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## TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Lean and hard, he is the kind of a man who will never grow old. There is an agility in his walk that seems to reflect the courage of youth without exaggeration. His grey hair is a badge of experience rather than the years which have poured their sweet and sour wines into his cup of life. Quiet and unassuming, he seems unaware of the fortune he has mined from the alkali hills and mesquite plains of a land that rewards only those of vision. Winds of countless frozen dawns and blistering days have tanned his face; his legs are shaped to the sides of a horse. For years he used to roll a cigarette with one hand while holding the reins on an onery bronc with the other. Now his sharp eyes look from behind plate glass as his boot toe kicks the throttle of a powerful automobile. He holds the wheel with one hand and rolls a cigarette with the other.

As I remember the neighbor, he was one of the finest and most kindly men in the world. He was extremely religious and as a boy, I used to think he took up too much of God's time in prayer during summer meetings.

Modern home appliances make it possible for the housewife to hear more gossip but it is doubtful if the quality of gossip has improved since the days when its exchange prevailed between sunbonnets separated by a backyard fence.

Some of the ragged poor in high income brackets are worrying about the proposed increase in taxes. They should have the benefit of experience which the rest of us have gained. Earn exactly enough to live on and borrow money for taxes.

Personally, I liked the lady, whose face looked like it had been left over-night in a deep freeze box, but my friend was afraid of her. Later, at the desk, she dropped her purse and he retrieved it without thinking. She smiled and thanked him, and he said something to her after the blush left his foolish ears. I walked over to the cigar counter to see if the cartoon post card rack contained any numbers I had missed, and they continued to talk. Finally he gave me the go-away sign and I went back to our room to read an exceedingly dull story in the Atlantic Monthly. It was late and I was suddenly hungry. My friend seemed to have been reduced to a mist which the wind had carried out to sea. I had broiled red snapper and through a window watched the weary ocean beating at the shore. Later I went to a show which left a bitter taste in my mouth and decided to walk a few blocks to get the dusty weeds out of my thoughts. Before a brightly lighted jewelry window I saw two people very much engrossed and one of them was my timid friend. I wanted to shout at him but turned around and went back to the hotel. While undressing the lace in one of my shoes became knotted and during the exasperation it occurred to me that Cupid knows his business pretty thoroughly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day had as visitors Sunday, their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children, Victor, Diane and Stanley Ware, accompanied by Mr. Fogerson's mother, Mrs. Florence Fogerson, all of Silvertown; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bird and grandsons, James and Lottie Bearden; Mr. and Mrs. Kim Wilkinson, Mrs. C. P. Waybourn, Mr. and Mrs. George Birkfield and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffers and daughter, Suzy of Pando, were visitors here Sunday in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jeffers and their mother, Mrs. Claud Jeffers.

## Dates Set For Annual Banquets

Dates have been announced for two outstanding annual events in Matador community life, the father-son and mother-daughter banquets. The mother-daughter banquet will precede the father-son banquet this year. Date has been announced for Tuesday evening, February 6th. The father-son banquet will be held Thursday evening, February 8th.

The mother-daughter banquet is sponsored by the Matador Parent-Teacher association. It will be the 13th annual meeting. Speaker for the occasion has not been announced.

The father-son banquet, organized by Lt. Paul Eubank, who lost his life in World War II, is sponsored by the Matador Lions club. Dr. James E. Boren, president of Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, will make the principal address. It will be the 14th annual meeting of fathers and sons.

Printing of tickets has been ordered for both banquets and it is expected that sale will get under way next week. Years of experience in conducting the meetings has made it possible to make arrangements with the minimum of effort and at the same time improve programs and general interest year after year.

## Red Granite Stops Oil Test Drillers

Red granite at a depth of slightly over 10,000 feet stopped drillers last week on the Amarada Ollie Birnie No. 1 on the Birnie ranch, about 14 miles northwest of Matador.

The well was started in September with plans announced for a depth of 7,000 feet. Favorable formations caused the Amarada company to drill 3,000 feet deeper. It was the deepest test ever made in Motley county. The Amarada company has in the neighborhood of half a million acres under lease in this territory, according to unofficial estimates.

## GORDON RUSSELL IS AIR FORCE ENLISTEE

Gordon Russell, who finished his training at the University of Oklahoma School of Medical Technology, Dec. 15, enlisted in the U. S. Air Force on January 2nd. He was accompanied to Plainview by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Ed Russell.

## Workers' Conference To Be At Crosbyton

Floyd County Baptist Workers' Conference will meet with the First Baptist Church at Crosbyton, Tuesday, January 16, according to announcements received this week.

Theme of the meeting will be, "250,000 Souls for Christ in 1951", and among the speakers for the day will be Rev. F. E. Swanner of Plainview, District Missionary.

## VISIT PARENTS

Mrs. Sam G. Dunn and daughter, Velma Lou and Mrs. Chas. A. Guy of Lubbock, spent Tuesday here visiting the parents of the two ladies, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore, who observed their fifty-third wedding anniversary on that day. Also with them were their other two daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker, who has been visiting here from Corpus Christi, and Mrs. J. Farris Fish, who resides here.

Mrs. Bill McCaghren was accompanied to Lubbock Monday by little Mary Ann Damron, and Mesdames H. S. Watson, Frank Pohl and Ben Meador.



MATADOR WEATHER does not require the apparel worn by Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown, above, but it is comfortable when the mercury drops to 50 below zero. The couple have recently returned from Alaska after spending three and one half years in the land of the midnight sun. Mr. Brown has a large collection of excellent colored pictures made in Alaska which he is showing through a projector. This week he showed the pictures in Matador schools and at a program Tuesday night sponsored by the Matador Volunteer Fire Department. The pictures are of unusual quality and bring out the beauty and ruggedness of Alaska in splendid detail. Mr. and Mrs. Brown drove from Alaska to the United States over the Alaskan highway.

## BILLY RAY WEBB IN KOREAN AREA

(Special to Tribune)

Billy Ray Webb, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray S. Webb of Matador, Texas, is a member of the crew serving aboard the fleet oiler USS Missillon, the floating "oasis" for the ships of the Seventh Fleet.

Recent letters to his parents have informed them that he has made several trips between Japan and Korea.

The Missillon recently moored at a U. S. Naval Base in southern Japan to refill her tanks with fuel oil, diesel oil and aviation gasoline after returning from a refueling run to North Korea, where she replenished the thirsty tanks of the Navy's combat ships. She can pump thousands of barrels of oil to a half dozen ships at the same time.

## PASTOR ATTENDS DALLAS MEETING

Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor of First Baptist Church, returned home Wednesday night from Dallas, where he attended 15th annual evangelistic conference of Texas Baptists, which convened Monday, with their goal already set for 250,000 new converts in 1951.

More than 5,000 Baptist ministers and lay leaders from throughout Texas attended. Also attending were official representatives from Southern Baptist Convention headquarters in Nashville, Tenn.

A soul-winning campaign will be launched in the near future by the local church, and advance preparation for the work has included a series of lesson studies conducted by the pastor for members who will participate in the drive.

## HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Tom Spray, who has been a patient in the Veteran's Hospital at Amarillo, returned home Sunday. Mrs. Spray and son, Joe, accompanied by Bobby Browning, drove to Amarillo to convey Mr. Spray home. Visiting in their home Sunday were their son and daughter-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Wayne Spray of Wichita Falls.

## LEAVE FOR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Murphy left Wednesday morning to return to their home at Shreveport, La., after visiting here the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McWilliams and other relatives.

## NEW EMPLOYEE

Calvin Nimmo has accepted a position as clerk at Spot Cash, filling the vacancy of L. C. Giescke's resignation.

## Bank Deposits Top Last Year

Despite a cotton crop only one-fifth of the bumper 1949 crop of 35,000 bales, bank deposits are higher by over \$100,000 than a year ago, according to the statement published this week by the First State Bank. The December 31, 1949 statement shows deposits at \$3,238,457.83 as compared with the December 30, 1950 deposits of \$3,402,348.05.

## PIONEER OF AREA BURIED AT SPUR

Services for Daniel Stutman Cargile, 89, retired farmer and pioneer resident of the South Plains, who died of a heart attack Tuesday, were held Wednesday afternoon in Spur First Methodist Church. Burial was in Spur cemetery.

Cargile, who lived in Stone-wall, Kent, Dickens, Motley and Floyd counties during the 1907-45 period, had arrived in Muleshoe only six days ago to visit a son, D. W. Cargile. He died at 5:55 a. m. Tuesday in Green hospital in Muleshoe. He had resided with relatives in California for the last five years.

He was born in Arkansas on May 6, 1861 and moved to Bell county in Texas in 1874. He went to Concho county in 1904, then moved to Stonewall county in 1907. During the next 38 years he lived at various times, in four other South Plains counties.

Survivors include five sons and six daughters: C. B. of Strathmore, A. A. of Missouri, J. H. of Abilene, D. W. of Muleshoe, and H. P. of Roaring Springs; Mrs. Alma Woods of Strathmore, Calif.; Mrs. Ethel Jones of Modesto, Calif.; Mrs. Loys Basham of Stockton, Calif.; Mrs. M. O. Guinn of Medford, Ore. (formerly of Roaring Springs); Mrs. Ted Shoemaker of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Watts Holley of Dickens.

Other survivors include one sister, Mrs. Sarah Baker of Ozark, Ark.; 33 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

## WHITEFLAT CLUB TO HOLD 42 PARTY

The Whiteflat Home Demonstration club will hold a 42 party, Tuesday, January 16, at 7:30 p. m. at the club room in the school house.

Everyone is invited and those attending are requested to bring tables and dominoes. Admission will be 35c each person. Refreshments will be served. It was further announced.

## 4-H GIRLS MEET

The Matador 4-H Club girls met in regular meeting, Wednesday, January 3. Miss Marie Rea gave a demonstration on "Your Best Color". Sixty-five girls were present. Next meeting will be January 17, with the leaders in charge.

## Drive Prepared For Higher Polio Quota

### FREDDIE WELLING IS REELECTED CHIEF BY MATADOR FIREMEN

Freddie Welling of the West Texas Utilities Company service department was again named chief of the Matador Volunteer Fire Department, at the regular meeting held last week.

Chief Welling succeeds himself to hold the department's top office for four times. Election is by members of the department, for terms of one year.

Names of other officials of the volunteer fire fighting organization named at the recent election were not available.

In entering his second consecutive administration, Chief Welling declared the department will increase its training policy to more rigid practices and cooperate with other communities in this area. He said plans are being made for participation with neighboring towns in preparation to combat possible unusual emergencies.

### REV. H. M. WELDON FORMER PASTOR DIES AT ABILENE

Friends in this community were grieved Saturday when word was received here advising of the death of Rev. H. M. Weldon, 60, former pastor of the Matador First Baptist Church.

Rev. Weldon had been pastor of the Temple Baptist Church of Abilene for the past two years, and died in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, Friday at 7:30 p. m. He had undergone an operation on Thursday.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Sunday in Abilene at the Southside Baptist Church. The Rev. Henry Littleton, district missionary from Lueders, Rev. W. C. Asiford of Southside Church, and Rev. J. Dee Cates, pastor of Sweetwater Westside Church, officiated. Rev. Cates, who surrendered to the ministry under Rev. Weldon's pastorate, sang one of Rev. Weldon's favorite hymns in the service, and pallbearers were eight young preachers who had also surrendered under Rev. Weldon's ministry. Burial was in the Cedar Hill cemetery under direction of Elliot Funeral home.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Bill Farris of Albuquerque, N. M., and Miss Kay Weldon of Abilene; two sisters, Mrs. T. A. Thorn of Abilene and Mrs. Jim Truitt of Tyler; six brothers: Newton of Shamrock, A. I. and Marvin of Abilene, David of Clyde, Sherrod of Dallas, and Fred Weldon of Carlsbad, Texas.

### Born In Louisiana

A Baptist minister for 35 years Rev. Weldon was well-known (continued on back page)

### Firemen Hold Quail Supper

Almost unlimited quantities of "deep fried" quail were served last night to members of the Matador Volunteer Fire Department, their wives and families, members of the city council and visitors.

The excellent menu also included hot rolls, vegetable salad, French-fried potatoes and coffee. The food was prepared by the City Bakery and served in the rear of the establishment.

Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. James Meador, Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wason, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wason, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Welling, Bryan Martin, Calvin Monk, O. V. Johnson and Douglas Meador.

### Doctors, Dentists To Register For Selective Service

Special registration for doctors and dentists under the age of 50 has been set for Jan. 15th, according to a notice received by County Clerk Pat Sheridan from the Selective Service Board 45 at Plainview.

Those eligible for this registration under the law, are requested to do so at the courthouse on the date set.

### Jack Norman Named Campaign Chairman

A DRIVE for the largest polio quota ever attempted by Motley county will be launched Monday. County Chairman Jack Norman, local manager of the West Texas Utilities company, said the quota is set for \$2,000, as compared with \$1,750 goal attained last year and will amount to about 40¢ per capita of the county's approximate 5,000 population. The per capita quota last year was about 35¢.

The county's increased ratio is approximately the increased national ratio, Mr. Norman declared. Infantile Paralysis was fatal to many and crippled thousands during the past 12 months.

Assisting Mr. Norman in the drive will be the following community chairmen: Matador, Vance Gilbreath and U. L. Willie; Whiteflat and Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Varner McWilliams; Roaring Springs, Leslie Smith; Floreat, Mrs. L. B. Turner; Northfield, Tom Fulgham; and Matador and Roaring Springs colored citizens, R. C. Barrett.

### Care Is Expensive

While a large sum has been set aside and is being spent for research (and advancement is being made) most of the money from the 1951 drive will be spent in aiding children who are victims of the disease. Treatment is long and expensive.

Mr. Norman said that every polio victim has received treatment since 1938. Hospitals have thrown open their doors. The National Foundation has provided transportation from one hospital to another and it has provided funds for training nurses and doctors in polio treatment. Four out of five polio victims require assistance from a source other than the family.

### Coffee On The House

Starting at 7 a. m. Monday morning and continuing through the drive, it will be possible to receive a cup of coffee on the house in four of Matador's five cafes, and at both drug stores. You may pay a dollar or a dime for it. Whatever amount you pay will go to the county polio fund.

Waybourn's cafe will contribute all the money from coffee sales on Monday, Jan. 15; Stanley Pharmacy, Tuesday, Jan. 16; Daniel's Drug, Saturday, Jan. 20; Bob's Oil Well Cafe, Monday, January 22; Speedy's Drive-In, Thursday, Jan. 25; and Shorty's Cafe, Monday, Jan. 29. The same plan was used by Matador firms last year and was highly successful in raising a substantial amount for the drive. In many instances patrons paid a dollar for a cup of coffee.

A direct appeal is made to every citizen of the county for a generous contribution. Altho the per capita quota is low, it will be next to impossible to make complete solicitations. Mr. Norman said a special committee will solicit citizens able to make large contributions in amounts of \$25, \$50 or more. Last year more than 50 large donors subscribed to the cause.

Most of the nation will contribute through the March of Dimes campaign but Motley county will use the personal solicitation system, Mr. Norman said. "I believe the people in this county are the most generous in the world," he declared. "I believe they are convinced of the urgent need of raising or over-subscribing the county's quota. I know they will not keep money when they realize their keeping it refuses relief from pain and suffering to little children. I know they will give the Texas Way... from the depths of their generous hearts."

### Iron Lung Returned

Motley county's iron lung, obtained through a drive by the Matador Lions club, has been returned and is now on display in the West Texas Utilities Company (continued on back page)

### COTTON CROP HAS 7,440-BALE TOTAL

Motley county's 1950 cotton crop is approximately one fifth the size of the record-breaking crop of 1949 which chalked up a total of 35,000 bales.

County Agent Rufus Emmons said the total ginnings late Tuesday totaled 7,440 bales. Floreat has ginned 1,410 bales, Roaring Springs 2,248 bales, Matador 3,612 bales and Joe Bloodworth's private gin 170 bales (estimate).



**MATADOR TRIBUNE**

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**SURPRISE DINNER**

A surprise birthday dinner was given for Mrs. W. D. Long, Sunday at her home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Eatcliff, Joe and Jim Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Steffey, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Jameson and sons, Jimmie and George, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hall and children, Martha and Albert, Betty Webb and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Birchfield and son Jerry, of Matador and Mrs. Carrie George and son, Zollie, of Flomot.

**Committees Named At Matador Club**

The Matador Club met in the district court room, January 4, for its first meeting this year.

After business discussion, club committees and appointive officers were named, as follows: Mrs. W. D. Lipscomb, Finance and Marketing; Yearbook, Mrs. Sterling Price and Mrs. Fred Simpson; Education, Expansion and Exhibit, Mrs. Ada Ford; 4-H committee, Mrs. Elden Reedy, and Recreation, Mrs. Fred Simpson, Mrs. Elden Reedy and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

The club will serve the Matador Lions club "Ladies Night" banquet in the basement of the Methodist church this evening. Miss Marie Rea, home demonstration agent, met with the club.

**IN APPRECIATION**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many deeds of kindness shown to us during our illness. We are especially grateful for the kindness of the doctor and nurses at Stanley Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pool.

**Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the bids for depository of the funds for County and Schools of Motley county, Texas for the ensuing two years period will be heard by the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Motley county, Texas, at its next regular term, to be held at the courthouse, in Matador, Texas, on Monday, February 12, 1951.

C. W. Giesecke, Jr., County Judge, Motley County, Texas (Publish Jan. 11, 18, 25, 1951)

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MRS. JAMES R. FISH

**Miss Mary Ellen Totten Of Electra Is Bride Of James R. Fish In Recent Rites**

Of interest to friends here is the recent marriage at Electra, Texas of Miss Mary Ellen Totten daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Totten of that place, and Lt. (jg) James Rufus Fish of Corpus Christi, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Farris Fish of Matador.

Rev. Lloyd Lester, pastor, officiated in the double ring ceremony on Thursday, Dec. 21, at 4:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church of Electra.

Mrs. James E. Totten, sister-in-law of the bride, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Francine Fish, Amelia Douglas and Phyllis Howard of Electra; Mrs. Woody Norvell and Miss Pat Hill of Dallas. Suzanne Fish of Electra was junior bridesmaid.

John F. Fish of Dallas, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were James E. Totten, brother of the bride; Bill Lindsey, Billy Ray Wright and Thrall Sheldon of Electra and Glenn

Woodruff of Matador.

The bride, a graduate of Electra High school, is a talented musician and vocalist. She attended Southern Methodist University at Dallas where she was a member of the Chi Omega sorority, the University Choir and chorus opera work-shop. She was also a pledge of the Mu Phi Epsilon, national honorary music fraternity. She has attended Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, during the current semester and has been serving as organist for the First Baptist Church at Electra.

Doctor Fish, a graduate of Matador High school, attended the University of Texas in Austin, Texas Technological College, Lubbock; and graduated from the University of Mississippi School of Medicine and from Southwestern Medical College in Dallas. He affiliated with Delta Sigma Phi social fraternity, Phi Chi medical fraternity

and Alpha Phi Omega, a service fraternity. He is a member of the Wichita County Medical society, since he practiced medicine in Electra for two years prior to Oct. 23, when he was called to active duty with the US Navy Medical Corps in which he has held a reserve commission since 1943. He also is a member of the executive board of the Texas Private Flyers Association. The latter affiliation is in connection with his interest in aviation. He has

owned and operated his own plane as a hobby, and is a licensed pilot.

Following their wedding trip the couple established residence at Corpus Christi, where Lieut. Fish is now in active duty at the US Navy hospital.

**Wedding Guests Listed**

Among the many out-of-town guests who attended the wedding and reception were the bride's maternal grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Rowell and uncle, O. B. Beauchamp of Wichita Falls;

the groom's parents and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Forbis of Afton; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fish and Mrs. Louis R. Wilson Sr., of Dallas; Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Allie F. Nelson and Mr. Irvin H. Nelson of Amarillo; Col. and Mrs. O. G. Pitz of Norfolk, Va.; and Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Wilson, Jr., Fort Worth.

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## Vocational Agriculture At Matador High Features Farm Engineering In Three Classes

Aggie's on M. H. S. campus? Sure we've got them.

Agriculture at M. H. S. is divided into three classes. Vocational Agriculture I is composed of the Freshmen. V. A. II is of Sophomores. Farm Engineering is composed of Juniors and Seniors. V. A. III is not being taught this year due to lack in enrollment.

V. A. I have been studying the fundamentals of Agriculture along with the history of the F. F. A. and parliamentary procedure. The Freshmen spend six hours a week in class lecture and one and a half hours a week in shop.

The Sophomores have completed the study of breeds of Chickens, their diseases and cures, judging of livestock, and a more complicated study of Agriculture. Most of the butchering done by the Agriculture classes is done by this section. This class spends two hours a week in shop.

The work of Farm Engineering consists chiefly of shop work. An average of six hours a week is spent on shop.

Some of the various tools the students taking Agriculture work with are the ten-inch power saw, jig saw, electric sander, wood lathe, forge, drill press, electrical welder, and acetylene cutting torch and welder. Besides the electrical equipment,

there are also various hand tools that are used.

Some of the projects of the students are what-not shelves, desks, chairs, stools, hog and calves feeders, water fountains, tool boxes and other articles which are useful around the farm home.

Each student enrolled in Agriculture is required to have a project for each year's work. These projects are usually pigs, calves, sheep, or crops or something else that will make money. Each student is required to keep an accurate record on his project. Some of the boys carry out summer projects which will give them an extra half credit that can be applied to any non-required subject.

The barracks on the north side of the M. H. S. campus were purchased in 1948, two years after vocational agriculture was first introduced into the school curriculum. The barracks are also used for veteran's classes.

Mr. Moss, graduate of Texas Tech at Lubbock, came to Matador four years ago. Mrs. Moss is the former June Pope of Matador and they have one son, Joe Dick. Mr. Moss, in addition to being agriculture teacher and F. F. A. sponsor, is an asset to the community and school.

The Matador Chapter of Future Farmers of America was first chartered in 1932 but was

reactivated in 1946. F. F. A. is noted for developing agricultural leadership and citizenship. The motto of F. F. A. is "Learning to Live, Living to Serve", and that is just what our aggies are doing. Their present projects consist of 16 registered gilts, 6 gilts, 21 pigs on feed, 12 lambs, 3 sows with 30 pigs, 11 calves on feed, 150 hens for egg production, and baby chicks will be purchased later. The financial record covering September 1949 to September 1950 projects was as follows: Gross income \$10,779.11, labor income \$4,554.51, and net income \$3,293.26. This represents an average labor income of \$175.17 per boy.

The F. F. A. officers are as follows: President, Charles Keith; Vice-president, Tom Hughes; Treasurer, Kenneth Thompson; Secretary, Grady Phillips; Reporter, Gary Laughlin; Parliamentarian, Jody Graham; Historian, Ronald Hobbs; Sentinel, Watson Townsend; Second vice-president, Jerry Edwards; and Third vice-president, Kenneth Dunning.

—M. H. S.—

## MAVERICKS PLAY WHIRLWINDS HERE

Both cage teams from Floydada Grade school met the Grade school teams from Matador here Friday, January 5th.

The local Grade school boys team defeated the Floydada team by a score of 35-27. Chapman from Floydada was high point man of the game with 17 points. C. H. Murphy was the local's high pointer with sixteen points.

The Floydada girls team won by a margin of two points in a very close game. The final score read 12-10 in favor of Floydada. On Thursday afternoon the grade school team scrimmaged the High school Freshman team and lost by two points as they came out on the small end of a 23-21 score. Ray Carman was the Freshman's high pointer while Billy Phillips was the high point man for the grade school.

—M. H. S.—  
 Salesman: "We have a car that will climb any hill."

Motorist: "I don't doubt it. The one you sold me last year was over ambitious and tried to climb a tree."

—M. H. S.—  
 He: Well, what do you think of the wide open spaces?  
 She: I never saw such a mouth before, I'll admit.

## My Ideal Girl

(By Pat Reeves)

Hair—Frances  
 Eyes—Marge  
 Complexion—Bette Fran  
 Nose—Letress  
 Teeth—Betty Ruth  
 Smile—Susie  
 Mouth—Bette Fran  
 Hands—Tresa  
 Ears—Betty L.  
 Walk—Tresa  
 Laugh—Letress  
 Feet—Marlene  
 Figure—Minnie Lou  
 Wit—Frances  
 Intelligence—Bette Fran  
 Character—Lois  
 Manners—Carlene  
 Personality—Susie  
 Gen. Appearance—Minnie Lou  
 —M. H. S.—

## Meet A Freshman

Name—Jerry Swarngen  
 Age—15, Weight—140  
 Color of Hair—Brown  
 Color of Eyes—Grey  
 Favorite Food—Chicken  
 Favorite Book—Gridiron Challenge  
 Favorite Movie—Francis  
 Favorite Movie Star—Esther Williams  
 Favorite Sport—Football  
 Favorite Song—The Thing  
 Favorite Color—Red  
 Favorite Study—Agriculture  
 Favorite Comic Strip—Mutt & Jeff  
 Pet Like—Dog  
 Pet Dislike—Cat  
 Pastime—Sleeping  
 Ambition—Football Coach  
 Going to College—Yes  
 Where—A. & M.  
 When Joined Class—1942  
 Hobbies—Collecting Miniature Horses.  
 —M. H. S.—

E is for everybody because we all have to take them.

X is for the marks we find on our paper if we hadn't studied every day.

A is for ambition. We all started with it the first day.

M is for maybe. Maybe we will pass and maybe we won't!

S is for semester exams which are to be here soon.

Here's hoping all of us started out with ambition by studying every day. If we didn't, we will be sorry when those little cards known as report cards come out!

## Campus Chatter

Well here we be again to bring you the gossip for last week. It seems as everybody enjoyed the holidays.

We wonder if Grady enjoyed the preview Saturday night with an ex-senior named Melba. Grady, is this getting to be a habit?

It seems as though Dean had a wonderful time Christmas. Could Daisy Mae have something to do with this?

Jimmy Graham seems to be a freshman that really gets around. It seems as though he is always with someone.

Wow! Who was that good looking guy Carlene was with Saturday night. Could it have been L. C. B.? Well, I think Carlene can finish his name. What about this Carlene?

It seems like Letress had a pretty good time during the holidays. Of course B. F. Y. had something to do with that. Come on, tell us about it, Letress?

Marlene, what is this we hear about you being with another guy Wednesday night. Can't you make up your mind? Joe Allen Thomas???

Betty Jean, Martha, Barbara, and Georgia seem to be spending a lot of time in Floydada. You lose something there, girls?

Say Betty Jean W. really gets around, doesn't she? She even went to Amarillo Saturday!

Looks like Dog has again turned to Roaring Springs! Well?

Dewayne is keeping the road well worn to Paducah these days! Good going, Pistol!

Bobby, what is this we hear about you sneaking around and borrowing your landlord's razor. I didn't know you had whiskers. Oh! Well I guess it doesn't hurt to get in practice. Who knows you may be able to shave without cutting yourself.

Jerry E. seems to be having a good time at Roaring Springs. I guess we had better look into this.

I wonder why most of the basketball boys wanted to go to Roaring Springs Friday night after workout. I guess it was because of a basketball game.

I wonder if everybody has seen coach's new paddle, or

should I say has everybody tried it out. From what I hear it's pretty good.

Well I guess that is all for this time, and I hope everybody made good grades on their mid-term exams.

—M. H. S.—

## JOKE COLUMN

"What did Watson say when Jerry called him a liar?"

"Nothin' much."

"That's funny. Watson used to be a hot-tempered man."

"Well, he never said a word except 'have you had enough yet?'"

—M. H. S.—

Miss Johnson: What days of the year are more dear to us, Neal?

Neal: Christmas and the middle of April.

Miss Johnson: The middle of April? Why what happens then?

Neal: Gee, don't you know? That's the time when baseball season opens.

## S. M. U. To Dedicate School Of Theology

DALLAS—Dedication of the seven-building, \$3,500,000 Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University will be held Feb. 8, climaxing

Ministers' Week scheduled to begin February 5.

At the same time the first official homecoming for alumni and ex-students of the Perkins school will bring to the campus hundreds of ministers in the Southwest.

The dedication ceremonies will mark the first time that an entire separate plant for a theology school has been constructed on one time, SMU officials believe.

A record attendance of Methodist churchmen from all over the U. S. is expected for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wright of Ervin, were visitors here Friday and Saturday in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berryman.

Mrs. Price Hennan of Albuquerque, N. M., has been visiting here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Patton and other relatives.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

**Friendship—Four Thousand Miles Apart**

Never quite got the hang of how to play chess myself, but I'll say this for the game—it started one of the strongest friendships I know of: between Dad Wilson in our town and a fellow in Sudbury, England.

From where I sit, you can talk about diplomacy and foreign policy, but it's often little friendly things—like a game of chess or a glass of beer—that can make for tolerance and understanding... between people of different nations, between folks here at home!

Joe Marsh

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF First State Bank**

of Matador, Motley County, Texas, at the close of business December 30, 1950, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

| ASSETS  |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection | \$1,231,458.68        |
| United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed   | 1,787,856.70          |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions  | 94,736.33             |
| Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)                               | 3,000.00              |
| Loans and discounts (including \$2,630.88 overdrafts)   | 410,310.10            |
| Bank premises owned \$17,000,000, furniture and fixtures \$6,000.00                                 | 23,000.00             |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>   | <b>\$3,550,361.81</b> |
| LIABILITIES   |                       |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations                                      | \$3,164,482.81        |
| Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)                                     | 11,260.91             |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions   | 226,604.33            |
| <b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>   | <b>\$3,402,348.05</b> |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)</b>                       | <b>\$3,402,348.05</b> |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS  |                       |
| Capital*  | \$50,000.00           |
| Surplus   | 50,000.00             |
| Undivided profits   | 41,013.76             |
| Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)   | 7,000.00              |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>   | <b>\$148,013.76</b>   |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>   | <b>\$3,550,361.81</b> |

\*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00

**MEMORANDA**

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$170,000.00

I, Elmer Stearns, Executive Vice-President, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Elmer Stearns.

Correct—Attest: C. D. Bird  
 R. Stapleton Directors  
 J. C. Burlison

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(Notary's seal) Clint Hicks  
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### Nostradamus Says May 10th Will Be Fateful Day In 1951; Also Foretold Korean Conflict

A bearded old character named Nostradamus is on the ball with his predictions for 1951, it's good year to just stay in bed. His most dismal prediction pinpoints May 10 as a day for any reasonably sensible fellow to take his head under the pillow. Nostradamus says it'll go down in history as one of the most fateful and decisive days the world has ever known. And the schedule of events includes tidal waves and great stones falling in the air.

Nostradamus wrote this unpleasant world horoscope back in the year 1555. But he has an earnest disciple in Henry C. Roberts, a New York author and dealer in rare books. Hank has been translating the ambiguous predictions of Nostradamus for a quarter century. They're written in an ancient form of French and in vague verse, to make it all the more difficult. But Roberts says he has been able to decipher the messages just the same.

Six months before World War II ended, Roberts says he named the exact date for V-J day, as predicted in the ancient writings of the 16th century philosopher.

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Then Roberts came right back—in the fall of 1946—to predict that Harry Truman would be elected President in his own right. Four months before election day, when everyone was already calling Thomas Dewey "Mr. President," Roberts was invited to come in off his limb. He refused, claiming that what was good enough for Nostradamus in 1555 was good enough for him in 1948.

It turned out to be good enough for the voters, too, and boosted the nation's faith in Roberts and "Nosty" quite a bit. Roberts also found time to predict the Korean rumpus in the recollections of Nostradamus.

So maybe that's reason enough at least to listen when Henry relays this sad bit of advice from the 16th century's man with a crystal ball.

Nineteen-fifty-one will be the year in which an Asiatic empire will be destroyed, as a result of the Korean war. It will also mark the end of the British empire, with Scotland taking over the supremacy of the British Isles.

"There's not much good news in that, for a fact," Roberts says, "but that doesn't mean Nostradamus was morbid. In the long view he saw eventual peace on earth and good will toward man."

Trouble is, you'll have to be the hardy type to enjoy it. According to Nostradamus calculations, there is going to be a United States of the World, with national boundaries erased and all men living as freely together as we now live in the USA. But it isn't scheduled to happen until the year 2000.

The present war situation is

the big final blowup that will make all nations come together, Roberts says, "but nothing can prevent the purging period from coming about first."

Your children or children's children will enjoy life, if that's any comfort to you. Roberts says Nostradamus foresaw that the year 2000 will disclose the full secrets of cosmic energy—and man will become so proficient he will work only one hour a day to make his daily bread.

Roberts says he gets constant phone calls and letters from nervous individuals who fear that the end of the world is near and want to know whether Nostradamus ever predicted a wash-out.

He did, all right. But don't cancel your magazine subscriptions. Nostradamus figured it for the year 3797.

"Lots of people laugh at Nostradamus and at me for trying to guess his riddle-predictions," Henry says, "but they stop laughing when I get a chance to prove to them how right the old boy has been."

Roberts says that, way back in 1940, he said he'd discovered where Nostradamus had predicted scientists would one day change mercury into gold. It was an old and familiar prediction and Roberts was ignored when he said it was about to come true.

Then, Henry says, "the experts using the cyclotron took pure mercury and changed its molecular construction. The result was gold."

"That," says Roberts, "is why I never worry. I won't be here by the year 3797 and I have all the proof I need that the world's going to last longer than I am."

Mr. and Mrs. Ober Johnson and children, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Hobbs and granddaughter, Judy, visited in Sudan Friday, with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McAdams.

### Grim Record Set By Polio Cases In Texas During 1950

Texas wound up 1950 by setting a grim new record in polio incidence—2778 cases for the year.

Never before in state history have so many cases been reported during a 12-month period. Eight cases occurred during the last week in December.

That in itself is significant, for not a single week passed that didn't see at least one case of the so-called hot weather disease being diagnosed in some part of the State.

The total 1949 incidence of the dreaded disease reached 2355 cases, establishing a record up to that time. But there were 53 weeks in 1949 instead of the normal 52, and that figure includes cases occurring all 53 weeks.

Two hundred and 3 counties out of the state's 254 were involved in the 1949 outbreak. That's comparable to the 201 counties which experienced polio in 1950.

The counties of Coleman, Harris, Jefferson, McCulloch, Tarrant, Nueces, and Tom Green each reported a single case of polio the last week of the year. A Veterans Administration hospital had one case as the year ended, bringing the total for the week to 8 from all sources.

The disease reached its peak on August 12, when 131 Texans fell ill. That marked the greatest single weekly incidence ever to be reported.

At that time State Health Officer George W. Cox ruefully predicted that 3000 cases would be diagnosed before the year ended. He missed his estimate by 222.

Twenty-eight counties had 20 or more cases; ten had more than 50 cases; six had more than 100 cases; and three counties: Dallas, Harris, and Tarrant, had more than 200 cases each. Those three areas represent the most populous regions in Texas.

Early in the polio season, Dr. Cox pledged the facilities "of the entire State Department of Health" to local communities in combatting polio. The health agency's laboratory and field personnel, working in cooperation with civic organizations and local health units, were

credited with keeping the epidemic from reaching even greater proportions.

State health department death records show 201 polio deaths through the first 11 months of 1950, and 192 deaths from that cause during all of 1949. Complete death figures are not yet available for December, a department spokesman said.

### Many Attractions Slated For '51 In Palo Duro Park

CANYON, Texas—January attendance at Palo Duro Canyon State Park zoomed to 110,050 persons who came in 29,061 cars, trucks or busses in 1950. The 1949 attendance was 85,336 and the 1948 attendance was 51,448.

The estimate for 1951, barring gas rationing, is placed at 150,000 despite a slackening in tourist traffic noted since the fighting began in Korea. One of the reasons for the expected gain is the announcement by Guy Lott, District Highway Engineer, that the park road contract is to be let January 23-24. Another is the increased public use and acceptance of the park and its activities. Christmas Tree Canyon, a program of Christmas lighting and music from December 15 to January 1, drew large and appreciative crowds.

The Sunrise Easter Services, Treasure Hunt, Summer Theater, Summer concerts, Coon hunts, and other special events attract increasingly larger crowds each year. Pavement of an eight and one-half mile park drive into the Canyon is expected by some to double the attendance.

Longhorn Steers and Buffaloes have recently been added to the list of attractions at the park. A paid of Elk and additional deer are in prospect for the coming year.

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Park Officials plan to concentrate on improvement of picnic facilities, horseback and hiking trails, and the activities program in 1951. Plans are being made also to fit the park into the recreational needs of the Air Force and Defense Personnel in this area.

### Former Resident Author Of Song

Mrs. Clyde Lancaster of Lovington, New Mexico, the former Ernestine McWilliams of Matador, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McWilliams of this place, has just received copies of sheet music which she has had published.

Mrs. Lancaster is the author of the words and music of a song

published under the title of "Well I Know".

She has written both words and music of several other songs but "Well I Know" is the first attempt to have one published.

Critics have told Mrs. Lancaster that this music may make a hit with both old and young, as it has a "catchy air".

Mrs. Lancaster is a 1947 graduate of Matador High school, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams, now of Dallas. She received her musical training from Mrs. Homer Kingery of Roaring Springs, and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster visited here last week with friends and relatives, during the holidays.

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## County Treasurer's Report

REPORT OF VELMA FULFER, COUNTY TREASURER OF MOTLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM OCT. 1, 1950 TO JAN. 1, 1951, INCLUSIVE:

**Jury Fund**

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950       | \$2,571.29 |
| To Amount received since last Report          | \$6,108.21 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A" | \$2,439.73 |
| Amount to Balance January 1, 1951             | \$6,239.77 |
| Balance                                       | \$8,679.50 |

**Permanent Improvement Fund**

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950       | \$2,432.51  |
| To Amount received since last Report          | \$10,180.34 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B" | \$2,080.35  |
| Amount to Balance Jan. 1, 1951                | \$10,532.50 |
| Balance                                       | \$12,612.85 |

**General County Fund**

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950       | \$10,558.68 |
| To Amount received since last Report          | \$14,578.98 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C" | \$10,910.63 |
| Amount to Balance January 1, 1951             | \$14,227.03 |
| Balance                                       | \$25,137.66 |

**Road & Bridge Fund, No. 1**

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950     | \$1,697.21 |
| To Amount received since last Report        | \$3,113.90 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. " | \$2,560.35 |
| Amount to Balance January 1, 1951           | \$2,250.76 |
| Balance                                     | \$4,811.11 |

**Road & Bridge Fund, No. 2**

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950     | \$5,313.81 |
| To Amount received since last Report        | \$3,434.57 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. " | \$4,439.07 |
| Amount to Balance January 1, 1951           | \$4,309.31 |
| Balance                                     | \$8,748.38 |

**Road & Bridge Fund, No. 3**

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950     | \$2,973.08 |
| To Amount received since last Report        | \$2,307.67 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. " | \$2,328.40 |
| Amount to Balance January 1, 1951           | \$2,952.35 |
| Balance                                     | \$5,280.75 |

**Road & Bridge Fund, No. 4**

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Balance last Report, Filed Oct. 1, 1950       | \$2,245.12 |
| To Amount received since last Report          | \$2,596.85 |
| By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "D" | \$1,856.28 |
| Amount to Balance January 1, 1951             | \$2,985.69 |
| Balance                                       | \$4,841.97 |

**Recapitulation**

|   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| Balance in each Fund and its indebtedness | Oct. 1, 1950 to Jan. 1, 1951 |
| Jury Fund                                 | 2,571.29                     |
| Permanent Improvement Fund                | 2,432.51                     |
| General County Fund                       | 10,558.68                    |
| Road and Bridge Fund No. 1                | 1,697.21                     |
| Road and Bridge Fund No. 2                | 5,313.81                     |
| Road and Bridge Fund No. 3                | 2,973.08                     |
| Road and Bridge Fund No. 4                | 2,245.12                     |
| Banking Fund No. 2                        | 10.13                        |
| Banking Fund No. 3                        | 405.56                       |
| Banking Fund No. 4                        | 999.22                       |
| Banking Fund No. 5                        | 3,690.25                     |
| Banking Fund No. 8                        | 26.66                        |
| Banking Fund No. 9                        | 1,405.81                     |
| Banking Fund No. 10                       | 2,110.15                     |
| Banking Fund No. 11                       | 2,184.51                     |
| Banking Fund No. 13                       | 3,009.22                     |
| Jury Fund                                 | 3,122.82                     |
| Motley County Lateral Road Fund           | 2,613.33                     |
|   | 6,239.77                     |
|   | 10,532.50                    |
|   | 14,227.03                    |
|   | 2,250.76                     |
|   | 4,309.31                     |
|   | 2,952.35                     |
|   | 2,985.69                     |
|   | 10.13                        |
|   | 405.56                       |
|   | 999.22                       |
|   | 3,690.25                     |
|   | 26.66                        |
|   | 7,920.41                     |
|   | 5,367.87                     |
|   | 4,862.01                     |
|   | 4,538.69                     |
|   | 5,948.53                     |
|   | 1,306.67                     |

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## Home Demonstration NOTES

(By Marie Rea, HD Agent)

To you who cannot keep up with extension work in Motley county these things will be interesting to know. We will start with the Home Demonstration Clubs and tell you about their accomplishments.

Whiteflat HD Club decided January of 1950 that they needed a club room. The old school house was unused so they took one of the rooms in the building to furnish a club room and another small room in the building to fix up a kitchen. The club room is used for the Home Demonstration club meetings, their parties and the community uses the club room for parties to benefit the community. If you have never been to the club room you should go out to one of their parties, if for no other reason, to see what the women have accomplished. Of course, the women did not do all the work, but it was a job to get the men over to put out the labor.

Now we shall go over to Roaring Springs and see what they are doing. Also in January of 1950, the Roaring Springs HD club decided to fix their city park to benefit the children who did not have a play ground in their own backyard. The women got the ground cleaned off and made up the money to order playground equipment for the park and as time goes on they will eventually get that equipment up and show Roaring Springs they can complete a project that will be beneficial to their small town.

Over to Flomot we go and there we find that the ladies quilted 3 quilts and gave them to children's homes. These ladies sacrificed their time to benefit those who needed their help. Also the Flomot Club built a stone arch and fence for the Flomot Cemetery as a tribute to

those who lost their lives in the last war.

Now, just a little farther down the road we find the Folley HD Club rented some land and planted peanuts. After the peanuts started growing along came the dreaded things we call weeds. But the club ladies batted not an eye and went to work to clean that field of all the weeds. Then came time to harvest the peanuts the ladies went over to their patch and pulled up the peanuts and then hired someone to harvest them. We will not say they got rich from this patch of peanuts but we will say they put money into their treasury.

Now these are some examples of the accomplishments of the different Home Demonstration Clubs and we want you to know a little about 4-H club work.

Beginning in January last year the girls started making little dresses and at the close of March a dress revue was given. There were around 25 or 30 girls who completed their dresses and entered in the dress revue. Just a few months later the Lions Club and the Home Demonstration Council gave a baby show and the proceeds went into a fund to send all girls who entered the dress revue to the Dallas State Fair in October. Thirteen of these girls got to go to the State Fair.

Alma Reed of the Flomot 4-H Club won first place in Motley county and entered her dress at A. and M. College. Alma didn't win anything at the College but had many interesting experiences and is determined to go back this year to take away the honors. I think we owe our 4-H Club girls a salute and we also owe them encouragement.

These are only a part of what the extension work is in this county. First of all our women studied about the living room, purpose of living room, lighting your living room, furniture selection, making lamps and lampshades, and floor finishes.

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## Social Activities



MR. AND MRS. W. F. McCAGHREN, Jr.

### OLETA BROGDON, W. F. McCAGHREN, JR. WED RECENTLY IN CEREMONY AT AMARILLO

A recent marriage of interest to their many friends in this and adjoining communities, was that of Miss Oleta Brogdon and W. F. McCaghen, Jr., which occurred on Christmas Eve, Sunday, Dec. 24, 1950 at the home of the groom's aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards of 4213 Parker St., in Amarillo.

The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. E. W. Hattchett, pastor of the Pierce Street Baptist Church, Amarillo, with an arrangement of pink gladioli on the mantel for a background. Attending the couple as best man and matron of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brogdon

Then the women studied about the cereal breads and used them in cooking meals for their families. The girls studied clothing and cereal breads. All of these studies were interesting and should be of great help to the women, the girls and the citizens of Motley county.

of Lubbock, brother and sister-in-law of the bride.

Mrs. Joe Yannis, soloist, offered "I Love You Truly" and "Because", and pre-nuptial selections and the wedding marches were played by her accompanist, Mrs. Holms.

The bride wore an ankle-length wedding gown of white satin, fashioned with a yoke of nylon marquisette outlined with a ruffle. Her finger-tip veil of illusion was attached to a coronet of seed pearls, and she carried a bouquet of gardenias, tied with white satin streamers, atop a white Bible.

Mrs. Brogdon's dress was floor length, of pink taffeta, and she wore a pink net halo headdress. Her corsage was of white carnations.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brogdon of Matador, formerly of Flomot. She graduated from Flomot High School as an honor student,

and since September has been employed in Amarillo.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCaghen, Sr., of Matador. He was born and reared here, and following his graduation from Matador High School in 1948, he attended and graduated from San Angelo Junior College. He is now a student at West Texas State College, Canyon, and they will make their home at Canyon while he is in school. In contrast to customary traditions usually carried out by the bride, the bridegroom's attire included "something old and borrowed", the article being his father's wedding tie.

#### Reception Held

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held for the bridal party and wedding guests.

The wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, centered the lace covered dining table. At one end was a floral arrangement of gladioli, and at the other end was a crystal punch service. Mrs. Brogdon served the cake and Mrs. L. L. Mahagan, aunt of the bride, poured.

Guests attending the wedding and reception included Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mahagan, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yannis, Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Carpenter and children, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Vandergriff,

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and Mrs. Ben Ratliff of Amarillo; the groom's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCaghen and Sue, and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Watson of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Damron of Canadian, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Townsen of Mt. Vernon, Illinois.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

## PARTY ENJOYED BY PARENTS-TEACHERS

The Matador Parent-Teacher Association enjoyed a social hour which followed a short business meeting, Monday night, Jan. 8, in the Homemaking room at the high school, with friends and husbands as guests.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Harold Campbell, and group singing of old familiar songs followed, with Mrs. L. D. Wilkerson leading and Mrs. Johnny Stevens at the piano. A quartet composed of four mothers, Mesdames Jake Edwards, Freddy Welling, R. E. Campbell, Jr., and Bill Pipkin, sang four numbers, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart", "Shanty In Old Shanty Town", "Winter Wonderland" and "In The Garden", accompanied by Mrs. Stevens, who also entertained during the evening with piano selections.

Refreshments of cake, hot tea and coffee were served by the hostesses: Mrs. Bill Waybourn and Mrs. Ted Steen, and games of canasta and 42 were played. Approximately 41 members and guests attended, and Miss Verlin Reeves' second grade had the largest number of friends and parents present.

#### ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Colvin of Dallas are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Cathy Lou, weight 6 1/2 pounds, who was born Dec. 27, 1950. The mother will be remembered as the former Marietta McCarty of this place. Friends here learned of the new arrival through correspondence with the maternal grandmother, Mrs. L. D. McCarty, formerly of Matador, now of Dallas.

## NEW OFFICERS OF HD CLUB PRESIDE

New officers of the Whiteflat Home Demonstration club presided at the organization's first meeting of the year, Friday, January 4, with 11 members and the Home Demonstration agent, Miss Marie Rea, present.

Miss Rea gave an interesting pep talk on new resolutions, and refreshments of fruit salad, rice and olives, coffee and tea were served by Mrs. Wilson Barton, to: Mesdames Bob Martin, Roy Mitchell, J. W. Pritchett, Malcolm Jameson, Varner McWilliams, L. A. Carlisle, Tom Tilson and Alfred Watson, and Misses Melba Jameson and Marie Rea.

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DECEMBER 31, 1950

#### Assets

|   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| Loans and interest  | \$543,734.59        |
| Government Bonds and Interest                                   | 260,123.98          |
| Cash  | 62,022.85           |
| Buildings and Real Estate, Furniture, Equipment and Automobiles | 3,225.05            |
| Other Assets  | 365.00              |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>   | <b>\$869,471.47</b> |

#### Liabilities

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Money Due Federal Intermediate Credit Bank | \$544,171.28        |
| Provision for Taxes                        | 932.62              |
| Other Liabilities                          | 643.60              |
| Class A Capital Stock                      | 87,650.00           |
| Class B Capital Stock                      | 129,835.00          |
| Surplus                                    | 91,303.15           |
| Provision for Bad Debts                    | 14,935.82           |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>                   | <b>\$869,471.47</b> |
| Total Amount of Loans Made 1950            | \$2,186,435.00      |

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**Roaring Springs NEWS**

By Mrs. L. E. Cooper

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Cross moved to Plainview Saturday, where he will be employed by the Joe Murrell Furniture company.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Crouch of Killeen were here recently, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gwinn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall and son, of Morton visited here recently with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall.

Mrs. Hubert Murphy of Shreveport, La., visited here Monday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cooper and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Box and children, and Lewis Hodgins of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Norton and children of Snyder, spent the week-end here with their mother, Mrs. Lewis Hodgins.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Swim and children have returned to their home in Bellflower, Calif., after a holiday visit here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith had as week-end guests, a nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Davis and son, Danny, of Dallas, and his mother, Mrs. D. A. Davis of Lubbock; also Mike Anderson of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Martin and children, Peggy and Gordon returned Friday from a holiday visit with her sisters, Mesdames Marie Loftis and Cleo Schoolcraft, also a brother, Lester Griffith, at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Loys Basham of Strathmore, Calif. and Mr. Bryan Love and children of Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. Hoyt Keahy of Carmel, Ill. and Mrs. Alvis Hicks of Kerrville, have been called here by the illness of their father, E. W. Basham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fletcher, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim, sr. also Miss Lula Mae Swim, returned Friday from San Diego, and Los Angeles, Calif., where they have been visiting.

**RELATIVES ARE VISITORS**

Miss Bessie L. Medlin entertained at her home at Roaring Springs during the week-end, with a house party for her brother and sisters and their families. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Medlin of Floydada their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson and daughters, Mary Lynn and Sharon, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ely, with their daughter and grandson, Mrs. R. M. Phillips and Billy Mark, all of Snyder; Mrs. A. B. Cranston of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Carpenter of Lufkin; Mrs. W. K. Bagley of Canyon; and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Henderson of Claremont, Calif.

**VISITING MOTHER**

Visiting here at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. C. E. Harris, are Mrs. Shelly O. Turner of Beaumont and Mrs. Allen Drake of Orange, Texas. Mrs. Harris, Tuesday was conveyed to her home at Whiteflat, from Tra-week Hospital, where she has been a patient since Christmas Eve when she suffered a heart attack. Mrs. Harr's wishes to express appreciation to the doctors.

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**"TREASURE ISLAND"** starring Bobby Driscoll, Robert Newton  
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and nurses at the hospital, and also to her friends who have visited her and sent cards and flowers during her illness.

**REV. WELDON ...**

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throughout this area. He and his wife observed their silver wedding anniversary on Dec. 31. Henry M. Weldon was born Jan. 7, 1891, in Vernon Parish, La., and moved to Hood County, Texas, when he was a boy. He began his studies for the ministry when he was 23, spending two years at Burleson College in Greenville, and then attending Simmons College at Abilene. In 1925 he received a B. A. degree and entered Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth, where he received a bachelor of theology degree in 1929. His first pastorate after leaving the seminary was Lamar Street Church in Sweetwater. From there he went to Carlsbad, N. M., where he was pastor two years, then to Matador and

Albany, where he served as pastor for 10 years. In 1948 he was called to the Temple Baptist Church in Abilene. He had been moderator and district president and head of the Leuvers Campment.


**DRIVE PREPARED ...**

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