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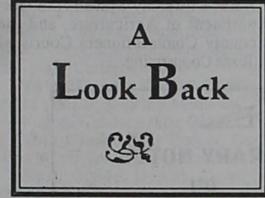
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### EXPLOSION STRIKES ELEVATOR AT TURKEY

tensive damage resulted when an explosion rocked Setliff Elevator in Tura.m. A fire which followed the explosion was quickly brought under control by the Turkey Volunteer Fire De- retary Charles Keith. partment."

## APRIL 26, 1951

This advertisement appeared in the Tribune on April 26, 1951.

#### Harry Willett & Co.

Spring dresses ..... \$8.95 ----- \$5.95

# FNB Kicks Off 4-H Building Renovation Fund

## by Marisue Potts

A check from First National Bank of Floydada has kicked off a drive for funds to renovate the Motley County VFW Memorial 4-H Building in Matador. This first donation will be used as seed money to establish a fund to bring about needed repairs to the "Three men were injured and ex- clubhouse serving the fifty-five members in the county.

Officers in the Motley County 4key, Tuesday morning about 10:15 H club, recently accepted a check on behalf of the bank which was presented by Chamber of Commerce sec- the 4-H club is seeking project lead-

> Campbell, the 4-H club currently uses range shooting, and other topics. the Senior Citizens building, the Campbell stressed that project leadcourthouse, the school, and individual homes to conduct their meetings. H member Educational and training Their goal is to renovate the fortyeight year old building and make it useful in conducting training sessions covering such diverse projects as livestock judging, fashion design, sewing, food show preparation, and consumer

buying.

with the least amount of cost through nator, explained that the organization painting, floor covering, repairs to the is open to young people between the ceiling, and the donation of folding chairs and other furniture. However, attend meetings and events, but also it is anticipated that future renovation will include the remodeling of the other countries, show their work at kitchen and the two bathrooms up- fairs and compete at different levels," stairs, as well as the addition of a heat- he said. ing and air conditioning unit. Club members can do some of the work, but many of the repairs are beyond their capability.

Besides donations and memorials, ers proficient in fashion, dog groom-According to parent leader, Janie ing, pet husbandry, photography, rifle ers do not have to be a parent of a 4-

information are provided through the Texas Agricultural Extension Service System. Other ways that adults can help include driving members to activities or supplying refreshments.

ages of 9 and 19. "4-H'ers not only go to camps, travel, host youth from

Members who recently competed at the District Fashion Show were Kittie Campbell, Sherri Thomas, and Emily Hurt. Colton Russell also made a presentation in consumer buying. Kittie placed first in her division and Sherri placed second in hers.

The big fund project for the year is the all-event Junior Rodeo, which will take place on July 10-11. Help is being sought to fill positions for gatekeepers, tick-takers, horn wrappers, chute men, and many other odd jobs to run the top notch operation.

For more information on donating to the renovation, gifting memorials, or providing folding chairs or other furniture for the facility, contact Janie The 4-H motto stands for head, Campbell, 806-347-2657, or the Mot- building. Campbell envisions that the down- Heart, Hands and Health. County ley County Extension Service at 347stairs can be used on a limited basis Agent Michael Lee, the local coordi- 2733.



**DONATION PRESENTED** — Motley County Chamber of Commerce Secretary, Charles Keith, left, presented Motley County 4-H officers, Shandra Jones, Scott Jones, Skylar Clifton, and Todd Thomas with a check from First National Bank of Floydada for renovations to the 4-H

\$10.95 ---- \$7.45 \$16.95 ---- \$11.45

Memo: Army Twill pants - 29 to 38 waist - \$3.00

# Around Town

# YOUTH **LOCK-IN**

The Youth of First Baptist Church, Matador, are hosting a Lock-In, 8:00 p.m., Friday evening, April 24, through 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, at an off-site location. There will be music, games, videos, and FOOD. All youth of the community are invited to attend. Call Elaine Risser at 347-2345 or 347-2782 or see Youth Director Amy Parker for details, including location of the Lock-In and parental permission forms.

The Youth will have an "Alphabet Soup" Scavenger Hunt, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., Saturday, April 25. All items collected will be given to a needy family.



BIG WINNER — Judy Cartwright receives a check for \$2,000 from Matador Pay-N-Save manager, Frances Taylor. Mrs. Cartwright won the money in a recent Customer Appreciation Sweepstakes. Her name was drawn in the local drawing and then sent to the warehouse, where her name was drawn as third place winner. First place won \$10,000 and second place won \$3,000. Congratulations, Judy!

# Motley County School Board Meets

The Motley County School Board met Tuesday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. All members were present. Also present were Superintendent Rick Copp, Principal Wayne Morren, and re-organize the Board. recorder, Bettye Stevens.

was present to express his opinions about the Motley County School system.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved. The list of expenditures and finances were approved. Board also approved the Errors and

Omission policy with Pipkin Insurance, which is a policy covering School Board members and employees of Motley County ISD.

Extra Curricular activity days were discussed. It was decided to allow administration to use these extra curricular days in the best way to benefit the students.

sults of the May 2 School Board elec- board. tion. May 11 at 7:30 p.m. was set to

The board approved Kalli Hopper, In Open Forum, Mr. L.B. Campbell Floydada student, as a transfer student to Motley County. The board also approved Kalli Hopper, Kimber Everett, and Jaren Everett as transfer students for the 98-99 school year.

> The board approved the Media Ser- Director/Head Football Coach. vice contract with Region 17 and the Title I contract with Region 17 for the 98-99 school year. They also approved cies. the technology plan.

Superintendent Rick Copp was appointed to the Region 17 advisory committee.

at 7:30 p.m.

Board discussed the summary of

May 5 at 6:15 p.m. was set as the School Board team performance ratdate to canvass votes and certify re- ing, which is a self-evaluation of the

> The Board went into executive session at this time.

Out of executive session the board voted to give all para-professional employees a reasonable assurance contract.,

Coach Ronnie Cox was re-assigned as Science/P.E. teacher. The board will begin advertising for a new Athletic

The board discussed new rules that should be added to the athletic poli-

Larry Clifton was designated as a delegate to the TASB convention in September. Billy Wayne Denison was designated as an alternate.

Motley County ISD received a re-The board voted to move the regu- port from Hibbs-Hallmark workman's lar board meetings to Monday night comp. That our school district saved \$26,000 having filed no claims.

Meeting adjourned.

# **Rolling Plains PCA** to hold 64th annual stockholders meeting

Association's 64th Annual Stockhold- gram at all three sections. ers Meeting will be held in three sec-Childress session, and the Stamford James E. Amerson of Munday. meeting will be held in the High School Cafeteria. for the year to 7.48%. Greg Claassen, Kansas ventrioquist, district regulator.

Rolling Plains Production Credit will present a highly entertaining pro- in charge of the meeting.

Three directors representing the tions on Tuesday evening, April 28, in Perryton, Childress and Munday areas Canadian, Thursday evening, April 30, will be elected during the short busiin Childress and Friday evening, May ness session. Nominees are John R. 1, in Stamford. Registration and the (Bob) Beagle and Dan Haardy of Permeal will begin at 6:00P.M. and be ryton for the Perryton office position. followed by a brief bussiness session. Childress area nominees are Dan Stockholders and guests will meet at Henard, Jr. and Dan Langford of the Canadian School Cafetorium. The Wellington. Running for the Munday city auditorium will be the site of the postion are Garon B. Tidwell and As part of the nationwide Farm Credit System, Rolling Plains PCA The Association's Board of Direc- serves some 950 borrowing members tors has declared a patronage distribu- in 25 counties of the Rolling Plains of tion based on 1997 fiscal year earn- West Texas and the Eastern portion of ings. Total patronage is \$1,413,231 the Texas Panhandle. As of March 31, with 40% being paid at the three ses- 1998 the Association's outstanding of El Progresso voted to sponsor getsions of the Annual Meeting. This pa- loans to farmers, ranchers and ag-retronage returns 19 1/3 cents for the ef- lated businesses were over \$86 milfective interest rate on borrowers' loans lion. The Assolation has been rated as a Tier I PCA for ten consecutive years. Drawings will be held from mem- This rating is based on safety, soundbers' registration cards until a total of ness and financial strength and is the \$400 is awarded in each sessions. most prestigious award given by the

# El Progresso Club Wins First Place Award For Matador Mural Project

The Matador El Progresso Club Ex-Students. won seven first place awards and one second place award at the 38th Annual Santa Rosa District Spring Convention held April 4. The local club was host to the convention. Mrs. Jo Ann Dickson, District President, was

The Matador El Progresso Club won seven first prizes and one second.

The local club received one of their awards for their mural project, spearheaded by Mrs. Dorothy Day. The following is a copy of the letter, written by Mrs. Loys Campbell, which was submitted to the District.

In March of 1997 we had a bake sale and with other donations we had \$682.63.

A member, who is a computer whiz, did the letters and envelopes. With the help of husbands and selfsticking stamps we mailed 700 letters.

The money came in slowly at the beginning. Just when we were to be discouraged checks of \$100 and more began to arrive. We soon had enough to contact a mural painter from Morton, Texas. On June 25, 1997 this man came to begin work.

Of course, we did not think to take pictures before we started. We were so excited to have the murals started.



"Clean Up and Paint the Town"

In September, 1996, a member presented "Clean up and paint the town" to the club. After discussion no action was taken, but it put the members of El Progresso to thinking.

ting some murals painted.

A "Mural Project" began at homecoming with donations of \$123.00 given. With this, an account was set up at the First State Bank.

In February of 1997 it was decided to send letters to the Motley County

On August 27, 1997 the man had ten murals on different buildings painted.

For money, we had taken in \$5209.90 and had spent \$4688.40.

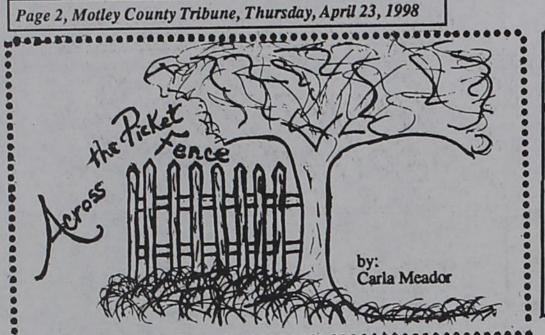
We are working toward a new roof for the gazebo on the Courthouse lawn.

Approximately 2000 hours of volunteer work had been done.

When we began to get the murals, other property owners began cleaning and painting their buildings. There are several new awnings and new fronts that are really pretty.

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RECEIVES AWARD FOR MURAL PROJECT - Matador El Progresso Club member, Dorothy Day, who spearheaded the Matador Mural Project, and Club President, Loys Campbell are pictured with the certificate of award and the letter of commendation they received at the 38th Annual District meeting.



can't please all the people all of the time." That holds so true in the newspaper business! We try so hard to print a positive newspaper with good news, reporting every avenue of the county and the area and things that we feel will be of interest to our readers. Of course, just about the time you think that maybe most people are pretty well pleased, you get knocked in the dirt. And usually it's in some anonymous way, from someone who doesn't want to face you personally. And those kind of things really get to you - or to me anyway.

We strive to cover all school events, with a whole page or more dedicated to school news each week. Actually there is school news on four pages of the paper this week. It is sometimes quite time consuming to gather all the news of school happenings, sports, pictures, etc. But I feel that our kids are probably the most important asset to our community. They are our future! So we will always report school news and happenings to ally a farely nice person!

You know the old saying, "You the best of our ability. But as I said you can't please all of the people all of the time, and we have found out this week that evidently we have offended someone.

> I appreciate your comments, but I would really appreciate them if they were made in person, by the person that is offended. That way, we could talk about it and see what we could do.

Anyway, I do try to publish a good news newspaper with the facts. I try not to express a negative opinion, aimed towards anyone or any subject, unless maybe in my own column.

make a mistake on the spelling of a name, or something to this effect. As I have said before, we are only human, but we really do try our very best.

Okay, I'll step down now. But I do hope if someone has a problem with our newspaper that they would like to make me aware of, they will take the time and effort to give me a call or come by the office. I think I'm usu-

# Matador Lions Club Hears Fire Chief

#### by Charles Keith

The Matador Lions Club held its fire insurance rating were discussed. second meeting for April on Tuesday, April21, with a program on the Matador Volunteer Fire Department. Rodney Williams, Fire Chief

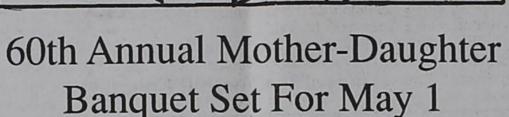
The meeting was attented by twenty-one members and three guests. One new member, Richard Knowles, President/ CEO of Knowles- Taylor

into membership and welcomed to our

club. Members were reminded of the

1998 District 2-T2 convention sched-

uled for April 23-25 in Lubbock.



The 60th Annual Mother-Daugh- a mother for a young lady, please conter Banquet has been set for Friday, tact Debbie Denison, 347-2703; Jane May 1, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. It will be O'Pry, 347-2456; or Tonya Price, 347held in the School Gym. The Banquet 2319. Jane and Tonya may also be is held each year to honor the moth- reached at school during the day. ers and daughters in Motley County. Girls 4th through 12 grade will attend. April 30 at \$6.50 per ticket, at the

The Eternas Study Club has been school from Tonya Price or Jane working hard to make the night a night O'Pry. of fun, and a time to remember. This year's theme is "Slumber Party". Any-

Make your plans now to attend this Oh, I know that we sometimes one that would like to volunteer to be special night of fun!

> **R** S Community Volunteers Make Kids Camp Plans

## by Lee Peacock

A regular meeting of the Roaring Springs Community Volunteers met Tuesday April 14, 1998 at the home of J.N. and Darleen Fletcher. Twenty members were present.

Patricia Green read a note from Algie and Rita Groves that came with their generous check to the Volunteers. We appreciate you - Algie and Rita. A thank you note was also read from James and Jennifer Adams thanking us for our help in their time of need.

with the April 4th trash off. We wish Southwest Collection at Texas Tech to thank all the people who have do- to increase the amount of information nated aluminum cans. This helps us that is on file about Motley County. keep building on the Community Center.

the May 23rd Square Dance to be held at the Community Center.

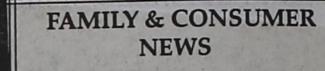
Tickets are on sale now through

Mrs. J.E. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Flowers were sent to Juanita Brannon who is in the hospital with a

Ken Abbott and Walt Trammell were appointed to see about metal siding as planned for the building. J.N. Fletcher was appointed to take the' and Bill and Aileen Mantooth made a

The Girl Scouts will recognize the

Suzanne Abbott and Patricia Green Darleen thanked those who helped donated a Volunteer Cook book to the



By Arla Fells, Extension Agent

#### PARENTS CAN MAKE **A DIFFERENCE!**

Being a good parent today is a challenge. Here are some tips to help create a loving relationship with children and still set and enforce the limits they need.

When children misbehave, let them know you dislike what they did and not who they are.

Rewarding good behavior is more effective than punishing misbehavior. Try to "catch" your children being

good. Be generous with your praise.

Punishment should be used to help teach children about the consequences of their behavior. Never punish in anger.

Setting a good example is the best Texas Cooperating.

way to teach your children how you want them to behave.

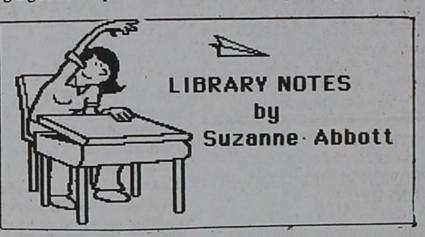
Physical punishment teaches a child that hitting is okay.

Words hurt. If you tell children they are stupid or lazy, they will grow up believing that.

Make it a habit to spend time together. Make bedtime into story time and read together for example.

Good parenting is not an easy job, but it is the most rewarding.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or natural origin. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the county Commissioners Courts of



We appreciate the memorial dona- come by the Library and pick up a few good books.

We appreciate the special donation to the Library by the Predicta Study Club of Roaring Springs. This money will purchase books, and we thank these ladies for their support.

What a wonderful program we had at the Library last Sunday afternoon! Zoe Kirkpatrick showed some beautiful slides of wildflowers and some astounding ones of the Combat Dance of rattlesnakes. The Friends of the Library put on a feast of goodies and everyone had a wonderful, fun afternoon. We had a standing -room only crowd with people from all parts of the county attending. Northfield, Flomot, Matador, Roaring Springs and the surrounding areas were all represented. Thanks to all who attended this great program. We hope to have Mrs. Kirkpatrick back in Fall to present a program on plants and how the Indians used them.

broken ankle.

cans to Lubbock.

Volunteers for their collaboration with them for Kids Camp on April 25th in Lubbock. Members will attend.

ard Carlson's Don't Sweat the Small Stuff with Your Family. This book

presented a very interesting and Cotton Company, Inc., was inducted entertaining program that updated the audience on the current status of the department and the major programs that are planned to improve service capability. The new state program on

Look Who's New

## Canner Gene Williams

Mrs. W.N. Pipkin wishes to announce the birth of a great-grandson, Alexander of Midland, Mrs. Rosie Tanner Gene Williams. Proud parents are Ross and Linda (Alexander) Williams, in Austin, Texas April 16, 1998. He weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V.T. Williams of Sacramento, CA, and Mr. Larry Williams. Tanner also has an older sister,

Eryn Williams of Austin.

## **El Progresso**

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El Progresso members are very proud of what has been accomplished.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* It was recommended and approved to give Mindy Morgan of Burkburnett a \$500 scholarship. This scholarship - present and 35 people registered.

ing person. The theme for the day was "Hats". Most were very old and very pretty. Mrs. Virginia Carpenter of Burkburnett and Mrs. Patricia Wilkins

is given every two years to a deserv-

of Paducah volunteered to be co-presidents for the 1998-2000 term. Six of the ten clubs in District were

It takes two to speak the truth-one to speak and another to hear.

-Henry David Thoreau. \* \* \*

## "The Answer to Society's Ills"



The answer is not education, nor any other program or system that people can come up with to improve us. The answer is still Jesus Christ crucified for our sins and raised for our salvation. On one occasion, in John 6, Jesus had sifted down the crowd from those who were following only for the "bread" to those who were true disciples and followed "The Bread of Life".

After "many" of those disciples had turned back and no longer would follow Him, He asked the Twelve, "You do not want to leave too, do you?" (John 6: 67). Peter answered, and spoke for all of us, when he replied, "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We believe and know that you are the Holy One of God" (verse 69-69). Salvation is only found in Jesus Christ!

Later on, in Acts 4:12, Peter would tell the Rulers and elders of the Jewish people that Jesus Christ, Whom God raised from the dead, is the only One in Whom salvation is to be found, "for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved." It's not a matter of arguing doctrine or beliefs, nor of one opinion versus another. There is no alternative source to provide all that is needed to cure society's ills and problems! Only Jesus can provide what we need.

for Kids Camp and it is really getting off to an enthusiastic start. Proposals have been sent by Darleen to four organizations for matching funds for ing. Kids Camp expenses. A Christian Flag and stand was bought to be used on the stage this year.

Billie Clifton reported on the Antique and Flea Market to be held at the Community Center May 2nd.

Lee Peacock reported on plans for ments were served

Jerry Green reported on the Shannon Davidson Day activities to be held Work has been started to get ready in conjunction with the Junior Rodeo, July 10-11-12 and The Cowboy Church Services will be held at the Community Center on Sunday morn-

> The American Legion will use the Community Center on May 30th for the Veterans Day Muster. We are glad we have a facility to be available for this type of event.

Meeting adjourned and refresh-

Thank you for reading the Motley County Tribune

## THE Motley County Tribune has a wonderful selection of

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HANK THE COWDOG JEFF FOXWORTHY **COWPOKES** CHILDREN'S BOOKS COOKBOOKS Texas Country Reporter Cookbook Roaring Springs Cookbook Calf Fries to Caviar Best of the Best from Texas

details simple ways to keep daily responsibilities and household chaos from taking over your life. Another new book is Amanda Quick's With This Ring which is a mystery with a touch of romance. For these books and other interesting reading materials,

tions to the Library in memory of

Eleanor Traweek made by Mr. and

Charles N. Johnson. We also thank Mr.

and Mrs. Johnson for their donations

in memory of Homer Hamilton and

in memory of Jack Barnhill. Sonny

and Dorothy Russell and their family

donation in memory of Velma Walters

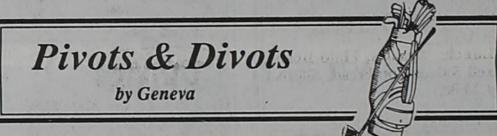
Moore, and we thank them for this

memorial. We appreciate all of these

memorials which will be used to make

lasting tributes to these special people.

A new book in the Library is Rich-



## **Tuesday Scramble** April 14

Winners - First, with a score of 31,

were Kay Bingham, Garland Cartwright, Randy Martin, and Mark Brannon.

Others playing were Alfred Barton, Louise Barton, Larry McClenny, Charlie Long.

Four high school students played were Jason Barton, Keane Cruse, Dayton Grundy, and Tonya Barkley. They had a very good score - 6 under. est to the pin.

> Thursday Ladies Playday April 16

18 hole players were LaVoe Wason. Thacker, Louise Barton, and Geneva Wilson. No one got on the green to win a ball.

There were no afternoon players.

**Babe Zaharias Cancer Benefit Tournament** The Cancer Benefit Tournament was a huge success, Sunday, April 19. to Pat at the bank.

The golfers that played and donated were:

1st place, score 30, Jim Craig, Rita Craig, Randy Martin, and Jake Goodson.

Others playing were Alfred Barton, Louise Barton, Cody Dodson, Shea Dodson, Johnnie Harkins, Alan Bingham, Kay Bingham, Mary Lou Williams, Douglas Campbell, Randy Barton, Jason Barton, Buzz Thacker, but couldn't enter the scramble. They LaVoe Thacker, Charlie Long, Ellis Terry, Leona Terry, Geneva Wilson, Dot Grundy, Chase Carson, Terry Carson, Mary Ann Carson, Olivia No one got on the green to win clos- Barton, Mike Porter, Cody Maines and Michael Griffin.

> Donations from others than those playing - Jeff and Pam Thacker, Mike and Beverly Mauldin, and Marihelen

Thanks to everyone that helped in any way to make this tournament a success. To those that played and donated, to those that donated but didn't get to play and to the ones that helped in any way. Thanks very much - your participation was greatly appreciated. If you wish to donate you can give

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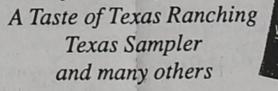
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It's not anything that people can provide, not even church programs, it's only in Jesus Christ that we find help. Having found the answer in Him, then the other things can be avenues to channel that help from Him. But without Him, the rest is powerless. Live in Him and share Him!

## **Roaring Springs Church of Christ**

Bible Study - 10 a.m. Michael G. Crowley, Sr. Worship - 9 a.m.



GARDENING BOOKS

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AND MANY, MANY MORE!

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Motley County Matadors School News

# \*\*\*\*\* HONOR ROLL

**农农农农农农农农农农 DISTINGUISHED LIST** HONOR ROLL (All grades 90 or above)

Kindergarten: Melissa Flores, Gavin Luckett, Andrew Martin, Patrick Ramsey. Courtney Moctezuma, Nicholas Sanders, Eric Simpson.

First Grade: Cagen Denison, Justin Todd, Cade Luckett, Kayla Bradley Brown, Karrie Valdez, Simpson Hollinsworth, Mayra Flores.

Second Grade: Isiah Archer, Mylissa Gilmore, Emma Knowles, Salazar, Martin Walker. Brady O'Pry, Stacy Perryman, Savannah Rose, Christy Smith. Third Grade: Fannin Gwinn, Russell, Ashlee Sanders.

Marc Henzler, Angelica Mendoza.

Fourth Grade: Ashlee Green. Fifth Grade: Cody Cooper, Dakota Meyer, John Wesley Stevens. Sixth Grade: Dumont Darsey,

Aleda Ross. Seventh Grade: Clinton Cooper,

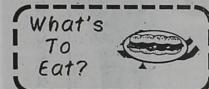
Derrick Cruse, Brenda Gillespie, Morgan Meyer. Eighth Grade: Andy Anson, Skylar Clifton, Kayla Copp, Justin

Jameson. Ninth Grade: Rachelle Renfro.

Tenth Grade: Llan Barkley, Vanessa Easter, Kember Everett, Quinn Hays.

Eleventh Grade: Aaron Binder, Robert Gillespie, Kandi Keltz, Nesa McFall, Kristi Williams.

Twelfth Grade: Tanya Barkley, Tonie Bowden, Monica Clifton, Ryan Martin, Laura Mendoza, Jill Stanley, Cobey Turner.



**MONDAY, APRIL 27** Breakfast: Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Juice, Milk. Lunch: Corn Dogs, Tater Tots, Pickles, Fruit Salad, Milk.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 28** Breakfast: Cereal, Toaster Pastry, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Tamales, Pinto Beans, Mixed Salad, Cornbread, Sherbet Cup, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29 Breakfast: Bacon, Eggs, Biscuits, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Mini Sub Sandwiches, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Potato Chips, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

#### THURSDAY, APRIL 30

of

(All grades 80 or above)

Kindergarten: Cecil Carson,

Laura Martinez.

Makayla Warren.

Lupe Gonzales, Jose Martinez, Colton

Clay Cooper, Annie Green, Matt Henzler, Kenny Johannes, Veronica Mendoza, Brittany Moore, Sabrina Osborn, Thomas Rice, Obadiah Saldana, Andrew Knowles.

Amanda Hurt, Susana Mendoza, Joel Rieger.

Amanda Sands.

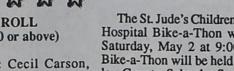
Eighth Grade: Jessica Gutierrez, Courtney Hays, Shandra Jones, Shawn Marvel, Brandon Moore, Luke day night and all day Saturday. Runge, Mistelle Young. Ninth Grade: Hillary Decker,

Jermaine Hendrix, Scott Jones, Casey Lawrence, Rabecca Morris, Benjamin Ridgley, Ashley Stevens. Tenth Grade: Andy Jones,

Candace Marvel, Ryan Moore, Jerod Rieger, Richard Thomas. Eleventh Grade: Blaine Cruse,

Bobby Fritzler, Aaron Green, Joe Gutierrez, Rebekah Jameson, Rosalva Mendoza.

Breakfast: Sausage, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit, Milk.



First Grade: Ryan Rodriguez,

Second Grade: Jacob Blanco,

Third Grade: John Martin, Gene

Fourth Grade: Chance Bingham,

Fifth Grade: Kittie Campbell,

Sixth Grade: Angela Marvel,

Seventh Grade: Cassie Campbell,

Amanda Englert, Kaci Risser, ShaVonne Taylor, Blair Thacker.

Twelfth Grade: Kimberly Ashley,

FRIDAY, MAY 1

Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Chips, Fruit, Cookies.



# Local Bike-A-Thon Planned For May 2

The St. Jude's Children's Research study of childhood diseases. Hospital Bike-a-Thon will be held

Saturday, May 2 at 9:00 a.m. The Bike-a-Thon will be held at the Motley County Schools. St. Jude's is a them as they ride. All money earned

cession stand will be available, serv-

ing Barbecue Sandwiches, Frito Pie,

homemade Brownies and Rice Krispie

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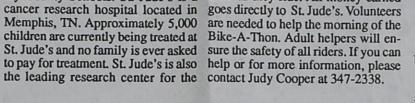
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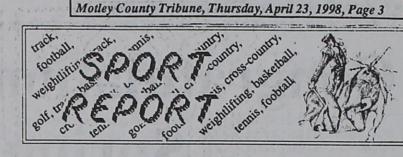
businesses and individuals to sponsor

## Little Dribblers Tournament Now In Progress Full Concession Stand Open

The Motley County Booster Club and Tuesday of this week and will will sponsor a Little Dribblers basket- also be played on Thursday and Friball tournament this week. A full con- day, beginning at 4:30 p.m. Saturday games will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Teams are made up from grades 3-Come out and support out little ath-6. letes. Proceeds from this tournament will go to the end of the year drug free Games were played on Monday graduation party.





# Lady Matadors Run In District Meet **Two Qualify For Regional**

#### by Coach Kim

The High School Track teams finished the 1998 track season last Friday in Paducah at the District meet. Each first or second place finisher will advance to the Regional Meet to be held in Levelland, May 1-2, 1998. Motley County has two athletes who will represent MC in this meet. They are Kandi Keltz, Jr., and Tonie Bowden, Sr.

Kandi qualified in the High Jump placing 2nd with a jump of 5'0". Tonie advanced in the Shot Put with a throw of 30 1/2" also placing 2nd. Both will compete at 12:00 on Friday, May 1.

District meet were Senior Jill Stanley, 4th, 1600m Run; Tonie also placed 3rd in the Discus; Sophomore, Candace Marvel, 5th, 3200m Run; and Fresh-

man Charity Bartlett, 5th, 800m run. Several girls made the finals of the meet but did not place.

Other members of the Lady Mats track team who competed in the meet were Junior, Kristi Williams; Freshmen Rhonda Ashley, Leigha Burns, Brooke Decker, Elizabeth Ho-Gland, Erica Johnson, Rachelle Renfro, and Ashley Stevens.

ShaVonne Taylor, Tammy Nipp, LouAnn Salazar and LeAnndra Wallace were also members of the team, but were unable to participate in the meet.

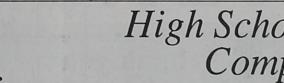
The girls worked hard this season and improved every meet. They are Other Lady's who placed at the to be commended for their improvement

Don't forget the Regional Meet in Levelland on May 1 at noon. Good luck Kandi and Tonie.

JR. HIGH GIRL'S TENNIS TEAM — Pictured standing left to right are team members Rachael Smith, Sherri Thomas, Coach Trisha Ridgley, Kelsi Wallace, Courtney Hays; (seated I-r) Cassie Campbell, Brittany Donaldson, Lacy Carson, Brittany Moore, Kayla Copp, Brenda Gillespie, Moore, and Justin Jameson. Leslie Taylor, Misty Young, and Amanda Sands.



JR. HIGH/BOY'S TENNIS TEAM - Pictured standing left to right, William Ho-Gland, Luke Runge, Deke Baxter, Andy Anson, and Coach Trisha Ridgley; (kneeling l-r) Shawn Marvel, Tony Salazar, Brandon



High School Tennis Teams Compete At Zone

cancer research hospital located in goes directly to St. Jude's. Volunteers Memphis, TN. Approximately 5,000 are needed to help the morning of the Memphis, TN. Approximately 5,000 are needed to help the morning of the children are currently being treated at Bike-A-Thon. Adult helpers will en-St. Jude's and no family is ever asked sure the safety of all riders. If you can

Breakfast: Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Country Steak, New Whole Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk.





# **Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc.**

You are cordially invited to attend the **59th Annual** Membership Meeting



Lighthouse Electric Cooperative Thursday, April 30, 1998 at Lighthouse Electric Cooperative Headquarters Highway 70 East at Floydada, Texas

Health Fair from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Registration will be from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. A catered meal by Denny's Hens & Fins beginning at 5:30 p.m. Entertainment by Brady Rasco with "Magic By Russell" for children's entertainment Business meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. Directors will be elected and prize drawings held \$500 Grand Prize

by Coach Trisha Ridgley

On April 14, 1998 our Varsity Tennis team participated in the North Zone competition. Those playing in the meet were as following: Boys singles: Ryan Martin and Aaron Binder; Boys doubles: Aaron Green, Brad Marvel, Sean Rose and Scott Smith. Girls Singles: Kasi Risser and Leigha Burns. Girls doubles: Blair Thacker, Kandi Keltz, Rebecca Morris and Ashley Stevens. Alternates

vel. They played very well. Our team one match. All in all Motley County of Brad Marvel and Aaron Green won their first match, 6-0, 6-1 and contin-tennis team, and we are looking forued play in the Championship Bracket. ward to next season. They took third place in Zone. Everyone that played in the Consolation County ISD and I want to thank the

We have good kids here at Motley Bracket that afternoon won at least parents for their help and support.

Write in your heart that every day is the best day of the year.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

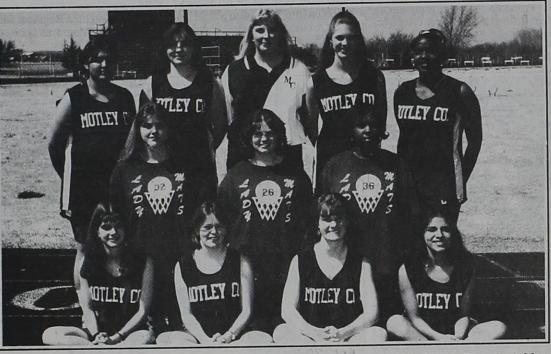


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# **Congratulations to all of Motley County's** \*\*\*\*\* **Spring Sport participants!**



HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS - Pictured at back left to right, Brad Marvel, Sean Rose, Coach Trisha Ridgley, Scott Smith, Aaron Green; (seated l-r) Rebecca Morris, Tonie Bowden, Jill Stanley, Ryan Moore, Ashley Stevens, Blair Thacker, Aaron Binder, Miranda Palmer, Kandi Keltz, and Leigha Burns.



High School Girls Track - Pictured at back left to right are Elizabeth Ho-Gland, Rhonda Ashley, Coach Kim Alexander, Sha Vonne Taylor, Erica Johnson; (middle row l-r) Tonie Bowden, Rachelle Renfro, and Margaret Mangram; (seated I-r) Jill Stanley, Brooke Decker, Ashley Stevens, and Lou Ann Salazar. Team members not pictured are Kristi Williams, Candace Marvel, Leigha Burns, Kandi Keltz, and **Charity Bartlett.** 



High School Boys Track Team - Pictured standing left to right, Coach Ron Cox, Brad Marvel, Joe Gonzalez, Chase Carson, Andrew Rodriguez, Joe Mangram, Jermaine Hendrix, Matt Easter, Robert Gillespie, Sean Rose, and Coach Ridgley; (in front l-r) Benji Rodriguez, Gene Clark, and Scott Jones. Team members not pictured are Benjamin Ridgley, Aaron Binder, and Alex Salazar.







High School Boy's Golf Team - Pictured at back left to right are Brant Donaldson, Dayton Grundy, Keane Cruse, Jason Barton, and Chase Carson; (front l-r) Benjamin Ridgley, Casey Lawrence, Jason Clauser, and Robert Gillespie.

High School Girl's Golf Team - Pictured in front left to right are Rachelle Renfro, Tanya Barkley, Sha Vonne Taylor, Llan Barkley, and Brooke Decker; at back left to right are Rebekah Jameson, Monica Clifton, and Vanessa Easter.

## Good Luck at Regional to our Golf Teams & to Kandi & Tonie

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# Letter to the Editor

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## Dear Editor:

The following article was sent to me. It is of concern to all veterans. This is not a joke. I contacted the V.A. offices and was told that this is true.

The President of the United States recently signed into law a bill that affects all veterans. This law states in effect that if a veteran has not registered at a Veterans Affairs Hospital since October 1, 1996, then on October 1, 1998, he or she will lose all medical benefits for life.

The V.A. is also prohibited from notifying veterans about the new law. The information must be disseminated address in Lubbock to pick up a form: via word of mouth or by letter.

The V.A. recommends that everyone eligible for benefits come by their office, and sign prior to the October st deadline, regardless of whether they have received treatment at a V.A. Hospital since October 1, 1996. This way no one will slip through the

When visiting the V.A. to sign up you will need your DD-214 and you will need to complete a form that is available at the V.A. The form will only take about five minutes to complete.

If you cannot locate your DD-214, go to the V.A. office and they can help you obtain a copy.

By accomplishing these simple procedures you will maintain your veterans' benefits. Ph. 800-827-1000 Texas Veterans Out Reach, Ph. 806-796-7900, Lubbock, Texas.

Veterans may go by the following VA Out Patient Clinic 4902 34th St. #10 Room 101B Lubbock, TX 79410.

Thank you for helping get this important news out.

Fred Grant

# DPS phases in six-year driver licenses

Trips to driver license offices will cards will be valid for six years. become less frequent for Texans in piration dates.

the new system eventually should re- for six years. duce lines in driver license offices.

censes and identification cards will be good for six years instead of four," said DPS Director Col. Dudley M. Thomas. "Since folks won't have to visit our driver license offices as ofwaiting in line on any given day."

Over the next four years, DPS will phase in the six-year system. During will be valid indefinitely. the transition period, renewal licenses will be issued for four, five or six licensed motorcycle operators. ears to evenly distribute renewals Previously, extra fees were charged through the next cycle and to avoid only to those renewing licenses with crowds when those licenses expire. "Class M" motorcycle operator certi-All original licenses and identification fication.

Driver license fees will remain \$4

coming years as the Texas Department per year, but totals will vary during of Public Safety extends license ex- the transition period based on expiration date. Licensees will pay \$16 for Licenses will be valid longer, and four years, \$20 for five years and \$24

This new driver license program "Eventually, all Texas driver li- implements House Bill 1200, which was passed during last year's legislative session. DPS simultaneously is implementing several other new driver license laws. Changes include:

· DPS-issued identification cards ten, we should have fewer people will cost \$15 for six years. However, citizens age 60 or older will be able to pay \$5 for identification cards that

The fee structure will change for

# Safety Pays Huge Dividends For Motley County



SAFETY AWARD - Gary Martin, left, from Hibbs-Hallmark and Company presents Motley County ISD Superintendent Rick Copp with a certificate for safety.

Motley County ISD, was recently recognized for their outstanding safety record by the North Texas Educational Insurance Association at the Annual Appreciation Luncheon in Austin, Texas. The district has saved \$70,595 since September 1, 1993 because of their dedication to preventing work related injuries. More than 320 Texas schools are current participants in a program that focuses on employee safety and savings for the school district. This uniquely designed program was developed by Hibbs-Hallmark & Company and is administered by CAS-Claims Administrative Services, Inc. Both companies, located in Tyler, Texas, currently provide workers' compensation to over 30% of Texas school districts. Since it's inception in 1991, combined savings for participating school districts have exceeded \$49 million.

award recipient, with actual losses for funds reserved for potential claims tion to each participating district."

Mr. Rick Copp, Superintendent, expenses. Savings for the 96/97 school year totalled \$26,980.00. "Our self insurance programs were created to offer the safest working conditions and the greatest potential for savings for Texas school districts," said Barry Jones, claims Administrative Services, Inc. President. "Regular visits from our team of safety professionals assist each district in implementing strict safety policies and procedures."

Wesley Slade, Senior Vice President of CAS explained, "Member districts' commitment to safety is one of the reasons for the success of the Association. District participation in HHC/CAS programs set the standard for school statewide, in reducing onthe-job injuries, as well as saving tax dollars. Taxpayers should be pleased to know that the Board of Trustees and the administrative staff of Motley County ISD are working to provide Motley County ISD was a Star the safest working environment possible for their employees and to rethe district amounting to 24.92% of duce the cost of worker's compensa-

# Local woman participates in National Medical Study

## NOTE: The following article was taken from the Lubbock Avalanche and Treatment Center. Journal.

Among the thousands of women who enrolled in a national Breast Cancer Prevention Trial was Matador resident Eva Barkley, 50, mother of two.

Mrs. Barkley joined the drug trial in Feb. 1994, and learned on April 6 that the study had produced dramatic results.

The research showed that the antiestrogen drug tamoxifen reduces the rate at which invasive breast cancer The finding is a signal event in can-

the Joe Arrington Cancer Research

The Breast Cancer Prevention Trial was launched in April 1992 and became one of the largest cancer prevention trials ever, with more than 13,300 women nationwide enrolled. Funded by the National Cancer Institute, the six-year study showed that tamoxifen cut cancer rates by nearly half among women at risk of getting the disease because of family history, precancerous breast lesions or age

Women who enrolled in the drug develops in some high-risk, women. trial were randomly assigned to take either a placebo pill or tamoxifen, and none of the participants knew until last week what they had received. Mrs. Barkley was told that she had been taking a placebo throughout her 4-year enrollment. Nonetheless, she was glad to have participated, she said.

## part of it.

"I feel like I want to help and this was, of course, an opportunity."

Despite the remarkable results, Barkley said that she will not begin taking tamoxifen in the future, even though she qualified for the study based on a family history of breast cancer.

"I did qualify, but I don't feel like I want to be on a medication for five years if I don't have to be," Barkley said. "The only one who came up with breast cancer was my sister - my

mother never had cancer - and my sister had non-invasive cancer...so I don't really feel like it's a genetic

thing in our family." She added, "I think every situation is different, and it depends on your personal feeling. But if there is a medical necessity I would rethink my position and probably take (tamoxifen).

"If there was a lump discovered and it was positive for cancer, I certainly would fight it with this medication."

# **TxDOT District Complex Preliminary Plans Submitted**

DDI Architects, Inc. of Wichita ing facility and an area office and Childress. The construction of the new city. complex in Childress was approved last year by State Officials.

The preliminary plans include the construction of a new main office; housing design operations, computer facilities, support operations and the construction contract office servicing the thirteen county Childress District. This office building will be the centerpiece of the complex and will be Wellington at Pioneer Park and should work within the allotted budget. add some local flavor to the building.

Falls have submitted preliminary maintenance section facility. The plans to the Texas Department of complex is to be constructed at the Transportation for the new Distrcit northwest corner of the intersection Headquarters Complex to be built in of US 287 and FM 164 west of the

> Construction is scheduled to begin in late June with TxDOT forces performing preliminary earth work activities. The contract for the building construction will go to letting in early Fall with construction to begin soon after. Construction is expected to take 14 months.

Plans are available at the current visible and easily accessible from US district office on Avenue F for public 287. Architectural elements of the viewing and inspection. David main office are planned to include a Casteel, District Engineer, encourages free standing truss to signify the en- interested citizens to stop by and look trance. This entrance way element is at the plans. Casteel states that he is being designed to mimic the historic pleased with the preliminary design truss bridge on US 83 north of and with the ability of the architect to

Childress TxDOT engineers Terry Also included in the project is a dis- Keener and Jim Freeman are overseetrict laboratory, a shop and warehous- ing this project locally for the State.

cer research. "The drug has been widely used for

several years to treat breast cancer, but this trial is a landmark because it shows that the drug also curbs the disease from ever developing," said Dr. Catherine Renaghan, Lubbock surgeon and co-principle investigator for the breast cancer prevention research at the Southwest Cancer Center and

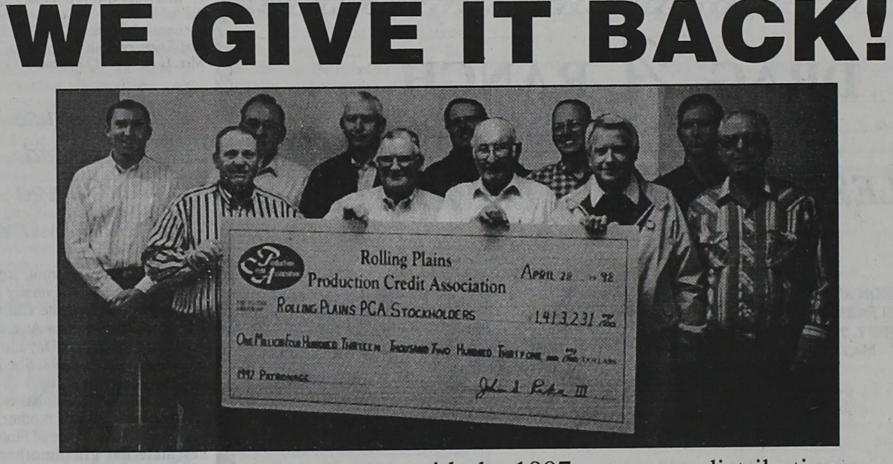
"I knew it could go either way, so I'm not disappointed at all," Barkley said. "I'm just glad that I could be a

Kemember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, It is more blessed to give than to receive.

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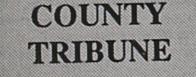
# **ROLLING PLAINS PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION 64th ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING**

**TUESDAY EVENING - APRIL 28** Canadian, Pampa, Perryton and Wheeler Area Stockholders CANADIAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETORIUM

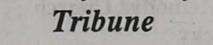
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★ 6:00 P.M. REGISTRATION AND MEAL ★ DIRECTOR ELECTION - PERRYTON, CHILDRESS AND MUNDAY AREAS ★ ENTERTAINMENT BY GREG CLAASSEN ★ 7:00 P.M. BUSINESS SESSION

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# Rews from around the County

## Roaring Springs News by Odessa Mullins

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pierce, Britt, and Christy was his sister, Naomi Hylleston of Lubbock. She also visited Cleo Watson and Vera Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten spent Easter with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Reagan and Bryce in Quitaque.

Venita Sedgwick spent Sunday with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sedgwick at Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jordan spent several days visiting in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patten drove to McLean Saturday where they joined other family members for a birthday party for a great-grandson, one-year-old Skee Burkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Burkes. They drove on to Pampa spending the weekend with son and family, Mr. and Mrs Buddy Allen, returning home Monday.

Lula Swim and Imogene Swim visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Swim in Abilene. They attended church services on Sunday at the Methodist Church where their cousin is Pastor.

Lula Swim drove to Floydada Monday morning where she kept an appointment with her dentist.

Christy Fisk has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pierce and helping out at the florist shop for the past five months, while her husband, Spc. Robert Fisk was stationed in Saudi Arabia. He is serving in the Marines at Ft. Brag, N.C. He will return to his base May 27 and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisk of Amarillo will accompany Christy home, leaving here May 25. We will miss you, Christy, but Robert will be glad to see you.

Word was received here Monday that Ora Stonecipher, a resident at the Crosbyton Care Center, fell and broke her hip. She has had hip surgery and is in Methodist Hospital, Room S 680, 3615 19th. St. Lubbock, TX 79410.

#### **GUILD MEETS**

Harriett Marshall was hostess to the Roaring Springs Wesleyan Guild when they met at her home on Wednesday, April 15. Pearl Patten gave the opening prayer. She was in charge of the meeting. Lula

were Debra Robbins of Houston and Lana Lane of Dallas. They joined Debra's parents, Delbert and Barbara Robbins, and Amy Havis and their families for Easter lunch at their ranch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves were Easter Sunday luncheon guests of Suzanne and Kenneth Abbott at their Country Lake home. Kenneth told how he had built the amazing home in sections in Lubbock, loaded it on a carrier, and with his crane and several helpers brought it here and set it up in a couple of days.

#### **BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

Mrs. Ruby Nichols of Lubbock, formerly of Roaring Springs was honored Wednesday evening, April 15, at 6:00 p.m., on the occasion of her eightieth birthday with a dinner given by her daughters, Virginia Martin and Rita Little and their brother, Carroll Dennis Nichols at Carroll's home near Idalou. Another daughter Vada Beth Watt and her husband, Carson came from Bryan a week earlier to install their gift - new storm doors for Ruby at her home.

Guests included Ruby's sisters, Margie Payne of Roaring Springs; Winnie Byars of Seminole; Essie Payne, and Essie's twin brother Jessie "Bud" Roller. Numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the area, and Rita Groves, a sister-in-law, and her husband, Algie, of Roaring Springs were present for a very pleasant evening that featured visiting, delicious food, birthday cake, blowing out of the candles, and homemade ice cream. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Visitors in the Kenneth and Suzanne Abbott home on Sunday were his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Abbott and their son Kenny Abbott both of Lubbock. They attended the program presented at the Library in the afternoon by Zoe Kirkpatrick about Texas wildflowers.

Sunday visitors in the Cleo Watson home were Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Daniels of Floydada, Billie Roller and Pete Ozborn of Plainview, and Corky and Monta Marshall of Roosevelt. The Marshalls were also looking after their home here and visiting other friends and relatives over the weekend.

## Flomot News by Earlyne Jameson

#### CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada was honored on her birthday Thursday, April 16 with a luncheon and all the trimmings at the Strickland's Cafe in Lockney.

Those sharing the happy occasion were Mary Ellen Barton, Viola Stinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay of Flomot, and Mrs. Marisue Potts, Mrs. Lou Burleson and her neighborhood friends of Floydada.

#### HAS SURGERY

Brittany, daughter of Lucretia and Breck Dockery of Vernon, had ureter surgery Wednesday, April 15 at United Regional Hospital in Wichita Falls. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson were with the family from Tuesday until Thursday. Brittany has returned home and is reported to be doing fine. \*\*\*\*\*

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson Easter weekend were son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Vinson and Mr. and Mrs. Dana Vinson of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Vinson, Kaitlyn, Morgan and Andrew of Midland. Visiting them from Thursday until Saturday was their daughter, Mrs. Bill (Linda) Perryman of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited form Wednesday until Saturday, April 8-11 in Arlington with Mrs. Lula Crammer. They enjoyed the Johnny High Easter performance at the Country Revue Theater. Mrs. Brenda Cruse and daughter, Leah,

her mother, Mrs. Marihelen Wason of Matador, and sister and daughter, Mrs. Charla Marricle and Shahala of Snyder enjoyed a pre-Easter visit and entertainment in Lubbock Friday, April 10.

Luncheon guests of Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Nance of Silverton, Mrs. Dona Browning of Rising Star and Mrs. Sylvia Lee Mar-

### from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and is an out-patient for medical treatment for

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his injured ankle. He visited in Panhandle, Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Metcalf and accompanied home his children, Kelsey, Tanner and Sarah who visited there the past week.

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Paul Roberts of Lubbock visited Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers.

Art Green visited in Plainview, Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Alta Mae Rice. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris visited during the week in Breckenridge with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Morris and Lane.

Mrs. Chad (Cindy) Calvert visited overnight Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were in Lubbock, Tuesday for medical appointments and had lunch with Anita and Brad Carter. They attended the Wild Flower presentation at the M.C. Library in Matador Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited in Floydada, Tuesday with Mrs. Bessie Martin.

Jack and Nada Starkey were in Amarillo, Monday, April 13 and again, Tuesday, April 21 for medical appointments. They visited Mrs. Clifton Reid and Christina and in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine were in Lubbock, Wednesday for Aleda a dental appointment. Visiting the Ross family, Sunday were Elisa and Stan Wigley of Lubbock.

Roger Lee and son, Josh attended the Texas Cotton Ginner's Assn. convention held at Memorial Civic Center in Lubbock.

## Whiteflat Rews by Earlyne Jameson

**OVERHEARD** Paul Harvey: "Golfers who are buried on Tuesday, Thursday or Sunday have very few friends attending their services."

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It was held in conjunction with the 41st annual Plains Cotton Growers meeting. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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# Matador News

Virginia Green of Whiteflat accompanied her parents for the Easter week-end to Keller where a son and brother Andy Green and family live and were also united by other members of the family and which were her wishes. friends from Austin.

Mrs. W.N. Pipkin and Gerald Pipkin spent Easter weekend in Midland visiting Mr. and Mrs. V.T. Alexander and other relatives in Midland. Miss Leigh Ann Pipkin, Texas Tech student, spent Easter in Matador with her father, Gerald Pipkin.

going to the Sam Bell Maxey House, where she got to go out on the upstairs balcony. She also got to go to Ellis Park and play, as well as visit her Aunt Frances,

Charles and Joan Keith attended the "Kirkin' O' the Tartans" at Casa del Sol last Saturday evening. The event, sponsored by the West Texas Scottish Heritage Society, included a delightful supper, the processional of the Tartans at sunset, a

Service of God in Worship, and concluded

Swim gave the devotional, "The Rose". Noma Wike gave the study on the 8,9 and 10th chapters of Esther. Chelsea Read

gave the closing prayer. Those attending were Lee Peacock, Pearl Patten, Billie Clifton, Jeanie Adams, Darleen Fletcher, Suzanne Abbott, Lula Swim, Callie Giescke, Noma Wike, Chelsea Read, Grace Zabielski, and the hostess Harriett Marshall.

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Easter weekend guests of Joyce Smith

**BURLESON ARENA** 

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LOCATED ON FARM ROAD 2009

Joyce Smith visited with Freda Keahey recently at St. Mary's Plaza where Freda is receiving therapy.

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FLASH! Keep in mind the next meeting of Friends of the Library - May 7, at 4:00 p.m. in the Library meeting room. New members always welcome! Try it, you might like it!

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**STEER ROPING** 

BURLESON ARENA FLOMOT, TEXAS

ATTEND TEXAS COTTON **GINNER'S CONVENTION** 

Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn attended the 91st annual Texas Cotton Ginner's Assn. convention held from Wednesday until Saturday at the Memorial Civic Center in Lubbock.

It was estimated 6000 ginners, growers and industry representatives saw almost 200 exhibits. Theme for the event was "Ginning Toward the Millennium".

Mrs. Tim Jennings of Haskell accompanied Mrs. T.W. Jennings to Lockney, Friday for a medical appointment.

Mrs. Katheryn Martin visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with Mrs. Josie Mar-tin and in Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin and Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and Danielle and her mother, Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse of Flomot attended the Little Dribblers Basketball tournament in Crowell Thursday afternoon in which their son, Fannon, competed.

Ms. Lula Swim of Roaring Springs visited Mrs. Juanita Cooper, Wednesday. Lance Jameson of Wichita Falls visited Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson.

Leah Cruse Presented Chi Omega Sorority Award

Leah Cruse of Flomot, student at West Texas A&M University in Canyon, was presented the Chi Omega Outstanding Freshman Award at the Chi Omega Founders Day Luncheon, Saturday, April 4, 1998. She is vice-

Marihelen Wason of Matador attended the luncheon and presentation.

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with a special Scottish prayer. Hostess bara Armstrong, recently spent three days Georgia Mae Erickson briefly explained about her Scottish heritage and displayed her family's brand, the first to have been

Matador Senior Citizens Report br. Cora Hall

There were 17 present for the April 14 Senior Citizens meeting and lunch. Jean Cooper gave us our report for the first of the month.

will be done again on April 28. Also on the fourth Tuesday the nurses will be here for blood pressure and sugar tests. The Matador Senior Citizens enjoy

Hearing aid tests were given. Testing being together for visiting and meals.

## A Note of Chanks

The family of Jack Barnhill expresses our heartfelt thanks for the efforts that were made by his friends to ease the suffering after his surgery. Also, we thank those people who made the effort to call, visit, brought food, sent flowers, and attended the graveside ceremony during our time of grief. Words cannot describe how much comfort we have received from these acts of kindness.

Our love and thanks, The Barnhill family

We would like to thank everyone for the cards, calls, flowers, and prayers at the loss of our loved one. May God bless you.

Dale, JoEtta and Joe Dean Bumgardner

Many thanks to the Flomot and Matador Fire Departments for the quick response to my call for help to extinguish the fire in my pasture. It was greatly appreciated.

Tommie Cruse

Some luck lies in not getting what you thought you wanted but getting what you have, which once you have got it you may be smart enough to see is what you would have wanted had you known.

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-Garrison Keillor

# Family Support Group for Alzheimer's and Other **Related Diseases**

April 23 WHEN:

WHERE: First United Methodist Church

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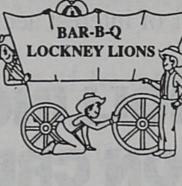
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**AT RANCH OR NEAR BY!** 

**DINING SATURDAY OR SUNDAY NIGHT AT** SSRA ENTRIES 9 A.M. **TUESDAY, APRIL 21** QUITAQUE: SSRA Marvin Casebolt SPORTSMAN SENIORS 7 SUPER SENIORS 918-287-1670 STEER ROPING \*\*\*\*\* **ROARING SPRINGS** HORSE STALLS **12 NOON FEED TROUGH** AVAILABLE **OR CITY CAFE** 2ND ANNUAL TRI-STATE MATCH **AT RANCH NEAR BY! OPEN ROPING** FOR MORE INFORMATION 3 & A SHORT -- \$400 S.C. BURLESON INTRODUCTION OF ROPERS STOCK CONTRACTOR 806-983-2977 1:30 P.M. C.A. LAUER, BUFFALO, OK AFTER 7 P.M. **BENNY REAGAN** 

2 & A SHORT \$120 **1 LOOP 2 FLAT FALLS** 

HORSE STALLS AVAILABLE **Mickey Duggan** SUNDAY 806-655-1763 **APRIL 26** 



ADMISSION: \$5.00

DRAWING ON SUNDAY

FOR PAIR OF

"DOLLAR" SPURS

MUST BE PRESENT

TO WIN!!

ENTIRES **RESTAURANT & MOTEL** ISRA **OPEN** NOVICE **NOVICE STEER ROPING** OPEN AT 6 P.M. **FLOYDADA INN** THURSDAY **TOP 12 TO SHORT ROUND** APRIL 23 FIELDAN MOTEL CLOSE, 1 P.M. (NOT SANCTIONED BY ISRA) **FRIDAY, APRIL 24** 

IF YOU HAVE CANCER,

WE CAN HELP.

IF NOT, YOU CAN HELP.

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O 1994 American Cancer Society

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president of the Sorority. It was held at the Ambassador Hotel in Amarillo. Her mother, Mrs. Darrell (Brenda) Cruse of Flomot and her maternal grandmother, Mrs.

> 203 W. Kentucky Floydada, Texas 79235

#### 6:00 p.m. TIME:

Speaker will be David Freed, PhD, Director of the Alzheimer's Disease Education Program, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

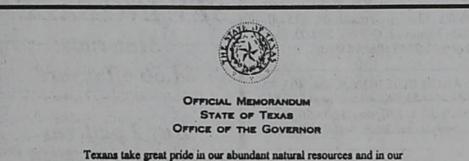
Sponsored by Floydada Rehabilitation andCare Center. For more information call Kiki Wilcox, Administrator or Donna Thiebaud, DON at 806-983-3704.



# Farm & Ranch News



SOIL & WATER STEWARDSHIP WEEK - As an important part of pre- limited to a maximum of two appliserving our natural resources, Governor George W. Bush declares April 26-May 3, 1998 as Soil and Water Stewardship Week in Texas. Members of the specific exemption. Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts' Soil & Water Stewardship Committee and representatives of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board (TSSWCB) witnessed and received the signed proclamation from the Governor in Austin. Standing from left to right are: Roy Freeman, Program Specialist, TSSWCB, Kenedy; Robert Buckley, Executive Director, TSSWCB, Temple; Charles "Buddy" Clark, Vice-Chairman, will be very important for growers, requirements passed during the last TSSWCB, Menard; Kenneth Brandenberger, Member, Soil & Water Stewardship Committee, Llano; John Earl Smith, Vice-Pres., Assoc. of Texas Soil & Water Conservation Districts, Quemado; Aurelio Medina, Chairman, Soil & Water Stewardship Committee, Crystal City; Governor Bush (seated). "Wonders of Wildlife" is the theme of this year's Soil & Water Stewardship Week and Texas' 216 soil and water conservation districts will participate in be tried first. the annual observance.



stewardship of them. We also depend on the ample production of the foods and fibers on our lands for our well-being. Responsible use and proper management of soil and water resources effectively ensures our quality of life and conserves our natural resources for future generations

Throughout the Lone Star State, 216 soil and water conservation districts provide practical and democratic organizations through which landowners take initiatives to properly use and protect land and water. Under the leadership of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, these districts sponsor activities to



some good news from the Environ- ing all applicable directions, restricmental Protection Agency late April 10 with the announcement that product label. In addition fields treated carbofuran, marketed as Furadan 4F, with Furadan must be posted with would be granted a Section 18 spe- signs as required by EPA's Worker cific exemption in 1998 under guide- Protection Standards. lines contained in the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA).

Growers utilizing Furadan will be cations (0.5 lb. a.i.) per acre under the

According to the EPA decision a total of 1.8 million areas of Texas cotton could be treated with Furadan to control runaway aphid populations.

PCG officials have noted that it crop consultants and applicators to remember that Furadan is the product of last resort and whenever possible, and time is not a critical factor, that alternative control mechanisms should

As with all Section 18 labels and Safety Act. granted by EPA, this year's Furadan label includes a host of reporting and facility owners a chance to protect application requirements. Most of these requirements will fall on the shoulders of the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Texas Agricultural cility owners. Extension Service and the certified applicators hired by cotton producers greater than 16 inches are required to to apply the product.

Furadan will be available under this emergency exemption when there more than 14 days in advance or less are documented aphid control failures by currently registered alternative operations. An agriculture exemption products attributable to resistance. In the absence of documentation show- son may not be held liable for daming resistance producers will be al- age to an underground facility. lowed to use the product when alternative aphicides fail (less than 80 per- make notification or volunteer to cent control) and aphid populations make a notification for work to be

Texas cotton producers received vise the application of Furadan utiliztions and precautions as noted on the

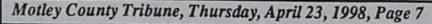
> The biggest potential problem for cotton producers on the Texas High Plains is the limitation of treatments to only 1.8 million acres of cotton in the State. Heavy aphid infestations occurring in other growing regions before problems develop on the Texas High Plains could restrict the number of acres able to be treated late in the season.

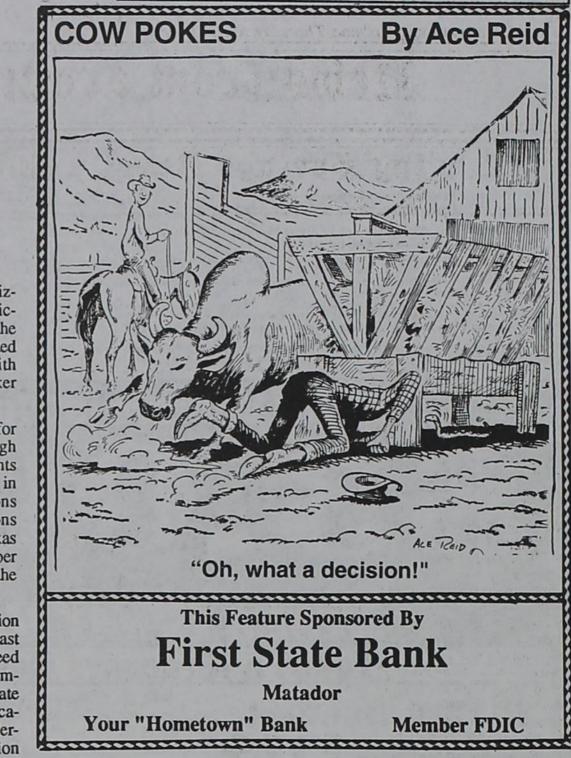
> Growers worried about notification session of the Texas Legislature need not worry. At this time normal farming operations carried out on private property are exempted from notification requirements under the Underground Facility Damage Prevention

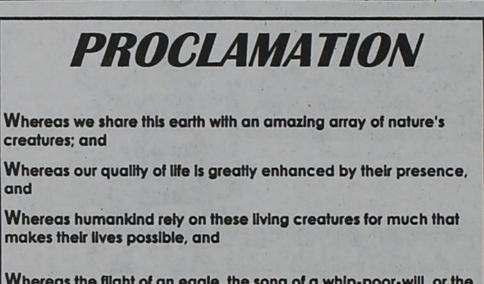
> Intended to provide underground their buried cables and pipelines the law in question provides a simple method of notifying underground fa-

> Excavators operating at a depth notify underground facility owners of upcoming excavation activities no than 48 hours in advance of digging does exist that says an exempted per-

Excavators who are required to

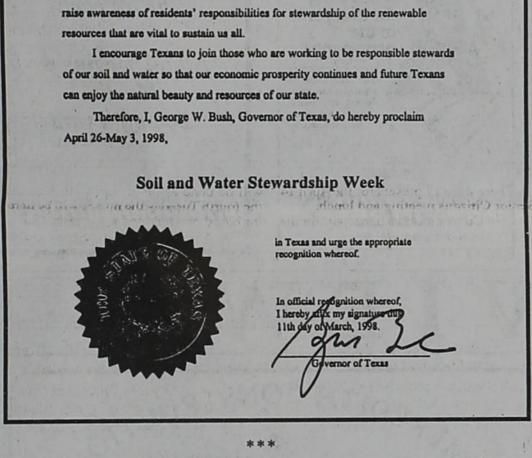






Whereas the flight of an eagle, the song of a whip-poor-will, or the sight of a squirrel burying an acorn are enjoyed by all, and

Whereas the conservation district movement in America is promoting the protection of diverse wildlife species:



If there is anything that we wish to change in the child, we should first examine it and see whether it is not something that could better be changed in ourselves.

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-Carl Gustav Jung

**JUST ARRIVED!** 

Onion Sets, Bulbs, Seed Potatoes, Shade Trees,

Fruit Trees, Roses, & Grape Vines

**—APPLIANCES**—

Washers & Dryers, Stoves, Freezers, Microwaves

4' Walk Thru Gates

4' Trough Feeder

**Port-A-Hut Hog Raising Systems** 

**Storage Buildings** 

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**FARM & RANCH SUPPLIES** 

**PURINA FEEDS** 

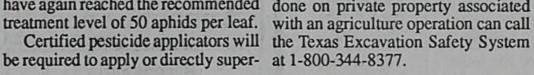
**HI-PRO VET SUPPLIES** 

**10' Portable Cattle Panels** 

12' Trough Feeder

**Round Bale Feeder** 

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your small grain acres. Although re- Non-Insured Assistance Program porting these acres are not a require- (NAP). NAP replaced the old disaster ment to remain eligible for the Produc- and feed assistance programs that tion Flexibility Contract, the Agricul- were adminstered to help offset losses ture Marketing Transition Act generally experienced in Motley (AMTA) does require reports to made County because of drought. Howby the applicable deadlines to remain ever, NAP is a program that can not be eligible for the price support loans. approved by Washington until ample Wheat could very possibly be eligible evidence is provided to them that the for loan this year with the weak market county suffered at least a 35% loss prices that we are seeing today. Also, per crop. This will usually mean that anytime peanuts, fruits, and/or vege- it will be after the disaster has octables are planted, those acres must be curred, and probably well into the reported to this office. Certifying non- next crop year, before a disaster desiginsurable crops and/or forages such as nation could be granted. Upon receivhay, native and improved pastures, ing that designation, however, watermelons and peas are also impor- each applicant for assistance must

May 15 is the deadline to certify tant to secure initial eligibility for the

have timely certified. A timely certification means that you reported to us the acres planted no later than 15 days after planting or for grazing fortages such as small grain in the fall & winter or native/improved pastures, you report the acres before grazing. Timely certifications are encouraged, and are required for future unknown programs that may become available. From May 4- May 29, there will be

an EQIP Conservation Program signup. This is the new long-term conservation program to cost-share work on brush control, tanks, terraces, irrigation improvement, grass, waterways, ect. Funds are very limited, and controlled at the state level. Please contact FSA or NRCS for further information about signing up.

Just a reminder that fallow, nonplanted acres that are under a PFC contract must be kept clean and free from weeds. Spot-checks are performed throughout the year to ensure compliance.

WORD of GOD

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For those who ask Lord the for wisdom:

But the wisdom that is from above

herefore, I	Laverna M.	Price	County Judge of	MOTLEY	County, in full
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ho protect th	ose resources, d	o hereby	proclaim April 26 throu	igh May 3,	1998 as

## SOIL AND WATER STEWARDSHIP WEEK

County, Texas. MOTLEY

IN OFFICIAL RECOGNITION WHEREOF, I hereby affix my signature this

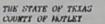
15th day of APRIL , 1998 Forma Tr. Price County Judge of MOTLEY County

NOTLET COUNTY TREASURERS REPORT QUARTERLY REPORT

REPORT OF JUE E. CANFUELL, COUNTY TREASURER OF MOTLEY COUNTY, TEXAS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM JANUARY 1, 1998 TO MARCH 31, 1998

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KOAD & BRIDGE # 3	\$6,830.36	\$ 15,058.83	\$ 14.346.88	0	
KOAD & BRIDGE # 4	\$5,317.59	\$ 14,753.61	\$ 12,672.99	\$ 7,398.21	
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BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED JOE E. CAMPBELL, MOTLEY COUNTY TREASURER, WHO BEING SWORN, AND UPON OATH IN AND FORECOING IS TRUE AND CORR

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## **RENTALS:**

Roto-Rooter Chop Saw **Ditch-Witch Tandem Trailer Roto Tiller** Welder Steam Cleaner

## STORE HOURS - 7:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. MONDAY - FRIDAY & 7-12 SATURDAY FREE LOCAL DELIVERY FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE AFTER HOURS CALL **DONNIE 347-2889 OR FRED 347-2304**

is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy. James 3:17

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