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Fortenberry Gets Life After Plea of Guilty

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Motley County's worst nightmare ended Thursday at 2:28 p.m. in the courthouse in downtown Matador. Larry C. Fortenberry pleaded guilty to the November 12, 1976, killing of Sheriff Jinks Wilson, a man about to retire from 22 years of law enforcement service.

Lawmen from three counties sat in the courtroom as Fortenberry took the witness stand, and District Attorney John Randy Hollums submitted into evidence a written statement.

"Were you there on the highway just east of Matador on November 12, 1976?" Hollums asked Fortenberry.

"Yes, I was."
"And did you have in your possession a sawed off shot gun?"

"Yes, I did."
"And did you use it to kill Sheriff Jinks Wilson?"

"Yes, I did."

A life sentence in the Texas Department of Corrections in Huntsville was assessed to Fortenberry by 110th District Court Judge George Miller, after plea bargaining between District Attorney, Hollums and Fortenberry's attorneys. It resulted in Fortenberry being found guilty of murder, punishment for which is five to 99 years or life. Capital murder, for which Fortenberry was about to be tried for the second time, is punishable by life imprisonment or the death penalty.

As part of the bargaining, charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle against Fortenberry were dropped and Hollums promised to seek no further indictments against Fortenberry in Motley County.

The life sentence will run concurrent with a 20-year sentence Fortenberry is serving for the theft of a car at gunpoint from a Motley County family and a 15-year sentence for the armed robbery of an Amarillo service station. Fortenberry, 30, of Mount Herman, La., will serve the

sentences at Huntsville.

A Hale County jury convicted Fortenberry of capital murder in 1977 for killing Sheriff Wilson and he was sentenced to death. But the conviction was overturned in March 1979, by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals which ordered the case retried. The higher court ruled that Judge Miller failed to instruct jurors properly on corroboration needed to convict a suspect on the basis of an accomplice's testimony.

The ruling was made in reference to testimony against Fortenberry by Stacy A. Carter, Fortenberry's companion when Wilson was shot. Carter told the Hale County court that Fortenberry knew Wilson was a lawman before he shot him.

The higher court ruled that the judge should have told the jury that Carter's testimony was not sufficient evidence to prove Fortenberry knew Wilson was a lawman.

In 1976, Fortenberry was serving a life sentence in Louisiana for murder when he escaped and came to Texas. He and Carter robbed the service station attendant in Amarillo and drove to Motley County. They drove through Matador and headed east on U.S. 70.

Earlier that day Wilson was working in his office. A resident reported he had heard on his CB radio that some cattle were on the highway east of town, and after a cup of coffee with friends at Stanley's Pharmacy, Wilson drove out to check on the cattle.

Shortly after 11 a.m. he came upon John D. Rogers, a friend who had stopped to pick up bottles and beer cans from the highway, three miles east of town. Wilson asked Rogers to ride with him to investigate the straying cattle, and the two continued east, leaving Rogers' car beside the road.

Fortenberry and Carter passed Rogers' car and, knowing the license plates on their own car were "hot" because of the Amarillo robbery, were looking for fresh tags. Carter suggested they take the plates off the abandoned car, and they turned around.

On their return trip Wilson and Rogers came upon the two fugitives. They already had one bolt out of one tag. Wilson got out of his car, unarmed and not wearing his badge; his car was unmarked.

Rogers later said Wilson began questioning the men and Fortenberry grabbed a shot gun from his car and said, "You ask too many questions." He shot the sheriff twice at close range. Rogers was then shot, being hit with buckshot in the right hand and side.

Carter told the Hale County Court in 1977 that Wilson identified himself as the county sheriff before Fortenberry shot him.

The nightmare had begun. The two men fled east in their car, passing Bailey County Deputy Pete Black, who was traveling west and close enough to "see Wilson fall" when the shooting started.

Rogers, over by the fence, waved frantically at Black and Black turned around. He pulled over to see what was going on and saw Wilson sprawled on his back in the east-bound lane. He

tried in vain to save Wilson's life by mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, then put out a bulletin over Wilson's radio. Later Justice of the Peace Roy Smith pronounced Wilson dead at the scene.

News spread rapidly over the county and CB radios began to blare-out the story in all manner of versions. County residents took up arms and a civilian manhunt was on.

The fugitives turned north on a ranch road and began driving through fences and gates. They crossed highway Spur 94 and entered Pat Sheridan's farm northeast of Matador. They found a pickup belonging to Bill Smallwood and abandoned their car to take it.

Driving west across a pasture, they came to the home of J.P. Sturdivant. They left the pickup (out of gas) and went to the house. At gunpoint they demanded the keys to Mr. Sturdivant's car, and sped toward Matador. Sturdivant and his son, James, not yet knowing of Wilson's death, gave chase in James' car. They went through Matador south down Main Street and around to Higginbotham-Bartlett Company where they stopped to call Sheriff Wilson to notify him of the car theft.

The fugitives got through Matador and across the county, and finally turned, probably at Dickens, on State Highway 82 toward Crosbyton.

DPS Trooper Kenneth Witt of Crosbyton intercepted them, with information of the car they were

now in, and pulled them over. They had already discarded the guns they were carrying, probably to avoid a shoot-out with lawmen. Witt arrested the two.

Last Thursday, besides Fortenberry, the only witness called by Hollums was current Sheriff Alton Marshall. Marshall said his investigation had determined, without a doubt, Fortenberry had killed Wilson.

Previous trials of Carter and Fortenberry, to add to the nightmare, had cost the county \$57,500. A new trial for capital murder which was scheduled to begin last Friday with a hearing, would have cost another \$35,000.

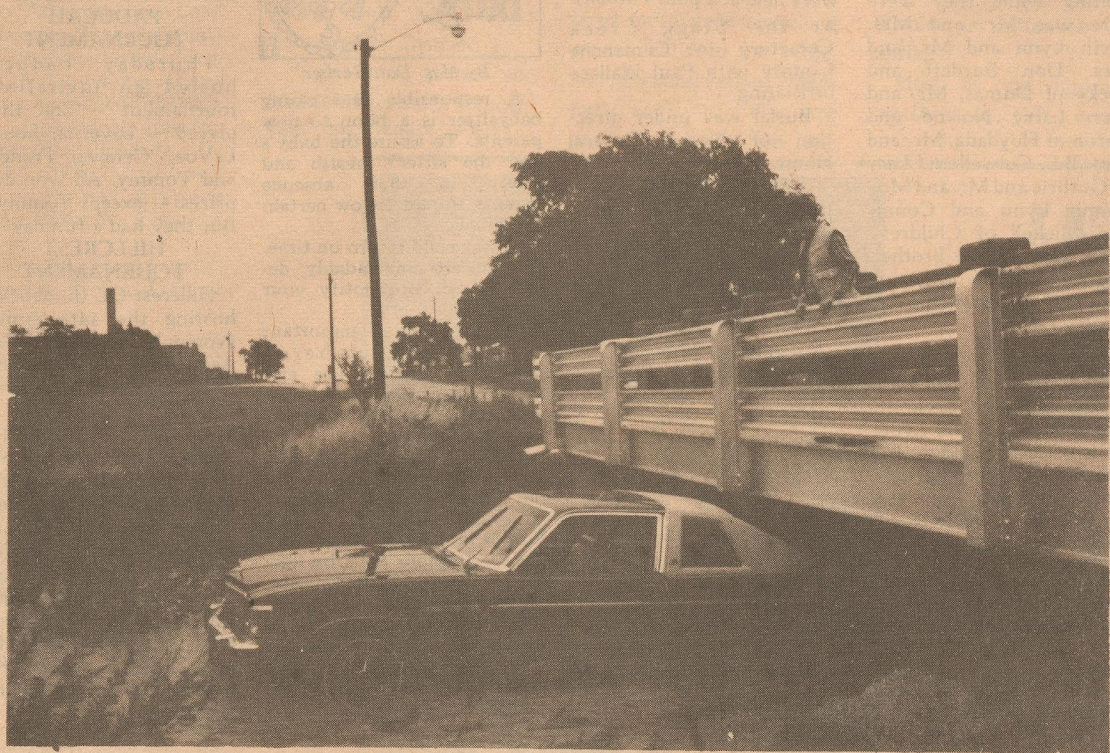
The trial Thursday ended; Fortenberry was hurried away by Marshall and taken to Hale County jail to await transfer back to Huntsville. "You can tell me or not," Marshall said to Fortenberry, as they traveled out of Motley County, "but I'll always wonder. It doesn't make any difference now, but did you know Jinks was a lawman?"

"Yeah. It was just like Carter said it was." Fortenberry answered, then he paused and asked, "Did they electrocute that guy in Florida?"

"Yes, they did," Marshall answered.

"I feel like I got a good deal," Fortenberry said.

If Fortenberry is ever released on parole from the Texas sentence, he still faces a life sentence in Louisiana.



CAR TOTALED -- A Floydada man's car stalled late Friday while he was attempting to cross a flooded street in Roaring Springs. He left the 1977 Buick to get a chain, and when he returned his car had washed away and lodged under a bridge

a block away. The car is said to have been totaled by water damage caused by the rushing water left by heavy rain earlier Friday.

(Photo by Gerald Garst)

Motley County Rodeo Scheduled June 15--16

Everything is in readiness for the Motley County Juniors Saturday, June 15 and 16 at the Old Settlers Arena in Roaring Springs. Performances will be at 8:00 p.m. each evening and an open dance will be held Saturday the 17th starting at 9:30 p.m. Music will be provided by Henry Lester of Idalou, Texas. The Rodeo is sponsored by the Motley County 4-H Club.

Prizes will include buckles and one-half entry fee for Seniors, buckles and one-third entry fee for Juniors, and buckles for the PeeWee division. A saddle will be presented to the high point boy and to the high point girl in the Jr. and Sr. division

and All-Around buckles to the high point boy and girl in the Pee Wee division. The number of places paid in each event will depend upon the number of entrants in the event.

A stick horse race for preschool children will be held Saturday night. Contestants will be divided into two age categories; ages four and under and ages five and six. Prize money will be awarded to the first three winners each night.

Events will include barrel race, flag race, pole bending and bareback riding in all three divisions. The Junior and Senior events will also include bull riding, girls goat

tying and heading and heeling. In addition to the events mentioned, the Pee Wee contestants will be entering goat tying and calf riding. Books close June 13th. Information may be obtained by calling 806-347-2461.

Youth 19 and under are eligible for events which include bareback riding, bull riding, calf roping, ribbon roping, heading and heeling, goat tying, barrel racing, flag racing and pole bending.

Contact Dell Bearden, 806 347-2461 or Bill Halford, 347-2333 for information, or write

Drawer P, Matador, TX 79244.

Runt Sloan, Newcastle, is the stock producer, and the event is sponsored by the Motley County 4-H Rodeo Assn. Performances start at 8:00 PM, with a dance to be held Saturday night the 16th, starting at 9:30 PM, with music by Henry Lester, Idalou.

Saddles for high point boy and girl (Pee Wees excluded), and buckles for high point Pee Wee boy and girl. Buckles for 1st in all events, plus 50% payback for Seniors (16-19) and 33% payback for Juniors (12-15).

Rains Fall, Creeks Swell In Flash Thunderstorm

Local farmers watch in dismay as the rains came again Friday after only a short drying spell last week. A few had planted their cotton over for the second time Friday morning, only to have the topsoil washed away in the heavy thunderstorm that night and Saturday morning.

The area creeks swelled to their banks and city streets flooded during the storm

that lasted for nearly an hour. Lightning pounded the countryside and all anyone could do was watch.

Matador received from four to five inches of rain Friday night and Saturday morning, while Roaring Springs reported as much as three quick inches had fallen. Residents at Flomot reported around two inches and Northfield farmers received four inches in

places. Whiteflat reported about three inches of moisture.

The recent recordings have pushed the rainfall reported this month to over six inches. If no new moisture is received for awhile farmers may be able to get a cotton crop into the ground, but some are

talking about switching to a milo or other crop this year.

While the farmers are singing their songs of woe, the ranchers are watching their cattle get fat on lush green grass. Watering holes are numerous, now, and even city residents are enjoying thick green lawns without higher water bills.



MATADOR SWAMP -- This creek bed appears to be flowing with water out of its banks but it is about four feet lower in this picture taken Saturday afternoon than it was Friday night. Matador received from four to five inches of rain during the downpour. (Photo by Mary Renfro)

Fire Destroys Candle Business In Flomot

Motley County's newest business was put out of business late Tuesday as fire ripped through the Country Side Candle Shop 3 1/2 miles southeast of Flomot on F.M. 2009.

Cheryl Bynum and Kathy Shorter had just finished making several hundred dollars worth of candles and had them displayed in the dining area of the house, belonging to Ruth Smith of Lubbock. The ladies left the shop at 5:40 and the fire was discovered at 7:30.

As many of the candles were scented, Matador

firemen said it was the sweetest smelling fire they had ever been to. No final estimate has been made to the damage and firemen were unable to determine the cause.

"All the candles were melted," Cheryl told the Tribune Wednesday. "I guess we could have a fire sale."

The ladies had hand-crafted candles with some real unique styles. They do not know at this time what their future plans for the shop will be.



NEAR TRAGEDY - A powerful explosion ruined the inside of the Melton Brooks home, southeast of Roaring Springs, early Saturday morning, destroying furniture, dishes, carpets and even the foundation. Lightning is said to have been the probable cause, but the house did not burn because of water standing under the house left by heavy rains. Windows were blown out and the floor was buckled upward and apart in several places. The family was all in bed at the time, and no serious injuries were reported. (Photo by Gerald Garst).

Cake Auction Planned for Brooks Family

A Benefit Cake Auction for the Melton Brooks Family, is planned for Monday, June 25, at 8:00 p.m. at Roaring Springs Depot. Bring a cake and join the fun. If you can't join the

cake auction, but would like to make a donation, you can do so at the First State Bank or City Cleaners in Matador. Any business in Roaring Springs will accept donations for the Brooks Family.

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About Local Folks

RETURNS HOME
 Mrs. Ethel Payne returned home Monday evening from Lubbock, where she has been at the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Payne and Blake, and visiting at the hospital bedside of her other son, Charles Payne of Silverton, who is a patient in Methodist Hospital.
 She accompanied Mrs. Pat Sheridan home, she, having been in Lubbock during the week end, at the home of her son, Pat Sheridan Jr., whose wife had major surgery Monday morning in Methodist Hospital.

HOME FROM CALIFORNIA
 Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves returned home Sunday night from California, where they have been visiting their sons, Pat Groves, of Saratoga and Truman Groves, of Arcadia, and their families.

Birthdays
 Sidney Head, June 18

Mrs. Lee Smallwood of Levelland visited the past week with her sister, Mrs. Ruby Thompson.
 W.W. (Woody) Allen of Plainview visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Meador.

Mr. and Mrs. John Briscoe accompanied their grandchildren, Jama and Landry Clifton to their home in Dumas, Saturday after they had visited here the past week and in Roaring Springs with their paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clifton. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clifton.

Visitors last week in the home of Mrs. Alvin Stearns were a niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Shaw and daughter, Joanne of Albuquerque, NM.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and daughter, Mrs. Norris Vandagriff, all of Amarillo visited here Thursday with Mrs. Edwards' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghen.

Mrs. Richard Lancaster of Breckenridge visited from Thursday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton. She was accompanied home by her daughters, Leann and Kristy, who attended Vacation Bible School, here, last week at the First Baptist Church, while visiting their grandparents; and aunt, Mrs. C.D. Garrison.

Mrs. Guy Kimbell, accompanied by her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Billingsley, all of Midland visited here Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green. Mrs. Ocie Smallwood and other friends. Mrs. Kimbell, formerly of Matador, is now making her home in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Russell of Hale Center, came Sunday and accompanied his mother, Mrs. J.E. Russell and her sister, Mrs. Alfred Barton Sr., to visit their other sisters, Mrs. Erma McAdams of Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordon in Crowell, and Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Barton Sr., in Paducah.

Recent Surgery
 Mrs. Mae Thompson has returned home after having had surgery last month, in Spearman. She remained there with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beeson for a time, then stayed with her other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webb of Plainview, who accompanied her to her home here, June 1.

Here From Java
 Lowell Barkley, who is employed with a company in Java, visited here last week with his mother, Mrs. L.J. Barkley and other relatives.

RECENT VISITORS
 Visiting Mrs. Kathryn King Thursday and Friday was her son, Butch King, from Morris, Illinois. He was accompanied by nine young people from Morris. They were en route to the Church of Christ Youth Camp in Las Vegas, NM. Mr. King is pastor of the Church of Christ in Morris.
 Mrs. Robert Morton and daughter Traci of Cleveland Texas, visited last week from Thursday until Tuesday with her mother Mrs. L.L. Lynn, and other relatives.
 Other family members visiting while they were here was Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Don Burdett and Becky of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Noland and Aaron of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Colwell and Lacy of Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lynn and Connie and Michell of Childress. Also Mrs. Lynns brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Mahling of Leedey OK.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ervin Jr. and son and Mrs. Ernest (Grandma) Ervin Sr. who is 92, and still living alone, of Brownfield visited friends in Roaring Springs, Sunday evening, in the homes of The Gerald Byars and Ora Stonecipher.
 Walter T. Ross visited in Matador over the weekend. Jim Ross, Dallas; Elizabeth Andestad, El Paso; and Dorothy Carson, Olton were in Matador with Mr. Ross on business.

Funeral Services Held For Guy O. Patrick

Funeral Services were held in Tulare California, May 25 for Guy O. Patrick. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Patrick, long time residents of Flomot.

Earl and Arthur Patrick of Quitaque are two of his nephews.

Services Held For J.B. Tidmore

Graveside services for J.B. Tidmore, 68, of Guthrie were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Stagg Creek Cemetery in Comanche County with Paul Wallace officiating.

Burial was under direction of Norris Funeral Home of Paducah.

Tidmore died Sunday in the Brownwood Community Hospital after a two-week illness.

A native of Comanche County, he was a retired Church of Christ minister. He served churches in Matador, Turkey, Paducah, Brownwood, Crystal City and Clayton, NM, prior to his retirement. He moved to King County about a year ago.

Survivors include his wife, Mildred; his father, R.L. of Rotan; two sons, Jack of Paducah and Bobby of Guthrie; three sisters, Pauline Fisher of Fort Worth, Ottilie Mae Robinson of May, and Merl Nichols of Rotan; and five grandchildren.

He was born in Montague County, Texas, September 19, 1892, died in Tulare California, May 23, 1979.
 He is survived by wife, Fay Tibbets Patrick, a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Cecil Patrick, of Portales New Mexico, a daughter, Mrs. Selma Hartman, of Citrus Heights, California. Seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren.



LONG DRIVE
 Winifred, Dorothy, Kathy, Loys and Hazel played. Loys won long drive on No. 8. Dorothy had a birdie on No. 3 -- with a hole out -- which MADE her morning! It took all of us to spot each of our balls -- due to the weeks and water and a few out in the rough.

PADUCAH TOURNAMENT
 Thursday, Paducah hosted an invitational tournament -- and these played -- Laverna, Louise, LaVoe, Geneva, Francine and Tommy. All won door prizes -- except Tommy -- But they had a fun day!

HILLCREST TOURNAMENT
 Hillcrest CC (Lubbock) is hosting the 44th Annual Women's West Texas Golf Association Tournament, this week. Qualifying rounds were played on Monday. Nearly 150 women from clubs all over West Texas are competing in this annual tournament. Louise and Geneva have entered -- as these area players -- Tish Orr and Diane Ratliff from Paducah; Jean Hassell from Childress; Neva Abell (Ralls). Matched play began Tuesday in the nine flights. (More on this tournament later.)

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Lions Given Program On Photography

An interesting program on photography was given for Matador Lions Club at its regular meeting June 5, at the American Legion Building.

Presenting the program was Gerald Garst, Coordinator for the Rolling Plains Special Education, and school photographer. He gave a background of the subject, stating that the first camera made by Eastman Kodak was the box camera, in 1898. He reviewed the advancement which the industry has made, to the present Polaroid, or instant picture.

Wedding pictures, he said, are the hardest to make. "I enjoy making pictures for the school annual," he said. "It gives me an opportunity to get acquainted with the students."

Lion, Walter Jones served a hearty steak and potatoes lunch, with vegetables, and banana pudding.
 Next meeting of the club will be Tuesday, June 19. All members are urged to remember the date.
 Visitors at last week's meeting were Virginia DeWitt, with the Social Security office in Plainview; Tommie Wilson and John Douglas Russell.



IT'S A HIT -- Bodie Barnes shows determination as he gets a hit in the Little League Softball games being played here. Games are still being played despite several wet days last week. With warm weather this week, makeup games should put all the teams back on schedule.

Baseball Scores

June 5	
Cougars 15	Dodgers 6
Bears 13	Dodgers 11
June 6	
Astros 24	Red Sox 7
June 7	
Bears 16	Dodgers 6
Red Sox 18	Rangers 9
Astros 17	Rangers 13
June 11	
Cougars 37	Dodgers 3
Astros 22	Red Sox 13
Astros 17	Red Sox 8

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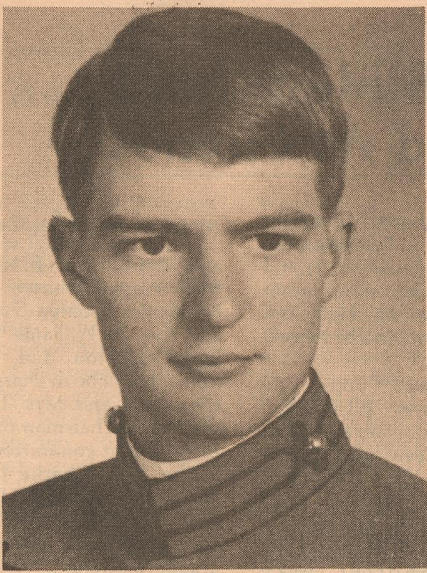
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Lt. Charles Giesecke
Joins Long Gray Line

WEST POINT, N.Y.—Charles B. Giesecke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Giesecke, Matador, joined the "Long Gray Line" of West Point graduates on June 6.

His studies included science, engineering, and the humanities in the ratio prescribed by the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. He received a Bachelor of Science degree and was commissioned a

Regular Army second lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers.

A 1975 graduate of Motley County High School, he received a congressional appointment to the academy.

While at West Point the newly commissioned officer was a member of the Investment Club, the Finance Forum and manager of the baseball team.

Singing Convention Meeting Announced

Motley County Singing Convention, oldest organization in the county, will meet Sunday, June 17, at the Assembly of God Church in Matador, it was announced this week by Walter Craft of Roaring Springs, president.

The convention, organized in 1893, meets twice each year, the third Sunday in June and the third Sunday in October. Singers come

from a wide area, and surrounding communities of Floydada, Plainview, Dickens and Paducah.

When the organization was first formed it was an all-day affair with "dinner on the ground."

Singing will start at 1:30 Sunday, and continue until 4, according to the announcement. Everyone is invited.

Green Thumb Crew Working At Roaring Spgs.

The Motley County Green Thumb crew are still working and doing repair in and around Roaring Springs. Our area Supervisor, Jack Simmons was here

recently bringing us more material also information, improtant to our project; the Mini Bus has taken the Elders to Doctors at Crosbyton, Lubbock and Plainview, recently.

Weapons Being Used In Communist Takeover Of America

By Elvin Dick

Weapons used in America today by the KGB (Soviet Secret Police) is essentially everything under the sun that will work. Technique is to "untie ropes not break them" through cunningly taking advantage of any weakness found through: lies, propoganda, murder, assassinations, serveilance, finance, legal investments, infiltration into the FBI, CIA, Armed Forces, labor unions, Vista, Congress, news media, Hollywood; by sabatage, defrauding, poisoning, exortion, insane asylum committing, military invasion, brainwashing, psychological warfare, "psyching," sex, economic undermining, betrayal, mistrust, religious infiltration, manipulation, dope, political favors, alcohol, abortion, terrorism, drugging, dossiers, bombings, torture, discrediting persons and governments, hirelings, natural resources, defaming, threats, forgeries, hostages, reprisals, spying, character assassinations, espionage, riots, marches-demonstrations, persecution, disease causing, imprisonments, trading, sleep deprivation, starvation, false documentation, borrowing, corruption, debt defaulting, "poll parrots," diplomacy, crime, conspiracy, suspicion-distrust, embasseys, coverups, suspense-tension, guerillas, treason, collaboration, intimidation, accusing, political favors, ambush, contributions, economic reprisals, foreign aid, computers, courts, harrassment, theft, U.S. Constitution misuse, misuse of our laws, elections, violence, scapegoats, beatings, diversion-decoys, students and especially economic suppressions to name some. Also important is their apparent control, somewhat, of collosal riches, politics the news media, and our morals, men against women, (ERA), race against race, gun versus gun, North against South, young against -- aged (Generation Gap) and such are ways to divide us and conquer, which is to "get the enemy to defeat himself."

than its victims in the U.S. and elsewhere realize for they will to enslave us from the womb to the tomb. They are doing it with geneous' successes. They are not to be underestimated or ignored or misunderstood. Look how they have already succeeded elsewhere.

This impounding and sinister weapons, list 110 in number, is not even complete. But it illustrates what we are up against and that these weapons will be continually used against us 24 hours a day, each day. We are locked in a fight to the death. Let's face it, either democracy or communism will immerge the victor. Which will it be?

It's up to you and me; God being our delivrance once more. We certainly hope and pray for His delivrance!!

"Do not wish to be anything but what you are, and try to be that perfectly."
St. Francis De Sales



Sen. Huey Long of Louisiana filibustered without stop in the Senate for 15 1/2 hours. His monologue on June 12, 1935, filled 100 pages in the Congressional Record.

GOOD CITIZENSHIP

What Needs Doing · How You Can Help

March Of Dimes Announces First-Ever Campaign

The first corporate-sponsored national fund-raising campaign ever conducted on behalf of the National Foundation March of Dimes was announced by Harry E. Green, chairman of the board. The drive, which hopes to raise in excess of \$1 million, will be conducted through the more than 4,300 Kentucky Fried Chicken stores nationwide.



"We're extremely pleased over the prospects of this campaign," Green said. "The Kentucky Fried Chicken organization has demonstrated to us a sincere desire to help the March of Dimes fight birth defects and 'HELP CHANGE THE FUTURE'—the theme of the drive." Green also noted that all the money raised through this project will go directly to the March of Dimes. All overhead costs for collateral materials are being absorbed by the corporate sponsor.

Col. Harland Sanders, the 89-year-old founder of the corporation has been named national chairman of the campaign which will be conducted during the entire month of July.

Sanders related that this campaign is his company's first national public service effort. "It just seemed to me that our franchisees owe a lot to the community," he reflected. "And now it's time to give something back."

But there's even more to the Colonel's interest in the March of Dimes. He can vouch for what they do. Sanders has a great-granddaughter who was treated at

a March of Dimes-supported hospital.

The campaign will include a special kick-off event tied to store sales and a month-long in-store canister promotion. Customers will be asked to HELP CHANGE THE FUTURE by leaving their change in specially designated containers. Colonel Sanders himself will host a special picnic for children with birth defects to begin the campaign. And during July, he'll travel all over America visiting March of Dimes-supported research facilities to dramatize the Foundation's worthwhile projects.

The National Foundation March of Dimes is America's third largest voluntary health organization. It has nearly 1,000 chapters throughout the country and raised more than \$64 million in 1978. The Foundation is approved by the National Information Bureau, meeting all their stringent criteria for a sanctioned not-for-profit fund-raising entity.

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8-11 CHOPS
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\$1.39
LB.

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Pork Chops
LB. \$1.89

HORMEL BLACK LABEL
Sliced Bacon
LB. \$1.39

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Spare Ribs
LB. \$1.39

FRESH PORK
Spare Ribs
LB. \$1.49

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12 OZ. PKG. \$1.09

HORMEL CANNED
Ham Patties
12 OZ. CAN \$1.49

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Whiteflat News By Earlyne Jameson

CONGRATULATIONS PARTY IS HELD FOR JOEL DEAN SPRAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Dean Spray were the honored guests at a party given in the rural home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scott of Whiteflat, Tuesday night, June 5.

Joel Dean Spray and Debra Stockton Nichols exchanged marriage vows in a ceremony held in Floydada, March 22, 1979. They are living in Matador where Mr. Spray is manager of the Spray Auto and Farm Supply and Mrs. Spray is an employee at the First State Bank.

Adding to the night of entertainment, a box of canned goods with the labels removed was presented to the couple. Refreshments of chips and dips, cake and fruit punch were served. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Max Barton.

FAREWELL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings attended a Farewell Party for Minister and Mrs. Bill Burkham, pastor of the Church of Christ in Matador, Sunday night, June 10, following the church services. The courtesy was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkham are moving to Seymour where he will be Youth Director at the Church of Christ and work with religious programs for the local radio station.

J. M. Hill of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox, Cary and Cory of Van Horn visited during the week end

with his mother, Mrs. Leona Cox and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cox, Shawn and Ron. They also visited in Matador with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Joe Thomas of Amarillo visited Mrs. Ralph Stapleton, Sunday. She also visited in Flomot with Robert I. Thomas, Mrs. Bert Cloyd and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd.

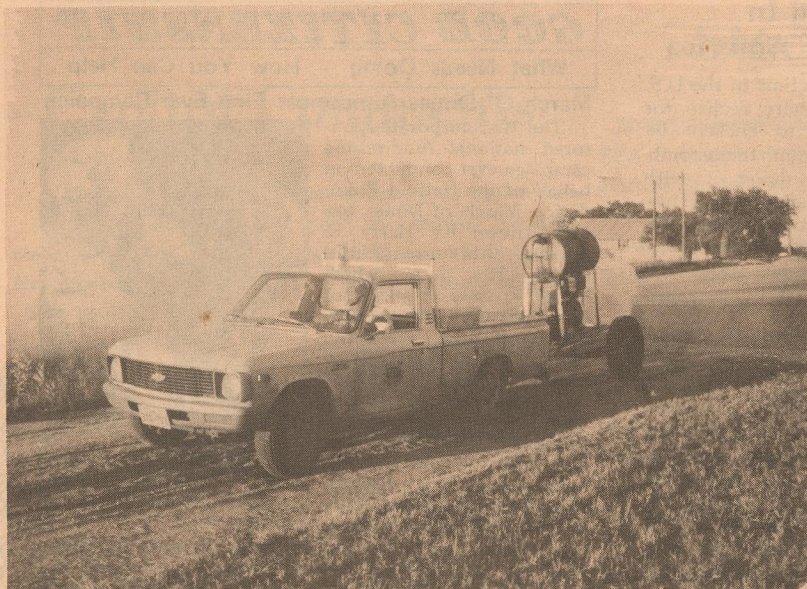
Lance Jameson of Abilene visited the week end with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Jameson and Shannon.

Mrs. Billy McNair and daughter, Amanda of Plano and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. "Whitey" Whitefield of Matador visited Mrs. Janice Dixon and Spencer, Sunday.

Visiting from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton were Mrs. Jess Patrick of Breckenridge and granddaughter, Misty Patrick of Odessa. Guests in the Barton home, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Aldridge of Carter, Oklahoma and grandchildren, Chad and Cory Rippitoe of Cordell, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Bud Barton of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Scuff of Matador. Cory Rippitoe remained to visit her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Barton.

Mrs. Roy Rosser, Tony and Lisa of Lewisville visited from Thursday until Sunday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth of Sundown visited during the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Martin and celebrated Mr. Martin's birthday, Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin, local residents.



WAR ON BUGS -- The City of Matador began spraying for mosquitos this week as the insects began to emerge from standing water and moist grasses. Some of the larger Texas mosquitos are said to have shaken the ground when they crashed after the City's first attack. (Photo by Leon Watson)

Social Security Tips

Virginia DeWitt Social Security Administration

Question: I've heard some people say they just filled out a card and mailed it in to get a social security number. Others said they had to go into the office and have a personal interview. Which is correct?

Answer: Persons 18 years of age or older are required to have a personal interview with a social security representative. Anyone who wants a social security number must now furnish proof of age and identity. Age is usually established by birth certificate or baptismal record. To show identity you would need something like a driver's license, medical record, marriage certificate, voters registration, or school record.

For further information regarding Social Security benefits please contact the Social Security office, 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview, telephone 293-4317.

Dear Sir:
Judging by the Article on page 31, May 16, 1979 issue of Review of the News our Counterfeit Christian has stabbed us in the back again.
This time using the

World Bank he's used our tax money to make a cash donation, amounting to \$11,644,841,000, to all of his Communist friends, who want to share our wealth.
Direct Foreign Aid has

more or less been stopped, so to get our tax money to various Communist Countries, the deal is camouflaged as a loan. Our tax money is being used to finance the World Bank (who answer only to themselves) then the communists flock in from all directions to borrow from the bank. And as long as no Communist Country has ever repaid one cent during the past 70 years, all this deal amounts to is a gift, covered up as a loan.
This gift, along with the \$26.1 Billion Dollar Canal payaway, \$11 Billion Dollars to Red China, \$5.6 Billion Dollars to the Sadat-Begin hoax represents quit a sizable pile of our tax money - all going to one communist regime or another, and all being extorted from the Middle Class tax paying American.

Piling all of this on top of the Contrived Energy Crisis, National Health Care (another \$100 Billion per year) the Metric System (another \$100 Billion to change over) Gun Control (another \$100 Billion to pay for confiscated guns) it appears that the Middle Class American is in for some rough going.
The \$64 question is can we afford any more of the present Mis Administration. Or if we survive until the next election are we going to wake up, as Canada and England have done and put in a pro American Conservative Administration.
I'll bet we don't, or won't.
Yours truly,
D. Bradley Upton

Letter to the Editor

Spur, Texas
May 23, 1979
Editor of Matador Tribune
Matador, Texas

Dear Sir:
Inclosed is an article from the **Teacher Retirement System of Texas** on the problem of forcing teachers into Social Security. The "offset provision" is the same "Section 234 of the law PL-216" which I wrote about in February.
The bills to repeal this

are H.R.801 and S. 294 as shown in this article.
Please print this letter and the article so that **retired teachers**, who are benefiting by drawing both **Teacher Retirement and Social Security**, as well as active teachers - so that all may begin writing their senators and the Senate Finance and House Ways and Means Committees.
Thanks
Marie Kelley

PREWITT TESTIFIES AGAINST MANDATORY SOCIAL SECURITY OFFSET PROVISION AT HEARING

OPPOSITION TO PROPOSED MANDATORY SOCIAL SECURITY COVERAGE AND THE "OFFSET" PROVISION OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY AMENDMENTS WAS EXPRESSED BY TRS EXECUTIVE SECRETARY LEONARD PREWITT AT A RECENT ALBUQUERQUE FIELD

introduced in Congress, H.R. 801 by Rep. Richard C. White of Texas and S. 294 by Sen. Charles Mathias of Maryland, which would repeal the offset provision. Public hearings will be held later this year before Senate Finance and House Ways and Means committees.
Mandatory social security coverage in addition to retirement plans which have been established would add what would, in some cases, be an intolerable tax burden, Prewitt pointed out. Actuarial valuations have shown that mandatory or universal coverage could cause greater liabilities to be accrued than the resulting tax would produce.

Opposition to proposed mandatory social security coverage and the "offset" provision of the 1977 Social Security amendments was expressed by TRS Executive Secretary Leonard Prewitt at a recent Albuquerque field hearing of a Health, Education, and Welfare study group.
Speaking for the TRS Board of Trustees and as Legislative chairman of the National Council on Teacher Retirement, Prewitt questioned the authority of the Federal government to force a tax on an entity of a local or state government.

Prewitt stated that social security coverage continue to be optional for public employees and the governmental unit should not have authority to unilaterally withdraw its employees from social security without approval of the employees.

The offset provision which will begin in 1982, would reduce a spouse's (including surviving spouse's) social security benefit payments by the amount of any governmental (federal, state or local) retirement benefit payable to the spouse as a result of employment not covered by social security. "Why should a spouse be denied a benefit due another spouse just because he or she earned an annuity under another retirement plan? Prewitt asked while calling for repeal of "this grossly discriminatory provision."
Bills have been

Vacation Bible School Announced At Flomot

The First Baptist Church of Flomot will begin Vacation Bible School activities with a Preparation Day on Saturday, June 16 at 10:00 a.m. There will be a "Picture Parade" with balloons then pre-registration and refreshments.

Vacation Bible School will continue from Monday, June 18 through Friday, June 22 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The closing exercises will be held Friday, at 8:00 p.m. with each

department performing on the program. Following the program, the VBS arts and crafts will be on display in the Fellowship Hall and refreshments will be served.

VBS Dept. Supt. and helpers are: NURSERY: Mrs. Rex Johnson with Mrs. Steve Green and Trina Caraway; BEGINNERS: Mrs. Clois Shorter with Mesdames Joe Ike Clay and Billy Roys; PRIMARY: Mrs. L. E. Shorter with

Mesdames Harrison George and Art Green; JUNIOR: Mrs. Wayne Hunter with Mesdames Donnie Turner and Kyle McWilliams. Mrs. Dan Kingston and June Johnson will be in charge of the music and Mrs. L. D. Bilberry is chairman of the refreshment committee.

The Rev. Charlie Lumus, pastor, invites all the boys and girls of the area, age 3 through the sixth grade, to attend.

Field Day To Be Held On Shin Oak Control

The Texas Section Society for Range Management, the Soil Conservation Service, and Texas Tech University will host a field day on brush and weed control June 27, 1979 beginning at 9:00 a.m. at Plains, Texas. The plants featured on this tour are sand shinnery oak and broom snakeweed.

The work to be toured on shinnery oak is chemical application of tebuthiuron. This has been known in the past as "Spike" and will soon

be introduced for use here as GRASLAN. This is the first chemical that has really looked promising for extended control of shinnery. The work done at Plains should prove beneficial to landusers here in Motley County as the trials have been on the same specie of shinnery. If you are interested in attending this field day contact James Gillespie at the SCS office for information on how to get to the location of the field day and an agenda.

ASCS News

NOTICE TO ALL FARMERS
The final date to file for Prevented Planting Credit: has now been EXTENDED to June 25, 1979.

FINAL CERTIFICATION
July 15, 1979, is the final date to certify your spring seeded crops. If you fail to certify by this date, you may be out of the 1979 farm program.

Accuracy is of utmost importance in certification

of your acreages and land use.

An incorrect acreage report may result in a stiff penalty or make your farm ineligible for program benefits or cross-compliance could make all of your farms ineligible for program benefits.

If you cannot or will not measure your own crops, then sign-up for aerial measurement.
Don't Guess!...Be Sure!

HOSPITAL NOTES

HOSPITAL PATIENTS
Joe Berry Meador is a cardiac patient in Veteran's Hospital, Amarillo, 79106, where he was admitted Tuesday of last week for tests and treatment. He is in Ward 3-A.

Matador residents who are patients in Richard's Memorial Hospital, Paducah, include Mrs. Reece Timmons, Edmond Jackson, J.D. Addison, and Mrs. Kate

Stanley. Mrs. Timmons was re-admitted to the hospital, Saturday, after her condition worsened at her home here.

Bill Moss is a patient in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, where he had major surgery June 5. He is in room 570.

Clay Hart has returned home from Lubbock, where he had major surgery June 1, at Methodist Hospital.

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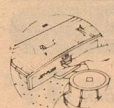
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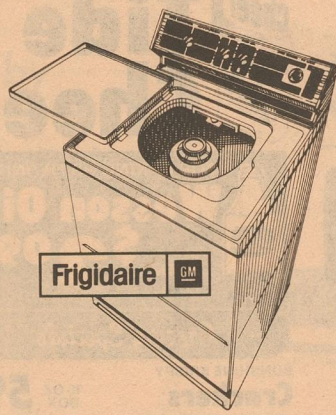
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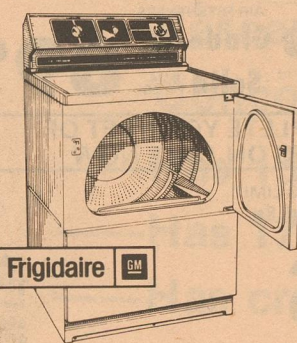


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Roaring Springs News

BY ODESSA MULLINS

Ted Kingery of Silverton drove his mother's car home for her last Friday. She had to shorten her visit to her daughter, Mrs. Belirdickson in Amarillo because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dye, Cody and Erica, of Crosbyton came for his mother, Mrs. Minnie Dye on Saturday, to have her nearer a doctor for diagnosis and treatment of a suspected bloodclot in her right leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard A. Lewis Jr. of Houston visited his mother, briefly Sunday on their way to points in West Texas and New Mexico where Lewis, associate Regional Plant Supervisor, working out of the Amoco Offices in Houston will check Amoco. Plants. He was scheduled to check the company's plants at Levelland, Andrews, Odessa, and other points and to attend a meeting of oil personnel in Artesia, N.M. before returning to Houston Tuesday of next week.

Miss Lula Swim left Saturday to attend the Annual Swim Reunion in Plano; she went by way of Vernon where her uncle Murray Echols joined her for the trip. She returned home Monday.

Mrs. J.T. Swim Jr. of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Swim, Edward and Emily of Abilene, remained in the Lula Swim home; so Mrs. Swim Jr. and Emily could visit there while Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Swim and Edward could attend the

wedding of her sister of Matador, Edward was "in the wedding."

Earl Freeman of Odessa spent Friday night with his father and father and son visited their wife and mother Jessie Freeman in the Floydada Nursing Home, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Miller and Mrs. Roxie Lewis were Wednesday afternoon, visitors in the Floydada Nursing Home with Mrs. Jessie Freeman. They also visited with Juanita Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Cooper and Mrs. Ruby Myles drove to Spur Sunday afternoon for pie and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Miller visited his sister Mrs. Pearl Costelow in Spur, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Amy Harris of Slaton spent several days last week with Mrs. Lilian Thacker, and with her brother M.D. Freeman and other friends. She also visited in Floydada at the nursing home with Mrs. Jessie Freeman.

John, Terry, and Randy Anderson of Richardson visited during the week end with their grandparents, M.D. Freeman and Jessie Freeman in the nursing home at Floydada.

Visiting during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bradford, were his brothers, Dan Bradford of Vernon and W.T. Bradford of Amarillo and a nephew and children Gary Bradford, Bret, and Tina of Aluton, TX. Gary is with the Border patrol.



BOGGY CREEK -- Water soaked grass and other debris hang from limbs several feet above the water level Saturday morning, showing that sometime during the night the water roared along as much as ten feet deep in places. (Photo by Mary Renfro)



POWERFUL WATER -- Fences, young trees and who knows what else were washed away in floods which came Friday night and Saturday morning. Rain, wind and lightning raged over the county for more than an hour, dumping at least four inches of water in some parts of the county. (Photo by Mary Renfro)

Flomot News BY EARLYNE JAMESON

Viola Stinson and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Snyder, Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hays.

Last week end, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and son, Randy and daughter, Susan of Lubbock helped another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter and son, Ross move from Abilene to Midland where they will make their home. En route home, they visited overnight Sunday with Susan in Lubbock.

Mrs. Tom Ross and son, Tommy visited in Olton, Monday with her mother, Mrs. Hoyte Paschal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bly Shannon visited in Amarillo, Friday with Mrs. Etta Harvey.

David Dale Dixon of Lubbock visited last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elliott.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson visited Dr. David Fuston in Childress, Wednesday morning and in Lakeview, Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lindley.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Starkey were Mr. and Mrs. James Cypert and son, Kelly of Cone.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monk attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams in Tulia, Sunday, June 3. The Williams' children, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Monk of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Silliams and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Williams of Tulia were hosts of the reception. Mr. and Mrs. Monk visited overnight Saturday with the Lewis Cannon family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cobb of Quitaque were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. "Ikie" Gilbert, Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughters visited in Lubbock, Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and Mrs. Earline Dunnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay and daughter, Debbie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Arrington and son, Mike of Canadian at the Arring cabin at Green Belt Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson, Kayla and Lucretia attended a Johnson Family Reunion in Bowie, Saturday. Mrs. Gail Mangum and daughter, Donna of Lubbock returned home with them and visited until Sunday night before continuing to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris honored their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris of Afton on their second wedding anniversary with a family dinner in their home, Monday night, June 4. Guests attending were Dodie Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards of Afton, Mrs. Tim Lane, Krysha and Amy of Plainview, Vickie McMurry of Silverton and Mrs. Doris Morris, Tommy Morris and Mrs. Hattie Snow, local residents.

Viola Stinson and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Lubbock, Monday with Clay Hart of Matador who is a patient in the Methodist Hospital following surgery.

GIRLS AUXILIARY ENCAMPMENT HELD

A Baptist Girl's Auxiliary Encampment was held from Monday, June 11 to Thursday, June 14 at the Plains Baptist Assembly, south of Floydada. Mrs. Wayne Hunter of Flomot was the Camp Co-ordinator with girls from the Caprock, Llanos Lotos, South Plains and Staked Plains Auxiliaries represented.

The Rev. Eddie Freeman, pastor of the Date Street Baptist Church in Plainview, was the camp pastor; music director was Sharon Eubanks of Farwell and in charge of the recreation was Janie Merrell of Quitaque. Harlan Willis, missionary from Thailand, was the guest evangelist.

Mrs. Fred Risser of Matador accompanied Kim Hand of Roaring Springs, Ester Zarate of Whiteflat and Kim Phillips of Matador to this G. A. Encampment.

INSECT SCOUT TRAINING

A training meeting for insect scouts working in the "In Season Cotton Insect Management Program" and anyone else interested in learning how to check their cotton fields will be held in the cafeteria of the Motley County School in Matador on Monday June 18th, starting at 1:00 PM, according to Extension

Agent Bill Pallmeyer.

Emory Boring, Area Entomologist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Vernon, will present information that will enable those attending to identify cotton insects and arrive at decisions as to whether controls should be applied or not.

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Social Security

Virginia DeWitt Social Security Representative

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Answer: A couple may have resources (assets) of up to \$2,250 and be eligible for SSI payments. Not all resources count in determining eligibility. The home the person lives in and the land around it are not counted, regardless of value. Personal effects or household goods with a total market value of \$1,500 or less and life insurance policies with a total face value of \$1,500 or less per person are not counted. Also excluded is an older car.

For further information regarding Social Security benefits please contact the Social Security office, 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview, telephone 293-4371.

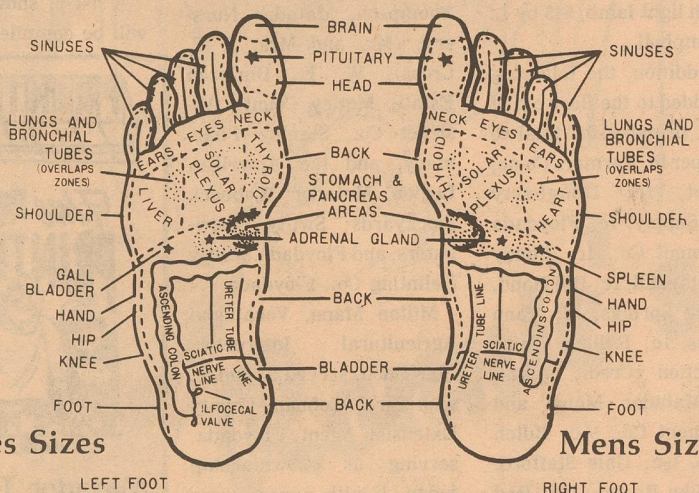
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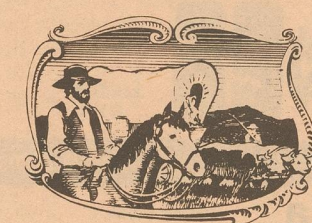
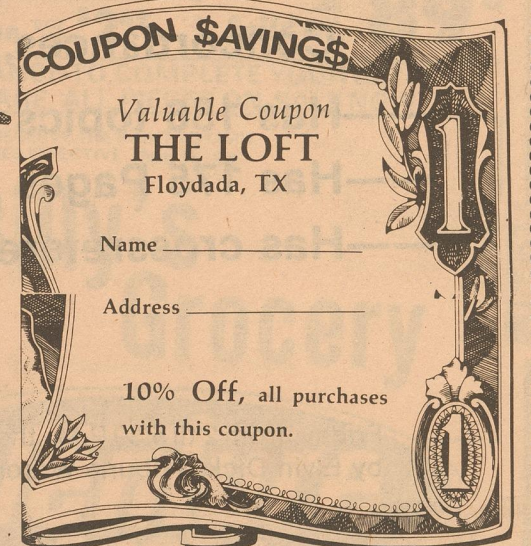
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Cover Crops For Wind Erosion

Wind erosion, a major concern of many area farmers, can be reduced by the use of cover crops. Cover crops have proven to be an asset in fighting wind erosion in Motley County, according to the local Soil Conservation Service.

A cover crop consists of small grain being interseeded into cotton or other spring seeded crops to protect from wind erosion. The small grain is usually seeded with a "whirlwind" seeder during the last cultivation or by airplane. Cover crops increase soil fertility when returned to the soil after the critical wind erosion period.

In areas where cotton is the main product, cover crops become even more important. Cotton is a low residue crop and when

harvested there is essentially nothing left on the soil surface. The counties worst wind erosion period occurs shortly after cotton harvest and continues until almost seeding. The practice of interseeding cotton with rye is gaining popularity with area farmers. It is a conservation practice that has not been used a lot in the past but is proving to be very effective and profitable. The small grain crop can be utilized by cattle after harvest of a cotton crop.

For further information or assistance on cover crops and their uses contact the Soil Conservation Service. They are located in the Motley County Courthouse and assistance is available without regard to race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

Capitol Comments

By Foster Whaley
(For information on the status of any bill, call toll free number 1-800-252-9693.)
Two gasohol bills have passed both the House and Senate in the Texas Legislature. H.B. 1803, by Rockdale Rep. Dan Kubiak, passed the House by a vote of 104-23. This bill would provide for loans to individuals and corporations for the production of alcohol. These loans would be made through the Texas Industrial Commission.

Fifteen million dollars was provided in the form of a 10 year loan. A group of individuals could obtain up to a half a million dollar loan, while an individual would be limited to a \$25 thousand dollar loan.

H.B. 1986, by Somerville Rep. Bill Keese, passed by a vote of 127-1. This bill cleared any legal aspects pertaining to the production of alcohol in Texas.

In recent testimony presented before the House Agriculture Committee, we learned that Brazil now produces close to half of the country's fuel needs in the form of alcohol. Brazil's goal

is to supply its entire fuel need for moving vehicles within the next five years. I supported these bills and I also supported the addition of \$120 thousand dollars to the budget of the Experiment Station for research on the production of alcohol as a fuel.

The price of gasoline has now escalated to a figure that makes production of gasohol feasible. As the price of gasoline continues to rise, the production of alcohol will look even better.

Presently we have thousands of acres of land standing idle because of government programs. Production of alcohol from these acres would greatly lessen our dependence on oil from the Middle East.

Considering our dependence on oil from that part of the world and the powder keg situation we have in that area, this gasohol legislation could prove to be the most important legislation we pass this session.

I'm always glad to hear your comments on this or any other legislation before the House of Representatives.

Money awarded to 4-H and FFA members exhibiting animals in the 39th annual Motley County Jr. Livestock Show sponsored by the Motley County Livestock Assn. should amount to over \$26,000, with an exact figure unavailable as 10 market lambs still haven't been carried to market. Support by local and area business concerns and individuals who were aware of the cost the Junior livestock exhibitors provided these record breaking funds.

Results of the premium sale for top animals were as follows; with Don McCandless, Floydada Livestock Sales, serving as auctioneer.

Steer floor bid, 74½ -er lb. by Floydada Livestock Sales; Swine floor bid, 47c per lb. by Farmers Hog Market, Plainview; and Sheep floor bid, 60c per lb. by Farmers Hog Market, Plainview.

Grand Champion Steer, \$225 by Caviness Packing Co., Hereford; Reserve Champion Steer, \$225 by Charlie Lewis, Floydada; 1st place light steer, \$175 by Lockney Meat Co., and L. B. Campbell; 2nd place heavy steer, \$125 by Furr's Super Markets, Lubbock; 2nd

medium steer, \$125 by L. B. Campbell; and 2nd light steer, \$125 by Dougherty Farm Supply. 3rd heavy steer, \$125 by Dickens Electric, Spur; 3rd medium steer, \$150 by Caprock Gin, Flomot; 3rd light steer, \$125 by Johnnie Stevens; 4th heavy steer, \$125 by Dougherty Farm Supply; 4th medium steer, \$200 by France Barton; 4th light steer, \$150 by Clinton Hobbs; 5th heavy steer, \$100 by Floydada Livestock Sales; 5th medium steer, \$125 by Higginbotham-Bartlett, Matador, and First National Bank Paducah; 5th light steer, \$100 by Floydada Livestock Sales; 6th heavy steer, \$175 by Teen Burleson; 6th medium steer, \$225 by Clay Hart; and 6th light steer, \$200 by Teen Burleson.

Grand Champion Hog, \$175 by Charlie Lewis, Floydada; Reserve Champion Hog, \$125 by Caprock Gin, Flomot; 1st place light hog, \$55 by Stanley Pharmacy, Matador and Long Insurance, Roaring Springs; 2nd heavy hog, \$45 by Oden Chevrolet-Olds and Rucker's OK Tire Store, Floydada; 2nd medium hog, \$35 by Carter Oil Co., and Adams Well Service, Floydada; 2nd light hog, \$40 by Covington Oil Co., Dougherty and Quality Body Shop, Floydada; 3rd heavy hog, \$45 by Dickens County Junior Livestock Show; 3rd medium hog, \$40 by Darty Gin, Dougherty; 3rd light hog, \$40 by Ponderosa Meat Co., and Producers Elevator, Floydada; 4th heavy hog, \$40 by Larry Bynum, Flomot; 4th medium hog, \$45 by Dean's Food, Roaring Springs; 4th light hog, \$40 by City Auto and First National Bank, Floydada; 5th heavy hog, \$45 by Davis Farm Supply, Floydada; 5th medium hog, \$40 by Hales Department Store, Case Power & Equipment, Russell Equipment & Supply and Martin & Co., Floydada; 5th light hog, \$40 by Floyd County Farm Bureau (David Cates), Floydada, and Thacker Supply, Roaring Springs; 6th heavy hog, \$40 by Doc Cross Carpets, Plainview, and Trail Dust Motel, Matador; 6th medium hog, \$40 by Butch Renfro; and 6th light hog, \$40 by Cable TV, Matador, and Dickens Electric, Spur.

Grand Champion lamb, \$80 by Joe Clay, Flomot; Reserve Champion lamb, \$60 by Joe Clay; 1st light lamb, \$45 by Caprock Gin, Flomot; 2nd light lamb, \$35 by Merrell's Food and First National Bank, Quitaque; 3rd heavy lamb, \$40 by Caprock Gin, Flomot; 3rd light lamb, \$35 by Floydada Livestock Sales; 4th heavy lamb, \$50 by Caprock Gin; 4th light lamb, \$35 by Farm & Ranch Supply and Peoples State Bank, Turkey; 5th heavy lamb, \$35 by Roy Stephens; 5th light lamb, \$50 by Kenny Barton; 6th heavy lamb, \$50 by Caprock Gin; and 6th light lamb, \$45 by L. B. Campbell.

In addition, the following was added to the floor bid of steers, bringing the total to 83¼ c per lb. Farmers Co-op, Flomot, 1c; Dougherty Farm Supply, 1c; Floydada Implement Co., 1c; Bundy Hal Campbell, 1c; Bill Hand, Roaring Springs, 1c; Vann Francis, 1c; Rolling Plains Production Credit Assn., ½c; Matador Motor and Implement Co., ½c; Butch Renfro, ½c; Gale Stafford, ½c; Mike Barton, ½c; Red

Ball Gin, Roaring Springs, ½c. The following was added to floor bid of hogs, bringing the total to 54c per lb. Farmers Co-op, Flomot, 1c; Floydada Implement Co., 1c; Bundy Hal Campbell, 1c; Floydada Seed & Delinting Co., 1c; D & P Grain, Floydada, 1c; Davis Oil Co., Roaring Springs, 1c; Rolling Plains Production Credit Assn., ½c; and Matador Motor & Implement Co., ½c.

The following were added to floor bids on sheep, for a total of 67c per lb. Farmers Co-op, Flomot, 1c; Floydada Seed & Delinting Co., 1c; D. & P Grain, Floydada, 1c; Davis Oil Co., Roaring Springs, 1c; D. & H Drilling Co., Matador and Roaring Springs, 2c; Rolling Plains Production Credit Assn., ½c; and Matador Motor and Implement Co., ½c.

In addition to premiums paid by the Motley County Livestock Assn., the First State Bank, Matador, added \$150 to the Grand Champion Steer; \$100 to the Reserve Champion Steer; \$50 to 1st place steers not grand or reserve champion; \$20 to all other steers, and \$5 to hogs not in the sale.

In addition to showmanship prizes consisting of a halter in the beef classes and belts in the swine and sheep classes, Lee's Feed & Seed, Roaring Springs, provided an extra \$2 for each animal exhibited.

In addition to ribbons and rosettes provided by the Motley County Farm Bureau, \$5, \$3 and \$2 was added to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place animals in the steer, swine and sheep classes, and \$1 for 1st place rabbits.

Billy's Grocery added \$10 to the Grand and Reserve Steer premiums and \$5 to all other steers in the show, plus \$10 to the Grand Champion Hog, and \$5 to the Reserve Champion Hog, the 1st place light hog and the 2nd place heavy hog.

Billy Hand, Roaring Springs, added \$50 to the Reserve Champion Steer and a hog not making the sale; Vann Francis added \$25 to 5th place light steer, \$10 to the 2nd place heavy medium hogs; and \$5 to the 2nd light, 3rd light, 4th light and 5th heavy lambs. L. B. Campbell added \$20 for a hog not making the sale; H. A. Stephens added 1c per lb. for hogs not making the sale; and Will Pallmeyer, Lubbock added extra prize money to hogs not making the sale. Bob Ross, Floydada, and Teen Burleson added \$25 each to the 5th place heavy steer premium.

A breakfast consisting of pancakes and eggs was provided by Billy's Grocery and Walter Jones, for exhibitors, their families, and those connected with the show.

Trophies were provided by: V.F.W., Matador Auto Co., Ronnie's, Peck & Donna Thompson, Matador Nursery, (Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cross), W. E. Burleson Estate, Motley County Abstract Co., Stanley Pharmacy, and the American Legion, Matador; Lubbock Stockyards; Swifty Distributors, and Floydada Seed & Delinting Co., Floydada.

Milton Mann, Vocational Agricultural Instructor, Clarendon, served as judge, with Birch Lobban, County Extension Agent, Floydada, serving as showmanship judge. Health papers were

provided by Dr. J. T. Westbrook, Paducah, and the judges dinner was provided by Don Caraway, Flomot.

J. C. Cross served as announcer on a speaker system provided by the Old Settlers Reunion board. Livestock panels were furnished by the Matador Ranch; and bedding by Peck Thompson. Gale Stafford hauled the steers to market and provided the loading chute. Show pens were set up by members of the FFA chapter, and the concession stand was operated by 4-H members and leaders.

Other floor bidders were Caviness Packing Co., Hereford; Hi Plains Hog Co., Plainview; and Charles Luedtke, Paducah.

Money for the show was collected by Livestock Association directors, the Matador Lions Club (Larry Hoyle; J. B. Cooper, Ward Rattan, Duke Lipscomb, Johnny Stevens, Sonny Russell, Vann Francis); Roaring Springs Lions Club; Bundy Hal Campbell and Guy Campbell.

J. Don Finch, Roaring Springs, served as president of the Motley County Livestock Assn., and Larry Bynum, Flomot was vice-president. Roy Stephens, Matador, was secretary; and Gale Stafford, was recorder. Other directors were Ros Bearden and Joe Clay, Flomot. Other show officials were: L. B. Campbell, Sales Chairman, assisted by Carter Luckett; Lewis Bostick, Heifer chairman; James Taylor, Rabbit chairman; Joe Clay, assisted by Joe Edd Helms, Sheep Chairman; Boyd Long, assisted by Rodney Long, Swine chairman; Mike Barton, assisted by Kenny Barton and Max Barton, Steer Chairman; and Bill Hand, Roaring Springs, Recorder.


Larry Bynum, was re-elected livestock association director, with Bill Hand selected to replace J. Don Finch from Roaring Springs; and Guy Campbell selected to replace Gale Stafford, Matador. Hold over directors are Ros Bearden, Roy Stephens and Joe Clay. Show advisors were Bill Moss, Bill Pallmeyer and James Bearden.

Officers and appointments for the 1980 show which will be held March 24th are Joe Clay, President; Roy Stephens, Vice president; Guy Campbell, Secretary; and Bill Hand, Recorder. L. B. Campbell, Sales Chairman; Mike Barton, Steer Chairman; Lewis Bostick, Heifer Chairman; Boyd Long, Swine Chairman; J. Don Finch, Sheep Chairman; and James Taylor, Rabbit Chairman.

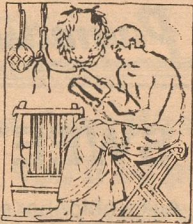
No rule changes were made for the 1980 show, but premiums of animals were adjusted to be more in line with the value of animals exhibited.

A list of show supporters will be compiled.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with Article 6252-17, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes as amended by the 61st Legislature, notice is hereby given to all interested persons that the Executive Committee of the the SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS will meet at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 19, 1979 at the SPAG Conference Room and the Board of Directors of the SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 19, 1979 at the SPAG Conference Room for:

1. Minutes- May 22, 1979.
2. SPAG Financial Report
3. CETA Financial Report.
4. GA-79-56-Farmers Home Administration Loan Application Sunbelt Delinting Company; Littlefield.
5. GA-79-64-Environmental Assessment of Work Plan Lighthouse Electric Cooperative; Floydada.
6. GA-79-67-Lubbock International Airport Improvements City of Lubbock.
7. GA-79-71-Airport Expansion Project City of Slaton.
8. GA-79-74-Lorenzo Farm Labor Housing Project 514/516 Loan & Grant Lorenzo Farm Housing Association, Inc.
9. GA-79-45-Section 8 Assisted Housing (Lubbock) Friedman and Associates, Developers.
10. GA-79-57-Coordination on Construction Projects Reese Air Force Base.
11. GA-79-63-Project Laton - Filming Texas Tech University.
12. GA-79-20-State Health Planning and Resource Development and Designation for the Implementation of Public Law 93-641 in Texas, Texas Department of Health.
13. GA-79-79-Reconstruction of Farm to Market 1730 State Department of Highway.
14. GA-79-48-Lubbock Regional MHMR Center, Drug Abuse Treatment Services (Continuation)
15. GA-79-43-National Green Thumb Inc.
16. Authorization request to obligate 701 Comprehensive Planning Grant funds to secure consultants' assistance in updating regional water and sewer plans.
17. By-Laws, South Plains Advisory Council on Aging.
18. Staff position re-designation.
19. Discussion of Auditor FY 1980.
20. Discussion of A-95 Review of Crosby County Indigent Defense Grant.
21. Amendment of Criminal Justice Planning Grant.
23. Law Enforcement Training Grant for FY 1980.
24. Report from the Personnel Committee.
25. Report from the Ad Hoc CETA Audit Committee.
26. Discussion of "Fair-share" Allocation of Title V Work Slots in the South Plains region.
27. Appointment to HSA Board of Directors.

This notice is being submitted for posting in the office of the SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS, Lubbock, Texas, to news media within the 15-county South Plains Region, and in the County Clerks' offices of BAILEY, COCHRAN, CROSBY, DICKENS, FLOYD, GARZA, HALE, HOCKLEY, KING, LAMB, LYNN, LUBBOCK, MOTLEY, TERRY, AND YOAKUM COUNTIES this 8th day of June, 1979.

This Notice published in the Matador Tribune June 14, 1979.

Cattle Producers Watch Pasture Grass

With beef prices the best they have been in several years, cattle producers need to pay close attention to pasture improvement, a local conservation district leader says.

"Grass is the cheapest source of good nutrition for beef and other grazing animals, but we need to keep a close watch on pasture stands and our fertilization programs," says W.H. Mars hall chairman of the Upper Pease Soil and Water Conservation District.

"Low cattle prices and high fertilizer costs in recent years have caused many

to let our pastures deteriorate," Marshall says, "Quite simply, it was too expensive to maintain pastures while losing money on cattle.

"This cost-price squeeze also caused many producers to plow up sloping pasture land to plant sorghum, cotton, soybeans, or other row crops," Mars said.

"We think the time is now ripe to fertilize, renovate, reseed, and improve pastures for a good source of economical feed for cattle, and for conservation," Mars hall says. "We are particularly keen on this

right now because a well-managed pasture--of all conservation practices--is one of the most effective means of conserving soil and water, and keeping our streams and ponds clean."

"I estimate that there are 3500 acres of pasture in Motley County that are showing problems from insufficient management," Marshall said. "As cattle prices are once again favorable, these pastures should get attention this spring."

Most of the improved pasture in this county

consists of Weeping Love grass and Kleingrass. Both grasses are highly palatable and nutritious when managed properly and can be a real asset to any stock operation.

SCS HELP AVAILABLE: Technical assistance is available from the Soil Conservation Service to help livestock producers solve their pasture improvement problems.

For more information contact the Soil conservation Service at Matador telephone number, 347-2263.

Formby, Son, In Hospital

This newspaper has received word that Marshall Formby, a former Dickens County judge, is in Medical Center Hospital, 7777 Forest Lane, Dallas, 75230. Doctors are contemplating surgery on Formby's left foot.

Mrs. Formby is in Ft. Smith, Arkansas, with their son who was injured in a truck accident. He received a skull fracture, ruptured spleen and an eye injury.

The Formbys' would appreciate hearing from local acquaintances.

Weather

TEMPERATURES		
	High	Low
6/5/79	82	62
6/6/79	87	59
6/7/79	98	68
6/8/79	88	71
6/9/79	78	60
6/10/79	78	54
6/11/79	80	52
Evap		
6/5/79	.14	.25
6/6/79	.64	.86
6/7/79	.52	--
6/8/79	.29	.01
6/9/79	--	.94
6/10/79	.33	--
6/11/79	.20	--

Wildlife Seminar

Is June 21

A Wildlife Seminar will be held June 21 beginning at 7 p.m. in the Willie Room of Dickens Electric Co-Op according to an announcement this week by Randy Underwood of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District.

Three main areas will be discussed at the seminar.

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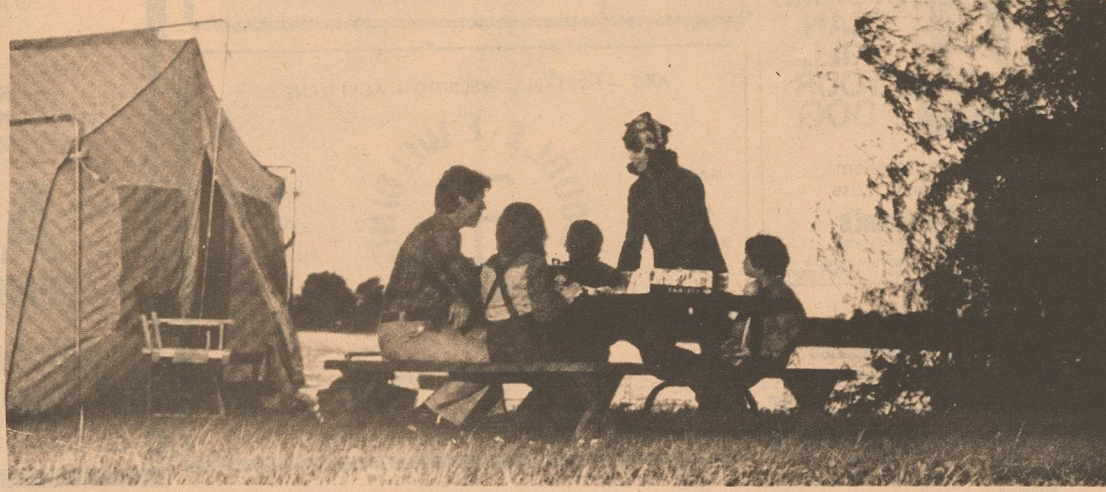
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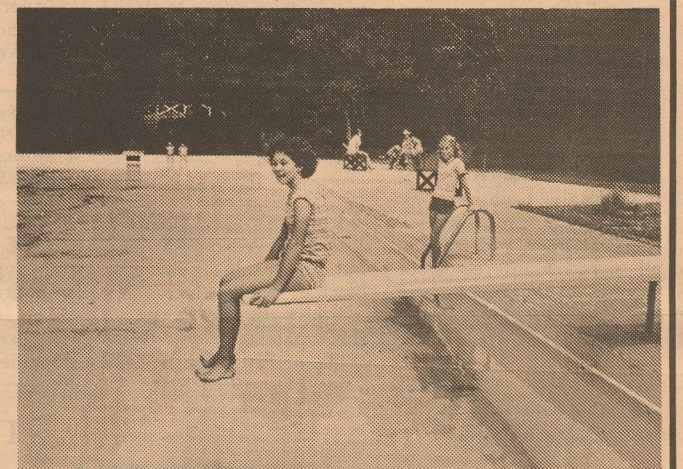
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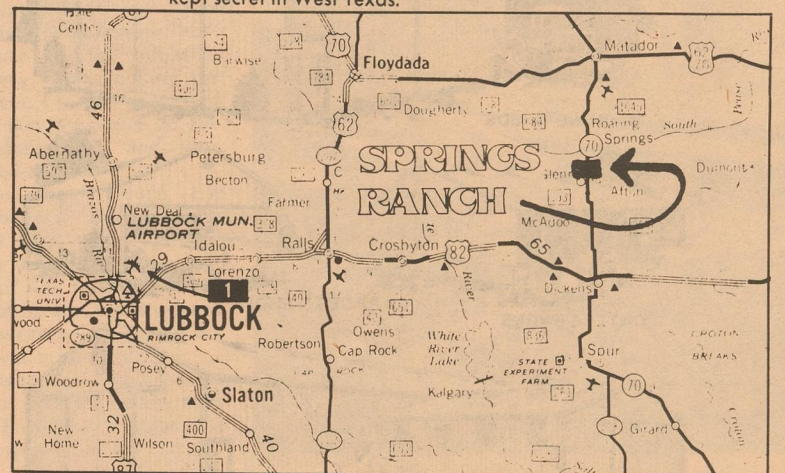
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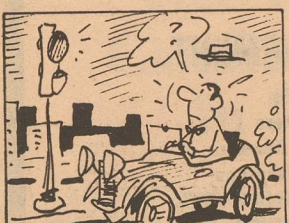
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NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Matador, Texas. Motley County, Texas, at 10:00 a.m., beginning on Friday, the 22nd day of June, 1979, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Motley County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1979, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

J.P. Records
SPEEDING: Dilbert Perez Jr., Gary Lee McCarrroll, Don Gerald Coker, William Mack Hurt, Robert Wayne Shannon, Richard Ray Peterson, Ben C. Grundy.
OTHERS: Richard Kent Kloop, F.T.A., Steve Coulter, F.T.A., Peter Maxwell Gardiner, No Valid M.V.I. Sticker, Samuel Isaac, No Valid M.V.I. Sticker, James K. Woodring, No Driver License, James Vernon Thornton, No Valid M.V.I. Sticker.

Veteran's Land Board to Joseph K. Wilson; 50 Acres out of east side of survey 34, block 4, T&P Railway Co.
Court: In the matter of the marriage of; James William Pritchett Jr. and Cheryl Lynn Pritchett.

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedrooms, Living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bathrooms, garage with carport. Very large corner lot at 1601 Main Street in Matador. Stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer, sell with house. If interested, call Area Code 214-522-4811. Make offer. 8-c6t-13

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 2 Bedroom, carpeted throughout, good location, close to school. Harry Hamilton Associates, Realtors, Lubbock. 806-745-4474. 5-ctfn

HOUSE FOR SALE: 4 rooms, bath and 1/2. 50' x 100', lot, near school. Contact, 347-2432. 34 13-c1t

HOUSE FOR SALE: 2 rooms and bath. 5 lots in Northwest Matador. Also for sale, stove and refrigerator. Contact Edna Rogers, 347-2432. 33 13-c1t

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PUBLIC NOTICE
In accordance with Article 6252-17, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes as amended by the 61st Legislature, notice is hereby given to all interested persons that the General Assembly of the SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS will meet at 1:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 19, 1979 at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Agenda
1. Discussion of Economic Development Program.
This notice is being submitted for posting in the office of the SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS, Lubbock, Texas, to news media within the 15-county South Plains Region, and in the County Clerks' offices of BAILEY, COCHRAN, CROSBY, DICKENS, FLOYD, GARZA, HALE, HOCKLEY, KING, LAMB, LYNN, LUBBOCK, MOTLEY, TERRY, AND YOKUM COUNTIES this 8th day of June, 1979.

This Notice published in the Matador Tribune June 14,

CHURCH SERVICES

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mass, Sunday at 11:30. 15 SMR

The estimated annual daily per capita tea consumption in England is 2,000 cups—almost six cups a day.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of 12 Dwelling Units, including plumbing, heating, electrical, air conditioning and site improvements will be received by the Housing Authority of the City of Matador, Texas at the City Hall until 2:00 p.m. CDST, Tuesday, June 26, 1979, and then at said office, publicly opened and read aloud. Dwelling units consist of 3 buildings, approximately 9,000 square feet in total project. Construction is concrete slab and wood frame with brick veneer, wood siding, asphalt shingles, gypsum board interior walls and carpet floor covering.

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations: The Housing Authority, Matador, Texas. Office of PIERCE, PACE & ASSOCIATES, 1002 W. Wall, Midland, Texas. Plan Rooms in Abilene, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, and Amarillo.

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained at the office of Pierce, Pace and Associates located at 1002 W. Wall, Midland, Texas 79701, upon payment of \$25.00 for each set.

Any BIDDER, upon returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS promptly and in good condition will be returned his payment, and any non-bidder upon returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS will be refunded his payment.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF MATADOR, TEXAS

Notice of Bids for Demolition

The Motley County I.S.D. School is accepting bids for the demolition of the old high school building. Copies for this bidding and contracts are available at the Supt. office in Matador, Texas. All bids must be received by the school before 5:00 P.M. July 9, 1979.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. This Notice published in the Matador Tribune, June 14, 1979, and June 21, 1979.

NOTICE

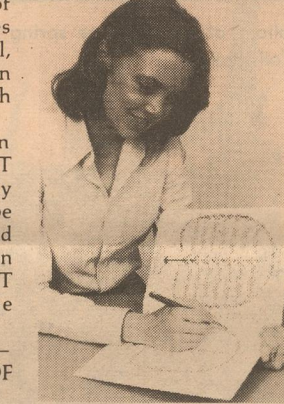
Roaring Springs Citizens

A trash dump is now available to the citizens of Roaring Springs on the Leslie Kingery farm, seven miles East of Roaring Springs. Open Saturdays only from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. No trees or brush. Please do not take trash to the Dougherty Dump. City of Roaring Springs

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Family trees for both the bride and groom are among the special features in Keepsake Wedding Albums from Hallmark Cards. The albums also have sections for engagement announcements, shower and wedding invitations and honeymoon souvenirs. There's a special section to record gifts and to note if thank-you's have been sent. And, of course, there's ample space for wedding-day pictures. Hallmark designed the book so that the bride and groom would have an "instant memory bank" of all the events leading up to their wedding as well as photos of the wedding day itself.

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