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Exes Arriving For Homecoming

Former Motley County students and teachers, returning for Homecoming Friday and Saturday, began arriving Sunday from as far away as California, and will be here from all points of the nation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Scrivner (Leora Barton) of Alpine, Calif., arrived Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groves of Prescott, Arizona, arrived Tuesday, and arriving this afternoon from Seattle, Washington will be Mr. and Mrs. Dean Straub. She is the former Jeanne Hamilton. Mrs. Arthur House (Karen Elliott) will arrive in Lubbock tonight from Washington, D. C., and will be joined by her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Elliott of Sacramento, Calif. Others are also expected from the West Coast.

Anniversary of Church To Be Observed Sunday



REV. EDNA DILLARD

CELEBRATING its 30th anniversary, First Assembly of God Church of Roaring Springs, Sunday will honor its founder and only pastor, the Rev. Edna Dillard. Special speakers will include Dr. Blake Farmer, president of Southwestern Assemblies of God College in Waxahachie, who will bring a choral group to present special music for the occasion. A fellowship dinner will be held at noon, at the Roaring Springs Depot.

up in Oklahoma, north of Tulsa where her parents settled. She moved to Portland after her first marriage and later came to Texas, making her home in Amarillo. It was here that she attended a Bible School and was later ordained as a minister, in Lubbock.

She was preaching in a revival meeting at the Cedar Hill church when she met Mr. Dillard. They were married in Hollis, Okla., and in 1936 bought a ranch east of Roaring Springs. They moved to Roaring Springs in 1938. Mr. and Mrs. Dillard donated 42 acres of their ranch for the establishment of a youth camp for the West Texas District Council of the Assemblies of God in 1959.

Each spring, Rev. Dillard awards several Ben and Edna scholarships to young people at an annual banquet held on the campus of Southwestern Assemblies of God College. The public is cordially invited to attend the celebration at the church, Sunday, and the reception Saturday night honoring Mrs. Dillard.

Mrs. Dillard has three sons, Bennie D. Dillard of Roaring Springs, Rev. Billy Joe Dillard of Oklahoma City, and J. W. Marritt of Muleshoe; a daughter, Mrs. Dean Spraberry of Muleshoe, eight grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Waco Home Group To Visit Matador

Methodist Home public relations director Dub King and a group of children who live at the home in Waco will be on the Sunday morning worship program Oct. 26, at the First United Methodist Church of Matador, Rev. Lloyd Hearn, pastor, has announced.

afford some of the members an opportunity to entertain the visiting children.

The United Methodist Youth will sponsor a "Game Night" honoring visitors from the Methodist Home, Waco, during their week end here, it has been announced.

The party will be Saturday night, Oct. 26, beginning at 8 p.m. and will include ping pong, pool, dominoes, card games and a tape player for dancing. Refreshments will be served.

Young people are invited to bring their favorite tapes, games, and dates. "If you don't have the latter - we will have three boys and six girls from the Home," one adult leader said.

TRAIL DUST



Each day the blue morning glories nod from the trellis at the window of a small house. They have known the night wind's chill as restless autumn pulls away the separate covers of warmth. Each blossom is chained to an individual destiny, awaiting the cold blade of the executor's axe. But fear is not apparent in their fragile beauty, since all security is bought at the price of uncertainty.

Age has a disarming tendency of appearing to reach for our contemporaries first.

Each day destroys the debris of its predecessor, and the heart cries itself to sleep in the lonely cradle of despair when the flame of a friend's life has gone out. Futility becomes an opiate and hope surrenders without protest. Memories beat their bruised hands against a forever closed door when I looked at the man. He stood apart from the crowd, absorbed in the music and the faces. He was straight and tall, immaculately dressed and the trace of a smile was on his lips. Had he stepped out of an hour thirty years ago the resemblance to my friend could not have been more convincing. I wanted to hear his voice and shake his hand, but I looked again and the stranger was gone. Time resumed its sequence.

The profane man is a volunteer lobbyist for the devil.

Character seldom attains more sublime heights than in that hour when pleasure is surrendered to serve a friend who has made no petition.

Duty is a girdle that aids society in keeping in respectable form.

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Mr and Mrs. D. P. Keith returned Tuesday of last week from a trip which included attending the State Fair in Dallas, and attending the State Prison Rodeo at Huntsville.



DR. DO HOANG Y and DR. DO DANH THUY

Doctor Accepts

The county's bid for a doctor has been accepted by Do Hoang Y, M.D. from Fresno,

California, it was announced this week by members of the Motley General Hospital Board.



Mrs. Raz Ware

4-H Awards Banquet Set

Annual 4-H Awards Banquet is announced for Monday night, October 27, at 7 p.m. in the Motley County School gymnasium.

Speaker for the occasion will be Mrs. Raz Ware of Floyd County, the former June Ross and former Motley County 4-H Gold Star winner and adult leader.

Extension Agent W. C. Pailmeyer is in charge of arrangements, together with 4-H club members and leaders.

RECENT PATIENT

Mrs. Algine Groves was a patient in Quannah Memorial Hospital from Saturday night until Tuesday morning for treatment of a heart condition.

CLUB READY FOR BAZAAR

Motley County Arts and Crafts members are putting the finishing touches to items which they will offer for sale at their annual Bazaar, scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 25.

Residents and Homecoming visitors are reminded of this activity and invited to drop in the Woodruff Building, next door to the bank.

In addition to handcrafts and art objects, the club will also offer home-baked cakes, cookies and pastries for sale.

MOTLEY READY FOR AMHERST

The Motley County Matadors are ready for the Amherst Bulldogs after upsetting the Nazareth Swifts' Homecoming Friday night, and coming out on the top of the district game with a score of 34-0.

VFW TO GIVE FREE GASOLINE

Motley County Veterans of Foreign Wars will give away 250 gallons of gasoline at the Homecoming game Friday night.

Winners of a prize winning ticket will receive 200 gallons of gas, and second place winner will receive 50 gallons.

Tickets are on sale and may be obtained from any member of the VFW

Dr. Hoang Y and Dr. Danh Thuy of Guntersville, Alabama, visited in Matador last week end for an interview with the hospital board. According to information received this week, Dr. Hoang Y plans to be here the first week in November.

Although young - Dr. Hoang Y is 24 - he is highly qualified in the medical field. He has passed the National Medical examination and application has been made for his State license. He should be in full practice by January 1, according to a spokesman for the hospital board.

The board met Wednesday night to make further arrangements for the doctor's arrival here.

The game on Burleson Field here Friday night will be Motley's Homecoming bid for victory. The captains, Joe Campbell and Ben Grundy will crown the team's Football Sweetheart before the game starts at 7:30.

At the Nazareth game the Matadors were paced by senior Fullback Joe Campbell, who ran for a total of over 307 yards and scored touchdowns of 99, 61, and 3 yards.

The first quarter was uneventful for either team and neither one could get on the scoreboard.

Under the proposed new constitution the legislature would meet yearly, instead of the present semi-annual sessions. Opponents of this item point to the increased cost of the annual sessions, while proponents state that annual sessions will result in more responsible legislation and increased efficiency by the legislature.

The section dealing with legislative pay would set up a special committee to make recommendations to the legislature concerning salaries for Texas Senators and Representatives. The legislature would then be able to set their own salaries, but in no instance could they exceed the recommendations of the special committee and the salary adjustments would only take effect after an affected legislator had stood

CLASS REUNIONS

The following class reunions have been announced for Homecoming:

Class of 1925 will meet at El Matador Restaurant at 11:45 Saturday.

Class of 1930 will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday.

Class of 1933 will hold a reunion. Mrs. Robert Darsey is in charge of arrangements.

Class of 1940 will meet at the home of Mrs. Zona Ruth Seigler, following the program at the school Saturday afternoon.

Class of 1945 will meet in the Homemaking department at the school, from 1 to 3 p.m.

Class of 1965 will meet in one of the rooms at school, Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m.

Open house will be held during the two days of Homecoming, at the Algine Groves Playhouse, for members of the Hep Cats band, and friends who visited there. The Hep Cats played from 1955 until 1959, and included Mike Groves, trumpet; Pat Groves, drums; Gerald Pipkin, saxophone; Pat Seigler, guitar and Frank Traweek, piano.

Announcement is made that the classes of 1935 and 1937 are invited to join the class of 1936, for a reunion next year. Addresses will be needed of members of these classes, and it was emphasized that all classmates are included, as well as the graduates. Addresses are to be sent to Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., Mrs. Harold Campbell or Mrs. Mike Hoyle, all of Matador.

SPANISH CLASS DATE CHANGED

The Adult Education Spanish class will meet Tuesday night, Oct. 28, instead of the usual Monday night time, due to the 4-H Awards banquet which is scheduled for Oct. 27.

The change is for next week only, according to Mrs. J. E. Edwards, who is teaching the course.

REMEMBER

Boy Scouts to sell light bulbs in November.

Constitutional Amendments Outlined By Farabee

Featured speaker at the regular Tuesday meeting of the Matador Lions Club was Senator Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls.

Senator Farabee outlined to Lions the primary differences between the proposed new state constitution and present Constitution. Texas voters will be asked to either approve or reject the new constitution in a special

election November 4.

Senator Farabee stated that while he was not in total agreement with all parts of the new document, he felt that a change was in order and that the document was an improvement over the outdated present constitution. He pointed out that the present constitution was ninety-nine years old, and that the voters of Texas had

authorized the revision of the constitution in an election held in 1971.

"About seventy-five percent of the proposed new document is the same as, or similar to the old constitution," Senator Farabee said, "and many of the features of the old constitution are continued in the new, such as the constitutional prohibition of deficit spending by local

and state governments."

Farabee stated that the parts of the new constitution which were rather controversial were the sections dealing with annual sessions of the legislature, legislative pay, the judicial system, the education section, the finance section, and the section dealing with local governments.

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for reelection. Under the present system, voters must approve and pay hikes for legislators.

The section dealing with the Texas judicial system would make a number of changes aimed at streamlining Texas's court system. One of the most noticeable of these changes would be combining the civil and criminal courts at the appellate level.

According to Senator Farabee, perhaps one of the most controversial sections of the proposed charter is the section dealing with taxation.

It would provide for an entirely new approach to ad valorem taxation. Agricultural lands would be taxed on the basis of productivity rather than market value.

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Church and Society

Clay Jameson Presents Programs For Study Club

The Eternas Junior Study Club met Thursday night, Oct. 16 in the home of Mrs. Clay Jameson, with Mrs. Charles Renfro serving as co-hostess.

Mr. Jameson, Maintenance Supervisor for the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, presented the program. He showed slides of Lady Bird Johnson's Beautification program. Mr. Jameson was second place winner in this year's contest. The book and written narration which helped him win the contest were shown to the club.

A film on *The Flagman* was also presented. This gave the duties of a flagman and pointed out that he is

responsible for the safety of the work crew as well as directing traffic.

Another film on the Missions of Texas was shown which revealed that these missions date back to the 1600's. According to the narration, the beautifully detailed structure of the missions was done by priests and Indians and not by architects, as one might be led to believe. "Texans can take great pride in its heritage," the audience was told.

Mrs. Renfro presided over the business session which followed the program. Various club projects were discussed.

Refreshments of cake and tea were served by the hostesses to the following members: Mesdames Bundy Hal Campbell, Morris Burkes, Jeff Thacker, Pat Seigler, Dean Turner, Carter Luckett, Neal Haralson, Ronnie Vandiver, Vann Francis, Tony Dean, Johnney Turner, Jesse Perkins, Arnold Johnson, Roger Vinson and Kelly Jackson.



IN THE ROUGH by hazel

THURSDAY PLAY - scheduled was 3 clubs day. Laverna, Geneva, Louise and Hazel were out for play... we had fun selecting our 3 clubs to use and played the first four holes... then decided to play a Scotch 4 some. So, we started play all over again... Geneva and Laverna playing Louise and Hazel... the match was interesting and sportive... and gay... Laverna and Geneva won 46 to 48 for Louise and Hazel. We were tied going into No. 9 - and were even in match play.

Following play we enjoyed coffee and doughnuts at Stanley Pharmacy, their anniversary celebration.

SUNDAY TOURNAMENT - 12 players entered... Louise, Alfred, Marvin, Howard, Geneva, Clyde, Jeff, L. E. O'Neal, Boyce, Corky, John and Laverna.

Geneva won first (68), Clyde, second (71), and Louise, third (72)... there were lots of out of bounds.

STUDIES ABOUT THE BIBLE

FAITHFULNESS

Seventh in this list of "spiritual fruit" is faithfulness. Every Christian must be faithful in this entire list of nine fruits given by Paul. Also there are other commands to which we must be faithful. And if we love God, these commands will not be grievous or burdensome. 1 John 5:3.

In the last paragraph of Matthew, Christ instructed the apostles on how to make disciples of "all nations." Then he finished with this verse:

"... teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Ma. 28:20.

Faithful includes keeping all commands, which the Holy Spirit gave to us through the apostles. Faithfulness includes maintaining God's family standards, sharing with those in need, the Lord's Day worship (including the Lord's Supper), accepting the gospel as is - no changes allowed (2John 9, Gal. 1:6-10, Rev. 22: 18-19).

Faithfulness also includes baptized "... for the forgiveness of your sins..." (Acts 2:38) and as a symbol of Christ's death, burial, and resurrection. Note these phrases from the inspired pen of Paul, "baptized into Christ Jesus," "baptized into His death," "buried with Him through baptism," "in the likeness of His resurrection." Ro. 6:3-5. Please take your Bible and read these verses.

There is great happiness in being faithful to the gospel of Christ.

L. E. O'Neal
Minister Gospel of Christ
Roaring Springs, Texas
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HONORED GUEST - Mrs. Erin Campbell Shearer, second from right, was honored guest Thursday night at the Diamond Jubilee of Matador Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. At left is Mrs. Winifred Darsey, Worthy Matron, next is Harold Campbell, Worthy Patron and brother of Mrs. Shearer, and at right is Mrs. Grace (Harold) Campbell, a chapter officer. (Photo by Glenda Williams)

Order Of The Eastern Star Holds Diamond Celebration

Matador Chapter No. 66, Order of the Eastern Star celebrated its Diamond Jubilee, Thursday evening, Oct. 16, at the Masonic Hall.

Dinner was served from 6:30 to 7:30 in the banquet hall. The delicious buffet consisted of ham loaf, vegetable and fruit salads, relishes and hot rolls. The tables were decorated with green ivy, votive candles in hob-nob holders, diamonds of various colors, and silver hurricane lamps.

Chapter opened at 8 p.m. with a program celebrating the seventy-fifth birthday of the chapter. The officers and members were resplendent in gowns of silver lame' and the Worthy Patron and Associate Patron in black tuxedos.

Mrs. Frank Pohl, organist, opened the program with "The Anniversary Song." Mrs. Una Simpson and Mrs. W. F. Jacobs sang "Memories," and Mrs. Jacobs sang "The Star of the East."

Mrs. R. M. Stanley gave a brief history of the chapter.

Highlight of the evening was the presentation of a pin commemorating 50 years of membership. Worthy Patron Harold Campbell had the honor of presenting his sister, Mrs. Erin Shearer of Alpine, Tex., a 50-year pin for continuous membership in the Matador chapter.

Mrs. Henry Campbell, grandmother of Mrs. Shearer and Mr. Campbell, was the first Worthy Matron of the chapter. She also conferred the degrees when Mrs. Shearer was initiated into the order.

Mrs. Shearer, in her beautiful silver gown and lovely orchid corsage, gift of the L. B. Campbells, charmed all with a few humorous reminiscences of her beginnings in the Order of the Eastern Star. The membership responded by singing to her, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." Congratulations followed, and Mrs. Pohl concluded the program with an appropriate selection of "The End of a Perfect Day."

A birthday reception followed, with Mrs. Robert Darsey, Worthy Matron, serving a beautiful pure white birthday cake, decorated with rosebuds, and topped with a silver 75. Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., presided at the silver service, and hostesses served vanilla ice cream, garnished with cherries.

All officers, with the exception of one, were present. They included Worthy Matron, Winifred Darsey; Worthy Patron, Harold Campbell; Associate Matron, Lucretia Estes Campbell; Associate Patron, W. N. Pipkin; Treasurer, Vivian Jacobs; Secretary, Rachel Patton; Organist, Lola Pohl; Marshall, Opal Pipkin, Chaplain, Bertha Stearns; Conductress, Una Simpson; Associate Conductress, Dorothy Day; Adah, Opal Craven, Ruth, Tommie Sturdivant; Esther, Grace Campbell; Martha, Marge Payne; Electa, Mamie Yeates; Warder, Olive Russell and Sentinel pro tem, Pat Sheridan.

Matador Chapter of the order was constituted in 1900. Mrs. Henry Campbell was first Worthy Matron and Tom Edmondson, first Worthy Patron. Early day records were destroyed when the Masonic Hall burned in 1925. General hostesses for the

evening were, Gertrude Smith, Olive Russell, Beverly Vinson, Opal Pipkin, Opal Craven and Rachel Patton.

Miss Pina Sue Sturdivant traveled from Austin to attend the Jubilee.

Matador chapter has three members who have been given appointments in Grand Order OES. They are, Mamie Yeates, Time and Talent Committee; Opal Craven, Sojourner's Committee and Etoile Stanley, American Heritage Committee.

Attend Waco Iris Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Patton attended the annual meeting of Region 17 of The American Iris Society, October 18, in Waco.

Mr. Patton, as Judge Training Chairman for the region, presided at the school Saturday, taught by Dr. C. J. Andrews of Arlington, Tex., and Paul Horn of Fort Worth. Banquet speaker was W. J. Taylor, of Toronto, R. V-P of Region 16 (Canada).

En route home, Mr. and Mrs. Patton attended the State Fair in Dallas, and visited in the home of Mrs. Jess Herd in Jacksboro, also in Wichita Falls with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Patton.

RELATIVES VISIT

Mrs. Edith Eakins of St. Helena, Oregon, who has been visiting in Texas the past year, is presently visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. (Doc) Taylor. Joining her here for a week end visit were another sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harrison of Dublin, Tex., and a brother, W. O. (Kid) Taylor of Amarillo. The group drove to Amarillo Saturday for a visit with the latter's son, Travis Taylor and family, returning here that night.

Mrs. Frank Pohl and her mother, Mrs. C. L. Knerim attended rites in Floydada, Saturday morning for Mrs. C. M. Lyles. Services were at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Ted Elliott drove to DeLeon, Friday to join a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John McKeenan in going to Caddo, Okla., to spend the week end with a sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Elliott.



MARY HELEN RHINE

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rhine of Decatur have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Helen, to Rhett Kelly Hand of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand of Roaring Springs.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Decatur High School, attended Texas Tech University. She works for Furr Cafeteria's General Offices. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Roaring Springs High School, and graduated from Texas Tech University in 1973 with a B. S. degree in Electrical Engineering.

The couple will be married Dec. 6, in the Decatur First Baptist Church.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Visitors Sunday and overnight in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell were his two sisters and a brother-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw of College Station. The Bradshaws continued to Clovis, N. M. to visit relatives.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Shands Harcerow of Hughson, Calif., arrived last Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Tom Berryman, and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stafford of Roaring Springs, who met their plane in Lubbock.

Miss Annie Mae Jackson of Graham, visited from Friday until Monday, with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sheridan. She was en route home from a visit in California with another sister, Mrs. Blewett Davis of Torrance.

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Conservation Is Program For Matador Garden Club

Matador Garden Club met Monday, Oct. 20, at the home of Mrs. Edgar Lee, president, for a program with emphasis on "Conservation in the News," led by Mrs. J. D. Craven.

Glimpses from American History was "Ben Franklin's Philadelphia," by Mrs. Tom King. Mrs. Pat Sheridan discussed "Conservation and Ecology in the Daily News."

Mrs. Lee prepared the Fall Flower Arrangement and Mrs. Alvin Stearns won the door prize drawing, which was a potted plant.

During the business session, a Resolution of Commendation was passed citing Clay Jameson, as follows:

"THE MATADOR GARDEN CLUB would like to congratulate Clay Jameson on the recognition he has received in maintaining and beautifying the roadside parks in our area. We think that the Motley County roadsides and rest areas are

Harold (Sparky) Meason of Houston visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Meason.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghen visited last week end in Palestine with their daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Darwin Scott, Ray and Gayla. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, who visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dailey of Grapeland.

Club To Hear Lubbock Man

second to none in Texas and Mr. Jameson's work, and that of the Highway Department is most appreciated by the members of this club."

Plans were made to work on Pioneer Park at the next regular meeting time, November 17. Plans were also made to continue building planter boxes to be placed in downtown Matador.

Quote from a noted American was, "This nation was born out of faith in God. It can continue to exist in freedom only as long as that faith remains forthright and strong" - J. Edgar Hoover.

Those present were Mesdames W. W. Clements, Ted Elliott, W. N. Pipkin, L. T. Richardson, and Freeman Thacker, and those mentioned, Mmes. Craven, Sheridan, Spears, Stearns, and Lee.

Ford Mitchell of Lubbock, longtime radio and television personality, now associated with Briercroft Savings and Loan, will be guest speaker tonight at El Progreso Study Club's "Gentlemen's Evening" banquet and program. Mr. Mitchell spent more than 30 years in radio and television broadcasting before being named Assistant Vice President-Public Relations, by Briercroft in January of 1974. He had assisted Briercroft as consultant and buyer for the extensive "Heritage Collection" assembled over a period of several years.

The banquet will be at 7:30 at the First Baptist Church.

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Homecoming



DISTRICT CHAMPS- Matador Girls basketball team won the 1925 District Championship and played the entire season of eight games winning every game without the use of a substitute and making a total of 220 points to their opponents' 121. Reading from left to right, top row: Gertrude Groves, running center; Winnie Patton, guard; Miss Irene Lawler (Mrs. Albert Traweck), coach; Loyd Guthrie, jumping center; bottom row: Bertha Patton, captain and forward; Hettie Patton, guard; and Thelma Thornton, forward.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 25
9:00 p.m. Registration, Coffee, Donuts, and visiting High School Cafeteria

3:00 p.m. Recognition of Retired Teachers

6:00 to 8:00 Barbecue supper at High School Cafeteria. Tickets available at the door

9:00 p.m. Til 1:00 a.m. Dance at VFW Building



MATADOR BULLDOGS in 1925, before the team became the Matadors. Bottom row: Bunyan Sparks, Ted Marquis, J. D. Craven, Algie Groves, John Hamilton, Brown Oxford, Alton Seigler, Houston Patton and Dell Tudor. Top Row: Bill McCaghren, Earl Tilson, Gus Bird, Pete Winters, G. N. Fulfer, J. C. Marquis, Curtis Graham, Spot Patton, Russell Gaskins, Odell Kingery, and W. C. Jones, coach.

THURSDAY OCTOBER 23
8:00 Bonfire at V.F.W. Grounds

FRIDAY OCTOBER 24
1:30 p.m. Registration, visiting, and coffee at the High School

3:00 p.m. Pep Rally at High School Gymnasium

7:30 p.m. Motley County vs Amherst Bulldogs, Burleson Field

Football Sweetheart to be crowned before game

Motley County Matadors vs Amherst Bulldogs

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Maj. Gen. M. R. Reilly In Command At Kirtland



MAJ. GEN. M. R. REILLY

New commander at Kirtland AFB, Albuquerque, N. M., is Major General M. R. Reilly, graduate of Matador High School. He took command of the Air Force Contract Management Division (Air Force Systems Command) last month.

Born in Montana, General Reilly was raised in Matador, where he graduated from high school in May, 1938. His father, the late M. J. Reilly, was manager of the Matador Land and Cattle Company for a number of years.

After two years of preparatory school in Lake Forest, Ill., he entered the University of Colorado in 1940 and returned after World War II to earn a B.S. degree in civil engineering in 1947.

In February, 1943, he joined the Army Air Corps and, 14 months later, graduated from advanced flying school at Eagle Pass, Tex., where he received his pilot wings and commission as a second lieutenant. During the remainder of World War II, he served as a flight instructor, a B-24 bomber pilot, and as a B-29 bomber pilot in the Pacific.

General Reilly got out of the service in 1946 and went back to the University of Colorado to earn his degree. One year later, he accepted a regular commission in the Air Force, returning to active duty as a civil engineer at Langley AFB, Va.

Between 1948 and 1951, he served in various civil engineering assignments with Headquarters 20th Air Force on Okinawa and

Headquarters Far East Air Forces in Tokyo, Japan. In 1952, he received an M.S. degree in civil engineering from Purdue University and, until 1956, served as an instructor at the Air Force Institute of Technology at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. During the next few years, General Reilly attended the Air Command and Staff College and Air War College at Maxwell AFB, Ala., and served in Madrid, Spain and at Headquarters United States Air Force.

From 1966 to 1968, he was stationed at Headquarters Air Force Systems Command and then reassigned to Headquarters United States Air Force first as deputy director of civil engineering, becoming director in January 1972. He has been with Headquarters Command since February 1974.

General Reilly is a registered professional engineer in the state of Colorado. In addition to the Distinguished Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster, he holds the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Air Force Commendation Medal and Army Commendation Medal.

He and his wife, the former Marian E. Riley of Boulder, Colo., have two married daughters and one son.

General Reilly went to Kirtland from an assignment at Bolling AFB, Washington, D. C. where he had been for several years, and where he received the first oak leaf cluster to the Distinguished Service Medal for outstanding service as the commander of Headquarters Command.

National 4-H Week is October 5-11. This year's theme: "4-H-'76... Spirit of Tomorrow."

More than \$200,000 in scholarships will be awarded to national winners during the 54th National 4-H Congress, Nov. 30-Dec. 4 in Chicago.

Participation in 4-H educational programs increased 36.8 per cent in 1974 over the previous year.

H. N. Seigler Promoted Overseas Manager by NSC



HERBERT N. SEIGLER

A native of Matador and graduate of Matador High School, Class of 1949 has received a recent promotion to overseas operations at National Supply Company.

A division of Armco Steel Corporation, National Supply has announced the appointment of Herbert N. (Norman) Seigler as Area Manager - Europe, Africa and Middle East replacing W.T. Cushing who has retired. He will have responsibility for all National Supply equipment sales and all related activities for countries in those areas, and will be based at National Supply headquarters in Houston.

Seigler's experience includes service as a National Supply Store Manager, District and later Area Manager of Sales, and Assistant General Manager of all National Supply Stores. He is a graduate of Texas Tech University, and son of Eldred Seigler, Matador.



Don Martins

Are Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Don T. Martin of Hereford, formerly of Matador, received individual honors the past year, in separate fields.

Mr. Martin, a former high school coach here and member of the Hereford school system since going there, was presented a 25-year service pin by superintendent Roy Hartman, at a luncheon at the close of the past school term. He and his wife, the former

4-H is the youth education phase of the Cooperative Extension Service. The publicly funded program also receives considerable support from the private sector through the National 4-H Service Committee and the National 4-H Foundation.

Betty Jo Simpson, Matador High School graduate, class of 1939 have lived in Hereford 27 years, moving there from Dalhart.

Betty is Adult Coordinator for Council of Ministries of the United Methodist Church in hereford. She has been a Sunday School teacher, Vacation Bible School worker, chairman of the Family Service committee for a few years and she and Don are members of the Home Builders Sunday School Class.

Substitute teaching takes much of Betty's time during school year, but in her spare time she enjoys playing bridge, tole painting, craft work, furniture refinishing, yard work and reading.

Being Adult Coordinator is a big job, having been instrumental in the formation of some new adult church school classes, sharing responsibilities for Family Nights, being concerned with the Senior Citizens and the entire scope of the adult life of the church.

"I have enjoyed being a part of the program planning and executing group of the church as Adult Coordinator," says Betty.

The Martins have a son and a daughter, both married, and two grandchildren; one in Boise, Idaho and the other in Hillsboro, Texas.

Follows Ministry Of Music



Richard Campbell

Richard Campbell, a native of Matador, who has been in full time evangelism for the past three and a half years, has accepted the call as music and youth director of the First Baptist Church in Floydada.

He and his wife, Ann, and their two daughters, Sherry and Jana Lee, moved from Lubbock, to their new residence in Floydada, earlier this month, after he had completed singing engagements in churches in Beaumont, Houston, and Daisetta near the Gulf Coast, to Borger in the Panhandle, and for a crusade in Kansas City, Kansas.

Richard has cut three albums of sacred music, which are available here at Matador Variety. The first, "Sweet Sounds of Jesus," includes "Say I Do," Medley: "Down From His Glory, His Name Is Wonderful, and There's Something About That Name," also "Jacob's Ladder" and an old favorite, "Jesus Loves Me." Side two contains "Jesus Made Me Higher," "Love Was When," "Ho, Everyone That is Thirsty," "But Still He Loved Me," and "What Ya Gonna Do."

The other albums, "In Remembrance," and "He Keeps Me Singing," contain many new songs, and old favorites, such as "Amazing

B. F. Harbour Elected To Mary Hardin-Baylor Board

A former principal of Matador High School, Brunie F. Harbour of Rogers has been elected a charter member of the Board of

Advancement of Mary Hardin-Baylor College at Belton.

The Board of Advancement is an extension of the College Advancement Office of MH-B and is composed of persons throughout the state and nation.

Members of the board are responsible for representing the college to their various publics, encouraging financial support of the college, personally contributing to the development program of the college and encouraging prospective students to attend MH-B.

The board will meet annually on campus to review the progress of the college and make plans for future development projects.

Harbour is a former superintendent of public schools in Rogers. He received his bachelor's degree from North Texas State University at Denton and his master's from The University of Texas at Austin. He has also done additional graduate work at

U.T. and at George Peabody College for Teachers Nashville, Tenn.

Currently a member of the County Board of Trustees Bell County schools, Harbour served as a member of the MH-B Board of Trustees for nine years.

Harbour was a rural principal of schools for five years and has been principal of high schools at Matado (1927-37), Olney, Weslaco and Victoria. He is a past dean of Victoria Junior College and has been superintendent of schools in Ganado.

A life member of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, Harbour is also member of the local, Texas and national Retired Teachers Associations and the Texas State Teachers Association. He received the Distinguished Service Award from the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas and is listed in "Who Who in American Education" and "Community Leaders of America."

Mrs. Harbour, the former Imogene Hampton, also taught in the Matado Schools, coming here in 1923

LARRY ELLIOTT IS JOURNALISM PRESS INTERN

Larry Elliott, Matador High School graduate, class of 1967, has become a second journalist in the Ted Elliott family.

He is serving as intern under the Press Secretary to the Governor of California while attending night school at the American Road College in Sacramento, where he is majoring in journalism.

During the day he works as a welder. His intern work is on Saturdays at the State Capitol.

The article on game cock fighting was a special feature which he wrote for the Sacramento Bee. His sister, Mrs. Arthur House (Karen Elliott) is reporter for the Washington Bureau of the Wall Street Journal.

During National 4-H Week, Oct. 5-11, 7.2 million young people will pause to reflect on their heritage in 4-H—a distinctively American educational program that had its beginnings around the turn of the century.

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EIGHTY YEARS have passed since this picture of the old Dutchman School near the present town of Roaring Springs, was made in 1895. Shown from left to right, front row: W. H. (Henry) Morrison, teacher; Ben Clifton, Nora Clifton, Cora Edwards, Mary Chalk, Lizzie Clifton and

Bessie Chalk. Top row: Lettie Clifton, Bertha Clifton, Lizzie Chalk, Lydia Elliott, Martha Elliott, Walker Williams, Bob Elliott, Oscar Williams and Albert Edwards. (Photo courtesy of Louis M. Bauer, San Antonio.)



OWN BUSINESS- Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts (she is the former Linda Tilson) have recently purchased a sewing machine business - "Jim's Sewing Machines," at 3914 S. Trail, Sarasota, Florida. They are the only authorized dealer in Sarasota for Necchi, Viking, Pfaff, and New Home machines. They also sell Singers. Besides selling new machines, they repair and sell parts for all machines. They also sell "sewing notions," and reconditioned machines. Mrs. Roberts also gives sewing lessons. She is a graduate of Matador High School, class of 1965, and taught school three years in Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts moved to Sarasota three years ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Matador. Mrs. Roberts visited last week with her relatives, but could not stay for Homecoming.

Whiteflat News

Mrs. Stella Tilson
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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Laura Houston of Matador returned Friday from a tour of the Davis Mountains where they visited Fort Davis, Indian Lodge and McDonald Observatory. From there they made a tour through Big Bend National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith of Clovis, N.M. visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson and Shannon visited in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock Sunday, with his uncle, J. M. Jameson. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Jameson and Melba. Mrs. Dan Bevers of Amarillo, who has been at her father's

bedside since he had surgery, returned to her home, Sunday. Also a visitor at his bedside was Bob Hough of Lubbock, a cousin of Mrs. Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens and Shonda visited in Quitaque, Sunday with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Montie Stephens and April.

Mrs. Ralph Stapleton visited in Matador, Saturday with Mrs. Lucille Whitaker, who had recent surgery.

Mrs. John Hanna of Big Spring visited recently with her mother, Mrs. Vesta Cooper, who accompanied her home the 5th, and visited until the 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper were in Plainview, Tuesday, visiting her father, A. M. Harmon in Central Plains Convalescent Home. Mrs. Cooper visited her father again on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Higginbotham were in Plainview Saturday evening to attend the Llano Estacado

Art Festival. Their daughter, Mrs. Terry Keltz was a member of the Wayland College Spirit of America group, which was featured on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens and Shonda visited in Enid, Okla., recently with her son, Matt Lyons, who was hospitalized for knee surgery.

Mrs. Stella Tilson was honored Saturday with a birthday dinner given by her daughter, Mrs. Ray Zabielski of Roaring Springs. The dinner also honored Mr. Zabielski's birthday, which was the 20th. Mrs. Tilson's birthday was the 17th. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Bethard and Wallace were other guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Davis of Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin recently. They also visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin.

Mrs. Janice Dixon and son, Spencer visited in Hedley recently with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harmon, who hosted a birthday dinner on Sunday, Oct. 12, for three members of her family, including her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Tooke and an aunt, Mrs. Thurman Tooke, whose husband was also present. Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Tooke and Mrs. Dixon and Spencer drove to Hedley to see the Cotton Festival parade. They returned home on Sunday night.

Mrs. Harvey Whitefield and son, Ted, of Spearman visited Mrs. Janice Dixon Wednesday afternoon as they were en route home from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson and daughter, Linda and Mrs. Stella Tilson visited Sterling Price in the nursing home at Crosbyton, Tuesday as they were on their way home from Lubbock.

Mrs. Stella Tilson accompanied her daughter, Mrs. M. G. Bethard and son, Wallace, to Reese AFB Hospital, Wednesday, where Wallace received a check up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Jim Roberts to the Lubbock airport, Monday for her return to Sarasota, Florida, after a week's visit here and at Roaring Springs. Mrs. Stella Tilson accom-

Conservation Programs Urged In Urban Areas

Temple, Texas. Conservation programs ultimately benefit everyone, but farmers, ranchers, and other rural landowners are the principal caretakers of natural resources.

"Their stewardship will continue," Edward E. Thomas, head of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service in Texas, said, "because most of our natural resources - soil, grass, trees, and our watersheds - are under private, rural ownership. Towns and cities occupy a very small portion of our available space.

"This means the individual farmer or rancher who cooperates with a soil and water conservation district, and who is carrying out a conservation plan on his property, is the backbone of America's conservation program.

"For the farmer, the conservation plan means preserving basic raw materials - the stuff of which farms are made - and using them in such a way as to maintain a long-term profitable operation," Thomas said.

"For the non-farmer, the conservation plan means a more stable supply of food - meat, milk, grain, and non-food necessities such as wood and fiber. Benefits of conservation farming are evident and easy for the entire community to see.

"We have been asked why, if farmers and ranchers are the backbone of our conservation programs, does the Department of Agriculture emphasize urban conservation," Thomas said. "In response to this question, I think the clearest way to answer would be a list of some of the reasons:

"In the first place, we do urban conservation because as a federal agency, we must serve all the people. This is done in harmony with the programs of the locally-governed soil and water conservation districts, and

the wishes of their directors. "Secondly, we do urban conservation because we have found conservation practices and principals that have been tested for 40 years on rural areas will work in towns, too.

"And we must remember that although urban areas are small, percentage-wise, they contain most of the people, and in comparatively congested conditions. Therefore, a land use mistake in an urban area can hurt a lot of people and can cost a lot of money. To express it another way, following good conservation planning in an urban area can bring benefits to a large number of people all at once."

"The foundation of our work with urban interests or farmers is the soil survey," Thomas said. "Interpretive maps made from these surveys can show community planners features about the soil - overflow areas, shallow soils, areas where foundations must be strengthened to withstand soil pressure, and other soil and water-related problems. Soil surveys are prepared by the Soil Conservation Service in cooperation with the Texas Agriculture Experiment Station."

Farmers and ranchers use the soil surveys and similar interpretive maps to help plan the best use of their land.

"The economic and physical benefits of conservation improvement work to rural landowners, and to their city neighbors, are evident in higher crop yields, clearer waterways, safer communities, and a better environment," Thomas concluded.

Mrs. Tom Roy and small daughter, Emily, of Austin spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. (Sonny) Russell and other relatives, including her grandmother, Mrs. Olive Russell, and sisters, Mrs. Randy Hicks and family and Mrs. Jesse Perkins and husband.

Crops Damaged By Hail

EXTENSIVE crop damage by hail storm last Tuesday afternoon was reported in the Flomot area, north of Flomot and along the Quitaque river. Some of the farmers suffering heavy losses were Jimmy Ross, Bill Dean Washington, Blue Brown, Glendale Tiffin and Truman

Merrill. Crops damaged, but to a lesser degree, were those of Ray Cruise, B. F. Hughes, and Ronald, Bobby and Joe Ike Clay. The hail and rain fell with

such force that the atmosphere was enveloped in fog from the steaming moisture rising from the ground.

Other farmers in the Quitaque - Turkey section also suffered losses, including some peanut and feed crops.

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REMEMBER - Boy Scouts to sell light bulbs in November.

Welcome Back Exes



MATADOR PEP CLUB in 1934. Members are identified as follows: 1st row, left to right: Mildred Meador, Jerry Tudor, Jerry Stanford (Mascot son of Coach and Mrs. Harvey Stanford), Lucretia Estes and Bonnie Mae Willis; 2nd row: Nancy (Joeda) Berryman, Geneva Cooper, Velma Willis, Maxine Green, Georgia Bourland, Ava Clyde Smart, Sylvia Nell Patton, Dorothy Fulfer, Margaret Cornett, Sybil Daffern and Miss Margaret Mahaffey, sponsor; back row: Tommy Berryman, L. V. New, Helen Edmondson, Dora Ratcliff and Marjoria Moore. Girl behind Sybil Daffern is unidentified.

Billie Dean's Drive-Inn

Our Congratulations and Best Wishes to Rev. Mrs. Edna Dillard

On Her 30th Anniversary As Founder And Pastor Of The Roaring Springs Assembly Of God Church



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Bob + Nell Clever
Fat Digler
Luther + Marie Mogg
Freda Keahey
Ma + Odessa
Bugs and Leba
Ruby Burt
Marel and Jessie
Callie + Wynston
Billy + Pauline
Tom + Mammie
Rachel Patton
Dean + Ida Lee
Loy + Lorraine
Donna + Larry
Patricia Sanders
Carney + Annie
Jack + Katie
Mr. + Mrs. Dumont
Mr. + Mrs. Darrell
Mrs. M. S. Thacker
Walter + Ruth
Tommy + Kate
Viran
Corkey + Margaret
Chick + Nancy
Jeff + Pam
Ophelia
Albin
Mrs. + Mrs. Jim
Daisy
Richardson
Adelle
McCluskey
Smith
Billie + Betty
Brown + Beth
Hannah + Alta
Mr. + Mrs. Darrell
Mrs. M. S. Thacker
W. Wilma
The Doyle
She
Billy + Bill
Bentley + Sybil
Gladys
Lula
Lem and Emma
Tom + Bam
Kenneth
Thomas
Edith
Assie Lee
M. S. Thacker
Elizabeth
Rosie
Mrs. + Mrs. W. C.
Julie
A. W. + Callie



LAST GRADUATES- Class of 1925 was the last high school class to graduate from the old 3-story brick building on East Dundee street. All that remains of this school, built in 1909-1910 is the foundation and a portion of the basement. In the picture the members are, from left, **Front Row:** Roscoe McWilliams, Don Tudor, Elmo Jeffers, Elbert Seigler, Earl Darsey, Elliott Williams, Homer Fish, Ewel Middleton, J. W. Drace and Arvil Craven. **Center row:** Lamar Guthrie, Sadie Jenkins, Ruth Tison, Erin Campbell, Frankie Watson, Vesta Plemons, Claude Stearns, Mary Moore, Leora Barton, and Orena Montgomery. **Back row:** Connie Ross

McWilliams, Frankie Meador, Lelia Renfro, Preston Millican, Jessie Lee Archer, Theresa Johnson, Hettie Patton and Grace Cammack. Three members of the class who were not present at the time the picture was made were, Clarence Groves, Eldred Seigler and Gilbert (Buck) Waybourn. In the class of 32 members, there are 21 still living. Those deceased are: J. W. (Dub) Drace, Vesta Plemons, Clarence Groves, Don Tudor, Frankie Watson, Roscoe McWilliams, Earl Darsey, Orena Montgomery, Hettie Hutto, Lelia Renfro and Elliott Williams.

GRADE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll for Motley County Grade School for the first six weeks of school has been released by Principal J. E. Edwards, including from the second grade through the sixth grades. The list is as follows:
SECOND: Jeffrey Burkes, Richard Potts, Tammie Brown, Kim Hand, Robin Isbell, Kim Phillips, Ester Zarate, Cody Christian and Daniel Likes.
THIRD: Shirrar Ashley, Chad Stephens, Christene Guerrero, Tracey Jackson, Jelene Long, Kimberly Moore, Dedra Roys, Alice Moreno.
FOURTH: Rebecca Burditt, Carla Christian, Thomas Garst, Cris Gwinn, Holly Hobbs, Melba Mangram, Deanne Phillips, Renee Renfro, Vivian Sims, Melea Taylor, Wade Vandiver, and Martina Vega.
FIFTH: Brent Campbell, Roy Thompson, Darla Dempsey, Jan Ethridge (Hart) Delynn Timmons, and Kayla Johnson.
SIXTH: Kim Campbell, Derinda Crum, Shelley Jackson, Carlene Luckett, Jeanett Moore, Rhonda Stephens and Wesley Stafford.

SEMI-FINALIST FOR NATIONAL MERIT HONOR

Kelly Wason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wason of Plainview, is one of five Plainview High School students who have been named semi-finalists in the 1975-76 National Merit Scholarships program.

The announcement was made recently by PHS principal Lament Veatch, who said that the semi-finalists are the highest scoring students in each state who took the preliminary test in 1974. "They represent the top half of one per cent of the nation's most academically talented young people," he said. Over one million students from more than 17,000 high schools entered the 1976 Merit Program. The number in each state is proportional to the state's percentage of the nation's graduating high school senior class, Veatch explains.

Don Wason and his wife, the former June Spray were reared in Matador and are graduates of Matador High School, class of 1949.

REMEMBER
 Boy Scouts to sell light bulbs in Nov.

Beat Amherst

Flomot News

Mrs. H. R. Jameson
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Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown of Idalou visited Sunday with Mrs. Hattie Snow.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Martin visited in Lockney Sunday with his uncle, Mark Martin and C. W. Starkey, patients in the Lockney General Hospital. They also visited at the Lockney Nursing Home with Mrs. W. H. Rogers and Mrs. Dora Harris.
 Attending the funeral services for Mrs. Hallie Johnson, Thursday at the Church of Christ in Quitaque and the graveside services in Silverton, were Mesdames Wade Martin, Gordie Washington, H. S. Gilbert, Viola Calvert and A. W. Martin. Mrs. Johnson, 90, was born on the Mott Camp on the Floydada Caprock, December 1884.
 Mrs. Gene Clary and Debbie of Tulia visited here Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn. Visiting them Wednesday was Mrs. Garland Francis of Silverton.
 Mrs. Viola Calvert visited last week in Muleshoe with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Max Bush.
 Mrs. Bert Cloyd and Mrs. P. H. Morris attended to business in Plainview, Thursday and again Monday.
 Tommy Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross, attended a slumber party at Bill Palmer's home in Roaring Springs, Friday night.
 Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert, Gwen and Glen were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook of Childress.
 Mrs. Joe Degan attended to business in Plainview, Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Monk visited in Tulia, Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cannon.
 Mrs. Johnny Speer met her son, Bill Turbyfill of Post, in

Lubbock, Wednesday. Mr. Turbyfill was there for a medical appointment.
 Anita Hunter of Tahoka visited Sunday with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter, Susan and Randy.
 Mrs. P. H. Morris attended the Motley County Singing Convention in Matador, Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Calvert of Quitaque visited his mother, Mrs. Viola Calvert, Saturday.
 Jim Bob and Alissa, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hambright of Floydada, visited Saturday and Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.
 Mrs. A. D. Moseley attended to business in Plainview, Tuesday and continued to Lamesa to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis. She returned home Saturday.
 Gwen Calvert and Tommy Ross are on the sick list this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bynum, Kani and Bart attended the Texas Tech Rodeo in Lubbock, Saturday night.
 Mrs. P. H. Morris attended to business in Quitaque and Turkey, Friday.
 Overnight guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis, Karen and Karla of Hart. Sunday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and children. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham of Hart and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Cindy and Christi.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin visited his brother, Mark Martin of South Plains, a patient in the Lockney General Hospital in Lockney, Friday and Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hill of Amarillo were week end guests of her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Clark. Mrs. Ed Jameson of Matador visited them Monday.
 Virgie Blakney of Turkey and Tom Ross attended a Farmers' Union meeting in Childress, Tuesday night.

him Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Starkey of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkey of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reid and Timothy of Amarillo and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey and Rev. Raymond Crowder.
HOME FROM VISIT
 Mrs. Jess Patrick of Breckenridge came Friday and accompanied her mother, Mrs. J. B. Barton, to visit Mrs. Ronette Jones in Denton, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Amburn, Bill Ambers and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Amburn in Tulsa. Sunday they visited in Carter, Okla. with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Aldridge and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ripptoe. When returning home Monday, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jones and children, Tommy Jones, Mrs. Don Hatch and Mrs. Barton's new great-grandson, Ashley Christopher Hatch, in Am-arillo.
ATTEND CONVENTION OF COMMISSIONERS
 Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cobb of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gilbert attended the Texas Commissioners' Convention in McAllen, October 13-17. They toured Old Mexico and visited at Falcon Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spears. On their return trip home Friday, they visited in Anson with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moss.
COMMUNITY NIGHT SLATED SATURDAY
 The Flomot Community Night is scheduled for its monthly entertainment, Saturday, October 25, at 8 o'clock p.m. at the Community Center. Those attending are requested to bring refreshments of your choice, tea and coffee will be furnished. The public is extended a cordial invitation.
COUPLE FETED ON ANNIVERSARY
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dean Washington were honored on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary in Plainview, Saturday night. Hosts were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Washington and son, Matt, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks, Cory and Cary and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barclay and Lance of Lockney. The former Irma Nall and Mr. Washington were married October 20, 1950 in Clovis, New Mexico. They have resided in Flomot

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CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF The First State Bank **And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries,**
Matador, Motley Co., Texas **at the close of business** September 30, 1975 **a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.**

	Dollars	Cts	
ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks (including \$ <u>0</u> unposted debits)	871,235	36	1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	351,410	00	2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	0	00	3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	831,953	47	4
5. Other securities (including \$ <u>12,000.00</u> corporate stocks)	12,000	00	5
6. Trading account securities	0	00	6
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	3,701,109	69	7
8. Other loans	20,902	00	8
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	0	00	9
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises	0	00	10
11. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0	00	11
12. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0	00	12
13. Other assets (including \$ _____ direct lease financing)	5,788	610 52	13
14. TOTAL ASSETS	4,686,507	62	14
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	0	00	15
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	39,521	62	16
17. Deposits of United States Government	180,681	92	17
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	0	00	18
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	0	00	19
20. Deposits of commercial banks	0	00	20
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.	0	00	21
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC OFFICES	\$4,906,711	16	(a)
(a) Total demand deposits	0	00	(b)
(b) Total time and savings deposits	4,906,711	16	
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN FOREIGN OFFICES	0	00	
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	4,906,711	16	
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0	00	23
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money	0	00	24
25. Mortgage indebtedness	0	00	25
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	20,450	00	26
27. Other liabilities	4,927,161	16	27
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	0	00	28
29. MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	0	00	29
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES			
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	113	549 06	30
31. Other reserves on loans	0	00	31
32. Reserves on securities	113	549 06	32
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	0	00	33
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
34. Capital notes and debentures (specify interest rate and maturity of each issue outstanding on publishers copy)	0	00	34
35. EQUITY CAPITAL, TOTAL (sum of items 36 thru 40 below)	747,900	30	35
36. Preferred stock-total par value (No. shares outstanding _____)	0	00	36
37. Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized <u>2,000</u>) (No. shares outstanding <u>0</u>)	200,000	00	37
38. Surplus	347,900	30	38
39. Undivided profits	0	00	39
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	747,900	30	40
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of Items 34 and 35 above)	747,900	30	41
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of Items 28, 29, 33 & 41 above)	5,788,610	52	42
MEMORANDA			
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	4,866	039 02	1
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	3,701	372 93	2
3. Unearned discount on installment loans included in capital accounts	26	139 77	3
4. Standby letters of credit outstanding	0	00	4
I, <u>Frank Price - Vice President & Cashier</u> , of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.			
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of <u>October</u> , 19 <u>75</u>			
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WELCOME HOME EXES for **Homecoming**





OLD DUTCHMAN SCHOOL was the second school in the county in District one, and was established in December, 1894 with 11 pupils. It was located about one-half mile north of the present town of Roaring Springs. The first term of this school was conducted in an abandoned cabin belonging to C. W. McCall. The next year, 1895, it was moved to the home of the first teacher, Mr. W. H. (Henry) Morrison. This was a half dugout. It was built high enough to allow windows about two feet square to be installed. The floor was dirt and heat was provided by an open fireplace in the southeastern corner of the

dugout. The school was conducted in the dugout until the summer of 1896 when the citizens organized and constructed the one room rock school house shown above. Mr. Morrison was still the teacher, and students attending included Lige Cooper, Edna Cooper, Bill Cooper, Mavitt Cooper, Ben Clifton, Norah Clifton, Lettie Clifton, Shelton McCall, Aletha McCall, Alice McCall, Martha Elliott, Lillie Elliott, Robert Elliott, Walker Williams, Oscar Williams, Albert Edwards, Lum Edwards, Corah Edwards, Mary Chalk, and Lizzie Chalk. First school in District One was at Whiteflat. (Photo courtesy of Louis M. Bauer, San Antonio).

reunion. I may not stay long at Homecoming since daddy has been sick and we're having our own family reunion. Our daughter and family, Jack, Linda and kids are to meet us there, and our son and wife, Richard and Sherri are coming with us." +++

Vance and Betty Campbell send word that they plan to attend Homecoming: "Understand Bill Tunnell and Mrs. Tunnell are coming - Billy called from Calif., saying they planned to be here... sounds like more are interested." +++

From Dorothy Willett Rogers, 102 W. Rampart, L-6 San Antonio: "It was so good to see a few of my friends last summer, and I'm really looking forward to seeing more in 1976 - for sure. I'll be there for our 40th anniversary." +++

Bertha Casstevens Jones from Weatherford (Tex.) writes: "As always, I am looking forward to Homecoming... thanks to all of you who keep it going. Having taught in Matador for 14 years and Roaring Springs one year, I consider myself and 'ex' of the Motley County System. Thanks for the recognition. I am enclosing the dues for Casey and me. I guess he is an 'ex' now instead of a guest. Anyway, we both plan to be there... I always enjoy your *In The Rough* and read the Tribune from cover to cover each week." +++

From Kirtland AFB comes this word from Maj. Gen. Maurice Reilly: "I'm extremely sorry to be so close to Matador yet unable to attend Homecoming this week end. My job commitments are just too heavy for me to get away. There are Matador exes in town - have talked by phone with R. P. Terrell and Raymond Rattan, but haven't seen them yet. Albuquerque is a great change after 14 years in Washington, tho we miss our friends back there... Please extend my regards to all in Matador and to the Exes of my vintage. Inclosed is a check to help cover expenses... with warmest regards from Marian and myself." +++

From Ruth (Tilson) Smith, 2414 Crestwood, Denton, Texas: "How can it still be just one dollar - it's the only thing I know of that hasn't gone up... Anyway here's my dollar I am getting so excited about Homecoming and especially about our class reunion. Yep, I'm coming if possible... see you then." +++

LETTER TO MR. AND MRS. ROBIN DARSEY
My dear friends, Yes, I am finally in England. And yes, it is just like we see it in National Geographic Magazines! The gardens, Thames and Tyne Rivers, Durham Castle and Oxford University are all here for me to see and admire. No, the English are not all snobs. They reflect exactly what I present to them. So, I smile my fool head off! They blush at my Texas accent and I laugh out loud when I say that Houston is only 150 miles from Lufkin. The English eat with the fork in the left hand and the knife in the right. The knife is used to push the food into the fork! They usually don't put water



HONORED BY VETS
Thomas A. Bourland of 5204 8th St., Lubbock, and Matador High School Graduate, class of 1940, has been honored by the Disabled Veterans as the nation's Outstanding Local Veterans Employment Representative for 1975. The citation was presented this summer at the DAV National Convention on Waikiki Beach in Hawaii. A World War II veteran of the Army Air Corps, Bourland is the veterans employment representative at the Lubbock local office of the Texas Employment Commission. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bourland.

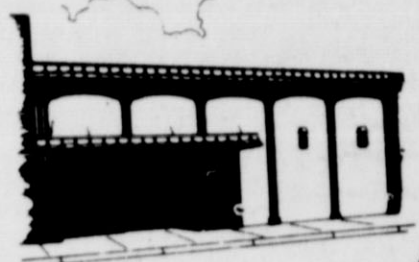
DST Ends On Sunday

Daylight saving time ends at 2 a.m. October 26, and clocks officially will be set back to 1 a.m. under provisions of the 1966 Uniform Time Act. Standard time remains in effect until the last Sunday in April, 1976.

In the words of the late Roy Hankins: "Just remember, in the spring you 'spring forward' and in the fall, you 'fall backward' - that way you will always know which way to turn the clock." One lady whom we won't name, but whose car license says Mrs. D. II will be happy to make the switch. In no uncertain terms, she has always hated DST.

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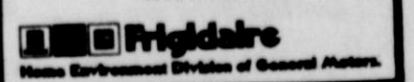
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Letters From Exes

"One of these days, we are going to be there for one of the reunions," writes Gordon Jackson, 515 San Ramon Dr., Sonoma, Calif. "I am sure we will enjoy it... hope everyone has a good time. Give everyone we know, our regards." +++

"We are looking forward to seeing everyone during Homecoming," writes Carolyn Pohl Lommer, who lives in Snyder. +++

From John C. Moore (Class 1917) Southampton, Pa.: "Good to see you, Hazel, during my last visit to Matador... will very likely miss being with you all on Oct. 24-25. My best to all." +++

J. C. Rattan of 514 Mormon St., Falsom, Calif., writes, "Enclosed find check for my dues... I am sorry I can't make it to the Homecoming this year. Maybe next year. The very best to all the Ex-Students and Teachers at M.H.S." +++

"Sorry, but we will be unable to attend Homecoming," writes Mrs. George (Johnnie) Jeffers of Paducah Texas. +++

From Don and June (Spray) Wason, 903 Milwaukee St., Plainview: "Thank you, Hazel, for your many years of hard work on our behalf. We always enjoy Matador's (oop, Motley County's) Homecoming activities so much. We hope to be able to attend this year, but our plans are quite indefinite since Kelly is a High School Senior this year and Plainview has Homecoming the same week end... also, our 11-year-old Karen is head cheerleader for one of our Optimist Club 6th grade football teams and they have Saturday a.m. games through that week end. We have them with us such a short time. Anyway... maybe! Thank you again." +++

"We will do our best to attend," write Ralph and Sallye Fletcher, 2414 39th St., Lubbock. +++

"I hope to be able to come to the reunion," writes Odie Crowell of 215 Earl St., Clute, Texas. "If I can make it, it will be Saturday, Oct. 25 before I get there. I almost have to have an emergency

to take off. I wish to thank you for the notice of the meeting." +++

"May see you next year, as it will be 50 years since I graduated from M.H.S." is the message from Robt. W. Cagle D.D.S., P.O. Box 276, Mathis, Texas. +++

One member of the 1925 Class, who does not plan to attend the 50th anniversary reunion is Lamar Guthrie of Lawton, Okla., who writes: "Sorry, we will be in South Texas at this time." +++

From Mrs. Elbert (Jewell) Reeves, 906 Itasca Rd., Plainview: "Thank you for sending the Homecoming schedule. It sounds very interesting. We are pleased you are honoring the retired teachers. We enjoyed teaching in Matador... we enjoyed the Homecoming last year so much we have been looking forward to attending this year... if Elbert feels like going... I'm enclosing our dues." +++

L. V. (New) Damron of Pampa, Texas, sends dues and writes that she and Mose are planning to be here for Homecoming. "Do you know yet if anything has been planned for the classes of '35 or '36... you've done such a great job, Hazel, which we all appreciate. You deserve a special gold star in your crown. Hope all the teachers we had can be there!" +++

"Thank you for the invitation," writes Ruth (Moore) Edwards from 1601 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin. "I am enclosing a check and want to thank you for carrying on the reunions. Best wishes to all of you - and have a good time." +++

Floyd Lebow writes: "I will be unable to come to Homecoming again this year - sure would like to tho. Here is my check for you to use in any way it's needed. Lots of Luck." He is with Sporting Goods Farmers Exchange, Inc., 1914 Ave. G., Lubbock. +++

Jimmie Jeanne (Hamilton) Straub, Class of 1945, writes that she and her husband, Dean plan to be in Matador during Homecoming. They will be coming from Bellevue, Washington, where they reside at 1106 167th S. E. +++

The Harbours, Brunie (B. F.) and Gene Rogers, Texas write: "We very much appreciate your keeping us on the mailing list to tell us about Homecoming from year to year. The program for 1975 sounds exciting, and wish we could be there. We hope every year we can make it the next year to the Homecoming." +++

"You wouldn't believe how busy we are in retirement! We retired in the summer of 1971 and have not slowed down for one minute. We are blessed with real good health and are making the most of it." +++

"Not bragging, but we have been to Europe three times, and we spent two months in the Orient, mostly Japan, besides tours in our great country." +++

"Again, not bragging, but just to show you or give you some idea of how busy we are: Gene is President of the Rogers Home Demonstration Club; President of the Women's Work at Church, and teaches a girls' Sunday School class, in addition to other activities. I am president of the Temple-Bell County Retired Teachers Assn.; President-elect of the Temple Area Retired Persons Assn.; and President of the Heart of Texas Sons of the American Revolution. We both work in March of Dimes, etc." +++

"But we enjoy every minute of it. Three of our sons and families now live in Dallas and since that is only 150 miles away, we get to see our grandchildren quite a bit. We have four grandsons and one granddaughter, ranging in age from 1 1/2 years to 8. The third son works as an accountant for an American company in Tokyo, in his 6th year there and loves it. That is why we could spend two months over there some time

back! Two sons in Dallas sell commercial real estate and one is pastor of a large Baptist church - Shiloh Terrace. "We'll be thinking of all of you and wishing we could be there." +++

"Here are my dues. Don't think I can make it this year, but would sure like to! I will be thinking of all of you. Doris (DeWbre) Scarbrough, 605 Pl. Garland, Texas." +++

"We know this will be fun for all. Even if we are not with you, our thoughts will be. Sincerely, Fred and Virgie Clower, 320 Vernon St., Plainview, Texas." +++

"Just a note to send my dues and let you know we plan to be there for Homecoming," writes Jana (Jones) Thacker of 1216 Cindy Lane, Cleburne, Tex. "Really looking forward to it - it's always lots of fun to see old friends! Also thanks to those of you who have worked to plan the schedule of activities." +++

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"Inclosed is my check for my dues. Wanda and I are planning on visiting with all of you this Homecoming, Berdena Nelson Hawkins, Lubbock." +++

"I'm sorry I'm late sending my dues, but better late than never!" writes Marion Clements Smith of 1015 N. Alameda, Carlsbad, N.M. "Unless something comes up, we definitely plan to be there for Homecoming, especially our 1940 class

Welcome Home Ex-Students and Teachers



SILVER ANNIVERSARY - Class of 1925 met August 24, 1950 at Rosa's Cafe for their 25th anniversary, with 19 members present: First Row, (from left) Mrs. Hettie (Hutto) Price, Mrs. Jessie Lee (Archer) Lancaster, Mrs. Connie Ross (McWilliams) Browning, Mrs. Leora (Barton) Scrivner, Mrs. Frankie (Watson) Damron, and Mrs. Grace (Cammack) McDowell. Standing: Preston Millican, Roscoe McWilliams, Claude Stearns, Arvil Craven, Ewel Middleton, Mrs. Hettie (Patton) Davis, Elbert Seigler, Lamar Guthrie, Mrs. Lelia (Renfro) Tardy, Eldred Seigler, J. W. (Dub) Drace, Mrs. Erin (Campbell) Shearer and Gilbert (Buck) Waybourn. (Photo by the late Douglas Meador)

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Zanna Marshall State Bread Making Winner

Zanna Marshall, a Dickens County 4-H member who has become a bread making expert, has been named the state winner in the Bread Program, according to 4-H officials at Texas A&M University.

Zanna will receive an expense-paid trip to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, November 30 - December 4. The trip is sponsored by Standard Brands, Inc., which also provides six educational scholarships of \$800 each for national winners. Zanna's award-winning record book will be entered in the national competition.



Zanna Marshall

A nine-year veteran of 4-H, Zanna has been engaged in an extensive bread making project that has even involved the grinding of

grain for flour. In addition to gaining expertise in preparing breads and pastries that are quick, easy and economical, she has also taught bread making to home economics classes in high school as well as to some homemakers in her community.

Winner of the Dickens County Gold Star Award last year, Zanna has also held the title of 4-H Princess and has won the Plains Key Award and the Danforth "I Dare You" Award.

Last year her record book on her bread project was selected first alternate in state competition. She has also competed at the State 4-H Roundup the past three years and was a winner in the 1971 State 4-H Poster program.

Zanna has participated in the Texas 4-H Congress and has held most offices in her local club. She has been a junior leader for the past three years for a sewing group and a foods group.

AFTON NEWS

(Delayed)

Visitors of Mrs. Ray Bateman last week were her niece and family, Rev. and Mrs. Micky Smith and daughter, Paige of Watsonville, Calif., and Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Hubert Watson of Spur. While here they visited the Afton Cemetery and graves of loved ones. Visiting in the Bateman home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy DeGraffenreid and Sonia of Plainview, and Dean Willmon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman visited Mrs. Bernice Burt Sunday afternoon, for her birthday. They were served coffee, candy and an assortment of home baked cookies. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Koonsman last week were his sister, Mrs. Addie Brendle, and his niece, Thelma Stillings of Albuquerque, N.M. While here they visited in the Spur Nursing Home with another sister, Mrs. Nola Small.

Jerry Slaton has returned to his job as Ag teacher at Patton Springs High School after recent illness and hospitalization.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughes were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Goff, Micky Hughes and Debbie Hughes, all of Lubbock.

Danny Roberts, who attends school in Amarillo, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Roberts.

Glenn Rose was in Dallas last week for a medical check up, and received a good report.

Mrs. Frank Ragland, accompanied by her granddaughter, Sharon Ragland of Ralls, spent the week end in

Tahoka, visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith and Cody, Mrs. Charlie Fullingim and Mrs. Wyade Roberts have returned to their respective homes, after recent hospitalization.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Howard spent the week end in Woodson, where they visited his mother, Mrs. Brazel. They also visited in the Throckmorton Hospital with an ill friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Varnell were visiting relatives in Lubbock recently and were joined there by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Varnell of Lovington, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Slaton have been in Abilene for Mr. Slaton to have medical treatments at the hospital there.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Burt were three of her cousins, Ross Arrington of Duncan, Ariz., Roy Arrington of Spur and Mrs. Dean McInroe of Roaring Springs. It was Ross Arrington's first visit in a number of years.

John Stokes is a patient in Veteran's Hospital in Albuquerque, N.M. Bro. O. L. Deweese was visiting in the Stokes home Friday, also with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister of Lubbock were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McAllister and others in the community, Saturday.

Several friends have visited recently in Lubbock Methodist Hospital with Jim Galloway and John Flood, both of whom have been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McInroe visited in Plainview Sunday and were overnight guests of the Maurice Clifton family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilberry of Plainview visited Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman, and

Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Claude Conaway, Dickens; three sons, Tommy of Summerville, T. J. of Dickens and Burrell Conaway, Abernathy; two daughters, Mrs. Ernestine Rogers, Lovington, N.M. and Mrs. Billie McClain, Arlington; a brother, Wallace Conaway of Dickens; seven sisters, Mrs. Annie Oakes, Yuba City, Calif., Mrs. Gladys Gray, Quincey, Calif., Mrs. Sally Smith, Claude, Mrs. Burt Burrell, Groom, Mrs. Mary Joe Reynolds, Plainview, Mrs. Burrell Black, Muleshoe and Mrs. Margaret Baxter, Idalou; 13 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers included Cleo Rogers, Jim Koonsman, Edgar Robinson, J. D. McCormick, Benny Clay and J. S. McClain.

Roaring Springs News

By Shirley Long
Phone 348--3441

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Palmer during the week end, were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGee and Audie of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Osborn of Lubbock, and Cecil Palmer of Macon, Georgia, brother of Bill and J. D. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Freeman spent last week in Dallas, in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Sprabery visited recently in Big Spring with their son, Wallace Sprabery and family.

John Ferguson returned home Friday from Plainview, where he was a patient for several days in Central Plains Hospital Mr. and Mrs. John Meason and Mr. Ferguson's sister, Miss Bess Ferguson were at his bedside during most of his stay in the hospital.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams of Comanche and Olin Jameson of Carlsbad, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell drove to Lubbock, Tuesday of last week, to be with her

brother, Malcolm Jameson following his surgery in St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. Joe Gipson was in Snyder for a week recently, with her husband, Joe Gipson, who is working there.

Mrs. Eliza Kingery is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kingery of Lubbock.

Mrs. Ben Dillard attended the funeral of her nephew, Flake Dillard of Oklahoma City, which was held at the South Lawn Baptist Church, Saturday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins and nephews, Ross and Kelly Odell, visited Sunday afternoon in Lubbock with Mr. Mullins' mother, Mrs. Grace Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim of Littlefield visited his sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Fletcher and Miss Lula Swim, Sunday, and on Monday, Mrs. Fletcher and Miss Swim visited in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mullins and children, Leslie, Stoney and Eddy, and Mrs. Bessie Saulcy, all of Hereford spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins and attended Patton Springs Homecoming. Visiting the Mullins family on Sunday were her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ballard and Johnnie Lee of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Palmer gave the program, and the Lord's Prayer was recited in unison, to close the meeting. Refreshments were served to those mentioned and the following: Mesdames Ruby Burt, Elizabeth Fletcher, Ray Zabielski and M. G. Bethard, and Miss Freda Keahey.

(Delayed)
Miss Lula Swim and Mrs. Elizabeth Fletcher visited in Fort Worth recently with their brother, S. A. Swim and family, then went to Plano, Saturday and visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCollom. Mrs. Ruby Burt accompanied them as far as Decatur and visited her sister, Mrs. Floyd Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim of Littlefield visited Sunday, with his sisters, Miss Lula Swim and Mrs. Elizabeth Fletcher.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moore were their daughter, Mrs. Ed Hall and Budd of Odessa; a granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fulton and Autumn, from Columbus, A. F. B. Miss., and Mr. Moore's sisters and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Buck-anna of Greenville and Mrs. Ruby Taylor of Matador. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Moore

drove to Wichita Falls to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Osborn and Rachael, and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Osborn, all of Lubbock visited Mrs. Bea Sedgwick, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Martin and children of Graham, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Winegar and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin during the week end.

Mrs. Cleopatra Dozier of Ralls visited with Mrs. Roxie Lewis, Sunday. Mrs. Dozier and Mrs. Lewis taught school together at McAdoo.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller and Mrs. Ruby Burt, were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smiley of Lubbock and Mrs. J. C. Smiley Sr., of Plainview. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sheridan of Matador.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rice, Sunday, were his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie James and children, Denny, Hollie and Dee Dee, of Amarillo.

Welcome Home Ex-Students and Teachers



HOMEcoming 1974- Carl King embraces a former teacher, Mrs. Charlie Keith, after presenting her with a corsage during a recognition period in the program last year. Mrs. Keith, the former Viola Knight, started her teaching career in the Matador schools in 1928, and retired in 1973.

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CLASS OF 1940, when they were in the seventh grade. Teacher was Miss Bertha Casstevens (left) now Mrs. Harold Jones. Others on the back row, from left are: Mary Frances Hallford, Maurine Hall, Ellis Terry, J. O. Bradshaw, Grant Carlson, G. W. Ratcliff, Thomas Bourland, and Kenneth Simpson; Second row from top: Aileen Russell, Zona Ruth Scaff, Keith Patton, Lena Mae Cudd, Mary Gaines, Mary Ola Tipton, Marie Hunsucker, Wandell Berryman, Evelyn Lea, Jonita Smart;

3rd row from top: Tom Nell Darsey, Marion Clements, Juanel Davis, Pauline Odom, Lucille Webb, Glenn Woodruff, Amos Jones, Grady Milsap, Moffett girl, and Myrnavae Barkley; 4th row: Lela Carpenter, A. J. Perkins, Wiley Fulfer, Norman Harp, and W. T. Marshall; bottom row: J. D. Payne, Bennie Keltz, James Ed Russell, Billy Bishop, Elmer Gene Jameson, Lloyd Latimer and Harley Hill. The class will meet Saturday in the home of Zona Ruth (Scaff) Seigler about 4 p.m. or after the program at the school.

Art Of Saddle Making Is Dying Says Hereford Man

Saddle making is a dying art, a young Hereford man believes.

Don Nall, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nall of Hereford, formerly of Flomot, learned to make saddles in Alpine while a student at Sul Ross University.

He was working for George Nix in a saddle shop doing leather work and saddle repairs. After about a year of repair work, Nix handed Nall a saddle tree and told him to make a saddle.

"I guess I did okay because Nix hired a new man to do repairs and I kept building saddles, leggins' and belts. These were all custom made - made to fit," Nall said.

"Saddle making is a dying art. It's getting to be an assembly line job and fewer and fewer people can make one from start to finish," he said.

Nall has built more than 20 saddles.

One of his latest was an ornate trophy saddle which was presented to the All Around cowgirl of the Hustlin' Hereford Hall of Fame Rodeo in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson of Canyon visited recently with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell. Mrs. Watson, the former Kay Russell, is a senior student at West Texas University. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ed Russell.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves last week was her aunt, Mrs. Kathryn York. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Winfred Holland, also from Fresno, who continued to Fort Worth to visit. Joining them here Saturday were Mrs. Groves' sister, Mrs. Madge Renfro of Plainview and her son, David and his fiancée, Paulett Tielsch of Lubbock, also another nephew of Mrs. York, and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cole and Randalyn of Lubbock.



TROPHY SADDLE - Don Nall, Hereford, displays his superior craftsmanship in this prize saddle which was presented to the All Around cowgirl winner in the Hustlin' Hereford Hall of Fame Rodeo held in Hereford in May.



ROSEMARY BLOODWORTH ANDERSON (right) received "Elementary Teacher of the Year Award," at Lovington N. M.

Matador Graduate Named Lovington Honor Teacher

A graduate of Matador High School, class of 1949, Mrs. R. L. Anderson of Lovington N.M. was recipient of the coveted "Elementary Teacher of the Year," award this spring. She is the former Rosemary Bloodworth. The honor is given annually to an elementary teacher, and also a secondary teacher

at the annual Appreciation Banquet given to the teachers by the Lovington School Board.

Following her graduation from high school here, Mrs. Anderson attended Baylor University the first year, and the next three at Texas Tech, where she graduated in 1953 with a B. S. degree in Applied

Art. In 1966 she started working in Lovington Schools as an aide in Special Education. Later she entered the College of Southwest located near Hobbs, N.M., and finished requirements for an Elementary Certificate.

Her first year to teach was in Hobbs, as a first grade teacher. The next year she took a position as third grade teacher at Jefferson Elementary in Lovington, and taught there five years. Last year she moved to Parkview Elementary School, where she still teaches third grade.

Rosemary and her husband, Reggie, have three children, Robin Zinter of Portales, N.M.; Joe, a sophomore student at West Texas State University, Canyon, who

appears in the Palo Duro musical drama, "Texas," during summer months; and Cindy, their youngest, who is a junior in Lovington High School.

Her parents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth, and her sister is Mrs. Vernon Higginbotham (Jolene), who resides at Whiteflat.

Illegal Sport Thrives As Game Cocks Battle

BY LARRY ELLIOTT

In an old barn near Rocklin, (California) a construction worker, a railroad man, a glass company owner, and a few farmers join a group of about 40 men waiting for a cockfight to begin.

At the referee's command, "Pit your birds," the two game cocks meet, rising in a flash of feathers and flying steel.

The redhead feints, then jumps the white, feet pumping a 1 1/2-inch sharpened steel spur into the white's back in a staccato blur.

"Now shake him, shake him," someone yells. The white spins around, rolling back on his tail to drive the spur into the red's chest, shaking the red when the steel hits home.

"Now shoot him, red," the man yells. The cocks roll on the ground, each with a spur stuck in the other, still pecking.

ON ORDER of the referee, the handlers free the birds from each other. The referee begins a silent count to 20 as the handlers work on their birds.

At the other end of the pit, a square measuring about 8 by 19 feet formed by hay bales, the white is showing the effects of the first pitting. His handler wipes the eyes, and, putting his mouth to the back of the rooster's head, blows on the head and neck to revive him, seeming not to notice the blood staining the white feathers.

"I'll bet \$10 on the red," a ringsider shouts. "I'll lay a 10 to 5 with anybody." He gets a taker.

As soon as they are set down, at the count of 18, the cocks charge again, renewed by the sight of a still living opponent. The red seizes the white just behind the head and with his bill, while the left leg kicks steel into the chest and neck, finishing near the eyes with a blow that spins the white around.

THE WHITE begins a dazed circling of the pit. He flies up on the bales and runs along them until he is caught.

"A runner," someone says, amid the general laughter at a rooster that has chickened out.

The grim-faced handler does not laugh. In one swift motion he lays the white on the ground, steps on its head, and pulls it neatly from the body.

Richie C., a cocker for 12 years, explains: "If a cock runs once, he may run again. If he leaves the ring, you lose. Nobody wants a runner."

The ring is cleared. Bets are paid off, and the owner of the red smiles over an easy victory. "I've got me a three-time winner now," he says, pocketing \$100.

COCKFIGHTING is illegal in California, but this scene is repeated at small pits within 30 miles of Sacramento almost every week end during the summer.

They follow a pastime that was brought to Greece from Persia more than 2,400 years ago, one that has changed little since the Romans began to equip their birds with artificial spurs.

The spurs, or gaffs, are either 1 1/2 or 2 1/2 inches long, called short and long heels. Some cockers prefer the short, or Mexican knife, a sickle-shaped, razor-sharp blade that can slice an unwary handler's finger to the bone.

Others, especially Filipinos, like the "long knife," a narrow, curving blade that cuts life a scythe.

Each bird wears only one spur, that one strapped to the left leg on the theory that most roosters are left-footed. The bird's legs are wrapped in moleskin. Then the gaffs, set in leather, are tied on with flat waxed string.

The cocks are brought into the pit, teased by handlers, who pass them in front of each other, letting them peck their opponent, then turned loose.

After several pittings they may be so weak or wounded so badly that neither is able to kill the other. Then the referee begins a series of counts to determine the winner. The referee's word is law and there is no appeal.

Most matches last from 5 to 30 minutes if short gaffs are used. Long knife fights may be over in less than a minute.

The location of a fight is a secret well kept from outsiders.

"Everybody knows each other," Richie says. "I don't worry so much about the cops. It's those congressmen I worry about. They want to stop everything."

A bill before Congress would have raised the penalty for fighting dogs or cocks from a misdemeanor to a felony, but the gamecock provision was dropped in committee.

Congressman Phil Steward said the cockfighting provision was defeated by strong opposition from Filipino groups. "It's a national sport

in the Philippines, so they had some pressure," he said. Richie dismisses the concern of the Humane Society with a wave of the hand.

"Have these people ever seen a cockfight? Do they know what happens to fighting roosters when they get about six months old? They fight . . . if you don't separate them, they will kill each other. You don't have to teach them to fight. It's natural with them. And you can't stop them from fighting . . . a chicken is one of the dumbest animals on earth, but they know how to fight . . . If a man could hit like these cocks can, there would be a lot more dead boxers." (From a special feature in The Sacramento Bee)

NOTICE

Class of 1936, Matador High School is inviting classes of '35 and '37 to join them in a Reunion in 1976.

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MATADOR SCHOOL Faculty members in 1940: First row, left to right, Grade School Principal Vernon Doss, Coach Don T. Martin, Hugh Gray, High School Principal Bert Ezzell, Superintendent B. F. Tunnell, Wilmer Greene, Assistant Coach. 2nd row: Mrs. Una E. Martin, High School Librarian, Mrs. Molly Jameson, Grade School Librarian; Miss Ruth Poe, Miss Zona Beth Faulkner, Mrs. Melvin Meason (Mary Hamilton) and Miss Thressia Godfrey; 3rd row: Mrs. Harold Jones, Miss Verlin Reeves, Miss Mabel Jameson, Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, Mrs. Nellie Alexander, Mrs. Mae McKenzie and Miss Amy Glenn. The men were wearing moustaches, for the Matador Rodeo which was staged that year.

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We would like to express our sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses shown our family during our time of sorrow and loss of our loved one, Claude Matney. For the beautiful flowers, memorials, cards, visits and every thoughtful act, we thank you. A special thanks to the dear ladies who immediately came over to help us through a most difficult time. May God richly bless you all. Mrs. Bertie Matney, Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Matney, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shavor. (1)

Farabee Is Speaker

Opponents to this section feel that this approach to ad valorem taxation will shift an unreasonably large portion of the tax burden to city or town property.

Other opponents feel that the responsibility for setting tax rates could be shifted to Austin, rather than maintained on a local level. Some area farmers and ranchers have stated that this proposal could be a tax break for agriculture, while others have stated that they feel that it could be a threat to

agriculture. Other features of this section would provide for uniform appraisals on property between all taxing agencies, and a constitutional exemption from sales tax on food and certain agricultural products, such as feed, seed, and fertilizer. The section of the new charter dealing with the powers of local governments is also one of the most controversial sections of the new proposal. Senator Farabee said: "The new constitution would give counties many of the same ordinance making powers that cities now have. Also county commissioners would be allowed to combine some of the county elected offices now required by the present constitution. The Justice of the Peace system would be retained under the proposed charter, but in many instances separate offices for each precinct in a county might be combined into one county-wide precinct."

Senator Farabee stated that while the new charter would undoubtedly cause some increases in the cost of state government, he felt that the increase would be minimal, and possibly less than anticipated increases under

the present constitution. He encouraged all of the Lions to inform themselves as to the features of the proposed document and to vote on November 4. "I feel that it would be tragic for the new constitution to either fail or pass simply as a result of voter apathy," he declared. "I feel that the document will have an impact on the lives of Texans for generations to come, and is too important an issue to ignore."

Boss Lion J. M. "Sonny" Russell announced that word had been received that Dr. Do Hoang will move to Matador, from Fresno, California, to practice medicine here, and a report was made by Pat Seigler, chairman of the Broom and Mop Sale for the Lighthouse for the Blind, announced that the sale, held Saturday was very successful, with the club receiving \$301 for its share.

Rites Held At Spur For Mrs. McCully

Services for Mrs. Lena McCully, 81, of Spur were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday in the First United Methodist Church in Spur with the Rev. Archie Echols, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. John Nay, pastor of the Spur First Christian Church. Burial was in Spur Cemetery under the direction of Campbell Funeral Home of Spur.

A native of Motley County, Mrs. McCully died Tuesday, Oct. 14, at her home. Mrs. McCully, the former Lena Miller, was born on a ranch near Whiteflat, the daughter of pioneers Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. She married C. H. McCully, Feb. 9, 1913, in Whiteflat and they moved to Spur in 1930. She was a member of the Women's Society of Christian

Service, the Spur Garden Club, the V. F. W. Auxiliary and the First United Methodist Church, Spur. She was preceded in death by her husband.

Survivors include a son, Alton McCully of England; three daughters, Mrs. Selbia Foreman of Spur, Mrs. Joyce Gillison of Rosemount, Minn., and Mrs. Pat Sims of Abilene; four sisters, Mrs. J. H. Hardberger of Lubbock, Mrs. J. H. Miles of Dallas, Mrs. W. M. Young of Devol, Okla., and Mrs. L. A. Growdon of San Antonio; two brothers, Harry Miller of Lubbock and Fred Miller of Post; 15 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Attending the services from Matador was D. L. Damron, who accompanied his brother

and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Damron of Pampa. Mrs. McCully was a cousin of the Damrons.

TEXAS TALK

Some folks are saying the most amazing thing about the Beefalo may be that it's the only breed on record more than one-half bull. Most cattlemen agree the new breed may hold a lot of promise for the industry but many of them are hedging their predictions with a wait-and-see attitude. Founder of the breed, Bud Basolo, got everybody's attention last year by announcing the sale of a Beefalo bull for two and a half million dollars. And a lot of those first in line to begin raising the California-spawned breed are quick to praise the animals for rapid gain on basically forage rations, hardy adaptation to sparse land and nutritious meat. One of the problems is an extensive study done in Canada on an earlier beef-buffalo cross which showed poor results. Promoters of the American breed say those problems were all solved with today's Beefalo which is one-quarter Hereford, three-eighths Charolais and three-eighths Buffalo.

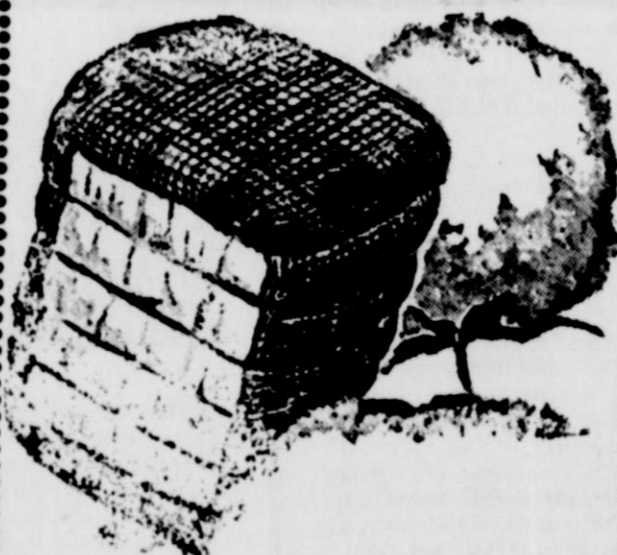
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