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## Slow Rains Cover Panhandle

### OVER 2 INCHES REGISTERED IN PAST 6 DAYS

#### Cold Wave Strikes Area After Snow Reported In North

Slow rains over the past week totaled 2.48 inches here yesterday afternoon by the U. S. rain gauge owned by George Springer, manager of Spot Cash Grocery. The total rainfall for 1941 is now 4.95 inches, with 1.13 inches in January and 1.34 inches in February.

The rains of the past week started with a slow drizzle Friday afternoon, registering .35 inch. Saturday a fall of 1.15 inches was registered, with an additional .96 inch registered until late Tuesday. Rainfall Tuesday night and yesterday morning amounted to .22 inch.

Farmers and ranchmen were jubilant at the improved prospects for good grass and crops. Wheat farmers are having difficulty in securing enough cattle to graze the rapidly growing wheat. Fear on the plains of a severe freeze to damage the wheat has caused many to seek cattle to pasture in this section.

#### Records Are Published

The late J. H. Sample kept an accurate record of rainfall in Matador for the past sixteen years and the following information was secured yesterday from Mr. Sample's records that readers might compare the totals of January, February and March since 1924.

1924, January 10, February .25, March 1.92, total 2.17.
1925, January 62, February 0, March 37, total 99.
1926, January 1.02, February 0, March 1.92, total 2.94.
1927, January 1, February .25, March 0, total 1.25.
1928, January .55, February 2, March 15, total 2.70.
1929, January 50, February 35, March 3.07, total 3.92.
1930, January 77, February 0, March 42, total 119.
1931, January 53, February 1.41,

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### SCHOOL BOARD SETS ELECTION FOR TRUSTEES

At its meeting on March 6, the board of trustees of the Matador School District ordered an election to be held Saturday, April 5th for the election of two trustees. The terms of Farris Fish and Albert Traweck, Jr. expire this spring. The board at present is made up of Farris Fish, President, M. J. Reilly, Secretary, W. W. Carpenter, A. A. Harp, Pat Sheridan, George Springer, and Dr. Albert Traweck, Jr. The election will be held in the City Hall, and W. T. Patton was appointed as the election judge.

### STUDENTS RANK HIGH AT TECH

Three Motley county students attending Texas Technological College at Lubbock were listed on the honor roll for the fall semester, as ranking in the upper five per cent of the student body. Keith Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton of Matador, was on the list of twenty-four students who had a 3-point or "A" average.

Students with grade point averages from 2.51 to 2.99, or approximately "B-plus" to "A-minus", included Miss Kara Hunsucker, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker of Matador, and Chas. Cooper Britton of Roaring Springs.

A produce publication has announced three important additions to the family of vegetables. These include the rhubarb chard, a Swiss chard which looks like rhubarb; the pure alabaster white tomato; and a new, tender pod bean, stringless and fiberless.

### Final Rites Are Held For W. W. Hamiter

W. W. Hamiter, 67, died at his home here Monday evening at 7:20, March 24, 1941. His death was ascribed to a heart attack. Mr. Hamiter had lived in Motley county since 1923 and had made his home in Matador for the past six years. He had lived a faithful Christian life and many friends mourn his passing. William W. Hamiter was born in Bossier Parish, Louisiana, November 19, 1873 and his age was 67 years, 4 months and 5 days. He was married to Miss Annie A. Moore, in Smithville, Oklahoma February 26, 1905.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Annie A. Hamiter, he is survived by ten children: Mrs. R. L. Graves, Delta, Colorado; Mrs. A. H. Oden, Grand Junction, Colorado; Mrs. H. S. Thomas, California; John Hamiter, Wichita Falls; Haskell Hamiter, Fort Lewis, Washington; Mrs. M. E. Kirk, Barnie, Conley, Eula and Georgia Hamiter all of Matador and two brothers, J. W. Hamiter of Port Arthur and R. M. Hamiter of Cove, Arkansas.

Funeral services were held at the home at 3:15 Tuesday afternoon and interment made in the Matador East Mound cemetery.

### Scouts Hold First Aid Contests

Matador's Flying Eagle patrol of troop 60 of the American Boy Scouts finished in tenth place in the first aid contests staged at Lubbock Friday night in the Senior High School auditorium. Troop 5, sponsored by the Lubbock First Christian church was winner for the second consecutive year, with the troop's Rattle Snake patrol. The patrol amassed 396 of a possible 400 points. The Lion patrol from the same troop, winners last year, scored 391 points for second place. Lamesa's troop 23, Bat Patrol, gained a tie with troop 5 Beaver patrol for third place.

A total of 34 teams from 18 towns of the council, with Dimmitts troop 67 coming the greatest distance, attended the contests. Towns represented included Seminole, Spur, Post, Tahoka, Slaton, Morton, Whiteface, Levelland, Plainview, Sudan, Floydada, Crosbyton, Alford, Denver City and Matador.

### Slippery Road Is Cause Of Accident

Four persons escaped injury Friday night when an automobile driven by Burrell Tipton, skidded on slippery pavement about two miles north of Dickens, and turned completely over in the borrow ditch. Other occupants of the car were Dean McInroe and Misses Margie McInroe and Jackie Young. The group was returning from Dickens, enroute to Afton at the time of the accident. All four escaped injury with the exception of the driver, who received slight bruises on his left leg.

He declared the car went out of control while being driven at a moderate speed when the wheels struck a slippery spot on the pavement.

Miss McInroe is employed by the Motley County Implement Company here, while Mr. Tipton is employed in the mechanical department of the Tribune. The two other passengers were residents of Afton.

The automobile, owned by W. R. Moffett, manager of the implement company, was damaged considerably. It is believed that possible severe or fatal injuries were averted by the all-steel construction of the automobile.

Luzon, in the Japanese group, is the 15th largest island in the world, with an area of 41,000 square miles.

### CHILD ENDS THIRD YEAR OF SLEEP

CHICAGO—Five-year-old Mary Ellen Reardon Tuesday completed her third year of unbroken sleep as a victim of encephalitis, commonly called sleeping sickness. The youngster was afflicted with the strange disease following an attack of measles and since has remained in a coma. Mary Ellen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Reardon, said there has been no change in the child's condition in the past year. She can move her head, legs and arms, but does not recognize anyone.

### Easter Program Complete

#### Impressive Cantata To Be Presented By Choral Club

Program plans for a community Easter service have been completed and announced, in which the Matador Choral Club will again present an Easter cantata, in response to many requests. The service will be held Easter night, April 13, in the Methodist Church.

Following the prelude, the opening song on the program will be given by the choral club. Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the Methodist church will read the scriptures, after which Rev. W. M. Joslin, Baptist pastor will lead in prayer. The cantata will be given following offertory.

The cantata, "Easter Glory" by R. M. Stults, text of which is from the Gospel of St. Matthew and well-known hymns, is divided into two parts in the following arrangement:

Part One: Prelude; Chorus and Soprano Solo; Chorus; Soprano Solo, Mrs. Thelma Dirickson; Chorus with Tenor solo by Vernon Doss and J. R. Whitworth; Chorus, "Easter Flowers"; Soprano Recit., by Mrs. Earl Laughlin, and Chorus.

Part Two: Prelude; Bass solo, Burrell Tipton; Soprano and Alto Solo and Chorus; Soprano and Alto double duet comprised of Mesdames Earl Laughlin, J. R. Whitworth, W. F. Jacobs and Miss Mabel Jameson; Quartet, Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, Mrs. Frank Pohl, B. Edmondson and Clay Gilbert; Men's Chorus; Closing Chorus.

Miss Mabel Jameson is director for the choral club, and Miss Roberta Jameson, pianist. The club, of which Mrs. Margaret Newman is president, has been in rehearsal for the cantata for the past five weeks.

### Quitague Hires Wilmer Greene

Assistant coach Wilmer Greene will leave the faculty of the Matador High School and become coach of the Quitague High School at the end of the present school season, it was announced yesterday.

Mr. Green was elected to the position at a meeting of the Quitague trustees Monday night. He has many friends in Matador who regret to lose him as an aid to the local athletic set-up and as a resident, but congratulate him on the advancement and wish him well in the new venture.

### VISITOR ADDRESSES CHURCH

Mrs. George Robertson of Childress, Chairman of the Board of Missions and Church Extension spoke before the members of the Methodist church here at the evening services Sunday.

Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Madge Warren also of Childress, were guests in the home of Judge and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

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### Pioneer Preacher Succumbs

#### Funeral Rites Are Held Friday For Rev. C. D. Pipkin

Last rites were held Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the Methodist church here, for Rev. C. D. Pipkin, retired pioneer preacher, who passed away at his home shortly before midnight Thursday. He had been in failing health for over a year, and suffered a heart attack in June from which he never fully recovered. He had been confined to his bed since January.

Services were conducted by Rev. W. B. Vaughn, local pastor, who was assisted by Rev. W. M. Joslin, pastor of the Baptist church here, and by Rev. L. B. Smallwood, pastor of the Methodist church at Crosbyton, who brought words of comfort to the bereaved survivors. Rev. Smallwood was formerly pastor here.

Interment of the body in Matador East Mound Cemetery was postponed until Saturday morning when car trouble and other circumstances delayed the arrival of one of the sons, Clyde, from Dalhart. Pall-bearers were: Elmer Stearns, Henry Ford, W. F. Jacobs, J. W. Draace, George Birchfield and Bill Wason. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Homer Sheats, local undertaker, assisted by the Harmon Funeral Home of Floydada.

#### Came To Motley In 1897

Charles Dixon Pipkin was born in Arkansas, July 13, 1871 and passed away March 20, 1941 at the age of 69 years, 8 months and 7 days. When a young man, he came to Texas and settled in Freestone County. He came to Motley county in 1897, and on February 2, the following year, was married to Miss Ida Edmondson, at Matador.

To this union were born seven children, two girls and five boys. One of the girls died in infancy and the other at the age of 6 years. The sons, all of whom survive and

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### Sheriff's Condition Improving

Sheriff H. H. Courtney, injured in an automobile accident at the Lions Ladies' Night banquet, March 18, is improving, according to reports received late yesterday afternoon.

While a possibility of infection may remain, doctors were of the opinion that his condition might be considered as past the danger point. His leg, which was broken in several places, is believed mending in a satisfactory manner. Dr. A. C. Traweck, examining an X-ray photograph of the injury last week declared that he believed Sheriff Courtney would possibly regain complete use of his leg without any noticeable result unless some complication should be encountered.

Mrs. Courtney, who is in an Oklahoma City hospital, is expected to return home within a few days. Due to her condition, she has not been notified of her husband's accident.

### Lions Governor Visits Matador

Lions District Governor, F. V. Wallace of Dumas, Texas, was in Matador yesterday on an unscheduled visit, after having attended a meeting at Turkey, Tuesday evening.

Governor Wallace, who flies his own plane, was traveling by automobile because of the unfavorable weather.

While here he visited with officials of the local club and went to the hospital where he visited Lion H. H. Courtney.

### Entries Are Ready For Fat Stock Show

Despite the unfavorable weather entries are in shape for the 2nd annual Motley County Fat Stock Show to be staged here on Saturday, April 5, according to J. Rufus Emmons, county agent.

Each boy who will enter a project in the competition, is deeply interested, Mr. Emmons declared, and ready for the show. Final preparations are being made in every instance that will add to the success of the exhibition and it is expected to attract one of the largest crowds to assemble here in several years.

"While each boy reserves hope that his entry will receive first place or high rank after the judge's decision, they have not built too much faith on their efforts and will be able to receive any possible disappointment with determination to do better next season," Mr. Emmons declared.

#### Entries Listed

Below are "thumb-nail" sketches of the various boys and their entries.

#### Roaring Springs

(1.) Billy Long, age 13, second year club work, has one junior calf for show. (2.) Billy Cooper, age 14, first year club work, one pig for show. (3.) Thurman Irwin, age 14, second year club work, has one junior calf, 2 pigs for show. (4.) J. N. Fletcher, age 10, first year work, has one pig for show. (5.) Malcolm Dodson, age 13, second year club work, has 2 pigs for show. (6.) Jackie Greene, age 13, second year club work, has one pig for show. (7.) George Dial Turner, age 12, first year club work, has two pigs for show. (8.) Junior Bearden, age 11.

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### Singers To Meet

Announcement is made of the Five-county Fifth Sunday singing convention which will meet at Baker, seven miles east of Floydada, Sunday, March 30, beginning at 10 o'clock.

The Stamps quartet from Dallas, and other good quartets and singers will be present, it was further stated.

The Stamps quartet will also be there Saturday night to present a concert.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

### Motley Boys Are Sent To Wyoming

Three Motley boys who left recently for military training, have been sent to Fort Warren, Cheyenne, Wyoming, according to a card received here this week from Wilson Bourland.

Bourland states: "We Motley county boys, Joe Rice, Jim Ratcliff and I will remain here 13 weeks, then we will be sent to some other fort. I am in the motor school and will learn how to drive army trucks. The other boys are in other schools. It is snowing fast, but not very cold."

The three boys, also Homer Thomas Cudd, left March 11, for Ft. Bliss, El Paso, and from there were assigned their present locations.

### F. S. A. Office Has Personnel Change

The local F. S. A. office personnel was changed this week when Mrs. Lucille Cooper, junior typist and clerk, left for Tulsa where she will be employed in an advanced position with the F. S. A. office there.

Miss Carolyn Crawford of Clarendon has been transferred here to assume the duties of this office. She has been serving in a similar capacity in the Clarendon office.

Mrs. J. E. Jameson Jr. and Miss Dora Jameson visited friends in Paducah Thursday.

#### CAMPAIGNS FOR HIS OPPONENTS

LIVINGSTON, Mont.—J. L. Duncel of Livingston, wasn't fooling when he told supporters he did not choose to run for office, and so he was campaigning in reverse today. Entered on the Republican ticket for an aldermanic position, he appealed to electors to vote for his two opponents. "I didn't want to be placed on the ballot, and won't be able to serve if elected," he declared.

### Deadline For Tags April 1st

April 1 is the deadline for purchasing automobile license tags without penalty. Miss Rachel Patton, deputy in the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor, and Collector H. H. Courtney, announced yesterday. The new tags must be on all motor vehicles by midnight April 1st, or the owners will be subject to a fine and must pay penalty for not buying their plates on time. License tags must be purchased in the county where the owner resides.

New drivers are warned to secure and carry a driver's license, examinations for which are given by the State Highway Patrolmen here each Monday (except 1st Monday in each month) between the hours of 3 to 4 p. m.

Only 370 automobile license plates had been sold up to Wednesday afternoon, Miss Patton declared, which is slightly over half of the estimated total to be registered by April 1st. On the same date last year 397 pairs of plates had been purchased. On April 1st 1940, 708 cars had been registered.

Miss Patton urged all automobile owners to register their cars as soon as possible, to avoid the last minute rush which is foreseen for Monday and Tuesday. She said that it would be almost impossible to issue plates to all owners on the last two days before the deadline.

### Greek War Relief Show Scheduled

The local Rogue Theatre will stage a special motion picture show here Friday night for the benefit of the Greek War Relief Fund. All proceeds from the picture will go to the fund.

The show will be held Friday night, March 28, after the regular show and tickets may be purchased at the box office at 9:45 p. m. Admission is 10c and 20c.

The 20th Century-Fox picture "Star Dust", featuring Linda Darnell, John Payne, Roland Young and Charlotte Greenwood, will be shown. Other characters in the picture include William Gargan, Mary Beth Hughes, Mary Healey, Donald Meek and Harry Green.

The picture described as "Big as its cause" and theatre-goers are assured of receiving full value for their money and at the same time aiding the brave defenders of Democracy.

#### TO EL PASO

Mrs. T. J. Daffern, Mrs. L. J. Barkley and Miss Julia Davis left Saturday for El Paso, where they visited until Tuesday, when Miss Davis continued to Deming, New Mexico, where she will be employed with her aunt in a beauty parlor.

### RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

... of glyptic bark from ... night trees will always ... the fires that heat ambi- ... lonely, singing kettles.

... perhaps many romantic cow- ... songs would have remained ... if the writers had fol- ... range hands in the role of ... lives during a rainy calving ...

... hanging on a high trestle of un- ... arms, the power lines sway ... a great spider's web left in ... darkness and winter wind. ... is no warmth in the cold ... or suspended through bleak ... as it spans rivers and rugged ... hills. But heat, power and ... rush through the small ... against the sky that life ... yield a sweeter kernel.

... know that distance is an ... pain but a degree in the ... most select fraternity.

... with his weight on the decaying ... of failure, the friendly old ... holds a small candle poured ... the wax of dreams. He de- ... no more than to sail a small ... beyond the sight of land; man ... the prairies who never wited ... the sea.

... give a pretty to know what ... the red-faced cowboy is ... now after a score of ... have stampeded over his ... since the chilly morning he ... the outfit. The boss pointed ... star-faced bay in the remuda ... the rider tossed away his ... without lighting it. He ... his saddle on the twisting ... snubbed tight and eared by ... hands, then sprang into ... stirrups with a recklessness ... betrayed his fear. He rode for ... he was worth but it was not ... hush. His hat fell beside him ... the bay horse continued to ... with the stirrups flapping ... above the empty saddle can- ... Rising slowly, the cowboy re- ... his chaps and spurs, then ... that as he knelt and promised ... he would never ride again. ... walked slowly toward the ... without looking back.

... clattering in a spasm of decay ... old car dripped thick, black ... on the pavement like a ... unded animal awaiting the ... thrust of dissolution. How- ... there was a trace of pride in ... thin woman's eyes as she ... ed a smear of grease from the ... ditor with the baggy sleeve of ... dress. The timid man lowered ... rusty hood carefully and ... ned it with a piece of wire. A ... girl brushed back her pic- ... and tossed away a handful ... flint rocks as the trio climbed ... the shaking car. Reflection of ... sunset danced on the grimy ... shield and California license ...

... slowly the great crimson cherry ... through a sky of copper ... obvous and the tumbler of an- ... er great day is drained of ... ndor. Once emptied, the glass ... shattered on the tiled floor of ... and swept into the heap of ... berdays. Beauty is slight ... comfort in the melancholy hour ... then we must toast the forever ... parting day that brought will- ... a few cultured pearls of ...

... Obsessed by the strange mad- ... which reflects this old world ... a rosy mirage, I once paid a ... tential retainer on a flaming ... laire, while the jewelry clerk ... raised me in silence. Before ... second installment was due I ... eived a brief note that left me ... pping for bubbles in the clab- ... er current of reality. Days ... I returned to the store to ... it my hasty conclusions and ... k adjustment. The clerk smiled ... a manner that did not hurt. ... other had purchased the ring ... the size had not been changed. ... tly he wrote a credit slip for ... full amount and ushered me ... the luggage department.

### New Chevrolet Fleetline Draws Interest



Dealers are reporting an enthusiastic response to the new Chevrolet Fleetline model introduced early for the spring selling season. The photo shows a scene typical of dealers' salesrooms, with a group noting with approval the construction which has eliminated the rear-quarter window.

### Need Of Planning Is Cited

Farm planning time being at hand, a complete plan should comprehensively consider all resources as in any other business, says J. Rufus Emmons, County Agricultural Agent, since planning time is equal in importance to planting time on Motley County farms.

Farm resources include land, labor, equipment, buildings, feed, livestock, and money or credit for current operation. Other factors, such as available markets and road conditions, are elements of almost equal importance.

A farm business plan, he explains, falls naturally into three divisions or phases. First, there is the plan for crop production, which involves the field layout of the farm, the cropping system, labor and equipment necessary for growing and harvesting crops, and facilities for storage and marketing.

The second is the livestock production plan, which involves the kind and numbers of livestock to be raised, the feed, labor, equipment, shelter, sanitation program marketing plan; and the third is the budget for expense and income.

Emmons reminds farmers that soundness of any plan of production and marketing depends upon its ability to yield the maximum return over costs, and that expense of operation on any farm must be guessed at if no accounts are kept. By using the Texas Farm Record Book, which has been prepared by specialists at Texas A. & M. College, he adds, farmers can budget their expenses as accurately as the corresponding estimates of other businesses.

"In addition to the record book, which costs 25c the Extension Service has available for free distribution through county agricultural agents two pamphlets which may be of assistance in planning farm operations," the specialist says. "One is entitled 'How to tell whether you went forward or backward financially on your farm during the year,' and the other 'Farm and home production plan.'"

### Whiteflat News

Ida B. Armstrong, Kambell Sr., and son, Guy, spent the week end in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliam and daughters, Ernestine and Betty, visited in Lubbock.

Allen, student at Texas Tech, spent the week end, visiting friends and relatives.

Tom Tilson Sr., was a visitor Saturday.

Evelyn Moore, girls' coach, accompanied the Quittaque Tuesday evening making the trip were: Estelle Morriss, Dorothy Murphy, Estelle Morriss, Jaunce Wilkinson, Dorothy Case, Betty Sue Knoy, Mae Cox, Bessie Ruth Leulah Ridley, Gladys Cook, and Vinson, Peggy Jean Spray, Mae Lowder, Frankie Spray, Cook and Ida Belle Armstrong. Quittaque won the game seven sets were played.

Quittaque is the smallest governing dominion of the Empire.

### Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. D. Mitchell  
NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham are the proud parents of a little son who arrived Thursday in the Traweeek hospital at Matador. He has been named Bobby Mack.

Miss Bess Medlen visited relatives in Abilene during the week end. She was accompanied by Mrs. Arla Carpenter of LeFors.

Olen Barker of Hamilton visited with the J. D. Mitchell family Monday and Tuesday.

Judge G. E. Hamilton of Matador was attending to business here Monday afternoon.

Billy Keahy and Gus Cooper of Lubbock and W. W. Keahy visited friends in Spur Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Havis and family spent the week end visiting relatives near Baileyboro.

Elwanda Godfrey, student in Texas Tech, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Godfrey this week end.

Mrs. Sid Clark, Roscoe Clark

and Rosalind Mitchell of Lubbock visited in the J. D. Mitchell home Sunday.

Mrs. K. Jones returned Sunday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Lubbock. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Pauline Barrier.

### Northfield News

By Mrs. C. D. Kincanon  
(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wade, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Collins and Misses Velma Collins and Katy Lou Thomas visited relatives at Sunset over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Simpson and son Billie Paul, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tipton.

Otto Carrick visited relatives in Tell, Sunday.

A. B. Henderson and Otto Carrick attended the teachers meeting at Canyon, Friday.

Bruce Byrons and T. Garrison of Tell, transacted business here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kincanon transacted business in Matador, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs.

### Dates Are Named For Short Course

H. H. Williamson, director of Extension Service for A. & M. College, announces that the week beginning Sunday, July 13, thru Friday, July 18, has been selected as the period for the 1941 Farmers' Short Course at the College. The tentative program sets Sunday, Monday and Tuesday for the farm men and women's program; Wednesday for agents' conference, and Thursday and Friday for 4-H boys' and girls' programs.

Several nationally known men, including Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard, are expected to be present and speak.

Director Williamson; D. L. Weddington, executive assistant; Geo. E. Adams, vice director and state agent, and Mildred Horton, vice director and state home demonstration agent, comprise the executive committee.

The Short Course program committee consists of Roy Snyder, chairman; L. L. Johnson; Onah Jacks; R. E. Callender; R. G. Burwell; Bess Edwards, Mae Belle Smith and Myrtle Murray.

### Foreign Cooking Terms

Our cooking terms come from many sources. Old English gave us bake, cook, sear, steam, and stew; German gave us roast; and Guiana gave us barbecue.

A child costs \$6150, according to estimates of an insurance company, including expenses from birth until it is 18 years old.

The kingfisher, a bird which is an expert at catching fish, is not a swimming bird.

Some of the world's narrowest streets are to be found in Zanzibar and Great Yarmouth.

Approximately 28 persons die in fires in the United States every day.

Edd Thompson and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Kincanon were guests in the home of Will Thompson and family Sunday.

Delmont Hays transacted business in Matador Monday.

Mrs. R. E. Florence and daughter Wilda, made a trip to Dallas Tuesday, returning home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich of Colorado, is visiting Mrs. Goodrich's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays.

O. F. Etheredge was called to Rotan last week to be at the bedside of his aged father, who is seriously ill.

Miss Maye Florence visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. D. Kincanon.

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MRS. DOUGLAS MEADOR, Editor

## Lois Cook And Tutt Garnett Are United In Marriage Saturday Bride To Continue With Duties As County Treasurer

Miss Lois Cook, county treasurer of Motley County, and Tutt Garnett of Roaring Springs were united in marriage Saturday night at Roaring Springs, Roy Stephens, Church of Christ Minister of that place performed the single ring ceremony which was witnessed by Mrs. Stephens.

The bride was attired in a navy blue dress trimmed with white, with which she used navy accessories. For "something old" and "something borrowed" she wore a brooch belonging to Mr. Garnett's mother.

Mrs. Garnett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cook of Matador. She is well-known throughout the county, having lived here practically all her life with the exception of about five years when the family made their home at Coahoma, where she was graduated from high school. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Garnett of the Flag Springs community, residents of the county for a number of years. His occupations include ranch work and trucking.

They will make their home at Matador and Mrs. Garnett will continue with her duties as county treasurer, to which office she was elected last fall.

The many friends of the young couple join in wishing for them much happiness.

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## YOUNG PEOPLE ENTERTAINED

Twenty-seven young people of the Roaring Springs community met Thursday evening in the home of the Baptist pastor, Rev. Walter Brian and Mrs. Brian, as guests for a social hour, and organization of Royal Ambassadors. Nine boys were present.

A girl's Auxiliary to the W. M. U. had previously been organized.

A special feature of the evening's entertainment was music furnished by Lee Frazier, revival singer from Hagerman, New Mexico.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Brian.

## SEVERAL HEAR HELEN KELLER

Among Matador residents who drove to Plainview Monday evening to hear Helen Keller, who was presented in a lecture by the Kiwanis Club and Junior Service League, were: Mr. and Mrs. James Neblett, Henry Pipkin, Mrs. Mae McKenzie, Miss Thersia Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford and Mesdames J. R. Whitworth and Ben Meador.

## Golden Rule Class Has Business Meet

The Golden Rule class of the Young Peoples Department of the Baptist Sunday School conducted a business meeting in the home of Frances Stearns last Monday night.

Following the business meeting games of bingo were played. Refreshments were served to Frances Carpenter, Juanita Mize, Margie Ballard, Mavinee Russell, Estelle Martin, Mrs. R. E. Campbell, the teacher, three guests, Patsy Ballard, Frances Seigler, and Johnnie Belle Willis, and the hostess.

## LOCAL GIRL IN COWGIRL BAND TOUR

Miss Lela Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carpenter of Matador, who is attending Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, is one of the members of the University Cowgirl Band which started Monday on a Spring concert of 16 West Texas cities. The trip will be climaxed with a trip into Mexico.

One of the newer organizations of HSU, the band is under the direction of Herbert M. Preston and under the management of Harry H. Hayes. Its repertoire includes marches, semiclassical and popular numbers.

Thirty-seven members are making the tour. Miss Carpenter is in the saxophone section of the band.

## FLOMOT COUPLE MARRIED MARCH, 14

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Genelle Stander and John Bourland, of Flomot, in a ceremony performed at Lubbock, on Friday, March 14. Rev. C. E. Hereford, pastor of the First Baptist Church there, read the vows.

Mrs. Bourland is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Stander of Turkey. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bourland also of Flomot. He attended Matador High School, from which he graduated several years ago.

The young couple will make their home at Flomot, where Mr. Bourland is in the service station business.

Their many friends wish for them much happiness in their marriage.

A home remedy which keeps birds from pulling up corn is to mix a table-spoonful of crude carbolic acid with two gallons of seed corn. Place the corn in the planter hopper and stir thoroughly with a paddle. Acid injures the hands.

## DISTRICT DEPUTY VISITS LOCAL OES

Mrs. Thelma Bairfield of Clarendon, Deputy Grand Matron of District No. 2, made her annual visit with the local Eastern Star lodge in a meeting Wednesday night of last week.

A delicious dinner was served preceding the lodge rituals, with approximately twenty-five members present.

Mrs. Bairfield was the overnight guest of Mrs. W. L. McWilliams, Worthy Matron, at her home at Whiteflat.

## EASTER MOTIF IS REFLECTED AT PARTIES

An Easter motif was used for party appointments during the past week when two local clubs met.

Gift wrappings, tallies and refreshment plates reflected the approaching season at regular meetings of the Four O'Clock Club, held in the home of Mrs. J. S. Stanley Tuesday afternoon.

High score for club members was held by Mrs. Annie Tudor, with Mrs. Earl Laughlin receiving second high, and Mrs. R. E. Donovan, guest high.

Others present were: Mesdames L. R. Bishop, U. L. Willie, Robert Collier, George Gray and W. W. Clements.

### Friday Club Meets

The meeting of the Friday Club was postponed until Saturday afternoon, with Mrs. D. E. Pitts as hostess.

Mrs. D. I. W. Birnie held high score at the conclusion of the games, with second high going to Mrs. Alvin Stearns.

Easter appointments were used, and a dainty salad plate was served for refreshments to the following: Mesdames Harry Campbell, W. W. Clements, J. W. Drace, B. F. Tunnell, Robert Collier, J. S. Stanley, Birnie and Stearns.

## Pied 'Pinions BY MRS. M.

Monday night as I sat in an audience before which Helen Keller stood, and witnessed the miracle of speech issuing from a throat mute since infancy, I felt as though I were in the presence of God himself, and that I should remove my shoes on such hallowed ground, as Moses of old before the burning bush.

My admiration for one who so completely and thoroughly overcame the handicaps which nature inflicted on her, has known no limits since that day in school when I first heard of Helen Keller, through a practice sentence in a shorthand manual.

So removed has her existence been from the ordinary sphere, that she has become thru the years, more a fictional character than a person of flesh and blood.

Miss Keller was accompanied by her friend and secretary, Miss Polly Thomson, who has filled the gap left by the death of her beloved teacher, Anne Sullivan Macy several years ago. The attachment and devotion which Miss Thomson bears for Miss Keller is a lovely tribute to the influence which the blind woman exerts.

With great enthusiasm and agility, belying her 61 years, Miss Keller fairly bubbled with the zest of living. As her companion explained the circumstances which left a child of 19 months, deaf, mute and blind, and the subsequent years of effort beginning when she was 7 years old, by Mrs. Macy, to bring light into a world

of darkness, Miss Keller's fingers were almost constantly on the speaker's lips. Frequent smiles burst upon Miss Keller's face and she would nod her head in confirmation of some statement made. At times laughter would overcome the two and they would grasp each other about the waist.

With super-sensitiveness, Miss Keller knows by the vibrations thru her feet when the audience is laughing or applauding. She can also distinguish one musical instrument from another, and her knowledge of musical selections is practically unlimited. By the touch of the curtains, she was able to "hear" the choral selections which were given by a group of women appearing on the program. She attends opera, picture shows and stage productions. In order that she might "hear" these, Miss Thomson spells at the rapid rate of 85 words a minute, into Miss Keller's palm, describing the play, and repeating the dialogue.

The place was filled with awe as Miss Keller began to repeat words after Miss Thomson, to illustrate the difficult manner in which she first learned to speak, and that the audience might become familiar with her voice. During her address, Miss Thomson repeated for the benefit of those who had difficulty in understanding her diction.

Although she has never heard a voice, Miss Keller speaks five languages besides the English, and she presents with eloquence, her message of peace in a war-ridden world.

She named the Bible as her favorite book, in answer to a question, and Miss Thomson stated that it was a beautiful sight to see Miss Keller bend over her Bible, which she reads daily.

"Miss Keller, who by her determination to see hear and speak, has overcome seemingly insurmountable difficulties, was born in Tuscumbia, Alabama, June 27th 1880. From 1887 on, Anne Sullivan Macy was her instructor and companion, and thru her Miss Keller has come to know the privileges of speech and "hearing" in her own individual way. In spite of her handicaps, she entered Radcliffe College at Cambridge,

Massachusetts in 1900, and after four years was graduated with honors, and is regarded as the world's most famous deaf-blind woman in all history.

"Not content with all these achievements for herself, her aim and constant dream is to help others who have the same handicaps, to find a joy in life which would not otherwise be theirs. The American Foundation for the Blind, New York City, is endeavoring to accomplish this end, and thru this organization Helen Keller is making her dream come true."

## R. J. Davis Heads Tech Exhibits

R. J. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis of Roaring Springs, has been elected Electronic Manager of the 13th Annual Engineers' Show to be held at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, April 4-5.

The opening ceremony of the show is scheduled to be held at 1:30 p. m. Friday, April 4, from which time the show will be in operation until 10:00 o'clock that night. The following day, the show will be opened at 1:00 p. m. and will continue until midnight. All exhibits are designed and made by the engineering students of the college.

Each of the departments, Agriculture and Allied Arts, the Chemical, Industrial, Petroleum, and Textile Engineering, and the Department of Physics, and the Engineer corps of the Tech R. O. T. C. Unit, is headed by a manager, a senior student elected by the students of that department. Davis is a senior engineering

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student, majoring in electrical engineering, and a member of the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society at Tech. He was graduated from Roaring Springs High School in 1931, and has received two scholarships.

As Electronics Manager, he fulfills the duties of coordinating the work in that particular department of electrical engineering which is concerned with the electronic operation of vacuum tube equipment. In this capacity, he also arranges the demonstrations and exhibits and gives help to those students designing exhibits for the show. The Tech Engineers' Show is sponsored by the senior engineering students of Tech and is open to the public at no admission charge.

Neatness and health of plants are promoted through removal of dead and diseased branches. Waters from the Nile maintain their silver color far into the Mediterranean.

### CAFE NAME IS CHANGED

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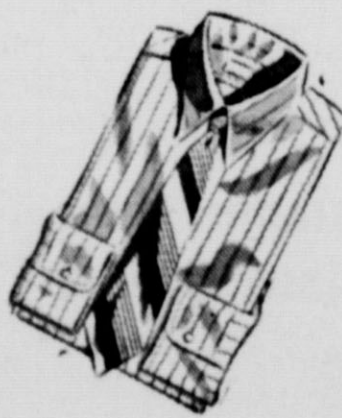
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# A REPORT to America

The Ford Motor Company's business has always been to serve the needs of the American people. In providing them with low-cost transportation for the past 38 years, we have developed one of the country's largest and most useful industrial units. During a national emergency, we feel that these facilities should be devoted without reserve to our country's needs. Toward that end we started rolling months ago, with these results:

- 1 A \$21,000,000 Ford airplane engine factory, started only 6 months ago, is nearly completed. Production will start with an initial order for 4,236 eighteen cylinder, air-cooled, double-row, radial engines.
- 2 We are building a new \$800,000 Ford magnesium alloy foundry, one of the few in the country. It is already producing lightweight airplane engine castings.
- 3 Army reconnaissance cars — military vehicles of an entirely new type — are rolling off special Ford assembly lines at the rate of more than 600 a month. We have produced Army staff cars and bomber service trucks.
- 4 The government has given the "go-ahead" and work is now under way for the fast construction of an \$11,000,000 Ford plant to produce bomber airframe assemblies by mass production methods.

- 5 Several months ago work was started, on our own initiative, on an entirely new 1500 horsepower airplane engine especially designed for mass production. This engine is now in the test stage and plans are being developed for producing it in large quantities when and if needed.
- 6 A Ford aircraft apprentice school has been established, to train 2000 students at a time.

That is a report of progress to date.

The experience and facilities of this company can be used to do much of the job which America now needs to get done in a hurry.

Our way of working, which avoids all possible red tape, enables us to get results and get them fast. This benefits users of our products and workers who produce them.

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LOCALS :

David Guest, L. H. Roscoe Fort were visitors Friday. A. P. Hodges and Miss Moore made a business trip Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wright of Mangum, Oklahoma, spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Wright's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar of Plainview, were looking after business in Matador Friday and Monday.

Mrs. W. M. Moore made a trip to Dallas Saturday to accompany Dr. Moore's daughter, Ronda, here for a visit. L. S. Jinkins of Amarillo, looked after business interests here this week, and visited his mother, Mrs. F. M. Jinkins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moore, accompanied by Mesdames John Russell, C. D. Pipkin and George Birchfield, made a trip to Lubbock Monday. Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton, accompanied by Mesdames D. C. Kieth and M. C. Greene, were Floydada visitors Monday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burgess and baby daughter visited in Lubbock Sunday. Miss Thressia Godfrey spent the week end visiting relatives in Paducah. Rev. Dee Cates of Wayland College, Plainview, visited friends here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smart and daughters of Vernon, visited with friends here Sunday. A. E. Westmoreland was a business visitor in Floydada Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McMahan, accompanied by Mrs. H. M. Solomon, made a trip to Lubbock Wednesday of last week. Curtis King, who has been employed at Abilene, visited here last week with Mrs. King, and his parents. Claud Wilson was a visitor here Monday evening and Tuesday morning, as representative for the Sweetwater Sash and Door Company. Mrs. J. O. Doolen and mother, Mrs. D. A. Goodwin and Miss Florence Burkes of Paducah, spent Sunday here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jameson and family. Accompanying Mrs. Lucille Cooper to Tulla Sunday, were Mrs. G. N. Wilson, Miss Mildred Meador, Miss Allie Mae Tipps, Joe Berry Meador and G. W. Rateliff. Mrs. J. E. Jameson Jr., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dud Stafford of Ralls, this week. ATTEND CHILDRESS BANQUET Judge G. E. Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton attended a banquet at Childress Saturday evening, where they heard Dr. David Leftowich of Dallas, Jewish Rabbi, and well-known radio commentator. Dr. Leftowich spoke on the subject, "Democracy and the Submerged Cathedral." Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton accompanied Mrs. Hamilton's sister, Mrs. B. M. Carter and their nephew, Bill Tittle of Paris, Texas, who had been visiting here since Thursday.

Letter Has Picture Of Great War

A graphic word picture of the great war in England is contained in a letter received Sunday by Judge W. R. Cammack from his niece, Mrs. Daisy Mae (Cagle) Renton, the wife of a British captain, whose home is Yorkshire, England. Many words were censored from the original letter. The graphic message is printed below:

Yorkshire, England, February 25, 1941.

Dear Uncle Will & Wife: It was good to have had a Christmas card from you—especially since the boats carrying the mail early in the war were sunk.

Up to Christmas day I had not had one letter, card or anything from the States. Then the announcement came out that the mail lay at the bottom of the sea.

It did help me to know that I hadn't really been forgotten; not that any of us has time to feel sorry for himself, even if he were so inclined.

I suppose you will have heard from the Abilene folks (Dr. Snow and wife) that I am fortunate in having my captain husband at home. He is not attached to the regular army, but works as an armament inspector instead. He goes to his office like any ordinary civilian; so our home life has not been affected greatly by the war, which is more than can be said by many, many families.

We are not allowed to discuss our air-raid experiences thru the mail, but the main thing is that Robert and I have not suffered one bit of personal injury to date.

You have no idea how perfectly ghastly a raid can be. You are in a pretty tough spot when nothing else in all the world matters except life itself. But these people who have been in the midst of the worst raids know all about the horrors of them.

Fortunately, the British never lose their sense of humor. No matter how bad a raid may be, they always say it could have been worse, and keep going.

At this time all conversations concern invasion. Will they or won't they? we ask each other, but no one can answer that question yet.

We are warned to have in our homes a two weeks supply of food just in case invasion should come.

The food situation has not yet grown too serious, though so many things are unobtainable. I sometimes think that when this war is over I shall eat a whole dozen eggs at one sitting, a giant sized sirloin steak, and other good foods that are a luxury now. One does grow a bit tired of stew, fish etc., but no one looks hungry yet. We

are growing our own lettuce, tomatoes etc. in our green house. I would like a line from you telling me about all the folks, as well as about your doings. With love, your niece—Daisy Mae (Cagle) Renton.

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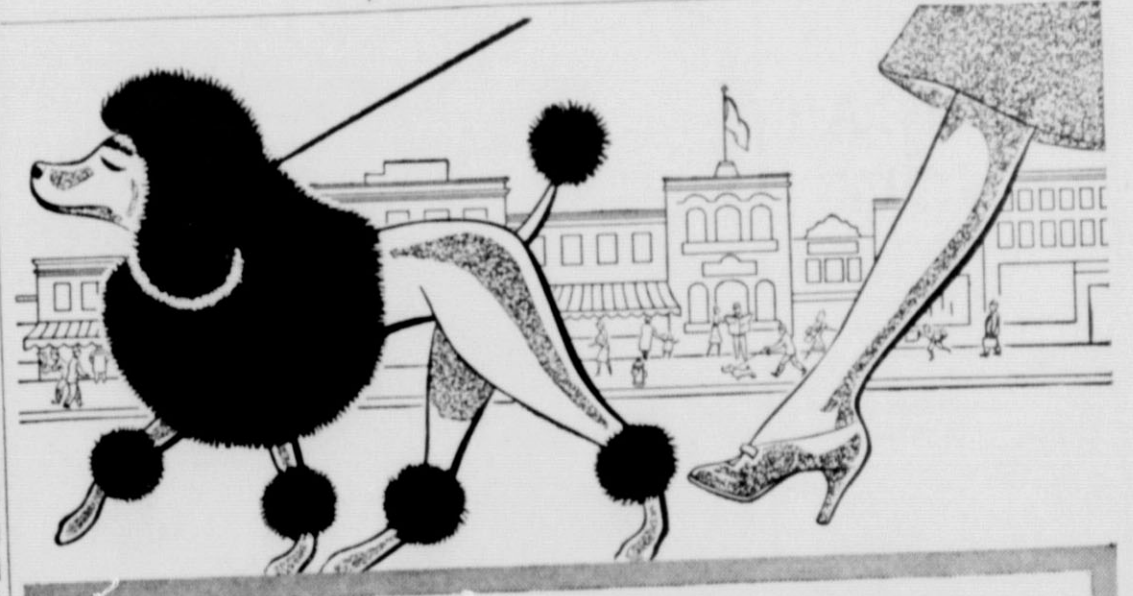
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The Whole Thing for Spring

# Cotton Stamps To Be Issued Early

Cotton order stamps, to be earned by farmers for participating in the supplementary Cotton Program, will be issued this summer as soon as possible after performance is checked under the 1941 AAA Farm Program, according to W. I. Rushing, chairman of the Motley County A. A. A. Committee.

This means that in the early cotton-producing counties of Texas, issuance of stamps may begin in late June, with the bulk of the stamps expected to be distributed during July and August.

Mr. Rushing said this estimate is based on past experience in checking cotton performance during a normal growing season. A late growing season in 1941 would, of course, delay issuance of stamps to farmers in the areas affected.

Cotton stamps will be issued to farmers who make a further voluntary reduction in their cotton acreage in 1941. Stamps can be used to purchase cotton goods in local retail stores.

Farmers may earn stamps at the rate of 10 cents a pound on the normal cotton yield of the acreage reduced. A farmer interested in only one farm may earn a maximum of \$25 in cotton stamps, except that an operator with two or more tenants or sharecroppers may earn up to \$50. A farmer interested in two or more cotton farms also may earn up to \$50, but not more than \$25 of this amount can be on one farm.

(1) Perform at least three of the items listed below for consumption when they are not otherwise available on the farm:

(a) Produce and store 100 quarts of canned or frozen foodstuffs, or the equivalent thereof.

(b) Produce and store 20 bushels of Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, and/or other root crops.

(c) Produce and store 3 bushels of edible, dried, shelled cowpeas and/or beans, or their equivalent in unshelled cowpeas and/or beans.

(d) Produce and store 5 bushels of unshelled peanuts.

(e) Produce and store 15 gallons of sirup.

(f) Produce and store 10 bushels of cereal grains other than corn.

(2) Store at least 300 quarts of canned or frozen foodstuffs, or

the equivalent thereof.

In no event may a landlord, tenant or sharecropper receive credit for more than \$3 for carrying out this practice, regardless of the number of farms in which he is interested, the chairman said. Moreover, no payment will be made unless performance under this practice is in addition to his usual production of food, as indicated by his certification on the application for payment.

### Questions Answered

The following question and answers pertain to the supplementary cotton program:

1. Q. What additional assistance is offered for encouraging increased food production and storage for home use, and who is eligible for this assistance?

A. Any owner, landlord, tenant, or sharecropper on a farm which qualifies for a cotton order stamp payment, may also earn cash payment of \$3 by carrying out a designated practice designated to improve and increase food production and storage for home use.

2. Q. Will the \$3 payment be divided among tenants and landlords?

A. No. Each producer who carries out a food production and storage practice will receive the entire payment of \$3.

3. Q. Must the food referred to in this practice be grown on the farm?

A. Yes. The food which qualifies the producer for the \$3 payment must be grown on the farm for consumption by the producer and his family.

4. Q. May a producer receive credit for more than one such practice during 1941?

A. No.

5. Q. Must food requirements under this practice be in addition to the practices customarily carried out by the farm family?

A. Yes. No payment will be made unless performance under this practice is in addition to the producer's usual production of food crops, as indicated by his certificate on the application for payment.

6. Q. Will the \$3 special payment be included in the farm's regular soil-building allowance?

A. No. The \$3 payment is an added payment for a special practice, and will not be included in the soil-building allowance.

7. Q. After the cotton farmer has been given cotton stamps for voluntarily reducing cotton acreage under the Supplementary Cotton Program, what can he do with them?

A. He can use them in any co-operating retail store or mail order house, in exchange for new products made entirely from cotton fiber produced in the United States. Bindings, buttons, and other fasteners and trimmings shall not be considered in determining whether such commodity is made entirely of cotton.

8. Q. How will we know whether a store is cooperating in the program?

A. By asking within the store, however, experience of the Department of Agriculture with similar programs, the Cotton Stamp Plan, shows that nearly every retail store which sells cotton goods does cooperate. Most cooperating stores will display signs announcing their acceptance of cotton order stamps.

## French Maid Chorus Of "Swing Out"



Girls dressed as French Maids present one of the outstanding choruses of "Swing Out", the musical comedy to be presented here Thursday and Friday March 27-28, under the auspices of the Matador high school. The girls, above, indicate the charm and color which play-goers may expect. The above scene is not a local cast. Costumes are made in

an unusual color scheme of gray and pink with full circular skirts and frilly pink accessories.

Miss Bee Smith, director of the production, declares that another chorus of outstanding merit will be witnessed in the Military Chorus, with its fast moving routine and girls styled in blue and gold attire. They will also wear full swinging military capes.

The original melody of "Swing Out" was written especially for the show and is declared to be a rare tune with instant appeal for everyone. The number is done by the "High Hat Girls".

All music and choruses are in addition to the play, which will provide the public with a full evening of delightful entertainment.

9. Q. Can purchases be made by mail?

A. Stores which qualify under special Surplus Marketing Administration mail order regulations will be authorized to accept cotton stamps on orders sent by mail, in addition to their authority to receive cotton order stamps on over-the-counter transactions.

10. Q. What are some of the cotton products that can be bought with cotton stamps?

A. Cotton piece goods, dresses, shirts, sheets, pants, overalls, children's and infants' clothes, underwear, mattresses, blankets, work gloves, piowlines, stockings, and any other cotton products.

11. Q. May cotton stamps be used to buy second-hand clothes or renovated mattresses?

A. No. Cotton stamps may be used to buy only new products which are made entirely of cotton.

12. Q. Will persons using cotton stamps get the same cotton products as persons who pay cash?

A. Yes, and at the same price.

13. Q. May retail merchants give change to customers using cotton stamps?

A. No. Since merchants cannot give change and since cotton stamps are printed only in 25-cent denominations, what is done when the price of the cotton goods purchased does not come out exactly to 25 cents, or some other multiple of 25?

A. Suppose the purchase price is 60 cents. (1) The customer could give two cotton stamps representing 50 cents to the merchant and pay the additional 10 cents in cash, or (2) the purchaser could give the merchant three cotton order stamps representing 75 cents and buy some other cotton goods product that costs 15 cents, or (3) the customer could give three cotton order stamps representing 75 cents to the merchant and receive from the merchant a credit slip for 15 cents which could be used later for the purchase of cotton goods at the same store.

An Ohio Experiment Station reports daily feeding three-tenths of a pound of cane molasses to lambs has proved effective against "over-eating" disease, or appoplexy, for the third successive year.

management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, said she was particularly interested in that part of the program which provides loans for installing bathroom fixtures, sinks, and for developing facilities for subsistence gardens and truck crops up to one acre of land.

"In an area where water is so important for growing fruits and vegetables, I know there will be a great increase in the number of good gardens as result of this special program," she said.

Mr. Coulson said that in spite of the fact that his office has received a large number of applications for Water Facilities loans, he is anxious that more eligible farmers participate in this improvement program.

He explained that low-income farmers and others who cannot obtain adequate credit elsewhere are eligible to apply to FSA for one of the loans. Farm owners, farm tenants and farm operators are eligible to make application for Water Facilities loans.

Mr. Coulson reminded readers of the Matador Tribune that facilities which may be installed with funds borrowed from the Federal Government include repairs providing wells, cisterns, installation of windmills, troughs, storage tanks, bath fixtures, sinks, pipes, etc.

He said that full details be obtained by anyone calling the Motley County FSA office, the First State Bank Building, Matador.

Emergency crop and feed made to farmers who cannot obtain adequate short-term financing from regular credit sources increased 15 per cent in 1940 and 29 per cent in amount due 1940.

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**Water Facilities Are Improved On Motley Farms**

Many farm homes in Motley county will be improved, more and better stock tanks will be made available to livestock and dozens of additional storage cisterns will be packed full of canned fruits and vegetables this year as a result of the Water Facilities Program, according to Walter D. Coulson, county supervisor for the Farm Security Administration.

Mr. Coulson said his office has received a large number of applications from farmers in the county for loans to install facilities which are available under this Federal project.

He said several of the loans had been approved and that work is now in progress on several farms. Miss Allie Mae Tipps, home

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### Show ...

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 second year club work, has one pig for show.  
 (9.) Granvil Brownlow, age 12, first year club work, has one pig for show. (10.) Grady Glenn, age 11, second year club work, has two pigs for show. (11.) Leon Kingery, age 14, first year club work, has one junior calf. (12.) Clyde Williams, age 14, first year club work, has one junior calf for show.

**Flomot**  
 (1.) Leldon Bynum, age 15, second year club work, has one senior calf for show. (2.) Leonard Crowell, age 15, fourth year club work, has one junior and one senior calf for show. (3.) M. C. Jones, age 11, first year club work, has one junior calf for show. (4.) J. A. Welch, age 13, first year club work, has one junior calf for show. (5.) Edsel Martin, age 15, first year club work, has one junior calf for show. (6.) Dale Preston Moseley, age 15, first year club work, has 2 pigs for show.

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(1.) Travis McDonald, age 15, first year club work, has one junior calf for show. (2.) Foy McDonald, age 13, second year club work, has one junior calf for show. (3.) Dale Ashford, age 11, second year club work, has one senior calf for show. (4.) Jackie Simpson, age 12, first year club work, has one junior calf for show. (5.) Billie Dan Thomas, age 10, first year club work, has one junior calf for show.

**Matador**  
 (1.) Curtis Martin, age 13, second year club work, has one junior calf and 1 senior calf. (2.) Donald Reeves, age 12, second year club work, has 3 senior calves. (3.) Raldo James, age 13, second year club work, has one junior calf and one senior calf. (4.) James Rufus Fish, age 15, first year club work, has one senior calf. (5.) John Farris Fish, age 11, first year club work, has one junior calf. (6.) Bill Rushing, age 14, second year club work, has two junior calves and one senior calf. (7.) Bob Rushing, age 11, second year club work, has two junior calves and one senior calf. (8.) Thomas Bourland, age 17, fourth year club work, has three junior calves and two senior calves. (9.) Bob Browning, age 11, first year club work, has one senior calf. (10.) William Curtis Graham, age 10, first year club work, has one junior calf. (11.) Don Paul Keith, age 12, first year club work, has 2 junior calves.

### Lion Zone Meet Is Called At Turkey

Zone Chairman, John Stapleton of Floydada, has called a zone meeting for Tuesday, April 1, to be held at Turkey, it was announced by officials of the Matador Lions Club yesterday. All Lions are urged to attend, especially those who need to build up their attendance records.  
 The regular meeting of the Matador Lions Club will be held in the basement of the Methodist church at 12:30 Tuesday and all members are urged to be present since an interesting program and many important business matters are scheduled.

### Rains ...

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 March 1.17, total 3.11.  
 1932, January 1.60, February 1.17, March 0, total 2.77.  
 1933, January .60, February 1.12, March .40, total 2.12.  
 1934, January .37, February 0, March 2.47, total 2.84.  
 1935, January 0, February .48, March 1.30, total 1.78.  
 1936, January .58, February 0, March .22, total .80.  
 1937, January .30, February 0, March 1.79, total 2.09.  
 1938, January .43, February 2.51, March 1, total 3.94.  
 1939, January 2.55, February .05, March .15, total 2.75.  
 1940, January .17, February 1.38, March 0, total 1.55.

### Colder Here Wednesday

Following the six days of continued mist and rain, the mercury dropped sharply yesterday after reports of five inches of snow at Amarillo were received. However, it was believed little if any damage would result from the cold snap.  
 Reports indicate that the rainfall was not only general over the county but included the entire Panhandle of Texas and eastern New Mexico.

### Pipkin ...

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 who were present at the funeral, are: William and Cecil of Matador, Clyde of Dalhart, Earl of Lubbock, and Leslie of Turkey. Other immediate survivors, in addition to the widow, include 12 grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. J. E. Poteet of Matador, and five brothers: Henry and Sam of Matador, George, of Crosbyton, Claud of Monahans, and Bush of McAdoo. These, accompanied by their families attended the services.  
**Early Day Pastor**  
 At an early age, Rev. Pipkin was converted and united with the Methodist Church. Some years

later he was licensed to preach, and in the fall of 1906 he joined the Northwest Texas Conference.

Ministering to the spiritual needs of the early settlers was not an easy task, but one which Rev. Pipkin accomplished with zeal and earnestness characteristic of the circuit preacher. Nor did he confine his services to preaching, as he was instrumental in the building of several church edifices, including those at Quitaque and Turkey.  
 On his arrival in Motley County, he filed on land which he retained during his various pastoral jobs over the country. These included Kirkland, Turkey, Crosbyton, or "Emma" as it was then known, Estacado, Cone, Vera, Flomot, and Quitaque. He also served as pastor for the Northfield community, going there once a month to preach.

Rev. Pipkin served as pastor for fifteen years, when on account of poor health he first took the Supernumerary relation and a few years later he superannuated. Since that time he had made his home in Matador. After his retirement as pastor, he performed many marriage ceremonies, and conducted many funerals. His interest in his church was always first in his life and until his illness last year had taught a Sunday School class most of the time.

"Brother Pipkin was a good man, a strong preacher, a useful citizen, a faithful neighbor and a devoted father and husband," Rev. Vaughn said in paying tribute to his passing. "He died as he had lived. In a very quiet and peaceful way in the presence of his family, his spirit went to be with God. We shall all miss him, but thank God we know where to find him in the better world."

### MANY ATTEND PIPKIN RITES

Many out-of-town friends and relatives gathered here Friday afternoon to pay their respects in attending funeral services for Rev. C. D. Pipkin, pioneer preacher of this section.

Among those who were present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Orwin Roy of Crosbyton; Mrs. L. S. Futrell, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones and family of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bush, Mrs. Martin Stanridge, Mrs. Clyde Foster, Mrs. Bunkley Foster, Mrs. Lee Clary and daughter, all of Paducah; Mrs. Wallace McArthur of Prescott, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Needles, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones, Prof. Butts and family and Rev. and Mrs. Berry Baker and family, all of McAdoo; Oscar Bass of Plainview, Horace Edmondson of Tullia; Mrs. Howard Irby, Mesdames Henry, Paul and Joe Meacham, Mrs. Porter Lacy, Dr. and Mrs. M. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nail, and Mrs. Leslie Pipkin and small son, all of Turkey.

Jim McCarty, Hugh Taylor, Clifford Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robinson and Mesdames Ford, Henderson, Tom Hurd and J. D. Jeffcoat, of Vera; Mrs. Clyde Pipkin and children of Dalhart.

Also present were hosts of friends from other communities including Flomot and Whiteflat.

### Northfield News

By Mrs. C. D. Kineanon

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kineanon transacted business in Pampa, Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Tipton visited her sister and family, Mrs. A. A. Tipton, at Matador Monday.

W. W. Bain received treatment at Traweck Hospital Sunday, for injuries received Saturday when he was kicked by a calf.

Mrs. Homer Ring of Wichita Falls is visiting her daughters, Mrs. T. B. Bain, and Mrs. Delmont Hays.

Mrs. Ben Fisher has moved back to Northfield from Childress, where they have been making their home. Mr. Fisher has gone to Fort Worth for employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and Mrs. W. W. Bain visited Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tipton Sunday.

Mrs. Reford Vaughn visited her husband in Childress over the week end.

Mrs. B. J. Boyd and baby son returned home Saturday. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich returned to their home in Colorado last week, after a visit with her son, Delmont Hays and family.

W. O. Carrick and C. M. McDonald visited Mr. Carrick's parents at Tell, Sunday afternoon.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and words of consolation during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

May God's richest blessing rest upon each and every one of you. "A precious one from us is gone. A voice that is stilled. A place is vacant in our home which never can be filled."

Mrs. Annie A. Hamiter and family,  
 Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kirk.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS MEETING THURSDAY

The Win-Some class of the Baptist Sunday School met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, the teacher, for a business and social meeting.

Following a short business session, the evening was spent making candy and popping corn.

Those present were: Misses Chloey Fuller, Ella Mae Chambliss, Maxine Greene, Wandell Berryman, Mary Ola Tipton,

Virginia Estes and Dorothy Woodruff.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who tendered words of sympathy, acts of kindness and the beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

It is our prayer that the blessings of God shall rest upon each of you.

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New drivers must secure and carry a drivers license, examinations for which are given by State Highway Patrolmen each Monday, except the first Monday in the month, from 3 o'clock to 4 o'clock in Matador.

# H.H. Courtney

Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector