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RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Only one woman has ever been a government on the Matador. She was a beautiful, twenty-two-year-old girl, Beatriz de la Cueva, daughter of don Pedro de Alvarado. Her handsome, adventurous husband had died while aiding her on the battlefield in 1520. She was more than a year before.

In September 1542 the Cabildo began its sessions and when Beatriz was named to the high office of Earthquake added to the list and broke loose a wall of fire from high on the slopes of the quivering mountain.

During the earthquake and the shaking of the city, the capital of Guatemala, the palace was destroyed. Dona Beatriz died in the wreckage of the city. She was found still gripping the railing. More than 700 spaniards and 600 Indians perished during the fatal days.

While the earth was still shaking, site of a new capital was selected. The new capital was named "Muy Noble y Leal Ciudad de Santiago de los Caballeros de Goathemala." Most Noble and Loyal City of St. James of the Knights of Guatemala. Despite floods and earthquakes it had 80,000 inhabitants by 1770. More than 100 great churches and two colleges were among the public buildings.

Early in 1773 tremors began to shake the city and on July 29 there was a violent warning. "Deafened by the uproar, the bells of the churches ringing of their own accord, frenzied horses, dogs and other animals running wild with hoarse screams and cries, bricks and stones leaping crazily from the roofs and walls, the con- quered population now believed prophecies of the end of the world was coming to pass." Santiago was no more.

The capital was again moved to the Valley of La Ermita, which it now modern, clean and lovely Guatemala City. Santiago has become Antigua.

It was a pleasant Sunday afternoon when I visited historic Antigua. Rain clouds were the soft veils being unwrapped and returned about the mountain peaks. Shadows passed over the ruins of great churches, public buildings and colleges high on the hanging rocks of the crumbling churches. Little children played in the dust before a great cathedral. Parts of the ruins were still to be seen. Raw bricks and stones, and with sandy mortar protruded from a broken wall. A row of arches cast soft shadows across the fountain and walks. I walked in the empty canyon of cathedral pillars and felt the sacredness of the place. I looked into the catacombs beneath an ancient church floor and wondered if those who had found peace here had earned the tribute of their burial place. Fresh bricks had fallen from the arched roof of the wine cellar, empty now of everything but its eternal secrets.

Children followed me through the wreckage of an ancient city. A small Indian girl led three dogs rest in my hand and others were holding hands with her. They were silent, their eager eyes watching me as I walked. Shadows of the old arches were growing longer and the steep, mountainous road back to Guatemala.

Masonic Lodge Visited By Grand High Priest

Grand High Priest of Texas Jesse Cox, was the principal speaker and honored guest at an oyster supper and regular program of the Matador Chapter No. 283 Royal Arch Masons held at the Masonic hall Monday evening. It was the first time a Grand High Priest has visited the chapter in its history.

Also having a part in the program was District Deputy Grand High Priest T. J. Turner of Stamford. Champion Cox is from Melvin, Texas.

The Matador chapter has one of the largest memberships in West Texas and received praise from the Grand High Priest for the excellence of work and membership.

J. S. Stanley is High Priest of the local chapter. The oyster supper was prepared by Companion Marvin Vaughn assisted by Alvin Stearns.

Visitors were registered from Fort Worth, Plainview, Floyd-



Grand High Priest Jesse Cox, of Lockney, Texas, visited the Matador Chapter No. 283 Royal Arch Masons Monday evening.

FINAL RITES ARE HELD HERE FOR FORMER RESIDENT

Final rites were held here Tuesday afternoon for Noble M. Groves, 66, former resident of this community, who died of a heart attack at his home in Anson, Texas, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Groves found her husband lying on the ground in their yard, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, after he failed to answer her call. They had been sitting on the porch just a few minutes previously. Indications were that he died instantly.

A son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Groves and children, had spent the week end with them, and had departed shortly after lunch, to return to their home. Mr. Groves had apparently been feeling as usual at that time. He had suffered no previous attack, although he had expressed concern about his heart, recently.

The Delbert Groves family had reached Wellington, where they stopped to visit his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Groves, when word reached them of their father's death.

Services were conducted in the Baptist Church at 4 o'clock, by Rev. Howard Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Wellington, assisted by Rev. Clifford Potts, local Baptist pastor. Rev. Jones paid tribute to the Christian life which Mr. Groves had lived since early manhood. Mr. Groves was a member of the Matador Baptist Church. In addition to hymns by Mrs. Rufus Sweet and Miss Myra Hays, both of Wellington.

Funeral bearers were Furman Vinson and Alfred Barton, and four nephews of the deceased: Donald Groves of Lubbock, Lonzo Groves of Sulphur Springs, Algie and Dick Groves of Matador. Interment was made in Matador East Mound Cemetery under direction of McDonald Funeral Home.

Mission Institute To Be Held Here At Baptist Church

Rev. John Henry Johns, recently returned Missionary from Japan, will be principal speaker at a Mission Study Institute to be held at the Matador Baptist Church on Thursday, April 17.

The Institute will be conducted by the Floyd County Association under sponsorship of the W. M. U. It was announced here by Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, president of the Matador Women's Missionary Society.

Mrs. Bert Black of Crosbyton will preside at the all-day meeting, which will begin at 10:30, with a song service. Devotional will be given by Mrs. G. R. Dowdy of Silverton. Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Floydada will conduct a demonstration on teaching methods of "Katie of the Canyon", followed by Rev. Johns' Missionary Message.

An open forum on Mission study will be given on the afternoon program, which will also include a demonstration on teaching methods of "To Whom Much Is Given," by Mrs. T. M. Gillham.

Special music for both morning and afternoon programs will be provided by ladies of the local church, and lunch will be served in the basement at the noon hour.

An invitation is extended to all who are interested in mission work, to attend, and all ladies of the church are especially urged to be present.

QUOTA TOPPED FOR CHILDREN'S FUNDS

Money Is Available To Aid County Needy

Closing Easter Sunday the drive to raise funds for the crippled children of Texas exceeded the Motley county quota according to Charlie Meador, treasurer of the county committee. He said the total amount of contributions was \$182.10.

Members of the committee express their appreciation for the generous support given the drive and the cooperation of Motley county residents who aided in making it successful.

The Motley county committee was composed of Forrest Campbell, chairman; Charlie Meador, treasurer; Vernon Doss, Mrs. Allice Cox and Mrs. J. H. Sample as members.

The funds will be available to needy crippled children of the county, it was declared.

MANY STUDENTS ARE HOLIDAY VISITORS

Many students attending colleges over the state, spent Easter holidays at their respective homes here and adjoining communities.

Students who were home included: Math Barkley, Joe Berry Meador, Jimmy Jo Latimer, Don Paul Keith, Glenn Woodruff, Keith Patton, L. C. Giesecke, John Ketchersid, and Misses Leona Martin, Elwanda Martin and Dorothy Nelson. Patsy Sheridan visited his parents Friday and Saturday, and Miss Jolene Bloodworth, student at Draughton's Business College, was a week-end visitor with her parents.

Home from Abilene were Earlene Laughlin and Gordon Russell, Hardin-Simmons students, and Algie Durbin and Dorothy Hill of A. C. C. Miss Hill had as her guest, Miss Violet Simpson of Hawley, Texas.

Misses Barbara and Gladys Springer of T. S. C. W., Denton, brought as their week end guest, a schoolmate, Miss Johnnie Williams, whose home is at Goree. Also from Denton were Misses Betty Price and Mary Juane Wilkinson, who are attending North Texas State Teachers College.

Frank Price of Texas A. & M. spent the holidays at home here, and also here from A. & M. were Sonny Russell and James Russell Neblett. Mrs. Russell and daughter Marilyn, and Mrs. Neblett and small son, Michael, had been here for two weeks, visiting relatives.

Harry Louis Willett, student as Schriener Institute in Kerrville, spent the holidays here with his parents.

W. T. S. C. students home from Canyon were J. D. Payne, Stanley Dan Level, Charlene Giesecke, Byron Knight and Thomas Bourland, and also home was Fred Bourland, student at Texas University, Austin.

Track Is Ready for Meet Here

Entries have been received from eight teams composing the 4A district to compete here Saturday in track and field events, it is announced by superintendent Bert Ezzell. He said Spur, Floydada and Crosbyton were favored for the honor places.

Ground has been cleared for the track north of the Spears gin. Admission will be free.

Senior preliminaries and junior events are scheduled to start at 9 a. m. Saturday morning (April 12). Finals in all senior events are scheduled to begin at 1 p. m.

Appropriate medals have been received by the Matador Lions Club and will be presented immediately after each event. Money for the medals was raised through the showing of the state championship football game film here last week with the fund being augmented by contributions at the spring football game.

Baseball League Managers Meeting Scheduled Monday

Meeting of managers of various teams to compose the Cap Rock Baseball league is scheduled at the Dickens Boy Scout hut Monday evening, April 14, 8 p. m. All teams in Motley county interested in the league are urged to have a representative at the meeting.

The Cap Rock league was formerly the Motley-Dickens league and included Roaring Springs and Whiteflat. First game this season is scheduled to be played May 4, however, only a tentative schedule has been arranged.

The executive committee is composed of Maurice Goodwin, Cecil Godfrey and Alvin Stearns.

TRUSTEE ELECTION RETURNS DELAYED

Reports of the five district school trustee elections held in the county Saturday, are not available. County Judge Wm. R. Cammack said Tuesday that only partial returns had been received and that it was hardly probable all boxes would be in before the last of the week since the official canvass will be made Monday. It is believed the voting was very light throughout the county. The Tribune will publish a complete return in next week's issue.

Demonstration Of Butane Fuel For Tractors Scheduled

Actual "in the field" demonstration of a new Butane carburetor on conventional makes of tractors will be held at the L. C. Harp farm near Whiteflat, starting at 2 p. m. Tuesday, April 15th. All tractor owners and others interested are invited to attend.

Savings of one half in the cost of fuel are demonstrated, with added power equal to an extra gear, according to the announcement. The new fuel also produces no carbon, sludge or oil dilution.

Club Show to be Held April 19th

Reward Of \$5,000



Prominent Lubbock Man Still Missing

A reward of \$5,000 is offered for the apprehension of B. E. Needles, prominent Lubbock business man who disappeared at Wichita Falls on March 22. He is believed to be a victim of amnesia.

Description of Mr. Needles is as follows: Wore square cut, gold-mounted ruby ring on the ring finger of his left hand, and probably carried a silver pocket watch engraved on back of watch, "B. E. Goodrich Rubber Co." He wore gold-rimmed glasses. He is 57 years of age, 5 feet, 7 inches tall, weighs 175 pounds, blue eyes, thinning gray hair that originally was reddish-brown, bears appendicitis scar, and two upper teeth are loose.

Claims for the reward must be filed in writing by July 30, 1947 and Sheriff Grady Harriet of Lubbock, will be the final judge of any claim. He may, at his discretion, prorate the reward between claimants.

SPUR PLANS FOR VET FIELD DAY

Farming and ranching veterans are invited and urged to attend a field day program at the Spur experiment station, Friday, April 18, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Information will be given on the most modern methods of mesquite eradication, feeding of beef cattle, experiments on grain sorghum and cotton, and soil and water conservation.

Invitations are restricted to veterans because veteran farmers and ranchers from 30 to 40 counties are expected to attend, and facilities at the station will not accommodate a larger group. It was pointed out in a release that veterans have not had an opportunity to visit the station in the past four or five years.

Letters of invitation have been mailed to all veterans whose addresses were available but it is known that many will not be contacted. Veterans are asked to tell others who may not have received invitations.

All World War II veterans are eligible to attend. Veterans who have automobiles and will take others are requested to inform county agent J. R. Emmons in advance. Also all from this county who plan to attend are asked to notify Mr. Emmons in advance (by Wednesday April 16) so that the station may know how many to expect.

RESIDENTS ATTEND SUNRISE SERVICE

Mrs. Claude Harp and daughter Ann, accompanied by Mrs. W. W. Clements, Rosemary Bloodworth and Keith Patton, drove to Lawton, Oklahoma Saturday night, where they witnessed the Sunrise Easter Service in the Wichita mountains, which is held each year.

Before returning home, they visited Mrs. Lemmie Day and Mrs. Lillie Edmondson, at Tip-ton, Oklahoma, former Matador residents.

Mrs. Ruby Burt and Mrs. Ethel Maze visited in Temple over the week-end.

Committee Named To Raise 5 Cash Prizes

ONLY FIVE calves will be shown in the Motley county 4-H Club show to be held on the courthouse square here April 19th at 3 p. m. Altho the show will display the smallest number of calves ever exhibited by 4-H boys in the county, interest is expected equal to other shows in which a larger number of projects were displayed.

The small number of calves in the 1947 show resulted from the doubtful feed crop in 1946 and also the high price of feed.

The excellent prize list has been arranged, starting with \$50 for 1st place, \$40 for 2nd place, and \$30 for 3rd, 4th and 5th places.

Original plans were to sell the calves to local merchants, guaranteeing the boys Ft. Worth market prices, but it was decided the plan would place the expense on a few while contributions to the cash prizes would equalize the cost and not be a burden to any individual.

Committees appointed to raise prize funds in the various communities are as follows: Roaring Springs, Ennis Moss, Harry Duval and Herman Havis; Matador, Kenneth Jeffers, Earl Laughlin, H. H. Courtney, Joe Gaines and U. L. Willie; Whiteflat, Ben Keltz, Varner McWilliams and Ben Edwards; Flomot, Ralph Stapleton and Lem Brock.

Many Die In Wake of Tornado

Power Poles Broken By Strong Wind Here

Death and destruction followed in the wake of the worst tornado ever to hit the Texas Panhandle, which struck White Deer last night and ranged northeast near the Santa Fe railroad to Woodward, Oklahoma, where more than 100 were killed. The storm missed Pampa. Radio reports this morning declared more than 150 dead have been found with property damage running over a million dollars. The small town of Higgins on the Texas-Oklahoma line, was almost completely destroyed. Fire broke out after the storm had passed.

One hundred blocks were leveled at Woodward (population 5,426) and hundreds were injured. Death followed in almost every point struck by the twisting winds. Twenty persons were reported killed at Glazier, Texas. The hospital at Shattuck, Oklahoma, had received 150 injured persons. All public state organizations and the American Red Cross were rushing aid into the stricken area.

Strong Wind Here
Winds of tornado velocity struck four miles east of Matador last night, snapping off three heavy power highline poles, disrupting service of the West Texas Utilities Company here. Repair crews were immediately dispatched to the scene. No other damage was reported.

A hail and rain storm driven by strong winds swept this area about 10:30 last night. A rainfall of 41 inch was recorded here.

New for bridal trousseaux—lace trimmed nighties of sheer Irish handkerchief linen.

Ballet Dancing Antics and Woffing Are Combined With Astrology in Senior Play

Professional actors are frequently accused of "stealing" the show and James (Pup) Price may steal the show in "He Couldn't Marry Five". Senior class three-act comedy to be presented in the school auditorium Tuesday evening, April 15.

Price, whose stage name is Donald Regan, attempts to help May Barton (Mickey Roberts) do a fancy ballet dance. His awkwardness presents a very humorous scene. Regan has turned his fancy to five lovely girls all in the same family. His method of charming them is to tell each one individually that

he is going to make his future career in accordance with theirs. He manages to get in some very peculiar situations with the dancing daughter, the actress, the artist, a nurse and a cow-girl.

Mrs. Barton, (June Meador) thinks that she can solve the complicated situation with her astrology and never admits she is wrong. All members of the Barton family are in love with Mr. Barton's boss's son—all but an old maid sister, Etta (Yvonne Simpson) and she finally tries to vamp him. To see just how this does turn out be sure and attend the play at the high school auditorium April 15th.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

And That Ain't Hay —Or Is It?

I guess all of us secretly hanker for a time to time, for the good old days and the good old-fashioned pleasures. Leastways, Buddy Richards done a thriving business reviving the old-time hayride.

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and come home by way of Pound Ridge... nine miles in all.

Not very exciting, you might say. But from where I sit it's not excitement that we need these days—but those simple country pleasures that are part and parcel of America—the old-fashioned hayride, with its song and jollity; the horseshoe games; the friendly glass of beer; and the good companionship that they engender.

Joe Marsh

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Bulane Users Told To Store Fuel For 'Winter Insurance'

A call to stock up on butane gas during the spring and summer for "winter insurance" was issued this week to home users of the gas by William J. Lawson, Executive Secretary of the Texas Butane Dealers Association.

"If your tank cannot furnish you with gas to last through the four winter months without refilling, you may find yourself without heat in the coldest season of the year," Mr. Lawson warns. "But, you can assure yourself an adequate winter supply if you store gas in summer, and in turn you will help your butane dealer serve you more efficiently."

Pointing out that many industries developed during the war use great amounts of this fuel consistently each month of the year, Mr. Lawson explained that home users burn from four

to seven times more gas in winter than in summer. He continued:

"Industries buy the fuel on a year-round basis, but home-makers are prone to wait until they need the fuel before refilling their tanks. Storage facilities for butane are not sufficient in all sections of the state to store enough gas during the summer to take care of the demands for the rest of the year. If homemakers will 'tank up' in advance, they will be assured of winter fuel."

Local butane dealers invite customers to discuss their butane needs with them at an early date.

NEW DORMITORIES FOR WOMEN AT TECH

LUBBOCK —Two large new dormitories for women will be open at Texas Technological College in time for the beginning of school next fall, with two new units for men expected to be finished for the spring semester. Completion of the four units will boost college dormitory capacity to care for 2,720 students.

Room reservations are now being made for both the summer school and the fall semester.

Fertilizer consumption increased at the rate of about a million tons a year during the war, reaching a peak of more than fourteen million tons in 1946, compared to the 1935-39 average of about seven million. Midwestern states, especially, are using more fertilizers.

VACATIONISTS ARE WARNED IN USE OF SWIMMING POOLS

Some timely advice to vacationists concerning the proper precautions to be used in water sports now that swimming pools are open, was released from the State Health Department today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Vacation days are apt to include excursions and picnics at nearby lakes, rivers, and ponds of unfamiliar depths and currents, and sometimes without the usual lifeguard supervision associated with bathing beaches and commercial swimming pools.

"Swimming and water sports are beneficial to good health provided one's physical condition justifies this type of exercise," Dr. Cox asserted; "nevertheless, they possess dangerous possibilities if the rules of safety, through carelessness, are disregarded."

The State Health Officer outlined the following simple rules for bathing and swimming in safety: when swimming, be alert and careful of unknown depths and currents; at least one hour should elapse after a meal before entering the water; upon the first indication of fatigue, come ashore and call it a day; if you become chilled, leave the water immediately; do not enter the water when overheated; learn to float, this is most important; never attempt to rock a boat in a spirit of fun never swim in water that may be polluted. Swimming close to or even a few miles below sewage outlets is inviting the pos-

sibility of acquiring disease.

"Excursions, picnics, and swimming parties contribute much to a healthy, happy, normal life, which is always desirable," Dr. Cox said. "It is by no means advisable to eliminate these excursions from

our summer program, but it is important that they prove beneficial and not disastrous."

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FLOMOT H. D. CLUB HAS MEETING TUES.

The Flomot Home Demonstration club met April 1 in the school lunch room, with ten women present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Walter Ross. Five new members were enrolled.

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making the membership twenty. Miss Mary K. Cook, Home Demonstration Agent discussed "Health in relation to the kitchen," and gave a very interesting demonstration on cream puffs with chocolate sauce. Miss Cook made and cooked the cream puffs and they were then served with hot coffee, to those present.

Several committees were named, with Mrs. Lem Standefer chosen as club leader. Next meeting of the club will be on April 15, at 2:30, in the lunch room. The subject will be "Curtains for the home," and samples of material and illustrations will be part of the program.

Each person whose name is on the club roll is on the expansion committee, and all are urged to

NORTHFIELD H. D. CLUB MET FRIDAY

The Northfield Home Demonstration Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Gladys Timmons. Due to illness, the demonstration on chicken short cake was not given.

Games were played during the afternoon and refreshments of coconut cake and punch were served to the following: Visitors, Mrs. Chas. F. Smith and Mrs. C. L. Smith of Tell, and Mrs. Katie Timmons; members: Mesdames Fay Timmons, Wilma Thomas, Permelia Timmons, Pansy Spray, Geniva Timmons, Leon McCoy, Etta Moore and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Permelia Timmons, April 11.

MARTHA RAE TIPTON HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

In celebration of her sixth birthday, Martha Rae Tipton was honored Friday afternoon with a party given by her mother, Mrs. Burrell Tipton.

Easter decorations were used, and baskets of Easter eggs were given as favors. Miss Chareen Ketchersid assisted Mrs. Tipton in directing games and contests for the youngsters. Betty Neighbors won a first prize, Jo Ann Potts, second and Sue McCaghen, third, in the games.

Others present were: Carter Luckett, Bruce Fulkerson, June Dirickson, Carmen Jenkins, Raynita Dunning, Carl Wayne Thompson, Betty Duncan, Ida Mae Simpson, Linda Gilbert, Carolyn Pohl, Howell Dean Hines, James Stanley and Kay Stanley.

Decorated birthday cake and punch were served.

Authorities warn farmers to lay in supplies of poisons and poisoning equipment early; don't let the boll weevil and other pests catch you short.

attend and bring some one. Ladies present were: Mesdames Walter Ross, Maudie Marler, Harold Marler, H. S. Gilbert, J. H. George, R. Stapleton, Malcolm Turner, L. B. Turner, and J. C. Franks and Miss Cook.

Pied Pinions BY MRS. M.

We're going back to New Orleans someday, and we're going to dine at Antoine's, just for the sake of being able to say that we have done so.

It was in our mind to do this on our recent trip "down south" and after a few veiled suggestions that finally became outright pleas that we go to Antoine's, Mr. M. finally reluctantly agreed to take us; so, hailing a taxi, our destination was named. Arriving there however, we found a line of people about half-a-block long, waiting to get in, and with an expression of consternation at the mere suggestion of joining the line, Mr. M. immediately gave orders to the driver to drive on!

The driver, evidently hoping to avert a family fight in his cab, tactfully suggested Arnaud's, so agreeing, we drove to Arnaud's. There, we could see a line standing inside the door, and again we didn't get out. The driver, then, suggested La Lusianne, so we went there, and since there was no waiting line and we could go right in, we stopped. The atmosphere was perfect and the food good, although not what we had hoped to find.

We became intrigued at a little act that would be performed at frequent intervals. The lights would suddenly be doused, and over at a table, a waiter would begin pouring blue, flaming liquid from a bowl, dipping it with a silver ladle which he would hold high in the air. Then the lights would go on again and the eating would be resumed.

By observing several of these operations we finally gathered it was some sort of desert, so decided to have one ourselves.

Not knowing what to ask for, we made our wishes known to the waiter, and sure enough, at a signal from him, the lights were out, and he was pouring a blue flame for us, to which he added black cherries, making a delicious sauce which he poured over a serving of ice cream. All this time, Mr. M. was sitting there with a look of chagrin and embarrassment on his face and making caustic remarks about what he termed our "blowtorch sundae". He was eating plain American apple pie for desert.

But we're still going back to New Orleans some day and dine at Antoine's, and there, we're going to eat crepe suzettes!

ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gravely of Morton, Texas, are announcing arrival of a son born April 6, at 10:30, in a hospital at Littlefield, Texas. The child weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces, and has been named Norman Hensley. The mother will be remembered here as the former Mabel Baker.

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MRS. MARVIN PATTON GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Marvin Patton, who has been ill and confined to her bed the past several weeks, was pleasantly surprised when a number of friends unexpectedly began to drop in Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Honoring their "Auntie Helen" on the occasion of her birthday, her two young nephews, Charles Robert and David Keith had invited the friends in for a serving of birthday cake and ice cream.

The guests were: Mesdames Pattie Moore, Hattie Middlebrook, W. T. Patton, Cliff Stephens, L. J. Barkley, Joe

Gaines, Paul Patton, Ben Matador, R. E. Donovan, Claude Harp, Bennie Cox, Pat Steadman and Charlie Keith and Mary Keith.

One hundred pounds of cottonseed cake fed with silage to stock cattle at Kansas Experiment Station increased gains 60 pounds over silage fed alone. Calves fed one pound of cake daily made more than twice as much daily gain as those fed only silage. Discouraging costs, the report says, it would not pay to supplement low-protein wintering rations with a protein concentrate.

Seek Men who Inspire Trust and Esteem

★ Four thousand years ago, practitioners of the healing arts were impelled to organize in order to shield the public from the impostures of quacks and charlatans. Similar organizations have been carried along the current of history to the present day. Today the great national associations of physicians, pharmacists, dentists, and nurses work separately and harmoniously to keep educational standards high, the impostors out.

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Impartial research poll shows that, on the average, people think we make 15%. They also think a fair return would be 10%.

What We Make

But for the year 1946, with the biggest peace-time traffic in history, the railroads earned only 2 3/4%. This is less than one-half the comparable earnings for other industries.

The reasons for this low return are not hard to find. Since 1939 railroad wages have increased 52% and the prices of fuel, materials and supplies have gone up 61%.

But freight rates have just recently been increased an average of only 17%—a year after the effective date of the last big wage increase.

What About This Year?

It is estimated that the return for 1947, even with the recent freight rate increase, will be only about half the 6% minimum return required to provide the improvements and service needed. This will be because of increased costs of materials and supplies; because certain wage increases granted in 1946

were in effect for only part of 1946 but will be in effect for all of 1947; because of increased special payroll taxes on railroads; and because of a decline in passenger business.

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The answer is "Plenty!" Your standard of living is the highest in the world because of MASS PRODUCTION. But mass production would not be possible without MASS TRANSPORTATION, which the railroads provide at low cost.

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The kind of service you standard of living requires takes a lot of money for new equipment and improvements. To carry out the post-war improvement program for better equipment, tracks, terminals and modern safety devices, a minimum return of 6% is needed.

So when the railroads make only 2 3/4 cents on each \$1.00 of their net property investment, it concerns you.

The funds for future new equipment and improvements must come from railroad earnings and also from investors. They will furnish money on reasonable terms only if they have confidence in the future earnings of the railroads.

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WARNING

Matador, Motley County, Texas, Thursday, April 10, 1947

General Talk At Legion Meet

General Fred L. Walker, leader of Texas' famed Legion which made military at Salerno and the River crossing, will be principal speaker at the annual Convention of the American Legion District 40 and 8, Saturday and Sunday, April 12 and 13, at Childress.

Colorful Army officer now commands the Texas



Dist. Commander J. R. Moore

National Guard is scheduled to speak at the main session of the Convention which will convene at the Childress high school auditorium at 9:30 A. M. Sunday.

James R. (Jimmy) Moore, Amarillo, 18th District Commander, will preside with Cox Furr Post No. 65 at Childress as host. The Childress Post under the leadership of Dr. Raymond Handers as Commander is considered one of the most active Posts in the District.

High-lighting the business session of the Convention will be

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the election of a new District Commander, Moore having announced his intentions of resigning due to health conditions in his family in a recent letter to all Posts in his District.

A meeting of the 40 and 8, Legion fun and honor organization, has been called to meet Saturday by District Chief de Gare, G. F. Branson, of Pampa. A 40 and 8 stag will be held in connection with the meeting at the Legion Home, followed by a dance Saturday night at the City Auditorium sponsored by the host Post.

A Commanders and Adjutants breakfast will be held at 7:30 A. M. Sunday at the Hotel Childress. Registration of delegates will begin Saturday afternoon at the hotel and continue Sunday morning. Separate business sessions will be held by the Legion and Auxiliary Sunday afternoon in the high school auditorium and the Auxiliary in Hotel Childress.

All delegates wishing hotel reservations are requested to contact Dr. Raymond Handers, Chairman of American Legion Housing Committee, Childress, Texas.

C. WARREN NAMED MOTLEY CHAIRMAN FOR CANCER FUND

HOUSTON, (Special) — With a fund-raising goal of \$271.29 for Motley County, Mr. Colquet Warren of Matador became Motley County chairman this week for the financial drive of the Texas Division, American Cancer Society.

Frank C. Smith, Houston, president of the Texas Division, American Cancer Society, announced the appointment of Mr. Warren. Mr. Smith also announced that April has been officially named cancer month by an act of Congress and that a

drive is being conducted throughout the 48 states to raise \$12,000,000 for education, service and research in the field of cancer control.

The Texas goal is \$432,240, and Mr. Warren, as Motley County chairman, will supply the leadership for the fund-raising campaign and help organize a year-round educational program about cancer.

Former Governor Coke R. Stevenson is honorary chairman for the state drive. Gov. Stevenson pointed out that cancer deaths have increased in recent years until the deadly disease is now killing one person every three minutes in the United States and will kill approximately 184,000 Americans in 1947.

MRS. U. L. WILIE IS FORT WORTH VISITOR

Mrs. U. L. Willie spent the past week in Fort Worth as the house guest of Major and Mrs. Frank L. Young. While there she attended the stage performance of "Oklahoma" and also had a number of luncheons and dinner parties given in her honor.

Mrs. James Neblett of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock, spent Easter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell, parents of the two ladies.

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IT MAY HAPPEN! WHY?

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There is no surplus. Eggs are disappearing as fast as they are being laid. And far too few baby chicks are being started to meet the demand for poultry and eggs next fall.

Poultry experts don't need a crystal ball to predict this coming shortage and high eggs and poultry prices. They just look at these cold facts of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture which tells the story:

These Facts Point To High Egg and Poultry Prices

1. At the season when eggs would normally be moving into storage in great volume, stocks of shell eggs are dwindling. In February this reduction amounted to 70,000 cases. On March 1 there was only about half an egg in storage for every American. A year ago there were 1 1/2 million cases -- about 7 times as many.
2. Frozen eggs in storage decreased by 7 million pounds in February as compared to an increase of 6 million pounds in February a year ago.
3. Egg production in February was 4% below a year ago due to 6% fewer layers.
4. Americans are eating eggs at a record rate because of high purchasing power and high meat prices.
5. There were 55 million fewer chickens on farms January 1 than there were a year ago.
6. Virtually all signs point to an excellent grain producing season in 1947 which normally means lower feed prices. A record wheat crop and another 3 billion bushel corn crop are forecast.

It's A Good Year To Start Chicks

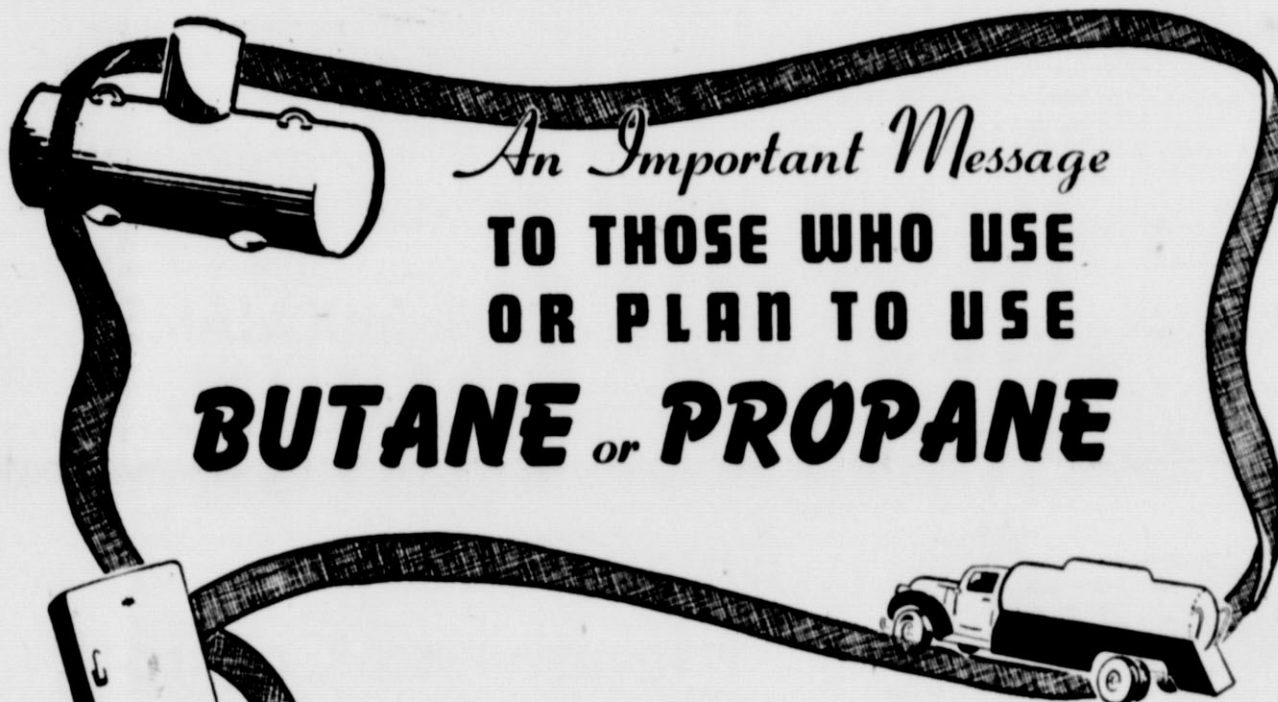
Yes, eggs may sell for a dollar a dozen next fall, but you'll have to start chicks this spring -- to cash in on this golden opportunity.

Our advice is to buy good chicks and start them right. Feed them Purina Chick Startena to get them off to a flying start. It's America's Favorite Chick Starter for Life and Growth and this year it's the best Purina ever made. We have a good supply in stock. Come in and see us for chicks and all your chick raising needs.

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The Texas Butane Dealers Association urges you to drop in to see your local gas dealer as soon as possible. Consult him before you buy any system. He knows butane and propane, and he will do everything he can to cooperate with you for next winter--Now!

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"THERE IS GLORY ENOUGH FOR ANY MAN TO LIVE AND DIE A TEXAN."

John Russell made a business trip to Houston, last week.

NEW BUILDINGS TO ALLEVIATE CROWDED CONDITIONS AT TECH

LUBBOCK—Greatly increased facilities in classrooms and laboratories at Texas Technological College by next September were indicated this week when representatives of the Federal Works Agency reported contract negotiations near completion for moving surplus buildings to Tech from Camp Bowie and Hondo Army Air Field.

Under the program, Tech will provide building sites and utilities for the 29 buildings and FWA will carry the expense of moving them in.

The new buildings will do much to alleviate crowded conditions on the campus, Pres. W. M. Whyburn stated, predicting that regular night classes may be discontinued next fall if enrollment stays about the same as it is now.

Among the buildings to be moved to the campus are seven classroom buildings, space for four laboratories for general science, mechanical engineering and electrical engineering, three ROTC buildings, a dispensary, a clinic, a cafeteria, a faculty office building, a building for book storage and six other storage buildings, two maintenance shops, an auditorium and a veterans' guidance center.

Tech College Students Ready For Annual Rodeo April 11-12



TECH COWBOYS AND COWGIRLS—On the corral fence ready for the rodeo are these Tech students. The college is observing annual All Western Days April 11 and 12 with two all-college rodeos, a down town parade, chuck wagon breakfast

and all western dance. A portion of the contestants shown here are, left to right: Front row, Wesley Martin, Westover; Bob Mendenhall, Wichita Falls; Bill Reid, Clarendon; Top row, Patsy Jones, Fluvanna; Jim Brown, Del Rio; Margaret Clark, Van Horn; Eloise Fambro, Breckenridge; Helen Calcote, Rankin; Nora Faye Long, Midland; Charles Hudson, Sea-graves; James Wallack, Seymour; James Reed, Lubbock; James Heath, Holly, Col. Horseback are Howard Fowler, Level-land, and Bob Magee, San Angelo.

BAPTIST SPEAKER



Using as his subject next Sunday, "You Must Reckon With God," Dr. J. W. Middleton of Atlanta, Georgia, will give his second message of the current Baptist Hour series on the general subject, "Christ the Answer," as announced by the Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, S. F. Lowe, Director, Atlanta.

The Atlanta announcement further states that in harmony with a territory-wide emphasis on soul winning, the Baptist Hour is promoting a movement to form a prayer league of one Million Christians who will pray daily for the spiritual awakening America must have to fill her place in bringing in the Kingdom of God.

The Baptist Hour speaker for the two Sundays, April 20 and 27, will be Dr. C. E. Matthews of Dallas, Texas, on the subjects "God's Universal Indictment" and "Man's Greatest Need."

FLOMOT SENIORS TO PRESENT CLASS PLAY THURSDAY, APRIL 17

Something different, something new is the cry that goes up from all community groups when seeking a new play, and the senior class of Flomot High School believe that they have found just that in "His Name Was Aunt Nellie," which they will present next Thursday evening, April 17, at 8:00 o'clock.

Admissions are 15c, 25c and 35c, and the play will be in the high school auditorium. Written by Andrew Jameson, the play is a side-splitting farce, and tells what happens when Aunt Nellie, a gay old "lady" comes to live with her prim New England relatives, the Baldwins.

The cast includes: Archie Baldwin, a prosperous small-town banker, Melvin Pope, Bertha, his wife, Gwen Craft, Sheila, his daughter, age 19, Louise Lee, Fred, his son, age 17, Calvin Monk, Joyce, another daughter, age 15, Dena Martin, Cleo, their colored maid, Wayne Martin, Ed Saunders, a neighbor, Frank Fisher, Mabel, his wife, Evelyn Pope, Jerry Parkham, a young actor who tries to imitate three people at once, Wesley Cagle, Mr. Van Dilling, president of the bank, Jerrel Martin.

Miss Inez Gilbert is coaching the performance.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton are announcing the arrival of a small daughter, Helen Sue, weight 5 pounds, 12 ounces, who was born at Traweek Hospital on Thursday, April 3, at 10:30 p. m.

A son, weight six pounds and one ounce, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. O'Hara of Turkey, April 6, at Stanley Clinic. He was named Alton Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Taylor of Quitaque are parents of a son, Tommy Carline, born April 7 at Stanley Clinic. He weighed eight pounds, five ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Fulker-son and children, Gerald and Nola Lee, were visitors here over the week end, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tipton, also her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meador.

The Baptist Hour may be heard in Texas over radio stations KGNC, Amarillo; KRIC, Beaumont; WFAA, Dallas; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio, 7:30 CST Sunday morning, and over KCRS, Midland 7:30 CST the following Sunday morning.

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Visitors At Chapel

Many visitors attended the chapel program presented by the primary department of the Matador elementary school this week. Among the visitors were several classes from the Roaring Springs elementary school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bird and son Charles of Midland, visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

They were accompanied home by Mrs. Bird's mother, Mrs. Harrison Williams, who will visit in their home through the summer.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nelson were two daughters, Miss Gleda Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vaughn and small son, Larry Earl, of Lubbock, also Mrs. Nelson's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Loftin Bennett of Lubbock, and an aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Will Gardner of Jayton.

Returns From Visit

Marilyn Kay Stanley, small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanley, returned home Friday after visiting relatives in McAlester, Oklahoma and Wichita Falls. Accompanying her here were two aunts, Mrs. Vernon Mitchell of Houston and Miss Lennie Stacy of Wichita Falls, who visited in the Stanley home over the week end.

Matador IOOF Lodge

Meets every Thursday night Noble Grand L. Rattan Secretary, E. S. Jones
All visitors and brothers welcome.

News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Acker and daughter Carolyn of Abilene, formerly of this vicinity, spent Easter holidays visiting relatives and friends at Whiteflat and Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett accompanied their son, Harry Louis, back to Kerrville and also visited in San Marcos with her mother.

Mrs. G. N. Wilson of Lubbock spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meador.

Miss Dora Ratcliff, Lubbock, was a week end holiday visitor here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ratcliff.

APPENDECTOMY

John Ray Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hunter of Roaring Springs, underwent an appendectomy at Stanley Clinic, Friday.

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"I like this," she said, "but why the change in pattern?"

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"Please get up," she pleads again. This time it's not as sweet as the first. This time you turn over, and wish you had come home earlier. The third time Mother calls, she is angry, so you drag yourself out of bed. The floor starts spinning, you grab for a chair that isn't there.

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These reductions were made not because of a decline in demand, but because we believe it is more important to this country than ever the prices of the goods people buy. While prices have not been changed on all products, we have made reductions wherever possible, in the amounts possible. Prices of many of our most popular products have been substantially lowered.

Together, more than half of the company's customers will be benefited by the reductions, which range from 1% to 23.8% and from \$2.50 to \$100 per item, based on list prices, F.O.B. factory.

Since the people have demanded that the government withdraw from price control in the future, the responsibility to keep prices in line is back where it should be—in the hands of business and industry. The business outlook is as possible for us to move toward the goal of lower prices, and we have felt a duty to do so as promptly as possible.

Our ability to maintain these lower prices depends on the supply and price of materials bought from others and on uninterrupted production at reasonable wage levels.

The prices listed here carry out our announced policy that "Any price is too high if it can be reduced."

More Types of Products

—52 models reduced from \$9.00 to \$20.00 (2.2% to 10.7%).
—13 basic models reduced \$5.00 to \$10.00 (5.0% to 7.4%).
—8 and Middlebushers—7 models reduced \$5.00 in each case (2.8% to 4%).
—Planters—4 basic models reduced \$5.00 in each case (3% to 4.8%).
—Drills—11 models reduced \$14.25 to \$20.00 (1.4% to 6.3%).
—2 basic models reduced \$4.00 and \$11.50 (2.2% and 5%).
—Rake—1 model reduced \$5.00 (5.5%).
—Hay Baler—1 model reduced \$75.00 (4.1%).
—Propelled Combine—1 basic model reduced \$122.50 (4%).

The floor is hard and cold as you hit it. You drag yourself to the breakfast table, and over a black cup of coffee, you swear you'll never do it again. But you know, they say history repeats itself.

—M. H. S.—
Freshman, "Mom, can I go out tonight?"
Soph., "Bye, folks. Be home early."
Junior, "Going out, dad. Be in at ten."
Senior, "So long, folks. I'll bring the milk in."

—M. H. S.—
Mr. Gilbreath, as he erased the board: "I shall now demonstrate what I have in mind."

—M. H. S.—
WHAT GIRLS DON'T LIKE IN BOYS.

Chareen, "I wish they would not just read the ads about bad breath, and not do anything about it."
Nell, "I don't like boys. Period."

Bugs, "I don't like for them to use too much hair oil. Some do, you know?"
Mickey, "Their hateful ways."
Virginia, "Boys are OK."

Mary, "I'd rather not have it printed."
Billy Taylor, "Lack of manners and no sense of humor."

Billy Frank, "Conceit, sloppiness, and jealousy."
Ed. Note—Don't take it too hard, boys! Your turn's coming.

—M. H. S.—
Kampus Klatter

Hiya, everyone! How's everyone coming these days? From what we noticed over the week end, everything seemed to be doing what comes naturally!

Billy Frank and Mac McDonald seem to be getting up a case! They were seen at the preview Saturday.

Guess what! Annie B. and Jack Woods were together Sunday night! Heard that a bunch of kids went to Floydada Sunday night! Mickey and Lewis, Margaret and Lee Roy (incidentally, Margaret is way, way up in the clouds since Lee Roy's home! Tootie and June were together. Feature that! and

FARM NEWS

By Richard H. Alexander
Administrative Officer
Matley County ACA

CCC To Pool 1946 Loan Cotton
This is to give notice to all cotton producers holding 1946 CCC Loan cotton that on August 1, 1947, this cotton will be pooled for producers accounts and sold by CCC. Producers have until July 31 to sell and should give serious consideration to marketing their loan cotton rather than having it pooled. Remember July 31 is the last day you have to complete sales transactions.

Time To Get Prior Approvals
This is to notify the farmers of Matley County that April 15 is the closing date to get your prior approval for the summer fallow practice and that May 1st is the last day for issuing prior approvals for Contour Farming, Strip Cropping on Contour, and Strip Cropping not on Contour. Every practice you carry out with AAA assistance will require the prior approval of the County Committee. Please keep this in mind and make your request for a prior approval before you begin any practice.

New Closing Date for Reporting Austrian Winter Peas
The state committee has set May 15 the closing date for reporting a satisfactory cover crop of Austrian Winter Peas. The state committee feels that the extra time will help the Austrian Winter Peas meet specifications set up in the 1947 State Handbook. The specifications state that a satisfactory cover crop will be established before payment can be made for this practice. Please keep this in mind and make your Preference Report before May 15.

Did You Know . . .
Improper cultivation may be observed with the naked eye in the rivers of America. In one year 100,000,000 tons of the richest farmland in the United States is swept away by the Missouri River and deposited on the bottom of the Gulf of Mexico. This is the equivalent of a 100-acre farm every five minutes. "Erosion has already eaten away one third of America's top soil, that part of the land which

Shorty and Fud. Well! James White and Annette were together Sunday night, we hear! Jimmie Lee, Davis and Jelly Williams enjoyed the show Sunday evening!

Norman Seigler and Patti Pipkin are the outstanding couple of the week! They were together Sunday night!

Carol and Truman were with each other Sunday night, too! That's all of the do-it for this week! See ya soon!

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Flower News

By Mrs. Bernice Gates

Pfc. Billy Joe Clark, who is stationed at Randolph Field, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Clark, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Webb and son, Lowell, of Morton, visited in the W. H. Webb home Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter of Denton and Harold Palmer of Dallas were week end visitors in the J. L. Speer home.
Miss Gloria Cagle of Lubbock visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cagle over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Amonett of Wolforth visited in the R. W. Amick home Sunday.

Sweet potato meal, increasingly popular Southern livestock feed, is good for poultry, too. Louisiana Experiment Station had good results using it as 20 to 25% of the mash mixture to replace other carbohydrates in chick rations.

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WAYLAND ELECTS SUCCESSOR TO DR. McDONALD

PLAINVIEW (Special) Trustees in a called meeting here recently elected Dr. J. W. "Bill" Marshall of Richmond, Virginia, to succeed Dr. George W. McDonald as president of Wayland Junior College.

Dr. McDonald will retire July 31, as president emeritus after heading the school administration for 27 years.

The new president has served for the past five years as personal secretary of the Foreign Missions Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Prior to that time he was secretary of the Baptist Student Union of Texas, a position he held for 3 years. Dr. Marshall is a former pastor of the University Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

Dr. Marshall is young, married, and the father of two children. Dr. Marshall was born in a covered wagon in Oklahoma. He attended the University of Kansas, Baylor University, Texas Christian University, and received his doctorate from Hardin-Simmons University. He is a graduate of the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Dr. A. D. Foreman, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church of Amarillo and a member of the

Wayland Board of Trustees, said Dr. Marshall knows "schools and students inside and out" in his announcement following the meeting recently.

The new administrator has traveled extensively in the Orient, Europe, and South America in connection with his mission work and has visited numerous colleges in this country while selecting mission personnel.

Wayland College, supported by the Baptist General Convention, has an enrollment of 400 students. At present the 37-year-old school is undertaking a three-quarter million dollar expansion program. A new \$250,000 Boys Dormitory is nearing completion. A Girls Dormitory will be built and the main buildings will be remodeled and enlarged.

J. A. Fortenberry of Lubbock is chairman of the college board. Dr. John W. Cobb is dean of the school.

Dr. T. O. Boothe, chief veterinarian for the State Live Stock Sanitary commission, says the necessity of extreme sanitation in handling of meats and in protecting livestock health is far more important now than it was fifty years ago, because of the increase in bacteria present. He also declared that livestock auction sales which have no live-stock health supervision offer one of the principal means of spreading livestock disease.

SPRINGS SENIORS SCHEDULE PLAY FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

Roaring Springs Seniors dare you to attend their class play, "Here Comes Charlie" Friday night (April 11) and not laugh. The three-act comedy will be staged in the auditorium, with curtain at 8 p. m.

The cast includes Joan Green as Charlie Hopps, Robert Duran as Larry Elliott, Docia Redd as Mrs. Fanny Farnham, Herman Phelps as Ted Hartley, Raynita Martin as Vivian Smyth-Kersey, Billie Yandell as Mrs. Caroline Smyth-Kersey, J. C. Smiley as Mortimer Smyth-Kersey, Melvin Holcomb as officer Tim McGill, Lillie Gwinn as Nora Malone and Norton Dye as Aleck Twiggs.

Admission prices will be 20c and 35c. The public is extended an invitation to attend and enjoy the play.

GENE AUTREY COMING TO LUBBOCK, JUNE 11

South Plains will have the opportunity of seeing Gene Autrey and his horse Champ, jr., appear with Everett Colburn's Rodeo at Lubbock, June 11-14, in the same RCA approved show presented each year in Madison Square Garden.

The rodeo is an annual event sponsored by the Lubbock American Business Club for the purpose of raising funds to finance the building and expansion of the Lubbock Boys Club.

Autrey's Lubbock appearance will be one of the seven he will make this year outside of

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California. The western screen and radio star will also make his weekly broadcast over the Columbia Broadcasting System from Lubbock following the rodeo.

Colburn, whose headquarters are at Dublin, Texas, is widely known in rodeo circles as the producer of top-notch performances with the best hands in the business.

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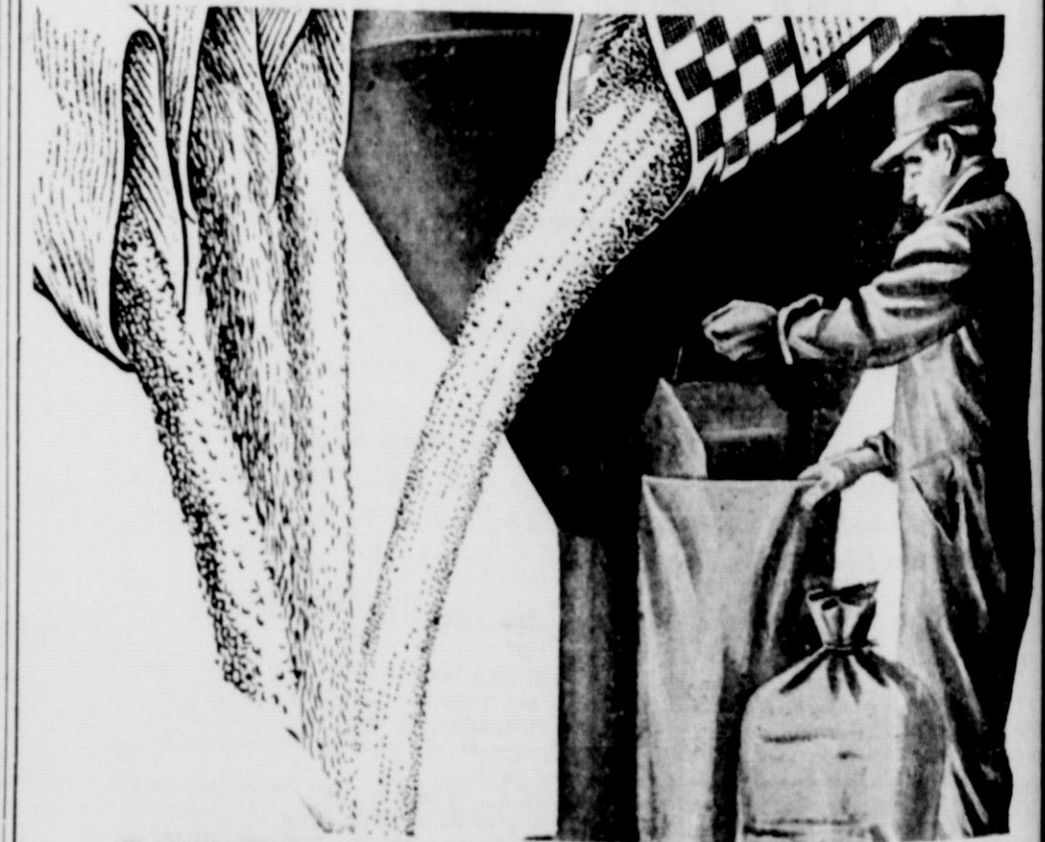
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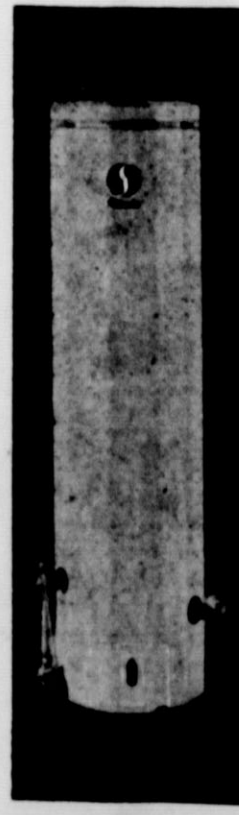
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September 12 Quitaque at Matador
September 19 Turkey at Turkey
September 26 Amarillo at Matador
October 3 Dalhart at Dalhart
October 10 Spur at Spur
October 17 Ralls at Ralls
October 20 -- Open date
October 31 Floydada at Matador
November 7 Crosbyton at Crosbyton
November 14 Lockney at Lockney
November 21 -- Open date
November 27 Paducah at Matador

Trail Dust

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matadora City was to be traveled. At the car I gave the little Indian girl a coin. A soft hand tightened. Little tears were waiting on her eye lids. She spoke a few gentle words in Spanish. I will never know their meaning. The car was moving thru the narrow, cobblestone streets of the crumbling city. Church bells were ringing; still ringing in Antigua.

Leaving Guatemala is the only unpleasant thing I remember about that friendly little republic. There was regret in my heart as I went to my table for the last dinner which the doll-faced little Indian woman would serve. A marimba band was playing in the lounge. I lingered longer than usual over the cup of rich, brown coffee and smoked an extra cigarette, then left an extra quarter quetzal tip at my plate. The barefooted waitress smiled and bowed. Whipping my jaded will-power, I passed up the bar. A sprinkle of rain was falling. The streets were little rivers of humanity, satisfied with the sweetness of living. I looked at the brightly lighted Pan American Clipper ticket office. Prosperous looking people were waiting around the vast curved counter. Tomorrow I would stand there and buy my exile from paradise; my permit to leave Guatemala through the door in the sky.

(Next week will conclude Trail Dust pertaining to Guatemala.)

Freshmen to Present Chapel Program Fri.

Friday morning (April 11) chapel program will be presented by the Matador high school freshmen. The program, which will include the entire class, is an annual affair. The public is invited.

RETURNS FROM MARLIN
Mrs. John Russell returned home Friday from Marlin, Texas, where she had spent two weeks.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mrs. Minnie Smith is visiting in Shamrock this week, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Webb of Los Angeles were called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. W. E. Webb this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bridges of Dallas visited in the home of his brother Joe Bridges, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Richardson of Amarillo are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes Stevens and baby of Los Angeles are visiting in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green this week. She is the former Nell Green.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Warren left for South Bend this week to take hot baths.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. G. V. Hensarling and Anna made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Lula Mae Swim returned home Monday after visiting in Dallas and Vernon over the week end.

Mrs. W. R. Woods and daughter Mrs. Jack Smith and son of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Wilson and family of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Roberts and family of Floydada and C. J. Goodson of Plainview visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wilson over the week end.

College students home for the

Easter Holiday were Hoyle Gene Moss of Texas Tech, John Ray and Sam Hunter of Hardin Junior College at Wichita Falls, C. J. Goodson of Wayland at Plainview and Buryle Nichols of Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moss left Tuesday evening for Arizona where they will visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. King returned home Tuesday from visiting in Tenn.

Earl Gene Freeman and Bill McKinney of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Freeman over the Easter Holiday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Hinson and Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Henson and family of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferguson and Mrs. M. L. Ferguson and Bess made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends: We should like to tell you how deeply we appreciate your understanding sympathy, your tender thoughtfulness, your many expressions of love that have lightened the burden of our grief, but words cannot half express what they have meant to us. Our sincerest wish for you is, that in your dark hour of need, there may be those who will be as tender, kind, and faithful to you, as you have been to us.

Mrs. N. M. Groves
Mr. and Mrs. Noble Groves
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves and family
Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Groves and family
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Groves and family
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Groves and family
R. L. Groves and family

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation for the assistance of residents of Whiteflat and Barton communities when our home caught fire at Whiteflat on March 29. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee

Final Rites . . .

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66 years, 11 months and 23 days.

He was married in Jones County, January 27, 1904, to Miss Maggie Lipham, and to this union were born four sons, all of whom survive. They are Noble, of Matador, L. C. of

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Silver City, New Mexico, Claude of Wellington, Texas, and Delbert, of Pampa, Texas.

In addition to his wife and sons, he is also survived by two brothers, A. B. Groves of Matador, and R. L. Groves of Sulphur Springs, Texas; and five grandchildren: Barton and Jo-lyne Groves of Wellington; Marion and Dell Juane Groves of Pampa; and Jimmie Groves of Silver City, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Groves moved

to Motley County in 1910, in company with his brother, the late J. A. Groves and his family after having lived in New Mexico for a short time. Mr. Groves was in the trucking business here for several years, and later was employed by the highway department. About four years ago he and his wife returned to Anson, where they had previously made their home following their marriage.

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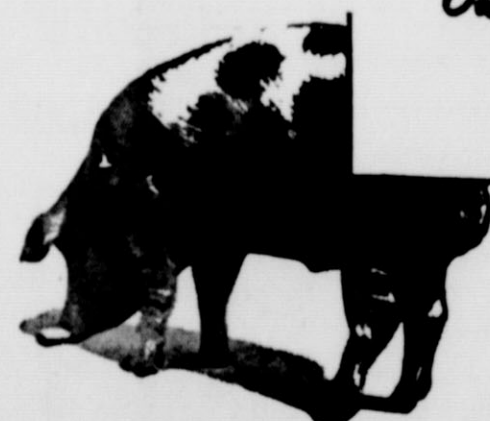
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