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By GLAS MEADOR

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Clean City Emerges From Greatest Clean-Up Drive

MATADOR IS CLEAN after 180 minutes of the most intensive clean-up drive in its entire history. Men from every walk of life reported to their pre-designated block-leader following the sounding of the fire alarm at 7 a. m. Tuesday morning. Business houses remained closed as the mass attack on weeds, trash and rubbish reached a crescendo of clanging hoes, roaring trucks and banter of working men.

Smoke soon rose from many fires of piled rubbish, while stacks of green weeds were arranged for future burning. Massive trucks, smaller pickups and car-attached trailers moved through alleys, and over vacant lots until they were loaded high with old automobile bodies, trash and rubbish of every description.

All Business Represented Never in the history of Matador has a greater cooperative spirit been manifest than during the three hours of intense labor. Almost without exception every business was represented, as well as professional offices. County and city officials took part in the drive. The entire membership of the Matador Lions Club, Dave Guest and his State Highway crew with trucks, West Texas Utilities Company representatives and truck. Ed Jameson trucking company, large cattle trucks and winch truck for loading heavy objects, agents and trucks of three major oil companies and members of the Matador Volunteer Fire Department include but a partial list of those who devoted their resources and energies to the success of the drive.

Spirit Of Clean-up Spreads The clean-up spirit in the business part of town quickly spread to the residential section in areas which had not already responded to appeals and hardly any section of town failed to show improved conditions by yesterday morning.

During the down-town clean-up Tuesday morning the group of workers was constantly enlarged as more men appeared and responded to the spirit of community improvement.

Many continued to work thru- out the day after the prearranged 10 o'clock quitting hour. Much success of the drive is attributed to C. A. Pitts, local manager of the West Texas Utilities Company who was given the responsibility of arranging crews for the various business blocks. Because of his well-arranged plans, workers reported to their block crew leaders and began work promptly.

The intensive drive was sponsored by the Matador Lions Club in an attempt to alleviate dangers from the present epidemic of infantile paralysis. Support of the movement was given by the City of Matador which approved funds to pay for mowing streets and alleys.

Boss Lion Elmer Stearns expressed appreciation of the civic group yesterday for the complete (See CLEAN-UP back page)

Heat Wave Subsides

Heat wave which had clamped Western Texas in a scorching grip for over 30 days, was broken early Tuesday morning. Wind out of the north and east pressed the heated air out of the sun-scorched territory rapidly. Temperature of 90 degrees at midnight Monday was lowered over 20 degrees before daylight Tuesday.

The cool weather has continued, accompanied by cloudiness much of Tuesday and yesterday.

While crops are still badly in need of rain, damage is being alleviated by the cool weather which promises to be the breaking up of severe summer heat.

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IN QUANAH HOSPITAL

John Mervyn Russell under- went major surgery last Wednes- day, in the Quannah hospital. His mother, Mrs. James Russell, and sister, Mrs. James Richardson have been at his bedside.

Also a patient in the Quannah Hospital is Malcolm Jameson of Whiteflat, who underwent an operation the first part of the week.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FRIDAY FOR MRS. CARPENTER

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church, Matador Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock, for Mrs. Walter W. Carpenter, who died at 4:30 a. m. Thursday at Hendrick Memorial hospital, Abilene, following an illness of more than a year. She had undergone surgery some months ago and re- entered the hospital for treatment two weeks prior to her death.

Rev. M. B. Carroll, pastor, con- ducted the rites before the bereav- ed family and relatives, and a host of sorrowing friends who filled the church auditorium to capacity. Pallbearers were: L. A. Nelson, Littleton Rattan, Elbert Reeves, C. A. Pitts, J. R. Emmons and Hoyet Burnam, and the fol- lowing women carried the floral sprays: Miss Maggie Bryan, Miss Verlin Reeves and Mesdames L. A. Nelson, T. E. Cammack, Claud Harp, C. A. Pitts, Claude Wilson, Fred Clower, L. A. Carlisle, Kim Wilkinson, Hoyet Burnam and Elbert Reeves.

Interment was made in East Mound cemetery here, under the direction of Elliott's funeral home of Abilene.

Born In Arkansas

Linnie Ora Hall was born in Arkansas, July 11, 1891, and passed away August 12, 1943, at the age of 52 years, one month and one day. She had been a resident of Matador since her marriage to Mr. Carpenter on December 18, 1920 in a ceremony performed at Amarillo, Texas. To this union were born three children, Walter Walton Jr., who died in infancy, Lela and Frances.

Besides her husband and daughters, she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Lottie Schoening of Eckert, Colorado, and Mrs. Hattie Maxwell of Whittier, California, and her father, T. J. Hall of Eckert, formerly of Matador.

Mrs. Carpenter was a member of the Baptist church, and one of its most faithful and consecrated workers, although of a retiring nature. Her passing is a distinct (See MRS. CARPENTER page 4)

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL TO START HERE TOMORROW

Annual summer revival of the Matador Church of Christ will start tomorrow evening, August 20, at 9 p. m. Preaching will be conducted by Minister E. C. McKenzie of Nashville, Tenn. Sing- ing will be led by Gordon Gate- wood, it was announced yesterday. Services will be held twice daily during the ten-day revival at the usual hours of 10 a. m. and 9 p. m. A cordial invitation is extend- ed the general public to attend.

Dairy Herds To Be Tesied Next Week

Over 300 head of dairy cows are scheduled to be tested for tuberculosis and Bangs disease, within the next week or ten days, according to County Agent J. R. Emmons. Owners who have re- quested testing will be notified in advance. T. E. Cammack of Mata- dor, will have 30 head of dairy cows tested, the largest individual number in the schedule. Arrange- ments have been made for testing 73 head in Matador, 26 at White- flat, 83 at Flomot, 88 at Roaring Springs, 12 at Folley, 13 at Du- mont and 23 at Northfield.

The tests will be made by Dr. A. J. Lewis, state veterinary of Lubbock. Cows may be either T. B. Bangs disease or both. Charges are \$1 per test per head, or \$2 per head for both tests.

Dairy cow owners who have not made previous arrangements, but desire their cows tested, should contact the county agent's office by Saturday, August 21.

Over 800 head of dairy cows were tested for Bangs disease in Motley county during 1940 and over 100 head were found to be "reactors," and at that time there were several cases of undulant fever in the county.

CAAF Planes Fly More Than 6,000,000 Miles Without Single Fatal Accident

Planes of the Childress Army Air Field have flown more than 6,000,000 miles and dropped more than 10,000,000 pounds of practice bombs during the past six months without a fatal accident. This was revealed by the Public Relations Office, Friday.

Six months of flying at the bom- bardier school was completed Thursday. Transition flying by pi- lots for the bombardier planes started Feb. 12 of this year and bombardier students started their bombing practice in March.

Capt. W. F. Huskey, post tech- nical inspector, said the bombing planes had flown a total of 39,337 hours for all purposes since flying started Feb. 12.

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FRIENDLY BACK SLAP COSTLY TO RANCHER

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 10.—Western friendliness can be overdone, admits B. A. Ryan, Falcon, Colo., rancher. He greeted a friend with a "howdy, partner," and a re- sounding slap on the back.

The friend reeled through a plate glass window. Ryan paid \$129 covering damage to the window and merchandise.

Diplomas Go To 90 Women

Certificates for having com- pleted full prescribed hours in Red cross home nursing have been awarded 90 Motley county women in five communities, according to Mrs. Lena C. Cox, Red Cross in- structor, who will leave for her home in Fort Worth today after completion of the work.

Mrs. Cox had been given a quota of 40 as the probable number expected to devote their time to the study in Motley county. As a guest of the Matador Lions Club, Tuesday, Mrs. Cox was enthusias- tic in her praise of the cooperation and interest shown here. She gave particular credit to the Matador Lions Club, Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer county home-nursing chairman and others contributing to the success of the classes.

Mrs. Cox said that in addition to those receiving certificates, ap- proximately 40 others had attend- ed the courses, but without suffi- cient hours to receive diplomas. She said that 155 Red Cross home nursing text books had been sold in the county. Certificates go to 23 at Matador, 18 at Northfield, 11 at Flomot, 16 at Roaring Springs and 22 at Whiteflat.

Special Credit To Northfield

Mrs. Cox gave special credit to the women of the Northfield com- munity. She said, "Due to condi- tions of distance, weather and communication facilities, this class was a week late in starting, which then required 4-hour class sessions. The 18 women who made up the membership of this class, completed the course with 100% attendance. I believe this is a record.

"The work has been pleasant here and I shall leave with kindly thoughts and a warm feeling in my heart for Matador and Motley county."

Lint Farmers Save By Free Classing

Motley county one-variety cot- ton farmers saved \$2,809 by the free classing service provided by the government cotton improve- ment program, during 1942-43, it was disclosed by County Agent J. R. Emmons, this week.

The number of participating farmers has been increased from 298 for last year to 376 for the present season, with 33,799 acres as compared with 25,385 acres in 1942. Mr. Emmons declared. He said that Hybrid 15 is the most pop- ular variety, being grown by 329 farmers on 29,538 acres. Acala, Delta Pine Land and Cluster var- ieties are grown by 47 farmers on 4,251 acres.

Plans Complete For Pioneers' Annual Reunion

Bike Thieves Find Riding Handlebars With Law Is Rough

Deputy John Stotts answered a call from Plainview police Mon- day, asking for information regard- ing a stolen bicycle which had been recovered. Deputy Stotts reflected quickly and could not recall stumbling over his son, Dean Stotts' bike in several days. He made a hurried check and confirmed his suspicions; his son's bike was missing.

Two Plainview youths; James and Jack Cole, 12 and 18, are in jail here, charged with theft of the bicycle. They were arrested after workers at a caliche pit two miles west of Plainview saw the boys toss a bike into a lake. The youths had three or four wheels in their possession and were re- moving the paint in preparation for new paint. The caliche work- ers are reported to have caught the boys and held them until of- ficers arrived.

Highway patrolman O. D. Jack- son, who had visited in Deputy Stotts' home, recognized the bi- cycle, which resulted in the re- covery of the wheel and the two boys being in the Matador jail, after they were brought from Plainview by Sheriff H. H. Court- ney and Deputy Stotts. The wheel was stolen August 7 and had not been missed until Monday. It was stolen off the side walk in front of Deputy Stotts' home.

Lions Hear Report On Convention

Suspense has been relieved in Matador Liondom after the report of Lions International convention delegates H. F. Pipkin and W. F. Jacobs, comprising the leading feature of the regular meeting held Tuesday in the basement of the Methodist church. Some doubt existed as to whether or not the delegates ever reached Cleveland for the war-time conference held in July. However, their reports were complete to the extent of their difficulties in finding the First Methodist Church of Cleve- land to spend their surplus time in awaiting the conference to get under way. The report made by the two delegates was interesting and appreciated by the entire membership attending Tuesday meeting. Lion Jacobs said that Lions membership has passed 150,000 in the total of 4,326 clubs in 16 countries. H. E. Berry was program sponsor.

War Reporter To Be Here

Approval of a plan to secure Associated Press war correspond- ent Ernest G. Fischer, who spent two years in Berlin, to make a public address here early in Oc- tober, was made by the mem- bership. Lion Douglas Meador was instructed to complete arrange- ments for Mr. Fischer's appear- ance as soon as he is available.

A report of the Red Cross home nursing course in Motley county was made by Lena C. Cox, Red Cross instructor, and will be found elsewhere in this issue of the Tribune. Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer, county chairman of Red Cross home nursing was also a visitor at the Tuesday luncheon.

Other visitors included H. S. (Put) Gilbert of Flomot and his son, Lt. W. B. Gilbert in the U. S. Marine Corps, Lucius Lancaster, city secretary, and Earl McBride, secretary of the Matador Volun- teer Fire Department.

RETURN HOME

Mrs. Grover Price and children have returned home from Calif- ornia, where they spent the past several weeks with their husband and father, who was stationed on the west coast.

Two-Day Meeting Will Revert To Early-Day Methods

Pioneers thrived on inconven- iences and the annual meeting of the Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers' Association anticipates little difficulty from war-ration- ing restrictions at Roaring Springs Pioneer park, Thursday and Fri- day, August 26-27.

C. C. Haile of Afton, President of the organization, was in Mata- dor Monday afternoon completing arrangements for the meeting. He said that methods of transporta- tion and entertainment would of necessity revert to those of pion- eer days, but that he believed there would be little effect on at- tendance. "The purpose of the organization," he said, "is for pion- eers of the two counties to meet, visit and recall old days. It was founded without modern conven- iences and I believe the public will accept the necessity of revert- ing to old-time methods. The non- motor vehicle parade Thursday morning August 26 at 10 a. m. will not be affected by war restrictions nor will the memorial services at 11 a. m. during the first day.

To Bring Basket Lunches "It will be necessary that every family bring their own lunch since it is hardly probable that food will be available on the grounds. The afternoon rodeos will not be affected by any war- time restriction, nor will the two dances (modern and pioneer) to be conducted each evening."

Mr. Haile said the only possible shortage which might affect the reunion would be ice for drinking water, result of present ice rationing in this area. Individuals have been limited to purchase of 50 pounds daily.

LUBBOCK SOLDIER IS GRATEFUL FOR HOME NEWSPAPER

Distance does not affect the ap- preciation of Motley county men in uniform for the weekly copies of their home newspaper provided through volunteer contributions of the "folks at home." The fol- lowing excerpts from a letter re- ceived this week from Pvt. W. T. Marshall, stationed at Lubbock, contains the same gratitude as those in service overseas:

"Dear Ben: I suppose you are surprised to get a letter from me, but even though I am at Lubbock, I still like to receive the paper. It may seem strange to you, but while I am on my short visits at home there is much I would not know if it wasn't for the paper.

"After I read your last issue, I really did realize just how much the paper means to the fellows overseas; the men who were not as fortunate or unfortunate as myself, as you may take it. . . G. W. Fuller, for instance, we all know he is doing a fine job and if he says the paper is the best in the world—well, that is enough for me, it is the best paper in the world. . . when you leave home and enter service there is another world for you to begin life in. New regulations, new faces and above all we miss the faces of those we have known since child- hood.

Soldiers Have Long Memories "...advise the people of Mata- dor and Motley county to keep up the good work they are doing for the men in service. It really helps to see the names of the people who help make the paper possible. This will not be forgotten, for all of us in uniform have a very long memory."

The Tribune expresses sincere appreciation for the following un- solicited contributions to the pa- per fund made since last publica- tion: G. V. Hensarling (Roaring Springs) \$1, Mrs. Joe Hall (Pa- ducah) \$2, Dr. J. G. Ketchersid \$2 John Barton (Flomot) \$5, Mrs. C. M. McDonald \$1, Claude Groves (Wellington) \$1, Bob Jameson, Jr. \$1, Mrs. Melvin Meason \$1, L. R. Bishop \$2.

The Armed Service

Stanley Level, was recently stationed at Fredrick, Okla., 452 Base Hq. & Air Base Sqdn. Fredrick A.A.F. according to recent information.

Lt. Ben F. Tunnell, Jr., has recently been sent to Benicia Arsenal, Benicia, California, he advises, and says, "I wish to thank you for your kindness in sending us the paper. I certainly look forward to it every week. I will not be here long, but I will mail you my new address when I move. Give Mrs. Meador my regards, and thanking you again, I am,

Yours truly,
B. F. Tunnell, Jr.

Johnny Allsup, who left on July 30 to enter the armed forces, is in training at the U. S. Naval Training Station, San Diego, California with this address: John V. Allsup, A.S.; Co. 43-313.

(Special to the Tribune) A visit to Silver Springs, Florida's famed and internationally known underwater fairyland, recently was enjoyed as a highlight of the current Florida tour of duty, of Pvt. Norman Martin of Matador, who is stationed at Winter Garden, Fla.

Pfc. John O. Jameson has been sent to Fort Ord, California, he informs in a letter received this week in which he writes: "I missed a few copies of the Tribune, and sure missed getting it and reading the page about the boys in service. I am in the field artillery here and don't like it as well as I did the quartermaster. Wish I could get back in my old outfit again.... we took a seven mile

hike Wednesday morning. "I saw Benny Keltz in Monterey last Sunday and was sure surprised and glad to see him. It makes a guy feel good to see someone from his home town. "Thanks again for the paper, and to all the people who make it possible for the boys in the service to receive the 'home-town' paper. Your friend,
P.F.C. John O. Jameson
C-Btry. 736 F. A. Bn.
Fort Ord, California.

S. Sgt. Donald Groves writes to advise that he is again in the hospital for further treatment to injuries received in his eye, in an accident which occurred in June. Sgt. Groves, who has just returned to Washington, following a visit here with his mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves and other relatives, is in Ward 61, New Section; Walter Reed Gen. Hosp. Forest Glen, Md.

Noble H. Groves, SK3-c, Station Force N.C.T.C. Barracks S-2, Davisville, R. L. writes to say that he has been receiving the Tribune each week and is glad to get it. "The first thing that is read is the letters from the other fellows in the service. I am always interested to know where they are. "I spent the past week-end on a short sight-seeing trip to Provincetown over on Cape Cod. We went by boat and the trip was just wonderful. I visited some of the places where the pilgrims first landed. "Am sending you a copy of the 'Bulldozer' which is our camp paper. Thought you might be interested in having a copy for your file, as it is published on the first Anniversary of this camp. "I wish to again express my appreciation for the paper and will be glad when the time comes when we can all be home again. Sincerely,
Noble.

Pvt. and Mrs. Farris Martin arrived home Thursday for a 10-day furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Martin, Jr. of Flomot. Pvt. Martin is stationed at Camp Howze, and his wife is employed at Ft. Worth.

Pfc. Norris Cloyd and Pfc. Robert I. Thomas Jr., accompanied by their buddy Pfc. Charles L. Roberts, all of Amarillo, spent Sunday at Flomot with relatives and friends.

Pvt. J. D. Payne of Camp Howze spent the week-end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Ethel Payne and brother, Charles.

Deming Army Air Field, Deming, New Mexico (Special to Tribune) Aviation Cadet Wesley Yandell, son of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Yandell of Matador, was graduated from the Bombardier School on July 31, and was presented with the coveted silver wings, symbolic of the aeronautical rating of bombardier and commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the U. S. Army.

Lieut. Yandell was reared at Roaring Springs, Texas. Since receiving his commission, he has been on leave, visiting his parents here.

Pvt. Thomas A. Marshall, Ass. 33345510, is stationed at Buckley Field, Colorado, with the 770th T.S.S. No. F-510.

Pvt. Odell Osborn, is with Co. A. 324 Inf. stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington.

Cpl. Jeff D. Woods is in the Oliver Gen. Hospital, Ward 10, Augusta, Ga., according to information furnished this week by relatives.

Robert W. Jackson, A.S., is in training at the U. S. Naval Training Station, in San Diego (33) California, with Co. 43-240, Mrs. Virginia Jackson of Roaring Springs, advises.

Present address of Joe Hall, recently inducted into the armed forces is: Pvt. William J. Hall, 33345634; Co. H. 1st Regt. O.R.T.C. Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Aberdeen, Md.

Pvt. Travis V. McDonald has been transferred to Camp Mackall, N. C., where he is with Co. D. 517 Pchd. Inf.

Pfc. E. L. Webb of Camp Barkley, Abilene, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Webb, here during the past week.

Pvt. Loyd Latimer stationed at A&M College, Bryan, Texas, is spending his furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Latimer.

Pvt. Alfred Simpson of the Army Air Forces, stationed at Brooksville, Florida, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Simpson, here.

From a location "somewhere in the Central Pacific," Pfc. William E. Birchfield writes: "Dear Ben: I have been receiving the paper regularly. I appreciate it very much, and want to thank you and everyone that has made it possible for the men of the Armed

Forces to read it in every part of the world. "You can tell by the enclosed clipping that where I was, is a lot different from Motley county. As ever,
W. K. "Rusty" Birchfield.

The clipping enclosed in the letter was a newspaper article written by Sgt. Merle Miller, reprinted from Yank, the Army Weekly, describing life on the "Isle of Atonement," name given a small island in the Pacific, by the soldiers stationed there.

Excerpts follow for the benefit of those who labor under the illusion that all South Sea Islands are Paradises, peopled by Dorothy Lamour. "It may be stretching a point to call such a completely insignificant blob of white sand and coral an island. Many maps of the Pacific ignore it altogether. At no point is it more than 15 or 20 feet above sea level, and, except for a few sickly bushes, the noisy booby and gooney birds and the ghost-walkers, there is no wildlife or vegetation. Rats are numerous, kindly, grey creatures who take a brotherly interest in the welfare and possessions of the GIs. Barrels and bunks—with or without occupants—are their favorite hangouts. There are no mosquitoes.

"The evenings are cool, and the sunsets, it is said, are the most beautiful in the Pacific. An evening swim is an almost compulsory part of every day's activities. The days are hot... rain is scarce and sparse... almost always the temperature is well above 100. The story is that the devil was offered this spot in exchange for a half acre of hell. Quite wisely, the men say, he turned it down....

"Not much happens here. Planes like ours come in from the north and the south, but they never tarry long. They are always on their way to or from some place. The 'Isle of Atonement' is never their final destination. "From everyone the first question is, 'Is there any mail on board your plane?' The second is 'What have you got to read?' Mail arrives infrequently, and, except for Yank and occasional daily papers, there are few magazines and books... there is never much to do—except work and sleep and eat.... Coca Cola is rationed, two bottles to a man twice a week.... For most GIs every day is the same... they watch, and they wait. The Japs, they know, are based not many hundred miles away, and the Nips have been here before in their two-motored bombers, never many, but always enough to keep you alert....

"Radios are rare and reception of Mainland stations is not always clear. Radio Tokyo, on the other hand, comes in loud and blatant. The Japs have claimed capture of this spot at least twice. That's always good for a laugh.... MPs are a conspicuous luxury. No one ever goes AWOL, and, since there are no women about, the number of ways in which you can get in trouble are limited. Liquor is almost non-existent. "They say the gooney birds start talking to you after three months here. At the end of eight months, it is alleged, you start answering back. Most GIs don't hang around long enough to find out if the latter is true or not."

A/c. Wilmer B. Green will complete training at Blackland Army Air Field, Class 43-H, on Monday, August 30, according to announcements of graduation received here by friends this week. He is former athletic coach in the local high school.

Pvt. James McBride is spending a few days furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McBride of Roaring Springs.

Pvt. Lynn Martin of the U. S. Marine Corps, stationed in San Diego, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell of Roaring Springs, and also visited in Matador with his sister, Mrs. Kirby Hobbs.

A recent card from Pvt. James F. Gibbs, Co. F. 3rd Regt. A.S.N. 18164727, Ft. E. Warren, Wyo., says, "I have changed addresses again, and sure would appreciate your changing my address on my Tribune; I sure miss it. Hope this card finds good ole Matador O.K. Thanks, James."

FDR says: Payroll savings is our greatest single factor in protecting ourselves against inflation.

Avoid HOG CHOLERA LOSSES! Don't fail to vaccinate. You can depend upon COLORADO SERUM—pure, fresh and potent. Used by thousands of leading farmers everywhere.

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Flomot News

(By Mrs. L. B. Turner)

METHODIST REVIVAL BEGINS The Methodist revival meeting began here Friday night with about 50 persons present for prayer meeting.

Prayer meeting was held again Saturday night with Rev. L. N. Lipscomb of Plainview, District Superintendent, arriving Sunday, for those services and to preach Monday. Rev. Berry Baker of Olton, arrived Monday to assist in the meeting.

Both preachers are well known in this community. Rev. Baker having assisted in a meeting here in 1938. Everyone is extended an urgent invitation to attend the services.

The merchants are closing from 11 to 12 each morning, in order to attend the services.

VISITORS HONORED A dinner was given Sunday at the I. E. Martin home in honor of their son, Pvt. Farris Martin of Camp Howze, and his wife, who is employed at Fort Worth.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Rev. L. N. Lipscomb of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and children of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin and family of Edgin, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Washington and family of Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Waters and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Martin and son, Raldo Martin and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Hall of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Washington and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beard of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin and daughter, Monica Hunt, Aunt Mollie Martin, Junior Washington the guest of honor and the host and hostess and sons.

W. A. Moore of Hale Center is visiting in the community here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Merritt and Erwin went to Plainview Sunday and visited in the Audrie J. Morris home.

Mrs. G. D. Pope and children and Herston Comer went to Amarillo, Sunday to visit G. D. Pope, who has been in the Veteran's hospital there the past two weeks. Mrs. Pope reported that her husband is improving.

Miss Edna Ruth Bourland goes to Northfield this week to take up her duties in the school there beginning Monday morning.

Rev. J. E. Lee and son Orvil, of Peacock, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tanner Saturday night. Rev. Lee preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and in the afternoon.

A cordial invitation is extended everyone to attend the Fifth Sunday Singing convention that will be held here August 29. You are welcome.

R. G. and Ruby Dell Morris of Sterley made an over-night visit in the community Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin are having their new home stuccoed at this time.

Mrs. Pearl Martin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Buck Roach at Floydada this week. Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boots Gunn Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Harley

Gas Reduction Becomes Effective

LUBBOCK—Reduction of gasoline coupons 'A' 'B' and 'C' from four gallons to three gallons each became effective here Monday, Howard Gholson, Lubbock district director of the Office of Price Administration, announced today following a nation-wide announcement by General Manager Chester Bowles that reduction had been made in gasoline consumption in the midwest & southwest. 'E' and 'R' non-highway coupons will continue under their present value of five gallons each, he said.

The district director pointed out that reduction in the midwest and southwest states did not affect that in the eastern states where the value of the 'A' coupons are still set at 1 1/2 gallons each and 'B' and 'C' coupons at 2 1/2 gallons each.

"The reduction in gasoline consumption here due to the very critical tire situation," Gholson explained. "We are trying to make every effort to keep essential vehicles operating for the war effort and to do this we must cut down on unessential operations," the director pointed out. He added that we are faced with a dwindling supply of tire stocks that makes it imperative that we protect what little rubber we have left.

Sgt. and Mrs. W. J. Richards and Mrs. Thelma Thomas arrived here Friday from Hobbs, N. M. Mrs. Thomas has been visiting Mrs. Richards, who is her sister. Sgt. Richards has a few days leave before reporting for duty in Arizona. He will visit his parents at Lockney while on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin of Pep, N. M., arrived Wednesday night and spent the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bural and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Washington of Olton came down Saturday to visit during their daughter, Mrs. Farris Martin's stay here.

A barbecue dinner of goat was given Monday in honor of Pvt. and Mrs. Farris Martin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Washington. Sixty-two guests were present and enjoyed the dinner, which was prepared by cookie, Guy Waters.

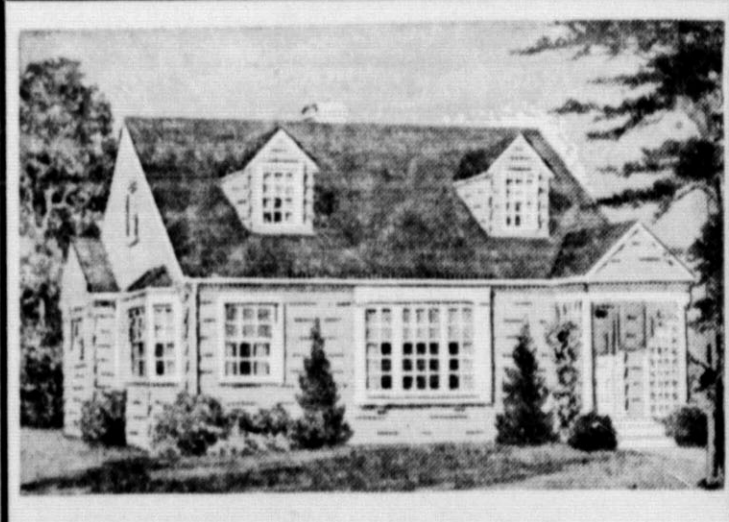
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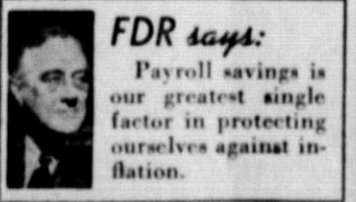
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Motley County Insurance Co.

J. R. Whitworth— Elmer Stearns



FDR says: Payroll savings is our greatest single factor in protecting ourselves against inflation.



MATADOR DRUG KENNETH JEFFERS, Manager

Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

Mrs. Caldwell Smith is visiting in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Jennie Lou Murphy left Sunday for Toledo, Ohio, to be with her husband. Sgt. Garlin Murphy, who is in training there.

Mrs. A. Freeman was a business visitor in Floydada Tuesday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Fred Bourland of Whiteflat.

C. E. Marshall returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Corona, N. M.

Mrs. Clyde E. Smith of Shreveport, La., is visiting in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith.

R. C. and R. L. Giesecke returned Sunday from a 2-weeks visit with their grandparents near Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper of Cleburne, arrived Saturday to make their home here. They are members of the Roaring Springs high school faculty this year.

Mrs. Fred Simpson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Sanders and small daughter, Donna Sue, visited one day last week in the home of another daughter, Mrs. Arthur Cooper of Floydada.

ENTERTAIN AT PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bridges of Dickens, were hosts to a very enjoyable occasion Thursday evening, when they entertained with a picnic honoring Pfc. Frank N. Mitchell, of the U. S. Marine Corps, recently returned from overseas duty of four years duration and Sgt. Dumont Bridge, who is in aviation training in Tenn.

Principal attraction of the evening was the supper, prepared ranch-style by Mr. Bridge.

Others who enjoyed the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ousley and children of Dickens; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell and daughter, Marion Alice, Tommie Bridge and Martha Little student nurses of Lubbock, and R. B. (Boo) Donnell.



FDR says:
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This Soldier May Be Your Boy



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Molley County's September VICTORY BOND DRIVE

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Methodist W. S. C. S. Meet Held Tuesday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met at the church Tuesday evening in a regular meeting.

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth was leader of the following interesting program: Devotional, "A Living Church," The Volunteer Woman and her Church, Mrs. W. F. Jacobs Women Bringing Gifts, Mrs. W. Y. Higgins, Mrs. David Guest and Mrs. Lewis Eudy; Pictures, "24-Hours with a Church Woman," Mrs. Whitworth.

Ladies present in addition to those on the program were: Mesdames H. H. Schweitzer, R. P. Moore, W. B. Swim, Annie Tudor, Ed Williams, Harry Willett, Ethel Payne, A. J. Daffern, C. D. Pipkin Henry Ford, and Mrs. Hart Harris of Fort Worth visiting Mrs. Higgins.

Northfield News

By Mrs. C. D. Kincannon

Those transacting business in Matador Monday were Jim Dobbins and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Payne and family, D. T. Florence and C. D. Kincannon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Simpson attended to business in Turkey Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Payne returned home Tuesday after a ten day visit with his brother, G. E. Payne of Oklahoma.

Mrs. W. P. Bethany visited friends in Parker County last week.

Mrs. J. A. Tipton was a Childress visitor Friday night.

Mrs. A. B. Simpson and children and Mrs. C. D. Kincannon visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matlock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Thompson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson Sunday.

C. T. Booths of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Boyd last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Latimer and daughter Barbara Ann of Amarillo, are visiting here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Latimer and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edmondson. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dud Stafford and small son Ronnie, who are visiting relatives.



By JEAN MERRITT
Home Home Institute



Meatless Meal Magic

Rank prepared mustard high on your roster of flavor aids for wartime foods. For mustard has the very thing your ration hampered cooking needs. Mustard is an urbane flavor. It is a suave sophisticate with a fascinating touch of firebrand concealed beneath its yellow surface.

You can count on the warm, stimulating quality of mustard to add life and zest to meatless meals. Vegetable platters, in particular, are improved by this discriminating condiment. For mustard points up the earthy goodness of a vegetable, and gives a fillip to the flavor that suggests the heft and bulk of meat.

Rice, too, can be converted from a vegetable to main course dish by mixing with a little mustard. Just add onion slivers, some shortening to brown, a trifle of cheese for heft, and pungent prepared mustard. Try both these dishes, so—and see!

Mustard Rice
Wash, draining well—
1 cup uncooked rice.
In—
2 tablespoons shortening
sauté until tender, but not brown—
1 small onion cut in thin slices.
Add, stirring over high heat 5 minutes—
Rice
2 tablespoons prepared yellow mustard

1 1/4 teaspoons salt.
Add, then cover—
3 cups boiling water.
Cook rapidly 10 minutes. Reduce heat to low, continue cooking 45 minutes or until rice is tender. Add grated cheese and mix well with rice. Serve hot. Serves 6.

Fried Noodles with Vegetables and Mustard Sauce
Cook as directed on package—
6 oz. (1 pkg.) egg noodles.
Melt—
2 tablespoons fat or meat drippings.
Add and brown—
1/2 cup fine dry bread crumbs.
Add, mixing well—
Cooked noodles.
In center of platter arrange—
Mound of cooked noodles.
Around noodles place, alternately—
6 whole cooked carrots
1 head cooked cabbage, cut in 6 wedges
3 medium cooked beets, cut in halves.
In saucepan melt—
1/4 cup fat.
Add, blending well—
1/2 cup flour.
Add and cook, stirring constantly, until thickened—
2 cups milk.
Add, mixing well—
1 teaspoon salt
Few grains cayenne pepper
2 eggs, well beaten
1/4 cup distilled white vinegar
2 tablespoons prepared yellow mustard.
Heat and serve over noodles and vegetables. Serves 6.

Local Items

Mrs. Bob Warden and children have returned to their home in Lubbock, after a visit here with her aunt, Mrs. Homer Sheats.

Misses Velda Mae and Dorothy Rattan left Tuesday for Amarillo, where they are visiting relatives.

Messrs. Elmer Stearns and L. J. Barkley made a business trip to Trinidad, Colorado, Friday evening, returning home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell, together with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., left on the bus Tuesday morning for a few days trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Mrs. G. E. Hamilton visited in Childress Monday and Tuesday, having accompanied Mr. Hamilton to Quanah, where he transacted business. They returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. G. N. Wilson and Miss Mildred Meador left Thursday for Donie, Texas to visit their sister, Mrs. Marlin Pounds and family.

Miss Chardean Mowrey of Quanah, arrived Wednesday to visit here as the guest of Miss Bernice Ruth Patton.

Newell Sanford of Plainview, visited here during the past week with Elwyn Fulfer.

Mrs. B. F. Moring of Plainview, has been visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Fulfer, and with her brothers, W. M. and Foster Fulfer and their families.

Mrs. J. P. Truett and small son, John Perry, and her mother, Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson of Lockney, former Matador residents, were visitors here Sunday in the home of Mrs. Fulkerson's sister, Mrs. H. S. Watson.

Mrs. V. J. Skaggs returned home Thursday from Chillicothe and Vernon, where she visited relatives. She met her daughter, Billie Frank, at Vernon to accompany her home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Harold Allen of Tyler. Jerry Thomas of Vernon accompanied them home as their guest.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Higgins have been his sister, Mrs. J. W. Harris of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harris of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Porter and children of Goliad, are visiting at the Echols ranch with Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Echols and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Guthrie and son Gail, of Erick, Oklahoma visited relatives here over the week-end, as they were enroute to Edin, to visit his sister, Mrs. Joe Tom Jackson and family.

Mrs. H. O. Stanfield and daughter Dorothy, returned home Wednesday from Dallas, where they had visited relatives. Another daughter, Helen, accompanied them and remained in Dallas where she is employed.

Mrs. Bud Russell and daughter Louise, arrived Sunday for a few days visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

Leonard Crowell and son Leonard Jr. of Flomot, were attending to business matters here Tuesday.

Bill Pipkin and children, Patti and Neal, made a trip to Lubbock Monday, returning home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solomon and son Danny, are visiting in New Mexico, following a visit with his brother and family of Friona, Texas.

Miss Jean Wilkins left Tuesday for her home at Krum, near Denton, after visiting here as the guest of Miss Myrnae Barkley.

Mrs. Noble Dirickson is assisting in the Vogue Beauty Shop this week while Mrs. Irene Groves manager, is taking a vacation from duties.

Mr. and Mrs. George Birchfield and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day visited in Turkey Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Teed Blackshear.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes and daughter Shirley, have been spending the past week at Ruidoso New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardin and son, Dan, have moved to Matador from Kirkland, and Mr. Hardin is employed at the West Texas Gin here.

Mrs. Ruby Turner returned to her home at Turkey, Tuesday, after a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hobbs and family.

W. M. Hill left Wednesday for the west coast, to join Mrs. Hill in a visit with their son, Harley, who is stationed at the U. S. Naval training station, San Diego.

Fay Tipton and Thomas Fulgham of Northfield, were visitors here Monday in the A. A. Tipton home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harp and son, Bob, returned home Friday from Norman, Oklahoma, where they visited their son and brother, A.-c. Norman Harp, who is in training there.

Mrs. Owen Tudor returned here Tuesday from Columbia, S. C., where she has been with her husband, and plans to go to Fort Worth to obtain employment in a defense plant.

Mrs. J. D. Gaines, who has been visiting in Los Angeles, California and other points on the west coast, returned home Sunday.

Joe Meador of Paducah, was a business visitor in Matador Saturday.

Mrs. Vera Whitten of Amarillo is spending several weeks here in the home of her brother, W. W. Carpenter.

Miss Jimmie Jeanne Hamilton left Saturday to return to her home at Pampa, after a visit here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton. She was accompanied to Childress by her aunt, Mrs. Melvin Meason.

MEATLESS MEALS

Remember that portions of meat alternates must be at least doubled to equal the food value in an average serving of meat. Since that's impractical for ordinary menu purposes, Mrs. Julia Kiene, Manager of Westinghouse Home Economics Institute, offers these simple solutions: (1) Serve two meat alternates a day—one for lunch, one for dinner; (2) Spread meat alternates over all three meals—for example, an extra large portion of cooked cereal for breakfast; a generous serving of cheese with salad for lunch; beans plus a milk dish such as custard for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan made a business trip to Floydada Wednesday morning.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Suggestions Made For Control of Polio

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued the following statements and suggestions concerning the control and prevention of poliomyelitis which is assuming epidemic proportions in certain sections of the State.

Until recently it was generally believed that this infection is transmitted by means of discharges from the respiratory tract. It is now believed that poliomyelitis is primarily another of the several gastrointestinal infections. Therefore, control measures must emphasize clean-up campaigns and improvements in sanitation.

Strict sanitary measures must be observed in all communities. Stringent efforts should be made to eliminate the house-fly and to destroy its breeding places. All mosquitoes and mosquito breeding places must be eliminated at once. Every effort should be made to institute approved garbage collection systems immediately. Safe water supplies must be assured. Where adequate municipal sewage disposal systems are not in operation, it is vitally important to promote and maintain sanitary septic tanks and outdoor privies.

All swimming pools should, under rigid supervision, maintain those standards approved by the Texas State Department of Health. Where such standards are not maintained, those pools should be closed immediately.

All raw foods and vegetables should be washed thoroughly before use and protected from flies, filth and insects. All eating and food handling establishments should adhere strictly to the State Law concerning the sterilization of dishes and utensils. In the present emergency, those restaurants with insufficient personnel to maintain approved sanitation should one or two hours a day so that employees can assist in maintaining cleanliness and high sanitary standards.

Every effort should be made to secure approved milk. Rats and mice should be eliminated. Maintain in the home the same sanitary standards that are necessary in community life. Particular attention should be paid to personal hygiene. Excreta from cases and contacts should be handled and disinfected with the same scrupulous care as in typhoid fever or bacillary dysentery.

Over-exertion in children should be avoided. Children should not visit homes where there is a sick child. Cases should be quarantined for 14 days and adults who work in food establishments should be particularly instructed in personal hygiene. It is advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts especially in children during an outbreak of this disease. It is not advocated that schools, churches, and theatres be closed.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, drowsiness, followed by

NEW ARRIVALS
Announcements were made here this week regarding the birth of Fred David to Mr. and Mrs. Don T. Martin of Matador, on August 13, 1943, weight, 8 pounds.

An 8-pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lipham of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whiteflat, are parents of a son, Jerald Rex, weight, 7 pounds, August 8, 1943.

Thomas Richard was given an 8-pound boy on August 30, 1943 to Mr. and Mrs. Smauley of Matador.

An 8-pound daughter, Kay, was born August 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Dale King of Spring Springs at Richards Hospital at Paducah.

ATTEND CONVENTION

L. B. (Bob) Robertson and Russell are attending the American Legion Convention at Worth this week.

Stiffness in the neck and when suspicious symptoms appear, a physician should be consulted immediately.

Autumn Styles

New For Fall

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Coats
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AUGUST SALE OF FINE Blankets

We urge you to buy your fall needs now as quantities are limited. Our stocks are now complete in all price ranges.

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Mrs. Carpenter . . .

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loss to the membership, as well as to countless closer associates who had the pleasure of her companionship. Many are the deeds of kindness and words of comfort she passed on to others during her lifetime, which will long be remembered by those to whom she ministered in her unassuming way.

Relatives At Funeral

Relatives who were present for funeral services included Mrs. Vera Whitten of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Carpenter, Lefors; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter, MeLean; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson of Post, and their son, Pvt. William Robinson of Lubbock Army Air Field; and Mr. and Mrs. Les Cartwright of Post.

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Clean-Up . . .

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cooperation of the City of Matador, the State Highway Department and all other organizations and individuals who aided the project in any way.

Oddities Of The Clean-Up

Charlie Parks, manager of the Commercial Grocery appeared early Tuesday with his pick-up partly loaded with rubbish, including the remains of a large rattlesnake which he had killed in his barn during the night before. H. H. Schweitzer and editor Douglas Meador found a hidden hen's nest in the Johnston grass on the south side of the Matador Hardware company warehouse. The nest contained 16 eggs but they were over-ripe to a degree that made working around them precarious.

Postmaster E. F. Springer was bitten by a dog when he attempted to pick up a piece of iron on the City Hall block corys. In the same block a bumble bee attack resulted in Earl McBride, Tribune mechanical superintendent being stung on the back of the neck. The bees were in an old automobile cushion on the vacant lot north of the former Chevrolet company building, in an area already covered by the power mowing machine.

BAPTIST REVIVAL IS BROUGHT TO SUCCESSFUL CLOSE

Good attendance, despite almost unbearable hot weather, was only one indication of the deep spiritual interest of the community in the revival meeting which closed Sunday evening at the Baptist church, as Rev. J. R. Balch brought his final message before a full house.

Thirteen professions of faith were made during the meeting, and two re-dedications. The ordinance of baptism will be observed at the regular evening service Sunday evening, Rev. M. B. Carroll, pastor, announced.

"The message and visits of Rev. Balch made deep impressions and have already borne much fruit in the way of public decisions," Rev. Carroll asserted.

The music also was especially enjoyed by the congregations. Led by Roy Reeves, the people found great joy in singing. A special accomplishment was the beginning of a youth choir which met for practice each day and rendered the music for the services of the last two Sunday nights of the meetings. Expressions of appreciation were voiced for the services of Miss Rachel Patton and Mrs. M. B. Carroll, who played at the two pianos. Also enjoyed were special vocal and other musical numbers which added much to each service.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our most sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness, words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings tendered during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

It is our wish that the Blessing of God may rest upon each of you. W. W. Carpenter, Lela and Frances

VISITING RELATIVES

Mrs. Pryse Metcalf and daughter Marilyn of Franklin, were met in Mineral Wells, Wednesday of last week by the former's brother, C. M. Glenn and their sister, Miss Sue Glenn, and accompanied them home Friday for a visit here with other relatives, Mrs. J. L. Woodruff and Miss Amy Glenn.



Before leaving for Hollywood and a probable movie career, pretty Elsie Roberts, National Bond Queen and University of Houston coed, did her part for the Texas Deposit Bottle Round-Up. Dressed in typical Texas costume, Elsie loaded into a basket all the milk, carbonated beverage and beer bottles in her home, mounted the beautiful Palomino horse, on which she is pictured, and rode to her beverage dealer. "Keeping deposit bottles working is not only a patriotic duty," Miss Roberts said, "but I'll get my deposits back which can be invested in War Stamps."

WILDLIFE GROUP NAMES WARDENS

Deputy game wardens have been named by the Motley County Game Management Association executive committee. The following deputy wardens have been approved for service:

Mervin Green, Motley and Dickens counties; Eldred Seigler, Motley; A. M. Stearns, Motley; D. I. W. Birnie, Motley, Floyd, Dickens, Cottle and Crosby counties; Ed D. Smith, Motley; Willie Meyer, Motley, Briscoe and Hall; R. B. Donnell, Motley and Dickens; Joe Thornton, Dickens and Motley; Sam Wilkinson, Dickens, Floyd, Motley and Crosby; L. J. Felts, Motley and Cottle; Hub Giddings, Motley and Floyd; Bill Slover, Motley and Floyd; R. O. Ross, Motley and Hall; Gus Bird, Motley, Cottle, King and Dickens and Elbert Reeves, Motley county.

The committee also approved purchase of War Bonds with total money in the treasury, amounting to \$200. Forms for land owners to make inventory and allotments of game land, together with notice of dues, are being mailed. Members of the association are requested to remit fees and complete inventories within the next week.

Past hunting seasons have resulted in injury to livestock. Hunters are warned to exercise extreme caution during the forthcoming season, especially because of high value and importance of beef.

G. S. CRAVEN IMPROVES

Word was received by relatives here yesterday from Mrs. G. S. Craven, advising that Mr. Craven is in an improved condition, following a blood transfusion Saturday, in the hospital at Wichita Falls, where he underwent surgery last week. Blood donor was David Guest of Matador, who accompanied J. D. Craven, R. E. Campbell Jr., Robert Darsey and Benny Cox to Wichita Falls Saturday, upon advice that Mr. Craven was in a grave condition at that time.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Have a Treasure Hunt at Home



Return MILK BEVERAGE BEER Bottles Promptly

Conserve Vital Materials It's a Patriotic Duty

Duroc Sale To Be Held At Lubbock Saturday, Aug. 21

Another sale of registered Durocs, including 7 bred sows and 66 bred gilts, will be held in Lubbock Saturday, Aug. 21, according to announcement by officials of the West Texas Duroc Breeders Association.

The sale will begin at one p. m. and will take place in the hog barn at the Panhandle-South Plains fair grounds.

Some of those who will consign animals include C. L. Franz of Turkey; Ernest L. Goodrich of Jayton; H. F. Carpenter of Sunset Duroc farms of Roswell, N. M.; T. H. Duvall, Roaring Springs; Kenneth Bozeman and Son of Lubbock; Clyde Boyd of Wilson; and others. Bozeman will conduct the auction. He is president of the association. R. D. McDonald of Levelland is vice-president; Coleman Cowan of Idalou is secretary.

The sale is to be known as the summer bred sow and gilt sale, and will feature medium type gilts.

Abner 'Ab' Blocker, Pioneer Texas Cowman, Dies

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 18.—Abner Pickens (Ab) Blocker, known to oldtimers in more than six western states, died Monday. He was 87.

His death marked further depletion of the ranks of old Texas trail drivers of the cattle industry in the last half of the 19th and first two decades of the 20th century. Blocker drove cattle up the trails of Texas, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Oklahoma and Kansas, and as far as the Canadian border for 17 years. He began his career as a cattleman when he was ten years old.

Blocker delivered the first herd of cattle on the famous XIT ranch in the northwestern part of the state. It was he who devised the famous brand on what was then a ten million acre ranch, formerly known as the Capital Syndicate, because it was with the money that the syndicate put up that paid for the building of the state capitol at Austin.

He was the last surviving brother of the late John R. Blocker of San Antonio and William Butler Blocker of Austin, also well known in the cattle-raising business of the Lone Star commonwealth of that era. He was born in Austin in 1856.

BARGAIN—A scholarship worth \$60, on any course offered by the Draughon Business College, (Lubbock). See Douglas Meador at the Tribune office.

FDR says: Originally we asked for 10 percent in bonds; now we need considerably more.

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FIGHTING EQUIPMENT DEMANDS HIGH GRADE COTTON

We will be glad to carry out the four above points with your help, for the boys at the front and in the factories.

West Texas Gin Joe M. Gaines, Manager

Farmers Blameless For Food Cost Rise

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 16.—Recent rises in food costs are due largely to higher handling and marketing margins, and very little to increase prices to farmers.

According to a recent U. S. Department of Agriculture study summarized by C. E. Bowles, these marketing charges now are 7 per cent above the prewar period, 1935-1939, and in May, 1943, reached the highest level since 1931. Bowles is the organization and marketing specialist for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

In the period covered by this study (mid-April to mid-May, 1943), Bowles explains, retail food costs to consumers rose three per cent. None of this was passed back to farmers who produced the food. Fresh fruits, vegetables and meats were among the foods showing retail advances.

In May, for example, sweet potatoes retailed at an average of 17.9 cents a pound. Of this price paid by consumers, farmers got 4.1 cents and marketing costs and profits took 13.8 cents. The government supported price announced for the bumper 1943 sweet potato crop will pay growers about 1.5 cents a pound for number ones delivered at the sheds, Bowles observes.

Beef, pork and lamb prices as a group rose more than one per cent at retail, but prices paid to farmers and ranchmen for their live animals actually declined.

Incomes of all groups in the nation, including salaries, dividends and wages, have risen more rapidly than food costs, Bowles continues. During the five years immediately preceding the war, 22 per cent of the average income was spent for food. But early in 1943, the bill for the same quantities of food could be paid with 16% of the average income.

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