody but I, could ride bicycles. I was determined to ride one. One day I went to Forest Park, rented a bicycle and spent the afternoon learning to ride the thing. I finally learned

to ride it! I never rode another bicycle until I had been teaching for several years.

One year, April Fools Day fell on Friday. Prof. came to my room just before noon, called me out in the hall and said, "I'm going to turn the kids out at 2:30, but don't tell them. Let's see how many fail to show up after lunch. Sure enough, four of mine were missing. When I left school at 2:30, I drove through town to see if I could find them. Sure enough, there they were. They were chunking at bats that had taken up residence under the eaves of the building after the old courthouse burned. That building is now Stanley Pharmacy. I pulled up to the curb and parked and just sat there watching. Finally one of them saw me. Tootie Meador was one of them, along with Hal Courtney, Bill Rushing and one other. When Tootie saw me, he said, "Mrs. Meason, what are you doing down here?" I asked him, "What are you doing down here?" He said, "We're just chunking at these bats." I said, "Alright, I'll see you boys Monday." They finally got their whippings Monday after school.

We came in after lunch one day and everyone was deathly quiet. Dean Stotts sat in the front seat right against my desk and he was practically holding his breath and almost standing on tip toes waiting for me to open the desk drawer. I knew they had something in store for me. I opened the drawer and sure enough there was a baby snake about 5 inches long slithering and wiggling all around that drawer. At that moment I was very grateful for all the things my brothers had made me do. I picked the little snake up by the tail and held it up to Dean and said, "Dean, is this your snake?" Yes 'um, but aren't you scared of it." "No," I said. He took the snake and said, "Oh, shoot, give him here and I'll go turn him loose. In the seventh grade, that year, we had a spelling book that included a little dictionary in the back, and had definitions of all the words. One day their lesson was to look up and write down the definitions to that day's words. The word fraternity was in the lesson. Some boy from the back of the room asked, "Mrs. Meason, what in the world does fraternity mean." Before I could answer, Dean stood up, turned in his seat and said, "Golly, don't you know what that means? It's a place in a hospital where babies are born." Anyone can see why it was so much fun to teach seventh and eighth graders.

One time Letress Simpson did something that school rules said she had to have a whipping. Her teacher sent her to the office for her whipping. She told me what she had done. I really didn't feel like she deserved a whipping. But it was a rule and I was Principal. I gave her a few licks with a belt and she cried, threw her arms around me and said, "Mrs. Meason, I didn't mind getting a whipping, but I didn't want you to give it to me."

One day at noon, I had playground duty, and several boys were standing around bragging on their bikes. One little smart-alec said, "Mrs. Meason, can you ride a bicycle?" "Sure," I said. They all said, "Let's see you do it." There was a school rule that bicycles were not to be ridden on the school campus, but I didn't think of it in time. So, I pulled a bike out of the rack, praying most earnestly, "Please, Lord, let me ride this bicycle without falling." I did ride the thing completely all the way around the school building, with the little rascals running along behind me, and I know wishing that I would take a tumble, but I made it! I put the bike in the rack, then thought to tell them about the rule of no riding bikes on the school ground. But I had saved face!

Some children had never had books to read at home, some had never been encouraged to read, nor had anyone read to them.

Everyday right after noon while the children were cooling off and settling down from play I would read to them. One day we had been playing baseball, it was hot and we were all tired. I started reading to them and dropped off to sleep, and lost my place. One of the children woke me up and said, "Mrs. Meason, you went to sleep." I had to ask where I was reading when sleep overcame me.

One afternoon we were having a study period. I was sitting at my desk and slipped my shoes off. When the bell rang for P.E.

period, my shoes were nowhere to be found. So I just kept sitting and said nothing. The class got real anxious, so finally one of the boys said, "Mrs. Meason, the bell for P.E. has already rung." I kept sitting and said, "I know the bell rang, but there is no way that I'm going out side and play baseball without my shoes." Those shoes re-appeared in a split second!

Whippings were usually given for the infraction of some school rule. Such as playing hooky. It always made me feel guilty when I had to whip someone for playing hooky. I played hooky several times when I was a freshman and sophomore. About 5 of us, all girls, would fail to show up at school after lunch. Thank goodness, we were never caught. If we had been caught, we would have been skinned alive, first by our parents, then the school superintendent would have his turn. He was VERY strict.

One time Prof. Doss came to my room and asked if a certain girl and a certain boy had come back to school after lunch. They hadn't. He said, "I'm going to go get them." I don't know where he found them but he soon came back with them and ushered them into my room. I know those two were so embarrassed and scared.

We were still using desks that we had used years before in the old building east of town. They had been sanded, re-varnished and looked rather nice. I gave the kids a stirring lecture about how they should take care of their desks and not to carve on them. A boy from the back of the room asked, "Mrs. Meason, what was your name before you married?" I told him, "Mary Hamilton." His face lit up like a Christmas tree and he said, "Your name is carved real deep on this desk." I told him I hadn't done the carving, someone else had done it. I knew he didn't believe me, but it was the truth.

I never gave many whippings except what school rules demanded. But impudence, cheating and lying were high on my list.

One day J.D. Payne was very impudent to me. I took him to the office and gave him a good one. I never had to give him another one for any reason. Two or three years later I taught his younger brother. He never tried to be impudent or talked back to me. But that dear boy could try the patience of a saint. I never gave him a whipping, but that isn't to say he didn't need it! He was so funny and sweet and he knew just how far he could push me before I went over the edge, then he was an angel, until the next time, which never was for long. But I do miss him as do many of you.

Have you girls forgotten all the Bobsey Twins books? I read to you, I read everyone that was ever printed and how about the Nancy Drew books. And how about the book, "Cricket." The story of a little girl named Cricket who was captured by the Indians. I always admired your dolls that you brought to school after Christmas and you still said I was partial to boys.

Speaking of dolls. I must tell you about Dorothy Jean Henderson Day. Dorothy Jean, by her own admission, was a very spoiled child, came to school one morning mad as a stirred-up hornet. I asked her what in the world was wrong with her. She stomped her foot and said, "I want a doll for Christmas and I can't find it." I asked why she wanted to find her doll before Christmas. "Because I want to see if it's the one I want." The next morning she came to school full of smiles and sweetness. She said, "I found my doll." When I asked her where she found it, she said, "In the piano." When asked what she did with it then, she replied, "I put it back in the piano."

During depression days, so many children had no shoes except tennis shoes. Many had no socks. When the weather was hot or in the winter with the heat on, the odor of those little feet became unbearable. We finally had to tell the children not to come back to school until they had washed their feet and their tennis shoes. We never had any complaints from the parents, but we were afraid we would.

One time, during the year that I was Principal, I almost lost all control. My big kids were out for P.E. period. Miss Reeves came to the office with a little second grader. He was crying and his little book

and tablet was very wet." Miss Reeves said to me, "I don't know whether you want to do anything about this or not, this little boy went to the restroom and there were three of your big boys in there and one of them wet all over this boy's tablet and book." I told her I surely wanted to do something about it. I asked the child if I took him out on the playground, could he show me the three boys. He said he could. I took him out on the playground and he pointed out Garland Rattan, Speedy Norman Neighbors and Jelly Williams. I was positive that I knew who had ruined the child's tablet, but there must still be an admission about who was guilty. First, I gave the boys a lecture about being overbearing to the little ones and they should defend and protect them. Now Speedy was much shorter than the others, they were big boys. I said, "Garland, did you do this?" He answered, "No Ma'am!" I asked Speedy if he had done it, and before he could say anything, Jelly spoke up and said, "Golly, Mrs. Meason, you know he didn't do it. He ain't tall enough." I couldn't get them out of the office quick enough. I was about to burst with laughter. After the lecture I gave them, I couldn't afford to let them see me laugh.

One year when my husband was in the army at El Paso taking desert training, I had a call from him after school and he told me that he was to be shipped out for overseas in several days, and wanted me to come to El Paso and stay until he was shipped out. I didn't have time to find a substitute, so I just called Prof. Doss and told him I was leaving and didn't know when I would be back. I had never gone anywhere without telling them where I was going and how long I'd be gone. This time there was not time for that. Time stretched into two weeks. Tootie Meador sat on one of the front seats and when I walked into the room, someone called out and said, "Mrs. Meason, where in the world have you been?" Tootie rose up, turned around and said, "It ain't none of your business, if it was she would have told you." He sat back down and never cracked a smile.

I suppose the worst thing I ever did occurred on the very last day of school. I had just finished filling out all the Principal's reports and everyone had gone home.

When I walked out the front door, there on the sidewalk was a big splatter of ink, showing plainly that the bottle had been thrown down hard. On down the walk and toward the high school building, Ann Harp's name had been written on the sidewalk. I knew at once that Jimmy Guest was the culprit. He had already been made to wash Ann's name off the restroom walls. I also knew he was crazy about Ann. I got in my car, went to town, found Jimmy, took him back to school, gave him a whipping, then made him clean up the glass and wash off the sidewalk. It took him quite awhile, but he had broken several school rules right there.

Jimmy and his family moved to Turkey. Sometime later I met Mrs. Guest in Turkey and she was talking about the ink episode. She said Jimmy told her one time that if I hadn't given him a whipping for that, there was no telling what he might have done another time. That made me feel so much better.

When Tootie Meador was overseas he wrote me a letter. In it he said, "You are the only person in Matador that I'll write to because you are the only one who can read my writing."

One Halloween afternoon I was making an effort to convince the boys and girls to not be destructive when they went out Halloween night, to do their mischief. At that time it was the "in thing" to let the air out of tires. I went on to ask them not to do that now, explaining that tires were rationed and if someone drove off, not checking their tires, one could be ruined and they would be unable to get another tire. All of this talk was given more or less for my own protection. I was sure my tires would be the first ones to go down. One of my tires was the front tire off of a Ford tractor and I surely couldn't afford to have a tire ruined. Halloween night there was a knock at my door and when I opened it I got a bucket full of water right in my face! There were several in on that prank, but the only one I remember is Wanda Graham Leary. That incident was never mentioned in school. But my tires were not flat!

Those 13 years were such happy, trying and sad years, but so much fun!

Have a Happy Homecoming this weekend!



1940's, World War II: Motley County Honor Roll board was displayed on the corner of the courthouse lawn with names of men in the service from Motley County.

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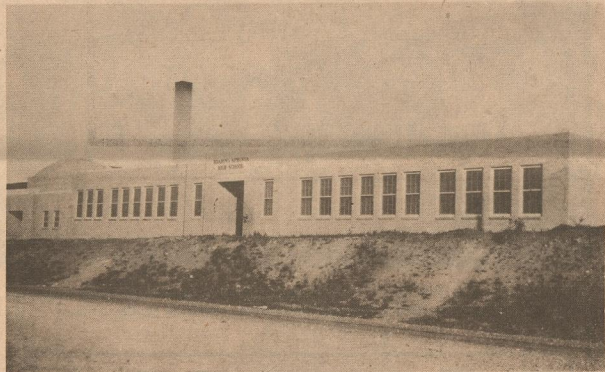
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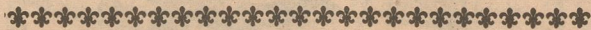
GRADUATING CLASS OF 1949: (back row l-r) Don Wason, Norman Seigler, Billy Joe Whitaker, Joe Spray, Billy Dean Smallwood, Lewis Blevins; (middle row l-r) Marcia Gilbert Middlebrooks, Sarah Springer Waldon, Truman Groves, Geraldine Waybourn Keys, Dorothy Traweck Hanesworth, June Spray Wason; (front row l-r) Ann Harp Thomas, Billy Ray Neighbors, Frances Casey Dixon, Rosemary Bloodworth Anderson, Shirley Pope Monk, Patti Pipkin Alexander.



CLASS OF 1924 held a reunion in 1986. Pictured are left to right: Howard Hamilton, Bertha Stearns, Gertrude Smith, Charlie Keith and Hazel Donovan.



Roaring Springs High School.



Many Initials Found On Old School Desk

While refinishing an old desk, which was purchased from the Motley County School system, Mrs. Debra Scott, owner and operator of Matador Floral, and her mother, Mrs. C.D. Garrison, found many initials, which had been carved by students over the years. They made note of them, before stripping the old finish. We thought it would be interesting to our readers, especially at Homecoming, to try and figure out if you know whose

initials they are, or maybe they're yours! The carvings were: Homer & Julie, Physics Class; K.L.M.; J.L.G. Hattie T.; Tim; H.L.B. KonLeg; Backwards J and B in dots; James; B + C.D.; A.M.M.; Beetle, 10-15-57; GHT + R; Bo; Betty; Bobby Williams, 3-21-58; BW-57; Billie Jeanne; D.

The date engraved on the bottom of the desk is 6/17/25. Truly an antique.

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Class of 1949 - class picture

Dr. Ruth Hartgraves Receives Outstanding Award in Houston

Dr. Ruth Hartgraves of Houston, a former faculty member of Matador High School, has been cited for recognition by The Archives, an independent organization that selects one Physician every one hundred years for this honor. The office is located in the Texas Medical Center Library.

The Archives is composed of an advisory board that functions as an independent board.

Two factors were in Dr. Hartgraves' favor in her selection by the Archive Board. She was the first woman physician practicing only Obstetrics and Gynecology in Houston; and she had 30 years of world travel as experience and went around the world three times. During these years she visited many foreign country hospitals, and with woman phy-

sicians, many of whom pleaded with her to help them come to the United States.

She explained that an inheritance made the travels possible. "At my parents' death I inherited the family ranch. I asked for the new owners' payment over ten years time. I traveled on this money, and from there, I kept traveling.

"The years were 1953 to 1984. I went around the world three times and have visited every foreign country, from Nepal to Mexico. I even saw the house in Nepal, where Princess Hope lived a few years. If you recall, she had a son by the Prince of Nepal. After a few years Princess Hope could not take any more rules of that country and left, but only after she had to leave her son, for he was to be the next ruler of the country of Nepal after his father's death."

Dr. Hartgraves has received the Distinguished Alumni Award from the University of Texas in Austin and also the Distinguished Alumni Award from the University of Texas Medical School in Galveston.

"Medicine has been my life's work, and what a happy, exciting, and challenging life," she said. "It was a life of patience as I listened to many thousands of women and their problems, which we tried to solve together."

Dr. Hartgraves is one of the most - perhaps the most illustrious former faculty member of this school. She taught science in Matador High School in 1926 and 1927, and resigned her position here to enroll in medical school. In 1932 she received her M.D. degree and in 1935 she opened her Houston office to practice

medicine in obstetrics and gynecology. In 1985 she retired after delivering 3000 babies.

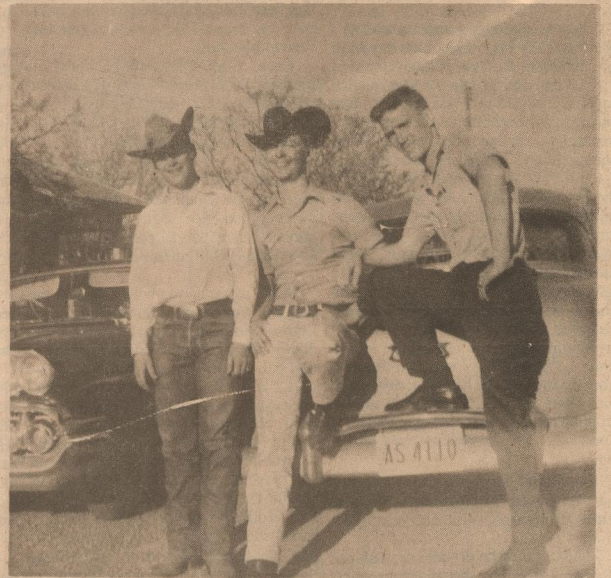
A member of the Matador Ex-Students and Ex-Teachers Association for many years, Dr. Hartgraves writes in a letter to Gale Stafford, president of the organization, that she is now 88 years old and too old to travel back to Matador, and notes that several of her special friends are deceased.

"May the helpful program of the organization for Matador continue on forever. Matador is a great, prosperous and fun place to live. It is a memory I will never forget," she writes.

Many of her former students still live in Matador and remember her with admiration and affection. "She was the best science teacher a student could ever have," remembers one of her students.



Wynona Ford Gilbreath, former teacher of the first grade in Matador.



1961 COOL DUDES: James Bearden, Ed D. Smith and Harry Hamilton.

Patton Springs Carnival To Feature "Robin Hood"

On Saturday, October 28, at 7:00 p.m., the Patton Springs School gymnasium will be the site of "Robin Hood," a minipageant sponsored by the Patton Springs FHA Alumni and featuring representatives from each of the classes from kindergarten through grade 12. The minipageant will conclude with the coronation of the kings and queens from the high school, junior, and elementary divisions.

Vying for the honors for high school royalty are Christy Hammons and David Woody (seniors), Rhonda Smith and Stephen Jones (juniors), Dana Kay Mayfield and Tomas Valdez (representing the sophomore class), and Jolene Adcock and Jeff Woody (freshman).

Candidates for king and queen of the junior division are Yesenia Valdez and Monroe Stephenson (eighth grade); Denise Dominguez and Teddy White (seventh grade); Tiffany Carter and Michael Fulmer (sixth grade); and Heather Willis and Randell Gudgel (fifth grade).

Elementary candidates include Tonya Rutledge and Benito Lopez (fourth grade),

Tiffany Kautz and Pete Martinez (third grade) Stephanie Johnson and Josh Zarage (second grade); Kristen Rutledge and Donye Dominguez (first grade); and Kandice Roberts and Deke Baxter (kindergarten).

Candidates will be selected by 1¢ votes. Cans, distributed in various businesses in Motley and Dickens Counties, will be available to receive "votes" through Saturday morning, when the cans will be collected and the winners determined. The class from which the kings and queens are selected will win \$25 for their class treasury. The remaining "votes" help defray the costs of costumes, crowns, and prizes awarded to the contestants.

Following the mini-pageant, the carnival will begin. The Class of 1990 will sponsor bingo, awarding prizes donated from area merchants. Guests are invited to douse their "favorite" teachers on the junior class dunking board. Darts thrown at caricatures of popular educators and politicians, and a steady hand at the ring toss will net sweet pleasures at the sopho-

mores' booths. The freshmen's putting green, the eighth grade's football toss, and the seventh grade's balloon dart throw will offer still more attempts at skills and prizes. Additionally, the eighth grade will be putting their newly-acquired button machine to use, assembling buttons with a wide variety of available sayings.

Still more entertainment will be provided in the sixth grade's "Fun Room," the fourth and fifth grades' Nerfball Throw, and the second and third grades' Basketball Throw. Younger visitors will particularly enjoy the "Fishing Pond" sponsored by the Kindergarten and First Grades, while the entire family will delight in the winnings from the Cake Walk that is sponsored by the athletic department.

In addition to booths, many of the classes are raffling quite desirable prizes. The sophomore class is raffling a hand-crafted "Black Baldy" Steer Sweatshirt/Sleepshirt (one size "swallows" all). Other raffles include dinner at Red Lobster (eighth grade), a Walkman (7th grade),

dinner for two at the Circle G Restaurant (6th grade), and hand-painted ink-on-glass picture (4th and 5th grades) and a Mother Duck Cookie Jar (kindergarten and first grades).

The Young Homemakers/FHA Alumni will provide the concessions, including their famous chili-cheese dogs and homemade treats at reasonable prices. The concession stand will open at 6:00 p.m. until time for the program to begin, and will reopen following the program.

Although the production is scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m., a record crowd is expected to rapidly fill the limited number of seats. Arriving early for supper and seating is highly recommended.

Shorty Martin Wins Buckle In Spur Roping



Buckle Winners in a team roping held at Red Mud Arena in Spur, October 8, 1989 were (left) Shorty Martin of Aspermont and at right is Jay Hart, of Munday. They were second in average in the team roping. Shorty, a former resident of Matador, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Martin of Matador.

DPS Urges Caution For Halloween

A very special time for lots of little ghosts and goblins is just around the corner. Halloween is fast approaching and hundreds of our little children will be taking to the neighborhoods for that familiar fun filled, "Trick or Treat".

Major V.J. Cawthon, Region V Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said, "We, as motorists, can prevent many disasters this Halloween, if we will take a little more time on our streets and highways remembering that this is a special time for our children." Cawthon stated, "Small children should be accompanied by older children or adults and trick or treating should be confined to those areas that the adults are familiar with. Costumes should be light in color, non-flammable and any type of mask used should not prevent the child from being able to see."

Parents should also instruct their children in traffic safety tips, insuring they

look in all directions before crossing streets and to walk, never run. A flashlight carried by the child can serve as a warning to motorists and children should be instructed to use sidewalks, whenever possible.

Motorists should use extra caution in residential areas and be on the lookout for kids darting into the streets from all directions. Remember, they are excited and pre-occupied with trick or treating. Drivers need to be extra alert.

For those of us who wish to participate in this upcoming Halloween evening and receive a visit from that little ghost or goblin, it is a good idea to remember to leave that front porch light on and to insure there are no obstructions on the walkways.

Major Cawthon stated, "If parents and motorists, join together and think, "Safety First", Halloween can be a safe and enjoyable evening for everyone."

Give thanks unto the Lord; call upon his name: make known his deeds among the people. Sing unto him, sing psalms unto him: talk ye of all his wondrous works. Glory ye in his holy name: let the heart of them rejoice that seek the Lord.

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Lubbock Doctor Designs New Knee Joint

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article was taken from the LUBBOCK AVALANCHE-JOURNAL and submitted by Marian Burt, who recently underwent this type of surgery.

A total knee replacement system designed by a Lubbock physician will restore joint function of each component of the knee - including the femur, tibia and patella - and should be more durable,

according to officials at Methodist Hospital.

The Bill Precision Anatomic Components, or G-PAC, is the result of 12 years of performing more than 700 total knee replacements by Dr. Gurdev Gill, an orthopedic surgeon at the hospital.

Gill has performed 50 operations using the new knee system, which incorporates available knee systems with his additions.

"I learned much from my experience with the systems I had used in replacement procedures," he said. "I took the best features of other systems and incorporated them into my own and developed the G-PAC total system. It has worked very well. We are pleased."

The goal in designing the knee replacement system was to refine the surgical procedure, improve the durability of the prosthesis and allow a pain-free functioning joint, he said.

"We are looking for a specific type of patient when we are considering a total knee replacement," he said.

"We are looking for a specific type of patient when we are considering a total knee replacement," he said. "Disabling pain, unrelieved by other means due to a multitude of joint destructive conditions such as osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, traumatic arthritis and a host of other conditions, is a primary indication for knee replacement."

"Although there is no age barrier, we generally reserve the use of artificial knees for older individuals with debilitating or severely painful knee conditions."

This less-costly surgical procedure takes less than 90 minutes to perform. To speed up rehabilitation, Gill said patients are placed on a continuous passive motion machine (CPM) that bends the knee with a gradually increasing bend. Most patients leave the hospital with in eight to 10 days and are walking without assistance in three to four weeks.

One key benefit of the knee system is that there is more size variation.

"There's a wider range of knees that can be replaced with this system," Gill said.

Although this system is more durable than most, Gill noted that all knee replacement systems are limited in the amount of time they can be used before needing replacement. "That's why we select patients carefully."

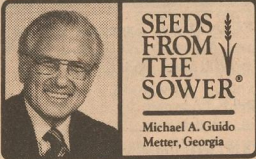
Gill said he has received positive responses to the knee system from patients, but that it is too early to accurately predict its full benefits.

"They will get better movement," Gill said of the patients. "Hopefully it will be more durable. But these things have to be judged a couple of years from now."

Until then, Gill said he will continue making improvements to the knee system.

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long time. Today it is a larger and more serious problem than ever before. Pay attention to the facts.

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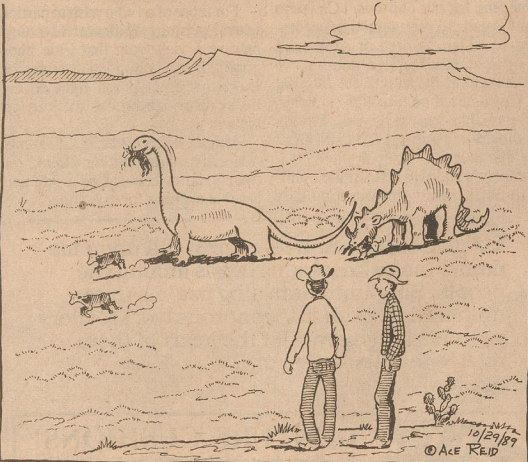
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WANTED: Employee with Agriculture background. Apply at Stockman's Supply, 806-347-2845 or 347-2793.

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HELP WANTED: Interviewing for full and part-time help, for mini-mart and Beer and Wine Store. 806-623-5555, Dickens.

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For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

Romans 3:23

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

Ephesians 2:10

Announcements

CLASS OF 1949 TO HOLD REUNION

The Class of 1949 will hold its 40 year reunion October 28th in the home of Mrs. Elsie Thacker. Be sure and come.

CLASS OF 1939 TO HOLD REUNION

The Class of 1939 of Matador High School will have their 50th Reunion, October 28, Saturday. Everyone is invited to come to the Senior Citizens Building.

CLASSES OF 1958-59-60 TO HOLD REUNIONS

The Matador High School Classes of 1958, 59 and 60 will hold a reunion Saturday afternoon, October 28, following the afternoon program. They will gather at the Motley County 4-H (VFW) Building for visiting and supper.

If you plan to attend, please RSVP by October 22 to Sheril Rigsby, 114 W. 14th, Hale Center, Texas 79041, (806) 839-2500 or James Bearden, Rt. 1 Box 21, Roaring Springs, Tx 79256, (806) 689-2296 or Ed D. Smith, 5224 86th St., Lubbock, Tx 79424, (806) 794-9363.

CLASS OF 1984 TO HOLD REUNION

The Motley County High School Class of 1984 will hold their 5 year reunion, Saturday, October 28. All class members and their guests will meet for a "Go Dutch Lunch" at Billie Dean's Restaurant dining room from 12 noon until 2:00 p.m. For further information call Holly Hobbs Lee at 293-9118.

CLASS OF 1969 TO HOLD REUNION

The Matador High School Class of 1969 will hold their 20th Reunion in the Library at the Motley County High School, 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Saturday, October 28.

All teachers and friends of this class are invited to attend.

CLASS OF 1979 TO HOLD 10 YEAR REUNION

The Motley County High School Class of 1979 will hold their 10 year reunion, Saturday, October 28 at 2:00 p.m. at the home of Mark Wason in Roaring Springs.

FALL CARNIVAL

The Eternas Study Club will sponsor a Fall Carnival, Saturday, October 28, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Old Grade School Gym. For more information contact Terree Donaldson, 347-2851.

Anyone interested in having a booth, contact Terree Donaldson, 347-2234 or 347-2851.

THE ETERNAS STUDY CLUB is accepting donations for Christmas decorations for downtown Matador. Contact Terree Donaldson, 347-2851, Sherry Rose, 347-2412 or Sarah Hurt, 347-2756 if you wish to donate.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION ESPECIAL)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Motley County, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Motley, Texas):

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 7, 1989 for voting in a special election for the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the 71st Legislature, Regular Session.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitadas abajo se abrian desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de Noviembre 1989 para votar en la Eleccion Especial para adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas propuestas constitucionales asi como fueron sometidas pro la 71a Legislatura, Regular Session.)

Locations of Polling Places
(Direcciones de las casillas electorales)

Motley County Courthouse
Matador Ford building.
Roaring Springs Depot
Flomot Community Center
Northfield Community Center

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Public Notices

PATTON SPRINGS YOUNG HOMEMAKERS TO SPONSOR "HOLIDAY DELIGHTS"

West Texas Utilities representative Lisa Hoff will be presenting her "Holiday Delights" program on Tuesday, October 31 at 4:00 p.m. in the Patton Springs Home Economics Cottage. The program is sponsored by the Patton Springs FHA Alumni. Ms. Hoff's program is an array of recipes and decorating tips for the upcoming holiday season. Recipe booklets will also be available to the public, who is cordially invited to attend.

HOMECOMING OPEN HOUSE

Everyone is invited to a Homecoming Open House following the Football game Friday night. It will be at the old VFW (4-H Building). We will have music and refreshments. Welcome to come after your reunion parties!

Peck, Marie & friends

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DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE TO BE HELD IN PADUCAH

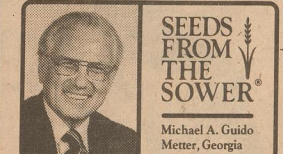
A Defensive Driving Course will be held in Paducah, November 4 at the Senior Citizens Building. A fee of \$25.00 cash is charged at the door. Pre-register by calling 983-3434 (Floydada Chamber of Commerce).

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ARTS AND CRAFTS CLUB TO SPONSOR BAZAAR

The Motley County Arts and Crafts Club will have their annual Bazaar on Saturday, November 4, 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Lots of homemade items for sale and Bake sale. In the Matador Ford Building on Hwy. 70.

LEFT AT MY HOME: A square Comingware dish with pyrex lid. You may pick up at Laverna Price's home or call 347-2630.



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER

Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

After many fruitless experiments, a man said to his co-worker, "Since we know 1,000 things that won't work, we're that much closer to finding what will." He did, and Thomas Edison became the greatest inventor in history. If you want to do it, you'll do it, if you work to do it. "He's abnormal," said his parents. "A misfit," added his high school teachers. He failed his first college entrance exam. But he made a comeback by going on, and like a postage stamp, he stuck until he succeeded. His name: Einstein.

Failed? A trying time is no time to quit trying. Go on. Ask God. He says: "I'll help you."

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