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RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



...kicking the shins of my inferiority complex, I find it difficult to maintain a factory degree of dignity in a muddy pink rayon suit. I retain an obsession squinting eyes are following a fragile handkerchief flutter from hand.

...that the fever of many summers is gone from the and the blistering winds are in their red ovens, the earth has prepared her trousers and waits beside the portal. Thick carpets of flowers in paradise, lie across the and follow the golden path of sun. Purple and crimson hang motionless in the air from the sky's arched with the blue smoke of altars drifting in a languid Water stands in the narrow flumes that divide alleys, like rich oil for the of hope; the mesquites bend trees may bow in prayer. Splendor is cooled in a matrix of night and plated silver poured out of the of a white moon. Blossoming like tall, unlighted candles above the lush floor of a cathedral is arranged the arrival of angels.

...general stupidity usually the endorsement of accents who accept evident. However certain instances that reflect the more than the intervention of fate that made it possible for me to through most of the tricky between life's various past. It remained for my boot- friend to point out the fact that leather from a is more water-repellent than from a horsehide. I have many a rough cow out of on a summer day, leaving a lather of sweat, while the animal looked at me by her hide perfectly dry. It ever occurred to me that a must have tiny hole in its perspiration.

...photographs are moments of the past which have been and returned like dried brought back to the shaggy which shed them in a forgo-tum wind.

...Cupid's prestidigitator from the cheaper seats, it is evident that the heart's also frequently change quickly for detection by the

...in the vortex of change. difficulty in achieving a bal- home from the streets at and with the same power it drive wives out, to distract cause them to lose the of conversation.

...causes some men to place on their dream ships anchored in harbours that are by close and towering; wind is more vital than

...lantern-jawed cowboy remarked in my hearing the need for religion first in a country and during an when men were forced to considerable dealings with

...willing horse feels the bit often than one which must be by whip and spur, but the eats of a fuller measure with greater frequency.

...the night has wrapped its blanket of stars under the of a sleeping world and ex- the white Neon moon horizon bracket of shadowy great tide rises from the of peace. Silent clouds pass long, strange journeys there is a faint sound in the like the beating of many hearing restless dreams of in eternity who no longer hope.

Rattlers Can Kill Quickly

That rattlesnakes can be deadly and that their poison can act very quickly is reaffirmed by a report of a Texas Game Warden. While patrolling near Pearsall recently the warden saw a large calf reach down to take a bite of grass. Jump and then run toward him. The calf dropped within 10 feet of the warden after running 72 paces and was dead within five minutes. Two cowboys nearer the calf than the warden when it was struck found a six and a half foot black diamond rattler which had fourteen rattlers. The warden killed it. The snake evidently had not struck at anything for some time and its poison sacs were filled with venom. The warden's report concluded: "It is not because boots are pretty that the Southwest Texas game warden wants to wear them while patrolling." State Observer

3D COWBOY RITES ARE HELD HERE

Funeral services were held here Saturday afternoon for Morris Sheppard Harrington, 29, cowboy on the Waggoner 3D ranch, who was drowned in East Coffee creek, south of Vernon early Thursday morning. He was a brother to Mrs. H. H. Courtney of Matador and a former resident of Motley county. He was unmarried.

Details of the tragedy reached Matador Friday, when a 24-hour search for the missing cowboy, ended with the finding of his body still submerged in a 15-foot water hole, his saddle horse standing near by. The body was recovered by M. L. Baker, a Waggoner cowboy, by diving into the water-hole. It is believed the cowboy lost his life when his horse stepped off a low bluff into the hole, probably falling and causing the rider to dismount or be thrown from his saddle. His watch had stopped at 6:42, which was but a short time after the cowboys had started on the day's drive.

Well Known In County
Morris Sheppard Harrington was born at Ozona, Texas, May 19, 1912. He had lived at Northfield for about three years before starting the work on cattle ranches and later worked for the Matador Land and Cattle Company here for three years. During the time he worked at the Matador ranch Turtle Hole line camp for one year and spent several months at the Red Lake line camp, and was employed as a cowboy with the range wagon the remainder of the time.

Cowboys from ranches over this entire section attended the (See HARRINGTON Back Page)

Station Has New Managers

A deal was culminated last week whereby Jess Stafford of Matador and Johnnie Seale of Roaring Springs purchased the Clements Service Station one block west of Main street on Highway 70. The station has been operated for some time by W. W. Clements.

Mrs. Henry Martin has accepted the management of Jesse's Cafe of which Mr. Stafford retains ownership, but will devote his time to interests in the filling station.

Both Mr. Stafford and Mr. Seale extend a cordial invitation to their friends and the public to visit them in their new enterprise. Motorists are assured of the same efficient and courteous service as in the past. Magnolia products will be featured and special attention will be given to washing and greasing work.

ATTEND OES MEETING
Mrs. Thelma Dirickson, Worthy Matron of Matador Eastern Star lodge, accompanied Mrs. G. E. Hamilton to Childress Monday, where they attended meetings held by the Childress chapter.

Cotton Stamps Will Bring Added Business To County

Mary Ellen Barton Wins Prize Saddle

Mary Ellen Barton, graduate of the Matador high school class of '41, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Barton of Flomot, rode into Floydada's Pioneer's Reunion as Flomot's sponsor Wednesday and returned home with first prize in the sponsor's contest, a fine saddle valued at more than \$100.



Meeting all competition of riding queens in this territory, Miss Barton suffered no serious chances of defeat, in the estimation of rodeo followers in this county who have witnessed her performances with the rope and in the saddle. She is without question one of the most able horsewomen in this section of Texas and has caused many a seasoned cowboy to wonder about his own ability after watching her ride and rope.

A large number of Motley county residents attended the rodeo and reunion in the neighboring city in celebration of Floyd county's 51st birthday. Record crowds attended all the various functions planned for the occasion, despite the unfavorable weather prevailing last week.

Miss Reatha Rayne Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. (Bob) Robertson of Matador, another strong contender for honors to cowgirls of this section, received fourth place in the contest as sponsor for Matador.

Farmers Continue Field Pest Battle

War is being waged on many fronts in Motley county as farmers strive to control the hoards of destructive army worms and parachute troops of grasshoppers, seeking to "protect" small grain and young row crops from the "aggression" of harvest.

Late yesterday a total of more than 4,000 pounds of poison-mix had been released to farmers and more requests are expected within the next week as the vast numbers of small grasshoppers move toward the fields, according to Joe B. Meador, in charge of the poison distribution station, located at the Farmers Cooperative Gin seed house.

Much benefit from the use of poison is being reported as farmers declare they are finding large numbers of dead worms and hoppers in their fields after the poison has been distributed.

Mr. Meador said that a new poison price scale had been arranged for the cut-worm bait, whereby the farmer is required to pay only the cost of syrup used in the poison mix.

Reports from every community indicate that farmers will find much use for poison in controlling field pests, expected to move to the fields as row crops advance. Some farmers declare that they believe grasshoppers may appear in greater numbers than in 1938 when they threatened much of the county's row crops.

Lions Club Elects New Officials

Delegates Are Selected For Amarillo Meet

Matador Lions Club elected new officials at the regular meeting held in the basement of the Methodist church, Tuesday, to assume their places at the beginning of the organization's fiscal year, June 17.

Dr. J. S. Stanley was elected president (Boss Lion); Douglas Meador as 1st vice-president; Elmer Stearns 2nd vice-president; W. F. Jacobs and D. E. Pitts one year directors; Henry F. Pipkin and J. Rufus Emmons two year directors; Henry Ford as Tail Twister. The following members were re-elected: J. R. Whitworth as secretary-treasurer; Miss Rachel Patton as Lions Sweetheart and Howard Traweek as Lion Tamer. The election was unanimous upon recommendation of the nominating committee.

Delegates Are Named
Reports were made on the annual clean-up campaign at the Lions Director's breakfast held at the Magnolia Cafe Monday morning, where Boss Lion G. E. Hamilton asked that all residents continue cleaning trash and cutting weeds from their premises. Also reports were made regarding the Scout camporee to be held at Spur July 2-3 in connection with the Scout's swimming meet. It was cited that the meeting at Spur would conflict with plans for the annual New Mexico camping trip planned for the boys. Other business included the deficiency of about \$20 in last year's business (Continued On Back Page)

Final Rites Held For Mrs. P. B. Barton

Mrs. P. B. Barton, 76, died at her home in north Matador at 9:30 Sunday night, victim of an attack of double pneumonia, which had confined her to her bed slightly over a week.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon at 4 p. m. and interment made in the Matador East Mound cemetery. Final rites were spoken by Rev. J. R. Baugh of Seymour who was Baptist pastor here for seven years, about two decades ago.

Lula Jane Mauldin was born in Lampasas county, Texas, August 25, 1864 and died June 1, 1941, age 76 years, 9 months and 6 days. She was married to P. B. Barton in Lampasas county on January 16, 1881, and to this union nine children were born, seven whom survive.

Besides her husband P. B. Barton, the deceased is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Nydia Hobbs, Mrs. Josephine Barton, Mrs. Madeline Barton, Mrs. Grace Wilkinson, Mrs. Willie Russell and Emma Springer, all of Matador, and one son John Barton of Wichita Falls. She is also survived by 12 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Pioneer Of County
Mrs. Barton was a pioneer of Motley county, moving here with her husband and family in 1903 and making her home here continuously since that time.

Her first home in the county was a half-dug-out on North Pease river. Mr. and Mrs. Barton (See PIONEER Back Page)

Heads Association



ELMER STEARNS, vice-president and cashier of the First State Bank of Matador, was elected president of the Panhandle Bankers' Association at Amarillo, Tuesday. Mr. Stearns is widely recognized as one of the most capable bankers in this area, and receives the congratulations of his many friends for the distinction accorded him in being placed at the helm of the organization.

Bankers Elect Stearns

Elmer Stearns, vice-president and cashier of the First State Bank of Matador, was named president of the Panhandle Bankers' Association at the close of the organization's thirty-seventh annual convention held in Amarillo Tuesday. Other officials for the next year are S. E. Brown, cashier of the Citizens State Bank at Dalhart and James L. Farwell, assistant cashier of the Amarillo National Bank, who are vice-presidents.

The attendance was declared the largest in the history of the organization, with an estimated 900 registering. Mr. Stearns, who went to Amarillo Monday, was joined Tuesday by Mrs. Stearns and their daughter, Frances.

Candy Jobber Locates Here

Matador's first jobbing concern was established here last week when J. L. Minton, distributor for the Curtis Candy Company of Chicago, began working his territory consisting of Cottle, Dickens and Motley counties.

Mr. Minton returned from Chicago Friday with a special delivery truck used by the Curtis Company, which bears his name above the address of Matador in bold lettering on each side of the vehicle.

Accompanied by Frank Zachary, district superintendent of Lubbock, Mr. Minton started actual working of the district Monday. He has moved his family here and will make this his future home.

"I selected Matador as a distribution headquarters because of its strategic highway location for four directions," Mr. Minton declared. "I had never been in Matador before moving here last week. I have never been in a community where the people were so considerate and friendly as we have found the people in Matador."

Meeting Called June 12

Businessmen To Learn Workings Of New Plan

Businessmen from every community in Motley county are urged to attend a special meeting to be held at the court house here Thursday morning, June 12, at 9:30 a. m., where a special representative of the Surplus Marketing Administration will explain in detail the workings of the Cotton Stamp Plan. Members of the Matador Lions Club and other civic organizations in the county are requested to attend the meeting which will be conducted by J. A. Scofield, district agent.

Merchants in Motley county may realize in the neighborhood of \$21,000 worth of new business through the stamp plan, it was estimated by County Agent J. Rufus Emmons late yesterday. Motley county has over 700 farms which will qualify to receive stamps, with each producer receiving not less than \$25 worth nor more than \$50 worth. Mr. Emmons estimated that an average of \$30 might be reached. He said that the stamps, which may be used in lieu of cash in exchange for cotton goods, would probably be released in the next three to four months.

Committee To Plan Meet
The local Land Use Committee, of which W. I. Rushing is president will plan the meeting here next Thursday. It is urged that every store in the county which sells cotton goods, have a representative present.

Mr. Scofield, district agent of the A & M College Cooperative Extension Work, in his letter to county agent Emmons, did not name the member of the Surplus Marketing Administration who will accompany him here to explain the cotton stamp plan at the meeting.

To Move Offices Of A.A.A.

Office location of the Motley county A. A. A. and County Agricultural Agent will move from the second floor of the court house, to the H. H. Campbell building formerly occupied by the Western Dry Goods Company, on the west side of the square.

Workmen are busy this week in equipping the building for the new tenants. The new arrangement will provide separate offices for each department and adequate room to handle other needs which require additional space, officials said.

Sheriff Returns From Hospital

Sheriff H. H. Courtney returned from a Dallas hospital Saturday afternoon where he received examination and treatment from a bone specialist for his fractured leg.

A new cast was placed on his leg and he had been able to use a wheel chair since his return. Yesterday afternoon he was able to be driven about the city in an automobile and hopes within a short time, to walk with the aid of crutches.

ATADOR LODGE No. 495 Tuesday 8-00 P.M. Welcome SMITH, N. G. WASON, Secy.

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Whitfloat News

Ida B. Armstrong
Sherman McCary and son accompanied by Misses Cook, Billee Turner, and Ida Armstrong, spent Thursday in Floydada.

Wilkinson.
Misses Evelyn Quattlebaum and Grace Laverne Tilson spent the week-end in Childress.
Miss Eugenia Tilson is attending a Methodist Young People's rally at Abilene this week.

ROARING SPRINGS



NEWS

Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, Correspondent

Voters Will Select From 29 Candidates In Senatorial Race

Texas ought to pick a good U. S. senator in the special election June 28, because it will have 29 to pick from, according to the official ballot that has been sent by Secretary of State Wm. J. Lawson to District and County Clerk R. A. Seay.

John Odom Is Given Safest Driving Award

The Texas Motor Truck Transportation Association selected Texas' Safest Truck and Bus Drivers at its Seventh Annual Convention held in Dallas last week.

Dan Parker Picks Conn To Beat Champ Louis

ON June 18th the eyes of the sport world will be on New York's Polo Grounds when Billy Conn will battle the negro slugger Joe Louis for the world's heavy-weight boxing championship.



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Housewives prefer Spur laundry because it is a luxury laundering - efficient, thorough, and complete.

Miss Billee Turner left Monday for a week's camping trip at Roaring Springs with Charmaine Merrill and other friends.
Miss Louise MacDonald of Woodson visited friends here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duval visited in Lubbock this week where Mrs. Duval is receiving medical treatments.
Mr. and Mrs. Troy Vaughn of Big Spring visited their parents here during the week.

Eggs Need Good Care

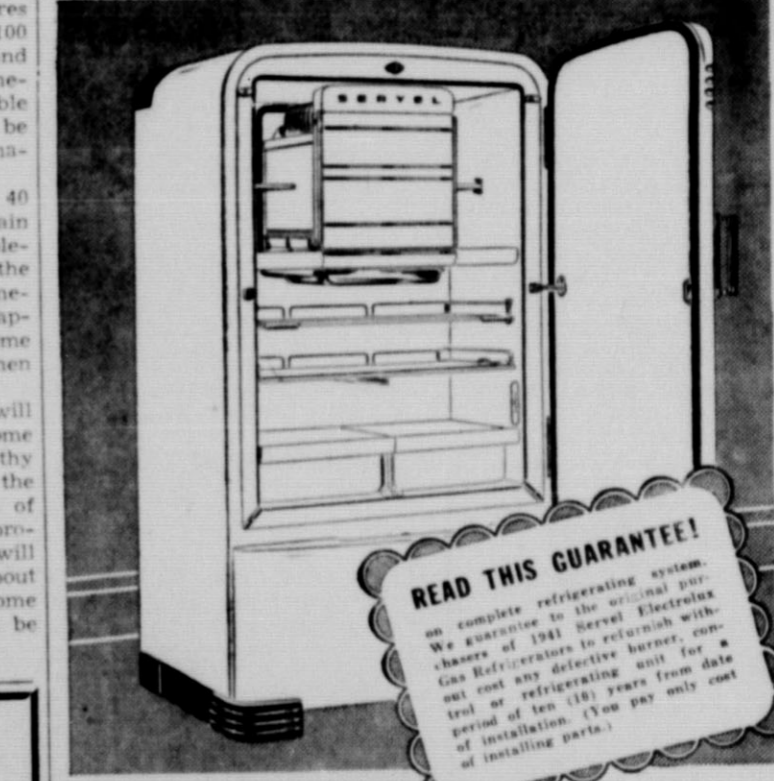
Good care of eggs on the farm will be making a valuable contribution to the food-for-defense program. George P. McCarthy, Extension poultry husbandman, says careful handling means more eggs for defense food supplies and additional income for poultry producers.

Mosquito Is Carrier Of Malaria Fever

"A marked saving in human lives and improved health conditions may be obtained in large measure by an educational program for the control of the mosquito," suggests Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.
"Malaria is transmitted to humans," he said, "by the bite of the Anopheles mosquito.



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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE HELD AT ROARING SPRINGS

The first daily vacation bible school to be held in Roaring Springs will be conducted in the First Baptist Church beginning June 9th.

A group of teachers and helpers will be under the supervision of Rev. W. L. Brian. All children between the ages of 4 and 18 are invited to attend a picnic Friday morning and enroll for the school. No charges will be made.

The teachers are Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Brian, Mr. and Mrs. J. D.

Mitchell, Mrs. John Green, Misses Ruby Edith, and Gladys Peck, Mrs. O. B. Scott, Reno Bowen, Ralph Fletcher, R. E. Long, Chas. Long and Leonora Parks.

TO COLORADO

Mrs. M. J. Reilly, accompanied by Mrs. D. I. W. Birnie, left Monday for Colorado, to accompany the former's son, Maurice, home for the summer vacations. He is a student of the University of Colorado at Boulder.

MRS. WILIE RETURNS FROM TRIP

Mrs. U. L. Wilie returned home Tuesday evening after an absence of over two weeks during which she attended general federation of women's clubs' convention in Atlantic City, New Jersey. She was accompanied from Lubbock by Mr. Wilie, who drove there to meet her.

Mrs. Wilie was one of thirty-three Texas club-women who escaped injury Saturday when a chartered bus in which they were riding crashed into a parked car near Rutledge, Tenn. Three other women from this section were on the bus, being Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. E. H. Perry of Plainview and Mrs. A. A. Callahan of Panhandle. The driver was Raymond Hefner of Lubbock.

This was one of two buses of Texas clubwomen used by club members in attending the Atlantic City convention. The bus figuring in the accident had made a side trip to New York City.

Bridge Luncheon Given Wednesday

The home of Mrs. J. R. Moore was the scene of a bridge luncheon Wednesday when Mesdames Moore, J. F. Fish, and Charlotte Hunsucker entertained with five tables of bridge.

Prizes were won by Mesdames Newman, H. H. Campbell, Robert Collier, and W. W. Clements. Also attending were Mesdames Jeff Daffern, L. J. Barkley, R. E. Donovan, Leonora Luckett, L. R. Bishop, D. E. Pitts, Gus Bird, B. F. Tunnell, Alvin Stearns, Bryan Cammack, Tom Newman, L. C. Harp, E. C. Stearns, U. L. Wilie and J. R. Emmons.

DOROTHY WILLETT WILL DO SUMMER SCOUT WORK

Miss Dorothy Willett, teacher in the Paducah school system, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett, of Matador, will be engaged during the summer, at Girl Scout headquarters Camp Blanco, near Austin.

Miss Willett left today for Austin, from Ardmore, Oklahoma, where she has been taking a two weeks councillor's training course.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Wilma Richardson of Clyde, and Odie Crowell of Flomot, has been announced by the parents of the bride-elect, Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Richardson.

The wedding will take place June 15 at Venice, California, where Mr. Crowell is employed with the Douglas Aircraft Corporation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crowell of Flomot, and is a graduate of Matador High School.

GROUP ATTENDS GRADUATION AT W.T.S.C. CANYON

Baccalaureate services Sunday and commencement exercises Monday evening at West Texas State College, Canyon, were attended by a group from this vicinity, consisting of Mrs. L. A. Carlisle of Whiteflat, Mrs. Clarence Kifer and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin and children Elwanda and Duane, also Miss Kathryn Martin, of Matador. Mrs. Laurie Carlisle was among those receiving degrees.

The group visited the Panhandle Plains Historical museum at Canyon, and also Buffalo Lake, during Sunday.

Farewell Party At Kimbell Home

Monday evening Miss Avis Kimbell entertained with a farewell party honoring Miss Flora Jerden who is moving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Jerden to New Mexico, where they will make their future home.

The evening was spent playing games and refreshments of punch and cookies were served to Mary Juanic and Corrine Wilkinson, Evelyn Quattlebaum, Grace Laverne Tilson, Ida Belle Armstrong, Sonny Russell, Melba Jane and Isabel Kimbell, Bettie Sue Knoy, Robbie Mae Miller, Sue Knoy, Billy and Holeana Flora Jerden, Estelle Morriss, Guy Kimbell, Jr., Wilma Ruth Mayfield, Virginia McCarty, Gene Morriss, Juanita Smith, Peggy Jean Spray, Helen Hill, Johnnie Belle Willis, Laverna Murphy, Mildred Vinson, W. A. Rattan, Frank and Marshall Vinson, Brown Morriss, Doris Stephens, Bascomb Murphy, Phil Green, Pauline Vinson, Mrs. W. J. Knoy, Mrs. Malcolm Morriss, Sr., Mrs. Guy Kimbell, Sr., the honoree, Flora Jerden and the hostess, Avis Kimbell.

Methodist Women To Hold Business Meeting Monday

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will hold an executive and business meeting Monday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Harry Willett, it is announced. Time of the meeting will be 4:00 o'clock.

The meeting of the society this week brought to a close a series of studies on China, a detailed report of which will appear in next week's issue of the Tribune.

FLOMOT WOMEN START PROJECT FOR RED CROSS

A Red Cross sewing project will be undertaken by the Flomot Sewing Circle it was decided at a Thursday meeting when Mrs. M. C. Speer was hostess at the home of Mrs. J. L. Speer.

Refreshments of sandwiches, lemonade, and cookies were served to Mesdames George Pope, H. V. Cromer, R. H. Tanner, Harvey Webb, J. L. Speer, Harrison George, Tom Spears, Ben Tanner, R. L. Anderson, and the hostess.

Roaring Springs High School Has Commencement

The Commencement exercises of the Roaring Springs High School held Wednesday evening, brought to a close the 1940-41 school year. Seventeen graduates received diplomas which were presented by Supt. C. W. Giesecke.

Gerene Banister was valedictorian and La Nelle King was salutatorian. James Harmon was high-point boy, second to Morriss Britton, who, also high point pupil in the entire school, was unable to qualify for the honor due to the short period of time he had attended the Roaring Springs school.

Others in the class included: Lewis Nichols, Elsie Franklin, Gussie Byars, Millard Williams, Lois and Sarah Alvey, J. D. Robbins, Jack Nichols, Thelma Beardon, Troy Vaughn, Jo Ala Green, Larnell Watson and Clint Hicks.

Officers Installed By O. E. S. Chapter In Impressive Rites

Officers for a year's term were installed by the Matador chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, in the Masonic Hall Saturday evening, in an impressive annual memorial and installation ceremony.

Following the memorial rites, the following officers were installed: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Thelma Dirickson; worthy patron, J. R. Whitworth; associate matron Mrs. H. S. Watson; associate patron, Henry Ford; conductress, Miss Bessie Mae Smiley; associate conductress, Mrs. Glenn Dobkins; secretary, Mrs. Alvin Stearns; treasurer, Mrs. George Springer.

Mesdames J. R. Whitworth, Henry Ford, W. L. McWilliams and Maude Dean were installed to other offices. Several others, who were out of town, will be installed to office at a later date.

Regular meeting of the organization will be held this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Pied 'Pinioss BY MRS. M.

That song, "Let's Get Away From It All" has its points, if you can make them work out. Of course I knew when I ran out on all that work, it would still be here—and more too, on my return; but that doesn't make it any easier to face the music.

And speaking of music, here is some interesting data from the State Observer published in Austin:

"MUSIC: Add these to your list of new tunes. They won't be heard on the hit parade very soon, but the University of Texas has just added them to its growing library of recorded Texas folk songs.

"Brother Green", a Civil War 'yankee ballad' which somehow found its way South and is now sung in Southeast Texas communities by people who wonder where it came from.

"Missouri Girls", an Arkansas-concocted song poking fun at

Texans who would marry Missourians. (Ed's note: Guess why I like this one!)

"I Went Out A-Sparkin'", also dealing with the troubles of wife-getting.

"Oh Lord, Wish I Was A Single Girl Again", which need no explanation.

"The songs have just been catalogued by William A. Owens, director of the University Extension Division's bureau of research in folk materials. Numbering more than 500 recordings, the University folk collection contains ballads, negro spirituals, Cajun French songs, Mexican-American variations and cowboy tunes.

"Owens pointed out that the services of the bureau are available on request thru the extension division to any Texas community."

Incidentally, my bitter-half merely followed the example set by his venerable parent when he took over the support of a Missouri Girl for better and | or worse.

EDITOR VISITS HERE

Ed Bishop, editor of the Dalhart Texan, accompanied by Mrs. Bishop and their two sons, visited here Saturday and Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Harrison Williams.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop and sons left for San Antonio, where Mrs. Bishop and the boys will visit her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris, while Mr. Bishop goes to Fort Worth to attend the National Open Golf championship tournament.

Misses Kara and Marie Hunsucker, Texas Tech students at Lubbock, were accompanied home Friday by their mother, Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker, her sister, Mrs. Farris Fish and son John.

L. J. Barkley was a business visitor in Lubbock Monday, going from there to Tucumcari, N. M. where he looked after business interests.

Miss Carolyn Crawford spent the week end visiting her parents in Clarendon.



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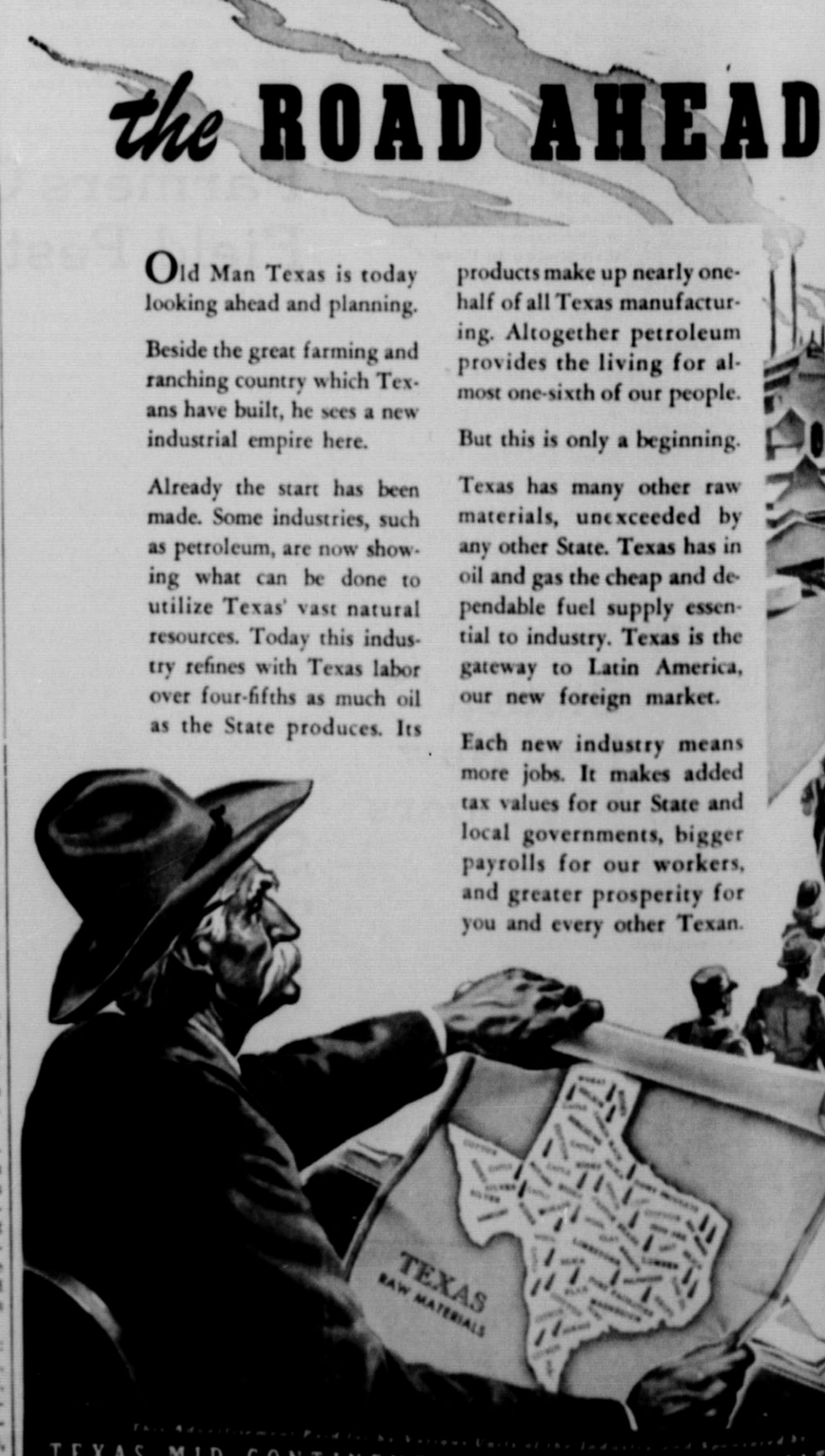
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OF THANKS
I wish to thank our many
neighbors for their
kindness and words of con-
solation in the death of our be-
loved one. May God's richest
blessings rest upon each of you.
E. L. Wolfe and family
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family
M. H. Hartness and family
E. Crump
J. Harrison.

OF THANKS
I wish to take this means of
expressing our sincere apprecia-
tion to our friends and neighbors
for their kindness, words of
sympathy and beautiful floral
tributes tendered since the tragic
death of our beloved son and
brother.

your wish that the blessings
of God may rest upon each of you.
E. E. Harrington
Harrington
and Mrs. H. H. Courtney
and Mrs. J. J. Galloway and
family
and Mrs. Irving Hurley and
family.

OF THANKS
I wish to express the grati-
tude I feel to the many loving
neighbors who stood
through the illness and
death of our darling mother, wife,
grandmother. Your kind
words of comfort and beau-
tiful offerings will always
be remembered.
God's richest blessings rest
upon you, is our prayer.
B. Barton, children and
grandchildren.

Roy Burleson
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ANNOUNCING . . .

THE OPENING OF
Dr. R. A. Hill's Drugless Health Center
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Vote For Quotas Is 100%

Motley county wheat growers voted 100% for wheat marketing quotas to apply on the crop to be harvested in 1941, according to a canvass of the votes polled here last Saturday.

The loan rate for wheat will be 98c per bushel, which is 85% of parity, according to M. J. Stacy, county administrative officer.

Food Stamps Are Delayed

Motley county's prospects of participating in the food stamp program will be delayed until a later date, according to the following letter received by County Judge W. R. Cammack, early this week.

The letter is from James S. Allen, Regional Director of Surplus Marketing Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and is self-explanatory:

"Mr. W. R. Cammack, County Judge
Motley County
Matador, Texas
Dear Mr. Cammack:
Thank you for your letter of May 20 returning answers to the Food Stamp questionnaire for Motley county.

We certainly appreciate the time and effort you have expended in compiling this information for us. We are glad to state that your file is now quite complete and up-to-date and remains on our active list. However it is not possible for us to say at this time just when we can expand the Food Stamp Program further in the state of Texas.

"The Surplus Marketing Administration has recently been called upon to cooperate closely with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and Extension Service in the educational work of the supplemental stamp program, which is to be inaugurated in 1,000 cotton producing areas in the southern region. You can readily see that our personnel will be busily engaged for some time to come.

"You must rest assured that when this work is over and it becomes possible to expand the Food Stamp Program in Texas at a later date, Motley county will receive our careful consideration. Yours very truly
James S. Allen, Regional Director."

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL RITES

Among the many out-of-town friends and relatives who attended last rites here Monday for Mrs. P. B. Barton, were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meador, Mrs. J. A. Sparks and C. A. Cryer, of McLean.

Mrs. Jack Barton, Mrs. Carl Eminger, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dickson, of Spur; Pattie Maloney of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Jewell Smith of Artesia, N. M.; Mrs. Tom Weatherly, Miss Lola Winn and L. T. Winn, of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Nail, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nail, Mrs. Erma Pearcey, Mrs. Pugh Thrasher, Mrs. A. B. Crump and daughters, Miss Willie Crump, Mrs. Doyle Tunnell and Mrs. Allis Young, all of Turkey.

Visitors Attend Tech Graduation

Visitors here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sheridan include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson, and other members of their family, being their daughters, Annie May, who accompanied Mrs. Jackson here from Hot Springs, New Mexico, Mrs. Morgan Rogers and children and Miss Edith Jackson of San Antonio; and Mrs. Bert Hunter of Freeport, Texas; and their son, John Jackson Jr., of Wichita Falls.

The visitors, accompanied by Mrs. Sheridan and son Patsy, attended graduation exercises at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Monday evening, in which another sister, Miss Marjoria Jackson received her degree.

ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Marguerite Patton has accepted a position as sales clerk at the Matador Variety, assuming her duties Monday.

ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made of the birth of a 9½ pound baby girl in the Tullia hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fulkerson, former Matador residents. The baby has been given the name Dolores Ann.

Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson of Matador, parental grandmother of the new arrival, is visiting in their home at Tullia.

RETURN TO HOMES

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Galloway and their two sons of Oklahoma City left Sunday afternoon for their home after visiting her sister, Mrs. H. H. Courtney and family, following funeral services Saturday for their brother, Morris Harrington.

Other members of the family who returned to their homes Monday morning, were their mother, Mrs. E. E. Harrington, brother, Vance Harrington, and sister, Mrs. Irvin Hurley and three children, all of Harlingen.

They continued to San Angelo where they will be located and will make their home.

Moves to Paducah
Miss Estelle Martin, who has been employed by Jesse's Cafe here, has accepted a position with the Cattle Hotel in Paducah. Miss Martin assumed her duties as waitress in the Cattle Coffee Shop last week.

Mrs. Willis Cooper of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Melvin Meason of Matador, drove to Lubbock where they attended graduation exercises at Texas Tech, in which Gus Cooper of Roaring Springs received his degree.

6 CARS DIED IN OVERHEATED DEATH VALLEY TO PROVE THAT YOURS CAN LIVE LONG

New Oil a Life-Giver. 5-quart fill—None Added—Lasted all of 13,398 Miles . . .

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THIRST killed gold-feverish Forty-Niners in Death Valley. You can stand there today on our Hemisphere's bottom, 279 feet below sea level. And some of the worst heat on U. S. Weather Bureau records will be drying you up.

... America's hotspot! . . . where 6 identical everyday cars scorched along, testing 6 different motor oils, till 6 new engines were junk. Every condition was the same for all. Qualified authorities eyed every move. Speed: 57 miles an hour for all. The Referee had bought 5 of the oils right off the market; millions know their names well. The other oil was decidedly new. And this new oil that authentically delivered more than twice the mileage averaged by the others is named

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How could one fill of this popular-priced Conoco Nth oil keep lasting—without one added drop—for an official total of 13,398 miles? How could Conoco Nth oil outlast them all by 5,683 miles or more, even outlasting one "rival" by 8,268 miles! . . . Certified.

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subject. You'd never make your own car stand such proving-ground torture. But you want as wide a margin of engine protection and oil economy as your money will buy this Summer, and Conoco Nth has nailed up plain evidence. Ask today for Conoco Nth at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Continental Oil Company—Pioneers in Bettering America's oil with Synthetics

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That's like a mad extreme—beyond the utmost allowed by authorities on the

IMPARTIAL The 6 new cars were broken-in alike, after engines had been taken apart for the Referee, to check uniformity. All cars tuned alike. Same desert route for all. Handling evened up by alternating drivers. One 5-quart fill per car and no more . . . engines under lock.

CERTIFIED: I hereby certify that the Death Valley Test and related work were thoroughly and fairly conducted. Engine Destruction occurred in each case at the mileage stated.
H. M. Jackson
Consulting Engineer, who during Academic year is Professor of Automotive Engineering, Purdue University



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When I was a boy I lived in Texas until my father's death and then, when I came back after growing up and becoming a newspaper reporter, it was with the determination to write something about the great romance of oil. I'll never forget the thrill of seeing, south of San Antonio, my first derrick, though the view was from a train window and at a distance.

While doing some temporary work for Doc Sellers' Brady Sentinel, I received two offers, one from Coleman and the other from Eastland Sellers (now publisher of the Rising Star Record) knew of my desire to be in the oil fields and so he recommended that I go to Eastland, capital of the county that had witnessed the development of the famous Ranger and Desdemona districts.

As the one-man news staff of the Eastland Daily Oil Belt News, the slender, young editor had no time for anything else; but all through the crowded weeks that lengthened into months that glided into years (including editorships in Cisco and Ranger) I was storing up information, much of it subconsciously—in short, was absorbing atmosphere, color, incidents, characters.

A few days ago, the first copy of "Oil Boom" arrived from the nationally-known publishers, the Caxton Printers of Caldwell, Idaho—and the long-cherished ambition to write a book about the romance of oil had been achieved.

To tell you of the trips crisscrossing the State to get thousands of facts—to keep your story from being slow and dull, you discard ten facts for each one you use but you have to know the other ten so as to know for sure which should be chosen; of how Col. J. K. Hughes of Mexia said, "I'm giving you information that I have refused to a dozen interviewers, and I don't know why I'm giving it to you"—but he did; of digging up photographs of booms 25 or even 40 years ago; of listening through a Sunday afternoon while Walter Cline, with hardly a question necessary, fluently and vividly told of Burk Burnett; of a chance meeting with Garland Adair in Austin who had traveled with Col. Humphreys, "king of the wildcaters"; of discovering an elderly man in San Antonio who is entitled to be called the "father of Spindletop", which was the birthplace of the present-day Texas oil industry; of innumerable conversations with old drillers, teamsters and shoe-string operators; and finding them, mainly at night, to write—anyhow, enough has been said to show that a book is no slight venture.

At least, "Oil Boom" wasn't—

Lax Laws Permit Presence Of Dangerous Alien Spies

FOR years thousands of alien communists and criminals have mocked American laws. Four out of five escape deportation proceedings entirely. Of those ordered banished, three-fourths remain free.

An expose written by newsman Donald E. Keyhoe, which appears in the July issue of Cosmopolitan magazine brings to light these startling facts and poses this question to every American interested in safeguarding the nation in these perilous times:—"Why don't we deport criminal aliens?"

Every month, Keyhoe asserts, more alien criminals come out of our prisons. Immigration officials take them into custody, if their crime is such as to call for deportation. Hearings are held; they are ordered deported, are briefly detained—and turned free, three times out of four. Although a 1920 act specifically excludes all aliens who advocate or support in any way opposition to organized government, this statute has been repeatedly ignored.

In this way thousands of Communists are acting as agents of the Soviet government in this country. Because they have been denied citizenship by Russia for the express purpose of keeping them active in the United States, they have been allowed to remain here and have become labor agitators, organizing "goon squads" to beat up American workmen who oppose Communist plans. Keyhoe points out in his article that through bribery and threats of exposure, they have secured the active service of many another alien criminal.

for me, anyhow. And if you're interested (and I hope you are) "Oil Boom" is a portrait gallery of famous oil rushes, all but one in Texas: Spindletop, Burkburnett, Mexia, Desdemona, Ranger and Smackover, the last-named being in Arkansas.

City Visitor—Which is correct, "a hen is sitting" or "a hen is setting?"

Farmer—I don't know and I don't care. All I want to know when she cackles, is she laying or is she lying?"

God and the doctor
We alike adore,
At the brink of danger
And not before.

The danger past
And all things righted,
God is forgotten,
The doctor slighted.
(Author Unknown)

In all parts of the nation, horse-racing is setting new records in interest, attendance and taxes paid. Tropical Park in Florida had the greatest season in its history. Maryland has to go back to the boom period of 1929 for an equal to Pimlico's big meet and the State has already received almost \$500,000 in taxes with only one-third of the Maryland season over. One track in New York—Jamaica—has paid the state \$1,101,000, an increase of \$284,000 over the previous year, and the average daily attendance was 15,400 compared to 12,600 in 1940. And everybody knows the Kentucky Derby, at Churchill Downs, attracted a throng of 90,000, the biggest in the long history of that classic. If racing were permitted, Texas would draw thousands of tourists who would spend millions of dollars which would benefit every line of business, advocates of racing believe, pointing to these all-time highs in other states.

Around Texas: The Jacksonville cafe where, at breakfast, instead of a little pat of butter, they set a half pound in front of you—The big highway sign, "Welcome to Milam County" which is signed (of all persons!) by the District Attorney, Bill Morrison... Rockdale, on one side of the main street a sign: "17 miles to Cameron" and on the other side of the street another sign: "16 miles to Cameron". Boy, we really made that mile in a hurry!

Texas has approximately 30 per cent of the entire oil refining capacity of the Nation.

Because of laxity in enforcing immigration laws, Secretary of Labor Francis Perkins was brought to impeachment proceedings in 1933. She was acquitted, but sharply reprimanded and the Immigration Service has since been transferred to the Department of Justice. Still, Keyhoe avers that the entire system needs tightening.

A recent government estimate reveals that there are at least 100,000 aliens illegally in this country. Some experts triple this, but in this group are known Nazis and Fascists sent here to swell the Fifth Column. Many of these may not be deported because of hazardous sea travel. Others remain here because their countries refuse to accept them.

"New legislation, no matter how tight, will not be enough unless government policy is stiffened all down the line," Keyhoe concludes, "The infiltration has already begun. To eliminate this menace, our system of alien control will be taxed to the limit. Unless that system is purged relentlessly of enemies, alien spies will continue to mock our laws."

LETTERS From ENGLAND

Tonbridge, Kent
25, 9, '40

My Dear June,
Thank you very much for the letter and the card. I was up in London when your letter came here so Pat sent it on.

LonCon has been bombed terribly for 4-5 weeks and much damage had been done to the docks. Old Nasty has also bombed hundreds of houses in London but there are not so many killed as might have been because we have our own shelters as well as the public ones. Some shelters hold as many as 900 people.

You will be pleased to hear that I have a new tiny brother born on 12th September. We think he is going to be called Dennis Richard. I was home for just over a week and you have no idea how terrible it was. The sirens usually go about 8 p. m. and then we all go down into "Anderson Hotel" as we call our shelter. We sleep in there all night, taking our bed, most valuable possessions and our supper. All night the guns all over and around London fire and the noise is deafening. Showers of shrapnel fall, breaking windows and burying itself in the ground. But the noise of guns does not frighten me. It is the scream of falling bombs. Every time one falls, you think that it is falling on your shelter. We have had bombs very near which have rocked the shelter and the damage looks terrible. The bombs that fall are not all just explosive ones. Some are delayed action bombs (they do not explode for 3 or 4 days sometimes,) some are incendiary or fire bombs which set fire to everything. Then they are high explosive bombs and mines (land) which are dropped on the end of green silk parachutes with fringes; they explode sideways and cause much more damage than bombs. The Londoners are not frightened but they are tired through lack of sleep (some have not been to bed for 5 weeks) but they are furious with Hitler and you should hear the names they call him! Don't you think that

Hitler is wicked killing all those evacuees going abroad? We English are mad with rage. We call him the "Baby-Killer."

I am afraid I don't know anything much that could be blue-penciled unless I make something up. Besides, you twerp, do you want me to get six months on bread and water!

Over here we hear a lot about Roosevelt and somebody Wendell Wilkie. I expect you know that we are having funds for buying Spitfire Fighters. We have many exciting air battles but we never have any bombs. In London, they have about 8 warnings in 1 day sometimes, but only about 4 here. Of course, Kent has had more bombing than anywhere else, especially Dover, Ramsgate, Folkestone, Chatham and Deal.

Now June! You do really say too much! It embarrasses me. I just can't imagine what the censor thinks. I am going to save up to come out and see you one day, but I have some bones to pick with you!

You tease too much. I am really a very sensitive girl and I take your jokes to heart. That is why my writing is so wiggly. You've made me nervous.

Well, I am not saying any more. Lots of love,
Doris.

Over half of the oil produced in Texas pays an average tax of 10.26 cents per barrel.

There are approximately 9,000 separate local taxing subdivisions in Texas, each with the power to levy and collect taxes.

More than 90 per cent of all oil wells in North Texas are small pumps.

Four out of every ten persons in leading Texas cities depend upon the petroleum industry's payrolls for a living.

The Texas petroleum industry pays the highest wages of any industry in the State.

Forest Service Man Answers Inquiries

To answer inquiries about the kinds of trees which will grow in Motley and nearby counties, Marvin Angle, local Forest Service official, made the following report:

"Much can be learned from shelterbelt plantings as to the species of trees that will grow best and also the kind of care that is needed in the early life of a tree in West Texas if it is expected to grow rapidly.

"The next Sunday afternoon you are out driving it is suggested that, instead of merely driving by and admiring the windbreaks, you get out of your car and examine them closely. If you examine more than one belt you probably will be surprised at the number of different kinds of trees you will find.

"One belt may have from five to ten different species depending upon the number of rows and the type of soil in which it was planted. A large number of these trees are more or less native to this locality, such as cottonwood, hackberry, salt cedar, sand plum, western walnut and soapberry. Other trees that are not native in this locality but are becoming established, such as Chinese elm, green ash, desert willow, honey locust, Russian mulberry and osage orange, may be found in the belts. Some belts even have red cedar and pine doing nicely in them.

"See how many trees you can identify and notice how much larger the better cultivated trees are."

Texas produces around 40 per cent of all the natural gas produced in the United States.

Petroleum refining is the largest manufacturing industry in Texas, representing 41 per cent of all manufactures in this State.

Reunion Offers Big Cash Prizes July 3, 4 and 5

STAMFORD, Texas—Premiums and cash prizes amounting to \$3,500 will be awarded in various events in the twelfth annual Texas Cowboy Reunion here July 3, 4 and 5.

Expensive saddles will be awarded to the champion calf-roper, the champion wild-cow milker, the winner of the cutting-horse contest and the winner in the sponsors' contest. Sterling silver belts, with gold overlay and set with rubies will be presented to the champion bronc rider and champion steer rider. A grand

prize of similar value will be awarded in the bareback riding contest. Other prizes will be awarded for place won in some of the events.

In the rodeo events, day money will be paid in calf-roping, milking, saddle-bronc, steer riding and bareback riding.

Cash prizes amounting to \$500 will be paid in the quarter-show being held jointly by the Reunion and the American Quarter Horse Association.

The most typical cowboy 55 years of age will be presented a cowboy Stetson hat and most typical cowboy under 55 receive a gold watch.

Cash prizes of \$105 will be awarded for best entries in various sections of the parade. Cash awards in the fiddlers' contest will total \$200.

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Notice OF NEW MANAGEMENT

We wish to announce the purchase of the Super Service Station from W. W. Clements, and to solicit a continuation of patronage of old friends and assure new friends of our desire to serve.

You are cordially invited to visit us whether or not your motor car is in need of our products and service.

WASHING and GREASING

We offer the very highest standard of washing and greasing service and invite you to give us a trial. Our prices are always moderate.



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Service Station
JESS STAFFORD and
JOHNNIE SEALES, Mgrs.

HARRINGTON ...

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funeral held at the Baptist church. Services were conducted by Rev. W. M. Joslin assisted by Rev. W. B. Vaughn. Interment was made in the Matador East Mound cemetery.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. E. E. Harrington of Harlingen, one brother, Vance Harrington, of Harlingen and three sisters, Mrs. H. H. Courtney, of Matador, Mrs. Irvin Hurley of Harlingen and Mrs. J. J. Galloway of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mr. Harrington was named for the late Morris Sheppard during his first term of office, the great statesman being a close friend of the deceased cowboy's father.

News of her brother's tragic death reached Mrs. Courtney while she was in Dallas with her husband, Sheriff H.H. Courtney at a hospital there. Sheriff Courtney was receiving examination and treatment of a bone specialist because of the fractured leg he received as result of an automobile accident in March. Mrs. Courtney left immediately for Vernon, where she was met by friends while other friends hurried on to Dallas to return Sheriff Courtney home.

Pall bearers included M. L. Baker, Cecil Cole, Walker Leonard and Richard Bolt, all of Vernon; D. I. W. Birnie, Don Doby, Melvin Warren and Jewel Lesby of Matador. Flower girls were Kathleen Sparks, Iletta Bird, Helen Simpson, Marion Jameson, Mozelle Duncan and Mesdames Melvin Warren and John Stotts.

J. M. Jackson, accompanied by his grandson, Patsy Sheridan, visited in Uvalde, Texas, last week.

PIONEER ...

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moved to Matador about 16 years ago and have resided here since that time. Mrs. Barton joined the Baptist church shortly after her marriage and remained a consecrated member during the remainder of her life. Her first membership in the county was in the Whiteflat church, which was later moved to Matador.

Pall bearers were Tom Berryman, Melvin McAdams, Eugene Westmoreland, James Neblett, George Birchfield and Bill McCaghen.

Flower bearers were Mrs. A. E. Westmoreland, Mrs. M. C. Greene, Mrs. A. A. Harp, Mrs. E. F. Springer, Mrs. John Russell, Mrs. Clinton Hobbs, Mrs. Manly Thompson, and Mrs. Hart Harris.

Mrs. Barton possessed a kindly disposition, and true pioneer spirit. In addition to her bereaved family, she leaves a host of friends to mourn her passing.

LIONS ...

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and a motion to accept each member an extra 50c this month was ratified by the membership, Tuesday.

Delegates named to attend the state and district Lions convention in Amarillo June 8-9-10, were Boss Lion G. E. Hamilton, Henry F. Pipkin, W. F. Jacobs and Secretary J. R. Whitworth. Alternates selected were B. F. Simpson, T. B. Edmondson, Dr. A. C. Tra-week, Sr. and Howard Traweck.

By a unanimous vote of members present at the Tuesday meeting, delegates were pledged to support H. C. (Blue Boy) Pender of Lubbock for governor of District 2-T.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Lucille Cooper of Tullia visited here during the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meador. On her return to Tullia Sunday, she accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wilson, to Plainview, where they spent the day visiting relatives.

Lieut. Bob Evans, of Vernon, cousin of County Agent Rufus Emmons, visited here a short while Thursday, enroute to San Francisco, California, from which place he will sail June 5 for the Philippine Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Springer and daughter Sara Frances, returned home Wednesday of last week from San Antonio where they had visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris. They were accompanied by Mrs. Springer's nephew, Bobby Jones, who remained in San Antonio.

Week end guests in the home of Mrs. C. P. Waybourn, were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gurn of Sherman, accompanied by their son, Waybourn, who remained here for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Lyons and sons of Whiteface, were week end visitors here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Manly Thompson, Mrs. Lyons being Mr. Thompson's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gray drove to Lubbock Friday to accompany their daughter Jewel, home for summer vacation from studies at Texas Tech. Miss Myrnavae Barkley, also a Tech student, returned with them.

Miss Allie Mae Tipps, Home Management Supervisor with F. S. A. left Thursday for Detroit, Michigan, going first to Wichita Falls, Texas for a visit with relatives before leaving for the north. Miss Frances Schweitzer is

visiting friends in Floydada this week.

Boyd Willett, who has been attending the University of Texas, at Austin, returned home Tuesday for the summer vacations.

Mrs. W. W. Clements, with her daughter Marion, and son, R. D. were Floydada visitors Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer and children drove to Lubbock Saturday to accompany their son Houston, home, for summer vacations from Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eiring of Plainview, were Matador visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gray and daughter Jewel, left Wednesday for San Antonio where they will spend most of the summer.

Fred G. Simpson, Jr., who has been attending West Texas State College, Canyon, returned home Friday for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berryman and daughter Wandell, accompanied by Miss Myrnavae Barkley were visitors in Wellington, Sunday.

Miss Lela Carpenter, who has been attending Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, has returned home for the summer va-

cation.

Texas Tech students who have returned home for the summer, include Miss Dorothy Jean Harp, Miss Marjoria Moore, and Elmer Gene Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Coulson spent last week visiting various points of interest in southern Texas, including Houston and Galveston.

Mesdames L. J. Barkley, Alvin Stearns and M. L. Patton were Floydada visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell and Mrs. Julia Corbett returned home Friday after a fifteen days rest at Mineral Wells, Texas.

Mrs. Douglas Meador returned home Thursday from a trip to points in Missouri and Illinois where she visited friends and relatives. She was accompanied from Vernon by Mr. Meador and her sister, Miss Mary Ola Tipton, who drove there to meet her.

Mesdames E. E. Jameson, Pat Sheridan and L. C. Harp, with the latter's son Bobby, made a trip to Lubbock Friday, to be accompanied home by her other son, Norman, and his friend, George Mayse of Laredo, Texas Tech students. Mrs. Jameson's son, Tom

Ed, also returned home visiting his brother, Elmer at Tech.

Leland Jenkins of Amarillo been looking after business interests here, and visited his mother, Mrs. F. M. Jenkins, other relatives this week.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spear, their sons, George of Abilene, Verlin, of Lockney and Tom Flomot, accompanied by wives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jameson Friday for Frederick, Kansas an extended visit with daughter, Mrs. Roy Maxwell and family will occupy residence during their absence.

Mrs. Robert Collier and son, William Robert, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Pearlman, and Charles Ray Cox, a trip to Lubbock Friday. On return, Mrs. Moorman stopped at Dalou to remain for a few days looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cox of Charles Ray, drove to Clovis, Mexico, Wednesday where they attended annual Pioneer coming celebrations.



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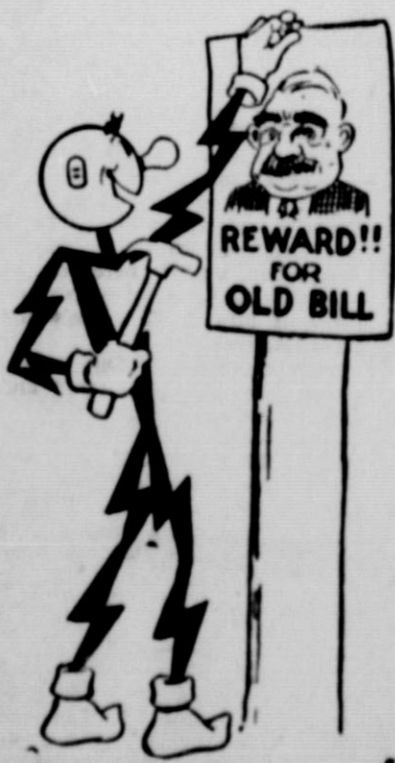
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