

Matadors win Regional playoff game



The Motley County Matadors earned a Regional playoff win with a 62-16 victory over the Southland Eagles. The game was ended in the 3rd Quarter due to the 45-point mercy rule.

"We were very proud of the way the team played," Coach Mike Bigham said. "We have continued to improve and have taken our game to another level in the playoffs."

"Our defense played great, we are very excited about the improvement in our defensive play," he said.

"We would like to thank our great group of cheerleaders and fans that made the trip to Ralls. The cold weather didn't seem to affect our boys or our fans. We outnumbered Southland fans at least three to one. We look forward to more great fan support in the playoffs," said Coach Bigham.

Isiah Archer rushed for two touchdowns and 96 yards on 10

carries. Archer also threw three touchdown passes for a total of 89 yards.

Bradley Brown carried the ball 12 times for 111 yards and two touchdowns. Brown also caught a 47-yard touchdown pass from Archer and made seven of eight extra point attempts.

Justin Newman and Stephen Webb also caught touchdown passes from Archer. The Matadors racked up 296 yards of total offense in less than three quarters of play.

Leading defenders for the Matadors were Isiah Archer with 12 tackles and an interception return for a touchdown and Eric Simpson with 12 tackles, one tackle for a loss and two sacks. Jacob Blanco had 10 tackles and two sacks and Bradley Brown had 10 tackles and one interception.

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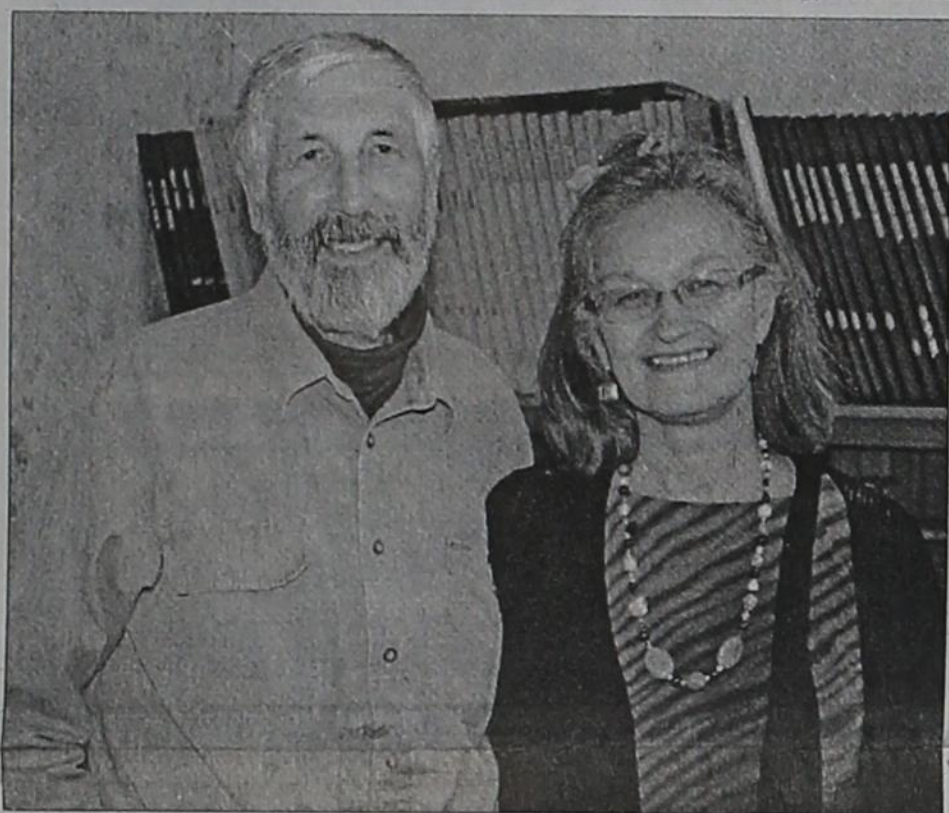
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LARRY VOGT AND LAVERNE ZABIELSKI
New Owners of the Motley County Tribune

Motley County Tribune Publisher ends newspaper career after many years of service to the county

by Carol Campbell

After many years of association with the county newspaper and service to the community, publisher Carla Meador officially turns over the reins of the historic Motley County Tribune to new owners on November 30.

While Carla "can't imagine a life without a deadline," her health dictates a less stressful lifestyle. But leaving the paper is indeed bitter-sweet, she said.

"I have been associated with this newspaper longer than anyone since Ben and Lila Meador," Carla said.

"I have done it all, starting out as proofreader and typist in 1979 for Leon Watson. It's hard to imagine myself not connected in some way to the Tribune."

Carla's primary objective all these years has been to "promote and support the businesses and people of this county," she said, adding, "I like to tell the good news in the county."

What Carla has not published has said as much about

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Send off Pep Rally to be held Friday

A Pep Rally will be held for the Matadors on Friday, November 30, at 1:30 p.m. in the gym.

A send off will be held at 2:30 p.m. Fans can follow the team out from the fieldhouse or cheer for them along their route from the fieldhouse to downtown and around the courthouse before they leave town for Amarillo.

The Matadors will face the Follett Panthers at 7:30 p.m. Friday in a Quarter-Final Football Playoff game at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

her philosophy of community as the good news she has spread around.

"A lot of things that I have chosen not to publish are things that happen to our friends and neighbors; it would only add to their grief and invade their privacy if the details were printed," she said. "Everyone usually knows all the bad news in the area anyway."

A community newspaper has a special niche in the news worthy world. And news is often best suited with regard to place and activities associated with living in a small community.

"Most national news that would affect every citizen in the

US, readers can get in the *Avalanche-Journal*, or some other large urban paper. "There would be no point in publishing the "bad news" in the community newspaper," she said.

But when it has a local angle, she is quick to print the national news with a local angle, such as pictures of soldiers from Motley County connected to Desert Storm and more recently, the invasion of Iraq.

Carla has received numerous awards during her newspaper career, including awards for photography, feature writing, newswriting, headline writing, best special edition and best use of photography from the Texas

Press Association, the Panhandle Press Association, and West Texas Press Association. She has received awards from the American Legion, the Chamber of Commerce "Woman of the Year", Motley County ISD and from the Masonic Lodge. But her greatest award has been the kind that cannot be explained easily.

Reporting the news in Motley County for so many years has afforded a rare opportunity to watch the children grow up.

She has covered their birth announcements, the day they entered kindergarten, gradu-

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Motley County Tribune announces new ownership

By Carol Campbell

Laverne Zabielski and Larry Vogt will assume management and operations of the historic Motley County Tribune from longtime publisher and editor Carla Meador on November 30.

Laverne has traveled "full circle" from Motley County to South Central Kentucky and back again. This circular route back home was hastened by the death of her father Ray Zabielski last summer.

"When my sister found a nursing home for my dad in east Texas three years ago, my mom moved to an assisted living home in order to be nearby," she said. After her father died, Laverne's mother, Grace Tilson Zabielski, yearned to return to her home in Roaring Springs.

"Mom wanted to return to the home she had lived in for 35 years," she said. But mom "needed help," and Laverne, the oldest of seven siblings, decided it was her turn to step up. "My youngest siblings have

been doing most of the work the past three years," she said. "It was my turn."

In October, Laverne and Larry left Kentucky and headed West, accompanying Grace home. They left behind Studio Hidalgo, a design and production facility located on their acreage in Wayne County Kentucky where Laverne designed and produced Shibori dyed silk shawls, scarves, and garments which are currently exhibited and offered for sale in numerous locations in the United States.

Larry left Guffey Mountain Arts, an audio and CD production studio where he created photographic works and provided piano technology services to Central and South Central Kentucky since 1975. He is a member of the Piano Technicians Guild and is a Registered Piano Technician.

Larry claims he has done everything "except work in a coal mine."

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Motley County School Board meets

The Motley County Board of Trustees met Thursday, November 15, at 7:30 p.m. in a regular scheduled meeting. All board members were present except Robert Fisk. Also present were Randy Brown, William Cochran, and Denise Ford.

The Board recognized Cross Country runners and students who received medals in Junior High and Elementary UIL. The Elementary and Junior High both placed 3rd overall.

Items for board action consisted of approving expenditures, canvassing the results of the November 6 School Roll-back Tax Rate Election, and employee awards.

By unanimous vote, the board approved \$150 awards for employees not eligible for Rider

86 bonus.

In addition, the board approved a revised Student Hand-

book/Code of Conduct, and the CI (LOCAL) Board Policy.

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SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN!

Matador Late Night Shopping set for December 6th

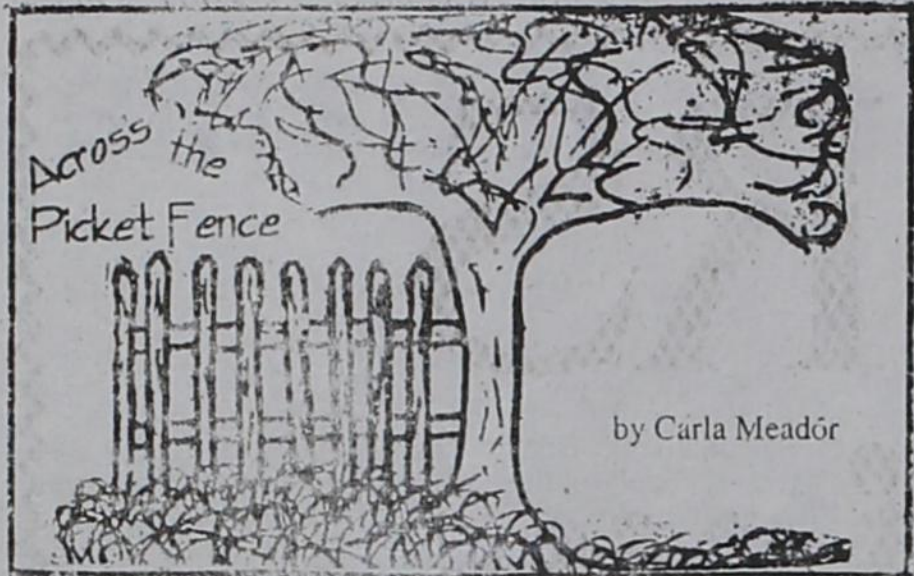
Santa Claus is coming to town and will visit with children at the historic Hotel Matador, Thursday, December 6th, during Matador's annual Late Night Shopping event. Santa will arrive by fire truck about 5:30 p.m.

Senior Citizens may take advantage of a special discount time from 4:00 until 6:00 p.m. Regular shopping will begin at 6:00 p.m. and most businesses will remain open until 9:00 p.m. for shoppers' convenience. Door Prizes, Refreshments, special artists booths and much more is planned for the festive evening. The Motley County Chamber will give away four \$25 Motley County Bucks. The Chamber will also give away four \$25 MC bucks in Roaring Springs with boxes set up to register in several locations in Roaring Springs.

Don't miss this fun and festive night, take advantage of some hometown bargains and get some Christmas shopping done early!



Santa Claus and little Andrew Moore, keep their eyes on Andrew's baby sister, Callie, as she stretches while resting in Santa's arms for her first Santa visit. Callie, 1 month and Andrew, 3, were among the many children to visit with Santa during the Roaring Springs Late Night Shopping event held last Saturday night. Andrew and Callie are the children of Brandon and Rebecca Moore of Roaring Springs.



I've contemplated this week's column for days. How do I say good-bye? Leaving this newspaper is like leaving a part of me behind. A part of my heart will always be with the Tribune.

I've been a journalist so many years that I just don't know who else I can be. I leave this job with very mixed emotions. On the one hand, I'm looking forward to some extra time in my life. Now, whether I'll be able to actually enjoy that time, I don't know. I've been on a deadline so long, I've adjusted my life to a deadline. Everything I do from cleaning the house to drinking a cup of tea I have put on a schedule and really don't know how to do anything until I'm on a deadline. I know that sounds ridiculous, but it's true. I'm really looking forward to not being on a constant deadline.

I haven't done anything except work long hours on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for so long. Especially Tuesday, the crunch day. And it's funny, but everything seems to happen on Tuesday. I've had to miss so many Tuesday events over the years. Both my grandbabies were born on Tuesday! And I had to wait until Wednesday after the paper was mailed out to meet them. Those two events were the hardest ones to miss.

Over the years, I've developed a connection to my readers. I certainly have not personally met all the subscribers to the paper, but each week as I have put the paper together, I've done it with you in mind, as if you were a friend and I was writing a letter. I hope that connection has come through with each edition.

My favorite issues to produce each year have always been the Old Settlers edition and the Christmas edition. I love history and I have so enjoyed researching through old issues for the Old Settlers edition. I love old time Christmas memories, and have truly enjoyed sharing that with you.

I have enjoyed watching the children of this county grow up. I've taken pictures of kids in kindergarten and followed them throughout school and graduation, including my own son. I have printed their group kindergarten pictures and their Senior pictures in the graduation edition, and later their college graduations. To print their wedding pictures and stories and then the birth announcements of their children, has truly been a joy.

To have been able to know Ben and Lila Meador is a blessing. Lila came to the Tribune often over the years before moving to Odessa to be near her family. She always had a piece of advice to offer and sometimes a compliment. When Lila gave me a compliment, I felt so honored. It was like receiving a blessing from the Queen.

There are many things I

never had time to accomplish in the paper. I had plans to do several things over the years, and with the hurry of each edition, the time and effort those plans required just were not possible.

I appreciate everyone who has helped me in any way with the paper. First of all to my son Jeremy, for his love, patience and understanding all the years he was growing up and waiting for me to come home from work. Sometimes Jeremy walked to the Tribune after school. While cleaning and packing the other day I found a little piece of paper from my son that I have kept tucked in the corner of my desk pad all these years. "If you take life one day at a time, you'll be a lot happier," signed J.D.J. Jeremy wrote that when he was in the 6th grade. Over the years I've slipped it out from time to time and read those words when I needed a pick me up.

Thank you to my husband Jim for his patience, love, understanding and help through all the late hours and trying times.

Thank you to my daughter-in-law Whitney for your love and concern. To my granddaughter Morgan for faithfully reading my column every week since the time she learned to read. To my grandson Judson for loving the pictures of horses, deer, turkeys and cows that I've printed.

A big thanks to Walter Taylor at school for sharing his great pictures, to James Gillespie and Winfield Davenport for football pictures; to all of you who have submitted special articles or feature stories. I appreciate those of you who have shared old pictures and stories of the history of Motley County. A big thanks to Leon Watson for hiring me all those years ago. It didn't take long for me to realize I had ink in my blood. And thanks to Barbara Armstrong for hiring me again when she purchased the paper, and for selling the Tribune to me. We shared a lot of fun times working together.

A special thanks to my mom, my sister and my nieces and nephews for helping me mail out the paper over the years. And to my daddy and all my family for their love and support.

Thank you to this county for your support over the years. Please continue to support Laverne and Larry as they begin a new adventure. Be patient as they learn the paper business. I know you will give them your friendship and support. They are a very talented couple and they are excited and look forward to continuing the tradition of this hometown newspaper.

My great-grandmother always said, "I won't say good-bye, I'll just say see you later." So, for this last visit 'Across the Picket Fence' I won't say good-bye, I'll just say see you later.

God bless you all.

Grannie's Tea Party set for December 2nd

The much anticipated event of the holiday season has been set for Sunday, December 2. Grannie's Tea Party will be held at the home of Joyce Campbell, 1530 Eubank in Matador, from 2:30 until 4:00 p.m.

All girls, ages 4 and up are invited to take part in this fun and fancy event. Girls are encouraged to dress up in their 'Grannie's' clothes, gloves, hats and jewelry for an afternoon of tea and treats.

For a donation of \$7.50 to the Motley County Library, girls will enjoy this holiday event in style. Please make reservations by calling Mrs. Joyce Campbell at 347-2793 or Mrs. Janie Campbell at 347-2657 by Friday, November 30.

Look Who's New!



Callie Irene Moore

Andrew Moore would proudly like to announce the arrival of his baby sister, Callie Irene. She was born October 29, 2007, at 8:06 a.m. at Covenant Medical Center - Lakeside, in Lubbock.

Callie weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces and was 21 inches long. Proud parents of the children are Brandon and Rebecca

Moore of Roaring Springs.

Grandparents are Kyle and Jeannie Moore of Matador and Rodney and Nona Long of Roaring Springs.

Great-grandparents are R.C. and Callie Giesecke of Matador and Doris Moore of Matador.

Great-great-grandmother is Bertha Moore of Matador.

Wesley Blair Green



Edna Ruth Green is proud to announce the arrival of her second great-grandson, Wesley

Blair Green, born September 19, 2007. Wesley's parents are Lt. Adam and Meredith Green of Zama, Japan. He has a very

proud big brother, Benjamin, age 3. Grandparents are Andy

and Gay Green of Keller, Texas, and Bob and Anamary Scala of Red Bank, New Jersey.

School Board meeting

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Principal William Cochran reported the enrollment to be 180 students; and a 97.5% attendance rate for the second six weeks.

Mr. Cochran also notified the board of the upcoming girls basketball games.

Superintendent Randy Brown provided the board with several reports, including, Highly Qualified 2006-2007, 2007-2008 Reports, No Child Left Behind 2007-2008, Initial Compliance Review Report, No Child Left Behind 2007 Performance Based Monitoring Analysis System Report, Adequate Yearly Progress, and the Gold Performance Acknowledgments Report.

Mr. Brown also gave a Football Playoffs Report, and provided the board district basketball passes.

Motley County ISD is accepting quotes for the installation of two wooden fences at different locations. Quotes are due by December 10. If approved, the revenue generated from the sale of 1711 White Street will be used for these expenditures.

The staff Christmas party will be December 13 at 6:30 p.m. Board training will be on December 4.

The Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. on December 18 for the regular scheduled board meeting.

* Keep your holiday *
shopping dollars at home!

Chamber News & Views

By Marie-Louise Liebe-Harkort

Consider:

Fame is only good for one thing - they will cash your check in a small town.

-- Truman Capote

Let's see -- small town. Cash your check. Why then, Motley County must be full of famous people, because the businesses here cash our checks.

That is good to know, what with Matador's Late Night Shopping coming up next Thursday, December 6.

At the Pawa Trade Days, a lady was lamenting the loss of the old small town traditions, with Santa's visit and Christmas shopping and the town packed with people chatting and bustling from store to store. At that, it seemed necessary to set her straight, to tell her all about the traditions of Matador Late Night Shopping, with all the features she felt were missing.

She was delighted. And she determined right then and there to come and join the fun.

And fun it will be. Santa will

come to town on the fire engine. Since his reindeer have such a big day coming up soon, they have to rest up for the big night, and Santa must find an alternate means of transportation.

As always, the Eternas Study Club will host the Kid's Shop, where children can find presents for their family at prices they can afford.

The shops will be open, of course, and who knows what extra tables will be set up along Main Street -- perhaps a bake sale, maybe some crafts. Not to mention the Art Sale, being held for the first time this year.

Remember, if you spend more than \$10 at one shop, you will get to draw for a prize donated by another store. And here, again, as in Roaring Springs, the Chamber of Commerce has donated \$50 in Motley County Bucks.

So mark your calendar, and don't forget - Late Night Shopping in Matador is set for Thursday, December 6, and you wouldn't want to miss it.

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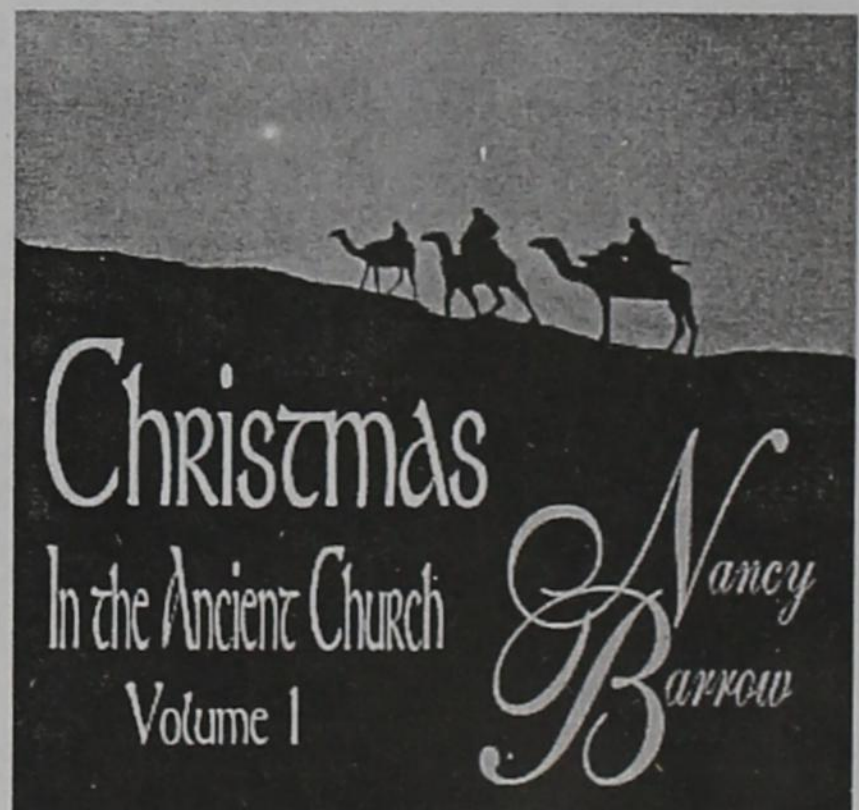
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We are not afraid of responsibility. The most of us enjoy responsibility. We were created for it. We should examine the Bible and insure ourselves that we are living according to God's precepts. We find that we are responsible for our own behavior. The good news is that the lord leads as our guide and the bible provides the source of reliable knowledge of God. God's word endures and so also does His great promises. Listen to the Words of God:

"The grass withers and the flowers fall,
but the word of our God stands forever."

Isaiah 40:8

In Isaiah 40: 6-8 the prophet seeks to comfort Israel by telling them that the things around them will pass away but God's Word will not. Here is reliability. This is a source of comfort for us today. It means that God's promises, His love, and His devotion to His children will never pass away. We enjoy the privilege of remaining close to God through His Word as we live the life Jesus set before us.

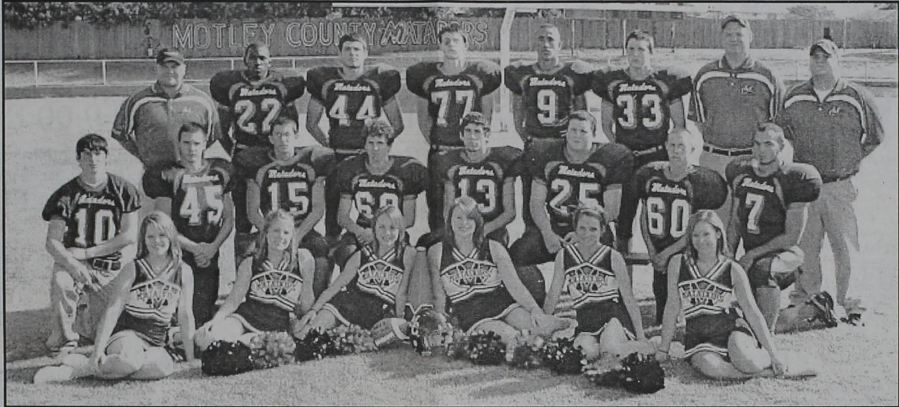
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THIRD GRADE: Lauryn Bohn, Chloe Gleghorn, Thalia Mendoza, Grant Potts, Chris Ward.

FOURTH GRADE: Natalie Jameson.

FIFTH GRADE: Seth Baxter, Logan Ferguson,

Meagan Ford, Michael Martin, Korbyn Simpson, Cassidy Turner, Catherine Ward.

SIXTH GRADE: Coby Cochran

SEVENTH GRADE: Jaci Zingerman

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NINTH GRADE: NONE

TENTH GRADE: NONE

ELEVENTH GRADE: Courtney Alexander, Jasmine Porter.

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GRADE 4: Mattie Brooks, Matthew Faulks, Seth Markey, Macie Marshall, Joshua Martin, Marcus Ortiz, Bailee Perryman, Braden Pope, Thalia Quilimaco, Michael Seigler, Bryant Taylor, Kaylee Woolsey.

FIFTH GRADE: Katie Barton, Tanner Bearden, Caleb Clary, Hayden Davey, Shelby Elliott, Hannah Mason, Tallon Pollard, Gabriel Silva.

SIXTH GRADE: Conner Mason, Jacob Woolsey.

SEVENTH GRADE: Hance Davey.

EIGHTH GRADE: Christian Brooks, Keyan Kautz, Alexis Osborn.

GRADE 9: Dane Butler, Kyla Simpson, Danielle Stewart.

GRADE 10: Melissa Flores.

GRADE 11: Shane'a Russell, Kayla Hollinsworth.

GRADE 12: Leatrice Gutierrez, Stacy Perryman, Brendan Wiltshire.

Matadors are the BEST !!!

Matadors win Regional

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Stephen Webb had eight tackles and two sacks and Stacy Perryman recorded four tackles.

The Matadors held the Eagles to 111 yards of total offense. Roman DeLuna from Southland entered the game as the leading rusher in the state with almost 3,000 rushing yards. The Matadors defense held DeLuna to 60 yards on 20 rushing attempts.

The Follett Panthers will be

the Matadors third round play-off opponent. The Quarter-Final Championship game will be played on Friday, November 30, at 7:30 p.m. at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

The Pep Rally will be held on Friday at 1:30 p.m. The Matadors will be the visiting team.

The winner of the Motley County/Follett game will take on the winner of the Jayton/Sanderson game in a Semi-Final playoff game.

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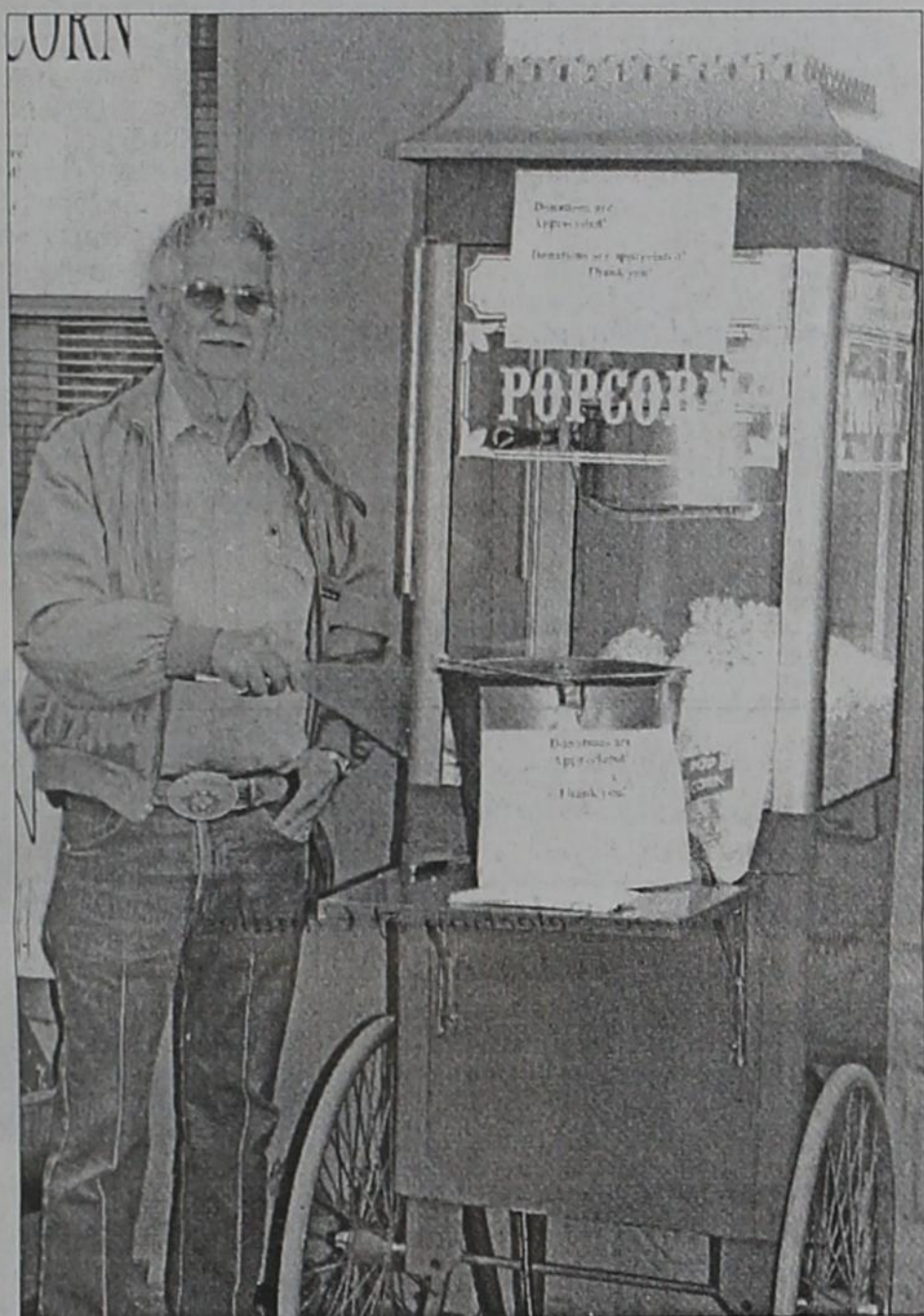
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ated elementary school; and then reported their graduation from high school and college. She covered the same children when they married, and the birth of their children.

"I have watched these kids grow up, printed pictures and articles of their accomplishments; they feel like family," she said.

While Carla has had the newspaper on the market for at least 3-4 years, she admits that "sometimes I was serious about selling, and sometimes not," she said.

"I have had several people interested in buying the newspaper, but I wanted to have an owner with some sort of hometown connection. Someone who wanted to be part of the community," she said.

"I really feel that Laverne and Larry will want to keep the newspaper 'hometown.' I welcome them to the community, and wish them all the best," she said.

Thanksgiving dinner served in the newly renovated historic Hotel Matador

By Carol Campbell

The Russell clan had a vision—to have Thanksgiving dinner in the old renovated 1914 Matador Hotel. Although completion of this major repair and renovation project in downtown Matador is predicted to be at least two weeks away, Thanksgiving dinner for 33 sit-down guests went off without a hitch.

The lobby area warmly greeted guests with a decoupage "Welcome" sign on an antique table with a large vase of fresh flowers, front and center.

The dining room centerpieces for seven tables consisted of fall leaves encircling large crystal goblet vases, floating white candles and red cranberries in water.

The tables were set with lace and linen tablecloths and napkins, 6-piece silverware place settings, tea candles, and small turkey-gobbler figurines.

The traditional menu was a gourmet meal in the truest sense of *Southern Living*, served buffet style.

The menu consisted of Mixed Vegetable Salad and Fruit Salad served with Ranch, Balsamic Vinegar and Poppyseed Dressings. Entree was Cedar Roasted Turkey, and Honey Glazed Ham; Texas Cornbread Dressing, Pecan Rice Dressing, Giblet Gravy and Cranberry Salsa; vegetables included Roasted Garlic in Twice-Baked Potatoes, Citrus Mashed Sweet Potatoes, Asparagus Bundles, Whole Green Beans, hot rolls; and Pumpkin, Pecan,



The Russell family cooked and served a very special Thanksgiving meal at their newly renovated Hotel Matador on Thanksgiving Day.

and Lemon Chess Pie, Italian Cream Cake and Whipped Cream.

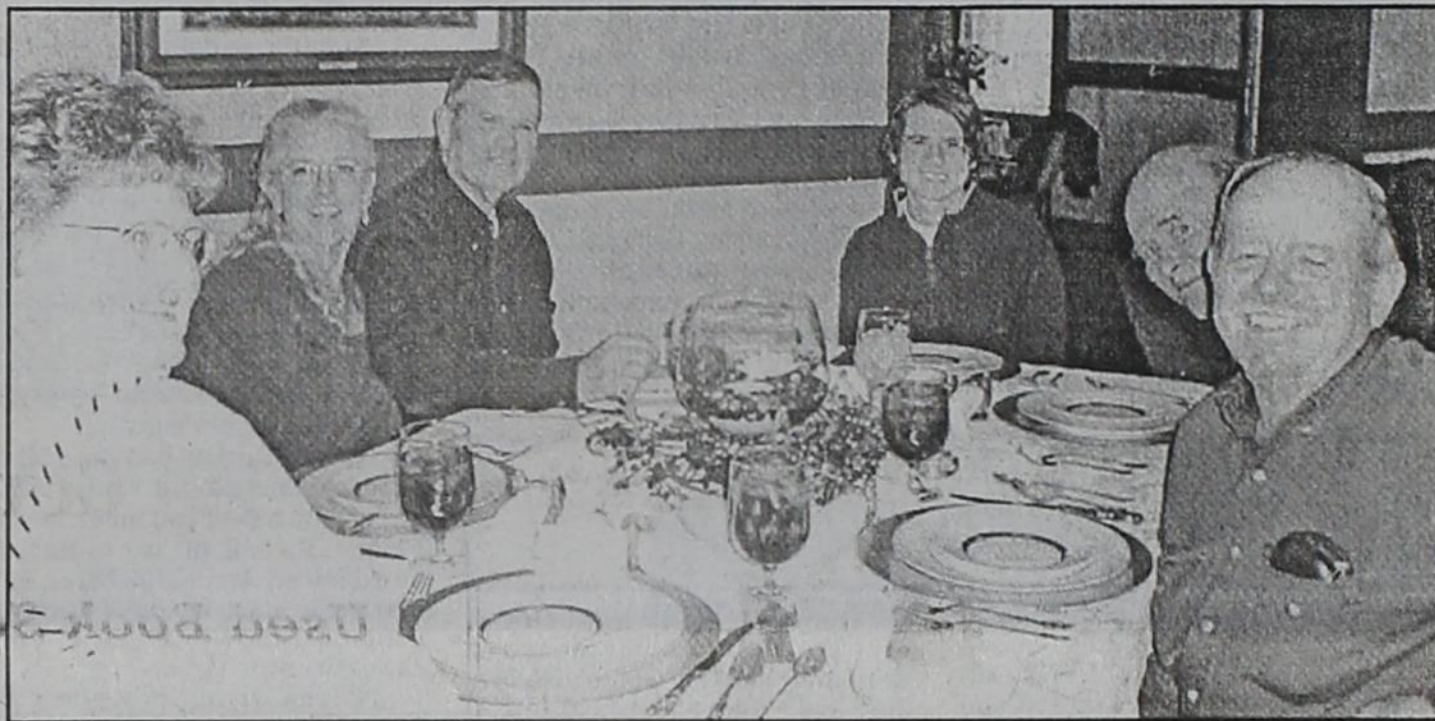
Many guests took self-guided tours of the hotel, and marveled at the reconstruction. The old mahogany staircase is still intact, as well as the large sky-light at the top of the stairs, tin-roof ceilings, and the original wainscoting, paneled wooden lining of interior walls.

Upstairs, eight rentable bedrooms are in various stages of reconstruction, all with private baths. Downstairs (where the old barbershop occupied space) has been turned into a Honeymoon Suite, complete with a spa tub, and a large walk-in 3-nozzle shower.

The cooks for the Thanksgiving event were Marilyn Hicks, Linda Roy, Dorothy Russell, and Emily Teegardin. Servers were Emily and Paul Teegardin of Silverton, Luke Roy of Lubbock, and Tom Roy of Weatherford. Emily and Luke are two of Linda Roy's children and Tom is her husband.

This was a family affair, and preparation for the facilities included work by all of the above as well as Caron and Jesse Perkins of Odessa, and Randy Hicks.

The Hotel will be hosting Santa Claus during late night shopping on December 6.



Family and friends enjoyed an elegant dinner at the historic Hotel Matador on Thanksgiving Day. Pictured here are the Darsey and Bridge families and friend, Joe Fare.

SHOP AT HOME!

USA Baseball features player with local connection

The USA beat Cuba, and took home the gold recently, with a 6-3 win. This is the first World Cup gold medal baseball win in 33 years.

Jason Nix, son of Lance and Leslie Ann Nix of Midland, great-grandson of the late Opal Pipkin, and grandson of Patti Pipkin Alexander and Vernard Alexander of Midland; and great-nephew to Lucretia Campbell and Winifred Darsey; and nephew of Gerald and Penny Pipkin, Lubbock; went 2-for-4 with a home run and two RBIs in the finals and was named the tournament's Most

Outstanding Player.

Nix plays second base, and was selected from the minors with the Colorado Rockies.

Since 1998, USA Baseball has been selecting teams of Professional-level minor league players to represent the United States in various international competitions. The USA team has featured such stars as Roger Clemens and Derek Jeter.

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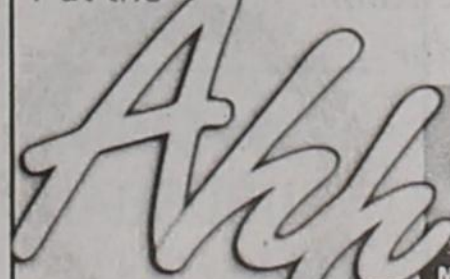
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News Around the County

Roaring Springs News

By Monta Marshall

Thanksgiving is over and now it is time to gear up for Christmas! Already we have had late night shopping in Roaring Springs. It was a special time of seeing our neighbors, meeting new people and getting in the shopping mode. I did buy some lovely gifts. I felt pretty smug. My daughter-in-laws' mother was planning to get up and go to the sales in Lubbock. One sale she wanted to make started at 4:00 a.m. I can't imagine that would do much for my old achy bones or my Christmas spirit.

Bruce Lefevre is in the hospital at UMC. He will be undergoing abdominal surgery in the next day or two. Sheila had not heard for certain when the surgery is to be.

Several families had large gatherings for Thanksgiving. The Brooks family had their get together in the community center. There were approximately 50 attending. Modean was able to come and join the family. Stanley Brooks, Mickey Brooks and Ross Byrd were some of the family from out-of-town that came.

The Joe Glen Meredith's had daughters and families come in for their Thanksgiving dinner. Carla and Jim Meador of Matador; grandson, Jeremy, Whitney, Morgan and Judson Jones of Lubbock; Sherry, Tony Sean and Shea Rose; and brother-in-law and nephew Jackie and Steve Smith of Matador were guests. Joyce's brother, Kenneth Ashley from Roaring Springs enjoyed feasting and visiting together. This is the first time Kenneth has been able to be with them in three years. It was a joyous time.

Guests of the Walter Trammell's were their daughters and their families; Mike, Angela, Matt and Scott Cochrane; Jerry and Tina Overman. Their son Darrell Trammell was also present. All of these were from Lubbock.

The Stuckey's have done it again. Their yard is spectacular. Lots of others are busy decorating since Thanksgiving. Their daughter, Leandra Whittenberg of Corinth came and spent the holiday with them.

Donna Kennedy spent Thanksgiving with her son Dean and fam-

ily in Ocate, N.M. which is near Mora, N.M.

We heard of several who invited others that may not have had a family in for Thanksgiving to join their families' festivities. That is real Christian love.

Buzz Thacker spent Thanksgiving at Lake Brownwood with Johnny and Jana Thacker and their children and grandchildren. Buzz enjoyed seeing his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He attended church with the family at Lake Brownwood.

My daughter, Kay Miller is going to a specialist in Lubbock today. She is very ill and will likely have surgery this week for a stone in her pancreas duct. She was in the hospital at Lockney but was able to be at home for the holiday.

This is a list of the gifts offered by Roaring Springs Merchants and the winners at Saturday's late night shopping event:

Baby B's Jewelry, \$25.00 gift certificate, Kathy Turner; Children's Drawing, Crystal Collett; Cap Rock Telephone, two gift bags, Cassidy Turner and Amanda Harrington; City of Roaring Springs, Ornament, Laura Long;

Thacker Jewelry, Earrings, Mich Mach; Traveler's Inn, Pecan Pie, Beverly Shorter; Alexander Fuel, \$100.00 fuel, Ross Graham; Petticoat Junction, \$40.00 gift certificate, Sherry Rose; Parks Welding, Horseshoe cross, Rachel Pesina, and Boot Jack, Joy Beeson; First in Line, Computer, Janie Pesina;

Comancheria Hunting (Don Stuckey), Shot gun shells, David Matkney; Stafford Beef, \$20.00 beef, Kenzie Perryman; H&P Feed and Seed, Steak turner, Barbara Armstrong; Graham Supply, Men's gift bag, Barbara Miller; and Women's gift bag, Barbara Miller; Ken Young Studio, Photo Print, Rachel Pesina; 4-R Trinkets and Treasures, Frame, Nova Dell Turner; and Picture Pendant, Page Perryman.

The Roaring Springs Community Volunteers raffled off a shot gun. It was won by Jerry Sedgewick. The Volunteers would like to thank everyone who purchased tickets for this fundraiser.

Matador News

Winifred Darsey spent Thanksgiving with her daughter Joanne and husband Steve Stevens in Dallas. While in Dallas, Winifred and Joanne dined in the Zodiac Room at Neiman Marcus, and toured the Dallas Art Museum, where Joanne is a docent.

Fred Risser had shoulder surgery at the North Star Surgical Center in Lubbock, November 13. He enplaned from Lubbock Airport Thanksgiving day to Tampa, Florida, and visited his nephew, John Risser.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Jameson and daughter, Shanna Lou of Santa Fe, N.M. visited during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. "Skeet" Jameson. Other visitors Thanksgiving day were son, Lance Jameson, Vickie Fennell and her father, Don Fennell of Vernon.

Mrs. Evelyn Garrison and daughter, Mrs. Debra Scott were guests Thanksgiving day of son and brother and family, David and Susan Garrison in Hawley.

Mrs. Frances Dixon had a belated Thanksgiving day luncheon in her home Sunday. Her daughter and husband, Elaine and Fred Risser and granddaughter, Kaci Risser of Lubbock, enjoyed the day as they also celebrated the birthdays of Fred and Kaci with all the trimmings.

Lance, Sherry and Jason Bailey of Lamesa, and Andi and Branton Bailey of Alvarado were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Ron and Kay Bailey. On Friday, the group drove to Lubbock where they joined Kevin, Sherry, Dillon and Kolton Bailey of Sundown, David and Marilyn Rattan, and Dax, Nita, Dane and Blaze Rattan of Amarillo, and Laverne and James T. Johnston of Lubbock, for a post Thanksgiving celebration.

Ron and Kay Bailey attended the Lamesa Community Theater Play, "Laugh In" recently. Their son, Lance Bailey, played the part of "Dan Rowan." They were overnight guests of Lance, Sherry and Jason Bailey.

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— Proverbs 3: 5, 6

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Flomot News

By Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

Love is the thing that enables a woman to sing while she mops up the floor after her husband has walked across it in his barn boots.

Mrs. Brenda Browning and daughter, Jessica visited Wednesday and Thursday in Rising Star with Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Browning. Guests in the home of Brenda and Lee J. Browning Sunday were Lawrence and Beverly Rose of Amarillo, Barbara Holland of Kirkland, Mrs. Virgie O'Daniel, Malcolm O'Daniel, T.J. and Caharty Hoffman of Childress.

Mrs. Erma Washington, Connie and Coy Franks and Cara Franks were guests Thanksgiving day in Roaring Springs of Tim and Dena Washington. Other guests were Cory, Amy, Hudson and Madison Franks of Lubbock, Cary Franks of Idalou and Clint Cowert of Post.

Visiting during the Thanksgiving holidays with Janice and Butch Hughes were Bengie Hughes and daughter, Kaitlynn of Royce City, Rickey, Tash Kendal Kason Hughes, Roger, Tiffany, Tar and Reagan Hughes of Floydada, Billy Hughes and Mrs. Marsha Blake of Lubbock.

Thanksgiving day guests of Linda and Travis Kendall, Melissa, Tim, Jere and Jacob Kendall were Janet, Cory, Chancey and Connor Kendall of Midland.

Bessie and Clifton Reid of Amarillo, Mrs. Jackie Davis of Fritch, Michael and Virginia Davis of Bushton, Kansas and Jack Davis of Plainview visited during the holidays with Jack and Nada Starkey.

Mary Ellen "Dude" Barton joined Marisue and Ralph Powell of Mott Creek Ranch and Mrs. Judy Renfro of Matador for a delicious Thanksgiving day lunch at the Hotel Matador.

Shonda and Roger Lee and their houseguests, Jessica and Jordan Schupbach and Waveland of Denver Colorado were Thanksgiving day guests of her parents, Wanda and Rex Davey in Plainview. Other guests were Ron, Shanna and Joseph Purnell of Lubbock; Jenne and Paxton of Dallas; Penny and Bud Taylor of Floydada, Kandice, Hunt, Hayden and Harrison Whitehead of South Lake, Mrs. Martha Taylor and Barbie Fowler of Plainview.

Johnie Starkey had the grill on his car damaged last Friday when he ran into a deer two miles west of Flomot. He took his car to Ralls to be repaired and his brother, L.T. Starkey of Ralls accompanied him home and they returned to Ralls this Monday to get his car.

Thanksgiving day guests of Mrs. B. Rogers and son, Donnie Rogers were Stanley and Donna Sue Degan of Calgary, Shay and Jimmy McDaniel, Luke and Seth of Sundown, Ronnie and Lou Rogers of Lubbock, Dane Degan, Kyler and Kason of Crosbyton and Keith and Laura Duertherhaus and Colen of Idalou.

NEW TRIBUNE OWNERS

FROM PAGE 1

"I have a background in music and performance art," he said. "I taught music at Sonoma State College in Santa Rosa, CA area, and played guitar with Meridian West, a band in the San Francisco area. I was in a Steve McQueen movie in the late '60s."

Larry farmed the acreage in Kentucky, raising organic vegetables. He also engaged in forestry and had a timber business on 87 acres. In addition, he and Laverne created hiking trails on their property.

It was hard to leave the Farm, but Larry and Laverne are looking forward to the new challenge.

"I have had a lifelong interest in journalism," he said.

Laverne has five children, and Larry has six children, all grown. "We had the freedom to make this move," Laverne added.

Laverne earned her Master's of Fine Art in writing from Spalding University. She studied fiber art with Arturo Alonzo Sandoval at the University of Kentucky, and in her "spare time" she wrote her memoirs, *The Garden Girls' Letters and Journal*, recently published by Wind Publications.

Laverne has numerous publications, presentations, and invitational exhibits, most recently serving as a presenter at the Kentucky Women Writers' Conference with a film discussion on "The Southern Sex." She was nominated as "best creative nonfiction" for *The Garden Girls'* by the Southern Kentucky Bookfest, and was awarded the Leadership in Education Award from *The Lane Report*; and the Sallie Bingham Award from the Kentucky Foundation for Women.

Laverne is a poet, writer, teacher, and has served most recently as a board member of the Kentucky Guild of Artists.

She has taught writing at the college level, and was co-editor and publisher of *Writing Community*. In addition to facilitating writing workshops she has

Wilburn Martin visited Thursday and Friday in Borger with daughter and husband, Marilee and Fred Cooper. Other guests Thanksgiving day were his father, Bob Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Cory Cooper, Mason and Gavin, Carl and Kendra Cooper of Borger. Marilee returned home with him Friday and visiting them Saturday were Mrs. Wanda Lane of Lockney and her houseguests, Gwen and Jimmy Waller, Lea and Drew of Bellville and Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Lane, Gates, Memory and Stetson of Lockney.

James, Darla and Danielle Gwinn joined family members Thanksgiving day at the Gwinn home in Matador. Others attending were Aly Gwinn and Mrs. Sarah Hurt, Emily and Annie of Lubbock; Mark and Michelle Jeffers of San Marcos, Marilyn and Ray Holcomb of Floydada, Jessica Crouch and friend, Art of Canyon, Fannin Gwinn and Friend Rebecca Armos of Quitaque and Josie and Bill Raetz of Matador.

Guests Saturday of Kathy and Clois Shorter were Louis and Beverly Shorter of Fort Worth, Allison, Matthew and Braden Moncrief of Matador; Christi, Dwain, Haley and Emily Milam of Petersburg, Mrs. Geneva Martin and Everett Shorter of Flomot. Haley and Emily remained to visit overnight Saturday with Kathy and Clois.

Leah Cruse of Canyon and Derrick Cruse of Casper, Wyoming, visited during the holidays with their parents, Brenda and Darrell Cruse. Other guests Thanksgiving day were Mrs. Marihelen Wason of Matador, Charla and Bennie Marricle of Snyder, Mark Wason of Lubbock and Shahala and Allen Holsher and Kinley of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Elisa Wigley of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Tom (Aleda) Ross from Thursday until Sunday. They visited in Crowell, Friday at the cemetery where Tom Ross is buried and took flowers to his graveside and took pictures of his Marker.

Visiting during the holidays with Roger and Doris Vinson were Mr. and Mrs., Shannon Vinson, Kaitlyn, Morgan, and Bubba of Lubbock. Other guests Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. Dana Vinson, Allison, and Elise and Mrs. Mildred Cantrell of Lubbock. They also visited Mrs. Beverly Vinson.

Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador, Mrs. Anna Beth Clay and Mrs. Geneva Martin attended the funeral Monday of their brother, Charles Tanner held at 2 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church in Tulia. Others attending were Mrs. Kathy Shorter and Mrs. Waydette Clay.

Mrs. Wilda Dixon visited from Tuesday until Monday in Lovington, N.M. with her mother, Mrs. Ted Hester, brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hester, Kristen and Christopher.

OBITUARIES

Hunter Jennings Hagood

Floydada -- Hunter Jennings Hagood, 22, passed away on November 21, 2007, in Floydada. Funeral services were held Monday, November 26, at 11 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada with Rev. Les Hall officiating. Interment followed at Carrs Chapel Cemetery under the direction of the Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

Hunter was born November 5, 1985 in Lubbock County to Brad Jennings Hagood and Tonya Evans. He attended Monterey and graduated in 2004. He moved to Lubbock in 2005 from Floydada.

Hunter enjoyed giving his time to others through his volunteer work. He was a volunteer at Lubbock State School, as well as at Grand Court Assisted Living. He participated in the Special Olympics and was a member of the Area 17 Special Olympics Athlete Input Council. Hunter also volunteered through the Texas Parks and Wildlife Hunters Education Course. He also participated in

fundraising for the Children's Miracle Network.

Hunter is survived by his father, Brad Jennings Hagood and his mother and stepfather, Tonya and Deryl Evans; his grandparents Dan and Nancy Hagood of Lubbock, Robert and Belle Daniels of Lockney, Maxine Cooper of Lubbock, and Milton and Jenille Evans of Floydada; his great-grandmother, Bernice Buchanan of Lubbock; his brothers, Justin Marble of Floydada, and Clay Evans of Crosbyton; his sisters, Ashley and Morgan Hagood of Lubbock, Micah Marble of Lubbock and Mindy Merling of Baytown, as well as numerous friends of Grand Court Assisted Living and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

He will be deeply missed by his family and friends.

Memorials may be made in Hunter's name to his Special Olympics team, at Special Olympics, BRT-17, 7006 A Utica Ave., Lubbock, TX 79425 or to Carr's Chapel Cemetery, 151 FM 37, Floydada, TX 79235.

Billy Don Colston

Billy Don Colston, 65, a life long resident of Floydada, passed away on November 21, 2007, at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

He was born on April 30, 1942, in Amarillo, Texas to J.A. "Bill" Colston and Virginia Chrystine (Sweepston) Colston. He was a lifelong resident of the Dougherty Community. He attended and graduated from Floydada public schools in 1962. He attended Texas Tech College and graduated in 1966. He married Sherry Dickson on June 28, 1969, in Amarillo.

Billy Don enjoyed farming until he retired. He was an active member in different organizations in Floydada, he was a member in the Floydada Masonic Lodge #712, and the Order of Eastern Star #31, he was a charter Board Member of the Floyd County Friends, and a Board Member of Caprock Plains Wind Association. Billy

Don had honored his country by serving in the United States Army.

He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. He is survived by his wife, Sherry Colston of Floydada; two sons, Ross Lee Colston and wife Kelly of Cimarron, NM, and Billy Zane Colston of Matador; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 24, 2007, at First Baptist Church with Rev. Anthony D. Sisemore officiating. Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Family suggest memorials be made to Floyd County Friends, P.O. Box 58, Floydada, TX 79235, Eastern Star, c/o Judy Thayer, P.O. Box 9, Floydada, TX 79235, Floyd County Museum, P.O. Box 304, Floydada, Texas 79235.

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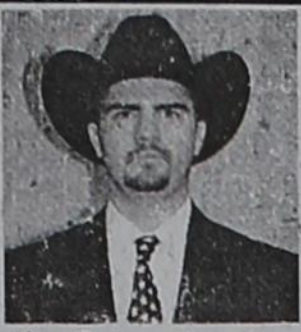
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County Agent's News

by Ryan Martin, Extension Agent



Motley 4-H Club

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4-H provides youth from ages 9 (or 8 and in the 3rd grade) to 18 the experience to travel, work with other youth, participate in positive competitive experiences, and develop at the rate you want.

This year 4-H is celebrating its 100th year. From September 1, 2007, to August 31, 2008, the Texas 4-H and Youth Development Program will celebrate 100 years of youth development in Texas. We encourage you to visit the 4-H Centennial site and learn how you can "Make it Yours" after 100 years of Texas 4-H.

To learn more about 4-H you can come by the Extension office or visit the Texas 4-H website at <http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/>.

4-H Livestock Projects and Animal Owners

With colder weather beginning to move into the area, there are a few simple steps that you should take in order to protect your animals. Make sure your animals have plenty of warm bedding, food and water. There's an old saying that holds true, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." If you do use a heat lamp, make sure it is in a secure location where the animal cannot reach it and it does not cause a fire hazard. If your animal does become sick call your veterinarian or you can contact me at the Extension office or on my cell phone anytime.

2007 Motley County Cotton Variety Trial
I have received the results from the 2007 Motley County Cotton Variety trial test plot.

Preliminary data shows yields from 348 pounds per acre to 599 pounds per acre. Stoneville 4664 RF yielded the best at 599 pounds per acre. Loan values ranged from 49.99 to 58.89 with FiberMax 800 B2R loaning the best. Once all data is compiled a report will be available in the Extension office and on the Motley County Extension website. If you would like to receive a copy of this report by mail, please contact me at 806-347-2733 and I will mail you a copy.

Texas Cooperative Extension Name Change

Texas Cooperative Extension was established in 1915 as part of the Morrill Acts of 1862 and 1890 and in conjunction with Texas A&M University, the state's 1876 land grant university. In 1948, Texas A&M formed the Texas A&M University System, incorporating Cooperative Extension as well as the other six agencies which are still part of the system today. In January 2008, the agency will be changing its name to Texas AgriLife Extension Service as part of a rebranding effort by Texas A&M Agriculture.

Extension's primary mission is to provide educational outreach programs and services to the citizens of Texas. It employs more than 900 professional educators in all 254 counties across the state to serve families, youth, communities and businesses. County Extension Agents serve as local educators in the broad range of areas including: food and fiber production, marketing and policy, environmental and natural resource conservation and management, family and consumer sciences, human nutrition and health, 4-H and youth development, and community economic development. In conjunction with Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, the Extension faculty members conduct research and bring practical applications of those research findings to the people of Texas.

Public Transportation funding awarded

Austin -- State transportation officials today approved sending \$28.7 million to public transportation providers for FY 2008.

The action follows recent work by legislative leaders to restore \$17.6 million in state grant funding for small urban and rural transit providers for the FY 2008 - 2009 biennium.

"Legislative leaders restored funding for these transit providers to historical levels," said Eric Gleason, TxDOT's director of public transportation.

The commission also approved a \$2.6 million award in transportation development credits for various public transportation capital projects.

Transportation development credits (TDCs) -- formerly known as toll credits -- became a stronger funding option as a result of federal legislation by U.S. Congressman Michael Burgess in 2005.

The credits are earned when local and state funds are used to construct toll facilities. The federal government credits states for their investment in these projects by allowing them to be used to offset other transportation expenditures.

State and federal law permit the substitution of toll credits as the required non-federal match for capital projects.

In December 2006, the transportation commission expressed its desire to award TDCs to transit providers for projects that comply with the department's five goals to reduce congestion, expand economic opportunity, enhance safety, improve air quality, and increase the value of transportation asset.

Examples of eligible projects would be the replacement and expansion of fleet vehicles and maintenance facilities.

During 2006, Texas' rural and small urban transit agencies provided nearly 22 million rides.

In this area Panhandle Community Services received, \$928,993; Rolling Plains Management Corporation, \$355,437; South Plains Community Action Association, Inc., \$516,511.

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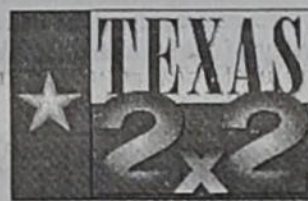
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7-Day Forecast		In-Depth Forecast		Moon Phases			
	Thursday Mostly Sunny High: 58 Low: 39	Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a high temperature of 58°, humidity of 40% and an overnight low of 39°. The record high temperature for today is 84° set in 1949. Friday, skies will be mostly cloudy with a high temperature of 60°.		Last	New	First	Full
	Friday Mostly Cloudy High: 60 Low: 42			12/1	12/9	12/17	12/23
	Saturday Few Showers High: 62 Low: 41						
	Sunday Mostly Sunny High: 61 Low: 38						
	Monday Mostly Sunny High: 58 Low: 35						
	Tuesday Mostly Sunny High: 60 Low: 39						
	Wednesday Partly Cloudy High: 64 Low: 42						

Last Week's Local Almanac

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation
Sunday	82	43	61/37	0.00"	Normal precipitation0.21"
Monday	86	46	61/36	0.00"	Departure from normal-0.21"
Tuesday	83	43	61/36	0.00"	
Wednesday	51	31	60/36	0.00"	Average temperature48.1°
Thursday	39	26	60/35	0.00"	Average normal temperature48.0°
Friday	40	27	60/35	0.00"	Departure from normal+0.1°
Saturday	43	34	59/35	0.00"	Data as reported from Childress, Texas

Weather History
Nov. 29, 1969 - Dense fog along the Jersey Turnpike resulted in a chain reaction of vehicle collisions during the morning rush hour. A propane truck jackknifed and was struck by a trailer truck. Other vehicles continued to pile into the fiery mass.

Sun & Moon Times
Sunrise today7:28 a.m.
Sunset tonight5:35 p.m.
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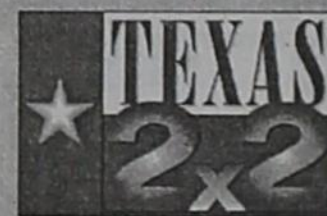
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