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## MAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



...moved its treasures to before the advent of gentle blankets to cover the golden fire rose in the sea of molten rock; purple welcomed the first dawn...

...others singed their wings flame of youth, the timid gained in the shadow of that his pinions might strong enough to carry him the deep gully that sur-

...where in the swift ex-glances between flying must rest the earthly and destiny of a hypocrite. No small enough to hold pity sinner who hides behind of virtue.

...d furrows, like prairie consumed the narrow- parcels remain; fenced in the sea of a changing Grass-covered ridges lying side trace the years when steel-rimmed wagons slow-

...when the axels dragged the rich earth to deep when the axels dragged the new road was started the old and the wagons land was plentiful. Time to keep its schedule of and darkness.

...the changed stage is a waten shed, a shelter of loved and sun-bleached where saddles are kept. In- and the dusty shadows, dusty-bitted bridles, damp leather of saddle-

...flanky Winchester scab- blanging across the saddle an old oil slicker, grown with age and its creases in the forgotten oven of

...ries the closeted there paraphernalia of a suc- production that surrender- bolts to a new but less of show.

...ever I am downhearted it when I can remember altering notes of a mock- between the peals of singing in the rain.

...reconnaissance often dis- certain type of man who to reach a ripe old age, considering the danger on the vine.

...on the homaloland close the Texas stars a cowboy with his boots for a and rough canvas for a case, yet keep all the statutes of society. Trad- established credit that he no recommendation other profession to be accepted

...friends or relatives bring from the wreckage of years to witness changes by the heavy hammer of in the country of my perhaps it will be another summer. I'll wait patiently light and listen for the of bull-bat wings, diving in the dusk; watch the crim- pressed from cobalt

...standing of a great man is un- falling well which the thirst of all who from it. Life is shaped by influence than sym-

...the last branding iron has and the gates are left open the cattle passed, there will old riders unable to sleep the first streak of

## BARKLEY SOLDIER WINS \$250 'RODEOING'

PRESCOTT — Sergt. Bill Roer at Camp Barkley, Abilene, Texas, believes in making his furlough pay. Home on 10-day leave, Roer entered the bronc riding, bull-dogging, bull riding and wild cow milking events of the fifty-fourth annual frontier days celebration. He returned to Phoenix Tuesday with \$250 in prize money and the title of "best looking cowboy."

## Lions Will Wear Cotton

Members of the Matador Lions Club who attend the next regular meeting of the organization to be held at the Baptist church basement Tuesday, July 15, will be garbed 100% in cotton.

To emphasize the need to use more cotton in this section and also to further the purpose of the cotton stamp plan, members are warned to be dressed entirely in cotton at the next meeting, the only exceptions being shoes and belts or suspenders.

Tail Twister Henry Ford will have full authority in determining whether or not a garment is made of cotton or other materials. The process he will use, is simple. He will be equipped with a bottle of sulphuric acid and an eye dropper.

While the nemesis of the Lion flock has made no statement, it is assumed that he will not only examine outer garments, but also pass judgment on apparel of a more personal nature.

Usual meeting of the board of directors will be held at the Magnolia Cafe, Monday morning, July 14, where important business will receive consideration.

## Many Attend Stamford Meet

Thousands of people invaded Stamford for the Texas Cowboy Reunion last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, breaking all attendance records, according to rodeo officials.

Jim Jeffers was the only local contestant to win rodeo prize money, winning \$25 in a split of fourth and fifth places in the Thursday calf-roping show. He also captured fifth place in the wild cow milking contest Saturday.

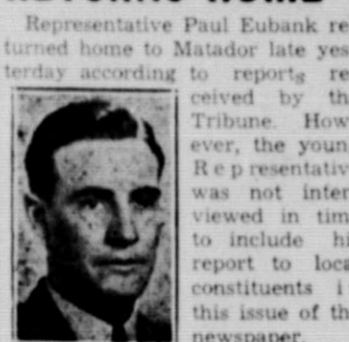
Highlight of the Saturday performance was a cow milking exhibition by John Stotts who set a record of 14 seconds.

Miss Mary Ellen Barton, cow-girl sponsor from the Matador Ranch, was among eight contestants out of 35 to remain in the race for the finals. However, Miss Billie Marie Miller, of the Miller Ranch at Coleman, won first place. Representing Matador was Miss Reatha Raine Robertson.

Other local cowboys entering various rodeo contests were Noble Dirickson, Melvin Warren, W. E. Burleson, Ray Sims, Red Payne, Clay Hart, and Johnnie Russell.

Among those attending various rodeo performances were J. E. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Reilly and son, Maurice, C. D. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer and children, Houston, Bert and Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bird and children, Henry Pipkin, J. E. Meador, Mr. and Mrs. John Stotts, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bird, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wilkinson, Mrs. Elsie Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bird, Misses Helen Simpson, Zona Ruth Scaff, and Marjorie Thacker, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bearden, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cox and son, Charles Ray, Elbert Reeves, Bob Robertson, D. L. W. Birnie, R. C. Echols, and Henry Ford.

## PAUL EUBANK RETURNS HOME



Representative Paul Eubank returned home to Matador late yesterday according to reports received by the Tribune. However, the young Representative was not interviewed in time to include his report to local constituents in this issue of the newspaper.

Representative Eubank has been very active in the recent, record-length term of legislature and it is assumed that he will probably enjoy a deserved period of rest before continuing future plans.

If possible, the Tribune will attempt to publish Mr. Eubank's opinion of current vital issues and problems, in an early issue.

## Revival Will Start Sunday

Rev. James Medley of Dallas will conduct a revival meeting opening at the Assembly of God Church Sunday, according to Rev. C. H. Browning, pastor.

Special song services will be given by the visiting pastor's family. The church building was recently enlarged, and members of the church extend a cordial invitation to all to attend the services.

## More Pioneer Photos Sought

Urgent request is made by the Matador Tribune for more early-day pictures of Motley county to be used in the Golden Anniversary pioneer edition to be released late in August. While several pictures have been offered, it is hoped that a much larger selection may be made possible.

Due to the fact that many pictures are not suitable for photo-engraving because of various reasons, the Tribune desires to make selections from private collections, that the best may be printed in the unusual issue. All photographs will be returned to the owners unharmed in any way.

In addition to pictures, Douglas Meador, editor of the Tribune asks that all pioneers lend their efforts to recall early day history and incidents that may be published and retained as a part of the permanent history of the county.

Miss Kara Hunsucker, who is working on the special edition will gladly receive anyone who has a good pioneer story to tell, or interesting incident to relate. In instances where it is impossible for pioneers to visit the Tribune office, she will call on them personally, regardless of where they are located in the county.

In the southern section of the county, Mrs. Melton Thacker at Roaring Springs, will receive photographs and make notes regarding pioneer history of the county, in aiding the Tribune secure all information possible.

Pioneers who have been in the county for 50 years or more are especially asked to contribute to the edition. An attempt will be made to publish a photograph of each 50-year resident and also a personal interview, reflecting that person's impressions of the country during the past half century.

## New Medicine Is Used Here

A new remedy for screwworms has been perfected by the government and is now being tried by local ranchers. The material will kill maggots in the wound and also prevents reinfection.

## Lodge Installs Officers

Matador Lodge No. 824, A. F. & A. M. held installation ceremonies Saturday night at the lodge hall, for officers who will serve during the coming year.

These were: E. P. Reeves, W. M.; B. H. Hobbs, S. W.; Frank Pohl, J. W.; H. K. Ford, S. D.; Jim Clower, J. D. and Joe Bloodworth, Tiler. Other officers who are filling offices by re-election are Elmer Stearns, Treas., and W. N. Pipkin, secretary.

F. O. Boles of Littlefield, Grand Orator of the Grand Lodge of Texas, officiated in the installation services.

## Draft List Is Released

The total number of youths registering for Motley County July 9 has been raised to 27, as five names of boys who registered elsewhere were sent here this week, announced Frank Pohl, local draft board today.

Fifteen names gave Matador as their address; six from Roaring Springs; and six from Flomot. All were white registrants.

The list, according to serial numbers drawn by the county draft board yesterday, is as follows: George Washington Ratcliff, Jr., Joe Edward Campbell, R. L. Webb, Curtis Truett Pritchett, Glenn Louis Foley, L. D. Gilbert, Morgan John Macy, Carl Ray Langley, Curtis Reeves Taylor, Dale Eugene Bourland, B. J. Mullins, Jerry Birchfield, Jr., Dorward Thayne Amonet, A. B. Stephens, John Charlie Scaff, Jr., Talmer Buford Osborn, Allen Ruffus Morris, Wesley Harold Caldwell, Amos J. Mize, J. C. McMahan, James Elmer Cook, Fred G. Simpson, Jr., James Luther Goodman, Orval Buron Latimer, Kormit Nelson Davis, Delmon Stuart Martin, and Delmer Davis.

## Legion To Meet At Clarendon

The American Legion monthly meeting of the 18th district will be held Wednesday, July 16, according to an announcement by J. M. Johnson, 18th District Commander.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m. with a "feed", to be followed with a short business meeting and a dance.

All legionnaires of this section are urged to remember the date and make arrangements to attend.

## Roaring Springs Man Loses Finger

Dink Holt of Roaring Springs was the victim of a freak accident Friday when his hand became caught in a folding chair, causing the amputation of the second finger of his left hand. He received medical treatment here.

## Silverton Rodeo Plans Completed

The Silverton Rodeo will open with a parade in the morning, followed by a rodeo performance at 2:00 o'clock. Entry blanks have been mailed to nearly 300 cowboys of this area, and a large number are expected to enter rodeo events.

Clyde Miller and his swing band will furnish music for modern dancing during the two-day celebration. Old-time dancing contests will also be featured.

## TEXAS SCHOOLS WILL RECEIVE \$33,750,000

AUSTIN — Texas' public schools will receive a contribution of approximately \$33,750,000 from the State during 1941-42 on the basis of a \$22.50 per capita scholastic apportionment.

The State Board of Education Monday fixed the apportionment at the limit set by law and unchanged from the current figure.

All but a small amount of this year's apportionment has been paid and Education Department officials said there would be sufficient revenue to provide a balance.

Census figures show the State has approximately 1,500,000 scholastics between the eligibility ages of 6 and 18.

## More Rain Falls Here

While "rain falls on the good and evil without favor", reports indicate that some distinction was made between north and south Matador Sunday night. Residents in the extreme south section said that only a shower—"enough to lay the dust"—was received, while George Springer, whose home is located in the north section of the city, registered 1.76 inches on his U. S. rain gauge.

Farmers located along the north edge of the city limits estimate the fall much greater than that recorded in town. One resident, who declined to be named, made an unofficial "coffee-can" measurement of five inches.

Damage to crops directly north of Matador was reported, but apparently the rain extended over a very limited area. No rain was reported at Roaring Springs or Flomot.

Heavy clouds drifting in the bright moonlight suddenly started to release the downpour without wind, hail or electrical display.

Reports from almost every sector of the county indicate that the late cotton which has in some cases been planted as many as four times, is growing rapidly. Average summer heat has prevailed during the past three days to produce what is declared as perfect "cotton weather."

## Probers Of Ballot Keep Plans Secret

Eight members of the Texas Senate were in Austin Tuesday, but were unable to tell definitely of any plans or procedure of the investigating committee that will meet here next Monday to inquire into developments in the recent United States senatorial campaign.

Senator Lovelady, Meridan, although not a member of the Senate Investigating Committee, indicated that the group will seek information on expenditures of the candidates, especially radio and newspaper advertising. Most members of the Senate, however, are anxious to put "on the spot" Drew Pearson, Washington radio commentator, who a few days ago made serious charges against 15 Senators on the election results.

All Senators contacted vehemently denied the accusation. He will be invited to the committee hearing, but members do not believe he will come to Austin.

That same day the state board to canvass the official returns will meet here. The board consists of Governor O'Daniel, Attorney General Mann and Secretary of State Lawson. But just what these returns will show no one knows. Whether the official returns could show sufficient errors in the unofficial 1,095 votes for O'Daniel no one can know until after the canvass is completed, but no one knows of any fraudulent voting.

James E. Ferguson, former Governor who supported O'Daniel in the senatorial campaign, Tuesday said he had not consulted O'Daniel. Lieutenant Governor Stevenson or (See ELECTION Back Page)

## \$4,500 In Cotton Stamps Arrives

## Scouts Take First Place In Swim Meet

Spur Troop 35 took top honors in the Eastern District Swim Meet while Matador Troop 60 took first place in the District Camporee held at Spur City Park on Wednesday and Thursday, July 2-3, Jack Christian, general chairman, announced this week.

Troops in order of their ranking in the Camporee are Troop 60, Matador Lions Club, 1230 points, B rating; Troop 9, Roaring Springs citizens, 1150 points, B rating; Troop 36, Spur American Legion, 824 points, C rating; Troop 117, Dickens school, 780 points, C rating; Rattlesnake patrol, Troop 35, Spur Rotary club, 735 points, C rating; and Indian Patrol, Troop 35, 660 points, C rating.

More than 50 Scouts participated in this big event which included a chicken barbecue prepared by George S. Link, Sr., and W. D. Starcher.

Wednesday afternoon Spur Troop 35 placed first in the swim meet competition. Second was Troop 60, third to Troop 89 and fourth place to Troop 36. Winners in each event, first, second and third, will be qualified to participate in the council meet at Lubbock, July 18.

Summary of Winners Lane Erickson, Troop 35, junior—First in side stroke, breast stroke, second in back stroke, free style, third in distance plunge and diving.

Harry Willett, Troop 60, junior, first in back stroke, free style, second in back stroke and breast stroke.

Thurmond Moore, Troop 35, junior—Second in distance plunge, third in side stroke, back stroke and diving.

Billy D. Starcher, Troop 35, junior—First in diving and second in breast stroke.

Junior medley relay winners were Troop 35, team composed of Billy D. Starcher, Lane Erickson, Billy Poe McCombs and Thurmond Moore.

Junior free style relay winners were Troop 35, team composed of Billy D. Starcher, Henry Gruben, Thurmond Moore and Lane Erickson.

Leonard Wilson, Troop 35, intermediate—First in side stroke, back stroke, free style, and diving; third in breast stroke.

Alfred Walker, Troop 35, intermediate—First in breast stroke, second in side stroke and third in free style and diving.

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## Release To Start After July 20th

Approximately \$4,500 in cotton stamps were received by the County Agent's office during the past week. Stamps will not be released to farmers until sometime after July 20, it was announced Monday, when measuring of cotton acreages in compliance with the cotton stamp plan has been made.

Although county agricultural officials declined to estimate the amount which farmers may realize from the stamps in this county, it was believed the first shipment of \$4,500 may represent in the neighborhood of 25%. It is expected that measuring of acreages will progress rapidly after July 20th.

Has Cash Purchasing Power The stamps when released, will be accepted by local cotton goods merchants exactly as the equal amount of cash for merchandise made of cotton.

Harry Willett, chairman of the Motley County Cotton Industry Committee, defines purchasable merchandise as follows: "any new cotton product made entirely from cotton that has been grown, processed and manufactured in the United States. Most products will have findings, buttons or other fasteners as well as findings and trimmings, which are not made of cotton. However, these are not a part of the fabric and are not a determining factor."

No Money In Change Customers and merchants are informed that no cash can be given the customer in a cotton stamp transaction. The stamps are printed in 25c denominations. If a customer makes a sixty cent purchase, the merchant may ac-

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## Shortage Of Cotton May Be Remedied

A general crop may be partially substituted for cotton by farmers who desire to earn stamps, W. I. Rushing declared today. By a general crop is meant maize, corn, Kafir corn, and similar crops.

For example, if a producer is 15 acres short of his cotton acreage allotment, he may plant this shortage in another crop.

Also, farmers desiring to participate in the cotton program by destroying cotton may do so, according to new regulations.

M. J. Stacy, AAA secretary, urges farmers to contact the agricultural office as soon as cotton acreage is ready to be measured.

## WPA Project Figures Given

Due to drastic cuts by the national government on WPA funds, the local WPA sewing project, in operation since 1935, was closed Saturday.

During the past eight months, or since Nov. 3, 1940, the only period for which figures are available, an average of 14 women per month have been employed on the project. A total of 6,410 garments have been made and distributed in the county.

Federal costs for labor and material for the eight month period have been \$3520.39. Total expense for the county for rent, utilities, and material, has been \$988.60.

To Short Course County Agent J. Rufus Emmons left today for College Station, where he will attend a two-weeks' short course. He was accompanied to Henderson by Mrs. Emmons and their son, Jimmie, who will visit friends.

Don't cry over sour milk—use it for cottage cheese.

ROARING SPRINGS



NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davis left Saturday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their future home.

Green of Dickens; and Miss Madge Nichols, Matador

TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, Jr., and family returned Saturday from Hico where they attended a reunion of the Giesecke family.

Among the holiday visitors here were Billie Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Sanders, who is a member of the Army Medical Corps in Denver, Colo.

Minister Roy Stephens and Mrs. Stephens are in Seagraves this week, where he is engaged in a revival meeting.

Miss Jimmie Joe Freeman of Bryan and Miss Grace Freeman, Vernon, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Freeman during the Fourth of July holidays.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Brian and daughter spent the week visiting relatives in Oklahoma. They were accompanied on their return home by her mother, Mrs. W. P. Smith, of Bennington, Okla.

Billy Nichols of Big Spring spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Vaughn of Big Spring were guests of relatives here during the week end. Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William Barnett, they visited Turkey Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Phillips of Kalgary spent the week end here as visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hardin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis are the parents of a baby boy born Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Braselton and son, S. J., were visitors this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cooper and daughters, Rebecca and Frances, attended the Stamford Rodeo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. York and family of Morton visited relatives here this week.

Chas. Graham has purchased the business building belonging to E. D. York and will move his tailor shop to the new location after some improvements are made.

The Roaring Springs firemen are having their annual fishing trip this week. Twenty members left Sunday morning and will spend several days vacationing near San Angelo.

Mrs. Charlie Applegate of Spur

Farm Organization Endorsed by Sec. Wickard



During his recent visit to Texas, Claude R. Wickard, right, Secretary of Agriculture, was presented a lifetime membership in the Texas Farm Bureau Federation by W. R. Tilson of Brownfield, director of the Texas Farm Bureau from District 2. Wickard has been a member of the American Farm Bureau Federation for 20 years.

Wickard Is New Member Farm Bureau

WACO—Emphasizing his belief in the value of farmer organizations, Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard accepted a life membership in the Texas Farm Bureau Federation during his recent visit to Texas to address a farmers' meeting in Waco.

The membership was presented to the Secretary by W. R. Tilson of Brownfield, Texas, Farm Bureau director from District 2, with other Farm Bureau officials assisting in the ceremony.

Wickard has been a member of the American Farm Bureau Federation for 20 years. E. R. Alexander, general manager of the Texas organization, pointed out, and, therefore the membership in the Texas unit is merely an addition to his other affiliations.

"Farm organizations in Texas never have achieved the membership they ought to have," Alexander said, "and they won't reach their goals until Texas farmers realize that the tremendous gains made during the past eight years are directly a result of the efforts of organized farmers to help solve the agricultural problems."

The Texas Farm Bureau Federation this month is starting a new drive for members in a series of meetings over the State, the general manager said.

that Dr. Melton will present to the Board will be the religious work among the soldiers. He will explain to the Board that Southern Baptists will undertake to raise \$300,000.00 on Sunday, July 27th, and that Texas' part of this is \$35,000.00.

Dr. Melton will report that during the first six months of this convention year Texas Baptists have raised more than \$500,000.00 on the \$1,100,000.00 that they have set out to raise during this year. This is an increase of \$81,000.00 over the same period of time last year.

There are eighty-six members of this board. All of them are expected to attend this session. Including the visitors who are expected to come to inspect the new Baptist Building, more than three hundred Baptist leaders of Texas are expected to attend this session.

Translator Latin being used in diplomatic documents in England as late as that time, John Milton was given the duty of translating into that language all letters to foreign rulers in 1649.

All major wars of the United States began in the month of April: Revolutionary, April 19, 1775; Mexican, April 24, 1846; Civil, April 15, 1861; Spanish, April 21, 1898; World War, April 6, 1917.

Whole grain cereals cooked at home are cheaper and better for the family than the ready-to-eat breakfast foods.

Cook vegetables in as little water as possible. Many of the vegetables' important minerals and vitamins are in that cooking water. Save it for soups.

More co-ops have been established in Texas since 1930 than in any other state, with the number more than doubling in the past seven years.

Tribune Ads Pay

Advertisement for Burton-Lingo Co. featuring an illustration of a man on a roof and text: 'Save With A New Roof! Every day adds to the expense of an old roof and now is the time to replace it while building material prices are at their present levels. Let us help you estimate any building or repairing that requires new materials. We carry a complete stock and appreciate your consideration and patronage. WE ARE DISTRIBUTORS FOR LOWE BROTHERS' PAINT Burton-Lingo Co. CHARLIE KEITH, Manager'

Big Drive Of Baptists Nears End

The Baptist Executive Board will meet in the new Baptist Building at the corner of Pacific and Ervey Streets Tuesday morning July 15th, at 10:00 o'clock. This will be the first state meeting to have a session in the new auditorium on the first floor of the new Baptist Building. When the Board convenes, Dr. Harlan J. Matthews of Marshall, president, will preside, while Dr. W. W. Melton, General Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will present important matters to the Board.

One of the important matters

Whiteflat News

By Ida B. Armstrong

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Ridley are the parents of a baby son, who was given the name Walter Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Frost, and sons Mike and Dennis, accompanied by Gerald Frost of Dallas, spent the week end here with Mrs. Frost's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson, Jr. who had been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson, Sr., and by Miss Billee Turner who will visit with her mother, Mrs. Shelley Turner and her brother Al Turner in Dallas, before returning to her home in Frederick, Oklahoma.

Northfield News

By Mrs. C. B. Kincaid

An all-day quilting was given at the home of Mrs. A. B. Simpson, with a covered dish luncheon at noon. Several games were enjoyed during the afternoon. Refreshments of cake, jello and cold drinks were served to around thirty-five guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Meyer and Mrs. Susie Stratton of Lubbock, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Payne. They were accompanied here by La-Juana Sue Payne, who had been visiting the past three weeks with relatives. Charles Payne returned with them to Lubbock, where he will visit the next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Timmons and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas spent Friday and Friday night at Lake Childress, fishing.

Mrs. Clarence Sparks of Matador visited this week with Mrs. A. B. Simpson.

The infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lowrie is on the sick list. Word has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matlock, that their son Howard and his family of Pensacola, Florida, will not be able to spend their vacation here, as their baby has been exposed to infantile paralysis.

"English" Presidents

More than half of the presidents of the United States traced their ancestry to England: Washington, John Adams, Madison, John Quincy Adams, William H. Hardin, Tyler, Taylor, Fillmore, Pierce, Lincoln, Johnson, Grant, Garfield, Cleveland, Benjamin Harrison, Taft, Hardin and Coolidge.

Underground Reservoir

Below London is a natural underground reservoir of water stretching about 30 miles north and south of the city and the same distance east and west.

Wagon-Automobile

An automobile legally is defined as a wagon in the state of Montana and, as such, it is exempt under state laws from attachment for a debt.

There are about 4000 characters on a Chinese typewriter. Argentine claims to have the largest air force in South America.

Advertisement for Motley County Insurance Co. with a graphic of a house and text: 'PROTECT YOUR HOME! Our policy collection effort, your protection against all home fire destruction. WE SELL ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. Motley County Insurance Co.'

Large advertisement for Chevrolet cars. Features a large image of a Chevrolet sedan and text: 'SEEMS EVERYBODY'S SAYING FIRST BECAUSE IT'S FINEST! Every Day... in Every Way... Save with a CHEVROLET. SAVE ON PURCHASE PRICE, SAVE ON GAS, SAVE ON OIL, SAVE ON UPKEEP. EYE IT - TRY IT - BUY IT! Campbell Chevrolet Co. MATADOR, TEXAS'

Financial report for 'FIRST STATE BANK' of Matador, Texas. Includes a table of assets and liabilities, and a memorandum section. Text: 'REPORT OF CONDITION OF "/>

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# THE WOMAN'S PAGE

MRS. DOUGLAS MEADOR, Editor

## JIMMY EMMONS CELEBRATES FIRST BIRTHDAY TUESDAY

Tiny Jimmie Emmons, son of County Agent J. Rufus Emmons and Mrs. Emmons, has scored again—he celebrated his first birthday Tuesday.

The infant, born three months prematurely, weighed only a little more than two pounds at birth, and physicians gave him scarcely a chance to live. But now tipping the scales at an even sixteen pounds, the baby is rapidly becoming a normal, healthy child on his diet of cereal, Jell-o, milk, and orange juice.

Already the blue-eyed youngster pulls himself up by the furniture, and will probably be walking on his own most any day now. And, incidentally, he has practically doubled his height, now measuring 26 inches by the yardstick. With one tooth already in, it won't be many months before he begins eating beefsteaks.

Little Jimmie's fight for life has been the story of modern medical science, the watchful waiting of doctors, and constant care by Nurse Imogene Knott of the All

Saints Hospital in Fort Worth during those first anxious weeks. And it is the story of the careful nursing given the child by his parents, since the baby was brought home last fall.

And so, Jimmie, we say, "Happy birthday!"

## Tuesday Club Meets With Mrs. Clements

The Tuesday Club met this week with Mrs. W. W. Clements, when two tables of bridge were at play during the afternoon. Mrs. U. L. Willie received club high score and Mrs. Robert Collier, the guest prize.

Refreshments of salad and drink were served to Mesdames L. R. Bishop, T. J. Daffern, L. J. Barkley, Earl Laughlin, D. I. W. Birnie, J. S. Stanley, Willie and Collier.

Shelterbelts protect soil and crops from wind damage.

## Crocheted Cloth For Your Bridge Table



**EVEN** an ordinary bridge table can be transformed into a traditional setting for afternoon tea when you cover it with a crocheted tea cloth. Here is one you can make yourself, to lend prestige to your informal entertaining. Called "Jack Frost", it requires only 36 separate motifs which you can make up in no time at all. It is crocheted in mercerized crocheted cotton and will remain crisp and new-looking after repeated tubbings. Directions for making this design may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this newspaper, specify Design #659.

## Pied 'Pinions

BY MRS. M.

To be clever, or the life of the party, one should be witty, a witless or a nitwit.

Tranquility is a white kitten asleep with head pillowed on outstretched forefoot; or a slumbering baby cradled in his mother's arms.

The fine coyote hide which was recently tendered the editor, fairly sends his wife into hysterics every time she opens the lid to the quilt-box where it was temporarily stored. In the split second when the tail is first visible, she momentarily visualizes one of the cats.

Some people manage a sample of paradise here on earth, to prepare them for the glories of the hereafter.

With picturesque Tule canyon for their backyard, a certain family, sharing every human emotion, lives and loves in communion with nature. Father, mother and three daughters, they work hard and play hard, fashioning of each passing moment an everlasting memory to be hoarded

for the future. Here, the great and the humble are drawn as by a magnet, to witness and to marvel; to drink at the well of human kindness with the secret hope of stealing away with a few of the precious drops.

A famous aged artist returns to his favorite haunts here each fall, drawn by the memory of an idyllic existence, and three pert, enthusiastic young ladies whose unusual talents with paint pots he can direct, using for models such subjects as the cottonwoods, canyon bluffs and waving prairies.

College professors, writers, photographers and a venerable Indian who once roamed over that vicinity, all have found surcease here from the cares of the world. And those who have the good fortune to share a bit of this heaven on earth, can but leave with the feeling that everything just has to come out all right.

One of life's greatest mysteries in early childhood, was the jew's-harp, that little lyre-shaped instrument that is held between the teeth while the player lightly strikes a bent metal tongue to produce sound. I would watch, fascinated, for hours while dad whanged out the Mosquito's Wedding Day. What he could do to the Hut Sut song, if he only knew the tune!

Fleas are little black insects that bite. They roost usually on cat-backs. If you have cats, more than likely you have fleas too, and when you find fleas that have deserted nice woolly homes for the upholstery, you don't have a very pleasant disposition. When you give vent to your feelings along certain lines, you are then in that cat-e-gory known as a "spiteful woman."

## WEINER ROAST HELD TUESDAY

Keith Patton was host to members of the Wesleyan Workers Sunday School class at a weiner roast in the yard of his home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Fred G. Simpson is teacher of the class.

Attending the picnic were Misses Zona Ruth Scaff and Billie Lawrence; Boyd Willett, Houston Schweitzer, Elmer Gene Jameson, J. B. Cooper, J. D. Payne, Price Hennon of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Simpson, and Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton and son, Keith.

## Bridge Luncheon Held Wednesday

The D. E. Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. J. S. Stanley Wednesday for a luncheon, after which two tables of bridge were in session.

High score among members was held by Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker with Mrs. L. J. Barkley winning guest high.

Members attending were Mesdames Hunsucker, Bryan Cammack, Tom Newman, Gus Bird, and Stanley; guests were Mesdames Barkley, U. L. Willie, and R. E. Donovan.

## TONSILS REMOVED

Miss Ruth Keith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith, is recovering from a tonsillectomy performed here July 2.

N. J. Smalley also had a tonsil operation June 29.

## ENTERTAINS FRIDAY CLUB

Members of the Friday Club were entertained last week in the home of Mrs. D. I. W. Birnie, with two tables of bridge in progress.

High score was held by Mrs. W. W. Clements and second high went to Mrs. Alvin Stearns.

Others present were: Mesdames J. S. Stanley, L. J. Barkley, T. J. Daffern, Harry Campbell, and E. F. Springer.

Salad plate refreshments were served.

## Picnic Enjoyed By Group Friday

A group of young people from Whiteflat enjoyed a picnic and marshmallow roast on Horneky Creek, Friday afternoon.

Those attending were: Ida Belle, Stephen and Lohrke Armstrong, Elsie, Gladys, and Mary Ann Cook, Mildred and Pauline Vinson, and Billie Turner.

## W. M. U. MEETS MONDAY

The Baptist W. M. U. met Monday at 3:30 o'clock for Bible study. Mrs. Joelin taught a very interesting lesson to the following ladies: Mesdames G. S. Craven, J. A. Groves, L. Rattan, V. A. Rattan, Earl Laughlin, Clarence Kifer and Elbert Seigler.

All ladies are urged to attend the next Bible study which will be held July 14, at 4:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patton and son, Billy Frank, of Austin spent the week end with relatives here.

## FASHION PREVIEW



Looking toward fall, you'll want to include in your wardrobe velvet ensemble featured in the July Good Housekeeping magazine. The jacket is white velvet, colorfully embroidered, with shoes in black and the black velvet shirt strikes a stunning note of contrast.

## Cotton Lace "Must" For Wardrobe

For a gay vacation cotton lace dresses are almost a "must" item in a woman's wardrobe. The national Cotton Council reports that laces are particularly for vacation wear because they do not crush when packed.

For dancing, starched with petticoat flounces are most attractive evening dresses. Especially adaptable to the wear are the fabric-like soft tailored styles which are washed. For ultra-sheen ultra fashion, the Council recommends the filmy chamois shadow laces in such colors as grayed green and corn yellow.

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FASHION PREVIEW ★



Charming and piquant a combination as you'll find in many a butterfly hat and bag. In the pages of the July issue of Good Housekeeping magazine, you'll find a variety of hats and bags made of printed silk and in gay colors to set off a black or dark suit.

NEWS HERE

Week end visitors here in the city of Matador, Texas, were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Seay and his sister, Mrs. Florence Seay of Amarillo, with her two children and San Antonio and another sister, Mrs. Edna Persons and children of San Antonio. They also visited their home in the Teepee community.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF MOTLEY

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the 110th District Court of Motley County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on the 7th day of July A. D. 1941, in a certain suit No. 1088, wherein City of Matador Plaintiff, and State of Texas and Matador Independent School District Impleaded Parties Defendants, and C. E. Perkins and Ux, Tabitha Perkins Defendants, in favor of said plaintiff, and impleaded parties defendants, for the sum of Three Hundred Eighty-Eight and 74/100 Dollars for taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent. per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor of said plaintiff, and impleaded parties defendants by the said 110th District Court of Motley County, on the 19th day of November A. D. 1940, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Motley County, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in August A. D. 1941, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Motley County, in the City of Matador, Texas, between the hours

of 2 o'clock P. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendant, the same lying and being situated in the County of Motley and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 23 to 26, inclusive, in Block 129; Lot 24 in Block 107; Lot 19 in Block 114; and Lot 2 in Block 1, Hamilton Addition, all of said lots being situated in the City of Matador, Motley County, Texas.

And whereas said judgment and order of sale pursuant thereto further orders and directs that there is due from said defendants as taxes, interest and penalty on the following lots or parcels of land, to-wit: lots 23 to 26, inclusive, in Block 129, City of Matador, Texas, the same being the homestead of said defendants, \$38.90 to plaintiff City of Matador, and \$34.42 due to the impleaded defendant State of Texas, for which a lien exists against said property, but that said lots comprising the homestead of said defendants are liable for only these stated amounts and nothing else, or, upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against said property that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights the defendants or anyone interested therein, may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Matador, Texas, this 9th day of July 1941. H. H. Courtney, Sheriff of Motley County, Texas.

Champion's Picture Wins Prize



Not only was this champion English Leghorn cockerel a first prize winner in its class in the 1940 Poultry Show of the State Fair of Texas, but his picture won a place in the Amateur Camera Contest held in 1940 by the

State Fair of Texas. The picture was entered in the contest by Arthur J. Wright, of Dallas, who snapped the picture in the natural light of the building interior.

final action on the bill." "Of course, in the event the bill is not passed," General Page added, "such men will be subject to induction in the normal manner upon the expiration of the period of postponement."

In Texas it is estimated, approximately 400,000 of the 825,429 men who registered last October are affected by this order.

A Drowning Every Thirty Minutes Is Summer Prospect

Every 30 minutes this summer some one in America will drown. When autumn's chill winds finally coax water enthusiasts back from beach, river and lake to warmer and safer pursuits, the nation will count no less than 5,000 dead from drowning, most if not all of them sacrificed unnecessarily in the name of relief and recreation.

This is the unpleasant but timely word that comes from the National Conservation Bureau, accident prevention division of the Association of Casualty and Surety Executives, whose estimates are based squarely on past records.

At least 25 per cent of the fatalities from drowning this summer, the bureau's safety doctors reluctantly admit, will occur to boys and girls between the ages of 13 and 19, inclusive, and six out of every seven will be a boy or a man—a token, no doubt, of the male's incurable desire to display his imaginary prowess before the fair sex.

How To Avoid Tragedy But it need not happen, say the accident prevention specialists. "Safe practices can be followed," they assert, "when swimming or using small boats and canoes

which will reduce the possibility of drowning to a minimum without interfering in any way with the pleasure which may be gained from water sports. For example, danger of cramps may be largely eliminated if you will wait not less than one hour after eating before going in the water; also do not swim when overheated or remain in the water when chilled or exhausted.

"More than 200 persons are killed each year in diving acci-

dents. Broken necks and backs and shattered skulls are the penalty for failure to know the depth of the water when diving. Know the depth of the water and be sure there are no submerged logs or rocks before diving. Don't indulge in water sports unless a competent swimmer is present in case of emergency. Non-swimmers or poor swimmers can't save a drowning person.

"Don't attempt swimming feats that are beyond your strength. When you swim out into deep water, allow plenty of reserve strength so that you can return safely. Don't attempt long-distance swims unless you are accompanied by a boat, and don't swim at all if you have a bad heart or other physical deficiency that may endanger your life.

Don't Rock That Boat!

"When using small boats and canoes, step or sit along the center line of the keel, and don't rock the boat! If your boat does tip over, don't try to swim to shore unless you can cover the distance easily. Your boat has enough buoyancy to support all its occu-

pants in the water until help arrives. The best way to rescue another swimmer is by pulling him along by the hair or grasping him under the armpit and swimming in on your back.

"The best method of artificial respiration is to stretch the victim out face down, one arm extended above his head and the other bent so that his cheek rests on the back of his hand. Straddle his knees, apply pressure with the palms of the hands in the small of his back for two seconds, relax for two seconds, and again apply pressure. Keep this up until he regains consciousness or aid arrives. Remember that "drowned" persons have been resuscitated after more than seven hours of this type of artificial respiration!"

VISIT IN PLAINVIEW

Visiting in Plainview Sunday with relatives who had gathered from various states, were Mrs. F. M. Jenkins, Mrs. C. D. Pipkin, Mrs. Ethel Payne, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jenkins, T. B. Edmondson, Henry and Sam Pipkin.

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MARGUERITE OF NAVARRE YOUNGEST WIFE OF FRANCE'S POPULAR HENRY-2E --A BRIGHT LIGHT OF THE DARK AGES, SHE NOTED THAT SHE WASHED HER HANDS AT LEAST THREE A WEEK.

GIRLS AT A FASHIONABLE 17th CENTURY FRENCH SCHOOL WERE ALLOWED ONE SET OF LINENES, ONE PAIR OF STOCKINGS AND TWO HANKIES A MONTH. ONE FOOT-BATH A MONTH AND THREE COMPLETE BATHS A YEAR WAS THE LAW!

TODAY THE FIRST ESSENTIAL TO BEING WELL GROOMED IS A THOROUGH SOAP AND HOT WATER BATH

Dangers Of Paralysis Are Cited

AUSTIN—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, states that infantile paralysis is largely a summer disease. Although cases may occur during any time of the year, over half the total number of cases occur from July to October.

Direct contact between persons form the chief factor in the spread of infantile paralysis. Because of the seasonal prevalence of the disease, flies and other insects have been suspected of conveying the virus or germ.

animals are subject to paralysis. they are seemingly not susceptible to the human type of this paralytic disease. Carriers are difficult to determine and this fact makes it advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts during any outbreak of the disease.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, drowsiness and irritability followed by stiffness in the back and neck. Prompt medical care, early recognition of the disease, and reporting of cases to local health authorities make possible the use of preventive and control measures.

After the acute state of the disease has passed and the patient is permitted to walk, it is most important that the affected part of the body not be fatigued. The secret of rehabilitation lies in the continuance of professional care and large doses of patience.

Children under five years are most susceptible to the disease and all children under twelve should be watched for suspicious symptoms. Your family physician should be called immediately if infantile paralysis is indicated. Local health authorities should be

contacted immediately and patients isolated for at least twenty-one days. Children should not visit homes where the disease or symptoms of the disease exist. Promptness in diagnosis of poliomyelitis is one of the most important factors in its control measures.

Livestock Is Menace To Shelterbelt

"Trees and livestock do not go together," says Marvin Angle, local Forest Service official.

There is a tendency in many cases to feel that when shelterbelt trees have reached a growth stage of a little higher than the animals, that livestock will not damage them. At least, there is the mistaken belief that the good cattle will do trees by eating weeds will offset other damage done.

It is an established fact that

livestock grazing is detrimental to good tree growth. Many people have asked so rapidly during periods of drought. In many cases part answer lies in the fact that trampled sod around the roots and lower limbs are causing trees to die.

Radio Stations KGNC at Arillo and KRIS at Corpus are Texas NBC stations carrying national 4-H Club radio program on the first Saturday of each month from 11:30 A. M. to 1 P. M. The program on July 13 will be devoted to "Making Farm a Business."

Shelterbelts are not a new system of shelterbelt planting been in progress in Europe more than 400 years.

Six rabbits will eat as much as 1 cow. 300 rabbits will eat as much as 1 cow. A farm completely protected well cared for shelterbelts will increase in sales value.



Someone has said, "Advertising begins when the crying child advertises his wants to his mother and ends only with the epitaph on the headstone in the village cemetery."

One of the highlights of a visit to Grandma's was a visit to town on Saturday. Sometimes, Grandpa hitched up the horses and we rode to Rector in the wagon—but, otherwise, the young grandson walked. It was three miles but it was broken up into such easy stages that it didn't seem very long. First, you strolled from the farmhouse to the hill and down the hill and across the bridge and up another hill and down it, and there you were on the big road. A half a mile down the road and you came to the railroad track and then you strolled down the track, looking back every one in a while to make sure that a train didn't catch you unawares. Past fields and through thick, dark woods that came right down to the right-of-way and then to the long trestle (a look down would make you dizzy) and then the mill with its mound of fresh sawdust and the whine of a saw biting into a log, the drone being broken by a snarl as the teeth hit a knot—and there was the town with its plank walks and its streets with white dust.

The first order of business was a milk-shake. Yes, strawberry—how did you guess? The man behind the counter poured the milk with the pink flavor into a glass, added a few chunks of ice, then carefully placed a metal shaker

over the glass, inverted it and began the shaking. The ice made a rhythmic sound and then, after a minute of violent agitating, the contents of the shaker were poured into the chilled glass. My hearties, there was a drink! Not one of the insipid milk-shakes of these latter days when the shaking is done, not by hand, but by an insensate machine that whips the contents in a deceptive froth.

Then came a tour of the business section—all four blocks; a pause in front of the newspaper office to smell the printer's ink and peer thru the cob-webbed and dusty window at the editor; a visit to the home of Uncle Tom who had a wonderful workshop in which he actually made bicycles, and dinner, (at noon, of course) with his family, then another stop at the confectioner's for a second of those heavenly milk-shakes, and then the walk back to the farm—a walk, which for some reason, was always somewhat longer than the morning one into the town.

More Mexican Wisdom: Wit without discretion is a sword in the hands of a fool. Lock your doors so that you may keep your neighbors honest. What is well said is said quickly.

At the foot of the lighthouse, one finds darkness. Beware of silent men and dogs that rich man's babble passes for maxims in this world.

Your columnist remembers hearing William Jennings Bryan say, "The speaker who needs an introduction doesn't deserve it and the one who deserves an introduction doesn't need it." Bryan liked to tell about the quiet little business man who always contributed generously to the Democratic Party and so he was nominated for mayor. There happened to be a Democratic landslide that year and he was elected. When Bryan came to town, the mayor was scheduled to introduce him and somebody wrote out a speech which "his honor" memorized but when he saw the big crowd, he forgot it and blurted out: "I have been asked to introduce William Jennings Bryan, who is to speak to you. I have now done so and he will now do so."

An old-time tramp printer was given two pieces of "copy"—an account of a wedding and an auction of a farmer's property. In the absence of the editor from the office, the typesetter partook freely of a bottle of whisky, with the following result: "William Smith and Lucy Jones were disposed of at public auction at my farm one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses and two white calves before a background of farm implements too numerous to mention in the presence of about sixty guests including two milk cows, six mules and one wagon. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot, with about 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal party left on one good John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchasers."

Trees, like any crop, need some help in becoming established. Cultivate your shelterbelt.

Two doctors, one in Nottingham, England, and the other in the United States, have been playing a game of chess by mail for four years.

Cheese and eggs dishes can be substituted for meat two or three times a week.



An open letter to Motley county cotton growers

WITHIN a few weeks Motley county cotton growers will receive an estimated \$20,000 in cotton stamps. They represent that amount of cash when used in the purchase of cotton goods and will be received at any store in the county selling merchandise made of cotton.

Purpose in making these stamps available is far greater than the immediate cash value they represent; it is to encourage the use of more cotton. When we realize that we must use more cotton, then the value of our greatest "money crop" will advance. As a nation, we have depended on people of foreign countries to buy cotton, and to ship us in return, merchandise of other materials and of inferior value. Now that this market is gone we are faced with the problem of educating ourselves to use cotton more than ever before. When this goal has been achieved we will have profited in many ways. The demand for cotton will be greater, and the price will be higher and we will have learned the delayed lesson that cotton goods gives more service at less expense.

IT IS OUR UNITED AND PATRIOTIC DUTY TO USE COTTON . . .

Cotton stamps will be accepted by your Motley county merchant for cotton merchandise and he will appreciate your patronage exactly in the same manner if you had paid cash for your purchases.

When you buy cotton merchandise from your local merchant you will have an opportunity to see the goods and to try on the clothing before you leave his store. You will not need to take any chances between the appearance of pictures, attractive description and the actual merchandise, as in the case of mail order houses. Your home merchant will tell you the truth and SHOW the merchandise. There will be no delay, no letters to write, no postage charges.

Your progressive home merchant, who helps support your county schools and churches, will benefit from the transaction. He is ready to serve you immediately with new stocks of cotton goods at fair prices. He needs and deserves your patronage.

Matador Tribune When We Buy Cotton We Build Our Future!

MATADOR IOOF LODGE No. 495 Meets each Tuesday 8:00 P.M. Visitors Welcome L. R. SMITH, N. G. W. B. WASON, Secy.

MATADOR LIONS CLUB Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays each month: Methodist and Baptist churches.

FLEMING POST NO. 337 AMERICAN LEGION Meets 1st Monday night each month at Fleming Post Legion Hut. All ex-service men invited to attend.

LODGE No 824 A. F. & A. M. Matador Texas Meeting Saturday on or before full moon of each month. W. N. Fipkin Sec. Rufus Elcha, W. M.

**Cotton--**

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cept three cotton stamps and give in change, a 15c "Cotton Credit Slip," which may be used at this store in future purchase. However, the customer may pay for his 60c bill with only two cotton stamps and 10c in cash, but in no case will the merchant be permitted to refund cash or return cash change.

"Cotton Credit Slips" may be issued by individual stores and are good for the purchase of 100% cotton goods in the future.

Purpose of the Cotton Stamp plan is greater than the benefit growers will receive from the stamps in exchange for cotton merchandise. It is to encourage greater use of cotton by the people who grow it.

Experts point out that people of the south have sold cotton to foreign markets, and used the money to purchase merchandise made of other materials, thus aided in further reducing the demand for our greatest "money crop."

Once the people who grow cotton realize how much the price depends up on the amount of cotton they use, much of the loss of foreign markets will be off-set and the price will become more dependable. Every person in the cotton-growing country should feel a certain obligation to use cotton in every possible way.

**Cotton Always In Style**

It is pointed out that cotton clothing is always in style, that the price of cotton goods is usually lower and that the material gives more service than other fabrics.

An interesting observation has been made by a local merchant over a long period of merchandising, regarding the people who purchase cotton goods, and especially cotton clothing. Many who could

afford silks and rayons always demand cotton, while often families who can ill-afford the more expensive and less-serviceable fabrics, are prone to demand them. In other words certain classes of people feel that cotton is "inferior" and desire other material because of pride. In fact, cotton is the strongest and most comfortable cloth obtainable. In summer its wear is especially desirable. Besides the extra value and comfort from cotton, every citizen must realize that the use of more cotton is to build the future of the south.

**Most Value In Homes**

Producers who receive cotton stamps within the next few weeks will find their Motley county merchants glad to accept the stamps exactly as the same amount of cash. Merchandise, despite the advance in wholesale markets, has not advanced in Motley county stores.

Cotton products customers will be able to see the merchandise, and try on clothing before purchase is made.

In addition to seeing the new, high quality cotton merchandise before purchase is made, the customer will have the satisfaction of dealing with his friends and allowing them to earn the small margin of profit which is possible through the transactions.

**Scouts--**

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George Walker, Troop 35, intermediate—First in distance plunge, and third in back stroke.

Billy Scott, Troop 35, intermediate—Second in back stroke, breast stroke, distance plunge and diving third in side stroke.

Jimmy Vernon, Troop 35, intermediate—Third in distance plunge and second in free style.

Intermediate medley relay and free style relay winners are Troop 35, team composed of Jimmy Vernon, Billy Scott, Alfred Walker and Leonard Wilson.

Joe Ericson, Troop 35, senior—First in side stroke, back stroke, and diving; second in breast stroke and distance plunge.

Bob Weaver, Troop 35, senior—First in breast stroke, free style and distance plunge; second in side stroke and back stroke.

Arthur Harmon, Troop 89, senior—Second in free style, third in side stroke and distance plunge.

Morris Britton, Troop 89, senior—Third in back stroke, breast stroke and free style.

Wednesday night a Court of Honor was conducted for Scouts having completed ranks in Scouting by Olin Arthur, chairman of advancement.

Rev. H. L. Thurston gave a Scouting talk and awards were presented by George S. Link, Sr., Dr. L. E. Standifer, M. C. Goldin, Howard Traweck, Matador; W. D. Starcher, and J. C. Grimes, field Scout executive.

**Election--**

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any one else in making his indorsement public. Stevenson will become Governor if the official returns elect O'Daniel.

Stevenson, twice Speaker of the House, and elected two terms as Lieutenant Governor, declined to make any comment, but raised no objection to the proposed senatorial investigation.

The Senate committee was clothed with authority shortly before sine die adjournment, but had not intended any active investigation unless there was evidence that the official vote had been tampered with. The statements over the radio by Pearson changed the complexion of the committee's purposes.

O'Daniel has not said when he will resign as Governor, should he go to Washington as Senator, but Capitol circles believe he will lose little time turning over the reins to Stevenson.

**LOCALS**

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts and Mrs. A. J. Daffern were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

**NOTICE**—We will remove dead animals such as cows, horses, etc., from your property free of charge. We also buy condemned crippled or old livestock that is suitable for feeding to our zoo animals. Phone your notice to Bob's Oil Well, Phone 111.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Manly Thompson, left Wednesday of last week for Oklahoma City, where he has been receiving treatments.

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth returned home Friday from Bullard and Tyler where she has been visiting relatives. Mr. Whitworth met her in Vernon and accompanied her home.

here with Mrs. Bradshaw and their son Jackie, who had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ballard, who have been in Canyon the past several weeks, were weekend visitors here. Mrs. Ballard has been attending summer school at W. T. S. C.

**KIMBALL CONSOLETE**—Late model nearly new. May repossess but would sell at bargain on reduced terms. Might consider storage with prospective purchaser. Write Auditor, 404 Bewley Bldg., Ft. Worth, Texas. 7: 10-17

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Whitworth of Amarillo, visited here Saturday, enroute to their home from Abilene, where they had visited. They were guests here of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth.

A fishing party composed of T. F. Berryman and son, Mut, J. R. Berryman, Henry Ford, and Raymond Steffey, spent Thursday night and Friday near Crowell. They were joined Friday morning by Louis Poteet and Paul Patton.

**ALFALFA** For Sale. See L. L. Jones, 5 1/2 miles southeast of Floydada. 8-14 pd.

Jack Bradshaw of Crosbyton, spent the fourth of July holiday. J. H. Neblett accompanied Mrs. Neblett to Lubbock Saturday, where she is receiving treatments at a clinic. Her sister, Mrs. Jack Bradshaw, of Crosbyton, has been with her during her illness.

Rudolph Carpenter, son of Mrs. Lula Carpenter, is home on a ten-day furlough from the army air corps. Recently stationed at Chanute Field, Ill., he will be sent to the New Orleans base.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harp and daughters, Jean and Elizabeth Ann, left yesterday for Colorado Springs, Colo., where they will spend a two-weeks' vacation.

L. J. Barkley left Tuesday for Tucumcari, N. M., where he will stay during the wheat buying season. He was accompanied by his son, Lowell.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pitts this week are her mother, Mrs. Ed Taylor of McCamey, and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor and son, Selwyn, of Wink.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tunnell and son, Billy, and McElton Skaggs returned home Monday following a vacation trip at Junction, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Harris and children left Monday for a two weeks' visit in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Stearns and daughter, Frances, accompanied by L. A. Stearns visited relatives in Shawnee, Okla., during the week end.

C. A. Pitts and Roy Taylor of Wink spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week on a fishing trip at Lake Pauline near Quanah.

Mrs. Melvin Meason made a recent trip to Dallas and San Antonio for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Vera Davis and daughter, Jerry Thomas of Quanah, are visiting here this week with her sister, Mrs. V. J. Skaggs and family. Mr. Davis will join them

here Friday.

Robert Birchfield of Fort Sam Houston, Texas spent a few days furlough here over the week end, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Birchfield.

Mrs. Annie Tudor is visiting in Fort Worth with her daughter, Miss Tommie Tudor.

Mrs. Alvin Stearns, who is attending summer school at W. T. S. C. Canyon, spent the week end holidays at her home here.

Miss Shirley Ellis of Dallas returned home this week following an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Soderstrom and with relatives of Paducah.

Buck Patton and sons, Neal and Gordon, of Plainview visited relatives here Sunday.

Mitchell Glenn, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. T. P. Metcalfe and daughter, Marilyn, of Franklin, Texas, left Monday for Colorado Springs, Colorado, for a visit with Miss Kathryn Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Fish and sons, James and John Farris, are spending a few days in Electra and Fort Worth this week.

Price Hennen, Jr., of Hobbs, N. M., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Patton, and other relatives.

Miss Amy Glenn returned home this week from Mineral Wells following a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. T. T. Bouldin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stafford spent the week end visiting in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. John Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stanley of Pampa were guests of relatives here Saturday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Groves who have been visiting in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Smalley and daughter, Betty Ruth, accompanied by her father, D. C. Lowe, visited relatives in Turkey during the week end.

Miss Maggie Bryan is taking a week's vacation from duties at the Western Dry Goods Company. She will visit in Spur, Lubbock, and Amarillo.

**Bakery Making New Type Bread**

Eddie's Bakery here is making the new type vitamin B1 bread which is being recommended over the nation as superior over the standard for many years. Roy Smith, local manager announced that the new bread has been made for the past four or five weeks.

Customers will find the new label on the regular wax wrapper, which declares each pound to contain not less than 450 international units of vitamin B1—also nicotinic acid and iron.

Mr. Smith explained that the vitamin B1 is placed in the bread through the yeast, and is more expensive than the former method, altho the price of bread has not been advanced.

**FIREMEN WILL SPONSOR DANCE**

Roaring Springs Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a benefit dance to be held at the Pioneer Pavilion in Roaring Springs, Monday night, July 14. Music will be furnished by Hetrick's All-Girl Orchestra of Amarillo, which is well-known in this section. Script will be \$1.10 including tax.

Good music, good order and an enjoyable evening is assured. All net proceeds from the dance will go to the general fund of the fire department.

**Hulls Being Tested As New Insulation**

The United States\* Department of Agriculture has been experimenting with cottonseed hulls as an insulating material for farm dwellings. In winter tests, a 3% inch thickness of hulls on the ceiling of three-room test houses resulted in an average fuel saving of 16 to 25 per cent, depending upon the amount of heat loss through walls and floors. The hulls are made fire-resistant by wetting them with ammonium sulphate solution. Cost of this type of insulation has been estimated at as low as two cents per square foot.

**Former President Is Speaker Sunday**

Dr. L. J. Mims, of Dallas, former president of Howard-Payne College, Brownwood, was speaker at the morning and evening services of the Baptist Church here Sunday. He left yesterday after visiting here since Friday in the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Joslin.

Plans are nearing completion for the annual Baptist revival meeting to start here Sunday, July 20th.

When beets and carrots in the family vegetable garden are thinned there may be a good supply of young tender vegetables. These can be put whole into cans or jars and processed for winter use.

**Hospital News**

John Baxter was dismissed from the Traweck Hospital Tuesday after recovery from an appendicitis operation.

Dink Holt of Roaring Springs, was treated for an injured hand Friday.

G. C. Hagle received treatment for a broken elbow this week.

Mrs. D. W. Scheid of Quitaque, and a Mrs. Wedge and daughter of Turkey were hospital patients this week.

**Pique Ideal Cotton For Summer Months**

The darling of the 1941 summer season undoubtedly is cotton pique. From government clerk to ambassador's wives, smartly dressed women in the nation's capital are appearing more and more frequently in crisp, cool cotton piques.

Pique prints, particularly floral designs and the new cotton boll design introduced this season, are especially favored in pinafores and playsuits.

Whites continue to attract fashion-conscious women here, with the tennis courts being frequented by girls of college age wearing panty-bottom tennis suits of white pique.

Embroideries are attracting much favorable attention this season, with many of the summer's most popular dinner and evening dresses being made up of white eyelet pique with a touch of colorful trimming for contrast.

**VISITING HERE**

Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson and small son Jerry are here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tipton. They were accompanied here Saturday by Mr. Fulkerson, salesman for Armour and Company, who left for Abilene Sunday, and will return here for the week end with his family.

They have been making their home at Brownwood, but will change their place of residence in the near future.

Shelterbelts have been planted on over 2,200 farms in Texas.

**NEW ARRIVALS**

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cuddeparents of an eight-pounder born July 3.

Melvin Earl was the name of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Box of Roaring Springs Sunday, the baby weighed six and one-half pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lewis of Roaring Springs announce the arrival of a son on July 3 and weighing six and one-fourth pounds.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephens has been named Bobby Herbert. He weighed, pounds, twelve ounces, when June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Irwin parents of a daughter born June 22. She weighed four and one-half pounds.

**COTTON STORAGE OF FOOD; CLOTHES**

**TALLULAH**—Cotton bag store Army food supplies woolen clothing are being vanced by W. C. Purdy of city as a new prospective market for cotton fabric.

Pointing out that storage of foods and winter clothing was one of the Army's biggest problems thru the summer months, Mr. Purdy argues that woven cotton cloth is the defense against weevil infestation.

"I do not see why at least 1,000 cloth storage bags could be used by the government during the summer," he says. "It would take considerable cotton fumigating cap which can be applied to coated cotton bags to positive protection against damage."

Secretary of Agriculture Charles Wickard says that if continued for a long time, the issue may finally be: "Who feeds the world—the democrats or the dictators?"

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**SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY**

4 POUND CARTON Shortening 60c

SUGAR 10 POUNDS CANE SACK 63c

Coffee H & H BRAND 1 Pound Jar 28c

K. C. BAKING POWDER 25 OZ. 21c

WHITE SWAN 1 POUND CAN TWO FOR Pork & Beans 15c

NICE SIZE CALIFORNIA DOZEN Oranges 29c

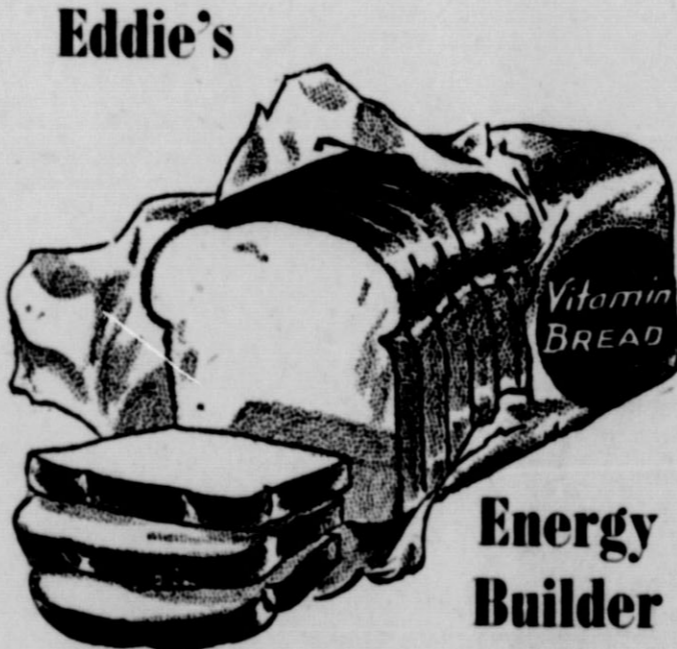
WHITE SWAN 13 Oz. Box 3 For Corn Flakes 25c

2 BARS CAMAY The Soap of Beautiful Women 15c

Pickles SOUR OR DILL 1 Pt.-9 Oz. 15c

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