

# Matador Tribune



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## IL DUST

By GLAS MEADOR

The dell of space is the upturned plow glistens its furrows in the field of dreams. We are anxious to walk the turning blade of the small seed of their warm, moist soil grown rich through the many unharvested...

through the plush of summer night, the stars were like small beads that hung suspended from the stars. He reached for the grass carpeted draw remuda was grazing the lazily blazing blackened coffee pot. Some beds and filled by tired, others lay scattered the other ropes of the stranger tied his mesquite bush and apple camp, firelight redden his coppered face. He coffee and the cook the cups in the chuck oven of cold sourdoughs and another oven. He quickly forked three biscuits half in the rim. Filling his boiling coffee, he tasted the contents of the cup before he began. He was a small man with shoulders on which an open vest. His were of exquisite craft stitching. His faded tightly and high, silver-buckled belt. A was open at his throat. He traced the band of gray hat. He ate with the one who had sparred in a losing and uninteresting, seldom raising from the tin plate. When was gone, he washed the cup and replaced them back box, rolled a cigarette smoked it with deep. He spoke but little, but grass and water beneath rose, ground the with the heel of his boot, the cook and men for where his horse was. Soon the sound of his out of the darkness, morning the stranger's the object of some. Many years covered the trail before the cook's dollar glistening in the lantern light where he had rested while eating beside it he had found crimson stain on the had covered it with a wash before rebuilding. The endless prairies, the waterholes and the whispering in the have ever kept the an-be mystery.

like the yellow igot of men from the smeltered half a mountain; priceless life that bears its own

our writes its own memories of our hearts and much by the brush of ferns in passing. It is the that remain intact, little that keep the freshness and joy with a strange purpose. The record is strong when I often see of my mother's eyes in unbridled wind that through the night.

I am suffering from chronic optimism. Nature always promises to confound not my past. It is not painful except in rare instances when I on the fact that my once a future.

ADDITIONAL STATION

Listeners in this area have a new station, KVOP, which is being received during daytime reception. Official notice of the station has been released for publication. Listeners declare the station tuned in on approximately

## Ben F. Keltz Receives Navy Wings

Ben F. Keltz, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keltz of Whiteflat, graduated Saturday, July 15, from the Naval Air Training Center, Corpus Christi, and was commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

As a Naval Aviator, Ensign Keltz wears the famous "Wings of Gold".

Following graduation, Ensign Keltz was retained at the Corpus Christi base for further training.

## Final Rites For Steve Daffern Are Held Here Sunday

Final rites for Steve Daffern, 85, held Sunday afternoon from the Matador Baptist church, marked the passing of another of Motley county's thinning ranks of pioneers. Mr. Daffern had been in failing health for a number of years, and several years ago recovered from an attack which almost claimed his life.

A message of tribute to the pioneers was delivered by Rev. R. L. Jameson, retired Methodist preacher, who had known the Daffern family ever since their residence in this section. Scripture selections were read by Rev. H. G. Verner, pastor of the Baptist church, and Rev. G. E. Turrentine, Methodist pastor, read the obituary.

Pall-bearers were J. R. Whitworth, R. A. Seay, W. B. Wason, H. H. Schweitzer, L. R. Bishop and W. W. Clements. Assisting Mrs. Freeman Thacker with the floral offering were Mesdames R. A. Seay, Claude Wilson, J. R. Whitworth and J. C. McBride, and Misses Ona and Ethel Jameson.

Interment was made in East Mound cemetery under direction of Homer Sheats, local undertaker.

Was Native Texan  
Mr. Daffern was born February 17, 1859 in Titus County, Texas, and departed this life at Matador, Texas, August 12, 1944 at 6:30 p. m., at the age of 85 years, 5 months and 25 days.

He moved with his parents to Dublin, in Erath County, and was married there to Miss Nancy Bybee, November 2, 1881. The couple (See FINAL RITES back page)

## TRIBUNE WILL NOT PUBLISH PIONEER SPECIAL EDITION

Despite many requests, the Matador Tribune will not publish an annual special pioneer edition this year. Operating with a reduced staff, the Tribune could not produce a pioneer special in keeping with past standards. However, if sufficient skilled help could be procured, the present paper shortage and the difficulty in securing newspaper engravings would make the issue impractical.

During the next two weeks the Tribune plans to install a newer and more modern newspaper press which is already in Matador, and have it in operation to publish a special advance Christmas issue dedicated to Motley county boys in the armed service.

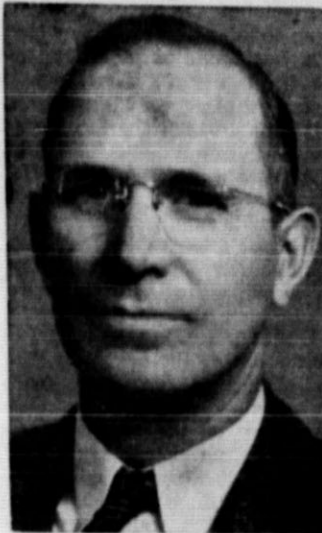
## Floyd Pioneer Is Claimed By Death

Mrs. Annie E. Steen, 81, resident of Floyd county for 44 years and mother of Homer Steen, editor of the Floyd County Hesperian, died in Floydada August 4th. Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery.

The pioneer housewife came to Floydada in 1900 with her husband the late Tom P. Steen, early-day county and district clerk. Mrs. Steen's death was attributed to infirmities of old age and influenza.

SERVICES DISMISSED SUNDAY  
The Methodist Sunday School will convene at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and will be dismissed at 11 o'clock for services at the Baptist church, according to an announcement made this week by Rev. Geo. E. Turrentine, pastor.

## Conducting Revival



Rev. H. G. Verner, above, is conducting the revival meeting at the Matador Baptist church, which opened Sunday, August 6 and will continue through August 20th. Much spiritual interest is being shown in the revival and good attendance is reported during morning and evening services. Roy Reeves is directing the choir during the revival with Miss Rachel Patton serving as pianist. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend the remaining revival services.

## Pfc Lonnie Terry Wounded In Action

Pfc. Lonnie Terry was wounded in action in Italy, July 13, according to information received from the War Department last week, by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Terry of Whiteflat. He has received a citation for the Purple Heart award, he has advised his parents in a letter received by them this week.

## Malcolm Reinhardt Still In Japanese Philippine Camp

Sgt. Malcolm T. Reinhardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Reinhardt, formerly of Matador, now residing in Denver City, Texas, who was captured by the Japanese following the fall of Corregidor, is in good health, interned at Philippine Military Prison Camp No. 1, according to a card received by his father here early this week. The card was not dated. Under the printed heading, "Imperial Japanese Army" the following 50-character message was typed and signed by Sgt. Reinhardt:

"I am well and hope you are the same. Send my best wishes to Marjorie Spencer, Crowell, Texas. Please write through International Red Cross. Tell Celia Dean, hello, also my brothers. Love to all."

## Many Non-Resident Tribune Readers Aid Gratis Papers

Gratis subscriptions to all men in the armed service from Motley county, made possible by unsolicited contributions from Tribune readers, have received representative support from non-resident readers.

While the majority of the contributions have been received from county readers, where most of the Tribune circulation is located, a constant number of "foreign" readers make contributions.

The Tribune desires to express sincere appreciation for the following unsolicited contributions to support the weekly mailing of more than 450 copies of the home newspaper to Motley county men in uniform, received since last publication: J. C. Green \$2, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Echols \$5, Mrs. Lois Bishop (Lompoc, California) \$2, Bishop (Lompoc, California) \$2, Mrs. M. T. Reinhardt (Denver City, Texas) \$1.50, E. D. Hutson (Roaring Springs) 50¢, Kathleen Sparts (McLean) \$1, W. W. Clements \$2, and L. E. Kingery \$1.

## Afton Meeting To Begin August 20

A revival meeting will begin at the Afton Church of Christ on August 20th and continue through August 27th, according to an announcement received by the Tribune from the church. The meeting will be conducted by Minister Noel Grisham of Abilene. A cordial invitation is extended everyone to attend.

## Native Son Marine Killed In Action

Horace Warren Parr, USMC, 20, was killed in action on Tinian Island, August 2, according to word received by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wagley, The young Marine, son of O. J. Parr of Arlington, Texas, was born in Matador. His mother lost her life in a fire at Paducah a number of years ago.

Reports received by Marine Parr's father declared he had been shot in action, and died before reaching the receiving hospital. He had received a citation for outstanding action in previous battles. He enlisted in the Marine Corps two years ago.

## Springs School To Open

Roaring Springs school will open the 1944-45 term on Monday August 21, according to an announcement made yesterday by superintendent C. W. Giesecke. School buses will operate on the same schedule as last year, he declared. Students will not need to bring lunches on the opening day, which will be used for registration and issuing of books.

Mr. Giesecke said that the school faculty is completed and that Mrs. Alvin Stearns, 2nd grade teacher, is the only new member. It is probably that school will be dismissed for a period later in the fall to allow students to aid in the harvest of the cotton crop.

## LIONS RECEIVE DYNAMIC SERMON

Pleading for greater church membership "regardless of denomination", Rev. Eugene Britain of the Wesley Methodist church in Dallas, brought an outstanding sermon to members and visitors of the Matador Lions Club meeting Tuesday in the Methodist church basement. Rev. Britain, who aided in choir services during the recent Methodist revival, arrived here from Floydada where he is engaged in a revival, especially to present the feature on the club's program.

A talented musician, the dynamic young man has not always utilized his abilities for the cause of Christianity. He has played in some of the nation's leading dance orchestras, and played in some of Chicago's most famous "night spots" during the 1933 World's Fair, before he entered the ministry, he told his intent listeners. Church Name Not Important

Following his special presentation of accordion and vocal selections, Rev. Britain, said, "Now I am going to preach to you fellows and my subject is light. The light of the world must be saved by Christians. Belong to a church and take your part in the work of the church and the community... the name of the church with which you are affiliated is not important, nor is the amount of water put on you in baptism important... we are creatures of influence... every one of you has an influence which is being followed by others, especially by youth... make that a Christian influence." Rev. Britain included three subheads under his subject of "Light". They were: "Light of the World", "Shaded Light" and "The Light That Has Gone Out". He concluded the sermon with, "...too many men have covered their lights with worldly things."

Visitors included Scouts Bobby Harp and Bill Wason, Pvt. John Stotts, George Doss and Gary Laughlin. Lester Ericson, new manager of Spot Cash grocery was received into the club as a new member.

## Mrs. Bishop Is New Florist Agent Here

Mrs. L. R. Bishop has accepted the position as florist's agent in Matador, as representative of the Park Florist, owned by Mrs. W. S. Goen of Floydada.

A nice selection of hot-house flowers and plants are available at all times, and may be secured by calling Mrs. Bishop at her residence telephone 52-R.

## Shortage Of Ice Is Acute

Prolonged drought and excessive hot weather has resulted in an ice shortage in this area despite the capacity production of the Leon Ice Company plant here, Earl Laughlin, local manager, declared yesterday. Mr. Laughlin said that he had been forced to ration local delivery here last week and that other towns being supplied from the Matador plant including Spur, Silverton, Quitaque, Dickens, Flomot, Roaring Springs and Whiteflat, were receiving less than one-half of requirements.

The local plant, with a capacity of 23 tons daily, operates day and night, and has not stopped since the beginning of the season, except to service equipment.

## Five Are Treated For Injuries In Highway Accidents

At least five persons received medical treatment here for injury and shock following two highway accidents that were investigated by Sheriff H. H. Courtney and State Highway patrolmen.

Mrs. Hugh Cook, accompanied by her son, Nevada, driving a pick-up, collided with an east-bound six-wheel truck loaded with 20,000 pounds of Irish potatoes, four miles west of Matador about 11 p. m. Saturday night. Mrs. Cook received a leg and knee injury, while her son sustained an injury over the left eye. Both truck and pick-up were damaged.

The second highway accident was reported at Roaring Springs Monday morning, when a car driven by C. E. Vineyard, north-bound on Highway 18, collided with a car driven by W. H. James, east-bound on a dirt road crossing the highway near the business route intersection south of Roaring Springs. Mr. James was accompanied by his wife and daughter, Martha Rose, and all received treatment here for injuries sustained in the accident. Local physicians declared that the injured appear out of critical danger.

## Church Of Christ Will Conduct Meeting Here

A revival meeting will begin Friday night, August 18, at the Matador Church of Christ, with Minister Jack Fikes of Edcouch, Texas, preaching and Gordon Gatewood leading the singing.

Services will be held at 10 in the mornings and in the evening at 9. The meeting will continue through Sunday, August 27.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services as well as a singing to be held at the church Sunday, August 20, at 3 in the afternoon.

## Sudan Grass Seed Eligible For Loan

According to F. C. Bourland, chairman of the County committee sudan grass seed harvested and reclaimed may be placed in the loan at approximately 6 cents per pound, and at the same time earn \$3.50 per acre up to 25 acres toward a conservation practice on the farm.

In view of a critical seed shortage, Congress has provided a supplemental appropriation of \$12,000,000 to be used under the 1944 Agricultural Conservation Program to encourage the harvesting of seeds urgently needed in the war food program.

An operator does not have to place the harvested seed in the loan to qualify for the conservation payment of \$3.50 per acre. Mr. Bourland said that a harvest of at least 60 million pounds this year is needed to provide adequate and safe supplies of seed for 1945.

## VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dooley and family and Mrs. T. E. Dooley and daughters of Sunray and Dumas, arrived Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Groves, parents of the two ladies.

## Pioneers Arrange for Rodeo, Parade

### WILD STOCK READY FOR ROPE AND SADDLE CONTESTS

WILD STOCK plenty will be on hand for the rope and saddle rodeo contests during the two-day annual meeting of the Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers' Association meeting at Roaring Springs Pioneer Park on Thursday and Friday, August 24-25. Plans for the typical cattle-country rodeo were announced this week by John Russell and Mervin Green, co-chairmen of the rodeo committee. Rodeo events will be held each afternoon of the two-day celebration, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Because of the crowded program, the "cutting horse" contest will be held at 9 a. m. on the morning of the second day, Friday, August 25th.

Magnitude of the details essential to a successful rodeo, and the investment required are apparent in the time and money which Messrs. Russell and Green are contributing. They have spent almost a week in securing suitable roping stock and privately underwritten over \$2,000 needed in acquiring the cattle. Approximately 70 head of cattle will be used. Any profit derived from contest entrance fees during the free rodeo is turned back to the treasurer of the pioneer association.

### Program Is Outlined

The reunion will start with a pioneer (no motor vehicles) parade to assemble in Roaring Springs Thursday morning at 9 a. m. Memorial services for pioneers from the two counties and for servicemen who have lost their lives, will be held at the Pioneer pavilion from 11 a. m. to 12 noon.

All contestants for the rope and (See PROGRAM back page)

### County Voting Box Soon To Be Merged

Darden Canyon voting box will soon be discontinued through a merger with Roaring Springs. Recently the residents of the community voted unanimously to merge the box's 22 votes with that of Roaring Springs.

County Democratic Executive Committee chairman Pat Sheridan said this week that voters in the community expected to vote in Roaring Springs for the 2nd Primary election, but the arrangement can not be made possible. Merger of the box to become legal must be published three weeks, in a newspaper of general circulation he declared. Therefore Darden Canyon voters will vote as usual in their community on August 26, and proper legal procedure to merge the box will follow as soon as possible.

### FARM LOAN GROUP TO HOLD MEETING

The annual meeting of the Matador National Farm Loan Association will be held at the court house in Matador on September 2, at 3 p. m. This announcement was made following a recent meeting of the association's board of directors.

J. Tom Hamilton, secretary-treasurer, declared there is considerable interest among the stock holders in this meeting because, as landowners, they are interested in maintaining a strong, home-owned association for long-term credit service.

The association, which will at this meeting pay a five percent dividend on stock, has a total of \$836,458.80 in loans outstanding in this territory, has a capital stock of \$41,830.00, all owned by its members, and has reserves and surplus of \$26,859.41.

Directors of the association are: J. L. Woodruff, president; G. T. Edwards, vice-president; W. I. Rushing, J. C. Burleson and R. C. Echols.

### ERRATUM

Program of Motley-Dickens Counties Pioneer Association reunion for Thursday, August 24 appearing in last week's issue of the Tribune, should have read: "Early Days of the Q.A.&P." by A. F. Sommer of Quanah. Mr. Sommer is vice-president of the firm.

### AGED MAN INJURED

R. H. (Uncle Mac) McCaghren, 92, of Flomot, is being treated for injuries at the Travcek hospital sustained when he fell last week and injured his throat with the stem of a pipe which he was smoking.

### Raymond Kingery Wounded In Action

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kingery of Roaring Springs, have been advised that their son, Pfc. Raymond Kingery, was slightly wounded in action, August 1, in France. He enlisted in September, 1940.

No particulars concerning the circumstances of the injury accompanied the official release from the War Department.

### Landowners Vote For Soil Plan

Landowners in Cottle and Motley counties went to the polls Saturday to vote a wide majority in favor of the creation of the Upper Pease Soil Conservation District. The total vote of resident landowners in the two counties was 242 for and 38 against the project. Greater interest was shown in the election held in Motley county which polled 158 votes for and only 15 against. Cottle county polled a total of only 107 votes with 84 for and 23 against.

Balloting in this county was as follows: Roaring Springs 42 for and 5 against; Matador 39 for and 8 against; Flomot 45 for and 1 against; Whiteflat 16 for and 1 against. Northfield polled 16 votes all for the creation of the district.

Paul G. Haines, soil conservationist of Texas A&M Extension service, declared that when the population of Motley county is taken into consideration, and also the fact that many landowners are non-resident, he considered the vote Saturday a very good one.

County Agent J. R. Emmons said yesterday that if the vote cast in the election is, in the opinion of the state board, sufficiently representative, and with a two-thirds majority of the votes cast in favor of the creation of the district, the determination of practicability and feasibility will be made and approved.

### Scouts Return From Post Encampment

Eleven members of the Matador Boy Scout Troop 60 returned Saturday from Camp Post where they spent a week's outing. Despite the excessive hot and dry weather, the boys report an enjoyable week. Those who attended were: Bobby Harp, Billy Wason, Don Wason, Leo Archer, Bobby Jay Browning, Billy Ray Neighbors, J. Charles Herring, R. D. Clements, W. A. Johnson, Eugene Johnson and Dan Tilson. Norman Neighbors accompanied the group and spent Sunday night in camp, returning home Monday with the Scoutmaster.

Having arrived at the camp on Sunday, the boys attended a council camp fire ceremony that night where 200 scouts from the district were assembled. During the week they attended various schools, studied nature lore, and had many opportunities to pass different tests. There were, however, no swimming activities because of the dry weather.

Bobby Harp and Billy Wason received badges and were inducted into the Order of the Arrow, an organization for older scouts.

### HUSBAND KILLED IN ACTION

Relatives of Mrs. Bruce H. Lytle the former Miss Lucille Hall of Roaring Springs, were notified this week that her husband, Sgt. Bruce H. Lytle was killed July 4 in France. Mrs. Lytle and their 2-months old son, Bruce H. Jr., are making their home with her husband's family in Revillo, South Dakota.

### RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Lion W. F. Jacobs returned home Sunday after a post-convention trip which included visits to St. Louis, Missouri, and Dallas, Texas after having attended Lions International War Conference held recently in Chicago.

Mrs. Jacobs joined him in Dallas Wednesday, where they attended fall market before returning home.

### MOVE TO DENVER CITY

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Reinhardt have moved to Denver City, to make their home after having resided here the past several years. He is employed by an oil company at Denver City.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY



## Flomot News

(By Mrs. L. B. Turner)

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jackson and daughter of Tahoka, arrived Sunday for a visit with her father, R. H. Tanner.

Rain fell here Monday afternoon. The extent of the area covered is not known at this writing, but about an inch fell in and around town.

The Methodist meeting is being well attended. Rev. Horace Brooks of Petersburg is doing the preaching. Morning services are at 11 a. m. and evening services begin at 8:45. You have a cordial invitation to attend.

The Baptist meeting at Fairmount will continue through the entire week. The pastor, Rev. Fred Hankins and the entire church welcome you.

Mrs. Thelma Thomas and mother, Mrs. Ester Turner, have opened a cafe in the building south of the Flomot Mercantile.

Lowell Webb left Tuesday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Ila Faye Jones of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn and daughter, Ima Nell, went to Ster-

ley Saturday to visit her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Morris.

Mrs. John Smith of Roaring Springs visited in the J. L. Speer home over the week-end.

Johnnie Speer left Tuesday for Waco, to enter Baylor University to start his military training.

Wilburn Martin left Tuesday for College Station to enter A&M College to start his military training.

Orville Lee and Pearl Tanner went to Amarillo Tuesday to work at the Pantex Ordnance plant.

Mrs. G. C. George and children of Corpus Christi returned to their home Tuesday, after making a two week's visit with relatives at Plainview and here with her new grandson, Terry Wayne and his mother, Mrs. May George.

Mrs. Aileen Richardson of Plainview, visited relatives and friends here and at Flomot, over the week-end.

Miss Mary Ellen Barton of Flomot, was a Matador visitor Saturday.

Mrs. E. F. Tunnell left last week to join her husband, Lt. B. F. Tunnell Jr., who is stationed at Camp

Davis, N. C. Their young son remained here with his grandparents.

Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock was a week-end visitor here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

Mrs. T. M. Grable and son Dean of DeKalb, Mo., visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Alsop the past week.

H. J. R. No. 18

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION** proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this section shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed Constitutional Amendment; making certain provisions for said election and ballots thereof; and the method thereof; direct-

### WANT ADS

**FOR SALE**—1937 Ford truck, in good condition, fair tires. See B. H. Hobbs, Matador.

**OLD HORSES WANTED**—W. H. Seale will be in Matador Monday, August 14, to buy carload of old horses and mules in good shape. Will take cripples and blemishes.

**LOST**—Truck tire, mounted on broken wheel, between Matador and Floydada, probably on south side of Highway 70. Liberal reward. Finder please leave tire at Magnolia Service Station, Matador; or Consumers Cooperative at Plainview, Lockney, or Floydada, or write or wire Consumers Cooperatives Associated, Amarillo.

**FOR SALE**—1934 Dodge pick-up. Fairly good tires. Mrs. G. F. Hagie.

**SANDY LAND FARM!**—Good sandy land farm offered at \$20 per acre. Located 5 miles east Roaring Springs. Contains about 75 acres. 60 acres cultivation, fair 2-room house; barn 3-acre orchard, peaches, cherries, and grapes. Property of Mrs. Francis E. Bailey. See or write G. D. Bird, Matador. Spet. 28

**PERMANENT WAVES, 59¢!** Do your own Permament with Charm Kurl kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.—City Drug Store. 6-29; 9-6.

**FOR SALE**—Seed Rye, \$1.75 per bushel. Leonard Crowell, Flomot, Texas.

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ing the issuance of proclamation therefor; prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State of Texas; and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided; provided, however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the aforesaid county taxes have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."

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Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"For the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the

increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

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If it appears from the result of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of the amendment, the same shall be a part of the State Constitution. Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for an election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State. Sec. 4. The sum of Five hundred Dollars (\$5,000), or as much thereof as may be necessary, hereby appropriated out of funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated, for the expenses of such publication and election. Publish August 2, 1944.



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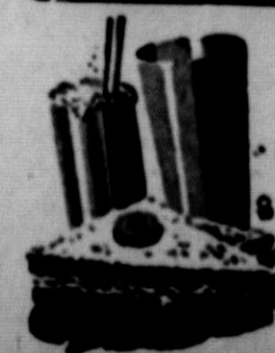
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## RECENT MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED HERE

Mr. J. C. Scaff is announcing the marriage of his daughter, Miss Zona Ruth Scaff, to Sgt. John H. Martin, U.S.M.C., of Portland, Oregon, at the Scaff home here Sunday afternoon, August 6, at 4:30 o'clock.

Rev. Geo. E. Turrentine, Methodist pastor, read the single ring ceremony before the immediate family and T/Sgt. J. H. Haverstroh, U.S.M.C., and Miss Mickie Rankin of Fort Worth, who accompanied the couple here.

Mrs. Martin is a graduate of Matador High School. She has worked here in various positions until the past year, during which time she has been employed in Fort Worth.

Sgt. Martin is a veteran of the South Pacific and has been stationed at Eagle Mountain Lake. He is being transferred to Nederland, Texas, where the couple plans to live.

## H. D. Members Hold Encampment At Roaring Springs

The Motley county home demonstration club members met at Roaring Springs with Cottle county women in a two-day encampment August 9-10. There were fifteen ladies from Cottle county and twenty-two from Motley.

Wading was the first thing on the program. After a picnic supper, games were played until bedtime. Singing continued until the wee hours before everyone finally settled down.

After breakfast a barefoot baseball game between the two counties took place. The Motley county women conceded that Cottle county must be good to have beaten them.

The handcraft hour was spent painting pottery pitchers. At a short business session Mrs. Jack Beavers from Cottle county and Mrs. Fred Bourland gave reports of the Texas Home Demonstration Association convention held recently at Austin.

In the afternoon Dr. Albert Traawek gave a demonstration on first aid. There was more singing with Mrs. B. Simpson furnishing the music on the accordion. The camp adjourned with a unanimous vote that a similar camp be held next year.—Mrs. Fred Bourland, Co. H. D. Council reporter.

## 4-H Clubs Enjoy Recent Encampment At Roaring Springs

Fifty-two girls and eight mothers and agents attended the 4-H two-day camp held recently at Roaring Springs. Thirty girls were from Motley county.

The girls enjoyed wading, games and handicrafts. Miss Winona Schultz, County Home Demonstration agent of Stonewall County, led the sing-song. During handicrafts the girls painted pottery and made leather belts under the direction of Miss Dorothy Snelling agent from Kent County. The cookery was supervised by Miss Lois Jo Bentley, Motley county H. D. Agent.

## FRANCES STEARNS ON T. C. U. HONOR ROLL

FORT WORTH, Aug. 17 (Sp. to the Tribune)—Miss Frances Stearns of Matador, senior in Texas Christian University here, is listed on the scholastic "Honor Roll" for the spring trimester, as reported by Registrar S. W. Hutton.

To be on the "Honor Roll" at T. C. U., a student must be carrying at least nine semester hours of work and must have a minimum grade average of 'B', with no grade lower than a 'C'.

The current "Honor Roll" includes 254 names, of which 63 are Navy V-12 men, 33 civilian boys and 158 girls.

Miss Stearns is one of 54 members of the senior class who made a scholastic record sufficiently high to be included on the list. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stearns of Matador.

## ATTEND FUNERAL

The following out-of-town relatives attended the funeral held Sunday afternoon for Mr. Steve Daffern: Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Daffern of Stamford, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Daffern and children; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Daffern, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Daffern, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Daffern, Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Jack Maxwell and children of San Antonio, Texas.

## WEEK-END VISITORS

Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Verner drove to Plainview Saturday to meet and accompany her two sisters, Mrs. Blanche Landon of Waureka, Okla., and Mrs. J. H. Barrett of Canyon, here for a week-end visit. Also visiting them is their daughter, Mrs. R. W. Catching, who has been with her husband, stationed in Georgia.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wilson have been spending the past two weeks at Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Webb Cammack and son Johnny of Lubbock, were visitors here Wednesday of last week, visiting friends and relatives and attending to business matters.

Mrs. Norris Fulfer of Plainview, visited here the past week in the W. M. Fulfer home. From here she will go to Dallas, where she will be employed.

W. M. Calvert of Spade, Texas, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Melvin Dirickson and family. He arrived here from Las Cruces, N. M. where he had been visiting.

Miss Chloey Fulfer, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Painter of Lubbock, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fulfer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Springer and daughter, Sara Frances, accompanied by Mrs. Springer's sister, Mrs. Mary Martin, were Lubbock visitors Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Clifford Graves and daughter of Paducah, were visitors here Saturday as they were enroute to Lubbock.

L. A. Stearns has been visiting at various places in Arkansas during the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Williams, with their daughter, Mrs. Ethel Ellis and children, were recent visitors in Carlsbad, New Mexico, with another daughter, Mrs. E. E. Jameson and Mr. Jameson, former Matador residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jameson and children of Floydada, formerly of Matador, were week-end visitors here.

Mrs. Nan Berry has returned from a visit with friends in Quitaque. Her daughter, Nanette, visited friends in Paducah.

Bobby Dunn of Lubbock, has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCaghen and children visited in Amarillo the past week while he was on vacation from duties at Bob's Oil Well.

Miss Veilin Reeves has returned from a recent visit in Abilene. J. E. Russell, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Jack Bradshaw and her son, Jack Calvin, made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. A. P. Hodges of Plainview, was a Matador visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spears of Flomot returned over the week-end from Fort Sumner, N. M., where they had visited his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pipkin and children, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. C. D. Pipkin, left Wednesday for Dalhart, to spend the remainder of the week in the Clyde Pipkin home.

Mrs. Pryse Metcalf and daughter Marilyn of Franklin, arrived Thursday night for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. J. L. Woodruff and Miss Amy Glenn, and brother C. M. Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton spent the past week at Ruidoso, N. M., and at Roswell, N. M., where they visited former residents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Greene.

Misses Ella Katherine and Mary Helen Keith of Whiteface, are spending the week here visiting their aunt, Miss Mary Keith. They arrived here Saturday.

Grady Woodruff and son, Morgan of Decatur, were over-night visitors here Thursday in the home of the former's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff.

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth left Tuesday for a visit with her parents at Bullard, Texas.

Mrs. Lizzie Miller left Tuesday to return to her home at Corsicana after several week's visit here as guest of Mrs. J. E. Poteet.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. E. Turrentine left Monday for a visit with relatives in New Mexico and Colorado. They were accompanied from Lubbock by their daughters and son, Miriam, Mary Jane and Edward, who have been attending Texas Tech.

Mrs. Merrill Harper and daughter Beverly, spent the week-end visiting in Post. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Harper's sister-in-law, Mrs. Paul Moore and her daughter Carolyn, for a few days visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird left Monday for Pecos Springs, Colo., where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. David S. Battey and daughter, Dorothy Jean of Floydada, spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Battey's mother, Mrs. N. B. Pitts and other relatives.

Charles Moore of Swarthmore, Pa., arrived Tuesday for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moore.

Mrs. Earnest Herring of Lubbock, arrived here Wednesday for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. R. P. Moore.

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## Christmas Mail to Start Overseas September 15

In order that Christmas parcels may reach the addressees on time and in good condition, arrangements have been made by the Post Office Department in cooperation with the War and Navy Departments (the latter including the Marines and Coast Guard) for the acceptance of such parcels for members of our armed forces serving outside the continental United States. Persons who intend to mail packages overseas are requested to observe the following requirements:

The term "armed forces overseas" includes the personnel of our armed forces who receive their mail through an A. P. O. or Fleet post office in care of the postmaster at New York, N. Y., San Francisco, Calif., New Orleans, La., or Seattle, Wash., or an A. P. O. in care of the postmaster at Miami, Fla., Presque Isle, Maine, or Minneapolis, Minn., or through a naval installation or station in care of the postmaster of Seattle.

TIME OF MAILING: Christmas cards and Christmas parcels for personnel of the armed forces overseas must be mailed during the period beginning September 15, 1944, and ending October 15, 1944, the earlier the better. The War Department advises that Christmas greeting cards for soldiers overseas must be sent in sealed envelopes and prepaid at the first-class rate.

No requests from the addressees are required in connection with Christmas parcels mailed to Army personnel during this period only. Patrons should endorse each gift parcel "Christmas Parcel." Special effort will be made to effect delivery of all Christmas parcels mailed during that period in time for Christmas.

SIZE AND WEIGHT: In view of the urgent need for shipping space to transport materials directly essential to the war effort, Christmas parcels shall not exceed the present limits of 5 pounds in weight or 15 inches in length or 36 inches in length and girth combined. These Departments have pointed out also that members of the armed forces are amply provided with food and clothing and the public is urged not to include such matter in gift parcels. Not more than one Christmas parcel or package shall be accepted for mailing in any one week when sent by or on behalf of the same person or concern to or for the addressee.

Christmas parcels for members of the Army personnel leaving home stations enroute overseas shortly before or subsequent to October 16, 1944, will be accepted after October 15, up to and including December 10, 1944, upon presentation by the sender of a change of address notification (W. D. A. G. O. Form 204 or equivalent notice) from the addressee received subsequent to September 30, 1944, provided the parcels come within the prescribed limits of weight and size and endorsed "Christmas Parcel." Only one such parcel will be accepted from any one person to any one individual having an overseas APO address.

PREPARATION: Owing to the great distance this mail must be transported and the handling and any storage it must undergo, it is absolutely necessary that all articles be packed in boxes of metal.

Moore and Mrs. Homer Sheets, Mrs. R. P. Moore visited in Lubbock from Thursday until Sunday with her sisters, Mrs. Lena Davis and Mrs. Earnest Herring.

Jack Nichols of Canyon is visiting his sister, Mrs. Algine Groves. Imogene Archer is spending the week in Plainview visiting her grandmother, Mrs. B. F. Turner.

Miss Rachel Patton, accompanied by Math Barkley and Mrs. A. A. Harp drove to Lubbock Wednesday to attend the summer graduation exercises at Texas Technological college.

Phillip Sheets of Teague, Texas is visiting his brother, Homer Sheets.

Miss Billy Frank Skaggs has returned from Tyler, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harold Allen.

## POLITICAL Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Second Primary, August 28, 1944.

For County Treasurer: Mrs. John Smith Mrs. Luther Cox

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wood, solid fiberboard, or strong double-faced corrugated fiberboard reinforced with strong gummed-paper tape or tied with strong twine, or both. It is highly desirable that all fiberboard boxes be securely wrapped in heavy paper, if available as experience has shown that boxes without an outer wrapper often become crushed or split, thus allowing the contents to escape. Furthermore, as each parcel is subject to censorship, delay in handling may be minimized by securing the covering of the parcel so as to permit ready inspection of the contents.

When combination packages are made up, including miscellaneous toilet articles, hard candies, soaps, etc., the contents should be tightly packed in order that the several articles may not be loosened in transit, damaging the contents or the covering of the parcels. Christmas boxes should be enclosed in substantial containers. Hard candy nuts, caramels (including those covered with chocolate), cookies, fruit cake and chocolate bars individually wrapped in waxed paper, should be enclosed in inner boxes of wood, metal or cardboard. Soft candies, whether home made or commercial, do not carry well. Sealed packages of candy, cigars, tobacco and toilet articles in simplest mercantile form may be placed in parcels without affecting the parcel-post classification of such packages. Sharp pointed or sharp edged instruments, such as razors, knives, etc., must have their points or edges protected so they cannot cut through their coverings and damage other mail or injure postal employees.

PERISHABLE MATTER: Perishable matter will not be accepted, and the sending of fragile articles should be discouraged.

PROHIBITED ARTICLES: Inflammable, inflammable materials (including matches of all kinds and lighter fluids), and poisons, or compositions which may kill or injure another, or damage the mails, are unmailable.

Addresses must be legible in typewriting or ink. Copies of sales slips or retail stores should not be used as address labels. The complete address should also be shown on a sheet of paper inside the parcel in order to permit identification of the addressee in the event the outer wrapper becomes torn, mutilated or destroyed in transit. Parcels addressed to overseas Army personnel should show in addition to the name and address of the sender, the name, rank, Army serial number, branch of service, A. P. O. number of the addressee, and the post office through which the parcels are to be routed.

## Wild White Horse Of Palo Duro Has Been Seen Again

That white horse has been seen again in Palo Duro canyon. Frank Williams, manager of the Palo Duro Park and W. G. Rose, one of the park gatekeepers, have had reports from three different parties of hikers that a wild white horse has been seen in the lower part of the canyon. They said the animal had the appearance of being a powerful stallion and bolted, keeping a watch on them from a distance of absolute safety. They saw no other horses with him.

Reports of the mysterious white horse have been received from time to time over a period of years. If such a horse exists he apparently ranges the Palo Duro more or less at will. He has been reported seen in many different sections of the canyons extending from the Tule canyon to the Wayside crossing south of Claude.

Old timers say a herd of white mustangs used to run from about Tule to White Deer 50 years ago or more. Mr. Williams said that either the people who reported seeing the horse were excited or

## Quitaque Creek Water Project Survey Ordered

A complete survey of the proposed Quitaque creek dam project, to furnish water for domestic and commercial use in Childress and for irrigation of some 5,600 acres of land in Hall county, will be made by the U. S. engineers before April 30, 1945, according to word received here from Maj. Gen. E. Rabold, chief of the army engineers.

A preliminary survey was made some time ago by army engineers. It was found at that time that the flood control benefits from such a project would not be of major nature, but the fact that it could serve to irrigate 5,600 acres of farm land in south central Hall county as well as give Childress an adequate supply of water made such a project feasible.

The bureau of reclamation requested that the U. S. Geological Service gauge the flow of water in Quitaque creek once each two months during the next year. The first of such surveys was made last week.

Activity on the project was launched some months ago by the Childress chamber of commerce and board of city development, who secured the preliminary survey. The principal object of the BCD and C of C is to secure an adequate supply of good, cheap water for Childress.

When the survey is completed by the engineers and the bureau of reclamation, the project will be considered by the engineers and if it then appears practical, it will be recommended to congress—Childress Index.

## MARINES SEEK RECRUITS

Staff Sergeant V. Larsen, NCO in Charge Subdistrict Headquarters U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Station at Lubbock, Texas announces that applications are now being taken from 17 year old young men to fill quotas for the coming months. Those interested should communicate with Sgt. Larsen at once and if found qualified will be placed on the waiting list. Apply today, U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Room 217, Federal Bldg., Lubbock, Tex.

## CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO DOROTHY TURNER

GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 11th day of September, A. D., 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Motley County, at the Court House in the town of Matador in Motley County, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 24th day of July, 1944. The file number of said suit being No. 1168. The names of the parties in said suit are: James Turner vs. Dorothy Turner, James Turner, as Plaintiff, and Dorothy Turner as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

A suit for divorce, the plaintiff charging that he and defendant were legally married in Seattle, Washington on 21st day of May, 1943, and lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 26th day of December, 1943, when, as charged by plaintiff, defendant admitted to him that she had, on or about the 15th day of December, 1943, and on other occasions about said date, committed adultery with one McGinnis, a sailor, whose first name is unknown to plaintiff, and with other men whose real names are unknown to plaintiff, but some of whom are known by the nick names Chico Jimmie, Baby and Bill, and that defendant had brazenly admitted that she had been having immoral and sexual relations with all of the men named above, and

he was definitely out of the mustang class. They reported horse as being large, stoutly built and heavily muscled.—Amarillo Globe News.

defiantly told plaintiff that she only married him to get the allotment allowed sailors for the support of their wives, during the present war, plaintiff then being a sailor in the active service. That thereafter plaintiff abandoned defendant and has not lived with her as his wife since. That no child or children have been born to plaintiff and defendant as the fruit of such marriage, and that they have no community property, the plaintiff praying for divorce.

Issued this the 24th day of July, A. D., 1944.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Matador, Texas, this the 24th day of July, A. D., 1944.

R. A. Seay, Clerk, District Court, Motley County, Texas.

To Publish July 27, Aug. 3, 10, 17.

## BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MATADOR, TEXAS

Section 1. That the City Council of Matador, Texas, at its regular session for the month of August A. D., 1944, does hereby provide for the segregation of the Negro and White races and does by this ordinance segregate the Negro and White races in the said City of Matador in Motley County, Texas, and defines the boundaries of that part of the city set apart for the people of the Negro race, as follows, to wit:

That the Negro community shall contain the following lots, blocks, or parcels of land lying and situated in the City of Matador in Motley County, Texas within the following metes and bounds, to-wit: Beginning at the N. W. Cor. of Block 38 Matador, Texas; Thence South with the center of Campbell Street to the S. W. Cor. Block 73; Thence East with center Cannon St. to the S. E. Cor. Block 77; Thence North with East line said town of Matador to N. E. Cor. Block 34; Thence West with center Commache St. to N. W. Cor. Block 38 place of beginning. The above described lands shall constitute that part of Matador, Texas, which may be inhabited by the people of the Negro race, except blocks 51 and 60 which is reserved for people of the White race. All other lands situated within the corporate limits of the City of Matador, Texas, shall be and is hereby set apart for people of the White race and may be inhabited by the people of the White race.

Section 2. And it is provided further by this ordinance that the City Council of Matador shall have authority to withhold permits to build or

construct a residence, business house, or church, or occupied by white people of the Negro race, on land of that part of town set apart for the white race.

It is further provided by this ordinance that the City Council of Matador shall have authority to withhold permits to build or construct a residence, business house, or church, or occupied by white people of the Negro race, on land of that part of town set apart for the white race.

Section 3. It shall not be lawful for any member of the white race to construct and occupy a house, part of Matador set apart for the Negro race. And it is unlawful for any member of the Negro race to construct a house in that part of the White race. Any person violating this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and on conviction be fined not to exceed five hundred dollars.

Section 4. The fact that there is no ordinance providing for the segregation of the White and Negro races in Matador causes confusion and creates an emergency and active public necessity and the suspension of the ordinance shall be null and meetings of the City Council shall be suspended and the ordinance put upon its final reading by a vote of 4 Ayes.

Signed and approved Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, this the 1st day of August, 1944.

G. T. Edwards Mayor of the City of Matador

Attest: J. F. Hallford, Secretary To Publish August 3, 10, 17, 24.

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