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TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



There is a despondency in dismantling a railroad, like leaving an old friend whose days of usefulness have ended. All the work, the dreams and the wealth are spilled along a right of way in the wake of salvage. The last whistle has long vanished into the caves of time and the smoke and steam of the last engine have gone into oblivion. The sounds of wheels singing to steel rails perhaps remain in the memories of a few, but silence has wrapped a great instrument in the passing of an era. Rails that once connected with the great, vital world beyond, have been ripped from their beds of ties. Leaning telegraph poles bear the sagging wires and suspended blue insulators are like sterile seeds on old vines. Cross-ties and bridge timbers are removed like teeth being extracted from a corpse; progress is the only monument left to the passing of a railroad.

Instant learning is claimed to be at hand. I am glad it did not come in my age when I think of the extra work on our farm that would have been my lot. Much of whatever education I possess resulted from the convenience school provided to stay out of the fields.

The frequency of mistakes often indicates the difference between the pursuit of ambition, and a surrender to the persuasive influence of the last resistance.

Various media of communication have been invented and improved in the passage of recent years, but a yell directed at someone continues to receive attention.

Someone has suggested planting records of modern music in a metal time capsule for the evaluation of posterity. This is an excellent idea, except that it would be impossible to get it all in one container.

There is a sinister shadow in judging another's conduct, since each of us shall forever be limited to a complete understanding of only one heart; our own.

SATURDAY CLOSING HOUR CHANGED BY TWO STORES

Two Matador food stores, Spot Cash Grocery and Billy's Grocery, are announcing a change in the Saturday closing hour. Effective this week, it will be 7:30 p.m. There will be no change in the week-day closing hour of 6:30 p.m.

Two Patrolmen Assigned Here

TWO resident Texas Department of Public Safety patrolmen have been assigned to Matador, it was announced by Sheriff J. D. Spray's office yesterday.

Only one officer, Ira Kuhlman of Clarendon has been named for the Matador station at present, but a second patrolman has been assigned and will be named as soon as he completes training school.

Officer Kuhlman is looking for a house, and will be here by December 1. The second officer is expected to be located here by the first of the year.

Locating patrolmen here is the result of a change in districts. In the future Matador will be in the Tullia District and in the Lubbock Region.

Club to Recognize Outstanding Citizen

A game night, open to the public, will be sponsored tonight (Thursday) at the American Legion building, by the Eternas Study Club.

Highlight of the evening will come when the "Outstanding Citizen of the Year" will be honored. Games of dominoes and cards will be played following the program.

A small admission will be charged.

Resident's Mother Claimed by Death

Mrs. T. F. McBride, 68, of Texline, mother of local resident, Mrs. Freddie Welling, died early Monday morning. She had been in the hospital recently and Mrs. Welling had spent last week at her bedside, returning home Thursday.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) in the First Methodist Church in Texline.

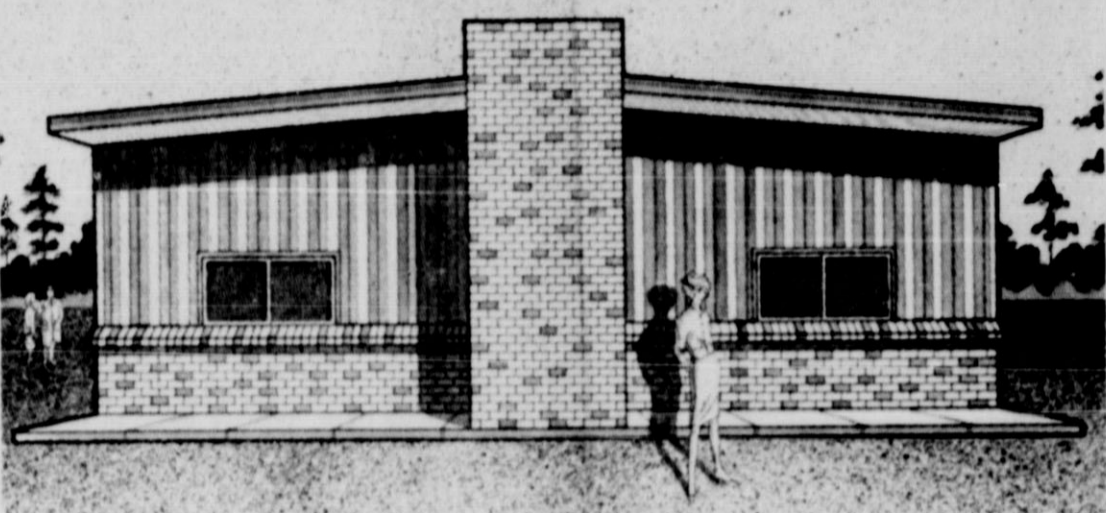
Mr. and Mrs. Welling left early Tuesday morning to go to Texline, and their sons, Jimmie, Stanley, Ronnie, Frank and Gary left Wednesday afternoon for Texline. Their sister, Miss Peggy Welling of Dallas, joined them in Amarillo and accompanied them.

Mrs. McBride is survived by her husband, T. F. McBride of Texline, two daughters, Mrs. Welling, and Mrs. Gordon Renfro of Clayton, N.M., and one son, Tommy McBride of Big Piney, Wyoming, and several grandchildren.

HOME FROM CROSBYTON

Rev. W. B. Vaughn has returned to his home here after several weeks' residence in the Assembly Home at Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry, formerly of Midland, are visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Nora Berry, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith.



FUTURE HOME of the Motley County ASC office is shown in the artist's sketch above. The building, now under construction, is located at the corner of Dundee and Eubank Streets, immediately east of the City Hall. Above drawing shows the front elevation on Dundee Street. The building is owned by James Stanley and will be leased by the government agency. Original schedule for completion was December 22, but a delay in steel delivery may extend the time slightly, it has been announced.

Methodist Church Harvest Festival To Be Held Sunday

First Methodist Church will hold its third annual Harvest Festival Sunday, Nov. 24 with special morning services.

Dr. J. Edmond Kirby of Lubbock, Conference treasurer will bring the message for the occasion.

Sunday School will not be held, Rev. John Fitzgerald, pastor, announced. The worship service will start at 10:30, and will include special music by the church choir. This will be the only service of the day.

Lunch will be served in the church basement at the noon hour.

The church takes this means of receiving special offerings from the membership to pay conference commitments for the entire year.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Daffern of San Bernardino, Calif., visited here during the week end in the homes of his brothers, Albert, Jeff and Jim Daffern, and with other relatives and friends.

SINGING ANNOUNCED

Singing will be held at the Assembly of God Church, Sunday, Nov. 24 it was announced this week by Bruce Martin. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Singing will be from 2 to 4 p.m.

RECITAL ANNOUNCED

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth will present her speech pupils in a Thanksgiving recital Monday night, Nov. 25, in the high school auditorium. The program will start at 7:30, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff returned home Monday of last week from a visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dailey of Grapeland.

Santa's Whiskers to Shine at Parade

SANTA'S WHISKERS take a plan that would change many things in the present obsolete school system.

Plenty Of Jobs

He said there were plenty of jobs for vocationally trained students, one of the objects of the new plan, which will seek to eliminate waste, lengthen the school term, provide improved equipment, more teachers, provide better education for the handicapped and help curb the large number of drop-outs.

The narrator said the cost of schooling is far more expensive in small districts, while students receive more limited school opportunities. He said Texas could achieve national education leadership with the adoption of the plan, which would be expensive according to present costs, but by equal financing, would be only about 4% of the state's income.

Rites Held for Miss Ada Shands

Final rites were held here at 2 p.m. Tuesday for Miss Ada Shands, 84, last surviving member of the N. J. Shands family, pioneers of Motley County. Miss Shands died at 9:30 p.m. Thursday, in the Doctors Hospital at Modesto, California.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Larry Heard, officiating. Burial was in East Mound Cemetery with Seigler Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Miss Shands, one of 13 children, was born Nov. 30, 1883 in Stephenville, Erath County, Texas and came to this area with her late parents and other family members, in 1902, living here and in the Whiteflat community for a number of years. In 1941 she accompanied a sister and brother-in-law, the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Fuller, to California, and had made her home in Modesto since 1944. She had been a member of the Baptist Church for over 70 years. At the time of her death on November 14, she had attained the age of 84 years, 11 months and 14 days.

Survivors include a brother-in-law, F. C. Harcrow of Richmond, California, a sister-in-law, Mrs. Maude Shands of Mineral Wells, six nephews, Earl Shands of Mineral Wells, Ronald Shands, Oklahoma City, Okla., Jimmy Fulkerson, Lubbock, K. C. Tudor, Los Angeles, Calif., Shands Harcrow of Hughson, Calif., and Paul Fuller, Modesto, Calif., and nine nieces, Mrs. Ralph Swanson, Mrs. Otis Foster and Mrs. Ruth Henderson all of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Herman McDonald of Fort Worth, Mrs. Jack Edwards of Amarillo, Mrs. Bill McCaghen, Matador, Mrs. J. P. Truett, Lockney, and Mrs. Frankie Dameron and Mrs. Jason Sauls both of Richmond, Calif.

Pallbearers were Clifford Martin, Stuart Dixon, Cliff Stephens, Ed Jameson, Bob Jameson Jr., and C. M. Barton Jr.

Best Crop in Years Moving from Fields

THE BEST CROP in years, perhaps in the history of Motley County, is beginning to move from the fields. The total crop will not equal the 35,000-bale 1949 crop, because of the vast difference in acreage, but the production per acre will perhaps be the highest ever recorded.

Fields in all areas of the county are white for harvest and the county's four gins (two at Flomot, one in Matador and one in Roaring Springs) are rapidly increasing processing.

Some areas of dry land in the county are reported to be producing more than 1½-bales per

acre, while a great amount of the ordinary soil has produced a bale per acre. Even small growth cotton is surprising farmers in the amount of cotton it is yielding.

The cotton crop is much later than usual, but ideal growing conditions with more than usual rainfall, and also perfect maturing weather has produced the finest crop in history.

Largest Grain Crop

C. W. (Bill) Palmer, manager of Braselton Grain Co. at Roaring Springs, said yesterday that he had received over 8,000,000 pounds of milo this season, which may set an all-time record. He estimates that another 400,000 pounds will about conclude the harvest. Area in the firm's territory includes much of north Dickens County.

In addition to the excellent cotton and milo, feed crops are above average with an abundance of bundle feeds being harvested.

Range conditions are the best many ranchers have ever known at this time of the year, with a large growth of fine quality grass.

Rains during the growing season are responsible for the outstanding crop conditions in Motley and adjoining counties. Most of West Texas will yield a record harvest.

CHEST DRIVE DECEMBER 3

Scheduled as a one-day drive and designated as "Community Chest Day," December 3 will be a beehive of activity in Matador, as the drive for funds begins.

The Community Chest has the cooperation of local study clubs and civic organizations, headed by the Matador Lions Club.

The offering which will be taken Sunday night in Union Thanksgiving services at the First Baptist Church, will be contributed to the Community Chest, it was announced this week.

Service Announced For Thanksgiving

The community will join in a union Thanksgiving service which will be held at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, at the First Baptist Church. Plans for the community service were announced this week.

Rev. John Fitzgerald, pastor of the First Methodist Church will deliver the message.

Special music will be by the combined choirs of the First Baptist and First Methodist churches,

and by the Baptist Church Youth Choir. Bill Phillely of Plainview, Baptist choir director will lead the singing.

The service will also include a reading by Larry Jameson. Offertory will be a piano and organ duet by Misses Gail Lynn and Elaine Dixon.

The offering will go to the Community Chest, it was announced.

Everyone in the community or county is cordially invited to attend the service.

IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

Miss Lula Swim is a patient in room 379-C, Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. She was accompanied to the hospital Monday afternoon, by her sister, Mrs. J. N. Fletcher, and remained to receive medical treatment. The Tribune will appreciate it if friends of Miss Swim will continue to turn in news items for her during her illness. These may be sent direct to the office, or handed to her sister, Mrs. J. N. Fletcher.

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THIRTY-SECOND DEGREE MASON pins were presented Tuesday evening, Nov. 12 to Stelton F. Crain, above left, and his son Joe C. Crain, standing beside him during the annual Scottish Rites Ladies Night meeting, held in Childress. At center is W. J. Copeland, a 32nd Degree Mason and past president of the Childress organization. D. E. Pitts of Matador, right, the only 33rd Degree Mason in this area, made the presentation. The

degrees were formally conferred at Lubbock earlier this month during a joint reunion of the Dallas and El Paso Consistories, during which over 400 delegates received 32nd degree. Sixty-one persons attended the Ladies Night meeting in Childress, which featured as a program, the reports of local young delegates to the recent Texas Youth Conference. Mrs. Pitts accompanied her husband in attending the meeting.



CONGRESSMAN GEORGE MAHON presents an award to Lance Jameson, at the Annual 4-H Awards Banquet held here November 11. The Citizenship award was the only one presented by Congressman Mahon. Lance is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jameson. —Tribune photo

Church and Society

Guest Presents Travel Program At Meeting of El Progreso Club

A program on travels made on a tour this summer was given by Mrs. Allan V. McCombs of Crowell for the November meeting of El Progreso Study Club.

Mrs. R. W. Overstreet was Program Director for the meeting, held in the home of Misses Sue Glenn and Amy Glenn. She introduced the program with some beautiful thoughts taken from the book, "Gift From the Sea," by Anne Morrow Lindberg, then called on Mrs. J. M. Hill Jr., to present the speaker, Mrs. McCombs, who is her sister-in-law.

Mrs. McCombs told in glowing words about a tour to Australia and New Zealand which also included Tasmania and the Fiji Islands. She accompanied 22 others, including her 85-year-old mother, in making the trip. She brought back many interesting items, which she displayed for the pleasure of the group. She was assisted by Mrs. Hill in showing slides of many of the places visited.

Mrs. McCombs described New Zealand as "nature's masterpiece." She said the country was beautiful and the people friendly. They flew from there, to Sidney, Australia, 1500 miles north. She described Sidney as a "bustling and bustling modern city," but said that the interior of Australia was desolate because of lack of water. She thought the

Sunshine Club has Thanksgiving Party

The Sunshine Club met Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 13 in the home of Mrs. W. D. Lipscomb for a Thanksgiving party. Roll call was answered by telling something about Thanksgiving. Everyone present was thankful for blessings of life, such as health, living in a good land, and having so many lovely friends several said their blessings were innumerable.

A guest at the meeting, Mrs. Ella Freeman, 93, of Grand Prairie noted that several of the women present had been her students when they were little girls.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and Mrs. Kate Bourland led the group in four games. Mrs. Lipscomb made several pictures, and plans were discussed for the Christmas program, which will include gift exchange among the members.

Others present were Mesdames Stella Tilson, Tose Day, Ina Price, Lou Watson, Minnie Clifton, Velma Mask, Bertha Eubank, Ocie Smallwood, Ruby Rushing, May Simpson, Eula Robbins, Cora Carter, Iva Meason, Vinie Keltz, and Georgetta Smith, Misses Mary Keith and Mary Slover, and a visitor, Mrs. Bonnie Rainbolt.

Fiji Islands were beautiful, and filled with a happy but lazy people. Mrs. McCombs is planning her next trip to South America.

The president, Mrs. Robert Darsey presented Mrs. McCombs with a gift of appreciation from the club.

It was noted that the following meeting date will be open for a Thanksgiving recess and that the next program will be held Dec. 12 for a Christmas tea in the home of Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr.

The inspirational thought was given by Mrs. W. D. Lipscomb.

Others present were, Mesdames John Barnhill, W. W. Clements, A. J. Daffern, Vance Gilbreath, Douglas Meador, Lucretia Grundy, W. F. Jacobs, Ben Keltz, W. F. McCaghren, Grace McDowell, W. N. Pipkin, D. E. Pitts, Frank Pohl, Fred Simpson, Ralph Stapleton, Freeman Thacker, J. R. Whitworth, and J. L. Woodruff, Miss Mary Kieth and the hostesses, Misses Sue Glenn and Amy Glenn.

Club Entertains Husbands, Friends

Matador Garden Club members entertained their husbands and friends at a potluck supper Monday night in the basement of the First Methodist Church.

Following supper, a program on "The Beauty of our National Parks," was presented by Bill Pallmeyer, Motley County Agent, and Mrs. Pallmeyer who showed slides of various sections of the United States. These included Washington state, New York, Florida and Hawaii, and a number of National parks.

Mr. Pallmeyer pointed out that the beauty spots found in this country equal those of other nations and can be seen without going abroad.

Members and guests present included Mesdames F. C. Bourland, John Hamilton, W. W. Clements, and Freeman Thacker and Messrs. and Mmes. J. D. Craven, Edgar Lee, Keith Patton, W. N. Pipkin, Pat Sheridan, J. L. Woodruff, Howard Traweck, and Pallmeyer.

Mrs. Traweck, president, served as leader for the program. The Hospitality committee for the supper was composed of Mesdames W. F. McCaghren, Freeman Thacker, Harry Willett, and J. L. Woodruff.

Mrs. Algie Groves spent Friday night at White River Lake with her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Brown and Lesley and visited in Lubbock, Saturday with Mrs. Roy Forkner and in Crosbyton with Mrs. C. C. Renfro.



MRS. A. G. RUSSELL

Waco Woman, Mrs. A. G. Russell Caters for Weddings and Parties

A Waco housewife uses between 1200 and 1500 pounds of powdered sugar in addition to 750 pounds of granulated sugar and approximately 300 dozen eggs during a year. She estimates that she averages using between 75 and 100 pounds of flour per month.

Mrs. A. G. Russell of Waco, whose husband is a native of Matador, has earned quite a reputation in her town as a home caterer of confections for weddings and parties. She has furnished fancy sandwiches and cakes for as many as 1500 persons at a bank opening at Belton.

She often caters luncheons and wedding receptions in neighboring towns of Hillsboro, Marlin and Hubbard, including a luncheon which she served for Mrs. Crawford Martin, wife of the Attorney General of Texas, whose home is Hillsboro. The wedding receptions she has catered include that for the daughter of Dr. Abner V. McCall, President of Baylor University, and Mrs. McCall.

Frequently when she is provided tables, chairs and appointments for receptions out of town, she rents a small U-haul trailer. Her most recent large service was a luncheon for 50 women, wives of Baylor trustees held during Baylor's recent Homecoming.

Her wedding cakes, decorated with lilies of the valley, sugar bells (which she makes herself) and bisque-finish cherubs, have a professional touch which belie their modest origin. For Mrs. Russell makes all these dainties in her own kitchen.

She doesn't solicit or advertise for business. The orders come to her, and she doesn't accept all that she receives. When she caters for a wedding reception or luncheon, she furnishes all the appointments as well as the food and beverages. If alcoholic beverages are to be served, she declines the order. For a luncheon at a State

Teachers Association convention, she served such delectable food as frozen ring salad, pecan pie, baked ham and all the "trimmings." For party refreshments she often supplies as many as 250 or more fancy sandwiches. She has her own individual cutters in a wide assortment of patterns for this purpose. These include round, open face sandwiches, decorated with cream cheese roses, as well as numerous other shapes and combinations. One of her specialties is a cream cheese wafer that is popular with salads.

By Appointment Only

Mrs. Russell takes orders by appointment only, and is often booked up for months in advance. Since early summer, she has been booked for a wedding reception next May 31. She now has appointments for two June 1969 weddings.

As soon as an appointment is made, Mrs. Russell has a meeting with the bride-elect to work out the details for the reception. The frequency of receptions vary with the seasons. November and December, as well as summer months are busy times with wedding receptions. Club luncheons usually pick up after September. Business is slowest in January. Mrs. Russell has catered as many as four wedding receptions in two days.

Mrs. Russell estimates that she uses 300 dozen eggs during a year. She used over 200 pounds of powdered sugar in icing for four weddings. It takes approximately 60 pounds of icing to decorate a 5-tiered cake. Usually she keeps the icing prepared, mixing about 30 pounds at a time and keeping it stored. Sandwiches, fancy cakes and other party foods are prepared in quantities as ordered, and stored in the deep freeze until time to be delivered.

Husband Helps

A. G. Russell, who was born and reared in Matador, assists his wife with her business. "A. G. does the marketing, helps put

pegs in the cakes, cuts bread in fancy shapes for sandwiches, and assists in arranging centerpieces," Mrs. Russell said. She also employs two Negro girls, but does all the intricate cake decorating herself.

One reason Mrs. Russell does not accept all the business she could have, is her family.

"My family comes first," she said. "We have two daughters, and a little grandson. I like to spend as much time as possible with them." Their oldest daughter, Mrs. John Boyd (Patsy) lives in Dallas. The other, Sarah Lee, is 14 and in the 9th grade.

Mrs. Russell's unique business started about ten years ago, as a courtesy for friends after she had given a cake decorating demonstration for a high school homemaking class, and also a demonstration for the head of the Home Economics department at Baylor University. Requests for her services increased until it became a paid industry.

But, hers is a preferred customers business. You won't find Mrs. Russell's name in the yellow pages.

Mrs. Joe Wason of Brownwood arrived Friday and is visiting relatives and friends this week.

Wedding Anniversary Observance Honors Mr. and Mrs. John Barton

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Barton, lifetime residents of Motley County, were honored Sunday with an open house reception from 2 to 5 p.m. celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Hosts for the occasion were their children, Mrs. Charlie Scaff (Louvaine) and Blake (Bud) Barton of Matador and Mrs. Jack Aldridge (Betty Jo) of Carter, Okla., with grandchildren assisting. Mrs. Aldridge registered the guests.

An arrangement of yellow and white mums centered the refreshment table, which was laid with an ecru, hand-crocheted cloth over yellow. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with the numerals "50", topped with a ribbon bow. Presiding at the table were two granddaughters, Mrs. Gary Rippetoe of Mangum, Okla., who poured the punch and Miss Joyce Scaff of Lubbock, who served the cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton were married Nov. 18, 1918, in Matador, at the home of the bride's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. I. E. (Van) Martin, county pioneers. Mrs.

Barton is the former Josie Martin. She was born here and has lived in the county all her life. Mr. Barton was born at Bertram, Texas, but was brought here when he was only a year old. He is the son of county pioneers, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barton.

Approximately 70 friends and relatives attended the couple's 50th wedding observance, from Lubbock, Flomot, Floydada, Dougherty, Childress and Matador, and from Oklahoma.

Those who registered from out of the county included H. D. Aldridge, Carter, Oklahoma; Mrs. Nancy Mitchell, Elk City, Okla.; Mrs. Exa Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Copeland, Childress; Roger Scaff, Miss Betty Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines, Dougherty; Lee Rushing and Dovie Kendrick, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Pat King, Plainview; and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Scaff and Blake, of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Glenn of Canadian visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harp, Sunday.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

Hams Wright's, pre-cooked, 1/2 - whole, lb. 59c

Franks WRIGHT'S, all-meat one pound celo. package 53c

Frozen Pies Banquet, Mince Meat or Pumpkin, Each 33c

Big Dip FOREMOST, 1/2 gallon 59c

Pecans ELLIS, shelled 1/2's 6 oz. celo. package 69c

Marshmallow Cream Hip-O-Lite, 7 oz. jar 25c

Lucky Whip Dessert Topping, 4 oz. box. 39c

Cranberry Sauce SHURFINE, No. 300 can 23c

Celery Fresh, crisp, large stalks, ea. 17c

Carrots Fresh, pound celo. package 8c

Green Beans SHURFINE, cut Blue Lake, No. 303 can 22c

Sweet Potatoes Bruce's cut, In Syrup, No. 3 CAN 23c

Corn LIBBY'S, No. 303 Can Whole kernel or cream style 23c

Fruit Cocktail Shurfine, 303 can 23c

Salad Dressing Morton's, quart jar 47c

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1969 Yearbook Goes on Sale
 By Elaine Dixon

The 1969 yearbooks are on sale. The students in each class buy their annuals from their class business managers. The La Arena costs \$3.65.

Several changes will be made in this year's La Arena: the yearbook will feature a mosaic layout, which is a popular style for modern annuals. The yearbook will also include several new favorites which will be elected by the student body. The titles of these favorites have not yet been announced.

Another change concerns the staff of the La Arena. This year, the annual staff is headed by co-editors, instead of a single editor. These are Judy Marrs and Elaine Dixon, both seniors.

Judy and Elaine are being assisted by two juniors: Gail Lynn and Patty Edwards.

Other important members of the yearbook staff are the business managers, who sell advertisements, yearbooks, and individual pictures. This year's business managers are Brenda Bailey and Barbara Slover, both seniors.

Assisting Brenda and Barbara are: juniors, Debra James and Loretta Thompson; sophomores, Melissa Bailey and Ann Brandon; freshmen, Peggy Marrs and Krista Price.

Superintendent Charles Johnson is yearbook advisor.

The editors must send the final pages of the yearbook to the publishing company by mid-February. The annuals should be received by late April or early May.

MHS Spirit Soars At Recent Rally
 By Debra Stockton

The spirit lagged throughout the week, but soared at the Nazareth pep rally November 8. Speeches were made by Wanda Matney, pep club president, and Coach Kennedy. Speaking for the team were sophomores Randy Cook and Lee Hurt. Mr. Kennedy stated that the door to success is labeled push.

During the rally, Matador High got a real live glimpse of the Ed Sullivan Show. Star of the show, Ed Sullivan, was portrayed by Kate Thompson. Guests included: The Old Crusty Minstrels, Brenda Wason, Debbie Smallwood, and Brigid Barton; Little Dit Dot, Debra James; and Little Lu Lu, Loretta Thompson. Mary Baker was the Fresca commercial girl. Skit girl of the week was Debra James.

A twirling routine to "Thanks for the Memory" was presented by twirlers Barbara Slover and Charla Wason.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Matador High School
 Nov. 26 Lakeview
 Dec. 3 Roaring Springs
 Dec. 6 Guthrie
 Dec. 10 Lakeview
 Dec. 12, 13, 14 Silvertown Tourn.
 Dec. 17 Roaring Springs
 Dec. 19, 20, 21 Paducah Tour.
 Jan. 2, 3, 4 Jayton Tour.
 Jan. 7 Estelline
 Jan. 14 Turkey
 Jan. 17 Flomot
 Jan. 18 Jayton "B" Boys' Tour.
 Jan. 21 Quitaque
 Jan. 24 Estelline
 Jan. 31 Turkey
 Feb. 4 Flomot
 Feb. 7 Quitaque
 Feb. 13, 14, 15 Boys' Dist. Tour.
 Feb. 20, 21, 22 Girls' Dist. Tour.
 District Tournaments will be held at Silvertown.
 Games start at 7:00 p.m.

MHS Majorettes Twirl With Fire
 The Matador High School majorettes thrilled the spectators November 8, at the Matador, Nazareth football game by presenting a fire baton routine.

Instead of their usual costumes, the twirlers wore red sequin suits. The twirlers, Barbara Slover and Charla Wason, performed to "Classical Gas."

New Basketball Suits for Girls
 By Debbie Smallwood

The Matador High School girls' basketball team will have new suits for the 68-69 case season.

The suits are white knit with a black-red-black stripe trim around the collar, sleeves, bottom of blouse, and down the sides of the bottoms. The blouses have large black numbers trimmed in red on the back with small black trimmed numbers on the front.

Maverick Corral
 By Laura Jacobs

The fifth graders are learning about leaves and their functions in science.

Two fifth grade boys, Paul Price and Darrell Moore, raised the American and Texas flags for the Armistice Day ceremony, November 11.

FIFTH GRADE

Several eighth graders helped decorate the American Legion, Sunday, November 10, in preparation for the 4-H Awards Banquet.

EIGHTH GRADE

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 By Laura Jacobs

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HONOR ROLL

The honor roll for the first nine weeks has been announced. To meet the qualifications for the honor roll, students must have at least a B average in every subject.

The high school students who have met these qualifications are: seniors: Don Cox, Jimmy Timmons, Brenda Bailey, Elaine Dixon, Judy Marrs, Wanda Matney, Sue Robbins, Barbara Slover, and Billie Stockton.

Members in the junior class who are on the honor roll are: Darrell Cruse, Glen Moss, Patty Edwards, Laura Jacobs, Gail Lynn, Debra Stockton, Brenda Wason, and Mary Ann Woosley.

Sophomores are: Randy Welch, Melisa Bailey, Olive Curlee, Jeanette Day, Debra Garrison, Arieta Meyer, Debra Smallwood, and Jan Higginbotham.

Freshmen: Bill Barnhill, Andy Green, Peggy Marrs, Krista Price, Ann Timmons, and Charla Wason.

CALVERT IS MEMBER OF SPC ROUNDBALLERS

George Calvert, 150 pound guard from Flomot is attending South Plains College and is a member of the Texas Roundballers cage team. The Roundballers made their debut Nov. 9, in the modern Texan Dome at Levelland. Calvert has lettered in basketball four years. He has made all-district three years, all state, second team in 1968, and all-tournament at Hart, Matador, Silvertown and Farwell. At Hart he received the Most Valuable Player award. After finishing at SPC, he plans to attend Texas Tech.

BAPTIST WOMEN MEET FOR "DAY OF PRAYER"

Women of the Flomot First Baptist Church were joined by Baptist women from Quitaque in observing Baptist Women's Day of Prayer, Nov. 4, with a special service at the Flomot church, presented by the Quitaque women. Last year the Flomot women joined the Quitaque women for the program in their church. Theme for the program, "Inasmuch as Ye Have Done It," was bantered across the front of the church.

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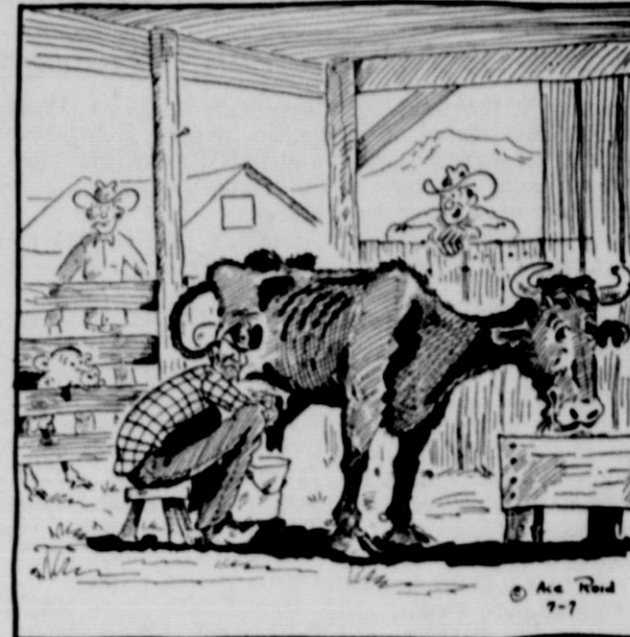
DELEGATES ATTEND 3-DAY CONVENTION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Twenty-five women from the Flomot and Quitaque churches attended, with four men also present.

FLOMOT NEWS
 By Mrs. Dan Kingston
 Phone 469-5267

(delayed)
 Coy Franks, Clois Shorter and Tommy Cammerer rented a plane and flew to Dallas, Tuesday, (Nov. 5) so Tommy could vote. They stopped at Quitaque, then drove to Flomot so that Clois could vote here, then went on to Lubbock, where all three are attending Texas Tech.

COW POKES By Ace Reid



"Hey, Jake, you always tell us what a great bronc rider you are... how come you ain't ever mentioned this talent?"

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Twenty-three delegates from Flomot attended a 3-day convention of Jehovah's Witnesses held recently in Levelland.

L. M. Dugan was principal speaker for the assembly, which was attended by 636 members in this area. He spoke on the subject, "God's Way is Love."

American Legion Sponsors Program On Armistice Day
 By Virginia Green

W. C. Pallmeyer, Commander of the American Legion, led the entire student body in a brief Armistice Day ceremony.

The program was in remembrance of the men who served their country and those who died for its freedom in World War I, World War II, the Korean Conflict, and now the Vietnam Conflict.

November 11, 1968, was the fiftieth anniversary of the ending of the "War to end all Wars," World War I.

Rickey Elliott Has Knee Surgery

Rickey Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elliott Jr., from Northfield, had surgery on his knee November 7 at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

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Matadors Lose District Rank

by Mark Hill

The Matador Matadors were knocked out of the undefeated ranks in District 2-B by the Hart Longhorns Friday night at Hart, by a score of 35 to 7. It was a hard fought contest from start to finish for the District-bound Matadors, who now stand 2-1 in district play.

Joe Quiroz, a shifty young half-back, accounted for three of the Longhorn touchdowns and a two point conversion to lead the Longhorns. Jimmie Robinson followed close behind his teammate by scoring two touchdowns with Allinsworth kicking the extras.

The Matadors, who showed great determination, were never able to click until the fourth quarter. With fine blocking from the line, the Matadors mounted a drive which was capitalized by an eight yard run by Don Cox, who also added the extras.

Friday night the Matador Matadors meet the Lazbuddie Longhorns in their last attempt for the District 2-B Championship. Conference standings are: Lazbuddie, 4-0; Hart, 2-1; Turkey, 1-2; and Nazareth, 0-4. Matador stands 2-1 in conference play.

HERE FOR HOMECOMING

Among former residents here for recent Homecoming were Col. and Mrs. Haynes Baumgardner and son Jan, of Lubbock, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Barkley while here.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Russell of Waco, who visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell and Mrs. Olive Russell. They traveled in their deluxe trailer house which they occupied while here.

Miss Pat Day, Texas Tech student was accompanied home by her roommate, Miss Marilyn Hager of Houston, also her fiancé, Philip Engle, who attends Tech. They visited in the home of Miss Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Day.

Larry Keltz, who is attending Dallas Baptist College and Terry Keltz, who attends Tech, Lubbock, visited their parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Keltz and Kelly, while here for Homecoming.

W. C. (Bill) King Dies in Ft. Worth

William Cloves (Bill) King, 75, former resident of Roaring Springs, died at 8:50 a.m. Friday in a Fort Worth hospital.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday in Asbury Methodist Church in Haltom City, with the Rev. Bill Robbins, officiating. Burial was in Blue Bonnett Hill Cemetery directed by Gause-Ware Northeast Funeral Home.

Mr. King was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Roaring Springs.

Survivors include his wife, Deva C. King; son, Dale of Roaring Springs and a stepson, Claude Morrison of Fort Worth; a stepdaughter, Mrs. S. A. Swin (Darnelle) of Fort Worth; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Service Is Held For Luella Pitts

Funeral services for Mrs. Luella Pitts, 62, longtime resident of Matador, were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the Macedonia Baptist Church, with the Rev. J. P. Alexander, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Pitts died about 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, in Richards Memorial Hospital, Paducah. She had been a patient for only two days.

She was born July 25, 1906 at Pittsburg, Texas and came to Matador about 44 years ago. Her husband, Fletcher Pitts, died in 1963.

Survivors include five sons: Bennie Pitts of Vernon, R. L. Campbell, Matador, Freddie Pitts, Matador and Homer and Robert Pitts, both of Lubbock; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Josie Lee Scott of Winnsboro, Tex., 34 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Burial was in East Mound Cemetery, directed by Seigler Funeral Home. Named as pallbearers were Jimmy Lee Harris, George Mangram, O. B. Anderson, Donnie Sims, James Thompson Jr., Charles Knowles, J. W. Johnson, Eddie Barrett, Bennie Lee Brown and Jessie T. Sims Jr. and as honorary pallbearers, Walter Jones and Lee Harris.

Residents Attend News-Photo Clinic And Game at Waco

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meador, Tribune publishers attended a News and Photo clinic in Waco, Friday and Saturday held in cooperation with the Journalism department of Baylor University. Alice Center Inn was headquarters for the conference. Members of the press were guests of the university at the Baylor-Texas Tech football game Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., R. E. Campbell and Judge Forrest Campbell also attended the Baylor-Tech game and visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Campbell in Waco. They also visited in Granbury with other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Campbell and Mrs. Carrie Murph.

Delegates Attend Diocesan Council

Delegates from area Catholic churches attended General Assembly of the Diocesan Pastoral Council, Sunday in Amarillo. The assembly was called to order at 1:30 p.m. at St. Joseph's Church by Guyon Saunders, Moderator. Reports were made by Commissions of Finance, Communications, Liturgy, Parish Structure and Organizations, Ecumenical, and Education and Social Action.

Participating in the program were Bishop Lawrence M. De Falco, Mike Mahoney, Diocesan Pastoral Council Steering Committee Chairman, and Rev. George Sallaway, Pastor St. Ann's Parish, Canyon. One hundred eighty delegates and 45 guests attended.

Area delegates attending were Vicente Saenz, Roaring Springs, Keith Patton, Matador, Clemente Leal, Quitaque, and Helen Martin, Floydada, Mrs. Patton accompanied Mr. Patton, as a guest.

Homemakers Learn Crewel Stitching

The early American art of crewel stitching was self-taught by members of Patton Springs Young Homemakers at a meeting held Nov. 5. Each member brought an embroidery kit and studied the instructions in learning to do crewel stitching.

During a business session a bake sale was planned for Nov. 23. Cakes, pies, cupcakes, candy, brownies and other specialties will be offered for sale.

The home-baked foods will be sold at the Afton, East Afton and Dickens stores.

Mrs. Dean Shaw served refreshments to the nine members attending the meeting.

Attends Recent Practice Course

O. W. Killingsworth, Combinationman for General Telephone Company at Matador has recently returned from attending a two week Basic Station Practice course in Hobbs, New Mexico.

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