

Matador Tribune



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Civilian Defense In County Is Praised

Extensive Drive For Volunteers To Start Tuesday

Motley county's Civilian Defense set-up has received high praise from F. A. Wells of Amarillo, official in charge of this district. The commendation was made last week after inspection of arrangements, it was announced by County Judge W. R. Cammack, chairman of the County Defense Committee. Mr. Wells expressed entire satisfaction with the progress that has been made. However, the vital power of the county civilian defense will depend upon the number of volunteers who accept the responsibility of protecting lives and property in case of an emergency. An extensive membership drive will start at Roaring Springs, Tuesday, with registration at the Womack building from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. All able-bodied men and women in the county are urged to volunteer (excepting men subject to military draft). Volunteers will be classified and assigned duties after the registration is complete.

In All Communities Registrations will be held throughout the county, for the convenience of those who will volunteer their services to training and duties for as much time as their work will permit. C. A. Pitts, Chief of Voluntary Participation, who is manager of the Matador West Texas Utilities office, announced the schedule of registrations as follows: Whiteflat, Wednesday, February 4, at Acker's store from 2 to 4 p. m. Flomot, Thursday, February 5th, at Clement's Barber shop from 2 to 4 p. m.; Northfield, Friday, February 6, at the school house from 2 to 4 p. m. and Matador Saturday, February 7, at the American Legion building from 1 to 5 p. m.

Mr. Pitts said that he had met with enthusiastic assurance of volunteers in every community visited. Citizens of Northfield told him they would have 100 to register. Volunteers may register for one or more of a variety of duties.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR PRESIDENTS PARTY TONIGHT

Over 40 tickets have already been sold and plans are complete for President Roosevelt's Birthday Celebration in Motley county, to be held in the Luckett building, Matador, according to Mrs. U. L. Wilie, 1942 chairman of the county campaign.

Honoring the president's 60th birthday, proceeds of the nationwide drive will raise funds to aid the drive to stamp out infantile paralysis. Half of the net proceeds from the celebration will be retained in the county to aid any children afflicted with the dreaded disease, or to be used for other needy causes.

Visitors from neighboring communities and counties are expected to bring attendance to a possible 150 couples.

Tickets are still available and those who are not interested in the celebration, are urged to purchase tickets with the assurance that the proceeds will be used for the identical worthy cause. It is hoped that the proceeds will be greater this year than ever before.

VISIT IN WHARTON Mrs. W. R. Dirickson, together with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Dirickson, and a granddaughter, Miss Paula Patton spent the week end visiting in Wharton, Texas, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Eidsen, the latter being Mrs. Dirickson's daughter, and Miss Patton's mother.

VISITS FROM McLEAN Mrs. Ed. D. Smith of McLean, is visiting here with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed D. Smith Jr., at McDonald Camp.

APPROVAL MADE OF MORE SHELTERBELT

Two miles of shelterbelt has been approved for planting this winter in the Matador planting area according to County Agent J. Rufus Emmons. Farms approved for planting are Charles Long and G. C. Williams.

Trees for three additional miles are available for planting in the county this winter. Landowners interested in having a shelterbelt planted should apply immediately to the county Agent's Office. Examination will be made of all farms where plantings are desired and where conditions are suitable for tree growth the Forest Service will furnish and plant the trees without cost to the landowner providing he will agree to cultivate and protect the trees.

Conditions are especially favorable for tree planting this year due to the 1941 rains which have built up an excellent supply of underground moisture, stated Emmons.

Howard Traweck Is Volunteer In Navy

County Attorney Howard Traweck signed for the duration of the emergency as a Naval reserve, at Lubbock, Tuesday. He will be inducted into service at Dallas on February 16.

Mr. Traweck is entering the service as Yeoman second-class and will be sent to one of the various Naval training stations immediately following induction.

DEMONSTRATION OF NEW TERRACER IS SCHEDULED MONDAY

A terracing demonstration will be held Monday, February 2, at the farm of L. B. Archer, five miles east of Matador on the Paducah highway, in the Fairview community.

The terraces will be built by a Whirlwind terracer manufactured by the Servis Equipment Company of Dallas, Texas, in cooperation with County Agent J. R. Emmons and the county agricultural committee.

The new type of equipment appears to be the answer to the farmers biggest problem, that of terracing his land at a minimum expense.

The most important advantages of this machinery is that it can be operated by one man with a 20 to 30 horsepower tractor. After the terrace is built it is left in good condition for seeding.

The terracer can construct 600 feet of terraces per hour. The cost varies from \$15.00 to \$24.00 per mile of standard terraces, 24 inches high and 24 feet wide. This compares with the building of terraces built by Crawler type tractors and grader at a cost of \$35.00 to \$50.00 per mile.

A special moldboard plow is used to loosen and raise the soil to a conveyor, making a cut 18 inches wide and from 8 to 10 inches deep. By means of three speed transmission (500, 750, and 1000 revolutions per minute) on the terracer and the valuable speeds of the tractor take-off, the dirt may be accurately thrown a distance of from 2 feet to approximately 20 feet and to a height of 4 or 5 feet. The terracer operates at regular recommended tractor plow speeds of from 3 to 4 miles per hour.

Spur Agricultural Expert Will Speak

R. E. Dickson, Superintendent of the Spur agricultural station will be the featured speaker on the Matador Lions Club regular meeting program to be held at the Methodist church basement, Tuesday, February 3.

Mr. Dickson is known as the pioneer of farm terracing and also as an expert on the feeding of beef cattle.

All members are urged to attend the meeting, assured of hearing an interesting program. The Lions directors will meet at the Magnolia Cafe, Monday morning, February 2, at 6:30 a. m.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

To Address Meet



RALPH BROCK

YOUTH LEADER TO ADDRESS MEETING OF FATHERS-SONS

Youthful Ralph Brock, County Attorney of Lubbock county will make the principal address at the 5th annual Father-Son banquet, scheduled for Thursday night, February 12. The meeting is sponsored by the Matador Lions Club.

Mr. Brock, besides achieving an outstanding record as county attorney in the "Hub of the Plains" county, is well-known for his activity in Boy Scout work and other boy's interests. He studied pre-law at Texas Tech and was a class-mate of County Attorney Howard Traweck, both graduating in 1938 from the University of Texas law school. Mr. Brock was elected county attorney of Lubbock county in 1940. He is an interesting speaker and both fathers and sons are assured of hearing an inspiring address.

Other Arrangements Made

Lions secretary Randall Whitworth declared yesterday that other plans for the banquet have been made and that much interest is being manifested. Henry F. Pipkin, cook de luxe, declared that he has a staff of assistants ready for barbecuing the beef and preparing other items of the chuck-wagon feed, in an attempt to surpass his established record as a culinary expert.

Other features of the program will be announced in next week's issue of the Tribune.

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MOVING TO PORT ARTHUR

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore and daughter Billy Beth, who have been making their home in Lawton, Oklahoma for a number of years, are moving to Port Arthur, where they will live and where Mr. Moore will be connected with a finance agency.

They visited in Matador Monday night and Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moore.

ATTEND CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harp left Sunday for Amarillo, where Mr. Harp attended a two-day convention of the thirty-third annual gathering of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Association, held in the Herring Hotel.

Bank Shows Deposits Of One Million

Individual deposits totaling more than one million dollars set an all-time high for the First State Bank of Matador, January 27. At the close of business on that date the total deposits in the institution amounted to \$1,012,776.63, according to a statement made yesterday by Elmer Stearns, Vice-President and cashier.

Recognized as one of the most substantial and best-managed banks in this section of the Texas Panhandle, the million dollar deposits of the First State Bank become more significant in consideration of the county's population of less than 5,000 and Matador's population of less than 1,400.

Mr. Stearns, who has been associated with the bank for 22 years, with continuous management for the past 18 years, declared the Tuesday deposit was the highest ever recorded by the 41-year-old institution.

Masonic Chapter To Meet Monday For Degree Work

The Matador Chapter R. A. M. No. 283 of the Masonic Lodge will meet in regular session Monday evening, February 2nd, in the Masonic hall, at which time work in R and SM degrees will be given. A degree team from Plainview will have charge of the work, which will follow a supper at 6:30. Companion Henry F. Pipkin will be chief cook.

The meeting will contain many important features, and all companions are urged to attend.

"SEED LOANS" ARE OFFERED FARMERS

Loans for the production of 1942 crops are now available to Motley county farmers. Applications for these loans are being received by Mrs. Gertrude Nelson at Simpson's drug store, Matador, according to an announcement made this week by Clyde F. Milam, Field Supervisor for the Emergency Crop Loan section of the Farm Credit Administration.

The loans are being made available somewhat earlier this season to meet the emergency caused by short crops in certain areas and to permit early preparation of the land.

These loans will be made, as in the past, only to farmers whose cash requirements are small and who cannot obtain loans from other sources. As in former years, the money loaned will be limited to the applicant's necessary cash needs in preparing the land, planting and cultivating his 1942 crops. Borrowers are required to give as security a first lien on the crops financed.

Mrs. Carpenter Is Candidate For County Treasurer

The Tribune is authorized to announce the name of Lula Carpenter as candidate for the office of county treasurer of Motley county and subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 25, 1942.

Mrs. Carpenter has been a resident of Motley County for 38 years and needs no introduction to the voters who will consider her name at the election.

In making her announcement, Mrs. Carpenter declared, "I make my announcement after full deliberation and I feel that I am fully qualified. In event I am elected, I promise to serve to the best of my ability and to devote sincere and conscientious effort to justify the confidence of voters."

"I earnestly solicit the vote and influence of everyone during this campaign and I will appreciate any word spoken in my behalf."

Remember Pearl Harbor

Stranger Mistakes Tribune For Cafe

A weary west-bound traveler drove past the dimly-lighted Tribune office at 4:30 this morning, then brought his car to a stop and walked back to the door.

Looking inside, bewildered, he said, "Excuse me, I thought this was a cafe. I saw the sign on the window and thought it said T-Bone." He had read the word, "Tribune" incorrectly in passing.

On one previous occasion a man walked inside the door and dropped an armful of old harness, saying, "I wish you'd fix these up." He was informed that the H. H. Schweitzer Saddle and Harness shop was next door.

Seeks D. A. Place



L. D. RATLIFF, JR.

L. D. Ratliff, Jr., Is Candidate For District Attorney

The Tribune is authorized to announce L. D. Ratliff, Jr., of Spur, Dickens county, as candidate for the office of District Attorney, 110th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 25, 1942.

Regarding his announcement, Mr. Ratliff issued the following statement: "This year the people of the 110th Judicial District, composed of Briscoe, Motley, Floyd and Dickens Counties, will elect a District Attorney. I want to be your District Attorney, and in my humble way I make the following statement."

Your District Attorney is the chief law enforcement officer of the District, and upon his shoulders rests the final responsibility for the prosecution of all criminal cases tried in your District Court. He is the protector of (See RATLIFF Back Page)

Poll Tax Sale Ends Saturday

Residents are warned that Saturday is the last day in which poll taxes may be paid, allowing participation in 1942 elections. January 31 (Saturday) is also the last day in which all taxes may be paid without penalty. At the rate poll tax payments are now being received, it is believed that the usual election year average may be attained, according to Miss Rachel Patton, deputy in the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector H. H. Courtney.

Tech Students Are Here For Weekend

Matador students at Texas Tech spent the week end here after completing mid-term examinations. They returned to Lubbock Monday to enroll for the second semester.

Spending the holidays here were Houston Schweitzer, Keith Patton, Elmer Gene Jameson; Misses Myrnavae Barkley, Jewell McCoy, and Marie Hunsucker. Miss Marianna Coffey of Childress student at Tech, was the guest of Miss Kara Hunsucker.

Miss Ruth Groves visited in Sweetwater last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson.

Red Cross War Fund Increases

Motley county's drive to raise a \$900 quota for the American Red Cross war fund emergency, is nearing achievement, according to District Attorney John A. Hamilton, chairman of the campaign.

Mr. Hamilton said late yesterday that he is satisfied the quota will be raised as soon as many who have promised contributions receive their monthly pay on the first of February. Through untiring effort and skillful organization, Mr. Hamilton has managed the drive to reach a point in collection which now exceeds any previous Red Cross fund campaign ever attempted in the county.

Famous Quartet Will Appear At Whiteflat Feb. 6

The famous Stamps-Baxter "Song Fellows Quartet" will be presented in a variety concert program at the Whiteflat Methodist Church Friday evening, February 6, it has been announced.

The concert will be under the auspices of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society of Whiteflat, and the admission will be 15 cents for children and 30 cents for adults.

The Stamps-Barter quartet is well-known thruout this section, and give daily performances from Monday thru Friday over KWFT, Wichita Falls. Their program consists of clean, wholesome entertainment, with plenty of melody, harmony and humor.

Sheriff Courtney Tosses Stelson In Political Ring

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of H. H. (Cy) Courtney for re-election to the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector of Motley County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 25, 1942.

Sheriff Courtney has made an unusual record of efficiency during his tenure in office, despite the serious injury which he received in an automobile accident early last year.

In making his announcement Monday, Sheriff Courtney declared, "Everyone has given us complete cooperation in conducting the affairs of this office since I assumed its duties. I am especially grateful to those who found it possible to support my past campaign. Capable deputies have executed the affairs of my office during the time I have been detained in the hospital and at my home, because of injuries. To them I wish to express my gratitude.

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DUST

By AS MEADOR

... of the parched ... like an oven left ... the bread is drawn ... of purple haze lay ... the heavens and the last ... of dry wind was pressed ... empty lungs of space. ... my friend's quarters ... I listened to the ceme- ... had buried his ... the afternoon. His ... been under each of the ... each spadeful of dry ... and with dry, burn- ... during the bitter hour ... familiar world and ... moved through a blurred ... had been led away like ... into new surroundings. ... his cheek pressed ... stirred soil. His ... fingers clutched a ... which held a small, ... He was motionless ... if some unknown ... or comfort might come ... with the earth and ... agony in his soul. ... and grasped my ... walked away through ... and sage-scented air, ... entering a new ... frank but not bitter. ... the roots of pain had ... from his heart; that ... ever hurt him

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DEFENSE OF MIDWAY ISLAND SCRIBED BY FIRST REFUGEES

Men Driven Off by Sailors and Marines After Pearl Harbor Was Attacked

SAN FRANCISCO—A first group of Japanese shells hit the peace of a tropical night on Midway Island on Wednesday. The first group of refugees from the mid-Pacific story of a valiant defense of States Naval and shore batteries that attacking Nipponese scurrying out to be battered.

Cross woman handing out coffee to scores of workers from Johnson, Palmyra, Guam, Wake and Midway Island.

COTTON QUIZ



one speaker said, "These two cities are so close together, they should be just one big city, with one name, and I have the very name—Minnehaha, 'Minne' for Minneapolis and 'ha, ha' for St. Paul."

It is said that a new minister in Minneapolis lost his pastorate by announcing that he would take his text from one of the Epistles of St. Paul.

Oh, well, maybe you'll like the story credited to Governor Stassen. A visitor asked the Minnesota chief executive, "How many people work in the state capital?" and he replied, "About half of them."

And speaking of Governors, Coke Stevenson is a good driver, though he usually drives with only one hand—force of habit, dating back to the time (not so long ago, either) when roads were so rough that a fellow had to keep one hand in readiness to shift into second or the car would stall.

Brann the Iconoclast, the most brilliant writer Texas has ever known, said that Thomas Carlyle, the old Scotch philosopher, was such a titan that his shadow fell on the shoulder of Shakespeare himself. Here are a few great thoughts from Carlyle:

Nature does nothing without aim.

What you see, yet can not see over, is as good as infinite.

Do the duty which lies nearest thee.

The journalists are now the true kings and clergy.

The fearful unbelief is unbelief in thyself.

Thought without reverence is barren.

Great men are too often unknown, or what is worse, mistaken.

Love is a discerning of the infinite in the finite, of the ideal made real.

The public has become "tire conscious" as the result of the war rationing—and consequently folks are beginning to look with downright displeasure on a practice which has grown up through nobody's fault in particular—the practice of bakery trucks making four or five rounds of the grocery stores a day, each time leaving more bread, though the stack may be already too high, and re-arranging the bread counter so that the driver's own particular brand will be on top. In some cases, large city bakeries operating routes will keep a truck in a single town all day long, just going from one grocery to another, around and around.

This might have been all right in peace time—but such procedure now wears out trucks, consumes gasoline, burns up oil, wastes labor and consumes precious rubber, and, as bakery trucks will receive preference for new tires and tubes over us plain citizens, it had order be stopped. One delivery a day should, ordinarily, be sufficient.

People are always saying to this columnist, "I want to write; I could turn out some good short stories or a novel if I just had time." Of course, the answer is that they have 24 hours a day, which was just exactly the same amount allotted to all who made their mark in the field of literature—and some of these had great handicaps, besides.

Blind Homer wandered from town to town singing his immortal epics; blind Milton dictated "Paradise Lost" to his daughters; Robert Louis Stevenson did all his writing in a race against death, likening himself to a wayfarer who, knowing that a robber lurks somewhere in the darkness ahead, stops in each inn and spends some of his money, so there will be

OLD DOBBIN IS ON THE LONG TRAIL BACK

KANSAS CITY—The comeback trail looks like a long, hard pull for old Dobbin.

Notwithstanding prohibition of sales of automobiles and tires to private users and restrictions on farm machinery, turnover of horses and mules on this major market are lower than a year ago. And right now you can pick-up a good five-year-old team of horses for \$175 and a first class team of mules for \$300.

Even these prices aren't likely to start any immediate backward transition from the mechanized age believes Fred Owens, veteran horse and mule commission man. The reasons?

Farmers, handicapped by increasing labor shortage, just can't get the added man power necessary to run strings of horses and mules.

And as far as city transfer and delivery concerns, hit by the tire and truck restrictions go, it's too expensive to support a horse, except as a last resort.

And finally, there aren't any wagons for the horses to pull. They're not made any more on a mass production basis, and a wagon which formerly cost \$300 would come as a custom made job now at four times the cost.

So, any quick comeback looks unlikely for Dobbin.

SOCIAL HYGIENE TO BE OBSERVED IN TEXAS, FEB. 4

AUSTIN, Texas—The Sixth National Social Hygiene Day will be observed in Texas on Wednesday, February 4, 1942, Doctor G. W. Cox, State Health Officer and Chairman on Health and Emergency Medical Service, announced today.

"The menace of social disease will be made greater by the crowding of large groups of workers into war industrial areas," Dr. Cox said here. "Recent survey of 216,000 industrial workers in one large city showed 2.98 per cent to be infected with syphilis and 9 per cent with gonorrhea. We must fight vice and venereal diseases and protect our workers."

"Physical fitness not only of our soldiers, marines, and sailors but also of our civilian population, will determine the effectiveness of our war effort," Dr. Cox stated. "We must realize that the nation's defense depends on a healthy civilian population, able to produce needed materials."

Social Hygiene Day, nationally sponsored by the American So-

cial Hygiene Association will be observed thruout the country on February 4, 1942. Army and navy officers, industry, management, labor unions, health and welfare agencies participate in this nation-wide campaign and collaborate on legal, medical, educational and protective measures to fight venereal disease among industrial workers.

"Physical fitness is the foundation of a sound national defense—the prerequisite for victory," asserted Dr. Cox. "More and more Americans are coming to realize that among the first enemies to be conquered in its present mighty effort are the venereal diseases. There can be no strong nation where bodies are unfit; most assuredly there can be no military victory where disease acts as an insidious 'fifth column' within our ranks."

The eight largest cities of the world are:

London, England	8,655,000
New York City	7,001,650
Paris, France	4,933,855
Berlin, Germany	4,332,242
Moscow, Russia	4,137,012
Shanghai, China	3,489,898
Osaka, Japan	3,394,200
Chicago, Ill.	3,364,556

An organic sulphur dust which when mixed with seeds before planting protects onion seedlings from smut during the vulnerable first two or three weeks of growth is announced by the Cornell University Experiment Station.

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Whiteflat News

By Ida B. Armstrong

Mrs. E. D. Lawrence and son Ronnie of Wichita Falls is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. M. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kimbell, Sr. and daughter, Avis were Floydada visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Williamson visited in Floydada Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morris Jr. and baby son, Jerry Davis left Monday for Dallas to make their home. Mr. Morris is employed with North American Airlines.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson, Jr. of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson, Sr.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Knoy were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stoddard, a brother, A. H. Stoddard and a niece, Carolyn Stoddard of Plainview were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Russell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morris Sr. honored their son Gene with a birthday party on the occasion of his thirteenth birthday Saturday night. After games were played, cake and hot chocolate were served to: Gwyndolene and Mary Joe Jauncey Wilkinson, Billy Joe Evans, Mary Bernice Murphy, Dorothy Morris, Donald Ray Marton, Mary Katherine and Raynita Martin, Ernestine and Annette McWilliams, Walter Wayne and Joe Lamar Spray, Mildred Spray, Exie Mae Spray, Elwanda and Duane Martin, Lowell Don Whitaker, Paul and Pauline Vinson, Dan Lamar Tilson, Travis Clifton, Bobby Jay and Royella Browning, Albert and Estelle Morris, Royce Doran, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams, Jay



I GIVE YOU TEXAS

by BOYCE HOUSE

"A man can smile and still be a villain," observed Shakespeare—and the sun can shine and shine and still it can be quite cold, at least that is true in Minneapolis. Your observer likes to walk around and size up a strange city—but six blocks chilled my ardor and my feet. That wind was as brisk as a West Texas one and was loaded with ice.

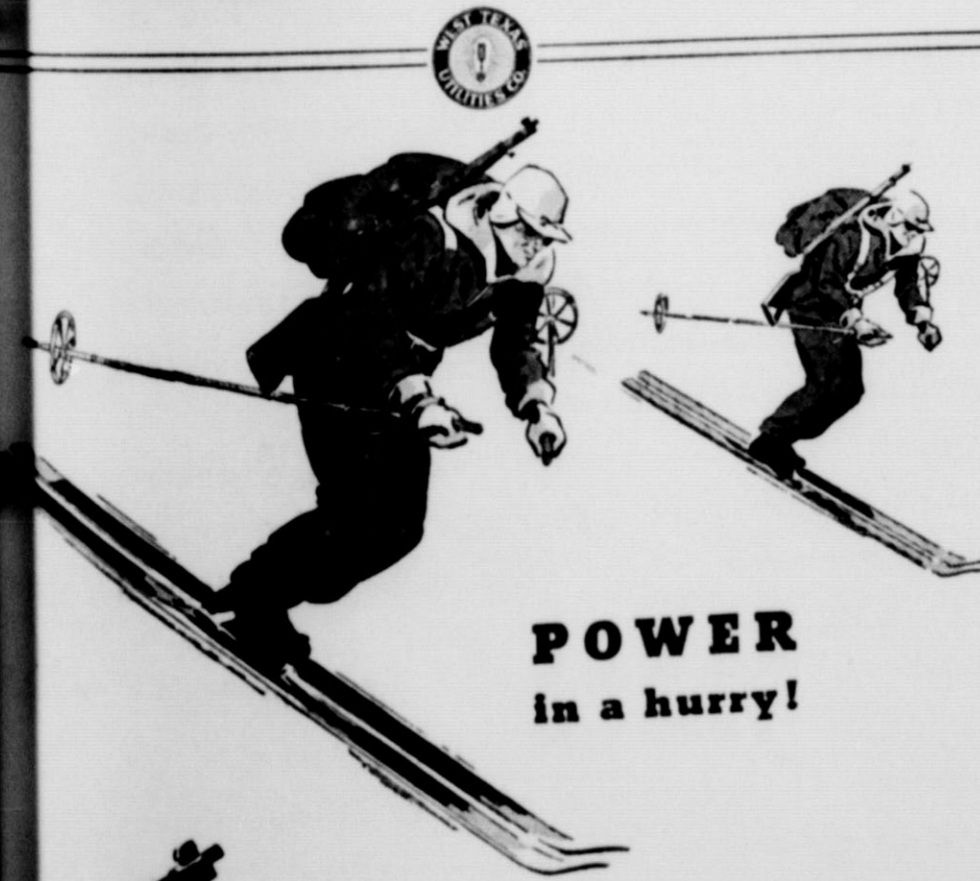
One of the most oddly-shaped business edifices this columnist has seen is the Foshay Building in Minneapolis; the sky-scraper is like a shaft.

They have a good, second-hand book store in Minneapolis—but the number of books is less and the prices are higher than in the one in St. Paul. Besides, Carl Sandburg browsed in the St. Paul shop.

Minneapolis is about 10 miles up the Mississippi from St. Paul and is the larger city. Everyone is familiar with the rivalry—which is supposed to be keener than that between Fort Worth and Dallas.

The story that illustrates this is: A banquet was held, once upon a time, with citizens of both Minneapolis and St. Paul attending. The atmosphere was friendly, the speeches conciliatory. Finally

QUALITY
and Chinas
Gilts, Fall Pigs
M. Green
Spring Springs, Texas



POWER in a hurry!

UNCLE SAM'S fast-moving ski troops put military power in the right place at the right time.

year, alone, they installed over 2 1/2 million more horsepower—enough to light one-quarter of all the homes in America!

Good business management made this possible. The same companies, the same management, will go on increasing the production of power for protection—until skiing is a sport again, instead of a war maneuver!

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

MRS. DOUGLAS MEADOR, Editor

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MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET DATE IS ANNOUNCED FOR FEBRUARY 13

Friday, February 13, will hold no apprehension for the girls of the community. Rather, it is a date to which they will look forward as the time set for the fifth annual Mother-Daughter banquet, sponsored by the Matador Child Welfare Association.

Plans are underway to make this the best banquet held yet, and committees have been named to work out the details, as follows:

Program Committee, Mrs. Charlie Keith, Miss Mabel Jameson, Mrs. Elbert Reeves and Miss Claryce Whitten.

Menu Committee: Mrs. Sterling Price, Mrs. D. P. Keith, Mrs. John Irwin, Miss Zona Beth Faulkner and Mrs. Marvin Patton.

Ticket Committee, Mrs. Katie James, Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker, Mrs. David Guest, and Mrs. L. C. Harp for Matador; For Whiteflat Mrs. Tom Titon and Mrs. Bob Martin.

Mrs. Frej Simpson has been named waiter chairman, and other committees on arrangements include: Table and chair committee, Messrs. George Springer, Hart Harris, and Earl Laughlin; Table cloth and cup towel committee, Mrs. Albert Daffern, Mrs. B. F. Tunnell and Mrs. Earl Laughlin; dish committee, Mrs. George Springer, Mrs. Vernon Doss and Mrs. Hart Harris; Silverware committee, Mrs. Frank Jameson and Mrs. Ward Rattan; Decorating committee, Mesdames H. H. Schweitzer, Joe Bloodworth and Albert Traueck.

The banquet will be held in the basement of the Baptist church.

Youth Fellowship Rally Held 24-25

The Floydada Methodist Youth Fellowship was host to the quarterly rally of Plainview District Young People, January 24-25. Due to the absence of the district president, Miss Ruth Hall of Plainview, Vice President J. B. Sharp of Littlefield presided at the meeting.

"Giving" was the theme of the rally. Inspirational talks and devotionals were given by Miss Trula Maud Jetton, District Director, Hale Center; Miss Margaret Nichols; Miss Twila Farrell; Miss Ruth Monk, G. L. Farrar Charles Lutrick, all students of Texas Tech; and Rev. Frank Beauchamp, Abernathy, who was the principal speaker at the Sunday afternoon worship service. The regular Sunday morning sermon was given by the local pastor, Rev. R. T. Breedlove.

Approximately eighty young people attended the meeting. Towns and churches represented were: Hale Center, Hart, Lubbock, Lockney, Baker, McAdoo, Olton, Muleshoe, Crosbyton, Earth Matador, Littlefield, Rushing Chapel, Plainview and Floydada. The next district rally will be held at Plainview in April.

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FASHION PREVIEW



A new dress during the dull winter months can do lots to bolster your low spirits. This date dress, suggested by the February Good Housekeeping is of rayon crepe in spring brown, black, or air-force blue with white pleated rayon edging and little collar.

Pied Pinions BY MR. S. M.

Marie Hunsucker, whose hobby is collecting moronic jokes, brought home a couple of new ones, when she visited home folks during the between-semester holidays, which appealed to us (for obvious reasons).

One little moron was eating his soup—as I remember, it was soup—and each time he took a bite, he used a different spoon. When asked why he did this, he said, "I have a cold and don't want to catch it."

Then there was the little moron who wanted to be a vitamin, after reading the ads which say, Vitamin—B1.

This story, not one of Miss Hunsucker's collection, however, is for the benefit of the soldiers: A general and a colonel were walking down the street. They met many privates, and each time the colonel would salute, he would mutter, "The same to you."

The general's curiosity soon got the better of him and he asked: "Why do you always say that?" The colonel answered: "I was once a private and I know what they are thinking."

It is interesting to learn that Robert Ripley, who has been collecting odd and unusual facts for over 20 years, has a number of "Believe It or Not's" on himself, which he probably will not use in his cartoons.

These include the following: He draws upside down; he was the first man to broadcast ship-to-shore; he has never played cards; he lives alone in a 29-room manse in Mamaroneck and a 14-room apartment in New York City; he has five automobiles and can't drive a car; he has been in China more often than his New York office and he has visited 201 countries—yet he can't speak a foreign language.

The recent action of Rev. H. M. Weldon, former Baptist pastor here before going to Albany to accept the pastorate, will be of interest to these here.

According to a recent report,

Rev. Weldon has volunteered his services as chaplain in the navy, has been accepted, and will move his family with him when he goes to the west coast to report for duty.

A card last week from Joe Berry, our former "devil" around the shop, stated that Wallace Beery, the movie star, had visited their camp at Fort Knox, Ky. Says Joe: "I sat next to Wallace—at the next table."

Few people here know that probably the first Motley County youth to join the navy during the period of peace between the world wars, was James (Jimmy) Breckenridge of Northfield, who enlisted in 1931 and is now in his eleventh year of continuous service.

Two years ago he was transferred from the west to the east coast, where he is now possibly engaged in active warfare. Altho his wife, who is in Norfolk, Va., hears from him regularly, he is not permitted to divulge the location of his ship. All letters to sailors in that vicinity are addressed to the ship in care of the postmaster in New York City, who forwards them on.

Breckenridge has received several promotions during his enlistment in the navy, and is now a petty officer, First Class.

Also enlisting in the navy from Northfield, long before war clouds began to gather, was Howard Matlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matlock. Howard, who has been stationed at Pensacola, Florida, has been transferred to the west coast. He visited his parents over the week-end, while enroute with his family, to California.

Marie: Here's one for your collection: Two little morons found a flashlight one dark night. One of them snapped it on, pointed it at the sky and bet the other he couldn't climb the shaft of light to the top. "You must think I'm nuts," said the other little moron. "I'd get halfway up and then you'd turn it off."

CIRCLE TO MEET

The Dorcas Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. Clarence Kifer, Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

After a devotional service, the afternoon will be devoted to sewing.

SICK LIST INCREASES

Mrs. V. J. Skaggs is ill at her home in south Matador, where she has been confined to her bed for two weeks with bronchial pneumonia.

Mrs. I. E. Martin, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported to be improving.

C. W. Morris, who has been confined to his bed during the winter, is reported slightly improved.

Mrs. Doug Meador's condition is declared much better this week. She has been confined to her bed the past month.

Mr. Thomas Ellis is improving from an attack resulting from high blood pressure, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Joslin, with whom he makes his home.

Mrs. J. T. Spears is ill at her home in north Matador, with the flu.

Mrs. A. A. Harp, who has been confined to her bed for the past two months, recuperating from low blood pressure complications, will probably be permitted to be up in about three weeks.

Mrs. J. D. Earnest, who is in a grave condition at the ranch home of her daughter, Mrs. Bob Echols, was reported slightly improved late yesterday.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Harold Allen and baby son of Tyler, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs. Mrs. Curtis King spent last week end in Fort Worth with Mr. King, who is employed there.

FOR SALE—240 acre farm, improved. Near Dumont, Motley County. Price \$20.00 per acre. If interested, see or write Grover Wilson, Swearingen, Texas 1-29-42. pd.

Mrs. A. P. Hodges visited in Muleshoe during the past week with Mr. Hodges, who has employment there.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Denison and son James Dickey, of Albany, formerly of Matador, were overnight guests Thursday, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jacobs, visiting with other friends Friday.

MODERN 7, room house in Matador, priced to sell. Write Box 536. 2-5-42 pd.

Mayor Geo. Edwards and Mrs. Edwards visited in Paducah last week end with their sons, Jack and Tommie, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Lambert of Sweetwater were recent visitors here in the home of his uncle, J. S. Lambert. They also visited in the Henry Ford home while here.

FOR SALE—Ten 2-year-old past heifers, will be fresh within two months. Also six 4-year old cows, now fresh. Hamp McCary, 6 miles north of Matador. 2-12-42 pd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jackson of Afton, visited here Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Eldred Seigler and family, and with other relatives.

Mrs. D. M. Hutto of Amarillo, former Matador resident, visited here last week in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edmondson.

WANTED—Married couple to do farm work. George West, South Plains. 1-29-pd.

Miss Zona Beth Faulkner, Home Ec teacher in the high school, spent the week end with her parents in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and daughter Rosemary, of Paducah, former Matador residents, visited with relatives and friends.

For Sale—One, De Laval Jr. cream separator, in good condition. See A. A. Tipton.

Mrs. George Springer and Mrs. E. E. Campbell made a trip to Amarillo Friday, where they visited Mrs. Campbell's brother, R. L. Murrell, who is a patient in the Veteran's Hospital there. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McCowan and son Wiley Frank, spent Sunday and Monday in Amarillo visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Denson.

For Sale—one Ideal Vecto, wood or coal, heater, in perfect condition. See A. A. Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Forbis of Carlsbad, N. M., are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burleson, and with his mother at Afton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Bishop visited in Paducah Sunday with his brother and family.

Mrs. W. W. Clements drove to

Davidson, Oklahoma Sunday, where she visited her father, J. N. Graves. She was accompanied by her son, R. D. and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Boggus.

LOST—Green and black Parker duofold fountain pen and pencil set. If found return to Imogene Archer. 1c.

Mrs. T. T. Bouldin of Mineral Wells, visited here last week end with her mother, Mrs. C. L. Glenn. She was accompanied by her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bouldin.

Mesdames H. H. Courtney, Ward Rattan and Bill Nelson were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Donald Davis of Lubbock and Jim Peeler of Levelland, both formerly of Matador, visited here and transacted business Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Jones and baby daughter of Wichita Falls, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harp, from Wednesday until Sunday. Dr. Jones arrived Saturday evening, to accompany them home.

Ed Lee left Thursday for Boise, Idaho, to visit relatives and friends. He will be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. Raymond Cudd, and Mrs. Jim Smith of Paducah, former Matador residents, visited friends here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cooper and small daughter, of Plainview, visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jhilia Cornett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berryman visited in Childress Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whitworth visited in Amarillo over the week end, in the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Whitworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stearns were recent visitors in Fort Worth and Houston.

Rev. Dee Cates of Plainview visited friends here Monday enroute to Fairmount, where he is helping conduct a revival meeting.

Mrs. Price Sandlin and daughters, Carolyn and Charlotte, of Paducah, visited here Saturday with Mrs. Clarence Kifer.

W. W. Sample of Flagstaff, Arizona, is visiting here in the home of Mrs. J. H. Sample.

D. C. Carpenter of McLean, visited here during the week end, in the home of his brother, W. W. Carpenter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Herring of Post, were visitors here Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Herring.

Misses Ruth Groves and Zona Beth Faulkner made a trip to Sweetwater Wednesday evening.

Judge G. E. Hamilton made a business trip to Quanah Friday. He was accompanied to Childress by Mrs. Hamilton and Misses Marianna Coffey and Kara Hunsucker, who visited there during the day.

MOVE TO MUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and children left Friday day, Texas where they will spend their future home.

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PRIMARY JULY 25

state political 1942, issued by the (Coke R. Stevenson, by the first Demo- on July 25, the 22 and the on November 3. re prescribed by sta- provides for holding onventions, to declare adopt platforms, on due to conflict with which sets a meet- executive commit- the convention date be Sept. 8. day for candi- offices and dis- in district contain- one county, to file names places on

Meet
Meeting of the state mittee to select site onvention and certify candidates to county

Last day for county candidates and dis- in districts com- one county, to file. County executive com- to determine order

of names and ballot and estimate expense of election.
June 20—Last day for candi- dates to pay assessments for bal- lot.
June 22—Primary committee meets to prepare ballot.
June 25—First day for filing campaign expense accounts for first primary.
June 30—Last day for filing first campaign expense accounts for first primary.
July 5—Absentee voting begins.
July 13—First day for filing second campaign expense account for first primary.
July 17—Last day for filing second campaign expense ac- counts for first primary.
July 21—All voters living in a city of 10,000 inhabitants or more, who have moved residence within the city or from without the city to the city, must report to the tax collector not less than four days prior to the election.
From 7 to 7
July 22—Last day for absentee voting in first primary (must be received by county clerk on this day).
July 25—First Democratic primary election.
Polls open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., and from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m., according to the population of the county. (Precinct conventions elect delegates to the county con- ventions (all parties).

County clerk or county chair- man shall notify secretary of state by telephone, telegraph of the re- sults of the unofficial tabulations.
Election judges to deliver one copy of official returns to county chairman within 24 hours after ballots are counted.
July 28—Last day for filing first campaign expense account for second primary.
Committee To Meet
August 1—County executive committee meets to canvass re- sults.
County conventions are held to select delegates to state conven- tion. (All parties.)
Aug. 2—First day for absentee voting for second primary.
Aug. 4—Last day for filing final campaign expense account for first primary.
Reports of expenses should also be filed with county judge within ten days after date of first pri- mary.
Aug. 10—State Democratic exe- cutive committee meets to can- vass results of first primary elec- tion in all state and district elec- tions.
First day for filing second cam- paign expense account for second primary.
Aug. 14—Last day for filing sec- ond campaign expense account for second primary.
Second Vote Aug. 19
Aug. 19—Last day for absentee voting in the second primary.
Aug. 22—Second Democratic primary election.
County clerk or county chair- man notify the secretary of state by telephone or telegraph of the results of the unofficial tabula- tion.
Election judges to deliver one copy of official returns to county chairman within 24 hours after ballots are counted.
September 1—Last day for fil- ing third campaign expense ac- count for second primary.
State convention (all parties).
Sept. 7—Meeting of state exe- cutive committee to canvass re- sults of second primary.
Absentee Voting
Oct. 14—Absentee voting for general election begins.
Oct. 31—Last day of absentee voting for general election.
Nov. 3—General election day.
County clerk or county chair- man shall notify the secretary of state by telephone or telegraph of

Roaring Springs NEWS

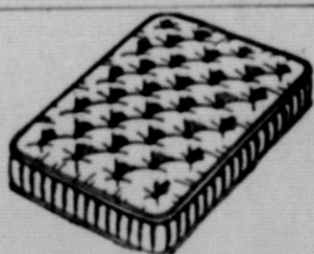
By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

Mrs. Jess Fisher left Friday for her home in Childress. She was accompanied by her mother Mrs. John Evans who will visit there a few days.
Ezra Bowen returned from Lub- bock Saturday after spending several days attending Federal Court.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams spent several days last week visit- ing relatives in Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cooper re- turned Sunday from Lubbock where Mr. Cooper has been re- ceiving treatments in the Lub- bock Sanatorium. He is improving rapidly at this time.
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert West are parents of a baby girl born Sun- day.
Madge Jackson left Tuesday for Lubbock where she will enter Lubbock Sanatorium as a student nurse.
Mrs. Carrie Lee Bishop and children returned Sunday from Sudan where they had been cal- led because of the illness and death of her father.
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gunter moved to Amarillo Monday where they have employment.
W. M. (Bill) Dorby, who is em- ployed at Bob's Oil Well, Matador, is confined to his home here suf- fering from pneumonia.
Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Braselton of Shamrock are moving here this week where Mr. Braselton is em- ployed with Thacker Supply Co.

Suggestions Made To Aid New Farm Income Tax Payers

COLLEGE STATION—Farm- ers and ranchers who will be required to make their first in- come tax return by next March 15, have the choice of two methods in computing the tax on their 1941 incomes. One is the "accrual" and the other "cash."
According to Tyrus R. Timm, economist in farm management of the A. and M. College Extension Service, "accrual" means that beginning and end-of-the-month inventories, as well as cash ex- penses, cash incomes, accrued in- comes and prepaid expenses are used in determining profits. Those who keep no records, or only records of cash receipts and disbursements, must use the "cash" method. Timm suggests that farmers and ranchmen who have not paid income taxes prior to this year should study the al- ternative methods before making their selections as the one chosen is binding for succeeding years unless another method is author- ized by the Internal Revenue Bureau. Even in that case certain adjustments of income are neces- sary.
More than 95 per cent of Texas farmers and ranchmen who paid income tax in 1940 used the "cash" method.
Examining both methods, Timm points out that unmarried farm- ers whose gross incomes were \$750 or more, and married farm- ers with gross incomes of \$1,500 or over, are required to file re- turns. A deduction of \$400 is al- lowed for each eligible dependent.
Under the "cash" method, all cash received from sales of live- stock, livestock products, crops and other income from similar sources, together with cash re-

the results of the unofficial tab- ulations.
Nov. 9—Commissioners court shall canvass returns and county judge shall certify results of elec- tion.
Nov. 18—State election board shall canvass returns of the gen- eral election and declare the re- sults of the election.
Jan. 12—Forty-eighth legisla- ture convenes.
Jan. 19—Governor and lieuten- ant governor inaugurated.



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WASHINGTON—OPH is cook- ing up some bad news for brides —no more dinners out of cans.
If Mrs. Newlywed is smart, she will rustle up a cook book and start studying because there's an order in the works prohibiting the use of tin for packaging virtually everything that can be marketed satisfactorily in some other type of container or in no container at all.
Among the casualties, it was re- ported, will be such old reliables as pork and beans, spaghetti, can- ned meat, and beef—not to men- tion dog food. In recent years, the dog food output has averaged around 650,000,000 one-pound cans annually.
The theory of the pending order is further conservation of dwindling tin supplies.

THE BLUE BOY IS HIDING A MYSTERY MAN

SAN MARINO, Calif.—Gains- borough's famous painting, The Blue Boy, has been hiding a mystery man for nearly two cen- turies. Now that he's been dis- covered, lurking underneath the paint, art critics are asking, "Who is this 18th Century man?"
An X-ray photograph disclosed the lower half of a man's head, front face. There's a white stock about his neck. His mouth is fairly clear, topped possibly by a thin mustache. There's a broad, flat nose. It's all invisible to the eye.
The eye, forehead and hair are missing. Gainsborough evidently had started to paint a man's head, then quit. Needing canvas for the Blue Boy he reused it after cut-

BROTHER OF RESIDENT RECEIVES ADVANCEMENT

Aviation Cadet Harvey A. Doss, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Doss of Brownwood, and brother to local resident, Vernon Doss, has been appointed cadet sergeant of his squadron in the Air Corps Replacement Training Center at Kelly Field, San Antonio.
Cadet Doss has been in the U. S. Air Corps only three weeks, and will receive five weeks of basic training as well as intensive physical drill to prepare him for his future duties as a pilot and officer in the Air Corps.

POLITICAL Announcements

- We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1942.
- For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District: L. D. Rathiff, Jr.
 - For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent: W. R. Cammack, re-election
 - For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: H. H. (Cy) Courtney, re-election
 - For County and District Clerk: R. A. (Dick) Seay, re-election
 - For County Treasurer: Mrs. Tatt Garnett, re-election; Lula Carpenter
 - For Commissioner, Precinct One: J. S. Lambert, re-election
 - For Commissioner Precinct Two: Malcolm Jameson, re-election
 - For Commissioner Precinct 3: A. B. Simpson, re-election
 - For Commissioner Precinct 4: H. L. Smith, re-election

ting a foot or more off the top.
"If we had the man's eyes, we might determine who he was," said Curator Maurice Block of the Henry E. Huntington Art Gal- lery, reporting the discovery. He said there is an approximate re- semblance to a portrait of Ralph Schomberg in London's National Gallery, and to John, fourth duke of Bedford, at Trinity College, Dublin. Gainsborough painted both.
Gainsborough did the Blue Boy at Bath, a fashionable spa. Did the mystery man order a portrait, lose heavily at Bath's gaming tables, and fail to return for the paint- ing? Curator Block wonders.

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Being An Editor

Being an editor is no picnic. If we print jokes, people say we are silly.

If we don't, they say we are too serious.

If we print feature stories, we are ignoring events in world affairs.

If we don't we have no eyes for the human interest things of life.

If we reprint things from other papers, we are too lazy to write them ourselves.

If we don't we are too fond of our own stuff.

When we don't print contributions and bits of poetry, we don't appreciate real genius.

If we do the paper is filled with junk.

If we print murders and kidnappings, people say we are a victim of sensationalism.

If we don't, they say the paper has no news in it.

If we inadvertently fail to report club meetings, it is because we are vain or jealous.

If we do we are playing favorites.

And now, likely as not, someone will say we swiped this from another paper.

Well, we did!

—(Contributed by a friend).

M.H.S.

WHO'S WHO

In choosing the boy for the Who's Who this week, we have chosen the President of the senior class, Glenn Allen. In scouting around, we have found out a few things about him. His personal characteristics are brown hair, brown eyes, and freckled face. Glenn has a very jolly disposition. His likes are greatly turned to Lottie Beth. In sports his football comes first. He was an outstanding center on our team. In this position he can neatly sail the football. Glenn's favorite food is the coney islands at Paducah; they are quite good. His hobby is finding out girls' names and addresses. He hasn't a special ambition, but he would be very happy with a housewife. It would be nice if Glenn and Dorothy could get together. Don't you think they would make a nice couple, or would Lottie Beth be all right?

In choosing the girl for the Who's Who we have chosen Dorothy Wason, the editor of the annual. We have found several interesting traits about her. Dorothy has black hair, brown eyes, and a good disposition, at times. She was the assistant pep squad leader. She likes little chocolate colored "steadybakers" (Studebakers). Dorothy's favorite food is tuna fish sandwiches, sour pickles, and potatoes. She likes them best at Roaring Springs. (I wonder why?) Her hobby is collecting snapshots; she has quite a few pictures, especially of boys. She hasn't an ambition, but a housewife would suit her just fine, fine, (for awhile, at least.)

PRESS DAY

"Let me print a kiss upon your lips." She nodded her sweet permission. We started to press, and I rather guess we printed a full edition.

"But one edition is not enough." She said with a charming pout. So again in the press the forms were placed.

And we got several extras out.



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School Heads Work On National Defense

During the past few weeks, Superintendent B. F. Tunnell has been working in all the county schools to secure the cooperation of the students in buying defense bonds and stamps. Meeting with favorable results in all communities, he is encouraged; but he feels that responsibility for the purchase of these should be felt more deeply in the next few weeks by all students and parents.

Also helping national organizations, is Mr. Bert Ezzell, Principal of the High School, who has been working this past week as head of the Red Cross drive in Matador schools. Mr. Ezzell reported that all the faculty members have given their support.

M.H.S.

Kampus Klatter

We've got plenty of gossip on plenty of people this week; so hang on to your hats and let's go. Dorothy W. and that Nichol's boy have up a case now. Oh, well, boys, cheer up, it may not last.

Poor Morris seems doomed to have trouble with these Sophs! Margie and Paula are nearly pulling each other's hair out over him.

Ever since Christmas, McElton has been writing to Tyler. We just wonder to whom he writes. Bennie and Guy, as well as Billy and Ruby, are still that way about each other.

We think that this semester's report will convince some of these senior boys that they can't pass English by flirting with Miss Whitten.

Some of these pictures for the La Arena are going to tell off on the students as well as the teachers. We would like to hear what Miss Faulkner is going to say when she sees a certain one of herself in there.

Mavinee and her soldier boy seem to be getting along fine. At least, we haven't heard otherwise. We might also add that her greatest ambition is to be a housewife.

To all appearances J. C. and Virginia have made up. We hope so, at any rate.

The hottest tidbit we've come across in a long time is Wanda's and Billy Decent's (Paducah) romance. Boy, oh boy, we hope this lasts for a while, anyway.

Oh Phil, you had better watch Johnnie Belle! She has been going around with that handsome Louis McCarty!

Walter and Frances have been doing the town on his bike, and it is not built for two. Happy landings, Frances!

Kat and James Edd seem to be getting along pretty good these days (or should I have said these nights).

Reatha Rayne seems to be flying at a little boy in Afton. What is she going to do? You know we have to save tires for National Defense.

If Billy Jean can't get her man, she'll take his brother. That's okay, Billy, he's all right.

Bennie, Ruth, and James don't seem to be getting along so good now. What's the big idea, kids.

M.H.S.

The very worst habit To get in your head, It to send a girl flowers Before she is dead.

Grade School News

Welcome Charles Ray Baker to our third grade. We are sorry that Don Harding and Charles Sain have been on the sick list.

The fifth grade has Claud Edwards as a new pupil. The class regrets Billy Eugene Cammack's moving to Munday, Texas. The class surely was thrilled when they learned that they were the picture winner at the previous Child Welfare meeting.

In the sixth grade, Dessa Mae Edwards is another new-comer. The eighth grade is preparing for the hike. At present John F. Fish's side is ahead.

For the past week the classes have been having tests, tests, and more tests. Remember Pearl Harbor, and the reporter says keep your chin up.

M.H.S.

INSTITUTE OF STUDENTS' Opinion

QUESTION: What flavor of lipstick do you prefer and on whom?

ANSWERS:

Harry: "I prefer cherry flavor on Lana Turner."

Charles: "I like raspberry on Hedy Lamar."

James: "I like raspberry on Judy Garland."
Jr.: "I prefer strawberry on well—strawberries are red and red heads should go good with strawberry."

Mack: "I prefer lime on Betty Grable."

Norman: "Any flavor suits me. I don't kiss but about halfway for the flavoring part anyway."

Algie: "I'm not so crazy about any of them."

Mc: "I prefer no lipstick on a girl because it always shows up in public places."

L. M.: "I like cherry on black-headed girls because red and black are our school colors and they go good together. (Redheads and blackheads do okay)."

Scenes To Be Seen In The Study Hall

Again as I sat in the study hall with nothing to do, my roving eyes caught signs of romance in the making. Morris and Margie are passing love notes again. Estelle, I don't see how you resist reading them! Janelle has a dreamy look in her eyes and we know she's thinking of Joe. She frowns now and then; she must think that he's working hard.

Guy seems to be enjoying his chat with Ruth. I guess he's trying to keep in the family. Vance is actually studying! Oh, but look who with, Joy of all people! Seems like June's cold shoulder toward Algie is warming a little since he has shown interest in Betty.

Betty Sue's interests are as unsettled as a weather thermometer; first Sonny, then Billy, then Skeet, and now, well now, she's talking to herself! Uh, Oh, there goes the bell. So long.

M.H.S.

"Wottamess"

I married a widow with a grown daughter. My father fell in love with her and married her—thus becoming my son-in-law and my step-daughter became my mother because she was my father's wife. My wife gave birth to a son, which was my father's brother-in-law and my uncle because he was the brother of my step-mother. My father's wife became the mother of a son. He was my brother and also my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. Accordingly, my wife was my grandmother because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at the same time and as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, I am my own grandfather.

M. H. S.

Higher the mountain The cooler the breeze The younger the couple The tighter they squeeze.

TEXAS DOCTOR, TAKEN AT WAKE, RADIOS OF HIS SAFETY AT TOKYO

A tired voice, winging its way across the Pacific by short wave radio, brought the first definite news Thursday of the safety of Dr. Gustave Mason Kahn, Wake Island survivor well known in Dallas.

Dr. Kahn, a Navy physician whose home is at Galveston, served part of his internship (1932 and 1933) at Parkland Hospital.

He was named for Wesley P. Mason, owner of an engraving company here, who lives at 6262 Oram. The doctor's parents are Mason's closest friends.

Is Well Treated

From the Tokyo radio Thursday in a purported transcription of Dr. Kahn's voice, came a message to America that he had been captured Dec. 23 and was being well treated.

He said he was being allowed to continue treating American patients and being supplied with ample medicine and dressings. The food, he said, had been good on the whole.

Similar techniques have been used by the Japanese in propaganda since the first prisoners were taken.

Dr. Kahn sent greetings to his loved ones in America.

Friends and family have been hopeful that Dr. Kahn was a prisoner since his name had not appeared on any casualty list.

Served In Dallas

The young physician was graduated from the University of Texas medical school in Galveston. He came to Dallas to serve a portion of his internship and had been practicing at Galveston since completing it.

He has had a reserve commission in the Navy for years, Mason said, and was called to active duty either last spring or summer and sent almost immediately to Honolulu.

Old Tractor Is To Red Cross

SNYDER, Texas—County Red Cross was further aided today when Eb Clark, community resident, donated an old tractor to the cause.

Now R. G. Dillard, chairman, is looking to tow the iron horse that the contribution was mangled and turned into a gift of around \$18.50.

The war relief campaign climbed to \$2,100, a record over Scurry County's drive.

Sales of cattle and calves by Texas ranchers and farmers in 1940 brought \$100,120,000. Receipts for hogs were \$16,710,000 and for sheep \$12,896,000.

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THE MATADOR TRIBUNE

Matador Denver Champion Cattle Thrive In Iowa

SHARPSBURG, Iowa.—Feeding cattle is regarded as necessary to round out a farming program by C. A. Boyer and Son, who are among the substantial farmers in this section of Iowa where big feed crops and much beef is produced each year.

Included in their cattle feeding operations last year were some Texas bred cattle from the Matador Ranch that gave a good account of themselves.

Champions at Denver

These cattle were purchased by the Boyers in January 1941, after they had been selected as champions of the feeder cattle division of the Denver show. More loads of feeder cattle are shown and sold at Denver each January than at any other livestock show in the country.

These Matador calves went through the auction ring at Denver and sold for 19 1/4 cents a pound, and averaged 498 pounds. They were fed during the Winter and were turned on Blue Grass pasture in the Spring where they stayed until the first week in July, when they averaged about 900 pounds. They were given all the grain they would eat while running in the pasture. When they were out in the dry lot, after spending the Summer on the grass, they were given ground corn with only a limited amount of hay.

Matador Cattle in International

Boyer fed some Matador calves during 1940 and got two loads, 30 cattle, out of 41 into the 1940 Chicago show. One load was fifth prize winner.

Mrs. Foy Bourn of Lubbock has been visiting here this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Bob Echols.

Famous Magician



ATHLETIC CLUB TO SPONSOR MAGICIAN HERE NEXT WEEK

Mondro, blindfolded wizard featured in the Mondro Mystery Revue, will appear at the Matador High School auditorium, Tuesday evening, February 3rd.

The mystery show is sponsored by the high school athletic club and all net proceeds will aid the organization's depleted general fund.

Mondro is heralded as the man with x-ray eyes, performing feats of mental dexterity which have mystified millions. The two hour, five act program, is crowded with seemingly impossible feats, mirth, magic and illusions that delight and amaze. The program is arranged to provide wholesome, worthwhile entertainment for old and young alike. A ton and half of elaborate stage equipment and costumes is required for the revue.

Admission prices are 10c, 25c and 35c including Federal tax. Presale of tickets will be made this week end.

MUCH RED TAPE IS REMOVED FROM NEW COTTON INSURANCE

"Come what may, I'll have at least 75 per cent of a cotton crop this year," W. I. Rushing, chairman of the Motley County A. A. A. Committee said when he signed his cotton crop insurance contract.

"For every pound I fall below 75 per cent of my normal production, the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation will make up the difference," he said.

Realizing farmers want insurance now and not six or eight months later, much of the so-called red tape has been eliminated from the new cotton crop insurance program. Insurance becomes effective when cotton is planted, the A.A.A. official said.

When percentage of insurance has been decided, producers are required to sign a commodity note which is a part of the contract and guarantees that the premium will be paid either in cash or cash equivalent before maturity date. Maturity date has been set at approximately ginning time.

Improved Financial Risk
If the premium is not paid at the specified time, the amount will be deducted from future A. A. A. payments. Other means of collection include deductions from "tax payment" if any, or cotton loans, if available. In the event farmers are not cooperating with the A.A.A. program and wish to take out insurance, they will be asked to pay premiums in advance, the chairman said.

"If I want to take my insurance contract to a lending agency and ask for cash to make my cotton crop, I'd be a good financial risk because I'm starting out with three-fourths of a crop," the committee man said.

"If I lose, they'll pay; if I win, so much the better, and that is fair enough," Mr. Rushing said.

MRS. R. N. RIGSBY VISITS BROTHER RECENTLY

Mrs. R. N. Rigby was recently called to Rising Star to the bedside of her brother, Dan McBeth, who was ill with pneumonia. Accompanying her was her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Slaughter of Wellington. At the time she received word concerning her brother, Mrs. Rigby was visiting in Floydada with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Jeffers and family.

For Sale—Small dining table and 4 chairs to match. One library table. Good workmanship and reasonably priced. See A. A. Tipton.

RATLIFF . . .

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your rights, and the guardian of your liberties, and it is his duty to preserve and to protect your property. I believe in law and order, and in the strict enforcement of all criminal laws, and it will be my purpose if elected your District Attorney, to prosecute all criminal cases in your District Court with vigor and with energy, keeping in mind at all times that a prosecutor should be fair and considerate of the rights of his fellow man.

A great many criminals begin their careers while they are children in school. This is so because the boys and girls do not understand the seriousness of offenses which they commit, and do not realize how easy it is to drift into a life of crime. Your District Attorney should make every effort to aid the parents and the school teachers in the prevention of crime. If elected your District Attorney, it will be my purpose to visit with the schools and to give counsel and advice to the boys and the girls to the end that we may rear them as good citizens.

Your District Attorney must cooperate with other law enforcement officers. Your Sheriff and your County Attorney spend many hours in the investigation of criminal offenses, and to them is due most of the credit for any success which a District Attorney may enjoy. Their labors will be wasted unless they have the full cooperation of your District Attorney. It will be my purpose, if elected your District Attorney, to devote full time to the job, and to work in harmony and in cooperation with your Sheriff and your County Attorney to the end that we will present a united front in the fight against the criminal.

Your District Attorney should

be in sympathy with the ideals of Democracy. I believe in the ideals of our beloved President Roosevelt, and in the principles for which he stands. It will be my purpose if elected your District Attorney to vote for, and if need be, to fight for, those ideals and principles.

I believe in the rights of the common man, and in being a good neighbor as is represented by the payment of old age pensions, and if elected your District Attorney will lend my influence to those ideals.

You have a right to know why I believe that I may be able to accomplish the results desired and expected of your District Attorney. I have been engaged in the active practice of the law, in both the State and Federal Courts, for the past 12 years, having received my license a few months after I became 21 years of age. At the present time I am serving my eighth year as the County Attorney of Dickens County, having been elected to that office four consecutive times, the last three without opposition. While in that office I have worked with the Honorable Alton B. Chapman, your present District Judge, while he was District Attorney, and since he has been elevated to the bench, and your present District Attorney has been in office, I have continued to aid in the prosecution of all criminal cases in the District Court. I believe that either of these gentlemen will tell you that I have been fair, and that I have given vigorous aid to them in the prosecution of criminal cases. I have worked in close cooperation and in harmony with the sheriff and other officials of my home County, and I refer you to them for any statement as to my willingness to cooperate, and my ability to work with them.

It is my natural desire at this time to ask for a reasonable promotion. I have asked the people of

Better Management To Be Required Of Texas Poultrymen

Texas poultrymen are being called upon to aid the war emergency program by producing 1,514 more carloads of eggs in 1942 than was produced in 1941. To do this is going to require better management on the average Texas poultry farm, according to Lewis Newman, manager of the Matador Hatchery.

Mr. Newman calls attention to the leadership being taken by the Texas A & M College extension service, and urges all Motley county poultry raisers to benefit by a series of educational radio programs arranged by the college. The A & M poultry departments have arranged for the program for six days beginning Monday morning, February 2 and continuing thru February 7.

Programs will be from 8:15 to 8:30 each morning, over the A & M station WTAW (820 kilocycles).

The schedule is as follows: Feb. 2, Poultry's Part in National Defense; Feb. 3, Buying The Right Kind of Chicks; Feb. 4, Fundamentals of Successful Chick Brooding; Feb. 5, Feeding Baby Chicks; Feb. 6, Reducing Chick Mortality; Feb. 7, The 1942 Poultry Defense Program.

my home county to return me to the office which I now hold as long as any reasonable man ought to expect. The logical step for me to now take is to ask for a promotion to the office of District Attorney. I will appreciate the opportunity of serving you in that office. I would like to have your vote, and if I cannot get your vote, I would like to have your friendship.

Respectfully Submitted,
L. D. Ratliff, Jr.

Grass Growing Again On 30,787 Acres In 'Dust Bowl' Region

Grass has been successfully re-established on 30,787 acres since 1935 in the area formerly known as the "dust bowl", according to soil conservation figures given at a conference in Amarillo Wednesday.

The meeting was attended by E. L. Mader, assistant professor of agronomy at Texas Technological college, and R. E. Karper of the Lubbock experiment station, who has charge of sorghum breeding investigations in Texas.

Satisfactory stands were established on approximately 66 per cent of the 46,744 acres seeded in the Texas Panhandle, Southwestern Kansas, Southeastern Colorado, the Oklahoma Panhandle and Northeastern New Mexico.

In 1941 alone, approximately 9,383 acres were seeded and a satisfactory cover was obtained on 8,402 acres.

The program is being conducted for purposes of preventing soil erosion and re-establishing grazing land.

The conference was attended by representatives of state colleges, experiment stations, the extension division and Soil Conservation service.

Figures announced represent acreage re-seeded in the Soil Conservation service program. Additional acreage was re-grassed by individuals.

Capitalism: the pelt of the squirrel belongs to the owner of the tree. Communism and Fascism the pelt belongs to the hunter. Utopia: It belongs to the squirrel. —Max Nomad.

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Mrs. E. M. Lebowitz of Clovis, N. M., are with her mother, Mrs. Meador, who has been ill with the flu, for some time. Mrs. Meador's son, Zeke, and Mrs. Bruce, of Texas also visited her the week end.

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- WHITEFLAT—February 4, Acker's Store, 2 P. M. to 4 P. M.
- FLOMOT—February 5, Clement's Barber Shop, 2 to 5 P. M.
- NORTHFIELD—February 6, School House, 2 to 4 P. M.
- MATADOR—February 7, American Legion Building, 2 to 5 P. M.

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