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Texas' Oldest JP Dies At Age 95



J.D. MITCHELL

Services for former Motley County Justice of the Peace, J.D. Mitchell, 95, of Roaring Springs were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church with the

Rev. Rory Burge, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Roaring Springs Cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died Wednesday morning at a Granbury hospital after a lengthy illness. He attended school at Indian Gap and moved to Roaring Springs in 1923. He was a retired insurance and real estate salesman. He was a former Motley County Justice of the Peace and was the oldest living former Justice of the Peace in Texas. He had served in that capacity for 63 years.

He had been named the oldest Motley County man at the Old Settlers' Reunion held in Roaring Springs each August for the last 5 years.

He married Isabell Gerrells July 25, 1915. She died in 1968. He married Eva Thacker in 1974. He had been a deacon at the First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs for 74 years.

He was preceded in death by two sons, Frank N. Mitchell and Doyle Mitchell.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Rosalyn Work of Saratoga, CA, and Marion Alice Jones of San Jose, CA; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Wind Swept Blazes Cause Destruction on Farm in Flomot

Volunteer firefighters from Flomot Matador, Turkey, Quitaque, Silvertown, Lockney and Floydada departments were kept busy Friday, Jan. 26 from 12 noon to 8:30 p.m., battling a wind swept grass fire that spread across the land of Joe Ike and League Clay. The land is the former Jess Browning homestead, located north of Flomot in the Folley community.

The wind blew flames from smoldering tree stumps that were thought to be extinguished and the fire quickly spread across the grassland.

Destroyed in the blaze were five peanut combines inside a metal barn. One of the combines was owned by Vance Price of Turkey. No one was injured.

Heart Fund Campaign kicks off today in Motley Co.

In honor of National Heart Month, the Motley County Heart Association, a community based organization, will have its annual residential Fund Drive during the month of February.

Cardiovascular diseases are among the leading causes of death in the United States, the State of Texas and the South Plains of Texas. However, with the American Heart Assn. research, the use of new methods of detection, diagnosis and treatment, death from cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases is decreasing.

In 1989, 131,000 dollars was received from the national and state AHA grants to fund research at Texas Tech University and the Texas Tech Health Sciences Center. County residents who have had successful by-pass and pace maker heart surgery, medical and surgical treatment for blocked arteries and medical help for blood pressure problems are evidence of the progress AHA has made in medical research.

The AHA Public Education program have furnished films, literature and demonstrations that have been conducted in the Motley County Schools, civic and social organizations. The AHA is a voluntary health agency, supported by public contributions and donated time of volunteers.

Volunteers serving on the Motley County AHA board are Mesdames Odessa Mullins of Roaring Springs, Mary Joe Calvert and Sandra Barclay of Flomot, Faye Slover of Matador and Earlyne Jameson, chairman.

Those assisting Mrs. Slover with the Matador Fund Drive are Mesdames L.B. (Lucretia) Campbell, Bobby Brown, Judy Cooper and Cora Smallwood. If you wish to give an AHA Memorial, please contact Myrna Blasingame at First State Bank or Earlyne Jameson.

Your contribution to the Heart Fund is being used for a vital cause. It's a simple case of self defense when you give to the American Heart Association!

Matadors defeat Patton Springs and Guthrie

The Motley County Varsity Matadors defeated Patton Springs and Guthrie in District Play last week, giving them a 5-1 record thus far in District Competition.

David Alexander was high point man in the Patton Springs game which ended with the Matadors on top 61-35. Tony Gonzales scored 17 points and Chris Campbell was also in the two digit numbers with 12 points. Also making points toward the victory was Matt Washington with 7, Roy Estrada with 3, and Rusty Willmon and Jarrett Jameson each adding 2.

In the game against Guthrie last Friday night, Matt Washington came away as high point man, scoring a total of 17 points. David Alexander shot for 11, Clay Ewing added 9, Rusty Willmon put in 8, Tony Gonzales made 7, Chris Campbell added 4, and Roy Estrada made up the final two, giving the Matadors a victory total of Mats 58 - Guthrie 48.

The Matadors played a non-conference game on Tuesday night January 30 against Jayton.

The Matadors will travel to Spur on Friday, Feb. 2, to play the Bulldogs in what should be a very competitive game. A win over Spur will assure the Mats of a place in the Play-offs. The Mats will need your support to play this important game, so make plans to be at Spur on Friday night to cheer the Mats on to their next District win!!

Barbara's Bylines

Happy Anniversary to us! Today, February 1 is the 4th year Anniversary for me to have the Motley County Tribune.

I know it seemed at first we were making a lot of new changes and breaking some old traditions. I feel these changes have been beneficial. One of the main purposes was to help Motley County as a whole and draw interest for progress.

Looking back I wonder sometime how we ever survived, seems everything took so long to do and there were still mistakes that slapped us in the face as soon as the paper rolled off the press. Late hours were sometimes frustrating along with fun and silliness as we all got tired.

It's been a challenging 4 years. I have certainly learned a lot about newspaper work and more about trying to satisfy the public.

I hope everyone has enjoyed reading this paper as much as I have enjoyed doing it.

Many thanks to everyone who has helped us by turning in news and encouraging us these past 4 years. I especially want to say Thank you to Carla - my right hand lady. I can't put out the paper without her! But she can put it together without me. Also thanks to those who have worked late hours helping us and thanks to all the readers and advertisers who have supported their 'hometown paper.'

911 Committee Discusses Progress

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article was taken from the LUBBOCK AVALANCHE JOURNAL

Members of the South Plains 911 Advisory Committee were told the local program is proceeding according to plan during a Wednesday meeting at the South Plains Association of Governments (SPAG).

"We're beginning the implementation phase now," said Mike Pedigo, manager of 911 communications.

The 911 service provides emergency access to law enforcement, fire and

emergency medical services by dialing the digits "911."

Hale and Terry counties will be the first two systems in the state 911 plan that will be implemented, Pedigo said. Hale County will be implemented in August, while Terry County will be implemented in October. In late 1991 Motley County and other counties will be added.

Contract negotiations are underway on the counties' 911 systems, Pedigo said. Pedigo said the committee hopes to have all the 911 systems in place by December 1991.

"They're going real well," he said. The area 911 plan was submitted by

SPAG and approved by the state in September, Pedigo said.

Lubbock County is not included in the plan because it has a 911 district operated through the Lubbock Emergency Communication District.

In other business at the meeting Jesse Nave, from Hale County, was elected chairman of the committee, while Hockley County resident Ted Holder was elected committee vice chairman.

The committee members were appointed by commissioners courts in the 15 counties served by SPAG.

Lady Matadors Holding First In District Basketball Competition

The Lady Matadors won another district game on Tuesday, January 23, by a score of 68-32, as they traveled to Patton Springs. Eleven girls made the trip and of those eleven, eight saw playing time. Kammia Pitts is having to rest her knee for a week before a decision is made on surgery. Heather Hobbs and Lacey Parks were brought up from J.V. in case we got into foul trouble as we did in the previous game. Fortunately, Coach Ewing didn't have to use them. The J.V. had games scheduled on Friday and Saturday and players can only play in 2 games a week, or one game and a tournament. The Ladies played an excellent ballgame. They pulled down a game high 45 rebounds

and had only 12 turnovers and had 17 steals. Everyone was in on the scoring. Kathy Mangram led with 24 points followed by Chandra Brown with 13 and Brandi Barton with 11. Paige Williams and Amy Stephens each added 6 points, Brandee Spray had 4 and Yulanda Campbell and Natalie Burkes had two each.

The Lady Matadors were successful in winning another district outing on Friday night, January 26, at home against Guthrie. They won by a score of 62-47. With three games left to play and only two of them district games, the Lady Mats are undefeated in district. We played Jayton here on Tuesday night January 30,

and will play Spur there on Friday, February 2, and Paducah here on Tuesday, Feb. 6.

In the Guthrie games Chandra Brown led in the scoring with 20 points and had a total of 7 rebounds. Brandi Barton followed in scoring with 14 points and had 8 rebounds. Kathy Mangram was next with 10 points and 2 rebounds. Yulanda Campbell had 8 points and 6 rebounds. Paige Williams and Amy Stephens both added 4 points and 4 rebounds. Lacey Parks had 2 points and 1 rebound. Brandee Spray played well but did not score in this game.

We invite everyone to come out and support all of our teams.

"I had always been interested in the health care field, so that's the direction I took."

Rigsby and his wife, Emma Lou, moved their family to Hale Center 21 years ago. Besides EMS, he is active in the Civil Defense and is a City Councilman.

He hopes that the EMS program will continue to grow with more young people in the community seeing the need to participate.

"I'd love to see service at Advanced Life Support level with a full staff of paramedics before I retire," he says.

Perhaps an incident that reinforced his commitment to quality emergency health care occurred several years ago when a friend's father suffered a heart attack in the local bank.

"There were two EMS volunteers within a block of the bank when the emergency call went out that a man was down in the bank. I was across the street and Marty Crowder was a block away and got there about the same time I did.

"Darrell Hunt, who was working at the bank at the time, was in the process of initiating CPR when we arrived. There were no vital signs when we began working on him.

"He survived. "At the hospital, his son came up to me, grabbed my hand, and all he could say through his tears was "Thanks". That was enough. That makes it all worthwhile."

Hometown Man Featured In 'Applause' Column in Plainview Paper

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article was taken from the PLAINVIEW DAILY HERALD and was written by Nicki B. Logan, Lifestyles Editor. Sherril Rigsby is the son of the late Riley Roscoe and Lillie Marie Rigsby of Matador. Sherril is a graduate of Matador High School.

Although he denies it, the fact that Hale Center has one of the best small town Emergency Medical Services, complete with two ambulances "almost paid for," can be attributed to Sherril Rigsby.

The service was established in 1973 when the state mandated that volunteers must have a stated number of EMS training hours, plus an ambulance stocked with expensive emergency equipment.

Rigsby's co-volunteers claim that Rigsby has been the driving force behind the organization since its inception, encouraging new volunteers to take required training and assisting them in their work. He also has been instrumental in the continuity of the program, planning schedules, keeping current on state regulations and paperwork and raising funds to provide valuable equipment.

A member of the executive board of South Plains Emergency Medical Services, affiliated with the South Plains

Association of Governments, Rigsby has taught and gives guest lectures on his speciality - abdominal and chest injuries.

Rigsby is a medical and X-ray technician at Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center, a position that enables him to be available if a call goes out for more help. Calls are dispatched from the hospital.

According to Rigsby, volunteers are the unsung heroes of the nation, providing care and services for small communities that otherwise would be without fire and emergency services.

Rigsby grew up in Matador where he graduated from high school in 1959. He worked for West Texas Utilities, then a private utility contractor until 1961 when he was severely injured in an electrical accident.

His crew was restoring power in a sandstorm near Wellington when an equipment failure caused him to come in contact with a high voltage line. The voltage entered his body through is right temple, exiting through the ball of his left foot.

"They thought I was dead at first, then rushed me to Amarillo."

As a result of his injury, he lost his left leg, forcing a change in occupations. He has an artificial limb.



SENIOR LADY MATADORS immediately after their game against rival Jayton, with a balloon bouquet they received from a former Lady Matador. The Lady Matadors defeated the Jayton Lady Jays, 63-42. Pictured here are (l-r) Brandi Barton, Yulanda Campbell, Paige Williams, Chandra Brown and Kathy Mangram.

Lady Matadors
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In The Rough

by Hazel Donovan



There was a Lady Golfers meeting at Billie Dean's for lunch, Thursday, January 25. Those attending were LaVoe Thacker, Olivia Barton, Louise Barton, June Moss, Leona Terry, Geneva Wilson, Judy Cartwright, Winired Darsy, Lays Campbell and Judy Renfro.

May 19 - 2 Lady Scramble; Saturday, June 23 - 4 Lady Scramble.

Dates for Men's Tournaments tentatively: May 5-6 - 2 Men Low Ball; June 9-10 - Jack and Jill; July 21-22 - 2 Jacks and 1 Jill; August 11-12 - 2 Man Scramble.

Tournament dates were discussed. Tenatively the dates will be, Saturday,

HEALTH NEWS

Good Posture Lessens Chances of Back Pain

When your mother told you to sit up straight, she knew what she was talking about.

Sitting up straight is one of the ways to lessen the chances of back pain while increasing back strength, according to a free publication on back pain available from Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Many people experience back pain at one time or another, but most recover within a month or two; however, for 65,000 Americans, back injuries in 1990 will result in chronic suffering and disability as well as in long-term medical care.

Here are some other tips to prevent back pain while sitting for prolonged periods, standing, sleeping and driving:

-- When sitting, push your hips back in the chair with your thighs parallel to the floor.
 -- At work, use a firm, straight-backed chair that has armrests and padded support for your lower back. The chair should allow your feet to rest flat on the floor; if necessary, use a footrest.

-- Avoid bending over your desk for extended periods.

-- To avoid fatigue when standing, change your posture frequently by walking, bending or stretching. Keep your knees slightly bent, and shift your weight occasionally.

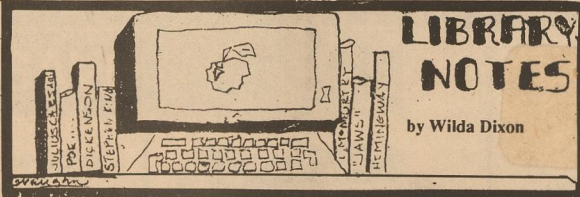
-- Stand erect with your chin in, head up and back straight.

-- Sleep on a firm mattress, or place a plywood board between the mattress and box springs.

-- Sleep on your side with knees bent and a pillow between your knees or on your back with a pillow under your knees; avoid sleeping on your stomach.

-- While driving, move the seat forward to keep your knees higher than your hips.

More information on back health and on chronic back pain is available in "Managing Back Pain," a free publication available by writing to "We Care for You," Baylor College of Medicine at P.O. Box 13567, Houston, Texas 77219, or calling 1-800-392-4444.



LIBRARY NOTES

by Wilda Dixon

On Tuesday of last week Jo Amandes of West Texas Library System came to help our Literacy volunteers select some materials to be ordered with monies from the System. Others that met with her were Evelyn Garrison, Joan Patton and Jimmie Hunter. I asked Jo to come that morning to discuss book ordering procedures. It was a very rewarding day for all concerned.

To help patrons that came in while I was in meetings, I asked Betty Moore to come in for about four hours and she was very gracious about accepting. Since it was also Library School day, she was very busy checking out books in the morning and during the afternoon she shelved most of the books as well as rearranged the shelves. Thanks, Betty.

Those that attended Library School were: Brittany Moore (Ronda's), Derrick Griggs, Brett Wallace, Brittany Moore (Kyle & Jeannie's), John Wesley Stevens, Tamara Wilson, Brenda Gillespie, Charissa Conner, Amanda Hurt, Brittany Perryman, Derrick Cruse, Brittany Donaldson, Cassie Campbell, Kitten Campbell, Emily Hurt, Timmie Bowman, Clint, Cody & Clay Cooper, Cobby Reid, Chanry & Dakota Meyer, and Lacy Carson. The adults in attendance were

Jimmie Hunter, Brenda Cruse, Lola Pohl, Winifred Lee, Edna Green, Ronda Moore, Judy Cooper and Kathy Gillespie. Besides the singing, stories and crafts, they watched two movies, "Curious George Goes To An Ice Cream Shop" and "Just One Me."

On Friday, January 26, I traveled to Muleshoe Area Library for a workshop on "Policies: How to Write Them, When Do We Need Them." The workshop was sponsored by WTLS and the presenter was Mrs. Beth Glass, Librarian at the Lubbock campus of South Plains College. It was a most informative and challenging day. I learned that we need to do a great deal of evaluation of the local library's policies.

Today (Thursday) is Earline Vaughn's first day back at work and we are very glad to have her. We are now back to full staff and it will be much better for service to you our patrons.

REMINDERS

Income tax forms are available at the Library.

Films and projector are available to be checked out overnight.

READ A GOOD BOOK THIS WEEK!!

Social Security Tips

by Mary Jane Shanes

People, who receive social security or supplemental security income (SSI) benefits because they are disabled or blind, who would like to try out working, don't have to wonder any more whether or not trying to work would affect their eligibility.

There are provisions in the law to give disabled and blind people the opportunity to test their ability to work while keeping their eligibility.

Under Social Security, disabled people can have a trial work period of up to 9 months which need not be consecutive, to test their ability to work and engage in substantial gainful activity. "Substantial gainful activity" means doing significant and productive physical or mental work for pay or profit.

Moreover, if after the trial work period the worker's impairment has not improved, even though he or she is able to

work, there is a 36-month extended period of eligibility.

During this 36-month period, the employee can receive a check for any month in which earnings do not exceed the amount considered "substantial gainful activity" (\$300 for the disabled; \$740 for the blind in 1989).

Medicare benefits continue for up to 39 months beyond the trial work period for people whose checks stop due to work activity but who are still disabled.

Impairment-related work expenses, such as medical devices, attendant care, medicines, etc., can be deducted from total earnings when determining substantial gainful activity.

A social security or SSI beneficiary is an approved vocational rehabilitation program, who recovers while participating in that program, can receive benefits until the program ends.

If you receive disability payments under SSI, you can return to work or increase your level of work activity without losing your SSI eligibility. Payments reduced for your income can continue as long as your disability has not improved and you meet all other eligibility rules.

Impairment-related work expenses (e.g., a wheelchair, transportation costs, certain attendant care services, prostheses, and similar items), can be deducted from total earnings when determining income that counts. For blind people, any expenses reasonably attributable to their work as well as transportation to and from work, meals during work hours, a guidoged, etc., can be deducted from total earnings.

An SSI recipient can develop a plan to achieve self support, or PASS. Money and resources can be set aside for it in a PASS up to 48 months to accomplish a work goal such as education or training, purchase or work-related equipment, or setting up a business. The money or resources set aside will not count for SSI.

Also, scholarship or grant money spent on fees, tuition, books, stationery supplies, and related expenses of obtaining an education, are not counted as income under SSI.

Medicaid can continue for disabled and blind people who cannot afford to replace services including medical, available to SSI recipients and would be unable to work without Medicaid.

OBITUARIES

LOIS GARNETT

Graveside services for Lois Garnett, 76, of Matador were held at 1:00 p.m. Monday, January 29, 1990 in the Roaring Springs Cemetery with Bill J. Whitaker, minister of Roaring Springs Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was under direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

She died at 11:30 a.m. Sunday in Woods Convalescent Center in Paducah after a lengthy illness.

She was a lifelong Matador resident. She married Tut Garnett on March 22, 1941 in Matador. She was a former Motley County treasurer.

Survivors include her husband; a son Tut, of Elgin; a stepson, Tex of Portales, N.M.; two daughters, Ann Whitehead of Dublin and Ruth Garnett of Roswell, N.M.; two brothers, Wilson Cook of Paducah and N.L. Cook of Childress; and eight grandchildren.

KENNETH GROVES

ARLINGTON -- Kenneth Groves, a Democratic candidate for Tarrant County judge, died Tuesday, January 16, after suffering a heart attack. He was 58.

Mr. Groves, who had served as a council member on and off for about 10 years was admitted to Harris Methodist - Fort Worth Hospital early Monday, Jan. 15. He died at 3:20 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 16, 1990.

Mr. Groves, an architect and engineer who owned a surveying and engineering firm, had been battling kidney disease for about a year and a half and sometimes attended council meetings in a wheelchair.

Mr. Groves' death came two weeks after he filed in the Democratic primary for the race to succeed retiring Tarrant County Judge, Roy English.

Jeannette Groves, the Council member's wife, said he had been battling a

kidney ailment for about six months - but doctors had said he was on the road to recovery.

He had lived in Tarrant County nearly all of his life and was a graduate of Arlington High School, Arlington State College, now the University of Texas at Arlington, and Texas A&M University.

He also had been a captain in the Air Force. Mr. Groves is survived by his wife, Jeannette Groves of Arlington; a daughter, Kaye Brown of Arlington; sons, James, Paul and John Groves, all of Arlington, and David Groves of New York, N.Y.; mother, Zena Mae Groves of Dalworthington Gardens, Tarrant county; sister, Lejuan Tucker of Dalworthington Gardens, and eight grandchildren.

Mr. Groves was a native of Matador and visited here several times each year with his mother.

LENA A. HELVEY

Funeral services for Lena A. Helvey, 91, of Levelland, former resident of Roaring Springs, were held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, January 23 in the George C. Price Funeral Chapel, George A. Hogland, pastor of the Lubbock Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in the Levelland Cemetery.

Mrs. Helvey died at 7:00 p.m., Friday, January 19 in Levelland Nursing Home after a lengthy illness.

Born in Alice, Texas, she moved from Roaring Springs to Morton and to Levelland in 1944. She married Ben Weeks Helvey, February 2, 1916 in Bowie, Texas. He preceded her in death February

26, 1963. She was a member of the Church of Christ and a homemaker.

Survivors include three sons, Earl of Sacramento, Calif., Robert of Bonham and Thomas of Abilene; five daughters, Fern Wilkerson of Matador, Bertie Crisp of Maysville, Okla., Artie Taylor of Levelland, Alice Pearl Deviney of Bromide, Okla. and Lilly Mae Taylor of Dumas; a sister, Nellie Poteet of Pampa; 35 grandchildren, 94 great-grandchildren and 9 great-great grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were grandsons and great-grandsons, Jimmy Taylor, Johnny Helvey, Danny Brittan, and James Crisp, Billy Frank Helvey and Billy Damruth.

Senior Citizens Report

BY IRIS BLEVINS

Monday, our bus went to Lubbock with several people riding. Elgie had a doctor's appointment and others went shopping. It was a good day for everyone.

Our president, Monita Smith, called the house to order at 11:45, Tuesday for our regular fourth Tuesday luncheon. We had thirty people with us counting Charissa and Timothy Conner. We do appreciate Stacy and Debbie for bringing them, and also, for their working with us. Stacy, we did appreciate your words of Thanks for the delicious food that each one of us brought to share together.

The business meeting was short because our secretary and reporter are out of town. I was appointed to report until Daisy gets home.

We were happy to have J.W. and Lucille Pritchett with us. We hope you can soon be home to stay. Also Gertrude Smith was us. It was good to have you back, Gertrude.

We were saddened at the death of our oldest Senior Citizen, Mrs. Cora Carter. She wasn't able to come to our building and participate in any activity, but would contribute to anything we had need of. Cora, you were a great lady.

Friday evening was our regular game and fellowship meeting and we had twelve people present.

We welcome all visitors to come be with us, every second and fourth Tuesday of the month for lunch, and every Friday evening for games and fellowship.

A good visit with neighbors will cheer you up.

Sharon Sutton Pigg

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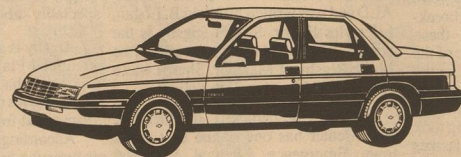
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Motley County School News

ANNUAL STAFF



ANNUAL STAFF: (back row l-r) Kathy Mangram, Brandi Barton, Paige Williams; (middle row) Christie Potts, Yulanda Campbell, Cindy Shorter, Chandra Brown; (front row) Margie Guerrero, Memori Assiter, Brandee Spray. (Not pictured is Prissy Roys and Daniel Alexander).

The backbone of this organization is Mrs. Pam Wilson. She has been annual staff sponsor for six years and has spent lots of her spare time helping this organization.

If you would like an Annual, call Mrs. Wilson before Wednesday, Feb. 7, so she can get your order in before the deadline. If you would like to sponsor a page in the annual for \$30, contact an annual staff member.

The annual is well underway and is looking very promising.

The Motley County Annual Staff at MCHS has been working very hard this year on the annual. There are many steps in putting an annual together that go unnoticed. Long hours are spent selling ads and annuals, taking pictures and finally putting the pages together.

The dedicated members of the annual staff are Brandi Barton, Paige Williams, Cindy Shorter, Yulanda Campbell, Margie Guerrero, Chandra Brown, Prissy Roys, Kathy Mangram, Memori Assiter, Brandee Spray, Christi Potts, and Daniel Alexander.

Message from the Principal:

Subject: Loading of K-3 Students at 2:40 p.m.

We at school consider your child's safety of the utmost importance. The school board, after meeting with some concerned parents, authorized me as principal, to make the loading of these students as safe as possible. Once you enter the loading zone (from the south end of Playground to the blocked-off area) you must stay in place and not leave this area until all are loaded.

At 2:20 p.m. each day the street will be roped off in front of the Elementary School. You may pull up to the stop signs and wait until all students are loaded. The ropes then will be moved to permit you to leave.

Oran Hamilton

Honor Roll

DISTINGUISHED LIST (all grades 90 or above)

Seventh Grade: Stesha Daniel, Mandi Farley, Heather Turner.

Eighth Grade: Whitney Jameson, Dustin Davis.

Ninth Grade: Daniel Alexander, Jagruti Patel, Amy Pipkin, Christie Potts.

Tenth Grade: Tonya Hoyle, Christi Shorter.

Eleventh Grade: None

Twelfth Grade: Jarrett Jameson, Cindy Shorter, Paige Williams, Rusty Willmon.

Eighth Grade: Jeromy Jameson, Christi Pierce, Kobby Rissler, Scott Salsbury, Keri Shorter, Jennifer Beshirs, Kara Boykin, Brooke Brandon.

Ninth Grade: Mat Linson, Dana Monroe, Lacey Parks, Danny Salsbury, Tad Terrell.

Tenth Grade: Paul Barton, Amber Brandon, Chancy Cruse, Kay Davis, Clay Ewing, Eric Farley, Heather Hobbs, Cathey Perryman, Rose Saldana, Jason Stanley, Kristi Timmons, Brad Wilson, Amy Woolsey.

Eleventh Grade: Natalie Burkes, Rene Hoover, Billy Lefevre, Neal Sedgewick, Amy Stephens, Matt Washington.

Twelfth Grade: Memori Assiter, Brandi Barton, Heath Campbell, Yulanda Campbell, Prissy Roys, Brand Cruse, Roy Estrada, Cory Franks, Margie Guerrero, Walter Linson.

HONOR ROLL (all grades 80 or above)

Seventh Grade: Jeremy Jones, Josh Palmer, Wendy Lancaster.

Activities Schedule

Thursday, Feb. 1: HAT period, Student Council Meeting, all others in tutorials, study hall, Gym.

Friday, Feb. 2: HAT period, Tutorials, Study Hall, Gym. J.V. and Varsity vs. Spur at Spur beginning at 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 3: 7th Grade Tournament at Valley

LOOKING AHEAD

Monday, Feb. 5: PTO Meeting and Book Fair.

Feb. 6, 7 and 8: TEAMS TESTS for grades 3, 5, 7 and 9.

Feb. 9: FHA SWEETHEART BANQUET

Memori's Memoirs

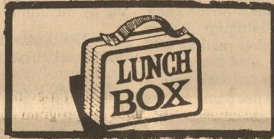
by Memori Assiter

Last Wednesday we had the opportunity to have Ron Trussler and his staff from the Plainview Counseling Center come to MCHS and give a seminar on Suicide. The counselors told us about what signs to look for if we think we know someone that may be thinking about suicide. They also counseled classes as a whole and then talked to individuals. Hopefully this seminar touched many people and made them realize what sui-

cide does to the ones left behind.

One Act Play tryouts are soon to be underway and any student wishing to participate should contact Carrol Hays. The play Mrs. Hays has picked out for this year will be "The Tell Tale Heart." If you would like to read the play, stop for her room and she has books available.

The basketball teams are still doing great in their second round of district. We are all proud of you.



MONDAY, FEB. 5

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast, Juice.

Lunch: Spaghetti, Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Whole Wheat Rolls, Cherry Cobbler.

TUESDAY, FEB. 6

Breakfast: Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Fruit.

Lunch: Vegetable Beef Stew, Crackers, Assorted Sandwiches, Fresh Vegetable Sticks, Peaches, Chocolate Cake.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7

Breakfast: Hot Cereal, Buttered Toast,

Fruit.

Lunch: Mexican Casserole, Pinto Beans, Green Salad, Cornbread, Gelatin.

THURSDAY, FEB. 8

Breakfast: Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Juice.

Lunch: Corn dogs, French Fries, Pickles, Sugar Cookies, Fruit.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9

Breakfast: Breakfast Burrito, Apple-sauce.

Lunch: Steak, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Layered Dessert.

Thank You

Words cannot express all the gratitude we feel to so many friends for the many expressions of sympathy at the loss of our loved one, Lois, "McMaw" Garnett. A special thanks to Judge Whitaker for his comforting words of love, to all those who called, brought the delicious food and sent the beautiful flowers. God bless each of you.

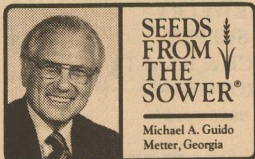
Tutt Garnett
Tex Garnett and family
Ann Whitehead and family
Ruth Garnett
Tutt Garnett and family

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to all the volunteer firefighters who came to our rescue during our recent grass fire. We are grateful for this service being available to us in the rural area. We thank Carla Helms for calling the Fire Departments, Billy Shannon for the use of his irrigation water and to all of you that helped in any way.

Joe Ike and Anna Beth Clay
League Clay

Thank you to the Fire Department of Matador who came to our rescue Sunday and for the great job in putting out our house fire.

Barbara and Bill Jameson



Yesterday I saw a sign that read: "LOVE IS LIKE JAM. SPREAD SOME AROUND TODAY."

That's what the world needs - love. It's the only thing that will

solve our personal, social, and international problems.

What's love? It's putting others first. But everyone is self-centered - except the Lord. He demonstrated His love for us by living and dying for us.

It's only as you accept the God of love that you'll abound in the love of God. Come to Him, and He'll change you. As you love Him, you'll be able to love others.

Like the sign said, "LOVE IS LIKE JAM. SPREAD SOME AROUND TODAY."

Motley County P.T.O. Needs Labels

The P.T.O. is conducting a collection drive as a part of the Campbell's Labels for education program. Campbell Soup Company is offering free educational equipment to schools in exchange for labels from their products.

There will be a special contest for school children, February 1 - February 14 and a prize will be awarded to the class that turns in the most labels during that time.

The 1989-90 program will end March 1st. Pay-N-Save grocery also has a bin so that others may turn in labels. For further information, contact Kelli Jackson, 347-2889.



3rd and 5th Grades Tour Matador Post Office



The third and fifth grades of Motley County Grade School toured the Matador Post Office January 10 and 17. Each student hand canceled a letter, learning how and why letters are canceled before leaving the post office into the mail stream, how the mail is handled and each class of mail was discussed. Mrs. Clem told the classes that the mail is carried by trucks and air planes, even though we don't have to pay for air mail except overseas.

Mrs. Clem explained the weighing and pricing of the different classes of

mail. The third grade had a coloring contest in connection with the dinosaur stamps. The winners of the contest were Blair Thacker, Devin Perryman, and Angela Hammond. Each was presented with a balloon. At the end of the program each student received a coloring book from the Postal Service.

Mrs. Clem would like to say to each student and the teachers Mrs. Barbara Parks and Mrs. Carol Turner "Thanks for coming and please come back."

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Society News

Buffalo Grass Chapter Meets in Floydada

Buffalo Grass chapter NSDAR met January 23 at Lighthouse Electric in Floydada. Fifteen members were present. The Regent, Mrs. Vera Jo Bybee presided at the meeting. After the opening, Mrs. Carolyn Marble read the President General's message. Mrs. Eugenia Bethard gave the National Defense Report. Officers and Committee chairmen who had correspondence to share, did so.

Mrs. June Sherman was program chairman for the evening. This was a Historic Records Workshop. The entire group worked on indexing the Lockney Cemetery Records. Mmes. Sherman, Bollman, Bybee, Nancy Marble and others had made a survey of the Cemetery,

and index cards were filled out for each burial space. The project was completed at the meeting.

Those present were hostesses Mrs. Ozena Norris and Mrs. Carolyn Marble and Eugenia Bethard, Mary Lou Bollman, Vera Jo Bybee, Loretta Denning, Susan Dunavant, Grace Zabielski, Dorothy Hodges, Emily Johnston, Janis Julian, Nancy Marble, Ona Ruth Neff, Gene Reed and June Sherman.

The next meeting will be Feb. 27 at Lighthouse Electric. The program chairman, Mrs. Janis Julian will present the students who are contestants for the DAR Good Citizens Board. Winners will be announced at this meeting.

Nutrition Program Offers Funds To Area Child Care Providers

Child care providers who care for children in their own homes may receive payments for food costs through a program offered by Children's Enterprises, Inc. Payments will be made for each meal and snack served when basic nutrition guidelines are met. Located in Lubbock, Children's Enterprises is a not-for-profit organization which promotes quality care for children. The Child Care Nutrition Program offered by Children's Enterprises is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Day Home providers may not discriminate against children because of race, sex, color, national origin, race or handicap.

Children's Enterprises' Staff are available to assist with menu planning for child care providers. If desired, providers may have menus custom-planned for their home. There is no charge for the Child Care Nutrition Program services. Child care providers may participate in the program regardless of their family's income and there is no minimum number of children required to participate.

Gerry Hughes, located in Roaring Springs, serves as the Area Representative for the Child Care Nutrition Program throughout the surrounding area. Ms. Hughes is available to visit with child care providers concerning the nutrition program and other programs offered by Children's Enterprises. Those interested in becoming family day care providers may also receive assistance in becoming registered or licensed.

Children's Enterprises offers additional programs to promote quality care for children. Other services include workshops, training, and resources for child care providers, child care referrals for parents searching for child care arrangements which best meet their needs, and consultations with child care facilities.

Child care providers or those interested in any of the programs offered may contact Children's Enterprises for additional information. The Lubbock Office is located at 3305 66th Street, Suite 1. Staff are available by telephone at (806) 796-0734 or call toll-free, 1-800-456-4862.

Evil on the Installment Plan

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article was submitted by Magdalena Carlson. It was taken from an old 1950's paper.

A Spanish proverb runs: "Take it, take what you want and pay for it." The implication is plain. Whatever you get out of life you must pay for it. You must sacrifice selfishness to be a Christian. But you also sacrifice Christianity to be selfish. You must make sacrifices to be honest. But you must sacrifice honesty to be a crook. You sacrifice the pleasures of the flesh to achieve purity. But you sacrifice the rewards of purity to live as a libertine. Jesus sacrificed Himself to be the unique Son of God. But Judas sacrificed his nobility to be the son of Satan. "Take it, take what you want and pay for it."

There is this significant difference, however, in paying for what you want. If you choose the good life, you must pay for it first. If you choose evil you can pay for it later, on the installment plan.

If you choose virtue, you begin by paying the price of virtue today. If you choose sobriety you must live soberly now. But if you choose licentiousness and drunkenness you simply make a small down payment with heavier installments to come later.

I am convinced many people would not choose evil if they saw, in the beginning, the total cost. Millions of people buy houses and automobiles simply because of the low down payment, with no awareness of the total cost.

"What's the harm?" asks the man who begins by taking a social drink. He does not weight the impulse of the moment against the backdrop of the years, does not see the possibilities of a fixed habit of steel around his spirit, broken health, a broken home, broken influence.

"What's the harm?" asks the man who places his first bet. "Just to make the game more interesting, go along with the crowd." He scarcely notices that gambling gets in the blood, becomes a part of his thinking, a way to get rich without working.

"What's the harm?" asks the student who neglects his first lesson. He scarcely notices that a neglected lesson here, a neglected lesson there, renders him incapable of passing the final examination, sets the stage for ultimate intellectual failure.

One winter, during a snowstorm in Canada, a sign was erected at the forks of the road. It read, "Be careful which ruts you take, you will be in them for the next hundred miles." It's a good sign to remember. Be careful which plan of action you take. You may be repeating it - forever!

The down payment is never as important as the last payment.

Bring the full tithes into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house; and thereby put me to the test, says the Lord of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you an overflowing blessing. I will rebuke the devourer for you, so that it will not destroy the fruits of your soil; and your vine in the field shall not fail to bear, says the Lord of hosts. Malachi 3:10,11

Praise the Lord!

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Pointers For Parents

Loving A Child Through Letters

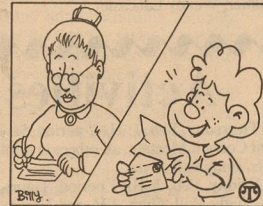
Many grandparents, divorced parents and military parents are rediscovering the benefits of communicating with children through letters.

Children separated from adults they love are always thrilled to receive mail addressed to them personally.

In return, a card or letter from a child has special meaning. Children are often more expressive in letters and, with a letter, words like "I love you, Dad" and "I miss you, Grandma" can last forever.

Adults have found other benefits to letter-writing. The cost of postage is minimal compared to the price of long-distance phone calls. In addition, exchanging letters helps a child develop reading and writing skills.

In order to keep in touch with a child, many adults use a unique letter-writing system called The Write Connection™ Program, which is offered by Positive Parenting Inc. These adults have learned that maintaining close contact with a child is worth the effort. Following are a few tips for keeping in touch with kids:



- When writing the child, let him or her know what you think, how you feel and what you remember.

- Make your letters entertaining by including drawings.

- Use colorful stationery and add small gifts as little perks.

- Be consistent in your writing to the child so they can count on your letters.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

My children, Amber and Nick Brennan attend Dolphin Terrace Elementary, here in El Paso. Recently, the school held a Literature Contest for all the students. Topics were varied from "Where the Sky Ends" to "Wishes and Dreams". Amber chose to write about one of her wishes. To our delight, she won a second place ribbon for her efforts and I would like to pass the story on to you.

Amber is the Great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. "Mutt" Smith of Matador and also Mr. Carl Ashley of Roaring Springs. She is also the great-great-grand-

daughter of Mrs. Rosetta Underwood of Roaring Springs.

My parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Smith, formerly of Matador, and my brother and I both attended the Matador Grade School. Every Spring break we bring my children back and rediscover "our roots". We always have a wonderful time, so I can understand where Amber got the idea for her story.

Hope you enjoy it.

Sincerely,
Shirlene Cooper
El Paso, Texas

Dear Sirs:

Forty-five years we were helping to make news for the media. Now we need to use your newspapers to locate and inform all 2nd Armored "Hell on Wheels" Division and all attached units of our reunion at Killen, Fort Hood, Texas, at the Sheraton Hotel, May 30 - June 3, 1990.

Write to Loren O. Guge, Reunion Chairman, 8053 High Point Blvd., Brookville, Florida, 34613, for information.

To the Editor:

Why is it so hard for our disabled and able Veterans of all wars to get their compensations after they were given and passed by our U.S. Government to the Veterans? Because the people running the facilities are instructed not to mention or advertise these awards to the Veterans, to save as much as they can to be used for other projects of their own. We must put a stop to these rifling the V.A. Benefits for Veterans and vote out people in these jobs so the rightful organizations can use the monies for the ones entitled to them the Veterans of all wars and conflicts that it is provided for.

The Gramm-Rudman Act must be reworded to take bites out of the sneak raise and put back in. Veterans disabled have

written to Senators and the President and Vice-President of their acts against the Veterans Benefits. No response.

As yet and you Veterans do the same, do not let them use the Veterans benefits as a grab bag. But fill the bag. For us in our old age, as they fill their nest eggs. Lets vote these so called shoulder patting people out of reach in Veterans benefits.

Write and pull together for the restoring of our benefits that were cut to be restored to their original status provided for the Veteran. By the people and not by any else that want to claim what they do or done for the Veterans and Disabled Veterans of all wars and lets not forget these are Americans.

John R. Deptula
Disabled Veteran

Reader's Column

A GOOD PLACE TO GO

EDITOR'S NOTE: Amber is a 10 year old 4th grade student at Dolphin Terrace Elementary School in El Paso, Texas.

by Amber Brennan

Roaring Springs...I just like to say it. It is something special to me. It is a nice place to visit. I wish I lived there but I don't so I might as well forget it. You'll soon see why I like it so much. It is a small town but in my heart it is the biggest town in the world. Roaring Springs isn't a small place with water. To me that is another story.

This town is so special to me. It is great to go there, here is why. When I was young I didn't notice this but, now it is all over my family. Roaring Springs is where almost all my family lives. My grandma, grandpa, all of my cousins, my granddad,

and much of my aunts and uncles live there. So I want to live there. Maybe I will when I grow up and it will still be going til the next generation.

My favorite time going there was last year. I got to to my friends house, she is also my cousin. We went running from house to house saying "Hi" to everybody. She is almost the only friend I have up there. Once we went through the dead woods.

The dead woods isn't spooky with dead people. We just call it that because all the trees in that woods are dead. While we were there something pinched me on the leg. I remembered my mom wanted one so I gave it to her. We went home and now we still have the devil claw to remind us of the place. We are all a happy family. This is the very best place to go.

THE END

I will declare thy name unto
my brethren; in the midst of
the congregation will I praise
thee.

Psalm 22:22

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News Around Motley County

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

HOSPITAL NEWS

Louise Gilbert is a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following hip surgery, Tuesday, Jan. 30.

Mrs. Mary Clay was conveyed to Lockney, Saturday where she is a patient in the General Hospital.

Mrs. E.J. (Mary Ann) Browning returned home, Saturday from Plainview where she was a patient in Central Plains Hospital following surgery, Wednesday, Jan. 24.

Mrs. Jimmy (Peggy) Woods is an out patient at M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston where she is receiving treatments. She will be able to come home for two weeks before returning to Houston for an additional month of treatments.

Those receiving treatments this week for influenza and virus infections are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil George, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Don Monk.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ewing of Matador honored their daughters, Donna Ewing of Spur and Joely Ewing, student at Vernon Regional College, with a birthday luncheon, Sunday, Jan. 28 in their home. Birthday cake, gifts and festive decorations added to the happy occasion.

Those attending were Clay Ewing and Brad Wilson of the home; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Cindy, Christi and Keri of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham of Hart; Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia; Kristen Swenson of Spur; Christie Erickson of Vernon and Bro. and Mrs. Stacy Conner, Charissa and Timothy of Matador.

NEW OWNERSHIP

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter recently completed a business transaction with Mrs. D.M. "Ikie" Gilbert to buy the building within Flomot where Christene's Hobby Hut was located.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter will remodel the building to accommodate their business, Hunter Advertising Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers met her brother, Dale Davidson of Carhage, Missouri at the Amarillo Airport, Thursday and accompanied him to their home where he visited until Monday. Other

visitors in the Rogers home during the weekend were Ronnie Rogers of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan, Shawna, Shay and Dane of Kalgary; Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Nall, Roseta Blackwell, Jill Mooring and Don Matlock of Amarillo; Shannon and Denese Nall of Bushland; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hicks of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand of Roaring Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Autry of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and Natalie, local residents.

Anita Hunter of Lubbock visited overnight Friday in Quitaque with her grandfather, H.G. Hunter. They and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter attended the wedding of their cousin, Buddy Dodd, held at 5:00 p.m., Saturday at the Civic Center Holiday Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Josh and Brandon visited the weekend in Roswell, N.M. with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll.

Marilee Pilcher of Fritch visited the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin. They visited in Lockney, Saturday with Mrs. Lennie Gilbert. They continued to Plainview where they met Mrs. Jehu (Melba Jo) Beeson of Kress to visit and enjoy the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lubbock visited Mrs. C.W. Starkey and Mrs. James Monk, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada to Plainview, Wednesday where they celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Speer at the El Jardin. The Hunters visited in the Speer home, Thursday.

Jack Starkey visited in Fritch during the weekend with daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis, Michael and Warren. He accompanied home, Sunday his wife Nada Starkey, who had visited the past week in the Davis home.

Roy Monk of Uvalde visited Mrs. James Monk, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Foster and Keith of Lubbock visited her family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen, Sunday.

CORRECTION

Chairman of the Entertainment Committee for the Tri-Annual Flomot Homecoming is Donnie Rogers rather than Donnie Turner as inadvertently printed.

Whiteflat News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

We worried the past 30 years about the Soviet Union and the nuclear bomb, now we will worry the next 30 years for fear that Japan will evict us for bad debts!

ATTEND MEETINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon were in Muleshoe, Friday where Mrs. (Wilda) Dixon attended a South Plains Literary Work Shop held at the Muleshoe Library.

Saturday, they were in Lubbock for Mrs. Dixon to attend a GFWC-TFVC Caprock District Convention Planning session held at the Lubbock Plaza Hotel. Mrs. Dixon serves as 2nd Vice-President of this district and is reporter of the Eternas Study Club in Matador.

They visited David Dale Dixon in Lubbock before returning home.

ATTEND GRAVESIDE SERVICES

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Heather and Cobey attended the graveside services of her maternal great aunt, Ruth Wood, 91, of Magnolia held at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 27 in the city of Lubbock Cemetery. Mr. Turner served as a pallbearer.

Joining them there to attend the services was Mrs. Turner's grandmother, Mrs. Laverne Sams of Lockney, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luckenbach of Silverton and brother, John Montague of Houston. Mr. Montague also served as a pallbearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Vinson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Crossland in Floydada, Thursday night. Mr. Crossland is the Floyd County Agent, Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vinson, Saturday were Billy Denison and Tom Bowman of Matador.

Stuart Dixon attended a Federal Land Bank meeting held at the Double Tree Hotel in Austin, Monday, Jan. 29.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Alfred Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Post. They also visited in Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jameson.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin and her mother, Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs visited in Spur, Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. (Raynita) Wendell Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harmon of Hedley visited Sunday with Mrs. Janice Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dixon and in Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jameson.

Matador News

KATE STANLEY NAMED 'RESIDENT OF THE MONTH' AT CHILDRESS NURSING HOME

Kate Stanley, a longtime resident of Matador and currently a resident of Childress Nursing Home in Childress was recently named 'Resident of the Month' for January.

She enjoyed an outing on the town for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ed Russell attended the funeral January 16, in Bryan, of his aunt, Mrs. Jack Bradshaw of College Station. Mrs. Bradshaw, the former Dorene Russell, was born and reared here, and graduated from Matador High School in 1929. Also attending the funeral from this area was Gordon Russell of Hale Center.

Mrs. Vernard Alexander of Freeport spent the weekend here visiting her mother, Mrs. W.N. Pipkin, and also with her brother and family, the Gerald Pipkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Donaldson of

Muleshoe were visitors Sunday in the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Donaldson and children, Brant and Brittany.

Mrs. Daisy Smith returned home Friday from a visit with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Ray Smith of Johnson, Kansas, who came to accompany her, in her car, to their home for the past holidays. Her son drove her home and his wife came to accompany him back to Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Day were guests Friday and Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. James Price of Lubbock, where they joined other guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Christian of Runaway Bay, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boling of Jayton, and Rev. and Mrs. Miller Robinson of Snyder, all former Matador residents.

Roaring Springs News

by Odessa Mullins

COMMUNITY MOURNS DEATH OF LONGTIME RESIDENT

On last Saturday this community paid their respects to a longtime civic and religious leader, J.D. Mitchell, whose many friends treasure the memory of the good life he lived among them.

GUILD MEETS WITH MISS SWIM

The Guild met in the home of Miss Lula Swim Wednesday evening of last week. Mrs. Chelsea Read was in charge of the meeting in the absence of the President, Mrs. Grace Zabielski and said the opening prayer. Miss Freda Keahey presented the devotional. In the absence of the Bible teacher, Mrs. Agnes Aaron, Pastor Gene Louder gave the lesson on the first and third Chapters of First John. He also gave the closing prayer.

Those attending were Jeannie Bethard, Opal Bradford, Billy Clifton, Alta Duval, Freda Keahey, Gene and Mary Louder, Mary Lumsden, Lee Peacock, Chelsea Read, and Imogene and Lula Swim.

Attending the funeral services of J.D. Mitchell and visiting with Carla and Jeremy Jones were Marian Jones, Jane and Molly Butcherli of San Jose, CA; Jonathan Jones of San Francisco, CA; Rosalyn and Bob Work of Saratoga, CA; Joe Work of Saratoga, CA; Mitch and Susan Work and daughters, Jessica and Emily of Evanston, Illinois, Dan and Gina Mitchell and children, Jeffrey and Courtney of Lubbock and Dorothy Mitchell of Lubbock. They also visited with other friends and relatives in Roaring Springs.

Visitors with Mrs. Callie Winegar were the W.R. Sedgewicks of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Martin, Nancy, Billy and John of Merkel and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones of Lubbock and their daughter, Pam and her little daughter of Odessa. The Joneses visited other relatives here also.

Rev. Buster Huggins of Plainview visited and spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Long.

Daisy Smith of Matador visited Saturday afternoon with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Lee.

Mrs. Vera Mitchell was one of the local residents riding the Minibus to Lubbock Monday where she went for a medical check up.

Mrs. B.L. Peacock attended funeral services for her cousin, Pierce Peters in Clovis, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie McNutt and Ben of Spade came Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Minnie Dye in celebration of the latter's birthday. They brought her a beautiful birthday cake. The honoree also had calls from Arkansas, California, and Maryland, as well as Crosbyton and Lufkin, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Donnie Howell of Littlefield had lunch with Miss Lula Swim Saturday and attended the J.D. Mitchell funeral. They also visited Mrs. Vera Mitchell, whose daughter, Mrs. Benny Goss, also of Littlefield, accompanied them.

Here she had lunch with her mother and attended the funeral services for Mr. J.D. Mitchell.

Mrs. Dean McInroe returned home Saturday after a week's hospitalization at Methodist Hospital where she had emergency surgery Sunday a week ago. She is recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Lou Caffey attended to business in Lubbock Wednesday afternoon. She also visited her mother, Mrs. Clara Youngblood at University Manor where she is a resident and found her mentally alert, though still partially paralyzed since the stroke she had some months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Williams were here Saturday from Granbury for the funeral services of J.D. Mitchell. Mrs. Williams' stepfather, Mrs. Mitchell was too ill to attend. She is in a Nursing Home in Granbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hinson spent last week in San Antonio, visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Einkauf and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Raven and their grandchildren. They drove to Bloomington, Texas, for a short visit with another son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Raven. They also visited Beth's brother, Dr. and Mrs. Dave Einkauf.

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

Exodus 32:29

Cooking Corner

Facts From The American Diabetes Association

Healthful Menu Planning

Proper weight control and healthy eating require careful meal planning, and that usually means a lot of time and effort. Now, you can take the effort out of meal planning with *Month of Meals: A Menu Planner*, the "good health" guide that translates nutritional recommendations into appealing, delicious, and practical menu ideas. The easy-to-read meal planner is ideal for anyone trying to control their weight because it provides 28-days' worth of well-balanced, interchangeable meals and snacks—including recipes—that are based on specific nutritional guidelines and calorie levels.

Here's a tasty sample of a dinner selection:

Spinach Stuffed Chicken Breasts

- 1/2 10-oz. package frozen, chopped spinach, defrosted and drained
- 2 oz. (1/4 C.) low-fat ricotta cheese
- 2 oz. low-fat mozzarella cheese finely diced or shredded
- 1/4 tsp. tarragon
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1/8 tsp. pepper
- 2 whole chicken breasts, deboned (leave skin intact)
- 1/2 tsp. margarine, melted



1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
 2. Combine spinach, cheeses, and seasonings.
 3. Lift up skin of each chicken breast and divide mixture evenly among them. Be careful not to tear skins. Smooth skin over stuffing; tuck underneath to form a neat package.
 4. Brush with melted margarine. Place in 2-quart baking dish.
 5. Bake uncovered for 45 to 50 minutes.
- Yields: 4 servings (servings=1/2 breast with stuffing)
—Serve with 1 C. steamed new potatoes; lettuce with 1 Tbsp. French dressing and 1 Tbsp. sliced almonds; and 1/2 C. grapefruit sections/per serving.
- Month of Meals* is available for \$11.50 (\$9.50 for ADA members) including postage and handling. To order, send a check or money order, payable to: American Diabetes Association, Box 1970, Chain Bridge Road, McLean, VA 22109-0592.



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MOTLEY COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT - MATADOR, TEXAS SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT - FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1989

ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS

CASH AND TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS	\$648,425
RECEIVABLES	18,939
LAND, BUILDINGS, AND EQUIPMENT	2,897,729
OTHER DEBITS	405,000

	\$3,970,093
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LIABILITIES, FUND BALANCE, RESERVES

CURRENT PAYABLES	\$22,952
BONDS PAYABLE	405,000
DEFERRED INCOME	23,445

	\$451,397
FUND BALANCE - GENERAL FUND	\$558,547
FUND BALANCE - DEBT SERVICE FUND	12,936
FUND BALANCE - GOV. EX. TRUST FUND	49,485
RESERVE FOR INVESTMENT IN GENERAL	
FIXED ASSETS	2,897,728

	\$3,970,093
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

REVENUE

GENERAL FUND	\$1,558,567
DEBT SERVICE FUND	89,872
GOV. EXPENDABLE TRUST FUND	207,397
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND	59,958

	\$1,915,794

EXPENDITURES

GENERAL FUND	\$1,353,513
DEBT SERVICE FUND	85,543
GOV. EXPENDABLE TRUST FUND	184,748
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND	59,958

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NET REVENUE (LOSS)

\$232,032

The above condensed statements were prepared from the financial information which appears in the audit report for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1989, and which contains the auditor's opinion.

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According to Steve Verett of Ralls, President of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., High Plains Cotton producers and agribusinessmen this year won't have to wait for November 6 to vote in an important election. They'll have one of their own between now and March 24.

That's the period during which county meetings will be scheduled for the election of PCG directors, says Verett, "and votes cast in these elections are every bit as important to cotton people as votes in city, county, state or even federal elections."

Collectively, Verett explains, PCG directors control and give guidance to all aspects of the organization, from its financial affairs to farm program policy, and from research funding and weevil control to positions on farm-related administrative ruling proposals. "And if the organization is to effectively serve the High Plains industry," he adds, "the cotton people of each county have to choose directors with the ability and the desire to make a positive contribution."

By attending county meetings, expressing their views and carefully considering the selection of their representatives to the Board, Verett continues, cotton people can assure that future PCG actions and policies will be expressly tailored to meet the true needs of the High Plains industry.

The date, time and place for each county meeting will be set by current directors in individual counties, avoiding

conflict with other local activities whenever possible. Details of the meetings will be provided in advance news eases and will be posted in county gin offices as they are scheduled. Information is otherwise available by calling PCG's Lubbock office, 792-4904. Current PCG county directors and staff members will be on hand to provide information on the organization's work and answer questions.

PCG's support primarily comes from producers (25 cents per bale), with supplemental support from gins, compresses, oil mills, banks and other area businesses. While all producers and businessmen are invited to attend county meetings, only current dues-paying PCG members are eligible to participate in the election process.

Directors elected in county meetings will be certified by the membership at the PCG annual meeting, after which the Board will convene and elect 1990-91 officers. Current officers, all of whom have served the maximum term in their present position, include Verett, Vice President Larry Nelson of Tulia and Secretary-Treasurer Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka.

Although details are not complete, the annual meeting has been set for the morning of April 5 at Lubbock Memorial Civic Center in conjunction with the opening of the Texas Cotton Ginners Association Convention and Trade Show TCGA convention will run through April 7.

PUC Acts to Improve Emergency Response Coordination; Ercot Plan Draws Praise from Commissioners

In an open meeting yesterday, the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) took preliminary steps to improve response coordination among electric utilities, regulatory authorities, and other agencies during emergency situations.

The Commission authorized Executive Director Bob Orozco to act as the agency's primary emergency contact with the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT), an association of 78 electric utilities whose members operate about 85 percent of the electric generation in Texas. A complete listing of ERCOT member utilities is shown on the back of this release.

"Our role at the PUC should be to help gather and disseminate accurate information to utilities, the media, and other agencies during emergency situations where major losses of electricity could occur," said PUC Chairman Paul Meek. "The public needs to know that effective plans to maintain electricity in emergency situations are already in place."

Utilities in the ERCOT system are interconnected so that electric energy may

be exchanged during emergencies such as severe storms and unexpected generating plant or transmission system breakdowns. An emergency response plan utilized during the recent cold weather period drew praise from PUC commissioners at yesterday's meeting.

"The electric utilities did a remarkable job of keeping the lights and heat on during the cold weather period," said Chairman Meek. "The quick response by ERCOT helped Texas avoid a total shutdown of the power grid that could have cost lives and property."

Organized in July 1970, the ERCOT system has more than 80 generating plants that can generate about 48,000 megawatts of power. The plants feed power into a 7,000-mile network of 345,000-volt transmission lines that crisscross the state. El Paso Electric Company, Southwestern Public Service Company, Southwestern Electric Power Company, and Gulf States Utilities Company are the only major Texas utilities not included in the ERCOT system.

Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

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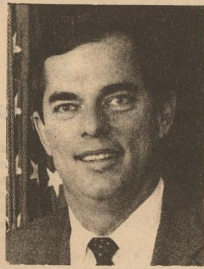
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Drug War Escalates

This nation has declared war on drug abuse — again. President Bush set the tone for the latest drug war in a nationally televised address immediately after Labor Day. Bush urged all Americans to stop turning a blind eye to the problems of drug abuse, and he asked Congress to pass an anti-crime package that includes some modest revisions and funding increases in the fight against drugs.

Bush was right: it's time to quit downplaying the drug problem. It is serious, and it threatens an entire generation of Americans. His plan to fight drugs certainly is a step in the right direction. But, so much more needs to be done, and the United States' history in the War on Drugs is bleak indeed.

We first tried to do battle with drug abuse in the late 1960s and early 1970s. We approached the problem almost exclusively from a law-enforcement standpoint, appropriating hundreds of millions to help federal, state and local police control the drug problem. There were some successes, but even more failures. By the end of the 1970s, drug abuse had reached an all-time high and, even worse, many illegal narcotics were becoming "accepted" in society.

The drug war lulled in the early 1980s until cocaine overdoses claimed the lives of athletes Len Bias and Don Rogers in a two-week span of 1986. Everyone wrung their hands and talked about how we needed immediate action to remedy the situation. An omnibus anti-drug bill was passed but the results of that bill, like all the efforts of the 1980s, have been mixed.

Our basic problem is that we have had a lot of talk followed by virtually no action. Previous administrations actually requested decreases in drug abuse funding for seven of the last eight years. President Bush must maintain his commitment to increased funding if we are to achieve any success.

We generally support his proposal, with one reservation. The president's plan still doesn't put enough emphasis on drug abuse rehabilitation and treatment. Without adequate treatment, no amount of law enforcement will be completely successful.

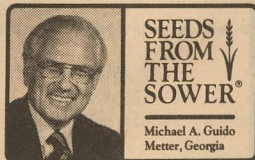
The drug business, you see, operates on supply and demand, like any other business. If the demand for drugs is strong enough, if addicts are willing to pay ridiculous prices to feed their habits, then someone, somewhere will find a way to supply the drugs. The only way to reduce demand is through treatment and rehabilitation.

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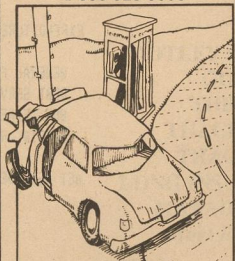
"Nothing," he answered. "All I want is you."

Don't you think your heavenly Father would like it if, once in a while, you'd pray and not ask for anything?

Too often we're more interested in the gifts than we are in the Giver, our prayers are more devoted to begging than to praising. We seem to have the "gimme's."

It's true, our Lord has invited, "Ask, and you shall receive." But why don't you go to Him and say like the boy, "All I want is You!"

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HEALTH NEWS

What is a Gram of Fat, Anyway?

For the last couple of years, dietitians and physicians have been advising people to limit their daily intake of fat to 30 percent of their total calories for the sake of lowering blood cholesterol levels.

A special report in the October 1989 issue of "Diet and Nutrition Letter" from Tufts University reinforced the importance of a low-fat diet. According to the report, the benefits of a low-fat diet include a lower blood cholesterol level, a better success at weight loss and a possible reduction in high blood pressure. The report also suggests that the diet may help ward off certain cancers, such as those found in the breast and colon.

"Whereas carbohydrates and proteins provide only 4 calories per gram, fat provides 9 calories per gram, making it more 'fattening,'" said Cindy Rowell, R.D., outpatient dietitian at Methodist Hospital.

Fat comes in three forms: saturated, polyunsaturated and monounsaturated. Research shows that saturated fat raises blood cholesterol more than anything else in the diet, including cholesterol found in food. Saturated fat is found in animal products, palm oil, palm kernel

oil and coconut oil. Many processed foods, such as cake mixes and creamers, contain saturated fat.

Unsaturated fats - monounsaturates and polyunsaturates - lower half the cholesterol saturated fat raises. They're found primarily in cooking oils, margarine and many salad dressings. Two recommended monounsaturated oils are olive oil and canola oil.

While most food products list the amount of fat, the figure is in grams, no percentages. A simple formula can help solve the dilemma. To figure out the percentage of calories in a food that come from fat:

1. Multiply the number of grams of fat in the food by 9.
2. Multiply the answer in step one by 100.
3. Divide the outcome of step two by the total number of calories in the product.

The resulting figure is the percentage of fat in the product.

"Oils contain almost 100 percent fat, while vegetables and fruit contain almost no fat. The thing to do then is balance out the diet so that the day's fat calories amount to less than 30 percent of the total calories consumed," Rowell said.

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When you think of getting a loan to buy or build a home or set up a business, the average person thinks of a bank. The appellations of HUD (Housing and Urban Development), FHA (Federal Housing Authority), the Federal National Mortgage Association and the various state housing finance agencies are all initials and names the general public glances at in the daily paper or hears about on the evening news. And yet these are agencies that can put tax dollars back into the pockets of taxpayers.

Where Do You Go?

Where do you go and how do you apply for some of the government funding to buy real estate or start a business? There is so much confusion about where and who that clerks in the some of the government agencies don't know everything there is to know about their own programs - much less about other agency programs. The air needs to be cleared!

California author, James R. Wyatt has done the research and has put together a 260 page book entitled,

"How to Get Government Loans For Business & Real Estate." Wyatt has been a contractor and real estate developer for most of his working life, and has used numerous government funding programs to build low income housing and to do historic buildings restoration projects.

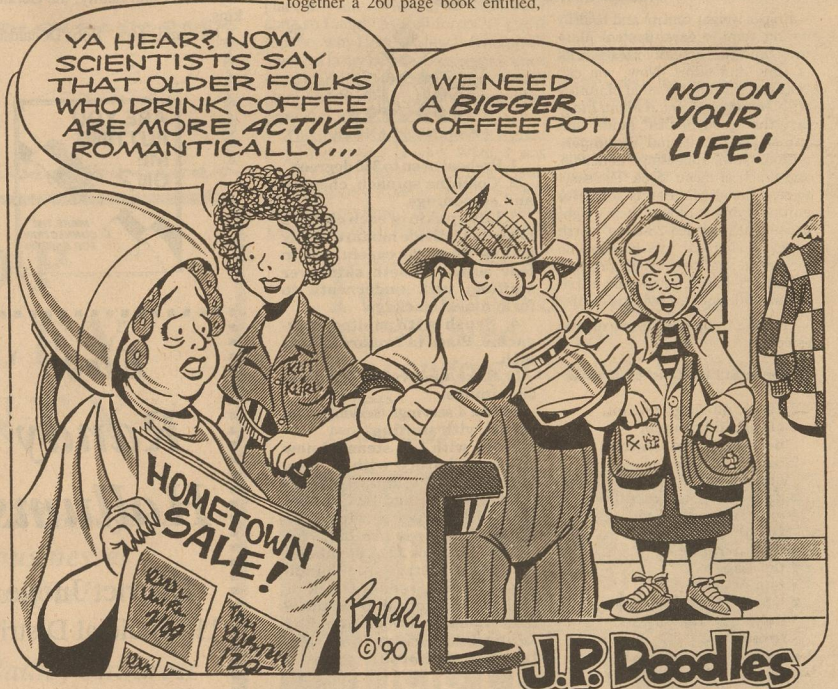
Wyatt has also written 11 books in the area of real estate and how to set up your own small business. He speaks from experience and from extensive research.

Explains The Why's

"How to Get Government Loans For Business & Real Estate" tells why the government would set up low interest and no-interest loans. There are free guidance services available to keep you out of financial trouble. There are business grants (free money) set up to encourage innovative development and growth in several technological areas.

One program called the Small Business Innovation Research Program can start at \$50,000 and go up as high as \$500,000 under some circumstances.

More people should know about these programs which, along with dozens of others, are outlined in detail in this book. For more information on "How to Get Government Loans For Business & Real Estate", you may write to WMC Publishing, 4231 Pacific St., Suite 4, Rocklin CA 95677; or call toll free 1-800-776-2900. The price of the book is \$29.95 plus \$3 for shipping and handling.



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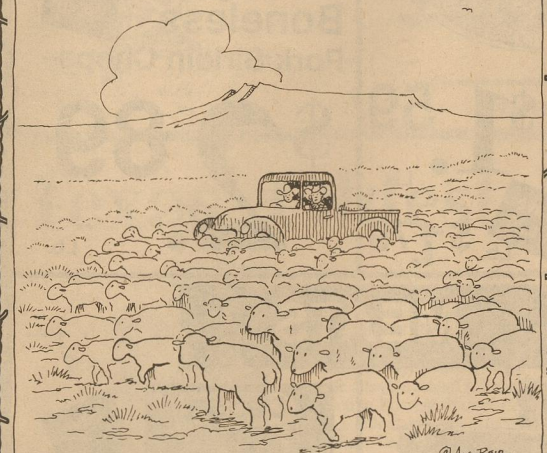
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PRELIMINARY NOTICE

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has received an application for financial assistance from the City of Roaring Springs, Motley County, Texas. The specific elements of this proposed action is to replace the existing potable water system, consisting of the construction of 2 water wells, 100,000 gallon standpipe storage tank, approximately 25,200 feet of 4 inch to 8 inch water lines and appurtenances to serve approximately 160 households. Portions of the proposed water distribution lines will be located within the floodplain as designated by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Flood Hazard Boundary Maps.

FmHA identified the following locations where the distribution lines will cross the designated floodplain:

1. where Broadway crosses Chinnery Draw - approximately 300 feet;
2. where Dundee Circle crosses Chinnery Draw northwest of the intersection of Fifth Street - approximately 500 feet;
3. where Chinnery Draw crosses Fifth Street - approximately 300 feet;
4. from the intersection of Fifth Street and Locust north along Locust - approximately 200 feet;
5. where Chinnery Draw crosses Third Street - approximately 350 feet;
6. where Chinnery Draw crosses Second Street - approximately 200 feet.

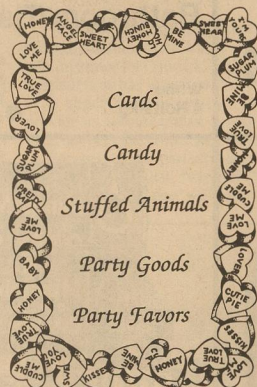
FmHA has determined there is no practical alternative to the laying of the water distribution lines within the designated floodplain and that service in these designated areas will be limited to only those existing occupied residences and/or businesses that may be presently located in the floodplain.

Any person interested in commenting on this application or the proposal's feasibility and alternatives to it, may do so by providing such comments to FmHA within 30 days following the date of this publication to Mr. Charles B. Hart, Community Programs Section, Farmers Home Administration, 101 South Main, Suite 102, Temple, Texas 76501. The application and proposal are available for review at the Farmers Home Administration District Office, 5015 College Drive, Room 6, Vernon, Texas 76384.

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NOTICE

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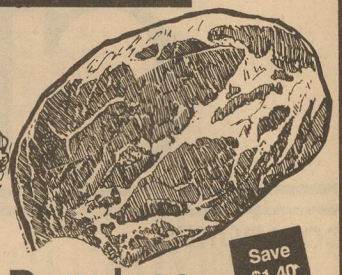
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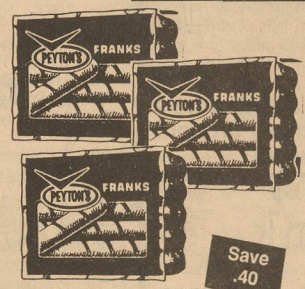
Bounty Towels

Assorted Large Roll .79



Premium Crackers

Saltines Unsalted Low Salt 16 Oz. Pkg. .99



Peyton's Franks

All Meat 12 Oz. Pkg. .89



Decker Sliced Bacon

Regular Low Salt 12 Oz. Pkg. \$1.39



Hills Brothers Coffee

Regular Auto Drip Electric Perk 13 Oz. Can \$1.69



Mr. Coffee Filters

50 Cl. .69¢



Charmin Bathroom Tissue

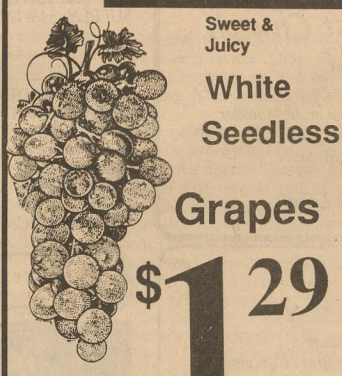
White 4 Roll Pkg. .89



Del Monte Ketchup

Glass Squeeze 32 Oz. Bottle .99

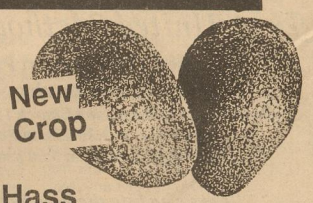
FRESH PRODUCE



Sweet & Juicy White Seedless

Grapes

\$1.29 Lb.



New Crop

Hass Avocados

2 \$1.00 FOR Grown in California



Gatorade

Lemon-Lime Orange 46 Oz. Jar .89



Minute Maid Orange Juice

Regular Pulp Free Calcium Fortified 12 Oz. Can \$1.19
 Reduced Acid 10 Oz. Can .99



Del Monte Tomato Sauce

8 Oz. Can FOR 4.99

GENERAL MERCHANDISE



Colgate

Regular Junior Gel 4.3 - 4.5 Oz. Pump \$1.79



Huggies Diapers

Daytime, 44 Ct. Toddler, 33 Ct. Supertrim Small, 60 Ct. Supertrim Medium, 44 Ct. Supertrim Large, 32 Ct. \$8.99



Natural Touch

Baby Washcloths \$2.49

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