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## Fall Harvest Queen to be named at Saturday's Carnival

The annual Fall Carnival will be held this Saturday, October 27, 1990. The Spook Parade will be held at 5:30 p.m. and all participants need to be in line by 5:25 p.m. The Queen's Contest will be held immediately following the Spook Parade and the booths will open following the Queen selections.

The concession stand will feature nachos, taco salads and submarine sandwiches with soft drinks and pecan or chocolate pie. Some of the other booths include sucker pull, sponge throw, "Go Fishing", duck pond, car bash, cake walk and cow patty bingo. There will also be a booth from Thacker Jewelry selling chances on a diamond ring to be given away at Old Settlers, 1991.

Kids of all ages, 0-100, are invited to come have a good time by GFWC Eternas Study Club.

Queen Contestants and Escorts are as follows:

Fourth Grade: Samantha Osborn, daughter of Billy and Brenda Osborn of Matador, escorted by Keane Cruse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse of Flomot.

Fifth Grade: Monica Clifton, daughter of Larry and Deidra Clifton of Matador, escorted by Ryan Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin of Matador.

Sixth Grade: Leah Cruse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse of Flomot, escorted by Josh Lee, son of Roger and Carmen Lee of Flomot.

Seventh Grade: Leigh Ann Pipkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pipkin of Matador, escorted by Brad Thacker, son of Jeff and Pam Thacker of Roaring Springs.

Eighth Grade: Heather Turner, daughter of Johnny and Carol Ann Turner of Flomot, escorted by Jeremy Jones, son of Carla Jones of Roaring Springs and Jonathan Jones of San Jose, California.

Freshmen: Jennifer Beshirs, daughter

of Ben and Mary Lou Grundy of Matador and Gerald Beshirs of Lorenzo, escorted by Cody Barclay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay of Flomot.

Sophomore: Dana Monroe, daughter of Danny and Shauna Monroe of Matador, escorted by Mathew Linson, son of Marie Thompson of Matador and James Linson of New Mexico.

Junior: Christi Shorter, daughter of Clois and Kathy Shorter of Flomot, escorted by Brad Wilson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson of Roaring Springs and Carolyn Ewing of Matador.

Senior: Brandee Spray, daughter of Joel Dean and Debra Spray of Matador, escorted by Matt Washington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Washington of Flomot.

Penny vote cans are at the Matley County Library and the school, until Friday, October 26. COIN VOTES ONLY will be counted.



TIME TO FALL BACK: Amy Woolsey, employee of the Matley County Tribune, is shown here setting this clock back one hour. All households will need to set their clocks back before going to bed on Saturday night, as time officially 'falls back' at 2:00 a.m. Sunday, October 28. Amy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Woolsey of Roaring Springs.

## Matadors Defeat Crowell, 49-0

The Matley County Matadors defeated the Crowell Bobcats, 49-0 on their home field, Friday night, October 19.

The first quarter the Matadors racked 21 points, with Clay Ewing scoring. Mathew Linson kicked the extra point. The second scores were made by Chris

Campbell and Linson's kick. Ewing and Linson added the last 7 points for the quarter.

The second quarter was also a scoring quarter for Ewing and Linson and Campbell and Linson, totaling a 35-0 score at the half.

The 3rd quarter, Ewing made a 15 yard run touchdown with Linson kicking the extra points. David Alexander threw a 9 yard pass to Campbell for the final touchdown and Linson kicked.

The J.V. got some good experience in this game.

## Tax Rebates Show Steady Increase

AUSTIN, Tex. -- State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday that his office sent checks totaling \$93 million in monthly local sales tax rebates to cities and counties in Texas.

"Sales are staying strong throughout Texas and that means sales tax collections keep increasing at a steady pace," Bullock said.

Checks to cities totaled almost \$84 million, an increase of 16 percent over last October's rebates. So far this year, rebates to cities are running almost 9 percent ahead of last year, Bullock said.

Houston received \$13.9 million, the state's largest payment, while Dallas received the second largest payment at \$9.3 million. San Antonio received \$4.9 million and Austin received \$3.6 million.

Rebate checks to counties totaled \$9.5 million this month for an increase of 19 percent over last year's payments to date.

The sizeable increase is partly due to more counties collecting sales tax now, Bullock said.

This month's checks reflect taxes collected on August sales and reported in late September by businesses filing monthly tax returns.

Merchants collect the state and local sales taxes and send them to the Comptroller's office with their tax returns. The state keeps its 6 1/4 percent share and each month sends cities and counties their portion of the sales tax.

All local sales taxes must be approved by local voters and may be used for any legal city or county expenses. Most areas put the regular 1 percent city sales tax in their General Fund and use it for operations like fire fighting, maintaining roads and law enforcement. Cities use additional 1/2 percent city sales taxes to help fund local economic development and to

reduce property taxes.

Matador: net payment this period, \$1,772.67; comparable payment prior year, \$1,251.70; % change, 41.62%; 1990 payments to date, \$18,113.21; 1989 payments to date, \$18,140.90; % change, -0.15%.

Roaring Springs: net payment this period, \$2,684.92; comparable payment prior year, \$3,370.78; % change, -20.35%; 1990 payments to date, \$17,711.19; 1989 payments to date, \$19,808.76; % change, -10.59%.

County totals: net payment this period, \$4,457.59; comparable payment prior year, \$4,622.48; % change, -3.57%; 1990 payments to date, \$35,824.40; 1989 payments to date, \$37,949.66; % change, -5.60%.

## Area Churches to sponsor night of Halloween Fun

Area Churches are sponsoring a night of fun for Wednesday, October 31, Halloween night, for Matley County youth.

The fun will begin with the Kid's Carnival, (Pre-School - 6th grade), at 5:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs.

A Hayride and Hot Dog Supper for grades 7-12 will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church in Roaring Springs.

Costumes may be worn, but only positive costumes, please!

All area youth are invited and encouraged to attend this night of fun.



## Election Day November 6

Remember November 6 is Election Day. Absentee voting may still be done through November 2.

Matley County has a write-in candidate for District Judge, Incumbent David Cave and Precinct 1 has a write-in candidate for Justice of the Peace, Gertrude Smith.

Polling places for November 6 are as follows: Precinct 1, Matador Auto; Precinct 2, Flomot Community Building; Precinct 3, Northfield Community Guilding; Precinct 4, Roaring Springs Depot; Precinct 6 (north Matador), Courthouse.

### CORRECTION

In the Homecoming edition picture: "Early Day Matador Students", names listed should have been Elizabeth Payne not Dayne; Willie Hutto not Millie; and Beryl Williams rather than Cheryl.

We thank Mrs. Elizabeth Payne Black of Bethel Springs, Tennessee, who subscribes to the Matley County Tribune, for making these corrections. She told how much she enjoys the Matley County historical articles and the local news columns.



OLD DRUM RESTORED: Tony Gonzales, Billy Martin and Neal Sedgwick, (l-r), Matley County students, recently restored this drum which was used when Matador High School had a drum and Bugle Corp. These three boys painted the drum red and black with a Matador on one side and MC on the other. The boys were given the spirit stick during last Friday's pep rally, for the spirit shown in restoring the old drum.

## New Mexico's Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium

NOTE: Research for this article, by Texas Tech journalism student, Johnny Petty, was made possible by a grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation

by Johnny Petty

The Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium, held Oct. 12-14 in Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico, could have been called "Bob Wells Days in the mountains." With a Saturday night dance that ended with Johnny Gimble, Buddy Spiker, Jack Bailey, Frankie McWhorter and Leon Rausch on stage at the same time, I had to walk outside and check the terrain to make sure I hadn't ended up in Turkey.

Organizers planned the symposium as a tribute to the old west, Lincoln

County, the cowboy, and to his music, art and poetry.

In addition to music and poetry, the event featured a trail ride covering historic points of Billy the Kid's trail and the Lincoln County Wars, a chuck wagon cook-off, Apache ceremonial dancers, a western art and tack trade show, an art auction and an old-timers team roping.

A couple of area folks showed up for the event. Jimbo Humphreys of Dickens brought his chuckwagon and cooked up some "A" #1 grub, and Clay "Thumb-tack" Lindley of Spur left the crowd in tears with his humorous cowboy poetry.

If you get the urge to run off to the mountains next year, this might be one more reason to go.

## FIRE MARSHALL GIVES WARNING

The City Fire Marshall, Don Warren, warns citizens who use propane in their house to make sure the regulator is cov-

ered during freezing winter weather. Call any Fireman if you have any questions.



SIGNS OF FALL WEATHER: This cotton field looks ready for stripping. Farmers all over the area are beginning to strip their cotton fields or preparing to do so. With a possible freeze predicted for the near future, cotton stripping will probably be in full force very soon.

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## In The Rough

by Hazel



### TUESDAY SCRAMBLE

October 16 play: Bill Moss was closest to the pin on No. 3, 28'8".

Winners (31) Alfred and Louise Barton, Tom Yeates.

Second (32) Larry Burkes, Kenneth Marshall, Geneva Wilson.

Third (33) Kenny and Olivia Barton, Garland and Judy Cartwright.

Other teams were Ellis and Leona Terry, Bill and June Moss, Wade and Nell Berryman, Bill and Mary Jones,

Howard Edmondson, Jerry Jones, Roy Grundy and Robert Byrd.

### THURSDAY PLAY

A.M. Players: Olivia Barton, LaVoe Thacker, Louise Barton, Geneva Wilson. Play was for most putts, Geneva won the ball.

P.M. Players: Judy Cartwright was the only player, as no one else came. Days are getting shorter and cooler, hardly time to play 9 holes. Judy and Garland played several holes.

### Crosbyton Clinic

#### Offering Flu Vaccinations

According to the September issue of *Texas Preventable Disease News*, it is very important for people to get their flu shots during this season of the year. Students show that groups at increased risk for influenza-related complications include:

1. Persons age 65 and older;
2. Residents of nursing homes and other chronic-care facilities housing persons of any age with chronic medical conditions;
3. Adults and children with chronic disorders of the pulmonary or cardiovascular systems, including children with asthma.

4. Adults and children who have required regular medical follow-up or hospitalization during the preceding year because of chronic metabolic diseases (including diabetes mellitus), renal dysfunction, hemoglobinopathies, or immunosuppression caused by medications.

5. Children and teenagers (6 months - 18 years of age) who are receiving long-term aspirin therapy, and therefore may be at risk of developing Reyes syndrome after influenza.

Crosbyton Clinic Hospital is administering flu vaccinations at this time. Schedule an appointment by calling 675-2382.

Therefore thou are inexcusable, O man, whosoever thou art that judgest; for wherein thou judgest another, thou condemnest thyself; for thou that judgest doest the same things.

Romans 2:1

### FLU VACCINATIONS

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The Givensway Station!



By Wilda Dixon

Library School met Tuesday, October 23, for their Halloween program with twelve children and six adults. Sonja Bowman was in charge with Lola Pohl and Winifred Lee to help with the Music and Art work. The following children were present: Amanda Hurt, Tommy Bowman, Taylor Paul, Emily Hurt, Charissa and Timothy Conner, Brittany A. Moore, Shelby Stokes, Stachia Baxter, Fannin Gwinn, Cody and Clay Cooper. The next meeting for Library School will be November 13, at 10:00 a.m.

Recent visitors to the Library have been scarce this last week but we did have Bessie and Henry Hibbetts come and bring Bessie's brother, Damon L. Shults

of Pacatello, ID. We appreciate all our visitors, even the ones that did not sign the guest book.

LITERERACY COUNCIL TO BE FORMED! Meeting will be Friday, October 26 (tomorrow) at 2:00 p.m. at the Motley County Library. Everyone that is interested and is able to attend will be welcomed and are encouraged to come.

### Reminders

Friends of the Library dues may be paid at the Library. Literacy Council Meeting - Oct. 26 at 2:00 p.m. - Motley County Library.

O Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done marvelous things, things planned long ago. Isaiah 25:1

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## Time Is A Priceless Gift

by Earlyne Jameson

When people ask, "Do you remember when...?", I am stunned to know I do remember when, what, how and who about that event that took place MANY years ago! I can assure you, I am not bragging about a good memory, I am realizing how many historical and other types of events endeavor where one is guaranteed advancement.

It is my birthday and the passing of another year. A lot of my observations have to do with aging. At our age, comfort has won out over fashion. Much as I enjoyed the films of Alexis Smith and Joan Crawford, I can live without those huge shoulder pads in womens' dresses that are again in style.

Instead of trading recipes, we swap latest medications and newest doctors. We would rather eat than cook. In today's world of upscale prices and weight scale mentality, a restaurant that serves real "country vittles" is definitely on the endangered species list.

Lots of us don't understand today's generation. Teenagers are people who think poverty is owning jeans without a designer label. We like shoe laces and them tied when wearing sneakers, jeans-without holes, our music romantic instead of revolting and our movie stars to have principles, not paroles. Teenagers think old age is when raising your voice, is an act of aggression.

You are making progress if each mistake you make is a new one. At one time, I thought I knew everything, but today, I have more questions than answers.

If it is such a small world, why does it cost so much to run it? What is wrong using a cast iron skillet to cook dinner even if it can't be tossed into the dishwasher? Why don't they sell those ole manual non-electric typewriters that got me through high school, college and news columns? Should congressmen be required to take literacy tests? Will we keep voting for the lesser of two evils? Does what you say matter less than how you say it? When will we stop buying cars that sound like something you eat with chopsticks? What's wrong with being too lazy to plus in an ultra-modern electric toothbrush? Are the Houston Oilers ever going to make it to the Super Bowl or the Texas Rangers to the World Series?

I do not feel I am getting old and grumpy to be proud of the fact that, although it may seem terribly old fashioned at times, to have an appreciation for good manners. Being polite to everyone who shares this world with us is not always fun, but I'm proud of the fact that my generation tries. I am glad to know reading is becoming popular once again, drugs are OUT, but being involved with the drug war is IN. Last and best of all, families here are becoming whole, full, total, entire and complete without standing on soap boxes or street corners shouting to the world, "Listen to me".

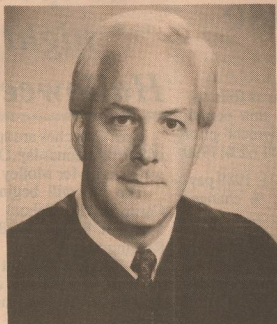
I find old age is when you quit watching the clock and ramble on and on! Yes, I am ending this column, but remember, "Time is not an enemy, every moment of it is a priceless gift."

"Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and unto his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless His name."

Psalm 100:4

Remember to go Vote  
 November 6  
**J.N. FLETCHER**  
 Commissioner Precinct 4

## COMPARE THE CANDIDATES FOR TEXAS SUPREME COURT, PLACE 1



**JUDGE JOHN CORNYN**

• Member advisory council to Texas Supreme Court

• Judge, 37th District Court of Texas  
 • Presiding Judge, 4th Administrative Judicial Region (22 counties)

• Since 1977, has argued or heard more than 5000 cases in Texas courts

• Former partner in one of San Antonio's top law firms

• Litigation (all types)

• 71 Bar Presidents  
 • All major Texas newspapers  
 • Leading Democrats, Independents & Republicans

• Texas Bar Poll  
 • Dallas Bar Poll  
 • Houston Bar Poll



**GENE KELLY**

**Experience with the Supreme Court** None

**Texas judicial experience** None

**Experience in Texas courts** Never argued a case in a Texas court

**Experience in private law practice** No similar experience

**Type of law practice in Texas courts** Uncontested divorces

**Major Endorsements** None

**Bar Polls won** None

# Motley County School News

## 4-H NEWS



### Dude Speed Treats Matador 4-H Club With Halloween Safety Tips

by Bert Darsey

The Matador 4-H Club met Monday, October 15, for its monthly business meeting and a Halloween party. Jeremy Davis, President, called the meeting to order. Following the pledge to the American Flag, the 4-H Motto and Pledge, and the 4-H Prayer, the roll call was answered by 4-Hers telling their favorite part of Halloween.

Reports were given on the County 4-H Food Show, the 4-H Awards Banquet, and the King County Show.

The club announced that Tori Gustafson will serve as leader of a computer project. Mrs. Gustafson will also conduct a 4-H sponsored speech and hearing testing/clinic.

The club also voted to have a Christmas party with the Roaring Springs 4-H club and 5 other counties.

Announcement was made that the 4-H Health Fair scheduled for October 23 has been postponed.

Cathy Perryman, 1st Vice-President, introduced the guest speaker, Dude Speed, who gave an interesting and informative program on Halloween Safety Tips. Trooper Speed also presented Jr. Trooper stickers and safety tips handouts to the 4-Hers in attendance.

After the meeting adjourned, 4-Hers enjoyed Halloween games planned by Dustin Davis, 2nd Vice-President, and his committee.

Refreshments consisted of favorite Halloween treats provided by all the 4-Hers. A good time was had by all.

### Roaring Springs 4-H Club Welcomes New Members

by Rebecca Long

Wednesday, October 17, 1990, the Roaring Springs 4-H Club met for their meeting of the month. At this meeting, Bobby Fritzer led the pledge to the American Flag and Rebecca Long led the 4-H Motto and Pledge. Christie Pierce led the 4-H Prayer. Our new members at this meeting were Mathew Price, Mark Price, Michael Price and Mr. and Mrs.

Price. Our other new members were Teresa Goin and Shavonne Taylor.

At this meeting our program was by Vickie Pierce. It was about our Tom Wat sales. We got our Tom Wat showcase. We are all selling Tom Wat in the Roaring Springs 4-H Club. If you are interested in buying, contact any member of the Roaring Springs 4-H Club. Those people are Teresa Goin, Rebecca and Robin Long, Billy Lefevre, Ethanice Bowden, Tammy and Linda Kay Cooper, along with Jimmy Niblock, Crystal Christopher, Trent Willmon, Christie Pierce and Lacey and Casey Parks.

## School Schedule

**Thursday, October 25:** PTO Program - Cults - Presented by the Lubbock Police Department, 7:00 p.m. No one under 18 admitted. Babysitting will be provided by the Student Council in the old gym. Jr. High Football, here, Knox City, 5:00 p.m.

**Friday, October 26:** Eighth Grade - Cops and Caps Test - 8:40 to 10:24. High School Football, Knox City, there, 7:30 p.m.

**Saturday, October 27:** Eternas Study Club Halloween Carnival - Old Gym, 5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Monday, October 29:** Three week Failing Notices due in Mrs. Ewings office by end of school.



### MONDAY, OCTOBER 29

**Breakfast:** Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Juice.

**Lunch:** Corn dogs, Tater Wedges, Baked Beans, Pickles, Chocolate Chip Cookies.

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30

**Breakfast:** Cereal, Buttered Toast, Fruit.

**Lunch:** Country Steak, Brown Gravy, Whole Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Banana Pudding.

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31

**Breakfast:** Biscuits, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice.

**Lunch:** Witches Brew, Gobby Goo, Sticks-not stones, Eve's fruit too, and a cool, cool treat Just for You! HAPPY HALLOWEEN.

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1

**Breakfast:** Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Fruit.

**Lunch:** Combination Pizza, Tossed Salad, Vanilla Wafers, Pineapple Tidbits.

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2

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

**Lunch:** Chicken, Gravy, Broccoli Rice Casserole, Carrots, Hot Rolls, Honey, Blueberry Squares.

## Amy's Anecdotes

by Amy Woolsey

I really can't explain the feeling I have for fall. It really makes me feel good to see all the bright colors the leaves are turning and the coolness in the air — just makes me want to take a deep breath and say, "Thanks, Lord."

I like to sit out among the trees alone, and listen to the sounds of nature. It takes a great load off my chest, when I sit out in the open world and think about the past, present and future.

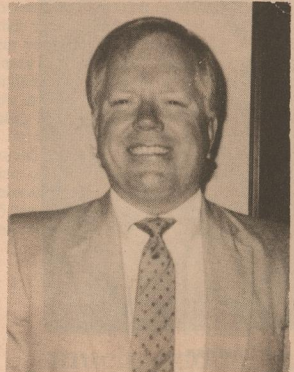
I read a story in English class the other

day, and Thoreau, the author believes that...."communing with nature is the way to understand the real true facts of life." I think he has a point. These days, people are in a hurry all the time. They don't realize we have time to relax and enjoy life. The simpler you make your life, the easier it is. So don't rush it! Keep your priorities straight.

You must be optimistic and live each day as if it is new and exciting!

## Teacher Profile

by Amy Woolsey



Thomas Rowland

Mr. Tom Rowland is the Superintendent at Motley County ISD this year. He is originally from Bay City and attended school there. He received his Superintendent's Certification from the University of Houston, Master of Education with Mid-Management Certification from Pan-American University, Bachelor of Science with Teacher Certification in Social Studies from Stephen F. Austin University. He also attended Wharton County Jr. College and University of Guam.

Mr. Rowland and his wife, Judy have three daughters, Amy, Karie and Ginny. When asked what he thought about Motley County, he stated, "Shockingly small and delightfully enjoyable."

Mr. Rowland stated that he thinks the students at Motley County are energetic and polite.

When asked what his goals for the school year are, Mr. Rowland stated, "To bring all elements of Motley County together to be a cohesive educational group."

His hobbies include cooking, photography, eating, travel, reading and music.

Mr. Rowland is the featured "PTO Teacher of the Week."

## MOTLEY COUNTY HONOR ROLL

### DISTINGUISHED LIST (All grades 90 or above)

**7TH GRADE:** Nancy Martin, Karie Rowland, Bradley Thacker, Lindsey Williams.

**8TH GRADE:** Mandi Farley, Wendy Lancaster, Heather Turner.

**9TH GRADE:** Dustin Davis, Jeromy Jameson, Whitney Jameson.

**10TH GRADE:** Daniel Alexander, Christy Potts, Danny Salisbury.

**11TH GRADE:** Tonya Hoyle, Christi Shorter.

**12TH GRADE:** David Alexander, Billy Lefevre, Matt Washington.

### HONOR ROLL (all grades 80 or above)

**7TH GRADE:** Jodi Boykin, Christie Campbell, Cara Franks, Laurie Hoyle, Lee Jones, Joe Martin, Gwen Sims.

**8TH GRADE:** Jeremy Jones, Josh Palmer.

**9TH GRADE:** Kara Boykin, Brooke Brandon, Sheryl Davis, Teresa Goin, Christie Pierce, Kobbie Risser, Scott

Salisbury, Keri Shorter.

**10TH GRADE:** Dennis Christie, Dana Monroe, Lacey Parks, Jagruti Patel, Amy Pipkin, Tad Terrell.

**11TH GRADE:** Paul Barton, Amber Brandon, Chancy Cruise, Clay Ewing, Eric Farley, Heather Hobbs, Cathy Perryman, Brad Wilson.

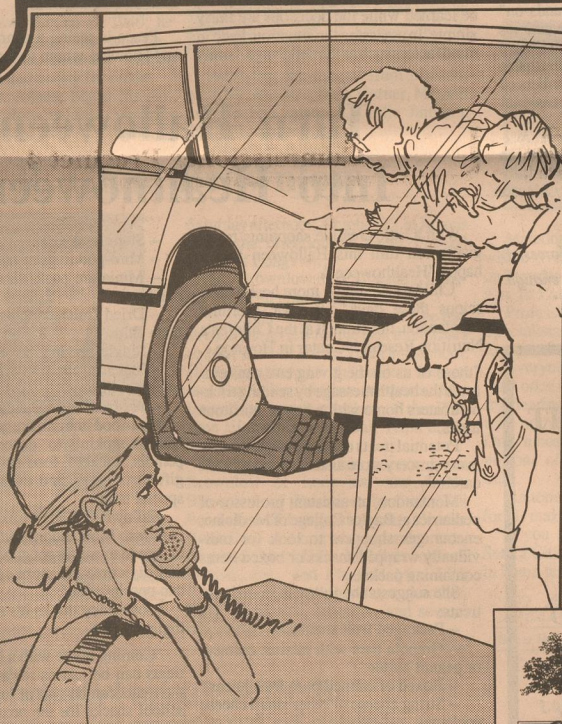
**12TH GRADE:** Natalie Burkes, Denise Crowley, Jeremy Davis, Tony Gonzalez, Rene Hoover, Billy Martin, Neal Sedgwick, Brandee Spray, Amy Stephens, Wayne Swinney.

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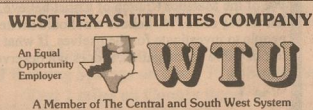
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TO THE CITIZENS OF MOTLEY COUNTY:

I want to take this opportunity to ask you to write in my name for re-election on November 6, 1990. I need your help very much in November if I am to continue to serve as your District Judge.

Most of you know by now that this is ending my first term as your District Judge. It has been a great pleasure serving the people of Motley County these past four years. We have accomplished much. I say we, because it has been a joint effort. Many of you have served on juries in Motley County. That has been our joint effort to see that the Courts were open as a way to settle disputes in a civilized manner. I have spent many days in Motley County in jury trials. I am happy to be able to report to you that EVERY SINGLE CASE TRIED IN MOTLEY COUNTY THAT WAS APPEALED HAS BEEN UPHELD ON APPEAL. This was accomplished by long hours of legal research before and during the trial to make certain that my rulings were correct. While this took longer to try a case this way, I think it is better to do something right the first time than to make mistakes and then have to try the case again.

I have made a point to be in Motley County whenever I was needed there and the Courts have been open to the Citizens of Motley County on a prompt basis.

Aside from having taken care of the current cases we have disposed of all of the very old cases pending in this District when I took office. All of the criminal cases tried in Motley County have been upheld on appeal to the Court of Appeals in Austin which I presided over.

I am determined that we will have a Court system that adheres to the principle stated by President Theodore Roosevelt when he said, "NO MAN IS ABOVE THE LAW AND NO MAN IS BELOW IT, NOR DO WE NEED TO APOLOGIZE TO ANY MAN WHEN WE ASK HIM TO OBEY IT."

Please consider me for a Second Term as your District Judge, and with your help we will continue our good work for another four years.

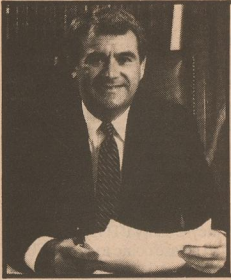
Thank you for your past support and for your upcoming efforts.

DAVID CAVE









## CONSUMER ALERT

by  
**Jim Mattox**  
Attorney General

### Oil Crisis Promotes Energy Hustlers

The current crisis in the Persian Gulf has heightened consumer awareness of the need to save fuel. Energy conservation not only saves the consumer money, it helps the nation become less dependent on oil imports. But in the haste to save, many customers fall victim to energy-related consumer frauds.

During periods of crisis, it's not unusual to see scam artists work overtime. The Consumer Protection Division has seen unscrupulous businesses take advantage of natural disasters, economic hard times and other catastrophes by playing on the emotions of consumers.

The Texas Attorney General's Office recently joined the Federal Trade Commission and other state Attorneys General in warning consumers to be on the lookout for rip-offs that take advantage of America's current concern about oil supplies. Below are some tips to help you avoid being a victim.

As gas prices rise, consumers may want to improve their fuel mileage. Marketers have offered all sorts of automotive devices, including oil and gasoline additives, intended to enhance fuel mileage. Unfortunately, most of these products fail to significantly increase fuel economy. To get better mileage, you should check your tire pressure, remove excess weight from your car's trunk and get a tune-up. Follow the vehicle owner's manual for specific details.

There are several home improvements that will help home owners save energy and reduce fuel bills. These range from low cost alternatives like caulking and weatherstripping to more expensive options such as installing attic and wall insulation or purchasing a new, more efficient heating and cooling system.

In the past, some marketers have exaggerated energy savings claims

for home products such as insulation materials, storm windows, room heaters, residential siding and solar heating systems. Assess advertising claims carefully so that you understand the basis for such claims and how they may apply to your specific situation. If the savings claimed appear unrealistic, they probably are.

Remember, if you follow energy conservation methods, your monthly bills may not go down if the price of fuel is rising. But it still may cost less than you would have paid because you've made your home more efficient.

Other scams common when oil prices rise are investment rip-offs. Watch out for oil and gas partnerships, gold and silver mining schemes, phony investments in oil drilling or bogus pipelines, or any investment scam that promises a significantly higher rate of return than you might expect from more traditional investments.

And always be cautious about investing in something you're unfamiliar with — rare coins, fine art or gemstones, for example.

You can help stop energy-related scams by reporting such businesses. The FTC and the Attorneys General are reactivating the Energy Fraud Clearinghouse that was created in 1983 as a way of sharing information on possible fraudulent energy-related products and advertising.

If you are the victim of an energy-related scam, please contact one of my Consumer Protection Divisions. There are offices in Austin, Dallas, El Paso, Houston, Lubbock, McAllen and San Antonio.

Remember, saving energy and money is a goal all consumers should set. But make sure you are not merely driving money from your savings account into one of an unscrupulous business.

### El Progresso Club Hears Program on Indian Culture

El Progresso Club met October 11, 1990 in the Senior Citizens building for the program "The Gift of Caring", brought by Mrs. Helen Thomas Lipham of Floydada. She is the wife of Fred Lipham whose mother, Mrs. Nellie Lipham, lives in Matador and was a guest of the club as was Mrs. Allie Hart, whose son is married to Helen Lipham's daughter.

The meeting was called to order by club president, Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell. The coming district workshop to be held in Matador at the First United Methodist Church was discussed. Breakfast will be served the early risers before the meeting begins with Mrs. Harold (Grace) Campbell, Mrs. Joe (Loys) Campbell, Mrs. Dale (Joetta) Bumgardner and Mrs. Furman (Beverly) Vinson preparing the food.

Mrs. Campbell announced the program at the High School cafeteria to be held October 25 on the cults in the area. NO ONE under 18 years of age will be admitted.

The program leader, Mrs. Frank (Lola) Pohl was introduced by the president. Mrs. Pohl informed the group of Mrs. Lipham's heritage stating she was of the Choctaw nation, one of the five civilized tribes of the Southeast. She was born in Oklahoma, grew up in California, married in Texas to Fred Lipham from Matador. The Choctaw people have a gift of caring and because they care, the countries of France, Ireland and Britain have representatives to Oklahoma to honor them the year of 1990.

Mrs. Lipham played the guitar and sang about a Choctaw Indian maiden. She was attractively dressed in her Indian costume from boots to head dress. She

travels all over the world and does the Lord's work.

She displayed the Choctaw symbol with the unstrung bow which was a sign of peace, the three arrows representing the three chiefs. These three chiefs all were leaders of the tribes but after council meetings only one would have the final word. The Choctaw do beautiful bead work and as with nearly all traditions that work is handed down from one generation to another.

When Helen travels she does not represent the Indian, she represents America for she believes we all, no what nationality or tribe need to be the best representative we can be.

The Irish have come to Oklahoma to honor the Choctaw because 150 years ago when the Irish were starving, they sent \$715.00 to them to help them feed their starving peoples. The British came to honor the Choctaw too, as did the French to honor those Choctaw Indians who acted as messenger using their native tongue so the enemy wouldn't be able to detect what was being said - all this during WWII there code was unbreakable.

Four days before Labor Day in Tusahoma, OK the Choctaw meet for a get-together of dancing, contests, games, etc. All done with no drugs or alcohol on the grounds. At night gospel singing is heard throughout the area. Helen played on a cassette a Choctaw Hymn also stating women are used in their worship services more than other tribes.

Mrs. Pohl closed the program by reading from Matthew 28: 18-20, "Jesus gave the great commission. And Jesus came and spake unto them saying, all power is

given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, to, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen."

Loys Campbell closed the days meeting reading, "Share and Care" by Michael Dubina.

Refreshments were served to those mentioned and Mrs. Bill (Judine) Mc-

Caghren, Mrs. Robert (Winifred) Darsey, Mrs. John (Josephine) Hamilton, Mrs. Ted (Bailey) Elliott, Mrs. E.A. (Dorothy)

Day, Mrs. Bob (Nell) Clem, Mrs. W.N. (Opal) Pipkin, Miss Rachel Patton, Mrs. Douglas (Lila) Meador, Mrs. W.D. (Vena) Lipscomb, and Mrs. R.E. (Lucretia)

Campbell. Hostess for the refreshments were Josephine Hamilton and Beverly Vinson who served gingerbread and lime punch from a Halloween Fall decorated table.

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