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PRICE TEN CENTS

TRAIL DUST



By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Poverty begins in the heart with a chronic inability to extend compassion, which in turn dries up the springs of love.

★ ★
The speed of jet planes presents a problem to the hostesses who seem always to be pressed for time to serve a meal between takeoff and landing.

★ ★
Sign in a small grocery store in Albuquerque: "More than three students prohibited in this store at one time."

★ ★
Absence may make the heart grow fonder but it also provides an opportunity to experiment with a substitute.

★ ★
Only a few have achieved the priceless secret of happiness and with it, the knowledge that blessings are the fruits of giving more than is received, and more than is expected.

★ ★
The old custom of bundling which was associated with courtship of a certain period before the advent of heating systems and electric blankets, was accepted as proper. It is no longer a part of our society and the movie critics would not hesitate to give it an (R) on the screen.

★ ★
Attempting to overcome success has destroyed more men than have ever fallen under the crushing wheels of failure.

★ ★
Courtesy is the small specks of gold in the vast sands of human relationship. Enough of them may be washed together to comprise a nugget of pleasing character.

★ ★
Ignorance can usually be concealed unless a man is overcome by the compulsion to talk.

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VISITS IN MISSOURI
Rev. John Fitzgerald returned last Wednesday from a trip to Holcomb, Missouri, where he attended an alumni banquet of Holcomb High School, of which he is a graduate. It was the first meeting of the school's alumni which the local pastor had attended since his graduation.

Joins Husband in Hawaii for Visit

Mrs. Arvin Ellithorp arrived in Amarillo Saturday, from a trip to Hawaii, where she joined her husband, Major H. A. Ellithorp, who is with Headquarters' 1st Logistical Command in Viet Nam, and was on leave for the holidays.

Major Ellithorp, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellithorp, received his new rating on Dec. 24.

Their children, Rochelle and Scott visited their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rose of Amarillo during the holidays, and accompanied their mother home Sunday. Mrs. Ellithorp teaches commercial subjects in Matador High School.

CORRECTION
Specialist Fourth Class is the rating of Don K. Seigler, rather than Pfc. as erroneously reported in last week's Tribune. The Tribune inadvertently reversed the rank by stating that Pfc. Don Seigler was among 10 servicemen at Fort Sill, Okla., who were decorated for heroism in Viet Nam, as it should have been Sp.4 Don K. Seigler. He received the Bronze Star Medal with the "V" device and also the purple heart medal for heroism in Viet Nam on May 13. At that time he was rated Private First Class, and has since been advanced in rank

Three Accidents Are Investigated

Three highway accidents have been investigated by State Department of Public Safety patrolmen Ira Kuhlman and Paul Hoff since Christmas.

On December 25 Hamilton Ray Bumpus of Cee Vee and Carroll Wyane Perry of Lubbock were slightly injured when the pickup they were driving went out of control and turned over south of Northfield. They were taken to Childress hospital for observation and treatment and released.

Ice and the snow on US Highway 70 resulted in an accident 12 miles west of Matador on Sunday, December 28, about 5:30 p.m. Vernon Joseph Carlisle of Olton had stopped to clean his windshield when his vehicle was struck by a car driven by Linda Kay Muller of Tahoka. There were no injuries but the cars were damaged.

Katherine Louise Sneed of Floydada apparently went to sleep at the wheel at 2:20 a.m. January 5 and struck the TeePee Creek bridge 11.5 miles east of Matador on US Highway 70. She was treated for a sprained right wrist in Paducah Richard's Memorial Hospital. Another passenger in the car was not injured, according to the DPS patrolmen.

Judge Candidate For Second Term

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of Forrest Campbell for re-election to the office of County Judge and ex-officio County Superintendent of Motley County and subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 2, 1970.

In making his announcement, Judge Campbell said: "The people of Motley County have been very kind to me during the first term, and I want to express my appreciation for the complete cooperation I have received."

"I am also grateful to the members of the Commissioners Court for their patience and cooperation. I feel that my experience warrants my seeking re-election."

"In event of my re-election, I promise to serve the duties of the office to the best of my ability and to be impartial in decisions that will be my responsibility."

"I want to thank everyone who has aided my election and my administration in the past, and to extend in advance, my appreciation for the vote and influence of those who find it possible to support me in this campaign," Judge Campbell concluded.

Malcolm Turner Asks Re-Election

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of Malcolm Turner of Flomot for re-election to the office of Motley County Commissioner, precinct 2, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 2, 1970.

In making his announcement, Mr. Turner said, "I want to thank everyone for the many favors extended me since I first assumed the duties of this office. Citizens of my precinct have been cooperative in every respect, and I appreciate their attitude very much."

"I feel my experience in office warrants my seeking re-election, since I am familiar with all phases of the work, and I wish to take this means of soliciting the vote and influence of everyone in my precinct."

"In event I am re-elected, I pledge a continuation of my best efforts in the interests of those who are voters and property owners in my precinct, and to serve the people with courtesy and efficiency."

"I will greatly appreciate any service rendered in the interest of my campaign, and offer in advance, my deepest gratitude for any effort to aid me in this race."



ICE FOR A TALL ONE—The above photo was made last week at the Matador Ranch headquarters here. The Scotch influence is evidenced in the architecture of the water supply reservoir, constructed from native stone more than half a century ago. The pure spring water is piped from West Tank several miles away in the Foothills. When the tank was first built the water was obtained at historic Ballard Springs, a few hundred yards away. The big icicle was formed last week when the tank overflowed during sub-freezing weather. Much colder weather has prevailed in the past several days and some of the snow which fell over ten days ago is still on the ground.

Charter Presented Cub Scouts Troop

A CHARTER was presented to Matador Cub Scouts Troop 360 Tuesday at the regular luncheon meeting of the Matador Lions Club. Jack Crider of Lubbock, district executive of Boy Scouts of America, Southwest Council, made the presentation. The Scouts are sponsored by the Matador Lions.

Crider gave high praise to Mrs. Richard Turner and Mrs. Kirby Campbell as Den Mothers of the newly-chartered troop. The troop has been organized about a year.

Pat Sheridan Will Seek Re-Election

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of Pat Sheridan for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk of Motley County, subject 2, to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 2, 1970.

In making his announcement, Mr. Sheridan said, "I am grateful to the voters of Motley County for the many favors in the past, and also to the citizens in general, for the full cooperation I have received during the period I have held this office."

"In event of my re-election," he said, "I pledge continued devotion to the duties of my office, and my very best efforts to serve the people of Motley County with courtesy and efficiency."

"I feel my experience in the office warrants my seeking re-election. I am familiar with all phases of the work and thus able to serve the public without any interruption."

"I wish to take this means of soliciting the vote and influence of everyone in the county. I will greatly appreciate any service rendered in the interest of my campaign, and offer in advance, my gratitude for any favors shown me."

Mahon to Hold Talk Session

Farmers and leaders of farm organizations are invited to meet with Congressman George Mahon in Lubbock on Friday, Jan. 9 at 10 a.m. at the Koko Palace for a general talk session concerning farm problems.

The present farm program expires at the end of this year and Mahon wishes to get the views of the people and report to them in regard to the prospects for farm legislation at the forthcoming session of Congress.

Mahon said that farm legislation which is expected to be enacted this year will have a vital impact on the economy of the area, affecting both farmers and non-farmers.

Mahon expressed deep concern over the difficulties involved in securing the passage of suitable farm legislation, pointing out that most Members of Congress represent urban areas and are becoming increasingly unsympathetic toward the problems of agriculture.

Sale Starts Today
Annual "Cut the Cost of Living" sale, nationally advertised by Rexall, is starting today at the Bob Stanley Pharmacy. Hundreds of items are offered at money saving prices.

A full page advertisement in this issue of the Tribune lists many of the values, as does a direct mail circular, which residents of this area will receive.

The sale of popular items will continue through January 17, according to the announcement.

Sale in Progress
A January sale is now in progress at Salem Dry Goods of Matador as advertised in this issue of the Tribune. Manager Ronnie Christian said the firm is offering a large assortment of merchandise for men, women, and children at greatly reduced prices.

He said the excellent quality items are being sold to make room for the arrival of new spring merchandise.

Glen Brotherton Injured by Saw
Glen Brotherton was injured Saturday when a power saw which he was operating went out of control when struck by a falling limb.

The saw blade struck his right thumb and split the digit almost to the first joint. He was rushed to Paducah Richard's Memorial Hospital, where it was feared the first joint of the thumb might require removal.

Later the injury improved to where Brotherton was released from the hospital Monday and returned to his home where he is recuperating.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

City has Moderate Growth in Decade

MATADOR has not made any spectacular growth in the past ten years according to building permits issued by City Secretary Nell Brotherton. A total of 64 structure and repair permits were issued in the period, with a declared value of \$611,547.00. Largest amount for a single year was in 1962 when 16 permits were issued with a total cost of \$136,020.00. Lowest year was 1965 when only one permit was issued for \$13,000.00.

With but a few exceptions, the building permits have been issued for the construction of new

homes or the remodeling of present homes.

List by years, the permits were as follows, 1960 (6), \$61,941; 1961 (12) \$116,510; 1962 (16) \$136,020; 1963 (10) \$105,842; 1964 (7) \$79,550; 1965 (1) \$13,000; 1966 (1) \$15,000; 1967 (2) \$27,400; 1968 (7) \$53,284; 1969 (2) \$16,500.

During its entire history from pioneer days, Matador has never had a period of spectacular growth. Of course some of the years of greatest building in the past were in an era when building costs were much less than today.

Considered with other West Texas towns of its size (in the non-irrigated area) Matador probably has fewer vacant buildings. A number of old buildings have been completely remodeled during the past decade, and also several old buildings have been demolished or moved.

Candidate Filing Deadline Feb. 2nd

With the advent of another election year, County Democratic Chairman Furman Vinson announced last week that the deadline for filing for office on the Democratic ticket is February 2, at 6 p.m.

Four candidates for office have announced in this issue of the Tribune. Officials whose terms are expiring include county judge, county clerk, county treasurer, commissioners of precincts No. 2 and 4, and justice of the peace, precinct 1. First primary election will be held May 2.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potts and children, Jim, Tom, Robert and Richard of San Jose, Calif., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burleson, and with other relatives and friends in Matador, Floydada and Lubbock, during the recent holidays. Mrs. Potts is the former Marisue Burleson.

CONDITION IMPROVED

W. E. (Bill) Smith is reported to be improving and is receiving medical tests in Veteran's Hospital in Albuquerque, N. M. where he is a patient in room 4105, bed 2.

First New Year's Baby is Born to The Guy Campbells

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Campbell are parents of Motley County's first New Year's baby. A daughter, given the name Shannon Kae, was born at 4:17 a.m. January 1, 1970 in Caprock Hospital in Floydada and on the 33rd wedding anniversary of the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell. Maternal grandparents of the new arrival and her sister, Shawna, 14 months old, are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gunn of Stephenville.

The Campbell children also have four great-grandparents, Mrs. Harry Campbell and Mrs. Ben Keltz of Matador, and Mrs. Claude Gunn and Mrs. C. C. Smithey of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gunn visited their daughter and family Saturday, and were accompanied home by Shawna, for a visit.

RECENT VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Edmondson of Phillips, their son, Ronald of Amarillo, and daughter, Gay Lynn, Texas Tech, Lubbock were visitors here during the recent holidays, with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hoyle and their son, Larry, from Midland, and with a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Edmondson and their son, Pvt. Thomas Edmondson, who was home on leave from Fort Gordon, Ga.

Rites Held for Mrs. Nora Berry

Funeral services for Mrs. Nora Berry, 85, were held in the First Methodist Church at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday. The Rev. John Fitzgerald, pastor, and Rev. Larry Heard, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated.

The body was taken to Rotan where graveside rites and burial were in the Rotan Cemetery, at 3:30 p.m. Seigler Funeral Home of Matador was in charge of arrangements.

A native of Illinois, Mrs. Berry had resided in Fisher County for 60 years before moving to Matador about 7 years ago. She was the mother of local resident, Roy Smith.

The former Lee Nora Fancher was born September 27, 1884, and passed away January 4, 1970, in Richards Memorial Hospital, Paducah, having attained the age of 85 years, 3 months and 7 days. Her husband, Burnard Smith died in about 1905, and she was later married to William J. Berry, in 1907. Mr. Berry also preceded her in death in 1944. Mrs. Berry was a member of the Methodist Church, and of the Rebecca Lodge.

She is survived by three sons, Roy Smith, Matador, Francis Marion Berry of Seattle, Wash., and Floyd William Berry of Euleus, Texas; one daughter, Mrs. Jewel Thompson of Colorado Springs, Colo.; 8 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Two brothers and two sisters, all of California, also survive.

Pallbearers were Billy Wason, Melvin Meason, C. R. Davis, Bill McCaghen, R. E. Campbell Jr., and Alton Marshall.



GEORGE W. MILLER

Miller Candidate For Dist. Attorney

George W. Miller, recently appointed 110th Judicial District Attorney announced his candidacy for that office for the unexpired term in the forthcoming May Democratic Primary stating:

"It is my honor to be considered by the voters of this district as a democratic candidate for their District Attorney, a position of increasing importance in these times when violence and disrespect of law are most evident in other districts. If nominated, I pledge my best efforts to serve this district honestly, fairly and to effectively administer the due process of law. I promise to cooperate with all law enforcement officials and agencies in this district in the administration of justice. I appreciate your confidence, your vote and your influence in my behalf."

Attorney Miller, thirty-eight years old and former County Attorney of Briscoe County and Floydada City Attorney, resides in Floydada and is married to the former Betty Gamblin of Lamesa, Texas, where both were reared. They have two children, Karen, sixteen and Pat, eleven, and are members of the First United Methodist Church. He is vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce and a member of the Rotary Club. He has been actively engaged in the law practice since 1965, except for two years while serving in the U. S. Navy.

Church and Society

Arts and Crafts Meeting Held

Motley County Arts and Crafts Club met Monday at the VFW building, despite extremely cold weather, and spent the day making crafts. Business was conducted by Mrs. Glenn Woodruff, president.

Refreshments were provided by Mrs. John Russell.

Others present were Mesdames Ward Rattan, Robert Darsey, Tom Spears, Keith Patton, R. A. Day, C. D. Garrison, Jack Luckett, Edgar Lee and W. W. Clements.

GUADALUPANA SOCIETY ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

In a recent meeting of the Guadalupe Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church new officers were elected.

President is Mrs. Andres Saenz of Roaring Springs. Others elected were, Miss Lupe Morales of Roaring Springs, Vice President; Mrs. Castulo Gonzalez of Matador, Secretary and Mrs. Mike Hernandez of Roaring Springs, Treasurer.

Mrs. Gregorio Hernandez of McAdoo is retiring president.

FROM KANSAS (delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Dammron and her daughter, Miss Jonnie Marie Taylor accompanied by Mike Peterson, all of Alta Vista, Kansas visited here during Christmas holidays with his father, Chris Dammron, brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dammron, and with relatives of Mrs. Mose Dammron, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jinkins. Miss Taylor and Peterson also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper as guests of Miss Kay Cooper.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ENGAGED



LINDA JONES

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones of Turkey announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda, to Leslie Clyde Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jameson of Matador. The bride-elect is a senior at Turkey High School. Her fiancé, a 1969 graduate of Matador High School, is a student at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee.

The date has not been set for the wedding.

Local Items Delayed From Last Week

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Visitors on Christmas Eve in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper and Kay were A. M. Harmon, Roaring Springs; Arthur Harmon, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon, Greg and D'Ann, Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Van Bradford, Vana and Jody, Gruver; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon, Post; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Minton and Cheryl, Fort Worth; Miss Jonnie Taylor, Alta Vista, Kansas; and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Campbell and Linda

and Theodore Harmon, Matador. Other visitors in the Cooper home on Saturday and Sunday, in addition to the Mintons, Arthur Harmon, and A. M. Harmon, was Lonnie Harmon of Pampa.

FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Courtney and children, Quinn and Shan of Madill, Oklahoma, formerly of Matador, visited during the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bostick and other local residents. They were accompanied by friends, Mr. and Mrs. Max Watkins and children, Bryce and Westley, also of Madill.

HAS MAJOR SURGERY

Mrs. Sarah Durham of Albuquerque, N. M. who has visited in Matador on several occasions in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meador, underwent major surgery Friday in Presbyterian Hospital in Albuquerque. Mr. Meador, a longtime friend of Mrs. Durham and her deceased aunt, visited at her bedside during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Meador drove to Lubbock, Saturday and Mrs. Meador remained there for a visit in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson. Other relatives in the Fulkerson home for the holiday visit were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tipton and daughter, Mrs. Larry Wigley of Dayton, Tex.; Mrs. Jack Crider, her son, David, and daughter, Mrs. Carl Watters and small daughter, Christi, of Odessa, and the Fulkerson's son and daughter and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fulkerson and small son, Toby Scott and Mr. and Mrs. David McCaleb and son, Aaron.

Visitors during Christmas, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neighbors were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neighbors, Laura, Gary and Paul of Granbury, and a daughter, Mrs. June Myers and sons, Cody and Jeffrey of Midland. Cody and Jeffrey remained for a visit this week here and with their paternal grandparents at Jayton.

Mrs. H. Plemons was accompanied by her son, Elmore Plemons of Austin, to Lubbock for a Christmas visit in the home of their daughter and sister, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Richardson of Lawton, Okla., spent Christmas here with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnhill. John Lynn Barnhill of Lubbock also spent the holidays with his parents and brothers. Bill and Jim accompanied their grandparents to Wichita Falls, Friday for a visit in the home of their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Billington and daughters, Tatia and Chantelle returned home Sunday from a visit during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Collett of Andrews, N. C.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McDonough were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McDonough and children, Debbie and Hal, of Canyon, and their daughter and children, Mrs. Tresa Meece, Connie and Patrick of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stevens of San Angelo visited here during Christmas holidays with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darsey and Robin.

Misses Roberta and Ona Jameson were accompanied by their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ratcliff of Slaton, to Lake Arthur, N. M. where they spent Christmas with another sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Redmon Pate, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sherri Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne and daughters, Brenda and Susan of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Payne and son, Blake of Lubbock, spent Christmas with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Payne. Mrs. Payne accompanied the Charles Payne family home for a visit.

Mrs. A. S. Edmondson of Tipton, Okla., visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dirickson, recently when she came to attend the Jinkins' Golden Anniversary reception.

Mrs. Roy Smith visited in Odessa during Christmas holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Melton. A grandson, Barry Melton accompanied her home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Webb and daughter, Denise, of Bryan and Neil Webb of Plainview visited during the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webb. Other visitors were Mr. Webb's brother, Floyd Webb of Floydada and his son and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Webb and daughter, Becky of Sweetwater. The G. L. Webbs and Ray Webbs spent Friday with the latter's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bumpus at Adams Ranch.

Gary Campbell, who coaches at Abernathy Junior High School, is spending the holidays here with his father, Judge Forrest Campbell and other relatives.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Marrs this week have been her cousin and his family, Mr. and Mrs. George Taggard, George Jr., Andy, David and Tom of Alvin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts visited in Lovington, N. M. during Christmas holidays with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts Jr., Lou and Don. Don accompanied his grandparents here to visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Jenkins returned home Wednesday from Corpus Christi, where they spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sut Braselton and sons, Steven and Jeffery.

Mrs. R. L. Anderson spent Christmas in Quitaque visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Anderson, and with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Loving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr. spent Christmas in McLean with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison and son, Todd.

Mrs. Bob Echols visited in Lubbock during Christmas, with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Woodruff and daughters, Lou Anne and Lois Suzannah spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wingerd of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ellis of Paris, Tex., visited here during Christmas holidays with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bird and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCallie of Borger visited here Friday as they were en route home from a Christmas visit with relatives in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pohl spent Christmas holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Limmer and son, Bryan, of Snyder. They were ac-

companied by Mrs. Pohl's mother, Mrs. C. L. Knierim of Bronie. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craven during Christmas holidays, were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrison of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Nichols and children, Kelly and Scott of Seminole. Kelly and Scott remained to spend the week with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Engle of Lubbock visited during Christmas with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Day and Jeanette.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Birchfield and son, Bill of Andrews visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Markham and with his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Birchfield and Jerry. Also visiting the Markhams were a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Markham and Jackie of Benbrook. They also visited her mother, Mrs. C. B. Jones.

Mrs. Robert Darsey visited in San Angelo from Friday until Sunday with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stevens.

On Christmas Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitaker visited in Paducah with their children and grandchildren the Bill Hutchinson and the Billy Joe Whitaker families.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Claud Jeffers during the recent holidays were her sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffers of Borger and their daughter, Miss Linda Jeffers of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Jeffers of Pampa and their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Linda Olsen and Rachel from Atlanta, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jeffers, Carol and Fred from Carrollton, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghren visited in Amarillo during Christmas, with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCaghren and Marty, and with Mrs. Bill McCaghren's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards, and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Vandagriff.



DONNA CRIDER

Engagement Is Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crider of 6700 Mockingbird Lane, Odessa are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Leta, to Kenneth E. Kirkland, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kirkland of Fort Worth.

Vows are set for Jan. 31 in Belmont Baptist Church, Odessa, with Rev. Lucian Rudd Jr., officiating.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Odessa High School and is a senior at Sul Ross University, majoring in business education. She is currently Sandhills Hereford and Quarter Horse Show rodeo queen. While in high school she was chosen Odessa High Orchestra Sweetheart and Odessa Junior Rodeo Club Sweetheart. Her fiancé, also an Odessa High School graduate, is presently employed by the T. S. Shelton and Son Ranch near Clarendon, where the couple will reside.

Miss Crider is well-known locally, having visited here frequently with her grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tipton, and with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meador.

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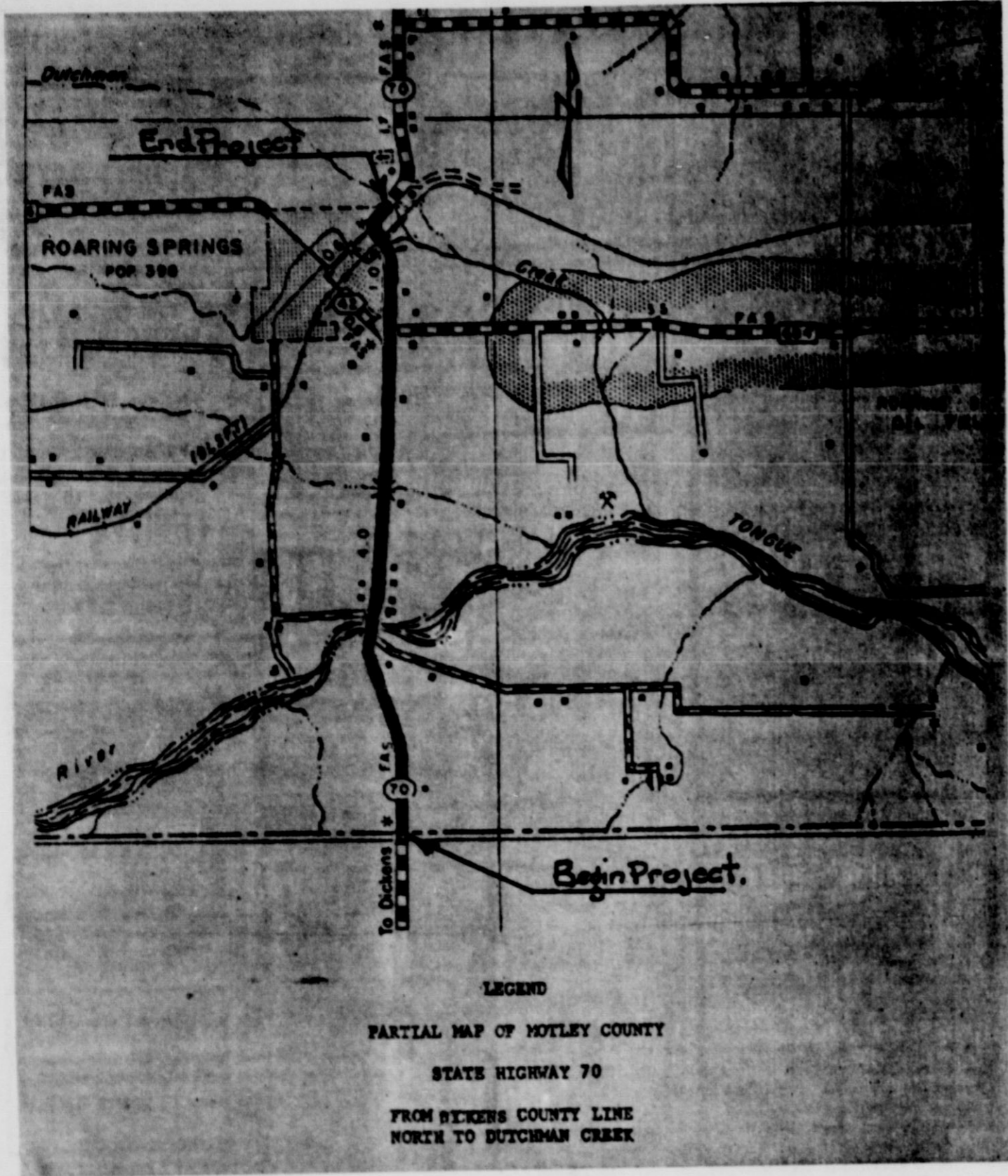
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COUNTY AGENT PALLMEYER SAYS:

Copies of the 1970 FARMERS TAX GUIDE have been received, and mailed to those who have indicated they would like a copy.

For those who have not received a copy, and would like one, either stop by the office and pick one up, or let me know and I will mail you a copy.

Each year I receive several inquiries about making paper logs from newspapers to burn in fireplaces to give off many colors. Rather than repeat this information in the paper again this year, those interested in making these logs are invited to call for the information. I have a list of the chemicals to use to cause the different colors.

Several important dates are approaching for farmers and ranchers who are on a calendar tax year—which includes most individuals in Motley County. These dates are listed as reminders.

Feb. 2: Farmers and ranchers must file Form 943 showing the social security taxes on wages paid to hired labor during 1969. A payment of any tax due must be made at this time. (If timely deposits of social security tax were made during the year, then you have until Feb. 10 to file Form 943.)

Feb. 10: Employers who made timely deposits of social security taxes on wages paid hired labor must file Form 943 and pay remaining social security tax due.

Feb. 16: If a declaration of estimated tax was not filed by Jan. 15, the 1969 income tax is due.

Mar. 2: All businesses must report payment of rents and interest amounting to \$600 or more to any one taxpayer other than a corporation. This is to be reported on Form 1096 and Form 1099, which are information returns.

Farmers should proceed with caution when considering turning livestock into harvested or unharvested cotton fields.

If the crop has been sprayed with a defoliant, desiccant, insecticide or herbicide during the year, be sure that you know the limitations or restrictions given for the material used. Some of these materials are highly toxic to animals, and death can occur when treated fields are grazed. (Each year I am told by some producers that they grazed a field that chemical label instructions said not to, and no trouble was encountered. This is true, but also like passing a car in a no passing zone while going over a hill. You may get by without an accident several times, but who knows when your luck will play out.)

The best guide to follow in determining whether to graze a particular field or not is to read all directions on the labels of materials used, and be familiar with restrictions and limitations. The decision to use the material should be made early in the year before the material is used, for now you can't undo what has been done. Chemical companies spend millions of dollars testing materials before they can be released to the public. Once a material is found to be capable of doing the job and not presenting a hazard if used correctly, a label is granted, and upon this

label is printed any precautions, restrictions or limitations. Once this is done, it is the producers responsibility to adhere to all restrictions and instructions. Unless this is done, the producer has no recourse for settlement, except his loss.

Finally, agricultural chemicals are safe, if used correctly. No one but the producer can do this, and unless misuse is reduced, we will find that more agricultural chemicals that we now depend on for production will have additional restrictions placed on them, or be removed from the market entirely.

FLOMOT NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. Ed Burkett and children, Gregory and Kimberly of Plainview, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and other friend in the community. New Year's day.

New Year's day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gilbert, local residents. Visiting the Martins, Saturday were Mrs. Pace Cramer and Carolyn, of Arlington.

Men and boys of the First Baptist Church, Flomot and friends were served breakfast in the fellowship hall at the church, Saturday morning, Jan. 3. During the breakfast preliminary plans were made for the coming Baptist Men's Day Program.

BIBLE STUDY STARTS
A Bible study was begun January 4 at the First Baptist Church, to continue through January 11. This study is on the book of James.

(Delayed News)
Miss Gay Pepper, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kingston was home for the holidays. She attends Mount Vernon Baptist College and will graduate May 25.

Guests during the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kingston, were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pritchett of Lovington, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kingston and son, David Ray, of Ralls, and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Pritchett and family of Amarillo.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kingston Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Funderburg of Amarillo. Visiting with the Kingstons during the week end were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barrow and sons, Troy and Craig of Garland.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and family, Christmas day were Mrs. Hunter's mother and brother, Mrs. J. L. Speer and John Speer, local residents, another brother, Commander R. L. Speer of Washington, D. C.; two sisters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shelton of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montoya and John Glenn of Albuquerque, N. M.; a niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moss and Tanya of Decatur; and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hunter of Flomot.

The annual Lions Club Christmas party was held Tuesday, Dec. 23 in the Flomot school cafeteria for members and their wives. A potluck supper was enjoyed, followed by an exchange of gifts.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

A Sunday School Christmas party was held for the Intermediate department of First Baptist Church Flomot, on Dec. 22, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter. About ten people were present for the do-it-yourself party where they popped corn, pulled taffy, played records and exchanged white elephant gifts.

Legal Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Motley County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Joseph Moore, Defendant,
Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Motley County at the Courthouse thereof, in Matador, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 2nd day of February A.D. 1970, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 8th day of October A.D. 1969, in this cause, numbered 1727 on the docket of said court and styled JESSIE MAE MOORE, Plaintiff, vs. JOSEPH MOORE, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for Divorce against Defendant, and for custody of two Minor Children born to them as follows: PANSY ANN MOORE, A GIRL; and BEZILL MOORE, A BOY; Plaintiff alleges that Defendant voluntarily abandoned Plaintiff for a period of more than three years as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Matador, Texas, this 16th day of December A. D. 1969.

Attest: Pat Shevidan Clerk,
District Court
Motley County, Texas.

(SEAL)
Dec. 18, 25, Jan. 1, 8

NOTICE AFFORDING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC HEARING COMBINED CORRIDOR AND DESIGN, MOTLEY COUNTY

The Texas Highway Department is planning the improvement of State Highway 70, from the Dickens County Line North to Dutchman Creek. The proposed highway project will pass through the town of Roaring Springs, in Motley County.

The proposed design will provide two (2) 13-foot lanes and paved shoulders with climbing lanes being provided where conditions warrant. Two intersections with other highways will be re-designed to improve safety. The present bridge over the South Pease River is 22 feet in width and will be replaced with a 44-foot structure. In most instances the right of way width on this proposed project will be 150 feet, with additional right of way being required where climbing lanes or turning lanes are provided.

Maps and other drawings showing the proposed location and geometric design, and any other information about the proposed project are on file and available for inspection and copying at the Resident Engineer's office at Matador, Texas. Also, the drawings showing the proposed geometric design have been placed on file in the office of the County Judge of Motley County, and the City of Roaring Springs.

Information about the State's Relocation Assistance Program, the benefits and services for displaced and the relocation assistance office, as well as information about the tentative schedules for acquisition of right of way and construction can be obtained at the Texas Highway Department District Office, P. O. Box 909, Childress, Texas, 79201.

Any interested citizen may request that a public hearing be held covering the social, economic, and environmental effects of the proposed design for this highway project by delivering a written request to the office of the Resident Engineer, Matador, Texas, or to Mr. V. J. McGee, District Engineer, Childress, Texas, on or before January 22nd, 1970.

In the event such a request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice will be published about the date and location of the hearing.

Recent Letters are Received by Tribune from Former Residents

From time to time the Tribune receives letters from former residents, which convey a warm and lasting feeling of friendship for friends in this area. The following is from Dan Coker, with the department of Education in Honduras. Mr. Coker formerly taught in the Roaring Springs school system, and served as minister of the Northfield Church of Christ. For several years he served as a Church of Christ missionary in Guatemala, before going to Honduras.

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Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Dear Friends:

Elise and I have been out of the U. S. 6 1/2 years now. We have done many interesting things and have met hundreds of wonderful people. We have enjoyed living in Latin America and continue to do so.

However, occasionally we get a genuine case of homesickness for the U. S., and when we are in this mood we always think of Motley County and the many friends we have there. We still feel very much a part of that portion of Texas because we have maintained a weekly contact with you people through the Matador Tribune.

Thank you so much for sending us the paper through the years. We have always received the paper free, financed by you and some of our friends in the Northfield community. We enjoy every issue.

Muchas gracias y que Dios los bendiga.
Dan C. Coker

Seaside, Calif. 90955
1949 Napa

Dear Editor:
This little bit of nonsense (enclosed) came out in the evening paper today and I thought I would pass it on to you so that you might see how the California mind works.

Pat (my wife) and I were sitting here reading the paper and she became overcome with mirth. Fool that I am, I asked why being a "native" Floridian, and never missing a chance to razz me, she told me what she was reading.

You can see how difficult it can sometimes be for a native Texan out of his own environment. Being

a loyal Texan at heart, I merely let these words roll off like water off a duck's back. I secretly suspect that jealousy is the cause of this verbal abuse.

At the present time, I am going to college and taking Police Science. Upon completion of this course I hope to return to Texas and become one of those people who "looks like a deputy sheriff."

Sincerely,
Ed D. Smith Jr.

—★—
The newspaper article to which Ed D. referred was a column, "Peninsula Parade" by Prof. Toro, from the Monterey (California) Peninsula Herald:

My colleague, Joe Fitzpatrick, recently took a week off and visited Texas. So I asked him what he thought of Texas and this is what he said:

Texas made me tired. Very tired. I got tired of waitresses asking if they could "hep" me when what I really wanted was to be waited on.

I got tired of being called "you all"—especially since my diet has been going so well. I got tired of seeing cowboy boots and cowboy hats. Everyone looks like a deputy sheriff.

I got tired of Texans looking at me funny because I drive a bright yellow car with California license plates.

I got tired of Texans looking at me funny because I wear striped colored shirts and sometimes even patterned trousers.

I got tired of Texans asking me what it's like in California. (What's what like?) I got tired of not being able to turn right after stopping at a red light. (Good grief, even UTAH allows that! and Utah doesn't allow much.)

I got tired of bugs. There must be more bugs per square foot in Texas than anywhere else on earth. Big ones, little ones, all kinds.

And I got tired of the basic insecurity of Texans. They continually try to reassure each other that they really do like Texas. Constantly, on radio and television, the announcers assure the listeners that Texas is "the greatest state in the Union."

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NORTHFIELD NEWS

By Mary E. Thomas

Johnnie Thomas visited with his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and their sister, Jerry Thomas in Odessa during the week end.

Aubrey Duncan of Carlsbad, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curlee during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas, Mrs. Mary Thomas, and Mrs. Hazel Hoffman of Cee Vee, all attended the funeral services of W. A. Carrick, in Childress, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited in Matador Wednesday and Thursday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Nimmo, whose daughter, Dixie, was ill.

Mrs. Permelia Timmons spent Friday and Saturday in Childress, attending to business.

Mrs. Walter Timmons is a patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, where she was conveyed by ambulance, Monday. She drives the school bus and became ill after arriving in Matador.

Visiting in the Allan Thomas home Saturday, were Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Thomas of Amarillo, Mrs. Hazel Hoffman of Cee Vee, and local residents, Mrs. Jack Curlee and Mrs. Mary Thomas.

Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder and family of South Plains were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore.

Delynn Timmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons was admitted to the Hall County Hospital in Memphis, Saturday for medical treatment for a severe cold.

Houston Rucker of Childress is visiting in the community with Bill Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curlee have gone to Vernon for a few days and she is attending a Beauty Counselor meeting.

Guests in the N. L. Cook home Sunday were Bill Wright and sons, Allen and Gary of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Timmons and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curlee and Olive, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays.

PINK AND BLUE SHOWER FOR MRS. TIM TIMMONS

A pink and blue shower for Mrs. Tim Timmons was given in the home of Mrs. Clem Timmons, Friday.

Stamps and money gifts were presented to the honoree, and refreshments were served to Mesdames Jack Curlee, N. L. Cook, Delmont Hays, E. M. Timmons, Dorothy Jameson, Leland Timmons, E. D. Timmons and Claud McDonald.

NEW YEAR'S ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Joey Meador are announcing the arrival of a baby girl, Melody Ann, on Friday, January 2. The baby was born at 9:45 p.m. in the Hall County Hospital, Memphis. She weighed 7 pounds, 13 1/2 ounces. They have another daughter Michelle, 13 months old. Grandparents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons of Northfield and Mr. and Mrs. James J. Meador of Waco. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Permelia Timmons of Northfield and Mrs. Lillian Steen of Dallas.

(Delayed)

Pfc. John C. Thomas of Camp

Lejeune, N. C. visited her during the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Thomas and other relatives.

E/5 Tim Timmons and Mrs. Timmons of Fayetteville, N. C. have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Timmons. Other guests in the home during the holidays included Mr. and Mrs. Tristian Maybry and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Walker of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan of Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Perkins of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Halford of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope of Wellington and local residents Mr. and Mrs. Grady Timmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons visited in Pampa during the holidays with the Smith families and other relatives.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Permelia Timmons, Sunday were her sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Timmons of Cee Vee, and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Meador and Michelle.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore during the holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moore and family of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Nimmo and children of Matador; also Mr. Moore's sister, Mrs. Mary Irvin of Matador, and Mrs. Moore's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hancock and son of Dallas. Bill Bethany of this community was also their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays and Vaden were in Abilene during the holidays, to visit their daughter and sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright and children. Allan Wright returned home with them for a visit here.

Mrs. Dorothy Jameson and sons, Franklin and Travis visited in Fort Worth during the holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Head and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Nimmo and daughters, Linda and Kay of Haggarsport, Tex., visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas, and in Matador with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cruse and sons, Paul Don, Zane and Shannon of Dallas were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Timmons, and also visited his parents in Turkey, during the holidays.

Mrs. Dollie Tate of Childress and Mrs. Mary Thomas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas in Amarillo, Friday.

Guests in the Walter Timmons home during the holidays were, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crooks of Texico, Paul Gene Crooks of Alhambra, Calif., Mrs. Lizzie Crooks of Troupe, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Phillips of Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Cook and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Timmons and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Timmons and daughter were holiday guests in the E. M. Timmons home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas spent the Christmas holidays in Odessa where they visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and family, and Miss Jerry Thomas. They were accompanied by Mrs. Thomas' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curlee and Olive.

Mrs. Lemma Ware of New Mexico and Mrs. Bob Elliott of Childress spent Friday night with Mrs. Permelia Timmons.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curlee, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Cook and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas, Mrs. E. M. Timmons, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright and family of Abilene. Olive Curlee accompanied the Wrights home for a visit.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Simms and daughter of Amarillo, Jackie Simpson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bentz of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson Jr., and son of Fort Worth.

Minister and Mrs. Nathan Mulder and family of South Plains were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Simpson. Tanya Simpson also spent the day with her grandparents.

WHITEFLAT NEWS

Mrs. Stella Tilson

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin accompanied their daughter, Carol, and Deborah Tilson, daughter of Mrs. June Tilson of Matador, to Canyon where the girls are students at West Texas State University. They spent the holidays at their respective homes.

W. R. Tilson reported Monday to Reese Air Force Base, Lubbock and from there was flown to Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tuesday for a physical check up. He was accompanied to Lubbock by Mrs. Tilson and their son, Bill, and his mother, Mrs. Stella Tilson. They all visited with Mrs. Lola Ketchersid and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tison, Wesley and Steven, who have recently moved to Lubbock from Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Race and children of Russellville, Ark., returned Wednesday from their Christmas visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Scribner of San Diego, Calif., and spent the night and New Year's day with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton.

Elaine Dixon returned Sunday to Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, after spending the holidays at her home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon.

Danny Byers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Byers of Lubbock, returned home Thursday after spending several days visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Rattan.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ross on New Years were their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Chaney of Vernon, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ross spent the day in Amarillo with his double cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor, who were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitaker, Friday and Saturday, were their daughter, Mrs. James Russell Neblett and son, Mike, and daughter, Mary of Denton, also a friend of Mike's who accompanied them; and the Whitaker's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitaker of Oklahoma City, Okla. They were joined Friday night by another son and family, Billy Joe Whitaker and sons, Billy Don, Bobby, Brent and Bert, of Paducah.

Roaring Springs

NEWS

Mrs. L. A. Mullins

Res. Phone 348-3154

Visiting Mrs. Ola Fay Tarrant and David during the recent holidays were her other children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tension, Monty and Twila, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Don Ford and Jeanne, of Lubbock; Mrs. Bob Brasfield of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tarrant, Quintin and Karla of Post; and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Plattner and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Harris, Shaunna and Shayne of Grand Prairie.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fletcher during the week end were his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fletcher Jr., Marty and Kim of Richardson. Saturday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Green of Bakersfield, Calif., their daughter and granddaughters, Mrs. Bill Graham, Vickie, Anna and Tori of Graham. Visiting in their home, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond (Cotton) Marshall and son, Dennis of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clower of Plainview and their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Dahl Clower, Treva, Kevin, and Dyron of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Clower of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall, Tom Swim and Miss Lula

Mr. and Mrs. Rigsby Celebrate Golden Wedding with Open House

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rigsby celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary, Sunday, Dec. 28 with an open house reception in the Roaring Springs High School auditorium.

Hosting the occasion were the couple's children, Othel Rigsby of Madill, Okla., Claude Rigsby of Midwest City, Okla., Mrs. Bob Brittain (Louise) of Deer Park, Tex., and Mrs. H. C. Trammell (Lena) of Lubbock.

Mrs. Othel Rigsby and Mrs. Claude Rigsby served coffee and punch. Mrs. Boyd Long and Mrs. Jerry Rigsby served the cake. A number of guests called during the afternoon and many beautiful gifts were received.

Those attending from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Othel Rigsby of Madill; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rigsby, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rigsby, Donell and Charlie and Mrs. Iva Coddling of Midwest City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Trammell, Jack and Rick and Paul Herchman of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brittain and Kitty of Deer Park; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sprain and children of Waco; Rev. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams of Earth; Mrs. Hayden Warren, Lubbock; Mrs. Tom Andrews, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghen and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth of Matador.

with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Clifton and Lisa, of Wichita Falls spent Friday night with his mother, Mrs. Esther Clifton.

Mrs. Joe Rice Sr. is recovering from a fall recently in her home, and visiting her during the week end were a son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rice, and a daughter, Mrs. Leta Foust, all of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Omar Parks and

visitors during the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cooper were Mrs. Cooper's children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and daughter, Karen of Colton, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis and Lanna of Lubbock, also Dan and Ann Brandon of Roaring Springs; Mrs. Marion McDonald and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Don Tiner of Lubbock; and Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Pat Woodard of Haskell. This was the first time Mrs. Cooper had been with her three children at Christmas time in 15 years. Many friends called on the Coopers during the holidays.

Erwin Brown has returned home from the Floydada Hospital. He is recuperating from pneumonia. His brother, A. L. Brown is still a heart patient in the hospital and is in room 108. His condition is reported improved.

Visiting with the Brown families have been the children of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Brown: Mrs. Hattie Horton, Mrs. Mattie Branch, Mrs. Herman Jefferson (Jeanie Brown), Mrs. Harry James (Easter Brown) and Jennifer, Mrs. Joyce Nelson and Mrs. Otis and son Arthur, all from Houston.

Spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Underwood were several of their children, including Mr. and Mrs. Mike Macill of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, Mickey Joe and Joie of Plains, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Martin, Donnie, Lora and Deana from Lorenzo; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hurt, Lee, Tommie, Jimmie, Mickey and Brenda of Matador, and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Merrell, Bucky, Charlie, Mitey and Sara. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mullins of Lubbock spent Saturday night

Dorothy had as their guests for New Year's supper, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perryman and Darryl, of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parks and Michael of Matador and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sauley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Ballard of Snyder, spent Friday night with their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ballard and attended funeral services Saturday in Paducah, for his nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stevens of Lubbock and Mrs. Annie Hand of Dumont spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand and family, Kelly, Bonita and Kim.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cox visited friends here and he played basketball in the Lions Club tournament here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hipp and Rusty, of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hipp.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henderson of DeLeon, spent last week with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Peacock, Mike and Pat, and attended the wedding of Mike Peacock and Beverly Murphy Wednesday night at Dickens. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henderson Jr., of Lubbock also attended the wedding and spent the night with the Peacocks. Mrs. Peacock is his sister.

Johnnie Lee Ballard, who spent

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Sirloin Steak	Fresh Choice Cuts, Lb	98¢
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Pot Pies	Banquet Frozen, 8 oz. Chicken or Beef 2 for	39¢
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Crackers	SHURFRESH, 1 lb. Box	23¢
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Lemonade	Keith's Frozen, 6 oz. Can, 2 For	25¢
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Stapleton was District Attorney For 23 Years Before Resigning

With three years to go on his present term, John B. Stapleton of Floydada resigned his position as District Attorney of the 110th Judicial District, after having served for 23 years.

Stapleton also announced his retirement from the practice of law. The announcement of his resignation was made in November, to become effective January 1, 1970. Shortly afterward, Governor Preston Smith appointed Stapleton's law partner, George Wayne Miller, to serve until the November 1970, election, to complete the first year of the four-year term.



JOHN STAPLETON

Son of a Lockney doctor, Stapleton has lived in Floyd County 54 years. He was born at Dimmitt and moved with his parents, the late Dr. and Mrs. George J. Stapleton, to Lockney in 1915. He graduated from Lockney High School in 1925, attended West Texas State and the University of Texas Law School until the depression came. He was out of school for five years, then began the study of law at South Texas School of Law in Houston, where he graduated in May of 1937 and was licensed in September of that year.

Stapleton moved to Floydada in 1938 and ran for county attorney, won the election and began work on Jan. 1, 1939. He held that position until May 15, 1942. At this point in his life he attended OCS, graduated as a second lieutenant, and later became captain in the Army as he served 30 months in the Pacific in the artillery. In 1946, he ran for District Attorney and took office on Jan. 1, 1947.

The retiring lawyer has served as president of the Floydada Rotary and Lions Clubs. He is on

the board of directors of the Floydada Development Co., chairman of the Floyd County Red Cross and serves as contact with American servicemen.

As a member of the First Baptist Church, he has served in the capacities of teacher, Sunday School superintendent, trustee, president of the Brotherhood on local, county and district levels, a member of the state executive board of the Brotherhood, and president of the Panhandle Pastors and Laymen Conference of the Baptist Church. He has been influential in the progress of Wayland Baptist College through "Wayland Associates."

Stapleton and the former Bernice Patton were married on Dec. 25, 1941. They have a son, John B. Jr., who recently married a Japanese girl and is now serving on Okinawa. A member of the United States Air Force, he recently completed a tour in

Viet Nam. They also have a daughter, Sandra, who is married to Ron Wesley, and who resides in Fort Worth.

Plans for the future include traveling the USA, Mexico and Canada in an Air Stream camper trailer and possibly some traveling abroad.

Visiting Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Tipton, were her mother and grandmother. Mrs. Lem Fowler of Lakeview and Mrs. A. J. Fowler of Memphis, and her sister, Mrs. Paul Combs of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hobbs and children, Julie, Deanna and Lisa of Texas City, left Monday to return home after spending last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hobbs. The latter's daughter and children, Mrs. Barney King, Kayla and Kimber of Lubbock spent New Year's day here.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Daffern New Year's, were their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Leland Timmons and Jimmy, of Northfield and their other son and wife, E. S. and Mrs. Tim Timmons of Fayetteville, N. C. E. S. Timmons has completed his Green Beret training at Fort Bragg and spent the holidays with his family and with relatives of his wife.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Cliff Stephens returned home New Year's day from a visit in New Mexico during the recent holidays. She spent the week before Christmas with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey (Cotton) Stephens and sons, Cliff and Billy, of Roswell, and all spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison of Tatum. Mrs. Stephens remained with her sister, Mrs. Garrison, and Mr. Garrison for a week before returning home.

TO HOUSTON

Dr. and Mrs. Albert Traweck spent Christmas holidays in Houston with their children, Mrs. Dorothy Gibson and sons, John and David, and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Morris. They were joined at the Morris home on Christmas day, by Mrs. Gibson and sons, and sisters of Dr. Traweck and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dockendorf of Baytown and their daughter and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Potter of Houston. Mrs. Morris had returned home shortly before Christmas from a trip to Asia and the Orient. Of special interest were the countries of Nepal and Bali.

THANKS TO FRIENDS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation for the lovely gifts received on the occasion of our Golden Wedding Anniversary observance, and a special thanks to all who attended, and helped to make it such a meaningful event.

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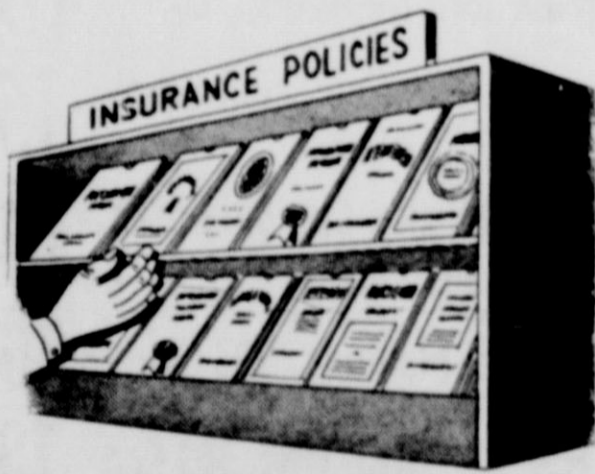
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