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### TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Frequently the true value of happiness is not appraised until it has been replaced by less agreeable conditions.

Age is a series of shock treatments which nature has devised to restore the human mind after it has experienced the hallucinations of life.

With the passing of the horse it is going to be awkward for a man to insist that his son exercise tractor sense. The final result will be the same however since very few sons used it when horses were convenient.

In trying to describe an uncle who spent too much time waiting for his ship to come in, an old politician once told me his relative was the kind of a man who forever tried to peep through the keyhole of opportunity's door.

Love's vapor trails lend an auroral splendor to the world's bleak skies but the restless winds of time sweep with constant industry. A golden cloud plume against the sunset becomes a shadow in the night.

Failure is spawned in the sluggish little river of personal attitude and regardless of long journeying, it will return there to perish.

A smile is the universal solvent. Its physical components are so powerful as to dissolve even a flint heart; to destroy an unspoken word of anger.

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### Father Hemp Leaves For New Parish

Father Larry Hemp, pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church the past five years, has been assigned the Childress and Paducah parishes. His last service here will be Saturday night at 7:30.

A newly-ordained priest, Father Malcolm Nayland will assume this parish and that of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Spur, on October 27.

In completing his duties here, Father Hemp expressed his thanks to "all local ministers and the people of Matador for being so patient and understanding during these last five years. I have enjoyed my work here, and the association of the people of this community."

### "Lest We Forget" Poppy Day Friday

The American Legion Auxiliary will sell poppies October 18, Friday. Wear a poppy and proudly show your spirit of Patriotism, thereby transmitting your views and enthusiasm to others.

Mrs. Bruce Marrs, president of the local auxiliary, announced that the sale will be in advance of Veterans Day which is Oct. 28.

The Poppy, the little red crepe paper flower, insignificant though it may seem, has a great meaning. It tells the story of our departed heroes, and of our veterans, hospitalized and otherwise. The making of the poppies has a therapeutic value to the veteran, and is also a financial assistance to him and his dependents. Funds derived from the program also are used in the Children and Youth and Rehabilitation programs.



**GRADUATES OF 1914** -- On the steps of the old Matador school building in East Matador 60 years ago. The senior classmates and teachers shown are, seated, from left Addie Bourland, Leland Jinkins, Cordia Russell, Robert Reeves, Olena Peterson and Albert Hodges. Standing are Jewell McCall, Dora Wason, Flora Lambert, a teacher, Lena Garrison, Clarence Jenkins and Verlin Reeves. In the

background are Messrs Sheffy and Hall, faculty members. Five of the class are living, Dora Wason (Mrs. A. J. Daffern) Lena Garrison (Mrs. Ernest Fisher), Miss Verlin Reeves and Clarence Jenkins, all of Matador, and Leland Jinkins of Amarillo. If Leland Jinkins attends Homecoming, the group will get together for a visit, Saturday morning. "The rest of us see each other almost daily," said one of the members.

### Matador Lodge Has 75th Anniversary

In celebration of its 75th anniversary, Matador Lodge No. 824 A.F. & A.M. entertained a record number of guests and members. Visitors were from Floydada, Childress, Plainview and Roaring Springs. Approximately 87 persons attended.

### County Rain Totals Up

Matador has received 1.90 inches of rain the past week raising the monthly total to 1.96 inches and the yearly total to 26.60 inches. Rainfall total for the same time period last year was 25.86 inches. Average rainfall for Matador for this time of year is about 20 inches, according to Bob Stanley, local pharmacist.

Whiteflat had received 3.30 inches of rain through Sunday. White Star has had over 30 inches of rain for the year.

### Collision Demolishes Two Cars

A two-car collision late Saturday resulted in injuries to Motley County Deputy Sheriff Fred Crenshaw.

The accident occurred shortly before midnight at the intersection of US Highway 70 and Texas Highway 70, near the west Matador City limits.

The 1972 Chevrolet driven by Crenshaw was headed east on US 70 in collision with a 1969 Continental driven by Mrs. Buck Scott of Dickens. The Scott vehicle was headed south on Texas 70. Mrs. Scott was cited for failure to yield right of way. Rain slick highways and poor visibility due to the rain was also cited as a contributing factor.

Crenshaw was taken to Richards Memorial Hospital in Paducah where he was admitted for treatment of bruises, and a possible concussion. He remains in the hospital.

Both vehicles were declared almost totally demolished by the investigating patrolman.

TRIBUNE ADS DON'T COST, THEY PAY.

Following a supper in the dining room, the group assembled in the lodge room for a program which included an address by Thomas C. Yantis of Brownwood, Grand Senior Warden of Grand Lodge of Texas. Also a special guest was Clarence L. Darter of Childress, District Deputy Grand Master of the 95th Masonic District, of which Motley County is a part.

Mrs. Maggie Hamilton of Childress was recognized as the oldest person in terms of service, having been a member of the Eastern Star for 64 years. Two Life Members, Bill Pipkin and Randall Whitworth were also recognized.

Furman Vinson, secretary, gave a brief history of the charter period of the lodge. Among the visitors was a large delegation of members from the Floyd City (Floydada) Lodge which was the sponsoring lodge when the Matador Lodge was chartered in 1899.

Roy Hobbs, Worshipful Master presided at the open meeting of Masons and their families, and guests.

### Legion, Auxiliary Honor Veterans

Veterans of the Korean and Vietnam conflicts were special guests of the American Legion Fleming Post and Auxiliary at the joint monthly meeting of the two organizations, Monday night, October 7.

Adjutant Billy Wason presided in the absence of Post Commander Charles Johnson, and recognized two veterans of the two wars, Roger Vinson and Bill Smallwood, who were present in response to the invitation.

Also guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frances Wilhelm of Nazareth. Mrs. Wilhelm is District President of the American Legion Auxiliary. During a business session, the upcoming poppy sale was planned by the Auxiliary, and the District meeting scheduled November 2-3 in Childress, discussed.

Following the customary covered dish supper, the evening was spent playing dominoes, "42" and other games.

### Motley Now 5--1 Defeats Lazbuddie

The Motley County Matadors released a devastating offense on Lazbuddie last Friday and came away with a 56-6 waltz over the Longhorns.

The Matadors ground attack was awesome as they amassed 337 yards on the ground, with Joe Campbell pacing the rushers with 108 yards. In the air the Matadors went 3 for 6 and 65 yards.

Joe Campbell set up the first score when on the first play he intercepted a Longhorn pass. Two plays later Stevens found Craig Chris-

### Meeting Of Community Chest Called

A meeting of the Community Chest board members has been called for 3 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22, at the Courthouse, according to R. M. (Bob) Stanley, President.

Purpose of the meeting is to map out the 1974-75 program and to elect a new member to fill the vacancy made by the death of Douglas Meador, Stanley said.

In addition to the president, other members of the board are J. R. Whitworth, Billy Wason, Ronnie Christian, Forrest Campbell, Glenn Woodruff, Raby Webb, Fred Welling, Pat Seigler and Miss Rachel Patton, secretary.

### IN HOSPITAL

C. E. Watson was conveyed to Richard's Memorial Hospital in Paducah, Thursday after suffering a stroke at his home in southeast Matador.

A. B. McCaghren has been in Richard Memorial Hospital, Paducah, since October 4, with pneumonia. His condition is much improved, and he may return home the latter part of this week.

Miss Ona Jameson is in Mercy Hospital in Slaton. Her sister, Miss Roberta Jameson, visited her on Tuesday. Another sister, Mrs. Jim Ratcliff returned Tuesday to her home here from having spent several months in a Slaton rest home.

**MOTLEY "B" GAME**  
Motley Matadors "B" team will play Valley High's B team at Turkey today at 4:00 p.m.

## Activities Start Friday

### Public Urged To Vote

The public is reminded that the General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 5, to elect state, local and federal officials.

Citizens are also reminded of their duty to go to the polls and vote. All registered Texas voters who expect to be away from their counties of residence on election day, are urged to vote absentee.

It is pointed out that the number of people voting for governor determines the number of eligible delegates to the Democratic Convention.

### Singers Announce Meeting

One of Motley County's oldest organizations, the Motley County Singing Convention, will meet again this month. The purpose is to gather together and sing gospel hymns.

According to W. L. Craft of Roaring Springs, president of the organization, this month's meeting will be held on the 4th Sunday, October 27, rather than on the 3rd Sunday, which is the regular meeting day. The organization meets twice each year, in June and in October.

It is an all day meeting. In the past there was singing all day and "dinner on the ground." Visitors are still welcome to bring their dinner, if they care to do so.

Meetings are scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. The public is always cordially invited to attend. Some outstanding singers and groups from the surrounding area are expected to attend this month.

### Patton Sps. Homemakers To Sponsor Carnival

"Moonlight Masquerade" is the program theme for a Halloween carnival to be held Saturday night, October 26, at the Patton Springs School.

Concessions will open a 7:00 p.m. and the Queen's Coronation will be at 8:00 p.m. The event is being sponsored by the Patton Springs Young Homemakers.

Each class or grade will sponsor a concession for the carnival. The public is cordially invited to attend, and judging from past performances of the school and community, those attending are assured of a good time.

### Attend Rites For Relative

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hobbs and T. L. Martin attended funeral services in Clovis on Tuesday for a sister-in-law of Mrs. Hobbs and Mr. Martin, Mrs. Howard (Gertrude) Martin of Clovis.

Mrs. Martin suffered a stroke while singing in the choir at church on Sunday, September 15, and had been in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock since. She had undergone surgery during the time. She died Sunday, October 13, 1974.

Services for Mrs. Martin, 57, were held Tuesday, October 15, at 3:30 p.m. in Central Baptist Church in



LARRY HOYLE  
President

A GRADUATE of Matador High School, class of 1914, Miss Verlin Reeves will be honored at the Motley Schools Homecoming Saturday. She is also a former teacher in the Matador Elementary School.

Presiding at the program at 3:00 p.m. Saturday will be Larry Hoyle, President of the Ex-Students and Teachers Association.

### Lions Hear Report By Lisa Ross

Matador Lions Club, meeting Tuesday for regular semi-monthly luncheon in the basement of the First United Methodist Church, heard a report by Lisa Ross of Flomot, on her trip this summer to the Anti-Communism Seminar in Waco.

Miss Ross was sponsored by the Lions Club in attending the High School Students Citizenship Seminar, July 15-19 on the campus of Baylor University. Purpose of the seminar, held each summer and sponsored by Texas Farm Bureau, is to convey to the students a better understanding of the American heritage and the capitalistic private enterprise system.

A report on the mop and broom sale revealed that merchandise in excess of \$800.00 was sold, with the local club receiving a profit of just over \$160.00. The remainder goes to the Lighthouse for the Blind, a project of Lionism.

Committee assignments were handed out by Boss Lion Joe Smith, for the chili supper to be held in conjunction with the homecoming football game Friday night.

Two members, Ed Bivens and Rev. Phillip Hilton, were welcomed into the club.

### TSTA To Meet In Lubbock

A large delegation of Motley County educators will attend the annual fall convention of District XVII, Texas State Teachers Assoc., Oct. 24-25 in Lubbock.

The Motley County public schools will be dismissed on October 25 to allow teachers and administrators to take advantage of the in-service training provided at the meeting.

The district convention, to be held in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum, will include a general session for all educators in the 17-county district, section meetings for those in various subject-matter areas and interest, and a meeting of the District XVII House of Delegates. This district governing body Clovis, Dr. Carl Scott, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in Lawn Haven Cemetery under direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Mrs. Martin had been a music teacher in Clovis schools for 32 years and for the last three years had been a librarian. Survivors include her husband Howard, one son Thomas H. of Clovis, her mother Mrs. Gertrude Winkler of Clovis, and one granddaughter.

REGISTRATION starts Friday at 1 p.m. with doughnuts and coffee in the new school building, and will be continued there Saturday morning.

The public is invited by the school board, to visit the new facility and has announced open house all day Saturday. The teachers will be having a work day and will be available from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The class of 1944 is having a party at the home of Billy Wason immediately following the program and the business meeting Saturday afternoon.

TRADITIONAL bonfire by the high school students is scheduled for tonight (Thursday) at 7:30, just west of the VFW building, to spur the Motley Matadors to victory in the homecoming game Friday night on Burleson Field, against Nazareth.

Also traditional will be the Pep Rally Friday at 3:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

The class of 1959 will have a reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves at 4:00 p.m. Friday.

CHILI SUPPER will be served by Matador Lions Club at 7:00 p.m. Friday at the football field. Price will be \$1.00 per person. Drinks will be available at the concession stand.

A BARBECUE supper Saturday night at the school cafeteria, and dance following at the VFW will round out the activities for the 1974 Homecoming for Motley Exes.

People of the county should remember to bring desserts for the homecoming supper.

### Revival Announced

The Assembly of God Church will be in a revival next week, starting Wednesday, Oct. 23 and continuing through Saturday, according to an announcement by Rev. Philip Hilton, pastor.

Rev. Lonnie Harris of Paducah will be the guest speaker for the series of evangelistic services.

Emphasis will center on special music, Rev. Hilton said, with the church hosting musicians from Childress, Memphis, Lockney, Floydada and Cedar Hill.

"Rev. Harris is a dynamic speaker and we are expecting great things to happen during next week," the pastor declared. "Don't miss the excitement that God has in store for us all."

## Church and Society

### Club Has Program On 'Americanism'

El Progresso Club met October 10 in the home of Mrs. W. N. Pipkin for the "Americanism" program, which is one of three required by Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. The program opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag, led by the president, Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr.

Leader for the day was Mrs. W. F. Jacobs. Mrs. Frank Pohl offered "The Star Spangled Banner" as a piano solo and accompanied the group as Mrs. Jacobs led them in singing "God Bless America."

"Already had the strife begun: Already blood on Concord's plain

Along the springing grass had run, And blood had flowed at Lexington

Like brooks of April rain." (Wm. Cullen Bryant)

Mrs. Jacobs used this poem which heads the program in the year book, to introduce Mrs. Pohl, as speaker. Her talk was entitled "What America Means to Me" and "Significance of our Freedom and our Flag."

Mrs. Pohl prepared a poster with a large U.S. flag, surrounded by small flags in scenes depicting different phases of American Life.

"What America means to me is a soul-stirring question that we all ask ourselves every time we hear the many varied and daring methods of

escape that people are taking in fleeing Communistic countries," Mrs. Pohl declared. "The best definition of what America means is from a quote of the late Walter Brennan: 'For me, it's America, first, last and always and I'm proud to be privileged to enjoy its freedom.'"

In asking what freedom is in America, Mrs. Pohl related many things from opening the Mississippi River to trade and expansion of our great land, to our present Womens Lib movement and how Susan B. Anthony was a "woman's liberator" in her day.

"America is the freedom of choice which God intended all men to have - the right to do, to speak, to worship, to dissent, to dream, to build, to fail and to succeed. We are rich in all the things decent people yearn for. It is our task to live up to these values and to make them known to everyone - friend or foe."

Mrs. Pohl read the poem, "Ragged Old Flag" (Author unknown) and closed with the verse from II Chron. 7:14 - "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

Those present other than mentioned, were Mesdames Ralph Stapleton, Raymond Davis, Ben Keltz, Robert Darsey, Harold Campbell, W. D. Lipscomb, John M. Russell, Fred Simpson, D. E. Pitts Sr., A. J. Daffern, E. A. Day, and Lloyd Hearn, Miss Mary Keith, and Mrs. Maggie Hamilton of Childress.



ENTERTAINERS - Mr. and Mrs. Tony (Cindy) Dean (shown at left) were among those who entertained the Lions, their ladies and school faculty at the recent Lions Ladies Night, Oct. 1. Others on the program were the trio at right.



Charise Cullin, Susan Hunter and Marilee Martin. The program was declared one of the best ever presented for the club.

-Photo by Gerald Garst

### Methodist Women Meet For Study

The United Methodist Women met Tuesday night, October 8, for a study on Health Care. The purpose of the study was to show that through its healing ministry, the church has been concerned with the quality of human life since the beginning of medical missions, and to describe some of the changes taking place in the world-wide church related medical work today.

Group singing and a solo, "The Great Physician," by Mrs. W. F. Jacobs were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Frank Pohl. The opening prayer was by Mrs. Marvin Brotherton. Scripture readings were by Mrs. Nelson McMahan and Mary Slover.

Mrs. Brotherton led the study assisted by Mesdames Olive Russell, Ethel Payne, and W. F. Jacobs. Topics for discussion were health and medical missions, in the past, today, and in the future. Health care in the United States was also discussed. The presentation was summarized by Mrs. Brotherton. The business meeting following the program, was conducted by Mrs. John Hamilton, president. Minutes were read by Mrs. McMahan, and Mrs. Jacobs gave the treasurer's report. Coming events planned by the church and the society were considered.

The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. McMahan. Others present were Mesdames Henry Ford, Fred Simpson, Lloyd Hearn, Clarence Jenkins, and two visitors, Mrs. Maggie Hamilton and Mrs. Beatrice Smith.

### Sunshine Club Meets

The Sunshine Club met Wednesday, October 9th, in the basement of the Methodist Church with nine members present: Ivy Cooper, Mary Keith, Pete Lipscomb, Sallie McBride, Etta Moore, Mary Slover, Artie Wason, Belle Wilkinson, and Stella Tilson; and visitors, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Bethard and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zabielski, of Roaring Springs.

Mrs. Bethard and Mrs. Zabielski were dressed in Japanese costumes, Mrs. Bethard as a housewife and Mrs. Zabielski in the authentic tea picker's costume. They each exhibited items brought from Japan, such as silk paintings and the silk thread used. They also helped with the AMWAY demonstration given by the men, Bethard and Zabielski. Coffee was served.

The next meeting will be a Thanksgiving luncheon in November in the basement of the Methodist Church.

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Price of Lubbock, formerly of Matador, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Krista DiAnne to Wayne Alan Findley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Findley of Colorado City.

The marriage will take place November 16, in the First Baptist Church, Matador.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Monterey High School in Lubbock, and is employed at Hertz Rent-A-Car while attending Texas Tech University. Her fiancé is a graduate of Colorado City High School and attended Texas Tech. He is employed as an accountant for AMOCO Oil Co., at Bay City, where the couple will reside.

### NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Raetz of Matador are parents of a new daughter, Kathryn Lynn, who was born September 10. She weighed 9 pounds and one ounce. Grandparents of the new arrival and her brother, Clinton, 3 years, are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gwinn of Matador and Mrs. Nettie Raetz of Sturgis, South Dakota.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson of Matador are announcing the arrival of a new daughter, Amanda Leigh, who was born at 2:09 a.m. Monday, Oct. 14 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. The young lady weighed 8 pounds. She has an older sister, Deanna, age 2. Grandparents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore of Matador, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard H. Watson of Crosbyton. Great-grandparents include Mrs. W. T. Moore of Matador, Mrs. Pete Bumpus of Childress, Mrs. J. H. Watson of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer of Floydada.

### TO SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson were in San Antonio Wednesday and Thursday of last week and Mr. Vinson was speaker at the Feast of the Tishri, Scottish Rites Bodies on Wednesday.

### ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

### Win Art Awards

Two county artists received recognition for their paintings last week at the Fall Festival of Arts in Childress, sponsored by the Le Atelier Art Club.

The art show was held Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Simpson of Northfield received 3rd place in landscapes, while Mrs. Clay Jameson received 2nd and an honorable mention in still life, and honorable mention in landscapes.

Mrs. Jameson and small son, Jason, spent the week end in Childress with Mrs. Lonnie Lynn and daughters, Connie and Michelle.

Also attending the show were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rattan, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Hub Swaringen while there.



### IN THE ROUGH by hazel

FINALLY succeeded in playing 3 rounds (54) holes of golf for our Handicap Tournament despite some unfavorable weather... six players entered: Louise, Laverna, Geneva, Nell, Francine and Hazel.

Francine was winner (205), Hazel runner-up (212) and Geneva third (217). ON PLAY DAY Geneva won the ball on Bingle, Bangle, Bungle... THANKS to Laverna from Francine and Hazel, for using her cart on our last round of play (so windy and disagreeable for walking).

Saturday, Geneva, Laverna, Louise and Francine enjoyed playing a round.

### HOME FROM VISIT

Mrs. Ted Elliott returned home Monday evening from a trip to Caddo, Okla., where she visited a sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Elliott. She left Friday and drove to Sipe, and was accompanied from there by two brothers and a sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John McKeenan and S. P. McKeenan.

### Open House Will Honor Mrs. Dixon

Mrs. Cordie Dixon will be honored on the occasion of her 80th birthday, at an open house reception Sunday afternoon, October 20, at the American Legion Building.

Hours for the reception will be from 3 to 5 o'clock. All friends are invited, and the family requests "no gifts please."

Mrs. Dixon was born on Oct. 20, 1894 in Rector, Arkansas. She came to Motley County in 1908, and was married to Hollis A. Stephens, Dec. 24, 1913. Mr. Stephens passed away Feb. 21, 1935 and his widow was married to T. M. Dixon in March, 1950.

Her children are H. A. Stephens and Mrs. Bill Dunning (Nora Belle) of Matador and Mrs. Artie Dennis (Minnie Kathleen) of Lubbock.

### BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON HELD IN LUBBOCK

A traditional family affair birthday luncheon honoring Mrs. Caldwell Smith of Roaring Springs, the former Joyce Thacker, was held Saturday, Oct. 12 in the tea room at Hemphill-Wells, downtown, Lubbock.

Mrs. M. S. Thacker was hostess for the party honoring her daughter, and guests included Mesdames James Moss, J. M. Thacker and Jeff Thacker all of Roaring Springs and Mrs. E. E. Moss Sr., of Lubbock.

### RETURNS HOME

Will Plemons left Monday to return to Detroit, Michigan, after a visit here since August, with his mother, Mrs. H. Plemons.

### Final Home Care Lesson Next Week

"Do you ever wish you could wave a wand and get a clean house?" We all know that wishful thinking will never get the job done. The Motley County Extension Service has been currently conducting a series of Home Care lessons to help keep home maintenance from being such a chore. The final lesson is designed to help make house cleaning easier, and to eliminate much of the cost of expensive cleaning products according to Miss Pam Wallace, Assistant County Extension Agent-at-Large.

During the program, information will be given on the cleaning and care of

ranges, refrigerators, floors, walls, glass surfaces and bathroom fixtures. In addition, making and using low-cost cleaning products will be demonstrated, showing that they may do a superior job and be easier on the pocket book.

Interested persons may attend the next session October 24 at 1:30 p.m. at the Matador Methodist Church.

"You may have \$1,000 or more invested in kitchen appliances and bathroom fixtures, reports Miss Wallace. Of course, everyone wants to protect that investment.

"With the cost of many household products soaring higher and higher each year, the idea of low-cost cleaning products is quite appealing," says the agent. For additional information about the series, call 817-552-9941 or write Pam Wallace Box 2159, Vernon, Texas 76384.

All Extension sponsored programs and activities are open to all persons regardless of race, color, creed or national origin.

### NOTICE

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# MISS VERLIN REEVES STILL INTERESTED IN STUDENTS



**MISS VERLIN AND TWO GENERATIONS**

Miss Verlin Reeves and two generations of students, Mrs. Tutt Garnett (former Lois Cook) and her daughter, Anna Lois. Miss Reeves, who is being honored this year at Homecoming, remembers seven mothers and two fathers whom she taught and was later privileged to teach their children.

Miss Verlin Reeves, who retired in 1956 after 38 years as a school teacher, is still interested in her former students, many of whom still live in this area.

Four of her students are Matador businessmen - Pat Seigler, James Stanley, Joel Dean Spray and Tim Timmons.

She remembers nine students whose children are second generation students whom she taught. These include Lois (Cook) Garnett and her daughters, Anna Lois and Ruth; Winifred (Estes) Darsey and her daughter and son, Joanne and Robin; Dorothy (Henderson) Day and daughter, Pat; Ruby (Grace) Ellithorp and son Arvin; June (Barton) Keltz and son, Larry; Leona (Martin) Cox and son Ronald; Betty June (Meador) Bearden, son and daughter, Dean and Jackie; James Meador and son, Charles, and Luther Lancaster and his son and daughter, Gary Lancaster and Mrs. Joe Don Finch (Frances).

**SATURDAY, (Oct. 19)** Matador Ex-Students and Teachers Association will honor Miss Reeves with tributes during the afternoon Homecoming program, scheduled at 3:00 p.m.

The daughter of pioneers, the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reeves, Verlin, her brothers, Robert, Lee, Elbert and Roy, and their sister, Maisy were all born on the Reeves homestead northeast of Matador. They attended the old Ballard school until they were ready for high school in Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reeves, also retired teachers are making their home in Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shilling (Maisy) are long-time residents of Dallas. The two other Reeves sons, Dr. Roy Reeves and Lee Reeves are deceased.

Following her graduation in 1914, Verlin attended Wayland Baptist Junior College in Plainview, then went to Baylor University. While attending Baylor, she took a six-months school at Fairfield in 1918, then returned to Baylor to finish her education for a degree.

Her first full-time teaching position was at Stratford, where she taught for two years. She then accepted a position at Dalhart, with a first grade class of 77 pupils which later increased to 104. Later the class was divided and by the end of the year she still had 60 youngsters in her room; the largest and hardest of her teaching career.

Miss Reeves taught two years in Matador, 1922-24, four years in Mineral Wells and five and a half years in Abilene.

Returning to Matador in 1934, she taught for 22 years until she retired, and enjoyed the second grade best of all, although she taught the fourth grade one year.

Not content with her newly-earned leisure, "Miss Verlin" as she is called by longtime friends, returned to her profession, teaching a term at Idalou, and three at Petersburg. Upon returning home, she was persuaded by local parents, to teach their pre-school children, and converted a room at the back of her garage, into an attractive "kindergarten". After eight more years of introducing from two to ten children to school "learn-



**CLASS OF 1957** in their second year when Miss Verlin Reeves was their teacher. They are, bottom row from left: Christine Green, Joanne Potts, June Garnett, Sue McCaghren, Martha Lynch, Betty Duncan, (unidentified), Betty Lou Matney, Anita Martin, and Willie Lee; 2nd row: Rose Donovan, Dortha Davis, Katherine Lee, Myrna Voy Moore, Louise Watkins, Norman Beauchamp, Don Lee, Linda Gilbert,

Glynda McWilliams, Betty Neighbors, and Raynita Dunning; Top row, Barbara Waybourn, Dorothy Lewis, Jerry House, Clay Jameson, Garland Cartwright, Wiley Ray Bain, Jimmie Creed Jameson, (unidentified) Arvin Ellithorp and last unidentified. Charles Renfro, Joanne Darsey, LaReece Lawrence and Carroll Wayne Cooper were also in the class, but not in the picture.

ing," Miss Reeves definitely retired.

**HOWEVER** her retirement did not include fading from public life.

Miss Reeves began an interesting hobby of cataloging family keepsakes, and displaying them in an attractive arrangement of shadow boxes and picture frames. The collection includes many mementoes and family treasures of by-gone years, carefully preserved in a room adjoining her garage.

Miss Reeves is interested in crafts, and has many interesting objects, such as table stands which she makes from discarded items, such as jars with unusual shapes.

In addition, she is active in various departments of the First Baptist Church and spends much time visiting shut-ins for both the W.M.U. and Sunday School. She has been a member of this church since 1910.

Her influence as a teacher and friend in this community has borne rich fruit as evidenced by the praise of all who have known her and her work.

An appreciation plaque presented to Miss Reeves upon her retirement, by the late Curtis Graham, then president of the Board of Trustees, was engraved as follows:

Awarded to Miss Verlin Reeves for thirty-eight years of service in the Public Schools of Texas. Especially for the 22 years in the Matador Public Schools."

The plaque bore the names of the board of trustees: Curtis Graham, president; W. F. McCaghren, vice-president; Frank Pohl, secretary; Forrest Campbell, Nelson McMahan, John Stevens and Clovis Murphy; Bert Ezzell, Superintendent and J. E. Edwards, Principal.



**SECOND SCHOOL** "Miss Verlin" taught was at Stratford.



**A FAMILY** of Matador Exes: Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves and sons James Truman (Jim), Pat, and Mike. Algie, Jim, Pat, and Mike are members of the classes of 1927, 1949, 1957, and 1959, respectively. Mrs. Groves served as school librarian from 1966 to 1972.

**EARLY ARRIVALS**

Early arrivals for Homecoming are Don Paul Keith of Corpus Christi and his brother, Bourland Keith of Albuquerque, N.M., sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith, who arrived in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Alexander of Fort Worth recently visited his mother Mrs. Flora Alexander, his brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Alexander, and his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown.

**WEEK END VISITORS**

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jackson and Donnie, were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. daughter, Jamie, and Mr. and Mrs. David Kerr, all of Davis, Oklahoma, and the Jackson's other son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith returned home Monday from Dallas where they visited from Friday with a niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sublett Jr. Mrs. Sublett is the former Lucille Bourland.

**MOVE TO CACTUS**

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jackson left Monday for Cactus, where he has accepted the position of City Water Superintendent, and assumed his duties Tuesday. He was formerly employed with the City Water department here, with his father, Johnny Jackson.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Kraft Kats will not meet this Saturday, on account of Homecoming activities. It was announced this week by Mrs. Carl King, sponsor of the club for junior girls. Instead, they will meet Saturday, Oct. 26, at the regular time and place, the Woodruff Building.



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## Welcome Exes and Congratulations Miss Verlin Reeves



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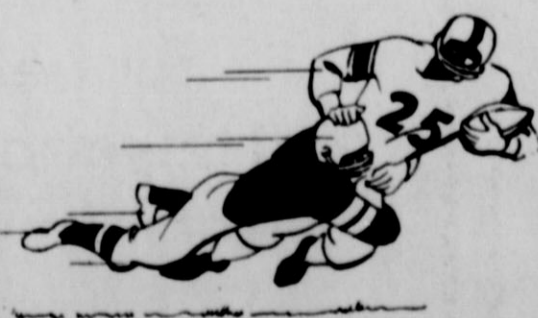


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# Alaskan Outdoors Fun For Hamiltons

By John Powell

This is traditionally the time of year when former classmates gather to fellowship and swap tales, old and new. But the Richard Hamiltons won't be here this year. Eight years ago Richard, his wife Patti, and their three children packed up and moved to Alaska. Their boys, John Richard, 15, and David, 12, have not been back to Matador since. Suzan, the Hamilton's only daughter, 14, came back for the first time this summer with her mother.

Richard is the son of Mrs. John Hamilton and the late Mr. Hamilton. Patti is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craven. Both are graduates of Matador High School.

Richard, more commonly known as Duck, is now working for ARCO after seven years of teaching in the Anchorage School System. Patti is teaching school in Eagle River where they now live.

During the summer, the Hamiltons operate a fishery which was bought to provide a summer job for the kids. But it has now turned into a profitable business. Last summer Richard was only able to help half the time. But Patti and the kids managed just fine. The fishing season runs about six weeks from June to the middle of July.

The fishing site is at Kenai, about 150 miles from their home. During the fishing season, they live in a small trailer house at the site.

Although Duck and Patti won't be here to trade stories, we would like to relay one to you of a recent hunting trip as told by Patti in a letter to her parents.

"Duck and I went on a hunt just before school started. We had a pilot fly us into a little lake and leave us for five days. We took our food and gear in two backpacks and took a two-man tent to sleep in. The only other things we took were our bows and arrows and the shotgun

in case we had trouble with bears. The pilot bragged on how little gear we were carrying.

"Anyway, we had a real nice trip. Duck shot a caribou with his bow at about 25 yards. It was a perfect shot. Went right behind the foreleg and penetrated all the way through to the other side. The caribou died in about 30 seconds and only ran 80 yards from where he was shot. He shot it at 7:30 p.m. or later so we only had time to gut him and cut the meat—the hindquarters and forequarters and the backstraps—before it was dark. Then we carried them up the mountainside and laid them on rocks where we hoped the bears wouldn't find them before we got back the next morning. It was a struggle getting them up the mountainside because our backpacks were still in camp.

"Anyway, we made it and went back to camp in the dark. We knew there were bears around because the first day we got there, as soon as the pilot took off, we spotted a golden-tipped Toklak grizzly on a hillside at the end of the lake. I didn't like that but the next morning while we were cooking breakfast the bear started feeding toward our camp and when he got 300 yards from us he got our scent and took off running. That made me feel a little better.

"The next morning we took our backpack frames and went back for the meat. We went very cautiously around the carcass and up the side of the mountain where the meat was. The meat was in great shape, very cool, and untouched.

"So, without any sounds, in case a bear was below us on the carcass, we put the two hindquarters and a backstrap and the head with the horns on Duck's pack. Man, was it heavy! We figured it was a least 150 pounds. And then we loaded my pack with the two forequarters and a backstrap, probably 70 pounds, and snuck off to our camp, which was two and a



DUCK AND CARIBOU . . . . .

half miles away. What a long hike! (Many rests on the way.)

"Now we have some really good meat and sausage from it but could use a moose or more caribou. I tried to shoot a caribou but always shot low except for sticking one in the rump but not enough to slow him down. We tried to follow him but he went over the top of a mountain. Duck said he wouldn't be hurt for long. I blamed Duck for making me foul up my shot. Anyway, Duck got me in position for several shots, I just moved too fast or too slow to make a kill. It was a fun hunt though."

Now that you have read the Hamilton's story, you better get busy—you've only got a few days to come up with something better.

Mrs. Maggie Hamilton returned to her home in Childress on Wednesday. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson who were going to Childress where Mr. Vinson had a speaking engagement. Mrs. Hamilton had been visiting here with her daughter-in-law Mrs. John Hamilton. The two ladies visited in Plainview recently on the occasion of the birthday of Mrs. Tom Hamilton.

### WELCOME EXES



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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. K. (Rusty) Birchfield of Coahoma are visiting here this week with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Birchfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neighbors visited Thursday and Friday at Moran with her sister and family, Mrs. Mae Wagley and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagley, then drove to Granbury where they spent the remainder of the week end with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neighbors, and a grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jud Neighbors. They were accompanied home by a great-granddaughter, Trisha D'Ann, for the week.

## Flomot News

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Mr. and Mrs. John Speer and his mother, Mrs. J. L. Speer visited in Hockley from Wednesday until Sunday night with Mrs. Tom Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moss and daughters.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jones, Lisa and Kenny Ray of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Roys visited with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ortiz and family in Quitaque, Friday night.

Mrs. L. B. Turner and Mrs. Leon Cloyd visited the Lockney Nursing Home, Friday and entertained the residents with music and had a devotional service.

J. B. Barton attended to business in Plainview, Wednesday and Mr. and Mrs. Barton were in Childress on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Cloyd has been having medical treatment in Turkey this week for an ear infection. She is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams of Beaumont visited last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Moseley. They also visited in Lamesa with Mr. and Mrs. James (Wanda) Davis and children, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moseley.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gilbert were Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and daughter, Marilee of Matador and their son, David, who is a student at West Texas State in Canyon.

Mrs. Inez Montgomery of Dimmitt and W. H. Ferguson of Turkey visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan and Shawna.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patrick of Breckenridge visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton last week end.

Visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rogers and children of Lubbock. Joining them

### WELCOME EXES

were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan and Shawna.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sperry were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goddard, Leslie, Jeff and Becky of Clovis, New Mexico and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sperry of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton attended to business in Memphis last Thursday and in Lubbock, Friday.

Alvia Joe Calvert, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited this week end with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert, Gwin and Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan returned recently from a business trip to Tennessee and visited in Jacksonville, Alabama with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gilbert, Gary and Jeremy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Borom and daughter visited from Friday night through Sunday with their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Borom and Amy and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Borom of Cranfills Gap.

Mrs. Wade Martin and her sister, Mary Ellen Barton visited Sunday with another sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burleson at their ranch home.

Mrs. Richard Rhodes and baby son, Ricky of Brownfield came Sunday to visit her family, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Cindy and Christi. They returned home Thursday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross who enjoyed a Mexican dinner at the El Camino in Tulia, Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kingston and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens and Shonda.

### NEW ARRIVAL

Coach and Mrs. Kirby Hatley are proud parents of a baby boy, born at 6 p.m., Tuesday, October 8 at Hall County Hospital, Memphis. He weighed six pounds and was named Jeffrey Wade. He has one brother, John Wesley, who is four years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hatley of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs.

J. H. Barbee of Memphis. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Edwin Clark of Clarendon and Mrs. E. T. Prater of Childress.

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### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

C. C. Jones returned home Sunday from Plainview where he has been a medical patient since last Thursday in the Central Plains Hospital. He was accompanied by Mrs. Jones.

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### Courtesy Is Held For Green Family

The Mary Martha Sunday School class at the Flomot Baptist Church honored Mr. and Mrs. Art Green, Kelly and Steve with a housewarming Saturday night. They completed the remodeling of their home in Flomot recently. They were presented a mesquite tree with blossoms of money and received other gifts.

Those attending from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Don Green, Debbie and Bobby Don and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green of Floydada; Mr.

and Mrs. Tommy Rice Kirk, and Jeanean of Plainview, Mrs. Ernest Fisher, Mrs. J. C. Green, Miss Mary Slover, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms and children of Quitaque.

### MOTLEY PEP CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The officers of the pep club this year are Marilee Martin, president, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin of Flomot; Kellie Green, vice-president, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Green of Flomot; Lisa Ross, secretary-treasurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross of Flomot; and Judy Davis, reporter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Davis of Roaring Springs.

There are 41 members in this year's pep club. The uniforms consist of a red blazer, black turtle-neck sweater, and black pants. There are 9 seniors, 12 juniors, 10 sophomores, and 9 freshmen. Each class is well represented and the girls are doing their best to support their team.

Sponsors are Ms. Carrie Burley and Ms. Beverly Bridge.



PIONEER SCHOOLHOUSE -- The old Ballard School,

where many children of early pioneers settling near Matador, began their education. These included Miss Verlin Reeves, who remembers, "we all attended school here until we were ready for 3rd year in High School." Miss Reeves, who graduated in 1914 from Matador High School, is being honored this year by the Ex-Students and Teachers Association. Miss Bessie Hamilton, (the late Mrs. W. L. McWilliams) was the first who taught here. Others included Miss Hattie Tatum, Miss Amy Glenn, Miss Maggie Hamilton (the late Mrs. Lige Cooper) Will Kennedy and Jim Foster.

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BALLARD SCHOOL, east of Matador, in 1912-1913. Identified as Reeves, Rattan and Herring children, Miss Verlin Reeves is shown standing in the center of the back row. First boy from left is Dewey Rattan; next boy is Littleton Rattan, Miss Reeves and Wallace Rattan; next boy is Robert Reeves, and at the end is Will Kennedy, who taught the school.

In the second row, third from left is Sally Rattan (with head turned); sixth is Fannie Rattan and next is Maisey Reeves. Standing in front of his sister is Elbert Reeves. Clint Herring is identified as boy at right.

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WESTERN DAY, Matador High School, spring of 1959. Seniors in this group and classmates that year will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves, parents of Mike Groves a member of the class. The picture is courtesy of Ronald G. Bailey of Eastland, also a member of the '59 class who wrote, "I believe that Jan Barton was the photographer. Since this Homecoming will be the 15th for this 1959 group, I just thought that many would find this old photo interesting." He identifies all in the picture as follows: Front row from left, Sue Cross, Donna Williams, Karen Webb, Harry Hamilton, Ed D. Smith, Bobby Cross, Butch Renfro, Ronald Bailey and Robin Darsey; 2nd row: Vella Ree Edwards, Anita Martin, Vada Nichols, Judy Hobbs, Ray Davis,

Christina Damron, Carolyn Pohl, Ida Lee Fair, Nelda Wilson, Carol Campbell and Kay Rattan; 3rd row, Dixie Barton, Sondra Stevens, Verna Watkins and Karmen Jenkins; 4th row, Dink Wilson, Rosemary Shanks, Cherri Barton, Peggy Welling, Betty Davis, Melanie Brown, Daphene Lynn, Edna Williamson, Linda Beth Seigler, Janie Waybourn, Gwen Killingsworth and Albert Thrasher; 5th row, Pete Chambliss, Tom Smauley, Larry Hoyle, Kent Gray, Ros Bearden, Harry Campbell, Pat Seigler, Bundy Hal Campbell, James Bearden, Guy Campbell, Mike Groves, Sherril Rigsby and Carl Thompson. 6th row, Joe Martin, Wendall Tucker, Clarence Davis, Garland Glasscock, Carter Luckett, Kenneth Davis, Lewis Fair, Thomas Edwards and Gerald Pipkin.

## 4-H Clubs Ask Help

Again the Colgate-Palmolive Co. is sponsoring the "Help Young America Campaign," and all it will take to help the local 4-H clubs is a little time. Local clubs can win up to \$1,100 and the national organization can win up to \$140,000.

To help, please save the following: Ultra Brite Toothpaste, both end flaps; Colgate Dental Cream, both end flaps; Hour After Hour Deodorant or Anti-Perspirant, trace name from any can size; Axion Pre-Soak, box top and bottom; Handi Wipes, name from package front; Dynamo, front label; Alpen, box top and bottom; Baggies, both end flaps; and Curad Plastic Bandages, top and bottom.

Boxes to deposit these items are placed in Lee's Variety, Roaring Springs; George Grocery, Flomot; Postoffice, Northfield; Billy's Grocery and the County Agent's office, Matador. Please write your name on your donation, and 4-H members and leaders will mail these entries.

This contest started Sept. 25th, and ends Dec. 31, 1974, and here's how it works. Each of six youth organizations will receive \$20,000. Then each will share in another \$120,000 in direct proportion to the number of votes cast for each. Then \$20,000 will be provided each youth group to be distributed to local units based on a vote-getting contest. Finally, \$5,000 will be given to local units demonstrating the most ingenious vote collecting techniques.

Also 25 Grand Prizes, AMC 1975 Gremlins will be determined by drawings, in addition to 2000 Willie Mays "Help Young America" tote bags.

All total, this amounts to \$365,000 provided for youth organizations 4-H members, parents and leaders request the support of the local people in trying to obtain a part of this donation for local use.

Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Douglas Meador. Mr. Fulkerson came Wednesday and accompanied her home on Thursday.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Dean were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore and Mrs. Lora Whitaker, all of Henrietta.

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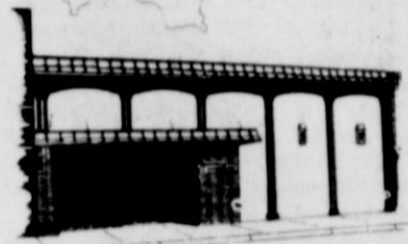
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## Letters From Exes

Dallas, Texas  
Oct. 8, 1974

My Dear Hazel:  
I am indeed sorry that we will not be able to attend the Homecoming and to be there for the honoring of my sister, Verlin. My husband has not been well for several years now, and he finds that he does better to stay close to home. I have missed our visits to Matador so much, and we do hope he improves enough that we will be able to get out there some time. I am sending you my \$1.00 dues for this year. Matador has always held a part of my heart and always will. Best wishes to you and to Larry Hoyle for your good work. Maisy (Reeves) Shilling.

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It looks as tho we will be unable to see you for Homecoming activities this year. How nice to have new facilities to meet in which will also bring more memories to the minds of those who attended in the building just across the street. Thank you, Miss Reeves, for all those dedicated years of teaching in service to others. Cherri (Barton) Karr.

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Dear Hazel:  
We regret that it will not be possible for us to attend the Homecoming this year. I am enclosing my check for the \$1.00 dues. Sincerely, Mrs. W. R. (Velma) Moore, 1600 Carl Street, Fort Worth, Tex. 76103.

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Mrs. Hazel Donovan:  
Kind Friend: Thanks for remembering me, and I would surely enjoy a visit to Matador. I had plans made for last year for sure, and the flu bug had other plans. My doctor told me Monday to not plan on any trips for awhile. Inclosing my dues, and hope all of you have a great time. Carney Fulkerson.

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Oct. 8, 1974  
Dear Hazel: We will be unable to attend this year, as much as we would love to. Hillie has retired and we moved a month ago, as you know, to Langley, Ark. We just love it here and it is wonderful to be so close to Judy and our three grandchildren. We have a small ranch with several head of cattle so Hillie hasn't completely retired! Wishing you a big success for the 1974 Homecoming. Sincerely, Hazel (Ellithorp) Markham.

Plains, Texas  
Oct. 9, 1974

Dear Hazel:  
I'm afraid I won't be able to make the Homecoming, but here's my dollar. I'd love to see the new building and just to come home. I've always been proud of the fact that I'm a graduate of good old M.H.S. Best wishes, Fannie Kate (Groves) Hinson.

Omaha, Neb.  
Oct. 5, 1974

Dear Hazel:  
The Homecoming schedule sounds great - wish I could be there. So nice to be honoring Verlin. Teaching has been a big part of her life and her love. Greet her for me. Sincerely, Katie (Eubank) Gustafson.

Sioux City, Iowa

Dear Mrs. Donovan:  
So sorry I can't be there this year. We're having a beautiful fall here, but dry. Farmers like that for working, but yards don't. I have three children married now. Last at home will be 15, Oct. 27th. He will start Hi next year. I work three days a week at a fashion store, so must get to work. I'm sending \$2.00 to help keep our Homecoming going. Next

year will be our 35th, and if we have a special reunion, I hope to make that. Ex-student Mary (Gaines) Levering, 4136 Hamilton Blv. Sioux City, Iowa.

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Clovis, N.M.  
Hello Hazel: Sending our dues - just in case we don't make it, as I sure want this Homecoming to continue. Elvis and Bessie Belle Lebow.

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SWEET GIRL GRADUATES Class of 1914, Matador High School. Seated, from left: Verlin Reeves, Olena Peterson, Jewell McCall and Flora Lambert Litteral; Standing: Dora Watson Daffern, Lena Garrison Fisher, Addie Bourland Bolton and Corda Russell Neblett.

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## Many Return To Attend Northfield Homecoming

Many former residents of the Northfield community returned October 5 to attend annual Homecoming.

Coming the farthest distance were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wells of Phoenix, Arizona. Coming almost the same distance were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chambliss, Debbie and Johnny of Lincoln, Ark. W. P. (Bill) Bethany was the oldest man attending and Mrs. A. J. Matlock was the oldest woman. Both are long-time residents of Northfield. Youngest person registered was Christie Hoover, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hoover of Childress.

Mrs. Molly Simpson is president and Mrs. Grady (Edith) Timmons is secretary of the Northfield Homecoming organization. Homecoming was first held in 1962 and has been an annual event the first Saturday in October each year with the exception of 1964. This year it was voted to continue holding the reunion annually.

In a memorial service, 17 names of former residents of the community and county, deceased since last year, were read. These included Barry Tate, Bill Hall, D. O. Smith, Ruth King, Clyde Duncan, Guy Ashford, Clyde Kincanon, Luther (Pete) Bumpus, Ernest N. Davis, Vertis Castleberry, Gene Clark, Clarence Booth, M. B. King, Mrs. Minnie Lancelord, Mrs. Alice T. Grose-close, Mrs. Lizzie (Crowell) Pylon and Ben Douglas Meador.

**THOSE ATTENDING** the 1974 Homecoming were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Thomas, Mrs. Juanita Curlee, Mrs. Lena Pistole, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wasson, Mr. and Mrs. James Hoover and Christie, Sabrina Burrus, Mrs. Dollie Tate, Miss Nina Kincanon, Hubert Moore, Mrs. Permelia Timmons, Audrey Rucker, Mrs. Raydell Hightower and Nola, Travis Hoover and Britt Hoover, all of Childress.

Mrs. Etta Moore, Mrs. Mary Irvin, Mrs. Lucille Gaines, Mrs. J. D. Spray, Mrs. Loys Cox and Vaden Hays of Matador; Cleo Barley and Lucille Flowers of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson, Miss Maye Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson and Foy and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hoover all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cosper of Portales, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Netzel, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howard and Roy Jr., of Alamogordo, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Martin, Ft. Sumner, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Duncan, Carlsbad, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Netzel and Mrs. Lema Ware, Clovis, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ashford, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bain and Lisa Davis, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Ova Seals, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seals, Rush Timmons and Clay Timmons, from Cee Vee; Mrs. Ruby Robinson, Brian, Keiven and Treva and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Featherstone of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Netzel of Monahans;

Mrs. Georgia Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cagle of Tullia; Shirley and Mitch Cathey of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox of Crowell; R. V. Herring of Novice; Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Rogers, Lance and Brian of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. James Monk of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Timmons of Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matthews of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wells, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hadaway of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Head, Rodney and Sidney of Denison; Mrs. Jerry Wright, Alan and Chad and Avery Potts of Abilene; Mrs. Dora Smith of White-deer; and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chambliss, Debbie and Johnny of Lincoln, Ark.

Northfield residents, who were hosts for the day included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays, Mrs. Molly Simpson, Mrs. Dorothy Jameson and Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Jameson and Jarratt, Mr. and Mrs. Bubby Hoover, Bruce and Curtis, Mrs. Bessie Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Holiman, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fore, Teresa and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons, Mrs. Una Simpson, Mrs. A. J. Matlock, Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Prince, Mary Ann and Carla, Claude McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Timmons, W. P. Bethany, Thomas Patterson, Mrs. Gladys Timmons and Delynn and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson and Tanya.

**Whiteflat News**

Mrs. Stella Tilson  
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Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bristow of Hobbs, N.M. visited Saturday afternoon and night with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson and sons, Lance and Shannon, returning home Sunday morning. Lance Jameson, a student at McMurry College, Abilene visited his parents and brother, the H. R. Jamesons, over the week end.

Mrs. Janice Dixon visited at Flomot, Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carter and grandson, David. Reggie Anderson of Lovington, N.M. visited several days last week with the Vernon Higginbothams while he was looking after his agribusiness.

Visiting Mrs. Ralph Stapleton from Sunday through Tuesday were three of her sisters and a brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hopson of Burnett, who went by Abilene and brought Mrs. Willie Blair and stopped by Matador and brought Mrs. Molly Jones. Monday, Mrs. Melba Jo Beeson of Kress drove down to visit with her aunts and mother, Mrs. Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington visited her parents, the Ralph Stapletons over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stephens and Shonda were guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kingston in Tullia for a Mexican supper. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings, Wednesday was Mrs. Tommy Buckner of Dalhart. Mrs. Jennings made a business trip to Aspermont and Old Glory Friday and also visited friends.

**DELAYED**  
Shannon Jameson was accompanied to Plainview for an appointment with the doctor on Saturday by his mother, Mrs. H. R. Jameson. Shannon has an injured foot.

Lance Jameson, a student at McMurry College, Abilene, visited over the week end of September 28 with his parents the H. R. Jamesons and brother Shannon.

Mrs. Janice Dixon and Spencer attended a birthday dinner on Sunday in Memphis at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Tooke for the seven members of the Tooke family whose birthdays fall in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Dan

## Former Matador Resident Works For Her Community

You don't have to be from a large town to be successful. Look at former Matador resident Juanita Green.

Mrs. Green, the former Juanita Mize, graduated from Matador High School in 1941.

She and her husband, Phil, live in Borger. They have one child, Carita Darlene Hutchinson, and three grandchildren. Mr. Green is the Vice-President of the Panhandle Bank and Trust in Borger.

In May, Juanita was installed for her second term as President of the Women's Division of the Borger Chamber of Commerce. The division was organized in 1968 to enlist the talents and training of civic-minded women in the activities of the community. She attends the meetings of the Borger Chamber of Commerce and presides at the women's board meetings.

Nita is a member of the Executive Board of the Mid-West Conference of Women in Chamber of Commerce. The conference has members from six states: Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota, Iowa, Missouri, and Texas.

As a delegate, Nita attended the conference in Nebraska this year and was sponsored by the Division and Panhandle Bank and Trust Co.

Nita was featured on a 30 minute radio program on KBBB, Borger, where she gave a report of the conference and of the General Meeting of the Borger Chamber of Commerce.

The Board of Directors of the Borger Country Club now has Nita as a member. She was elected this year and has already attended meetings.

Nita serves on the Board of Directors of the Nursing Program of Frank Phillips College, a program to help

Kingston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens Saturday evening for a hamburger supper.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton have been her niece and family of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Swim and son Edward, and a nephew and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Scuff and sons Blake and Scottie of South Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whitefield of Lakeview visited Wednesday and Thursday with their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Janice Dixon and Spencer. The two ladies were in Floydada Thursday for Mrs. Whitefield's eye appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington and a nephew of his visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stapleton.

Mrs. Alfred Cooper and her daughter Mrs. Clarence Woosley visited in Paducah Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper in Wood Conval-lescent Home.



MRS. PHIL GREEN

finance persons of limited means and circumstances through the nursing class. She also serves on the Steering Committee of the Bi-Centennial Committee.

She has been selected by the Editorial Board of the American Biographical Institute to be listed in the 7th Edition of *Personalities of the South*. Southerners selected for this honor are citizens whose background and other activities have

special significance and merit recognition.

Matador can be proud of Nita; she's done a lot of worthwhile things. And, although she doesn't live here now, Matador is still her hometown. As Nita says, "Thanks for being so interested in a former resident who still, and always will, love Matador."

### ATTEND CHURCH HOMECOMING

Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Sims spent the week end in Mineral Wells, where they attended annual Homecoming of the Pasadena Baptist Church. Rev. Sims, former pastor of the church, preached in the morning service, Sunday. They visited in Garland Monday and Monday night with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Collins.

Scott and Lisa Pipkin of Lubbock spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pipkin, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Pipkin attended the Texas Tech - A&M football game at College Station.

### Church Has Layman's Day

Jimmy Willson of Floydada was speaker here Sunday in a Layman's Day service at the First United Methodist Church.

Well-known in this area, Mr. Willson has served as Layleader of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference and is currently a member of the Board, and treasurer of the Methodist Home in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waybourn of Lubbock visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Raby Webb as they were en route home from a visit in Crowell with Mr. Waybourn's aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Kenner.

### HOME FROM CANADA

Visiting from Sunday until today with Mrs. Bob Echols were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Porter of Houston. They were en route home from Calgary, Canada, where they spent the summer months. Also visiting Sunday were Mrs. Echols' other daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. West of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Phillips of Floydada were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pohl.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. K. (Rusty) Birchfield of Coahoma were visiting this week with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Birchfield.

### WINS CASH PRIZE

Mrs. Emma Peak recently won \$99.99 as the result of a name-drawing by the Floydada Radio Station KFLP. Names of persons calling in first during certain programs are accumulated and used in a monthly drawing. In September Mrs. Peak placed one phone call as the first person calling in from Matador, and was the winner in the drawing for that month. She was interviewed over the phone after the drawing.

Mrs. Ava Clyde Crump of Brownwood spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lois Smart.

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## HOMECOMING SCHEDULE

### THURSDAY, October 17

7:30 p.m. Bonfire, West of the VFW Building

### FRIDAY, October 18

1:30 p.m. Registration  
 3:00 p.m. Pep Rally at the New School Gymnasium  
 6:45 p.m. Lions Club Chili supper at Burleson Field  
 7:30 p.m. Motley County Matadors vs Nazareth Swifts, Burleson Field



MISS VERLIN REEVES (right) and the class of 1944, as fourth graders in 1936. The class will meet at the home of Billy Wason immediately following the program and business meeting Saturday afternoon. Identified in the picture are the following: Top row, Annie Bell Hagle, Mary Price, Ruby Burton, Dorothy Nelson, Juanita Breeand, Marie Hogland, Frances Seigler, and Dorothy

Henderson. 2nd row: 1st unidentified; Leatrice Russell, Glenda Nelson, Dorothy Hill, (Unid.) Elwanda Martin (unid.) Barbara Springer, Miss Reeves; 3rd row, G. W. Hogland, Vance Campbell, George Doss, Don Paul Keith, Raldo James, Math Barkley, (unid.) bottom row, first three unidentified; Gene Webb, Norma Plumlee, Billy Wason, G. L. Webb and Johnny Jackson.

### SATURDAY, October 19

9:00 a.m. Registration, coffee and donuts at New School  
 3:00 p.m. Program to Honor Miss Reeves and business meeting at the New School Gym  
 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Barbecue Supper at School Cafeteria  
 9:00 to 1:00 a.m. Dance at VFW Building

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**COW POKES**

By Ace Reid



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**ATTEND RITES FOR DOUGLAS MEADOR**

Friends from Paducah who attended final rites here on Sept. 29 for Douglas Meador included Mr. and Mrs. Abner Bidby, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Mable Brown, Mrs. Edna Goodwin and Mrs. Minnie Woodburn. The name of Mrs. Gene Hawkins was also inadvertently omitted from the list previously published.

Mr. Meador, publisher of the Matador Tribune, served the city as Mayor for eight years from 1948 to 1956, instead of 1965, as erroneously published.

**Roaring Springs News**  
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DELATED  
NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney C. Long of Fort Worth are announcing the arrival of a daughter on September 25, at 5:30 p.m. in Harris Hospital. The baby weighed 9 pounds and is named Robin Callie. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long and Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Winegar, all of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd K. Long of Roaring Springs are announcing the birth of a daughter on September 26, at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. She weighed 5 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces and is named Thiry Dianne. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long are also grandparents of this baby girl, and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davis of Las Cruces, New Mexico are maternal grandparents. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rigsby and Mrs. Minnie Davis, all of Roaring Springs.

**UMW MEETS**  
Miss Lula Swim was in charge when the Roaring Springs Methodist Women met Wednesday night, October 2, in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Fletcher.

Mrs. Roy Bradford gave the opening prayer. The minutes were read and approved. Miss Freda Keahy, Mrs. Fletcher, and Mrs. Clyde Clifton were named on the nominating committee. Mrs. Clifton gave the devotional, and Mrs. Thurston Winegar led the program on Law and Order.

Refreshments were served to the above ladies and Mrs. Ruby Burt.

Mrs. Thurston Winegar and Mrs. David Hughes were in Lubbock on business Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Ashley, Mrs. Joe Meredith, and Mrs. Rosetta Underwood visited in Paducah Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ashley.

Mrs. Ruby Myles left Sunday for Spokane, Washington to visit her daughter

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL (DELAYED)**

Mrs. E. W. Smallwood returned home Saturday from Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center, where she was treated last week for bruises received in a fall at her home.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Smallwood Sunday, were two sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smallwood and daughter, Shelly of Liberal, Kansas and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Smallwood of Plainview.

with their parents, the Richard Varnell and Buck Scott families. Thursday of last week, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Varnell drove to Petersburg to visit Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Long and others.

Mr. Clyde Parnell had as visitors during his hospitalization in Crosbyton, Mrs. Ruby Edwards and Dr. and Mrs. Tom Phillips. The Phillipses, of Wichita Falls, have visited her recently with Mrs. Edwards and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman visited last Wednesday in Lubbock with Mrs. Nellie Bateman at the Sherrick home. Thursday they went to Plainview to visit with the Jack Billberry and Tommy De Graffenreid families.

Visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Koonsman were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradford of Roaring Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ballard of Aspermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Billberry, Shawna and Kristi, Tommy De Graffenreid and Sonia, all of Plainview, visited Sunday in the Ray Bateman home and with the Jerry Lewis family.

Horace and Mickey Hughes of Wilcox, Arizona, visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughes and other relatives and friends recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bateman and sons Bryan and Travis of Ingram, Texas, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman and Tammy.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Goodwin and sons, Shannon and Shane, of Fort Worth, visited last week end with his mother and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Moseley.

The Fred Martinez family has moved to Afton where they bought the Hickman home.

Mrs. Bert Hash has returned from a trip to California where she visited her brothers Arril, Bernard and Wayland Mims, her daughter Novella, a son Elbert Hash, and a sister Mrs. Kent White and their families all of the Stockton, California area.

**AFTON NEWS**  
DELATED

Old acquaintances were renewed recently when former Afton residents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dickenson of Tucumcari, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Burt.

They were accompanied here by Mrs. Marian Sparling and son, Ron of Placentia, California. Mrs. Sparling, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Dickenson of Nation City, California, is a namesake of Mrs. Marian Burt. She was born at Afton, but moved away 47 years ago. Mrs. Dickenson was a niece of Dr. Lyons, an early-day physician of Afton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woody of Fort Worth visited her sister Mrs. Davie Hale and Mr. Hale recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hale and April have moved to Dickens from Aztec, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander of Como visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braddock and in Lubbock with the Van Cleave families and others.

Mrs. Nellie Nance of Levelland recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vickery.

Mrs. Danny Holland and new son Chace of Littlefield visited last week with her father and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Moseley. Later Mr. Holland and small son Aaron accompanied them home.

Mr. A. D. Moseley of Flomot was a luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Moseley Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Varnell recently visited here

**At V. Cooper Rites From Out Of Town**

Friends and relatives who attended services for Virgil Cooper on Oct. 3 included family members, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Campbell and Chester Cooper and Tommy Wright of Matador; Mrs. Clarence Woosley and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoneman and family of Lubbock;

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dawson and Mrs. Barbara Goodwin of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Ayres of Ira; Mrs. J. D. Cartwright and Bill Cartwright of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Welch and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Welch of Coahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Paul McMahan of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna of Colorado City; Jake Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Garn Crawley of Bowie;

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ray of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Oliver and son, Cody of Dumont; Miss Martha Cooper of Lyndale; Berry Meffert of Blackwell; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webb and Miss Maurine Hall of Albuquerque, N.M.; Sharon Cooper of Clovis, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper and family and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooper and family of Grants, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cooper of Grotton, Conn.; Mrs. Monnie Casey, Portales, N.M.; Mrs. Grady Acker of Stamford; Mrs. Vella Edwards, Avoca; Mrs. L. A. Mullins, Roaring Springs and many local friends.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
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**IN APPRECIATION**

Your cards, flowers, letters, telephone calls, visits and your prayers during my hospitalization and since returning home were all deeply appreciated. Lola and I express our gratitude to each of you who remembered us in any way.

Hub Swaringen, 700 Ave. D. N.W., Childress, Texas 79201 (2)

**CARD OF THANKS**

With heartfelt thanks and gratitude we thank you for the prayers and visits, your cards and floral offerings during the loss of our loved one, and the food that was prepared for us. The beautiful service by Rev. Sims and the songs that the choir sang were a solace to us. We thank you and God bless all of you.

Mrs. Virgil Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoneman and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna and family and Miss Martha Cooper.

**IN APPRECIATION**

Your cards, flowers, visits and prayers during my illness and hospitalization were deeply appreciated. Thanks also for all help to Ronnie, in taking care of the children.

Betty Vandiver (2)

**IN THE WANT ADS**

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