



FALL FUN — Soraya Davey, seems thrilled with Mr. and Mrs. Scarecrow, part of the fall decorations on the front porch of her home. Soraya is ready to enjoy the Fall Festival and trick or treating this weekend. She is the daughter of Ted and Lara Davey of Matador.

Matador City Council meets

The Matador City Council met Thursday, October 13. Council members in attendance were Pat Seigler, Bert Darsey, Jim Watson and Shane Jones. Chuck Ream was absent. Also in attendance were Mayor Paul Westbrook, City Superintendent Steve Barton and City Secretary Debra Scott.

Mayor Westbrook called the meeting to order. Invocation was given by Pat Seigler.

The minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved. Bills were reviewed and approved.

The council approved installing stop signs at Bundy & Lariat and at Bundy & Harry.

Market Matador submitted a Warranty Deed on which the taxes have been paid but they

were requesting the penalty and interest be forgiven so the land could be donated to Market Matador. The council voted to forego penalty and interest.

Council voted to ask Yellowhouse Machinery to pick up the Backhoe Cab as it was not what was ordered and much more than they intended to spend for a cab. Council does not feel they should be liable for restocking fee since the merchandise was not what was requested.

Council asked Mayor Westbrook to speak with an attorney before paying the repair bill submitted by Yellowhouse on the Dozer repair because they feel the machine repair should be covered by warranty.

After discussion, Council voted to continue paying the second deputy's salary at \$1250 per month, for the rest of the current fiscal year as budgeted.

Supt. Steve Barton reported that they have installed the overhead on the barn and have poured the skirting for the drive.

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Texas Historical Marker dedicated at Bob's Oil Well

Guests from a wide region, including Austin, were welcomed at the dedication ceremony for a historical marker at Bob's Oil Well on Saturday, October 22.

Julianne Fletcher of Austin, representing Preservation Texas, expressed her delight with the progress on the renovation of the historic site. The busy director of the organization said that together Bob's Oil Well and Preservation Texas made the perfect marriage, enlisting grassroots efforts and statewide influence to save sites such as these.

Preservation Texas named Bob's to the 2004 list of most endangered historical sites in Texas. Since that time, the one time tourist stop has been a subject of a news conference on the steps of the state Capitol, a page in PT calendar, special interest news articles in newspapers all over the state, updates with articles and photos in PT newsletter, and a Texas Historical Com-

Annual Fall Festival to be held Saturday

Harvest Queens will be crowned

The Eternas Study Club will sponsor the Annual Fall Festival, Saturday, October 29, beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the old elementary building, with the crowning of the Queen's contest winners. Contestants are:

Pre-K: Alycia Silva, daughter of Michael and LouAnn Silva, escorted by Zachary Ashby, son of Amanda Ashby and Tommy Hurt.

Kindergarten: Tristan Perryman, daughter of Lisa Perryman and Devin Perryman, escorted by Brody Rankin, son of Ryan and Lacey Rankin.

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Special awards presented at annual Motley County Chamber of Commerce Banquet

by Marisue Potts Powell

A guest appearance by Madame X at the Motley County Chamber Banquet on October 22 had the audience baffled. Who was this tall, lanky "lady" with the squeaky voice touting ExLax Chocolate Laxative to a "regular" old cowboy with suspenders (portrayed by Charlie Johnson)? It was all in fun at the 11th Annual Banquet held at the Motley County school gym.

In a radio-screen play written and directed by Frances Hobbs, many otherwise sane citizens dressed up in a spoof on 1930's soap operas and commercials. Gerald Pipkin provided the proper mood music for each segment while Ed D. Smith appeared as a creative soundman/announcer for a small radio station. The actors included Kathy Turner in the Oxydol commercial, Deanie Edwards, Tommy Keith, and Lindy Stafford as Clara, Lu and Em.

Lou Burleson made a guest appearance as Minnie of the Depression. The History Teller reminded us that times were hard in the thirties, with the Dust Bowl and storm disasters and economic bad times, but somehow, we all pulled through.

President Annette Hollinsworth welcomed guests

Trick or Treating to take place Saturday night

Trunk of Treating at Football Field

A new event will feature lots of treats for area children, Saturday, October 29, at the football field in Matador. With Halloween falling on Monday night, (a school night), this year, parents are urged to take part in this Saturday night event instead. This fun and festive event will provide a safe way for your children to participate in a fall tradition.

TRUCK OF TREATING -- will take place from 4:30 until 6:30, before the Fall Festival. If you're planning to participate with candy for the kiddos this Halloween, bring your car or pickup to the football field with your treats. Decorate your trunk or the back of your pickup, and decorate yourself if you'd like, bring your goodies, park at the football field, open your trunk and wait for the trick or treaters.

This event is being sponsored by the Motley County Parents' Club. Members hope to make it an annual event.



HONORED AT CHAMBER BANQUET — Carolyn Ewing, left, was recognized as the Woman of the Year at last Saturday night's annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet; Tommye Keith received a plaque for the Extra Mile Award and the Motley County Sr. Citizens as the Business/Organization of the Year; Ken Abbott, Man of the Year; and Frances Taylor, Extra Mile Award. Also receiving an Extra Mile Award, but not pictured, was Tina Brooks.

and acted as M.C.

Three women were honored with an Extra Mile Award. Tina Brooks for her work with the EMS, Frances Taylor for her courtesy in helping customers at Lowe's, and Tommye Keith for her work with the Sr. Citizens Center. The Woman of the Year was Carolyn Ewing for the many ways she helps build our community, such as coordinator for the 40 Days of Purpose, and

helping people in the community. The Man of the Year went to Kenneth Abbott for his ongoing work with the Roaring Springs Volunteers, the Depot restoration, and the Motley County Library annex.

Many door prizes were given, donated by local businesses. 150 places were served by Stafford Catering.



HOMEcoming ROYALTY — Chicagra Brown was crowned the 2005 Homecoming Queen during pre-game activities at last Friday night's Homecoming game. She was escorted by MC Matador, Stacey Perryman. Chicagra, a Junior, is the granddaughter of Harold and Bobbie Brown of Matador. Stacey is the son of Brenda Hurt and Danny Perryman. At right is Chicagra's aunt, Brenda Campbell, of Amarillo, who was declared the Coming Home Queen.



Coming Home Queen
Brenda Campbell

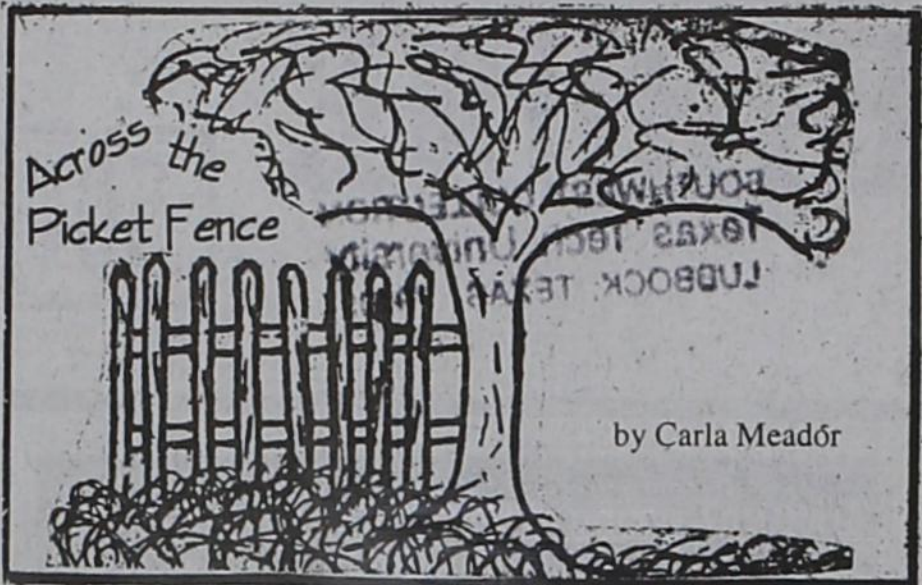
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BOB'S OIL WELL DEDICATED — Marisue Potts Powell, Historian; Julianne Fletcher representative of Preservation Texas of Austin; Princess Skaggs, granddaughter of Bob Robertson, founder of Bob's Oil Well, her son Billy Bob Skaggs-Druer, and husband Danny Druer, pictured left to right, stand next to the newly erected Texas Historical Marker which was unveiled at a dedication ceremony last Saturday.



Limited space this week, but first of all I want to apologize to anyone who received a paper with pages 3, 4, 5, & 6 practically blank, last week. This was a mistake at the printer's, and I was unaware of it until one of my readers brought in his paper to exchange for one he could read. I was absolutely beside myself.

I couldn't believe this went unnoticed at the print shop, but as I've said before, we are all human. We all make mistakes. Anyway, if you received one of those papers and would like to

have another one, just stop by the office.

Well, Homecoming has come and gone another year. And the Fall Festival is this weekend. That means that Thanksgiving and Christmas are just around the corner. Closer than I want to think about.

Speaking of the Fall Festival, I think the Trunk of Treating will be a great thing for the kids. Several surrounding towns already do this and parents say that it's wonderful.

Look Who's New!

Elisa Ann Ross

Tom P. and Chris Ross of Castroville announce the arrival of a daughter, Elisa Ann who was born October 10, 2005, at the St. Luke Baptist Hospital in San Antonio. She weighed four pounds and five ounces.

Welcoming the arrival are

her five sisters, Aleda Elaine, Megan, Cheyenne, Ciara and Anjoli; her aunt for whom she was named, Mrs. Elisa Ann Wigley of Lubbock and her grandparents, Aleda and Tom Ross of Flomot and Ed and Sherry Davis of Castroville.

MOTLEY COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS & VIEWS

By Marie-Louise Liebe-Harkort



Consider: Humor is the great thing, the saving thing. The minute it crops up, all our irritations and resentments slip away and a sunny spirit takes their place. — Mark Twain (1835-1910)

Sunny spirit abounded at the Chamber of Commerce Banquet last Saturday evening, to judge by the laughter that filled the gym at the school. And indeed, the whole event could be deemed a success. But to start at the beginning.

There was food -- plenty of it, and delicious. Brisket and sausage, beans and potato salad, cole slaw and peach cobbler. Stafford's Catering sure did a fine job. It wasn't off the menu from Bob's Cook Shack, featured in the program, but it sure was good. As everyone enjoyed their dinner, Gerald Pipkin provided dinner music from the 30's.

And then local luminaries brightened the proceedings even more by bringing us a radio show. Ed D. Smith hammed up the shows from the MBS newsroom (standing for -- no, not what you ranchers and farmers think -- the Motley Broadcasting Station). Chawing on a cigar and informing us of all the important news -- from the 1930s -- he went through a delightful presentation prepared by Frances Hobbs. Local talent, including Johnny Morris, Charlie Johnson, Deanie Edwards, Tommy Keith, Lindy Stafford, and Kathy Turner, brought us a number of important shows -- from the 1930s prospective -- and were almost drowned out by the laughter from the peanut gallery. And then there were the inevitable commercials -- for 1930s prod-

ucts, some of which are still available at local stores.

Lou Burleson, as Minnie of the Depression, added to the "Sentimental Journey" theme of the evening by telling of life in the 30s, when times in the county were hard, but the radio brought all of America into the front rooms of the locals and made them realize that life could be a lot harder in big cities and there was a lot to be said for rural living.

And then came the awards. A bit of conniving had brought all the awardees to the Banquet, where Carolyn Ewing was given the Woman of the Year award. Kenneth Abbott was recognized as Man of the Year for all he has contributed to the county. And the Senior Citizens Center received the award for Business/ Organization of the Year.

And then came the Extra Mile Awards, which went to Tina Brooks, Tommy Keith and Frances Taylor.

A whole collection of really outstanding door prizes had been donated by local businesses, among which were a \$50 Saving Bond from the First National Bank of Matador, a power winch for a pickup truck from Higginbotham's, a Texas Star Cut Blue Topaz Ring set in Sterling Silver from Thacker Jewelry, a knife and three other treasured items from Moore Makers. Suffice it to say, everyone was anxious to win them. The drawings distributed the wonderful items among those present, crowned by the \$100 Motley County Bucks donated by the Chamber of Commerce.

And then, too soon, it was all over but the chatting with friends and the clean up. The 11th Annual Banquet had come to a close.

Three Simple Truths

1. Most people who attain success have learned to forget past failures and concentrate on present goals. Baseball great Babe Ruth was once asked what he thought when he struck out. His reply, "I think about hitting home runs." It seems he put his mind to work trying not to strike out again. Set your goals. Set your priorities. Charles Hodge put it well, "Don't prioritize your schedule, but schedule your priorities." Put your hand to the plow and don't look back. Live for the day which is at hand.

2. A happy and successful person is not a person in a certain set of circumstances, but rather a person with a certain set of attitudes. Paul and Silas had some mighty difficult circumstances at Philippi, even to being thrown into prison. So what were they doing while in prison? Having a bad attitude? Going on a pity party? Not hardly. They were praying and singing while still in the stocks confined in prison. Keep your attitude right and you will be a happier and more successful person.

3. Count your blessings. What a different world this would be if people, especially Christians, would only magnify their blessings the way they do their troubles. When we do this, sometimes our troubles become mighty insignificant. This also will help our attitude. When things may seem bad in your life, look around you and you will find someone else who has a lot more troubles than you do.

Try these three simple truths. I believe they will make a difference in your life.

Roaring Springs Church of Christ
Michael G. Crowley, Sr.

BIBLE STUDY, 10:00 A.M. WORSHIP, 9:00 A.M.

Amendment Awareness Rally to be held in Quitaque

Texas voters soon will decide whether a ban on same-sex marriages is a proper way to protect a sacred institution or an attempt to sanction discrimination in the state Constitution. That's how supporters and opponents view a very controversial proposed constitutional amendment facing Texas voters in the upcoming amendment election on Tuesday, November 8.

On Wednesday, November 2 at 5 p.m. area residents will get a face to face chance to discuss this important issue with Texas House Representative Warren Chisum, R-Pampa, who first introduced Texas State Proposition 2. Chisum will speak at an area wide 'Amendment Awareness Rally' to be held at The Hope Center, Main Street, Quitaque, Texas. An open invitation is issued to all area residents who feel strongly about this issue or would like to know more about Proposition 2 before casting or not casting their vote on November 8.

Ballot language for Proposition 2 is as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing that marriage in this state con-

sists only of the union of one man and one woman and prohibiting this state or a political subdivision of this state from creating or recognizing any legal status identical or similar to marriage."

"There is a difference between men and women, and if there is a difference between men and women, God must have created both of them for a purpose," Rep. Chisum, recently told hundreds of students at Austin Community College during a debate with Anne Wynne, founder of Atticus, an advocate group for parents and partners regardless of sexual orientation. "Married men and women create the best environment for today's children."

"We really feel very strong about the fact that we don't want the deterioration of the institution of marriage and that's what we see happening across this country," said Chisum. "I think it's very important that we get this issue out of a statutes and into the constitution so that there's no question about how the people stand on this issue of marriage," Chisum said in a Houston Chronicle report.

Chisum told Dallas Morning News, "Society really needs the marriage of a man and a woman for its basis. You know, it's been there for 500 years. I just think it's very critical to us that we not shatter that foundation."

17 other states already have banned same sex marriages in their constitutions, and Chisum expects Texas to become the 18th. "This doesn't discriminate against anybody. You either are a man or you are a woman, and marriage is between one man and one woman," Chisum said. "You can find a person of the opposite sex and you can be married. You will not be discriminated against, and that's fact." Texas state law already bans same sex marriages. The amendment proposal affecting gay marriages is one of nine

ballot issues for voters to settle. It is the only high-profile proposition.

"I feel confident, but I'm not taking anything for granted," Chisum said. "We'll do the mail-outs and some of those things that inform our side of the issue." Turnout will determine the outcome," he said.

"You have to figure that the gay side will turn 100 percent of their people out. If my side doesn't wake up to that fact, then we could lose this," Chisum said.

The constitutional Amendments election typically has a turnout of between 5 and 7 percent. Thus, a small percentage of the state decides this election. Yes, your vote really matters, especially in this election.

Library Notes



by Suzanne Abbott, Librarian

New books keep arriving each week at the library. We have Nora Roberts' latest, *Blue Smoke*. Also, new to the library is Michael Connelly's *Lincoln Lawyer*. Both of these are on the best-seller list in the newspaper.

Other new titles that you will enjoy are *Faithless* by Karin Slaughter, *Goodnight Nobody* by Jennifer Weiner and *Vanish* by Tess Gerritsen. *Vanish* is in large print. Two other new large-print books are *Widow of the South* by Robert Hicks and *No Country for Old Men* by Cormack McCarthy.

Don't forget the Friends of the Library meeting at 3:00 o'clock, Thursday, November 3, at the Library. Everyone is welcome to attend this important meeting. We need to plan for our annual book sale and we need everyone's help with that.

Again we thank our volunteers, June Moss and Mariahelen Wason for keeping the library open on Mondays and when I have to be away.



Shea Rose

Shea Rose completes Medical Assistant Course

Shea Rose was one of 100 students to graduate from Texas Careers in Lubbock, October 14. Shea completed her medical assistant course in May and her internship at the Motley County Clinic in July. She received several academic achievement awards.

Shea is currently taking X-ray classes and is planning to further her career in the medical field.

Attending her graduation were her parents, Tony and Sherry Rose, her brother Sean Rose, and her grandparents, Joe and Joyce Meredith. The group celebrated with dinner after the graduation ceremonies.

Tee Time by Judy C.



Ladies Play Day, October 10, was for If I'da (Low Gross). Playing 18 holes were Liv, Louise, Geneva and Jean H. No winner was declared.

The afternoon ladies did not play.

There were 16 players for the October 18 scramble.

First place, with a score of 30, were Kenny, Liv, Louise and Stan.

Others playing were Paul, Dartha, Darrell, Garland, Jack, Tammy, Cody, Geneva, Alan, Corky, Brandon, and Aaron.

Darrell was closest to the pin on #3.

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Fall Festival

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First Grade: Autumn Woolsey, daughter of Matt and Teresa Woolsey, escorted by Trey Lopez, son of Jody Lopez and Jamie Huddleston.

Second Grade: Mattie Brooks, daughter Timmy and Tina Brooks, escorted by Bryant Taylor, son of Shane and Wendy Taylor.

Third Grade: Katie Barton, daughter of Bobby and Brooke Barton, escorted by Hayden Davey, son of Ted and Lara Davey.

Fourth Grade: Shayla Clay, daughter of Blake and Tonya Barton, escorted by Jamie Jameson, son of Jason and Samantha Jameson and Lyndee and Tim Ward.

Fifth Grade: Kaitlan Perryman, daughter of Jayna Perryman and Scott Perryman, escorted by Austin Taylor, son of Shane and Wendy Taylor.

Sixth Grade: Brett Fletcher, daughter of Kim Fletcher, escorted by Cody Martin, son of Christine Martin and Clay Martin.

Seventh Grade: Haley Blanco, daughter of David and Kathy Blanco, escorted by Andrew Martin, son of Lenore Martin and Randy Martin.

The booths will open as soon as the Queen's Contest is over and will continue until 9:00 p.m. There will be a concession stand available, provided by the Gymnastic parents. Their menu will include Baked Potatoes and Rodeo Wraps.

Some of the booths will be cow patty bingo, bucking barrel, cake walk, toy walk, haunted house, ring toss and basketball throw. There is still room for a few more booths, so please contact Leadell Martin, 347-2686.

A Silent Auction will also be held and a drawing for door prizes. Tickets for all the booths and the door prizes will be sold at the door for .25¢ each or in 40 ticket packets for \$5.00 and 80 ticket packets for \$10.00.

Eternas Club members invite everyone in the community to come have a good time, eat some good food and win some prizes, as well as help several groups raise money for their activities.

Motley County Attendance Celebration

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FRIDAY, OCT. 28
GOAL: 100% Attendance

MAY WEAR COSTUME
10:00 a.m. in Gym
Parade of Costumes
Judging by
Student Council
Walk to Multipurpose
Room for Refreshments!

Suggestion...Dress as your favorite book character!
No costumes that indicate violence or gore!

No Costumes on
Monday, Oct. 31.



School Menu

MONDAY, OCT. 31
Breakfast: Cinnamon French Toast, Sausage, or Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: Soft Taco, Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, Mexican Beans, Tortilla Chips, Blue Jello, Milk.

TUESDAY, NOV. 1
Breakfast: Biscuit, Sausage, Gravy, or Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Milk.

Lunch: BBQ Polish Sausage, Creamed Potatoes, Broccoli/Cheese, Bread Slice, Chocolate Brownie, Milk.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 2
Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, Macaroni & Cheese, Salad, Roll, Honey, Milk.

THURSDAY, NOV. 3
Breakfast: Waffle, Sausage, or Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Corn Dog, Baked Beans, French Fries, Carrot Sticks, Fruit Milk.

FRIDAY, NOV. 4
Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Hamburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Chips, Cookie, 1/2 Apple, Milk.

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This Motley County Matador scrambles for the ball with two Guthrie Jaguars during the Homecoming game last Friday night. Although the Matadors put up a good fight they fell short to the Jaguars with a final score of 34-31. They will travel to Crowell Friday night, game time is 7:30.

(photo by Winfield Davenport)

Parent's Club plans & projects

by Mary Ann Potts



by Mary Ann Potts

The Motley County Parents Club met for their regular monthly meeting, October 10.

Mary Ann Potts read the September minutes.

Old business was discussed, reiterating that volunteers are needed for the football concession stand. Also, D'anna Russell, president, previewed the new MCPC promotional pamphlet.

In new business, the Scholastic Book Fair took place in the school multipurpose room October 10-13 and was a great success. Also, the tumbling parents will host a concession stand during the Harvest Carnival, October 29. Volunteers are needed for the evening. And November 3 is the 10th Annual Conference for Parents in Lubbock. For more information contact Mot-

ley County I.S.D.

Just a reminder, November 7 and 8 is the Elementary and Jr. High UIL Competition in Spur. Also, November 10 the M.C. Cafeteria will be serving a Thanksgiving Meal to students and parents. Please RSVP to MC School by November 4 if you plan to eat with your child.

Keep saving Box Tops, Lowe's register receipts and Campbell Soup labels.

The next MC Parents Club meeting is scheduled for November 14 at 6:00 p.m. Please plan to attend. We need your support for our children's educational success now and in the future.

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To the registered voters of the County of Motley, Texas:
(a los votantes registrados del Condado de Motley, Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 8, 20 05, for voting in a special election to "Adopt or Reject the Proposed Constitutional Amendments as Submitted by the 79th Legislature, Regular Session, of the State of Texas"

(Notifiquese, por la presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el Nov. de 8th 20 05 para votar en La Elección Especial para "Para Adoptar o rechazar La Enmiendas Propuestas Constitucional así Como Fuerron sometidas por la 79a Legislatura Sesión Regular, de la Estado de Texas"

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Precinct #1--Motley County Courthouse
Precinct #2--Flomot Community Center
Precinct #3--Northfield Church
Precinct #4--Roaring Springs Community Center
Precinct #5--Motley County Courthouse
Precinct #6--Motley County Courthouse

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at:
(La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)

The County & District Clerk's Office in the Courthouse, 701 Dundee, Matador, Texas
(location) (sitio)

If the county clerk is not the early voting clerk, the information in the block is required.

between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on October 24, 2005
(entre las 8:30 del a mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el October 24, 2005)
(date) (fecha)

and ending on November 4, 2005 (y terminando el November 4, 2005)
(date) (fecha)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
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(Name of Early Voting Clerk)
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación Adelantada)

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(Address) (Dirección)

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(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on:
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantadas por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el:)

November 8, 2005
(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 17th day of October, 20 05.
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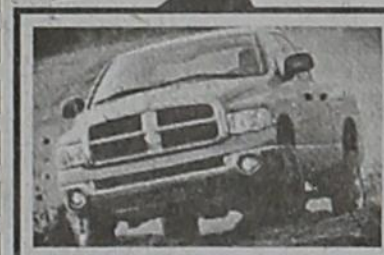
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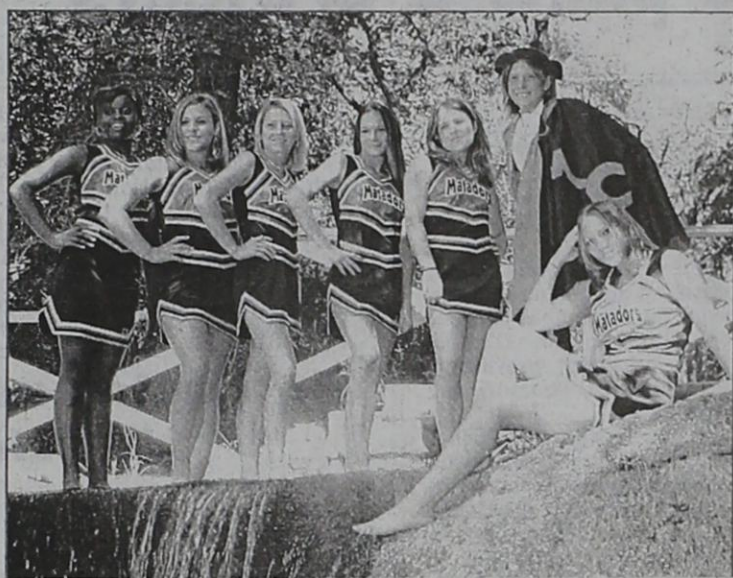
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MOTLEY COUNTY MATADORS — Pictured left to right, beginning at back - Coach Cooper, Chance Bingham, Bradley Brown, Casey Carnes, Brandon Gressett, Jacob Johannes, Assistant Coach Chuck Ream; (front) Harvey Garza, Matthew Martin, Gene Salazar, Jacob Blanco, Stacey Perryman and Isaiah Archer.



HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS — Pictured left to right, Chicagra Brown, Christi Smith, Shane'a Russell, Mylissa Gilmore, Courtney Alexander, Mascot - Kyla Hollinsworth, and Savannah Rose.

MC MATADORS

2005 Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Sept. 30	Benjamin	There	7:30
Oct. 7	Paducah	Here	7:30
Oct. 14	Northside	There	7:30
Oct. 21	Guthrie	Here	7:30 ***
Oct. 28	Crowell	There	7:30
Nov. 4	Patton Springs	Here	7:30

*** Homecoming

photos by Walter Taylor



JR. HIGH MAVERICKS — Pictured left to right, beginning at back - Paul Anthony Guterrez, Andrew Martin, Eric Simpson, Cody Martin, Timothy Ward; (middle) Leonardo Torres, Ky Christopher, Christian Brooks, Colby McCleskey, Keyan Kautz; (front) Jonathon Osborn, Schylor Tomlinson, Mark Quintero, Sam Fletcher, Braden Mason, Reagan Elliott.



JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS — Standing left to right, Leanne Jameson and Lexie Osborn; in front left to right, Alexis Guerrero, Kyla Simpson and Alyx Smith.

MC MAVERICKS

Jr. High Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Sept. 29	Benjamin	Here	5:30
Oct. 6	Paducah	There	5:30
Oct. 13	Northside	There	5:00
Oct. 20	Guthrie	There	5:30
Oct. 27	Crowell	Here	5:30
Nov. 3	Patton Springs	There	5:30

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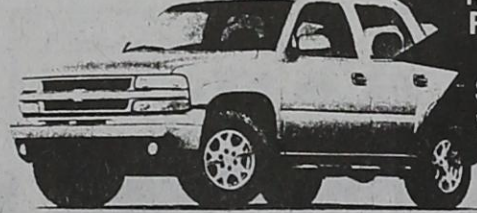
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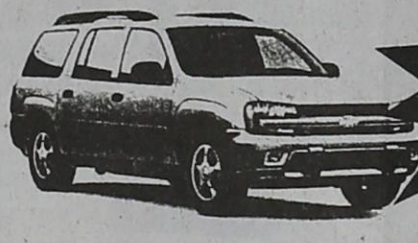
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News around the County

Roaring Springs News

By Lula Swim

Rev. Monte Wike was released from the hospital last Thursday. He said on Friday that he was doing okay, but was pretty weak.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Witter of Floydada visited their son, Tommy Cooper last week. They enjoyed lunch at The Hitchin' Post.

Twenty-two ladies met in the home of Mrs. P.K. Green on Monday morning, Oct. 24. P.K. was in charge of the business session and Freida Burns had charge of the Bible Study. Several Bible verses were studied. Prayer was said.

The House of Faith kids met at the park on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Diane Carter gave the Bible story. Other adults helping were Alex and Jo Crowder, Mrs. Jo Trammell, Rev. Winfield Davenport. There were five children.

Mrs. Sammie Phillips drove Lula Swim to Plainview to see her doctor and lab tests. Mrs. Birdie Howell joined them for lunch. They visited Vera Mitchell at the Floydada Nursing Center on their way home.

WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS

The Roaring Springs Wesleyan Guild met in the home of Mrs. Callie Giesecke on Wednesday afternoon, October 19, with Mrs. Debbie Martin in charge. Callie read the minutes and they were approved. Mrs. Pearl Patten gave the devotional, "Walking in the Light." Mrs. Jane King opened the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Chelsea Read continued the study on Methodism and closed the meeting with prayer.

At the close of the meeting, the group honored Mrs. Read with a surprise birthday party. They enjoyed birthday cake and pumpkin pie. In addition to those already mentioned, those attending were Mrs. Robena King, Mrs. Lea Peacock and Lula Swim. Guests included Mrs. Billie Koon, Mrs. Sharon Martin, Mrs. Juanita Cooper, Mrs. Nona Long and grandson. Cards were sent to Mrs. Joy Beeson, Rev. Monte Wike and Mrs. JoEtta Bumgardner.

Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD
The sun is going to bed earlier in the evening and slower about making an appearance in the mornings. Though I am one of the few, I am glad we are returning to General Standard Time, Sunday.

Tom Ross returned home Thursday from Mangold Hospital in Lockney where he was a patient the past week for treatment of pneumonia.

Mrs. Marilee Cooper of Borger visited overnight Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin. They were in Plainview Friday attending to business. Marilee attended her 30th MHS class reunion Friday night held at the Traveler's Inn in Roaring Springs.

Mrs. Janice Hughes visited Wednesday afternoon in Floydada with sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hughes, Reagan and Tara. Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Hughes and Kendal.

Mrs. Anna Beth Clay and grandson, Walker Carson of Turkey visited in Panhandle Monday night with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Tanner, Kelsey and Sarah. They enjoyed attending The Living Museum program held at the Panhandle School in which Sarah was a featured performer.

Those from Flomot attending the Chamber of Commerce banquet Saturday night in Matador were Mrs. Geneva Martin, Mary Ellen "Dude" Barton and d Trula and Wilburn Martin. Dude also attended the Historical Marker dedication of Bob's Oil Well held Saturday afternoon in Matador.

When returning home from the Chamber of Commerce banquet in Matador Saturday night, Trula and Wilburn encountered a wild hog south of the Middle Pease River damaging the grill on their car and windshield was splattered with blood, hog hair and etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay visited last weekend in Lubbock with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Barclay, Kayla and Colton.

Visiting overnight Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and their houseguests, Mrs. Cindy Calvert and Cade of Bogota, Columbia were Mrs. Keri Sehon and son, Brian of Ropesville and Mrs. Christi

Milam and daughters, Emily and Haley of Petersburg. Other guests for lunch Sunday were Mrs. Geneva Martin and Alma and Everett Shorter of Flomot.

Mrs. Tom Ross attended to business in Plainview Sunday afternoon.

Michael Starkey, Lori Rigdon, Mandy Rigdon and Taylor Stalling of Canyon visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn, Danielle and Fannin visited the weekend in Lubbock with his sister, Aly Gwinn. Joining them there to visit was Mrs. Sarah Hurt of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks visited in Lubbock during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cory Franks, Madison and Hudson and Cary Franks. Their daughter, Cara was in Fort Worth recently with Tim and Deana Washington of Roaring Springs and enjoyed the cutting horse events in which Tim competed.

Evelyn and C.D. Garrison were in Lubbock, Tuesday, Oct. 18 for C.D. a medical treatment at the North Star Surgical Center. Their grandson, Jody Scott of Roosevelt, who was with them in Lubbock, had the pleasure of buying their lunch to celebrate the 80th birthday of his granddad, C.D.

Wilda and Spencer Dixon accompanied her mother, Mrs. Ted Hester of Lovington, N.M. to Lubbock, Oct. 11 for dental surgery. She was a patient at Covenant Medical Center and after being with her during her recuperation, they returned home Oct. 18. Spencer fractured his ankle, Thursday, Oct. 20 when working with livestock. He received X-rays in Plainview and medical treatment at Motley County Clinic and is using a walker.

Shirley and Dickie Garrison and daughter, Brooke and son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison and son, Lanton of Red Rock visited from Friday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Garrison. Also visiting them during the weekend were son and wife, Susan and David Garrison of Childress, daughter, Mrs. Debra Scott of Matador and her weekend houseguests, grandson, Riley Scott of Floydada and friend, Josh Estrada of Matador.

A NOTE OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone for their help during the loss of our loved one. For the cards, food, phone calls and visits.

Georgia and Amanda

Obituaries

Alfred H. Seward

Alfred Henry Seward, 79, of Roaring Springs, was the son of Charles Anderson and Pearl (Cagle) Seward. He was born January 14, 1926, in Granite, OK, and died Wednesday, October 5, 2005, at Northwest Texas Health Care System in Amarillo.

He served his country in the United States Army World War II.

Alfred moved from Perry, OK in June of 2005, to Roaring Springs and married Georgia Witcher on July 19, 2005, for their second union.

In addition to his wife, Georgia, survivors include six sons, Bob Dean Seward of Roswell, NM, Marcus and Kim Seward of Broken Bow, OK, John Henry Seward, OK, Charles Seward of Perry, OK, Jemmie Seward of Perry, OK, David and Bill Carpenter of Tulsa, OK; daughters, Brenda Seward of Lubbock, Barbara Seward of Hobbs, NM, Christine and David Kays of Hobbs, NM and Paula Seward of Perry, OK; 14 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren; 2 brothers, Ralph Seward of Ft. Cobb, OK and Charley Don and Katie Seward of Carnegie, OK; three sisters, Margie Montgomery of Anadarko, OK, Jane Harris of Blanchard, OK, Maxine Robertson of Chickasha, OK; and several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Preceding him in death were his parents, two sisters, Alice Cox and Leotta Fleaharty; one brother, Jack; two sons, Eddie and Alfred Jr.; and two daughters, Susan and Phyllis; and one grandson.

Alfred donated his body to science. A memorial service will be held later.

Memorials may be made to the Motley County Senior Citizens or the Motley County Library.

Ora Mae

Stonecipher

Funeral services for Ora Mae Stonecipher, 98, of Crosbyton, formerly of Roaring Springs were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, October 23, at the First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs with Rev. Jack Boggs officiating. Interment was in the Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador. Ora was born January 23, 1907, in Coleman County, Texas to Joe Rice, Sr. and Eva Bailey Rice. The Rice family moved to Motley County in 1915.

Ora was saved and started teaching Sunday School classes at the age of 15. She was married to the Rev. Lewis Stonecipher of Wellington on May 25, 1960 at Roaring Springs. He preceded her in death in 1977.

They built a little house close by to Mr. and Mrs. Rice so Ora could continue taking care of her mother who was ill for many years.

Survivors include her nephews, Ray Pierce and Wayne Pierce both of Lubbock; two nieces, Darlene Tyson and Penny Powers both of Lubbock; and one great-niece, Tammy Owens, also of Lubbock.



CORRECTION

In last week's picture of the little cheerleaders, Tatum Guerrero was incorrectly identified as Belle Foster. We apologize for this mistake.

Matador News

ATTEND TFWC MEETINGS

Mrs. Wilda Dixon attended an executive board meeting of the Caprock District Texas Federation Women's Club held Oct. 21 at the Embassy Suites in Lubbock. She attended a Fall board meeting of the TFWC Oct. 22 held at the Science Spectrum in Lubbock. She is currently serving as Caprock District 1st vice president.

Dan Meador of Tinton Falls, NJ, visited the weekend with his brother and wife, Jim and Carla Meador. He also visited in Floydada with his mother, Dena Meador. Dan attended his 30th Class Reunion held at Traveler's Inn, Friday afternoon.

City Council

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Supplies for the sewer and water connections for the nursing home have been purchased by the 4B Tax Account.

After a review of the financial records and budget, Council asked Mayor Westbrook to talk with Caprock Waste and the City of Turkey and Quitaque about raising the charges on the landfill and to put this on the agenda for the November meeting.

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COMBO NO. 10	2 BEF & BEAN BURRITOS & 32 OZ. TALLSUP	\$2.59



Gilbert Guerrero and Miss Matador Hickory during competition at the RCHA Cutting held recently at the Matador Ranch. Also competing in the Matador event were Tim Washington and Ms. Matador Budha Bar and Bob Kilmer and Miss Matador High Brow. The local cowboys were trying for a spot at the National competition which was held in Ft. Worth last weekend. Mr. Washington advanced to National competition with a fifth place at the Matador Cutting.
(photo by Winfield Davenport)

Wildlife experts advise hunters about Avian Flu

Austin -- State and Federal wildlife experts say the chance of people in Texas encountering wild migratory birds with HPAI H5N1 avian influenza this year is remote. However, authorities are launching proactive efforts to detect the disease if it comes to North America and they're advising hunters about game bird handling to reduce general disease risks.

At present, Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza H5N1 has not been found anywhere in North America — there are no records of positive tests in wild or domestic birds, and no known human cases of illness. However, the "bird flu" has been publicized in news reports which note it has caused illness in more than 100 people and killed close to 60 people in Southeast Asia. All of those deaths involved contact with domestic poultry, not wild birds.

Some people believe the disease could eventually travel to North America through wild bird migration, including possible transmission from Asia through Alaska.

A collaborative interagency working group of scientists, public health officials, and policy makers with state and federal agencies is developing a plan for early detection of HPAI and H5N1 in North American birds. For more than a year, working group member agencies in Alaska have tested samples from thousands of wild birds and have found no evidence of the disease.

A Sept. 2 statement from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and "Ongoing migratory bird surveillance, coupled with what we now know about the scope of the disease in Asia and the projected movement of birds from affected areas, gives us reason to think that, while possible, there is no evidence to indicate that H5N1 will reach Alaska, or any other part of North America, in 2005."

Practical hygiene for hunters includes: (1) Do not handle or butcher game animals that are obviously sick or are found dead; (2) Do not eat, drink or smoke while cleaning game; (3) Wear rubber gloves and washable clothing when cleaning

game; (4) Wash your hands with soap and water or alcohol wipes immediately after handling game; (5) Wash tools and working surfaces with soap and water, then disinfect with a 10% solution of chlorine bleach; and (6) Cook game meat thoroughly-poultry should reach an internal temperature of 155-165 degrees F.

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FSA News

By John Bird, CED

CRP CONTRACT EXTENSION NOT FOR EVERYONE

CRP contract extensions will be offered for contracts going out in 07-2010, but not everyone will get one.

All offers will be ranked according to the environmental benefits index, or EBI. Only the top 20% EBI's in the nation will be offered a 10-15 year re-enrollment; therefore, neither Motley County, nor even Texas will be guaranteed re-enrollments.

Producers with CRP-1's that have EBI scores in each of the next lower 20 percent groups will be offered extensions based on the following:

- greater than 20 percent to 40 percent will be eligible for a 5-year contract extension.
- greater than 40 percent to 60 percent will be eligible for a 4-year contract extension.
- greater than 60 percent to 80 percent will be eligible for a 3-year contract extension.
- greater than 80 percent to 100 percent will be eligible for a 2-year contract extension.

Before approval of any offer for re-enrollment or extension, all expiring CRP-1's must have a site visit to ensure than CRP-1's are in compliance. The site visit is to ensure than the existing cover on lands re-enrolled or extended is in compliance with the conservation plan including the control of noxious weeds, insects, and pests. All covers must serve the original purposes of:

- erosion control
- water quality protection
- wildlife benefits.

Producers will be required to meet contract compliance requirements on the expiring CRP's before approval of contract re-enrollment or extensions. Producers will not be eligible for cost-share assistance to get back into compliance.

More information will be available as we get it.

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CRP CONTRACT REVISIONS FOR 2006 PAYMENT
We will begin revising CRP contracts very soon to reflect the new GIS acres. Acreages on almost all contracts will be changed either up or down. We will be contacting you soon for signatures. The next CRP payment (Oct. 6) will reflect the new acres.

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Oil & Gas Update

By Tom Musser

FLOYD COUNTY: Apollo Energy Operating Company LP, W.D. Miller Lease Well #1 reached total depth of 9823 feet and was logging the well Tuesday. Planning on running 5 1/2 inch production casing to total depth this week.

FLOYD COUNTY: BASA Resources, Inc. has staked the location for the C. Foster et al Lease Well #1. This Well will be located 467 feet from the North line and 467 feet from the East line of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16, Block T, 3/4 mile North of FM 786 on the West side of County Road 201. This will locate this Well 2 miles Northeast of the W.D. Miller Lease, Well #1, and 6 miles Northeast of Floydada.

Patterson-UTI Drilling Rig 494 is scheduled to move onto the Foster location from the Brosech location on Thursday of this week.

FLOYD COUNTY: GeoSurveys Inc. has indicated they will be returning to the Fowler Unit Well #1 within the next two weeks to deepen this well. This is the continuation of their Stated Plan of Operations when they shut in the Fowler Unit Well #1 in late March, 2005.

FLOYD COUNTY: Tyner Texas Operating Company, Kenneth Brosech Lease Well #1 reached total depth of 9623 feet on Saturday. The well was logged on Sunday. 5 1/2 inch production casing was set to 9622 feet on Tuesday morning.

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LOCAL WEATHER FORECAST

Motley County Tribune Weather Oct. 27, 2005

7-Day Forecast	In-Depth Forecast	Moon Phases
Thursday Mostly Cloudy High: 68 Low: 46	Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, high temperature of 68°, humidity of 52% and an overnight low of 46°. The record high temperature for today is 90° set in 1950. The record low is 24° set in 1997.	New 11/1
Friday Mostly Sunny High: 66 Low: 48		First 11/8
Saturday Partly Cloudy High: 66 Low: 46		Full 11/15
Sunday Partly Cloudy High: 65 Low: 46		Last 11/23
Monday Partly Cloudy High: 67 Low: 45		
Tuesday Mostly Sunny High: 66 Low: 48		
Wednesday Partly Cloudy High: 68 Low: 48		

Last Week's Local Almanac

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip
Sunday	82	54	76/50	0.00"
Monday	89	58	76/50	0.01"
Tuesday	91	57	75/49	0.00"
Wednesday	93	61	75/49	0.03"
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