

# Matador Tribune

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## Girls Cage Team Goes to State

**TRAIL DUST**  
By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Along the highway of futile lives blooms the fragile and sweetly-perfumed flowers of meditation; tiny gardens made of things with dismal tears.

Life's heavy wheels dip sand from the rut of necessity, but like a diamond clinging to the wire is the shining hour when a hand, measuring understanding, laughs and shifts the burden.

Perhaps the significance is merely implied but today I heard a stranger say he would do anything in the world but not okra.

Love is irrelevant and like an orchid parasite, it blooms with sublime magnificence off the substance of its victims. Half a dozen pairs of boots ago the cowboy lived, worked and dreamed with the blonde-headed girl's voice in his heart. His strong, young fingers wore a ring from rawhide hours in the saddle, cushioned with tumbling clouds and laced with the light of cold, high stars. She teased and flirted, laughing at his misery and the humility to which a master subjects a slave. It was a tragic safari into the jungle of a man's emotions and the end of him died like a tree that survives a lightning bolt. When she married he tried to run away, as if a man can escape his shadow and he drank that whiskey that fed the fires of tortured memory. Years passed and the days falling like drops of cool water, were away the rock crushing his soul. Peace has returned to his eyes and there, in serenity in his voice, a quiet man sits before the fire and watches the designs in drifting cigarette smoke.

Restraint is like money in the bank except it is not always possible to draw on the account when it is needed.

When a man can remember seeing a team run away, it is highly probable his worries are more concerned with dentistry than the military draft.

Something about the weather reminds me of the winter my mother compelled me and my brother to move our home-brew jar to the dugout because it was smelling up her kitchen. It started raining in April but our beverage did not improve with the general outlook. Despite its latent violence, the stuff tasted like water in which oil cloth had been boiled, with just a pinch of smokeless gunpowder added.

## Delayed Steel Delivery Hampers Bank Repairs

Delay in expected delivery of steel needed in repairing the First State bank building here, was announced yesterday by Elmer Stearns, executive vice-president of the institution.

"We had hoped to get the work in progress by next week," Mr. Stearns declared, "but delay in delivery of the steel needed in the work has moved our starting time up to March 12."

"An effort will be made to notify every customer of the bank that it will be necessary for us to change our regular schedule of banking hours while the repairs are being made. We will open daily at 8:30 and close at 12 o'clock noon, in order that workmen may have complete access to the building. It is estimated that from six to eight days will be required in which to make the repairs."

"We are making every possible effort to avoid inconvenience of our customers during the period and ask that they observe the new hours during the period."

Steel is being fabricated in Lubbock and will replace original wooden joists between the building's two floors. Mr. Stearns said the repair work will be under the supervision of Campbell & Son.

## CITY TO ELECT 3 COUNCILMEN

Terms of three present members of the Matador city council will expire next month. Joe Campbell, John Briscoe and recently appointed C. W. Giesecke (to fill the unexpired term of retiring member Loyd Latimer) are the three members whose terms will terminate on April 7th.

On alternate years the city elects two councilmen and mayor, and three councilmen the following year. Terms of city officials are for two years.

No candidates have filed for the councilman places. Names of candidates must be filed with the city secretary 30 days prior to election, which is the first Tuesday in April (this year April 7th).

While not seeking reelection each of the three councilmen intimated they would file before the deadline, permitting their names to appear on the city ballot.

## Season Record Is 25 Wins, 5 Losses

FOR THE FIRST time in recent basketball history, Matador high school is sending a winning girls team to the state meet, to contend for the state championship title. The team will represent District 17A and 18A at Baylor gymnasium in Waco, March 12, 13 and 14th.

This season the Matador girls' team has won 25 contests and lost only five, while the B team has racked up 12 wins and lost only three. During the past four years the girls have won 106 games and lost a total of only 15. Right to enter the state championship games was won when the Matador girls recently defeated McAdoo two straight games, 45-30 and 54-30.

## Elbert Reeves Will Address Farm Group



Representative To Aid Farm Bureau Membership Drive

**DIRT FARMER** Elbert Reeves will return to his native Motley county during the weekend as guest speaker for the Motley County Farm Bureau's membership kickoff supper. Representative Reeves who has been a progressive farm leader for many years, has led previous membership drives of the farm organization.

The supper will be held at the Matador high school lunch room Friday evening (March 5) at 7:30 p.m. Representative Reeves will be presented by Tribune publisher Douglas Meador.

John Hunter, president of the Motley County Farm Bureau, said yesterday, "We feel very fortunate in securing Representative Reeves as our principal speaker. He has always led in the farmers' battles and we know his faith and confidence in the farm bureau will be of great assistance in the membership drive. In view of present conditions, it seems more important than ever before that farmers be united in a tried and proven organization."

**Bureau To Be Host**

Bureau directors from each of the various communities will invite membership workers as guests to the supper. Other officers of the organization are: W. D. Lipscomb, vice-president; Franklin Price, secretary-treasurer; Bennie Keltz, membership chairman; community directors: Fiomot, Harry Polley, Roaring Springs, Freddie Brandon, Matador, Nelson, McMahon, Whiteflat, Tom Tilson and Northfield, Delmont Hays.

## X-Disease Is Fatal To Cattle

Cattle in Motley county are being lost as result of x-disease or "hyperkeratosis" according to County Agent Rufus Emmons. Marvin Leary, Northfield rancher, has lost one cow and five calves as result of the disease, Mr. Emmons declared.

A Childress veterinary has declared the livestock died as result of x-disease. It is frequently caused from cattle eating chlorinated naphthalene, a chemical found in lubrication oils and greases.

"Typical developments of this poisoning," Mr. Emmons declared, "is watering of the eyes, lack of appetite and ulcerated condition of the mouth and digestive tract. The disease is not contagious or infectious. Animals are suitable for slaughter if the condition is not too advanced."

Mr. Emmons said the Northfield rancher lost four calves by abortion and that two additional calves appearing normal and healthy at birth, later lost weight and died.

Owners of livestock are advised to secure the services of a veterinarian as soon as possible after symptoms of the disease are found.

Stock affected with the poison should be sent to market for immediate slaughter. X-disease is slow in developing symptoms, frequently months after the cattle have been exposed to chlorinated naphthalene.

## Red Cross Has Good Beginning

Motley county's annual Red Cross fund campaign got off to a good start to reach the 1953 goal of \$1,400 according to Bert Ezzell, county fund chairman.

"Folks, as usual, was ahead in the early reports," Mr. Ezzell declared, "with Mrs. Rose Turner having collected over \$100 Saturday before the drive opened Monday."

Interest appears very good in the drive, Mr. Ezzell declared and the response indicates that with full participation, the goal may be attained.

Volunteer workers announced for Matador's colored section are W. S. Mitchell, chairman, R. C. Barrett and Mrs. J. L. Norris.

Workers here Wednesday reported a willing response to the campaign for funds, which will aid in supporting the Red Cross work in Korea among our fighting men.

Mr. Ezzell said many people have made contributions also because of Red Cross' great campaign to prevent paralysis following polio attacks.

"We realize it will take a great amount of work on the part of volunteers, but we are making an effort to solicit a contribution from every resident in the county," Mr. Ezzell declared.



Rev. Joe R. Townsend

## Baptist Revival Starts Next Week

Rev. Joe R. Townsend, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Bandera, Texas, will conduct revival services at the local First Baptist Church, which will begin Wednesday, March 11, and continue through the 22nd, according to Rev. Keith McCormick, pastor.

Two services will be held daily at 7:30 a.m. and each evening beginning at 7:30. Rev. McCormick said.

Rev. Townsend is a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist University, and has his Th. M. degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth. He served for several years as missionary in China under the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

"We are hoping for a great spiritual revival in Matador, and our faithful church workers have been much in prayer during this week," Rev. McCormick declared. Cottage prayer services are being held nightly this week in the homes, with the exception of last night, when regular mid-week prayer meeting was held at the church. Members are urged to attend the services tonight in the Bob Stanley home, and Friday night in the Loyd Latimer home.

The public is extended a cordial welcome to attend every service during the revival.

## Stalin's Condition Is Grave

Condition of the world's most influential mortal man hung in a balance between life and death at one o'clock this morning, Joseph Stalin, 73, who rules 800 million people with an iron hand, has suffered a paralytic stroke and is in a grave condition.

A Moscow radio broadcast said the Russian Premier's right arm and leg are paralyzed, that he is unable to talk and that his heart has been affected. The announcement identified the cause of illness as a brain hemorrhage.

A radio broadcast early this morning said Stalin's condition was growing worse.

Leaders throughout the world speculated on how the Russian leader's possible death might affect hopes for peace. Except for the chance of a revolution in Russia following the change of power, many believed his death might not improve peace hopes and could possibly bring the world closer to World War III.

## Rainfall Precedes Brief Cold Front

Gentle rainfall here Saturday night and early Sunday brightened the general outlook, despite the small amount of precipitation registered.

Official registration was about 21-inch, however some gauges showed over 30-inch, and one unofficial report of approximately one inch was received from the north central part of the county.

While the entire middle west United States shivered under an icy blanket of snow and ice, weather forecasters issued livestock warnings for the northern part of the Panhandle. The storm, however, became stationary until late Tuesday when the springlike weather was suddenly swept away by a cold, dusty wind out of the north. Before Wednesday morning the mercury had dropped to the middle twenties, but fair skies yesterday soon brought a return of warmer weather.

## Joe Meador Makes Debut in Austin

Joe B. (Burton) Meador was a passenger on Pioneer airlines out of Lubbock Sunday afternoon on the Austin flight. Meador resigned his position at Bur-ton-Lingo Company last month to accept a place with Representative Elbert Reeves and other members of the legislature as clerk and aid in public relations. He was scheduled to begin his new duties Monday morning.

He left Matador Saturday and spent the night in Lubbock visiting in the homes of his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Woolery and Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wilson, before leaving for Austin.

## Parent-Teacher Meeting Slated

Regular monthly meeting of Matador Parent-Teacher Association will be held Tuesday, March 10 at 3:15 p.m. in the high school auditorium, it was announced this week.

Subject of the program will be "The Good World." Refreshments will be served by the hostess committee, composed of Mesdames J. P. Nichols, Tom Newman, Ralph Nichols, Frank Puhl, Elbert Reeves and John Stevens.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

## Edd Hughs Attends Meeting in Dallas

Edd Hughs, co-owner of the Hughs-Cook Implement Company left Wednesday morning for Dallas, for an important meeting with GMC truck officials from Pontiac, Mich. to discuss new model GMC trucks and sales plans for 1953.

Information on new product developments in GMC Truck, development and service and other new parts will be covered in the meeting, which will start with luncheon at the Adolphus Hotel and carry on through the afternoon.

## School Census Is Now In Progress

Census trustees for each school district will be taking the scholastic enumeration this month, it was announced this week by County Judge Vance Gilbreath, Ex-Officio County School Superintendent.

This will include all children who will be six, and under 18 years of age on September 1, 1953, who are residents of the districts on April 1, 1953, and whose names have not heretofore been enumerated in this state for the year beginning Sept. 1, 1953 and ending Aug. 31, 1954.

Importance of obtaining all information asked for on the blanks is particularly stressed.

## FLOMOT SENIORS TO PRESENT CLASS PLAY

The senior class of Flomot High School will present their class play, "Auntie's Money," Tuesday, March 19, at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at 8:00 p.m. it was announced this week.

This play is a comedy and is designed to produce many laughs. The seniors guarantee that all who attend will enjoy this play.

Admission will be 25c and 50c, and the public is invited to attend.

## Lions Dist. Governor Is Speaker

"Peace can not be made with planes and guns... perhaps it can be done with better understanding one of the prime objectives of Lions International." The speaker was Mr. Lion himself, Milton "Buff" Morris of Canyon, Deputy District Governor of District 271, who addressed the Matador Lions club Tuesday in the high school auditorium.

Governor Morris said Lions International is composed of more than 10,000 clubs (75 in his district) in 41 free countries of the world. He said Texas alone has 37,000 Lions members.

He said the Matador club is 8th in the district, "and," he declared, "Lions throughout the district look up to the Matador club for its outstanding achievements, its large membership, fine spirit and progressive attitude."

"The things a Lions club does for its community can not be measured in money."

**Guests Of School**

Matador Lions Tuesday were luncheon guests of the Matador school system at the school lunch room, where they were served turkey, apple sauce, string beans, hot rolls, tea-coffee and cherry cobbler. Following the luncheon the group moved to the school auditorium where they were entertained by "8th Grade Jazz Singers," which was followed by Governor Morris' address.

Lions visited the school in observance of "Public School Week" (March 1 through 7th). "The public is aware," Superintendent Bert Ezzell declared, "that only the schools can save the American way of life."

## Demonstration Of Brush Cutter Is Announced Here

Demonstration of the Service "Gyro" brush cutter is announced for Wednesday, March 11, by the Matador Implement Co. The demonstration will be held in the McDonald Camp pasture, immediately south of Luther Green's field, about three miles SE of Matador on the Teepee Flat Road.

The brush cutter, which is attached to a farm tractor will cut any brush the tractor will pass over, Mike Hoyle, manager of the firm declared.

All stockmen and farmers interested in the control of brush are invited to attend the demonstration. The work will start at 2 p.m.

## Revival To Be Held At Roaring Springs

A revival meeting will begin Sunday, March 8 and continue through the 15th, at the First Baptist Church, Roaring Springs, it was announced this week by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Mathis.

Rev. R. B. (Dick) Murry, pastor of Oak Street Baptist church, Colorado City, Texas, will do the preaching, and singing will be directed by Jack Strickland, of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend all services of the revival, which will be held twice daily, at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Guests in the Tom Spray home this week-end were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Spray, and an uncle, Mr. T. D. Rutledge, all of Oklahoma City.

## Paul Pattons To Hold Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Patton will hold open house Sunday, March 8 from 3 until 5 p.m. in their new farm home east of town, and take this means of inviting all their friends in this and surrounding communities.

Their former home, on the same site, burned to the ground last September while they were on vacation. They recently moved into their modern, new home, which was completed about a month ago.

"People were so good to us and generous with gifts and contributions to replace our possessions lost in the fire, that we wish to open our new home to all of you on this occasion," they stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spray visited in Wichita Falls Friday in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spray.

## MEETING POSTPONED

Members of Matador Chapter No. 66, Order of the Eastern Star, are notified that the meeting scheduled for tonight (Thursday, March 5) has been postponed because of Texas School Week, which is being observed by the Masonic Order, given by Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Jr., Worthy Matron, who stated that the lodge hall is not available for any meetings during this week of observance.



## Church and Society

### INITIATION CEREMONY HELD BY GAMMA ETA CHAPTER IN HOME OF MRS. JOHN BELASKA

The first initiation ceremony of the year and a paper on "Morale and Welfare" were the high points at the meeting of Gamma Eta chapter of Kappa Gamma in the home of Mrs. John Belaska at Glenn, Saturday, Feb. 22, at 2 p.m.

The two initiates were Mrs. Mae Wells, Ralls, and Mrs. Ora Raymond, Crosbyton.

Mrs. Belaska, hostess, brought out a paper of the afternoon, and Mrs. Suttle Majors, Paducah, chairman of initiation, directed the ceremony. Mrs. Vesta Mae Smith, Paducah, reported responses from chapter gifts at Christmas time to foreign stu-

dents in two colleges in the state. Plans were made to continue the project through East-ern.

"Teachers who know how to keep up their own morale and help boost that of the community are usually sought after," Mrs. Belaska pointed out.

The speaker explained that relations should not be teacher-community in aspect but unified relations, the teacher being only one of the whole and not apart from the whole.

Citing a questionnaire gathered from the nation, the speaker showed that Texas teachers are generally a pressive, happy lot—except for the salary schedule.

An overall picture showed 55 per cent of the teachers reported favorable responses regarding their jobs, 46 per cent "average" and only four per cent "unfavorable."

Mrs. Jessie Thomas, Paducah, will be hostess for the March 21 meeting. Joint hostesses will be Mrs. Clifford Graves, Mrs. John Davis and Mrs. Smith. "White Elephants" for the state convention exhibit which will be held in Dallas, May 1-3, will be collected at the March meeting, announced Mrs. Deva King, Roaring Springs, chairman of that committee.

Eight letters were reported written to legislators in Austin relative to the pending school bill.

Miss Delia Cowans of Paducah, president, and Mrs. Clark Forbes of Afton, were voted chapter delegates to the state convention. Others who reported plans for attending were Miss Margaret Elliott of Spur, chairman of Selective Recruitment in Texas, and Mrs. Clifford Graves of Paducah, chapter music chairman.

Other members present at the meeting were Mrs. E. B. Blumberg, Mrs. L. P. Hamilton, Miss Willie Hampton, Mrs. Louis Williams, Mrs. W. R. Weaver, Spur; Mrs. J. B. Bell, Crosbyton; Mrs. Sarah Jo Covey, Afton; Mrs. Roxi Lewis and Mrs. W. H. Marshall, Roaring Springs; Mrs. Vivian K. Mullins, Ralls; and Miss Katherine Simmons, Paducah.

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### Patsy Dewbre Becomes Bride Of Jim Baldwin

In a ceremony performed Sunday, Feb. 22, Miss Patsy Dewbre, of Lubbock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dewbre of Matador, became the bride of Jim Baldwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin, of Lubbock.

Marriage vows were exchanged at 2:30 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents, and officiating was Minister Leonard Dennis, Church of Christ minister of McAdoo, formerly of Matador. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Nevada Lee Cook, of Northfield.

For her wedding the bride chose a dress of white net, designed with full skirt and tight bodice of embroidered net. She wore white accessories and her corsage was of red Sweetheart roses.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Dewbre wore a light blue suit trimmed in black velvet, with black and white accessories. Her corsage was white carnations. The bride's sister Doris Bradford of Lubbock, wore a blue dress with red accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. Baldwin was reared at Matador, where she attended school and graduated from high school with the class of 1952. Prior to her marriage, she was employed in Lubbock.

Mr. Baldwin attended high school in Lubbock, and also attended Texas Technological College.

The couple will reside in Lubbock, where he owns and operates his own business, Jim's Lunch Bar.

Others who attended the wedding were Mr. Dale Scarbrough of Lubbock, and John Loyd Dewbre of Matador, brother of the bride.

### Study Club Hears Talk On Finance

Mr. Russell B. Carr, Manager of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Beane, Wichita Falls, was guest speaker at a meeting of El Progreso Study Club in the home of Mrs. Glenn Woodruff, Thursday, February 26, at 3:30 p.m.

Mrs. W. F. Jacobs, program leader, presented Mr. Carr, who spoke on "The ABC's of handling money, or 'Financial Facts of Life.'" Mrs. Carr accompanied her husband here for the occasion.

Members present were Mesdames Joe Bloodworth, L. B. Campbell, R. E. Campbell, Jr., W. W. Clements, Robert Darsay, G. E. Hamilton, John Hamilton, L. C. Harp, Ben Keltz, W. D. Lipscomb, Varner McWilliams, Leonora Luckett, W. N. Pipkin, Fred Simpson, Ralph Stapleton, Furman Vinson, J. R. Whitworth, J. L. Woodruff, and Misses Mary Keith and Amy Glenn.

### MOVE TO SAN ANGELO

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smiley, Jr. and small daughter, formerly of Roaring Springs, have moved to San Angelo, Texas, where he is employed by Kimbell Company. They owned and operated a drug store in Roaring Springs.

### Selective Service Board Issues Call For Physical Exam

Selective Service Local Board No. 45, Plainview, has issued two calls for Armed Forces physical examination for next week. Thirty will report Monday, March 9, and of this number three are listed from Motley County, being Elliott E. Marshall, Roaring Springs; James F. Garth and Walter S. Mitchell, Jr., both Matador.

Three from the county are also called to report Tuesday, March 10 for physicals. They are, Dale N. Jackson and Oscar Washington, Matador, and Robert B. Estes, Roaring Springs. Washington is a transfer from Ennis, Texas.

### TO WICHITA FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mikeal of Roaring Springs, are moving to Wichita Falls this week. They were accompanied on a trip there Tuesday, by her father, Rev. A. L. Eubanks of Flomot, and Mrs. Eubanks remained here to take Mrs. Mikeal's place at the Matador Variety Store for a few days.

Mrs. Gabe Garrison of Silverton, visited here Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Vinson.

### Surprise Shower Given Mrs. Cooper

A no-hostess gift shower, sponsored by a group of friends for Mrs. Ivy Cooper, was held Friday afternoon beginning at 2:30 o'clock, at her home on Lariat street.

The party was a surprise, and was given in honor of the opening of her beauty shop.

Mrs. J. B. Cooper, daughter-in-law of the honoree presided at the crystal punch service. Small cookies were served with the punch. Mrs. Colquet Warren registered the guests.

Approximately fifty friends called or sent gifts.

### RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Bertha Garrison has returned home from a recent visit in Lovington, N.M. with a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison, who accompanied her home Friday.

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If everyone could stand beside the bed of some close friend And hear the doctor say "no hope" before the final end, And see him there unconscious, never knowing what took place, The law and rules of traffic I am sure we'd soon embrace.

If everyone could meet the wife and children left behind, And step into the darkened home where once the sunlight shined, And look upon "The Vacant Chair" where Daddy used to sit I am sure such reckless drivers would be forced to think a bit.

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# Church and Social Activities

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## BAPTIST W. M. U. HAS PROGRAM ON HOME MISSIONS

Week of prayer for home missions was observed by the Baptist Women's Missionary Union, Tuesday in an all-day service at the church.

The program had for theme, "America The Beautiful" and at the conclusion, annual Annie Armstrong offering for home missions was taken.

Mrs. Loyd Latimer, W. M. U. Home Missions chairman, was leader for the day.

Quiz periods throughout the program were conducted by Mrs. Keith McCormick and Mrs. Moke Jackson.

Group singing of "America" opened the morning session, and opening prayer was by Miss Amy Glenn. Other prayers were by Mrs. Latimer and Mrs. Littleton Rattan. Program parts were given Mesdames Forrest Campbell, Fred Clower, T. E. Cammack, T. E. Long, Elbert Reeves, Roy Robinson, Cecil Shelton, C. P. Waybourn and Margaret Newman.

Following a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour, the program continued, with speakers being Mesdames Lee Burns, Keith McCormick, Elbert Reeves, H. S. Watson and C. M. Barton. Prayers were offered by Mesdames R. E. Campbell.

The song, "America The Beautiful" was sung by Mrs. Shelton with a Tableau of each stanza presented in costume, by Mesdames Dick Groves, Lloyd Latimer, Fred Clower and Keith McCormick and closing prayer by Mrs. Groves.

Approximately thirty women of the church attended the program and lunch.

### RECENT VISITOR

Recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, was her brother, Gus Knight, of Bluefield, West Virginia. While in this vicinity, he visited relatives in Childress, and during his stay in Matador, he was accompanied by the Hamiltons, to Lubbock. They also accompanied him here from Childress, and back there Saturday, for his return trip home.

Visiting here Sunday with her sister, Mrs. T. J. Darsey, was Mrs. Charlie Garrison of Silverton.

## Club At Turkey Hears Mrs. Willie

Mrs. U. L. Willie was guest speaker last Thursday afternoon at a meeting of the Nuevo Study Club of Turkey, in the home of Mrs. C. S. Harris. She spoke on women's status and activities in the Orient and Far East, and also included many phases of conditions in the Asiatic countries.

A tea hour followed the program.

Mrs. Willie was accompanied by Mrs. Seth Sager.

On Friday, Mesdames Willie and Sager attended the Seventh District Work Shop meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Plainview, with luncheon in the Hilton Hotel.

An estimated two hundred women of the South Plains attended this meeting.

### LOCAL RESIDENTS ATTEND CONCERT

Mesdames L. C. Harp, Marvin Patton and W. W. Clements drove to Plainview Friday night, where they attended the Julius Hegyi violin recital presented by the Plainview Community Concert Association.

Hegyi is director of the Abilene Symphony and former concert master of the San Antonio Symphony. Charlotte Barrier, Lubbock pianist, was his accompanist.

The next community concert will be March 13 when Gladys Swarthout will be presented in recital. Local residents who hold tickets in the Floydada Community Concert Association will be eligible to attend, through an affiliation with the neighboring association.

### HOME FOR WEEK END

Mrs. J. A. Groves, accompanied by her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson and baby daughter, Mary Jayne, of Sweetwater, spent the week-end at her home here. Joining them here for a visit Sunday were two other daughters of Mrs. Groves, Mrs. Arvil Kingery of Plainview, who accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Howell, of Amarillo. Miss Chloey Fulfer of Lubbock, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Velma Fulfer, who is also a daughter of Mrs. Groves.

Mrs. Claude Harp spent the week-end at Littlefield, visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rhemard McCarty.

## Programs Slated On Home Missions

Two Annie Armstrong programs for Home Missions are scheduled to be held next week at the Flomot Baptist Church. Monday, March 9 at 2 p. m. and Thursday, March 12 at 7 p. m.

The program Monday afternoon will be given by the W. M. U. as follows: Divine Power recognized in National Symbols. Mrs. L. B. Turner, Southern Baptist work in the Northwest. Rev. A. L. Eubanks. A W. M. U. Prayer Meeting. Mrs. R. W. Amick. Mission Opportunities in Utah. Mrs. Ernest Fisher. Scripture and Devotional. Mrs. F. S. Bourland. Fruited Plains and the Water of Life. Mrs. A. L. Eubanks.

Two films will be shown at the meeting on Thursday night, entitled, "Children of our Homeland," and "Your Beautiful America." Opening the program will be group singing of "America The Beautiful," and other music will be a quartet who will sing, "God Bless America." Offering and benediction will close the meeting.

Everyone in the community is extended a cordial invitation to attend both programs, and the church membership is especially urged to be present.

### RECENT ARRIVALS AT STANLEY HOSPITAL

Births at Stanley Clinic-Hospital during the past month include the following:

To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Merrell of Flomot, on Feb. 8, a son, Bruce Wayne, weight 7 lbs., 1 oz.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crawford of Dougherty, on Feb. 14, a son, James Stephen, weight 9 lbs., 6 ozs.

To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Manly of Turkey, on Feb. 18, a girl, Carol Ann, weight 8 lbs., 2 ozs.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Henson of Afton, on Feb. 25, a son, Earl Justin, weight 9 lbs., 1 oz.

A son, born Monday, March 2 to Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bush of Flomot, weight 8 lbs., 15 ozs, was named Randy Max.

Kenneth Ivan was the name given a son born March 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Corby Lee Marshall of Roaring Springs. Weight was 9 lbs., 3 ozs.

### VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mrs. Ken Rector and son, Dale of Tucumcari, N.M., visited in Amarillo over the week-end with her son, Don Miller, before arriving here Monday to spend several days with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Groves, and other relatives, including her sisters, Mesdames Kate Stanley, Lois Smart and Roy Smith.

Mrs. Scott Dooley of Sunray, is visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Groves and other relatives, including two brothers, Algie and Dick Groves and their families.

## Many Expected At Willson Lectures

ABILENE — About 5,000 visitors are expected at McMurry College March 10-13 for the combined Willson lectures-convention celebrating ten years of progress under the administration of Dr. Harold G. Cooke.

Prominent figures representing the Methodist Church and Christian education, including four bishops and two university presidents, will be featured on the program. Bishop W. Angie Smith of the New Mexico-Oklahoma area, will be the main speaker for the event, delivering five addresses.

McMurry's Board of Trustees members explain that during the past decade under Dr. Cooke's direction, McMurry has grown physically, academically and spiritually. The total value of the college has jumped from \$545,655 to nearly four million dollars. It has received national accreditation. The size of the student body has tripled, and the quality of its faculty has greatly improved.

### HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Recent hospital patients at Stanley Clinic-Hospital include:

Mrs. Jessie Smallwood, who underwent surgery on Feb. 13; Martha Jo Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Cooper of Whiteflat, appendectomy on Feb. 16, and the following tonsilectomies: Feb. 4, Floyd Bynum, Flomot; Feb. 11, Mike Schweitzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Schweitzer; Feb. 12, Mrs. K. W. Murphy, Dickens; Feb. 9, Thurman Fulkerson; Feb. 14, Sylvia Bailey, Qitague; Feb. 17, Eldon Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin; Flomot; Feb. 17, Terry Keltz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Keltz; Feb. 25, Gaynell Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morrison, Qitague; Mar. 2, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Edwards, Turkey; Mar. 3, Tommy Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green; and James Castleberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Castleberry, Turkey.

John Lusk of Turkey, is receiving medical treatment at the hospital, as is Robert Forbes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forbes of Afton.

Mrs. A. A. Tipton was admitted Monday afternoon for medical treatment and Mrs. Florence McDonald was dismissed Wednesday morning, after receiving treatment.

### HOME WITH DISCHARGE

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie J. Leary arrived here Monday after two weeks in Fort Worth. Mr. Leary, who has been stationed in Germany the past 14 months, received his discharge at Fort Hood, Thursday, Feb. 19. They spent Monday and Tuesday here before going to Northfield, where they will visit his parents and other relatives and friends.

### VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kell and baby son, Richard, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rattan, and were accompanied home by their other son, Bobby, who has been visiting his grandparents.

### MOVE TO PLAINS

Word was received here this week that former residents, Mr. and Mrs. Bunyan Price have moved from Rising Star, to Plains, Texas, and he will be engaged in farming near Denver City.

Robert Bone of Fort Worth is a visitor here in the home of his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waybourn.

## METHODIST CLASS HAS RECENT PARTY

The Young Adult Sunday School class members of the Methodist Church were entertained recently with a party in the home of their teacher, Mrs. Fred Simpson.

Learning that it was also Mrs. Simpson's birthday, the class surprised her with a birthday cake and gift.

After games were enjoyed, the cake was served with spiced tea, to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moss; Mr. and Mrs. Bundy Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. James Priddy; Mrs. Bert Schweitzer, Rev. and Mrs. W. V. O'Kelly and daughter, Eleanor Frances, Conrad Middlebrooks and Fred G. Simpson, Jr.

### VISIT AT PANHANDLE

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Graham and son, Daton, accompanied by Miss Barbara Havis of Roaring Springs, visited during the week-end at the 6666 ranch near Panhandle, with the Graham's son, Jody, and the George Jeffers family. On their return they visited in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jeffers and family. Mrs. Jeffers, who underwent a major operation last week in Goodall Hospital, was reported as "doing fine."

## NORTHFIELD NEWS

Mrs. Hodges is visiting a few days with Mrs. Claud McDonold.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Florence and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bridges of Lubbock and Mrs. Leona King of California, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dobbins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Simpson and Gayland visited their son, Pvt. Billy Paul Simpson, Monday at Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. J. A. Tipton is in Childress General Hospital receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cage and children of Patton Springs, visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Yeats, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Duncan and children of Amarillo, visited in Northfield Sunday.

J. M. Dobbins returned home Saturday from Amarillo, where he underwent surgery recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie J. Leary returned home Tuesday from Fort Worth, where they visited

after he received his discharge from the U. S. Army at Fort Hood. They spent Monday in Matador, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Graham. Wayne Timmons of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons over the week-end.

### WEEK-END VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Don T. Martin and son, Freddie, of Hereford spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Nancy, who visited here with her grandparents while the Martins were in Los Angeles, Calif., attending a national meeting of High School principals.

### IN APPRECIATION

We would like to thank this means to thank each and every one of our good neighbors for the noble deed you performed by putting up our land for us. May God bless each of you, and your families. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Thomas, Roaring Springs.

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Roaring Springs NEWS

Mrs. L. E. Cooper, Correspondent Phone 361, Roaring Springs

Mrs. Ray Bailey and children spent the week-end in Dallas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Box and children of Odessa, were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. Trudie Hodgkin and other relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Freeman and sister, of Vernon, Mrs. Carl Eddy of Tulsa and Mrs. Herman Havis attended funeral services at Spur, Monday for Mrs. W. O. Formby, who was a sister-in-law of the Vernon ladies.

Mrs. J. M. Carpenter returned Thursday from a visit in Amarillo with her daughters, Mesdames Hughs Fish and Leonard Judd.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis of Lubbock, spent Wednesday night here with his mother, Mrs. Clyde Davis. They were en route to Ft. Worth to make their home.

Mrs. Charlie Baker left Thursday for her home in Tulsa. Mr. Baker will be here several days before he joins his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown returned recently from a visit in Bellville, Ill., with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brown. They also visited in Acworth and Augusta, Ga., with her brother, W. L. Goughly and with Mr. Brown's brother, Howard Brown and family. They also visited in Fort Worth and Dallas with their children.

Mrs. Ethel Maze returned Saturday from Morton, where she visited with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Maze.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper and daughter, Rebecca, accompanied John Lucky to Floydada Sunday, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Caruthers.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Freeman were Sunday guests of his grandmother, Mrs. L. C. Freeman and other relatives, in McAdoo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. King spent Sunday in Bula, as guests of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Irvin attended to business in Lubbock during the week-end.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Harry Campbell of Matador, shopped in Spur, Thursday.

Mrs. C. D. Wilson and daughters, Mrs. Marvin Faulkner and Miss Beno Wilson, were Sunday guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. P. I. Roberts and Mr. Roberts.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brooks were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. McElton Skaggs and children of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Edwards of Dimmitt.

Mrs. H. Jackson is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rice visited in Floydada, Wednesday with their son, Print Rice and Mrs. Rice, and attended to business.

Misses Glenda and Cliva Dobbins and Carolyn Havis spent the week-end in Lubbock with Mrs. E. Dobbins and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Tiner of Dougherty, visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Conway and other friends.

Mrs. Mary Sampson and daughter, Miss Jewel, spent Friday and Saturday in Matador, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Norfon Dye and daughters, Winona and Myrthlene and a niece, Marian Bannister, of Eloy, Ariz., visited here recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dye, and at Matador with her mother and sister, Mrs. Nell Bannister and Mrs. R. W. White. While here, Mr. Dye, accompanied by his father, attended the annual Lectureship at Abilene Christian College, Abilene, and visited his brother, Duane, who is a student in A.C.C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smelser and children, Patsy and Sammie of Big Spring, were week-end guests of Mrs. J. W. Dye.

Rev. C. L. Mathis and J. D. Mitchell looked after business in Lubbock Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes and granddaughters, visited here Thursday with the J. D. Mitchells.

Mrs. J. A. French is in Ropesville, visiting with her daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Watson and children spent the week-end in Wagonmound, N. M., with his sister, Mrs. Kim Moore and Mr. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sallis and children visited in Lubbock through the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gobin.

Mrs. M. S. Thacker flew from Lubbock to Dallas, Thursday to join her husband, who had been on a business trip to Monterrey, Mexico, Brownsville, San Benito and other places. They returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Norton and children of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Parks of Memphis, were recent guests here with the ladies' mother, Mrs. Trudie Hodgkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie left Monday on a business trip to Oklahoma City, and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Corby Lee Marshall announce the birth of a son, Tuesday, March 2 at Stanley Hospital, Matador. He weighed 9 lbs., 3 ozs., and was named Kenneth Ivan.

RELATIVES HERE AT CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lesly of Hereford celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday. Those attending from Roaring Springs, former home of the Lesleys, were three daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. John Meason and son, John Lesly. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bridges and children, Lynda and Royce, of Compton, Calif., and Mrs. Ola Walcott, Torrance, Calif.; and several friends including J. F. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Dale King and Sharon, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long and Rodney, all of Roaring Springs.

Mrs. Meason and son, John Lesly, drove to Lubbock Saturday, where they met the relatives from California, who had arrived by plane to visit in Roaring Springs and at Hereford.

Mrs. Clem Woods will give a talk on gardening at the next meeting of the club, March 17. All members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

The public is invited to attend a Forty-Two party which the club will sponsor Friday, March 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the Flomot schoolhouse. Admittance will be 25c per person, and proceeds of the party will be used by the club in its work.

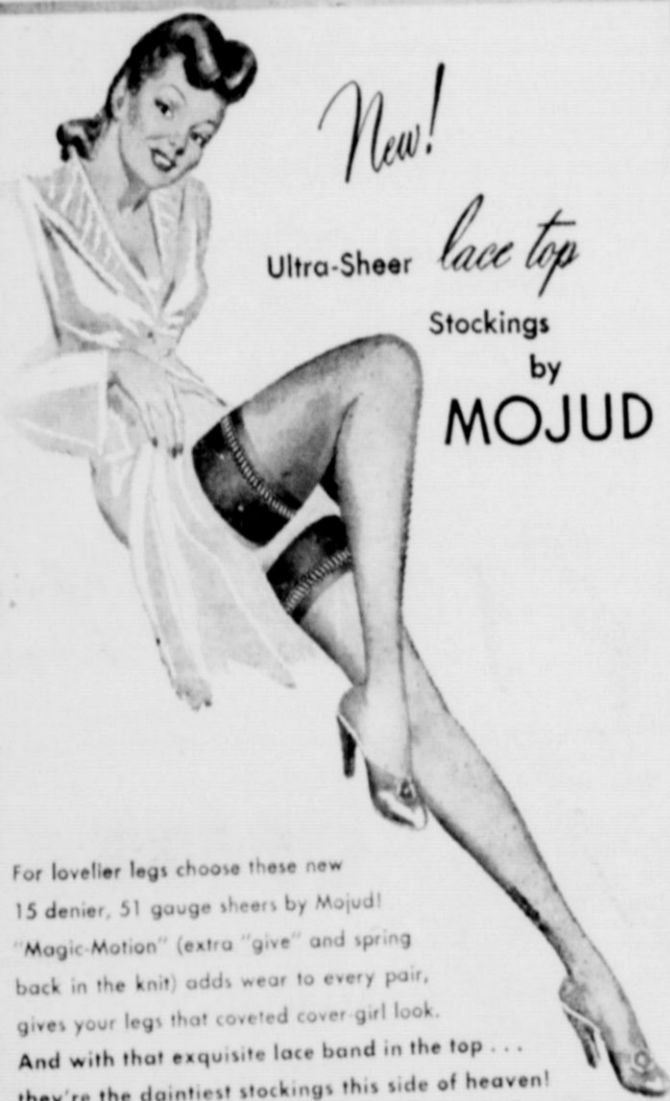
ON TRANSFER LEAVE

Keith Cloyd, A. F. who has been stationed at McGhee Tyson Air Force base, Alcoa, Tenn., visited his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cloyd of Flomot, Monday. He was on transfer leave, en route to San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Delbert Groves and small son, Gene, of Pampa, were visitors here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Groves, and Mrs. Maggie Groves.

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Odis Crowell Is Banquet Speaker

Odis Crowell, former football star, was principal speaker at an Athletic Banquet held Wednesday night, Feb. 25, in the Flomot Methodist Church, honoring boys and girls representing Flomot School in athletics.

The banquet was prepared by parents of the community, with the eighth grade girls serving.

Miss Cora Gail Gunn served as Master of Ceremonies of the program which included crowning of the football sweetheart, Miss Myra Nan Whitaker, by Captains Gary Slover and Weldon Gates.

The basketball girls honored their coach, Wilburn Martin with a shirt and tie, and Coach Purvis was presented with a clock radio, as appreciation gifts.

During the course of his address, Mr. Crowell presented the fundamental principle of being a successful athlete, and stressed character and mental development. He is former line coach at West Texas State College, Canyon, and also coached at the University of Arizona, Tucson, in addition to which he has played pro-football with teams on the west coast. He is now manager of the Goodwin-Crowell Gin at Flomot.

Pursuant to an order by the City Council, notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1953, at the City Hall, the same being the place designated by law as the voting place of Precinct 1, on the date hereinbefore mentioned, the City of Matador, County of Motley, Texas, for the purpose of voting upon the following questions submitted to the voters of the City, to-wit:

Election of three aldermen. Douglas Meador, Mayor, City of Matador, Texas.

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Visiting Mrs. C. C. Renfro and other relatives during the week-end, were a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Renfro and children of Hereford, and a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tardy and son, Don, of Roaring Springs.

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**Kampus Klatter**

Wasn't Matador pretty Tuesday morning of last week with snow everywhere? The students at M.H.S. really had a good snow-ball throwing time! We sure did hate to see the sun come out and melt it away.

Quite a few of the M.H.S. students went to Lubbock last week and saw the Globetrotters play ball. They all really enjoyed the games. We heard all about it the next day at school so we know there must have been some good ball playing done.

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We're glad to have Teddy Alsup at M.H.S. and we hope he enjoys going to school here.

We're proud of our girls' basketball team. They are really headed for State and we believe they will make it. The best of luck, girls.

We were wondering why Emmie Lee was so happy last Friday, but everything was explained when we saw R. L. around Matador. He came home Friday and went back to school Sunday.

**FRESHMAN CLASS  
 HAS NEW MEMBER**

M.H.S. is glad to welcome a new student, Teddy Alsup, from Tipton, Oklahoma. Teddy is fifteen years old, has brown hair, weighs one hundred twenty pounds, and is five feet nine inches tall. His favorite sports are basketball and football and his favorite food is fried potatoes.

Matador isn't altogether new to Teddy. He lived here a while in 1946 with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Alsup, with whom he is again making his home.

M.H.S.

**Matador Plays Cary  
 In Turkey Tournery**

Tuesday night of last week the M.H.S. girls and boys basketball teams played Cary at Turkey. Matador girls won by a score of 34-33 and the boys lost by only three points. The boys played Flomot Thursday night and lost a heart-breaker 42-41.

This is a tournament for next year's teams. The eighth graders played and this year's seniors weren't in the game.

Marlene Bailey and Frances Traveek, seniors, acted as coaches.

Eighth graders who played were Lucille Nolen, Raynita Dunning, Alice Martin, and Glynda McWilliams.

M.H.S.

**Receives Class Pins**

The eighth grade students have been watching the mail for the past week as they were expecting their pins. Thursday morning they arrived by special delivery. The pins are gold with a large "M" in red on a black enamel background. Some of the students also bought bracelets of sterling silver with M.G.S. 1953 on an emblem. Needless to say that everyone is proud of his new jewelry.

**FLOMOT NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green and children of Matador spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bourland.

Miss Mary Gunn of West Texas State College, Canyon, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Frank of Tulla, were visitors Wednesday in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and family, Mrs. A. S. Morris and Mrs. Zula Purcell and children, all of Tulla, visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tanner and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn, over the week-end.

Miss Ina Nell Gunn and Mr. Garland Frances of Silverton, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn over the week-end.

Rev. L. W. Baker of Whiteflat preaches at the Methodist church here the first and third Sundays, and at Whiteflat the second and fourth Sundays.

Mrs. Jim Currie and daughter, of Amarillo, visited her mother, Mrs. J. T. Bural and sister, Mrs. Putt Gilbert, Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Wilburn Martin, Mrs. John Gilbert and Mrs. Putt Gilbert were shoppers in Amarillo, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane were home over the week-end from West Texas State College, Canyon.

Calvin S. White is on the sick list this week, with mumps.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evert Shorter and family Saturday night and Sunday was Hubert Barnes of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Monk of Matador spent the week-end in Flomot with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Monk.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Amonett and children, Ronald, Jerry, Dianne and Johnny, of Sundown, spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Amick. Mr. and Mrs. Amonett and Ronald, Saturday continued to Electra to visit his brother, F. W. Amonett, who is very ill. The three smaller children are staying on with their grandparents, until their parents' return.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher attended the funeral services for Bud Spray, Sunday afternoon at Whiteflat.



By VERN SANFORD  
 Texas Press Association

Approved by a House committee is a bill authorizing the state to issue \$6 million in revenue bonds and use the money to build a state office building and a courts building in Austin on property which is publicly owned.

Author of the measure is Representative Bill Daniel of Liberty, who says that construction of the new buildings would save Texas \$441,520 per year in rents now paid for office space in privately-owned buildings around the capitol.

Speaking for the bill at the committee's hearings were Supreme Court Justices St. John Garwood, Meade Griffin, and Robert Calvert, who said working conditions in their offices in the capitol are crowded and uncomfortable.

Should banks close on Saturday?

That question is stirring up interest and causing letter-writers to address members of the Legislature.

The present regulation is that banks must stay open five and a half days a week, except for 13 legal holidays. But a number of big city banks are supporting the five-day banking week, as proposed in a bill introduced in the House by Representatives W. H. Abington of Fort Worth and Garth Bates of Houston and by Senator Parkhouse in the Senate.

Some big banks are supporting the measure because they feel it will help them to institute a five-day, eight hour work week.

Country banks are inclined to oppose the proposition because they do a lot of business with farmers and ranchers on Saturday.

The bill is merely premissive—each bank would do as it pleased about opening on Saturday morning.

Representative Jack Bryan of Buffalo has introduced a "fair trade" bill affecting cigarettes only.

The bill would prohibit be-

low-costs of cigarettes by requiring all retailers to add at least 10 per cent to the wholesale cost.

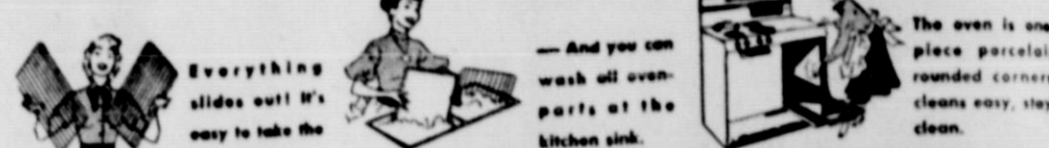
Even before the legislators hit town the streets of Austin are crowded with cars, particularly around and near the capitol.

Now comes a proposal from R. C. Lanning, chairman of the State Board of Control, that the state-owned half-block of vacant land between the capitol and the governor's mansion be leased

for a parking lot. It will accommodate 220 cars, he says, and can be made ready for \$4,500.

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March 5 & 6

Robert Newton, Linda Darnell  
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**"Blackbeard  
The Pirate"**

Technicolor

Saturday, March 7  
Rex Allen

**"Old Oklahoma  
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Sunday and Monday  
March 8 & 9

ABBOTT and COSTELLO  
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March 10 & 11

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A Paramount Picture

Thursday and Friday  
March 12 & 13

Howard Keel, Jane Greer  
Patricia Medina

**"Desperate Search"**  
SUSPENSE!

**CAGE TEAM . . . .**

(Continued from page 1) morning, March 11. Reservations have been made at El Capiamino motel, near The Circle in Waco.

Here is the impressive year's record: Matador, Roaring Springs 32-20; Matador, Wellman 23-27; Matador "B," Guthrie "B" 32-12; Matador, Avaca 30-42; Matador "B," Guthrie "B" 20-21; Matador, R. Springs 38-29; Matador, Crosbyton 27-17; Matador, Quail 69-67; Matador, Lockney 25-23; Matador, Post 30-22; Matador, Spur 30-20; Matador "B," Spur Junior high 14-8; Matador, Roaring Springs 36-24; Matador "B," Flomot "B" 18-9; Matador, Flomot 32-19; Matador, Quitaque 39-10; Matador, Silvertown 36-26; Matador "B," Flomot 31-14; Matador "B," Quitaque "B" 30-14; Matador "B," Quitaque "A" 26-27; Matador "B," Turkey "B" 20-11; Matador, Turkey 34-21; Matador "B," Flomot "B" 17-13; Matador, Flomot 36-22; Matador, Quitaque 45-27; Matador "B," Silvertown "B" 30-25; Matador, Silvertown 51-30; Matador "B," Roaring Springs "B" 22-21; Matador, Roaring Springs 43-25; Matador "B," Turkey "B" 26-7; Matador, Turkey 40-18; Matador, Roaring Springs 34-22; Matador, Estelina 25-43; Matador, Silvertown 50-36; Matador, Estelina 43-42; Matador, Lakeview 47-49; Matador, Carey 34-33; Matador, McAdoo 45-39; Matador, Flomot 45-32; Matador, McAdoo 54-32 and Matador, Quitaque 48-34.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this means of expressing our profound appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended us at the death of our loved one, and the beautiful floral offering tendered in his memory. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.

The Children and Grandchildren of E. C. Spray.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Louis Poteet, Friday underwent tonsilectomy in the Quannah Memorial hospital. Mr. Poteet drove to Quannah Monday to accompany her home.

Mrs. Bill Wason, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. David Campbell, of Roaring Springs, visited Wednesday in Quannah with Mr. Wason who underwent surgery earlier this week at Quannah Memorial hospital.

**Weather Lowers Attendance At County Festival**

Although attendance at the Motley County Music Festival, held Tuesday night at Roaring Springs, was lowered from last year's due to the sudden drop in temperature and accompanying bitter wind, the youthful singers performed before a highly appreciative audience.

Both classical and popular songs as well as Spirituals, were featured on the program, which opened with three songs about Texas, sung by some two hundred voices comprising the Motley County massed choirs. Flomot Elementary Chorus presented three numbers with Anna Beth Tanner as accompanist, followed by two songs by the Roaring Springs Elementary Boys Chorus, and three by the Roaring Spring Elementary Girls Choir. Matador Elementary Mixed Chorus was followed by the Matador Elementary Girls Choir, with Sue McLaughlin as accompanist. Roaring Springs High School Girls Chorus sang twice, and Roaring Springs High School Boys Choir sang several Spirituals, with John Meason, John Farris and Roy Mathis as soloists. Songs by Gertrude Arnold, Johannes Brahms and Ellen J. Lorenz, were sung by the Flomot Performing Choir.

Concluding numbers on the program were sung by Matador High School Girls Choir, with Bette Fran Montgomery as accompanist. Mrs. Lalar D. Wilkerson, music teacher in the Flomot, Matador and Roaring Springs schools, directed the festival, which was in observance of Texas Public School Week. Several of the numbers used on the program will also be used at the Interscholastic League Festival.

**Singing Convention To Meet In Lubbock**

A joint singing convention composed of the Assembly of God singing circles, will be held at the First Assembly of God Church on 34th street in Lubbock, Monday night, March 16 at 7:30 p.m. according to an announcement received by the Tribune from Charlie E. Pace, director, of Waxahachie. Rev. Fred Vogler of Springfield, Mo., who is assistant gen-

eral superintendent of the General Council of The Assembly of God, will be present, Mr. Pace stated.

There will be a male quartet from the Southwestern Bible Institute of Waxahachie, as well as a number of other good singers from a wide area," he declared. "don't miss this singing convention. Everyone is invited."

**IN APPRECIATION**

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to friends for cards, letters and other evidences of friendship during my recent illness, and for visits to my bedside while I was hospitalized. R. S. Webb.

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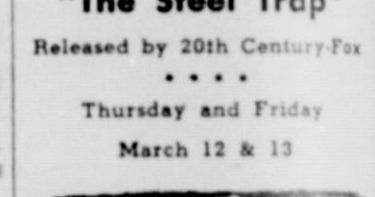
Saturday, March 7  
Wayne Morris  
In  
**"Star Of Texas"**

Preview, Sunday and Monday  
March 7, 8 & 9



Tuesday and Wednesday  
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Joseph Cotten, Teresa Wright  
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**Notice Of Annual Meeting Of The Members Of The Dickens County Electric Cooperative, Inc.**

The annual meeting of the members of the Dickens County Electric Cooperative, Incorporated will be held in Spur, Texas on Saturday, March 7, 1953 at one o'clock p. m., in the East Ward School Auditorium. The purpose of the meeting is to elect three directors for the term ending March 1, 1956, and to discuss any business that may come before the assembly.

In connection with the election of three directors scheduled for this meeting, the following members have been nominated for directors by the Committee on Nominations appointed by the directors of the Cooperative pursuant to the by-laws:

- SPUR: Martin Pope Archer Powell  
GIRARD: W. L. Buckelew Arthur Dyer  
JAYTON: A. L. Smith L. H. Yarborough

and the following members have been nominated for directors by petition of members also pursuant to the by-laws: NONE

Additional nominations for directors may be made from the floor at the meeting.

We have made an honest effort to arrange a program which will be entertaining, to the point, and take care of the necessary business as quickly as possible.

Prizes now on display at our general office will be drawn for by members only. You must bring this letter as evidence of your membership and eligibility to draw for one of the valuable prizes. Voting by proxy will be in accordance with the by-laws of this Cooperative. You must be present in order to participate in the drawing.

Martin Pope, Secretary  
Dickens County Electric Cooperative, Incorporated