

RAIL DUST  
By DOUGLAS MEADOR

work had passed but his  
remained sharp and  
in brown, moist sand and  
he had sketched with  
twig, were unmolested.  
that I might hear the  
of saddle leather as he  
away and the sound of his  
on the graveled creek-  
the scene was unchanged ex-  
the tall cowboy and his  
were gone.

blood had spilled out  
high five bullet holes since the  
when his boots had  
the tracks in the sand.

ny fingers wrapped in dark,  
bled skin, clutched the points  
a nervous eagerness as the  
with sharpened flints and  
them in neat rows. All the  
of his craft went into each  
ow as if a destiny might rest  
ow as if a destiny might rest  
his accuracy. When the soft  
skin quiver was filled, he  
ed up hopefully. The arrow  
was slow on Hollywood  
ward that particular morn-

few more warm days and the  
-flies will begin bothering  
cattle and women will start  
venturing with the vogue in  
sant bonnets.

They had lived a long time in  
a white house nestled as a spot  
dove in the grove of tall pop-  
s. When the smiling old lady  
s left alone with memories of  
voice and footsteps which  
led on the kettle-drums of her  
society. The floors were kept  
shined and the curtains bright  
as if a young wife might  
expecting the return of her  
who had been delayed  
his first short trip away. Love  
a fragrance which lingers  
ever its flowers have bloom-

eruped upon an amethyst  
light is the long row of dusky  
graph poles, a slender, barren  
nest bridging the horizons.  
sist, lonely sentinels planted in  
swirling soil, where gnaws the  
w cancer of time. They keep  
a trauma of blighted years seal-  
inside their dried hearts.

The soft, gentle winds of spring  
ill not awaken new leaves nor  
all nesting birds ever return to  
e phantom branches; the patter  
rain and the quickened breath  
storm are but leal altruisms of  
dure. Death is denied the ritual  
as mercy and the tall, straight  
as must serve, like weary, old  
as born as slaves to merciless  
reusance.

My mother always placed the  
glazed lamp on a round  
table at the left side of the  
and asked me to hold it  
security. I would stand close  
her then and watch the light  
her brave face while she play-  
sang the old hymns in the  
and sang-book. Her voice was  
the sweetest music I have ever  
own.

Beauty has its claque when  
tonight silvers the crusts of  
sitting clouds and silence treads  
soft meadows along the trails  
here cattle have passed. The  
dained applauders are the blue,  
old stars in their orchestra seats  
before the stage of creation where  
clouds, shadows and moonlight  
ave supplied the motif for all  
andeur since life first looked  
to dream.

The man whose own entity lay  
dried foam where polluted  
star had flowed, looked at the  
rill woman trudging the bleak  
highway, and laughed. The woman  
rushed a wisp of colorless hair  
rom her face and changed the  
rred valise to the other hand,  
s glanced toward him and  
en away, like a beaten animal.  
The man laughed again—the  
ood henny.

Dynamite and alcohol do not  
become dangerous until disturbed.  
Then agitated one is likely to  
dash away the body and the other  
scatter the soul.

Overleep is an intoxication  
which keeps many men its slave  
until the final, permanent cup  
is poured from the flagon of death.

## Fire Boys To Present Play; "Red Spider" Three-Act Mystery Promises Audience Fine Entertainment

What promises to be one of the best home-talent plays ever produced here will be offered under the sponsorship of the Matador Volunteer Fire Department, Friday evening, March 11, at the Matador high school auditorium. The play entitled, "The Red Spider," by Hubert Hayes and released through the Walter H. Baker company, Boston, is being directed by fire chief Clay Gilbert. The entire net proceeds of the production will be used by the fire department for the purchase of new fire fighting equipment. The organization is at present attempting to raise \$100 with which to purchase a new light hose which will aid in handling small blazes without excess water damages.

**Story Is Outlined**  
The story concerns wealthy Dr. McHarge (Hugh Gray) who leases an old North Carolina mountain estate, which he turns into a health resort, his daughter, Valerie (Lucretia Estes) and a nurse, Josephine Glover (Hattie Tee Groves) are left in charge. The estate has been run for years by an old mountaineer, Zeb O'Kelly, (Joe Berry Meador) and Miss Piney (Mary Meason), an old mountain woman. Servants include Tony (Paul Eubank), a mysterious young mountaineer and Mammy Hannah (Lucille Meador) an old negro woman. Ralph Graves (R. E. Campbell Jr.) a newspaperman finds himself entangled with the Red Spider along with Mrs. Marie Stecker (Willie Sue George) a nervous patient. Jack Mayo (Burrell Tipton), a young man from the city adds more mystery to the plot by suddenly appearing on the scene. The spliced mystery element is designed to hold the audience spell-bound until the last few moments of the play. A small admission of 10 cents and 25 cents will be charged.

## Asks County Office On New Deal Platform

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of Winburn Q. Montgomery for the office of County commissioner, Precinct 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 23, 1938. Mr. Montgomery needs no introduction to the voters of Motley county, having made his home here for the past 27 years. He was a candidate for the same office in 1934.

Regarding his announcement, Mr. Montgomery declared, "I am running on a New Deal platform and by that I mean that if I am elected to office I shall endeavor to secure all the federal aid possible for my district. It is proven in neighboring counties that more aid could be secured for the unemployed of this county which would make their load easier and at the same time provide permanent improvement to benefit the county. I know that many men are without employment who want and need to work. I know that the federal government is providing projects which would help them and the entire county. If I am elected to office I promise that it shall be my aim to secure as many projects as possible for my precinct.

I will appreciate the vote and support of every voter in my precinct and promise my very best efforts to make a capable and efficient commissioner if I am elected."

Mrs. J. L. Woodruff and children, together with Miss Amy Glenn, were guests of friends at Plainview during the week-end.

## Mayor Returns



MAYOR G. T. EDWARDS

Mayor G. T. Edwards, above, who returned to his office Friday after a five-weeks fishing trip to south Texas and the Rio Grande Valley. Mayor Edwards, who was accompanied by Mrs. Edwards, declared that he caught plenty of fish but declined to give any estimates regarding the size of those escaping his hook.

## Officials Of Grid District In Meet Here Seven Schools Are Represented In 4B District Parley

Seven of the ten schools comprising District 4B of the inter-scholastic football conference met here Thursday night to discuss plans for the coming season. Due to the absence of representation from three schools, Estelline, Silvertown and Quitaque, the group decided to hold another meeting about the 15th of this month, the date to be announced later. While some of the schools favored a movement to split the district, the motion was voted down.

## Seven Conference Games

Seven conference games will be played by each school this year and no conference play will start until October 1, or later, except by mutual agreement.

Much sentiment favored the abolishment of penetrations being accepted in the decision of the games, which would allow each contending team a decision of 50-50 in the event of a tie, however no definite action was taken in the movement. No schedule was planned during the meeting Thursday night because of the absence of the three above named schools.

Superintendent Thomas of Spur was chairman of the meeting and the following schools were represented: Spur, Matador, Floydada, Turkey, Paducah, Lockney and Flomott.

It is declared that some of the schools located in the northern part of the district have expressed desires to be separated from District 4B and join other neighboring districts. The problem will possibly be decided fully at the next meeting when it is hoped every school in the district will be represented.

## Cream Stations Are Combined

Details were completed Monday whereby the Matador Poultry and Egg Company cream station located across the street from the Leon Ice Company, was combined with the L. R. Bishop Feed Store located on the east side of the square. The business of the two cream buying stations will be conducted by Mr. Bishop in the future.

Mr. Elmo Head, who was manager of the Matador Poultry and Egg Company has been transferred to another location by the Lubbock Poultry and Egg Company which formerly purchased the cream at both stations.

## Lions Listen To Inspiring Address Tues.

### Paducah Publisher Chooses Optimistic Subject At Meeting

In an inspiring talk following the regular luncheon of the Matador Lions Club held in the basement of the Methodist church Tuesday, E. A. Carlock, editor of the Paducah Post, declared, "We hear too many talks of depression war, trouble and the unhappiness of humanity. It might be well for us to consider the wonderful accomplishments of people who have been handicapped during life and then reflect that possibly life holds more for us than the drab present." Lion Carlock cited some of the great examples of unfortunate people who had risen to the pinnacle of wealth and fame through their courage and determination. His address was met with enthusiastic applause. Lions Wilson, Beason, and Meacham, all of Paducah were also visitors at the meeting.

## Visitor From New Mexico

Other guests included Lion Watts of Roswell, New Mexico who lauded the Matador club and the large attendance at the meeting, and District Judge Alton B. Chapman of Spur who was here holding court this week.

The program, following the delicious luncheon served by the Methodist ladies, was sponsored by Lion Ben Meador. Kenneth Simpson, Matador high school student delivered an interesting reading which was enjoyed by those present. Hamp McCary, prominent farmer of this section, was also a visitor.

## CLARENDON - TURKEY ROAD DESIGNATION ASKED AT MEETING

CLARENDON, Texas, Feb. 25—Forty delegates from Miami, Spur, Turkey, Dickens and Childress, attended a meeting of the 88-18, North-South Highway association here today, called to sponsor a proposal for a new highway from Perryton to Del Rio, by way of Sweetwater, Texas.

The meeting adopted a resolution asking the Texas highway commission for immediate redesignation of highway 88, south from Clarendon to Turkey, stating that the redesignation was promised by the commission in 1935.

Another resolution authorized Odos Caraway, of Clarendon, president of the group, to appoint a chairman and secretary of a delegation to meet with the state highway commission at Austin next month.

Bob Alexander of Childress, state representative, assured the association of his cooperation on the Perryton-Del Rio project.

## 94th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED BY RESIDENT HERE

Mrs. M. E. Meador celebrated her 94 birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Long, yesterday, Texas Independence Day. Mrs. Meador, who is believed to be the oldest resident of Motley county clearly recalls pioneer adventures in west Texas, especially in Parker and Young counties, where the Indians attacked her home upon several occasions.

The annual birthday celebration participated in by relatives and friends of the aged pioneer woman, will be held Sunday, it was announced yesterday.

Mrs. Meador, who has been a continuous resident of this county for 42 years, is the grandmother of Douglas Meador, publisher of the Matador Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Beauchamp of Pampa, visited here during the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Beauchamp.

## Achieves Victory



R. E. CAMPBELL

R. E. Campbell, above, general Sunday school superintendent, choir director, member of the board of deacons and chairman of the building committee for the new Baptist church, achieved a victory yesterday when he took part in the ground-breaking program. He has been one of the most active members interested in erecting the new church edifice.

## DISTRICT MEET AT CHILDRRESS SET FOR APR. 9

### All Contests With Single Exception Held On One Day

Coach R. P. Terrell of the Matador High School received a statement yesterday from A. W. Adams of Childress, director-general of District 4 declaring that all contests with the exception of tennis would be held in Childress Saturday, April 9, 1938. Tennis contests will begin Friday at 9:30 a. m., all contestants to meet at the Childress high school to draw for places. Track preliminaries will be held Saturday morning beginning at 9 a. m. and finals at 2 p. m. in the afternoon.

Girls' volleyball will be held as a district event with three teams eligible from each county. Drawings will be held at the Childress city auditorium at 9 a. m. Saturday morning.

## Debaters To Bring Judge

Each debate coach bringing a team is requested to bring a qualified debating judge, willing to serve all day. Coaches and contestants in debate will meet in room 11 at 9 a. m., with the judges meeting in room 17.

A one-act play tournament will be held at Crowell during the week following the district meet. Those interested are asked to write superintendent I. T. Graves, Crowell, for particulars.

The Spanish contest, held at 2:30 Saturday, room 2, will have one event, a written composition of one hundred and fifty words in Spanish based on a picture.

Teachers will write to Austin for a special bulletin on typing and shorthand. Any school having affiliation may enter its quota of contestants in the district meet.

## RELATIVES HERE MOURN ADMIRAL CARY T. GRAYSON

Admiral Cary T. Grayson, who died in Washington, D. C. last week, and who was considered one of the foremost citizens of the United States, in his work with the National Red Cross, had two nieces living in Matador. They are Mrs. U. L. Willie and Mrs. R. E. Donovan.

## NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Notice is hereby given that the usual summer water rate of \$20 per thousand for all excess water over the minimum will go into effect beginning with water used after March 20 and continuing until Sept. 20.

T. B. Harris  
Water Superintendent

## Ground Broken For New Baptist Church

### WARN GROWERS TO PLOW UNDER EXCESS WHEAT

Farm operators who have wheat planted in excess of their general soil-depleting allotment must sign up to plow under the excess by March 15 or lose all benefit of the new farm law, it was announced from the office of Frank A. Buckley, county agent.

The allotment of general crops (other than cotton) is expected to be 80 to 84 percent of the general base. Therefore if the wheat planted plus the feed to be planted exceeds this figure, the operator must sign Form SRM-202 by March 15 indicating his intention to plow up some of the wheat and devote the land to a soil-building practice. Otherwise the entire acreage will be counted soil-depleting even if after plowed up or not harvested.

Small fields of wheat for winter pasture which are not to be harvested should also be signed up by March 15 signifying that they are not for grain.

## John Wesley Week Is Observed By Local Methodists MEMBERS JOURNEY TO AMARILLO WEDNESDAY FOR MEETING

The First Methodist Church is observing this week the anniversary of John Wesley, founder of the Methodist Church, by services and programs especially prepared beginning Monday night and ending Friday night, March 4.

The climax was reached Wednesday morning when members of the church journeyed to Amarillo to the Aldersgate Meeting which was held at the Polk Street Methodist Church. A number of Methodist Church notables, among which were Bishop H. A. Boaz, Bishop A. Frank Smith and Bishop Ralph Cushman, were present.

The services held at the Matador church Monday evening were conducted in the interests of the Stewards of the Church, while on Tuesday and Thursday nights, two groups of the Women's Missionary Society had charge. On Friday night a general service will be held with emphasis on church membership above the age of 18 years. All Methodism is asked to observe this anniversary, by the local pastor, Rev. D. D. Denison.

## Attend From Here

Among the local congregation who attended the Amarillo services yesterday, were Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Denison, Mrs. J. C. Scaff, Mrs. Fred G. Simpson, Henry Pipkin, Knox Jameson, Fay Jacobs, Mrs. Elmer Jameson, Mrs. Ed Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, Mrs. Henry Ford, W. J. Whitworth, and Misses Sibyl Scaff, Helen Simpson and Vivian Estes.

## ACCEPTS FORMER PLACE WITH MATADOR AUTO

D. E. Pitts, who sold his interests in the Matador Auto Company, local Ford agency, to his partner, C. M. Glenn, in January, because of ill health, has returned to accept a position with his former partner.

Mr. Pitts, returning recently from the Mayo Institution, is greatly improved and will be glad to welcome his friends at the location where he has been associated for many years.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City Hall on Tuesday, April 5th, 1938, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, two Aldermen, City Secretary, and City Marshall.

Signed—G. T. Edwards  
Mayor

## Ceremonies Held On Site Yesterday As Many Witness

Members of the Baptist church and many others interested in the religious welfare of this community witnessed the realization of a dream yesterday afternoon when ground was broken for the construction of the new Baptist Church building. The ceremonies, held at 3:30, were observed in the business section of the city and most places of business closed for one hour.

The actual turning of the first earth to begin the construction of the building, was done by Mrs. A. D. (Mother) Burleson, assisted by R. E. Campbell, Baptist Sunday school superintendent, member of the board of deacons and chairman of the building committee. Mrs. Burleson is the only surviving charter member of the local Baptist church. Other members of the various church and Sunday school departments had a part in the ground-breaking services.

## Music By School Band

Music for the program was furnished by the Matador school band under the leadership of bandmaster Earl Martin and several selections were played on the street before the ground-breaking program started.

The site, just south of the Baptist parsonage on Main street, was crowded as the assigned hour arrived. The program was as follows: Music by the High school band; Song, "Blest Be The Tie That Binds," audience; Prayer, Rev. H. M. Weldon; Sermon, Rev. A. L. Shaw, Lockney; Ground breaking, Mrs. Burleson assisted by R. E. Campbell and benediction by Rev. G. I. Britain of Plainview.

Mr. Campbell declared that actual construction of the basement would be started immediately.

## Summer Water Rate Mar. 20

A notice appearing in this issue of the Tribune declares that the usual summer water rate of 20c per 1,000 gallons for all excess water over the minimum, will go in effect March 20 and remain effective until September 20. The lower rate is made to encourage more lawns, trees and gardens within the city and is believed to have had much effect upon the beautification program which has been progressing here for a number of years.

The rate is also made possible because of the greater use of water during the warmer months, which lowers production costs, water superintendent T. B. Harris declared.

## FATHER DIES

Harry Duval was called to Henderson Sunday, due to the death of his father of that place, who succumbed from an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Duval joined her husband here Monday for funeral services.

## TO DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pharis left last week to accompany their son, Billy, to Baylor Hospital for the purpose of receiving treatment preparatory to undergoing an operation. Billy, who had been slowly convalescing from an attack of pneumonia sustained since December, has been in a critical condition due to complications centering in the bones of his legs.

Rev. H. M. Weldon conveyed the family to Dallas on Thursday.

## ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Hinson of Calgary, near Spur, announce the arrival of a daughter, Carolyn, in their home, Saturday, February 26, 1938. Mrs. Hinson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Groves.

# We Are Backing The Matador Fire Department

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We Give The Fire Boys Our Full Support  
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Let's All Help The Fire Boys By Attending Their Play "The Red Spider"  
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We Wish The Fire Boys Continued Success Let's All See "The Red Spider"  
**TEXAN CAFE**

Good Luck To The Fire Boys  
**MATADOR VARIETY**  
"Get The Habit"

We as merchants, businessmen and citizens of Matador appreciate our fire department and we are proud of the courage, the spirit of willingness and the desire to be of service to the community which is shown by the volunteer firemen who make the department possible.

It is our sincere desire that all who are interested in the present and future welfare of this community, support the fire department in their community play, "The Red Spider." We assure you that you will receive more than your money's worth invested in admission.

**The Matador Fire Department PRESENTS**

## "The Red Spider"

High School Auditorium Friday Night, March 11  
A Mystery Play in Three Acts Written By

Hubert Hayes

Directed By **CLAY GILBERT**

<b>DR. ARTHUR McHARGE</b> (who runs a health resort)	<b>HUGH C. GRAY</b> (his young daughter)
<b>VALERIE McHARGE</b> (his trained nurse)	<b>LUCRETIA ESTES</b> (a mountain woman)
<b>JOSEPHINE GLOVER</b> (an old mountaineer)	<b>HATTIE TEE GROVES</b> (a young mountaineer)
<b>MISS PINEY</b> (from the city)	<b>MARY MEASON</b> (a newspaper man)
<b>ZEB O'KELLY</b> (a nervous patient)	<b>JOE BERRY MEADOR</b> (an old negro servant)
<b>TONY</b> (an old negro servant)	<b>PAUL EUBANKS</b> (a young girl)
<b>JACK MAYO</b> (a newspaper man)	<b>BURRELL TIPTON</b> (a young girl)
<b>RALPH GRAVES</b> (a nervous patient)	<b>R. E. CAMPBELL JR.</b> (a young girl)
<b>MRS. MARIE STECKER</b> (an old negro servant)	<b>WILLIE SUE GEORGE</b> (a young girl)
<b>MAMMY HANNA</b> (an old negro servant)	<b>LUCILLE MEADOR</b> (a young girl)

### Synopsis Of Scenes

The entire action in this play takes place in Dr. McHarge's health resort in the Blue Ridge Mountains

Act I. Seven-thirty P. M.

Act II. Ten-thirty P. M.

Act III. Just before midnight

Produced by special arrangement with BAKER'S PLAYS of Boston and Los Angeles

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Service And Quality

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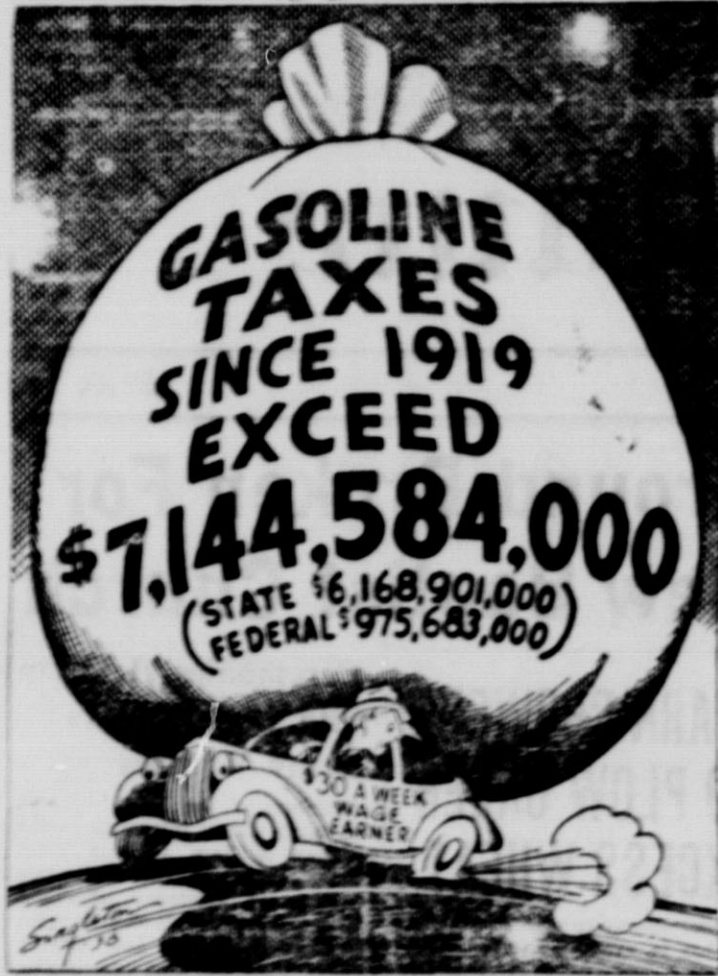
John A. Hamilton

R. A. (Allen) Harp

L. A. Carlisle

Jack Robinson

Staggering!



NEWS ITEM: Nineteenth anniversary of gasoline tax, February 25, 1938, reveals motorist taxpayers, largely \$30 a week wage-earners, have paid grand total of \$7,144,584,000, of which \$6,168,901,000 represents state gasoline taxes and \$975,683,000 is in payment of duplicating federal tax imposed "temporarily" in 1932. First gasoline tax was levied by Oregon in 1919 at rate of 1 cent.

Map Improvement Promotes Safety

PONCA CITY, Okla., Feb. 28.—A major improvement in automobile road maps which encourage the motorist to think in terms of reasonable driving time between given points rather than mileage to be covered by the Continental Oil Company in connection with the issuance of maps of the new type by the company's Conoco Travel Bureau at Denver, Colorado.

The new feature which will appear on the face of all Conoco maps consists of the addition of actual driving time in hours and minutes from town to town. These figures are printed in red ink and appear directly under each of the usual mileage figures which

give the distance between cities and towns. A footnote points out that the driving time has been calculated for normal traffic conditions and dry roads and that allowances should be made by motorists who drive unusually fast or slow.

The improvement is also in use by one other major oil company and is understood to be under consideration by several others. This strong emphasis on reasonable driving time rather than the factor of distance-to-be-covered should do much to promote highway safety, say Conoco officials.

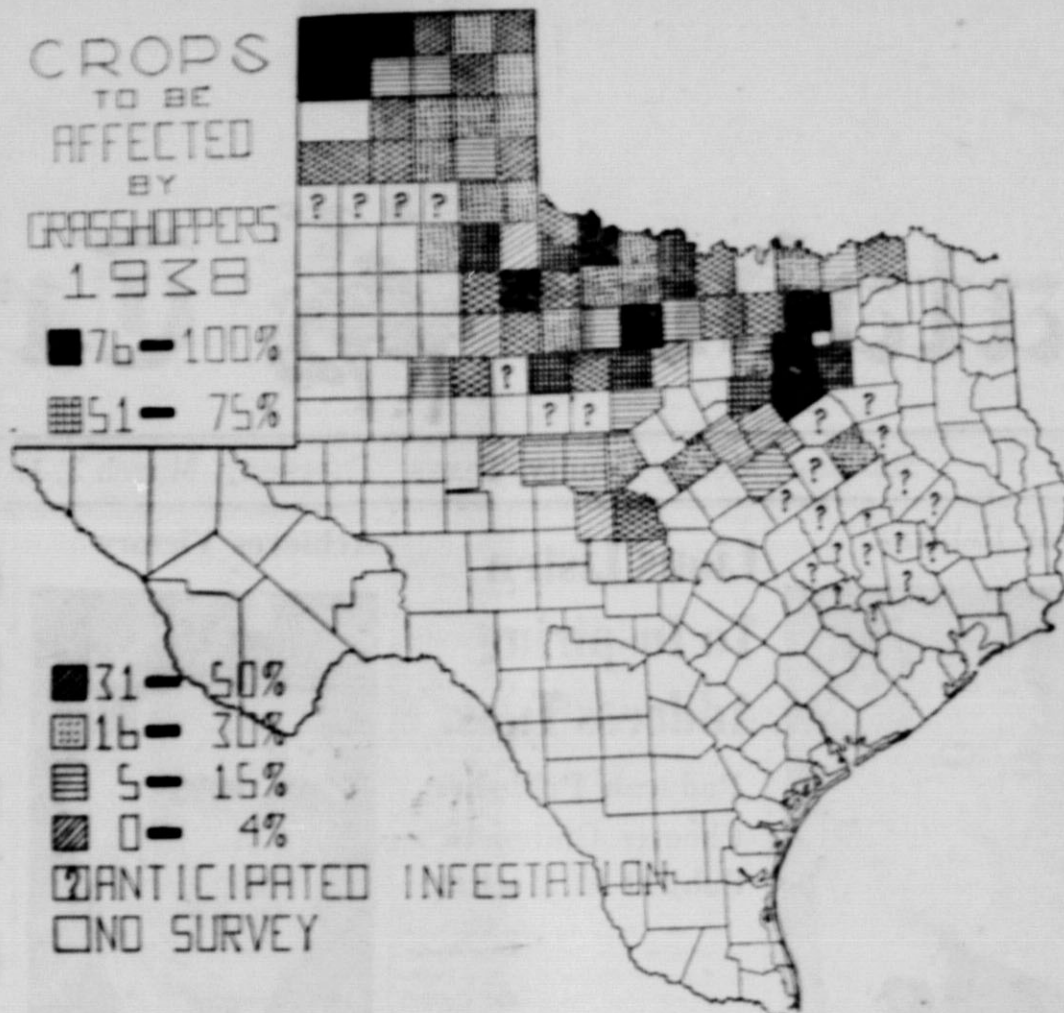
When Ivan Speer of Des Moines Ia., was operated on for appendicitis, an X-ray revealed that his heart, liver and gall bladder were on his right side, and the appendix on the left.

CROPS TO BE AFFECTED BY GRASSHOPPERS 1938

■ 76-100%  
■ 51-75%

■ 31-50%  
■ 16-30%  
■ 5-15%  
■ 0-4%

ANTICIPATED INFESTATION AND SURVEY



This is how R. R. Reppert, entomologist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, expects the 1938 grasshopper infestation to develop. Last year the control campaign returned \$100 for every \$1 spent, and saved Texas farmers over \$ million dollars.

Plans for control have been made months before the appearance of the first 1938 grasshopper.



ANCHORS AWEIGH

BY MARSHALL FISKE



THE ALAMEDA, MEXICO CITY

Few people who have never visited Mexico City know what "The Alameda" means. To most of them it might be "bird, beast or fish". The Alameda is to Mexico City what Central Park is to New York—its most famous and prominent park—but there the similarity ends. This park in the Mexican Capital is a shady, but interesting, old huzzy with a dark and scarlet past. She stands in the heart of the city, with open arms ready to embrace you. Her ancient allure has not deserted her.

**HER SCARLET PAST—**  
Elm trees were planted here toward the close of the 16th century—hence its name, derived from the Spanish equivalent for elms.

During the Spanish Inquisition, many heretics were burned in this park, while those who demanded and desired their destruction, looked on in gleeful relish, while these unfortunates were writhing in their supreme agony. Diego Rivera has perpetuated this scene in his murals in Cuernavaca. Blood, too, was spilled here during the various revolutions; its warm, salty, crimson fluid penetrating the soil, bathing the roots of trees and grass.

Then came the time The Alameda became a veritable zoo—she would have no intercourse with the poor. Only the rich in their carriages were... persona

grants. The park was fenced in and the poor in their white cotton garments were excluded. She revelled in her haughty, smug complacency. But as time went on she became more Democratic in character. The barriers were let down—all were welcome now, the rich, the poor, the young, the old, natives and foreigners. Although she has reformed, there are some who still remember and see to it that others shall not forget.

HER PRESENT—

She looks innocent enough now in her arboreal beauty adorned with flowers, fountains, statuettes, and her magnificent marble monument to Mexico's greatest President—Juarez. Many tiled benches are in evidence. Vendors of all kinds, men to take your picture, men with stacks of violently hued serapes laid across their shoulder. No self-respecting Mexican would ever wear these monstrosities rivaling the zebra and the Araura Borealis. Their tastes run to more sober colors—black, brown and white, and occasionally, crimson and black, but never arsenic green, violet, orange, pink etc. All these are only for the tourist who is not supposed to know much about such matters anyhow, hence these machine-made gaudy serapes.

Juarez, in his white marble immobility, looks down upon it all, while Victory and Fame crown him and two huge lions guard their sacred trust. Flanking the group is a hemistyle of marble columns. With the greenery of the Alameda in the background, offsetting this Juarez monument, it all makes an indelible impression.

THE ALAMEDA AT NIGHT—

At night many globules of light wunch holes in the arboreal design of the park. If the many lovers, seated on the benches, or strolling thru the park beneath the trees, had anything to say about it, all these lights would be extinguished. The light that lies in the lovers' eyes at such times is all sufficient—then why this disconcerting blaze of light? This garish glare? How stupid of the City Fathers to have this park lighted at all. But the trees and the birds in the park all look wise and the Alameda never says a word as they regard the young lovers, only the winds blowing gently through the trees seem to be whispering and giggling among themselves.

AN ARISTOCRATIC THOROFARE

Only a short distance away from the Alameda, the Paseo de la Reforma shoots off at a tangent from the Avenida Juarez. Among the world's famous boulevards this Mexican thorofare can hold its own. At one end stands an equestrian statue of Charles IV, dressed like Caesar, Toisa's masterpiece.

This boulevard is many streets in one. Several roads for the vehicular traffic, three for pedestrians, not to mention the bridal path. The Paseo de la Reforma is flanked on either side by many old, pretentious homes of the Mexican plutocrats. Here and there one sees, cheek by jowl, ultra-modern homes with their vast plain surfaces bisected by rows of windows bending around corners, etc. It's always thus in Mexico City—the very old touching the very new. At the curb stones on either side one sees many statues erected to noted Mexicans who have distinguished themselves in their life-time. But

its greatest monuments stand in the center, in circles of grass and flowers. Here one sees a statue of Columbus, the most unique one, that of Quauhtehoc, the last of the Aztec princes so cruelly tortured by Cortez. Here one sees archeology wedded to art—a rare combination. The most magnificent is the one erected in honor of Mexican Independence. A golden eagle surmounts the summit of this magnificent structure.

The Paseo de la Reforma, ends at the Lion Gates to Chapultepec Park on whose heights is the famous castle, the home of the former rulers of Mexico.

SUNDAY MORNING AT 11 O'CLOCK

The best time to stroll leisurely along the Paseo de la Reforma is on Sunday mornings, shortly before noon. Then one sees movement—arabesques of sunshine and shadows spilled along the grass and the pavements. Charrros ranchmen—dressed in their picturesque costumes—embroidered short jackets, tight fitting trousers, and huge sombreros. They ride their mounts with such a confident swagger—cocks of the walk. Then there are couples on horseback, soigneur and impeccable habited, riding along in haughty self-complacency. So near to them, although worlds apart, one sees the Mexican peons carrying bundles, children, men every imaginable thing, there is the baloon man with bright taut globules of colors, glistening in the sun, ing precariously in the breeze, threatening ever to their moorings of slender and soar away through branches of the trees into the sky. And thus they come in this pagentry of life as it travels through this beautiful art travel.

It is then that this seems to be a living thing, a great soul, all embracing, standing, comprehending, tolerant of the follies and beses of those streams ever going to and fro, all ed in their petty affairs. the Paseo de la Reforma, Mexican capital—a great with a fine soul.  
(To be continued.)

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**Methodist Church**  
**Young People's Day**  
**Be Held Sunday**

The young people of the church will be in charge of services at the Methodist church, Sunday, March 6, according to an announcement by Rev. Denison, pastor, beginning at 9:45 and continuing through morning and evening church services.

Elmer Gene Jameson is named program director for the evening hour, with the Matador school band furnishing music. Billy Bishop and J. D. Payne will act as ushers for offertory. Scripture Reading will be by Cathlene Sparks, and Rev. Denison will preach the sermon. A song, band music and benediction will conclude the service.

A cordial invitation is extended to the community to attend these services.

**Workers Conference**  
**Will Meet Tuesday**  
**At South Plains**

The Floyd County Baptist Workers Conference will meet with the South Plains church, Tuesday, March 8, according to an announcement made by Rev. H. M. Wedon, pastor of the local church, who will preside at the meeting, and who also appears on the program for a talk, "Building Up Christ's Church."

George Owens will be in charge of the song service which will

**Northfield News**

By Be Wilcoxson

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Odel Myers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fay Tipton and family.

Mrs. Matthews of near Tell, has been visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews the past week.

Mrs. P. A. Simpson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bourland of Flomot one day last week.

Those visiting in the D. G. Wilcoxson home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore and family and Misses Bessie Kinannon, Anna Belle Florence, Lavern Farris, Rita Tate and Maxine Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud McDonald and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons and family of Cee Vee visited Mr. E. F. Simpson, Sunday, he being the father of the two ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Tipton have conveyed their infant daughter to the hospital at Matador, twice this past week, for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thomas and Billy Dan Boyd were Childress visitors Saturday.

Miss Anna Belle Florence was the guest of Miss Lavern Farris Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. Wilcoxson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Renford Vaughn were Turkey visitors Saturday.

Miss Juanita Bethany spent Sunday with Guindola King.

The meeting being held by Rev.

**New Emphasis Given**  
**To Wild Life Work**

New emphasis will be given the wild life conservation program being conducted in Motley County by the observance of National Wild Life Week March 20 to 26.

The Motley County Game Management Association, working in close cooperation with Frank A. Buckley, county agent, and Jim H. Cannon, game warden, has attracted wide notice in this section. A similar awakening of public interest on a national scale in conservation of the fast dwindling wild life of America is sought by the devotion of a special week to public thought and discussion of this worthy cause.

Wild life week, sponsored by the General Wild Life Federation will be proclaimed by the President and the governors of the several states. T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. and M. College has been appointed State Chairman in charge of the week's activities in the state. Gus Bird of Matador, deputy game warden, was named county chairman.

Local observance will include a Wild Life program at the March 15 meeting of the Matador Lions Club. A general meeting of all those interested in wild life is planned by the County Game Management Association. Details will be published later, but Will J. Tucker, Secretary of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission and regional director of the General Wild Life Federation, is sought as the principal speaker.

R. E. Callender, game management specialist of the A. and M. College Extension Service will visit Motley County one day during the month to work with the county agent and local leaders in the interest of wild life.

Plans of the local game association, of which Harry Campbell is president, U. L. Willie vice-president, and Elbert Reeves, secretary, to increase and restock game on Motley County lands were greatly facilitated by recent permission from the game commission for the local game warden to move foundation birds from one place to another as the need arises. This permission was obtained through Gene Howe, Amarillo publisher and West Texas member of the Commission. Quail and turkeys will become better distributed by this method and pheasants and chukars will be imported from West Texas counties.

**HOME MISSION PROGRAM**  
**HELD BY BAPTIST W. M. U.**

The Baptist Women's Missionary Union met at the church Monday, for an all-day Home Mission Program in conjunction with observance of Week of Prayer this week. A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour.

Inspirational talks were made by those on the program. Included among those who attended were, Mesdames A. D. Burleson, Vernon Doss, W. E. Reeves, A. A. Tipton, Elbert Fuller, V. J. Skaggs, Jack Edwards, W. W. Carpenter, D. P. Keith, W. J. Drace, G. S. Craven, Earl Laughlin, Bill McCaghren, Bess Patton, W. W. Worsham, R. E. Campbell, C. R. Payne, Ed Cammack, Scott Bolton, Pearl

**Mrs. Roosevelt To**  
**Speak At Lubbock**

LUBBOCK, Tex., March 1.—"A Typical Day at the White House," is the subject of the lecture to be given by the First Lady of the Land, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, at the Lubbock High School Auditorium, Tuesday, March 8, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Roosevelt will arrive in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon from Wichita Falls by private car, accompanied by her son, Elliott and his wife.

The Avalanche-Journal Pub-

lishing Company, under whose auspices this lecture is given, placed on sale this week admission tickets. All seats will be reserved so that early ticket seekers may receive choice seats. Money orders or cashier's checks will be accepted, it was reported. Seats are selling for \$1.25 and \$1.75.

After her lecture the First Lady will spend the night in Lubbock, leaving Wednesday for Amarillo to attend the Mother-in-law Day parade held in her honor. Mrs. Roosevelt has chosen the Matador Band of Texas Technological College as her Official Band, and the band is to lead the parade at Amarillo.

**GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY**

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**Repaying Loans**

Texas farmers in the forty-seven Panhandle counties rank high in the nation as good credit risks, judged by repayments on Farm Security loans for livestock, feed, seed, and cooperative facilities, made to help farm families without available credit to become permanently self-supporting, according to Wilson Cowen, state rural rehabilitation director, Amarillo.

Loan aid totalling \$2,056,894, together with farm and home plans that assure maximum production of food needs on the farm and repayments of the loan over a period of years, has been extended to 3,814 farm families in the state, many on or near a relief status.

"Progress of the families cooperating in the FSA program is not only evident in generally improved living standards, more efficient farm management and increased farm returns," Cowen said, "but in repayments that total over \$850,332 on loans scheduled over periods up to five years with 518 loans paid in full."

Additional aid in strengthening the credit status of low-income farmers has been extended through farm debt adjustment for operators threatened with foreclosure or with debts beyond capacity of the farm to pay. Debts of 1382 farmers totalling \$5,930,812 have been adjusted to less than \$4,523,729 by extension of payments, refinancing and similar methods, resulting in a savings to the farmers of this region of \$1,407,083. By virtue of these adjustments farmers in this area have paid \$127,037 in delinquent taxes.

Farm security loans, within limitations of funds, and debt adjustment service are available to qualified farmers through the nearest county rehabilitation supervisors.

Mrs. Harold Griffin of Lubbock was the guest of friends here Thursday of last week.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 23, 1934

For State Representative, 121st District: R. A. Harp Bob Alexander, re-election

For District Judge 110 Judicial District: Kenneth Bain Alton B. Chapman, re-election

For District Attorney, 110 Judicial District: Winfred F. Newsome John A. Hamilton, re-election

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent: W. R. Cammack, re-election

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: L. A. Carlisle, re-election

For County Clerk: Jack Robinson, re-election R. A. (Dick) Seay

For County Treasurer: Metta E. Sanders, re-election

For Commissioner Precinct 1: J. S. Lambert, re-election

For Commissioner Precinct 2: A. K. (Kim) Wilkinson re-election Winburn Q. Montgomery

For Commissioner Precinct 3: A. B. Simpson, re-election

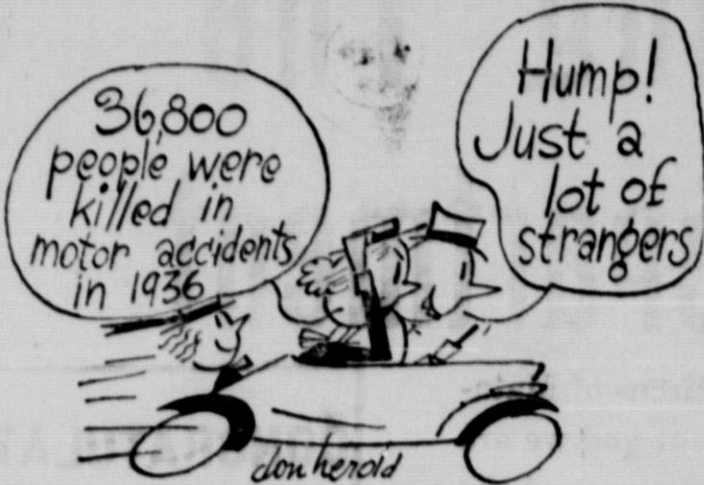
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1-MINUTE SAFETY TALKS

By Don Herold



Don't Be A Statistic

We can read that 36,800 people have been killed by an earthquake in Japan, and it doesn't make as much of an impression on us as mashing our own finger in a screen door.

We read that 36,800 people were killed, and 967,840 injured in automobile accidents last year, and it isn't so very impressive or depressing, because they are fairly well scattered and remote. Just a lot of people we don't care about.

There is nothing much in such figures to stir us emotionally to fear or caution or to a resolution to drive with exceeding care, ourselves.

Nature, darn her, blesses and curses us with a feeling that WE are going to be exceptions. It takes an unusually intelligent man to read statistics and say: "I'm just as liable to trouble as one of these 967,840. I'd better watch out, or I'll be a statistic, myself, some day."

I mean to make you cringe—I mean to make you hurt a little when you read these automobile accident figures, issued by The Travelers Insurance

Company. I mean to make you subject yourself momentarily to the painful process of imagining one of those 36,800 or 967,840 to be your own child.

Then multiply that wave of anguish by 36,800 or 967,840. Every one of those bleak human units was a precious bit of life to someone. What a major national calamity our automobile toll is when we consider it in this light!

Why try to get home a half hour sooner on Sunday night, why attempt to add 25 miles to your day's trip, why go 70 or 80 miles an hour, just for the fun of it, when you should be doing 50 or 40—when the gamble is with life as precious as the life of that youngster in your own back seat or that somebody else's youngster chasing a rubber ball into the street, or even the life of a fairly cheap adult?

When you read these accident statistics, remember you are not reading of toothpicks or matches; you're reading of 36,800 times your own little Bill or Mary or John or Anna.

Plains Music Group Seeks New Members

LUBBOCK, Tex., March 1—The annual membership campaign of the South Plains Civic Music Association, according to Dr. F. W. Standefer, President, will be held March 7 to 12. Headquarters for this campaign will be in the Pine Room, Hotel Lubbock. During the past two seasons this organization has sponsored the appearance of a number of world-famous artists in musical programs which are open only to the membership of the Association. Last year eighteen South Plains towns were represented on the membership rolls, and every indication points to marked increase of interest in the movement this season. The Association is a non-profit organization, the entire proceeds of membership fees being used to pay the expenses of the programs presented during the current season.

"By thorough cooperation, it is felt that each year will mark a tremendous improvement in the talent secured by the association," remarked Dr. Standefer. "The number of members enrolled during the week of the campaign will determine the quality of the programs presented during the ensuing season, and music lovers of this section merit the best."

It was pointed out by Dr. Standefer that committees have been appointed in every community to secure memberships, as it is the purpose of the Association to give every citizen of the section an opportunity to join in the movement and enjoy the programs presented.

West Texas C Of C To Hold Annual Meeting In April

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., March 1—The twentieth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held in Wichita Falls, on April 25, 26, and 27, will have "A Square Deal for Its Producer" as its theme, convention officials announced here today.

A "square deal" for the agricultural, live stock, and oil producers will be featured subjects on the three-day convention program.

Mayor Fiorella H. LaGuardia, of New York City, one of the nation's most vigorous and colorful public figures and chief executive of the country's largest metropolis, is counted on to address the general assembly in the Memorial Auditorium on Tuesday afternoon, April 26.

Predictions are that the Wichita Falls Convention will be one of the largest in WTCC history and that

the host city may welcome 5,000 registered delegates, in addition to many thousands of convention visitors.

Wichita Falls, as host city, in the midst of an era of major oil activity and expansion, is making entertainment and housing plans "to take care of everyone," convention officials declare.

TIGHT HEALTH LAWS ON FOOD HANDLERS

AUSTIN, Tex., Mar. 1—For the protection of the public a law was passed in 1921 making it mandatory for every person who is employed in any public eating place, bakery, meat market, dairy or candy factory to secure a health certificate from a reputable physician. This law is intended to eliminate all persons having any communicable disease from handling any foodstuff. These certificates must be renewed every six months.

Typhoid fever, diphtheria, and amoebic dysentery carriers have been found numbers of times working in dairies, cafes, and other places where food is prepared or offered for sale. It is not too much for the consuming public to demand that those who sell them food shall be free from communicable disease. If the examinations for food handlers are properly carried out, much good will be accomplished in protecting the health of the buyer as well as giving the applicant for a certificate accurate information as to his physical condition.

The Texas State Department has repeatedly advocated periodic physical examinations for the general public, as it is during these examinations that many incipient diseases may be discovered and treatment begun in time to stop its developing to such a degree that treatment will not be helpful. Many deaths and much suffering would be eliminated if every one would have this periodic check. In the case of food handlers, only the diseases that are communicable will withhold the issuance of a certificate. The cost is money well invested and the consuming public should demand that those they buy from have this evidence of good health.

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PHOTOGRAPHIC silhouettes are a source of decorative pictures—and camera fun—which every snapshotter should try. The arrangements are simple—a white sheet stretched over a doorway, or division between two rooms, with a strong light behind it and the camera set up in front.

By arranging his subjects in front of this brightly illuminated sheet, the clever photographer can construct any number of imaginative or story-telling pictures. Costume snaps are particularly interesting in silhouette, and there are possibilities for many humorous pictures of the "it-can't-be" variety.

For instance, a juggler can be pictured keeping a dozen or two balls or bottles in the air at one time, or a camper can be pictured with two skillets, flipping a dozen flapjacks at one shot. In both these pictures, the objects to appear in the air would be cut from black paper or cardboard and pinned to the sheet at proper points.

The sheet must be stretched evenly, as wrinkles will show in the pictures. Lighting behind the sheet should also be as even as possible. Five feet is a suitable distance from lamps to sheet.

Three sixty-watt, inside-frosted electric bulbs will provide enough light to give good results with five-second time exposures, using a box camera with its lens at widest opening, or other cameras at lens stop f.11. To stop movement when pets or small children are appearing in silhouette, use a flash bulb behind the sheet. Or, with two or three large size flood bulbs snapshots can be taken.

When using the flash bulb, someone can flash it at the correct moment at an "okay" signal from the person operating the camera. There should be sufficient light, from unshaded regular household bulbs, behind the sheet for the cameraman to see the silhouetted images and to know when to give his "okay" signal.

When the silhouette is snapped, of course, all lights must be turned off in the room which contains the camera and subject. Unless this is done, detail in the subject will show, spoiling the silhouette effect. The photographer should also be watchful of stray light from windows, and mirrors which might catch light from the illuminated sheet and throw it toward the shadow side of the subject.

John van Gulder

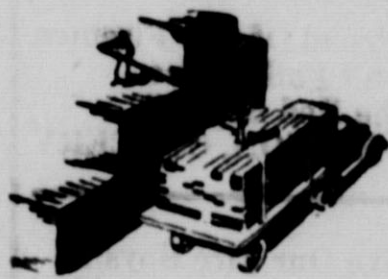
Thomas Horrick, 42, of Leeds, Eng., was forced into bankruptcy when his love affairs culminated in two breach of promise suits, with heavy verdicts against him.

A jury locked up for the night in Derby, Eng., was rebuked by the court the next day for having sung "We Won't Go Home Until Morning" several times.

Mrs. Alez Stearnes of Los Angeles sued for divorce on the grounds that her husband buried cats alive while she looked on, just to annoy her.

George H. Tillingshts of Burlington, N. J., has invented a tubular device with a flared end like a trombone, to slip over eels so that they can be handled easily.

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SHORTY'S SERVICE STATION

Mrs. D. M. Beard, a Kentucky woman, is head of a million-dollar needlework industry which she started 16 years ago.

Charging that his 180-pound wife would arm herself with a meat cleaver and then chase him around his butcher shop, pummeling him with her fist when she caught him, David Fredlander of Cambridge, Mass., won a divorce.

When Merle Todd fell between two moving freight cars at Cadillac, Mich., his body broke the air hose connection and the cars came to a stop before their wheels touched his body. He suffered only slight bruises.

Arrested for parking his car too long, R. W. Clinton of New York City told the judge he had been waiting for his wife, who said she would "be right back."

Walter Sanford, taxicab driver of Coldwater, Mich., recently suspended service for three days, awaiting the burial of "King Tut," a cat which had ridden with him in his cab for nearly 17 years.

Martin Wods, arrested in Franklin, Ind., for distilling corn liquor, told the judge that bootleggers, because of heavy competition, had been forced to dilute their liquor half and half with vinegar.

On his wife's testimony that he pawned her presents, got drunk and then beat her, Loren Owen, 34 of New York City, was sentenced to "get out of town and not come back for any reason."

Mrs. Helen Flint, 82, of Tama, Iowa, had to call in a doctor for the first time in her life when she was injured recently in an automobile accident, suffering a fractured collar bone and lacerations.

Paul Vallier of Philadelphia, Pa., walking down the stairs, a pair of shoes that he had just bought, removed the shoes and walked the barefoot path to his headquarters.

WANTED—Man with experience preferred. Opening Rawlins, TX, Memphis, Tenn., Martin, Florida.

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**LOCAL ITEMS**

Ray Patton returned recently from a trip to Austin, where he visited his wife, who is enrolled in a school of beauty culture there.

Miss Lois Rister, a teacher in the Roby school, spent the week-end here as the guest of her sister, Miss Pauline Rister.

Mr. and Mrs. James Neblett made a business trip to Houston last week.

Miss Mae Florence of Northfield, has returned to her duties in the C. L. Glenn home, following a two week's rest and visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Florence.

Mesdames Margaret Newman, O. G. Pitz and Lottie Hunsucker, visited in Lubbock Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. J. R. Moore, who had been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Chas. Guy and Mrs. Sam Dunn, there.

Judge and Mrs. T. T. Bouldin and son Lloyd, of Mineral Wells, visited here Sunday with Mrs.

Bouldin's mother, Mrs. C. L. Glenn.

Miss Lorene Fryar was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Stafford at Floydada, during the week-end.

Col. and Mrs. O. G. Pitz and daughter Peggy, left Sunday for Galveston, after a visit here with Mrs. Pitz's mother, Mrs. Margaret Newman.

Gid Carlisle who is employed at Odessa, visited here during the week-end with his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. L. A. Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar were guests of friends at Abilene during the week-end.

Miss Zona Beth Faulkner visited her parents at Childress, Wednesday night of last week, due to the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Howell and children of Plaska, visited here during the week-end with Mrs. Howell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Groves.

Mrs. H. V. Jackson spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Eldred Seigler.

Mesdames Joe Jeffers and Kenneth Jeffers, of Floydada, visited here Friday of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Traweck, accompanied by Miss Audie Moore made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. T. A. McCruisttion, teacher at Seminole, Texas, together with Miss Wilma Jones and Miss Dorothy Fulfer of Lubbock, visited here Sunday with Miss Fulfer's Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fulfer.

Miss Dorothy Willett, student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, together with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lawrence and small daughter, Peggy, spent Saturday in Canyon and Amarillo visiting Misses Billie and Addie Lee Lawrence, and Fred Lawrence, who are enrolled in W. T. S. T. C., Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pipkin and children, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Pipkin, visited relatives in Lubbock Wednesday.

Messrs Frank Eiring, J. K. Crews and E. M. Rice of Plainview were visitors in Matador Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Willie were week end guests of Tullia friends. They were complimented Saturday evening with a dinner party given in the new American Legion Home which has just been completed at that place.

**SENIOR EL PROGRESSO STUDY CLUB**

El Progreso Study Club will meet Thursday afternoon, March 10th, at 3:30 with Mrs. A. L. Fryar as hostess.

The subject of the afternoon's program is "Texas and International Good Will."

Mrs. Joe Bloodworth appears as Leader.

Mrs. A. L. Fryar describes the Centennial Marking of Historic Spots with special emphasis on those placed in Motley County.

Historic Trees in Texas is the topic assigned Mrs. H. K. Ford. The Greater Texas and Pan-American Exposition and its influence on Our Relations With Southern Neighbors will be held Round-Table.

Reading, "Back To Texas," by Mrs. J. R. Whitworth.

"Texas Folk Music," by Miss Amy Glenn.

Business conducted by the President.

preme Court in Hartford upheld his conviction.

Whatever may be the outcome of British Foreign Secretary Eden's political career, he is not likely to be reduced to the relief roll. His father-in-law will ed him an annuity of \$25,000, while Mrs. Eden was left \$750,000 in one sum.

Professional soccer football players in England are demanding minimum pay of \$25 a week, instead of \$20; also a maximum of \$45 instead of \$40. About the same time Joe Di Maggio of the Yankees was holding out because Col. Ruppert wanted to pay him only \$25,000 for a season's work.

While fight fans were wondering what magic enabled Jim Braddock to rally in the ninth and tenth rounds to win a decision over Tommy Farr in their recent bout, Jim gravely declared it was a rabbit-foot charm and a painted horseshoe, the latter gave him just before the fight by "Jafsie" Condon of Lindbergh case fame.

Much good-natured fun has been poked at Emily Post, highpriestess of etiquette, because she spilled a spoonful of longonberries (cranberries to you and me) on the tablecloth at a swank dinner in New York a few days ago. One wag declared the berries really fell off her knife.

The publicity agent of a Young Democrats club had to pay a postage due of three cents on a letter written to the club by Postmaster General James A. Farley.

Peter Zantene, 72-year-old resident of Canton, O., recently applied for membership in the Boy Scouts.

Etta Anchester, superintendent of a Philadelphia kindergarden, says a bright child shouldn't get too many A's, explaining: "He should get 'D' once in a while. It will do him good, for life isn't going to strew A's all around him."

Bandits who demanded the pay roll from Leo Blais of the Kahn Silk Corp., in Pawtucket, R. I., escaped with the small bag Blais was carrying. It contained a purchase of nuts and bolts.

Mrs. Ella Walker, a woman juror of Boston, was requested

by the presiding judge using her lipstick in the faintest and fell on top of...

While Elmer Giles of was milking a cow, the faintest and fell on top of...

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**NEW APPOINTMENT**

LUBBOCK, Tex., Feb. 28. Willard Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis, Roaring Springs, has been appointed first class private in the first platoon, Co. "B" of the Texas Technological College R. O. T. C. unit.

Lewis is a freshman engineering student.

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The annual pistol match of the state organization of sheriffs and peace officers was held a few days ago in Grand Island, Neb. When the time came to award prizes to the winners it was discovered that the trophies had been stolen.

Bill Heller of Connecticut last summer went bathing in a small stream on his farm, as he supposed he had a right to do. He was arrested, however, as the stream supplies water to a public reservoir. Recently the Su-

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SIoux BEE Pure Comb **Honey** 1/2 Gallon Bucket 68c

**CORN** Sunny Field Brand 3 No. 2 Cans For 25c

**Salmon PINK** 1 lb. can 15c

**Tomato juice** VAN CAMP'S Contents 1 Pl., 2 oz. 3 for 25c

**Green Beans** Cut Stringless 3 No. 2 Cans 25c

**Steak** Short Cuts From Good Beef lb 20c

MIXED **Sausage** Fresh Ground lb. 15c

PARKAY Walt Disney's Snow White And 7 Dwarfs **Oleomargarine** GLASS FREE 23c

**BACON** STREAK-O-LEAN Dry Salt lb 19c

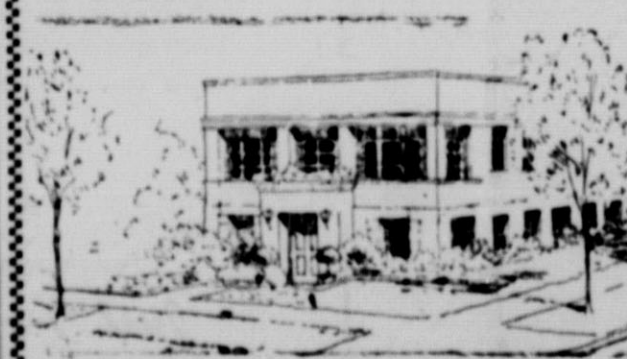
Scanning its list of eligibles for the job of firemen recently, the Civil Service Commission of New York City found that among the first 200 applicants checked were 59 college graduates. And why shouldn't a college graduate make a good fireman?

If you want a tractor power lift row-marker see J. C. Robinson, Paducah, Texas. (Warning—I have patent-pending on this marker. Anyone making a row-marker and attaching it on a power-lift is infringing. I positively will not permit the same.)

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